Spirit of Jefferson.

Charlestown, West Va., July 7, 1874.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

THE AMERICAN SARDINE CO.'S BONE-less Sardines, are much better, and less than half the cost of imported Sardines.
March 17, 1874—1y.

☞ Two Shares of Stock in the Jefferson Co., Building Association, No. 2, wanted.—Apply at this Office.

☞ A Lady's Fine Gold Watch for sale.—Apply at this Office.

TOWN COUNCIL MATTERS.—A regular meeting of the Town Council was held on Tuesday night last, Recorder Duke (in the absence of the Mayor) in the Chair; present Councilmen Hilbert, Hooff, J. J. Lock and McCurdy.

A petition from the Colored Baptist Church, setting forth that the stable of Mr. Wm. Mock, adjacent to their Church edifice, is a nuisance, and asking for its abatement, was read and referred to a Committee.

Several alleged nuisances were reported by the Sargeant, and that officer was instructed to have them abated.

The report of the Assessor was received, which gives the following taxable basis within the corporate limits:

Personal Property	$390 661
Improved Lots	$408,905
Unimproved Lots	$ 34,210
White Males	279
Colored Males	131
Dogs	173
Bitches	3

The levy for the current year was made, and the tax on real and personal property fixed at 40 cents on each $100; capitation, $2 00; male dogs, $1.00; and bitches, $5 00—an increase of one-third over last year on property and capitations, whilst dogs (possibly looked upon as more valuable) are permitted to enjoy life at the old rate.

[The capitation tax in the flourishing towns of Winchester and Staunton is *Fifty Cents*—just *one fourth* the amount assessed here.]

The Building Committee reported the net cost of the Market-House to be $9,269.

The same Committee was instructed to have the sidewalks on the front and East side of the Market-House Square properly graded and paved with brick.

The Council, deeming it just and proper that parties using "Washington Hall," rent free, for exhibitions, &c., should bear the expense of opening, lighting and closing the same, passed a resolution by a unanimous vote that the Sargeant, hereafter, shall require payment in advance of a reasonable fee for this purpose before opening the Hall on such occasions.

The Sargeant was instructed to enforce existing ordinances, in regard to hogs, dogs, horses, goats &c.

FIRES FROM RAILROAD ENGINES.—The warm, dry weather of the past few days has been fruitful of fires along the line of the Valley Branch of the B. & O. R. R., both above and below Charlestown. Fencing on the lands of Messrs. Jas. M. Ranson, Jas. M. Brown, H. B. Davenport and others, has been destroyed, and even oil ties along the side of the road fired by sparks from passing engines. This damage, as far as we can learn, is attributed almost entirely to one or both of the engines of the Express Trains, and being confined within such a narrow radius it is to be hoped the Railroad Company will apply whatever remedy may be necessary, and thus preserve the crops, fencing, &c., of the farmers along the line of this highway from constant danger of destruction.

Later, on Saturday, several serious fires occurred among them one which destroyed about seventy shocks of wheat on the farm occupied by Mr. Moses Trussell, two miles above Charlestown, on the Valley Branch, and came near destroying the dwelling on the same—together with considerable losses on the Main Stem.

Since writing the above we learn that, in order to guard against fires from passing trains, the Railroad authorities are running their section trucks behind passing trains, with water, and using every means at their command to avoid damage to crops. We also understand that compensation will be made for losses incurred.

OUTLAWRY.—A species of outlawry was exhibited in this vicinity last week which, for sure downright devilment, exceeds anything that has transpired here for a long while. Portions of the fencing a short distance out the Leetown road, and in the lane leading to the farms of Joseph Crane, Esq., and others, were thrown down, and the rails formed into obstructions in the middle of these highways; farm gates unhinged; water gates in Evitt's run thrown down, and fields with growing crops thrown open to the free access of strolling stock. A suspicious looking couple—a white man and a negro—were lurking about here during the early part of the week, and on Tuesday evening about dusk attacked and maltreated a little son of Mr. A. W. Cramer, who was driving his father's cow to a pasture field on the Leetown road. These parties have been suspicioned of all the acts above mentioned. Such lawlessness should not be permitted to go unrebuked, and we trust the guilty parties will be ferrited out and duly punished.

DEATH ON THE RAILROAD.—Mr. Neal Whittington, a former citizen of this county, and brother of Mr. John N. Whittington, of this place, we regret to learn, met with a sad and fatal accident on Friday, the 26th ult, at or near Newtown Station, on the Harper's Ferry and Valley Branch of the B. & O. R. R. Mr. W. was engaged as Boss of a gang of workmen on the above road, and on the day named, as we understand, was struck by an iron rail thrown from a passing train, by which he was injured to such an extent that death ensued on the following Sunday night. He was aged about 38 years, and leaves a wife and two children to mourn his untimely death.

SANITARY.—The continued hot weather renders all sorts of sanitary precautions of the first importance. Our citizens should each take particular care to keep their own premises clean and carefully remove all decaying vegetable or animal matter. At the same time copperas water, lime and other disinfectants should be freely sprinkled in back yards, cellars, alleys, sinks and other places.

NARROW ESCAPE.—Mr. John Wyndam, residing near Summit Point, and an employee of the B. & O. R. R. Co., jumped from a train of cars while in motion, near Flagg's Crossing, on Tuesday afternoon last, and narrowly escaped instant death. As it was, however he received a serious fall, but escaped without serious injury.

LOT PURCHASED.—Mr Amos Dunlap has purchased of Mr. Henry D. Rust nearly one-fourth of an acre of the lot of the latter, for building purposes. Price paid $275.

SHOOTING AFFRAY.—From the Gerardstown *Times* we learn that a shooting affray took place in Darkesville on Tuesday evening, the 23d ult, between T. T. Vanmetre, of this county, and Robert Stewart and son, of Berkeley. The following are the facts of the case, as near as the *Times* has been able to gather them. An old difficulty existed between the parties, and Mr. Vanmetre on his return from Martinsburg, met with David Stewart, son of Robert, whom he accused of carrying concealed weapons for him, and would have attacked him had he not been prevented by persons present. Young Stewart then went home, but shortly returned, followed by his father. Vanmetre began to abuse Robert Stewart, Sr., and followed him a short distance, when Stewart wheeled his horse and fired two or three shots, one of which took effect in the fleshy part of the left thigh.—David Stewart came up and fired two shots from behind Vanmetre, neither of which struck him. Dr. L. M. Senseindiver extracted the ball, and Vanmetre went to his home.—The wound was not considered dangerous.—Vanmetre was not armed.

THE COMET.—For some time the scientists have been promising us a comet, and now it is in sight, and can be found as follows:

At nine or ten o'clock the dipper is seen with the handle in the direction from the horizon. The two lowest stars in the bowl of the dipper (furthest from the handle) are called the pointers, because they point to the pole star; the one nearer the pole being called dubhe. The comet forms nearly an equilateral triangle with dubhe and the pole star, being situated below them. The tail is above the nucleus and inclined toward the pole star.

Professor Henry M. Parkhurst, of New York, states that on the 25th of June the tail of the comet was three million miles in length, and he assumes an increase of one-tenth each day, arriving at the startling result that on the 20th of July it will touch the earth. He does not, however, anticipate any appreciable physical effect, further than possible electrical phenomena like the aurora.

DISTINGUISHED.—We briefly mentioned last week that Miss Bettie Gibson, daughter of Col. Jno. T. Gibson, of this vicinity, was the recipient of several prizes at the recent closing examinations of the Blind Department of the Institution for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind, at Staunton, Va. Below we copy from the *Spectator* an extract containing special complimentary mention of this young lady:

"A raised map of the United States was then introduced, and Miss Bettie Gibson, in response to questions put by William Frazier, one of the visitors to the institution, pointed out the places of many prominent cities and towns and described their location, and gave the course of rivers, and what rivers united to form many of the larger ones.

"Problems in algebra, in equations of the first degree involving two unknown quantities, were given to Misses Bettie Gibson and Miss Pattie Albertson, which they solved as quickly as they could be worked out on a slate, giving as they proceeded all of the algebraic formula, and the reasons for their conclusions."

RELIGIOUS NOTICE.—By D V. permission the Second Quarterly Meeting for Harper's Ferry Charge, M. E. Church South, will be held on the land of Hon. William Lucas, at Halltown, Jefferson county, W. Va, in a beautiful Willow Grove within a few steps of a fine spring of water, to commence Sunday morning, the 12th instant. The Rev. Dr. Register, (the Presiding Elder of the District,) and Rev. Dr. Arbogast, (President of the Valley Female College,) and other distinguished ministers are expected. Ample accommodation for horses, &c. The meeting will continue several days. A general invitation to all.

A. ROHRY,
Pastor in Charge.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Information was received here on Saturday afternoon last of the sudden and unexpected death of Mr. WM. FLOOD, son of the late Wm P. Flood, of this place, and brother-in-law of Mr Jno. R. A. Redman, which occurred near White Post, Clarke county, Va., on Friday night. Mr. F., from what we learn, ate his supper in his usual health on the evening in question and retired as usual, and was afterward found dead in bed. This sad news was a severe shock to his wife, who has been for some weeks at the Carter House in this place, and will be received with universal regret by his friends here. He was in his 71st year.

JAPANESE STUDENTS IN CHARLESTOWN.—S. T. Katata and K. Yoshie, two Japanese students of Columbian College, Washington, D. C., arrived in Charlestown last week, and have taken board at the Sappington Hotel for the summer vacation. Mr. Katata, it will be remembered, is one of the two students who spent last summer in Charlestown. U. Yamauchi, who was here with him, was called home a few days ago by the death of a relative. K. Yoshie, the younger of the two now here, attended school in England for several years, and has been in the United States but a short time.

COUNTY COURT JURY.—The following jurymen were drawn for the July Term of the County Court:

Thos. L. Hess, Chas. Langdon, Wm. E. Anderson, Joseph L. Stillings, Dr. W. Wallace, Geo. W. Engle, Thos. M. Isbell, W. F. Kearney, A. W. Cramer, Geo. Adams, Robt. M. Duke, J. B. Fennell, Soloman Boyer, Robt. H. Lewis, James W. Strode, John Moler, (of Washington,) John B. Hendricks, Jos. Byers, Benjamin F. Boley, Emanuel Spangler, Geo. N. Lynch, James C. Crane, Wm. Beall, Jas. W. Milton, Lee Cockrell, O. H. F. Sherman, J. Garland Hurst, Richard S. Hardesty, Henry C. Davis, Daniel F. Reynolds.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—Mr. Schultz, a German employed at the Sash Factory of Messrs. McKnight & Rohrer, had his right hand caught in a saw on Saturday, and received severe injuries—the saw cutting off his thumb and one finger, and lacerating the hand to a considerable extent. Dr. J. D. Starry gave him prompt attention.

BOLD ROBBERY.—The office of Mr. W. E. Trundle, in rear of the residence of N. S. White, Esq., was entered during his absence for a few moments on Tuesday afternoon last, and a Silver Watch belonging to him abstracted therefrom.

OUR MARKET.—Our butchers opened business at the new Market-House on Tuesday morning last, and the meat market will be held there regularly hereafter. A Committee of the Town Council have the matter of market regulations under consideration, and will probably report at the next meeting of that body.

REDUCTION IN FREIGHTS.—A reduction from 25 cents to 18 cents per 100 lbs. has been made in the freight charges on wheat from Charlestown to Baltimore.

ELECTIONS OF SOCIETY OFFICERS.—At a regular convocation of Bethesda Chapter No. 16, Royal Arch Masons, held in Masonic Hall at Middleway, June 23, the following named Companions were elected officers thereof for the ensuing year:

Geo. A. Long, H. P.; G. M. Beltzhoover, K.; H. M. Billings, S.; Jos. L. Minghini, C. of H.; R. W. Kearns, P. S.; R. W. McIntyre, R. A. C.; John F. Smith, Sec'y; S. A. Bates, Treas.; John W. Roberts, 3d, Joel W. Roberts, 2d, and Wm. Gruber, 1st, M. of V.; John W. Grantham, Chaplain; George Murphy, Guard.

At a regular Convention of Jefferson Lodge, No. 2, K. of P., held in Castle Hall, in Middleway, on the 18th ult., the following named brethren were elected Officers thereof for the ensuing term:

Wm. S. Luise, C. C.; John W. Grantham, V. C.; J. Brillhart, Prelate; G. M. De L. Smith, M. of E.; John F. Smith, K. of R. & S.; J. F. Smith, M. of F.

Masonic Election of Logan Lodge No. 25, A., F. & A. M., at Harper's Ferry, held on the 24th of June, 1874, the following officers were elected:

G. L. Myers, W. M.; E. W. Wilson, S. W.; W. A. Winters, J. W.; A. Burton, Treasurer; H. V. Daniels, Secretary; John Kilham, S. D.; M. S. Campbell, J. D.; S. M. Williams, Tyler.

At a meeting of Jefferson Lodge, No. 51, A., F. & A. M., in their Lodge room, at Kabletown, on the 24th of June, the following officers were installed:

James H. Conklyn, W. M.; Robert H. Lewis, S. W.; Samuel L. Risler, J. W.; Daniel Dovenberger, Treasurer; James Langdon, Secretary; Blackford W. Kaunde, S. D.; John A. Albin, J. D.; Charles Langdon, Tyler; W. O. Norris, Chaplain.

At a regular meeting of Phœnix Division, No. 13, Sons of Temperance, at Duffields, June 27th, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:—J. H. Maddox, W. P.; W. H. Link, W. A.; T. J. Link, R. S.; J. W. Burr, A. R. S.; N. T. Snyder, F. S.; John A. Link, Treasurer; T. O. Tuck, C.; O. N. Snyder, A. C.; J. Albert Link, I. S.; J. F. Melvin, O. S.; T. M. Wintermoyer, Chaplain; A. S. Link, P. W. P.

HYMENEAL.—From the St. Louis *Democrat* we clip the following:

A pleasant party gathered at the quarters of Capt. D. J. Young, U. S. A., at 2 P. M., Wednesday, the 24th ult., to witness the marriage of Mr. Thomas Kirwan, of Senaca, Mo., and Miss Florence Cross of Harper's Ferry, W. Va. Rev. Father O'Reilly officiated. Mr. G. S. Young and Miss Emily Lord, of South St. Louis, attended as groomsman and bridesmaid. After the ceremony the guests partook of a sumptuous repast dispensed by Capt. Young and his estimable lady. At 4 P. M., the bride and groom, accompanied by Mr. Dan. M. Young, left for Harper's Ferry and the springs af Virginia. The traditional old shoe was never thrown after a happier couple. Among the guests were Commandant Col. L. S. Babbitt and wife, Gen. C. McDougall and wife, Mrs. Dr. Starkloff, Emile Starkloff, D. C. McVean and wife, J. W. Maxwell, besides many other friends of the family from Carondelet and vicinity.

ROANOKE COLLEGE.—We insert the advertisement of this institution in this issue, and most particularly call the attention of everybody to it. Most especially do we call the attention of parents, guardians, &c., of this immediate section of the State to the many advantages this College presents over others of as high grade, the most important of which, these hard times, is the very moderate expense, it being for session of ten months, only about $200.

THE AMERICAN FARMER for July is at hand. Every branch of farm life is treated, but special attention is given to the staple crops and to the manures, both natural and artificial, suited to them. Fruit growing in its various aspects is also a prominent topic, whilst ornamental gardening has liberal attention. Published by Sam'l Sands & Son, No. 9 North St., Baltimore, Md., at $1.50 a year, 5 copies $5.00. Specimens sent free.

SACRAMENTAL MEETING.—The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered in the Presbyterian Church, in this place on Sunday morning, July 19th—preparatory services commencing on Friday morning previous.

On the Sunday mentioned above a collection will be taken up in this Church for the benefit of the sufferers by the recent flood in Louisiana.

PUBLIC SALES.—The attention of our readers is directed to the following Public Sale advertisements in this paper:

Saturday, July 18th.—Blacksmith Shop and Tools, by H. C. Davis, Trustee.

Thursday, July 23d.—Personal Property, by Edward Tearney and Wm. L. Wilson, Executors.

Tuesday, August 4th.—Real Estate, by Edward Tearney, Administrator.

MANY SUFFER rather than take nauseous medicines. All who suffer from coughs, colds, irritation of the bronchial tubes or tendency to consumption, will find in *Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry* a remedy as agreeable to the palate as effectual in removing disease. The Balsam is a pleasant remedy; it is a safe remedy; it is a powerful remedy; it is a speedy remedy; it is a remedy that cures.

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TEMPERANCE PICNIC.—The Good Templars of Leetown and Middleway will hold a Picnic, in the grove near the former place, on Saturday next, the 11th instant. Several eminent speakers are expected, and a band of music will be in attendance. A cordial invitation is extended to all who feel an interest in the advancement of Temperance to be present.

AGRICULTURAL FAIRS.—The following Agricultural Fairs will take place this year at the times and places mentioned below:

Shenandoah Valley Agricultural and Mechanical Society, at Winchester, Va., on the 15th, 16th, 17th and 18th of September.

Maryland State Agricultural Society, at Pimlico, near Baltimore, Oct. 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th

Loudoun Agricultural Society, at Leesburg, on the 13th, 14th and 15th of October.

☞ Any family of good standing, especially in the Valley, wishing to adopt a motherless child or children, aged four, six and nine years, can do so by addressing me at Middletown, Frederick county, Va. They are likely girls. Would the Valley papers be kind enough to give some two or three insertions.

July 7—3t. A. W.

COMMITTEE MEETING.—The Committee of Arrangements for the Charlestown Station Camp Meeting are requested to meet at the M. E. Church South, in Chrlestown on Saturday afternoon next, the 11th inst., at 3 o'clock. All will please attend.

W. G. HAMMOND, Sec'y.

FOURTH OF JULY.—The Fourth passed off quietly, without celebration, in Charlestown. A number of parties, however, visited Shannondale Springs, and spent the day in fishing, &c.

"History of the Grange Movement; or, the Farmers' War against Monopolies."—Being a full and authentic account of the struggles of the American Farmers against the extortions of the Railroad Companies. With a History of the Rise and Progress of the Order of Patrons of Husbandry. Published by the National Publishing Co., of Cincinnati.

The author portrays in a masterly manner the evils of the great Railroad System which have brought our present financial troubles upon us; the gradual growth and concentration of this vast power into the hands of a few corporations; the false system of building railroads in advance of the demand for them; the terrible evils arising from the reckless stock gambling operations with which the country has been cursed for the last eight years; the insolence and tyranny with which the Railroads treat the public dependent upon them; the fearful extent to which our Legislatures and Courts of Justice have become corrupted by the great corporations which seek to control them; the causes of the great panic of 1873, and the events of that crisis are all related with a graphiceuss which leaves nothing to be desired. The author gives a startling account of the dangers with which reckless railroad management has assailed the nation in every feature of its existence. His statements will attract universal attention, and are worthy of the serious consideration of every citizen of this country.

Passing from the Monopolists and their outrages, the author takes up the cause of the wronged and oppressed farmers, and gives us a detailed statement of the evils from which the farming class is suffering. He analyzes skillfully the causes of these evils, and shows how and by whom the farmers are robbed.

The work contains a detailed and carefully prepared history of the new Order of Patrons of Husbandry. A complete account of the organization and objects of the order is given; its laws and mode of procedure are stated; and each feature is explained at length.

It abounds in the most startling disclosures, and will, unquestionably, make a noise in the world. The book is ably written, and it is a bold and vigorous plea in behalf of the farmers and all who are oppressed and robbed by the grasping Monopolies which are giving us so much trouble.

—Its appearance is most opportune, and it must command a large and rapid sale. The book is sold by subscription only, and Mr. M. C. ZOMBRO, who is the authorized agent for this county, is now canvassing for it.

June 23, 1874—3t. *

OUR NARROW GAUGE RAILROAD.—The President of the W. C. & St. L. (Narrow Guage) R. R., Maj. P. B. Borst, is in town, looking after the interests of his road. The intervention of the harvest has taken some of the hands from the work on the road; but in a few days the contractors are expected to have a large force vigorously prosecuting the work. The President is going North in a few days to make arrangements for the iron and rolling stock of the road. He hopes to have 20 miles of the work completed this Fall.—*Rockingham Register.*

BROADUS FEMALE COLLEGE.—"Edge Hill" the old Senseney mansion, at the east end of Cork St., with 150 acres attached, was purchased last week by Rev. E. J. Willis, price $13,500. The Winchester Female Institute of which Mr. Willis is Principal, will be removed to this site, and will henceforth be known as the Broadbus Female College, in honor of Rev. Wm. F. Broaddus, D. D. [*Winchester Times.*

RELIGIOUS.—Rev. David Wilson, M. D, President Maryland Conference, Methodist Protestant Church, will preach, (D. V.,) in the M. P. church at Smithfield July 12th, at 10½ o'clock, A. M.; and in the evening of the same day at Harper's Ferry, at 8 o'clock.

CAMP MEETING.—A Camp Meeting for Loudoun Circuit, M. E. Church South, will be held on the same ground of last year, (Jas. M. Benton's farm) 4 miles from of Middleburg, Va., commencing on the 20th of August.

A Brilliant Record of Cures.

An American humorist tells us that it would have been money in his pocket if he had been born without a stomach, and then proceeds to figure up the cost of a chronic dyspepsia, to which he is a martyr, and which he says it is impossible to cure. On this point, "Josh Billings," (for he is the party referred to) is mistaken. Unless his stomach differs from all other dyspeptic stomachs, Hostetter's Bitters will cure him in less than three months. This it would be safe to guarantee under any penalty. There are a few, a very few, actual specifics for disease in existence, and Hostetter's Stomach Bitters may be set down as one of them. In cases of indigestion it never fails. Persons who had suffered for many years almost every conceivable species of torture from this agonizing complaint, have been permanently cured with the Bitters in six weeks. Hundreds of such instances are on record, authenticated by the testimony of prominent men in every walk of life, eminent physicians among the number. But this celebrated vegetable preparation is something more than a stomachic and tonic. It is also an alterative of wonderful virtue. In liver complaint its effect is as direct and immediate as that of calomel or blue pill, and far more salutary; and in all diseased conditions of the bowels, notably in cases of constipation, its regulating properties are in the highest degree serviceable. The new settlements in the west and all low-lying tracts of country infested with miasmatic exhalations, so fruitful at this season, of the various types of intermittent fevers, should be always well stocked with this incomparable chologue, which will cure any case of fever and ague in a period varying from three days to three or four weeks, according to the violence of the complaint. Nervous disorders which are always aggravated by the adulterated liquors usually prescribed by physicians, are readily cured by a course of this admirable combination medicine, in which the properties of a stimulant, a tonic and alterative are happily blended.

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There is no pain which the Centaur Liniment will not relieve, no swelling it will not subdue, and no lameness which it will not cure.—This is strong language, but it is true. It has produced more cures of rheumatism, neuralgia, lock-jaw, palsy, sprains, swellings, caked breasts, scalds, burns, salt-rheum, ear-ache, &c., upon the human frame, and of strains, spavin, galls, &c., upon animals in one year than have all other pretended remedies since the world began. It is a counter-irritant, an all-healing pain reliever. Cripples throw away their crutches, the lame walk, poisonous bites are rendered harmless and the wounded are healed without a scar. It is no humbug. The recipe is published around each bottle. It is selling as no article ever before sold, and it sells because it does just what it pretends to do. Those who now suffer from rheumatism, pain or swelling deserve to suffer if they will not use Centaur Liniment. More than 1000 certificates of remarkable cures, including frozen limbs, chronic rheumatism, gout, running tumors, &c., have been received. We will send a circular containing certificates, the recipe, &c., gratis, to any one requesting it. One bottle of the yellow wrapper Centaur Liniment is worth one hundred dollars for spavined or sweenied horses and mules, or for screw-worm in sheep. Stock-owners—this tinimest is worth your attention. No family should be without Centaur Liniment. Sold by all Druggists. 50 cents per bottle; large bottles, $1.00. J. B. ROSE & Co., 53 Broadway, New York.

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October 14, 1873—1y.

BALTIMORE MARKETS.

BALTIMORE, SATURDAY, July 4, 1874.

FLOUR—Super	$4.25 a $4.75
Extra	5.25 a 6 00
Family	6 25 a 7 50
CORN MEAL, per bbl	4.25 a 4.25
WHEAT—White	1.60 a 1.60
Red	1.37 a 1.60
CORN—White	88 a 91
Yellow	80 a 83
OATS	60 a 70
RYE	90a 95
BACON—Shoulders	7¾ a 7¾
Sides	10¼ a 10¾
Hams	15 a 16
LARD	12 a 12½
SALT	1.20 a 2.35

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Physician and Surgeon, 104 Duane St.,
January 29, 1874—1y. New York.

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PUTTY, STATIONERY, &c., &c.

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☞ Persons wanting Drugs, Paints, Medicines, &c, will do well to call and examine his stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

January 28, 1873. C. E. BELLER.

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October 7, 1873.

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