THE GAZETTE.

MONDAY MORNING, MARCH 7, 1859.

DEATH OF THE TUTOR.

From Oliver Wendell Holmes's, Professor at the Breakfast Table," in the March number of the Atlantic Monthly.

The natural end of a tutor is to perish by starvation. It is only a question of time, just as with the burning of college libraries. These all burn up sooner or later, provided they are not housed in brick or stone and iron. I don't mean that you will see in the register of deaths that this or that particular tutor, died of well-marked, uncomplicated starvation. They may, even, in extreme cases, be carried off by a thin, watery kind of apoplexy, which sounds very well in the returns, but means little to those who know that it is only debility settling on the head. Generally, however, they fade and waste under various pretexts—calling it dyspepsia, consumption, and so on, to put a decent appearance upon the case, and keep up the credit of the family, and the institution where they have passed through the successive stages of inanition.

In some cases it takes a great many years to kill a tutor by the process in question.—You see they do get food and clothes and fuel, in appreciable quantities, such as they are. You will even notice rows of books in their rooms, and a picture or two—things that look as if they had surplus money, but these superfluities are the *Haters of crystalization* to scholars, and you can never get them away till the poor fellows effloresce into dust. Do not be deceived. The tutor breakfasts on coffee made of beans, adulterated with milk warmed to the verge of transparency, his mutton is tough and elastic, up to the moment it becomes tired out his coal and tasteless, is a sullen, sulphurous anthracite, which rusts into ashes, rather than burns, in the shallow grate; his flimsy broadcloth is too thin for winter and too thick for summer. The greedy lungs of fifty hot-blooded boys suck oxygen from the air he breathes in his recitation room. In short, he undergoes a process of genteel and gradual starvation.

The mother of little Iris was not called Electra like hers of the old story, neither was her grandfather Oceanus. Her blood name which she gave away with her heart to the Latin tutor was a plain old English one and her water name was Hannah, beautiful as recalling the mother of Samuel and admirable as reading equally well from the initial letter forward and from the terminal letter backward. The poor lady seated with her companion at the chessboard of matrimony had but just put forward her own little white pawn upon an empty square when the Black Knight that cares nothing for castles or kings or queens swooped down upon her and swept her from the larger board of life.

The old Latin tutor put a modest blue stone at the head of his late companion with her name and *Eheu!* upon it—a smaller one at her feet with initials: and left her by herself to be rained and snowed on—which is a hard thing to do for those whom we have cherished tenderly.

About the time that the lichens falling on the stone, like drops of water, had spread into fair, round rosettes, the tutor had starved into a slight cough. Then he began to draw the buckle of his black pantaloons a little tighter, and took in another reef in his never ample waistcoat. His temples got a little hollow, and the contrasts of color in his cheeks more vivid than of old. After a while his walks fatigued him and he was tired and breathed hard after going up a flight or two of stairs. Then came on other marks of inward trouble and general waste, which he spoke of to his physician as peculiar, and doubtless owing to accidental causes; to all which the doctor listened with deference, as if it had not been the old story that one in five or six of mankind in temperate climates tell, or has told for him, as if it were something new. As the doctor went out he said to himself—"On the rail at last. Accommodation train. A good many stops, but will get to the station by and by."

So the doctor wrote a recipe with the astrological sign of Jupiter before it (just as your own physican does, inestimable reader, as you will see if you look at his next prescription,) and departed, saying he would look in occasionally. After this, the Latin tutor began the usual course of "getting better," until he got so much better that his face was very sharp, and when he smiled, three crescent lines showed at each side of his lips, and when he spoke it was in a muffled whisper, and the white of his eye glistened as pearly as the purest porcelain—so much better, that he hoped—by Spring—he——might be able——to—attend———to his class again, But he was recommended not to expose himself, and so he kept his chamber, and occasionally not having anything to do, his bed. The unmarried sister with whom he lived, took care of him; and the child now old enough to be manageable, even useful in trifling offices, sat in the chamber or played about.

Things could not go on so forever, of course. One morning his face was sunken and his hands very, very cold. He was "better," he whispered, but sadly and faintly. After a while he grew restless and seemed a little wandering. His mind ran on his classics, and fell back on the Latin grammar.

"Iris," he said "*filia mea!*" The child knew his meant my dear little daughter, as well as if it had been English. "Rainbow!"—for he would translate her name at times—"come to me—*veni*" and his lips went on automically, and murmured, "*vel venito!*" The child came and sat by his bed side, and took his hand, which she could not warm, but which shot its rays of cold all through her slender frame. But she sat looking steadily at him. Presently he opened his lips feebly, and wispered, "*Mor ibundus.*" She did not know what that meant, but she saw there was something new and sad. So she began to cry; but presently remembering an old book that seemed to comfort him at times, got up and brought a Bible in the Latin version, called the Vulgate. "Open it," he said—'I will read—*signius irritant*—don't put the light out—ah! *haeret lateri*—I am going—*vale, vale, vale*—good-by—the Lord take care of my child!—*Domine, audi—vel audito!*" His face whitened suddenly, and he lay still, with open eyes and mouth. He had taken his last degree.

FOR SALE.—A new, and beautiful DWELLING, situated on Columbus, between Princess and Oronoco streets. The lot is 60 feet front, running back half the square to a 20 feet alley. If not sold privately before the *10th day of May*, I will, at that time, offer the same at public auction, in front of said premises. Also, my half interest in the Planing Mill and Sash, Door, and Blind Factory, corner of Queen and Fairfax streets, with quarter square of ground attached. The said Factory is complete in every respect for doing a large business, and is said to be one of the finest and best arranged any where to be found. Those wishing to purchase are invited to call and examine the premises, as inducements will be offered, and terms made easy. B. H. JENKINS.

To one having capital to purchase material from first hands, a fortune could be realized in a few years. [feb 8—cotMay10] B. H. J.

E. WHEELER, Agent, No. 67 LOUISIANA AVENUE, OPPOSITE CENTRE MARKET, WASHINGTON CITY, offers for sale at lowest cash prices—

Bar Iron, Sheet Iron, Steel,
Tin, Zinc, Bar and Sheet Lead,
Benden's Patent Horse Shoes, and a general assortment of HARDWARE, BUILDING MATERIALS, and TOOLS.

Washington, feb 11—eo3m

NOTICE.—This is to give notice that it is necessary to close our books to the 1st of January. All our accounts have been made off and presented. Those of our friends that can make it convenient to call and settle, will confer a favor by doing so at their earliest convenience. Those that cannot, will be called on in a few days.

jan 18 ASHBY & WOOD.

NOTICE.

TAYLOR & HUTCHISON,

HAVING determined to leave Alexandria, will, from this day until the first of April next, offer their entire stock of

GOODS,

AT COST, FOR CASH!

Or to persons who will pay us, promptly, on The First of April.

Our stock is well assorted, and we invite a call from all, before making their purchases. We are determined to offer such inducements, as cannot fail to impress all who examine our stock, that **MONEY CAN BE SAVED**, by making their purchases of us. jan 26—eo2m†

HODGES BROTHERS, 23 Hanover street, BALTIMORE.
(WHITE IRON FRONT WAREHOUSE.)
IMPORTERS OF
HOSIERY, GLOVES, EMBROIDERIES, WHITE GOODS, HANDKERCHIEFS, SHAWLS, CRAPES, LACES,
And a numerous variety of other articles, and WHOLESALE DEALERS IN AMERICAN FANCY GOODS and NOTIONS.

OUR WAREHOUSE, which we built expressly for our own use, contains six floors, each 30 by 160 and feet the large stock and extensive assortment which we keep, require its entire occupancy. No house in any of the Northern cities, jobbing goods to the country, can present the same combined advantages to the country merchant, as our stock is not only large, but obtained upon conditions which will defy competition.

We contract with the Manufacturers for all the American articles we sell, and send a buyer to Europe regularly twice a year, to select our Foreign goods. We are enabled thereby to offer great advantages in prices, as well as to get up a stock at all times replete with the newest and most desirable goods.

Merchants in good credit are invited to examine our stock when they next visit Baltimore, and they will promote their own interest by doing so.

Orders by mail carefully executed when accompanied by satisfactory references.

Baltimore, feb 7—2aw1m

FOWLE & CO.,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF FERTILIZERS,

HAVE received their SPRING SUPPLIES, and offer for sale—

NO. 1 PERUVIAN GUANO,

Put up in bags, furnished and branded by the Agents of the Peruvian Government.

COLUMBIAN GUANO,

In bags and barrels, a very excellent Manure, rich in Phosphates, as will appear from annexed Analysis by Dr. R. H. Stabler.

Organic Matter, yielding Ammonia	14.55
Water	8.55
Phosphate of Lime	60.88
Magnesia	10
Sand and other insoluble matter	15.92
	100

SOMBRERO GUANO,

The richest PHOSPHATIC GUANO known.—Having accepted the Agency for the sale of this article in Washington, Georgetown, and Alexandria, a full supply will always be kept on hand. It is put up in bags and barrels. Particular attention is asked to the following analysis by Dr. R. H. Stabler.

Organic Matter, yielding Ammonia	9.30
Phosphate of Lime	77.00
Carbonate of Lime	6.00
Phosphate of Iron, Sand	6.00
Water	1.70
	100

A. A. & A. MEXICAN GUANO in barrels.
BONE DUST, of best quality, in barrels.
SUP. PHOSPHATE OF LIME,

Manufactured by POTTS & KLETT, and COE & CO., warranted equal to any ever offered to the Farming community.

Analysis by Dr. R. H. Stabler.

Soluble Phosphate of Lime	37.00
Sulphuric Acid	11.00
Organic Matter	29.10
Water	22.90
	100

feb 11—

JAMES C. NEVETT,

DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF FERTILIZERS HAS ON HAND and will be receiving during the season

NO. 1 PERUVIAN GUANO,

Direct from the Agents of the Peruvian Government, in strong bags.

CALIFORNIA GUANO,

From Elide Island, analysing about 11 per cent. Ammonia, and 30 per cent. Bone Phosphate of Lime, in strong bags.

COLOMBIAN GUANO,

From the Island of "El Roque," put up in strong bags, analysing over 80 per cent. Bone Phosphate of Lime, according to analysis by Prof. Bickell.

NAVASSA OR BROWN COLOMBIAN,

This is a very superior Manure, richer in Phosphates than any other Guano imported. Particular attention is asked to the following. Analysis by Dr. R. H. Stabler.

Organic matter, yielding Ammonia	8.60
Phosphate of Lime	85.92
Phosphate of Iron	3.55
Sand	0.73
Water	1.20
	100

A. A. MEXICAN GUANO,

Ground and unground, in barrels, analysing over 60 per cent. Bone Phosphate of Lime.

PULVERIZED BONES,

Put up in bags of 200 lbs. each, a valuable Manure

DeBURG'S NO. 1 AMMONIATED SUPER PHOSPHATE OF LIME.

I have the agency of this valuable article for this region, and will always be prepared to fill orders. The analysis of it can be seen at my office.

All the above are warranted to be of the best quality, and will be sold at lowest rates.

mh 4—2m

SUMMERDEEN WHISKEY.

THE manufacturer of this celebrated old fashioned WHISKEY, suitable for family, medicinal, and other purposes, will fill orders for any part of the United States. It can be furnished of any age, from two to five years old. Circulars, and schedule of price, sent free, to any address.

WILLIAM KERR,
Summer, Augusta County, Virginia.

Sold by RIDGELY, HAMPTON & CO., Alexandria, Virginia.

Extract from the Richmond Dispatch.

OLD SUMMERDEEN WHISKEY.—We have received from M. BLAIR & Co., a bottle of Old Summerdeen Whiskey, manufactured by Mr. KERR, of Augusta county. It has a flavor as soft and refreshing as a Southern wind, and is fully up to the imported French brandies in quality and purity.

DIPLOMA OF THE VIRGINIA MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.—This diploma, of the first class, was awarded by the *Virginia Mechanics' Institute*, for the promotion of the Mechanic Arts, to WILLIAM KERR, of Augusta county, for Summerdeen Whiskey, exhibited at the exhibition of articles of American manufacture, held in the city of Richmond, on —th day of November, 1854.

J. A. DELVIN, President.
JAMES W. LEWELLEN, Secretary.

feb 21—eo1m

LINDEN WHISKEY.—This WHISKEY is made in the old fashioned copper still, by double distillation, just beyond the summit of the Blue Ridge, in Warren county, Va., near the line of Fauquier, where the softness and purity of the mountain spring water, and the quality of the rye, constitute important elements in making the Whiskey for which this locality has been long celebrated. It is perfectly pure, beyond all doubt, being made exclusively of rye, hops, and barley-malt, with the utmost care. The quantity made is limited, and bought principally for private use, by gentlemen connoissieurs in the surrounding counties, who are critically nice in laying by a stock for improvement. A small consignment has lately been made to MARSHALL & WARD, of Alexandria; or it can be procured direct, through correspondence with DR. FISHER, of Linden, Warren County, Va.

oct 25—eotf

ROBINSON'S MANIPULATED GUANO.—I have taken the Agency of this valuable GUANO, and now have on hand a full supply, put up in strong bags.

It is warranted equal to any in the country, and will be sold at current rates.

JAMES C. NEVETT,
mh 4 opposite Pioneer Mills.

EXCELSIOR DeBURG.—I have now in store, a full supply of this popular MANURE, containing 6 *per cent. Ammonia, and* 57 *per cent. Bone Phosphate of Lime.* As a crop grower and fertilizer, it is unsurpassed.

JAMES C. NEVETT,
mh 4 Sole Agent for Alexandria.

KETTLEWELL'S MANIPULATED GUANO.

WE have taken the agency at this point, for this valuable fertilizer, and shall, in a few days, receive a supply, put up in strong bags.

feb 22 WM. H. FOWLE & SON.

DRY GOODS, &c.

RECEIVED THIS DAY a very choice assortment of fine English Calicoes which we intend to sell at 12½ cts. a yard; also, on hand very elegant French Chintzes, from 25 to 50 cts. The above goods are finer than are generally brought to this market, and are worthy of the attention of all who like to look at pretty goods.

We are now getting a very large assortment of bleached and brown Cottons, all the popular brands, (a large stock of New York Mills:) also, bleached and brown Sheetings, all widths, from one to three yards wide.

Also, heavy Drills, Osnaburgs, Denims, Plaid Domestics, and many other goods to suit the times. Our friends and all in want, are earnestly requested to call and examine. ASHBY & WOOD,

P. S. We are anxious to close out our stock of Winter Goods, at a great reduction—some much less than cost. Call soon for bargains. No. 170, King-street, one door from Washington-street.

feb 11 A. & W.

GENUINE STEEL SPRING HOOP SKIRTS. We are this day receiving a large assortment of Hoop Skirts for ladies and children; also round and flat Reeds; Ladies' Corsetts; white, black, lead color, blue mixed, Cotton and Woolen Hosiery; Gloves; Suspenders; Handkerchiefs; Cravats, &c., &c. Our friends, and all in want of good Goods, are earnestly requested to examine our stock. All winter Goods selling at great reduction.

ASHBY & WOOD, No. 170, King-st.
One door from Washington street. feb 8

NEW SPRING GOODS.
HARPER & BRO.,

HAVE just received a fresh supply of PRINTS, (a few English,) beautiful styles; plain Black SILK, Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs, White Brilliant, low priced Mouselaines, Lead colored Jeans, Cotton Osnaburgs, Bleached and Brown Sheetings, Bleached and Brown Shirtings, &c. feb 21

NOTICE.—The business heretofore conducted under the firm of J. F. & L. A. LARKIN, will, from the 1st of February, be conducted under the firm of LARKIN & BRO.

J. F. & L. A. LARKIN return their thanks to their friends and the public, for the very liberal patronage bestowed upon them, and solicit a continuation of the same for LARKIN & BRO.

feb 5

NEW GOODS.—We are this day receiving Fancy Calicoes, very pretty styles; Ginghams, New York Mills, Wamsutta, and other superior brands of bleached Shirtings; also, bleached and brown Sheetings, Irish Linens, some very superior; Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs, Alpacas, &c., &c., all of which we will sell at very low prices. Call early, on [feb 11] LARKIN & BRO.

NEW SPRING GOODS.—*WILLIAM N. BERKLEY, (at the old stand,)* has just received a fresh supply of FANCY PRINTS, beautiful styles; Bleached and Brown Domestics, Irish Linens, Black Silks, Ginghams, Kentucky Jeans, Hosiery, Gloves, &c. He solicits a call from his city and country friends. feb 19

NEW GOODS.—We have just received a large assortment of Calicoes: Bleached and Brown Shirtings, 10-4 and 11-4 Brown and Bleached Sheetings; Canton Flannels, &c. Also, another lot of that 1¼ yard wide Bleached Cotton, at 12½c.

S. & W. MEYENBERG,
feb 26 Sarepta Hall.

AT REDUCED PRICES.—*G. K. WITMER & BRO.*, having a larger stock of GOODS than they desire to carry over—have greatly reduced their prices, and solicit their friends and customers to call, believing that they can make it to their interest to invest. jan 29

NOTICE.—All those wishing to buy bargains in Dry, Fancy, and Millinery GOODS, Furs, Hosiery, Gloves, &c., are requested to call and examine our stock, which we are selling off at greatly reduced prices, to make room for a Spring stock.

feb 1 S. & W. MEYENBERG, Sarepta Hall.

DO YOU WANT TO KEEP YOUR BABIES WARM? If so, go to S. & W. MEYENBERG'S and buy a pair of those CRADLE BLANKETS, which they are selling at cost price.

feb 14

SKELETON SKIRTS, for sale by
HARPER & BRO.

A few dark figured SILKS, on hand, which we will sell very cheap. feb 24

BARGAINS.—We have just received GENTLEMEN'S SHIRTS, which we will sell at 25 cents a piece. S. & W. MEYENBURG,
mh 2 Sarepta Hall.

NEW EMBROIDERIES, Collars and Setts, just received by S. & W. MEYENBERG,
mh 2 Sarepta Hall.

GLOVES.—Ladies' Colored Kid Gloves: do. Black do., very superior, just received by
feb 26 HARPER & BRO.

YARN SOCKS.—We have on hand 1500 pairs good YARN SOCKS, which will be sold cheap. [feb 25] G. K. WITMER & BROS.

TO FISHERMEN.—2000 pairs of COUNTRY KNIT SOCKS, on hand, and for sale low, by
feb 14 S. & W. MEYENBERG, Sarepta Hall.

FANCY ARTICLES, &c.

NEW GOODS JUST RECEIVED.—I have just returned from the North, and have received a fine assortment of the following GOODS: Pearl, Leather, and Buckskin Purses and Porte Monnaies; Ladies' and Gentlemen's Card Cases; Fancy Working Materials; Shetland Wool; Worsteds; Tida, French and Crotchet Cottons; Embroidering Silks; Bone and Wood Crotchet and Knitting Needles; Hair Pins; Whalebone; Brass, Silk, and Acorn Buttons; Elastics and Elastic Braids; Hair Braids; Bonnet Pins; Silk Girdles; Brass and Reed Hoops; Spool Silks; Infant Wrappers; Dress Bones; Silk Cords; Fringes; Hair Braids; India Rubber Round Combs for 12½ cents, and a variety of other Goods. W. B. RICHARDS, Jr.,
feb 17 110, King-street.

VARIETIES.—Shetland Wool, all colors; Zephyr Worsteds, all kinds of fancy Working Materials; Toilet articles; Combs and Brushes, of all kinds; Belts, Elastic Web, Shawl pins, and all kinds of fancy goods. I have a good assortment of all of the above goods, and intend keeping it so—all goods required, that I have not on hand, will be ordered. [jan 29] W. B. RICHARDS, Jr.

EMBROIDERING, Braid and Silk; French Working and Tida Cotton; Velvet Ribbons, Puffing and Tuck Combs; Spool Cotton; Gents. Silk and Cotton Handkerchiefs; Crotchet Needles; Walking Canes; and a variety of other articles, just received at [feb 3] C. C. BERRY'S, 72 King-st.

JUST received per propeller C. C. Alger, a supply of Gigs, Coaches, Cabs, Velocipedes, Hobby Horses, Perambulators, &c., for children, all of which will be sold very low at
feb 22 C. C. BERRY'S, 72, King-street.

EXCELSIOR HOOPED SKIRTS, FRENCH MAKE.—These skirts are formed of thirty light, but durable, first quality steel springs, and are thought to be the best Hoop ever introduced, for sale at [mh 2] RICHARDS,' 110 King-st.

SCISSORS, of fine quality, and at moderate prices, always on hand, at
H. B. WHITTINGTON'S,
feb 4 No. 82, King-street.

INDIA RUBBER, Steel, and Wood Busks, India Rubber Cloth, Oiled Silk, Dress Preservers, School Satchets, and Leather Riticules, for sale at
feb 21 RICHARDS'.

JUST RECEIVED, a further supply of Porte Monaies, Purses, Cabas, &c., all of which will be sold very cheap for cash, at
jan 6 C. C. BERRY'S, 72 King-street.

BRUSHES.—A fine assortment of Hair, Shoe, Hat, Teeth, Nail, Comb, and Dusting Brushes, at H. B. WHITTINGTON'S,
jan 3 82 King street.

JUST RECEIVED, per Express, another lot of Douglas & Sherwood's Patent Steel Extension Hooped Skirts, at
jan 1 C. C. BERRY'S, 72 King-st.

SHETLAND WOOL, of the best quality, and in fine colors, received and for sale at the lowest prices, at H. B. WHITTINGTON'S.
jan 3 82 King street.

COMBS.—Tuck, Dressing, Side, Puff, Neck, Bonnet, Pocket, Fine, and Children's Long Combs, at H. B. WHITTINGTON'S
jan 3 82 King street.

NEEDLES.—Sewing, Crochet, Darning, Knitting, Bodkin and Knitting Needles, for sale at [mh 2] RICHARDS,' 110 King street.

VERY SUPERIOR REEDS for Hooped Skirts, the best I have ever seen, very durable, at
feb 19 RICHARDS'.

CHEAPER THAN EVER.—*INDIA RUBBER ROUND COMBS*, for 12½c., at
feb 19 RICHARDS'.

JUST received another large supply of Shetland Wool, of all colours; also a few wood Knitting Needles, at [jan 31] C. C. BERRY'S.

BEAUTIFUL Shades of Drab, Tan, Lavender, Pink, and Blue Worsteds, all in one bank for knitting, at [feb 21] RICHARDS'.

A LARGE STOCK OF INFANTS HOODS, of all kinds, constantly kept on hand, and for sale by [jan 29] C. C. BERRY.

BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

THE POWER OF PRAYER, illustrated in the wonderful displays of divine grace at the Fulton street and other meetings in New York and elsewhere, in 1857 and 1858, by Samuel Irenaeus Prime, 9th edition, $1.

Pentecost, or the work of God in Philadelphia, A. D., 1858, prepared by the Young Men's Christian Association, 10c.

Now, by Newman Hall, author of "Come to Jesus," &c., 25c.

The Thorough Church System, a course of lectures in Germantown, Pa., by Rev. J. P. Hammond, 60c.

Hymns of the Ages, by Rev. F. D. Huntington, D. D., $1.

Shakers and Shakerism, with biography of Ann Lee, &c., 75c.

Passages from my Autobiography, by Sydney, Lady Morgan, $1.

Onward, or the Mountain Clamberers, a Tale of Progress, by Jane Anne Wiscom, 75c.

The Manuel of Chess, containing the elementary principles of the game, illustrated by Charles Kenney, 50c. Just published, and for sale by

JAMES ENTWISLE & SON,
mh 3 No. 95, King-street.

CHEMICALLY PURE BLACK WRITING FLUID.—This highly remarkable compound possesses the astonishing property of depositing a black mark upon any surface which will act as an absorbent. Upon first flowing from the pen, it leaves a bluish black precipitate upon paper, and in 24 hours jet black results, to the astonishment of the penman. It flows as liquidly from the pen as the water in the channel of our majestic Potomac, and combines chemically with the ultimate particles of the papyraceous compound with the tenacity of grim death.

Those who wish to record the present and its affairs for the benefit of future generations, will do well to furnish themselves with a full supply of this remarkable chemical agent.

Four pints just elaborately compounded by

JAS. ENTWISLE, Jr.,
mh 2 Manufacturing Chemist, 94 King-st.

MORE NEW BOOKS.—Memoir, Select Thoughts, and Sermons of the late Rev. Edward Payson, D. D., compiled by the Rev. Asa Cummings, D. D., three vols., 8vo. cloth, $3 75.

Life and Labors of the Rev. Daniel Baker, D. D., Pastor and Evangelist, 8vo., $1 25.

Hermeneutical Manuel, or introduction to the Exegetical Study of the Scriptures of the New Testament, by Patrick Fairbairn, D. D., 1 vol. 12mo. cloth, $1 25.

Self-Made Men.—"In this volume will be found the lives of more than sixty distinguished persons who have attained eminence in spite of adverse circumstances of birth and fortune," 1 vol. 12mo. cloth, $1 25.

Life of John H. W. Hawkins, by Rev. W. G. Hawkins, 12mo. cloth, $1.

Theology of Christian Experience, designed as an exposition of the "common faith" of the Church of God, by Rev. George D. Armstrong, D. D., 12mo. cloth, $1.

Light from the Cross—Sermons on the passion of Our Lord, from the German of Dr. A. Tholuck, 75 cts.

The Four Gospels, with original and selected parallel references and marginal readings, and an original and copious critical and explanatory commentary, by Rev. D. Brown, 50c.

The Literary Attractions of the Bible, or a plea for the word of God, considered as a classic, by Le Roy J. Halsey, D. D., third edition, 12mo. cloth, $1 25.

The Lady's Manual of Fancy Work—A complete instructor in every variety of Ornamental Needle Work, illustrated with over 300 engravings, by the best artists, by Mrs. Pullan, $1 25.

Anecdotes of Love, being a true account of the most remarkable events connected with the history of love, in all ages and all nations, by Lola Montez, $1.

Mary Glentworth, or the Forbidden Marriage, by G. W. M. Reynolds, 50c.

Lillian, or the Adventures of an Heiress, by J. F. Smith, esq., 75c. Just published, for sale by

JAMES ENTWISLE & SON,
feb 25 No. 95, King-street.

THE MOUNT VERON PAPERS, No. 11, in the New York Ledger, is ready this morning at *FRENCH'S Book and Periodical Depot.*

Harper's Magazine for March, is a splendid number, price 25c.

Frank Leslie's Family Magazine for March, with the Spring Fashions, beautiful colored Plates, Patterns, &c., 25c.

The Ladies' Monthly Magazine, Le Monde Elegant, or the World of Fashion, a Journal of the Courts of London and Paris, four beautifully colored Plates, Patterns already cut, &c., 50c.

All the Magazines for March on hand. London Illustrated News, Punch, Harper's Weekly, Leslie's Paper, Mercury, Weekly, Waverly, Porter's Spirit, Flag, Line-of-Battle-Ship, Ballou's Pictorial, &c.

Speech of Hon. John Minor Botts, delivered in New York, on the 22d of February, 10c.

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GREAT ATTRACTION in the New York Ledger, Cobb's splendid Story of the Gun Maker of Moscow, to be republished, now ready, and for sale at *GEORGE SIGGER'S Book and Periodical Store, 75 Prince-street, opposite the Gazette Office.*

Harper's Magazine for March, is a splendid number. It contains a very interesting article on Mount Vernon as it is, and the usual amount of interesting reading matter, price 25c.

Leslie's New Family Magazine and Gazette of Fashion for March, a very interesting number, 25c.

The Great Republic Monthly for March, 25c.

Godey's Lady's Book for March, 25c.

Our Musical Friend, No. 13, a very cheap publication, 12 pages of select Music for 10c. All the back numbers on hand.

All the Magazines and Weekly Papers on hand, at prices to suit the times. mh 1

SHEET MUSIC.—Upwards of 8,000 PIECES OF MUSIC on hand. No mistake about it! It has been counted! No use in going any further! Cheap as you can buy it from here to Canada.

Also, about twenty different kinds of Church Music Books, Glee Books, and Juvenile instructors in Vocal Music, besides Instruction Books for Accordeon, Flutina, Banjo, Flute, Clarionet, Violin, Guitar, Melodeon, Cornet, Bugle, Sax Horn, and more than a dozen different sorts for the Piano, Thoroughbass, Harmony, &c. Orders filled promptly, and postage paid on all sheet music to any part of Uncle Sam's farm. This is the place for Music!

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WORCESTER'S PIANOS.—From the New York Commercial Advertiser of February 18th, 1859.—"We are appealed to at times, for information in regard to the best maker of Piano Fortes. Personal knowledge of the merits of the instruments made by H. Worcester, inclines us to award the palm of superior merit to him. For elegance of finish, and durability of material, and the elements that enter into the musical qualities of a first rate instrument, Mr. Worcester is unsurpassed."

I am sole agent, for the sale of the above PIANOS for Alexandria, and furnish them here, at factory prices. JOHN H. PARROTT.

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MUSIC AND PIANOS.

JUST received from New York and Baltimore, some more of those beautiful instruments of Nunn's & Clark's, and Knabe & Co's. manufacture; also from other makers, warranted in every respect, and sold as low as can be bought at the factory. Call and see them.

SHEET MUSIC,

Of all kinds, and every thing usually found in a first class Music Store. Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

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"OUR MUSICAL FRIEND," No. 13, now ready at *FRENCH'S Book and Periodical Depot.* Price 10 cents.

It contains "The Irish Quadrille;" "O! Wert Thou But Mine Own Love," song by Kucken; three popular Tunes for the Flute or Violin; and "The Alexandria March," by A. F. Little. The cheapest Music in the world. All the back numbers on hand.

A full assortment of Chess Men just received, elegant patterns, all sizes and prices. feb 26

MORE MUSIC.—Just received, several hundred pieces, some entirely new and pretty. You can get anything you want in the Music Department in Alexandria at as reasonable rates as anywhere else. You shan't stop singing if I can prevent it—So just call in and get a supply, at 166, King-street.

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DOUGLAS JERROLD.—The Life and Remains of Douglas Jerrold, by his son, Blanchard Jerrold, price $1, just published by Ticknor & Fields, and for sale by

feb 17 ROBT. BELL.

JOHN MURPHY, *ATTORNEY AT LAW*, will practice in the Courts of Westmoreland, Richmond, and Northumberland Counties. Post Office, Rice's Store, Westmoreland County, Va.

dec 5—tf

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jan 8 HILL, BROWN & PARTLOW.

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J. H. McVEIGH & SON,
(*Successors to McVeigh & Chamberlain.*)
PRINCE STREET WHARF, ALEXANDRIA.

ARE NOW RECEIVING, per Schrs. Arctic, Statesman, Marietta Burr, and Embark, from New York, Boston, and Philadelphia, their FALL STOCK OF GROCERIES, LIQUORS, WINES, TOBACCO, SEGARS, &c., &c., comprising a very general and desirable assortment, which they will sell for cash, or to prompt dealers at a small advance.

45 hhds. Muscovado, New Orleans, and St. Croix Sugars
105 bbls. Crushed, Powdered, Granulated, and Coffee do
15 boxes Double Refined Loaf do
20 hhds. Muscovado Molasses
35 bbls. New Orleans do
25 do Extra Golden Syrup
150 bags Light and Green Rio Coffee
100 do Maricaibo, Laguyra, Java & Santos do
75 half chests Gunpowder, Imperial, and Olong Teas, (from medium to strictly prime)
500 lbs. Manilla and Madras Indigo sep 9

MARSHALL & WARD are now receiving their Fall Supplies of FAMILY GROCERIES, to which they invite the attention of their customers and dealers generally.

10 hhds. prime P. R. Sugar
10 " common do do
20 bbls. Yellow and C. Yellow Sugar
10 boxes Lovering & Co.'s Loaf do
10 bbls. Crushed and Granulated do
10 " Patent Cut Loaf do
10 " Sugar House Syrup do
10 " Golden Syrup
25 bags Rio and Laguyra Coffee
15 " Old Government Java do
5 " Old Brown Government Java do
20 chests Gunpowder Tea—part prime
100 boxes Patent Sperm, Solar Sperm, Adamantine, and Hydraulic pressed Candles
15 do. do. Jenkins Mould Candles
500 sacks G. A. Salt, 200 do. Marshall do.; 100 do. Ashton's do., Pine Apple and English Dairy Cheese, Pepper, Pimento, Starch, Rice, Soda, Ginger, and all articles usually found in Grocery establishments.

☞ *No. 11 King Street, Alexandria.* oct 12

BLACKLOCK, MARSHALL & CO.,
BLACKLOCK'S WHARF, ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

ARE RECEIVING, per Schrs. Statesman, Bedell, Hamilton, Ann Pickrell, Junius, &c., from New York and Philadelphia, their FALL STOCK OF GROCERIES, WINES, LIQUORS, SEGARS, TOBACCO, &c., &c., comprising a very general and choice assortment. We name in part—

50 hhds. Muscovado, New Orleans, and St. Croix Sugar
100 bbls. B. and C. Coffee Sugar
100 " Crushed, Powdered, and Granulated Sugar
25 boxes Loaf Sugar
175 bags Rio Coffee
125 " Java, Laguyra, and Mocha Coffee
65 hhds. Cuba and Porto Rico Molasses
25 bbls. New Orleans and P. R. do
50 " Golden Syrup
50 ½ chests Gunpowder and Imperial Teas
30 ¼ " Black, &c., &c. sep 20

WASHINGTON & CO.,

No. 11 North Union Street, Alexandria, Va.

ARE NOW RECEIVING their Fall Stock of GROCERIES, LIQUORS, WINES, SEGARS, TOBACCO, &c., comprising a very choice and desirable assortment, which they are prepared to offer for cash or to prompt dealers upon very accommodating terms.

30 hhds N. O. and P. R. Sugars, (part prime)
25 " Muscovado and St. Croix
25 bbls. Lovering's Crushed Sugar
15 boxes " Loaf do
11 hhds. Cuba and Muscovado Molasses
5 hhds. prime E. I.
20 bbls. N. O.
120 bags Rio Coffee
50 pockets Old Government Java
20 bags superior Old Mocha
25 ½ chests Gunpowder Tea, (some very sup'r.)
15 ¼ " Black do

SEGARS and TOBACCO of all grades, of the choice and favorite brands. sep 11

KNOX & BROTHER,

No. 27 King Street, Alexandria, Virginia.

ARE NOW RECEIVING THEIR *FALL STOCK OF GROCERIES*, selected for family use. We name in part—

10 hhds. strictly prime Porto Rico Sugar
20 bbls. Lovering's Crushed do
5 " " Granulated do
5 boxes " Loaf do
50 bbls. (N. York Refinery) Crushed do
5 chests Green Tea, one of which, 'Queen Chop,' is of the first quality
5 hhds. Porto Rico Molasses
5 bbls. Golden Syrup, 50 bbls. Portland do
25 bags Old Government Java Coffee
25 " Maricaibo and Laguyra do
50 " Rio Coffee, Green and White
20 boxes Solar Sperm Candles, &c. oct 7

ANOTHER ARRIVAL.—Now receiving, per Schrs. Hamilton, Exchange, and Mott Bedell, from New York, the following GOODS:

30 hhds. New Crop N. O., Mus., and Porto Rico Molasses
75 bbls. Crush'd, Granulat'd and Pulv'd Sugars
50 " A. B. C. Coffee Sugars
30 hhds. P. R. and Mus. Molasses
50 bbls. Choice Golden Syrups
20 " New Crop N. O. Molasses
150 bags Rio Coffee, part choice
40 " Java and Laguyra Coffee
175 boxes, Adam, Mould, and Tallow Candles; 300 sacks Ashton Salt; 40 boxes prime Eastern Cheese; 15 boxes Maccaroni; 40 ½ chests Green and Black Teas, part choice; 20 bbls. Cider Vinegar; 300 gross Shanghai and Sulpher Matches; 25 boxes Raisins; 25 boxes Assorted Candy; 15 casks Carb Soda; 75 doz. Painted Pails; 30 nests Cedar Tubs; 5 tierces Rice; 50 boxes 8×10 and 10×12 Glass; 25 bales Wrapping Twine; 15 do. Candle Wick; 100 bags Assorted Shot; 500 lbs. Bar Lead; 1000 sacks Dairy Salt, to which we invite the attention of purchasers.

dec 18— GRAY, MILLER & CO.

NOTICE.—I respectfully inform my friends and the public, that I will continue the business lately carried on by T. A. BREWIS & Co., on my separate account, at the "OLD STAND," *Cameron street, opposite the Market*, and will always keep a large and complete assortment of

GROCERIES, LIQUORS, &c.,

which I will sell cheap, for CASH, or to punctual customers. Consignets of COUNTRY PRODUCE may confidently rely upon my best efforts to promote their interest.

☞ I am under the necessity of saying to the persons indebted to the firm of T. A. BREWIS & Co., that speedy settlements will be required in all cases; and that I can open no new accounts with those whose accounts are due and unsettled on the 1st of January. T. A. BREWIS.

jan 1—

FRESH SUPPLY.—We are now receiving from New York, and have in store the following GOODS, to which we invite the attention of the trade—

15 hhds. New Crop New Orleans Sugars
50 bbls. Crushed and Refined do
10 hhds. Muscovado Molasses
25 bbls. prime New Crop New Orleans do
10 " Golden Syrup
80 bags Rio Coffee
50 " Java, Maricaibo, and Cape Coffee
75 boxes Adamantine Candles