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NOTICE!

WE ARE OPENING THIS
Saturday, Oct. 9th,
A Large and Carefully Selected Stock of
NEW and SEASONABLE GOODS
FOR
Fall and Winter,
Consisting in part of
FINE DRESS GOODS,
In NEW and BEAUTIFUL STYLES.
Brown and Bleached MUSLINS
AND PRINTS,
CASSIMERES,
CASINETS,
TWEEDS,
and JEANS.
FLANNELS—Wool and Cotton, fine selection
White and Colored BLANKETS.
Full Assortment of
Queensware, Notions, Groceries,
BOOTS, SHOES, &c.
Persons in want of Fall and Winter Goods would do well to call and examine our Stock before purchasing elsewhere.
Inducements offered to Cash Buyers and prompt paying customers at
WM. A. VICKERS'
PEOPLE'S POPULAR STORE.
Chestertown, Oct. 9.

NEW FALL GOODS!

T. W. ELIASON & SON.

WE invite the attention of buyers to our Large and varied assortment of
NEW GOODS!
bought at the Lowest nett cash prices, and for sale at prices that we are confident will give satisfaction. Our stock embraces in part
Kerseys, Cassimeres
for Men and Boys' wear.
FLANNELS of all Qualities,
from the best ALL WOOL SHAKER to the lower grades.
All Wool and Swiss White BLANKETS
Heavy and good Colored Blankets,
BLACK ALPACAS
from the lower grades to very fine goods of best make.
Colored Alpacas and other DRESS GOODS,
CALICOES, GINGHAMS, ARMUNES, &c.
Extra Heavy and Medium Light
CANTON FLANNELS.
Gents' all wool Undershirts, Ladies' fine Vest,
HOSIERY of all descriptions,
Fine Fur and Wool HATS of the latest styles.
Ladies' Misses and Chil. Bal. Boots & Shoes.
Groceries, Flour, Salt, &c.
T. W. ELIASON & SON.
Oct. 9, 1869.

NEW JEWLERY,
Silverware, Watches,
CLOCKS, NOTIONS, &c., NOW OPEN AT
E. T. WILLIS'

THESE goods have been purchased of honorable wholesale dealers and manufacturers, at the lowest cash prices, and *will* be sold at reasonable figures. The styles will be the latest and most fashionable designs. It is useless to enumerate articles; all that is asked is to call and examine for yourselves Any article not found in the stock on hand, can be procured in a few days, from a find Gold Watch down to any article, however small, usually kept in a similar establishment. The determination is to do strictly a legitimate business, *always* representing in their true character goods offered for sale.

Attention may be called, however, to a fine assortment of FINGER RINGS, 18k., suitable for engagement, wedding or other purposes; BREAST PINS, Ear Rings, Sleeve Buttons, &c. TABLE CUTLERY.—Joseph Rodgers & Sons' celebrated manufacture.

REPAIRING of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry done in workmanlike manner.
E. T. WILLIS.

BURNS & SLOAN,
132 Light Street Wharf,
BALTIMORE, MD.,
OFFER FOR SALE A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF WELL-SEASONED
Building Lumber
LATHS AND SHINGLES,
FENCING AND PALES,
ASH, OAK & WALNUT,
AT LOWEST PRICES.
ALSO, DOORS, SASH & BLINDS.
May 16, 1869—y.

WILLIAM H. EAGLE & O.,
MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN
TIMBER & LUMBER,
Williamsport, Pa., and
Chesapeake City, Md.
Dealers and Builders will find, at the
Chesapeake City Steam Saw Mill
WHITE PINE, OAK AND HEMLOCK
BUILDING LUMBER,
of every size and quality:
Flooring Boards,
Fencing Boards,
Plastering Lath,
Pails,
Weatherboarding,
Shingles,
Shingling Lath,
Joist
And Scantling.
Vessels drawing nine feet of water can load at our wharf. feb3y.

T. W. ELIASON & SON
Invite the attention of buyers
To a Large Assortment of
MEN'S HEAVY BOOTS,
made to their order, and just received direct from the manufacturers Sept. 25.

UP TOWN
CHEAP DRY GOODS STORE!
NEW GOODS!
NEW FALL PRINTS.
RICH STYLE AND FAST COLORS.
The Best Make in the Market!
MY DRESS GOODS ARE NEW.
Bleached and unbleached Muslins,
Domestic Goods, Unbl'chd Drilling,
White and Red Flannels,
Gingham, Irish Linen,
Shirt Fronts, Bed Quilts,
Men's & Ladies' Gloves,
Men's & Ladies' Hose,
Water-proof Cloth,
Opera Flannels,
Small Shawls,
Breakfast Shawls,
Single and Double Shawls,
CARPETS & FLOOR OIL CLOTH.
No Trouble to Show Goods.
Call and examine at
Mrs. S. E. Barrett's.
Oct. 9—2m.

NEW
Cheap Cash Store!
IN GALENA!
THOMAS H. HORSEY.
"Come one! come all! this rock shall fly
From its firm base as soon as I."
Fitz James spoke thus to Rhoderic Dhu,
And so kind friends will say to you
THAT WE INTEND TO SELL
Goods as Cheap as they can be bought in Kent!
We now offer to the public at LOW RATES for CASH or Country Produce, a general assortment of GOODS just purchased from NEW YORK and PHILADELPHIA.
OUR STOCK OF DRY GOODS
IS HARD TO BEAT.
Always on hand a full supply of
Family Groceries and Choice Liquors
A well selected stock of
BOOTS & SHOES,
HATS AND CAPS,
HOSIERY AND GLOVES,
Builders' and Housekeeping
HARDWARE,
QUEENS, STONE
and CEDAR WARE
a full stock in this line to suit all tastes.
Ladies' Dress Goods,
WHITE GOODS, Notions and Trimmings, we make a speciality.
Mallalieu's Kerseys and Cassimeres very cheap.
Turner's Celebrated AXES just received.
NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS.
Give us a call and we'll suit you all.
oc30tf. THOS. H. HORSEY.

CLOTHING & CONFECTIONERY.

JAMES H. SMITH respectfully informs the public that he has taken the world. They are justly claimed to be the finest Pianos now made.

SOLE AGENT FOR
DUNHAM & SON'S PIANOS,
Long and favorably known as first-class instruments, noted for durability & sweetness of tone.

SOLE AGENT FOR
KRANICH, BACH & CO.'S PIANOS,
Enjoy an enviable reputation as excellent Pianos—powerful, durable and well-finished.

SOLE AGENT FOR THE
PAGE & POTTER ORGAN COMPANY.
The Organs of this manufacture are pronounced by our best organists very superior instruments. They are free from harshness, so common with most organs, and are equal if not superior to any in the market.
OTTO SUTRO,
189 W. Baltimore St., opposite St. Paul.

OTTO SUTRO'S MUSIC STORE.
SHEET MUSIC,
MUSIC PAPER,
MUSIC BOOKS,
VIOLIN, GUITAR AND BANJO STRINGS,
EVERY PIECE OF MUSIC
PUBLISHED IN EUROPE OR AMERICA,
CAN BE PROCURED AT
SUTRO'S MUSIC STORE,
AGENTS for Hotels and Families,
Agricultural Caldrons and Furnaces and Furnaces and Caldrons for Brick Setting, all for sale Cheap for Cash, by
BIBB & CO.,
39 & 41 Light St., Baltimore, Md.
Besides Manufacturing the above, remember that we are Patentees and sole Manufacturers of the
Great Baltimore Fire Place H
These instruments have been before the public for nearly thirty years, and upon their excellence alone attained *an unpurchased pre-eminence* which pronounces them unequaled.
Their TONE combines great power, sweetness and fine singing quality, as well as great purity of intonation, and evenness throughout the entire scale.
Their TOUCH is pliant and elastic, and entirely free from the stiffness found in so many Pianos. In WORKMANSHIP they are unexcelled, using none but the very best seasoned material, the large PHILADELPHIA,
Importer, Manufacturer and Dealer in all kinds and quality of
FANCY FURS for LADIES and CHILDREN.
Having enlarged, remodeled and improved my old and favorably known FUR EMPORIUM and having imported a very large and splendid assortment of all the different kinds of Furs from first hands, in Europe, and have had them made up by the most skillful workmen, I respectfully invite my friends of Kent and adjacent Counties, to call and examine my very large and beautiful assortment of Fancy Furs for Ladies and Children. I am determined to sell at as low prices as any other respectable House in this city. All Furs Warranted. No misrepresentations to effect sales.
JOHN FAREIRA,
s18-4m. 718 Arch Street, Philadelphia.

Fall and Winter Fashions.
MRS. M. A. BINDER has just arrived from Paris and London with the latest designs, personally selected from the greatest novelties; also, the most elegant Trimmings to be secured in Paris.
LACES, RIBBONS, VELVETS, BRIDAL VEILS, FLOWERS, FINE JEWELRY,
and trimmed Paper Patterns, Dress and Cloak Making. Exclusive agent for Mrs. M. Work' celebrated system for cutting Ladies' Dresses Sacques, Basques, &c.
N. W. Corner of Eleventh and Chestnut Sts.,
sep18-6m. Philadelphia.

Chestnut and Twelfth Streets,
PHILADELPHIA.
BAILEY & CO.,
JEWELERS.
GRAND OPENING
FOR THE
FALL
AND
CHRISTMAS TRADE
OF A
Magnificent Stock
OF ALL THE
NOVELTIES
IN
WATCHES,
JEWELRY,
SILVER-WARE,
FANCY GOODS, &c.
BRIDAL GOODS
A SPECIALTY.
BAILEY & CO. have the handsomest store in the world, and will at all times be pleased to receive and show visitors through their establishment.
BAILEY & CO.,
NEW MARBLE STORE,
Chestnut and 12th Streets,
n13-3m. PHILADELPHIA.

1869. FALL AND 1869.
WINTER DRY GOODS.
EDWIN HALL & CO.
28 South Second Street,
Invite the attention of purchasers on visiting Philadelphia to their large and elegant stock of
DRY GOODS,
Consisting in part of
BLACK and COLORED SILKS.
FRENCH and IRISH POPLINS.
PLAIN and CORDED POPLINS.
Medium and low priced Dress GOODS.
DRESS GOODS of the latest styles constantly receiving.
BLACK DRESS GOODS
IN GREAT VARIETY.
Long and Square Broche SHAWLS.
Long and Square Blanket SHAWLS
ARABS, CHINCAILLA JACKETS.
Silk CLOAK VELVETS.
Silk Finish VELVETEENS.
SILK PLUSHES, all colors.
CLOTHS and CASSIMERES.
TABLE LINENS and NAPKINS.
SHEETINGS and SHIRTINGS.
BLANKETS and COUNTERPANES.
Piano and TABLE COVERS.
White GOODS, LACES.
EMBROIDERIES, GLOVES, HOSIERY, &c.
N. B.—We deal in good Goods and endeavor to sell at such prices that will give satisfaction.
The Chestnut and Market St. cars will convey you to within a few doors of the store.
EDWIN HALL & CO,
3m. 28 South Second St., Philadelphia.

STOVES, STOVES,
FOR
PARLOR, HALL and OFFICE,
The Latest and Best Patterns, and
COOK STOVES
Being the most celebrated manufacture now in store and for sale at CITY PRICES.
Also, a large and new assortment of
Builders' Hardware,
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,
FOR SALE AT THE LOWEST PRICES.
THAD. K. ALDRIDGE,
Chestertown.

PHOTOGRAPHIC PORTRAITS.
I HAVE FITTED UP A
PHOTOGRAPHIC ATELEIR,
On the Corner of Main and Front Sts.,
CHESTERTOWN,
Furnished with the most complete set of Apparatus to be found in any establishment in this State.
CAMERAS from the size of the smallest Minie to full life size.
Having spared neither money nor pains in fitting up my rooms, I am prepared to make SUPERIOR PICTURES in every style of the art and at a reasonable price.
A large number of Pictures constantly on exhibition. Call and see them.
s4-3m. R. C. CRAWFORD.

B. B. PERKINS & SON,
CHESTERTOWN,
Are agents for the Celebrated Grover & Baker
Sewing Machines,
and are prepared to furnish them at City Prices.
Persons wanting a Sewing Machine can save the Freight by purchasing of
B. B. PERKINS & SON.
Sept. 25, 1869—3m.

Professional Notice.
DR. A. SAPPINGTON, late of St. Mary's county, of over thirteen years experience, has located at Rees' Corner for the practice of Medicine and Surgery. Special attention given to diseases peculiar to Women. Office adjoining the store of A. J. Rees, Esq.
Sept. 11, 1869—3m.

FOR SALE,
100,000 Healthy PEACH TREES of Choice Varieties.
Send for Price Lists, &c.
E. R. COCHRAN,
sep25-3m. Middletown, Del.

BLANKETS—white and colored—at prices to compete with any Store on the Shore,
Oct. 9. at W. A. VICKERS'.

PURE CIDER VINEGAR, for sale by
Oct. 9. T. W. ELIASON & SON.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

BY virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court of Kent county, sitting as a Court of Equity, the undersigned, as Trustee, will expose to public sale to the highest bidder, on

TUESDAY, the 30th of November, 1869

at 11 o'clock, A. M., at the Voshell House in Chestertown, PART OF A TRACT OF LAND at Smithville, near I. U., and on the main road, and known as the Beck or Russell property, containing ONE QUARTER OF AN ACRE OF LAND, more or less, with the improvements thereon, which consist of a

DWELLING HOUSE,

two stories in height, four rooms below, one of which is occupied as a STORE and one back used as a Kitchen; four chambers in second story, and an unfinished Garret; dry cellar, Pump of excellent drinking water in the yard; Carriage House and Stable. The Garden is inclosed. There are some choice Peach Trees in the Lot. A Store is kept in the building, and it is a fair stand for business.

THE TERMS OF SALE, as prescribed by the Decree are, one-third of the purchase money on the day of sale or in sixty days thereafter, at the option of the Trustee, and the balance in three equal instalments in six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale, with interest from Jan. 1st, 1870.

GEORGE VICKERS, TRUSTEE.
Chestertown, Nov. 6, 1869—ts.

Town Property for Sale.
THE HOUSE AND LOT in Chestertown, on the corner of Spring Avenue and Market Space, containing Eight Rooms, Basement and Cellar Kitchen, will be offered at public sale at the Court House door in Chestertown, on TUESDAY, Nov. 30th, at 11 o'clock A. M. Terms made known at sale.
n13-3t R. HYNSON, Att'y.

Dwelling House on High St., FOR SALE.
THE subscriber offers at private sale the DWELLING HOUSE on High Street, in Chestertown, now occupied by Mr. E. T. Willis. The house is very eligibly located near the river, and in a very desirable neighborhood. There is a fine Garden, and a Pump of good drinking water in the yard.
The terms will be made accommodating.
oc30-tf. J. W. HINES.

NOTICE
To Parents and Guardians.
BALTIMORE FEMALE COLLEGE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Orphans' Court of Kent county will, on
TUESDAY, December 14th, 1869,
proceed to designate or elect one pupil from Kent county, to be sent to the BALTIMORE FEMALE COLLEGE, under the law passed by the Legislature of Maryland, and who will be "admitted to all the instructions given in the College, and to the privileges of the normal class, with all necessary books, without any charge whatever."

Parents and others disposed to avail themselves of this notice, are requested to make written applications, stating name and age of the young lady applying.

Written testimonials of moral character and intellectual capacity will be required.

The Court will also expect some guarantee that the pupil will remain at the institution sufficiently long to complete the usual course of study.

All applications to be filed with the Register of Wills on or before the day above named.

By order of the Orphans' Court,
R. CROUCH,
Register of Wills for Kent county.
Nov. 13, 1869—5t.

Ratification Notice.
SAMUEL HURLOCK
vs.
Jos. G. Edwards and Maria M. Edwards.
In the Circuit Court for Kent County,
November 6th, 1869.

IT is hereby ordered that the sale made and reported by D. JAMES BLACKISTON, Trustee for the sale of the real estate mentioned and described in the above entitled case, be ratified and confirmed unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 14th day of January next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county once in each of three successive weeks before the 14th day of December next.

The report states the amount of sales to be $2,000 00. JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.
True copy—Test:
n13-4t. JESSE K. HINES, Clerk.

Agricultural Implements.
A good selection of Farming Implements suitable for the season and the times, consisting of the following: Improved Maryland Hay Straw and Fodder Cutter, Double Spout Delaware Corn Sheller, the Celebrated Double and Triple Screens, Driple Grain Fan. The above have all been unanimously rewarded the first premiums at the late Agricultural Fairs. Improved Meat Cutters and Stuffers, Shovels Spades & Forks, Coal Seives &c., which we offer to the public at Baltimore prices.
JOHN BELL & BRO.
Nov. 20. Buck Neck Wharf.

TO PEACH GROWERS.
The subscriber has for sale about
Thirty Thousand PEACH TREES,
of the best varieties. Trees warranted to be of the variety represented. Orders solicited.
ROBERT NICHOLSON,
Oct. 16—tf. near Hanesville.

FOR SALE,
60,000 PEACH TREES,
of prime quality, and very best orchard varieties. Also, 200,000 Osage Orange Quicks of superior growth. F. H. TAYLOR,
s4tf. Galena, Kent county, Md.

CARRIAGE WHIPS
of all kinds and lengths,
of the best quality. The goods warranted as represented; an assortment equal to a City establishment, just received at the "People's Store." WM. A. VICKERS.

WEEKLY ARRIVALS,
OF
NEW AND FRESH GOODS,
are offered for sale, at prices to suit the stringency of the money market by.
Oct. 30. L. S. FOWLER.

PURCHASERS looking for
Cheap and Serviceable
PANTS STUFF FOR WINTER WEAR,
should not fail to call at
L. S. FOWLER'S,
and examine his stock of Jeans, Sheeps Grey's Kerseys and Cassimeres, which he offers at low prices for the times. Nov. 6.

ANOTHER lot of those tough, strong, Rattan CORN BASKETS; also Slip and willow Baskets, and Market Baskets, for sale by
Nov. 6. L. S. FOWLER.

THE following song received the one hundred dollar prize offered by the publishers of Hearth and Home. The committee who awarded the same consisted of Miss Alice Carey, Bayard Taylor and C. A. Dana:

THE KINGDOM OF HOME.

BY WM. R DURYEE.

Dark is the night and fitful and drearily
Rushes the wind like the waves of the sea:
Little care I, as here I sing cheerily,
Wife at my side and baby on knee;
King, King, crown me the King;
Home is the Kingdom and Love is the King!

Flashes the firelight upon the dear faces,
Dearer and dearer as onward we go;
Forces the shadow behind us, and places
Brightness around us with warmth in the glow.
King, King, crown me the King;
Home is the kingdom and Love is the King.

Flashes the lovelight, increasing the glory,
Beaming from bright eyes with warmth of the soul,
Telling of trust and content the sweet story,
Lifting the shadows that over us roll.
King, King, crown me the King;
Home is the Kingdom and Love is the King.

Richer than miser with perishing treasure,
Served with a service no conquest could bring;
Happy with fortune that words cannot measure,
Light-hearted I on the hearthstone can sing.
King, King, crown me the King;
Home is the Kingdom and Love is the King.

WASTED TIME.

Few things in the lives of distinguished men are so impressive or so full of valuable suggestions, as their frequent lament over lost opportunities for mental and moral culture. In his autobiography Sir Walter Scott says: "If it should ever fall to the lot of youth to peruse these pages, let such a youth remember that it is with the deepest regret that I recollect the opportunities of learning which I neglected in my youth, that through every part of my literary career I have felt pinched and hampered by my own ignorance, and that I would at this moment give half the reputation I have had the good fortune to acquire if, by doing so, I could rest the remaining part upon a sound foundation of learning and science." Edmund Burk grew wise in this respect while it was not too late to retrieve the most of his errors and losses; for before his youth was entirely past, he wrote to a friend: "What would I not give to have my spirits a little more stirred! I am too giddy; this is the bane of my life; it hurries me from my studies to trifles, and I am afraid it will hinder me from knowing thoroughly. I have a superficial knowledge of many things, but scarcely the bottom of any." Washington Irving, when giving counsel to young friends, exclaimed in the bitterness of his heart: "How many an hour of hard labor and hard study have I had to subject myself to atone in a slight degree, for the hours which I suffered society to cheat me out of!" And Josiah Quinsey, in his diary, laments more than once his neglect of that mental and moral cultivation which he regards as the noblest of human pursuits. On one occasion he says: "I resolved therefore, in future to become more circumspect—to hoard my moments with a more thrifty spirit—to listen less to the suggestions of indolence, and to quicken that spirit of intellectual improvement to which I devote my life." It will do no young man the least harm to ponder well the lessons of those eloquent confessions.

LIVING BY THE DAY.—I compare, says John Newton, the troubles which we have to undergo in the course of the year to a great bundle of fagots, far too large for us to lift. But God does not require us to carry the whole at once. He mercifully unties the bundle, and gives us first one stick, which we are to carry to-day, and then another, which we are to carry to-morrow, and so on. This we might easily manage if we could only take the burden appointed for us each day; but we choose to increase our troubles by carrying yesterday's stick over again to-day, and adding to-morrow's burden to our load before we are required to bear it. William Jay puts the same truth in another way. We may consider the year before us a desk containing three hundred and sixty-five letters addressed to us—one for every day, announcing its trials, and prescribing its employments, with an order daily to open no letter but the letter for the day. Now we may be strongly tempted to unseal beforehand some of the remainder. This however, would only serve to embarrass us, while we should violate the rule which our Owner and Master has laid down before us. "Take therefore no thought for the morrow, for the morrow shall take thought for the things of itself."

THE BEST PREACHING.—The Rev. Mr. Spurgeon, of London, said recently in the introduction of his sermon:

It has been sometimes debated whether practical, experimental, or doctrinal preaching was the best kind and most useful. He should not enter into the discussion of the question, but he might say that in exclusively doctrinal preachers he had observed a tendency to dispute and quarrel; in experimental preachers a tendency to disparage and judge others; whilst those who had been practical had degenerated into legality, and the grace of God had evaporated. The very best preaching was that which had most of Jesus Christ in it, for it gathered up the excellence of the three classes he had mentioned into one person; since for practice Christ was the way, for doctrine Christ was the truth, and for experience Christ was the life.

THE ground-work of all manly character is veracity or the habit of truthfulness. That virtue lies at the foundation of everything said.

ONLY A BANTER.—A strange affair has been reported to us, which we give to our readers, minus the names. It is of such a character that it could hardly escape public notoriety, let it be ever so carefully made; hence we feel the less repugnance to giving it publicity in our columns. A young man living in the edge of Maryland, has been paying his addresses to a young lady on this side of Mason and Dixon, for a considerable length of time, and the wedding was once put off on account of age. Now the wedding was fixed for this week, and the bride was making rapid progress: a bridesmaid was in the city making purchases, and a number of expected guests had received their invitations. The young gent, however, getting a little unduly excited with the expected happiness in store took a drive to himself, with his handsome "turn-out," and meeting a young lady whom he had met but once or twice before, took her into his carriage and drove off, when a banter took place, which the lady accepted, and they proceeded, took out a license, paying $4 therefor, and went right to a parson's, paid him $10, and got married. Thence they went to Union Meeting (Cecil county)—thence to where she wished to stay, where he let her out, and proceeded to visit the girl to whom he was betrothed, and to whom he related his adventure.—The result can scarcely be imagined.—He claimed that it was only done in banter and in joke. But how to get out of the dilemma is the question; he is in great trouble and professes to want a divorce; but will the lady consent? Negotiations are in progress.—*Jeffersonian.*

The Cecil *Whig* says: The young lady who has been superceeded felt this sudden and unexpected shock to her future happiness, as only a true heart can feel, but her pastor, like a true disciple of peace, joined with other friends and soothed the feelings of the wronged one, and the young married couple soon became reconciled to their fate, and are said to be as happy as any pair of cooing lovers who waste years in idle courting.

WHERE THE SUN DOES NOT SET.—The following graphic passage is from the description of a scene witnessed by a Mr. Cambell and his party, in the North of Norway, from a cliff 1,000 feet above the sea: The ocean stretched away in silent vastness at our feet; the sound of its waves scarcely reached our airy lookout; away in the North, the huge old sun swung low along the horizon, like the slow beat of the pendulum in the tall clock in our grandfather's parlor corner. We all stood silent, looking at our watches. When both hands came together at twelve, midnight, the full orb hung triumphantly above the wave—a bridge of gold running due North spanned the water between us and him. There he shone in silent majesty, which knew no setting. We involuntarily took off our hats; no word was said. Combine, if you can, the most brilliant sunrise and sunset you ever saw and its beauties will pale before the gorgeous coloring which now lit up ocean, heaven and mountain. In half an hour the sun had swung up perceptibly on his beat, the colors changed to those of morning, a fresh breeze rippled over the flood, one songster after another piped up in the grove behind us—we had slid into another day.

OUR MORTALITY.—Addision has the following reflections:

"When I look upon the tombs of the great, every emotion of envy dies in me; when I read the epitaphs of the beautiful, every inordinate desire goes out; when I meet with the grief of parents upon a tombstone, my heart melts with compassion; when I see the tomb of the parents themselves, I consider the vanity of grieving for those whom we must quickly follow. When I see kings lying by those who deposed them, when I consider rival wits placed side by side, or the holy men that divided the world with their contests and disputes, I reflect with sorrow and astonishment on the little competition, factions and debates of mankind. When I read the several dates of the tombs, of some that died yesterday, and some six hundred years ago, I consider that great day when we shall all of us be contemporaries, and make our appearance together.

A. T. STEWART'S NEW DWELLING.—Mr. Stewart's marble house at the corner of Fifth avenue and Thirty-fourth street, in New York, will be finished next spring. It is three stories, each story twenty feet in height. The style within and without is pure Corinthian. At the main entrance a flight of six steps leads up to the terrace on which the dwelling is erected. A flight of fourteen steps, twenty-two feet in width, then leads to a portico of similar dimensions. The portico opens through sliding doors into a vestibule and spacious hall. The house comprises a reception room 19 by 32 feet, library room of the same dimensions, parlor 47 by 24, dining-room 32 by 19, breakfast room 21 by 18 feet. At the end of the main hall is a grand circular staircase, the work upon which was executed in Italy. The doors are of rosewood, and each window will consist of a single pane of French plate glass. Apart from the dwelling is a picture gallery two stories in height.

Wedded Love.

BY JOHN G. WHITTIER.

And if the husband or the wife
In home's strong life discovers
Such slight defaults as failed to meet
The blinded eyes of lovers,
Why need we care to ask? who dreams
Without their thorns of roses,
Or wonders that the truest steel
The readiest spark discloses?
For still in mutual suffrance lies
The secret of true living;
Love scarce is love that never knows
The sweetness of forgiving.

NEW PHASE OF THE CAPITAL REMOVAL QUESTION.—A dispatch in the New York Herald of Sunday from Washington says:

"The question of the constitutionality of the retrocession of Alexandria in 1846 to the State of Virginia is likely to come up shortly after the meeting of Congress in a method very little expected, and should it be settled against the Old Dominion, the question of the removal of the capital will also be involved in such a way as to give a quietus to the removers. It is said that a programme has been arranged to resist the admission of McKenzie, the lately elected member of Congress from Alexandria, on the ground that he is not a constitutionally elected representative. The members who have arranged this plan will argue that Congress had no right in 1846 to dismember the District of Columbia by the retrocession of Alexandria; that the intention of the constitution was that the territory for the location of the capital once having been fixed and accepted by Congress, not a foot of it could subsequently be parted with without an amendment of the constitution. If Congress, on having this point precipitated upon them, should decide to deny McKenzie his seat, it will be something of a point gained for the people of the District who oppose removal."

METHODIST LOCAL PREACHERS.—The Methodist local preachers number 10,000 in this country. They have just held a convention in Cincinnati. These men are not pastors, but, having usually some secular calling and also gifts to preach, are licensed and ordained. They have been a great power in that church. They resolved at this meeting that none ought to be licensed as "local preachers who do not feel such a burning zeal for the salvation of men as to go into the highways and byways in search of opportunities to preach the gospel to the poor."

A ONE CENT BUSINESS.—The Treasury Department, in closing its account with the National Broadway Bank, when the latter closed its business as a government depositary, drew on the bank for $18,450 10. A subsequent examination developed the fact that the amount due the government was one cent more. Accordingly, a second draft was made for one cent, forwarded, collected and duly returned. The amount of one cent was credited to the bank and the account closed.

PUTTING AWAY EGGS FOR WINTER USE.—We give our readers the benefit of the following simple and valuable method of preserving eggs: place a layer of bran in the bottom of a box. Stand the eggs in it upon the small end, and fill around with bran; then another layer of eggs, and so on till the box is filled. Cover with bran about three inches thick, and replace cover of the box. Eggs put up in November can in this way be kept fresh till April.

THE following card by a bereaved husband, published in a German weekly paper, is probably the most extraordinary composition of the kind on record: "To-day red, to-morrow dead,' so it was with my wife, who only eight days ago was jumping over tables and chairs. Yesterday all that was mortal of her was interred. She was during her marriage a lively woman, with whom one had to mind one's P's and Q's; therefore my sorrow may be imagined. So young, so festive, and already buried. What is human life? said I repeatedly to myself all these days, and again yesterday in the churchyard, when I paid the sexton, who will keep the grave in order. I shall certainly never find so cheerful a wife again, therefore my sorrow is just. I wish Heaven may keep every one from so sad a fate, and I thank the gardener for the floral decorations, as also the choirmaster for the funeral chant, which went through and through me, but was very well performed."

HERE is a funeral speech which a Paris paper assures us was actually pronounced at Montmartre the other day by a father at the grave of his son: "Gentlemen," said the father, in a voice full of emotion, "the body before me was that of my son. He was a young man in the prime of life, with a sound constitution which ought to have insured him a hundred years. But misconduct, drunkenness and debauchery of the most disgraceful kind brought him, in the flower of age, to the ditch which you see before you. Let this be an example to you and your children. Let us go hence."

A POOR fellow, having with difficulty procured an audience of the late Duke of Newcastle, told his grace he only came to solicit him for something towards his support, as they were of the same family, both being descendents of Adam, he hoped he should not be refused, "Surely not," said the duke. Here is a penny for you; and if all the rest of your relations give you as much, you'll be a richer man than I am."

A GENTLEMAN absent from Nashville on a business journey received a very unexpected dispatch from home to this effect: "Your wife had a child last night, but is doing well to-day." He hurried home, with various emotions, to find there was a mistake. The nurse who signed the dispatch had written "chil," and the operator, knowing that there was a letter missing from the word, guessed it should end with a d.

A CURIOUS mode of trying the title of land is practiced in Hindostan. Two holes are dug in the disputed spot, in each of which the plaintiff's and defendant's lawyers put a leg, and remain there until one of them is tired, in which case the client is defeated. In this country it is the client, not the lawyer, that puts his foot in it.

AN editor in New Jersey brings delinquent subscribers to his counter in lively order by publishing obituary notices of them. When they have paid up arrears, he contradicts the report of their death by saying they were only "dead beats."

AN exchange tells a story of a Virginia negro, who, on hearing that Congress was going to give land to the colored people, said: 'Land! de debbil! I'se free now, and don't want no land. I'se gwine to get worms and go a fishing!'

WHAT is the difference between a barber and a mother? One has razors to shave and the other has shavers to raise.

IF fashion called for it, some woman would lead a white elephant around with a string.