POETRY.

[*From the Amulet for* 1829.]

A dashing Captain of Hussars,
Dressed in the livery of Mars,
Mustachio, lace and sabre,—
Who talks soft nonsense—sings a song,
Waltzes, quadrilles the whole night long,
To fiddle, pipe and tabor,—

Oh! grant me such a man ye Fates!
Some giggling girl ejaculates,
Whose heart is Cupid's Ætna;
She loves his golden epaulets,
He loves her gold to pay his debts,
So off they dash to Gretna.

The Scottish Vulcan who unlocks,
To runaways, Pandora's box,
That holds his marriage charters,
Soon makes them one, and they who came
False worshippers of Hymen's Flame,
Return as Folly's Martyrs.

Forger of Gretna chains! that gall
And grind the very soul, could all
That erst thine altar flew to,
Their present wretchedness reveal,
From thee such iron tears would steal
As once were shed by Pluto.

From foppery, lucre, rashness, free
Your minds, if ye expect to be
By marriage bliss rewarded;
For its pure joys can never greet
The thoughtless and the indiscreet
The froward and the sordid.

The knave who traffics in a wife,
Content, if rich, to take for life,
A wanton or a ninny,
Will gain small pity if instead
Of Fortune's fool, he chance to wed
A fool without a guinea.

She who for fashion, figure, birth,
Not kindred tastes or moral worth,
Her happiness will barter,
Who thinks each dear Adonis-love,
Must needs be constant as the dove,
May sometimes catch a tartar.

Unless when both are thus deceived
To balance which is most aggrieved,
Each may lament the other;—
Nor need relations scold and huff,
The wretched pair are sure enough
To punish one another!

[From the Boston Lyceum.]

THE WHITE MOUNTAINS.

The white mountains have become objects of curiosity and research to almost every traveller. In early times, the adventurers had the pleasure of ascertaining and describing their altitude, soil, and productions: such were Jocelyn and Neal, who, in 1632, explored their regions and told many marvellous stories of precious stones concealed in their centre, and suspended over lakes, which could make the fortune of any one who obtained them.—Our more intellectual and disinterested age has abandoned the pursuit of seeking carbuncles among the hills of New-Hampshire, and contents itself with hunting for some new species of lichen or rough fossil, that may afford material for a botanical or geological treatise. But now, a description of the White Mountains is "a thrice told tale," and their snow crowned summits and silver cascades are their own narrators. He who explores, must be contented to admire for himself. Those, however, who love the wild scenery of nature, and have health, activity and enterprise, cannot fail of reaping their reward in this excursion. To the mere lounger, it presents but little; there are no bowling-greens in the neighborhood, and a curricle and pair are not to be had for love or money. The fair lady who cannot be tempted to quit her luxurious carriage, will return fatigued and disappointed, for there are few pleasures to be procured without labour.—This remark applies particularly to travellers. The summit of the Kaatskill is a weary ascent; the finest view of the falls of Niagara, below Table Rock, is a still more weary descent. It is not on the "dry smooth shaven green" that we are to look for fine prospects, but among mountains and valleys, that borrow some of their charms from the difficulty of attainment. There are pleasures of imagination, however, connected with almost every remarkable spot, which the indolent as well as the active may enjoy. For my own part, I have but little satisfaction in travelling over a country with a rapidity that puts one out of breath;—I love to stop and linger, and feel that in so doing, I am busy in the object of my excursion. Perhaps it was this idea that excited an interest in the following little tradition, which has been immortalized by Mrs. Hemans.

A few miles below the Notch of the White Mountains, now celebrated by the painter and the poet, in the bosom of the valley through which the Saco winds, rises a little eminence which was pointed out to me as Nancy's Hill. Nash was a celebrated hunter; the storms of winter, terrible as they were amid the desert of mountains which was his home, and the tempests of the sultry summer, equally terrible, and more appalling, were alike indifferent to him. In one of his numerous excursions, he did more for the benefit of the country than all the philosophers before, or since his time, for he first explored the wonderful passage, which opened an easy intercourse between the inhabitants east and west of the Gap.—Yet he wrote no book on the subject, and never claimed the honor of the discovery. Many people thought he loved hunting,—merely for the hardships he encountered, for he never grew rich, and often gave away what he had gained by weeks of toil; but he had only himself to provide for, and without a wife, or children, and with no object of peculiar interest to engage his attention, he cared little whether he spent the night on the highest peak of Mount Washington, or in one of the valleys, seven or eight thousand feet below it. There was no-body to be anxious about him, or to count the live-long hours while he was away, and he often boasted that his home was every where.

But this could not last always; for Nash was yet but a stripling, and it is not surprising that among his wanderings, he should find a girl pretty enough to make him think it were well for a hunter to have a home. He told strange stories to Nancy, (for that was her name,) of what dreadful precipices he had scaled, what chasms he had leaped, what fierce & blood-thirsty animals he had encountered, and she listened till, like Desdemona, she lost her heart!-!-!—

She was the gentlest of human beings, and tho' only a domestic, had a heart as tender, and a complexion as fair, as any born gentlewoman. It almost overwhelmed her, to think of the hardships poor Nash endured, while she enjoyed the comforts of an old fashioned kitchen corner, with a forest of logs, blazing in the chimney, and the privilege of sitting at the table with the conscientious Puritan family, who would have thought it a sin to make a difference on earth, when the Supreme Being made none in Heaven.—It is not wonderful then that when Nash proposed marrying Nancy, and promised to run no more "hair breadth escapes," she should listen to him and consent to become his lawful wife. But it was necessary that he should make another hunting excursion before they were married—he said he must go once more through his favorite gap of the mountains and bring back subsistence for the winter. It was in vain that Nancy assured him that she should want nothing; Nash knew better, and after many a kind embrace, he set off, promising to be back in a very short time. Nancy's idea of time and his, did not agree—weeks passed away, and winter came on with its usual threatening aspect—at length she heard accidentally, that the hunter was about forty miles distant.—The strange purpose came into her head of going to him—it was wonderful that such a timid, gentle being should have thought of such a thing—but she knew that next to herself, Nash loved the chase, and she feared that perhaps, he might content himself with hunting bears and wolves all winter. The family tried hard to dissuade her from the wild scheme—but she detemined to go—and as poor Nancy belonged to nobody, nobody had a right to control her. She wrapped herself in her cloak, (one of the celebrated red riding hoods) and set off to follow her lover through the gap. The snow was already deep, and there was not a house for many a mile. Storm after storm came on—the family with whom she had lived became very anxious about her: they said "it was distraction in her to go, it was tempting Providence, and she must take the consequences." In the mean time Nash was unusually successful, and began his course homeward, laden with riches. It was just one week after Nancy's departure that he reached the little hill before mentioned. It was late at night; the whole earth was covered with crusted snow--you might walk on the hill tops without making any impression. The trees hung with icicles & glittered in the moonlight like diamonds. Nash ascended the little hill, when he came into the little valley through which the Saco runs; he loved such scenes and such evenings—he thought of Nancy and wished she was there—he knew he could wrap her up in his large moose skin and keep her warm. He was not apt to be imaginative, and yet all at once he thought he perceived his mistress standing opposite to him and leaning her head against a tree. He strained his eye-balls to look at the object. "Moonlight," said he, "makes strange work of things—my head was always full of her," and he looked another way—but when he turned, she still stood there. He approached nearer; the moon never shone brighter, and not an object intercepted its beams—they fell upon the pale, unearthly countenance of the maiden—her eyes were closed as if in sleep—he took her hand; it was cold and hard like marble. Weary and benumbed, she had reclined against the tree—it was sweet to rest there and dream of her lover! She slept and awoke no more! Her form was slightly inclined forward, the glittering branches bent over her, and her winding sheet was a robe of ice.

Such is the tradition of Nancy's Hill.

HATTING.

BENNETT JONES,

Returns his sincere thanks to the Public, for the liberal patronage which he has for 35 years received from his Fellow-Citizens of Talbot and the adjacent Counties, and assures them that he still continues to carry on the Business as usual at the OLD STAND, where having on hand a good stock of Materials, and in his employ the best Workmen, he is enabled to manufacture

HATS of every Description,

In the most FASHIONABLE STYLE and upon the most REASONABLE TERMS.

B. J. Hopes, that from his having served the PUBLIC in his occupation for so many years---and his consequent Experience in the Business, he will continue to receive from them a generous patronage.

N. B. Two or three Smart BOYS, will be taken as APPRENTICES to the above Business.

B. J.

Easton, January 17, 1829 --tf.

Magistrate's Blanks
FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

Easton and Baltimore Packets.
THE SLOOP

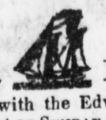


Edward Lloyd,

RICHARD KENNEY, Captain,

WILL leave Easton Point Wharf for Baltimore on WEDNESDAY the 25th inst. at 9 o'clock, A. M. returning leave Baltimore on SATURDAY the 28th inst. at the same hour.

THE SCHOONER



JANE & MARY,

Now connected with the Edward Lloyd, will leave Easton Point on SUNDAY the first of March at 9 o'clock, A. M. for Baltimore. Returning leave Baltimore for Easton, on WEDNESDAY the 4th of March at the same hour.

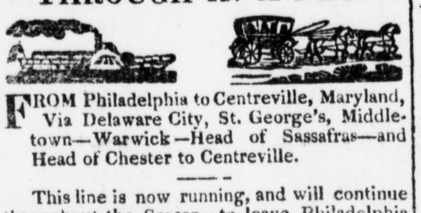
These Packets will be overhauled and put in complete condition for the reception of Goods or Grain;—both Granaries will be kept in order for the reception of Grain, and constant attendance given by Mr. SAMUEL H. BENNY, who will act as Clerk to the whole establishment, and attend as usual at the Drug Store, of Dr. Dawson and Dr. Spencer, where all letters and orders will be duly attended to.

EDW'D. N. HAMBLETON,
THOMAS HENRIX,
BENNETT TOMLINSON.

Feb. 21

☞Should sufficient encouragement offer, Capt. Kenney will take passengers to the City of Washington, in the Sloop Edward Lloyd, to witness the Inauguration of President Jackson.

THROUGH IN A DAY.



FROM Philadelphia to Centreville, Maryland, Via Delaware City, St. George's, Middletown—Warwick—Head of Sassafras—and Head of Chester to Centreville.

This line is now running, and will continue throughout the Season—to leave Philadelphia by the Steam-Boat BALTIMORE, Captain W. WHILLDIN.—From Pine Street Wharf, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings, at 6 o'clock, for Delaware City—there to take the Canal *Packet-boat LADY CLINTON*, for St. Georges, and from thence in Stages to Middletown, Warwick, Head of Sassafras, Head of Chester, and Centreville,—arriving at Centreville the same evening at eight o'clock.

Returning, leaves Centreville on TUESDAY, Thursday and Saturday mornings at 4 o'clock, arriving at Delaware City in time to take the Steam Boat to Philadelphia, and arriving there at 6 o'clock, P. M.

Connected with the Despatch Line is a line of Stages from Centreville to Easton, leaving Centreville on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings, at 8 o'clock for Easton.

Returning, leaves Solomon Lowe's, Tavern Easton, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 1 o'clock, P. M. and takes the Despatch Line the morning following for Philadelphia.

There is also in connexion with this Line a Stage to convey Passengers from the Baltimore Steam Boat Patuxent, at Georgetown, to intersect the Despatch Line at Massey's Cross-Roads, and to convey Passengers from Massey's Cross Roads to the Steam Boat.

Passengers coming in this Line for Newcastle or Wilmington, will meet a Stage from Dover at St. George's.

FARE.

From Philadelphia to	Delaware City -	$1 25
Do.	St. George's, -	1 50
Do.	Middletown, - -	2 00
Do.	Warwick, - - -	2 25
Do.	Head of Sassafras,	2 50
Do.	Head of Chester, -	3 00
And Do.	Centreville, - -	4 25.

MULFORD, BRADSHAW, & Co.
Sept. 13—w PROPRIETORS.

STRAYED HEIFER.

STRAYED to the Subscriber's enclosure on or about the 1st of January last, a PIED HEIFER. The owner is desired to come forward, pay charges, and take her away.

Easton, Feb. 21—3t PETER TARR.

FOR RENT



For the ensuing year, that large & convenient three story Brick Dwelling situate on Washington Street, lately occupied by Mr. Jas: Gaskins—to an approved tenant the terms will be liberal. Apply to A. Graham or

JABEZ CALDWELL.

Easton, Dec. 20.

NOTICE.

THE STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH of the Diocese of Maryland, will hold a meeting by Divine permission, on the 4th of March, 1829, at 10 o'clock A. M. in the Vestry Room of St. Paul's Church, in the City of Baltimore.

J. V. BARTOW, Secretary S. C.

February 7.

WANTED.

TWENTY bushels good IRISH POTATOES
20 do Planting, do.
10 do Hominy-beans,
10 do Peas—

2 or 3 hundred weight of LARD—and a few Barrels prime CIDER; for which the highest Cash prices will be given by applying to

JO: CHAIN.

Easton, January 31, 1829.—tf—

20 DOLLARS REWARD.

RANAWAY from the Subscriber on or about the 15th of April last, a negro woman who calls herself MARGARET—she is about 23 years of age, stout and well made, rather light complexion for a negro.—The subscriber understands the above negro has made her way to Baltimore, where she has no doubt hired herself as a free woman.

Whoever takes up said negro and secures her in jail so that the subscriber gets her again shall receive the above reward.

THOMAS D. MONNELLY.

Chappel, Talbot county, (Md.) Oct. 4, 1828.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

THE SUBSCRIBER having just returned from Baltimore with a handsome and good assortment of MATERIALS in his line most respectfully invites his friends and the public generally to give him a call and view his assortment and hopes from his long experience & a determination to pay the strictest attention to business he will be able to render general satisfaction.

Gentlemen disposed to purchase boots would do well to call as he will turn his attention more particularly to that part of the business and flatters himself that he can furnish them with as handsome and as good boots as can be had here or else where.

The Public's Ob't Serv't
Easton, Nov. 17 JOHN WRIGHT.

DR. SAMUEL W. SPENCER

HAVING purchased the Drug and Medicine store, formerly owned and conducted by Moore & Kellie and recently by Wm. W. Moore opposite the Market House in Easton, begs leave to inform the public that he has on hand and for sale

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF

Medicines, Drugs, Paints, Oils, Glass and Dye Stuffs.

Together with all other articles in his line, and solicits from the former customers of the store and the public in general the continuance of their patronage.

Dr. S. W. S. hopes from his having received a regular Medical education in the University of Maryland, & having studied under the direction of one of the most extensive Practitioners, as well as one of the most scientific Physicians in the State, where nearly all the Medicines used in his practice were prepared and put up by his pupils under his advice and direction, that by giving to his store his diligent personal attention he will receive a share of the public confidence and support.

He intends lodging in the chamber of his store and will at all times attend to the preparation of such Medicine as may be required for the sick.

Easton Jan. 3.

NEW STORE.

THE Subscriber begs leave respectfully to inform his friends and the public in general, that he has taken the STORE-HOUSE at the corner of Washington and Dover streets, where he is now opening

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

Groceries, Liquors, Queen's Ware, Stone-Ware and Fruits,

Together with a general Assortment of

SPICES AND DYE-STUFFS.

All of which he is disposed to sell at a very small advance for CASH, or will take in exchange, Corn, Oats, Meal, Wool, Feathers and Quills.

The public are respectfully invited to call & examine his assortment.

SAMUEL ROBERTS.

Easton, Dec. 27.

EASTON ACADEMY, (Md.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN—That on *Thursday* the 2d, day of April next, the Trustees of this Institution will proceed to the appointment of an Assistant Teacher therein, to supply the Vacancy which will have then happened by the retirement of the present Incumbent. Applications for admission must be supported by due proof that the Candidates are well qualified to instruct the Scholars in Reading—Writing—Arithmetic,—the lesser branches of Mathematics, English grammar, and Geography, and by satisfactory evidence of good Conduct and moral Character. The Income of such a Teacher, may be fairly estimated at $500 per annum.

Applications, (free from postage,) to be made to the Subscriber.

By the Board,
JOHN GOLDSBOROUGH, Sec'ry.

Easton, Dec. 27—1828.

☞The Editors of the Star and Whig in Easton, and of the Baltimore Gazette in Baltimore, are requested to publish this Notice in their respective Journals, in the following manner,—and to send their accounts to this office.

Once a week for any 2 weeks in January.
Once a week for any 3 weeks in February.
And once a week during the month of March.

Hillsborough Academy.

THE SUBSCRIBER presents his thanks to the Public, for the Liberal encouragement he has already received;—and as he is determined to do his duty, he confidently solicits still more extensive patronage. The principal branches will be here attended to which are usually taught in Colleges and Academies in our Country.

☞BOARDERS can be received at Mr. UNDERWOOD'S, and furnished with every convenience—on "Moderate Terms," and every attention will be paid to the Moral and Literary improvement of those committed to our care.

JOHN MANROSS, (Principal.)

Feb.—14—4w

EDUCATION.

Nicholas Donnelly,

RESPECTFULLY informs the public that his Classical, Mathematical and English Academy, No. 3, South Fourth st. Philadelphia, was opened for the reception of young gentlemen on Monday, Jan. 5th, 1829, at 9 o'clock, A. M.

He can accommodate with board, washing, &c. at his residence, No. 139, South Fourth street; a few young gentlemen, together with those whom he has engaged. The strictest attention will be paid to the moral deportment of those entrusted to his care.

Mr. D. has employed Mr. MADISON BROWN to assist in the English department. Mr. Brown's abilities are of the first order, he finished his academic course under the care of Mr. D. and afterwards graduated in Carlisle College, with honour to himself and his teachers.

THE TERMS can be known by applying to Thomas B. Cook, Esq. near Centreville, Queen Ann's County, or to Col. Potter, of Caroline county.

Philadelphia, Feb. 7—9t

EDUCATION.

The Subscriber respectfully informs the Citizens of Easton and its vicinity, that he intends opening a School on the first day of January of the ensuing year, in the Town of Easton; where he will teach the different branches of an English Education, viz: Spelling, Reading, Writing Arithmetic, English Grammer, Geography, &c. He assures those who may think proper to confide their Children to his care, that nothing shall be wanting on his part to give general satisfaction—He solicits from a generous public a share of their patronage.

☞TERMS—Spelling, Reading Writing and Arithmetic, $3—and for any other branch $4 per quarter.

Dec. 20. THOS. PIERSON.

BOARDING.

MRS. M. TAYLOR, begs leave to inform the Citizens of Baltimore and the Eastern Shore in general, that she has taken that very convenient and commodious House in McClellan's street, No. 8, near Beltzhoover, Indian Queen Tavern, where she is prepared to receive BOARDERS by the *day, week, month or year*. Families can be accommodated with private rooms on the most reasonable terms.

Baltimore, Oct. 25.

CASH FOR NEGROES.

THE SUBSCRIBER wishes to purchase ONE HUNDRED likely young Slaves, from the age of 12 to 25 years, for which he will pay the highest cash prices. Persons disposed to sell will please call on him at Mr. Lowe's Tavern, in Easton, where he can be found at all times.

J. B. WOOLFOLK.

June 21—tf

The Mount Hope Institution.

THE Dedication of the Chapel of the Mount Hope Literary and Scientific Institution, situated in the vicinity of Baltimore, will take place on the 8th of January at 11 o'clock, A. M. Besides the exercises, appropriated to the Dedication, two or three addresses from distinguished individuals are expected on the subject of Education. All persons friendly to the object of this new Establishment, are respectfully invited to attend.

Parents and Guardians, who intend to place Children at the Mount Hope Institution the ensuing year are requested to make known this intention without delay to the Principals as it is their desire, that all the members of the Seminary should be present on the morning of the day preceding that of the Dedication furnished with the Uniform Dress.

TERMS.—Tuition and board $250 a year. Washing done at $3 a hundred pieces: Stationary charged at the Book-store prices. No Student will be allowed to have pocket money except at the discretion of the principals.—Each pupil must furnish a Bed, or mattrass, with its usual accompaniments, a Chair, a Table and a looking Glass.

THE UNIFORM.—A dark blue cloth Coatee single breasted, with three rows of plain gilt small coat buttons, eight in front and ten on each side, two on the hips, and two into the plaits below, cross flaps with a point in the centre, plain Cuffs forming a point on the outside sleeves, standing Collar, bound all around with broad black braid, and an ornament of narrow braid at each end.

A pair of dark blue cloth pantaloons with an Austrian knot of narrow black braid on each side from the point of the welt downwards. A blue cloth waistcoat with nine small plain gilt buttons in front, extending up to the neck, a black leather Stock for the neck. This will be the winter Uniform.

A pattern of the above dress, may be seen at the Shop of C. G. Peters, merchant Tailor, No. 8. South Street Baltimore, who has engaged to furnish the articles on the most reasonable terms.

The members of the Institutions will wear black leather Caps, a sample of the form and quality of which may be seen, at the Shop of John Abbes, Furrier and Cap.maker, Calvert Street, near the City Hotel.

☞Editors of Newspapers in this and in the adjoining States and in the City of Washington favorable to the cause of Education, are requested to give the above, one or two insertions in their respective Papers.

Jan. 10.

UNION HOTEL.

SOLOMON LOWE returns his sincere thanks to his old customers and travellers generally who have been so kind and liberal as to afford him the pleasure of their company. He



begs leave to inform them that he is about to remove to the STAND at the corner of Harrison & Washington streets, in Easton, within a few yards of the Bank, where he will have great satisfaction in receiving his old customers, and has provided for their reception and entertainment every possible convenience.

Private parties can have the most private apartments and the best entertainment with complaisant servants, and all the luxuries of the season upon the shortest possible notice.—Mr. S. Lowe calculates on and invites the custom of all old friends and strangers.

Mr. Lowe's Hacks will attend the steamboat with the greatest punctuality.

Easton, Dec. 29—tf

NOTICE.

THE subscriber earnestly requests all those indebted to him on book account, of more than a year's standing, to call and liquidate them, or close them in some manner satisfactory, otherwise they will be put into proper officers hands for collection, which a speedy settlement might prevent—he returns his grateful acknowledgments for past favours, and hopes to merit a continuance of them.

The public's obedient servant
SOLOMON LOWE.

Easton, Oct. 27 tf

DENTON HOTEL.

The Subscriber informs his friends and the public generally, that he has taken the well



known Brick House in Denton, occupied the last year by Mr. Samuel Lucas, where his customers will be accommodated with the best of every thing in season, afforded by the markets of the place, and his own habits of personal attention and those of his family, he can assure the public of the best accommodations in his house. The subscriber has most excellent servants; he has attentive ostlers, he will keep constantly on hand the best liquors that can be had in Baltimore, & his table will be constantly supplied with the best of provisions—Gentlemen and ladies can at all times be furnished with private rooms at the shortest notice—travellers and the public generally are invited to give him a call. The subscriber is provided with rooms to accommodate the court and bar during the session of our Courts. ABRAHAM GRIFFITH.

Feb. 18 tf

Notice

IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Commissioners of the Tax for Talbot County, will meet at their Office in the Court House in the Town of Easton, on TUESDAY the 24th, and FRIDAY the 27th days of the present month (February,) at 11 o'clock, A. M. and will continue to sit on the same days in each succeeding week for the space and term of twenty days, for the purpose of hearing and determining appeals and making such alterations and alienations in the assessment of property as they may deem necessary & proper according to law.

By order,
JOHN STEVENS, Clerk to the Commissioners of the Tax for Talbot County.

Feb. 7 10w

The Washington City Chronicle,

A WEEKLY NEWSPAPER,

PUBLISHED IN THE CITY OF WASHINGTON
BY ROTHWELL & USTICK.

THIS Paper has been established at the Seat of the General Government, under auspices which the Publishers think favorable to the encouragement of a Periodical devoted as it is, to the diffusion of Literary, Scientific, and useful Miscellaneous information. Its object has been, as it will continue to be, to promote the cause of Letters, & to spread, within its range, a knowledge of all that may be new, interesting, and valuable, in Science, Literature, and the Arts, together with the latest Foreign and Domestic Intelligence. Mere party disputations, are, and shall be, sedulously avoided, and nothing will be admitted but what may tend to enlarge and interest the mind, and improve and benefit the heart.

☞A summary of the Proceedings of Congress will, during the Sessions, be regularly given.

☞The Chronicle is published every Saturday; and is printed in the best manner, on a large sheet (imperial size) price $3 per annum; or, $2 50 if paid in advance.

Nov. 29

©Maryland State Archives, msa_sc2940_scm11029-0877.jpg