

THE GAZETTE.

SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 8, 1858.

REVOLUTIONARY REMINISCENCES.

From a communication in the Natchez Courier, by Capt. Jas. S. Johnson, we copy the following relating to RICHARD HENRY LEE. The writer quotes Mr. Wirt's description of Patrick Henry's appearance, and his first effort in the old Continental Congress, in 1774:

"He was followed by Mr. Richard Henry Lee, who charmed the house with a different kind of eloquence, chaste, classical, beautiful; his polished periods rolling along without effort, filling the ear with the most bewitching harmony, and delighting the mind with the most exquisite imagery. The cultivated graces of Mr. Lee's rhetoric received, and at the same time reflected beauty, by their contrast with the wild and grand effusions of Mr. Henry. Just as those noble monuments of art which lie scattered through the celebrated landscape at Naples, at once adorn, and are in their turn adorned, by the surrounding majesty of Nature, each so perfect in its kind, as to finely contrasted, could not but fill the house with admiration; and Mr. Henry had before pronounced the celebrated Declaration of Independence, and it was conceded on every hand, that Mr. Lee was the Cicero of America."

"Such is Mr. Wirt's brilliant description of the memorable scene in old Independence Hall—a scene which, on many occasions, may be said to have presented a spectacle of moral sublimity hardly to be surpassed by any recorded in the history of those eventful times. We afterwards find Mr. Lee, on an occasion scarcely less august than that of 1774, again following and supporting, with his polished declamation, the great talisman of the revolution, at a moment when the hearts and passions of all hearers, lay spell-bound beneath the wand of the mighty magician. Within the walls of that venerable colonial pile, the time-hallowed Episcopal Church of St. John, at Richmond, whose antique proportions still crown, as with a wreath of glory, the summit of one of those many beautiful hills, on which the present capital of the Old Dominion stands, assembled the famous Virginia Convention of 1775. The hall, composed of delegates from all the counties and principal cities of the State, met to consider and consult upon the action of the late Congress, held at Carpenter's Hall, in Philadelphia. It contained many men who, although true and faithful patriots, and ardently attached to the cause of American liberty, were, nevertheless, at that time, opposed to an immediate rupture with the parent government, preferring to depend still further on measures of conciliation, and wishing to try still longer, the policy of peaceful submission."

"Mr. Henry, as yet, disinterested from this course. Like the good Chancellor Wythe, Robert Carter Nicholas, and other equally trusted patriots of that period, he thought the cup of submission to British tyranny had been drained. He was a devout believer in the maxim, "Resistance to tyrants is obedience to God," and he thought the time for resistance had come. He, therefore, prepared and introduced his celebrated resolutions, proposing an immediate organization of the rights of the colony. It was in support of these resolutions, that he electrified the Convention with that tremendous burst of impassioned eloquence, described by so many of his contemporaries, as amongst the sublimest and most transcendent exhibitions of his genius. In that remarkable speech, he combated and put to flight all hope entertained by others, of a peaceful solution of existing problems, like a knell in their ears, those words of appalling omen—"We must fight! I repeat it, sir, we must fight!" An appeal to the God of hosts, in all that is left us! War is inevitable, and let it come! I repeat it, sir, let it come! I know not what course others may take, but as for me, give me liberty, or give me death!"

"In commenting on this speech, and the overwhelming effect it produced upon its hearers, Mr. Henry's biographer, already quoted, says: "He took his seat. No murmur of applause was heard—the effect was too deep. After the trance of a moment, several members started from their seats. The cry, "to arms," seemed to quiver on every lip, and gleam from every eye. Richard Henry Lee arose and supported Mr. Henry with his usual spirit and eloquence. But his melody was lost amid the agitations of that occasion, and the master spirit of the assembly had lifted up his voice. The spontaneous voice still sounded in their ears and shivered along their arteries. They heard in every pause the cry of "Liberty or Death." They became impatient of speech—their souls were on fire for action."

"The resolutions were passed, and Richard Henry Lee was put on the Committee with George Washington and others, to carry them into effect. Mr. Lee next makes his appearance on the revolutionary stage, as a delegate from Virginia to the extraordinary Congress of 1775. Of that illustrious body, composed of the immortal sages of the Declaration of Independence, he was the acknowledged leader. In the Congress which had assembled nearly two years before, in the same place, it is a striking proof of the estimation in which his abilities were held by that body, that he was honored by having his name placed on each of the Committee, appointed to draft respectively those celebrated papers, the petition to the King—the memorial to the people of Great Britain—and the memorial to the people of the United States. He now received the still greater honor of being appointed to move the Declaration of Independence. This he did with his characteristic zeal and courage. No report of this speech has been preserved; but, if we may trust the traditional accounts which have been handed down to us, it was worthy of the man and the occasion."

"A modern Virginia writer of high reputation, wielding a pen equally classical with that of Mr. Wirt, and perhaps even more vigorous, thus briefly sketches the character of Mr. Lee: "From what has been said and written of this distinguished man, it appears that from the commencement of our revolutionary struggles to their end, he was, for patriotism, statesmanship and oratory, regarded as the Cicero of his country. He was remarkable even amidst the crowd of patriots, for a sensitive and impatient love of liberty; by this he was encouraged and inflamed, by a fond contemplation of those bright and melancholy examples, which the victims of ancient and modern tyranny have left, in the characters of Phocion, of Cato, of Sidney, and of Russell. This gave to his classical and chaste elocution, a tone of depth and inspiration, which, set off as it was by a majestic figure, a noble countenance, and a graceful delivery, charmed, while it roused or convinced his auditory. Though he never poured down upon agitated assemblies, a cataract of mingled passion and logic like Patrick Henry, yet he riveted and excited attention, and enchanted fancy of his hearers, with a regulated flow of harmonious language, gentle as sentiment and lucid as argument, had more of the force, than the noise of a torrent."

"In his personal character he was just, benevolent and high-spirited; devoted in his tastes, and too proud to be ambitious of popularity. Chiefly confined to civil pursuits, he had but little opportunity of displaying on the field, the personal civility he was so well known pre-eminently to possess. We have but one instance recorded of his being for a moment engaged in the theatre of arms. During the war, a British squadron, under the command of Commodore Mifflin, descended upon the shore, in the neighborhood of Mr. Lee's residence. Being then a member of Congress, he happened, as usual, to be on a visit to his family. He promptly assembled his neighbors, with such weapons as could be hastily collected, put himself at their head, and rushed, without delay, to the point of embarkation. Attacking the soldiers on shore, he ran them hurriedly to their vessels, and only retired, when driven back by a volley of shot and shells from the British broadsides. He is said to have been the first to advance to the charge, and the last to leave the ground, although being swept by the enemy's guns."

LIBERTY HALL!

MR. and MRS. FRANK DREW, Will give TWO MORE of their CELEBRATED DRAWING-ROOM ENTERTAINMENTS, At the above named Hall, on Friday and Saturday, May 7th and 8th. Positively Last Night! ENTIRE CHANGE OF PROGRAMME! MRS. FRANK DREW, AS MRS. TURTLE, HOI, CHARLES NODDLEDOY, DOLLY DUMBLE, COUNTESS DE KAMBATTE, In which she will introduce the following SONGS, DANCES and PRIZES: "Willie we have missed you," "When a Little Fair we keep," "My Love is a Sailor boy," (by request, new verses,) Yorkshire Hornpipe, "Gentle Annie," &c. MR. FRANK DREW, AS MR. TURTLE, PADDY DISCULL, MISS ARIELLA FITZSIMMONS, In which he will introduce the following SONGS, DANCES and PRIZES: "Whisper what thou feelest," "When a Little Fair we keep," "Irish Medley and Jig," "Mother is going away," "I Dream that I Dwell," &c. The entertainment will conclude with a SOLO ON THE GUITAR, and Song, by Balie, of "We may be Happy yet."

MR. D. CLINTON PRICE. Admission 25 cents—Parquet 37 1/2 cents. Tickets can be had at the principal Hotels, Music and Book Stores, on 7th—21.

HOWARD ASSOCIATION, PHILADELPHIA.—A benevolent Institution, established by special enactment for the relief of the sick and afflicted with Virulent and Epidemic Diseases.—To all persons afflicted with Sexual Diseases, such as SPERMATORRHOEA, SEMINAL WEAKNESS, IMPOTENCE, &c. The Howard Association, in view of the awful destruction of human life, caused by Sexual Diseases, and the deceptions practised upon the unfortunate victims of such diseases by quacks, and other unprincipled persons, has appointed a Dispensary for the treatment of this class of diseases, in all their forms, and to give Medical advice gratis, to all who apply by letter with a description of their condition, (age occupation, habits of life, &c.) and a certificate of extreme poverty, to furnish Medicines free of charge. It is needless to add that the Association commands the highest Medical skill of the age, and will furnish the most approved modern treatment. The Directors, on a review of the past, feel assured that their labors in this sphere of benevolent effort, have been of great benefit to the afflicted, and that they have resolved to devote themselves, with renewed zeal, to this very important but much despised cause. Just published by the Association, a Report on Spermatorrhoea, or Seminal Weakness, by the Consulting Surgeon, which will be sent by mail, (in a sealed letter envelope) free of charge, on receipt of two stamps for postage. GEO. R. CALHOUN, Consulting Surgeon, Howard Association, No. 2 South Ninth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. By order of the Directors. GEORGE FAIRCHILD, Secretary. Philadelphia, Sep. 4—dlite3m4wly

NEW GARDEN.—The subscriber, agent for William Hughes, of Washington city, respectfully informs the public that he has removed from Summer Hill, and taken the Lot on the site of the old garden, belonging to Mrs. Catherine Deitz, where he will keep all the different varieties of FLOWERS and PLANTS, selected by himself with care. In his GREEN-HOUSE will be found at all times RARE and CHOICE FLOWERS. He desires a visit from the ladies and gentlemen of the city, feeling that they will be pleased with the arrangements of the grounds, and the variety and beauty of the PLANTS. JOHN F. CHAUNCEY, my 5—1m Agent for Wm. Hughes.

REWARD.—Disappeared from the neighborhood of the Theological Seminary, on Friday evening last, PRINCE TRIPLET, a dark mulatto free boy, about 14 years of age. About two years ago, at the residence of his mother, he was found several months after with a person near Aldie, and may now have taken the same course. The above reward, and reasonable expenses, will be paid for his delivery to his mother, or to GREEN & BROTHER, Alexandria, Va. my 6—3t JAMES GREEN.

DISSOLUTION.—JAMES J. HUNTON has this day retired from all interest in the CATTLE BUSINESS of the concern of BASTABLE & HUNTON. The Virginia property is still held jointly by the firm of Bastable & Hunton. The CATTLE BUSINESS in Baltimore will hereafter be conducted by G. M. BASTABLE, on his own account, who will settle the business of the old firm. G. M. BASTABLE, Baltimore, ap 15—dlm

REFRIGERATORS AND WATER COOLERS.—We have just received a large assortment of the above articles, of the most approved construction. Our Refrigerators, we believe, are not surpassed by any others, and we receive the special attention of all who desire a choice article. Just now receiving—A very large assortment of Cabinet Furniture and other Household Goods. McGREGOR & CO. House Furnishers, No. 530, Seventh Street, Washington, ap 19—40w

FINE TABLE CUTLERY AND PLATED WARE.—I offer at a small advance upon cost, superior Ivory Handle Table and Desert Knives, with or without Cases; Carvers; Game Carvers; Scoops for Pine Apple Cheese; Bread Knives, and Nut Picks. Also, Silver Plated Forks, Spoons, Ladles, Castors, &c. These Goods are from the best manufacturer I know. They are heavily plated on the best quality of Albata, and will give satisfaction. JOHN OGDEN, my 2

TRANSPORTATION OFFICE, MANASSAS GAP R.R., May 1st, 1858. 5th and AND AFTER WE will send articles sent on this route, to the freight and Woodstock Stations, this route, at those places, except in cases of pre-payment in Alexandria. WILLIAM S. FEWELL, Agent Transportation, my 3—tl

HOUSE AND LOT AT AUCTION.

By S. J. McCORMICK—AUCTIONEER. HOUSE AND LOT AT AUCTION. On Monday next, 10th inst., at 12 o'clock, in front of the Mayor's office, will be sold at public auction, the Two Story FRAME HOUSE and lot of ground, situated on the South West corner of Gibbon and Columbus streets. The House is in good order and nearly new. Terms at sale. SAMUEL J. McCORMICK, my 7—dts Auctioneer.

PUBLIC SALE.—By virtue of a deed of trust to the subscriber, as Trustee, dated the 20th day of March, 1857, and duly of record in the Clerks Office of the County Court of the County of Alexandria, and State of Virginia, in Liber S, No. 3, page 135, I shall proceed in front of the premises, to sell at public sale, on Monday, the 10th day of May, 1858, at 12 o'clock, a LOT OF GROUND, with all the BUILDINGS and improvements thereon, and appurtenances thereunto belonging—the said lot being situated on the East side of Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., and is bounded as follows: Beginning at the intersection of one hundred feet from the intersection of the Royal street, and running thence Northwardly with Royal street, and binding thereon with twenty-five feet six inches; thence Eastwardly, and parallel with King street, one hundred and eleven feet, to the alley, (formerly called the Court House alley) thence Southwardly with the line of said alley, and parallel with Royal street twenty-five feet six inches; thence Westwardly and parallel with King street to the beginning. TERMS OF SALE.—The purchase money will be equally divided into two instalments, payable the first at three months, and the other at six months, from the day of sale, both bearing interest from that time, and secured by the several bonds of the purchaser with good security. A fresh supply of the Life of Havlock, 75c. English Hearts and English Hands, 70c., and Spurgeon's Saint and Saviour, \$1. For sale by JAS. ENTWISLE & SON, my 7 No. 95, King St.

NEW BOOKS, MAGAZINES, AND PAPERS, received this day, and for sale at GEO. SIGGERS' Periodical Store, 75 Prince Street, opposite the Gazette Office. The Old Homestead, by Mrs Ann S. Stephens, price \$1.25. The Cousins of the Captains Ward, by J. A. Matland, price \$1. Yankee Notions for June, a very funny number; call and get one before they are all sold.—Price only 10 cents. New York Ledger, New York Mercury, New York Weekly, Waverly Magazine, Ballou's Pictorial, containing several views of the Public Buildings and Churches of Alexandria, Franklin's Paper, Saturday Evening Post, Weekly Novelist, Flag of our Union—all the Magazines and Papers and every thing else, in the cheap Book and Periodical line, my 5

DRY GOODS, &c. LACE AND SILK MANIFACTURES. Parasols and Umbrellas. Wash Spring Hoop Skirts. Fresh French and Irish Goods. Wash Silks, Black Mourning Silks. Black Gore de Rhine Silk, Berge Robes, some very elegant; Challis and Lawn Robes; Embroidered Muslins and Cambrics; Collars; Sleeves; and Handkerchiefs. A full stock of Domestic for Servants and Housekeeping purposes; Linen Shertings, &c. All the above Goods have been purchased at low prices, and will be sold accordingly. TAYLOR & CO. Auctioneers, ap 23

RESPECTFULLY call the attention of buyers to the following articles, which they offer on accommodating terms—Brown and Bleached Cottons; Plaid Cottons; Striped Onanburgs; Calicoes; Gingham; DeBages; Alpaca; Lains; Muslins; Cloths, &c. with a good assortment of Servant's wear. ap 29

TO ARRIVE THIS DAY.—A beautiful assortment of Black and Organdy Robes of the latest styles; 8-4 Blage and white Berge; Shawls and Dresses; 5-4 black French Mouslin; also, 30 pieces Brilliant, very cheap Lawns, Berges, Challis, Gingham, black Gore de Rhine Silks, India and French Silks, Ladies Silk Merino and Gause Vest, Hosiery, Gloves, Mitts, and every variety of Parasols and Skirts, and French Goods, Collars, and Cambrics, Swiss, Thread and Bobbin Edgings, Cambric and Swiss Bands, together with a full assortment of Domestic and Housekeeping Goods, all of which we offer low for cash or to punctual customers. TAYLOR & HUTCHISON, ap 27

CARPETINGS, MATTINGS, AND OIL-CLOTHS.—25 pieces Ingrain Carpetings. 25 pieces Fine White and Checked Mattings. 25 pieces Super Velvet, Cloths, &c. with a good assortment of Servant's wear. ap 29

FOR RENT.—A comfortable two-story DWELLING, on King street. It is furnished with water and gas, and is in every particular a desirable residence. Apply to [ap 19—1] I. LOUIS KINZER, my 2

FOR RENT.—The STORE NO. 53 north side of King street, next to the corner of Fairfax street. Possession given immediately. ap 3—soft J. WEST

BOOKS, STATIONERY, &c.

MORE NEW BOOKS.—Graham's Chemistry—Elements of Morgan's Chemistry, including the application of the Sciences of Heat and Water. Also, P. R. S. Henry Watts, B. A. and Robert Bridges, M. D., second American edition, complete in one volume, with 233 illustrations on wood, price \$4.00. Also, the second part of the same work, bound up separately, \$2.50. REVIEWS.—Narratives of Remarkable Conversions and Revival Incidents, including a Review of Revivals from the Day of Pentecost to the Great Awakening in the last Century, and an account of the rise and progress of the Great Awakening of 1857-8, by Wm C. Conant, with an Introduction by Henry Ward Beecher, \$1.25. SERMONS.—Sermons for the New Life, by Horace Bushnell, dedicated to his Dear Flock in Hartford, \$1.25. Just published, and for sale by ROBERT BELL, my 3

NEW BOOKS.—Revival Incidents—Narratives of remarkable Conversions and revival incidents, including a review of the revival from the day of Pentecost, to the present great awakening, by Wm C. Conant, with an introduction by Henry Ward Beecher, 1 vol. 12mo. cloth, \$1.00. Spurgeon's Sermons, vol. 4. Sermons of the Rev. C. H. Spurgeon, of London, fourth series, 4 volumes, uniform series, 12mo. cloth, \$4.00. A New Book by the author of "John Halifax," 1 vol. 12mo. cloth, \$1.00. A fresh supply of the Life of Havlock, 75c. English Hearts and English Hands, 70c., and Spurgeon's Saint and Saviour, \$1. For sale by JAS. ENTWISLE & SON, my 7 No. 95, King St.

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SING AND BE MERRY—SONGS! SONGS! SONGS!—Just received 1000 choice and popular SONGS AND BALLADS, some of which are entirely new, also, a few of the good old favorite melodies. A fresh supply of the New York Ledger, containing EMERSON BENNETT'S GREAT INDIAN TALE, Harper's Weekly, Police Gazette, True Flag, Yankee Privateer, Boston Pilot, Irish News, and every thing else in the Periodical line. For sale at GEORGE SIGGERS', my 7 No. 75, Prince Street.

HODGES ON BAPTISM.—Baptism Tested by Scripture and History, or the Teaching of the Holy Scriptures, and the practice and teaching of the Christian Church in every age succeeding the Apostolic, compared in relation to the subjects and modes of Baptism, by the Rev. William Hodges, A. M., Rector of Trinity Church, Covington, Va., second edition, revised and enlarged, price \$1.50. Just published and for sale by [ap 27] ROBERT BELL, my 3

SPRING FASHIONS.—The Great Fashion Book of the day, just received at FRECH'S Book and Periodical Depot. Le Bon Ton, Journal de Modes, and Monthly Report of Paris Fashions. This number of the Bon Ton contains three large colored Fashion Plates, several Patterns already cut, a large double plate of Bonnets and Mantillas, besides many other valuable particulars too numerous to mention. price 50 cents. Boston Pilot, Harper's Weekly, Police Gazette, New York Clipper, Precourier, Weekly Herald, and Tribune, and all the New Books, Papers, and Magazines, my 6

THE BOYS DELIGHT.—A new and elegant Play for Boys or Girls, one act, plan of the Paper Doll, price 15 cents; just published and for sale by ROBERT BELL, my 3

BLANK BOOKS.—We have received a large addition to the above department of my business, direct from the manufacturers, including Day Books, Journals, Ledgers, Memorandum, Record, Pass, Receipt, Order, Bill, Bank, Pencil, Note, Time, Composition, Copy, Music, Drawing, and Index Books; Checks, Drafts, Bankers' Checks, Ready Receipts, Receipts, Letter, Invoice, and Copy Books; Ready Receipts, Note Cases, &c. making my Stock more complete and varied than it has ever been, and at prices to suit most every body. JOHN H. PARROTT, ap 24

FANCY ARTICLES, &c. VARIETIES.—Porte Monnies, Purse Cases, Coral Necklaces, Work Boxes, Port Folios, Writing Desks, Work Boxes, Emories, Needle Cases, Toilet and Hand Mirrors, Powder Boxes, Bonnet Pins, Belt Slides, Pearl Shirts, Studs, Lead Pencils, Sulfettes, Crochet Needles, with other Notions, received at H. B. WHITTINGTONS, my 6 82 King street.

GROCERIES, &c.

GRAY, MILLER & CO., WHOLESALE GROCERS, No. 100 King Street, Alexandria, Va. are now receiving per Schrs. Savannah, from Boston, Hamilton and Statesman, from New York, their SPRING SUPPLY OF GOODS, to which they invite the attention of the trade generally. They offer for sale— 25 bbls. New Orleans Sugars 250 Porto Rico 100 bbls. New York Crushed, Polverized, and Granulated Sugars 50 bbls. A. and C. Coffee Sugars 100 lbs. Terces, and bbls. Molasses and Syrup 250 bags Rio, Laguyra, Java, and Mocha Coffee 75 half chests Gunpowder, Imperial, Young Hyson, and Black Teas, varying from low grades to superior qualities 200 boxes Adamantine and Mould Candles 100 " Castile, Brown, and Fancy Soaps 200 bbls. Whale, Tanners', Machine and Linseed Oil 100 kegs White Lead, in Oil 100 boxes Assorted Candy 50 " Pearl Starch 100 lbs. Rice 200 bags Assorted Shot, &c. my 18

HDS. NEW CROP N. O. SUGAR 20 bbls. Lovings Crushed do. 20 " C. Yellow do. 5 bbls. Porto Rico Molasses 10 bbls. New Orleans " 20 bags Rio Coffee 20 " Maracabo Coffee 25 " Old Government Java Coffee 20 " Adamantine Candles 20 " Solar Sperrm do 20 " Tallow do 1 case Green Chop Tea 20 " Assorted fine do 20 " Lower grades do 500 sacks Salt, (assorted) 500 lbs. Prime Sole Leather, Spices, &c. in store, and for sale by KNOX & BRO. my 2

WE HAVE received and offer for sale— 100 bbls. New Orleans Molasses 5 bbls. Porto Rico Sugar 15 bags Rio Coffee 10 boxes Ground Rio Coffee 15 chests Tea, (some very superior) 20 boxes Adamantine Candles 10 " Tallow 2 tierces Rice; 15 coil Java Rope, &c. For sale by ROBINSON & PAYNE, my 6

FINE CHEWING TOBACCO.—The subscriber has just received a consignment of superior CHEWING TOBACCO, from the celebrated factory of M. Langboure & Sons, Lynchburg, comprising the following well-known and popular brands: "Gem of Virginia" in fancy boxes "Juliana Mary" 8 lb boxes "Sally Cary" 5 lb boxes "Royal Arch" 10 lb boxes "Extra fine Orinoco" 2 boxes "W. C. Constable" 10 boxes For sale to the trade at factory prices in Lynchburg. Dealers are requested to call and examine. L. M. McCORMICK, my 2 Theatre Building.

A MARRIAGE, WHOLESALE DEALER IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC WINES AND LIQUORS, No. 9, North side of King street, 2nd door from Union street, offers for sale Rectified Whiskey, Old Rye, &c. all grades, some very old and superior French Brandy, various qualities of Cognac Brandy, A. C. Cherry do. New England Rum; Peach Brandy; Holland Gin; Jamaica Rum; pure Spirits; Port, Sherry, Madiera, Malaga, and Champagne Wines; Cordials; Ale; Porter, &c. &c. my 9

LIQUORS.—We have just received a good supply of FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC LIQUORS, consisting in part of— 20 bbls. Rectified Whiskey 30 " Proof do. 15 one eighth casks Brandy 10 casks Superior Henesey 5 casks Burgundy Port Wine 2 " Madeira 2 " Sherry Together with a fine stock of Old Rye Whiskey, London Proof, Gin, Cigars, Tobacco, Teas, &c. for sale by POWELL & CO. my 9

HAVING purchased the entire interest of Nathaniel Bush, in the late firm of Harper & Bush, I will continue the SHIP CHAIN DREYER, GROCERY, and COUNTRY PRODUCE BUSINESS, at the Old Stand, No. 2, foot of King street, under the name and style of J. NEWTON HARPER & CO. I return my thanks for the patronage extended to the late firm, and hope by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of the same. J. NEWTON HARPER, my 9

SPRING SUPPLY.—The undersigned are now receiving per Schrs. Lady Suffolk, Statesman, Fairfax, Ann Pickering, and Salisbury, from Philadelphia, New York and Boston, their Spring supply of GROCERIES, LIQUORS, WINES, TOBACCO AND CIGARS, comprising a general and desirable assortment, to which they invite the attention of the trade generally. McVEIGH & CHAMBERLAIN, my 9 Prince Street Wharf.

NOTICE.—The undersigned having taken the store formerly occupied by George W. Harrison, No. 8, Union street, wishes to inform his friends and the public generally, that he has established a general and well selected FAMILY GROCERIES, LIQUORS, &c. as low as they can be purchased elsewhere, for cash. ap 1m JOHN T. YOUNG

CLOTHING.

NEW GOODS—SPRING AND SUMMER STYLES.—The undersigned has received a full supply of GOODS in his line, and respectfully calls the attention of gentlemen to his present stock as being of the most modern patterns and of the very best fabrics. He names in part—Cloths and Cassimeres of the most approved shades and qualities, Silk, Satin and Muslin Vesting, Linen Drillings, &c., which he will make up on the most favorable terms; also, Marcellies and Linen Shirts and Collars, Suspenders, Gloves, Hosiery, Cravats, Stocks, Neck Ties, and a full assortment of Tailor Trimmings. Thankful for past favors, he promises renewed efforts to give satisfaction to his customers, and to manage a good share of the public patronage. All work executed by him, will be considered as cash unless otherwise agreed on. Wishing to discontinue the Ready Made Clothing Business, he will sell his present stock at great bargains. WM. ARNOLD, ap 20 Merchant Tailor, No. 67 King st.

THE GREAT SOUTHERN CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT AS FLOURISHING AS EVER—It beg leave to announce to my friends, in this city and abroad, that I am now daily receiving a large stock of SPRING and SUMMER CLOTHING, which, having been manufactured by my respective Self, Satin, and I am enabled to guarantee them for good, durable, and well made Clothing, which I can sell at Northern prices, and cheaper than any other establishment in this city. Country merchants would do well, before purchasing elsewhere, to call and examine my well selected stock of Clothing, which I will sell at such rates that they again can sell them at Alexandria retail prices. I also, on my last visit to the North, made arrangements for manufacturing Clothing to measure, at the shortest notice; which, for neatness, fashion, and durability, will defy competition. In the Furnishing line, I am supplied from the first manufacturers, and I am always kept posted as to the latest styles of the most fashionable GENTLEMEN'S SHIRTS made to order, and warranted to fit, or no sale. All I ask is a trial. Remember the well-known "GREAT SOUTHERN CLOTHING HOUSE," No. 100 King street, opposite Sarpy Hall, SIMON WATERMAN, ap 5—y

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, Quercoid and Tricot do., French, English, and Scotch Cassimeres, every shade and style, 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 Varnona 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, ap 5—t

REMOVAL.—A. S. ROBINSON, MERCHANT TAILOR, removed to No. 22 South Royal Street, a few doors below the Office of the Virginia Sentinel, where he has just opened a splendid assortment of GOODS in his line, embracing everything necessary for the full equipment of gentlemen in the most elegant and fashionable suits. Also, SHIRTS, COLLARS, GLOVES, HOSIERY, NECK TIES, &c. He has brought his stock of cash, and also greatly reduced his expenses, he is prepared to furnish his CASH CUSTOMERS with all articles in his line, at the very lowest figures. All orders will be promptly and faithfully attended to. Don't forget the number—22 South Royal Street, ap 27—t

SPRING STYLES FOR 1858.—FIRST CALL ON SCHOOLER & BRO., 108 KING STREET, PAID OFF FOR THIS ONE AND MOST OF THE STOCK OF CLOTHING, which are now opening by this well-known firm. They take pleasure to inform the public that they made large purchases all through the panic in American GOODS as well as in imported CLOTH and CASSIMERE, to which they call particular attention. Their Stock contains a larger assortment than has been put up in this city, and is undoubtedly unusually low. As they have made prompt payment, and some cash at command, they have had opportunities offered of which very few in this country, in their branch of business, can boast. You will do well to give them a call, and after satisfying yourselves, to inform your neighbors of the fact. Their intention is to satisfy and please their customers. No effort will be spared through them. Remember well. SCHOOLER & BRO., 108 King St., my 22—tl 3d door below the Marshall House.

SUPERIOR BLACK CLOTH FROCK COATS, worth twenty dollars, for fifteen dollars. Superior BLACK CLOTH FROCK COATS, worth twenty dollars, for twenty dollars. FINE WHITE CLOTH, with Marcellies, collars, and wristbands. Also, Gentlemen's GAITERS— for sale by WM. D. MASSEY, my 9

NEW SPRING GOODS.—H. & J. MURRAY, Merchant Tailors, No. 103 King St. have received their SPRING AND SUMMER STOCK, to which they would call the attention of their customers, and the public generally. my 26

BOOTS AND SHOES. ALEXANDRIA, VA. JANUARY 1st, 1857.—A. RICHARD T. CROSS has this day associated with him in business, JOHN W. LUGENBEEL and HENRY C. FIELD, for the purpose of carrying on a GENERAL SHOE BUSINESS, at No. 74, KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA., under the name of LUGENBEEL & CO., which the public generally are invited to call and examine their large and well selected Stock of BOOTS, SHOES, &c., which will be sold for cash, or to strictly punctual customers, as low as they can be had (quality considered) in this or any other city. Particular attention paid to CUSTOM WORK, both as to material and workmanship, and warranted to give general satisfaction. It is respectfully solicited that the SHOE STORE, be so designated. ap 27 CROSS, LUGENBEEL & CO.

THE CASH SYSTEM ADOPTED.—The subscriber having tried the credit system, and found that it will not pay, has concluded to adopt the cash principle. In future and from this date, he will continue to do business upon the above principle. In bidding adieu to the old system, he would return his thanks to his customers for past favors, and hopes by strict attention and such inducements as he may offer, to continue it under the new. JOHN L. SMITH, my 1st

FIRE INSURANCE NOTICES, &c.

THE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF ALEXANDRIA, continues to insure against Fire, generally, in Town and Country, as heretofore, on the most reasonable terms. BOARD OF DIRECTORS. ANTHONY P. GOVEY, President. William Gregory, James P. Smith, Robert Jamison, James P. Smith, Thomas R. Keith, Robert G. Violett, William H. Fowler, Thomas McCormick, John H. Brent, D. B. Smith, Jno. B. Daingerfield. Office hours from 9 to 11, and from 2 to 4 o'clock. C. W. WATLIES, Secretary, nov 10—dl

THE POTOMAC INSURANCE COMPANY OF ALEXANDRIA.—No. 11, South Fairfax street, next door to J. Leadbeater's Drug Store—where they will be pleased to receive offers for either Fire or Marine Insurance. President—SAMUEL MILLER. Directors. Wm. N. McVeigh, Robert Ashby, Lewis McKnight, Benjamin Ross, Cassius F. Lee, Benjamin Barton, J. C. ROBERT JAMISON, Jr., Secretary, oct 30—tl

SOUTHERN PROTECTION INSURANCE COMPANY, ALEXANDRIA, VA.—AND CONSTANTLY INCREASING. The charter of this Company offers more favorable advantages to the farmer and others, than any other company chartered in the State. Having yielded our business during the past year, we feel grateful for the liberal patronage bestowed upon the Company thus far, and for the flattering prospects of future usefulness. The Directors hope and believe that by prudence, caution and a rigid system of economy, they will establish for this Company a reputation for cheapness and safety, not surpassed by any Company in the State. In settlement of losses, may be determined by three disinterested arbitrators. The County where such loss happened, to be mutually chosen by the insured and the Company. DIRECTORS. H. W. Thomas, Christopher Naylor, R. H. Stabler, R. F. Lester, W. M. Turner, Noble F. Stuart, T. B. Robertson, P. D. Lipscomb, W. D. Massey, James Biglow, W. T. Harper, N. S. T. Hill, R. T. Hill, Edward Sauger, Richard H. Carter, A. R. Blakey, Oct 1—t

GUANO, &c. I supply the GUANO of NEVADA OR BROWN COLOMBIAN GUANO and beg to call special attention to its analysis below. N. B. FURNACE, BALTIMORE, Md. No. 118, N. 2nd St. A sample of Guano from the Island of Nevis, consisting of reddish brown grains of pease and smaller, having been left at this office for examination, I have analyzed it and found it to be composed as follows: Bone Phosphate of Lime..... 44.00 Containing of Phosphoric Acid..... 18.75 Do. do Phosphoric Acid..... 23.35 Phosphate of Iron..... 6.50 Containing of Per Oxide of Iron..... 3.15 Do. do Phosphoric Acid..... 3.35 Carbonate of Lime..... 47.00 Containing of Lime..... 4.64 Per. Oxide of Iron and Alumina (with a trace of sand)..... 15.74 Water..... 5.00

The above article is a most concentrated Phosphate manure, and should be welcomed as a great desideratum. (Signed) CHARLES BICKELL, Ph. D. The article is ground to a fine powder and put up in strong bags. For sale low. my 13 JAMES C. NEVETT, Successor to Nevett & Neve.

GUANO.—Peruvian Guano, in store and for sale by G. M. BASTABLE & CO. my 31 ADDISON, WALLACE & CO.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, &c. SEEDS! SEEDS!—I have just received a large supply of GARDEN SEED, including Sugar Cane Seed, and Strawberry and Sugar Cane Seed, and Strawberries, for sale by DRAVYON G. MEADE, ap 20 No. 12, Fairfax Street.

I HAVE ON HAND, a full supply of Cut Shavers, Cutting Boxes, Razors, Spoons, Shovels, Rakes, and all kinds of Garden Tools, for sale by DRAVYON G. MEADE, ap 30 No. 12, Fairfax Street.

I HAVE JUST received, a lot of Choice Trucks, Wheel Barrows, Garden Flows, Garden Seed Sows, Plow Casters, for sale by DRAVYON G. MEADE, ap 30 No. 12, Fairfax Street.

COW PEAS.—100 bushels COW PEAS, received from Norfolk, and for sale by ADDISON, WALLACE & CO. ap 14 No. 13, Monroe Street.

POTATOES.—A lot of prime French Potatoes; also, Sweet Potato Seed, in store and for sale by ADDISON, WALLACE & CO. my 31

ON MANHOOD, AND ITS PREPARATION TO DEFEAT A FEW WORDS ON THE NATIONAL TALENT, without Medicine, of Nervous Debility, Impotency, &c. &c. by DE LANEY, M. D. The important fact, that the many ailments, originating in the impudence and solitude of youth, may be easily removed, and our nature, is clearly demonstrated; and the entire new and highly successful treatment, as adopted by the author, fully explained, and