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LOCAL NEWS.

bon-ton or otherwise, who would see the Chap-mans and Bishop in their specialties, must discard fashion for once and go to-night. Its

Police Court.—The following cases were disposed of by Police Justice White this morn-

ing:
Henry Teiman and Charles White, two

stealing two fire grates from Mr. West, and with imposing the same on Levi Samuels as his

own property, was sent on for trial.

Ned Street, charged with feloniously assaulting James Howard and his wife with a stick. Case continued until next Tucaday

fresh seeds every year. With such enterprise and energy, he will surely succeed and rival the popular J. Vick, of Rochester, N. Y., whose assistant he at one time wer. Who will start the next good work for Virgibia?

The Swiss Be'l Ringers .- The Berger

have played all over the country, and every-where with acceptance.

The Baltimore Gazette says of one of their

performances recently in that city:

"For genuine unalloyed enjoyment and recreation, there has not been in Baltimore for a

decade past, such an entertainment as that now offered at the Concordia Opera House. The Berger Family, with their important auxilia-ries, get up what may be trathfully and em-

ries, get up what may be trathfully and emphatically termed a "gala night" every evening. Miss Maud Stanley, who assists the Bergers, is a young lady of most pleasing addres, and gifted with a clear, beautiful soprano voice; Sol Smith Russell, as a humorist and facial contortionist, stands coufessedly at the head of his profession; Mr. Will. K. Lavake, is a balladist without a rival, and J. Henry Gardner, 13 a cornet soloist, is equal to any.

Two parties, William Richardson and Mary Carter were tried in the Hustings court yesterday, for assaulting Peter Moss, of Rock-ingham, and robbing him of \$12, near Solitude

ingham, and robbing him of \$12, near Solitude about six weeks since. It appeared that Moss hrs no arms, and but one leg. He had accumulated the money on a visit to Richmond. Atter getting it he wandered down in the vicinity of Seventh and Canal streets. Richardson here became aware of its possession by him, and seizing Moss in his arms bore him into an out-house, choked him into insensibility, and held him while Mary Carter want through him. The punishment of such an of-

through him. The punishment of such an of-fence oy law is death, The commonwealth's attorney, G. D. Wise, Esq., asked for its inflic-tion but the jury returned a verdict of twelve years against Richardson, and eight against Carter. Moss is a brother of Senator Moss of Rockingham.

Dead Infant .- A dead white infant was

Trent was notified, who, after viewing the body, ordered it to be burried. Finding dead infants appears to be epidemic just at this

The atmosphere underwent another

change this morning, having turned considera-bly warmer. The varieties of weather we have been favored with this winter, has had its legitimate effect in recruiting the different grave-yards. We have seldom known a more

Tea and Coffee .- All who wish to enjoy

found in the rear of Moore's and, of Seventeenth street, this morning. Coro of Seventeenth street, who, after viewing

Rockingham.

unhealthy winter.

time.

start the next good work for Virgihia?

the last chance.

Benefit Night at the Theatre. - A full and

Evening State Journal.

WE have great cause to felicitate ourselves upon the turn events are taking in Virginia. This change is due to the Press. It acts as the "sentinel upon the watch tower" and gives the public warning of approaching danger, or apprises them of the necessity for the adoption of such measures, in their political and material life, as will most promote their good. For time memorial it has acted in this capacity, and thus prevented many abuses which would have been inflicted by designing and selfish men upon innecent communities. The public have no time in the whirl of business that engages their constant attention, to discuss or carefully study the merits of quartions of local or State policy that springs from growing contingencies. It is the office of the Press to carefully weigh all these matters by a close observation of surrounding circumstances. and reference to the best authorities, and present a result of this summary to the reading public. True, it may at times be perverted to evil purposes by a distortion of facts, and in other ways, but truth, like murder, "will out." But, however erroneous an argument, or unstable the foundation upon which it is built, we believe in the proverb, " Audi clteram partem ;" for it is only by a careful collation and consideration of conflicting views, that the truth can, at last, be elicited. The truth in Virginia, however, seems slower in developing itself than in any place in the wide world. Only within a very short time past has it been known that the "Virginia policy" was working our destruction. But notwithstanding the fact that this observation is upon the lips of almost every one we meet, there are some among our representatives, whose understandings are obfuscated by the remains of old fogyism, and out of this relict of antiquated ideas sprung their opposition to granting the privileges asked

by the Pennsylvania railway company.

Of these, happily there are but few, and we

can only say of them, "Ephraim is joined

to his idols, let him alone."

The great mass of the people, however, appreciate the necessity for lashing themselves to the car of progress and permitting their apathetic brethren to be crushed under its wheels or left entirely in the rear. The greatest amount of opposition exhibited to the bill conferring the right of passage through the State to this railroad. strange to say, is to be found in the General Assembly. This opposition to everything Yankee, merely because it is Yankee, cannot last. Virginia is greatly in need of help, and if Northern men and Northern corporations come down among us and offer to assist us shall we refuse it? Upon the same principle a man who has fallen into a pit may as well refuse to be lifted out by another who has been his enemy. Thus his own pride and animosity will induce him to remain where he is and perish, when he might to saved and live to be a useful citizen. After the passage of a single decade, provided the 'new policy" is carried out, we would like to meet the opponents of this measure, to take a retrospective view of its results within that period. The prospect is the most cheering that has visited us for the past six years, and really looks as if that "hope deferred" which has heretofore " made the heart sick," is about to be accompanied with grand realities. We have devoted all our energies to putting the ball in motion. Once started, its own impetus will add to its velocity, so that we will soon see the old Commonwealth covered all over with internal improvements, and old Virginia will be old Virginia once more. As a result of all this our lands will appreciate in value, investments will multiply, and the tide of immigration that will be attracted to our borders, will dot our hills and valleys with happy homes where now exists the rude wilderness. Those who have been driven off by the stern hand of adversity will return to bask in the sunlight of returning fortune, and deposit their bones in the home of their childhood. With the completion of that grand structure, the James River and Kanawha canal, and railways that point to every end of the compass, converging upon Richmond, this will be no Utopian dream. But there are other collateral agencies necessary to the entire accomp-

Paris passionately protests against her occupation. In the Latin quarter placards have appeared reiterating, at least in effect, General Trochu's absurd advice to bar and defend the gates, and appealing to the Parisians "to make a last struggle shor'd the Germans enter the city." Of course this appeal is anonymors; for uttering similar language General Trochu has been invited by M. Thiers to resign, thus promptly receiving the fate of Gambetta, which the defender of Paris courted by an act of folly as great as any suggested by the ill-balancel mind that misled the

plishment of these results. We hope the

sagacity of our Representatives will enable

them to find them.

Trochu is not the only official, howeve who has protested against this proposed action of the Germans. M. Thiers himself vigorously opposes it, and though he deco not indulge in inflammatory language like that of Trochu, he "warns the Germans of the responsibility they will incur." It is difficult to conceive what this warning

means, or to imagine that it can have any good effect on the Germans, who under all the circumstances would be justified in laughing it to scorn. All that there is of danger in carrying out the design threatens the unarmed Parisians. For precedent with which to justify the act, if the precedent of one wrong can be held to justify another, the Germans have only to point to the French occupation of Berlin sixty-

five years ago. But there is little need for threats or protests. The triumphal march into Paris was to have taken place, as originally fixed, on the 19th instant, but was postponed until yesterday; now it is deferred until next Monday, and it looks as if it were not to take place at all. It was announced Thursday that only a portion of the army will march through the capital en route home; and even this ceremony may be waived. We hope so. The German triumph has not been so equivocal that their displays of power are needed to confirm it to men's eyes.

THE legislature of Indiana has finally amended the divorce laws of the State, so that under the law, as amended, where the cause of divorce has arisen in another State, the petitioner must prove bona fide residence of three years instead of one in the State and county in which the application is filed. No divorce will hereafter be granted unless the act or acts complained of were good cause of divorce in the State in which they were committed. The causes of divorce must be distinctly stated, and nothing is left to the discretion of the judges as heretofore.

Henceforth parties who desire to be loosed from matrimonial bonds must look to some other State than Indiana.

THE Indian appropriation bill passed the Senate Thursday. Its consideration, of course, brought up the vexed Indian question. We are firm in the belief that the President's is the only policy which will benefit both the whites and the Indians, and bring about general pacification. So long as the government fails to deal justly with its savage wards, and so long as United States troops hunt them down like wild beasts, so long may we expect a continuance of Indian wars. Let Christianity, school-houses, and farming implements be thoroughly tested before we despair of reclaiming these people from their barbarous practices.

IMPEACHMENT OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF ARKANSAS .- An Avalanche Little Rock special of Thursday says: Only ten senators answered the roll call this morning. There was considerable discussion as to the propriety of employing additional assistants to the organitational arms to bring in the absent members. It was charged that the sergeant had been several times in the governor's office without making any attempt to arrest. Af er renewing the instructions to the sergeant and his assistants, the Senate adjourned till to-morrow. Nothing was done in the

In the Supreme Court testimony was closed in the quo warranto case, and the counsel for the Lieutenant Governor submitted the case without argument. Not one scintella of evidence has been introduced by the State to rebut the positive proof that the defendant qualified within the fifteen days, as required by law. The case has been so clearly made out that it is mpossible to conceive that a court, packed for the purpose, can, upon any hype othesis. decide contrary to the evidence, and oust the Lieutenant Governor.

Clayton's plan has been to keep the skulking senators out of the way until his court makes an order to oust Johnson, then have them return, resign his position as Governor, let the Senato elect a majority president, and turn the office over to him. But, even if this were done, Johnson would appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States, maintain his position as Governor, and call on the Federal government to sustain him. To-morrow will determine the future course of all parties.

A full length portrait of Washington, said to be by Rembrandt Peale, the owner-ship of which has been in litigation for some years, was sold Thursday in New York at auction for \$250. A valuable coal deposit near Scranton,

Pennsylvania, believed to contain from ten to twelve million tons, was sold at auction Thursday for one cent per ton. Surveys were made at Poughkeepsis

Thursday in the view of erecting a bridge across the Hudson. Pole's block, in Cala's, Maine, compris ing fourteen stores and rooms occupied by two families, was burned Thursday night.

Loss\$40,000. The Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railroad company will shortly commence to lay a second track between Toledo and

Buffalo, and from Elkhurst to Chicago,

using steel rails. A sleeping car on the Pennsylvania railroad was burned Thursday near Lock port, Pennsylvania, the train having run on broken rail. All the passengers escaped unhurt.

Colonel John S. Monroe, Mayor of New Orleans at the time that city was captured by General Butler, and who was imprisoned by him for a long time, died suddenly in Savannah, Georgia, Thursday. The wine cellars of Siergrest & Bros., in

on Thursday night. Less \$60,000. A disastrous fire occurred on Thursday night at Savannah Ga., destroying Hodgson's block. Loss \$250,000, one-half of which is covered by insurance.

Napa, California, were destroyed by fire

The sub-committee of the Methodsit book investigation was in session at New York Thursday for the selection of experts for the examination of the accounts of the concern.

The St. Louis Board of Trade has adopted a memorial to Congress, asking an appropriation of a million and a half dollars for the improvement of the MissLetter from Fort Monroe. FORT MONROE, Feb. 23, 1871.

To the Editor of the State Journal: Thinking a note of what is going on in this vicinity might interest your numerous

readers, I cond you this line. A wide-spread gloom has overcast this community at the death of Hon. Isaiah L. Lyons, a member of the Senate of Virginia from this (Elizabeth City) county. He died at Hampton on Tuesday, the 21st instant, of heart disease, in the twentyninth year of his age. His remains, cs-corted by Eastern Star Lodge of Masons, were brought to this place to-night, and expressed North for interment. Thus has passed away, hardly yet in the prime of his manhood, highly honored and respected by men of all colors and political pro-

General Barry, commanding this post, has been very ill for sometime past, but is now to the gratification of his many friends in a fair way of recovery.

The ball in honor of Washington's birthday, given by Greble Lodge, I. O. O.

F., last night was a grand success. At non yesterday, a national salute of 37 guns was fired in commemoration of the day from the fort, and at night Mr. George Snyder delivered in aid of a charitable object, to a large and highly appreciative audience, composed of the beauty and fashion of the Point and vicinity, his celebrated lecture on "The Influence of National Literature."

The artillery schools under the able and judicious mar agement of the commandant, General W. F. Barry, is progressing finely. Its course of instruction both theoretical and practical is in the hands of able and accomplished officers and is therefore very

The limited appropriations made by Congress for the support of the army, has compelled the commanding officers of the engineer, ordinance, quartermaster and commissary departments to reduce their force of employees to the lowest possible limit. Consequently everything here looks more like a holliday compared with the busy stirring scenes of not much more than year ago. This is much to be regretted, as a great many poor men with large families dependent on them for support, have thus been thrown out of employment the midst of this rigorous winter. Valuable and expensive machinery, too, is ying idle in the arsenal shops and if orders for work are not soon received to put in motion this machinery, it might soon become worthless through rust. It is to be hop I that our Representative in Congress will urge on the authorities to give this

section at least a part, if not a fair share, of the work needed by the government.

The board of managers of the National Muitary Asylum are to meet at the Southern Branch, near this place, on the 12th proximo, when it is expected permanent officers of this board will be selected There are now about seventy-five of our invalid disabled hero: in this institution, and as many more shortly expected.

The magnificent buildings lately erected near Hampton, through the exertion of General S. C, Armstrong, and designed as a mission school for the education of colored children have been completed, and already a large number of pupils are in attendance. The railroad war which has been pro-

gressing within the Legislative Halls of party were all well. our Capitol during the past two weeks. has been watched with more than ordinary interest by all persons in this section who have the welfare of our State at heart, and the siraight forward, manly, consistant, and honorable course pursued by our estimable Representative in the House of Delegates, Gen. D. B. White, has gained for him the approbation of his constituents and the praise of all. It is to be hoped that he will be nominated and elected to fill the vacancy in the Senate caused by the death of the lamented Lyons, for surely no one could be found who would fill the position with more credit to himself and honor to his constitu-ORSERVER

SHOCKING ACCIDENT AT CUMBERLAND, MARYLAND .- A shocking accident, resulting in the death of one man, and very serious, perhaps fatal injuries to another, occurred at the Baltimore and Ohio railroad company's rolling mill on Tuesday While Samuel Brewer and David Hartsock, two of the employees of the mill, were repairing the belt which drives the saw carriage, one of them holding it off the shafting while the other was lacing it, by some means Brewer's arm caught on the rapidly revolving shaft, and the unforturate man wer rapidly whirled around with it. Hartsock, seeing his fellow-workman's danger, put forth his hands to rescue him, when he also was caught on the shaft and carried around with it, and in an instant both men were hurled to the ground, fearfully injured. Everything possible was immediately done for them. Medical aid was summoned, and Drs. Healey, Ohr, Dougherty and Duval quickly

Brewer's right arm was torn off above the elbow and his left ankle broken. He was also injured internally. Hartsock had his leg and arm broken, and it is feared that he has sustained rerious injuries about the head. Brewer survived until about 2 o'clock P. M., having retained his consciousness from the time of his injury. His death was placid, and his suffering at no time seemed to be intense. Hartsock was still alive last night, a reaction having taken place, and though his condition is deemed very critital, there is, we are pleasd to state, a chance for his recovery .- Cumberland Alleganian.

A BRAVE Fox .- A lady who lives in Dinwiddie county, about nine miles from Petersburg, was recently attacked by a fox, while standing in her yard, and it was with difficulty that her husband succeeded in killing the animal, before she was seriously bitten. We guess the Dinwiddie people don't feed their foxes.

A school-girl in Fernandina, Fla., a lew nights ago, turned down the wick of her kerozene lamp, and as it continued to smoke she placed a book on the top of the chimney. In a moment a fearful explosion took place, which set fire to her dress, to the curtains, and to the adjacent wood-work, and she was fatally burned, dying the next morning. that committee, was read.

The recent financial irregularities in Boston national banks are confined to the Western and Northern banks. The irregularities amount to \$50,000 or \$60,-

BY TELEGRAPH.

TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES.

By Southern and Atlantic (opposition EXCLUSIVELY FOR THE STATE JOURNAL

General European News.

Bremen, February 24.—A telegraph order received from Versailles directs the immediate liberation of all French hostages. London, February 24.—Count Henkle and the Banker Blaich Schroove have gone

to Paris from Versailles to discuss the

financial question with Thiers. Bismarck it is said demands an indem-nity of six milliards, deducting therefrom all contributions which have been levied. The proposition is vigorously approved by

Berdeaux, Feb. 24.-The Court of Rome has recognized the new government of France. General Sheridan left Marsailles yester-

day for this city.

No news has been received here respecting the negotiations at Versailles. Silence will be maintained until conditions of peace are fully decided on. The Orleans Princes are staying in the

Department of Gironde. Lille, February 24 .- A telegram from the government at Bordeaux, warns the public against a false report as to the terms of peace, which it says cannot yet be known. The clerical party are opposed to the transfer of the essembly to Paris. The 23rd corps will be disbanded as soon

The 23rd corps will be disbanded rs soon as peace is proclaimed.

Havana, February 24.—The contributions imposed on Alencon remaining unpaid, the Prussians have seized the stocks of merchandize in the principal shops. The amount of the requisition made by the enemy on Honfleur is 545,000 francs.

Wurtemburg has gone to Versailles, and will probably be absent until the 5th of Paris, Feb. 24.—The military authorities here are still unadvised as to the entry

Stutgart, February 24.-The King of

Henry Teiman and Charles White, two juvenile sneak-thieves, charged with unlawfully trespassing on the premices of C. Y. Morris, and with stealing therefrom a lot of lead, the property of the said C. Y. Morris, were sent on for trial.

Charles Miller and Preston Hove, white, charged with stealing lead from C. Y. Morris. Miller sent on for trial, Hovan discharged. Henry Robinson, colored, charged on warrant with unlawfully assaulting Lavinia Crump with a brick, was required to pay a fine of \$2.50. of the Germans into Paris, but the impression is becoming general that the enemy will forgo their triumph. The rumor is circulating that the Assembly on leaving Bordeaux will re-assemble at \$2.50.

Henry Teiman, Charles White and Charles Miller, charged with stealing an overcoat from W. L. Moore. Case continued until next Wednesday.

Polk Britt, colored, charged with unlawfully stealing two fire crates from Mr. West, and The journals here say the demands made

by Germany on France have produced a painful impression on tthe cabinets of London, Vienna and St. Petersburg. The Versailles Moniteur prints extracts from German newspapers, demonstrating that whatever the indemnity may be, it is impossible to exceed the good right of Germany or the resources of France.

From South America.

Panama, Feb. 21, via Jamaica, 24,-Advices have been received from the United States Consul at Colombia, that a fight had taken place at Garuca, in the State of Beyacer, between 500 men under Reys, and 800 under Chaparras. The State troops were defeated with a loss of 100 .-Perez escaped to Santander and Reys was made prisoner, and peace has been restored.
The United States steamer Nipsic, arrived
at Panama on the 8th, and sailed for
Abrate river on the 14th. The surveying

THE LEGISLATURE.

RICHMOND, February 25.

Senate. The President protem in the chair.

SENATE BILLS REPORTED FROM COMMIT-To exempt firemen in the city of Rich-

The Swiss Bell Ringers.—The Berger family of Swiss Bell Ringers are announced for a week's engagement at the theatre, commencing Monday, February 27th. By this our citizens are assured of a week of most excelent enjoyment in a musical way which they will not fail to appreciate. This troupe is justly considered the most efficient now before the public. Every individual member of the bell ringing company has been trained to the use of the bells from his or her infancy. They have played all over the country, and every mond from jury duty.

For the relief of Robert Harper and Francis Newton of the county of Loudoun To prevent the sale of impure and adulterated oil in the State of Virginia. BILLS INTRODUCED, TWICE READ AND RE

FERRED. By Mr. Anderson, of Rockbridge-To

incorporate the town of Luray.

By Mr. Latham—To amend and re-enact 4th section of chapter 65 of code, as amended and re-enacted by an act entitled an act to amend chapter 65 of the code, in relation to incorporation by the circuit courts, passed January 25, 1867. House of Delegates.

House met at 11 A. M. Speaker Turner n the chair.

BILLS REPORTED.

Senate bill providing a charter for the city of Staunton. House bills to amend the general election law in various particulars; to declare the Rapidan river a lawful fence from Liberty Mills to Booton's Water Rock; to amend the charter and change the name of the Alexandria and Fredericksburg railroad company, with a recommendation that the House concur in the Senate amendments.

Henry Gardner, 63 a cornet soloit, is equal to any.

"The Misses Berger perform on a half dozen different instrument", and whether using string or bees, are alike au fail. In the West and South they have been received by overwhelming audiences, and in New Orleans they succeeded in crowding to excess for four consecutive weeks the largest hall in that city. Without exception, press and people speak of them in terms of the highest praise, and we bespeak from Baltimore amus ment lovers, that liberal encouragement they always award genius and merit." CHANGE IN TOWNSHIP BOUNDARIES. The committee on counties, cities and towns, reported that they had considered the petition of certain citizens of Bedford county, praying a change in the township boundaries of said county, and that they are of the opinion that the relief sought may be had by proceedings under the 7th section of the act "to provide for dividing the several counties of the State into town-

The report was concurred in. APPEALS WITHDRAWN.

Mr. Wood announced that he withdrew his appeal from the Speaker's decision referring to a committee his resolution of yesterday, instructing the committee on roads to report the Alexandria and Fredericksburg bill at once. PASSED BY.

The special order, (the oyster tax bill) was, on motion of Mr. Hudgin, passed by.
House bill No. 37, came up, and, on motion of Mr. Budd, was also passed by yeas, 68; nays, 33. THE RAILROAD WAR.

The Alexandria and Fredericksburg bill with Senate amendments, next came up.
A protest, signed by Messrs. Thurman, Hill, Segar, Gray and John F. Wall, of the committee on roads, against the manner in which the bill was rushed through

these two important articles in all their purity and strength and full perfection, can get the articles required by calling at Slater & Bene-dict's Old Dominion steam coffee and spice mills, No. 736, Main street, corner Eighth, Richmond, Virginia. A minority report, signed by the same gentlemen, against the bill and Senate amendments, was also read. It takes The Hustings court was engaged to-day in the trial of a care against Robert Sprigg, colored, for keeping a disorderly house on Cary street. ground against the constitutionality of the bill, as it embraces various objects not expressed in the title.

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The Haunstein Estate - A Chancery Suit The Haunstein Estate—A Chancery Suit Commemced for its Recovery by His Relatives in Switzerland.—The property of Solomon Haunstein, of this city, seized when he put an end to his life in 1861, does not appear likely to escheat to the Commonwealth, despite the conviction of Messrs. Chahoon and Sands for preventing, as is alleged, that desirable consummation. Messrs. Bradley T. Johnson and George L. Christian, attorneys-at-law, have commenced a suit in the chancery court of Richmond, Judge E. H. Fitzhugh presiding, on behalf of certain alleged heirs for its recovery, which suit stands on record as follows: Benefit Night at the Theatre.—A full and fashionable assembly greeted the Chapman sisters and C. B. Bishop, at the theatre last night, on the occasion of their last benefit. The very interesting comedy "Kind to a Fault," in which Bishop had full room to display his peculiar vein of talent, and the burlesque of "Little Jack Sheppard," were given. Both plays were rendered in a manner to clicit the unstinted encomiums of the large and brilliant auditory present. At the conclusion of the first piece, in obedience to a unanimous call, Mr. Bishop led his fair conferes before the curtain, when all three were received with a round of applause. In answer to a request for a speech, Mr. Bishop said that the present would be the last engagement played before the people of Richmond by the company to which he was attached under its present organization. That from this place it started South, and would, in mid-spring, disband. That he, however, indulged the hope that it might be his privilege, as it would certainly be his pleasure, to appear again in the future before the hospitable citizens of Richmond, who had always given him a generous welcome, either alone, or, Providence, permitting, with those with whom he was now so pleasantly resociated. It would, he was certain, give him more pleasure than the good people of Richmond, for his return among them.

Miss Ellt Chapman, who had been prevented from appearing Thursday evening on account of indisposition, resumed her usual part in both plays presented last night, looking as vivacious rea two year old, as fair as a lily and as sweet as a newly budded rose. Miss Blanch was as graceful and pleasing as ever, and rendered her songs with a pathos and spirit which seems altogether natural with that young lady. "Little Jack Sheppard" will be presented at the matince commencing at 2 P. M., and the faire "Your Life's in Danger" to night. Saturday night is not considered a fasaionable occasion for some people to attend the theatre, but all those whether bon-ton or otherwise, who would

John Haunstein, Andreas H. Haunstein, Henry Haunstein, Anna Haunstein and Louisa Kratteger—plaintiffs.

John W. Wright, sheriff of the city of Richmond, and as such administrator of Richard S. Sanxay, deceased, who was the curator of the estate of Solomon Haunstein, deceased, George Chahoon, John H. Sande, Richard S. Sanxay and Annie E. Sanxay, his wife, Mrs. Mary J. Wilkinson, Wm. D. Porter and Mary E. Porter, his wife, and Robert Penman and Mary E. Penman, his wife—defendants.

defendants.

The bill filed in the case states that plaintiffs are the true and only surviving heirs at law and next of kin to Solomon Haunstein, deceased, late of this city and State, who died intestate—the said John, Andreas, Henry and Anna being the only surviving brothers and sister of the said Solomon Haunstein, deceased, and the said Louisa Kratteger being the nice of a deceased sister Louisa Kratteger, by her husband Gottlieb Kratteger, the said Louisa being formerly Haunstein, and sister of the said Solomon Haunstein, deceased—all of them being now residents of Switzerland.

It goes on to recite the facts of his death in 1869, the committal of his estate to Sanxay, and the proceedings out of which grew the prosecution of Messrs. Chahoon and Sands.

In conclusion, they pray that may be decreed to be entitled to succeed to Solomon Haunstein's estate, real and personal, by virtue of the 1st and 2d clauses of article V, of the treaty between the United States and Switzerland, concluded November 25, 1850. The progress of this suit will be watched with interest. The bill filed in the case states that plaintiffs

Suit for Divorce. - Mrs. Virginia C. Kendrick, through her next friend, Mansfield Butler, by Turner Atkinson, Esq., attorney, hes commenced in the Chancery court of this city, a suit for divorce from her husband, Wm. T, Kendrick.

New Publications .- Johnston & Selden, those prince of newsdealers, are, we are pleased to announce, well provided with all the latest publications. They have on hand the last numbers of the "Day's Doings," "Harper's" and "Frank Leslie's," and "Wild Oats," besides the most popular ladies' book of fashion. Remember their number—918, Main street.

Convicts Received .- The following prisoners were received at the penitentiary to-day: From Alexandria, Wm. Clagett, colo-red, 3 years, for house-breaking; from Scott county, Cummings D. Porter, white, 1 year, assault with intent to kill; from Campbell county, Wm. H. Brown, white, 1 year, for house-breaking.

The Tableaux.—The second exhibition The I addicaux.—The second exhibition of the tableaux and statuary last night at Virgins Hall, under the auspices of the Knights of Pythias, proved most satisfactory to the to the large audience present on this occasion. The various scenes were excellent, and the solo, duets, etc., as rendered by several amateurs, were meritoriously applauded. The committee of arrangements beg to return their thanks to Messrs. Woodhouse & Parham, for the use of their grand piano. A New Enterprise.—The State is already beginning to feel that there "is life in the old land yet." One of the greatest wants our agriculturalists and floris; have known, is that of a regular seed grower. Nothing of the kind has been successful in the State, but now we have a prospect that argues a certainty of success, from the fact that a young, able, competent and energetic business man is at its head. Mr. Leekenby, of the firm of Leekenby & Laird, whose garden of flowers at the head of Grace street, is just at this time the object of an afternoon walk, has purchased a small farm near the city, which, in a short time, he intends shall bloom and blossom like the rose. He intends to devote all the ground to the raising of the most choice and beautiful plant; flowers, &c., and to save and put up for sale fresh seeds every year. With such enterprise

War !—A very severe skirmish took place yesterday on Franklin street, near the first market, between two puglistic sons of Italy, and an armistice was arranged through the intercession of a prime minister, adorned with a blue coat having a door-plate on the left breast.

Walter Winn, Esq., a very prominent young colored lawyer, arrived in this city yesterday from Washington. We understand that he intends locating here for the purpose of practicing his profession. Just Received .- "Wild Oats," the popular journal of fun, satire, burlesque, etc., has just been received by John Perry, Jr., the enterprising newsdealer, 805 Broad street. He has also received the first number of the "Black Crook," a paper of a similar character. Call on him as he has but a few copies.

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His funeral will take place TO-MOIROW, the 25th inst., at 11 o'clock, from his late residence on Venable street between Eighteenth and Nine cant. His friends and the friends of the family are respectfully invited to atend.

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