

THE PATRIOT AND HERALD.

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THE NIHILIST TRIALS.

St. Petersburg, April 9.—In the trial of the Nihilists implicated in the assassination of the late Czar, which commenced on the 7th instant, after the reading of the indictment was concluded, the president of the court asked the prisoners in turn whether they wished to say anything. Rassakoff, who threw one of the bombs, spoke for half an hour. He said he primarily desired to agitate peacefully, but entered into the conspiracy, seeing no other way out of social troubles. Michailoff who was arrested as he entered Rassakoff's house, said he belonged to the terrorist faction of the party, but denied Rassakoff's statement that he participated in the arrangements for the murder of the Czar. Hessa Helfmann acknowledged that she kept a conspirators' lodging-house, which was the depot for their implements, but denied having actively participated in the Czar's assassination. Kibalschitsch, the bomb maker, avowed his connection with the "Will of the People" Party, their wish, he said, being to gain their objects by a peaceful propaganda, but they were reluctantly obliged to adopt the terrorist measures. He admitted preparing five bombs.

Sophie Pleofsky avowed her participation in the preparation of the Moscow mine, and in the murder of the Czar. Jeliaboff, who is the most intelligent of the prisoners, fluently related with diabolical satisfaction the history of the two Alexandrofsky mines. He said he was the head of one group of the party, and was charged by the executive committee with the work of organizing the attack by bombs, and was connected with the Sadova street mine as a simple worker. After these declarations the procurator asserted that it would perhaps be possible to shorten the trial. Jeliaboff, in his statement, attempted to extenuate the cases of Loussakoff and Michailoff by asserting that the former was only a propagandist among workmen, and knew nothing of the arrangement for the murder of the Czar until the day of its accomplishment, and that the latter was entirely unconnected with the crime. The whole of the second day's proceedings were occupied with the examination of witnesses, a majority of whom were officials, soldiers and policemen. Jeliaboff showed great skill in cross-examining the witnesses, and succeeded in utterly confusing one of them.

A despatch from St. Petersburg, dated last night, says: "After the trial to-day, Loussakoff and Michailoff appeared dejected. Jeliaboff maintained the animation he had shown throughout. Beside the examination of witnesses, the court was largely occupied in the scrutiny of material used by the assassins. Great excitement was caused by the production of two bombs similar to those which killed the Emperor. General Feodoroff, in explaining their mechanism and composition, was cross-examined by Kibalschitsch, who made them. Among the objects examined were photographic groups of Nihilists who have been executed, a quantity of letters, some numbers of the revolutionary journal Narodnaya Volia, some large cylindrical tin cans, filled with dynamite, discovered at the residence of Jeliaboff and Sophie Pleofsky, and several plans of St. Petersburg, showing the paces of the Grand Duke Michael, the Catherine Canal, Little Garden streets, and other points connected with the assassination of the Czar. A general guard the explosives with a drawn sword. Jeliaboff and Sophie Pleofsky refused to answer several questions. All the telegrams describing the first day's proceedings were detained at the telegraph office. About midnight on Thursday the correspondents were informed of the detention, and that no telegrams will be forwarded unless countersigned by Assistant Prosecutor Mouraviev."

AGRICULTURAL DEPRESSION IN ENGLAND.

[London Telegraph, March 26.] According to a correspondent of a provincial contemporary, the depression in the agricultural districts is fully as great as it was represented by many of the speakers in the debate in the House of Commons on Wednesday. Some of the lighter land of Wiltshire and Hampshire may have come off better, at all events in the Midlands, where the clay predominates, the state of matters is deplorable, and seriously affects the home market for manufactured articles. Farmers have by no means recovered as yet from the three bad harvests which preceded the only moderately good one of last year. If landlords had not remitted a great percentage of the ordinary rents, there is no doubt that our country districts would have suffered even more severely than they have done. As it is, reports tell that thousands of acres are lying unproductive, because without tenants, in various parts of England, and a clergyman writing from Nottinghamshire gives a doleful account of affairs in his district. "There seems," he says, "to be a better state of things in towns than in the country. Here general bankruptcy seems imminent. Hundreds of farmers are to be let, and few farmers seem to have any capital left to take them. I am sorry to say my globe land will be without a tenant at Lady Day, as there seems very little prospect of meeting with a successor to the one now leaving. Sheep are dying by hundreds; floors are ruining the grass lands; in this part of the country to an unparalleled extent. What is to become of us it is hard to tell. If this is the real state of real impoverishment and depression at present existing in such counties as Nottinghamshire, Leicestershire, Warwickshire, and others, it is not to be wondered at that manufacturers are complaining of the small demand made on them for the kinds of goods used by the agricultural classes. No reform of more urgent interest could possibly be taken in hand by any Ministry than the raising of British agriculture from its present drooping condition, and there is danger of this important matter being overlooked in the press of others and more exciting subjects.

DRABERY OF THE CONDEMNED NIHILISTS.

LONDON, April 11.—A despatch from St. Petersburg to the Times says: "The prisoner Jeliaboff, in his speech at the conclusion of the trial of the Nihilists, on Saturday last, asked as a favor that his last speech in his defence might be printed and published word for word. Sophie Pleofsky asked that she be dealt with regardless of her sex. The prisoners received their sentence with perfect calmness and indifference." ST. PETERSBURG, April 11.—The sentence of death was finally read to-day in the presence of the prisoners. They were allowed twenty-four hours to appeal. Professor Solovieff caused some excitement among the students of the University of St. Petersburg, on Saturday, by condemning capital punishment, and expressing the hope that the Czar will show mercy to the prisoners. The period granted the prisoners for appeal will expire at 5 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon. Jeliaboff is the only one who has taken no steps toward securing a mitigation of sentence.

TWICE RESURRECTED.

A Lady Buried Twice and Finally Brought to Life.

A woman in Sicarte, Mason county, Ill., to all appearance died. But a few weeks previous to this she had given birth to a child, and was apparently well, with the exception of a sore mouth, from the effect of which she had grown quite weak; so much so that her husband thought it was necessary to call in a physician, but she objected, insisting upon waiting a few days longer, thinking she could manage the affection without the aid of a physician. She soon afterwards very suddenly sank away, and at appearances gave up the ghost. The body was kept till the next day about 2 P. M., when it was enclosed in a coffin and taken to the graveyard, followed by a great many mournful friends. In laying her out her arms were tied together above the elbows with a strip of cloth, so that her hands would retain a position across her breast. At the grave some of her friends wished to view her remains and the coffin was opened that they might do so. On removing the lid over the glass they could not see through the moisture on it, and it was then seen that one of her hands had been torn loose from the band and was lying by her side, and her arms were as limber as of one alive. The circumstances bore upon the minds of several present, but still they could not entertain any notion but that she was dead. Her hands were again placed in position across her breast and tied with the same strip of cloth, and

SHE WAS BURIED.

After returning to their homes several of the parties who had noticed the singular appearance of the corpse commenced to talk it over, and they soon raised a doubt in their minds that she was not dead. About 5 o'clock that same evening several went to the grave and took the body up. On opening the coffin they found fresh moisture on the glass of the coffin lid, and her hands were again broken from the strip of cloth that bound them, and they were both lying by her side, and instead of her limbs being the least rigid, they and her fingers were flexible. Notwithstanding all this they could not convince themselves but that she was dead and she was reburied. The matter was generally discussed in the neighborhood and by the following Sunday the excitement had grown so intense that it was decided to re-examine her the following day. The next day, Monday, after she had slept beneath the sod for four days and nights, she was again resurrected and taken to her home, where she has been slowly but gradually improving. Her friends entertain the strongest hopes of her recovery, which, if she does, will be a remarkable occurrence, long to be remembered by the people of Sicarte. The way in which this affair was managed was to say the least, very singular.

A TERRIBLE DEATH.

One of the saddest sights we ever saw was that of a man aged about fifty-five years, who stopped at the Kendall House, in Evergreen, last Saturday. On the 10th day of last August, about noon, while herding cattle on the Texas plains, he fell asleep, and while in this condition he was bitten on the left arm, just above the wrist, by a rattlesnake. He was at the time a great way from any town or village, and by the time he reached a physician the poison had permeated his whole system. From that very moment he began to die, and to look at him you can at once see that the "King of Terrors" has already set his seal and has only granted him a respite for awhile, but the days of that respite are full of torture, and no doubt the poor, unhappy victim longs for the end to come. Last Saturday night he was suffering indescribable torture. In his agony he called upon the great God and upon feeble man to give him relief, but not a moment was he free from pain that was so terrible that language can not describe it. His body is now full of the most loathsome sores, from which the poison continues to exude. His death is only a question of time, and when it does come it will be to him a happy release from suffering. —Concuch Aida Star.

MR. RAMSDSELL'S CATHOLIC WIFE.

[Washington Post, April 8th]

The effort to depose the Rev. Charles B. Ramsdell from the pulpit of the North Presbyterian Church of this city is the absorbing topic of the day. The trial so far as the Washington Presbytery are concerned, has come to an end, with a victory by a bare majority for that portion of the congregation which stood by the Pastor and insisted that his relation with the church should not be disturbed. But the end is not yet. The large party of church members who urged the Pastor's withdrawal or expulsion are not willing to rest under defeat; they maintain that they are right in their position; that the Pastor, by his marriage with a lady of the Roman Catholic faith has so impaired his usefulness and so disturbed the peace and harmony of the church that a severance of the pastoral relation is essential to its prosperity. They will take the case by petition, to the Baltimore Synod, to meet in October next, and thence it will go to the General Assembly, the highest Presbyterian court in the land. No case, involving the question at issue, has ever been considered by this high Church tribunal, and the marriage of the Rev. Mr. Ramsdell is destined to create an ecclesiastical stir that will be felt from ocean to ocean.

NOTES.

The value of canned goods produced in the United States in 1880 was \$50,000,000. It is predicted that the raisin crop of California this year will reach 200,000 boxes. Mahone is suffering from nervous prostration to a degree that prevents him from eating or sleeping. The fasting lady of Iowa City has grown so weak that she can only take water through a glass tube. The appropriations of the Illinois Legislature for charitable institutions amount to the large sum of \$1,901,115.

WORDS OF WISDOM.

Envy shooteth at others and woundeth himself. Charms strike the sight, but merit wins the soul. Politeness is the just medium between form and rudeness. Experience is the name men give to their follies or their sorrows. Many have lived on a pedestal who will never have a statue when dead. There are reproaches which give praise, praises and which reproach. A life of full and constant employment is the only safe and happy one. Be happy if you can but do not despise those who are otherwise, for you know not their troubles. It many times fall out that we deem ourselves much deceived in others because we first deceive ourselves. The greater part of men have no opinion, still fewer an opinion of their own, well reflected and founded upon reason. A man's fortune should be the rule for his sparing not spending. Extravagance may be supported, not justified, by affluence. We should often have reason to be ashamed of our brilliant actions, if the world could see the motives from which they spring. Motives are better than actions. Men drift into crime. Of evil they do more than they contemplate. Of good they contemplate more than they do. According to Senator Camden, of West Virginia, who is among those who insist that Virginia Re-adjustment is "reputation," his State is honest and honorable, and "a Debtpayer," because he commissioners appointed to settle the respective liability of Virginia and West Virginia have reported that the latter owes only \$953,360 of the joint debt, which she is ready to assume. Think of it! The joint debt, according to the Richmond Star's recent calculation, is between \$56,000,000 and \$57,000,000. Of this Virginia, according to the magnanimous Camden, is willing to shoulder not quite one million—leaving the remainder—\$55,000,000, or \$56,000,000—to this State! Gad! if "honest" West Virginia only owns to \$953,360, how can Reputation Virginia find it in her soul to own to over \$3,000,000? Try it by the Rule of Three, ye Funders and Brokers! —Richmond Wg.

OLD RELICS.

[Eastern Virginian, (Accomac county.)] We some time since took occasion to mention the fact that Mrs. S. R. Heath, Pungotague, was in possession of a set of china, complete and without a flaw, which tradition says has been in her family for 200 years, and not having been used for 96 years. At the sale of the personal effects of the late A. R. Heath recently a bed quilt was taken at the appraisal by the widow, whose great-grandmother spun and wove and quilted it to imitate Marseilles quilts. Mrs. Heath is now 81 years old, thus dating that quilt away back in the early reign of George III. Several trunks, tables, work-baskets, &c., sold were over a hundred years old, one table being made of mahogany brought by her father from the West Indies. She is a sister of Col. W. H. Parker of this town, who yesterday showed us a set of copper spoon-moulds which were brought to this country by one of the first settlers, some hundreds of years ago.

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Elizabeth Musser widow of Peter Musser, dec'd, Jno. J. Musser, Jefferson Musser, G. W. Musser, L. Wright and Sarah his wife, formerly Sarah Musser, P. T. C. Peter G. Snaveley and Nancy his wife formerly Nancy Musser, M. Flanagan and Susan his wife formerly Susan Musser, J. M. Snaveley and Sallie K. his wife, formerly Sallie K. Shores, Wm. Booker and Fannie his wife, formerly Fannie Shores, R. K. Shores and R. K. Shores Committee of Bettie Shores, Edward Shores, Frank Shores and Eliza J. Shores and James Shores infants (all heirs of Frank Shores and Eliza J. Shores now dead) John Emerson and Eveline his wife formerly Eveline Musser, Paulina P. Musser and O. E. Leonard and Emancipator, H. B. his wife formerly Eveline B. Musser (both infants) children and heirs at law of Peter Musser dec'd.—Defendants

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In Chancery on Amended Bill. The object of this suit is to subject the lands formerly owned by Peter Musser, deceased to the payment of certain debts due Peter G. Snaveley for the benefit of J. B. Holderby. And it appearing by affidavit filed in the cause that defendants Jefferson Musser, G. W. Musser, L. Wright and Sarah his wife, M. Flanagan and Susan his wife, Wm. Booker and Fannie his wife, Edward Shores, Jon Shores & Jas. Shores, infants, heirs of Frank Shores and Eliza J. Shores now dead, John Emerson and Eveline his wife are non-residents of the State of Va. on motion of complainant, by his counsel it is ordered that said non-resident Defendants do appear here within one month after the publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect themselves in this suit. A Copy—Teste. JNO. R. SEXTON, D. C. C. B. & M., for complt. ap17 4w

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THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 1881.

THERE are now but two parties in Virginia. The Readjuster-Debt-Payer party and the Funder-Repudiation party.

If a railroad is built down Rich Valley to Saltville over a half a million dollars will be expended in its construction.

The Readjusters of Smyth County are determined to stand to their colors in the contest next fall, no matter what may be the battle cry of the Funders.

The construction of a railroad through Rich Valley will develop the large deposits of plaster and other valuable minerals of that section.

A call is published by the Chairman of the Readjuster party in Smyth County for a mass meeting at May court. The object of the call is to select delegates to the State Convention.

The construction of a railroad down Rich Valley, and the branch of a great trunk-line will give, additional facilities to shippers, and reduced rates to all.

It will be seen by a card published elsewhere that Mr. B. F. BUGHANAN declines to be a candidate for the clerkships of Smyth County. Thus far Mr. W. C. SEXTON, the present incumbent, has no opposition.

The branch road of the V. K. & Ohio railroad that is proposed to be built down Rich Valley will add largely to the taxable values of the county.

The Funders say that they will ignore the debt question in the coming State election. That the debt had better be repudiated than that the State should pass beyond their control. They used to say that the honor and integrity of the State could only be preserved by paying every dollar of the debt. Don't you see now, if you never saw it before, that these fellows always act more from policy than principle.

DEMOCRATIC READJUSTERS are not likely to be very favorably impressed by the bitter denunciations against Readjusters and Readjustment that is being indulged in by the Democratic Senators. BECK, VOORHEES & Co. are trying to make the world believe that Readjusters are nothing more than a lot of disreputable thieves. Let these gentlemen come to Virginia next fall to help the Funders, and they will soon get tired of their work.

THERE is no doubt about Capt. F. S. BLAIR being the candidate of the Readjuster party for Attorney-General. Nearly all the delegates, in different sections of the State, that have been appointed to the State Convention have been instructed for BLAIR. This is a proper recognition of the merits of a distinguished member of the party. He is one of the ablest lawyers in the State, and also one of the best stump speakers. The Southwest will appreciate the honor conferred upon him, and will give him and his ticket a rousing vote in November.

Mr. Beck made a speech, in which he informed the Republicans that they would not elect Riddleberger Sergeant-at-Arms, even in next December. He hoped some good Republican would propose the name of a man who was a Union soldier, a gentleman, and a fair dealer with both sides; and he was sure the majority would decide against the reputation Rebel brigadier. If there was a bargain with Riddleberger he would be unable to perform his sub-contract with his Virginia supporters.

So Mr. BECK, the Democratic Senator from Kentucky, is willing to vote for a northern Republican for Sergeant-at-Arms; but he and his Democratic fellow-Senators are unwilling to vote for a Virginia Readjuster. If Mr. BECK is the exponent of National Democracy, and the Democratic party shares with him his hatred for Virginia Readjusters, to own any allegiance to the National Democratic party.

The Hampton correspondent of the Norfolk Virginian writes: I learn from J. Titlow that the route of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad, just at Newport News, has been changed, consequently all the work on it for the past three weeks is so much lost, but this will occasion no delay, as a double force will be immediately put on.

Had Senator Mahone followed the advice of Senator Hill, who said after the election that the two parties ought to disband, he would have been in the same position relatively that he is now. But Hill's advice, like summer milk, is not good if kept over night. It must be used the same day or it will sour on your haire.—National Republican.

The Old Dominion.

The dogs are killing sheep in Augusta.

The farmers in the "Northern Neck" are greatly behind hand with their farm work.

White swans, killed on the Shenandoah river, have been offered for sale in Charlestown.

There is a great deal of building going on in Staunton, and a number of contracts are in contemplation.

Two gentlemen of Warrenton received from Florida, on Saturday last, six dozen live partridges.

A light house is to be erected on Bell's Rock, just below West Point, \$25,000 having been appropriated for it by Congress.

In the trial, on Tuesday, in Chesterfield county, of Joe Briggs for unlawful voting he was found guilty and sent to the penitentiary.

Rev. Walter W. Williams, formerly of this State, but now of New York city, has accepted a call from the vestry of Christ P. E. church, Baltimore.

Gen. Wickham and Hon. Wm. Milnes have arranged to build a fire hotel at Waynesboro, where the Chesapeake and Ohio and Shenandoah Valley railroad cross.

Messrs. Brickell and Martin, of Pittsburgh, Pa., recently purchased some four thousand acres of land a few miles from Covington, Allegheny county. These gentlemen own five thousand acres of Mud Tunnel, and propose putting up a furnace soon.

It is understood that Rev. Dr. Eaton will accept the call to the pastorate of the Walnut Street Baptist church, in Louisville, Ky., and that his resignation as pastor of the First Baptist church in Petersburg, will soon be tendered.

Mrs. Withers wife of Capt. Thomas Withers, and daughter of the late Capt. Matthew F. Maury, died last week at Kodomo, Colorado, where her husband has been engaged as civil engineer for several years past. The remains were brought to Virginia and buried in Richmond.

A company is being formed for the manufacture of pig iron on the estate of E. A. Hacker, on lands in Rockbridge. The company have in contemplation the erection of two blast furnaces, each sixteen by sixty feet, with Whitwall hot blast stoves. This estate embraces between 17 and 20 thousand acres of iron ore land in Rockbridge and several thousand acres of coal land in West Virginia, both on the line of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad.

The Milk in the Cocoon.

A Republican Senator, interviewed Charles Nordhoff, is quoted as saying: "The men who have most savagely attacked Mahone are those who have a fear of independent successors immediately before their eyes. Ben Hill's successor is to be re-elected in 1882, and Joe Brown's in 1884. Morgan and Pugh, of Alabama, come up in 1882, and 1884; also, Sausbury, of Delaware, comes up in 1882, and in the same year Garland, Lamar, Butler, Ransom, Johnston of Virginia, and Harris. In 1884 are elected, Walker of Arkansas, Call, Vest, Vance, and Hampton. Fourteen Southern states elect either one or both their Senators during Garfield's administration, and wherever the independents muster courage and strength enough they can substitute their own leader for the present Democratic incumbents. I expect the Federal Administration to help them as much as it properly can."—Gath in Cincinnati Enquirer.

Personal.

Nathan F. Dixon, five times a representative in Congress from Rhode Island, died Monday.

The New Orleans Times assures us that notwithstanding Senator Butler's misfortune of having a wooden foot, he is a most graceful dancer.

Capt. Boycott, who recently gained such notoriety in Ireland, has arrived at Ottawa, Canada, and is the guest of Senator Brouse. It is said he intends to purchase land in the Northwest.

Sergeant Bates, who achieved notoriety by marching through the Southern States and through a portion of Europe bearing the American flag, is reported to be dying in abject poverty in Saybrook, Ill. He has a wife and six children.

John T. Raymond, the actor, was married at the Continental Hotel, Philadelphia, Monday, to Miss Courtney Barner, Rev. Dr. Collyer, of New York, performing the ceremony. Only a few friends of the bride and groom were present.

The Re-Adjusters of Rockingham send greeting to their brethren throughout the State: Only one man out of ranks and gone over to the enemy, while the party is intact and gathering daily. "Mahone, and no surrender to the Bourbon Funderism," being the rallying cry heard upon all sides.—Harrisonburg Spirit.

Capt. John S. Redd, a leading Re-Adjuster, in the Re-Adjuster county of Henry, has declined to endorse Mahone.—Funder Fudge.

But Capt. J. S. Redd, who was the elector on the Funder Presidential ticket of last year, has returned to the Re-Adjuster fold (no matter what his personal opinions about Gen. Mahone) and presided over a large recent Re-Adjuster meeting in Henry county. When even Re-Adjusters whom the Funder Presidential electors in 1880 are rallying again to Re-Adjustment, the Funders may be sure that the overthrow of 1879 again awaits them in 1881.—Whig.

Execution of the Nihilists.

St. PETERSBURG, April 15.—All the nihilists, except the woman Hessa Helfmann, condemned to death for connection with the Czar's assassination, viz: Ruskakoff, Michaloff, Kibaltshitsch, Jelliboff and Sophie Ploofishy, were hanged at ten o'clock this morning. Michaloff's rope broke twice. Order was not disturbed. There was an immense concourse of spectators. Hessa Helfman who is enceinte, will not be hanged until after her confinement. The appeals for mercy of Ruskakoff and Michaloff were submitted to the Czar, but he replied that the sentence of the court must be carried out. The condemned men were escorted from the fortress to the place of execution by the cosacks and infantry, with drums and fifes. Detachments of all the regiments of the guards stationed at St. Petersburg surrounded the scaffold. All the prisoners received administrations of the priests, and kissed the cross and each other. They were very firm, except Ruskakoff, who fainted at the last moment. Many thousand people passed the night at the place of execution in order to obtain a good view. The executioner was a re-prieved convict. The prisoners were conveyed from the fortress in two carts with their backs toward the horses and their hands tied to boards on their breasts, bearing the word "regicide" in large letters. When the prisoners mounted the scaffold the head of each was covered with a sack. They were then placed upon stools, which were drawn away, and they were left to strangle. After hanging twenty minutes the bodies were cut down and taken to a cemetery outside the city.

Starving in Mid-Ocean.

NEW YORK, April 11.—The Steamship Nebo, from Rio Janeria via St. Thomas, arrived to-day. She reports having had a succession of northwest gales and heavy cross seas from St. Thomas to within one day of New York. April 8th, in latitude 33, long 73, fell in with the bark Tiger (German), with salt from Liverpool for Baltimore 77 days out, short of provisions; supplied her. The crew were in a most deplorable condition, having sustained life several days on strips of leather soaked in lamp oil until the oil gave out and then on the captain's dog, after which there was nothing but cannibalism and death staring them in the face. To add to their sufferings two vessels passed several days before within a short distance; but paid no attention to their signals of distress.

Pistols in the Senate.

Calling upon an ex-Democratic member of Congress from Louisiana, a few days ago, he showed me the handsomest pair of dueling pistols I have ever seen. They were made by Purdy, of London. The barrels are of the finest Damascus, the locks of the choicest tempered steel and the handles of polished rosewood. The pistols were made so that they could be loaded either from the muzzle or the breech, according to the stipulations of the combatants. The trigger-guards are so adjusted that the slightest touch will fire the weapon. The owner of these pistols is an expert shot, and some idea of the accuracy of the arms can be formed when it is stated that he has shot birds on the wing with them at a distance of 100 yards. These pistols have been in request on more than one occasion during the past ten years. The last time they were applied for was prior to the scene which occurred in the Senate between Senators Conkling and Lamar. The events of the few hours which preceded the memorable interchange of fighting words between those gentlemen had convinced several Southern senators that serious trouble was brewing. Some of the looked for an altercation on the floor, and it was determined to make that expected altercation, a bloody one, if need be. The two pistols were taken from the residence of their owner to the Senate chamber, and were loaded in one of the committee-rooms. When Mr. Conkling delivered his scorching criticism of Lamar those pistols were in the pockets of men upon the floor. And after controversy had ended without the interchange of blows the pistols were retained by friends of Mr. Lamar, possibly without his knowledge, in anticipation of a hostile meeting between the two senators. The owner of the pistols says he has loaned them once or twice to persons desirous of adjusting difficulties, but in each case a peaceful solution of the trouble has been reached before exchanging shots.—Washington Letter.

Fatal Shooting Affray.

St. LOUIS, Mo., April 26.—A dispatch to the Republican from El Paso, Texas, says: "Day before yesterday two young Mexicans named Jourique and Sanchez, were shot and killed by Americans in a difficulty about land, eight miles up the River from here. The Mexican consul, with an armed force of Mexicans, having obtained possession of the dead bodies. While the remains were in a wagon in front of the justice's office awaiting inquest, between five and six o'clock last evening a dispute arose about the presence of the armed Mexicans between G. W. Campbell, John Hale and a policeman named Knempken. Hale covered Knempken with his pistol and a shooting affray began. Hale shot Knempken, the city marshal shot Hale and a Mexican accidentally, and also shot Campbell, making six men lying in the street at the same time. Hale died in a few minutes after being shot. Knempken was killed instantly, and Campbell died this morning, and the Mexican is in a critical condition.

Important Railroad Case.

NEW YORK, April 10.—Argument was had to-day before Judge Blotchford, of the United States court, in the suit of Chas. H. Pond, John W. Garrett and others against Hiram W. Sibbey, Atlanta and Charleston Air Line railroad and Richmond and Danville railroad company, and others, on motion to remand the suit to the State Court whence it was begun; and removed a few days ago to the federal court. It will be remembered that in the Supreme Court Judge Donohue granted an injunction restraining the Atlanta railroad company from executing a lease of their road to the Richmond and Danville railroad company. Judge Blotchford reserved his decision on the question of remanding the case to the State court.

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I consider Dr. Bentley a thoroughly educated physician, a Christian gentleman, an expert in the treatment of all Chronic Diseases, and reasonable in his charges. I would advise all sufferers to avail themselves of this opportunity. Very respectfully, J. F. MAIDEN. ap14 1m

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Briefs.

Dr. E. B. Ward is lying at his home, near Chatham Hill, very critically ill.

On Tuesday there were twenty-six lawyers, home and foreign, attending court at this place.

Easter Sunday was a beautiful spring day, and we are now having nice weather.

There are 266 cases on the chancery docket in Judge Kelley's court. Fifty-six are new ones.

A number of graders in Rich Valley have turned their cattle out to graze. The grass is very short, but provender has given out, and short grass is the only resort.

Pie Peaches, Corn, Beans, Tomatoes, Peas, Cherries, Oysters, Sardines, Crackers, Cakes, Candles, &c., at IRON & CO.'S, Family Grocery Store, opposite Post Office.

Personal.

Mr. Park Plupps, of Newbern, Va., is on a visit to his friends in Marion.

Col. W. W. Gordon, of Richmond, was called on to attend the session of the circuit court.

Mr. Joseph L. Groseclose is going about now, and is able to attend again to his business.

Spring goods just received at J. B. RHEA'S.

Lumber.

Persons wishing to have lumber sawed, or to purchase lumber of any kind, will do well to direct their attention to the card of M. W., A. P. Thomas & Co.

Quarterly Meeting.

Next Saturday the 3rd quarterly meeting of the Conference year for Marion Station will be held in the Methodist church at this place by Rev. J. M. McTeer, presiding elder.

New Millinery.

It will be seen by a card in another column that Mrs. A. A. Scott has opened a millinery and notion store opposite the post office. She has a nice line of goods, and is constantly receiving addition to her stock.

Thanks.

We return thanks to Mr. R. M. Heptinstall, the new stove and tin man, for a coffee pot that is made in the best style and of first-class material. Coffee tastes extra good that has been made in it.

County and Circuit Courts.

County and Circuit Courts were both commenced on Monday. Judge Miller has adjourned his court, but Judge Kelly's court will continue its session during the balance of this week and through next week. March business is being disposed of.

A Good Thing.

For the prompt relief of pain of all kinds there is nothing so good as Dr. Hart's Great Relief. This remedy is so well known that it is probably not necessary to speak of its merits, but lest there should be some one who has tried to give it a trial, we say if you have any sort of pain try Dr. Hart's Relief.

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Religious Services on Sunday.

On Sunday Rev. Mr. Lowe preached in the Methodist church in the morning.

Rev. Mr. Frierson preached in the Presbyterian church in the morning and at night.

At night Rev. J. B. Greiner preached an excellent sermon in the Methodist church on "Temperance." The house was crowded. Rev. Dr. Yonce, of Roanoke College, occupied a place in the pulpit, and opened the services with prayer.

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Rice Corn.

Mr. Eli F. Groseclose has handed us some specimens of "Rice Corn" which he brought from Kansas. To seed forms on top of the stalk, something like it does on sugar cane. He says they raise thirty bushels to the acre in Kansas when there is no rain, and more when it is seasonable. The corn is very valuable as food for hogs, cattle and all kinds of stock.

Notice.

FELLOW-CITIZENS OF SMYTH COUNTY:—As I have been solicited by many of you to become a candidate for clerk of the Courts of the county, and promised to make known my decision in this issue of the PATRIOT AND HERALD, I will say that owing to duties which my private interest prevents me neglecting, and which requires my immediate attention—though unknown to me until a few days since, I would be debared making a canvass of the county, and consequently must decline being a candidate. With sincere thanks for the encouragement and kindly feeling expressed for me by my friends in different parts of the county, and with assurances that they shall always be treasured by me with the fondest pleasure, I am very truly the friend of you all, FRANK BUCHANAN, April 19th, 1881.

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Successful Entertainment.

On Monday the ladies of the Benevolent Society of the Baptist church at this place gave a dinner and supper in the old Continental Hotel. The affair was quite a success in every particular. The refreshments were excellent, and \$76 dollars were realized.

We return thanks to the ladies of the Society for a nice treat sent to our home.

To the Readjusters of Smyth County.

The State Committee of the Readjuster party of Virginia has called a Convention to meet at Richmond, on the 2nd of June 1881, to nominate a State ticket and more thoroughly organize the party. Under the call Smyth County is entitled to 6 delegates. The Readjusters of Smyth are requested to meet at the Court House on Monday, the 16th day of May, 1881, that being court day, to choose said delegates.

Very Respectfully,
WM. L. RICHARDSON,
Chairman Readjusters of Smyth Co.

Sugar, Coffee, Soda, Spices, Mince Meats, Caviars Hams, Coal Oil, Molasses, Grits, and in fact most everything in the family grocery line, at IRON & CO.'S, opposite Post Office.

Railroad Meeting.

A meeting was held at the Court House on Monday in the interests of the Virginia, Kentucky & Ohio Railroad. The meeting was called to order by B. F. Buchanan, and was motioned W. C. Pendleton was selected as Chairman of the meeting and B. F. Buchanan Secretary. Capt. C. R. Boyd, of Wytheville, who was present to address the meeting in the interests of the road, asked to be excused on account of indisposition, and introduced Mr. C. T. Smith, one of the directors of the road, who very briefly but forcibly presented the claims of the road and the benefits that would accrue to the county. He stated that Judge Miller had made an order directing that a vote be taken on the 4th Thursday in next month to decide whether the county should subscribe twenty thousand dollars in stock to aid in the construction of a branch road from Rocky Gap, in Bland county, down Rich Valley to Saltville. He urged the people of the county to vote for the subscription. At the close of his remarks a motion was made and carried that the chairman be empowered to appoint committees at each precinct to aid in carrying the subscription on day of election. These committees will be selected and published hereafter. No further business being before the meeting, on motion it adjourned.

A splendid line of Boots and Shoes and straw hats will be sold very low at J. B. RHEA'S.

New Advertisements.

We call attention to the following new Richmond and Lynchburg advertisements.

A. R. Ellett & Co, wholesale Dealers in Dry Goods and Notions Richmond Va. This is the largest dry goods house in the State.

R. W. Powers & Co wholesale Dealers in Drugs &c. This house is well known to our readers, and very popular in this section.

Geo. Gibson Jr., Importer and Dealer in China Glass and Queensware. This is an excellent house and sells on the best terms.

Watkins Cottrell & Co, wholesale Dealers in Hardware, have a large trade in the Southwest, and are worthy of it.

John H. Tyler & Co are the established Jewelers of Richmond, and the firm is one persons may safely deal with. They have a magnificent store and stock.

Xanthine is the best preparation in the world for the hair. Try it if you need a hair preparation.

Preston Belvin is the largest and most fashionable Furniture dealer in Richmond. His stock is worthy of inspection.

O. F. Weisiger is the leading wholesale Clothier of Richmond, and has the largest and best stock of Spring clothing he has ever presented to the trade.

S. S. Cottrell & Co are the largest manufacturers of Saddles and Harness in the South.

The Agricultural Insurance Company, of which Geo. D. Pleasant & Son are State Agents, is one of the safest and promptest companies we know of.

Baldwin & Jenkins are the leading wholesale Dealers in Boots and Shoes, and our friend John R. Venable is still with them.

Samuel Matthias, of Lynchburg Virginia, is the most fashionable milliner in that City. His Spring stock is selected with the greatest care and taste. All orders sent to him will be filled in the most satisfactory manner.

Wm Kinnier & Co, in their new warehouses have the largest and finest stock of goods they have ever presented to the trade. It is an enterprising firm and deserves the support of Virginia merchants.

Go to IRON & CO.'S, for all kinds of family Groceries, at the very lowest cash prices Opposite the Post Office.

Meeting of the Medical Society of Southwest Virginia.

This Society met at this place on Friday the 15th inst., at 2 o'clock, p. m. The President and all the Vice-Presidents being absent, on motion of Dr. S. C. Gleaves, of Wytheville Dr. Bramlett, of Newbern, was made chairman of the meeting. The minutes of the Society were then read by Dr. J. S. Apperson, Secretary. The name of Dr. C. H. Baker, of Smyth county, was presented as Fellow of the Society and he was duly elected. Dr. H. J. Garrett, who was one of the regular Essayists, reported that he was not prepared and was excused. Dr. S. C. Gleaves then read a short but interesting essay on "The Germ Theory" of diseases. The essay was received by the Society, and ordered to be placed among its archives.

Mr. E. R. Deip, of Smyth county was then brought before the Society by Dr. Apperson for the purpose of having a Goitre or Derbyshire neck examined. The growth had been forming on his neck for 23 years. It was pronounced by several of the physicians the largest they had ever seen. The tumor measured 27 inches in circumference. Upon an examination it was recommended that the tumor be tapped by punctures and be treated with hypodermic injections of iodine.

Dr. J. S. Apperson then read before the Society an essay on the "Sickness of Pregnancy" with reports of two interesting cases treated by him. The essay was an excellent one, and upon motion was received by the Society and directed to be filed among its archives.

Mr. J. L. Groseclose, of our town, was then brought before the Society by Dr. Garrett. Three months ago Mr. G. suffered a fracture of the knee-cap. He is now suffering from great swelling of the knob. He was examined by the members of the Society and treatment recommended.

Dr. Bramlett, who had been selected to prepare a paper on the subject for discussion, "Pneumonia," asked to be excused for various reasons, and upon motion was excused, and continued as essayist for the next meeting.

Three delegates were then appointed to the National Medical Association which meets at Richmond, on the 3rd of May. Drs. Bramlett and R. E. Moore, of Wytheville were appointed delegates and Dr. Barr, President of the Society, was requested by the Society to attend also as a delegate.

"Pneumonia" was continued as subject for discussion at the next meeting.

On motion the Society then adjourned to meet again at this place in July next.

Dr. Apperson called the attention of the fellows to the fact that samples of various preparations of chemicals &c., had been sent to him for distribution among the members of the Society, and asked those present to take them and test them.

Messrs. Seabury & Johnson, of New York, sent samples of Plasters; John Weyth & Bro. of Philadelphia, Tinctures, tablets and various preparations of Iron; J. E. Hethington, New York, Tropic River Laxative—which is something new; J. L. Berg & Co., New York, Coca Beef and other tonics. These samples were all handsomely and neatly gotten up, and a considerable portion will be distributed at the next meeting of the Society.

Owing to bad weather and other causes the attendance was not as large as the merits and purposes of the Society call for. We trust that all the physicians of the Southwest will take an interest in the progress and ultimate success of the organization. It can not be otherwise than beneficial. It will give all an opportunity to learn things they ought to know. Any profession that is represented by intelligent men can be benefitted by having intellect and experience brought constantly into communion and contact. The young physicians and the old doctors alike should unite to make this Society a success.

WANTED—Butter, Eggs, Lard, Bacon and Chickens, at IRON & CO.'S, cheap Grocery Store, opposite Post Office.

The Staunton Grader Fan Factory Removed to Bristol, Tennessee.

On Tuesday morning an unusual cavalcade passed along Court House street and took a westerly course out of Staunton. It was the fine long buggy spring wagons and teams of L. M. Crosby, of Ashland, Ohio, which have been used in connection with his manufacture here of the Grader Fan, Mr. G. O. Chapman the General Manager, having supplied Augusta and the adjoining counties with these excellent machines, is taking the wagon and team to his factory here at Bristol, Tenn., the locality selected by Mr. Crosby for his operations this year.

The success of Mr. Crosby's enterprise here is remarkable, and only goes to show what energy and pluck, and fair dealing will do in a good agricultural enterprise.

Just a year ago Mr. C. opened his factory here and commenced putting up his machines, sending them out in wagons all over Augusta and adjoining counties. Each wagon carried four of the fan mills and they were sold rapidly at \$35, and in twenty counties extending as far towards the Southwest as Montgomery.

At the close of the season 1150 fans were sold, about one-half of which were sold in Augusta, Rockbridge and Rockingham, and one third of the whole number in Augusta alone, and as far as we have heard, giving a great satisfaction. A good machine of the kind was much needed in this section, and some of our farmers bought two and say they would not take \$200 a piece for them.

A most notable feature of this undertaking reflects as much credit upon the financial soundness of our farming community, as upon the business sagacity of the manufacturer and his agents. This is, that in their large sales, not one bad debt was made. The large majority, too, were time sales, and notes to the amount of thousands of dollars placed in the bank for collection. A short time after the maturity of the last one, Mr. Chapman called for the unpaid notes and found only ten in bank. He used four of the makers of those, in town that day, who had come to pay them, and collected all of the remaining six as soon as he saw the parties. So neat a clearing up of a large transaction in which nearly twelve hundred persons were concerned is exceptionally rare and most refreshing to relate.

It is but fair to say that the transactions of the proprietor, the manager, and all their agents and employees with our people, were in every respect satisfactory, and those clever Western men have left many friends behind them in Staunton and Augusta, who will any time be gratified at a renewal of business and social relations.—Staunton Vindicator.

These gentlemen have already commended operations on a large scale as heretofore explained by us.—Bristol News

DR. G. M. PRESTON, Vienna, Austria, says: Camm's Emulsion is the best preparation of Cod Liver Oil I have ever seen.

DR. C. W. LAURENCE, Longvic, Texas says: Its combination with iron makes Camm's Emulsion and excellent remedy where a tonic is needed.

Your Attention!

1000 sacks Liverpool fine Salt.
200 bags Liro, Laguna, Peaberry and Java Coffee.
200 lbs Brown, White and Yellow Sugars.
200 kegs Biear, Soda.
150 bbls Mackerel No. 1, 2 and 3.
100 kits, drums and 1 bbl Mackerel.
500 doz Canned Tomatoes and Peaches.
500 bush New Crop Clover seed.
500 " " Timothy seed.
500 " " Overgreen Grass seed.
500 " " Evergreen Grass seed.
We are always in the market for Field Seeds, Seed Oats, Rye and Wheat, and will pay the highest price in cash.

LEB. TAYLOR & CO.,
Gen'l Tobacco, Field Seed,
and GEN'L COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCERS,
Jan. 6, '81. LYNCHBURG, VA.

The cheapest groceries, Queensware, and Tinware ever brought to Marion will be found at J. B. RHEA'S.

Frederick county is to vote on a proposed subscription to the Martinsburg Railroad in May.

Gents suits from \$4.00 to \$20, at J. B. RHEA'S.

Jefferson Davis's "Rise and Fall of the Confederate Government" will be the literary sensation of the year.

The Appletons put 25,000 copies on the market as a first edition, all of which are subscribed for. They expect to publish 150,000 in all. The Messrs. Longmans have ordered an edition for England.—New York Herald.

There are sixty-five cases of small-pox in the Reading (Pa.) almshouse.

Announcements for Office.

FOR CLERK.

TO MY FELLOW-CITIZENS OF THE COUNTY OF SMYTH—I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of your County and Circuit Courts. You will accept my grateful acknowledgments for the favors so generously bestowed upon me in the past, and allow me to say, that I have desired and labored earnestly to discharge the duties of the office with the interest of those whom I served, and should it be your pleasure, (which I most earnestly desire,) to re-elect me, my efforts to discharge the duties of the office, efficiently, and in the interest of the people, shall not abate.

Your Obedient Servant,
W. C. SEXTON.

FOR TREASURER.

TO THE VOTERS AND ALL THE PEOPLE OF SMYTH CO.—I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, and trust that you will give me your votes and influence in the coming election. In point of capacity and business conduct, I feel it my duty to discharge the duties of the office properly.

Yours respectfully,
R. F. BROOKS.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE COUNTY OF SMYTH.—I hereby respectfully announce myself a candidate for the position of County Treasurer and earnestly solicit your support. If elected I will, to the best of my ability, perform with promptness and despatch the duties that will be incumbent upon me, and will select deputies, if any are needed, after election that will prove satisfactory to the tax-payers of the county, in point of capacity and business conduct.—Election 4th Thursday in May 1881.

Respectfully,
JOHN W. RICHARDSON.

TO THE VOTERS OF SMYTH COUNTY.—FELLOW-CITIZENS—I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Smyth County. If elected, I will conduct the business of the office myself, and try to do so fairly and efficiently.

Yours Respectfully,
F. J. WHITEHEAD.

FELLOW-CITIZENS OF THE COUNTY OF SMYTH.—I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Treasurer of the position which I now occupy, and I promise if elected, that the business will be done as heretofore. If you are satisfied with the way and manner in which the business has been conducted I respectfully ask your support on the 4th Thursday of next May.

R. T. COPPERTON.

TO THE VOTERS OF SMYTH COUNTY.—FELLOW-CITIZENS—I hereby announce myself a candidate for Treasurer of Smyth County. Election to take place in May. If elected I will try to discharge the duties of the office efficiently and fairly.

Very Respectfully,
S. A. MEYER.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it the recipe and direction for making the simple remedy which cured him. He is willing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN, 42 Cedar St. N. Y. Jan 27-6m.

PIMPLES.

I will mail (free) the recipe for a simple Vegetable Balm that will remove Tan, Freckles, Pimples and Blisters, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandrift & Co., 5 Beckman St. N. Y.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The Advertiser, having been permanently cured of that great disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge) with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure cure for Consumption, Asthma Bronchitis &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. WILSON, 194 Penn St., Williamsburg, N. Y.

MARKETS.

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J. R. HOCKADAY,

1308 Cary Street, RICHMOND, VA.

Wholesale

COMMISSION MERCHANT

And dealer in Fruits and Vegetables, Seed Potatoes, Seed Oats, and Field Seeds generally. Orders and Consignments Solicited. Quick Sales and prompt Returns.

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TOBACCO.

Yellow, fancy.....\$50.00 a \$60.00
good..... 35.00 a 50.00
Light, leaf..... 10.00 a 15.00
Dark, leaf..... 6.00 a 10.00
lugs..... 3.50 a 5.00

GRAIN, HAY AND SEEDS.

Wheat, Lancaster.....\$1 25 a \$1 30
good..... 1 20 a 1 25
Corn, prime white..... 56 a 58
prime white..... 55 a 57
Oats, winter seeds..... 65 a 70
Western seeds..... 47 a 50
Virginia..... 48 a 50
Rye, prime..... 90 a 1 00
Hay, prime Timothy..... 1 20 a 1 30
prime shipping..... 1 10 a 1 20
prime Clover..... 1 00 a 1 10
Oats, hulled..... 73 a 80
Shucks..... 60 a 65
Clover Seed..... 5 00 a 5 50
Orchard Grass..... 2 25 a 2 50
Timothy Seed..... 3 50 a 4 00
Flax Seed..... 1 00 a 1 20

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.

Apples, green, per bush..... 2 00 a 2 50
dried, per lb..... 3 a 5
Oranges, per bush..... 7 00 a 8 00
per box..... 4 50 a 5 00
Lemons, per box..... 2 50 a 3 50
Cranberries, per bush..... 8 00 a 9 00
Peanuts, prime per lb..... 3 1/4 a 4
medium..... 2 1/4 a 3
Peaches, dried, unpeeled..... 6 a 10
unpeeled..... 4 a 5
Cherries, pitted..... 12 a 14
unpitted..... 5 a 6
Potatoes, Early Rose per bush..... 3 00 a 3 25
per bush..... 1 10 a 1 15
Fearless per bush..... 2 75 a 3 00
Peach Blow, bl. 2 25 a 2 50
bus. 65 a 75

Onions, per bush..... 4 00 a 4 50

per bush..... 1 00 a 1 50
Onion Sets, per bush..... 7 00 a 8 00
Cabbage, choice per 100..... 5 00 a 6 00
medium..... 4 00 a 5 00
Beans, white..... 2 00 a 3 00
colored..... 90 a 1 00
Peas, black eye..... 75 a 90
green, per bush..... 6 00 a 6 50
Tomatoes, per bush..... 4 00 a 4 50
Cucumbers, per bush..... 4 00 a 5 00
Watermelons, per 100..... 40 00 a 50 00

BUTTER, EGGS AND POULTRY.

Butter, choice..... 22 a 30
prime..... 20 a 25
medium..... 16 a 20
cooking..... 10 a 15
Eggs, in crates..... 14 a 15
in bbls and boxes..... 13 a 14
Turkeys, dressed per lb..... 14 a 16
Chickens, dressed per lb..... 10 a 12
Hides, dressed per 100..... 12 a 14
Lard, country, per lb..... 9 a 10
Hogs, dressed..... 6 1/2 a 7
Veals, fat each..... 4 00 a 6 00
Lamb,..... 3 00 a 4 00
Old Sheep..... 2 50 a 3 50
Hides, dressed per 100..... 12 a 14
Wool, washed and clean..... 38 a 40
unwashed..... 28 a 30
Tallow, per lb..... 6 a 8
Honey, strained per lb..... 15 a 16
comb..... 10 a 12
Rags, comb..... 21 a 24

Above are whole sale quotations; in filling small orders, an advance will be charged.

LYNCHBURG MARKET REPORT

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY

NOWLIN BROS. & CO.

Wholesale and Retail

GROCERS, LIQUOR DEALERS, COMMISSION MERCHANTS

No. 61 MAIN STREETS.

LYNCHBURG, April 13, 1881.

Attention is invited to the numerous changes in our report for this week, many of which are of interest to the farmers and produce dealers.

Eye—Scarce in demand at quotations.

FRESH BUTTER—In very active demand.

POTATOES—Quite dull.

GROCERIES.

Coffee, O. G. Java.....\$ 25 a \$ 27
African..... 30 a 35
Laguayra..... 14 a 14 1/2
Choice Rio..... 10 1/2 a 11
Prime Rio..... 13 1/2 a 14
Common and Fair Rio..... 11 a 12 1/2
Cheese, Cheddar, per lb..... 13 1/2 a 14
Gem..... 20 a 23
Pineapple, per cake..... 1 00 a 1 25
Cotton Yarns..... 1 00 a 1 07
Cement..... 1 75 a 2 00
Caudles, Patent Paraffin..... 22 a 23
Admiralty per sett..... 10 a 10 1/2
Lard, New York, per lb..... 8 75 a 9 00
per half bbl..... 4 00 a 4 25
Cigars, per 100..... 1 25 a 5 00
Cigarettes, per 1000..... 4 00 a 6 00
Fish, Medium No. 3 Mackrel..... 5 75 a 6 00
No. 2 per barrel..... 4 50 a 5 00
No. 1 per barrel..... 5 00 a 5 50
Eastern Herrings, per bbl..... 3 1/2 a 3 75
N. C. Cut Herrings, do..... 3 1/2 a 3 75
Iron, Rolled..... 3 1/2 a 3 3 1/2
Hammered..... 3 1/2 a 3 3 1/2
Lime..... 1 00 a 1 10
Leather, Best G. D..... 23 a 23 1/2
Poor G. D..... 22 a 22 1/2
Tarpaper..... 35 a 35 1/2
Uranium..... 32 a 40
Nails, basis 10-penny..... 3 50 a 3 75
Rice..... 7 1/2 a 7 7 1/2
Salt..... 1 40 a 1 45

SYRUPS AND MOLASSES.

Extra Heavy Syrup..... 26 a 27
Common Syrup..... 25 a 27
Fair Syrup..... 25 a 27
Fine Syrup..... 47 a 50
P. R. Syrup..... 45 a 50
N. O. Molasses..... 45 a 60

SUGAR.</

THE FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

Pullets well fed will lay early. Keep none but healthy fowls to breed from.

Every farmer should raise a flock of guineas.

It is a noticeable fact that the majority of farmers neglect their poultry more than any thing on their farm.

Hens that eat their eggs may be cured by giving them a shell filled with mustard or doe mixed with cayenne pepper.

The best food to make a hen lay is charred corn. It must not be fed as a regular diet, but in limited quantities each day.

Sunflower feed is recommended by poultry fanciers as an excellent food. It is said to greatly increase the brilliancy of the plumage and also stimulate the production of eggs.

To utilize the feathers of ducks, chickens and turkeys, generally thrown aside as refuse, trim the plume from the stump, inclose them in a tight bag, rub the whole as if washing clothes, and you will secure a perfectly uniform and light down, excellent for quilting coverlets and not a few other purposes.

Sitting Hens.—To sit hens, use only eggs known to be fresh. Eggs intended for sitting should be kept in sawdust or bran, large end downwards.—Sitting hens should be fed daily by the same person, at a regular hour, on whole grain, with a little soft food, provide an ample supply of fresh water, with a dust bath near at hand. The hen should not be allowed to spend over twenty minutes from the nest. If she refuses to leave the nest, take her off and feed her. The nest should be situated in a dark place. Watering the eggs daily with a little tepid water, sprinkled on with a flat brush, is a good plan.—The day the chickens are expected, feed the hen on her nest with hard food, that she may not become restless or leave the nest before complete incubation.—Twenty-four hours afterwards remove hen and chickens to their coop.

Clean up and Whitewash.—This is the month when all poultry fanciers should have a thorough cleaning. The poultry houses should be white-washed inside and out; for the inside we would recommend that you add two table-spoonfuls of carbolic acid or a pound of sulphur to a pailful of the wash (this is to kill the vermin); do not be afraid of putting on too much, but apply the wash to every corner and crevice in the building. If you have plank floors clean them off nicely and put on about three or four inches of fresh earth. Dirt floors should be dug up to the depth of one foot.—Wash your windows (if you have any in your houses, and if not you ought to have them), so that the fowls can see day light, and in bad weather they will enjoy the confinement of the poultry house much better. Wash off the roost with kerosene oil at least once a week. Take every nest box and whitewash inside and out, and put in clean straw, sprinkling upon it some sulphur or loose tobacco. Observe these few rules, and your fowls will do better and keep healthier.

CALIFORNIA GRAPES.

The value the grape and wine product of California for 1880 is estimated at \$2,500,000. The State furnished over 10,000,000 gallons of wine, 450,000 gallons of brandy, \$100,000 worth of raisins, and grapes for preserving and table use to the value of \$100,000 or \$150,000 more. The new brandy is worth at wholesale \$1.15 a gallon. The new vineyards that have been planted cover 8,000, to 10,000 acres. In Sonora county alone 2,000 acres were planted in vines last year. In Napa county the wine product has increased from 297,670 gallons in 1870 to 2,460,000 last year. Land fit for wine growing may be had for \$5 to \$125 an acre, according to location and soil.

There is no crop raised which yields so large an amount of food and with so little labor as Indian corn.

Professor Roberts tells us that fifty bushels of wood ashes per acre increased the yield of grass more than any other manure, while ground bones improved the clover.

Cold sweet milk contains one-fourth more sugar than butter; this sugar turns to acid, and if this acid is too much developed before churning the coveted aroma is destroyed.

Potash is absolutely necessary to successful potato growing. The easiest and best way of supplying it is in the form of wood ashes. It is furnished also in soft coal ashes and well rotted yard or stable manure.

Throw a shovel full of manure around the old plants of raspberry, blackberry, grapes and currants. If they have borne two or three years, it will help the fruiting for another season. Trim out all old raspberry and blackberry wood and burn. Don't fail to mulch the strawberry beds before spring's sudden thawing and freezing come on to leave them out. The mulch can be put on the snow when it is wet or damp. If it has not been done, have out plenty of manure on the old asparagus beds, and scatter all the old saltpre material you have over the bed; also manure the pie plant roots liberally.

Good adv'ce. If you have a friend with a cough or cold, tell him to try Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. It is a good thing, and he will thank you for your advice. The price is only 25 cents a bottle.

IRON
A TRUE TONIC
A PERFECT STRENGTHENER, A SURE REVIVER.

IRON BITTERS are highly recommended for all diseases requiring a certain and efficient tonic; especially Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Intermittent Fevers, Want of Appetite, Loss of Strength, Lack of Energy, etc. They act like a charm on the digestive organs, removing all dyspeptic symptoms, such as Tasting the Food, Bloating, Heat in the Stomach, Headache, etc. The only Iron Preparation that will not blacken the teeth or give headache. Sold by all druggists. Write for the A. B. C. Book, 22 pp. of useful and amusing reading—*sent free.*
BROWN CHEMICAL CO., Baltimore, Md.

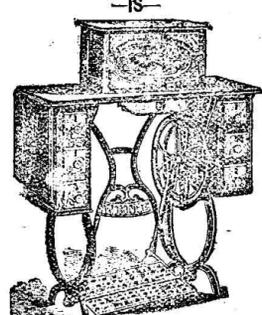
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It has the Finest Finished Wood Work and IS THE BEST MADE

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THE EASIEST THE BEST SATISFYING

ITS SHUTTLE is self-threading. ITS NEEDLE is self-acting.

Its Bobbin can be filled without removing work or attachments. So simply constructed and light running that a child can use it.

Warranted for Five Years.

I have a full line of Needles, Oil, Findings and Attachments for all machines. Machines repaired by the finest workmen in the South. General agent for East Tennessee for the Bazar-Glove fitting Patterns.
S. P. ANGELO, KNOXVILLE, TENN.
Sole agent for Virginia, Tennessee and North Carolina.

A CHANGE!
THE OLD FIRM OF T. H. THURMON & CO., HAVING CHANGED HANDS EVERYBODY WISHING TO BUY

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Are now offered. Wishing to make room for a New and Elegant Stock I will sell FROM NOW TILL THE 1ST DAY OF JANUARY

AT COST

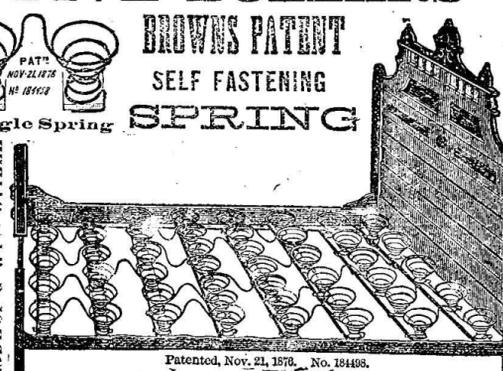
The nicest stock of NOTIONS, LADIES' CLOAKS and SHWLS, NUBIAS, HOODS, IN FACT, ALMOST ANYTHING YOU MAY WANT

Just arrived and will be sold at prices that DEFY COMPETITION. Only call and examine these goods and you will be sure to buy.

G. G. GOODSELL,
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48 GENUINE STEEL SPRINGS
FIVE DOLLARS

BROWN'S PATENT SELF FASTENING SPRING



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EQUAL TO ANY SPRING NOW IN USE!

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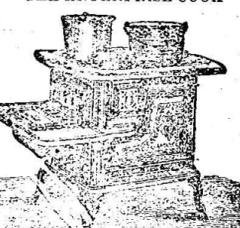
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