Evening State Journal.

SATURDAY EVE'NG, MAY 4, 1872.

DURATION OF VITALITY IN GRAIN.—"A Young Farmer" inquires if seed of the different kinds of grain a year or more old, will grow as well as fresh seed. Our answer would be, always sow seed as fresh as it can be had, for although some seed will germinate after it has been kept years, yet these are exceptions. We do not know of any distinct experiments on old and new grain, except it be a single trial which we made in pots. Fresh seed wheat was sown in pots in autumn, one inch deep, and kept properly moist. In another pot, subjected to the same temperature and the same degree of moisture was sown wheat kept over one year. In other pots, seed five years old, was sown under simular circumstances. The first or fresh seed came up in eleven days, the weather being rather cool; the second seed, one year old, came up in thirteen days. The five-year seed in the other pots came up irregularly, the first in eighteen days, and afterwards for nearly a month. The grains of all were counted when placed in the earth, and the result was that all fresh seed grew; all or nearly all the one year; but not one-half the five-year seed ever grew at all. From these limited experiments, we may infer that fresh seed is always best; if only a year old it may do well, although the plants will hardly have the vigor of the first; but seed several years old should be employed only for preserving or securing some desirable variety. We hope some of our readers will repeat the experiment on oats, barley, &c., by accurately counting, measuring depth, recording dates, &c.—*Country Gentleman.*

—Recently two persons traveling on the road to Gotham in a light wagon, were smoking cigars, from the fire of which some straw at the bottom ignited. The flames soon drove them from their seats, and while busy extinguishing the fire, a countryman, who had been for some time following them on horseback, alighted to assist them.

"I have been watching the smoke for some time," said he.

"Why, then, did you not give us notice?" asked the travelers.

"Well," responded the rustic, "there are so many new-fangled notions now-a-days, I thought you were going by steam."

—It seems that the late Professor F. D. Maurice sent to Bentley, in 1830, a novel, which Bentley published in 1834. The title was "Eustace Conway"; and the villain of the novel was named "Captain Marryatt." The author of "Peter Simple" at once sent a challenge to the writer of "Eustace Conway," the latter then being a curate in Warwickshire. The gallant captain was as much surprised to learn that Maurice had never read his novels, and did not even know of his existence, as he was to be informed that the clerical character of his opponent forbid him to indulge in the luxury of a duel.

—There occurred recently, in a Western town, a very strange freak of lightning. It entered a house at the bottom and made a total wreck of everything in it except a family of six persons, who, strange to say, all escaped without injury. Even the lamp-burners were torn to pieces. The house was spread apart so that the rafters fell through, and the very beds in which the family were sleeping were torn to pieces.

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205—Revenue

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the Eastern District of Virginia.

To all whom it may concern—GREETING:

Notice is hereby given, That on the 25th day of April, 1872, (127) one hundred and twenty-seven pounds of Tobacco, at Norfolk, Va.; (600) six hundred Cigars, and (2) two pounds of Leaf Tobacco, at Alexandria, Virginia; (239) two hundred and thirty-nine pounds of Smoking Tobacco, at Richmond, Virginia, were seized by the Marshal of the United States for said District as forfeited to the use of the United States, and the same is libeled and prosecuted in this Court in the name of the United States, for condemnation for the causes in the said libel set forth, and that said cause will stand for trial at the court-room in the city of Richmond, on the 6th day of June, 1872, when and where all persons are warned to appear to show cause why condemnation should not be decreed, and to intervene for their interests.

Dated April 11, 1872.

DAVID B. PARKER,
ap 27—10t U. S. Marshal.

164—In Equity.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the Eastern District of Virginia.

W. H. Morton, assignee, vs. J. M. Carrington, assignee.

Ordered that the sale of the property made and reported by J. M. Carrington and W. H. Morton, commissioners in this cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless exception be taken thereto within thirty days from this, the 4th day of April, 1872.

A copy—Teste:

M. F. PLEASANTS,
ap 9—3aw3w Clerk.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Quotations of Bonds and Stocks by Lancaster & Co., Bankers and Brokers, 1113 Main Street, Richmond, Va.

GOLD—110@110¼.

Virginia Consolidated	54
One-third Certificates	16¾
Virginia Registered Bonds, old, last sales	45
Richmond City Bonds, last sales	80
Petersburg City Bonds last sales	75
Lynchburg City Bonds, last sales	72¾
First National Bank Stock, last sales	115
National Bank of Virginia Stock, last sales	102½
Planters' National Bank Stock, last sales	100
State Bank of Virginia Stock, last sales	103
R., F. & P. R. R. Stock—common, last sales	61
Do. do. do. guaranteed 6 per cent., last sales	80
Do. do. do. 7 do. do	90
R F & P & R & P C'n R R Stock, last sales	76¼
Richmond & Danville R. R. Stock, last sales	23
Chesapeake and Ohio R R Stock, last sales	30
Rich'd & Petersburg R. R. Stock, last sales	27½
Clover Hill R. R. Stock, last sales	80
Virginia and Tenn, R. R. Stock, last sales	21
Petersburg & Weldon R. R. Stock, last sales	55
Orange & Alexandria R. R. Stock, last sales	15¾
Virginia State Ins. Co. Stock, last sales	24½
Va Fire and Marine Ins Co. Stock, last sales	26½
Rich'd Banking & Ins. Co. Stock, last sales	24½
R. & D. R. R. mortgaged Bonds, last sales	82
Piedmont R. R. 8 per cent Bonds, last sales	95
V C R-R Third mor'd 6 per ct Bds, last sale	87¾
Do. Fourth do. 8 do. do. do	96
Do. non-mortgaged 8 do. do. do	95
R. F. & P. R. R. Bonds, 7 per cent. last sales	90
Do. do. do. 6 do. do	80
R. & P. R. R. Bonds, 7 per cent., last sales	90
Do. 8 do. do. do	95
Clover Hill R R 8 per ct Bonds, last sales	87½
S R R First Preferre'd 8 per ct Bds, last sales	95
Do do Second do guar'd 6 p ct Bds, last sales	75
Do. do. Third do. 6 do. do	72
Nor'lk & Petersb'g R R Bds, 8p ct last sales	95
Or & Alex R R First mortg'd Bds, last sales	90
Do do do do do Second do do do	82
Do do do do Third do 8 p ct Bds, last sales	93
Do do do do Fourth do 8 do do do	85
V & T R R First mor'd 6 p ct Bds, last sales	90
Do do do do Second do 6 do do do	80
Do do do do Third do 8 do do do	90
Petersb'g & Wel. R R 8 per ct Bds, last sales	96¾
Jas R & K C Co mortgaged Bonds, last sales	66½

Richmond Prices Current.

MAY 1, 1872.

JOBBING PRICES.

BEESWAX—30 cents per pound.

BEANS—White $2 00a2 50; colored mixed $1a1.50.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—4a4½c. per pound.

BUTTER—Prime Virginia 32a35c; fair to good 22a25c; common 10@12c.

BRANDY—Apple $2 50a3 00.

CANDLES—Tallow, 13½a14 cents per pound; Adamantine 12 oz., 15½a16 cents; 16 oz., 21 cents.

CORN—White, 69a70c.

COFFEE—Java 31a33c; Rio 23a23½; Laguayra 24a26c.

CORN MEAL—White, bolted, from mill, 75c; country 68a71.

CHEESE—Northern and Western prime cutting 21c; common 12a13c.

COTTON YARNS—Country yarns Nos. 8 to 12 $1 65.

DRUGS AND DYE-STUFFS—Alum 5c; Copperas, 3c; Madder 16c; Indigo $1.40a1.50; Cochineal $1.25; Extract Logwood 15c; Sal. Soda 3½ca3¾; Bluestone 12½c; super car. soda (American) 6¾c; English 7c.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, fancy sliced, 8a9c; do. quarters 6a7c. Peaches, peeled fancy, 14a15c; do. bright, 12a14c; unpeeled halves, 7¾a7½c; do. quarters, 6c. Cherries, pitted, 22a25c dry; wet, 12¾a15c. Blackberries, 9a10c. Plums, 11a16c. Whortleberries, 8a10c. Pears, 3a4c.

DRESSED HOGS—6a7c.

EGGS—17a18c per dozen, in barrels and boxes; in patent carriers 18c.

FLOUR—Family, 9¾a$10; Superfine, 8a$8¼; Extra, $8¾a9.

FLAXSEED—$1 65@1 75.

FEATHERS—Live geese 60a65c; mixed 40a50c.

FRUITS—Apples, green, 4.00a$6.00 per barrel. Scarce.

FISH—Mackerel, No. 1 bay, in barrels, $12a12¾; No. 1 shore, $18a18¾; No. 2, mackerel, $11; No. 3, $8¾a8¾; No. 1, in kits, $3¾; No. 2, $2¾.

Herrings—Split, $5¾; gross, $4½a5 per barrel; North Carolina roe, $3¾ per half-barrel; N. C. clipped, $6½; gross, $5a5¼ per barrel.

FURS—*Muskrat*—Blk. prime spring, 20c; winter, 15c; fall, 13c; kittens, 50c.

Mink—Prime dark, $2.25; No. 2, $1; No. 3, 40c No. 4, 10c.

Raccoon—No. 1 large, 35c; No. 1 medium and small, —; No. 2 large, 20c; No. 2 small, No. 3 good, 10c; No. 4, 5c; very poor, worthless.

Fox (red)—No. 1, 63c; No. 2, 40c; No. 3, 20c; No. 4, 10c.

Fox (grey)—No. 1, 30c; No. 2, 20c; No. 3, 10c.;

Fox (kitt)—50c.

Fox (cross)—$2.50.

Otter—Large cased No. 1, $5; large open No. 1, $4; No. 2, $3; No. 3, $2; No. 4. $1.

Bear—Black large No. 1, $4; black medium No. 1,—; black yearlings, —; black cubs No. 1, —; good No. 2, $2; good No 3, 63c.

Wild cat—Large cased No. 1, 30c; open No. 1, 25c.

House cat—No. 1, 20c; No. 2, 10c.

Opossum—Large case prime, 13c; good open prime, 10c.

Rabbits—Prime Southern, 2c; poor and pieces, 3 for 1c.

GINSENG—70a75c per pound.

GRINDSTONES—2c per ℔; $35 per ton.

GUANO—$75a77 for peruvian, according to quantity.

Preparations—Old Dominion Fertilizer, $60; Gilham's Tobacco Fertilizer, $70; Gilham's Truck do. $70; do. Cotton Fertilizer, $60; Powhatan Raw Bone Super Phosphate, $50; Whann's Super Phosphate, $50; Soluble Pacific, $50; Sea Fowl, $54; English Tobacco Fertilizer, $70; Norfolk Fish, $80; Eureka, $57½; Flour of Bone, $60; Gilham's Peanut Fertilizer, $60.

HAY—Prime Virginia Timothy $1.65a$1 75; good $1.10a$1 25; Northern, $1 75; Clover, $1 30a$1 40.

HIDES—*Wet Salted*—Steers 10a11c; calf skin, $1 75a1 85.

Dry—Country flint 16a19c; salted 14a16¾c. The buying rates for green are 6a7c.

IRON—Bar and band, 4¾a5c for common sizes; 5a5c for bands; Norway and Swedes, 6¾a7c.

LIME AND CEMENT—Rockville, Virginia, $1.20a 1.40; Rockland, $1.50 by the quantity from wharf; $1.75 by retail from store; Rosendale, $2.30a2.50; Calcined Plaster, $2.50a2.75; James River Cement, $2a2.25.

LEATHER—*Sole*—Hemlock, over weight, 27a28c; middle, 28a31c; light, 26a29c; good damaged, 22a 26c. Oak, middle weights, 35a40c.

Calf and Kip Skins—Best French, $1.50a2 25 per pound; French kip, $1.25a1.60 per pound; American calf, $1.25a1.50.

Saddlers'—Best harness, 40a42c; second quality, 38a40c; country, 30a35c.

Finished—Upper (country) 35a50c per pound.

Rough Stock—Skirting, 28a33c per pound; calf skins, 75a90c per pound—scarce and wanted; kip skins, 40a50c; sheep skins, $3a7 per doz.

LUMBER—*Pine*—Virginia and North Carolina joists from $15 to $20 per M; scantling, $14 to $16 per M. Boards—extra lots of clear boards from $16 to $20 per M; merchantable, $13 to $15 per M; Susquehanna, $25 to $45 per M; Albany (white) $65 to $85 per M; flooring (dressed) $25 to $45 per M.

Poplar—Virginia and North Carolina, $15 to $25 per M. Albany (coach) $60 to $70 per M.

Oak—White, $25 to $30 per M. Red, $12 to $20 per M.

Hickory—Virginia, $25 to $45 per M. Albany do, $75 to $80 per M.

Ash—Virginia, $30 to $45 per M; Albany do, $75 to $80 per M.

Walnut—Virginia (common), ⅝ to 1 inch $20 to $35 per M; Northern do., $100 to $125 per M.

MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—White syrup, 60a65c; N. O. molasses, 60a65c; dark standard molasses syrups, 26a28c.

OATS—Baled $1 30a1 50; per bushel, 70c.

ONIONS—75c@$1 per bushel.

POWDER—Sporting $6 50 per keg, $6 by the lot; blasting $4 50 by keg, $4 by the lot; Eagle powder, in flasks $19 50a20 per case of 23 pounds; Treble F. in canisters $14 per case of 25 pounds.

PLOW-CASTINGS—$5 25.

PITCH—5½a8c per barrel.

PAPER STOCK—Mixed cotton rag 4a4½c; white 5a5½c; wollen 2a4c; imperfections 2¾a3.

POULTRY—Dressed poultry: turkey 20a22c per pound; chickens, 16a18c per pound; ducks, 20a22c.

POTATOES—Irish, Va., 75a80c. per bushel.

PROVISIONS—Western Shoulders, 6¾a7c; Bone Sides, 7¾a8c; Clear Rib, 8¼a8½c; Breasts, 9a 9¾c; Plain Hams, 13½; Sugar-cured, 14a14½c; Canvased, 15¾a16; Virginia hog round, 9a9½. Lard, Country, 9a10c; Baltimore Leaf, in tierces and barrels, 10¾; in half-barrels, 11¾a11½; in kegs, 12. These are the jobbing prices.

RICE—New, Carolina, 9¾a9¾c.

ROSIN—$3½ for strained; $5¾a6 for No. 1 pale, 6a$7.

SUGAR.—Porto Rico, 10¾a11½c; Cuba, 10a10½c; New Orleans, 10¾a11½c; cut loaf, 14½c; refined crushed and powdered, 13½c.

SEEDS—Clover, $6a6¾; Timothy, 4a$4¾; Orchard grass, $2½a2¾—wholesale prices.

SHUCKS—$1 15a1.20.

STRAW—Baloled, 50a60c.

TAR—$4 for large barrels; $3½ for medium.

TURPENTINE—70a75c.

VENISON—Hams, 10a12½c. per pound.

TALLOW—7¾a8c per ℔ in large quantities.

VINEGAR—Northern, 22a28c; Virginia Cider Vinegar, 25a30c, and very dull.

WOOL—Washed, free of burrs, 75a80c; unwashed, free of burrs, 45a50c.

Richmond Tobacco Market.

MAY 1, 1872.

BLACK.

LUGS—Common to good	$6 00a 8 00
LEAF—Common to medium	7 50a 9 50
Good to fine	15 00a12 00

SUN-CURED.

LUGS—Common to medium	7 00a 8 00
LEAF—Common to medium	9 00a12 00
Good to fine—none in market.	

BRIGHT.

LUGS—Common to medium	8 00a10 00
Good to fine	12 00a15 00
Extra smoking	20 00a25 00
LEAF—Comm'n to med'm wrap'rs	12 00a20 00
Good to fine	25 00a50 00
Extra	55 00a75 00

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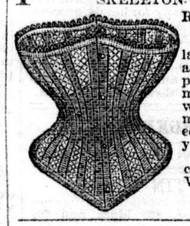

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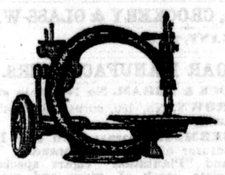

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