Richmond Dispatch.

FRIDAY MORNING..........FEB. 17, 1860.

☞ NORFOLK AND PORTSMOUTH AGENCY.—Persons desiring to subscribe to the DISPATCH, either in Norfolk or Portsmouth, can be supplied by leaving their orders with THOMAS O. WISE, Periodical and News Agent Norfolk.

Adjutant General Richardson.

In the remarks in the *Dispatch* yesterday morning, relative to this worthy officer, there was a material error, which we take the first opportunity to correct. It was stated in those remarks, that when the office was vacated by the resignation of General PEYTON, it was conferred upon General RICHARDSON, at a nominal salary, *at his suggestion*. The fact is, that General R. recommended that the office should be *abolished*. We will state the circumstances a little more particularly in justice to General R. In 1841 General PEYTON was appointed Postmaster, and resigned his office of Adjutant General, the salary of which was $500, and had been $1,500. General RICHARDSON, then Secretary of the Commonwealth and Librarian, recommended that it be abolished, offering himself to perform, gratuitously, the most material part of its duties at that time, viz: the making up of the annual consolidated returns of the militia. Governor GILMER and members of the Legislature, however, were of opinion that the office could not be abolished, and he and the most prominent among the members, proposed to confer it on General R., because of the military reputation he had acquired, and because the appointment would make him an ex-officio member of the Board of Visitors of the Virginia Military Institute, in which his services, it was thought, would be most valuable, as they certainly have been. General R. was accordingly appointed to the office with the nominal salary of $100. But he immediately made it laborious by attending to it with energy, and saving thousands to the State by exacting faithful reports touching arms distributed to different parts of the country. The Mexican war greatly increased his labors and his responsibilities. Fourteen companies were organized here—twelve of which were clothed here under supervision of the General; and the Regiment was sent to the field better clothed and equipped than any of the volunteer regiments that went to Mexico. The fitting out of the Regiment imposed upon him the most incessant labor for four months, giving him little time to rest. For four years past the duties of the office have been heavy, especially so in '58-'59, in reorganizing the militia; and the outbreak at Harper's Ferry added greatly to them. Now, for all this time the annual salary of $100 is all that the Adjutant General has received! Even had there been no increase of duties and no increase of pay, compared with the salary of the former officer, rendered proper, General RICHARDSON has saved the State $7,600. We cannot suppose that the Legislature can hesitate about the justice of compensating this faithful officer, at least for the services he is to render. Indeed, they might go back, and give him somewhat of the large sum he has saved to the State by his unrewarded labors. We hope the Legislature will take up and pass, at an early day, the bill increasing his salary, and thus do a thing that has been too long delayed.

Valentines.

We cannot let the occasion pass without expressing our feelings with regard to the abominable valentines which are gotten up, we believe, mainly in New York, and sent forth annually to deluge the country and deprave the tastes of young people and children. More abominable productions of art could hardly be put forth. There is not a spark of wit or true humor to relieve their coarseness and vulgarity. The pictures are extravagant and poor, and the inscriptions upon them are worthy of the pictures. Artists and poets must have been fished up by the wretched publishers from the lowest and filthiest haunts of the great metropolis. Yet these specimens of their genius are placed in the hands of the innocent children whose plastic minds receive impressions with the facility and truthfulness of the daguerreotype, and retain them longer than the metal plate. If they had any of the genius of the French prints, something of the art with which they are executed, even a trace of that exquisite cunning which conveys an idea so happily by the merest touch of the pencil, they could be tolerated—they would at least not degrade the taste of the young. It may be said that French prints often convey immoral sentiments. Very true. But it will be hard for them to exceed, in that respect, the abominable pictures to which we allude. It is due to French art and genius, however, to say that they do put forth works for the young which are unexceptionable, and which, for the appropriateness of their ideas and the cannie style in which they are developed, are without parallel in the productions of any country. If our artists would emulate the French, or even the English—for the London prints are as day to night, compared with the New York abominations—they would do what would at least entitle them to commendation. But they have struck out a line and a taste of their own, and worse could not be conceived. We are sorry to see them in the hands of our children. If the parent thinks we are making an unnecessary complaint about a small matter, we reply that education is not confined to going to school, and what is learned there. Every act of the child's life is a part of his education—every idea he receives, every example that is set before him—all he sees and hears—all, all comprise his education. Indeed, he learns more out of school that governs his future fate than he does in school. So it is well that care should be taken to improve, rather than deprave, his taste by what he sees.

Southern Manufacturing.

The numbers of schemes for establishing new manufactories in the South, and especially in and near this city, are quite remarkable. If but a small portion of them are successful, a great impulse will be given to manufacturing enterprise in the South. If this city is ever a very large one, it must be indebted for its magnitude to manufacturing—not only that class of enterprise which involve large capitals, but the smaller and more numerous which afford occupation to so many people and turn out fabrics which are in such general use. Therefore our citizens ought to encourage by every means manufacturing projects.—They should be encouraged and supported until they are fairly and permanently established. Philadelphia owes her present triumphant prosperity to manufacturing industry. Her foreign commerce was long ago taken from her by her more favored rival, New York—more favored by her incomparable advantages for the purposes of an immense commerce—yet Philadelphia has grown with a rapidity equal, it is believed, to New York.—When she lost her grand packet lines to Liverpool, her extensive China trade, and the bulk of her foreign commerce, she fell back upon the industry and ingenuity, the art and energy of her people. They did not fail her. And Philadelphia has, with these noble elements of wealth and greatness, moved forward with accelerated speed to her present position of opulence, that entitles her to rank among the noblest cities of the age. Such an example is worthy of emulation. Richmond sees how, by following it, she may extend her limits until all her seven hills will be densely packed with houses, and they shall become only the centre features of a great and powerful city. We have every element already that is wanted: water-power, coal, an abundance of raw material of convenient access, whether mineral, animal or vegetable; to which we may add, a salubrious locality, healthy, picturesque, well drained and well ventilated—and again, to all these, easy and rapid communication with the South and Southwest, the North and the East. Give us but enterprise and practical industry, and Richmond, indeed, must be a great city.

Withdrawing from Liberia.

The Maryland House of Delegates on Wednesday cut off from the Colonization Society the annual appropriation of $5,000 by a decided vote, and left only the clause of the Code giving [illegible] per capita for each free negro that may be taken from the State. This is another sign of the effects of the abolition crusade of the Northern fanatics.

The Franking Privilege.

The objection of a portion of those in the House of Representatives who opposed the Senate's amendment to the Post-Office Bill, abolishing the franking privilege, was that it was improperly placed on to that bill, and they could not consent to that mode of legislation. The Senate receded from its amendment, and has since passed a bill abolishing the privilege after the 15th of April next. Now, therefore, those persons who objected to the manner of the repeal by amendment of the Senate, have the opportunity of voting directly on the proposition presented fairly in an independent bill. But will they vote for it? We doubt it. We are inclined to agree with a gentleman who, in conversation on this subject a few days since, said that either body would pass a bill repealing the franking privilege, provided that body originated it; but that neither would pass it after it came from the other, both being determined that such a measure shall not become a law.—To break down a privilege which has become such a great engine for electioneering purposes, will be most difficult. Its day of doom is hardly yet come. It will have to become yet more unendurable, and its outrages even yet more flagrant, before its repeal can be forced through such a body as that of the House of Representatives.

Soldiers of the North and the South.

The seventh annual meeting of the New York Military Association was recently held in Albany. It was a very fine assemblage of officers. Among the gentlemen invited to be present and participate in the proceedings of the Convention, was Adjutant General WM. H. RICHARDSON. Being unable to attend, he wrote a letter, concluding with the following sentences:

"The appearance in this city on the occasion of the obsequies of President Monroe, of one of the finest bodies of the citizen soldiery of New York, has left a most favorable, and, I trust, lasting effect upon the volunteer corps of this city and State.

"May I not indulge the hope that we shall never meet but as brother soldiers, and as citizens of a great, harmonious and united country?"

Every patriot will heartily re-echo the sentiment quoted above. May the soldiers of the two sections never meet but as brothers! And if the matter rested with them—with the brave and true-hearted volunteers of the two sections, they never would meet in any other relation towards one another. It is from the unthinking masses of the North, inflamed into fanaticism by the SEWARDS, HALES, SHERMANS, GROWS, and the braggarts of the HICKMAN order, that the danger is to come that by possibility may bring into collision those nobler men of the North with the sons of the South. But we still hope that these plotters of their country's ruin may be overwhelmed by the public voice at the North, and all the evil they would bring with their triumph be avoided.

Death of Benjamin Rush Floyd.

The telegraph yesterday announced the sudden death, in Washington city, of BENJAMIN RUSH FLOYD, of Wythe county. He was a son of the late Governor FLOYD, and brother of the present Secretary of War. He has represented his county and Senatorial District in the House of Delegates and in the Virginia Senate, of which body he was a leading member the last session. He was one of the most gifted men of the State, as well as one of the most estimable of her citizens in private life. His death was remarkably sudden, and was a great shock to his family and friends.

The Legislature.

A bill was introduced in the Senate yesterday by Mr. AUGUST, allowing the Trustees of the Richmond Female Institute to raise money by a sale of preferred stock. A number of acts of incorporation were also passed, and by leave Dr. CLAIBORNE, of Petersburg, introduced a bill forbidding the entrance of free negro sailors into the port of City Point. Nothing of interest was done in the House, which adjourned at an early hour.

Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch

Political—The Town of Suffolk, &c.

SUFFOLK, VA., Feb. 14, 1860.

The Court for the county of Nansemond met here on yesterday. There was a large crowd of the sovereigns present, but no political meeting was held, and no declaration given in favor of either Wise or Hunter for the Presidency.

This is one of the prettiest and most pleasant villages in the State. Situated in the midst of corn hills, potatoe hills, and goober hills, of oyster banks, liver banks, with no money banks, and with a society of the best in the State, it is altogether one of the sweetest places your correspondent has ever visited. Two railroads—the Norfolk and Petersburg, and Seaboard and Roanoke—run through it. There are a half dozen hotels and several omnibuses. The Nansemond river is navigable up to this place for sloops and schooners of considerable size, which do a large business in the above-mentioned products, as well as in shingles, staves, rosin, &c., received per Dismal Swamp Canal, which terminates here—(by the way, can't you give it a puff?)—the whole imparting a life and activity to the place which is wanting in other Virginia villages.

There are four churches here, three of which are more than good looking—one Methodist, one Baptist, and one Episcopal, and one for the colored people. The Episcopal congregation have lately called a minister, and he entered upon his duties with flattering prospects on last Sunday. The Rev. R. O. Burton, P. E., of Petersburg district, preached in the Methodist church last night.

There are also a Masonic Hall, an Odd Fellows' Hall, and several schools for both girls and boys; and if the grown up children may be taken for specimens, the teachers in those schools are excellent.

Finally, for this time, there are lots of pretty, intelligent and rich girls down here. How the valentines will fly to-day. Of all the places beneath the skies to get a wife, Suffolk is the place. More anon from TODD.

Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.

Fatal Railroad Accident.

LYNCHBURG, VA., Feb. 16—4 A. M.

The train that met with the accident on the Virginia and Tennessee Railroad, as reported per telegraph last evening, has just arrived here with the passengers, leaving the mail and Express behind. The accident was caused by the falling of a large rock as the train was passing, which had the effect of throwing from the track three of the coaches, (mail, baggage and smoking cars,) two of which fell in the Holston river, the through baggage being literally "smashed." There was but one man killed, he being a colored brakeman, the property of a Miss Dejarnette, residing near your city. The following persons were injured:—Laughton, baggage agent, cut on side of the head, and back hurt; Chas. Stewart, liquor merchant, Baltimore, thought to have received severe internal injuries. The accident occurred just at a bridge, and on a bank 36 feet high. A Mr. Johnston, passenger, jumped from the cars and fell amongst the timbers of the bridge; also badly hurt and maimed about the legs.—Several others received slight injuries. Three corpses were on the train at the time of the occurrence, the coffins enclosing two of them being thrown with such violence as to burst them, etc. Mr. King, Express messenger, was smartly bruised, scratched, &c. Fortunately for those on board, the cars were running very slow at the time of the occurrence.

The cars are about to leave, and I close. O. K.

MR. BRIGHT AND THE FRENCH EMPEROR.—Mr. Bright, in his great Reform speech at Manchester, spoke very highly of Louis Napoleon. In that portion of his remarks which referred to the new commercial movement in France, Mr. B. said—"You find him propounding in a document which deserves to be written in letters of gold, a new commercial policy for France, and for the world. (Cheers.) And I, who have no regard for that which men call fame, venture to say that for centuries to come, if that policy be carried out by the Emperor of the French, *the blessed renown which will attach to his name, will eclipse all that sanguinary glory which encircles the founder of the dynasty to which he belongs.*"

THE PRESIDENCY.—The members of the American party in the Louisiana Legislature held a meeting on the 19th ult., and by a vote of 17 to 7 pledged themselves to unite with the democrats in sustaining the nominee of the Charleston Convention.

The Courier and Enquirer of New York city has pronounced in favor of Wm. H. Seward for President, and declares that should either Bell, Crittenden or Bates ask to become the standard bearer in the name of the Republican party, it must respectfully decline the honor to be conferred upon it.

DEATH OF A NAVY OFFICER.—Capt. Horace B. Sawyer, U. S. N., died in Washington on Tuesday, aged about sixty-five years. Capt. Sawyer entered the navy in the year 1812, and at the time of the celebrated action between the Cyane and the Levant, which occurred Feb. 20, 1815, was a midshipman on the Constitution. Commodore Stewart commanded the Constitution at that time; and himself and the present Commodore Shubrick are now the only surviving officers.

Richard Realf has left for Cleveland, via New York. He will commence a series of lectures on literary topics, giving the first at Cleveland.

State Democratic Convention.

NIGHT SESSION.

The President resumed the chair at quarter-past 8 o'clock P. M., and stated that Mr. Newman, of Mason, was entitled the floor. He said he understood that several members of the Legislature had received letters from their counties, distant from Richmond, in which meetings had not been held, requesting them to represent them on this floor. Time-honored usage demanded that they should be admitted to seats. He therefore called up the resolution in relation to that subject. The question of taking up was put, and the Convention refused to take up the resolution.

Mr. Newman then renewed the resolution in a similar form; but this was opposed in a point of order by Mr. Beale, of Westmoreland, and the President declined to entertain the resolution.

Mr. Chapman, of Monroe, appealed to the Convention to admit members of the Legislature, in accordance with Democratic usage.—They had been endorsed by their fellow-citizens, and some had letters requesting them to represent them here.

Mr. Beale asked, from whom those letters came?

Mr. Chapman.—From citizens of their counties, generally as numerous as the meetings which send delegates here. [Applause.] He asked to take up that resolution, and moved that the question be taken by a scale vote.—[Applause.]

The President.—I understand the proposition to be a motion to reconsider the vote just taken.

Mr. Gordon, of Albemarle, explained that it was a renewal of the motion of the gentleman from Mason, and the resolution was then read, as follows:

Resolved, That the Democratic members of the General Assembly, whose counties are not represented on this floor, be invited to participate in the deliberations of this Convention.

Mr. P. H. Aylett opposed the resolution in a forcible speech, which was frequently applauded.

Mr. Jackson, of Wood, moved to amend the resolution, by way of substitute, as follows:

Resolved, That any Democrat present, from any county which has no delegate on this floor, be invited to deliberate in the proceedings of this Convention.

This amendment was accepted by Mr. Newman.

Mr. Jackson proceeded to say that he was opposed to admitting members of the Legislature to represent counties not represented here, but was in favor of giving any Democrat a seat in this Convention. The question was, whether counties, not otherwise represented, should be represented by pure and undefiled Democrats. [Laughter.]

Mr. Beale raised a point of order. He thought the motion was to take a resolution from the table.

The President stated that it was an entirely new proposition.

Mr. Jackson.—I knew I was right—when my friend disagrees with me he is sure to be wrong. [Laughter.]

Mr. Beale replied that while he may have disagreed with Mr. Jackson, it was yet to be demonstrated that he was always wrong. [Laughter.]

A young gentleman here waved his hat and shouted "Hurrah for my country!"

The previous question was called by Mr. Isbell, but withdrawn.

Mr. Douglass, of King William, opposed the resolution. He argued that if the resolution were adopted there were counties represented in the Legislature by Whigs; and who would represent those counties here? He agreed with Mr. Chapman, that he would like to see every Democratic county represented; but when the resolution had been twice voted down by a decided vote, business would never progress, for it would be in the power of a defeated minority to renew the motion each day, and thus keep the Convention in session for days.

Mr. Newman addressed the Convention in advocacy of Mr. Chapman's motion, and said he would demand a scale vote.

Mr. Isbell also addressed the Convention.

Mr. McDowell, of Botetourt, moved the previous question, and Mr. Isbell demanded a scale vote.

A good deal of confusion followed. The question was finally propounded by the President—"Shall the main question be now put?" which was decided in the affirmative, and after some delay the Secretaries proceeded to call the vote by counties.

During the tedious progress of this call, persons in the room talked incessantly, and the President was compelled to call them to order.

The noise became so great that it was impossible for delegates to hear their names when called, and the President requested all who were not delegates to retire from the room, and asked the delegates to be seated.

When the roll was called through, Mr. Kemper, of Madison, offered a resolution, which was adopted, instructing the President to appoint a Sergeant-at-Arms and three Doorkeepers, to exclude from the floor of the Convention all persons who are not delegates.

On motion, the counties were again called over, and delegates who had not voted were permitted to do so.

Mr. N. Tyler stated that it would take five hours to count the vote.

Mr. Wm. L. Jackson moved that when the Convention adjourns, it adjourn to meet tomorrow, at 11 o'clock.

The question was put and carried in the affirmative.

Mr. Stovall called up the dispatch from Connecticut, and moved that a committee of five be appointed to prepare a suitable reply.

When the question was put, the Chair decided in the affirmative.

A division was called for, pending which,

On motion of Mr. Kemper, the Convention adjourned.

THE WIDOW OF CAPT. HARRISON.—Subscriptions are being received in Liverpool for the widow of Capt. Harrison. Up to the last advices the amount had reached £2,500, ($12,500.) Mr. Brassey, of the firm of Brassey, Peto & Co., gave £500, and "more if necessary."

FROM PORTO RICO.—The brig L. & W. Armstrong, A. F. Thompson, master, from Porto Rico, arrived in New London on Monday, with one hundred and fifty hhds. sugar, and one hundred and fifty hhds. molasses. This is the first arrival this season of new crop Porto Rico molasses and sugar.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—Miss Phœbe May, of Woodbury, Ct., was killed last week by falling down the cellar stairs. She lay all night on the cellar bottom, and, strange to say, was so far recovered as to go about her ordinary work—but died before night.

BALLOONING.—A successful ascension was made at Charleston on the 11th inst., by Mr. Lowe, the projector of the transatlantic aerial voyage recently noticed. The greatest altitude attained was 4,280.

Judge Bell, the Senator from the Chester and Delaware district, has introduced into the Pennsylvania State Senate a resolution inviting the members of the Virginia Legislature to visit Pennsylvania.

Gov. Packer, of Pennsylvania, lately sent in one package seventeen veto messages. They were all nearly unanimously sustained by the Legislature.

Grand Duchess Stephanie, of Baden, an adopted daughter of Napoleon I., and aunt to Napoleon III., died recently.

Thomas Jones has been found guilty of manslaughter at Augusta, Ga., and sentenced to 21 years in the penitentiary.

Dr. J. Singleton Sherrard, a promising physician, died at Winchester, Va., on the 13th instant. He had lately returned from Missouri.

Senator Douglas has been again dangerously ill. No less than five physicians were in attendance upon him on Tuesday.

The U. S. steamer Mystic, Capt. Le Roy, was at St. Helena January 4th, to sail next day for Loando, West coast of Africa.

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BLUE-EYES AND BATTLEWICK!

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Now being published in the SOUTHERN LITERARY MESSENGER.

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fe 17—2t*

☞ VISITORS TO THE CITY will find the largest and most elegant stock of FRENCH and AMERICAN CANDIES, FRUITS, NUTS, etc., at the ST. NICHOLAS SALOON, On Main street, next to the Exchange Bank, ever offered to the public, and at prices to suit all.

This beautiful saloon has been handsomely refitted within a short time past, and the proprietor has made such arrangements as will enable him to supply all orders from dealers or families, with whatever may be needed in his line. He employs only the BEST WORKMEN, uses the purest materials, and manufactures and imports everything to be had in the largest wholesale establishments of the North. All who wish to make purchases will find it to their interest to call upon him.

The REFRESHMENT ROOM of this Saloon is particularly inviting to the epicure, as he can there obtain all the edibles of the season, served in the best manner. And the CREAMS and JELLIES to be found there are equalled nowhere else. Strangers should not leave the city without calling at the St. Nicholas Saloon. fe 16—2t

RICHMOND THEATRE.—

BEST BILL YET.

BENEFIT of W. T. JOHNSON

To-Night.

Three Capital Pieces — Strongly Cast.

A Thrilling Drama. BROKEN SWORD.

VILLAGE LAWYER. A Funny Interlude.

An Ethiopian Farce. JUMBO JUM.

JOHNSON as PATLO.

JOHNSON as SHEEPFACE.

JOHNSON as JUMBO JUM.

Who informs everybody that this is the night that either makes him, or undoes him quite.

MARRIED,

On the 14th day of February, 1860, by the Rev. Robert Burton, Miss MARY BARDEN, in the 19th year of her age, to Mr. GILES BREWER, in his 27th year, all of the county of Charlotte.

DIED,

In Goochland county, Va., February 7th, Mrs. ELIZABETH LOWRY, aged 85 years. She was for many years a member of the Baptist Church.—She leaves a large number of relatives and friends to mourn their irreparable loss.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF RICHMOND, FEBRUARY 16.

High Water this day (Friday) 1 *o'clock.*

ARRIVED,

Schr. S. G. King, Andrews, Philadelphia, mdze., W. D. Colquitt & Co.

Schr. O. H. Talley, Creighton, Baltimore, mdze., W. D. Colquitt & Co.

Schr. Geo. W. Grice, Palmer, Charleston, lumber, S. C. Robinson.

Schr. St. Cloud, Gwathmey, Smithfield, wheat and corn, Captain.

Schr. Anacosta, McTowns, Baltimore, mdze., to Captain.

SAILED,

Schr. Haxall, Winters, N. Y., mdze., D. & W. Currie.

HOLYHEAD, (ENG.) Jan. 29.—Arrived, ship H. T. Vannard, Wyman, from Liverpool, for Cadiff and City Point.

ORPHANS' FAIR.—The Ladies of St. Peter's Congregation invite their friends and the friends of St. Joseph's Asylum, to come to their FAIR, at Mechanics' Institute Hall, 9th street, where they have numerous beautiful and useful articles for sale, and Refreshment Tables presenting most of the substantials and delicacies of the season.

The Fair will be kept open every day and evening of the week. Remember the Orphans.

fe 7—ts

SHOCKOE HILL GENERAL AGENCY.

G. W. H. TYLER,

Office on Marshall, Between Sixth and Seventh Streets,

Continues to RENT OUT HOUSES, HIRE OUT NEGROES, SELL REAL ESTATE, SELL NEGROES, and act as a GENERAL AGENT. He returns his thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed upon him for two years past. au 31—6m

RICHMOND COMMANDERY, No. 2, K. T.

You will assemble in your Asylum in Masons' Hall, THIS EVENING, Friday, 17th instant, at 7 o'clock P. M. Business of importance requiring the punctual attendance of the Sir Knights will be brought forward.

By order of the E. Commander.

WM. ALLEN, Capt. Gen'l.

WM. J. RIDDICK, Recorder. fe 17—1t

COMPANIONS—Attend a stated Convocation of Lafayette Royal Arch Chapter, No. 43, at your Chapter room, in Bosher's Hall, this (FRIDAY) evening at 6½ o'clk. Members of our sister Chapters, and transient companions in good standing, are invited to visit us. By order of the M. E. H. P.

fe 17—1t H. W. LUBBUCK, Sec'y.

FOR RENT OR SALE—A commodious TENEMENT, in a good and quiet neighborhood on Shockoe Hill, convenient to Broad street, to the New Market, and to various churches, and within ten minutes' walk of the Capitol. The building has eight rooms, with fire-places on the first and second floors; several rooms in the attic, and four or five cellar rooms, three with fire-places. Gas in seven rooms and in the lower and upper passage, and hydrant water in the yard.

The lot contains a good garden spot and a large back-yard, in which are a kitchen-house, with four rooms, and a brick smoke-house.

The above property, with some alterations and additions, might be easily adapted to the purposes of a Boarding School or Orphan Asylum, or of some institution requiring convenience of location and considerable extent of space.

Possession may be had on or before the 1st of April. Inquire at this office. fe 17—1aw3t*

FOR RENT.—A HOUSE on Grace, between 2d and 3d streets, with three rooms, suitable for a small family. For terms, apply to WM. S. PHILLIPS,

fe 17—6t On 12th, between Main and Bank sts.

ORNAMENTAL TREES.—300 SILVER MAPLES, three years old, straight, smooth, and free of knots. They will make beautiful shade trees. Are warranted to grow, if properly planed. Price $1 each, delivered in the city.

P. JOHNSTON & BRO.,

fe 17—ts 115 Main street.

NOTICE.—The subscriber most respectfully informs the citizens of Richmond and its vicinity, that he has for sale at the stables of Messrs. DAVIS & HUTCHESON, on Franklin street, from 18 to 20 fine MORGAN HORSES, consisting of superior family riding and harness Horses, which are offered to the trade upon the most favorable terms. J. W. BANKS.

P. S.—I shall remain in Richmond for a few days, then go to Norfolk, and from thence to Elizabeth City, N. C. [fe 17—5t*] J. W. B.

THOROUGHBRED STALLION FOR SALE.—We have for sale, at our stables, the beautiful thoroughbred Stallion BROWN STOUT, five years old this spring. He is a beautiful brown, fifteen and a half hands high, and his form is equal to any horse to be found. His pedigree can be seen at our stables. He will be sold low. [fe 17—1w] DAVIS & HUTCHESON.

FOR SALE.—Three excellent MILCH COWS, perfectly gentle, give three quarts to a gallon of milk daily.

AXTON G. OSTERBIND,

fe 17—1w* Belvidere st., Oregon Hill.

ATTENTION, FAYETTE ARTILLERY.—Attend a Meeting and Drill of your Company at the Law Building THIS EVENING, February 17th, at 7½ o'clock. Members will be punctual.

By order Capt. CABELL.

fe 17—1t M. C. MACON, 1st Serg't.

HEADQ'RS CO. K 1st REG. VA VOLS., RICHMOND, Feb. 17, 1860.

General Order.

This command will assemble for Drill, at the State Armory, on SATURDAY EVENING, the 18th inst., at 7½ o'clock.

Members will bring in their Cross Belts and Plates, to have them fixed for service, and come prepared to pay for and receive their Pants.

Members will call on Messrs. Kent, Paine & Co. and procure their Grey Shirts.

All the members of the corps are required to be present, as this is the last drill prior to the parade on Tuesday evening, the 21st inst.

By order of Capt. DIMMOCK.

fe 17—2t* D. T. CARTER, O. S.

HDQ'S CO. G, 1st REG'T VA. VOLS., Richmond, Feb. 17, 1860.

The members of this Command will assemble at their Armory, for Company Drill, on this (FRIDAY) evening, at 7½ o'clock punctually, in full uniform and undress caps.

Those members whose uniforms are not ready will appear with cross belts.

Sergeants will summon their squads in compliance with the above orders.

By order of the Captain.

fe 17—1t* S. J. TUCKER, 1st Serg't.

HEADQ'RS F CO., 1st REG. VOLS., RICHMOND, February 16, 1860.

Order No. 9.

A special meeting of this Command will be held at Corinthian Hall on SATURDAY, the 18th inst., at 7½ o'clock P. M. As important business will be brought before the Company, it is desirable that a full attendance should be had.

By order of the Captain.

fe 17—2t HARVEY A. DUDLEY, 1st Sergt.

ARMORY YOUNG GUARD, RICHMOND, Feb. 17, 1860.

Special Order.

This Command will assemble this (FRIDAY) evening, at 7 o'clock, for Business and Drill, with MINNIE MUSKETS, cross and waist belts, and fatigue caps.

All who are entitled to ADDITIONAL PAY will attend this evening.

By order of Capt. JOHN S. RADY.

fe 17—1t* T. J. MINOR, 2d Serg't.

HEADQ'RS CO. I, 1st REG. VA. VOLS., RICHMOND, Feb. 17, 1860.

Order No. 7.

Assemble at Schad's Hall This (FRIDAY) Evening, 17th inst., at 7½ o'clock, for instruction. By order of Capt. BAYLY.

fe 17—1t* V. L. FORE, 1st Serg't.

GRAYS, ATTENTION.—Attend a regular company Drill and Special Meeting, in overcoats and undress caps, at Military Hall, on FRIDAY NIGHT next, at 7½ o'clock. Members of the company who served at Charlestown will be paid off at this drill.

By order of Capt. ELLIOTT.

fe 16—2t E. W. BRANCH, 1st Serg't.

HEADQ'RS 1st REG'T VA. VOLS., RICHMOND, Feb. 13th, 1860.

Orders No. —

The Field, Staff, Commission and Non-Commissioned Officers of this Regiment will assemble at Military Hall, on the evenings of THURSDAY and FRIDAY, the 16th and 17th instants, at 8 o'clock, for instruction. By order.

fe 14—4t WM. MUNFORD, Adjutant.

ARMORY GOVERNOR'S GUARD, February 16, 1860.

ORDER No. 8.

Attend a meeting at your Armory on FRIDAY, the 17th inst., at 7½ o'clock P. M. Every member is earnestly requested to be present, as business of much importance is to be transacted.

By order of Capt. ANDERSON.

fe 16—2t R. B. KENNON, 1st Serg't.

ATTENTION, HENRICO LIGHT DRAGOONS.—Parade in citizens' dress, with side-arms, for drill and business, on FRIDAY, the 17th inst., at 2 o'clock, P. M., at the Westham House, in Sydney.

By order of the Captain.

fe 15—td R. J. A. SMITH, O. S.

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O. F. Bresee, Secretary. fe 17—1m

NO. 29.—FOR ONE MONTH ONLY.—29.

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Contemplating making a change in my business, and in order to make room for an entire NEW SPRING STOCK, I have determined to sell the remainder of my stock on hand at a small advance for CASH, and many articles without regard to cost. All who want cheap Goods will please call and see for themselves at 29 Main street.

fe 17—1m JNO. L. SMITHERS.

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ja 23—1m

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ja 13—3m JAMES L. PORTER, Trea'r.

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☞ Kidney and Bladder Complaints.—The newest and most important discovery for Kidney, Bladder Complaints, Urinary Obstructions, Leucorrhœa or Whites, Sexual Weaknesses, Physical Prostration and Debility of either sex, is HARTSHORNE'S BUCHU COMPOUND.

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LOST—On Sunday night, between the Second Baptist church and corner of 8th and Main streets, a small BREASTPIN, containing the likeness of an infant. As it is much prized by the owner, a liberal reward will be paid for it if left at this office or at the office of

GEO. B. STEEL, Dentist,

fe 17—1t* Corner 8th and Main streets.

LOST—On Wednesday morning, somewhere on Main street, perhaps near the Post Office, a BOWIE KNIFE. The person who picked it up will confer a favor by leaving it at the Dispatch office, where it will be described. fe 17—1t*

IN FURNISHING MACHINES for a Manufactory, in a short time, I can make use of a few SECOND-HAND WHEELER & WILSON SEWING MACHINES.

I will also buy a few good MACHINES of other STANDARD VARIETIES, if sold cheap.

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250 BUS. PRIME VIRGINIA CLOVER SEED; Virginia Bacon and Lard; roll and packed Butter; a large lot of Extra and Family Flour, of choice brands, including the celebrated Botetourt Mills, believed to be superior to any other flour in the market. For sale by

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PURE IMPORTED PORT WINE—Three years old, in bottles and on draught; pure French Brandy and old Whiskey; fresh Green Teas; Crushed and Coffee Sugars; Smoked Beef; Smoked Beef Tongues; Hams, Pickles and Jole Bacon. For sale by C. [illegible]

fe 17—6t Corner [illegible] and Main streets.

NOTICE.—[illegible]

fe 17—3t [illegible] GARDNER.

FOR SALE.—A CRACKER MACHINE, in good order. Apply to [illegible]

fe 16—1m [illegible] Main street.

WANTS.

WANTED—A young man who has had three years experience in the business, wishes a situation in a WHOLESALE GROCERY and COMMISSION HOUSE. Comes well recommended from his last employer. Apply at this office.

fe 17—3t

WANTED—Two STONE CUTTERS and two QUARRYMEN wanted, to which will be paid the Richmond rate of wages. Apply to, or address,

McQUEEN & UREN,

fe 17—2t* Yanceyville, Caswell county, N. C.

WANTED—Two or three MEN to make [illegible].

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fe 17—3t*

WANTED—Two or three good BRICKLAYERS who also understand plain plastering.

FOR SALE—300,000 to 400,000 good, well burnt RED BRICKS. Apply to

fe 16—3t* S. D. ATKINSON, Manchester.

WANTED.—We wish to employ a good OPERATOR on sewing machines—one accustomed to work on shirts with Wheeler & Wilson's machine. To work in our house.

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WANTED—RICHMOND CITY STOCK, for which the highest market price will be paid.

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WANTED—Six MILLINERS, at MADAME FAUCHE'S,

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WANTED—To know who wants to buy a first-rate Double Soled Baltimore made BROGAN for $1, (either specie or currency—not at all proud,) usually sold at $1 75. There are only 500 pairs, therefore please call soon and procure them. We have also received 100 pairs more of the English Lasting GAITERS at 75 cents. Ladies, lose no time in calling, for "there is a time in the tide of all human events, which taken"—but not without the money; for we do a cash business entirely, and hope to make, not a fortune, but a living; but what is the use of sighing?—for "there's a good time coming," and e'er long many a heart will feel—"Carry me back to old Virginny"—Virginia is my home; for "now is the winter of our discontent," made glorious by the sons of Southern industry, and Virginia is herself again. Ladies, patronize the SOUTHERN BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTORY, 235 Broad street, Downey's buildings; for

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fe 14—1w THOMAS & FISHER.

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WANTED—Any number of DRY HIDES—for which the highest price will be paid in CASH, by O. H. CHALKLEY,

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ja 17—d1mcw3m

WANTED.—A PROFESSIONAL GENTLEMAN, (Harp, Piano, Guitar, Singing, &c.,) wishes to obtain board in some respectable private family, where his services for musical instruction would balance part of board. Address "C. T. D.," at this office. fe 14—1w*

WANTED.—I wish to hire a good WASHER and IRONER, without incumbrance. Apply to Dr. SAM'L A. PATTESON.

fe 14—1w* Manchester.

WANTED—TO HIRE OR PURCHASE—A No. 1 DINING-ROOM and HOUSE SERVANT.

fe 14—6t LEWIS D. CRENSHAW.

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WANTED—25 to 30 WOOD-CUTTERS, to cut cord wood near the city

ja 26—ts GEO. WATT & CO.

WANTED—Fifteen able Negro MEN, from country service, to work underground at the CARBON HILL MINES. No accident of serious consequence to a single laborer has occurred in these Mines for seven years; and a large advance over surface hires will be paid for good men. Factory hands will not be employed on any terms. Apply to Mr. RICH'D REINS, at the Coal yard, corner 10th and Cary sts., or at the Mines.

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de 28—6m JAMES KNOTTS.

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Two good DINING-ROOM MEN;
One DITCHER;
Common LABORERS;
A plain COOK;
One HOUSE WOMAN;
Several good DRIVERS and OSTLERS.

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One BOATMAN.
One SHOE-MAKER, middle age.
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The YOUNG GUARD feel assured, from past prestige to their entertainments, that they will be patronized to as great an extent, thereby enabling them to make this the GRANDEST BALL of the season.

A fine COTILLON BAND has been engaged.

SUPPER will be furnished by an experienced caterer.

☞ TICKETS—admitting a gentleman and two ladies—$2.50, supper included.

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COMMITTEE OF RECEPTION—Blue Rosette.

fe 11—td

ASTONISHING TO ALL.—MADAME RUSSELL, the celebrated Astrologist, is now in the city, and will remain a few days longer.—She was born with a natural gift to tell all the events of life—even your very thoughts—will tell whether you are married or single, and how many times you are to be married; will cause speedy marriage. She has astonished thousands with her magic power. No gentleman admitted. Mrs. EDDINS' Boarding-House, 13th or Governor street, between Main and Franklin streets. no 3—3m*

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SUNDAY SCHOOL MUSIC.—Sabbath Bell; Plymouth Collection; Sabbath School Music; Anniversary Hymns and Music, &c.

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HOUSEHOLD LIBRARY.—Lives of Columbus, Pitt, Burns, Joan of Arc, &c., &c., 50c. each; Dickens' Child's England, 62c.; Live and Let Live, 50c.; Rich Poor Man and Poor Rich Man, 50c.; Evenings at Home, 75c.; Robinson Crusoe, 50c.; Praise and Principle, 37c.; Conquest and Self-Conquest, 37c.; Abbott's Young Christian, $1; Way to do Good, $1; Hoary Head and McDonner, $1; Corner-Stone, $1; Abbott's Histories—Nero, Cæsar, Peter the Great, Marie Antoinette, Josephine, &c.—62 cts. each; Dr. Aiken's Juvenile Budget Opened and Re-opened, each 37c.; Uncle Philip's History of Virginia, 37c.; Child's Friend, 30c.; Reading Without Tears, 50c.; Bonner's U. S. $1; Greece, $1; Rome, $1; Abbott's Learning to Talk, 50c.; Learning to Think, 50c.; Learning to Read, 50c.; Learning About Common Things, 50c.; Hooker's Book of Nature, $1.25; Self-Made Men, $1.25; Good Fight, and other Tales, 75c.; Harry's Ladder to Learning, 50c.; Self-Help, 75c.; Children's Library, 50 vols., $2.50; Songs for Little Ones at Home, 35c.; Annals of the Poor, 30c.; Springtime of Life, 30c.; Peep of Day, 25c.; Live Upon Live, 25c.; Precept Upon Precept, 25c.; Youth's Book of Natural Theology, 25c.; Youth's Bible Studies, 4 vols., $1.50; First Footsteps in the Way of Knowledge, 25c.; Morning Star, 30c.; Easy Lessons for the Little Ones at Home, 30c.; Scripture Arrivals, 20c.; Trees, Fruits and Flowers, 20c.; Shepherd of Salisbury Plain, 15c., a variety of Illustrated Story Books, at 15 and 20c.; Children's Tracts and Cards, 25c. a package. fe 15—3t

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fe 16—6t

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fe 16—10t

NOTICE.—All persons holding claims against the estate of Mrs. TEMPY FERGUSON, dec'd, will present them, properly authenticated, for settlement; and all persons indebted to the estate are required to come forward and settle their accounts without delay, as further indulgence cannot be given. ERASMUS POWELL,

fe 16—2w* Adm'r of Tempy Ferguson, dec'd.

$50 REWARD.—On Monday evening, just before the departure of the Northern cars, a youth was knocked down by a negro man on 7th street, between Main and Franklin. The above reward will be paid for the arrest and conviction of the negro. Apply at this office. fe 15—3t*

POTATOES.—300 bushels fine RED MERCER POTATOES just received per schr. L. C. H. Finney, now lying at the head of the Dock, opposite Edmond, Davenport & Co.'s store, for sale by J. H. WYATT.

fe 16—3t*

CLOVER SEED.—40 bbls. prime CLOVER SEED, for sale by BROWN & McCLELLAND, Basin Bank.

fe 14—2w

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