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### Rumors of War.

Col. Donn Platt says that at a late caucus of the radical U. S. Senators the rather startling discovery was made that there was no law that required the Senate to select one of its own members to preside over its deliberations in case of the death, resignation, or disability of the Vice President. On the contrary, as the Vice President, the constitutional presiding officer, is not senator, and the law that authorizes the election of a clerk and other officers of that body being ample for the emergency, the reason favors the election of one not a member of the body to preside over its deliberations. To this view of the situation not a dissenting voice was heard, and it was determined that in case of any popular disturbance calling for sharp, prompt action, that Grant should be elected to the vacancy, which would make him President of the United States until his successor was duly inaugurated.

This is a deep-land scheme by desperate men, bold enough to attempt its execution. It means revolution, or rather that coup d'etat necessary to close up and perfect the revolution that has been in progress the last eight years. If returning boards, made of creatures dependent upon the Administration at Washington, are to determine the selection of a President in States where the constituency of legislatures and the governors are to be found only at the national capital, and are held in working order by bayonets, self-government has ceased to exist, and the republic is a memory of the past.

To those who acknowledge the wrong and yet preach submission, we can only say that we are giving strength to usurpation and bowing our heads to what year after year will grow more and more intolerable and more difficult to remove. A submission to wrong is a premium on vice. The man who compounds a felony becomes the slave of the felon. All these conspirators ask is that they may have four years' more of power with its title in outrage, that in four years will become familiar and a precedent for further outrage. It is not the wrong that worries men. It is the effect that wrong may have upon the people. If the people tamely submit, God help them in the hereafter. We are in the hands of the vilest creatures ever permitted to curse a people. Ruined in character, though rich in spoils; convicted in public estimation, yet holding to power with an audacity that is without parallel, they threaten the people they seek to oppress, and we have timid property-holders begging us to submit.

There are some things more precious to us than property, for they make property valuable. These are more dear to us than the Constitution, that was made solely for their protection. These are our manhood and the rights that give that manhood dignity and self-respect. How painful and mean, then, is this cry of submission. What are moneyed possessions, lands and bonds, compared to the noble heritage left us by the fathers, that enabled the humblest among us to say proudly, "I am an American citizen; there is none to molest, none to make me afraid."

God knows we are opposed to violence. We saw the desolation that darkened the households in the late war, and we be to the wicked men who again force this upon us. But they give us no choice. We must either bend our necks to their iron heels or fight. We know the American people—we know that, however long suffering and patient under fraud, they will not submit to the insolence of violence.

Let us be warned in time. Let us arm for the conflict, for it is upon us; the crisis is to-day. Let the people say that before they will consent to have this temple of freedom polluted with vile demagogues and dishonest money changers, like the blind Sampson, who will put their arms about the pillars and bury all in one common ruin.

### Narrow Gauge Railroad.

A correspondent of the Washington Star, writing from Falls Church, says: "A meeting of the citizens of this place was held at Jefferson Institute, last night, to listen to an address from the Hon. P. B. Borst, President of the Washington, Cincinnati, and St. Louis Narrow Gauge Railroad. Mr. J. S. Riley called the meeting to order, and upon his motion J. J. Moran took the chair, and U. E. Dutton acted as Secretary.

The chairman congratulated the meeting on the large number of ladies and gentlemen present who had shown their interest and enthusiasm in this new enterprise, and with a few pertinent remarks relative to the significance of a new and direct railway into Washington, introduced the President of the road, Mr. Borst, who addressed the audience at length, entering into the details of the subject, the route, grades, and progress already made, and by the aid of a chart prepared by George B. Whiting, of the naval engineering bureau, the topography of the country, and Fairfax counties, to the road through Alexandria and Fairfax counties, in which this community most especially is interested, was exhibited showing the feasibility of the route, and the advantages to be derived by the people, especially of the cities of Georgetown and Washington, which will reap the benefits of trade and commerce this road will produce. Traversing, as this road will one of the best agricultural sections of the State of Virginia through the wood, coal, and mineral regions of this and the State of West Virginia, the advantages of it will be incalculably greater than all other roads leading into the District of Columbia combined. With the subscriptions asked from the citizens of Georgetown and Falls Church, Mr. Borst agrees to commence work on this end of the route, and will complete and have the road in running order as far as this place in three months' time, with a rate of fare not to exceed ten cents, thus opening up this whole section, the most desirable, in point of healthfulness and good neighborhood, of any suburb of the District cities.

"At the conclusion of the address, the chairman asked an expression from the audience, when various practical questions and answers were elicited, bearing particularly upon the action proposed to be taken by our citizens to secure an immediate commencement of the road, and upon the motion of H. W. Throckmorton, a committee, consisting of Geo. B. Whiting, C. H. Buxton, J. S. Riley, C. E. Dailey, Almondo Birch, and J. J. Moran, was appointed to prepare lists and solicit subscriptions, and to institute such measures and will hasten the work.

"It is the expectation that \$25,000 will be subscribed here, and with the liberal subscriptions hoped for from the citizens of Georgetown, the road will be pushed to a successful completion."

## MEDICINES.

### AN ADDRESS TO THE SICK.

Do you want to purify the system?  
Do you want to get rid of Biliousness?  
Do you want something to strengthen you?  
Do you want a good appetite?  
Do you want to get rid of nervousness?  
Do you want good digestion?  
Do you want to sleep well?  
Do you want to build up your constitution?  
Do you want a brisk and vigorous feeling?  
If you do, take

## SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR.

PURELY VEGETABLE.  
Is harmless,  
Is no drastic violent medicine,  
Is sure to cure if taken regularly,  
Is no intoxicating beverage,  
Is a faultless family medicine,  
Is the cheapest medicine in the world,  
Is given with safety and the happiest results to the most delicate infant.  
Does not interfere with business,  
Does not disarrange the system,  
Takes the place of Quinine and Bitters of every kind.  
Contains the simplest and best remedies.  
ASK the recovered Dyspeptic, Bilious sufferer, victims of Fever and Ague, the mercurial diseased patient, how they recovered health, cheerful spirits and good appetite—they will tell you by taking Simmons' Liver Regulator.  
The cleanest, purest and best family medicine in the world.  
It contains four medical elements, never united in the same happy proportion in any other preparation, viz: a gentle Cathartic, a wonderful Tonic, an unexceptionable Alterative and a certain corrective of all impurities of the body. Such signal success has attended its use, that it is now regarded as the

### EFFECTUAL SPECIFIC

For all Diseases of the Liver, Stomach and Spleen.  
As a Remedy in Malarious Fevers, Bowel Complaints, Dyspepsia, Mental Depression, Constipation, Jaundice, Nausea, Sick Headache, Colic, Constipation and Biliousness  
IT HAS NO EQUAL.

### CAUTION!

As there are a number of imitations offered to the public, we would caution the community to buy no Powders or Prepared Simmons' Liver Regulator unless in our original wrapper with Trade Mark, Stamp and Signature unbroken. None other is genuine.  
J. H. ZEILIN & CO.,  
Macon, Ga., and Philadelphia.  
Your valuable medicine, Simmons' Liver Regulator, has saved me many doctor's bills. I use it for everything it is recommended and never knew it to fail; I have used it in Colic and Grubbs with my Mules and Horses, giving them about half a bottle at a time. I have not lost one that I gave it to. You can recommend it to every one that has stock, as being the best medicine known for all complaints that horse flesh is heir to.  
E. T. TAYLOR,  
Agent for Grangers of Georgia.

### TOBACCO AND SEGARS

## J. N. A. FIELD,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in  
SMOKING AND CHEWING  
TOBACCO,  
CIGARS, PIPES, &c.  
23-25 Flood's, Bob White, Winfree & Lloyd's  
Pride of Virginia, Hiawatha and other brands  
at factory prices. Always keeps a large stock  
in store. Call and see him, at No. 71 King st.,  
before you buy elsewhere. feb 10

### BUILDING MATERIAL.

## JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in  
Hardware, Cutlery, Horse Shoes  
Iron, Plough Castings, Nail Rods, Axle  
Grass, Wagon Materials, House-  
keepers' Goods, &c., &c.  
NO. 88 KING STREET, CORNER ROYAL  
Mh 8 Alexandria, Virginia.  
B. F. PEAKE. B. W. NALLS.  
JOHN W. PEAKE.  
B. F. PEAKE & CO.  
(Successors to Jas. W. Nalls, Son & Co.)  
DEALERS IN  
DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, PAINTS, HARD-  
WARE, LEADS, OILS, CEMENT,  
CALCINED PLASTER, &c., &c.  
No. 187 King street,  
Alexandria, Virginia.  
feb 2-4f

### OFFICE VIRGINIA MIDLAND R. R.

JOHN S. BARBOUR, Receiver.  
Alexandria, Va., November 27, 1876.  
The following rates on Agricultural Lino,  
car load shipments not to exceed 20,000 lbs to  
the car, will be in force until March 1st, 1877,  
from River station to—  
Manassas.....\$6 00 per car of 20,000 lbs  
Clifton.....6 00  
Fairfax.....6 00  
Bristow.....6 00  
Nokesville.....7 00  
Burke's.....7 00  
Springfield.....7 00  
Oakdale.....7 00  
Warrenton Junction.....7 00  
Melrose.....7 00  
Midland.....8 00  
Alexandria.....8 00  
Baylor.....8 00  
Bappanhannock.....8 00  
Brandy.....8 00  
Culpeper.....10 00  
Mitchell's.....10 00  
Orange.....11 00  
Madison.....11 00  
Gordonsville.....11 00  
To all points on the Manassas Division, be-  
tween Gainesville and Strasburg, \$5.00 per car.  
Capacity not to exceed 20,000 lbs.  
P. H. HAWKS,  
\*Prepaid stations. Gen. Freight Agent.  
[Nov 30-1m]

## E. J. MILLER & CO.,

Importers of  
**CHINA and QUEENSWARE**  
AND DEALERS IN  
Glassware, Window Glass, Lamps, Chandelier  
and Fancy Goods.  
No. 65 King Street.  
We have now in store, purchased direct from  
the manufacturers, a full, complete and hand-  
some assortment of goods in our line, to which  
we invite special attention.  
French China Dinner Sets, complete, in plain  
white, gilt band and decorated; French China  
Tea Sets, in gilt band and decorated; French  
China Cups and Saucers, gilt band and plain  
white; French China Vases, new patterns and  
very handsome; French China Toilet Sets,  
Moss Rose and other patterns; English Toilet  
Sets, handsomely decorated, something new;  
China Mugs, Toy Tea Sets, Glass Vases, &c.  
We have the largest and most complete stock  
of goods ever before brought to this place, which  
we are offering at very low figures. Call and  
examine our goods and prices. mh 6

## DRY GOODS.

### TEN PER CENT OFF FOR CASH!

OUR ENTIRE WINTER STOCK,  
MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES AT LOW PRICES.

### THE GREAT COMBINATION STORE

IS OPENING  
CARPETS TO-DAY.  
Look out for another rush.

### NEW ATTRACTION! NEW PRICES

AND NEW GOODS AT THE COMBINATION  
STORE. EVERY ARTICLE REDUCED  
THIS DAY in order to make room for the  
Grand Toy Display.

### THE COMBINATION STORE

is ready now  
with a splendid stock of CROCKERY and  
GLASSWARE. Solid goods at broken prices.

### THE COMBINATION STORE

has now all  
facilities to wait on all the customers. A new  
force just engaged. Come and see me.

### THE COMBINATION STORE

has WHITE  
FLANNELS at 10c a yard. Plaids for skirts  
at 12c. Also a full line of Alpaca just opened.  
A call will settle the question. nov 27

### J. M. STEWART

Has just opened from New York an additional  
supply of CLOAKS, new styles, and very superior  
BLACK FRENCH CASHMERE. These  
goods are beautiful in their finish and very  
brilliant blacks.  
A fine line of SKIRTING FLANNELS,  
yard wide, of all grades, some all wool and of  
the finest quality.  
HEAVY ENGLISH CLOAKS, all  
sizes and very rich patterns and colors. oc 18

### RECEIVED BY STEAMER THIS DAY.

A very pretty line of  
EXTRA SUPERIOR INGRAIN CARPETS,  
and Tapestry and Brussels do, for halls and  
stairs; also a large assortment of Velvet and  
Tapestry Mats and Rugs, Door Mats in every  
style, and Floor Oil Cloths from 4 to 16 quarters.  
Inspection invited.  
nov 13 D. F. WITMER.

### COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

PHILIP B. HOOR,  
NO. 2 PRINCE STREET  
GENERAL  
COMMISSION AND SHIPPING MERCHANT  
FERTILIZERS, SALT AND PLASTER  
Agent of the  
LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE IN-  
SURANCE COMPANY.  
feb 5-4f

### J. C. & E. MILBURN,

Wholesale and Retail  
GROCERS & COMMISSION MERCHANTS.  
No. 19 N. Royal st., cor. Market Space,  
Alexandria, Virginia.  
Orders and consignments solicited. They will  
receive careful and prompt attention. jly 2

### R. B. LAWSON & CO.,

(Successors to R. M. Lawson.)  
GROCERS AND LIQUOR MERCHANTS  
No. 67 Cameron street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
aug 3

### THOMAS PERRY,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT  
AND AGENT FOR  
THE SALE OF FERTILIZERS,  
No. 17 King street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
aug 16-4f

### GEO. WASHINGTON, E. J. WASHINGTON WASHINGTON & BROTHER,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS  
NO. 20 UNION STREET,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Consignments of Grain, Merchandise and all  
kinds of Country Produce solicited. Special  
attention given to all business entrusted to them.  
Prompt returns made. ap 24

### W. A. SMOOT,

DEALER IN  
COAL, SALT AND PLASTER  
SMOOT'S WARE  
(Foot "Princess st.,")  
Alexandria, Virginia.  
feb 21-4f

## DRY GOODS.

### PANIC IN BLANKETS

AT THE  
COMBINATION STORE.  
The whole stock of Blankets was reduced this  
day 60c a pair. Now is your chance once more.

### TOYS AND HOLIDAY GOODS

ARE FAST COMING IN  
AT THE  
COMBINATION STORE,  
And will be ready for exhibition on the 10th day  
of December. Wait for the great opening.

### THE GREAT COMBINATION STORE

IS OPENING  
CARPETS TO-DAY.  
Look out for another rush.

### LINEN CRASH

at 7c a yard, Cottons at 6c  
a yard, and Silk Gloves at 10c a pair, just  
opened at the  
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## FURNISHING GOODS.

### 1776 CENTENNIAL 1876

FALL TRADE.  
REMOVAL!  
NEW STORE! NEW GOODS!  
PRICES TO SUIT THE PRESENT  
TIMES.  
THE PUBLIC SHOULD LOOK TO THEIR  
INTEREST.  
I will inform the public in general that I have  
removed from the corner of King and Royal  
streets to my new building,  
NO. 66 KING STREET,  
where I have opened a  
**First-class Boot and Shoe Bazaar**  
and adjoining, No. 68 King st., I have opened a  
**Fine Clothing Emporium.**  
Having had over twenty-five years experience  
in the Clothing and Shoe business, I  
am fully able to furnish the public with all de-  
scriptions of BOOTS, SHOES, CLOTHING,  
MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, TRUNKS,  
VALISES, &c., &c., lower than any other  
house this side of Baltimore. As I buy direct  
from the manufacturers and strictly for cash,  
this gives me the opportunity to give my patrons  
the benefit of the same.  
All I ask is a trial from the public before  
making purchasing elsewhere.

### HENRY STRAUSS'

BOOT AND SHOE BAZAAR, NO. 66 KING  
STREET.  
FINE CLOTHING EMPORIUM, NO. 68  
KING STREET.  
sep 20-1j

### 1876 W. B. WADDEY 1876

74 KING STREET.  
FALL AND WINTER STOCK OF  
**BOOTS & SHOES**  
ECONOMY IS WEALTH.  
WE CAN HELP YOU SPEND YOUR  
MONEY WISELY.  
We can convince you that you can save money  
this Fall and Winter if you  
will buy your  
**BOOTS & SHOES**  
from us. Our stock is now in, and never before  
was more complete in every respect  
than at present. Almost  
every desirable  
style of  
**BOOTS & SHOES**  
FOR  
GENTS, LADIES, MISSES, BOYS' AND  
CHILDREN'S WEAR,  
can be found in our stock; and as for quality  
and prices we ask an examination and compari-  
son to satisfy yourself that we can make it to  
your interest to trade with us.

### W. B. WADDEY,

74 KING STREET,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
sep 18

### FALL STYLES, 1876.

## JULIAN F. YOUNG,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in all the New and  
"Nobby" styles of Fine, Soft, Semi and  
Stiff Fur and Wool  
**HATS & CAPS**  
AND  
Ladies' and Gents' Fur Goods.  
NO. 80 KING STREET,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
sep 12

### TAYLOR & HUFTY,

933 Pennsylvania Avenue,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.  
Have REDUCED the price of their celebrated  
**DOUBLE-YOKE SHIRTS**  
AS FOLLOWS:  
Quality No. 1, \$24.00..... Formerly \$30.00  
" " 2, 33.00..... " 36.00  
" " 3, 33.00..... " 42.00  
" " 4, 42.00..... " 48.00  
Washington, my 8

### S. BERNHEIMER

Pays the Highest Cash Prices for  
**SECOND-HAND CLOTHING**  
GUNS, REVOLVERS, WATCHES,  
Musical Instruments, New and Sec-  
ond-Hand Harness,  
Stoves, &c., &c.  
S. E. CORNER KING AND LEE STREETS  
Oct 25f Alexandria, Va.

### MOUNT VERNON NURSERY,

Established 25 years.  
FRUIT TREES ADAPTED TO THIS RE-  
GION A SPECIALTY.  
MALL FRUIT, ORNAMENTAL TREES  
Etc., &c.  
Send for a Catalogue to  
G. GILLIGAN & CO.,  
Accomack House, Fairfax Co., Va.  
nov 4-1w4f

### GUNS, PISTOLS, CAPS, WADS, CAR- TRIDGES, &c., in same line as the cor- ner of Royal and King st.—We are offering two Branch-loaders for sale at a great bargain. Call and examine. nov 25 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

### AXES! AXES!

At 85 King street.  
On hand 60 dozen Chopping Axes, of assorted  
shapes, &c., which we offer at very low prices  
by the box or single Axe.  
nov 21 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

### STAFFORD MANUFACTURING CO'S.

STENCIL COMBINATION, containing  
Alphabet, Figures, Ink and Brush, an assort-  
ment of sizes, for sale at 85 King street. A nice  
article for marking lace, boxes, &c.  
sep 13 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

### HATCHES, SAWS, PLANES and other TOOLS, just received and for sale at re- duced prices at 85 King st., corner of Royal st., Alexandria, Va. nov 25 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

### FINE IMPORTED and Domestic WINES

in store  
J. C. & E. MILBURN.

## FANCY GOODS.

### HERCULES BRAIDS, BUTTONS, SILK FRINGES, CORSETS and LADIES' and CHILDREN'S MERINO UNDERWEAR, at reduced prices at FERGUSON & BROS., 96 King street. nov 14

### RUSTIC FRAMES RUSTIC FRAMES RUSTIC FRAMES at LOW PRICES. FERGUSON & BROS., 96 King street. nov 11

### J. MIDDLETON WHITE,

(Late with J. M. Stewart)  
C. M. ADAMS,  
**Ladies' & Gents' Furn'g. Goods.**  
LADIES' DEPARTMENT.  
Kid Gloves, Hosiery, Underwear, Corsets,  
Scarfs, Collars and Cuffs, Handkerchiefs, &c.  
GENTS' DEPARTMENT.  
Kid Gloves, Collars and Cuffs, Hosiery, Shirts,  
Handkerchiefs, Underwear, Scarfs, Ties and  
Bows, &c.  
NOTION DEPARTMENT.  
Cotton, Pins, Needles, Thread, Buttons, Edg-  
ings, Zephyr, Worsted, Shetland Wool, German-  
town Wool, Saxony Yarns, &c.  
nov 8 C. M. ADAMS, No. 92 King st.

### CHILDREN'S NECK RUFFLES, Lace Handkerchiefs, Hoods, Jackets, &c., in vari- ety, at FERGUSON & BROS., 96 King street. nov 7

### BLACK COMBS—We have just opened an other supply of Spanish Tuck Combs in new and choice styles, together with a full line of Pressing Combs, Hair, Tooth and Nail Brush, at FERGUSON & BROS., 96 King street. nov 9

### CORSETS! CORSETS! Another supply of the celebrated, Sanitary Corset, white and colored, just received; also a large assort- ment of other styles at low prices. FERGUSON & BROS., 96 King street. oct 24

### PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

## DR. J. ORLANDO HODGKIN,

(Formerly of this city.)  
**SURGEON DENTIST,**  
OFFICE NO. 1227 PENNA. AVENUE,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.  
nov 4-6m

### H. O. CLAYTON, CHARLES E. STUART, CLAUGHTON & STUART, ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW, NO. 28 SOUTH FAIRFAX STREET, Practice in the Courts of Alexandria, and the adjoining counties, and in the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia. sep 25

### JOHN H. JOHNSON, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Alexandria, Virginia. Practising in the Courts of Alexandria and adjoining counties. Will attend the Loudoun Courts regularly. jly 1-ly

### RICHARD E. MAURY, AND SOLICITOR IN BANKRUPTCY, No. 1015 Main street, Richmond, Virginia. Special facilities for prompt collection throughout Virginia and West Virginia. Refers to Gov. John Letcher, (recent partner) Lexington, Va.; The State Bank of Virginia, Gov. Jas. L. Kemper, Hon. R. M. T. Hunter, Gov. R. H. Maury & Co., Bankers, Richmond, Va.; Messrs. Baring Bros. & Co., J. K. Gilliat & Co., London, England. mh 31

### DENTAL NOTICE.

DR. D. N. RUST  
Has removed his office to the  
NORTHEAST CORNER OF PRINCE AND  
WASHINGTON STREETS.  
dec 21-4f

A CARD.—Circumstances rendering it de-  
sirable that I should locate in Baltimore, I  
have transferred my DENTAL PRACTICE in  
Alexandria to DR. D. N. RUST. He has been  
for many years associated with me, and I  
have no introduction or endorsement, his skill, ability  
and reputation for honesty and high integrity  
being well known. I cordially commend him  
to the favor of my friends and patients, as well  
worthy of the position to which he succeeds, and  
bespeak for him the practice with which, for so  
long, I have been favored. JAMES B. HODGKIN,  
Alexandria, Va., mar 10-4f

### DR. R. F. JONES, 21 N. Calvert st., Balti- more, Md., makes a specialty and guaran- tees Speedy and Certain Relief in all Diseases and Irregularities incident to Females; also in Impotency, Sterility, Spasmodic Rheas, Stricture, Gravel and all other Diseases of the Generative Organs of either sex. sep 6

### INSURANCE AGENCIES.

## Mutual Life Insurance Company

OF NEW YORK.  
Cash Assets, \$80,000,000.  
THE LARGEST AND BEST LIFE INSUR-  
ANCE COMPANY IN  
THE WORLD.  
W. D. CORSE, Agent, Alexandria, Va.  
Corner Prince and Lee streets.  
nov 8-4f

### A PROCLAMATION

MAYOR'S OFFICE,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA., October 19, 1876.  
Whereas the good order of a community de-  
pends upon the prompt and impartial enforce-  
ment of the laws which have for their object the  
maintenance and preservation of the morality,  
happiness and property of society—  
Therefore, be it known to all whom it may  
concern, that a non observance of the MUNI-  
CIPAL and STATE LAWS in reference to  
VAGRANTS, DRUNKENNESS, and an ac-  
PROHIBITING THE SALE OF INTOXIC-  
ATING LIQUORS ON THE SABBATH  
DAY, will be punished by sentence of the peni-  
tentiary prescribed by each law relative to the sub-  
ject of the offence, and in this I hope to have the  
assistance of all good citizens.  
J. B. JOHNSON.  
By the Mayor:  
JAMES F. WEBSTER,  
Captain of Police. oct 24-4f

### MARBLE YARD.

Having taken charge of the Marble Yard at  
the corner of DUKE and ALFRED STS., in  
benefit of the widow of the late Wm. Owens, I  
am now prepared to furnish ALL KINDS OF  
GRAVE STONES and BUILDING WORK  
as cheap as the cheapest.  
WM. CHAUNCEY.  
HERBERT P. TANCIL'S  
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