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☞ All dues to this office may be remitted per mail in good and available Bank notes, if registered, at the risk of the editors.

TO EDITORS AND PRINTERS.

THE subscribers beg leave to call attention to their STOCK OF PRINTING TYPES, ORNAMENTS, BORDERS, PRESSES, &c., &c., a large supply of which they keep constantly on hand at their Type and Stereotype Foundry, No. 38, Gold Street, New York.

We have a full assortment of all articles required in a Printing Office, including

CASES, CHASES, GALLEYS, &c.,

All of which we warrant equal in every respect to any manufactured in this country, and which we will sell on the usual terms, viz: six months' credit for approved negotiable notes, or ten per cent. discount for cash. Old Type taken in exchange for new at the customary price of nine cents per pound, if delivered within 60 days from time of purchase, otherwise six cents per pound.

WM. HAGAR, JR., & CO.

The undersigned, Agent in Virginia, for the above well known establishment, can supply the trade with every description of

PRINTING PRESSES, TYPES, CASES, &c.,

Upon the most liberal terms. Having printed the "Richmond Enquirer" for upwards of ten years with type and other materials purchased from Messrs. Hagar & Co., I am induced to recommend materials from their establishment in preference to others.

Specimen Books will be furnished to the trade, and such articles as may be selected will be forwarded with despatch.

WM. B. ALLEGRE.

Aug 3 "Enquirer" Office, Richmond, Va

PENITENTIARY OF VIRGINIA.

MANUFACTURED at this Institution, and sold there and at the Agent's Store, No. 27, Pearl street, the following articles, at reduced prices, to wit:

Boots, Shoes and Brogues
Women, Children and Servants' Shoes
Wagon and Cart Harness of every description
Machine Bands, Leather Hose
Wagons, Carts
Drays and Wheelbarrows
Wardrobes, Safes, &c.
Striped and Plaid Cottons
Kerseys and Linseys, for plantation hands
Ready Made Clothing for servants.

Most of the above articles on hand and for sale, or will be made or repaired, or other job work done to order on short notice for cash, or to punctual customers only, on short time.

Orders from the country, with satisfactory references, promptly attended to. Address R. M. NIMMO,

July 3—ctf Agent and Storekeeper Va. Penitentiary.

EDWIN WORTHAM & CO.,
GROCERS, COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
AND
DEALERS IN IRON, STEEL, AND AGRICULTURAL MANURES.

ATTEND particularly to the sale of Wheat, Corn, Flour and Tobacco. A full supply of grain bags on hand, with which farmers can be supplied who wish to consign grain to us. July 9—c4m

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having claims against the estate of David S. Gillespie, deceased, late of Louisa county, Va., are requested to present them to the undersigned, legally authenticated, that they may be discharged, and the estate finally settled up. JANE R GILLESPIE,

Administratrix of David S. Gillespie, deceased.

Louisa county, Aug 2—c4w

GEORGE I. HERRING'S,
COMMISSION AND GROCERY STORE,
No. 56, Main Street.

KEEPS always on hand a full stock of Groceries, to which he invites his customers and the public generally. Also pays strict attention to the sale of country Produce, and is now prepared to furnish grain bags to his friends who wish to send their grain to him to sell.

GEO. I HERRING,
Aug 4—ctf No. 56, Main St.

A CERTAIN CURE FOR DYSPEPSIA AND SUMMER COMPLAINT, highly recommended by all physicians, of both the old and new world. Lager Beer up in bottles for family use.

Per dozen pints $1 25. Per dozen quarts $2 25. In packages of from two to six dozen. Put up and sold by

P. WILBACHER, No. 208, Main street,
Richmond, Va.

No extra charge for package or drayage.

Orders from the country will be promptly responded to, provided amount being added, or good city reference given.

For sale, also—Lager Beer in quarter and half casks, of 8 and 16 gallons.

Superior Cream Ale, in quarter and half casks, of 8 and 16 gallons. April 22—ctf

FRUIT TREES AND SHRUBBERY.
SOUTHERN GREENWOOD, NURSERY.

HAVING on hand a choice variety of Fruit Trees of my own raising, and grafting sufficiently large for transplanting, I respectfully call the attention of the public to them.

My Nursery is located one-and-a-half miles North East from the Old Market, where I will take pleasure in showing them.

All orders addressed to, or left at my agents, Messrs. Van Lew, Taylor & Co., No. 19, Main street, Richmond, Va., or myself, will meet with prompt attention.

☞ Shade Trees furnished to order.

Aug 24—c6m LEWIS TUDOR.

JUST TO HAND—A fresh supply of WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, FANCY GOODS, &c., which will be sold low at the sign of the Rifle, Old Street, Petersburg, Va.

C. LEONARD,
Repairer of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, &c.

Feb 10—ctf

NOTICE
THE CENTRAL HOTEL,

WILL be re-opened on TUESDAY, the 1st day of September, for the accommodation of Boarders and Transient Customers.

The TABLE will be furnished with the best the market affords. The BAR will be furnished, at all times, with the best LIQUORS, WINES and CIGARS.

We will use our best exertions to give entire satisfaction to all who may favor us with a call.

JOS. A. MAYO & CO.

Richmond, 17th August, 1857—d&c2 aw2m

COMMERCIAL SAVINGS BANK.

CHARTERED by the Legislature of Virginia, December 17th, 1853—Capital $50,000.—This Institution receives deposits, on which interest is paid at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum if remaining on deposit six months and 5 per cent. for shorter periods.

WM. G. PAINE, President,
GEO. J. SUMNER, Secretary,
JOHN H. MONTAGUE, Treasurer.

☞ Office No. 153, corner Main and 12th st.

Jan 19—ctf

NOTICE.

I HAVE the largest and most complete assortment of Guns and Hunting articles of all kinds to be found in the State, which I will sell at and below cost, in order to close them out, as I do not wish to keep them on hand until next season. They are from the manufactories of the best makers, and will be warranted in every respect. If you wish a good and cheap GUN, call at the sign of the Rifle, Old Street, Petersburg, Va. C. LEONARD,

Manufacturer and repairer of fire arms, &c.

Feb 10—ctf

JEWELRY AND GUNS.

THE subscriber would respectfully call the attention of his friends and the public, to an examination of his stock of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Guns, Rifles, Pistols, Military Goods, Musical Instruments, Plated Ware, Walking Canes, Fishing Tackle, Cutlery, Sporting and Fancy Goods of all kinds, which is the largest stock to be found in the State, all of which will be sold at and below cost, in order to make room for a large stock of his own importation, which will be received in September. Call at the sign of the Rifle. C. LEONARD,

Aug 25—c3m Old street, Petersburg.

FOR SALE.

A FARM OF 320 ACRES, NEAR STAUNTON, VA. The farm on which I reside, three miles from Staunton, of about 320 acres, 90 of which are well timbered, is for sale. The buildings are handsome and spacious, and the land very good and well watered by Lewis' Creek; capable of division into two farms, and will be sold on very favorable terms. Address WM. B. JOHNSON,

Aug 25—ctf Staunton, Va.

REMEMBER THE FACT

THAT GIBBS was awarded the highest premium (a silver medal) at the last exhibition of the Mechanics' Institute, for the superiority of his AMBROTYPES over all sun pictures on exhibition; but a still higher reward he is receiving from a daily increase of his business, which proves that his efforts to establish a first class Gallery has met with the approbation of a generous public.

He respectfully announces that, in order to meet the demands of his business, he has increased his force. Having now in his employ a superior Artist, he is prepared to furnish PHOTOGRAPHS, from small to life size, colored in oil, water or pastele, which he warrants for accuracy and beauty of finish, equal to the best paintings in the country. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine specimens.

Gallery, Corinthian Hall, between 9th and 10th, Main street, Richmond. P. E. GIBBS, Proprietor.

P. S. These Photographs can be enlarged from small Miniatures, Daguerreotypes or Ambrotypes, to life size.

Dec 3 P. E. G.

VIRGINIA:—At Rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Richmond, the 7th day of September, 1857.

William Taylor, Plaintiff,
Against
Rafad Cavedo, sen. and others Defendants

The object of this suit is to subject the estate of William F. Cavedo, deceased, both real and personal, to the payment of the debt of the plaintiff mentioned in his bill, and affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant above named is a non resident of this Commonwealth, the said defendant is notified to appear at the Rules to be holden in the Clerk's Office of the said Court within one month after due publication hereof, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

A Copy—Teste.

Sep 8—cw4w EUS. ROBINSON, Clk.

POEMS BY "ROSA."

TICKNOR & FIELDS, Boston, have just published in one handsome volume, 340 pp, with a beautiful portrait of the authoress, Price $1,

POEMS BY ROSA VERTUER JOHNSON,
OF LEXINGTON, KY.

Copies sent by mail, free of postage, on receipt of publication price. Sept 1—dw4w

VALUABLE FARMS FOR SALE.

RAPPAHANNOCK LAND FOR SALE.

AS Attorney for the heirs of John Seymour Taliaferro, I offer for sale that exceedingly valuable, and desirable estate known by the general name of "Hays."

It is not often that an opportunity is afforded of purchasing such property as this, and the only inducement to dispose of it is, that it is owned by ladies who wish to be relieved from the care of land and negroes. The estate contains about 2100 Acres, the whole of which has heretofore been cultivated as one farm. It is, however, in three lots or parcels (divided by strips of intervening land,) each of which will be sold separately

1st. "Hays" proper—containing about 1,000 Acres, the whole of which, with the exception of single hill, is "River Flat."

It is situated immediately on the Rappahannock, in the county of King George, Virginia, twelve miles below Fredericksburg, and is bounded by the land of Mr. Wm. Wallace on the one side, and of Mr. J. Parke Corbin on the other. This estate has always been regarded as equal to any on tide-water Virginia, for the production of Wheat and Corn. The soil is of the finest description, and when reduced by excessive cultivation, is readily restored to its original fertility. Though not a bushel of clover seed has been sown for twelve years, there is upon one of the fields, a luxuriant crop. The estate is well watered, about two-thirds is open for cultivation, and the balance in wood, a part of which (say 130 to 150 acres) is original growth, containing no inconsiderable quantity of Timber suitable for Ship building. There is on this tract a water Grist Mill.

A plank will extend from the bank to the vessel receiving grain from "Hays."

2nd. The Mill Tract, situated just below "Hay's" contains 351 acres, 70 or 80 of which are in wood. The original character of the soil is superior. There are the remains of an old Mill upon a stream that never fails, passing through this tract, which if rebuilt would command a large custom. This is very desirable property for one wishing to farm on a limited scale.

3d. Bloomsberry. This division of the estate commences with the first range of hills from the river, proverbial for its fertility, along the whole course of the Rappahannock. It contains 750 acres, a sufficient portion of which is in wood. For a residence, few situations present more attractions. The location is healthy, and the view from the hills nearest the river is extensive and beautiful. This tract of land, placed in either of the valley counties of the State—removed as it would be from tide-water communication—would really command double the price asked for it.

A survey of each tract is now in progress, and plats will soon be ready for exhibition.

Upon a large part of the purchase money, if satisfactorily secured, and the interest is punctually paid, a long credit can be had. The time of possession will be accommodated to the wishes of the purchasers.

Persons desiring further information will please direct their letters to me, near King George C. H. Va. Those wishing to view the property will call on me, and in my absence it will be shown by Mr. Lee, the manager on the estate. W. R. MASON.

Sept 18—c2m

A VALUABLE ESTATE
ON LOWER JAMES RIVER FOR SALE.

I AM desirous to remove South, and therefore offer for sale my Farm called "*Kettewan*," lying in Charles City county, about three miles below the court-house, and adjoining the original "Weynoke" tract, in the midst of refined society.

The tract contains about 1,000 acres, (by old survey,) 500 of it are under cultivation, divided into five fields, each well enclosed, and has been all heavily limed, twice over—36,000 bushels of lime, and 16,000 bushels of marl, having been put out in the last 10 years. Most of the remainder is in timber and wood, and very contiguous to water.

The Arable Land lies beautifully, and has been greatly improved by lime, plaster, clover and guano, and thorough drainage; and is now in condition to give a handsome return to any one who desires to make an investment in a low-land farm. For such, I will state, that the crops of wheat have reached 3,300 bushels; and in addition, this year, 2,000 bushels of oats.

The improvements consist of a neat Cottage, containing seven rooms, pantry, store-room and closets, surrounded by a handsome yard and garden, filled with shade trees and handsome shrubbery, besides every necessary and convenient out building, overseer's house, quarters, &c. The farm buildings are all new and very commodious, including a barn built in 1855, 54x32 feet, having three floors, and a stable, built in 1856, 72x30 feet, containing 24 stalls, with entire loft floored, and well arranged as a feed room. There is also a flourishing young orchard of choice fruit trees, just coming into bearing, and a bold creek which runs around nearly one half the plantation abounds in wild game and fish.

Those desirous of making a purchase are invited to visit the subscriber and judge for themselves.

WM. A. SELDEN, M. D.

Kettiewan, Sept 17, 1857.—cwtf

A FINE LOCATION FOR A PHYSICIAN OR MERCHANT.

CARTER'S BRIDGE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

THIS valuable property, situated in Albemarle county, immediately on the stage road leading from Charlottesville to Scottsville, (within ten miles of each place, is now offered for sale privately, on very reasonable terms.

The property consists of a lot of choice lands, part of which is well set in timothy, upon which is a Comfortable Dwelling, Storehouse, Shoemaker's Shop, and other necessary Out Houses. This location offers great inducements both to the merchant and physician, located as it is in one of the most wealthy and influential neighborhoods *in* the county, and being seven miles to the nearest store. The Shoemaking business is carried on here, and could be made profitable. This is a rare chance for a physician who wishes to locate where one is very much needed. Any one in want of such a situation will either apply in person or by letter to the subscriber, at Carter's Bridge, Albemarle County, Va., or to Goodwin & Apperson, Richmond.

Sep 8—ctf R. P. PACE.

LAND IN YORK COUNTY FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale the tract of land upon which the late John R. Winston recently resided, situated in York county, about three miles north of Williamsburg, and adjoining the lands of Dr R. J. Waller, Benj. Waller, John James, Henry M. Bowden, and James Shell.

The tract contains 500 acres, with an excellent dwelling with seven rooms well arranged, a new framed quarter with four rooms, ice house and barn nearly new. The yard and garden newly enclosed with the best heart timber; also, all other necessary out houses in good repair.

The wheat crop of the present year is estimated at from 1,000 to 1200 bushels.

If a sale is not effected privately before the 1st day of October, it will be on that day (if fair, if not on the first fair day thereafter,) sold to the highest bidder, on the premises.

Persons wishing to purchase are referred to Mr. Hanson P. Kellam, who has charge of the premises, and will take pleasure in giving all necessary information.

TERMS accommodating, upon the purchase money being satisfactorily secured. For any further information, address the subscriber at Hanover Court House, Virginia. BICK. L. WINSTON, Executor of

July 21—ctf JNO. R. WINSTON deceased.

JAMES RIVER ESTATE FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers at private sale, that beautiful Farm in Goochland county, called ORAPAKES, lying on James River, Licking Hole Creek, and the James River and Kanawha Canal, four miles above the Court House, and thirty-four miles from Richmond. The situation is among the most beautiful on the rivor, commanding a view of the whole arable surface, a fine view of the surrounding country and canal, for several miles up and down the river. The estate is in a high state of improvement, and a remarkably healthy one. It adjoins the estates of Thomas J. Deane, W. B. Weisiger, and K. Skipwith, and contains 938 acres, of which 117 1-2 acres are first low grounds, 220 acres of second low grounds, 272 acres of arable high land, and 329 acres of wood land.—The improvements consist of a frame dwelling with eight rooms, (a good kitchen, out-houses, quarters, overseer's house,) built in the last five years, with brick chimneys and underpinning, and a new brick barn, 60x30, with a shed running the whole length, sixteen feet wide, a new threshing machine, a new ice house, and all necessary stables, &c.

Any person wishing to purchase a desirable residence, would do well to visit this before purchasing elsewhere, as I will sell on reasonable terms.

Every preparation is now making to seed 200 acres in wheat this fall, 100 of it in fallow, and the corn-field has been sowed in peas.

To a desirable purchaser I would sell every thing as it stands, and most of the negroes.

My manager, Mr. Sanders, will show the estate to any one wishing to purchase.

My address is Sublett's P. O., Powhatan county.

Oct 15—ctf MILES C. SELDEN.

MEADOW FARM FOR SALE.

I OFFER at Private Sale my Farm, lying in the county of Prince William, adjoining the land of Judge Tyler and immediately on the Turnpike Road leading from Alexandria to Warrenton, and two and a half miles from Gainesville, a depot on the Manassas Gap Railroad, thirty-five miles distant from Alexandria; which place can be reached in two hours on the cars,

This Estate contains Nine-Hundred and Forty-one and a Half Acres—about four hundred of which are in Wood and Timber. The balance in cleared and divided into nine Fields, all of them well watered by lasting Springs.—Broad Run—a large and never failing mountain stream—passes through the estate from West to East, bordering on which is a beautiful Meadow of one hundred acres, now well taken in Timothy and blue grass, and not only valuable as a Meadow, but highly useful for grazing purposes. The uplands are rolling and susceptible of any degree of improvement.

The improvements are a large and commodious Dwelling, with seven spacious rooms, four above and three below stairs, and the necessary out houses. Surrounding the yard is a large and flourishing Orchard of Apples, Pears, Peaches, Cherries, Apricots, &c., of the finest varieties, and many of them in full bearing. Country Stores are numerous and convenient. The neighborhood is unsurpassed by any in the State for health and affords the best society.

Those wishing to purchase a fine country residence, will do well to call and examine this estate.

For further information, address Judge Z. Collins Lee, Baltimore, Md., or the Subscriber.

Dr. JAS. W. F. MACRAE.

Buckland, Pr. William co., Va., April 14—ctf

IRON WORKS FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY OF THE NOVELTY IRON WORKS.

IT is the most complete and best arranged and conveniently located Iron Works in Pennsylvania. All the principal buildings are of brick with slate roofs. Tops of doors and windows arched with inside window sills of iron. Gas introduced into all the principal buildings and hydrant water on each floor or with coil of hose. Iron Foundry is 100 feet long, 65 feet wide, and 22 feet high, with a very superior constructed oven and cupola furnace with two very excellent cranes with upper gearings complete. Connected with it is a building for a Brass Foundry 20 feet by 20 feet. There is a very convenient public and private office with store room connected. Machine Shop, 100 feet by 40 feet wide. Blacksmith Shop, 80 feet by 40 feet wide, with 5 iron forges. Pattern maker's Shop, 100 feet by 40 feet wide. Pattern deposit, third story, 100 feet by 40 feet wide, with a most capital assortment of patterns, all nearly new, principally for Mill Work, Steam Engines and general machinery, Iron House Fronts and Stoves, &c. There are large frame buildings, 140 feet long by 30 feet wide, as warerooms for finished work. The Lot is a most valuable one, 150 feet fronting on the Pennsylvania Railroad and running back 330 feet to the Pennsylvania Canal, with a wharf made the width of the lot. The Lebanon Valley Railroad, which will soon be finished, is within 500 or 600 feet of this end of the lot. The North Central Railroad and the Cumberland Valley Railroad is about 300 feet from the front end of the lot. The best white ash coal for cupola purposes, delivered on the lot by the boat load at $3 per ton, and nut coal for generating steam at $2 per ton gross weight. Possessing these superior advantages, the works are capable of manufacturing from $150,000 to $300,000 worth of work per annum. For particulars, apply to the subscriber, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

Sept 11—c6t J. R. JONES.

ROWLAND'S GENUINE MACASSAR OIL, for sale by W. PETERSON, Druggist.

MISCELLANEOUS.

REDEMPTION OF VIRGINIA FIVE PER CENT STOCK.

THE holders of the following Certificates of debt issued by the State of Virginia will take notice that the "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund," will proceed on the 31st day of October, 1857, to redeem the said Certificates at the Treasury of the Commonwealth. The holders of said Certificates are required on the said 31st October, 1857, to surrender the same at the Office of the Second Auditor. Whether surrendered or not the interest thereon will cease on that day:

1. Under Act passed 16th February, 1825, entitled An act making farther provision to carry into effect the Act entitled "An Act for clearing and improving the Navigation of James River and for uniting the Eastern and Western Waters by the James and Kanawha rivers, and for other purposes.

Date.	*In what name issued.*	*Amount.*
1825, April 1—19,	Baring, Brothers & Co. of London,	$ 5,000 00
1834, June 18—87,	Rev. Robert Tritton of Morden in the county of Surry, in England,	5,000 00
" " " 88,	ditto	5,000 00
" " " 89,	ditto	3,000 00
1840, May 18—100,	James Hutchinson of the Stock Exchange, London, Gentleman, and William Robson of Darlington, Durham, in England, Gentleman, with benefit of survivorship,	5,000 00
" " " 101,	ditto	3,000 00
" " " 102,	ditto	2,000 00
1844, Aug. 5—118,	Richard Thornton of Old Swan Wharf, Upper Thames Street, London, Merchant,	5,000 00
" " " 119,	ditto	5,000 00
" " " 120,	ditto	3,000 00
" " " 121,	ditto	2,000 00
1846, Feb 13—122,	Francis N. Watkins, Clement C. Read, Jacob W. Morton, John Dupuy, Henry E. Watkins, Thomas T. Treadway and Charles S. Carrington and their survivors in trust, for the benefit of the Union Theological Seminary,	4,100 00
" " " 123,	ditto	5,900 00
" July 10—127,	Thomas Cotterill, Esquire, a citizen of the United States at present residing at Birmingham in England,	8,000 00
1849, Feb. 6—139,	William Death of Harlow, Essex, Gentleman,	1,666 66
" " " 140,	Woodham Death of Nettleswell, Essex, Gentleman,	1,666 67
" April 23—141,	Thomas Cotterill, Esquire, a citizen of the United States, at present residing at Birmingham in England,	5,000 00
1850, June 1—142,	ditto	1,666 67
" Dec. 7—143,	George Peabody, Esquire, of London,	7,000 000
1854, July 10—149,	Thomas Cotterill, Esquire, a citizen of the United States, at present residing at Birmingham in England,	5,000 00
" " " 150,	ditto	5,000 00
" " " 151,	ditto	5,000 00
" " " 152,	ditto	1,000 00
" " " 153,	ditto	1,000 00
" July 22—154,	Benjamin Moses of London,	6,000 00
1855, April 7—155,	George Peabody & Co. of London,	6,000 00
" " " 156,	ditto	4,000 00
" " " 157,	ditto	5,000 00
" " " 158,	ditto	5,000 00
" " " 159,	ditto	5,000 00
1856, July 24—160,	Hugh Brown, Esq., of Broadstone, Parish of Birth, Ayrshire, Scotland,	5,000 00
" " " 161,	ditto	5,000 00
" " " 162,	ditto	5,000 00
" " " 163,	ditto	5,000 00
" " " 164,	ditto	5,000 00
" " " 165,	ditto	5,000 00
" " " 166,	ditto	4,000 00
		$160,000 00

2. Under an Act authorizing the Board of Public Works to subscribe on behalf of the Commonwealth to the Stock of the Petersburg Railroad Company, passed 27th February, 1832.

1834, June 30—22,	The Most Noble George Granville, Duke of Sutherland,	10,000 00
" " " 23,	ditto	10,000 00
" " " 30,	ditto	4,000 00
		$24,000 00

STAFFORD H. PARKER, Register, } *Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.*
GEORGE W. MUNFORD, Sec'y of the Com'th of Va. }

NOTE.—Those holders of Certificates who desire to redeem by Attorney must, if residing beyond the limits of the United States acknowledge the power before some Minister Plenipotentiary, Charge d'Affaires, Consul General, Consul, Vice Consul or Commercial Agent, appointed by the Government of the United States to any foreign country; or before the proper officer of any court of such country, or the Mayor or other Chief Magistrate of any city, town, or corporation therein. If residing in the United States, the acknowledgment before a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, or Commissioner of Deeds appointed by the Governor of Virginia is sufficient. In all cases the certificate must be delivered

Richmond, Virginia, July 22, 1857. cw3m

DISSOLUTION.

THE co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned is this day dissolved by mutual consent. J. M. Conrad assumes all liabilities of the firm, and is alone authorized to receive payment of debts due to and use the name of the firm in liquidation of its debts.

J. M. CONRAD.
September 1st, 1857. W. W. LEFTWICH.

In dissolving my business connection with Mr. Conrad, I desire to return my warmest thanks to my friends who have favored me with their business while a member of the firm of Conrad & Leftwich, and to solicit in behalf of my late partner their continued favor.

They may rest assured their business will be faithfully attended to, and their interest consulted at all times.

September 1st, 1857. W. W. LEFTWICH.

My late partner, W. W. Leftwich, having retired from the concern of Conrad & Leftwich, I shall continue to do a General Commission and Forwarding Business, on my own account

In connection with this announcement, I desire to offer my thanks to my friends and those of Maj. Leftwich for their patronage, and to assure them, as well as new consignors, that any business entrusted to me in the future shall receive my prompt personal attention.

Sept 1—c3w

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
RICHMOND, September 3, 1857.

TO Caleb C. Mitchell and Margaret his wife, Walker Thomas and Ellen his wife and John B. Brown and Lucy his wife, plaintiffs, and Elijah Priddy and Mary his wife, Samuel T. Hulce and Elizabeth his wife, John Jacobs and Nancy his wife, Thomas S. Mason and Margaret Ellen his wife, John F. Clarke and Lucy Elizabeth his wife, James C. Mitchell, Mary Virginia Mitchell, Loretta Catherine Mitchell, John Thomas Mitchell, Elijah P. Hulce, Eugenia M. Hulce, Lucy Ellen Hulce, Adaliza Jane Brown, William O'Brien Brown, Ellen F. Brown, Patrick Henry Jacobs, Charles Dallas Jacobs, Oscar Lewis Jacobs, Ellen Jane Thomas, William Smith O'Brien Thomas and Lucy Adelaide Thomas, the fifteen parties last named being infants under the age of twenty-one years, by Benjamin Pollard their guardian ad litem, defendants.

By a decree entered by the Circuit Court of the City of Richmond, in this cause, on the 11th day of June, 1857, it is ordered, "that one of the Commissioners of this Court do enquire whether the lot in the City of Richmond and the tract of land in the county of Henrico in the bill mentioned can be advantageously divided amongst the parties in this suit allotting to them the respective interests claimed in the bill, and whether for the purposes of such partition a sale of the property and division of the proceeds be not required: whether the interests of the infants and all other parties will be promoted by a sale, and whether either of the parties will accept the lot in Richmond or the farm in Henrico, and pay therefor, to the other parties, such sums of money as their interest therein may entitle them to receive, and report his proceedings herein to the Court, with any matters deemed pertinent by him, or required to be specially stated by any of the parties."

You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon Friday, the 9th day of October, 1857, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office, in the city of Richmond, to execute the foregoing order of Court, at which time and place you are required to attend.

Given under my hand, as Commissioner in Chancery of the Circuit Court of the city of Richmond.

Sept 5—cw4w THOS. J. EVANS, Com'r.

VIRGINIA—IN CHANCERY.—At Rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Richmond County, on Monday, the 7th day of September, 1857.

Juliet A. Neale, Complainant,
Against
Lucy S. Neale and Feriol Lemoine, Executrix and Executor of Augustine Neale, deceased, and the said Lucy S. Neale, in her own right, Lyne Shackleford, and Judith Ann his wife, and Durand Shackleford and Ferdinand Augustine Shackleford, infant children of the said Lyne and Judith Ann, and William B. Saunders, who is out of this Commonwealth Defendants.

The object of this suit is to recover from the defendants, the Executrix and Executor of Augustine Neale, and the devisees of the same, the dower in the real estate, and her distributable share of the personal property to which the complainant claims to be entitled, as widow of the said Augustine Neale.

It appearing by the affidavit of a witness, that the defendant, William B. Saunders, is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that the said defendant do appear here within one month after the due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest, and that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Richmond Enquirer, a newspaper published in the city of Richmond, and a copy be posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. Teste,

Sept 15—cw4w F. W. PENDLETON, Clerk.

VIRGINIA.—At Rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Richmond, the 7th day of September, 1857.

Washington B. Ross, Plt'ff,
Against
William M. Wilkinson, Celestia Wilkinson, Rosabella Wilkinson, and others, Def'ts.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the sale of a lot of land in the city of Richmond, known in the plan of said city as Lot No. 149, and to divide the proceeds of the sale among the parties thereto entitled; and affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants above named are non-residents of this Commonwealth, the said defendants are notified to appear at the Rules to be holden in the Clerk's Office of the said Court, within one month after due publication hereof, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

A Copy—Teste.

Sept 8—c4w EUS. ROBINSON, Clk.

VIRGINIA:—At Rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Richmond, the 9th day of September, 1857.

John H. Askew and Martha A. Askew, his wife, Plaintiffs.
against
John H. Smack and James Edward Smack, Def'ts.

The object of this suit is to obtain a sale of a certain lot of ground in the bill mentioned, and a distribution of the proceeds among the parties entitled thereto, and affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant John H. Smack, above named, is a non resident of this Commonwealth, the said defendant is notified to appear at the Rules to be holden in the Clerk's Office of the said Court on the first Monday in December next, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

A Copy—Teste,

Sept 12 EUS. ROBINSON, Clerk.

THE RICHMOND ENQUIRER.

BY RITCHIE & DUNNAVANT.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1857.

SENATOR HUNTER, GOV. WISE AND THE "ENQUIRER."

Our Democratic cotemporary of the "Winchester Virginian" devoted his leader of last Wednesday to "Senator Hunter and the Enquirer," in which this paper is respectfully reproved for its course towards Senator Hunter, in giving publicity to the doubt entertained by the public, relative to that gentleman's undiscovered attitude towards the Administration.—The "Virginian" says:

We are yet without any evidence to shake our confidence in Senator Hunter's true Southern Democracy. If the Enquirer will give us some better evidence than mere unsustained "rumor" to show that he is not a true Democrat, and that he has taken a stand not to support Mr. Buchanan's Administration, we will unite with that paper in opposition to his re-election as U. S. Senator. If it shall turn out, however, that Mr. Hunter's political sin is a failure to endorse Gov. Walker's course in Kansas, and the Enquirer's support of Gov. Walker, we shall not proscribe him for that sin. On the contrary, we shall regard it as a proof of his genuine Democracy, and his friendship to the South. We are no advocate for the re-election of Mr. Hunter to the U. S. Senate. We shall be content with Mr. Wise or any other good Democrat for that post which the Legislature may choose.

There is no office to which Mr. Wise may aspire, we would not be pleased to give him; but we are unwilling to sacrifice R. M. T. Hunter, or any other good Democrat, to gratify our wishes. If the Enquirer prefers Gov. Wise for U. S. Senator, let that paper, as it has an undoubted right, press his claims upon his own merits, and not by assailing Mr. Hunter, by casting a suspicion on his Democracy, based upon unsustained "rumor." It cannot be expected that Mr. H. will gratify the curiosity of the Enquirer, by replying to accusations made by madame Rumor.—Indeed, we doubt whether Mr. H. will acknowledge the right of the Enquirer, or any other paper, to catechise him, without a much better excuse can be offered for it than any yet given by the Enquirer.

Like the "Virginian," we too, are "without any evidence to shake our confidence in Senator Hunter's true Southern Democracy." But whether he is disposed to stand by and battle for the Administration, or to unite with its enemies, embraced in the sectional school of Southern ultraists, is quite another question. It is upon this point, that we have called, and if he persists in silence, that we shall continue to call upon Mr. Hunter for an expression of his views and intention. Emanating when, or whence it may, whether from the factious conduct of some of his peculiar political friends, or from the whispered imaginings of his enemies, it is not to be denied that his fidelity to the Administration is suspected. And if he is desirous of a re-election to the Senate, the Democracy of Virginia have the right to demand a declaration from him. The "Virginian" asks for "some better evidence than mere unsustained rumor," that Mr. Hunter "has taken a stand not to support Mr. Buchanan's Administration." When that is adduced, our cotemporary says he will unite with us in opposition to his re-election to the Senate. In answer, we say, let the "Enquirer" be convinced that Mr. Hunter does *not* approve the factious course of the Southern sectionalists, and that he *is* determined to defend and sustain the Administration; and, as we have said before, "we will make no issue with him." Can the "Virginian" object to that? Can the distinguished Senator himself have aught to say against a proposition so fair? Mr. Hunter, it is to be presumed, has not been an indifferent looker-on upon the contest between the Democratic enemies and friends of the Administration in the South. He must, therefore, have formed an opinion as to the propriety and justness of the quarrel, on one side or the other. And as there is a division of sentiment on the subject among the Democracy of the State, he cannot expect to withhold his views when they are respectfully called for by his party, without incurring the imputation of political timidity, and strengthening the suspicion upon his fealty. It may be, however, that Mr. Hunter has not yet been enabled to determine upon the merits of the controversy between the factionists and the friends of the Administration, and consequently, that he is neither with the fire-eaters nor the National Democrats. If so, we still say, let him speak. We confidence is attributable to a distrust of the strength of his position, whatever it may be. It would be an attack upon his ingenuousness, which we do not mean to make; trusting, as we do, that his own sense of propriety, and of duty, to himself and to the party upon which his re-election depends, will prompt him to an exposition of his views with reference to the Administration, before the public eye is turned upon him, to contrast his own doubtful and suspicious position with that of his reputed rival for a seat in the Senate. The "Virginian" would consider the Senator's refusal to endorse the course of Governor Walker in Kansas, "an evidence of his friendship to the South. We doubt that the Democracy of the State would place upon it any such construction. The Administration retains Governor Walker in office, and expresses views similar to those contained in his dispatch to the State Department on the 20th July.—To denounce those views is incompatible with a support of the Administration on the Kansas question. It is true there are Democrats in Virginia, as well as in other Southern States, who, while they may oppose the position of Governor Walker, as it was originally understood, are as loyal and true, as the Administration could desire. But to repudiate the policy of Governor Walker as explained by himself, and at the same time to profess friendship for, and confidence in the President, who approves that policy, and retains him in office, is a contradiction too transparent to impose upon public credulity.

The "Virginian" doubts that Mr. Hunter will recognize the authority of the "Enquirer" to interrogate him, and intimates a belief that he will continue to be silent. The "Enquirer" lays no especial claim to any authority above that of other Democratic journals in the State. But as a representative of that party to which Mr. Hunter belongs, and to which he is presented as a candidate for re-election to the Senate the Enquirer holds that it has the right to call upon him for his opinions. And we will continue to exercise it until he answers, or the Legislature answers for him.

If Senator Hunter intends to support the Administration in opposition to the ultraists of the South, it would be an easy matter for him to say so. If he contemplates an open affiliation with the factionists, it would give him little trouble to avow his purpose.

The "Virginian" says "we regret the course of the "Enquirer" on this subject, because we fear no good to Mr. Wise, Mr. Hunter, or to the Democratic party will result from it, while it may disturb the harmony of the party, create a family quarrel and division in our ranks." The "Enquirer's" allegiance to the Democratic party is higher than that it owes to either of the distinguished gentlemen mentioned by the "Virginian." Heartily approving the Administration, and determined to support it with all our ability and zeal, we deem it our duty, as far as we can, to guard it at every point, and