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PERUVIAN GUANO!

The best, the cheapest, and most permanent

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The SOMBRERO GUANO, before being added to the PERUVIAN, is rendered IMMEDIATELY SOLUBLE by a process but recently discovered, and peculiarly our own.

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To the above, we offer to those who may prefer it,

SUPERIOR NO. 1

PERUVIAN GUANO

Per Ships "Conquest," "Juliette," and "Tartar," expected to arrive at this port, during the months of July, August, and September,

DIRECT FROM THE

CHINCHA ISLANDS.

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SOMBRERO GUANO,

Per "Judge Blaney," "Rachael Jane," "Lewis," "Exchange,"

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AND OUR USUAL SUPPLIES OF

MEXICAN, COLUMBIAN AND AFRICAN

GUANOS.

We are prepared to sell the above articles as low as they can be bought in any market in the country.

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July 10, 1860.—5mo. Alexandria, Va.

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SECURED BY LETTERS PATENT IN THE UNITED STATES, ENGLAND, FRANCE AND BELGIUM.

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HAVING secured their novel and ingenious invention by American and European patents, are fully prepared to execute all orders for

Miniature Likenesses of Persons on China presenting all the attractive and advantageous features of ordinary photographs, the brilliancy and finish of a water-color drawing, and a hitherto unattained quality of durability, by being rendered as imperishable as the natural properties of the articles upon which they are transferred.

As the patented process of the Company enables the reproduction of Photographs, not only on plain surfaces, but upon such as are round or of any degree of irregularity—portraits can be re-produced with faultless accuracy, and delicacy of delineation, upon Porcelain wares of any description and dimension used as articles of luxury or of household utility, such as

Urns, Vases, Breakfast Cups, Toilet Articles, &c.;

thereby securing faithful portraits and furnishing a unique and exquisite style of ornamentation of articles in domestic use.

In order to furnish facilities for the gratification of the popular taste, and to meet the wants of those patrons of the Fine Arts desirous of having Portraits on Porcelain, the Company have imported from Europe a collection of superior porcelain goods, manufactured to their own order, which they sell at cost prices.

As the American Company are owners of the patent right, and consequently the only persons authorized to use the process, they have determined, in order

To afford People in every section of the Union

an opportunity to possess

Portraits on China,

to make the following proposition to

Residents in the Country, who are unable to visit personally the Atelier and Galleries in New York.

Persons sending a photograph, ambrotype, or daguerreotype, to the office of the Company in New York, accompanied by

Five Dollars,

will receive in return by express, free of other charge,

A richly ornamented Breakfast Cup and Saucer, with the portrait transferred thereon.

By transmitting a daguerreotype and

Ten Dollars,

they will secure in like manner,

A handsome French Vase or Toilet Article, with the portrait reproduced by the patented process.

By sending a pair of daguerreotypes and

Fifteen Dollars,

they will receive in return

A Pair of rich Sevres Vases,

with the portraits executed equal to miniature paintings; and, in like manner, portraits can be reproduced on porcelain wares or

Vases of every quality of finish,

ranging in price from

Twenty to One Hundred Dollars the pair.

☞ N. B.—Be particular in writing the address, town, county and State distinctly.

All letters to be addressed to

'MANAGER, AMERICAN PHOTOGRAPHIC PORCELAIN COMPANY,'
781 Broadway,
New York,

October 9, 1860.—3 mo.

A Special Card to the Ladies.

THE subscribers are now opening in the fine Store Room, formerly kept by S. H. Hilb, directly opposite the Va. Hotel, a splendid Stock of DRY GOODS, if possible, superior to anything they have offered before in Staunton. Special care having been taken in selecting the BEST goods and the very LATEST STYLES, and we hazard but little in saying that our whole stock will equal anything ever been seen in Staunton. In regard to style we have the latest; in quality and fabric the best that could be selected out of the best houses in New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore.

We will name only a few of the kinds of goods just received—viz:

Black Gro De Rhine, black Repp, black double faced shot figured Silks. Also fancy colored, plain and brocade Silks. Printed Amaline, (an entirely new article, and imported by but one house in the United States,) richly printed Ottoman Cloths; this is also a new article,
Solid colored Ottoman Cloths,
Chene Repp Poplin,
Broche Repp Poplin,
Striped Satin Du Nord,
Figured Imperial Repp,
Silk Poplins,
Printed French Merinos,
Embroidered and printed Merinos,
Striped Poplins,
Rich Veleur,
Honrean Poplins—a new article—
Printed Thibet Cloths,
Printed all Wool Delaines,
French Merinos,
Bombazines, Alpaccas, Coburgs,
Traveling Dress Goods,
English, French and American Prints,
Opera Flannels, all shades,
Hosiery, Gloves, Gauntletts,
Combs, Belts and Belting &c., &c.

It is useless to name any other kind of goods, suffice it to say that we have a general assortment of all kinds of Fancy and Staple goods, to which we invite the attention of all in search of pretty goods.

Respectfully,
PIPER & FUNKHOUSER,
Opposite Va. Hotel.

Staunton, Oct. 9, 1860—Vin. copy.

LADIES' CLOTH CLOAKS, SHAWLS, &c., &c.—$1000 worth of Ladies' Cloth Cloaks and Shawls of the newest style, from $3 to $35, just received by DAVIS A. KAYSEK.

Staunton, Oct. 2, 1860—Vin. copy.

A few of Joseph Mappin & Bro's. celebrated concave Razors for sale by

Staunton, Sept. 18, 1860. P. H. TROUT & CO.

RICHMOND ADVERTISEMENTS.

R. W. PIERCE, LATE COND. V. C. R. R. | WM GARRETT RICHMOND.

R. W. PIERCE & CO.,

COMMISSION & FORWARDING MERCHANTS,

CORNER OF CARY AND 13TH STS., RICHMOND, VA.,

HAVE opened at the above named place a large *COMMISSION AND FORWARDING HOUSE.* Their facilities for selling and shipping produce of all kinds are equal to those of any other firm in Richmond City. The patronage of the public generally, and especially of the Valley of Virginia is respectfully solicited.

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ORANGE.—R. F. O'Mohundro; B. J. Barbour.
ALBEMARLE.—Dr. J. R. Woods, Wm. Southall, Rev. J. W. Goss, Judge Wm. J. Robertson.
AUGUSTA.—Maj. James Walker, H. L. Gallaher, M. G. Harman, Wm. J. D. Bell, Jacob Baylor, J. M. McCue, P. N. Powell, R. J. Hope, John Randolph, T. Johnson, P. Hanger, J. D. Imboden, Gen. Wm. H. Harman, S. B. Brown, Wm. Withrow, Jr.
ROCKINGHAM.—Josiah S. Roller; Erasmus Coffman, G. W. Miller, Col. J. D. Hopkins.
ALLEGHANY.—Col. Samuel Carpenter.
LEXINGTON.—Dr. A. Graham.
SPOTTSYLVANIA.—S. Andrews.
AMHERST.—Wm. H. Mosby.
NELSON.—C. B. Claiborne.
CAROLINE.—D. C. Dejarnette.

Richmond, June 10, 1860.—tf.

MERCHANTS, ATTENTION!!!

WE would call particular attention to our very large and carefully made stock of

TIN, SHEET IRON AND COPPER WARE.

Having the largest stock to be found in any house in the South we can offer such inducements to the trade that will make it to their advantage to examine our assortment before purchasing elsewhere.

We have on hand a very large and well selected stock of Cooking Ranges, Cooking, Hall and Parlor Stoves; Brick and Portable Furnaces, Iron and Lead Pipes of all kinds and sizes.

Plumbers and Gas Fitters Materials and a large and magnificent assortment of Gas Fixtures.

We are sole agents for the celebrated Sexton's Gas-burner Furnaces; Marbleized Slate Mantles—superior to Marble, as to durability and beauty, and much cheaper. We are also prepared to put on Metalic, Felt and Grooved Roofing in any part of the country. Also Portable Gas Works of the most approved patents To all of which we most respectfully ask your attention.

Also Hydraulic Rams, Pumps, Garden Engines, Copper Lightning Rods, Grates and Fenders. Kerosine Oil Lamps, and a general assortment of House Furnishing Goods. CHAS. D. YALE & CO.,
Iron Front Building, Governor Street,

Aug. 28, 1860.—3mo. Richmond, Va.

"IF THIS BE TREASON MAKE THE MOST OF IT."

ANTICIPATIONS OF THE FUTURE TO SERVE AS LESSONS FOR THE PRESENT TIME, in the form of extracts of letters from an English Resident in the United States to the London Times, from 1864 to 1870, with an appendix, on the Causes and Consequences of the Independence of the South.

"IF THIS BE TREASON MAKE THE MOST OF IT."—PATRICK HENRY, 1765.

J. W. Randolph will, on the 1st of September, publish the above in one handsome 12mo. volume of about 400 pages. Price $1.00

Just published by RANDOLPH, 121 Main St., Richmond, "Southern and South-Western Sketches—Fun, Sentiment and Adventure." Price 60 cents.

O'Neil's Carpenters' Guide in Stair building and Hand Railing. Plates. Price $2.00.

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Everett's Elements of Vocal Music. 50 cents.

Sent by mail post-paid to all who remit the price.

Richmond, Aug. 21, 1860.

CLOTHING AT WHOLESALE.

IN this department of our business we are now prepared to show merchants a stock of

FALL CLOTHING

which, in extent, variety of styles, and superiority of workmanship, surpasses any stock ever before shown in a Southern market. We have taken special pains in the manufacture of this stock; and we flatter ourselves that our great advantages in the purchase of goods, together with an experience of more than *twenty years* in the trade of Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee, enables us to offer the greatest inducements in

STOCK, STYLES, AND PRICES.

☞ Every garment is of our own manufacture, and warranted to fit and wear well.

☞ We take great pleasure in showing our goods, and will feel obliged to you for a call when you visit this City.

KEEN, BALDWIN & WILLIAMS.

Richmond, Aug. 21, 1860. 102 Main street.

1860. 1860.

SIMPSON & MILLER,

MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN

Read-Made Clothing.

VISITORS TO THE **CITY OF RICHMOND** are respectfull invited to call and examine the LARGE STOCK OF CLOTHING at **119 Main St.**

We have just opened the largest and most varied Stock of superior Clothing ever offered in this market. We are now able to offer to our friends and customers Clothing at any price, any style, or of any quality.—Give us a call, and we know you will leave with the satisfaction of having bought *better Goods at better prices* than you could get elsewhere. Don't Forget the place—**119 Main Street,** opposite Mitchell & Tyler's

WM. B. DAVIDSON, of Chalotte county, Salesman.

SIMPSON & MILLER,
119 Main St., Richmond.

Sept 25, '60. Till March 20, 1861.

FALL TRADE 1860.

CHINA, GLASS AND EARTHENWARE.

I AM now in receipt of a new and splendid assortment of CHINA, GLASS AND EARTHENWARE, embracing nearly every article in my line of business; to which I shall make constant additions per the Richmond and Liverpool line of Packets. I intend competing with the Northern market, and I will duplicate any bill purchased at the North within the past year, thereby saving to the purchaser here, the expense of travel and freight on goods to this city. O. B. TAYLOR,

117 Main Street, Richmond, Va.

August 7, 1860.

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!

SUMMER BONNETS.

N. C. BARTON has removed from No. 109, to 229 Main Street, four doors above 9th Street, and is prepared to exhibit a much larger assortment than usual of Bonnets, Dress Caps, Head Dresses, French Flowers, Ribbons and all articles in the Millinery line.

Also a large assortment of *French Lace Mantillas, and Traveling Dusters.*

Strangers visiting the city, are invited to call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere.

Richmond, May 15, 1860.—1y.

M. BLAIR. T. P. HOGE.

M. BLAIR & CO.,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

RICHMOND, VA.

GIVE their undivided attention to the sale of TOBACCO, WHEAT, FLOUR, BACON, &C.

☞ Liberal Advances made on Consignments in Store.

Aug. 14, 1860—6mo.

SPECIAL NOTICE!—75 cents to $1.50 will buy one of Graham's small Stencils, for marking clothing with INDELIBLE INK. Call and examine specimens, or if you live in the country, send for a sample, enclosing a stamp. Also, every variety of Brands made to order. A. E GRAHAM,

Brand Cutter, Cor. 13th and Cary Sts., under Tobacco Exchange.

Richmond, March 27 '60—1y.

THE STAUNTON BOOT, SHOE —AND— LEATHER COMPANY

ARE now ready to receive orders for Men's, Women's, Boys', Misses' and Children's BOOTS, SHOES, AND BROGANS, of Calf, Kip, Goat, Grain, Buff, Enameled and Patent Leather. Retail dealers are specially invited to examine the finer qualities of Men's French Calf Sewed and Pegged Boots;

Men's and Boys' Double Soled Water Proof Calf and Kip Pegged Boots;

Calf and Patent Calf Opera Boots, Congress Gaiters, Oxford and French Ties, &c,

All manufactured from the best stock, and unsurpassed by any in the market. Attention is also called to the Company's better grades of **Servants' Heavy Boots, Brogans, &c.,** Men's and Women's made entirely of Country Stock, and with a special view to service. They have also for sale to MANUFACTURERS, Leather, Findings, Lasts, Machinery, Tools, &c., at the lowest prices; and every description of **Boot and Shoe Uppers,** ready fitted, by the case or single pair, at prices that will defy competition.—Apply to WM. H. GARBER, Superintendent.

HUGH W. SHEFFEY, President; M. G. Harman, Benj. Crawford, R. Turk, Wm. J. D. Bell, J. D. Imboden, Directors.

Staunton, Sept. 21, 1860.—6m.

BEYOND QUESTION

WE are now receiving a supply of TOBACCO that for quality and variety, cannot be surpassed in the State, comprising all the different grades, running up from a very low price to the choicest chew that can be had. Merchants will please examine our stock before laying in their fall supply.

R. J. GLENDY,

Staunton, Sept. 25, 1860. per C. T. COCHRAN.

JUST OPENED.—A beautiful lot of OVER COATS—with or without Capes. Also Cassimere Suits, Shirts and Drawers which will be sold to suit the times. ROANE & ALBY,

North Wing of Va. Hotel.

☞ An assortment of HATS on hand.

Stounton, Oct. 30, 1860—Vin. copy.

BALING WIRE.—One ton of Baling Wire just to hand, WOODS & GILKESON.

Staunton, Oct. 23.

BALTIMORE ADVERTISEMENTS.

LADD, WEBSTER & CO.,

131, BALTIMORE ST., BALTIMORE.

MANUFACTURERS OF

IMPROVED TIGHT STITCH

SEWING MACHINES,

For Families and Manufacturing Establishments.

LET Manufacturers, Planters, Farmers Housekeepers, or any other persons in search of an instrument to execute any *kind of Sewing now done by machinery, make sure they secure the best,* by examining ours before purchasing. Samples of work sent by mail.

WHAT CONSTITUTES A GOOD SEWING MACHINE?

1. It should be well made, simple in its construction, and easily kept in order.
2. It should make a TIGHT LOCK-STITCH, alike on both sides of the material.
3. It should sew any and all materials that can be sewed.
4. It should be able to use Cotton, Thread or Silk directly from the spool.
5. It should be able to sew from coarse to fine, and from thick to thin, with rapidity, and without changing the tension.
6. It should be able to make the tension greater or less, on both the under and upper threads, and with uniformity.
7. It should have a straight needle, curved ones are liable to break.
8. The needle should have perpendicular motion. This is absolutely necessary for heavy work.
9. It should be capable of taking in the largest pieces of work.
10. It should be able to bind with a binder, hem with a hemmer; should stitch, fell, run and gather.
11. It should be always ready to work.
12. It should be capable of using the same size of thread on both sides of the work, and of using different colored thread or silk, above or below, to correspond with any two colors of cloth to be united.
13. It should be able to make a long or short stitch.
14. It should be able to fasten off the seam, and commence sewing tightly at the first stitch.
15. It should run easily and make but little noise.
16. It should have a wheel feed; none others are in constant contact with the work.
17. It should *not* be liable to get out of order.
18. It should *not* be liable to break the thread nor skip stitches.
19. It should *not* be necessary to use a screw-driver or wrench to set the needle.
20. It should *not* be liable to soil the operators dress.
21. It should *not* form a ridge on the under side, nor ravel out, nor be wasteful of thread, as is the case with ALL CHAIN STICH machines.
22. It should *not* be 'more trouble than it is worth.'
23. All of these advantages are possessed in our machine. LADD, WEBSTER & CO.

Dec. 6, 1859.—1y.

I. C. CANFIELD, W. B. CANFIELD, J. H. MEREDITH.

FOR 1859.

CANFIELD, BROTHERS, & CO.,

229, Market St., Corner of Chas.,

BALTIMORE, MARYLAND.

WATCHES, Jewelry, Fancy Goods, Cutlery Clocks, and Military Goods of Every description, Such as Swords, Epauletts, Sashes, Hats, Lace, Buttons, &c. Military Companies furnished complete with every article.

Now opening a magnificent stock of new Goods, such as American, English, German and French Jewelry, in sets and in single pieces. Best quality Gold Watches, English Levers, Skeleton do., Duplex, Anchor Escapement, Lepines, some very small for Ladies, set with pearls and diamonds, elegantly Enameled, Independent and Quarter Second Watches, Hunting, 18 carat Gold Watches of every variety.

C., B. & Co., offer the above goods on the very best terms. Call and examine.

Baltimore, Dec. 6, 1859.—1y.

BALTIMORE COMMERCIAL COLLEGE.

FOUNDED 1852. CHARTERED 1854.

LOCATED

Corner of Baltimore and Charles Sts., BALTIMORE, MD.

THE LARGEST, MOST ELEGANTLY FURNISHED AND POPULAR COMMERCIAL COLLEGE IN THE UNITED STATES.

DESIGNED expressly for Young Men desiring to obtain a thorough Practical Business Education in the shortest possible time and at the least expense.

A Large and Beautifully Ornamented Circular, containing upwards of six square feet, with Specimen of Penmanship, and a large Engraving—the finest of the kind ever made in this country—representing the Interior View of the College, with catalogue stating terms, &c., will be sent to every Young Man on application, FREE OF CHARGE. Write immediately and you will receive the package by return mail.

Address E. K. LOSIER, Baltimore, Md.

July 3, 1860—1y.

BALTIMORE SAFE MANUFACTORY.

MILLERS' IMPROVED

SALAMANDER SAFES!!!

THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS in all kinds of property saved in these Safes, that never failed to preserve their contents.

Factory Dorance St., Providence, R. I.,
And 159, North St., Baltimore, Md.
Salesroom 16, South Charles St.

☞ For sizes and prices send for a Circular.

☞ All Safes WARRANTED TO GIVE SATISFACTION.

L. H. MILLER,
No. 16, South Charles Street,
Oct. 18, 1859. Baltimore Md.

McCOMAS' GUNS!

EQUAL to the best imported for Duck, Deer and Bird Shooting at LONG RANGES. Also *IMPORTED GUNS, PISTOLS, RIFLES AND SPORTING GOODS IN THE GREATEST VARIETY.*

Sportsmen may rely on a good article at

No. 51, S. Calvert Street, Baltimore, Md.

ALEXANDER McCOMAS.

N. B.—Guns, Rifles and Pistols made or imported to order. All repairing done in the best manner.

Baltimore, Aug. 28, 1860—3mo.

JOHN R. GWYN,

GENERAL COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANT,

126 NORTH HOWARD AND 73 SOUTH STS., BALTIMORE, MD.,

FOR the sale of Flour, Grain, Whiskey, Seeds, Provisions, and Country Produce generally.

Oct. 16, 1860—1y.

MANSION HOUSE HOTEL,

N. W. Corner Fayette and St. Paul Sts., OPPOSITE BARNUM'S HOTEL, BALTIMORE.

THIS is one of the most PLEASANT and Central situations in the city.

☞ TERMS—One Dollar per day.

I. ALBERTSON, Proprietor.

Oct. 16, 1860.—1y.

WM. BROWN & Co.,

IMPORTERS AND MANUFACTURERS OF

WATCHES, JEWELRY AND SILVER WARE,

227 Balto. St., S. E. cor. of Charles, BALTIMORE, Md.

☞ Watches repaired and waranted. Gold and Hair Jewelry made and repaired.

Oct. 23. 1860—1y.

DISSOLUTION

THE Firm heretofore existing under the name and style of P. N. POWELL & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. A. Richards, one of the partners of the firm, selling his entire interest to P. N. Powell, the other partner. All persons having claims against the concern will present them to P. N. Powell who will settle them; and all persons indebted to the concern will make payment to P. N. Powell who will use the name of the concern in settlement.

P. N. POWELL.
Staunton, Oct. 16, 1860. A. RICHARDS.

THE undersigned will continue the business of the late concern, and solicits the continuance of the patronage heretofore bestowed upon the same.

Staunton, Oct. 16, 1860.

LADIES' NEW AND ELEGANT DRESS GOODS.

DAVIS A. KAYSER has just received an extensive assortment of DRESS GOODS of the newest designs and fabrics—among which may be found

Rich embroidered and Black and Colored Silks;
" " French Poplin;
" " Irish. "
" " French Merino;
" Printed Ottoman Velvet;
Plain Brown, Blue and Black Velvet;
Rich Printed De' Lane and Merino's;
" Plaid Merino and Poplin;
Valencias Lavellas, French and English Prints, Alpachas, Bombazines, French and English Merinos, with many other new and desirable goods, to which he asks the early attention of his friends.

Staunton, Oct. 2, 1860—Vin. copy.

CLOAKS, CLOAKS.—PIPER & FUNKHOUSER are now receiving by express direct from three of the best and most fashionable Cloak Houses in New York about $500 worth of the prettiest Cloaks ever seen in Staunton.

Black and Fancy Colored Arab Style Cloak; Gilt trimed Arab Cloaks, and other styles to suit all tastes at prices from $5 to $50.

Staunton, Oct. 16, 1860.

GUNS, &c.—Single and double Guns, Felt Wadds, Flasks, Shot Bags, Bird Bags, &c, just received. WOODS & GILKESON.

Staunton, Oct. 23.

SHAWLS.—4 doz all kinds of Plaid and Plain Shawls at all prices at

PIPER & FUNKHOUSER'S,

Staunton, Oct, 16, 1860. Opp'te Va. Hotel.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Scrofula, or King's Evil,

is a constitutional disease, a corruption of the blood, by which this fluid becomes vitiated, weak, and poor. Being in the circulation, it pervades the whole body, and may burst out in disease on any part of it. No organ is free from its attacks, nor is there one which it may not destroy. The scrofulous taint is variously caused by mercurial disease, low living, disordered or unhealthy food, impure air, filth and filthy habits, the depressing vices, and, above all, by the venereal infection. Whatever be its origin, it is hereditary in the constitution, descending "from parents to children unto the third and fourth generation;" indeed, it seems to be the rod of Him who says, "I will visit the iniquities of the fathers upon their children."

Its effects commence by deposition from the blood of corrupt or ulcerous matter, which, in the lungs, liver, and internal organs, is termed tubercles; in the glands, swellings; and on the surface, eruptions or sores. This foul corruption, which genders in the blood, depresses the energies of life, so that scrofulous constitutions not only suffer from scrofulous complaints, but they have far less power to withstand the attacks of other diseases; consequently vast numbers perish by disorders which, although not scrofulous in their nature, are still rendered fatal by this taint in the system. Most of the consumption which decimates the human family has its origin directly in this scrofulous contamination; and many destructive diseases of the liver, kidneys, brain, and, indeed, of all the organs, arise from or are aggravated by the same cause.

One quarter of all our people are scrofulous; their persons are invaded by this lurking infection, and their health is undermined by it. To cleanse it from the system we must renovate the blood by an alterative medicine, and invigorate it by healthy food and exercise. Such a medicine we supply in

AYER'S Compound Extract of Sarsaparilla,

the most effectual remedy which the medical skill of our times can devise for this everywhere prevailing and fatal malady. It is combined from the most active remedials that have been discovered for the expurgation of this foul disorder from the blood, and the rescue of the system from its destructive consequences. Hence it should be employed for the cure of not only Scrofula, but also those other affections which arise from it, such as ERUPTIVE and SKIN DISEASES, ST. ANTHONY'S FIRE, ROSE, or ERYSIPELAS, PIMPLES, PUSTULES, BLOTCHES, BLAINS and BOILS, TUMORS, TETTER and SALT RHEUM, SCALD HEAD, RINGWORM, RHEUMATISM, SYPHILITIC and MERCURIAL DISEASES, DROPSY, DYSPEPSIA, DEBILITY, and, indeed, ALL COMPLAINTS ARISING FROM VITIATED OR IMPURE BLOOD. The popular belief in "*impurity of the blood*" is founded in truth, for scrofula is a degeneration of the blood. The particular purpose and virtue of this Sarsaparilla is to purify and regenerate this vital fluid, without which sound health is impossible in contaminated constitutions.

AYER'S Ague Cure,

FOR THE SPEEDY CURE OF

Intermittent Fever, or Fever and Ague, Remittent Fever, Chill Fever, Dumb Ague, Periodical Headache, or Bilious Headache, and Bilious Fevers, indeed for the whole class of diseases originating in biliary derangement, caused by the Malaria of Miasmatic Countries.

We are enabled here to offer the community a remedy which, while it cures the above complaints with certainty, is still perfectly harmless in any quantity. Such a remedy is invaluable in districts where these afflicting disorders prevail. This "CURE" expels the miasmatic poison of FEVER AND AGUE from the system, and prevents the development of the disease, if taken on the first approach of its premonitory symptoms. It is not only the best remedy ever yet discovered for this class of complaints, but also the cheapest. The large quantity we supply for a dollar brings it within the reach of every body; and in bilious districts, where FEVER AND AGUE prevails, every body should have it and use it freely both for cure and protection. A great superiority of this remedy over any other ever discovered for the speedy and certain cure of Intermittents is that it contains no Quinine or mineral, consequently it produces no quinism or other injurious effects whatever upon the constitution. Those cured by it are left as healthy as if they had never had the disease.

Fever and Ague is not alone the consequence of the miasmatic poison. A great variety of disorders arise from its irritation, among which are *Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Gout, Headache, Blindness, Toothache, Earache, Catarrh, Asthma, Palpitation, Painful Affection of the Spleen, Hysterics, Pain in the Bowels, Colic, Paralysis* and *Derangement of the Stomach,* all of which, when originating in this cause, put on the *intermittent type,* or become periodical. This "CURE" expels the poison from the blood, and consequently cures them all alike. It is an invaluable protection to immigrants and persons travelling or temporarily residing in the malarious districts. If taken occasionally or daily while exposed to the infection, that will be excreted from the system, and cannot accumulate in sufficient quantity to ripen into disease. Hence it is even more valuable for protection than cure, and few will ever suffer from Intermittents if they avail themselves of the protection this remedy affords.

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H. S. EICHELBERGER and DR. W. B. YOUNG, Staunton; J. H. ANTRIM, Waynesboro'; J. T. ANTRIM, Greenville; W. W. TEMPLETON, Fairfield; and by all Druggists and dealers in Medicines everywhere.

PURCELL, LADD & CO.,
Richmond, Va., Wholesale Agents.

June 5, 1860.

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Your "Inpectine," or "Persian Fever Charm," has done wonders. I was wholly despondent and wretched when I applied it, and in five hours the chills were removed and no fever has ensued. It is the simplest cure imaginable, and a wonder of nature or art. I would not be without this "Inpectine" a single hour. By constantly wearing it I seem to be "ague proof." Yours Very Truly,

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Reference is made to the following gentlemen of Harrison county:

Hon. G. H. Lee,	Judge G. D. Camden,
Hon. C. S. Lewis,	Hon. J. S. Carlile,
Wm. A. Harrison,	Lloyd Lowndes,
Robert Johnston,	Jas. M. Jackson,
T. L. Moore, Cl'k County Court,	C. W. Smith, Cl'k Circuit Court.

Sept. 11, 1860.

TO THE PUBLIC.—The subscriber respectfully informs the public that he is now in the occupancy of the House occupied by John B. Scherer, and that hereafter will be opened at his house a RESTAURANT, and that persons from the country, and other places, can at all times be accommodated with PROVISIONS, for themselves and Horses, &c.

Mr. J. B. Scherer will give his personal attention to customers. WM. WHOLEY.

Staunton, Ap. 28, 58.

SEWING MACHINES.—Persons wishing to buy the excellent Sewing Machine, manufactured by LADD, WEBSTER & CO., Philadelphia, can see the machine at work at Mrs. Wood's Dress Making Rooms, next door to the P. O. in Staunton. Samples of work sent by mail. HENRY WOOD,

Sept 18, 1860—3mo. Ag't for Augusta co.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—We have just received a large variety of BOOTS AND SHOES. Also a new supply of HATS AND CAPS which will be sold on a small advance on cost by

MOSBY, TAYLOR & FULTZ.

Staunton, Sept. 25, 1860.

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Staunton, Aug. 21, 1860.

RICHMOND ADVERTISEMENTS.

SAM'L W. HARWOOD,

Governor St., Richmond,

MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN

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THE Farmers and Planters, and all others in want of Furniture and Mattresses, manufactured by the most experienced workmen, and of the best materials, will find it to their interest to examine my stock before buying, as I have recently reduced my prices. You will find—

Rosewood Parlor Sets,	Oak Chamber Sets,
Walnut " "	Cottage Furniture,
Rosewood Chamber Sets,	Mahogany Sets,
Walnut " "	Mantel Mirrors,
Mahogony " "	What-nots,
Bedsteads,	Etegeres,
Bureaus,	Children's Chairs,
Wardrobes,	Jenny Lind Bedsteads,
Washstands,	Cribs and Cradles,
Tables,	Recumbent Chairs,
Chairs,	Centre Tables,
Sideboards,	Feather Beds,
Tete-a-tetes,	Writing Desks,
Sofas,	Fancy Chairs,
Book-Cases,	Work Tables,
Dining Tables,	Lounges,
Rocking Chairs,	Piano Stools,
Mattresses,	Office Chairs.

April 17, 1869—1y.

1860. SPRING TRADE. 1860.

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GOVERNOR STREET, RICHMOND, VIRGINIA, OFFERS for sale the following articles, of his own manufacture, viz:

Tin Ware of all kinds,	
Sheet Iron and Copper Ware,	
Cast and Sheet Iron Stoves for wood,	12 varieties,
Sheet Iron Stoves for wood,	12 "
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The Brilliant Gas Burner,	3 sizes,
Portable Hunters,	4 "
Portable Grate,	3 "
Diamond Radiator,	3 "
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Richmond Portable Furnace,	3 "
Licorice Boilers, for wood and coal,	5 "
Portable Ovens,	6 "

☞ Also, constantly for sale, the most popular Stoves, Ranges and Heaters now made, and repairing pieces for the same always on hand.

Richmond, March 27, 1860—1y.

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HAVING made a large addition to our shop, to suit the Southern trade, we will sell at the Northern prices of 1859. We have over 100 different designs of Plain and Ornamental **Railings, Verandas, Balconies, Porch Pieces, Window Guards,** &c., &c., Vault and Cellar Doors, Iron Sash, Shutters, and general Blacksmithing and finishing done with neatness and despatch.

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Richmond, March 27, 1860.—1y.

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Purchasers will do well to call and examine.

JOHN DOOLEY, Richmond, Va.

Sep. 11, 1860.

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W. PETERSON;

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Superior Indigo	Epsom Salts
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Dye Woods	Window Glass
Madder	Paints, Oils
Alum, Borax	White Lead
Copperas	Brushes of all kinds
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Also a fine assortment of Combs, Tooth Brushes, Colognes, Fancy and Toilet Soaps, &c., &c. Prices low to cash and punctual dealers, and particular attention paid to packing and forwarding.

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