RICHMOND WHIG.

[For the Whig.

HUMOROUS SELECTIONS.

"From gay to grave, from lively to severe."

Legal Anecdote.—Two of the great guns of the New Hampshire bar, Jeremiah Mason and Ichabod Barlett, had been battling all the week, and the most important cases had been disposed of. The judge was half asleep, the jury was in scarcely a better condition, and cases were decided before the parties interested hardly knew which way to turn. At about 4 o'clock an old man was placed at the bar, accused of passing counterfeit money. There were but few persons in the Court house—the lawyers who had finished their business, had gone home, and the old fellow seemed in a fair way to be rapidly consigned to the State prison. Mr. Bartlett, the younger *gun*, sat with his arms folded, and his feet upon the edge of the table, apparently asleep, while the attorney general was examining two or three witnesses. Never was justice hurried through in a more summary manner. The evidence was direct and conclusive, and as witness after witness left the stand, the old prisoner's face grew paler and paler, anu he trembled at the certainty of his fate.

By and by Mr. Bartlett opened his eyes, cast a glance at the grey heirs of the culprit; yawned gently and, turning to the attorney general, said audibly "I'll defend this man." He asked no questions of the witnesses, and he took no notes—but when the evidence was through, he rose and delivered one of the most beautiful arguments ever heard. The testimony, which appeared as clear as noon-day, he pulled all to pieces—he made discord of harmony—nonsense of sense—discrepancy of the most exact agreement, and when he touched upon the old man's unjust sufferings, he even drew tears. Without leaving their seats, the jury declared the prisoner "not guilty!"—The weeping man, with clasped hands, leaned forward, seemed to invoke a blessing upon the head of his defender. "Let him out constable," said Mr. Baatlett, "*and now, you old rascal, go about business, and never let me catch you counterfeiting money again.*" The jury stared in wonder, and we left the Court House laughing, yet sorrowful.

Money Down.—On no occasion do people seem more prone to commit blunders than at a wedding. The following incident is said to have actually happened:

In the midst of a crowd of witnesses, the clergyman had just completed the interesting ceremony which binds in the silver bonds of wedlock two willing hearts, and stretched forth his hands to implored the blessing of heaven on the union. At this point, the groomsman seeing the open hands reached out, supposed it was the signal for him to surrender the wedding fee, which was burning in his pocket. Accordingly just as the clergyman closed his eyes in prayer, he felt the pressure of two sweet half dollars upon his palm.

The good man for a moment hesitated, appalled at the ludicrousness of his situation, but coolly deposited the money in his pocket, and proceeded with his devotions.

Studyin' Latin.—The New Era relates a story of a father whose son had for a long time been ostensibly studying Latin in a popular academy.

The father not being perfectly satisfied with the course and the conduct of the young hopeful, recalled him from school, and placed him by the side of a cart one day, and thus addressed him:

"Now, Richard, here is a fork, and there is a heap of manure, and a cart; what do you call them in Latin?"

"Forkibus, cartibus, et manuribus," said Richard.

"Well, now," said the old man, "if you don't take that forkibus pretty quickibus, and pitch that manuribus into that cartibus, I'll break your lazy backibus."

Richard went to workibus forthwithibus.

Not Very Bad.—We heard something good about one of those notorious liars who swell around the hotels, and "ring in" every now and then for a bumper, by their sang froid manner of telling yarns about their travels and so forth. One had insinuated himself amongst a small party of gentlemen at one of the hotels, a few nights ago, and was drawing largely on their credulity. "Where did you say all these wonders happened, sir?" inquired a gentleman present. "I think it was on my return from Russia," returned the traveler. "I should rather think *It-a-ly*," echoed his questioner.

Professional Anecdote.—In a neighboring city a young member of the Bar thought he would adopt a motto for himself; and, after much reflection, wrote in large letters and pasted up against the wall the following: "Suum cuique," which may be translated, "Let every one have his own." A country client coming in expressed himself much gratified with the maxim, but added, "You don't spell it right." "Indeed; then how ought it to be spelt?" The latter replied "Sue 'em quick."

Repartee.—The late Judge Wilde, while at the bar, was quite famous for his apt repartee. He was once trying a case, and labored very hard to obtain a certain answer from a reluctant witness. The opposing counsel interrupted him with the side remark—"Ah, it's no use, brother Wilde, to pump the witness further—you are only on a wild goose chase." Just so," said Mr. W., "Wild (e) on one side, and goose on the other."

THE "SOUTHERN SHORT CUT."

A new route to the South has been recently projected, which, when completed, will not only be shorter than any now existing, but in this particular will be likely to remain unrivalled. It is, in fact, a direct line from Philadelphia to New Orleans, by way of Richmond, Virginia, Anderson, South Carolina, and Augusta, Georgia. Besides its advantage in respect to length, it can be opened in less time than any other, as a large portion of the line consists of roads now in operation, and the location of the connecting links required to unite them is highly favorable to cheap and rapid construction. By this route the time between Philadelphia and Richmond will be reduced to ten hours, whilst Norfolk can be rerched in twelve. Moreover, and this even more important, it will form a direct connexion between this city and the Chesapeake Bay, at a point where navigation is never obstructed by ice, and where there is sufficient water for ships of the largest class.

The entire amount of new road required to reach Richmond will be about one hundred and twenty miles, or less than one half of what is necessary to complete the "Air Line" from New York to Norfolk, which is intended to avoid Philadelphia altogether. This new road will commence near Smyrna, on the Delaware railroad, and terminate near Hanover, on the Virginia Central. On its way it will traverse the tide water sections of Maryland and Virginia, connecting with the navigation of the Potomac, the Patuxent the Rappahannock and other streams. This region of country is among the most fertile in the United States, and its corn and wheat are favorably known in this market.

From Smyrna, to Oxford, on the Eastern Shore of the Chesapeake, the distance is only fifty miles, and this portion of the work has been commenced by the Maryland and Delaware Railroad Company. The contractors have been engaged upon it since last December; and if the necessary means can be obtained, it will be pushed forward to a rapid completion. A considerable portion of the stock has been subscribed by citizens of that part of Maryland, among whom there is an earnest desire to secure facilities for a better communication with this metropolis, to which their trade interest naturally direct them. Their ability, however, is limited, though their feeling is most cordial; and the Company looks to this company for aid to enable them to press their work to a conclusion, which if the requisite sum is forthcoming, can be accomplished during the present season.

Gen. Tench Tilghman, the President of the M. and D. Railroad is now at the La Pierre House, in this city. On Saturday he had an interview with some of the leading members of our Corn Exchange, and to-day we learn he expects to hold a conference with a committee of the Board of Trade. At a proper time he will submit his plans to such citizens as may be especially interested in this project, and as his expectations are very moderat we have no doubt he will meet with success.—*Philad. North Amer.*

Church Going in the Olden Time.—We find the following in a history of the town of Salem, Mass.

"The boys were ranged on the stairs of the meeting house, and a man was appointed to keep people from sleeping by means of a short, clubbed stick, having at one end a knob and at the other a fox tail, with which he would stroke the woman's faces that were asleep, and with the other would knock unruly dogs and men. In the same place, Salem, two men were appointed to mark down the non-attendants, in order to present them to the magistrate, while at the same time, three constables were appointed to keep watch at the three doors of the meeting house, to prevent any one from going forth till the exercises were finished."

A physician of extensive practice says, in reference to the vast number of experiments witnessed by him in the use of chloroform, that it is no by any means necessary to carry the absorption of the chloroform to the extent of destroying all power of movement—in fact, that there is danger in crossing the line which separates motion and its abolition.

Valuable Horse.—Silver Heels is the name of a valuable horse lately purchased by General Singleton, of Quincy, Ill., for the round sum of $3000. He is one of the highly bred Morgan stock, and is pronounced by competent judges, to be the finest specimen of the horse kind now living.

Diplomatic Morality.—The late difficulty between Persia and England is said to have been caused by the misconduct of the English Ambassador, Mr. Murray, who persisted in keeping in his house a beautiful Persian lady, the sister of the Shah, after having provided for her husband by giving him an appointment in the British consulate—the Shah, it seems, not being willing to leave hi relative any longer in such a positon.

Something New.—They have now in Paris an "Umbrella Great Coat," which is intended to serve as a grea coat and an umbrella at the same time. It is made of impervious material, and has running along the lower edge an air-proof tube. Under the collar is a little blow-hol communicating with this tube. The wearer applies hi mouth to this hole, and with a few exhalations he inflate it with air.

WHITEWASH BRUSHES, of the best quality, an at all prices, for sale by
LAIDLEY & ROBINSON,
ma8 Chemists &c., 4th and Franklin st

35 TIERCES JOWLS, in Pickle, in prime order, j landed, and for sale low to close consignment, by
SELDEN & MILLER,
ma17 Corner Pearl and Cary street

FAMILY ROE HERRINGS! Halifax Clips Herr Prime Rice; Smoked Herrings, in boxes; Codfish; just la and for sale by
SELDEN & MILLER
ma17 Corner Pearl and Cary stre

IMITATION JAMAICA RUM.—10 Puncheon sale by
ma17 DAVENPORT, ALLEN &

30 HHDS. PRIME BACON SIDES Shoulders, for sale by
ma18 WOMBLE & CLAIBORNE, No. 11 Pear

27 HHDS. PRIME SIDES AND SHO DERS, landing per steamer, for sale by
WOMBLE & CLAIBORN
ma10 No. 11 Pearl st

GRAIN CRADLES.—800 Grant's Wire Brace, f by [ma10] WM. PAL

FAMILY FLOUR, of a very superior quality, for
ma12 EDWIN WORTHAM

RAILROADS, &c.

VIRGINIA CENTRAL RAILROAD.
ORANGE AND ALEXANDRIA RAILROAD.

GREAT NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN MAIL ROUTE,
FOR NORTHERN, SOUTHERN AND WESTERN TRAVELLERS.

TWICE DAILY, (Sunday night excepted,) between Richmond and Washington City, via Gordonsville and Alexandria.
Hours of departure at Richmond.......6.45 A. M., and 7.30 P. M.
Returning leave Washington............ A. M., and P. M.
and arrive at Richmond....... ....1.30 P. M., and 4 A. M.
Baggage Checks and Tickets, given through between Richmond and Washington.

THESE TWO RAILROADS HAVING NO STRAP RAIL, and being in excellent order, and CARRYING THE GREAT NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN MAIL, give the best guarantee of always securing connections, as is shown by arrivals daily at Richmond and Washington city in advance of the Steamboat line.

Fare between Richmond and Washington............ ....$5 50

An Omnibus will be found always ready, to take *through* passengers and their baggage of wearing apparel, between the Depots, free of charge, with ample time for them to take their meals, whether going North or South.

Through Tickets can be obtained between Danville and Washington at the terminus of the Road, now nearly completed to Danville. An agent of the company will receive the checks of passengers from the Danville Road, and attend to their baggage all the way to Washington or the Baltimore Depot.

The fare the same by the mail line, as by the old Steamboat route.

ja5 J. H. TIMBERLAKE, Sup't.

RICHMOND AND PETERSBURG RAILROAD.

ON and after this date, the trains on this Road will run as follows:

TRAINS LEAVE RICHMOND FOR PETERSBURG
Express, through Passenger daily, (Sunday's excepted,) at.......................5½ o'cl'k A. M.
Mail, through Passenger, daily, at.......................3 " P. M.
Accommodation and freight train (Tri-Weekly,) viz.
Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at ....8½ " A. M.
Norfolk Train Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays..6½ " A. M.

TRAINS LEAVE PETERSBURG FOR RICHMOND.
Express, through Passenger daily at...............5 " A. M.
Mail, " " " (Sunday's excepted,) 5½ " P. M.
Accommodation and freight train Tri-Weekly, viz.
Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at...........8½ " A. M.
Richmond to Clover Hill. A passenger car will be attached to the Coal Train which leaves Richmond daily, (Sunday's excepted,) for Clover Hill at....6 o'clk, A. M.
Passengers coming from Clover Hill by this train must be at Summit Depot by.............. ......10 " A. M.

The Express trains will not stop on the way either to take up or put down way passengers.

The Mail trains will stop when there are passengers to take up or put down at Manchester, Temples, Rice's, Half-Way Station, Clover Hill and Port Walthall Junctions.

The accommodation train will stop at all the regular stopping places when there are passengers to take up or put down.

The Express and Mail Trains from Richmond connect with the Southern Trains at Petersburg for Weldon, Raleigh, Wilmington, &c. Through Tickets to Weldon can be procured at the ticket office in Richmond.

The same trains from Petersburg connect at Richmond with the Northern trains for Washington, Baltimore, &c. Through tickets for Washington, Baltimore and Philadelphia, can be procured at the ticket office in Petersburg.

Fare for white persons...$1 85
" Children over 5 and not over 12 years of age........ 85
" Colored persons in servants' car........................ 85

Colored persons will not be permitted in the first class cars except when in attendance on infant children, or sick persons, absolutely requiring their care, in which case the same fare as for white persons will be charged.

A discount of 10 cents will be allowed on each fare when tickets are purchased at the office, and to persons getting on the cars where no tickets are sold.

Servants travelling by themselves must be furnished by their masters with two passes, so that one can be retained at the office; and it must be expressly stated on the pass that they are permitted to go on the cars.

THOMAS ODAMEAD, Superintendent.
Office R. & P. R. R. Co. March. 25th 1856.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE
OCTOBER 22D.

FARE FROM RICHMOND,

To Lynchburg	$8 50	To Lexington	$4 09
To Buchanan	4 00	To the Natural Bridge	4 50

Fare from both Richmond and Lynchburg to Charlottesville, $2 50.

Satisfied, on a fair trial, that the majority of travel on the Packet Boats are better accommodated by leaving in the evening, we return to the old hours—on and after the 22d instant, leaving Richmond Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 5 P. M., reach New Canton at 9 A. M., and Scottsville 12 M. of the first, and Lynchburg at 5 A. M., and Buchanan and Lexington at 6 P. M. of the second day.

Returning, leave Buchanan at 6 A. M., and Lynchburg at 7½ P. M., Monday, Wednesday and Friday, reach Scottsville at 10½ A. M., New Canton at 1½ P. M., and arrive in Richmond at 5 next A. M.

The Boats connect at New Canton with the Stage for the Institute and Buckingham C. H., and in Scottsville with the Stage for Charlottesville.

☞ See Time and Distances, in Card below:

Leave Richmond Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 5 P. M. | *Leave Lynchburg Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 7½ P. M.*

ARRIVE AT	TIME.		MILES	ARRIVE AT	TIME.		MILES
Manakintown	9	P M	17	Staples' Mills,	11	P M	17
Judes Ferry,	10	P M	22	Bent Creek,	2	A M	30
Michaux's Ferry,	12	M	31	Tye River,	4	"	38
Cedar Point,	12½	A M	33	Hardwicksville,	5½	"	43
Jefferson,	2	"	39	Warminster,	6½	"	48
Pemberton,	4½	"	47	Howardsville,	8	"	56
Columbia,	6½	"	57	Scottsville,	10½	"	67
New Canton,	9	"	66	New Canton,	1½	P M	80
Scottsville,	12½	P M	79	Columbia,	3½	"	90
Howardsville,	2½	"	91	Pemberton,	5½	"	100
Warminster,	4½	"	99	Jefferson,	7½	"	107
Hardswickville,	5½	"	103	Cedar Point	9	"	114
Tye River,	6½	"	108	Michaux's Ferry,	9½	"	116
Bent Creek,	8½	"	117	Jude's Ferry,	11	"	124
Staples' Mills,	11½	P M	129	Manakintown,	½	A M	129
Lynchburg,	5	A M	146	Richmond,	5	"	146

BOYD, EDMOND & DAVENPORT.
Richmond, October 18, 1855. oc18

NEW STORE AND NEW STOCK
OF SUPERIOR
READY-MADE CLOTHING
FOR SPRING AND SUMMER.

Comprising all new styles of Spring Dress and Frock Coats, Business Coats, of fancy cloths, cassimeres, merino, Drap d'Ete, Alpaca, linen and Marseilles; Vests, in endless variety; black dress and fancy cassimere Pants; do linen, marseilles, cambiet, &c., &c.

FURNISHING GOODS.

Cravats, Ties and Stocks, of the greatest variety; Suspenders; kid, silk and thread Gloves; Handkerchiefs, Socks, Shirts, Collars, silk and gauze Under-Shirts; silk, merino, linen and bleached cotton Drawers; India-Rubber Goods; Umbrellas, &c.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

J. D. GOODMAN has now open at his large new store-room, 119 Main street, Richmond, Va., a large and entirely new stock of Spring and Summer READY-MADE CLOTHING, embracing all new styles of every grade of Coats, Pants and Vests, and Furnishing Goods. From his very great facilities in manufacturing, his liberal patrons and the public generally will still find all articles in his line, from finest to lowest grades, of the very best make, and at unusually low prices for cash. Call and examine.

☞ Remember place and No.—119 Main street, next door to J. W. Randolph's Bookstore. [ap18] J. D. GOODMAN.

ED. D. KEELING,
MERCHANT TAILOR AND CLOTHIER, 136, MAIN STREET
SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

JUST received a large lot of superior Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, which he will make up in the best manner, on the most reasonable terms, and at the shortest notice.

A large and well selected stock of Ready Made Clothing, which will compare with any in this or any other market. Our prices as low as at any other House.

Furnishing Goods in great variety, such as Shirts, Cravats, Scharfs, Ties, &c., &c.

He invites his friends and others who are in search of really desirable goods to call and examine his stock. mh28

NOTICE EXTRA.
BOOTS, SHOES AND TRUNKS.

TO OUR FRIENDS, AND THE PUBLIC.—We take this opportunity of informing our Friends and the Public, that we are in receipt of an assortment of Ladies' and Gentlemens' fine dress Boots and Shoes, suitable for the Summer wear. We can assure our customers and all in want of fine goods, that our stock will bear comparison to any in Virginia or any other State, and we think we can exhibit, if it were necessary, double the amount of fine Shoes and Boots to any other House in Richmond. It is unnecessary for us to go into a detail of all the descriptions. All we ask is a call and examine.

ap17 PUTNEY, WATTS & PUTNEY.

$40,000 WORTH
SPRING AND SUMMER CLOTHING.
WM. IRA SMITH,
114 MAIN STREET, RICHMOND, VA.

I HAVE now in store one of the largest stocks of READY-MADE CLOTHING I have ever offered to the Virginia Trade.

Feeling assured that the past experience of *thirteen years* in this business, and its success during that time, is the best evidence that my *goods* and *prices* have been satisfactory, my efforts, as heretofore, will be to offer the *latest style* of pattern and cut, have them well made, and sell such goods as low as any similar house in the State; and in view of the approaching season, I again offer my services, at my old stand, where I can be found at all hours of the day. A call is respectfully asked.

Motto—QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS,
AT 114 MAIN STREET.
ap16 WM. IRA SMITH.

RICHMOND SODA WATER AND BOTTLING ESTABLISHMENT.—It is a fixed fact that the only genuine article of BOTTLE SODA WATER, made in this city, is put up by M McCORMACK, who flatters himself that he is able to compete with any manufacturer, either North or South, having been engaged in the busines for the last nine years.

He is now conducting the above business in all its branches for Mr. Wm. P. LADD, and takes this method of informing his numerous friends and the patrons of his old establishment, that nothing on his part shall be wanted to sustain its former reputation.

☞ To prevent imposition, be sure to call for "McCORMACK'S SODA WATER."

☞ SODA WATER, ALE and PORTER delivered in all parts of the city, free of charge.

☞ All orders from city of country customers promptly attended to. Address

ap7—3m WM. P. LADD, Pearl st., and No. 308 Broad st.

1856—SPRING GOODS!

AT HEAD-QUARTERS FOR FASHIONABLE CLOTHING AND GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS.—The subscriber has now in store his Spring Stock of Clothing and Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, as well as a large and beautiful assortment of piece Goods, such as French and English Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, of every style and fancy, to which he would invite the attention of his friends and the public generally.

E. B. SPENCE,
mh31 No. 120, corner of Main and 13th sts.

FINE DRESS SUITS.—We have just received a beautiful and complete stock of Fine Dress and Frock Coats, Black and Fancy Pants, Plain, Figured and Fancy Pants, Plain and Figured and Fancy Marseilles and Silk Vests, which we will sell as low as the same goods can be bought anywhere. Call and examine for yourselves.

MERCHANT, WEISIGER & CO.,
mh27 No. 112 Main street.

FOR LADIES TRAVELLING.—The Patent Starch, which requires no boiling, and can be prepared for use in a few minutes, is particularly convenient. For sale by

LAIDLEY & ROBINSON,
ma19 Chemists, 4th and Franklin sts.

EXTRA HAMS AND SIDES—
250 Family Hams.
290 do Sides, cured by private hand, and very superior, for sale by WOMBLE & CLAIBORNE,
ma15 No. 11 Pearl Street.

"MAX SUTAINE & CO." CHAMPAGNE WINE, quarts and pints, just landed from Havre packet ship Flying Childers, for sale at lowest New York prices by

SELDEN & MILLER, sole Agents for Richmond,
ma17 Corner Pearl and Cary streets.

BALTIMORE CRUSHED AND LOAF SUGAR, for sale by
ma19 DAVENPORT, ALLEN & CO.

HERRINGS.—150 half bbls. Wood's Family Roe Herrings; 125 bbls. No. 1 Halifax Cut Herrings. Also, 30 bbls. No. 3 Mackerel, for sale by
ma17 EDWIN WORTHAM & CO.

SPEAR & JACKSON'S HAND, PANEL, RIPping, Tenon and Compass Saws. A full assortment in store and for sale by C. J. SINTON & CO.,
ma6 Sign of the Circular Saw, 71 Main st.

LADIES' GAUNTLETTS.—Just received, 10 dozen Ladies' Buck and Black and Colored Kid Gauntletts, some extra fine quality, at the cash store.
ma14 CHRISTIAN & LATHROP, 99 Main st.

FISH.—No. 1 Halifax clipt Herrings
No. 1 Potomac gross do
No. 3 Mackerel, in whole and half bbls., for sale by
ma18 SIZER & PHAUP, 74 Main st.

N. E. RUM—best quality—10 bbls. landing and for sale by
ma1 DAVENPORT, ALLEN & CO.

ARTHUR'S SELF-SEALING CANS, for preserving Fruits, Tomatoes, &c., in their natural state, which are indeed luxuries, and may now be secured by every one at a small cost. Pint, quart, half-gallon and gallon sizes, for sale by
ma5 R. M. ZIMMERMAN.

ICE CREAM FREEZERS; ICE CREAM Spoons; Ice Cream Pails; patent and plain Ice Cream Freezers, of various sizes, for sale low by ZIMMERMAN.

FLOUR AND OFFAL.—20 bbls. very superior Family Flour.
2000 Bushels shorts—In store on consignment for sale low by
ma17 HUNT & BROTHER, Virginia street.

LOW PRICED LAWNS.—A full stock low priced Lawns, for sale by [ma1] C. HARTWELL & CO.

PEARL STARCH.—A superior article, consigned from Chillicothe, Ohio, in regular supply, for sale low, as agents for the manufacturer, by WOMBLE & CLAIBORNE,
ma8 No. 11 Pearl st.

MILL PICKS, of superior quality. A supply just to hand and for sale low by C. J. SINTON & CO.,
ma19 Sign of the Circular Saw, 71 Main st.

STEAMBOATS, &c

SUMMER ARRANGEMENTS.

FOR NEW YORK.—The superior Double Engine Steamship ROANOKE, 1100 tons burthen, Capt. *Thomas Skinner*, Leaves City Point for New York, every Saturday morning, at 9 o'clock.—Passengers from Richmond wishing to join this ship at City Point, will leave in early train (5½ A. M.) of cars to Petersburg, every Saturday morning, and can obtain through tickets to New York, by applying at our office, south side of Basin, or at the Depot, on Saturday morning.

Passage and Fare to N. Y., including State Room, $10
Steerage Passage to do. from City Point, $5
Passage and fare to Norfolk from City Point, same as by the river steamers.

The Roanoke proceeds immediately to Norfolk and leaves there same evening, (after arrival of Southern Cars,) for New York, reaching there next evening, passengers from Richmond being only one *night* on board.

This route will be found far the pleasantest and most comfortable to New York, besides being the cheapest, as the dust and heat of the Railroads are avoided, and there are no changes from time of departure till arrival in New York.

Returning, the Roanoke leaves New York every Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

For State Rooms, apply at our office on South Side of Basin.

LUDLAM & WATSON.

☞ The JAMESTOWN, Capt. Parrish, leaves the wharf at Richmond on Tuesday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, touching at City Point, and proceeding same night to Norfolk. ma15—2t

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.
PASSAGE TO PORTSMOUTH AND NORFOLK.

THE STEAMER CURTIS PECK, Captain John Davis, having just undergone a thorough overhauling, will resume the regular run between this and the above places, leaving the wharf at Rocketts, on SATURDAY morning next, 10th instant, at (5½ o'clock) precisely, and every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings at that hour.

Returning, the Curtis Peck will leave Norfolk every Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings at the same hour, (5½ o'clock,) and touch at all the regular landings on the river going and returning.

Passage and meals as usual. R. O. HASKINS.

The freight on all articles to be landed on the river must be paid when they are sent to the boat.

ma8 R. O. H.

UNION STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
FOR PHILADELPHIA VIA CITY POINT AND NORFOLK.

STEAMER CITY OF RICHMOND, Capt. Z. Mitchell, Steamer PENNSYLVANIA, Captain David Teal, Steamer VIRGINIA, Capt. B. Rooms.

One of these superior Steamers will leave Richmond, until further notice, every Wednesday, touching at City Point and Norfolk to receive freight and passengers. Returning, leave Philadelphia every Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

These Steamers are now in fine order, increased accommodations for the comfort of passengers having been added, as also more room for freight; and we hope, by regularity, dispatch and care in protecting goods committed to our charge, to receive an increase of patronage.

☞ No transhipment by this line.

FARE REDUCED.
Passage through to New York, and found $10 00
Do do Philadelphia, and found, 1st cabin 8 00
Passage to City Point and Norfolk same as by the river boats.

☞ Passengers by this line can stop in Philadelpeia two or three days, and then proceed to New York by the same ticket.

ma6—tf H. E. TUTTLE, Agent, Rocketts.

WINSTON & POWERS,
GROCERS, COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANTS,
Corner of Cary and Pearl Streets,

HAVE in store, and are receiving from the North, their Spring Stock of Goods, which will be large and varied when received, to which they call the attention of country merchants and the trade generally—among which will be found:

863 bags Rio, Laguayra, Maricaibo and Java Coffee
67 hhds. N. O. and P. R. Sugar—some very choice
810 packages Refined Sugars—all sorts
112 bbls. N. O. Molasses and Refined Syrup
50 hhds. Cuba and Muscovado Molasses
210 packages G. P., Imperial and Black Tea
215 boxes American and French Glass
600 Sides Sole Leather
500 boxes Tallow, Adamantine and Sperm Candles
60 bbls. Tanner's and Machine Oil
1,000 kegs assorted Nails, (most approved brands)
5 half pipes Hennessey and Otard, Dupuy & Co. Brandy, vintage 1842 and 1850
3 pipes choice Holland Gin
62 ½ and ¼ pipes F. Brandy, Pale and Dark
100 bbls. "Pure Rye" Whisky, warranted 10 to 18 years old, (unequalled)
210 bbls. Cincinnati Whisky and Alcohol, daily expected to arrive
150 packages of other Whisky's and Wines, too numerous to mention
40 baskets Champagne; 30 cans Claret
202,000 Cigars
Painted Pails, Grindstones, Wrapping Paper, Spices Wood Ware, &c., &c.
Which they will sell low to punctual customers. mh18

E. T. WINSTON & CO.,
Grocers and Commission Merchants,
CORNER CARY AND 13TH STREETS, RICHMOND, VA.,

BEG leave to inform their friends and customers, that they have received their Fall Stock of GROCERIES, LIQUORS, WINES, &c., &c., comprising the largest and best stock they have ever been able to get in. We invite city and country dealers to examine our stock before purchasing, among which will be found:

1000 bags Rio, Java and Laguayra Coffee
50 hhds. P. R., N. O. and Cuba Sugars
200 bbls Crushed and Coffee do
100 bbls and tcs Cuba and N. O. Molasses
150 bbls N. C. and Halifax Herrings
500 kegs Nails
200 bbls Old Rye and Rectified Whiskey
50 bbls Southampton and Jersey Brandy
50 bbls N. E. Rum
5 ½ pipes Hennessey Brandy, very fine
10 ¼ pipes (various brands) Brandy, Pale and Dark, very fine
30 ¼ casks Sherry and Madeira Wine
300 boxes Sperm and Adamantine Candles
400 reams Letter, Cap and Wrapping Paper
200 sides Sole Leather
50 boxes Loaf Sugar
25 tierces London Porter
100 packages Green and Black Teas
150 do Fancy and Plain Candles
50 bbls Cider Vinegar
200 boxes French Glass
100 dozen Bed Cords
100 boxes Brown and Pale Soap
1000 lbs. Cotton Yarns.

ALSO—Brooms, Buckets, Cotton and Hemp Lines, Grain and Ground Black Pepper, Ginger, Allspice, Nutmegs, Madder, Spices, Starch, Cigars, Powder, Shot, Bar Lead, Soda, Salt Petre, Indigo, &c., &c.—all of which will be offered low for cash or to punctual dealers.

se10 E. T. WINSTON & CO.

ANDREW PIZZINI, CONFECTIONER, No. 103 BROAD STREET, would respectfully call the attention of his friends to the large and choice assortment of FRESH FRUITS, in their own juice, of his importation from Paris, embracing Peaches, Strawberries, Apricots, Pine Apples, &c. Also, a variety of

Conserves Alimentaries
Pate de Foies Gras
Pate de Foie de Veau
Champignons au Beurre
Pate de Becasses
Truffes aux Naturelles
Pate de Perdreaux
Petis, Pois
Fresh Salmon and Lobster.

And a large variety of Crystalised Fruits of his own manufacture. His assortment is complete, and no pains is spared to cater for the tastes of his numerous friends. mh4—3m

MANTILLAS. MANTILLAS.

JUST received a further supply of Mantillas of recent styles of Silk, Moire Antique and Lace, in White, Black and Colors; also 14 doz more Cactus Skirts, at a reduced price.

Embroidered Muslin and Corded Skirts
Whalebone and Zeph. Cord do
Hair Cloth and Manilla Grass do
Palm-leaf, Ivory and Spanish Fans
Jaconet, Organdie and Silk Robes
Check Canton Silks at a low price
Small Check French Silks for Misses
French Silks at 85 and 87½ cents, a bargain
Black do at $1 per yard do
Do Grenadines, Bareges and Challies
Do Broche and Satin Plaid Bareges
Parasols and Ladies' Umbrellas
Gent's Silk and Cambric do

Gent's Linen Cambric Handerchiefs in White and Colored borders some very pretty.

Gent's Summer Cravats, Stocks and Ties, in great variety

Gent's Lisle Thread, Cotton and Silk half Hose, in White and Fancy

Gent's Under Shirts, in Silk Gauze, Merino, Lisle Thread and Cotton. At the cash store.

ma2 CHRISTIAN & LATHROP.

PHILIP RAHM,
EAGLE FOUNDRY, Richmond, Virginia,
CARY STREET, BETWEEN PEARL AND FIFTEENTH,

MANUFACTURES LOCOMOTIVE ENGINES, TENders, Railroad Cars, and all descriptions of Railroad Machinery, Stationary Engines of any required power. Also, Portable Engines, with a decided improvement over any others heretofore made, (from 5 to 40 horse-power,) on wheels, and well adapted to farming purposes, getting lumber, &c., with improved Circular Portable Saw-Mills attached, of 1st, 2d and 3d class. Mining Machinery, Grist and Saw-Mill Machinery, Forgings and Tobacco Factory Fixtures of every kind; also, Brass and Iron Castings made to order. P. RAHM.

KENANSVILLE, N. C., Dec. 18, 1855.

P. RAHM, Esq., Richmond, Va.:

Dear Sir—The portable Engine (of 22 horse-power) and Saw Mill we purchased of you a few months ago, we have put up and is in operation. Thus far it performs fully up to our expectation. The Engine works well, and as for the Saw Mill, that is undoubtedly an improvement over anything that we have seen.

We have not sawed much as yet, but because we are not fixed with convenience—have tried it sufficiently to know that it will snuff the candle over anything in shape of mills in this part of North Carolina.

Should you have any correspondents from this section respecting a mill, you can refer them to our mill, as a sight will be all that is requisite, &c. You are at liberty to use this as you think proper.

RO. J. PEARSALL,
JOHN A. BRYAN.

P. S. The Burger Saw is No. A. ap18

SPERMATORRHOEA.—This disagreeable and often fatal complaint of nightly emissions, and weakness of certain organs unfitting man for business, pleasure and matrimony, is immediately and permanently cured by the improved SPERMATORRHOEA RING. Full directions for use accompanying each ring.

Also Bullock's new style Suspensories, highly recommended by physicians for weakness of muscles of the scrotum, caused by disease or general lassitude. Are made of the finest materials. Price of each article $2—free by mail. Liberal discount to physicians and druggists. Address letters to box 3687 P. O.

J. C. BULLOCK,
87 Chrystie street,
ma16—11t New York.

JUST received at our Repository, one fine open PHAETON and several fine TOP-BUGGIES of superior finish and style, to which we invite the attention of our customers and the public.

HITCHCOCK & OSBORN,
ma5 Square above the Banks.

LEWIS N. WEBB & CO., No. 68 MAIN STREET, offer for sale:

70 hhds. good to prime New Orleans Sugar
300 bbls. Coffee, Crushed and Powdered (Stuart's and other brands) Sugar
½ boxes Loaf
20 hhds. prime Cuba Molasses
30 bbls. prime New Orleans Molasses
600 bags good to prime Rio Coffee
250 bags prime Laguayra do
400 pockets prime Java do
125 boxes and half boxes Adamantine, Sperm and Tallow Candles
600 Sides Sole Leather
200 kegs Nails
27 bales Cotton Lines
25 do Candle Wick
400 kits No. 1 and 2 Mackerel
1000 Gunny Bags

A general assortment of Tess, Virginia and Georgia Cotton Yarns, Rice, Tar, Vinegar, Tanners' Oil, Shot and Lead, Glass, Hops, Soap, Starch, Blacking, Wrapping Paper, Painted Buckets, Pepper, Pimento, Leading Lines, and Powder, Sporting and Blasting. mh31

NEW SPRING GOODS,

WE have now in store a choice selection of Fancy articles for Spring, such as

Plain Striped, and Plain Black Silks
do do do Colored do
Black and Colored Silk Robes
Grenadine and Berage do
Organdie and Lawn do
Plain and Figured Jaconets
White and Printed Brilliants
Plain and Printed Mousselaine
Cashmere Shawls and Scarfs
Newest styles Paris Mantles
Embroidered Muslin and Cambric Collars and Sleeves
French Wrought Collarettes and Sleeves
Mourning Collars in great variety
Muslin and Cambrick Bands and Trimmings
Infants Frock Waists
Thread Edges and Laces
Alexander's Kid and Silk Gloves
Ladies Kid and Doe Gauntlets
Black Thread Veils
Fancy Souffle do
Crape and Love do
Muslin Caps
Embroidered and Revere Hdkfs
Misses Gloves and Hose, all Sizes.

PARKER, NIMMO & CO.
mh25 No. 149, Eagle Square.

ADAMANTINE CANDLES.—As agents for the sale of Proctor & Gamble's Adamantine Candles, we invite the attention of the trade to them. They are consigned directly from Cincinnati, and warranted full weight.

ma8 WOMBLE & CLAIBORNE, No. 11 Pearl st.

75 BBLS. NEW ENGLAND RUM. J Trull's of superior quality, in Store M JONES.

BOSTON RUM.—100 bbls prime N. E. Rum for sale by
ma17 DAVENPORT, ALLEN & CO.

NO. 1 COOK.—We have for sale privately, a No. 1 M cook a21—1w PULLIAM & DAVIS

HARDWARE.

HARDWARE, FOR THE SPRING.

I AM now in receipt of my SPRING STOCK OF HARDWARE, of English and American manufacture, direct from the manufacturers, to which I respectfully invite the attention of my friends, both in town and country, assuring them that they shall have every article in my line as low as it can be had in our city.—My stock consists in part of—

Ivory handle Knives and Forks, of 51 pieces, of Rodgers' and other makes
Rodgers' ivory handle Knives, without forks
Double-plated table and dessert Forks, plated on extra fine German silver
Rodgers' and various other makes of buck, bone and buffalo handle Knives and Forks
Rodgers, Wostenholm and other makes of pocket and pen Knives
Rodgers' and Wostenholm's Scissors, in great variety, some of them in cases
Wostenholm's and W. & S. Butcher's Razors
Pruning and hedge Shears
Waiters, single and in setts, some of them very handsome
Sad Irons, of fine quality
Iron Tea Kettles and Sauce-Pans, tinned and untinned
Bell metal and porcelain preserving Kettles and iron Furnaces
Hollow-ware and Fire-Dogs, a general assortment

Tall and flat bottom brass Candlesticks and Snuffers; cross-cut, hand, panel, rip, compass and tenant Saws; Braces and Bits, some of them of very superior quality; hand, broad and pole Axes; nail, brad and carpet Hammers; shingling and lathing Hatchets, all sizes; Baldwin's Planes, a general assortment; carpenter's and railroad Adzes, Chisels, Gouges, Squares and Bevils; two and four fold Rules and Tape Measures; Stocks and Dies and Screw Plates; Smiths' solid-box Vices and sledge and hand Hammers; horse-shoe, cut and wrought Nails and cut Spikes, of every size; Augers and auger and gimlet Bits, all sizes; Va. patent P. Locks; pad, stock, till, chest, cupboard, mortice, rim and closet Locks; round, square and flat Bolts of every size, wrought and cast; curtain Pins and curtain Bands; hank and wove Wire, all sizes; Mason's Challenge Blacking; Ames' and Rowland's Spades and Shovels, long and short handle; manure and hay Forks and garden and hay Rakes; Elwell's weeding, hilling and grubbing Hoes, all sizes; trace, halter, breast, log, ox and well Chains; garden Trowels and garden Hoes; Butt Hinges, of every size and kind; plate, hook and eye, strop and T Hinges; iron Hooks and Staples and Hasps and Staples; Files and Rasps, of all sizes, together with almost every other article usually kept in my line of business.

J. W. RATCLIFFE,
Corner of 8th and Broad streets,
Opposite R. F. & P. R. R. Depot.
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SPRING HARDWARE. 1856.
SMITH, RHODES & CO.,
(LATE SMITH & ROBERTS,)
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC HARDWARE, CUTLERY GUNS, SADDLERY, &c.,
No. 22 Pearl Street, Richmond, Va.,

HAVE now in store, and are receiving from the manufacturers of England and this country, a large and well selected stock of Goods, especially adapted to the wants of the Trade of Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee, and we respectfully invite Merchants, Saddlers and others, visiting this market, to call and examine the same. Our stock is full and complete, comprising in part as follows, viz:

Tools for Carpenters, Masons, Saddlers, Tanners, Millwrights, Coopers, Smiths, &c., in great variety.
Building Materials, as Locks, Bolts, Butts, Screws, &c., &c.
Heavy Goods, as Chains, Anvils, Vices, Steel, Hollow Ware, Axles, Springs, Axes, &c.
Safety Fuse, Scythes, Snaths, Stones and Rifles
Straw Knives, Hay Knives, Brier Hooks,
Forks, Spades, Shovels, Hames, Hog Skins
A fine assortment Bridles, Saddles, Stirrups, Bitts
Whips, Pat. and Enamelled Leather, Sheep Skins
Shoe Lasts, Boot Trees, Crimp Boards
Cutlery, of Rodgers', Wostenholm's, Butcher's and other makers
Guns, double and single barrel, Rifles
Pistols, a good assortment
Fancy Goods, as Port Monnaies, Brushes, Purses, &c.
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SPRING IMPORTATION, 1856.
W. S. & G. DONNAN.
No. 19 Pearl St., Richmond, Va.,
IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN FINE AND HEAVY HARDWARE, CUTLERY AND GUNS,

ARE receiving by ships "Albert Gallatin," "Great Western," "Isaac Wright" and "Excelsior," and steamers "Atlantic" and "Africa," their Spring Importation of Birmingham and Sheffield HARDWARE, CUTLERY and GUNS; and from manufactories in our own country, a very full and complete assortment of AMERICAN GOODS, selected with great care, purchased upon the most favorable terms, and embracing in extent and variety a stock worthy the attention and examination of purchasers visiting our market.

Of Goods adapted for the season, and in heavy articles particularly, our stock is unusually full and complete, viz:

Weeding and Hilling Hoes
Grain, Grass, Clover and Bramble Scythes
Trace, Log, Coil and other Chains
Steel—Cast, Double Shear, German and Blistered
Hollow Ware—Pots, Ovens, Spiders, &c.
Horse Shoes, Horse Nails, Anvils, Vices, Bellows, &c.
Files, Locks and Hinges, Screws, &c.
Axles and Springs, Fry Pans and Curry Combs
Pen, Pocket and Table Knives
Razors, Scissors and Shears.

Together with all other articles usual in our line.

We respectfully solicit a continuance of the patronage liberally bestowed upon us for a number of years past, and assure Merchants and others of our determination to sell as low as any regular house whatever, and that our best efforts shall be used to give satisfaction.

W. S. & G. DONNAN.

N. B.—Particular and prompt attention given to orders entrusted to us.
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HARDWARE.
SPRING IMPORTATION, 1856.

P. T. MOORE & CO., *Importers and Wholesale Dealers in FOREIGN and DOMESTIC HARDWARE, No. 24 Pearl street, opposite H. W. Fry's, Richmond, Va.*, have received direct from the manufacturers in England, a full and complete assortment of Birmingham and Sheffield HARDWARE, and from the manufacturers in this country, a full supply of American Goods. Their stock is now large and complete, consisting in part of:

"Rodgers" and Wostenholm's fine Pocket and Pen Knives
Pocket Knives of 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 blades
Buck, Bone, Ebony, Cocoa, and Ivory Handle Knives and Forks
Ivory Handle Knives and Forks, in sets of 51 and 58 pieces
Razors of Wade & Butcher's, Rodgers, Wostenholm's, and Greave's manufacture, of every style and quality
Scissors and Shears, of various makes and styles
Single and Double Barrel Guns, some very superior
Pistols, Rifles, Rifle Barrels and Mountings
Trace, Halter, Log, Well, Fifth and Tongue Chains
Axes of Collins' Simmons', Virginia and other manufacturers
Hand and Pannel Saws, Hammers and Hatchetts
Mill, Pitt, Cross Cut and Circular Saws
Spades and Shovels of Ames', Rowland, Clayton and other makes
Anvils, Vices, and Smith's Bellows
Sledge and Hand Hammers, Stocks and Dies, and Screw Plates
Shear and Cast Steel, square and octagon
Castings, Horse and Mule Shoes, and Horse Shoe Nails
Wire Seives and Sifters, Coffee Mills and Cards
Bridle Fillings, Wosted Reins and Girths
Horse and Mule Collars, Hames, &c.,
Locks, Hinges and Screws, of every description
Planes, Chisels Augers and Files, all kinds
Platform and Counter Scales, Pat. Balances and Steelyards
English, American, and G. D. Percussion Caps
Hay and Manure Forks, 2, 3, and 4 prong
Hilling and Weeding Hoes, all sizes
Scythe Blades, Snaths, Sickles, &c.,
Tea Trays and Waiters—and all other goods usually found in Hardware Stores

As our goods have been purchased for CASH, on the most favorable terms, and selected exclusively for the Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee Trade, we feel confident we can offer strong inducements to merchants visiting this city, and respectfully invite them to an examination of our stock, as we are determined to sell as low as any regular house in this, or any of the Northern cities.

P. S.—All orders carefully and promptly attended to. fe28

CLARKSON & ANDERSON, NO. 106 MAIN STREET, IMPORTERS OF HARDWARE, CUTLERY, GUNS, "ANCHOR" BOLTING CLOTH AND EDGE TOOLS of every description, are now in receipt of their Spring stock, embracing every article usually kept in their line, to which they respectfully invite the attention of Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee Merchants visiting this market. Importing direct, and purchasing for cash, enables them to sell as cheap as any house North or South. mh4

JOHN N. GORDON 14TH STREET, NEAR the Exchange Hotel, has in store and offers for sale—

Swedes
American Hammered } IRON.
English and American rolled
English and American blistered Steel.
Broad Plough Iron, 7 to 12 inch.
Flat, Round and Square Iron, all sizes.
Oval, half Oval and half round Iron.
American, English and Russia Sheet Iron.
Band and Hoop Iron.
Nail Rods, American and Swedes.
American and Swedes Horse Shoe Iron.
Horse Shoes, assorted.
Tin Plate, Pig and Bar Tin.
Sheet Zinc, Spelter and Spelter Solder.
Sheathing, Brazier's and Bar Copper.
Shot, Pig and Bar Lead.
Ground Wagon and Cart Boxes.
McCormick's and Palmer Mould Boards.
Wooden Bucket Handles.
Bucket Ears and Rivets, tinned and black.
Tin Plates, various sizes.
Hardware and Wrapping Paper.
Cotton and Hemp Plough Lines.
Sole Leather, good and damaged.
Sperm, Adamantine and Tallow Candles.
Soaps, fancy and brown
With a general assortment of Groceries. mh24

RICHMOND LOOKING-GLASS AND PICTURE FRAME MANUFACTORY.
ESTABLISHED 1840.
210 BROAD STREET, RICHMOND, VA.

M. FRANCK, PROPRIETOR, would call attention to his fine stock of Materials and Frames now on hand.

THE OVAL FRAMES which he is now manufacturing, are superior to any thing of the kind ever offered in this market.

The following comprises a portion of stock on hand, which he will work to order, or dispose of to the trade:

Plain and Ornamental Gilt Frames
Mahogany, Rosewood and Walnut Frames
Gilt, Rosewood, Mahogany and Walnut O. G., Bevil and Plain Mouldings
Toilet Boxes, Swing Glasses, &c
Looking-Glass Plates and Picture Glass
Back Stuff, for Frames
Cord and Tassels, of all descriptions
Car and Room Mouldings, and Rosettes for builders.

Old work Regilt, Paintings Varnished, &c.
Merchants' Cards framed at wholesales prices.
All orders will receive prompt attention.

M. FRANCK, 210 Broad street,
Richmond, Va.
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"RICHMOND IN BY-GONE DAYS."
TABLE OF CONTENTS:

Long Time Ago; British Merchants; Modern Antiquities; Main Street; Broad Street; The Capitol Square; Old Residences; The Mayor; The Hay Scale War; Two Parsons and Ne'er a Church; Cemeteries; Citizens of Yore; Places of Amusement; Physicians; Newspapers and Printers; Publicans and Patriots; Races and Balls; Societies; Evening Pastimes; A Medley; Dentistry and Architecture; The Sharp Shin or Shin Plaster Currency; The Flush Times in Richmond; The James River Canal; The Roads; The Bridges and Manchester; The Mutual Assurance Society; Manufacturers and Mills; Tobacco Warehouses; The Washington Monument; The Visit of Lafayette; The Museum; Lotteries; Church Conventions; The Eagle, Horse and the Tiger; Gas and Water; A Fish Story; The Colored Aristocracy; Care. Price $1.

GEO. M. WEST,
Publisher, 14th street.
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NEW STOCK OF SPRING GOODS.

We are receiving our Stock of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, in part, of our own importation, and the remainder from the various markets in this country, purchased on the most favorable terms.—*The whole stock being entirely new and fresh*, we offer it to the trade confidently assuring buyers that great inducements may be expected. It consists in part, as follows:

¾ ⅞ 4-4 5-4 Bro. Shirtings and Sheetings
Cotton Osnaburgs Cottonades and Nankeen
Large Stock Bleached Domestic all widths
Plaid, Striped and Plain Cotton for Servants
Kentucky Jeans, Satinets and Tweeds
Tickings, Furniture and Apron Checks
Bleached and Broad Table Cloths, and Damasks
Large Stock Irish Linens
Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings
Large Stock of Prints, Ginghams and Lawns
Alpaccas and Canton Cloths
Printed Challies and Berages
Plain delains and Challies, all grades
Lawn, Challies and Berage Robes
White Cambricks, Jackonets, Swiss and Mull Muslins
Mantillas, Large Stock, and Cheap
Lace, Muslin and Cambric Collars
Lace, Collars and Sleeves in Sets
Linen Cambrick, Silk and Cotton Hdkfs., with a large stock of other goods not enumerated, to which we ask the attention of our friends and the trade generally.

mh25 WILLINGHAM & TARDY.

NOTICE.—The subscriber having on the 25th of March last purchased the Business so long and favorably carried on by Mr. William Booth, he would respectfully solicit a continuance of the patronage formerly extended to him, and would also call the attention of the public in general to a large and well selected stock of Goods in his line, recently purchased and added to the original stock, all of which will be sold on the most reasonable terms.

WM. A. WALTERS,
Upholsterer and Paper Hanger,
No. 140 Main street, corner of 15th.

N. B.—Mr. WILLIAM BOOTH will always be found at the old stand, and would solicit a continuance of the patronage of all his former customers to the new concern. ap18

M. S. O.—We have just received, per London Packet Ship Cornelius Grinnell, a small invoice of the above Brand of Otard, Dupuy & Co., very best and oldest Cognac Brandy of the Vintage of 1836, the Brandy has laid seven years in the London Docks. We can recommend the Brandy as being the best article to be had at any price. Those in want will do well to leave their orders immediately, we can get no more. For sale only by

SELDEN & MILLER,
ma16 Corner Pearl and Cary Streets.

SUGARS.—Loaf, crushed, powdered and coffee Sugars, 400 packages, for sale by DAVENPORT, ALLEN & CO.

MEDICAL.

THE GREAT RUSSIAN REMEDY.
PRO BONO PUBLICO.

☞ "Every mother should have a box in the house handy in case of accidents to the children."

REDDING'S RUSSIA SALVE.

It is a Boston remedy of thirty years' standing, and is recommended by physicians. It is a sure and speedy cure for Burns, Piles, Boils, Corns, Felons, Chilblains, and Old Sores of every kind; for Fever Sores, Ulcers, Itch, Scald Head, Nettle Rash, Bunions, Sore Nipples, (recommended by nurses,) Whitlows, Sties, Festers, Flea Bites, Spider Stings, Frozen Limbs, Salt Rheum, Scurvy, Sore and Cracked Lips, Sore Nose, Warts and Flesh Wounds, it is a most valuable remedy and cure, which can be testified to by thousands who have used it in the city of Boston and vicinity for the last thirty years. In no instance will this Salve do an injury, or interfere with a physician's prescriptions. It is made from the purest materials, from a receipe brought from Russia—of articles growing in that country—and the proprietors have letters from all classes, clergymen, physicians, sea captains, nurses, and others who have used it themselves, and recommend it to others. Redding's Russia Salve is put in large tin boxes, stamped on the cover with a picture of a horse and a disabled soldier, which picture is also engraved on the wrapper. PRICE 25 CENTS A BOX. Sold at all the stores in town or country, or may be ordered of any wholesale druggist.

REDDINGS & CO., Proprietors.
BENNETT BEERS & FISHER, Agents; and all Druggists.
fe12—6m.

DR. SANFORD'S INVIGORATOR—Is recommended to the public, relying upon its intrinsic excellence to secure it favor

For all Bilious Attacks, it may be truly and safely relied upon as being fully capable of removing the diseases for which it is recommended, and for giving tone and vigor to the general system.

Its qualities have been fully tested in a long practice, by the proprietor. Through the urgent solicitations of many who have used and been benefited by it, the proprietor has been induced to place it before the public. For all Bilious Derangements, Sick Headache, Chronic Diarrhœa, Habitual Costiveness, Bilious Colic, Dyspepsia, Pain in the Stomach and Bowels, General Debility, Female Weakness, &c.

For sale by Druggists generally, and by PURCELL, LADD & CO., No. 92 corner of Main and 14th sts., General Agents; and by Alex'r Duval, No. 155 Main street; S. H. White, 175 Broad street, and also by Sanford & Co., N. Y. fe4—1y

MORRIS' PIANO-FORTE ROOMS,
97 MAIN STREET, RICHMOND.

ARE constantly supplied with a full and complete assortment of the choicest

PIANO-FORTES

now manufactured in this country, which are offered for sale on reasonable terms at the factory CASH PRICES, and the most absolute and entire satisfaction guaranteed to purchasers. The words of a correspondent, "*we have often said, and we take pleasure in repeating the truth, that* WORCESTER'S *instruments are made upon honor, and equal to any in the world*," have been and are daily being corroborated by the highest testimonials from nearly ONE THOUSAND purchasers in the past TWENTY YEARS.

Attention is asked to the following notices of the press:

[*From the N. Y. Commercial Advertiser, April 30, 1855.*]

Pianos made by Mr. H. Worcester, of this city, can scarcely be surpassed in all the qualities that render an instrument valuable.

[*From the N. Y. Courier and Enquirer.*]

WORCESTER'S PIANOS.—The constantly increasing reputation of the Piano Fortes manufactured by Worcester, authorises our reminding our readers that Worcester's Instruments are as beautiful and ornamental as they are admitted to be unsurpassed in their more essential qualities of musical excellence.

[*From the N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.*]

"Those dulcet strains" of which "very truly yours" speaks, came not from a human throat; but from one of those wonderful pieces of mechanism known as "Worcester's Pianos." As we have more than once said, they give forth, next to the melody of the voice in love's whisperings, the sweetest and most perfectly harmonious and melodious tones that we are accustomed to listen to.

ma8 A. MORRIS, Sole Agent, 97 Main st.

COMMERCIAL SAVINGS BANK.
Chartered by the Legislature of Virginia Dec. 17th, 1853.
CAPITAL FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

THIS INSTITUTION receives deposits on which interest is paid at the rate of six per cent per annum if remaining on deposit six months, and five per cent for shorter periods.

WM. G. PAINE, President,
GEO. J. SUMNER, Secretary,
HENRY W. QUARLES, Treasurer.

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☞ Office at the store of Henry W. Quarles, No. 15 Pearl street, Richmond, Va. oc19

ALBEMARLE INSURANCE COMPANY,
PRINCIPAL OFFICE, CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.
CHARTERED CAPITAL $400,000—CASH FUND $125,000.

FIRE INSURANCE, in town or country, and Marine Insurance may be effected on the most favorable terms with this company

☞ All Losses promptly arranged.

STOKES & CO., No. 33 Pearl street,
au27 Agents for Richmond, Va.

FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE.
THE INSURANCE COMPANY OF THE VALLEY OF VIRGINIA
AT WINCHESTER, VA.
BRANCH OFFICE, FOURTEENTH STREET, 2ND DOOR FROM THE POST OFFICE, RICHMOND VA.
CHARTER PERPETUAL.
CAPITAL $300.000.

THIS Company will insure first class BRICK DWELLINGS, Perpetually, for a single payment of 4 per cent. Time policies will also be issued of Buildings, Merchandize, &c., in town or country, at current rates.

MARINE AND INLAND TRANSPORTATION RISKS taken on as favorable terms as by any other responsible company.

ALL LOSSES are promptly and liberally adjusted at this office.

O. F. BRESEE, Actuary.

REFERENCES:
Samuel Marx, Cashier Bank of Virginia, Richmond.
J. A. Smith, do Farmers' Bank of Va. do.
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Messrs. Haxall & Co., do.
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Hon. James M. Mason, U. S. S., Winchester.
mh30—d1y

PURCELL, LADD & CO.,
DRUGGISTS,
DEALERS IN
PAINTS, OILS, DYES, WINDOW GLASS, &c.
92 Main Street, Corner Fourteenth Street,
RICHMOND, VA.

8,500 lbs. prime Indigo
5 casks best Madder
3,000 lbs. Extract Logwood
10 gro. Cod Liver Oil
50 bbls. Burning Fluid
30 bbls. Venet and Span Brown
300 ounces Sulph. Quinine
40 bbls. Tanner's Oil
25 bbls American and Irish Glue
2,000 lbs. Refined Borax
25 bbls. Putty
25 bbls. Castor Oil
20 bbls. Spirits Turpentine
1,000 lbs. Tonka Beans
5 bbls. Camphor
20 bbls. Epsom Salts
150 boxes Kingsford's Starch
50 boxes Gr'd Ginger, pure
80 boxes Gr'd Pepper, pure
35 bags Pepper
20 bags Allspice
200 mats Cassia
1 bbl. Balsam Copavia
10 cases Lump Magnesia
25 cases Maccaroni
2,000 gallons Linseed Oil
600 kegs White Lead
25 cases Chrome Green and Yellow
5 casks Sweet Oil
2,500 gallons Lamp Oil
10 cases English Mustard
50 boxes Castile Soap
300 kegs Sup. Carb. Soda
25 bbls. Varnishes
25 bbls. Alcohol
50 cases Cooper's Isinglass
2 cases Rhubarb Root and Powder
10 kegs Canary Seed
1 bale Long Pepper
1,000 boxes Window Glass
45 gro. Mason's Blacking
25 gro. Yeast Powders
200,000 Cigars, all grades

With many other articles, embracing a general assortment, offered in lots to suit, very low for cash, or on usual credit to punctual dealers.

PURCELL, LADD & CO., Druggists,
mh19 92 Main street, corner Fourteenth.

PAINTS, GLASS, BRUSHES.

WOODWARD, PINCKNEY & CLARK, 118 Fulton st., New York Importers of CHANCES' ENGLISH SHEET AND FRENCH GLASS, WHITE LEAD, ZINC, &c., &c., Manufacturers of EXTRA, AND GROUND PAINT BRUSHES, ENGLISH and AMERICAN COLORS, dry and ground in oil, imported expressly for the trade, which we offer on the most favorable terms.

☞ All goods warranted as represented. ORDERS BY MAIL PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO. mh31—3m.

VIRGINIA AND TENNESSEE RAILROAD—SUMMER SCHEDULE.—This Road is now in operation to Seven Mile Ford, (167 miles,) and the track is being extended Westward at the rate of eight miles per month.

On and after the 1st May, the passenger train connecting with the train from Richmond to Petersburg will leave Lynchburg at 12.45 P. M., and arrive at 12 o'clock, M.

Stage connections daily, Sundays excepted,
At Buford's depot, for Buchanan, 14 miles.
—At Bonsack's and Salem, for Sweet, Red Sweet and White Sulphur Springs, 64 miles.

At Newbern depot, for the Red Sulphur (38 miles) and Salt Sulphur Springs. The Turnpike Road from Newbern to the Red Sulphur Springs has been greatly improved, and is now one of the best in the mountains. Passengers arrive at these Springs on the evening of the second day from Richmond. At Seven Mile Ford, for Knoxville Tennessee. Fare from Richmond $23, through in 2½ days.

The Virginia and Tennessee Railroad passes in the vicinity of Coiner's Alleghany, Montgomery, White Sulphur and the Yellow Sulphur Springs, the accomodations at each of which have been greatly increased since last season.

The line of Telegraph from Richmond will be completed to the Montgomery White Sulphur Springs early in June.

E. H. GILL,
ap26—4m General Superintendent.

OPENING THIS DAY.—New and choice styles of Fancy Cassimere Business Coats, White Duck, Plain and Fancy Marseilles and Check Valencia Coats. Also Fancy Silk and Marseilles Vests, with a good assortment of Fancy Cassimere, Marseilles and Linen Pants, rendering our assortment very superior, and which we offer at low prices.

ma21 KEEN, BALDWIN & CO.

WATERMAN'S PATENT REFRIGERATORS.—This Refrigerator with the improved Ventilator, for carrying off the effluvia as it arises from the contents of the same, with the Earthen Vessels and Water Coolers, each seperate and distinct, thus making it impossible for the taste of any one article be it ever so strong, to effect others be it ever so delicate. Upon examination and trial of this Refrigerator every purchaser will be satisfied as to the above statements; for sale at reduced prices, by

ma14 R. M. ZIMMERMAN.

LONDON PORTER.—25 casks Hibbert's best London Porter, for sale by
ma17 EDWIN WORTHAM & CO.

STUART'S LOAF AND CRUSHED SUGAR; Lovering's Crushed do; for sale by
ma17 EDWIN WORTHAM & CO.

NEW HALIFAX HERRINGS.—100 bbls. No. 1 cut Halifax Herrings, for sale by
ma17 E. H. SKINKER & CO., Cary st.

BACON.—200 Family Hams
12 hhds. Hams, Sides and Shoulders, for sale by
ma17 SIZER & PHAUP.

SEED CORN.—30 bushels very superior seed corn, Tuscarora corn, for sale by CRENSHAW & CO.

CREAM SYRUPS are constantly supplied with our pure Fountain, ice-cool Soda Water, forming a most delicious, cool and refreshing drink, prepared by

LAIDLEY & ROBINSON,
ma8 Chemists &c., 4th and Franklin sts

NO. 1, CUT HALIFAX HERRINGS, in half barrels, for sale, by E. H. SKINKER & CO.,
ma20 Cary street.

SMOKING COATS.—A new and fashionable coat just introduced by us to which we ask attention.

KEEN, BALDWIN & CO.,
ma21 102 Main street

51 BBLS. URQUEHART, SUPERIOR APPLE BRANDY for sale.
ma21 JAMES WINSTON.

SUGAR.—214 Hhds. good to choice Porto Rico Sugar landing and for sale by
ma23 LEWIS N. WEBB & CO.

PEAS.—204 Bushels Stock Peas,
40 " Black Eye do, for sale by
ma23 LEWIS N. WEBB & CO.

COFFEE SUGAR.—69 barrels coffee Sugar, in store for sale by
ma28—1w DUNLOP, MONCURE & CO.

SUGAR AND MOLASSES.—
150 Hhds. fair to choice quality Sugar,
230 Barrels prime Molasses, in store for sale by
ma28 DUNLOP, MONCURE & CO

RICE, "MOUNTAIN DEW" WHISKY, "Jackson's Candles, James River Hydraulic Cement, Peruvian Guano, N. E. Rum for sale by
ma21 DAVENPORT, ALLEN & CO.

GROUND PLASTER.—250 tierces Lubec Plaster, fresh ground and very superior quality, for sale by
E. H. SKINKER & CO.,
ma22 No. 59 Cary street.

MITCHELL'S CANDLES, in plain and fancy boxes now landing, and for sale by SELDEN & MILLER,
ma12 Corner Pearl and Cary streets.

TRUNKS, &c.

NEW STOCK
BOOTS, SHOES, &c.

WE are now opening an entire new stock of Winter Boots and Shoes, comprising a good assortment of all kinds, to which we ask the attention of our friends and the public. We think we can show the best assortment in Richmond. Among our assortment may be found the following:

Ladies' Gaiters, of nearly every style
" Fine Morocco, Goat and Kid Walking Shoes
" Fine Calfskin Walking Shoes, a superior article
" White Kid and White Satin Slipper; Black Satin do
" Fine Mo., Kid and Goat Walking Boots
" Over Shoes
Gentlemen's Fine Dress Boots and Shoes
" Double Sole Calf Water Proof Gaiters
" Patent Leather Gaiters
Misses' and Children's Shoes
Servants' Shoes, of good quality, for men and women.

All of which will be sold at the lowest market prices for cash, or to punctual customers ONLY.

de8 PUTNEY, WATTS & PUTNEY.

SOMETHING ENTIRELY NEW.

THE ladies have been very generally annoyed for some two or three years past, with Shoes and Gaiters ripping; indeed, it is almost proverbial now-a-days for Shoes to rip before the soles are half worn out. In order, if possible, to remedy this universal evil, a gentleman of one of the northern cities sets his wits to work to invent something to stand; and I am happy to inform the ladies he has succeeded admirably, and has produced a Congress Gaiter Boot, a very neat, pleasant and tasty article, the soles o which cannot by any force that could be employed, be separated from the uppers. An assortment of the above I have just received, and shall be pleased to show them to the ladies, at

No. 13, Main Street,
ap21 JNO. C. PAGE, Jr.

BOOTS, SHOES, TRUNKS &c.

I respectfully invite all in want of BOOTS, OR SHOES of any style, to call at the old established Stand, 13 Main Street. My stock has all been selected or ordered from the best Manufactures, or has been manufactured by myself from the most approved materials, and embraces.

Ladies, Misses and children's, Bootees, Gaiters &c.
Children's Bronze, Black and Fancy Colored, Gaiters, Polkas, &c
Youths, Boots, Bootees, Calf, Kip and heavy
Gents, Dress Boots, Gaiters and Oxford Ties
Gents and Youths Patent Lea. Dress Shoes, &c

And a complete assortment, of Servant's Shoes, Trunks, Carpet Bags and Valises, all of which will be sold as low as at any house in Richmond.

mh5 JOHN C. PAGE Jr, 13 Main st.

NEW STOCK OF FALL GOODS.
HENRY W. QUARLES,

DEALER IN HATS, CAPS, BOOTS, SHOES, TRUNKS, &c., respectfully begs leave to announce to the public, that he is now prepared to offer to the public one of the most commanding stocks in his line ever offered in this city. His stock is now complete, and he asks the attention of city and country dealers, with the assurance that his prices shall be satisfactory. se10

NOTICE.—I do not know when you will get another such a chance to buy TRUNKS, of as fine a quality, as you have now, at the same prices, as I have just received a very large assortment of Trunks, of the best quality. They were bought the first of January, before the late rise of leather, and consequently will be sold at the former prices. Among them are Trunks of extra size and quality.—All in want will do well to call and examine for themselves. Also, a large and handsome assortment of Trunks at all prices.

mh7 ALEX. HILL, No. 127 Main street.

TRAVELLING AND PACKING TRUNKS AND CARPET BAGS.—On hand and for sale at low prices, a large assortment of Travelling and Packing Trunks and Carpet Bags.

ap10 JOHN THOMPSON.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—Women's Shoes; Boys' Shoes

Gent's Oxford Ties
Heavy Sewed Boots

Also, Brogans of every description, for sale at

PENITENTIARY STORE,
ap10—tf 27 Pearl street.

REMOVAL.—The PENITENTIARY STORE has been removed to No. 27 Pearl street, South of Cary. ap10—tf

JOHN DOOLEY,
81 MAIN STREET,
RICHMOND,

HAS NOW READY FOR THE SPRING TRADE,

By Wholesale and Retail, a magnificent assortment of

HATS, CAPS, STRAW GOODS, PLUSHES, TRIMMINGS,

and every other article belonging to his business.

His stock of Virginia manufactured goods is the largest and most elegant ever got up by him, and will be found fully equal to anything imported. His imported stock also is more varied and on a larger scale than he has ever before ordered, and cannot fail to meet, in every respect, the requirements of merchants and others.

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SPRING MILLINERY.
THE MOST BEAUTIFUL AND ATTRACTIVE GOODS OF THE SEASON.

MRS. E. H. CHARLTON, (Late Miss Reid,) begs to assure her old customers that she has just returned from the North, where she has laid in, for cash, the most extensive stock of goods she has ever exhibited to the public of SPRING MILLINERY. Her experience in the selection of goods is such, that she will not allow herself to be equaled or surpassed by any, and has in store, and will open on Monday, the 7th inst., the latest Paris styles of PATTERN HATS, which she would most respectfully request the ladies to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere, as she can supply them on the most accommodating terms.

Also, an elegant assortment of EMBROIDERY, with almost every other article required by ladies, at the old stand above the Banks, between 9th and 10th, NO. 217 MAIN STREET.

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NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

AT a meeting of the Local Board of Directors, at Richmond, for the New York Life Insurance Company, on Monday, Feb. 4th, 1856, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

The undersigned, President and Directors of the Company, have examined the report and exhibits of the New York Life Insurance Company for the last year, embracing a full statement of its affairs, assets, &c., to the 1st January 1856, and being satisfied with the perfect sound condition of the company, cordially recommend it to the encouragement and support of the whole community.

It commenced its operations 12 years ago, with a guaranteed capital of $50,000, which has accumulated to $1,059,008 65, all invested in State stocks and in bonds and mortgages believed to be undoubtedly good.

We know of no mode of investing money more profitably. The profits are mutual for the insured, and have averaged not less than thirty per cent. annually on the premiums paid.

GEORGE W. MUNFORD, Pres't.
REV. CHAS. H. READ,
WM. G. PAYNE,
REV. JAMES B. TAYLOR,
GEO. W. CLUTTER,
THOS. P. AUGUST,
Directors.

ELEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT.

Amount of assets January 1, 1855,		$902,062 70
Amount of receipts for premiums, interest, &c., to Jan. 1, 1856,	$378,186 14	
DISBURSEMENTS.		
Paid losses by death, interest on dividends and all other expenses,	221,240 19	
		156,945 95
Accumulated Fund, Jan'y 1, 1856,		$1,059,008 65

For further information and explanatory books apply at No. 203 Main street, square above Virginia Banks, to

fe6 CHARLES WORTHAM, Agent.

PEEL'S LONDON GREEN GINGER WINE.

Manufactured from French Grapes, Green Jamaica Ginger, Seville Orange, Citron, &c., Three Years Old.

A REMARKABLY pleasant, warm carminative and stomachic stimulent highly beneficial in checking that disordered state of the stomach and bowels so prevalent in warm weather, and which frequently, when neglected, produces Dysentary, Cholera, &c. It is also a valuable remedy for Flatulency, Dyspepsia and General Debility. Persons living in districts where Ague prevails find it a great preventive. Price 50 cents per bottle, $5 per dozen.

☞ Wholesale and Retail Agents, Messrs. BENNETT & BEERS, 125 Main street and 3 Pearl street, Richmond. se15—tf

S. P. SEMPLE,
DRUGGIST & APOTHECARY,
AND WHOLESALE DEALER IN
PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, WINDOW GLASS,
CHEMICALS AND FANCY GOODS,

WILL be happy to receive calls from those in want of articles in his line. He has a large and complete assortment of CIGARS, BRUSHES and FANCY ARTICLES, and will sell as LOW AS ANY HOUSE IN RICHMOND.

☞ Main street, between 9th and 10th. ☜

DONNAN & CO.,
TOBACCO AND GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

CONSIGNMENTS of Tobacco, Wheat, Corn and other produce respectfully solicited.

☞ Office on Virginia street, next to Fry's corner.

Richmond, March 5, 1855. mh16—1y

BACON & BASKERVILL,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

RECEIVE consignments of Tobacco, Flour, Corn, Wheat, &c., and give their personal attention to sales of the same; and keep constantly on hand a large assortment of Groceries, Seeds, Peruvian Guano, &c. fe27

CHARLES M'GRUDER, R. W. M'GRUDER

S. M'GRUDER'S SONS,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
FIFTEENTH STREET, RICHMOND VA.,

Solicit consignments of CORN, WHEAT, FLOUR, TOBACCO, &c.

March 13, 1855.

JOHN A. ROBINSON,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
CORNER CARY AND VIRGINIA STREETS, RICHMOND, VA.,

WILL give his personal attention to the sale of WHEAT, CORN, TOBACCO, and all other country produce consigned to his care. ap16

DOGGETT & ANDERSON.
Corner of Governor and Franklin streets,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS in French and American Paper Hangings; Satin Delanes and Damask, for Window Curtains; Gimps, Cords and Tassels, Cornices, Bands and Coops; Lace and Muslin Curtains; Floor and Table Oil Cloths; Hair Cloth and Plush, for Sofas; Curled Hair, Sofa Springs; Twine; Tacks; Mattings; Window Shades; best Curled Hair and Shuck Mattresses, Feather Beds; Lounges; Sofa Beds; with many other articles in our line of business, all of which will be sold on the most reasonable terms; and Paper Hanging and Upholstering punctually attended to in town or country. oc8

HEAD QUARTERS FOR FASHIONABLE CLOTHING.
SILVER MEDAL FOR 1855.

THE members of the Legislature and strangers visiting the city, are requested to call at the old establishment, No. 120 corner of Main and Governor streets, and secure themselves an outfit for the winter, as the subscriber has on hand a large and elegant assortment of Gentlemen's Wearing Apparel, not to be surpassed by any house in the city.

As an evidence of the superiority of his Clothing, he was awarded the highest premium (a Silver Medal) by the Mechanics' Institute for 1855.

He keeps constantly on hand the best of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, &c., with a score of superior workmen. He deems it unnecessary, after a trial of 16 years the public has had of his goods, to say more in their commendation. (He warrants all Clothing he sells,) and respectfully solicits a call from his old friends and the public generally. Strictly on the one price system. E. B. SPENCE,

de1 No. 120 corner of Main and Governor sts.

WOOL DEPOT.—We have determined to open, in connection with our present business, a Wool Depot, for the sale of Wool, and have engaged the services of Mr. John Waterhouse, the former efficient agent of the Woolen Factory in this city. His attention, if necessary, will be devoted exclusively to this business.

All Wool consigned to us will be graded, so that each purchaser can buy such Wool as he wants, and not be compelled to buy such as will not answer his purposes. There is grown in Virginia a sufficient quantity of Wool, if concentrated and graded, to attract the attention of manufacturers and dealers to our market; and we hope to succeed in establishing a good market for the Wool grown near home.

For particulars see our circulars. CRENSHAW & CO.,
Grocers and Commission Merchants,
je28 Richmond, Va.

NOTICE.—TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:—Whereas the Richmond and Danville Railroad Company have had the misfortune to lose their freight house in Richmond, as well as a portion of their rolling stock, they are constrained for the present to deliver all down freight on the siding of their road on the depot lot in this city, as soon as the trains shall arrive; said freight to be immediately removed by those to whom it may be consigned or belong, as the Company will not be responsible for the safe keeping of the same; and the parties interested, or in any way concerned, will therefore take notice that all down freight, as before stated, will be at their risk as soon as unloaded from the cars.

C. CAMPBELL,
ja21—tf Superintendent of Transportation.

LARUS & SHINE are just in receipt of their Spring supply of splendid ROSEWOOD and MAHOGANY FURNITURE; also a complete assortment of COTTAGE FURNITURE, embracing every article necessary to furnish almost any kind of a private Residence, Office, or Counting Room.

Citizens and the country trade in general would find it to their advantage to examine our store before purchasing elsewhere, as we are determined to sell on terms to suit the times. ap9—tf

TRICOCASSIMERE FROCKS.—We invite attention to our assortment of Trico Cassimere Frocks as a very cheap and desirable sort for the present season—call and see them.

ap23 KEEN, BALDWIN, & CO.

WATER COOLERS.—Beautiful Metalic and Wood Casing, Water Coolers, 2, 3, 4, 6 and 8, gallon sizes, I am now perpared to furnish these articles at a much reduced price, for sale low by ZIMMERMAN.

REFRIGERATORS.—Plane Chest Refrigerators, Patent article with Jars and Water Coolers, the most approved article, now used and at reduced prices, for sale by

ma8 ZIMMERMAN

BLACK CASSIMERE PANTS.—Received by Express, a full assortment of fine black Cassimere Pants, something really nice. Call and look at them.

ma8 HENRY SHAFER, 108 Main st.

FOR SALE.—Virginia State (Registered) Stock, 34 years to run. [ma7] R. H. MAURY & CO.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—And possession given immediately, the new and fine large four story house second door below the corner of main & 9th streets known as the Capitol House well calculated for a large Family or boarding house, containing at least fifteen rooms, a good Kitchen and water near the door, gas fixtures completely arranged with burners attatched through out the house. This is the most pleasant and best arranged house on Main street. To a good tenant the rent will be made reasonable. Apply to the subscriber, corner above. B. JONES.

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FOR RENT.—The brick dwelling on 8th, near Grace street, containing 8 rooms. Possession given at once.—Apply to W. D. COLQUITT & CO.,

ap1—tf No. 188 Cary street.

FOR RENT.—The very desirable dwelling on 8th street between Grace and Franklin, adjoining Lecture room of United Presbyterian Church, containing Seven comfortable rooms with kitchen attached, and a large Garden, and good well of water.

The house has been thoroughly repaired.

Possession given 1st, March, Apply to

E. H. SKINKER & CO,
fe28 No. 59 Cary street.

FOR RENT.—The Store on 15th street lately occupied by us

WOMBLE & CLAIBORNE,
fe25 No. 11, Pearl street.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—A desirable brick dwelling on 2d street, between Main and Franklin, containing eight rooms, with kitchen and other out houses. Immediate possession given. Apply to

mh4—tf JAMES GRAY'S SONS.

HITCHCOCK & OSBORN,
COACH DEALERS AND MANUFACTURERS,
No. 213 Main Street, Richmond, Va.,

HAVE in store a large assortment of fine fashionable COACHES, CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, SULKEYS and HARNESS, suitable for country and city use, made of the best materials, and put together with much care, which we will recommend to our friends and the public, and sell on such terms as will secure the mutual interest of all who favor us with their patronage.

From long experience in our business, and by prompt personal attention, we hope to merit a continuance of past favors. Orders promptly filled and shipped to any part of the United States.

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CARRIAGES, CARIAGES.

R. H. BOSHER, SUCCESSOR OF JAMES BOSHER Has on hand, a large assortment of Carriages and harness. Among which may be found some fine Coaches with outside Seats, 4 and 6 seat Rockaways, Slide Seat Buggies, and Buggies with and without tops, to which he particularly invites the attention of those in want of any article in the Carriage line, as they will be desposed of on accommodating terms by application at his manufactory, No. 223 Corner of Main and 9th streets. Ja14—1y.

FURNITURE,
RICHMOND MAKE.

BINFORD & PORTER have in store at this time, the largest stock of Richmond made FURNITURE to be found in the city. This furniture is superb, built by the best workmen in the country, and under the immediate supervision of the proprietors, who are thoroughly acquainted with the business. Splendid Wardrobes, Chairs, Bedsteads, &c., &c., equal to any made in New York or elsewhere, may be had of them. Their determination is to reduce their stock by sales at very small profits. Let the people come, and rely on BINFORD & PORTER for the best article of Furniture in Richmond at the most reasonable rates. ja25

NEW PLOW.

WE have been engaged for some time past in getting up the patterns for a new Plow, especially designed for turning under the heaviest growth of vegetable matter, and we have now the pleasure of informing our friends, that we think we have fully accomplished that end.

We would call the attention of the Farmers to this Plow, as well as to our large stock of Plows of every size, Cultivators, Corn Weeders, New Ground Jumping Coalters, Large 3 Horse Cultivators, for putting in wheat, Harrows, &c., &c. All of which are made in our own shops, by good workmen, and warranted to give satisfaction.

GEO. WATT & CO., Franklin street,
se29 Square below the Exchange, Richmond, Va.

MULES AND HORSES.—200 head of Mules and Horses have just arrived from Kentucky, a very choice and superior lot of stock. I have mules well suited for Iron Masters, Railroad Contractors, street and Plantation use, all for sale or exchange, at fair prices, and on accommodating terms.

EDWIN WALKER,
At R. Blankenship's Stables.

N. B.—I shall be in receipt of fresh stock, direct from Kentucky, every month in the year. jy17 E. W.

HATS AND CAPS.

I AM now receiving large additions to my stock of Hats and Caps, selected (in person) in the Northern cities, which makes my assortment very complete, all, or any of which, I am disposed to sell on accommodating terms, at wholesale or retail.

oc4 JOHN THOMPSON.

VALENTINE & SON

HAVE now opened their entire stock of Spring and Summer

DRY GOODS,

to which they invite the early attention of purchasers. Their Goods were purchased for cash, and early in the season, when they had choice in the selection from the largest and handsomest stocks in New York.

Below we enumerate a portion of our purchases, viz:

Brilliants, Chintz, Jaconets, Organdies and Lawns
Barreges, Tissues, Challies, Persians and Chamberry
French, English, Swiss and American Ginghams
English, French and American Prints, all prices
Jaspi Foulard and other summer Silks
Picheff's extra black Silks and fig'd do
Black Alpacas, Mohair and Canton Cloth
Tamotan Cloth, Patent Argentine and DeBege
Crape D'Espagne and Spring DeLaines
Gent's Summer Cassimeres, Drap d'Etes and Doeskins
Wellington Cord, Farmer's Satin and Crape Camlets
Plain and fig'd Silk, Marseilles and Linen Vestings
Cashmeretts, Merino Cassimeres, &c., for boys' wear
Scotch, German and French Linens and Drillings
Bleached and brown Damasks and Table Cloths
Linen Huck and Damask Towels and Napkins
Scotch and Russia Diaper and Blay. Linens
Linen Sheetings, Shirtings and Pillow Linen
Bleached and brown fig'd and striped Linen Drills
Brown and bleached Shirtings and Sheetings
Cottonades, Denims, Cotton Duck and Gambroons
White Cambrics, Jaconets, tape and Swiss checked Muslin
India Twills, Dimity and Lappet Skirtings
Nainsook Muslin, Bishop Lawn and Bird Eye Diaper
Cambric and Swiss Bands, Flouncings and Trimmings
Emb. Muslin, Cambric and Eugenie Sleeves and Collars
Linen, Cambric, Breakfast and Mourning Collars
Hem'd and emb'd Cambric and Lawn Hdkfs
Gent's hand wrought and colored bordered Cambric Hdkfs
English Thread Lace and new style Tissue Veils
Valenciennes and Maltese Lace Sleeves and Collars
Silk Mantillas, Basques and Spring Shawls
Gent's Summer Stocks, Ties, Cravats and Collars
Ladies', Gent's and Children's Hosiery and Gloves
Silk and Gingham Umbrellas and Parasols
Mohair patent and hooped Skirts and Grass Cloth
Bonnet, Sash and Cap Ribbons, newest styles
Alexander's Kid Gloves, fresh and all sizes and colors
Love's Corsets, Moss Trimmings, Serpentine Braid, &c.

Having made a large purchase of Irish Linens, of Richardson's celebrated make, from a house in New York closing out their stock of the articles, we will offer every grade of them to those wanting Linens for Summer or other use at a real inducement.

VALENTINE & SON,
mh17 No. 99 Broad street, Valentine Square.

TO FARMERS AND OTHERS.

WE are now prepared to manufacture and repair every description of Agricultural Implements now used. We have gone to no small expense in putting up the different machinery required in carrying on our business. We are prepared to repair in superior style the various Reapers now used. One very important feature in our business is, that we sell no Implements but our own "manufacture," and they "warranted." We call the attention of the Farmers to our Wheat Thresher, Cleaner and Horse-Power, which is in every respect equal, if not superior, to any other now used. As a proof of what they have done, we annex the certificates of a few gentlemen who have given our machine a fair trial. We also take the liberty of referring to other gentlemen who have used the machine:

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We purchased of Messrs NELSON & MOTT, last season, one of their 20 in. Drum Straw Carrier and 4 Horse-Power, and in our humble judgment, we consider their Machine a perfect one. We believe that the machine used by us will thresh faster, cleaner, and break less grain of wheat, than any other that we have ever seen or used.

JOHN T. CHILDREY,
ROBT. H. STYLL,
Henrico, 14th Nov., 1855. JOS. J. PLEASANTS.

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Messrs. NELSON & MOTT:

Gentlemen—Yours bearing date September 20th is to hand, and I hasten to reply.

I have used your Machine for two seasons, and most cheerfully recommend it as the best I have ever used—the draft easy, and the motion given to the drum such as to get all the wheat from the straw.

Respectfully, your obd't servant, RICHARD ALLEN.
Farmville, Sept. 26, 1855.

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BUCKINGHAM Co., Oct. 4th, 1855.

Messrs. NELSON & MOTT:

Gentlemen—Your favor of 20th September, 1855, was received a few days ago, going to the wrong post office. My post office is New Store, Buckingham county, and I do with pleasure send you the annexed certificate. Yours, very respectfully,

GEO. W. KYLE.

I hereby certify that I have used one of Messrs. NELSON & MOTT's Wheat Threshing Machines the present year, and have no hesitation in saying that it came up to my expectation, and is the best I ever worked. Given under my hand this 4th October, 1855.

GEORGE W. KYLE.

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I purchased one of the above Machines of MOTT, LEWIS & WILLSON, and having threshed three crops with it, making the amount threshed 15,000 bbls., I do without hesitation pronounce it one of the best machines I have ever used, believing that it will thresh cleaner, faster, and break less grain of wheat than any I have ever used.

Henrico, Nov. 14th, 1855. HENRY COX.

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CURDSVILLE, Sept. 1st, 1855.

Gentlemen—It is with pleasure that we record our evidence in favor of your Threshing Machine. It requires less power for the work it does than any we have ever seen, and is remarkable for its simplicity and durability. We regard it emphatically the "Farmer's Machine," and *most cheerfully* recommend it to the farming community.

Mr. T. W. Adams and Capt. B. Davis, who are nice observers, and whose wheat our Machine thrashed this year, are very much pleased with its performance. Very respectfully,

WYATT SMITH,
J. V. CRUTE.

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REFERENCES:—Geo. Holtybecker, Amelia; Wm. Archer Cock, Chesterfield; Wm. M. Harrison, Richmond; Wm. H. Clopton, Charles City; E. B. W. Apperson, Charles City; J. J. Ivey, Appomattox; Benj. N. Robinson, King William; Ex-President John Tyler, Charles City; O. Austin, North Carolina; and others.

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BALDWIN, CARDWELL & CO.
Richmond, February 27.

CASTLE HILL, 15th Dec. 1854.

COL. WM. B. STODDERT—Dear Sir: I take pleasure in recording here my impression of the performance of your Plow (Rich's Iron-Beam patent) at Cobham to-day. The work was far more thorough and complete than that of any plow I ever saw in operation before.—The furrow opened by it was very generally 13 inches deep and about 20 inches wide in hard, close land, and most effectually and perfectly cleaned out, none of the sod earth falling back into it.

The trial of the plow was witnessed by many of my neighbors, among whom I will mention Messrs. Frank R. Nelson, J. H. Gentry, J. H. Lewis, C. B. Hopkins, Thomas Watson, of Louisa, &c., all practical men and most excellent judges of agricultural implements, and there was but one opinion among them as to the superiority and unexceptionable performance of your plow.

Wishing you equal success elsewhere in making this valuable implement favorably known to our agricultural brethren,

I remain, yours truly,
fe28 WILLIAM C. RIVES.

FALSE RUMOR CORRECTED.—In order that the public may not be misled by the various misrepresentations that are daily being made by the enemies of our family (the Smiths), I deem it my duty, as one of its prominent representatives, to state, that it is not true that I have given my valuable services to the various pleblan pursuits, as reported, and more particularly as a man of peace, do I deny having taken charge of that villanous gunpowder; but I wish them to remember that I am the proprietor of that elegant Hotel, on the European plan, known as the Ballard's Hotel, in the new building opposite the Exchange Hotel, Richmond, Va., and in future that they may distinguish me from the "rest of mankind." I hope they will address me as

fe14 J. WOODSON SMITH.

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