THE GAZETTE.

THURSDAY MORNING, JANUARY 7, 1858.

[COMMUNICATED.

TIME—BY J. B. JOHNSON.

Cease, tawdry Festivity, thy clamorous roar! Thoughtlessness, do you not mark in your idle revelry, the parting Year's sad ceremonies? Stay your mirth, watch the receding year hurry towards the gloomy Past, and weep over the cherished joys it bears to oblivion. Perchance you wish to eschew the parting admonition, and in the social cup drown its drear forewarnings. If so, on with your glee! Let Gladness be queen of the festive board and wield her merry wand over the array to stem the pain of Memory as she wanders through the tear-bedewed avenues of the irrevocable past. But hold! Over what are you exulting? Over the lapse of destructive Time, whose course is onward and whose respite is Eternity? That you are approaching a grave all cold add cheerless? Or has some glad and long expected hour arrived to make you gay, and by its happy influence turn your thoughts from stern reflection? If so, you have indeed, a right-imperial to be merry!—But me thinks we should be most considerate in the hour of victory, and magnanimity should be a chosen guest.

Implacable Time quietly works changes, and levels many sweet and glowing prospects when the thought of our identity is lost in Life's strange and momentous strife. The obtrusive voice of Wisdom falls with asperity upon the gladdened ear, and dulls it by a wearisome recitation of long-neglected precepts, whose pertinent complainings present painful reminiscences, give to the scar of error the wonted pain of disappointment, and call the bitter tears to the seared cheek of mourning Regret. But enough of reproving speculation, for it enshrouds in its sombre tinge all the little brightness that lights the page of life, and leaves the reflecting mind to brood in melancholy over the loss of bygone pleasure, around which it sometimes loves to linger. Old Time has almost measured another circle, and comes laden with the trophies of his finished round to lay them in triumph at the feet of the New Year, and then smiling at his work, go quickly on again to repeat another cycle.

I cannot utter the last sad farewell
To thee, thou hoary and expiring year,
Without allowing mem'ry to recount
The many active conflicts I have had
During the various seasons of thy sway,
With bright-winged Hope and black Reality;
Nor can I let thee quietly escape
Beyond the limits of my finite grasp,
Without recalling silently to mind
Some of the placid hours thy full reign brought
To my tossed mind. Let me live o'er again
In fond illusion those e'er varying strifes
'Tween imminent success and quick despair!
Forgetting not how readily induced
Were the too eager longings of my soul,
To chase the idol Happiness, whose flight
In dream-delusion led attractively
Beyond my genial study's calm confines,
E'en tho' when it had gained the halcyon spot
Where bliss seemed dwelling, transient happiness
Would flee to some more charm-engirded realm,
And call me onward in the magic chase,
'Till cold Reality removed the spell,
And thus in sober tones my ear addressed.
"'Tis in the present that true pleasure dwells.
He who would break the future's reticence,
And look beyond the passing hour for joy,
In his too anxious gaze shall only see
Pungent Regret, whose every frown shall blight
The bright-hued wreath Anticipation wove.
Expected bliss is but Hope's vagary,
To lead the mind from dwelling on those charms
Which ever in the copious present lie."
While thus, she in vaticeration spoke
My mantle-clock in slow grief-telling tones
Told the last moment of the passing year,
And stilled the motion of my busy pen.

December 31, 1857.

FORGERY BY A DOG.

A large dog had been accustomed to get bits of money from his master to go to a meat stall to get his lunch of fresh meat. One day when change was short, his master gave Growler a piece of white paper on which was an order for the meat. The dog, after much urging, carried it to the meat stall and received his food, and so for several days; when, thinking one piece of paper was as good as another, he would pick up pieces of white paper and carry them to the stall without applying to his master. It was not long before a long bill came in from the meat dealer, who had such confidence in the dog, that he did not think to look at the paper, and the dog himself was very fat. No arrest was made, and the dog occupies as respectable a position in society as ever.—*Bangor Union.*

NOT WON BY DOMINOES.

Two of our good looking young bachelors, an evening or two since, agreed to decide their claims to the hand of a young lady in the village by a quiet game of dominoes, the losing party agreeing to use his influence to secure the success of the other. The game was played, the winner was invested at once with a "quit claim" title, and he forthwith furnished a beverage known as *Thomas* and *Jeremiah*, to heal the lacerated heart of his unfortunate rival. So far all well; but it has since been discovered that the girl had concluded long ago that *neither* of them would suit her.—*McGregor (Ohio) Times.*

NOTICE.—The co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm and name of *SCHOOLHERR & CO.* corner of King and Royal streets, has this day been dissolved by mutual agreement. All claims against, and due to, the firm, will be settled by SCHOOLHERR & BRO., alone 108, King st.
SAMUEL SCHOOLHERR,
LOUIS SCHOOLHERR,
ISAAC ROSENTHAL.
SCHOOLHERR & BRO., will continue the business. jan 5—3t

NOTICE.—We respectfully notify all persons having open accounts on our books that their bills have been indiscriminately made off for issue up to this date, and are ready for delivery. Those preferring not to have them sent in will find their accounts ready at our desk.
In view of the troubles still existing in the country in relation to monetary affairs, we beg that all will speedily comply with the wish we indicate by this notice.
CLAGETT & DODSON.
Washington, jan 1—d3w

NOTICE.—The co-partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the firm of *NEVETT & SNOWDEN*, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the concern are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them to Jas. C. Nevett, who is authorized to settle the business, and sign the name of the firm in liquidation. JAS. C. NEVETT.
jan 1—1w WM. SNOWDEN.

WINDOW SHADES AND CURTAIN GOODS, IN GREAT VARIETY AND VERY LOW PRICES AT *J. P. CLARKE'S Curtain Store, No. 158, King-street*—Persons in want of WINDOW CURTAINS will find at this establishment the largest, best, and cheapest assortment in this city. Brocatelle, Satin DeLaine, Worsted, Damask, Lace, and Muslin CURTAINS and CURTAIN MATERIALS, of every style and quality. Rich Gilt Cornices, Gimps, Tassels, Cord, Racks, Roller Ends, Brackets, and all kinds of Window Fixtures, and Decorations.
nov 30

MERINO BUCKS.—Twelve full blood MERINO BUCKS, of very superior quality, for sale, or to be exchanged for good Southdown Bucks. For terms, apply to the Overseer on the farm of Mount Zephyr, Fairfax County, Va., or to AARON LEGGETT.
Fairfax County, Va., dec 25—eo2w

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, WOODSTOCK, SHENANDOAH COUNTY, Dec. 8, 1857.—Geo. F. Hupp, plaintiff, and Hugh Gilleece, Alexander Brown, and Henry Rodenhisen, defendants; and Giles Cook, trustee; John C. Richardson, Samuel C. Richardson, dec'd., legal representatives; Richardson & Fishback, B. M. Daus, Wheat & Bro., David R. Clem, Morgan Wakeman, Daniel Cullen, John Vassa, Israel Burner, William Foss, John S. Hupp, Thomas Steed, James Kem, Edward Teanney, Taylor & Hutchison, Shinn & Son, Abraham Nutton, Green & Walker, McVeigh & Chamberlain, Harper & Bro., John Strauss, —— McGreger, John G. Buck, —— Fishback, John Walter, —— Baldwin, Joseph P. Mahanny, Otho W. Ridgeway, —— Ridgeway, T. C. Creighton & Co., Henry Singer, and Henry R. Richards, creditors in the deeds of trust mentioned in the proceedings.—You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon the 15th day of January next, at my office, to take an account, to ascertain what debts are now due the respective creditors of Gilleece & Co., in the deed of trust to Giles Cook, and the creditors claiming under the deed of trust to Henry Rodenhisen, trustee, and, also, take an account so as to ascertain what is due from the said Gilleece & Co., upon the purchase of the furnace and personal property, and, also, to ascertain the expenses incurred by D. R. Clem in carrying on the furnace by him, required to be taken and ascertained by a decree of the Circuit Court of Shenandoah County, rendered at the August term, 1857, in a suit in Chancery, depending in the said Court between George F. Hupp, plaintiff, and Hugh Gilleece, dec'd., defendants; at which time and place the parties plaintiffs and defendants, and the said creditors in the deeds of trust, and all others concerned, are required to attend, and prove their respective claims.
Given under my hand as Commissioner in Chancery of the said Court, the day and year first aforesaid. J. HAAS, Commissioner.
Woodstock, Shenandoah Co., Va., dec 10—eotd

CLIFTON PREPARATORY SCHOOL.—The first session of this School will be opened on the 1st of October, 1857, and close on the 31st of July, 1858. The design of the School is thoroughly to prepare youths for college, more especially for the University of Virginia. The course of study will embrace everything included in the degree of Master of Arts at our University.
The school will be situated in the mountains of Fauquier, a region well known for its healthy climate and beautiful scenery; will be two miles south of Markham Station on the Manassas Gap Railroad, and sixty miles from Alexandria.
Terms: $225, semi-annually in advance, viz: $112.50 on the 1st of October and $112.50 on the 1st of March.
For further particulars, apply to the Principal, at Charlestown, Jefferson county, Va., until July 1st, 1857, after that at Markham Station, Fauquier, Va.
REFERENCES:
Rev. J. P. McGuire, Rector of E. H. S., Va.
Trustees of Charlestown Academy, Jefferson county, Va.
Mr. A. T. Bledsoe, Professor of Mathematics, University of Virginia.
Dr. G. Harrison, Professor of Ancient Languages, University of Virginia.
Dr. Schele De Vere, Professor of Modern Languages, University of Virginia.
Dr. McGuffie, Professor of Moral Philosophy, University of Virginia.
Mr. Francis Smith, Professor of Natural Philosophy, University of Virginia.
R. JAQUELIN AMBLER, Principal.
Charlestown, Jefferson co., feb 20—eott

ALBEMARLE FEMALE INSTITUTE.—LOCATED AT CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.
Associate Principals for General Management:
JOHN HART, M. A.,
ALEX. P. ABELL.
FACULTY FOR COLLEGIATE DEPARTMENT:
JOHN HART, M. A., Moral Philosophy and Mathematics.
CRAWFORD H. TOY, M. A., Natural Sciences, History, and Literature.
WILLIAM N. BRONAUGH, M. A., Ancient Languages and Modern Languages.
JAMES M. DEEMS, Music, Vocal and Instrumental.
———, (to be appointed.) Drawing, Painting, &c.
PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT.
The Pupils in this Department, studying the common English subjects, with the rudiments of Latin, French, and Mathematics, have the advantages of being taught, in large part, by the gentlemen above named—all Virginians, and graduates of the University of Virginia—besides which, competent Female teachers will be employed. Unusual efficiency, it is thought, will thus be given to this important Department.
The next session begins September 15th, and ends the last of June. For terms, &c., apply to either of the Principals, or to
Rev. JOHN A. BROADUS, President
Board of Trustees, Charlottesville, Va.
jy 21—eotf

I INVITE CITIZENS and strangers to call at my manufactory, No. 141, King street, between Washington and St. Asaph streets, and examine my large and handsome assortment of SADDLERY GOODS, as I do not intend to be surpassed in my line of business, by any other city. I have on hand, and am daily manufacturing as fine and superior an assortment, as can be found in any of the Northern cities. My stock comprises as great a variety as can be found in any other house, consisting of HARNESS, of all kinds, from the fine quill work down to the dray, cart, and plow Harness—TRUNKS, of every kind, fine SOLE LEATHER, Steel Spring Iron frame Ladies TRUNKS AND BONNET BOXES, and all other kinds down to the common packing Trunks; SADDLES, BRIDLES, MARTINGALES, WHIPS, &c., as fine as the finest; Buffalo and fancy ROBES, DRIVING GLOVES, HORSE COVERS, CARPET BAGS, VALICES, &c., &c., of all kinds. Call and see for yourselves.
Thankful for the very liberal patronage heretofore extended, solicit a continuance of the same, and I pledge myself to spare no pains to give satisfaction. All GOODS warranted to be as represented. WILLIAM F. PADGETT.
oct 31—tf

CABINET, CHAIR AND SOFA MANUFACTORY, No. 130, *King street, Alexandria, Va.*—Having lately fitted up one of the handsomest and most spacious ware-rooms in the city, for the FURNITURE BUSINESS, I respectfully invite public attention to my large stock of FURNITURE, which I am constantly increasing. Persons visiting our city will find it to their advantage to give me a call as the range of my GOODS in respect to quality and price, is such as to cover the wants and views of all.—My stock comprises Mahogany Sofas, Rocking, Cane and Wood seat Sitting Chairs, Sideboards, Dressing Bureaus, (marble top and plain;) marble top and plain Wash Stands, marble top Sofa, Card, Book and fancy Tables, Cottage Set, Bedsteads, of all patterns; such as high, Fielding, French, low-post, and Trundle Bedsteads, several patterns of Cottage Bedsteads, Hatracks, Wardrobes, Looking Glasses, and a large number of other articles embraced in the business.
☞ Beds, Bolsters, Pillows, Mattresses, &c., constantly on hand.
oct 2—tf JAMES H. DEVAUGHN.

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE—
90 boxes Raisins, whole, half, and quar.
25 drums Figs
5 bales Almonds
1 sack paper shell do
6 boxes Citron
20 boxes Fire Crackers
12,000 Torpedoes
Filberts, Cream Nuts, and Peanuts
1 bbl Cranberries; 1 cask Currants; 1 case fresh Prunes; 500 Sweet Oranges; 3 boxes Sour do.; 3 boxes Lemons.
Also, a fine assortment of TOYS and FANCY ARTICLES, suitable for Christmas, with a great variety of Fancy CANDY, and Candy of my own manufacture, which I offer for sale as low as any other establishment in this city.
C. SCHAFER, Confectioner,
dec 21 No. 3, Fairfax st., north of King st.

ANY ONE wishing to purchase one of the most beautiful and desirable FARMS on the Orange and Alexandria Railroad, about 38 miles from Alexandria, will do well make to immediate application to
R. B. WILLIAMSON.
Warrenton, sep 10—eotf

DRUGS, CHEMICALS, &c.

DRUGS, &c.—Opium; Adhesive Plaster; Gum Aloes; Arsenic, Bermuda Arrow Root; Pearl Barley; Cloves; Cinnamon; Mace; Ground Mace; Bi Carb. Soda; Salad Oil; Common Glue; Calabria Liquorice, just received, and for sale by JAS. ENTWISLE, Jr.,
dec 30 Apothecary, No. 94, King st.

PULMONARY BALSAM FOR COUGHS, COLDS, &c.—This valuable medicine has been extensively used in this city for two years, and has never been known to fail in giving satisfaction in a single instance. To be found at
MILBURN'S Drug Store.
☞ Price 50 cents. dec 25

CAMPHOR BALLS, justly celebrated for chapped hands, face, all eruptions of the skin, beautifying the complexion, &c., freshly prepared, and for sale by
DR. R. H. STABLER,
dec 22 No. 165 King st., cor. of Washington.

ELLIS'S SOLUTION CITRATE MAGNESIA; Spermaceti; Chloroform; Palm Soap in bars; Lemon and Raspberry Gum Drops; Infant Powder; just received, and for sale by
JAMES ENTWISLE, Jr.,
jan 1 Apothecary, No. 94, King-street.

COOPER'S SHRED ISINGLASS; McAllister's All-Healing Ointment; genuine Harlem Oil; Vienna Matches; Bachelor's Hair Dye; Preston & Merrill's Yeast Powder, just received, and for sale by JAS. ENTWISLE, Jr.,
dec 31 Apothecary, No. 94, King-st.

STABLER'S AGUE AND FEVER SPECIFIC, for the cure of Ague and Fever, Night Sweats, Nervous Fevers, &c. Prepared by
DR. R. H. STABLER,
dec 23 No. 165, King st., cor. of Washington.

FINE HAVANA SEGARS AND CRUMPTON'S CHEWING TOBACCO, a large supply, just received, and for sale by
J. WILLIAM BOWLING,
dec 16 62, cor. of Fairfax and Prince-sts.

LEMON, TOLU, AND RASPBURY JELLY Gum Drops; also, Jujube Paste, just received, and for sale by WM. A. HART,
No. 109 King street, cor. Pitt.
☞ Sign of the Golden Mortar. nov 25

OIL! OIL!!—Salad Oil, Solar Oil, Linseed, Whale, Machine, Neatsfoot, Olive, Castor, Sperm, Train, and Tanners' Oil, &c., received, and for sale by HENRY COOK & CO.,
dec 31 Sarepta Hall.

GLYCERINE SOAP, for rendering the skin white and soft, and preventing its chapping, a full supply of the genuine article, received, and for sale by
dec 29 H. COOK & CO., Sarepta Hall.

DR. CHAPMAN'S RHEUMATIC LINIMENT, or external remedy for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Lumbago, &c. Prepared, and for sale by DR. R. H. STABLER.
dec 29 No. 165, King-st., cor. Washington.

A LARGE and well selected stock of Drugs, Chemicals, and Perfumes, on hand and for sale by J. WILLIAM BOWLING,
dec 16 corner of Fairfax and Prince sts.

STABLER'S LIQUID HAIR DYE.—A full supply on hand, and for sale by
DR. R. H. STABLER.
dec 15 No. 165 King st., cor. of Wash.

WASHINGTON SEGARS.—Another supply of this favorite brand of superior Havana Segars, just received and for sale at
dec 12 MILBURN'S Drug Store.

SPONGES, fine and coarse; Mutton Suet, Lip Balm, and Cold Cream, for sale by
PEEL, STEVENS & CO.,
dec 31 corner of King and Alfred sts.

A FINE ASSORTMENT of Cigars and Tobacco, on hand, and for sale by
PEEL, STEVENS & CO.,
dec 29 corner of King and Alfred sts.

PURE PORT WINE AND FRENCH BRANDY, for Medicinal Purposes.—A full supply of the above for sale by
nov 30 STONE & CO., No. 122 King-st.

MASON'S BLACKING, a full supply, received, and for sale by
dec 25 H. COOK & CO., Sarepta Hall.

ETHEREAL OIL AND ALCOHOL, for sale by PEEL, STEVENS & CO.,
dec 31 corner of King and Alfred sts.

RAT KILLER, a certain remedy, prepared by DR. R. H. STABLER.
dec 29 No. 165, King st. cor. of Wash.

COX'S GELATINE and French Gelatine, a full supply, received, and for sale by
dec 29 H. COOK & CO., Sarepta Hall.

VIRGINIA HONEY.—A nice lot of Strained Honey, just received and for sale by
dec 17 J. A. MILBURN, Druggist.

CHINA, GLASS AND EARTHEN-WARE.—*R. H. MILLER SON & CO., Importers*, have received two instalments of their fall supplies from the English Potteries, and will continue to receive accessions to their stock till the business season sets in.
R. H. MILLER, SON & CO., can assure their friends and customers as well as all others from the interior, that their stock shall be of the most desirable description, and that their prices will compare favorably with those of any dealers in their line, in any other markets in the United States.
R. H. MILLER, SON & CO., have prepared themselves to offer to Virginia Merchants, every inducement to make their purchases in their line, within the limits of the Commonwealth.
WINDOW GLASS.—They have just received via Antwerp and New York, from the great manufactory of "Roux," near Brussels, 1143 boxes FRENCH WINDOW GLASS, of superior quality, and of different thicknesses, which they have imported under such circumstances as to enable them to offer a superior article at very moderate prices. 8 mo 24

ALEXANDRIA LIVERY AND SALE STABLE.—Will be opened on Tuesday, September 1st, *at the corner of Queen and Fairfax streets, one square north of Newton's Hotel*, the LIVERY STABLE recently erected by the subscriber, where may be had at all times HORSES AND BUGGIES, RIDING HORSES, &c., &c. The proprietor will also receive HORSES on sale, and at Livery. All Horses sold at my Stable will be sold as though they were my own, and prompt returns will be made. Commission for the sale of HORSES entrusted to my care moderate. My Stables are fitted up in the best style, and the business will receive my personal attention. Gentlemen in the country having Horses for sale or exchange, are referred to any of the merchants of Alexandria.
aug 28—eotf THOMAS COYLE.

TOBACCO AND SEGAR WAREHOUSE.—*BAYNE & STEWART, Alexandria, Va.*—Our stock of TOBACCO, SEGARS, SNUFF, PIPES, &c., is very large, and embraces the greatest variety ever offered in this market.
Pound lumps, low priced; do. do. fine grades
Do. do., extra quality; Loose Pressed
People's Favorite; People's Luxury; El Dorado
Planter's Choice; Esmeralda; Heart's Ease
Fig Tobacco; Luxury of the People
Hunter's ½ lb.; Barrow's ½ do.; Sweet Orange ½ do
Fillibuster ½ do.; People's Favorite ½ do
Apricott Tobacco; 5's, 7's, and 10's to the pound, small twist, &c.; Lynchburg and other Smoking TOBACCO, in bbls. and papers; a very large stock of SEGARS, Foreign and Domestic; all kinds of SNUFF in kegs, bottles, papers, and bladders; Garrett's & Star's brand, to which we invite the attention of the trade. sep 12

THE subscriber offers FOR RENT the well known FISHING SHORE, in Charles County, Maryland, adjoining Smith's Point, and opposite Aquia Creek. The SHORE is considered a good one, and will be rented low.—The above FISHERY, and FARM, which contains about 280 ACRES, is offered at private sale. For further particulars, address J. F. ADDISON, Alexandria. A. ADDISON,
Surviving partner of Addison & Cockrell.
dec 8—eotf

FOR SALE OR LEASE.—A vacant LOT on the west side of Union street, opposite the Fish Wharf, 52 feet front by about 140 feet deep, with an alley in the rear 20 feet wide. Apply to [1st mo 26] R. H. MILLER.

DRY GOODS, &c.

THE BUSINESS HERETOFORE existing under the name and style of *MEYENBURG, BRO. & CO.*, will from this date be carried on at the old stand, under the name of *S. & W. MEYENBURG.* All persons indebted to the late firm, are requested to come forward and settle their accounts either by cash or note.
We return our sincere thanks to our customers and the public generally, for the patronage hitherto bestowed upon us, and hope that the new firm may continue to meet the just expectations of former customers.
MEYENBERG, BRO. & CO.
Alexandria, January 1st, 1858.

WE INVITE the attention of the customers of the old firm and the public generally, to our stock of NOTIONS, DRY, FANCY AND MILLINERY GOODS, which we will sell as low as any other house in the country.
S. & W. MEYENBERG,
jan 5— Sarepta Hall, No. 85, King-st.

BRYAN, ADAMS & CO., have just received, a very desirable lot of SEASONABLE DRY GOODS, which they are prepared to sell low, for cash, or to punctual customers. We name in part:—
A lot of very desirable rib'd Cassimeres
Blue and Cadet mixed Cassinett
Red and White Flannels
Lead colored Jeans, colored Cambrics
Brown and Bleached Cottons
Bleached and Brown Drillings
Woollen Shirts and Drawers
D'Bages, Alpacas, and Orleans Cloths
Linseys, Kerseys, Blankets, &c.
dec 23—d6t&eo3w

NEW DRY GOODS.—18 dozen new style Comforts; Gents. Shawls, Lamb's Wool Shirts and Drawers, Ladies' Silk and Merino Vests; Kid, Silk, and Buck Gloves; Fleeced Cotton Hose, Canton Flannels, Coburgs, Plaid Silks, Opera Flannels, French Worked Collars, Canton Cloths and Alpaccas, 75 pieces Black Velvet Ribbons, Bleached and Brown Cotton, in great variety; heavy undressed Irish Linens, 11-4 Bleached Sheetings, Russia Diaper, Crash, &c., for sale low, by
dec 9 TAYLOR & HUTCHISON.

STILL THEY COME.—Just received—
20 pieces beautiful Mouslins at 25 cts
3 " Black French Mouslins
5 " French Merino
100 " Fancy Prints, 6 to 12½ cts., cheap
100 " Bleached Cottons
10 " superior Irish Linens
10 " Cassinets and Tweeds
25 pairs superior Bed Blankets
100 " Servant's do.
Tickings, Osnaburgs, Brown Cottons, Canton Flannels, &c. [dec 8] WITMERS & CO.

GREAT BARGAINS.—Just received—
French Mouslins and Cashmeres
Wool and Union Plaids, DeBazes
Ladies' square and long Shawls
Fancy Prints, beautiful patterns
French Worked Collars and Sleeves
Coburg Cloths, French Merinoes
Jose Flannels, plain and figured, with a great many desirable GOODS, just opened, and offered on the very best terms.
dec 2 BERKLEY & SHACKLETT.

TO ARRIVE THIS DAY.—40 pieces new style Calicoes; 20 do. Brown and Lead Jeans. Also, DeBages, Coburgs, Kid Gloves, Brass Hoops, Black Velvet Ribbons, Bonnet Ribbons, Gents. Long Shawls, Neck Comforts in great variety, French Worked Collars, Ladies and Misses Silk Gloves, Lambs Wool and Cashmere Hose, for sale at prices to suit the times, by [dec 24] TAYLOR & HUTCHISON.

JUST OPENED—NEW GOODS.—
Mouslines, Cashmeres, Plaids
Fancy Prints, Ginghams, DeBazes
Plaid Linseys, Fulled Cloths
Flannels, Blankets; a few of those best Gentlemen's Shawls on hand. Call early, as bargains can be had.
dec 23 BERKLEY & SHACKLETT.

LADIES' CLOAKS.—We have on hand, a lot of CLOAKS, and being desirous of closing out the lot, they will be sold very cheap; also, a lot of French Worked Sleeves and Collars, which will be sold low.
J. F. & L. A. LARKIN,
jan 1 No. 64, King-street.

NOTICE.—Our semi-annual bills will be ready for presentation on Saturday, January 2d, 1858. Our friends will confer on us an especial favor at this particular time, by giving them their early attention.
dec 30 TAYLOR & HUTCHISON.

WE HAVE NOW an elegant assortment of Ladies' Cloaks, Black, Gray, and Brown; Plush and Cloth Shawls, Mouslines, Merinoes, and Cashmeres for Dresses, all of which we are selling at a great reduction on this Falls' prices. [dec 24] ASHBY & WOOD.

HOSIERY, GLOVES, &c., FOR THE WINTER.—Lambs' Wool, Merino, and Silk Hosiery; Ladies' Gloves, in Merino, Silk, Kid, &c.; Gentlemen's do. in great variety; Boys' and Misses' do.; Gentlemens' Shawls, do. do.
dec 25 ASHBY & WOOD.

BLANKETS! BLANKETS!!—We are now offering an elegant assortment of Servants' and Bed Blankets; also, Flannels, all prices and qualities to which we call attention of dealers generally. [dec 25] ASHBY & WOOD.

HARDWARE, CUTLERY, &c.

IRON, HORSE SHOES,
ELIPTIC SPRINGS, &c., &c.
C. M. CASTLEMAN, No. 63, King-st.,
CORNER OF MARKET ALLEY.
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
AMERICAN AND ENGLISH
REFINED BAR AND SHEET IRON,
Cast, Shear, and Spring Steel.
Elliptic Springs, Carriage and Cart Axles
Blacksmith's Bellows, Anvils, Vices, &c.
A general assortment of the above named articles will be kept constantly on hand, together with other articles too tedious to mention.
☞ Merchants and consumers are respectfully invited to call and examine my stock before purchasing. Orders will be promptly attended to. dec 10

BUILDING HARDWARE.—The subscribers would call attention to their large an excellent stock of LOCKS, LATCHES, HINGES, &c., lately replenished from the best factory in the United States. It comprises everything necessary for a first class building.—We invite inspection from all in want, confident that the stock cannot be surpassed in variety or quality, and being determined to sell at low prices. W. H. BARLEY & CO.,
dec 10 No. 99, corner King and Royal sts

GUNS! GUNS!! GUNS!!!—Any one wanting a GUN, will find it to their advantage to call on the subscribers, who have a large stock, some very fine, which they will sell low.
Also, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cleaning Rods, &c., in great variety.—Those in want of bargains will please call on
W. H. BARLEY & CO.,
dec 9 No. 99, King-street.

NEW AND DESIRABLE MEAT CUTTERS FOR SAUSAGE AND MINCE MEAT, a good article, at much less than last year's prices, for sale by
W. H. BARLEY & CO.,
dec 15 cor. King & Royal sts.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, &c.

CORN AND COB MILLS.—The Little Giant Corn and Cob Mills, guaranteed in every respect. No. 2 Mill warrant to grind ten bushels of feed per hour with one horse. No. 3 Mill will grind fifteen bushels, and No. 4 twenty bushels per hour, with two horses, for sale low by
dec 22 ADDISON, WALLACE & CO.

200 BUSHELS FRESH ORCHARD GRASS SEED, just received, and for sale by DRAYTON G. MEADE.
oct 28 No. 12 Fairfax-street.

50 BUSHELS PRIME CLOVER SEED, on hand, and for sale by
dec 5 ADDISON, WALLACE & CO.

$8000 ORANGE AND ALEXANDRIA RAILROAD BONDS, for sale at lowest market rates.
dec 30—tf CORSE BROTHERS.

GROCERIES, &c.

10 HHDS. PORTO RICO SUGAR
25 bbls. Crushed and Pulverized Sugar
35 " C. Yellow Refined Sugar
10 hhds. Muscovado Molasses
15 bbls. prime Golden Syrup
55 bags Rio Coffee
15 " Grain Pepper
100 " Shot, assorted numbers
50 boxes prime Dairy Cheese
35 " Adamantine Candles
50 " Tallow "
20 " Cavendish Tobacco, low priced, just received, and for sale by
McVEIGH & CHAMBERLAIN,
dec 22 Prince street Wharf.

FRESH ARRIVAL.—
5 hhds. Muscavado Sugar
5 " Porto Rico do
5 " Porto Rico Molasses
25 bags Rio Coffee, (Green)
19 " " (Light)
25 boxes large Raisins
5 bags Black Pepper.
GRAY, MILLER & CO.,
dec 21 corner of King and Water-sts.

25 BARRELS RECTIFIED WHISKEY.—
10 bbls. Old Whiskey
5 " superior, warranted 10 years old
10 " Malaga Wine
5 " Port "
5 casks Madeira "
10 bbls Domestic Brandy
5 ½ cask superior "
5 hhds. Brown Sugar, part prime; 5 bbls. Crushed Sugar; 20 boxes Mould Candles; 20 do. Brown Soap; 10 do. Adamantine Candles; 20 dozen Demijohns; 10 do. 5 and 10 gallon Kegs; 20 do. gross Matches; twenty thousand Segars; 20 bbls. pure Cider Vinegar; 5 boxes Ground Coffee; 10 boxes Pipes; 20 doz. Brooms, for sale low, by [oct 27] W. M. SMITH.

D. & S. BLACKLOCK, *GROCERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS*, BLACKLOCK'S WHARF, invite the attention of dealers to their STOCK OF GROCERIES, which they offer on accommodating terms:
45 hhds. P. R. and E. I. Sugars
50 pack'gs. Loaf, Crushed, and Clarified Sugars
80 hhds. and bbls. Cuba and N. O Molasses
185 bags Rio, Laguira, Maricaibo, and Java Coffee
75 ½ chests Y. H., G. P., and Black Teas
200 boxes Mould, Adamantine, and Sperm Candles
100 boxes Black, Yellow, and Fancy Soap
500 reams Wrapping and Tea paper. For sale by D. & S. BLACKLOCK,
ap 3 Blacklock's Wharf.

LIQUORS.—150 bbls Rectified Whiskey
75 bbls. Old Rye Whiskey
25 " Cincinnati pure Rye Whiskey
25 " New England Rum
20 " Apple Brandy
30 " Domestic Brandy
15 " Gin; 10 do Bourbon Whiskey
2 pipes Holland Gin
2 do. Jamaica Spirits, (old.) 10 barrels Peach Brandy; 50 ⅝ casks Cherry Brandy; 10 bbls. Blackberry Brandy; 10 do. Ginger Brandy; 20 do. Peppermint and Cinnamon Cordials, with Stout, Ale, Porter, Demijohns, &c., to which the attention of the trade is invited.
F. A. MARBURY,
mh 20 No. 14, Fowle's Wharf.

FISH.—50 bbls. No. 3 Mackerel
11 half bbls. No. 3, large, do
112 bbls. Round Herrings
200 " Cut do
65 " Gross do
200 " Alewives
5 " Trout
7 boxes Hake
5 half boxes Hake, daily expected, and for sale by [nov 11] FOWLE & CO.

HARRIS'S TOBACCO.—The undersigned have just received a lot of very choice TOBACCO, consisting in part of the following brands, and to which they call the attention of the trade—
24 kegs "Luxury of the People"
12 " "Apricot"
24 Caddy boxes "People's Favourite," ½ ℔
50 " " "Game Cock."
nov 30—3m KNOX & BRO.

HAVING purchased the entire interest of JAMES ROACH, in the late firm of WASHINGTON & CO., I will continue the GROCERY, LIQUOR and COMMISSION BUSINESS, at the old stand, No. 11, North Union street, under the name and style of WASHINGTON & CO. I return my thanks for the liberal patronage extended to the late firm, and respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.
sep 12 GEO. WASHINGTON.

D. S. GWIN & SON, GENERAL COMMISSION, GROCERS AND FORWARDING MERCHANTS will devote strict attention to the sale of FLOUR, WHEAT, CORN, and all kinds of Country Produce—to the purchase of Guano, Plaster, &c., and to every thing pertaining to our line of business, No. 6 Union street, Alexandria, Va. aug 14—tf

WE are now receiving the following LIQUORS, which we offer for sale low, viz:
25 bbls. Rectified Whiskey
18 " Pure Old Monongahela
20 cases "Old Wheat Whiskey"
25 baskets Champagne Wine. Together with Wines, Brandies, Gin, &c., of all qualities.
nov 16 POWELL & CO.

THIS DAY RECEIVED 150 bbls. Extra Flour, 50 bbls. Superior Family Flour; also, Green and Dried Apples, Butter, Lard, Eggs, &c.
I have just received my Winter supply of GROCERIES, to which I invite attention.
dec 14 ZEPH ENGLISH.

STORAGE.—Having taken in charge the large and commodious Warehouse on Union street, formerly occupied by F. Coyle; also, the one on the Collyer Wharf, persons wishing Storage for grain or other articles, can be accommodated at the usual rates, by applying to
dec 8 M. ELDRIDGE, Union Wharf.

JUST RECEIVED—
300 bbls. best Rockingham Extra Flour
200 do. do. do. Superfine
50 do. do. do. Family
Also, Welch's Premium Family Flour, in store, and for sale, by
dec 21 S. HARTLEY & SON.

LIQUORS.—10 ¼ casks superior Madeira and Sherry Wine
5 ¼ casks fine old Port Wine
2 ½ pipes "Henesey" Brandy, 1849
1 pipe pure Holland Gin, for sale low for cash, by T. A. BREWIS & CO.
nov 21—eod2m

FAMILY FLOUR.—50 bbls. Jonathan Ewers' Family Flour, a very superior article, for sale by C. F. SUTTLE & CO.
dec 14

PATAPSCO FAMILY FLOUR, in barrels and bags, of superior quality, just received from Baltimore, and for sale by
dec 21 JOHN A. DIXON.

40 WHOLE, HALF, AND QUARTER boxes fresh Raisins, Citron, Currants, Cranberries, and Figs, just received, and for sale by [dec 18] DAVY & HARMON.

25 BOXES Eastern and Fine Apple Cheese, just received, and for sale by
dec 19 DAVY & HARMON.

TAR.—100 bbls. TAR, in good order, now landing per Schr. Emma, and for sale by
dec 25 WHEAT & BRO.

FEATHERS.—1000 lbs. Live Geese Feathers, (part prime,) for sale by
dec 25 WHEAT & BRO.

700 LBS. superior Buckwheat FLOUR, in store, and for sale by
jan 1 [Sent] FORD & WICKLIFFE.

NAILS.—500 kegs Nails, received per Schr. Ocean Wave, for sale by
dec 25 WHEAT & BRO.

25 PACKAGES CRUSHED AND REFINED SUGAR just received, and for sale by [dec 21] JOHN A. DIXON.

40 FIRKINS LARD, in store, and for sale by PERRY, PENNYBACKER & CO.
dec 23

CLOTHING.

WILLIAM D. MASSEY, MERCHANT TAILOR, would respectfully call the attention of the public, to his stock of GOODS, suitable for Gentlemen's wear, consisting of Black, Blue, Brown, and Olive FRENCH CLOTHS, Queercord and Tricot do.; French, English, and Scotch CASSIMERES, of every shade and style; Velvet, Silk, Satin, Cashmere, and Embroidered VEST PATTERNS, of the latest style and best material; also, READY-MADE CLOTHING, AND FURNISHING GOODS, such as Frock, Dress, Business, Over, and Raglan COATS; Plain and Fancy Cassimere PANTALOONS, Velvet, Cashmere, Cloth, Satin, Silk, and Varona VESTS; fine Dress Shirts and Collars; Undershirts and Drawers; Silk and Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs; Gloves; Cravats; Suspenders, and Half Hose, with many other articles which must be seen to be appreciated. All articles of dress made to order, and warranted to give satisfaction. Thankful for the patronage heretofore received, a continuance of the same is solicited, with the assurance that no effort shall be spared to please. No. 92, south side of King street. oct 8—tf

GRAND OPENING OF GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS.—The subscriber takes pleasure in informing his friends and the public generally, that he has received, and is now opening his Fall and Winter stock of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VELVET AND SILK VESTINGS; also, a general and varied assortment of GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, all of which have been purchased upon the best terms. As I am determined to keep a stock of first class goods, I invite gentlemen to call and examine before they make their purchases, as I am sure I can please both as to price and style. I name in part, Cloths, all shades; Black and Fancy Cassimeres, Velvet Vesting, of the latest styles; Black and Fancy Silk do.; Merino Shirts and Drawers; Silk do.; latest style; Neck Ties and Scarfs; new style Byron Collars; Dress Shirts, of very superior quality, Fancy