Staunton Spectator.

Attention is called to the new advertisement of Mrs. K. M. Kelley.

The Circuit Court for this county, Judge H. W. Sheffey presiding, is still in session.

THANKS—To Johnny Noon, for late papers in advance of the mail; and to H. Kerr for a piece of excellent cheese.

As we expected, some of the Republican majorities as reported in the telegram which we published in an Extra on Wednesday last were greatly exaggerated.

We invite the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Mr. B. F. Fifer, who keeps constantly on hand a fine stock of confectioneries, fruits, &c.

Mr. Glass, who was seriously wounded in the chest a few weeks since, by a knife in the hands of a man named Poage, has well nigh recovered, and is thought by his Physician, Dr. C. R. Harris, to be out of danger.

H. Kerr & Bro., at Burwell's corner, have in store and for sale a fine lot of Groceries embracing flour, teas, sugars, coffees, meal, buckwheat, cheese, spices, and all articles usually found in a first-class grocery store. For particulars read their advertisement.

We have received the October number of the "Seminary Magazine," a literary and educational monthly, published in Richmond at the low price of $1.50 per annum. We commend this publication to our Seminaries. Address, H. W. Hazlewood, box 961, Richmond, Va.

We propound the following conundrum to the Editors of the papers in Harrisonburg: "Why should no distrust attach to the business transactions of the majority of the merchants in Harrisonburg?"—*Staunton Spectator.*

Because they do business "on the Square."—*Register.*

The *Register* has given the correct answer.

The November number of the "The Southern Planter and Farmer," an excellent monthly devoted to Agriculture, Horticulture and the Mining, Mechanic and Household arts, has been received. The price has been reduced to $2.00 per annum. It is edited by Mr. Chas. H. Williams, and published in Richmond, Va.

There was preaching in the Methodist Church of this place every night last week, and there will be preaching in the same Church every night this week. Considerable interest has been manifested, and there have been five or six professions of conversion, with others anxiously seeking the "pearl of great price." These meetings have been conducted by Rev. John L. Clarke, Pastor of the M. E. Church South of this place.

"LONE JACK."

We have been presented by Mr. John W. Carroll of Lynchburg with a package of his celebrated "Lone Jack" smoking tobacco which took the 1st premium at the Augusta County Fair, and which, we think, would take the 1st premium in any part of the world. Of smoking tobacco, it is the *ne plus ultra.* All smokers take pleasure in *puffing* it, and, of course, an Editor can do so *con amore.*

FOR JOHN RYAN.

A young man named Isaac Ryan, who served in the Confederate service, recently died and was buried on Solomon's Island, Calvert county, Md. He said his father's name was John Ryan, a shoemaker by trade, who lived in the Valley of Virginia.

The object of the above notice is to apprise the parents of the death and place of burial of their son. If this meets their eyes, they can obtain further information regarding their son by addressing Isaac Solomon, Solomon's Island, Calvert county, Maryland.

STAUNTON LYCEUM.

On Friday night next, the following question will be discussed:

"Resolved that the sentiment is correct:
'For forms of Government let fools contest,
That which is best administered is best.'"

The following were appointed to debate it:

In the affirmative, Prof. J. H. Hewitt and R. Mauzy—in the negative, Rev. George B. Taylor and Dr. C. R. Harris.

The following question was selected to be discussed next week:

"Are all statutory prohibitions binding on the conscience?"

The following were appointed to debate it:

In the affirmative, Capt. Jas. Bumgardner and Col. J. H. Skinner—in the negative, Col. Bolivar Christian and Col. Geo. Baylor.

For the Spectator.

Why is it true that the Union Prayer Meetings, which are held in the several churches of this town, are mainly attended by persons who make no pretensions to religion? Is it because these meetings are not held in the interests of any particular church? That they are designed to promote the interests of religion without any reference to sectarian ends? If this be true it presents a sad commentary upon the religion of our town. J.

For the Spectator.

"Honor to Whom Honor is Due."

MR. EDITOR:—In your notice of the wheelbarrow races, among the sports on the Green, you have inadvertently omitted the name of the worthy gentleman, who was the originator and principal director of that manly contest.—I refer to Col. Bolivar Christian, who presented in such eloquent and flowery language, the "silver bugle" to the victor.

I regret to see such merit go unrewarded, and trust that our Directors of the next fair may again appoint the Col. *generalissimo* of the wheelers—knowing that he will do justice to the office and merit the approbation of every SPECTATOR.

CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO RAILROAD.—The Board of Directors of this road, at a meeting held in Richmond last week, passed the follow- resolutions:

Resolved, That the Chief Engineer is authorized to have made at once surveys and estimates for connecting the Chesapeake and Ohio road with tide-water and the York River railroad by horse power; also, estimates and plans for new depots at this place.

Resolved, That the President is requested to make application to the Council of the city of Richmond for authority to make such connections.

It is expected that the cars will be running between Richmond and the White Sulphur Springs by the first of July next, if not earlier. The convicts are now giving the contractors but little trouble, and are working well. The force is being constantly increased.

The Lunatic Asylum, at Staunton, Va., under the charge of Dr. Stribling and his assistants, is said to be one of the best conducted institutions of the kind in the world.—*Alexandria Gazette.*

ANOTHER ACCIDENT.—A brakesman in the employment of the Virginia Central railroad, while coupling a car on the way freight train, on Monday evening, was caught between the bumpers and crushed very dreadfully. He was carried to his home at Greenwood depot, where he is still living, but his recovery is considered extremely doubtful.—*Charlottesville Chronicle.*

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—William Black, a youth some sixteen or seventeen years old, one of the operatives at Merchant's woollen factory, has had his left arm and hand caught in the wool-picker and torn off near the elbow. The arm was badly fractured as high as the shoulder joint, demanding amputation. He is doing well.—*Charlottesville Chronicle.*

In a letter written by Benj. F. Butler, he says: Grant's election will be a misfortune because it will put in a man without a head or heart, indifferent to human suffering and impotent to govern.

The Louisville *Journal* and *Courier* newspapers have consolidated, and will be published in future as the "*Louisville Courier and Journal.*"

Valley R. R. Meeting

On Wednesday night last, a meeting was held in the Court-House to discuss the question of subscription by the town of Staunton of the sum of $100,000 to the stock of the Valley R. R. Company.

On motion of Col. B. Christian, Mayor N. K. Trout was called to the chair, and Jno. B. Evans, Esq., appointed Secretary.

The meeting was then addressed by Col. M. G. Harman, the President of the Valley R. R. Company. He earnestly urged the propriety of the subscription, and gave the assurance that the road would be put under contract within a few months after the sum of $1,000,000 should be subscribed by the counties and towns along the line of the proposed road, and expressed the belief that that amount would be subscribed.

Judge H. W. Sheffey followed Col. Harman with a speech characterized by sound, practical views. He said that there would be, in a short time, a tendency to immigration into the South, and particularly into this fertile Valley.

There are times, said he, when people were called upon to decide, and that promptly, whether they would be great and successful, or stand back and be beggars. The present is such a time with the people of Staunton. This is not the time to be alarmed at taxes.

Years ago, the old fogies of Staunton were startled when it was proposed to establish the water works. They feared the taxes could not be paid, and that the town would be rendered bankrupt. Now Staunton has eight miles of water pipe, and it has increased greatly both the value of property and the population of the town.

He said there were two things which the citizens of this county were wont to do successfully: 1st. To choose the best men to represent them in the Legislative Halls. 2nd. To do boldly what they were called upon to do.—This was a time for the citizens of Staunton to act boldly, if they wished to win the distinction of being the city of the Valley.

One thing is certain, and that is, that the Valley R. R. will tap the Covington & Ohio R. R., and it will depend upon the action of the citizens of Staunton whether it will thus tap that great line of trade and travel at this place or not. If Staunton shall subscribe the proposed amount it will be made a point on the Valley R. R.,—if she does not, that road may tap the Covington & Ohio R. R. at some other point. The interest on the $100,000 at 6 per cent would only be 40 cents on the $100 value of property in the town at its present valuation, but the population and value of property in town is destined to a great increase, and the tax thus rendered less burdensome.

In November 1846, a meeting was held here to secure the extension of what was then known as the Louisa R. R. from Gordonsville to Staunton. Rockingham county tried hard to make Swift Run Gap a point on the Road.—The President of the R. R. hesitated, rather leaning in favor of that route, with Harrisonburg as a contemplated point on the Road.—After an anxious consultation with Col. Crozet one night, Judge Sheffey, (then one of the Representatives of this county,) the next day offered an amendment to the bill providing that the route should be in the direction of Covington and to cross the Blue Ridge where the distance and cost would be least. The bill thus amended was passed, and the Road secured to Staunton.

Staunton, said Judge Sheffey, cannot *afford* to fail to vote the proposed subscription of $100,000.

Suppose the Valley R. R. should cross the Covington & Ohio R. R. at the toll gate four miles from Staunton. The scream of the whistle then would make the oldest fogy in Staunton grunt. Then they would regret that they had not voted the tax. Should this be made a point of intersection of the Valley and Covington & Ohio Railroads, Staunton will become a place of wealth and population not now even dreamed of by the most hopeful.

The building of the Road through this county would necessitate an expenditure within the county of more than a million of dollars. All will be benefitted by this expenditure.

By the construction of this Road through the county, its citizens would make four times the amount of the tax in a mere business point of view. He dated the prosperity of Staunton from the building of the McAdamized Road in the Valley. He concluded by the expression of the hope that this people would work out a noble destiny.

Dr. C. R. Harris, being called upon, addressed the meeting briefly. He said that this was not the first time he had spoken in advocacy of Railroads—that when he had the honor to represent Augusta in the Senate of Va., he had spoken in favor of the great line of Railroad which passes through this place. Also in the Staunton Lyceum when the vote was very gratifying to him.

He maintained earnestly that the prosperity and life of Staunton depended upon voting the proposed subscription. He said if Staunton did not vote the subscription, that if it did not die it would, like the Yankee butcher's calf, "*kinder gin out.*" His remarks were greeted with applause.

At this stage of the meeting Col. Harman moved that the vote of the meeting be taken upon the question of subscription. The vote was taken, and resulted unanimously in favor of it.

On motion of Col. Harman, the chair appointed a committee of ten to canvass the town in favor of the proposed subscription of $100,000.

The chair appointed the following to constitute the canvassing committee of ten: Robt. G. Bickle, Dr. C. R. Harris, R. Mauzy, Jno. B. Evans, J. C. Marquis, Jed Hotchkiss, Wm. H. Tams, H. M. Bell, Wm A. Burke and Bolivar Christian.

Prof. Jed Hotchkiss made a few remarks, in which he said that there was in two deposits of iron in this county—one in the Eastern and the other in the Western part of the county—a sufficiency of that valuable metal to last hundreds of years—that the working of this iron would bring here the coal of the West, and that these two minerals would add greatly to the population and wealth of our county.

Maj. Jno. B. Watts, in response to a call, arose, and, with that easy manner and calm dignity, which so distinguishes him, with the skill of the master builder, placed the graceful and finishing cap upon the column of discussion reared by the other speakers.

For some time, he enchained the rapt attention of the audience, and by his lucid statement of facts, logical arguments, and stirring eloquence elicited frequent and rapturous applause from the delighted auditors. Any effort to report this great speech would be doing manifest injustice to the eloquent speaker—hence we merely allude to its character in general terms.

Slight shocks of earthquake have been of almost daily occurrence at San Francisco since October 21st. A sharp shock Thursday night, which lasted 12 seconds, caused considerable alarm, but no damage was done.

General Grant's Policy.

The following paragraph is extracted from the *Journal of Commerce*—a paper neutral in the late canvass. It would seem, from the terms employed, to speak by authority. If so, the importance of its statements cannot be overrated. We emphasize certain passages to attract to them particular attention:

General Grant is not a Radical, and *we have the very highest authority for saying* that it is his purpose to separate himself from the extremists, and to rally around him a strong body of the better class of citizens, who shall draw unto them congenial allies from all quarters, and become, as they would deserve to be, the party of the country. He is extremely anxious to verify his party watchword, and to lead the country at once to peace and renewed prosperity. This is his purpose, and no one can deny that it is a noble ambition. Not himself a politician, and with but little experience or skill in civil life, he does not, as we think, at all realize the difficulties in the such success as he covets. We do not say that he will fail, for he has undoubted pluck, and, besides four years of patronage at command, *he will also have the advice and practical aid of some strong friends who do not usually intermeddle with public affairs.* He will, of course, be first flattered and then roundly abused by those whose alliance he disdains. If Sumner is left out in the cold, according to the present programme, there will be heard at Washington a howl of rage every time the wind is in the East. If the South is treated kindly and justly, *as General Grant has privately promised, and the measures of reconstruction he has indicated as his choice are adopted,* he will soon be classed by the Radicals of his party as "a rebel sympathizer," bent on throwing away all the fruits of the great national victory.—There is a large class of politicians whose sole test of "a righteous peace" is some form of security for the permanent ascendancy of their party at the South. *There can be no rest to the land until that idea is abandoned;* and if this concession is now made by their chosen leader, he will be stigmatized most unsparingly as a traitor to their cause.

TALLAHASSEE, FLA., November, 6.—Two thousand stands of State arms coming by railroad from Jacksonville here on their arrival at Madison station were seized by unknown persons. A special train carrying a detachment of soldiers left here for the scene of the robbery at 4 o'clock this morning.

From best accounts the parties who destroyed the State arms last night must have forced the cars open at Madison. They broke open the cases of rifles and broke and scattered the arms along the railroad track for several miles. The ammunition shared the same fate. The affair cost the State $20 000.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Staunton Post Office, October 31st, 1868:

A—N S Angel.

B—Cisero Bare, David Bell, miss S A Brown, A Brown, miss M J Brown, Catherine Brown, mrs H Banister, miss Haner Burley, mrs H B Bartlette, G W Britt, mrs Jane Beach, mrs O W Bruce, Dr John Baldwin, J A Berkley, H H Boyers, mrs M B Breckinridge, miss Marge Blant, Marg E Ballew, P H Bell, miss Sallie G Baily, Saml A Black, W M Boyd.

C—T J Chapman, mrs Mary Conner, C Crone, Jane Carter, colored; Rachael Carter, miss Isa Carrington, Dr J H Connelly, 2, W H Collins, miss Joana Courlulis, Howe P Cochran.

D—John Dickerson, H T Dickerson, D C Donaldson, 2; A Dizzard, miss Marie H Davis, mrs M Dulany, miss M A Dabney, 2; R P Doby, Wm Davis.

E—Zeph English, 2; Peter Engleman, mrs Robert Eldray.

F—miss F E Forsythe, mrs A Farrer, Gilbert Fry, Jefferson Fowler, mrs M F Freman, John Freeman, col, 2; Lewis Franklin, Sarah M Fry.

G—Miss Fannie Gibson, miss Elis Good, Estha Greem, E Garter, D B Gabbert, Chris Grover, mrs A Gee, John Gray, L P Gaster, Robt Gaines

H—A Henderson, A M Herring, C B Hoover, D K Hoover, miss Bettie Harris, Joseph Houf, mrs G W Holtzeman, J J Hoblitzell, J L Hamilton, James Hauze, col; J H Harris, Nannie Higgins, Preston Hogshead, R Hopes, T V S Hopkins, J F Hudgens, 3; Wm Houff, W D Hanger, miss E Haye, Wm Henderson, miss Lizzie Hamrick, L W Hyde, Lizzie Hanger.

J—Alfred Jackson, mrs E Jones, H Johnson, col; James Jones, Soloman Jackson, mrs M F Jackson, Preston Jones, J Jones, col.

K—John D Keller, miss K M Kinless, miss Nancie Kennia, Mira F Kunhler, 2; Know & Wood, Prof King.

L—W T Lingthtner, T J Loyal, S C Lynn, Jos Layne, Jos A Logan, J M Leitch, Henry Liver, Elizabeth Loher.

M—Miss V T Moon, miss M C Mowry, miss S L McCorkle, miss Sallie Martin, miss P W McCue, P E McGuire, Oscar Morris, mrs M McClure, Mary Madison, 2; Maria Morris, John Masserly, Jas M McLaughlin, J H McRady, 3; Jas R McCormick, miss H B Miller, J F McNeil, Ed Manyethe, Amanda Myers, Albert Monroe, col; miss A E McGlamery.

N—B H Nowlin, Bev A A P Neel.

O—Mrs Mary O'Conner.

P—Pike Perry, Mary Powell, miss M V Powers, L M Proffett, miss J Pointdexter, 2; James Paxton, 2; J A Patterson, H Page, miss G B Parsons, Rev C C Pinckney, 3; mrs Ann E Price.

Q—J F Quick.

R—J W Reintzell, Ben Reed, miss F H Reamer, mrs E E Raines, Henry Rowling, col; H F Richards, H J Rogers, J F Roote, Alex N Reynolds, miss M L Rambin, mrs M D Robison, 2; miss Mary Ramey, mr Rier, Thomas Reeves.

S—J J Stringham, J G Smith, Sanford Speck, R W Smith, Mary C Silling, miss N J Sones, miss W A Sutherland, 2; Robt Stewart, col; W H Snyder, miss T Shepherd, B Staples, col; A A Stone, David Speck, mrs Hugh Slaughter, Rev Henry Slaughter, F C Stuart, mrs H B Shafer, Easter Stuart, Rev C Smithorthorns, col; A J Sillings.

T—Chas Thompson, H Tolivar, Geo Thomey, J W Thopson, John Trigg, col; Kate Taylor, M A Thomas, Ran Tisdale, miss Mary Thompson, R S Taylor, Martha Twoinn, miss Sallie Teaford

U—B Underhill, "Union Hall."

V—E Vint.

W—N B Waltzer, D A Wagner, G A Walker, Danl Whisman, D F Whitesell, miss C Wellington, 2; C J Willington, Frank Wood, Geo Williams, Dr Wilson, miss Eva Watson, miss Jennie Whitmore, Rev J R Wilson, D D, Jacob Wissler, Lizzie Wintz, Robt Wyman, 2; M R Whistler, Rich Watkins, Saml Wightman, S B Winston, Tom Wilkison, Solomon Wayres, W J Wash.

Y—Jas B Young, G A Young.

A. T MAUPIN, P. M.

Married.

On the 5th inst., in Staunton, by Rev. Wm. E. Baker, Mr. GEORGE D. ALMARODE to Miss SUSAN J. WHITESELL, both of Augusta.

On the 29th of Oct., by Rev. J. M. Shreckhise, Mr. THOMAS JOHNSON to Miss DELILA ALLEN, all of Augusta county.

At Fairfield, on the 27th of October, by Rev. Harvey Gilmore, Mr. WM. A. BEARD to Mrs. RACHEL E. ADAIR.

On the 29th ult., at the residence of Robt. Cox, at Taylor Springs in Rockingham county, by Rev. Henry Bovey, SILAS C. ECHARD, of Augusta county, to Miss Miss PHEBE C. BURNSIDE of Rockingham.

At the residence of the bride's father, in Augusta county, on Monday, the 26th of October, by Rev. Frederick Miller, JOHN WAMPLER of Rockingham, to Miss CATHARINE A., daughter of Samuel Miller, of Augusta.

Near Barterbrook, in this county, on Nov. 3d, 1868, by Rev. C. S. M. SEE, Mr. JAMES W. MARSH to Miss WILLIE A. FREEMAN, both of this county.

On the 20th ult., by Rev. John L. Clarke, JACOB BROWN and Miss LUCY A. RILEY—both of Augusta.

Deaths.

At the residence of her brother, David Blackwood, Esq., near Greenville, on the evening of Oct. 13th, Miss MARIA BLACKWOOD, aged ——. She had been for many years a consistent member of the Presbyterian church, and has gone from earth to the better land; but her memory and her virtues will be green and bright long after her body has perished in the dust. Z.

THE MARKETS.

Staunton Prices Current.

Corrected Every Week by H. Kerr & Bro.

WHOLESALE PRICES

STAUNTON, Nov. 9, 1868.

FLOUR	Su, $8; Ex, 9; Fam, 10.
WHEAT	1.50 to $1.75
CORN	new, 65; old, 90 ₱ bushel
OATS	45 to 50c
BACON	16 cts—Hog Round
LARD—New	10c ₱ lb
BUTTER	roll, 33½; firkin, 30c ₱ lb
EGGS	18 to 20c
MEAL	bolted, 1.15; unbolted, 1.05 ₱ bus
SALT	Marshall, $3.75 ₱ sack
SUGAR	Brown, 12½a16c; Coffee, 20; Crushed, 20c
MOLASSES	65cts@$1.00 ₱ gallon
TEAS	Black, $2; Green $2.50.
FLAXSEED	$1.80 ₱ bus.
GUANO	Pacific, $62½; Peruvian, $90a95; Raw Bone, $70.
RYE	$1.05

Special Notices.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.—The Advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks, by a very simple remedy, after having suffered several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge) with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE FOR CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS &c. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable; and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

Parties wishing the prescription will please address REV. EDWARD A. WILSON, 165 South Second St., Williamsburgh, Kings County, New York.

nov 10—12m

ERRORS OF YOUTH.—A Gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and direction for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing, in perfect confidence,

nov 10 12m JOHN B. OGDEN, No. 42 Cedar stret, New York.

SAFETY!—All persons who want a cheap, safe, and beautiful light, should call and examine our **Illuminating Oil.** This oil is warranted legal fire test (110°) which is a positive guarantee against all explosive accidents. It burns with a clear, brilliant flame in any temperature, and is adapted to any lamp, without corroding wicks, emitting smoke, smell or offensive vapor. Dr. WAYT & BRO.,

nov 10 Druggists.

BAKER'S CELEBRATED PREMIUM BITTERS.—STRENGTHEN THE STOMACH.—The grand desideratum in promoting health at this season of the year, is to relieve the stomach of all impurities, to invigorate, to arouse the liver from torpidity, and to expel from the bowels all unhealthy secretions. This should be done by some gentle medicine that in its actions will not debilitate the system, impair the nerves, or beclout the natural spirits, for which purpose we know of no remedy ever yet invented that can begin to approach in efficiency the CELEBRATED PREMIUM BITTERS, manufactured from purely vegetable substances by MR. ELIJAH BAKER, of Richmond city, and sold throughout the country by apothecaries. These Bitters are peculiarly adapted to the summer and fall diseases of the Southern climate, and when taken according to direction, are a sure cure for Dyspepsia, Diarrhœa, Dysenery, Cramp Colic, Cholera Morbus, Ague and Fever, Sour Stomach, Nervous Headache, and almost every other effections arising from impurity of the blood, or disordered stomach. To those who have not tested the superiority of BAKER'S PREMIUM BITTERS, as a family medicine, over all others known to the civilized world, we say lose no time in doing so, as they will afford almost instant relief. Try them by all means.

These celebrated Bitters are sold by Dr. N. Wayt & Bro., P. H. Trout & Co., & Dr. H. S. Eichelberger, Staunton, Va.

Orders filled by addressing E. BAKER, Proprietor, Richmond Va.

oct 13 1m

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!!—Having just returned from the great manufacturing cities with a large and well assorted stock of READY MADE CLOTHING, HATS, BOOTS, SHOES, and Gents' Furnishing Goods which, having been bought for cash, can be sold exceedingly cheap. All in need of WINTER CLOTHING, Boots, Shoes, Hats, &c., will find it to their advantage to give me a call.

J. KAUFMAN.

DR. PINKARD'S CRYSTALLINE—A VEGETABLE COMPOUND for Preserving, Restoring and Beautifying the Hair; promoting its rapid growth, preventing Baldness and gray hairs. A perfect hair dressing it gives the richest lustre. It prevents the Hair from falling off. It is the best, cheapest, and nicest Hair Dressing in use. Nothing injurious in its composition. No alchohol, No coloring matter. Endorsed by the Press, the Clergy, and Medical Faculty.

Price only 50 cents per bottle.

Try it. Sold by all the druggists in Staunton.

sep15—3m

ONE GROSS Pinkard's Crystalline, just received and for sale by Dr WAYT & BRO.

HALF GROSS Fougera's Compound Iodinized Cod Liver Oil—highly recommended in the treatment of Consumption, Scrofula and Affections of the Skin—just received and for sale by Dr. WAYT & BRO., Druggists.

HALF GROSS Rosadalis—the great blood purifier—for sale by

june16 WAYT & BRO.

THE Lightning Cleanser—for the instantaneous removal of Grease, Paint, Tar, &c. For sale by DR. WAYT & BRO.

DR. WAYT & BRO., keep constantly on hand, English and American Nursing Bottles, of all patterns; Breast Pumps, Trusses, India Rubber Syringes, Gum Nipples, Gum Sheeting for children, oiled Silk, &c.

ALCOCK'S POROUS PLASTER,
Armia Plasters,
Welt's Strengthening Plasters,
Hemlock Plasters,
Jew David's Plaster, at
DR. WAYT & BRO'S.

An important Change in the Proprietorship of the Warm Springs in Bath County.

This ancient and celebrated watering place has now changed hands and will hereafter be conducted by SMITH DARNELL, Esq., who, from his enterprise, liberality and politeness will at once restore it to the high position, and enviable reputation it so long enjoyed in the past. We predict for him an unrivalled success.

dec 10—1y*

TO FARMERS AND PLANTERS.

THE LODI MANUFACTURING COMP'Y, the oldest and largest concern of the kind in the United States, possessing extraordinary facilities for the manufacture if Fertilizers, *controlling exclusively* the night-soil, offal, bones and dead animals of New-York, Brooklyn and Jersey cities, as also the great Communipaw abbatoirs, offer for sale, in lots to suit customers, 8,000 tons of

Double Refined Poudrette

Made from night-soil, blood, bones and offal, ground to a powder.

Its effects have been most astonishing, doubling the crops and maturing them ten days or two weeks earlier. Equal to the best brands of Superphosphate for *present crop,* although sold only for Thirty Dollars per ton, packed in barrels of 250 pounds each.

BONE DUST.
1. COARSE and FINE MIXED.
2—FINE, suitable for Drilling.
3—FLOURED BONE.

WE WARRANT OUR BONE TO ANALYZE PURE. Packed in barrels of 250 lbs. each. For Winter grain, Double-Refined Poudrette and Fine Bone, mixed in equal proportions and *drilled in* with the seed, have produced most remarkable effects. Sold as low as any article of same purity and fineness in the market.

NITRO-PHOSPHATE OF LIME.

We offer this Phosphate confidently as being as good, if not superior, to any ever made or sold in this market, containing a larger amount of soluble Phosphate and Ammonia than usual in Superphosphates. For PERMANENT, as well as for immediate powerful effect upon land, IT HAS NO EQUAL.

Price in New York, $55.00 per ton of 2000 lbs. For Price Lists, Circulars, &c., apply to

HOOE & WEDDERBURN,
or to Alexandria, Va.
ALLISON & ADDISON, Richmond.

june2—6m

Legal Notices.

IN AUGUSTA COUNTY COURT, OCTOBER 30TH, 1868.

Ordered that the Sheriff of this county, and the Commissioners of Election at the several election precincts, on the *1st Saturday in December next,* 1868, open POLLS at the said precints, and take the sense of the voters of said county upon the question whether the County Court of Augusta county shall subscribe three hundred thousand dollars ($300,000) to the Stock of the Valley Railroad Company, to be paid in the bonds of said county, bearing six per cent. interest, payable at the discretion of the said county at any time within twenty (20) years, the interest thereon to be paid semi annually; said polls to be taken in conformity with the provisions of the laws now in force, and of the orders of the military commandant of this district, and subject to his approval. A copy—teste,

WILLIAM A. BURNETT, Clerk.

Ordered that the commissioners and officers of election heretofore appointed by an order of this Court, and who acted as such at the election held on the 27th day of July last be, and they are hereby re-appointed to hold and superintend the election to be held on the 1st Saturday in December next, upon the vote to be taken whether this court shall subscribe three hundred thousand dollars to the Valley Railroad.

A copy—teste,

WILLIAM A. BURNETT, Clerk.

nov 3—tde

Dry Goods.

LATEST ARRIVALS OF WINTER Dry Goods.—Boots, Shoes, Hosiery, Notions &c., at N. B. Hendry's cash store, opposite Virginia Hotel. I would respectfully call the attention of my friends and the public to my stock of new goods, which is larger, better assorted and lower priced than I have ever offered for sale in this market. We notice first:

LADIES' DRESS GOODS—

silk stripe poplins, silk warp alpacas, Scotch plaids, French epingline cloths, and reps, cashmeres, French merinos, coburgs, delaines, &c.

TRIMMINGS, GLOVES, HOSIERY, &c.

silk velvets, silk gimps, piping, ribbons, buttons, ruffling of all kinds; kid, doe, silk, cloth, tnread gloves, British and American Hose, merino Hose, a fine lot of CLOAKS and Cloaking Cloths, very cheap.

MEN'S WEAR.

cloths, cassimeres, cassinets, jeans, fulled linseys, &c.

DOMESTIC DRY GOODS.

Brown and bleached cotton cloths, ginghams, plaid cottons, tickings, plaid linseys, and a large stock of prints.

We pay special attention to the

BOOT AND SHOE TRADE.

Ladies' sewed calf, morocco, and kid boots of Baltimore make, warranted to give satisfaction. Men's heavy boots, from the celebrated 'Prairie' to a common article,

BOY'S BOOTS AND SHOES,

Men's brogans, and women's heavy kip shoes.

CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES,

Imperial and Green Powder Teas, Porto Rico, brown, crushed, pulverized, and granulated sugers, Rio, Laguayra and Java coffee.

Country produce bought, sold and traded for, on fair terms.

nov3—tf N. B. HENDRY.

JUST RECEIVED!
2000 YARDS CARPETS.
Best HEMP CARPETS,
Best TAPESTRY HEMPS,
Double Cotton Chain Carpets,
All-Wool Dutch,
" " 2 ply,
" " " " Extra Super.
" " " " Super Extra Super,
" " 3 ply.
BEST MAKES at very low prices.
FIVE PER CENT DISCOUNT FOR CASH ON ALL BILLS OVER TEN DOLLARS,
AT
TAYLOR & POWELL'S.

FLOOR OIL CLOTHS.
4-4 OIL CLOTH,
6 4 " "
8-4 " "
AT
TAYLOR & POWELL'S.

STAIR CARPETS.
4-4 STAIR CARPET,
3 4 " "
5-8 " "
AT
TAYLOR & POWELL'S.

BY EXPRESS.
CLOAKS,
of the Latest Styles in Black and Colors, at all prices, at
TAYLOR & POWELL'S.

CLOAKINGS,
In great variety of colors.
BLACK CLOAKINGS,
SCARLET AND WHITE
OPERA CLOTHS,
one and a half yards wide, at
TAYLOR & POWELL'S.

Dress Goods
AT REDUCED PRICES,
AT
TAYLOR & POWELL'S.

oct27—tf

THE BLACK FLAG! The Die is Cast!

THE DOGS OF WAR LET LOOSE!

The Panic and Tumble of Four Months Ago is upon us again!

Let the people answer how we have driven back into their native obscurity the countless so-called, cheap stores, and squelched the swindling system of these greedy internals.

The dose was powerful and went through like lightning. Our purchases from the Gallego Whitney Blanket Factory, from the winding up of Oliver Mawbray in Grand Street, New York, we got the lion's share at 60 cents on the dollar. From the smash of Whitmarsh & Bro. our purchases, in a single day, amounted to over seven thousand dollars. This is the music that brings the everlasting crowd. Whilst other merchants sleep upon their counters, our skirmish line of sharpshooters is upon the front, day and night, unwavering, unflinching and unfaltering, never looking backwards; in the auction rooms, at the sheriffs' sales, at the marshal's, the bankrupt's and the assignee's. This accounts for our low prices. We believe in square fighting and cheap goods, and to this we attribute the unusual popularity of the house in its giant strides to greatness. This is the secret of this incomparable stock and these matchless prices.

Shun the shams and delusions of
"Selling off," "closing out,"
And all that kind of cheap humbug,
As you would Beast Butler.

Our stock is larger than ever before, (and will be replenished from time to time,) consisting of French, English, and American Cloths and Cassimers, a large line of Shawls, Black and Fancy Silks, Cloaks and Cloakings, Empress Cloths, French and English Poplins, Figured and plain Alpacas, Bombazines, all wool Delaines, half wool Delaines, French and English Merinos, Ginghams, Calicoes, Tickings, Checks, Swisses, figured and plain Cambrics, Needle Work, do, Balmorals, latest style, Hoop Skirts, a large line of Hosiery, Gloves and Ladies' Garments.

The largest stock of Furs ever before exhibited in this town. Carpets, Matting and Oil Cloths, Hats, Shoes, Boots, Ladies', Gents', and Children's Gum Over Shoes, White, Colored and Mixed Yarns, Cotton Yarns, &c., at
HILB & WELLER'S,
oct27—tf Crawford's Corner.

10,000 YDS. of new Style Prints, of all grades, from 10 cents to one shilling, just received by

Oct 13 KAYSER & YOUNG.

GREAT EXCITEMENT AT THE GREAT BAZAAR.

Largest, Cheapest and most Complete Stock we have ever purchased.

Our stock having been purchased when there was a heavy decline in the market, enables us to offer great inducements to purchasers for cash.—Our stock is made up of the following goods:

LADIES' DRESS GOODS.

French Merinos, all colors; English do, China Serges, alpaca, black and colored, 40a1.50, Changeable and plain Poplins, Plaids for children, 4-4 all wool figured French merino, 75c; common delaines, great variety; calicoes, best 15c; common, 10c; plain and check Cambrics, all grades; great variety cambric Edge and Insertings.

Gloves and Hosiery, very cheap;
Velvet and Ribbon Trimmings, cheap.
Ladies' Merino Vests, ladies' Hoods.
" Fur Muffs and Capes, very cheap.
Plaid Linseys from 30 to 40c, Red Flannels, at 40 to 50c; white do, Canton do.
All wool Cassimeres and Satinets, cheap.
6-4 Factory goods, 3-4 do all wool.
Kentucky Jeans, 10-4 Sheetings, Bed Ticking, Blankets, very cheap; Hoop Skirts, Balmoral Skirts, 1.50 to 3.75, good; Shawls in great variety, all prices.

Great variety of those excellent city made morocco and calf-skin Shoes, guaranteed to give satisfaction.

Men's and boys Boots,
Morocco Satchels,
Laurel D Cotton, 17c, bleached do, very cheap.

It will certainly be to the advantage of persons wanting goods to give us a call.

oct6— GILES & FORRER, opposite Woods & Gilkeson.

M. A. BRIGHT & CO., have just opened (opposite Valley National Bank,) a large and very superior stock of BOOTS AND SHOES, of every variety; HATS, CAPS, &c., which they *will sell at very low prices,* owing to the advantages claimed in purchasing them.

Their terms are cash.

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KAYSER & YOUNG have received another lot of those nice fitting Cloaks, cheaper than ever.

KAYSER & YOUNG, have on hand a part of the fine premium cloth and cassimere from the late Fair.

FINE KID and other Boots for ladies, received almost every day or so, by KAYSER & YOUNG.

BAKER BROTHERS.

BAKER BROTHERS have just received a *new* and *large* stock of DRY GOODS, and are selling some Prints and Woolen Goods *as low as before the war.* Brown and Bleached Cottons also *unusually* cheap. Call and see them. oct20

SOMETHING NEW

AND GOOD NEWS.

We have added to our very large stock of merchandize,

TEN TONS of Maryland Company's Ammoniated SUPER PHOSPHATE,

FIVE TONS of South Carolina fine ground BONE PHOSPHATE, and

TEN TONS OF CHESAPEAKE GUANO, an ammoniated Phosphate, which we have as samples merely, being ready for orders, as agents for these Fertilizers. We offer them at very moderate prices, even lower than usual for similar fertilizers, as the manufacturers, as well as ourselves are determined to introduce them in this market.

All we ask is a trial of the above. Call and see them before you purchase elsewhere.

sep1 BAKER BROS.

GROCERIES.—300 SACKS of fine LIVERPOOL SALT, at moderate prices.
30 barrels Brown Sugars, of various grades,
15 " Lovering's Crushed, Granulated and Pulverized, and 5 barrels B. Coffee Sugar, at unusually low figures. Seeing is believing.—Call at BAKER BROS.

STAPLE DRY GOODS.—Brown and Bleached Cottons, at all prices; Tickings, Calicoes, Plaid Cottons, Checks, Ginghams, striped Shirtings, Delaines, black Alpacas, Linseys, white and red Flannels, Kentucky Jeans, Cassimeres, and Cassinets—very cheap.

BAKER BROS.

TEAS! TEAS!!—We have in store very superior Gunpowder, Young Hyson, and English Breakfast Teas, and offer them at very moderate prices. Having been carefully selected and fully tested, we can recommend them to the tea drinkers of the community.

BAKER BROS.

Molasses and Syrups.—An unusually large and varied assortment, and at prices to please. BAKER BROS.

COFFEE.—Superior Rio, White Laguira, and old Gov. Java Coffee.

BAKER BROS.

BOOTS & SHOES—for men, women and children, in great variety and at low prices.

BAKER BROS.

WOODEN WARE cheap