Richmond Dispatch.

MONDAY.....FEBRUARY 18, 1878.

John K. Gilliat & Co.'s Circular as to Tobacco

LONDON, February 1, 1878.

Editors Dispatch: Nothing has occurred to cause any change in the situation of our tobacco market during the past month. Prices are not quotably lower, and for the better qualities of stripts holders are not disposed to make further concessions at present; but for low grades and nondescripts they are open, we think, to very moderate offers. The trade have shown no disposition to increase their stock beyond actual requirements, and, with the exception of one considerable parcel of above 100 hogsheads good Henderson stripts sold on the basis of late business, we know of no transactions in western stripts worthy of special notice. A few lots of Virginia strips found buyers, but prices have not transpired.

Of the darker sorts of western leaf there is not much stock here, and certainly very little demand for it, whether Kentucky or Missouri. The bright Kentucky-river leaf seems to have lost its popularity with our manufacturers; at any rate, we can find no buyers for it. We think it is not so much a question of price as unfavorable experience of its working which stops sales. Of the bright stripts made from this tobacco, there are but few in this market, and no sales lately reported.

Advices we receive of the quality of the American crop are not very encouraging, and all point to the necessity of keeping cost low and of great care in preparing tobacco for our markets. We fear anxiety to handle large quantities may result in careless management and in trouble and disappointment to both shippers and consignees.

Quotations.—Virginia Leaf: Common to middling, 4 to 5½d. ℔ b.; fair to good and fine, 6 to 7½d. ℔ b.; bright fancy, 8 to 11d. ℔ b. Stemmed: Common to middling, 5½ to 7½d. ℔ b.; good to fine, 8 to 10d. ℔ b.

Western Leaf: Ordinary to middling exports, 3 to 5d. ℔ b.; good to fine exports, 6 to 7½d. ℔ b.; sound dry common to fair cutting, 4 to 6d. ℔ b.; good to fine and bright color, 6½, 8½, and 9½d. Stemmed: Common to medium, 5 to 7½d. ℔ b.; good to fine parcels, 8 to 9d. ℔ b.; bright Kentuky river, 9 to 10d. ℔ b.

Maryland and Ohio: 5, 8½, and 9½d. ℔ b. Negrohead and Cavendish: 6, 12, and 18d. ℔ b.

JOHN K. GILLIAT & CO.

Flour Trade with Brazil.

From a Rio letter in the Philadelphia *Bulletin* we learn:

"There are no flour mills in the Empire [of Brazil], as not enough wheat is grown to keep the smallest size running for a month.

Flour of only the best brands sells in Rio or commands a market in Brazil, and it must be made from southern wheat, or winter, grown in the southern part of Indiana, Illinois, and Missouri. The flour made from wheat grown farther to the north spoils very quickly in tropical climates. Twenty years ago Trieste, Austria, enjoyed an almost unrestricted monopoly in this trade. But the Gallego Mills, of Richmond, and the Baltimore millers have turned the balance of trade to the States.

There are no large biscuit-, cake-, or cracker-bakeries here. Messrs. Bagley & Co., of Buenos Ayres, some time ago started a bakery on a large scale, but failed—owing, they say, to climatic influence, the product souring in a short time. The bread as made here is unexcelled in any part of the United States or Europe.

The Baltimore and Richmond merchants ship their flour against return cargoes of coffee, and it is a beautiful sight to witness the departure of a fleet of those world-famed vessels known as Baltimore Clippers. By making this exchange they avoid the trouble and expense attendant upon drawing bills on or through London.

Brazil imported last year 440,000 barrels of flour. Of the importation—

	Barrels.
Baltimore shipped	210,467
Richmond shipped	126,007
Montevideo shipped	40,295
Interior	16,342
Trieste	18,060
Pacific	9,382
	420,553

(By "Interior" is meant the towns on the river Platte, and by "Pacific" is meant Chili.)

The extreme range of prices of all grades was—

	1876.	1875.
Baltimore	13$000a20$000	14$500a19$000
Richmond	14$000a23$500	14$500a20$000
Interior	12$500a17$500	13$000a19$000
New York	———	14$000a18$000
Trieste	17$000a24$000	16$600a23$000
Chili	10$000a15$000	13$000a14$000
Australia	———	——a14$000
Montevideo	10$000a17$000	———

[In dollars, a little over half the above prices.]

A LOADED STICK IN A WOOD-PILE.—The Sandusky (Ohio) *Register* says: "A gentleman from Bellevue gave us the particulars of an affair that occurred in the Congregational church at that place last Sunday, and which created a most decided sensation. Bellevue has become famous as a place where almost every man who owns a wood-pile leads half a dozen innocent-looking sticks with gunpowder, and then waits patiently to see what effect the powder will have on his neighbors' stoves. The sexton of the Congregational Society had built up a rousing fire that Sunday morning, the congregation had all been seated, and the minister was getting warmed up to his work, when, right in the most solemn and impressive portion of the sermon, there was an appalling crash, the air was filled with pieces of stove and stove-pipe, fire, ashes, and the screams of men, women, and children. There was a stampede in less time than it takes to tell it, but fortunately no one was hurt. Finally, however, the cause of the trouble was discovered and quiet was restored. Some one had undoubtedly put up a job on the sexton by putting a loaded stick into the wood-pile.

QUITE THE CORRECT THING.—[Scene, Clapham Common.] Anglican Priest: "We had not the pleasure of seeing your ladyship at church on Sunday?" Lady Blank: "Er—no—I was not present, but—I left my card with the church-warden!"—*Funny Folks.*

Some day an enterprising dramatist will construct a play in twenty-six acts, giving the spectator a chance to go out and get twenty-five drinks, and it will run for 10,000 nights and make his fortune. Thus knowingly predicts a contemporary; and while the dramatist is about it he should construct the last act so the play would end about fifteen or twenty minutes before it was finished, for the benefit of the large class who cannot wait for the curtain to drop on the last act.—*Norristown Herald.*

Official returns from the Greek army of invasions show that the casualties of the late campaign were: Killed, 0; wounded, 1; taken prisoners, 2; total, 3. The wounded man got a black eye from a tramp whose boots he fell in love with, and the prisoners are held captive by an Epirus granger until they pay him two drachmas for a turkey they hypothecated.—*New York Commercial Advertiser.*

"Do you think, William," said Mrs. Brown to her husband the other night, "that the telephone will ever be as generally used as the telegraph." "Why, yes," replied Brown; "the time is coming when it will be as common to telephone as it seems now to tell—a fib."

A father lately induced a croupy little boy to make a healthy meal of buckwheat cakes and molasses—but the latter proved to be syrup of squills. The boy said he thought something ailed the molasses the very minute his father told him to eat all he wanted.

In a recent lecture Mr. George Francis Train said: "It was my misfortune to be born in Boston. I apologize to Boston for it. A meaner place I never knew. It was founded by a miserable lot of pilgrims, kicked out of England into Holland, and then paid to keep away from Manhattan Island."

The denizens of the oil regions live on the fat of the land.—*Turner's Falls Reporter.*

A SHOWER OF POEMS.

[Published by request.]

The Conquered Banner,

BY "MOINA."

Furl that banner, for 'tis weary;
Round its staff 'tis drooping dreary;
Furl it, fold it, it is best;
For there's not a man to wave it,
And there's not a sword to save it,
And there's not one left to love it
In the blood that heroes gave it,
And its foes now scorn and brave it;
Furl it, hide it—let it rest.

Take that banner down, 'tis tattered;
Broken is its staff and shattered,
And the valiant hosts are scattered
Over whom it floated high.
Oh, 'tis hard for us to fold it,
Hard to think there's none to hold it,
Hard that those that once unrolled it
Now must furl it with a sigh.

Furl that banner, furl it sadly,
Once ten thousands hailed it gladly,
And ten thousands wildly, madly
Swore it would forever wave—
Swore that foeman's sword could never
Hearts like theirs entwined dissever
Till that flag would float forever
O'er their freedom or their grave.

Furl it, for the hands that grasped it
And the hearts that fondly clasped it,
Cold and dead, are lying low.
And the banner, it is trailing,
While around it sounds the wailing
Of its people in their woe.
For, though conquered, they adore it.
Love the cold, dead hands that bore it,
Weep for those who fell before it,
Pardon those who trailed and tore it,
And oh, wildly they deplore it,
Now to furl and fold it so.

Furl that banner—true 'tis gory,
Yet 'tis wreathed around with glory,
And 'twill live in song and story,
Though its folds are in the dust;
For its fame on brightest pages,
Penned by poets and by sages,
Shall go sounding down the ages,
Furl its folds though now we must.

Furl that banner—softly, slowly;
Treat it gently—it is holy,
For it droops above the dead;
Touch it not—unfold it never,
Let it droop there, furled forever,
For its people's hopes are dead.

[Published by request.]

Fold It Up Carefully.

Gallant nation, foiled by numbers,
Say one that your bones are fled:
Keep that glorious flag which slumbers
One day to avenge your dead.
Keep it widowed, son'less mother;
Keep it sister—mourning brother;
Furl it with an iron will;
Furl it now, but—keep it still.
Keep it till your children take it,
Once again to hail and make it
All their sires have bled and fought for—
All their noble hearts have sought for.

Bled and fought for all alone,
All alone I aye, shame the story;
Millions here deplore the slain;
Shame, alas! for England's glory,
Freedom called, and called in vain.
Furl that banner sadly, slowly;
Treat it gently, for 'tis holy;
Till that day—yes, furl it sadly,
Then once more unfurl it gladly;
Conquered banner—keep it still.

[For the Dispatch.]

Long Ago.

BY W. N. O.

Oft when dreamy slumber comes,
Comes to close the weary eyes,
Far away my spirit flies,
Seeking days of "Long ago."
Flying swift on dreamy wings
O'er the fields and meadows green,
Where I chased the humming-bird
In the rosy morn of life.
Softly steals to old Ash-camp,
Where it wanders through the mead;
Where the rippling waters roll,
Murmuring o'er the craggy rocks.
There I see a little maid
Standing by the river side;
Standing by a leaning rock,
Fishing in the rolling tide.
Soon I'm standing by her side,
Holding fast her lily hand;
While the roses seem to play
Hide and seek upon her cheek.
So I linger all the morn,
Linger near this pretty lass,
Building castles frail but fair
In the balmy summer air.
Soon the merry morning light
Laughs away the surly night,
Chasing home the dreamy soul,
Wand'ring in the murky past.
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Many years have come and gone,
Since I saw you, ———,
Standing where the laughing stream
Ripples 'neath the hanging rock.
Days will come and years will go,
Old Ash-camp will cease to flow,
Flying Time will weary grow;
But I'll never cease to love,
Or forget the pretty lass,
Standing by the river side,
Fishing in the rolling tide.

Editors Dispatch: Will you kindly devote one little corner of your paper (semi-weekly) to the following original composition, if it has merit?

"His Grave."

Oh! it is such a dreary, gloomy night,
The rain comes down with ceaseless, saddening fall;
The moaning blast sweeps by with rushing sound,
And oh! poor child, he is out in it all.
What though I'm sitting by a cheerful fire,
My thoughts will wander forth into the night
To that long, narrow, newly heaped-up grave;
I cannot hide it from my aching sight.

Ah, look there, there, just see how plain it is;
The bleak, grey sky seems bending down to cover
It from my sight: perhaps it weeps for him.
For it sheds tears as it is bending over.
My friends and reason tell me he is there,
Yes, buried there, with that earth on his breast.
What! his young, bounding pulses, active form,
His loving heart beneath those sods at rest?

What, dead? Ah no! I cannot think it so.
If he is there, in truth he's but asleep,
And One who woke young Lazarus from his dream
O'er my loved boy will faithful watchings keep.
Take comfort, weary, aching, throbbing heart,
Just think how soon you'll see your boy again;
Take comfort, for he's sweetly sleeping now,
He heeds not moaning blast or falling rain.

"A. Y. R."

[For the Dispatch.]

Christmas Musings.

Old Christmas has come, but all *joy* now seems gone,
For his harp is vibrating with sorrow's sad tone;
And a low note keeps soundling a knell in my ear,
As I miss from the hearth-stone those absent ones dear.
Some dwell among alleas as exiles from home,
Away from all genial ties, seldom they come;
And some, too, are sleeping beneath the green sod;
But their pure happy spirits are resting with God.
How vividly now I remember the year,
When time's chariot-wheels rolled on without fear,
When life seemed all pastime—one gala-day bright,
And hope crowned each day with a halo of light.
Where now are the friends who once shared in our joy,
And joined in our pleasures so free from alloy?
Those loved ones so near to my heart are all gone,
My dearest companions have left me alone;
So Christmas no longer comes back as a feast,
Though its memory is fraught with enjoyment at least,
And the loved circle broken and scattered away,
May still be united at some future day.
While Christmas may yet be a feast to the soul,
As a voice within whispers, There is a bright goal
Where joy is immortal and *love cannot die*,
To secure us this boon Jesus came from the sky.
With the manger and cross as the theme of our song,
Even and Christmas-time will pass sweetly along;
For the light of those other years buried away
Will seem but as darkness by heavenly day.

December 25, 1877.

[For the Dispatch.]

He's Dead.

He's dead; the sun shines bright;
What care I now?
It cannot pierce his dark, cold grave,
Nor warm his marble brow.

He's dead! What care I now
How sweet the wild birds sing?
To one poor lonely aching heart
There comes no spring.

He's dead! What matters it
How brightly shines the moon
Or all the lustrous burning stars?
My sun went down at noon.

He lives! Ah, so shall I;
Songs to us shall be given;
We'll need no sun; and oh, blessed thought,
There's always spring in Heaven.

FEBRUARY 16, 1878.

Editors Dispatch: In reply to a question in your *Dispatch* concerning a printed in to-day's "a city minister," the quotation used by [illegible] found in "Percival's original will be [illegible]: Poems," and reads th[illegible] "I saw on the top of a mo[illegible] mountain's height by night;
A light that shone like fire [illegible] it soon,
I climbed the cliff and found [illegible] moon."
A lump of ice in the clear, co[illegible]

LOST, STRAYED, AND FOUND.

LOST, OUT OF MY BUGGY, [illegible] TUESDAY MORNING, as I drove down Broad street from Tenth to Eighteenth, a SMALL ROLL OF WATER-COLOR SKETCHES (smoking tobacco). The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving them at the *Dispatch* office. J. E. NEISWANGER. fe 16-3t

$25 REWARD.—LOST, on Friday, February 15th, a DIAMOND RING, on Franklin or Fourteenth street, between Capitol Hotel and Exchange Hotel. It contained nine diamonds. A reward of $25 will be paid for its return to this office. fe 16-2t*

BANKS AND BANKERS.

CITIZENS BANK OF RICHMOND.

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....$100,000
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E. B. SNEAD, Cashier.

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Interest on all deposits to commence ten days after date of deposit.
Bank open every day from 9 o'clock A. M. till 3 o'clock P. M., and on Saturday from 4 P. M. till 8 P. M. fe 28-eod

AUCTION SALES—This Day.

By R. S. Anderson & Son,
General Commission Merchants and Auctioneers,
1524 Main street.

WE WILL SELL TO-DAY AT AUCTION at half-past 11 o'clock—
BACON—HAMS, SHOULDERS, and SIDES,
NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES,
No. 1 and GROSS HERRINGS,
SPARE-RIBS (in barrels), SAUSAGE,
LARGE and SMALL BLACKING,
LAUNDRY and SWEET SOAPS,
SUPERFINE FLOUR, APPLES,
DRIED PEACHES, FIRKIN BUTTER,
PRIME APPLE-VINEGAR, &c.
Persons wishing to add to this sale will please send in their goods early Monday morning.
R. S. ANDERSON & SON, Auctioneers.
W. B. RATCLIFFE, Salesmen.
P. S. Receiving daily, ALBEMARLE PIPPINS and other CHOICE BRANDS APPLES and PRIME ROLL and FIRKIN BUTTER, POTATOES, &c. fe 18 R. S. A. & SON.

By J. D. Whitehead & Co.,
Grocery Auctioneers and Commission Merchants,
1512 Main street.

LARGE SALE OF GROCERIES.—We will offer at auction MONDAY MORNING, 18th instant, commencing at half-past 10 o'clock, a large and desirable stock of
GROCERIES, &c.,
to which the attention of the trade is invited.
fe 18 J. D. WHITEHEAD & CO.

HIGH-CONSTABLE'S SALE OF FURNITURE, DESKS, WATCHES, PLOUGHS, GROCERIES, &c.—I will sell at public auction on MONDAY the 18th day of February, 1878, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office, No. 1306 Franklin street, the following property, to satisfy sundry distress warrants in my hand:
BUREAUS, WARDROBES,
WASHSTANDS, CLOCKS,
PICTURES, MIRRORS,
BEDSTEADS, MATTRESSES,
BOLSTERS, PILLOWS,
BLANKETS, STOVES,
CARPETS, MATTING,
CHILD'S CARRIAGE,
WATER-COOLERS, TRUNKS,
TABLES, OFFICE-DESKS,
LAMPS, TOWEL-RACKS,
WINDOW-SHADES, CHESTS,
GUNS, FENDERS, SCALES,
SILK- and FELT-HATS, HAT-FRAMES,
SHOW-CASES, BROOMS,
CANDLES, SOAP, TEA, TACKS,
GLASS- and CROCKERYWARE,
GLASS-JARS, BUCKETS,
LAW-BOOKS, WOOD and TIN SIGNS,
ENVELOPES,
Small lot of GROCERIES, &c.
One GOLD WATCH,
ONE- and TWO-HORSE PLOUGHS, &c.
TERMS: Cash. T. L. WHITING,
fe 18 H. C. C. R.

By Richardson & Co.,
Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers,
1113 Main street.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF FOUR BRICK AND FRAME DWELLINGS, ON VENABLE STREET BETWEEN EIGHTEENTH AND MOSBY STREETS, AND ONE VACANT LOT ON EIGHTEENTH STREET NEAR VENABLE STREET, BY AUCTION.—By virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court of the city of Richmond, rendered on the 7th day of February, 1878, in the suit of Mathews, &c., *vs.* Mathews, &c., we shall, as special commissioners appointed by said decree, sell by auction, on the premises, on MONDAY, 18th day of February, 1878, at 4 o'clock P. M., THREE TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLINGS, Nos. respectively 1819, 1821, and 1823; ONE TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING, No. 1811, on the south side of Venable street betw. en Eighteenth and Mosby streets; and a VACANT LOT on the east side of Eighteenth street near to and south of Venable street.
TERMS: Enough in cash to defray the expense of sale, including commissions; the residue in four, eight, and twelve months, negotiable notes given for the deferred payments with interest added, and title retained until a further order of the Court.
F. P. TURNER,
GEORGE P. HAWE,
HENRY HUDNALL,
fe 12 Special Commissioners.

By Edward C. Goddin,
Real Estate Agent and Auctioneer,
No. 1015 Main street.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF BRICK DWELLING No. 207 EAST MAIN STREET AT AUCTION.—By virtue of a deed of trust dated 10th July, 1875, and duly recorded in the Chancery Court clerk's office of Richmond city, default having been made under said deed, we will sell on THURSDAY, February 14, 1878, on the premises, at 4 o'clock P. M., the following REAL ESTATE: That CERTAIN LOT with a THREE-STORY-AND-BASEMENT BRICK TENEMENT between Second and Third streets, on the south side of Main street. The lot fronts 24 feet and runs back 107 to an alley 10 feet wide. The dwelling contains ten rooms, besides large double kitchen.
TERMS: Cash as to about $350 and the expenses of sale; a credit of $3,500 till the 10th July, 1878, at six per cent.; and the balance as Mr. P. F. Haward, the present owner, may direct.
JAMES H. GODDIN,
JOHN C. HOWARD,
Trustees.

POSTPONEMENT.

The above sale is postponed until MONDAY, February 18th, at 4½ o'clock P. M. fe 15

REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.

PRIVATELY FOR SALE.—I have on hand some desirably-located BRICK DWELLINGS, which can be bought very low. Also, several bargains to be had in FRAME DWELLINGS, centrally located. J. THOMPSON BROWN,
fe 16-6t 1113 Main street.

REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.

I have for sale on Main and Broad streets several STORES, now under good rentals.
Also, a number of DWELLINGS, in good localities, on Main, Cary, Franklin, Grace, Marshall, Clay, and Leigh streets.
Also, BUILDING LOTS opposite to Monroe Park, on Franklin street, Grace, and Main streets.
Real estate is now low, and parties contemplating buying would do well to purchase at once.
Any information gladly given upon application to
FRANK D. HILL,
Real Estate Agent.
fe 8-eod1m 1108 Main street.

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fe 18-3t Lewisburg, Greenbrier county, W. Va.

WANTED, AT 317 ELEVENTH STREET, a COOK; also, a HOUSE-SERVANT. References required. fe 18-2t*

WANTED, TO LEND.

I have several SMALL and LARGE AMOUNTS OF MONEY TO LEND ON CITY IMPROVED REAL ESTATE.
J. THOMPSON BROWN,
fe 16-6t 1113 Main street.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT.—I hereby offer my large and convenient HOTEL, immediately on the railroad, at Buford's ville, Va., for rent. It can be had for one or more years. The hotel is neatly and newly furnished, situated in a mountain region, and is a healthy resort for summer visitors. Terms liberal. Apply to P. H. BURRUS, Liberty, Va.
My STORE at the same place is also for rent.
fe 18-6t

FOR RENT, FIVE ROOMS, most delightfully situated, on Grace street. A gentleman and wife without children might board with the family. Apply to
GEORGE S. VASHON & SON, Agents,
fe 18-3t* No. 7 Tenth street.

FOR RENT.

EUKER'S ROW (west Clay street). New, neat and in perfect order; six rooms; $10 per month.
DESIRABLE HOUSES on Fourth and Fifth streets; three to six rooms.
FINE BRICK RESIDENCES on Grace, Main, and other streets convenient to business.
Low rents to good tenants.
J. THOMPSON BROWN,
fe 16-6t 1113 Main street.

FOR RENT, A SMALL HOUSE ON Williams street (Sidney), opposite to Mr. Zetelle's, containing five or six rooms, with a large garden attached, and on it some choice fruit-trees. Rent, $12.50 per month. Apply to
JOHN T. GODDIN, Real Estate Agent,
fe 16-3t Bank and Eleventh streets.

FOR RENT, THE LARGE HALL over Messrs. T. R. Price & Co.'s, lately occupied by the Pythian Association. Also, SIX OFFICES in the same building, suitable for lawyers. These will be rented low, and leases will be given if required. For particulars, apply to
fe 15-3t ROBERT B. LYNE,
1212 Main street.

FOR RENT, the neat, comfortable, and desirably-located BRICK COTTAGE No. 211 south Third street, between Canal and Byrd streets; four rooms, kitchen, gas, water, culverts, &c., recently thoroughly repaired and painted. Rent low to a good tenant.
ROBERT B. LYNE,
fe 11-3w* Real Estate Auctioneer.

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WM. D. LITHGOW, DEALER IN CIGARS, TOBACCO, PIPES, SCHOOL-BOOKS, STATIONERY, NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES, &c.—Having just opened at the stand recently occupied by Messrs. Bronaugh & Taylor, No. 917 Hull street, Manchester, I will be pleased to see and serve my friends and the public generally. I will receive orders for all BOOKS, MAGAZINES, NEWSPAPERS, &c., and will always keep on hand such READING MATTER and SMOKERS' ARTICLES as will please the most fastidious. fe 8-eod6t

AUCTION SALES—Future Days.

By Davenport & Morris, Auctioneers.

GROCERIES AT AUCTION.

On THURSDAY the 28th of February we will sell at auction at 11 o'clock, at our warehouse, on the dock,
RIO and LAGUAYRA COFFEE,
REFINED SUGARS of all grades,
NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES, SYRUP,
BACON SIDES, SHOULDERS, and HAMS;
CLEAR PORK, in barrels and boxes;
SALT, STARCH,
TEAS, SOAP, &c.
Also, to close consignments,
500 barrels DYER'S HERRINGS,
500 barrels NORTH CAROLINA GROSS, CUT, and ROE HERRINGS;
MACKEREL—100 barrels No. 3.
TERMS: Over $100, sixty days' credit for approved paper. DAVENPORT & MORRIS,
fe 18 Auctioneers.

By J. Thompson Brown,
Real Estate Agent and Auctioneer.
1113 Main street.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF THREE-STORY BRICK RESIDENCE NO. 106 MAYO STREET, NEAR FRANKLIN STREET.—Pursuant to the decree entered on the 5th day of February, 1878, by the Chancery Court of the city of Richmond, in the suit of Mills's executors, &c., *vs.* Glazebrook's executrix, &c., we shall on FRIDAY, February 15, 1878, at 4½ o'clock, proceed to sell, upon the premises, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the risk and costs of J. R. Sands, Esq., the former purchaser, that certain BRICK DWELLING AND LOT, No. 106, situated on Mayo street a few doors north of Franklin street, and opposite to the Jewish synagogue, fronting on the west side of Mayo street 26 feet 8 inches, more or less, and running back between parallel lines 75 feet, more or less. The improvements consist of a LARGE BRICK DWELLING, in good order.
TERMS: One third cash; balance in equal instalments of six, twelve, and eighteen months, negotiable notes, six per cent. interest added from day of sale, and title retained by the court until all the purchase-money is paid. J. A. LYNHAM,
M. M. GILLIAM,
CHASTAIN WHITE,
Special Commissioners.
J. THOMPSON BROWN, Auctioneer.

POSTPONEMENT.

Owing to the inclement weather the above sale is postponed till TUESDAY, February 19th, at 4½ P. M. J. A. LYNHAM,
M. M. GILLIAM,
CHASTAIN WHITE,
Special Commissioners.
J. THOMPSON BROWN, Auctioneer. fe 16

By James M. Taylor & Son,
Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers,
office corner Eleventh and Bank streets.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF TWO NEAT FRAME DWELLINGS ON THE EAST SIDE OF TWENTY-FOURTH BETWEEN M AND N STREETS.—By virtue of the provisions of a certain deed of trust executed by M. A. Clarke and wife, bearing date December 30, 1875, duly recorded in the clerk's office of Richmond Chancery Court, in D. B. 107 B., page 62, I shall, in execution thereof, being so required by the beneficiary in said deed, proceed to sell at public auction, on the premises, on THURSDAY the 21st day of February, 1878, at 4½ o'clock P. M., the real estate conveyed by said deed, consisting of a LOT OF LAND in the city of Richmond, fronting 44 feet on the east side of Twenty-fourth street between M and N streets, with TWO NEAT FRAME DWELLINGS thereon, and running back between parallel lines 125 feet to an alley 14 feet wide.
TERMS: Enough in cash to pay the expenses of sale and the sum of $1,200, with interest thereon from December 30, 1877; and the balance upon such credit as will be made known at the hour of sale.
H. SELDON TAYLOR, Trustee.
J. M. TAYLOR & SON, Auctioneers. fe 11

By W. Goddin,
Real Estate Agent and Auctioneer,
corner of Eleventh and Bank streets.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF A LARGE AND WELL-BUILT BRICK DWELLING ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF BROAD BETWEEN TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH STREETS.—By virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court of the city of Richmond, entered on July 1, 1875, in the case of the Planter's National Bank of Richmond against Ellett & Lipscomb, we, the undersigned, as special commissioners thereby appointed, will proceed to sell at public auction, on the premises, on TUESDAY, February 19, 1878, at 4 o'clock P. M., the LARGE and WELL-BUILT BRICK-AND-STUCCOED TENEMENT located as above, now in the occupancy of Mrs. Sarah Ann Ellett.
The LOT has a front of 29x150 feet to a wide alley. The HOUSE has ample accommodations for a large family, besides kitchen, stable, carriage-house, &c.
TERMS: One fourth cash; balance at six, twelve, and eighteen months for negotiable notes, interest added and title retained till all of the purchase-money is fully paid and a conveyance ordered by the Court.
WILLIAM JOSIAH LEAKE,
OTHO G. KEAN,
fe 9-13,15,18&19t5t Special Commissioners.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FRONTING FORTY-FOUR FEET SIX INCHES ON SEVENTEENTH STREET, AT THE SOUTHERN INTERSECTION OF BROAD AND SEVENTEENTH STREETS, AND RUNNING BACK NINETY-FIVE FEET TO UNION STREET, WITH TWO GOOD BRICK STORES THEREON.—By virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court of the city of Richmond, entered on the 5th day of February, 1878, in the suit of Wright, sheriff, &c., *vs.* Bolton's executors, &c., I shall, as commissioner thereby appointed, proceed to sell, on the premises, on TUESDAY the 19th day of February, at 4 o'clock P. M., the above-described property, fronting 44 feet 6 inches on Seventeenth street, at the Southern intersection with Broad street, with TWO BRICK STORES thereon, at present occupied by M. Ellick. Said property will be sold as described, or divided to suit purchasers, as may be desired on the day of sale.
TERMS OF SALE: One fourth in cash; and the residue in three equal instalments of six, twelve, and eighteen months, the purchaser giving notes for the credit instalments, interest added, and the title retained until the full purchase-money is paid and a conveyance directed by the Court.
JOHN W. WRIGHT,
Sheriff of the city of Richmond,
fe 12 Commissioner.

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fe 4-eod2m No. 1015 Main street.

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WILLIAM ALLEN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
1103 MAIN STREET.
ja 28-deod&w1m

DISSOLUTIONS & PARTNERSHIPS.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.—The firm of A. H. NOTT & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent, A. H. NOTT having purchased the interest of J. H. GRESHAM. A. H. NOTT assumes all the liabilities of the late firm, and is alone authorized to collect and sign the name of the firm in liquidation. All parties indebted to the concern are requested to come forward and settle, and those having claims against the firm will present them to A. H. NOTT for settlement.
ANDREW H. NOTT,
FEBRUARY 8, 1878. J. H. GRESHAM.
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WHOLESALE WOODEN- AND WILLOW-WARE, ROPES, TWINES, TINWARE, &c.
Thankful for the liberal patronage extended to the late firm, and with the determination to meet the views of the trade as to prices and quality of goods, &c., which an experience of eleven years justifies me in offering, I solicit a continuance and enlarged patronage.
The name of the firm will remain unchanged.
fe 12 ANDREW H. NOTT.

J. H. GRESHAM TAKES THIS OCCASION TO SINCERELY THANK HIS friends and patrons who so cordially gave him their influence and patronage while with the late concern of A. H. NOTT & CO., and to notify them and all the trade that he has formed a copartnership with Mr. VALENTINE BROWN, recently connected with Messrs. D. O. Davis & Co., the firm to be known as GRESHAM & BROWN, for the purpose of conducting a WHOLESALE WOODEN-, WILLOW-, and TINWARE BUSINESS at No. 24 south Fourteenth street in all of its branches, and we most respectfully solicit the continued patronage of all our friends. With the assurance that with our increased facilities and an experience of ten years in the trade in Baltimore, New York, and Richmond, which justifies us in guaranteeing all the inducements that can be offered, we will have an entire NEW STOCK OF GOODS in about ten days. Come and see us.
fe 12-1w GRESHAM & BROWN.

DIVIDENDS.

"OLD" RICHMOND FIRE ASSOCIATION.—The undersigned, in addition to the dividend of two dollars per share declared on the 27th of June, 1877, are now enabled to make a final dividend of FORTY-THREE (43) CENTS PER SHARE, which will be paid on application to HENRY K. ELLYSON, one of the trustees, at the Richmond *Dispatch* office.
Those who received the former dividend will be entitled to receive this one without the surrender of certificates or proof of authority.
Those who have not received the former dividend will please surrender their certificates, give proof of their authority, and collect both dividends.
In the case of lost certificates proof of the ownership and loss must be made by affidavit, and a bond with security given to indemnify the trustees and all others interested. Forms for this purpose will be furnished by Mr. H. K. Ellyson on application.
H. K. ELLYSON,
ANDREW JOHNSTON,
P. C. WARWICK,
Trustees of the Richmond Fire Association.
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RILEY (AUGUSTA) WHISKEY—first premium whenever exhibited at State Fair; BUCKNER (KENTUCKY) WHISKEY, four years old, at $2.50 per gallon (unequalled in the city), at
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AUCTION SALES—Future Days.

By Richardson & Co.,
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TRUSTEE'S SALE OF A VALUABLE TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING AND LOT ON THE WEST SIDE OF TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET BETWEEN O AND P STREETS BY AUCTION.—By virtue of the provisions of a deed of trust bearing date the 6th day of January, 1876, from Patrick Creery to the undersigned, trustee, duly recorded in the clerk's office of the Chancery Court of the city of Richmond, to secure the payment of a certain negotiable note mentioned in said deed, I shall, as trustee in the deed aforesaid, default having been made in the payment of said note, and being required so to do by the holder thereof, sell by auction, on the premises, on TUESDAY the 19th day of February, 1878, at 4 o'clock P. M., the real estate described in said deed, consisting of a LOT OF LAND fronting 31x132 feet on the west side of Twenty-seventh street between O and P streets, with an alley in the rear 16 feet wide, on which lot is an ATTRACTIVE TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING with five rooms, kitchen, and other out-houses.
TERMS: Enough in cash to defray the expense of executing this trust and to pay off the sum of $370, with interest thereon from the 6th day of January, 1878; the residue on such terms as shall be announced at the time of sale.
J. A. RICHARDSON,
fe 8 Trustee.

By Robert B. Lyne,
Real Estate Agent and Auctioneer.
1212 Main street.

VALUABLE AND DESIRABLE STORE PROPERTY ON THE EAST SIDE OF SEVENTEENTH STREET, CORNER OF WALNUT ALLEY, BETWEEN MAIN AND FRANKLIN STREETS, WITH LARGE DWELLING ABOVE, AND ANOTHER BRICK TWO-STORY HOUSE, FRONTING ON WALNUT ALLEY—ALL UPON A PERPETUAL GROUND-RENT—FOR SALE BY AUCTION.—At the request of the owner, I shall sell the above property, occupied by H. Morriss, Esq., at public auction, upon the premises, on TUESDAY the 19th day of February, 1878, at 4 o'clock P. M.
For a profitable and regular-paying investment this property should now command the attention of bidders—located in such a good and public place for a clothing or dry-goods business.
TERMS: The terms of leasehold will be fully explained at the sale, and terms then announced. A bargain will be had.
ROBERT B. LYNE, Auctioneer.
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