B. B. LANCASTER. J. R. HERBERT.

LANCASTER & HERBERT,

PRODUCE

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

No. 91 LOMBARD STREET,

BALTIMORE.

☞Particular attention given to the sale of TOBACCO and GRAIN. je 19—1y

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Charles County, we will sell at public sale, on the premises, on WEDNESDAY the 25th day of JUNE instant, (if fair, if not, the first fair day thereafter,) a part of the personal estate of the late Joseph Young, consisting of

Several Blooded Horses, some young; one Jack, one young Jennett, two young Mules, Work Oxen, Cows and Calves, Sheep, Hogs, Plantation Utensils, Crop of Tobacco, &c.

THE TERMS OF SALE will be a credit of six months for all sums above ten dollars, the purchasers giving bond with approved security bearing interest from the day of sale. For all sums of ten dollars and under the cash will be required.

ROBERT YOUNG and
WALTER A. HAISLIP, Adm'rs
je 12—ts of Joseph Young.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to Joseph Young, deceased, on Note, Account, or otherwise, are requested to make immediate settlement of the same with the subscribers.

ROBERT YOUNG and
WALTER A. HAISLIP, Adm'rs
je 12—3t of Joseph Young.

"POTOMAC PAVILION,"

PINEY POINT.

JUNE 2, 1856.

THE above desirable place for health and sea bathing will open for the reception of visitors on the 15th of June. Enlarged and improved, the Pavilion is 600 feet long, and has capacity to accommodate 300 visitors.

A number of Dressing Rooms have been built on the beach for the accommodation of Ladies and Gentlemen prefering the surf bath.

I shall hope for a continuance of public favor so kindly bestowed on me for three seasons.

W. W. DIX, Proprietor.

TERMS OF BOARD—For a single day, $2 00.—For 3 days or less than a week, $1 50 per day. Per week, $10 00. Per month, $1 25 per day. Children and Servants at 2d table, half price.
je 12—1m.

SHIP TIMBER FOR SALE.

I HAVE FOR SALE a lot of very fine SHIP TIMBER, easy of access to the river. Apply to me on the Farm, Myrtle Grove, near Port Tobacco, Charles county, Md.

je 12—4w F. S. KEY.

[The Beacon will insert 4w. and send bill to this office for payment.]

NOTICE.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm of J. B. FERGUSSON & Co. was dissolved by the death of J. B. FERGUSSON. All persons indebted to the firm are requested to make immediate settlement with the undersigned, the surviving partners.

WM. FERGUSSON,
J. R. BATEMAN.

☞The remaining STOCK OF GOODS will be sold very low to close.
May 15, 1856.

PROF. DE GRATH'S ELECTRIC OIL—a large supply for sale by

PEEL & STEVENS,
Wholesale Druggists, 39 King Street
may 15 Alexandria, Va.

NEW SPRING GOODS.

THE undersigned has received a large and well assorted stock of new SPRING GOODS, to which the attention of buyers is invited.

WM. BOSWELL.

Port Tobacco, April 24, 1856.

FASHIONABLE MILLINERY

FOR SPRING AND SUMMER.

MISS E. L. MURDOCK is now offering to the Ladies of Charles county

A Beautiful Stock of Millinery Goods of the latest fashions,

to which she respectfully invites their attention. Her terms are accommodating.

Port Tobacco, May 1, 1856.

NEW GOODS.

WE have just received a fresh supply of *SPRING AND SUMMER DRY GOODS*, also a large stock of *GROCERIES* and other Goods, and we respectfully invite our customers and buyers generally to examine our stock. We offer to sell on our usual accommodating terms.

DAY & PADGETT.

Port Tobacco, April 17, 1856.

NEW GOODS.

THE undersigned has just received a well assorted stock of seasonable

DRY GOODS and *GROCERIES*,

and a variety of other articles usually kept in a country store. Buyers are respectfully invited to call and examine these goods before purchasing elsewhere. All kinds of Produce taken in exchange for Goods at liberal prices.

nov 8—tf LEMUEL HANCOCK.

STOCKED LOCKS—Very superior Stocked Locks, with assorted Keys, to which the attention of those wanting a first-rate article is invited.

ap 24 WM BOSWELL.

SHOES.—A very pretty assortment of Dress and Walking Shoes for ladies and gent'lemen, just received and for sale by

oct 4 C. W. BARNES.

RAW COTTON. We have some 300 lbs. of good Raw Cotton, for sale.

DAY & PADGETT.

GROCERIES—A supply of fresh Groceries just received and for sale by

oct 4 C. W. BARNES.

CHEWING TOBACCO & CIGARS—A very superior article of Chewing Tobacco and Cigars, just received and for sale by

oct 4 C. W. BARNES.

CANDLES. Mould and Adamantine Candles. Also a beautiful article of Sperm and Wax Candles, for sale by DAY & PADGETT.

BACON.—A prime lot of Side and Shoulder Bacon for sale by WM. BOSWELL.
June 5, 1856

LYON'S KATHARION, a most admirable preparation for preserving, cleansing and beautifying the hair, for sale by WM. BOSWELL.

PLAIN, plaid and dotted Swiss Muslins, with a lot of other fine goods too numerous to mention, for sale by S M PADGETT & CO

PRIVATE SALE OF LAND.

THE undersigned wishes to sell the FARM on which he now resides, called "WICKUM," and containing

300 ACRES,

more or less. This Farm lies on Mattawoman Swamp and adjoins the Farms of Mrs. Beall, Mr. Richard T. Tubman, and the Farm of Mr. Key, formerly owned by Mr. H. S. Mitchell and called "Myrtle Grove." It is about six miles from Port Tobacco, three miles and a half from Pomonkey Warehouse, (the point for shipping produce,) and four miles from Marbury's Wharf. There is on it an abundance of WOOD and TIMBER for a support. The situation is commanding and attractive. The Dwelling House is commodious and in good condition, and there are all the necessary out houses in good order. The soil is adapted to the growth of all the staples of this region of country,—is now productive and susceptible of a very high state of improvement.

Persons wishing to purchase can apply to the subscriber by whom it will be shown and terms made known.

je 5—tf. JOHN L. JOHNSON.

NOTICE.

BY virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the last session, (1856,) the undersigned, County Commissioners of Charles County, will offer at Public Sale, in the village of BENEDICT, on MONDAY the 30th JUNE next, all the

WAREHOUSE PROPERTY

in said village belonging to the County, consisting of a WAREHOUSE, SCALES, WEIGHTS, &c.

Terms of Sale, Cash, or an accepted Draft at six months.

R. G. WATSON,
EDMUND PERRY,
J. T. MUDD,
D. MIDDLETON,
GEO. S. WILLETT.

May 29, 1856.

STRAY GELDING.

STATE OF MARYLAND, CHARLES COUNTY, to wit:—I hereby certify, that Walter W. Milstead of Charles County, brought before me, the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for said county, this 7th day of June, 1856, as a stray, a Bay GELDING about ten or twelve years old; near seventeen hands high; star in his forehead, and left hind foot white.

The owner of the above described Gelding is requested to prove property, pay charges and take him away. Given under my hand and seal.

A. B. MILSTEAD, [SEAL.]
Justice of the Peace.

Living near Budd's Ferry, Chickamuxen,
je 12—1m. Charles Co., Md.

COLUMBIAN GUANO.

THE undersigned having been appointed SOLE AGENTS of the PHILADELPHIA GUANO COMPANO, at this port, have now on hand, and will be receiving during the season, a full supply of the above permanent fertilizer *direct from the Islands*, which they offer to their customers at the lowest market rates. This GUANO has been analysed by the most eminent Chemists of this country, and found to contain BONE PHOSPHATE OF LIME, in much larger proportion than any other description of Phosphatic Guanos, say $7.00. Analyses of the same can be seen at the office of the undersigned, or will be forwarded by mail, if requested. Its use is highly recommended either alone or if connection with Peruvian Guano, for all kinds on grain, grass, or root crops. It is put up in bags of very superior quality, marked with the Importer's brand. FOWLE & CO.

Alexandria, Va., May 22, 1856—1y

A CARD.

DR. CHAPMAN HARRIS, having located himself at the residence of his mother, offers his professional services to the Public.

je 5—1m.

DENTAL SURGERY.

DR. WM. A. FRANKLIN, formerly of Charles County, has now permanently located himself at his new rooms—No. 448 Pennsylvania Avenue, where he will be happy to receive his friends and patrons and perform all opperations on the teeth to their entire satisfaction, both as to quality and price.

He designs visiting the county occasionally in order to accommodate those who find it inconvenient to visit the City, of which visits due notice will be given in the "Times."

Washington City, June 5, 1856 —tf.

WATCHES & JEWELRY.—Julius Quensel has just arrived from the North with a beautiful and fine selection of WATCHES and fashionable JEWELRY. Ladies and Gentlemen are respectfully invited to call and examine the same before purchasing elsewhere, as he will sell on most reasonable terms.

Port Tobacco, May 8, 1856.

PLOWS—Just received a lot—
Patuxent Plows Nos 6, 7, 8, 9, 10;
Sinclair & More's ditto, Nos 8 and 9;
Hill Plows; Castings of all kinds;
also, Collars and Plow Bridles. For sale by
ap 3 WM. BOSWELL.

HEAVY GOODS—We have now in store a full assortment of heavy
Osnabergs and Brown Cottons;
Heavy Plantation Twills and Ducks;
Denims and Drills, some very superior;
Striped, checked and plain Domestics & Jeanes
Fancy colored Osnabergs for dresses;
Cottonades, Tickings, Fur. and Apron Checks
Domestic Ginghams, Cotton Yarn and Carpet Warp, with all other goods suited to the trade. In prices, inducements will be offered that *cannot be surpassed anywhere.*

G. K. WITMER, BROS. & CO.

Alexandria, April 17, 1856.

FOR SALE,

A TRACT or parcel of LAND, now occupied by Mr. Josias Moore, lying in Nottingham district and adjoining the land of Gen. Thomas F. Bowie, about seven miles from Upper Marlboro, containing about 100 ACRES.

There is a Dwelling House and corn house on the place, and a sufficiency of Wood. It is a good location for a Store or Tavern, and the land may be easily improved. For terms, &c., apply to the Editor of the Gazette, who is authorized to consummate the sale.

Also—6 ACRES of LAND adjoining the above, with a new DWELLING House, will be sold separate. may 10—tf

FARM FOR SALE.

THE advertiser wishes to sell his Farm, containing

217 1-2 ACRES,

more or less, in Marlboro' and Spaldings districts, in Prince George's county, about 8 miles from Washington city and about the same distance from Upper Marlboro'.

The improvements are a DWELLING HOUSE in good repair, Corn House, Stables and other necessary out Houses. The Farm is well wooded and watered and has a large orchard of fine Fruits. It is an excellent market Farm and may be made quite productive.

TERMS, &c., made known on application to the Editor of the Gazette, who is authorized to make sale of the place for the owner.

April 19, 1855—tf

CHARLEY KEMBLE.

THE subscriber will sell at the end of the season, this superior YOUNG STALLION.—Notwithstanding the disadvantages he has had to contend with, (such as having at his own door a very superior young Jack, and being confined to one District,) he has competed successfully with, if not out-striped, any horse in the county. His book is in the hands of the Groom and can be seen by any one desiring it. It there indicates a service up to this time (1st of June) to some 60 mares. The horse can be seen at his regular stands until the 25th June. Any one wishing to purchase can ascertain the terms and particulars by addressing the subscriber, Nanjemoy.

CHARLEY KEMBLE performs well in any kind of harness, is nearly 17 hands high, paces and trots well, and was 6 years old this Spring.

Persons who have patronized this horse and wish to avail themselves of the advantages of early payment, can settle their accounts with Mr. R. E. BATEMAN, Port Tobacco, or the subscriber.

THOMAS A. MILLAR.

June 5, 1856.—4t.

$100 REWARD.

RANAWAY, YESTERDAY, FROM THE subscriber's farm, in Charles county, Md., one negro fellow, MADISON.

Madison is about 21 or 22 years of age, dark copper color, about 5 feet 6 or 8 inches high, and weighs about 140 or 150 lbs.

He took away a variety of clothing, and has a sister residing in Washington city. The above reward of one hundred dollars will be paid for his apprehension and lodgment in jail anywhere, so that I recover him.

LAURENCE POSEY,

Allen's Fresh P. O., Charles county, Md,
m29—tf. May 24th 1856.

COTTINGHAM & JOHNSON'S

IMPROVED

HORSE POWER & THRASHERS

IT is deemed almost unnecessary to give certificates of the superior qualities of our HORSE POWER AND THRASHERS, but for the information of those who have not as yet used them we subjoin the following:

LEONARDTOWN, St. Mary's Co. Md.,
May 1st, 1856.

Messrs. *Cottingham & Johnson.*

Dear Sir: The machine which I purchased of you has proved a most excellent one. I am fully convinced that no better Horse Power and Thrasher has been used in my section of the State. Nor can I think that there can be in use any that are superior to it anywhere. *The lightness of draft to the horses is one of its recommendations.* I am confident that all who use your Power and Thrasher will continue to be your customers

Respectfully, yours, B. G. HARRIS.

LEONARDTOWN, St. Mary's Co. Md.,
April 15th, 1856.

Gentlemen: I have used your improved Horse Power and Thrasher and take great pleasure in bearing testimony to their entire efficiency. I have used two other Horse Powers and Thrashers and in my judgment yours is greatly superior to either of them or to any I have seen in use. The Horse Power is of light draft and less liable to get out of order than any I have seen used, and in my opinion eminently suited to the wants of the grain growers, both on account of its efficiency and durability. Many of my neighbors have thrown aside other machines and adoptrd yours smce it has been introduced into our county.—Wishing you a full measure of success, I am very respectfully, Yours, most obl't.

JAMES T. BLAKISTONE.

ST. MARY'S COUNTY, MD., May 1st, 1856.

Messrs. *Cottingham & Johnson,*

Gentlemen: I must say that I prefer your Horse Power and Thrasher to any I have used or seen used. The Power and Thrasher which I bought of you about three years ago, has worked well and worn well, with easy draft to the team.

Very respectfully, &c.

JOHN F. DENT.

Baltimore, May 29, 1856—1m

GREYHOUND.

OUR YOUNG JACK—"GREYHOUND"—will stand the ensuing season at Richard H. Stuart's Mill. Terms: $10, to be discharged by the payment of $6 if paid by the 1st of September, 1856. No insurance. Season to commence the 1st of April and end 1st July. Twenty-five cents in each case to the Groom.

RICHARD H. STUART,
mh 27—tf WM. E. DEMENT.

KNIGHT OF MALTA.

THIS FINE YOUNG JACK will be let to mares the present season, at his Stable, upon the premises of the subscriber.

Terms: $10 the season, to be liquidated by the payment of $5 if paid by the 1st day of September next. Any person sending five mares will be charged but for four. The Groom to receive 25 cents in each case. Persons living at a distance can be accommodated with pasturage and grain at reasonable rates. No liability for accidents. Season commenced 25th March, 1856.

April 17, 1856—tf SAMUEL COX.

NEW GOODS.

WE are now receiving the largest stock of DRY GOODS we have ever offered in this market, embracing everything that is kept in a first rate country store; and we are sure that we cannot fail to please, both in quality and price. Terms cash, or a credit of six months to punctual customers.

S. M. PADGETT & CO.

Port Tobacco, April 24, 1856.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the subscriber for goods purchased previous to January 1st, 1856, are most respectfully requested to call immediately and settle their accounts.

March 13, 1856. C. W. BARNES.

MILLWRIGHTING.

THE subscriber is fully prepared to execute MILLWRIGHTING in any of its branches, in the best workman-like manner.

Building, repairing, engineering, &c.

Person desiring his services will direct letters Duffield, Charles County, Md.

ALLISON F. BEALLE.

Feb 14, 1856—tf

BOUNTY LAND WARRANTS & CLAIMS WANTED.—I will always give the highest prices in cash for Warrants or unsettled Bounty Land Claims, if applied to in Port Tobacco on Tuesdays, or at my residence near Allen's Fresh, in person or by letter on all other days.

mh 13—6m. W. A. POSEY.

LIQUORS—Some choice Wines and Brandy, with a stock of very superior Rye Whiskey.

ap 24 For sale by S M PADGETT & CO.

BOOTS and SHOES—Gents city-made Calf Boots, Shoes and Gaiters. For sale by

ap 24 WM BOSWELL.

TOBACCO PRIZES.

THE subscriber has on hand of his own manufacture,

ONE DOZEN TOBACCO PRIZES.

They are of an improved Pattern, and are believed to be superior to any ever manufactured in this county. He invites Planters to examine them before purchasing, as he is confident they will be highly pleased with the Machine.

JEREMIAH TOWNSHEND,
Near T B, Prince George's County.
April 10, 1856—3m

SASH AND PLANING MILL,

PORT DEPOSIT, CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND.

WE the undersigned have rebuilt our Factory, and are now in full operation. Our Buildings are Fire proof and our Machinery of the latest improved patterns.

Owing to our advantages in improved machinery, situation of our Factory, (being at one of the largest Lumber Markets in the United States,) and our arrangements for purchasing Lumber and Material from first hands, we think we can offer inducements passed by no other Factory. We earnestly solicit the attention and extend our invitation to all Builders, Carpenters, &c. &c. to give us a call and examine our work and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

We manufacture to order and keep on hand Frames of all kinds and sizes, such as Door Windows, Sidelights, &c., &c. Doors, Sash, Shutters, Blinds, Inside Blinds, &c. Washboards, Architraves, Mantles, Wing Mouldings, of all patterns in use. Bracelets and all kinds of scroll Sawing and Turning to order.

Our work is of the very best material, well seasoned, as we make no second class work. We have for sale dressed seasoned Flooring of all kinds, such as Yellow Pine, Norway, White Pine and Hemlock; Weather-boarding faced, jointed and ribbited.

We have on hand and for sale, a large stock of Hardware for Houses, Carpenters Tools, Paints, Oil and Window Glass of all kinds, purchased from manufacturers and sold at city prices. We furnish Sash Prime and Glaze in the best style and at moderate prices. Work primed if desired.

WILEY, NOLAND & CO.

W. WILEY,
N. W. NOLAND,
E. J. RINEHEART.
May 1, 1856—6m

HAVE YOU SEEN

HOLLINGSWORTH'S

TWO HUNDREED FLOATING BALLS, OR

KNUCKLE WASHING MACHINE?

IT will wash one dozen pieces of clothes in two minutes without injury to the most delicate material.

BED QUILTS,
COMFORTS, BLANKETS, SHEETS,

with every description of Woolen Goods, are washed in the most thorough and beautiful manner.

This Washing Machine has taken the premium at all the Fairs where exhibited. It is pronounced by all who have seen it THE WONDER of the age It is so simple in its construction as not to get out of order.

The Machine is so easy to work that small children can take part in it; any half-grown girl of ordinary strength, however little used to labor, can do a regular week's washing, and derive great benefit from the exercise, it being of the very best kind for strengthening the arms, chest and loins.

BANK NOTES.

It will wash bank notes without tearing or injuring them. Therefore, not only is great labor saved, but the clothes are not injured as by other machines and rubbing boards. This will be apparent to all who see it in operation, as it is not a rubbing machine. No boiling of clothes required. We invite the public to call and see it; also ask the Ladies (who wish to purchase) to send their servants with soiled clothing to No. 240 Baltimore street, (up stairs,) where we wash them so quickly as to convince the most sceptical. To meet the circumstances of all we put it at $12. We give the testimony of a few of the hundreds who are using them.

This Gentleman is well known throughout our and other States as a chemist.

SYKESVILLE, Md., March 5th, 1856.

Messrs. MORTIMER & MOWBRAY:

Gentlemen—In reply to your inquiries in regard to Hollingsworth's Floating Balls Washing Machine, I have to say the principle is certainly the best I have ever seen or used for the saving of labor, clothes, time and soap. Those in my family say they can wash six pieces by this machine to one on the old plan, and not feel the labor; the clothes being better washed. We are perfectly satisfied with the machine. and recommend it to all our friends. Yours, with respect,

WM. BAER.

BALTIMORE, June 19, 1855.

"This is to certify that the undersigned has in use one of the PATENT KNUCKLE WASHING MACHINES and finds it to be everything claimed for it. The labor is greatly lessened, and the expedition with which a heavy washing is accomplished is surprising. A wash-day is accompanied by many inconveniences to well regulated households, and any improvement by way of speed should be hailed with pleasure; and in this Machine of Mr. Lyman's, that is certainly obtained. The undersigned believes that the KNUCKLE WASHER must be generally adopted, as much time and labor are both saved, and the work better done, while the articles are not injured by the friction of rubbing in the old way of washing. JOHN F. MCJILTON,

"Baltimore Patriot."

"I fully endorse the above recommendation of Mr. McJilton." J. D. BENTEEN,
Baltimore Street, near Light.

"I have the 'KNUCKLE WASHING MACHINE' in use in my family, and cheerfully concur in the above recommendation." JOHN L. REESE, Jr.
82 Camden Street.

[From J. Wills, Esq., one of the proprietors of the Baltimore Patriot.]

I have had in use in my family for some time one of HOLLINGSWORTH'S PATENT KNUCKLE WASHING MACHINES, and feel no hesitancy in pronouncing it one of the very best instruments of the kind now in use. I make this assertion from having seen its operations, and upon the unreserved recommendation of washewomen who worked it. The principle on which this washer operates is thoroughly scientific, and at once indicative of its utility. My impression is that the KNUCKLE WASHER must gradually find its way into general use. Some of the many advantages possessed by it are expedition, thoroughness in cleansing garments, and the ability to wash goods of the finest texture without causing the slightest wear or injury. Every family who can conveniently, should have this most excellent Washer. J. WILLS, Baltimore, Md.

Having had the 'KNUCKLE WASHING MACHINE' in my family, I cheerfully concur in the above recommendation. E. Y. REESE,
Editor of Methodist Protestant.

☞All orders must be directed to
MORTIMER & MOWBRAY,
No. 240 Baltimore Street,
BALTIMORE, Md.,

Who alone are authorised to sell rights to make and sell for the counties in this State and the District of Columbia. may 1

SALT—Turks Island Salt, for sale by

ap 24 WM BOSWELL.

CLOCKS & WATCHES REPAIRED.

THE subscriber has removed to the room formerly occupied as a Store in the house of Mrs. King, Port Tobacco, where he will repair Clocks and Watches at the shortest notice, and warrant them to keep correct time for twelve months.

He will keep for sale some fine JEWELRY and WATCHES, to which he respectfully invites attention.

He now offers a lot of fine JEWELRY, just received, CHEAP FOR CASH.

feb 14 JULIUS QUENSEL.

CARPETINGS, OIL CLOTHS, &c.—We have in store a large stock of Velvet and Brussels Carpetings; Ingrain and Venitian do.; Oilclothes, Rugs, &c., all of this season's importation, and will be sold as cheap as they can be bought in any other market.

G. K. WITMER, BROS. & CO.

Alexandria, Va., May 8, 1856.

CRAPE BERAGE, Embroideries, Parasols, and large size Parasols, made expressly for old Ladies, just received by express.

MEYENBERG, BRO. & CO.,
may 29 Sarepta Hall, Alexandria, Va.

PERUVIAN GUANO.—We have now on hand a full supply of No. 1 PERUVIAN GUANO, which we shall be pleased to furnish to our customers at the market rate.

FOWLE & CO.

Alexandria, April 10, 1856—1m

MEXICAN GUANO.—Best AA and white Mexican Guano on hand and for sale at lowest rates by FOWLE & CO.

Alexandria, April 10, 1856—1m

BONNETS AND MILLINERY GOODS.—Lace Crape, Straw, Leghorn, Florence Braid, Chipp, Shakers and Neapolitan BONNETS; Ladies' and Children's Flats; Ribbons, Flowers, and a general assortment of Millinery Goods, to which we call the attention of our friends and Charles county customers.

MEYENBERG, BRO. & CO.,
may 29 Sarepta Hall, Alexandria, Va.

MANTILLAS—We call the attention of the ladies to our new and beautiful stock of Silk, Lace, and Moire Antique MANTILLAS, all of the latest and most desirable styles.

MEYENBERG, BRO. & CO.,
may 29 Sarepta Hall, Alexandria, Va.

READY-MADE CLOTHING—We have just received a large stock of ready-made Clothing, embracing every shade and quality, and of the latest style, and can be bought as low as the same articles can be had in Charles county or out of it.

ap 24 S. M. PADGETT & CO.

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES AND VESTINGS. We have received an excellent assortment of Black and Colored Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, some very beautiful and of superior quality, to which we invite attention.

ap 17. G. K. WITMER, BROS & CO.

DRESS GOODS—Fancy Lawns and Prints
Plain and fancy Challies; fancy Berages
M. de Laines of the latest style
Black Gro de Rhines. For sale by
ap 24 S M PADGETT & CO.

READY-MADE CLOTHING — White and Brown Duck Coats; white and brown Linen Coats; also Pants and Vests—for sale by

ap 24 WM BOSWELL.

TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS & HEADS OF FAMILIES.—We call the attention of dealers and heads of families to our well selected stock of *DRY GOODS, MILLINARY, AND NOTIONS*, which is now complete and ready for the Spring trade. We have reason to flatter ourselves that we possess facilities for procuring our Goods from the CHEAPEST and BEST sources in the country, and will be enabled to offer throughout the season a well assorted and selected stock of Goods. From many years practical knowledge of the wants and taste of this part of the country, with a steadily increasing business, warrants us now in saying that we can suit any buyers who visit this market wishing to find a LARGE and FRESH STOCK OF Goods at the very lowest prices for cash. We keep as formerly a large stock of MILLINARY GOODS in all its branches, Domestic and Imported DRY GOODS, together with a large assortment of FANCY GOODS to suit purchasers.

MEYENBERG, BRO. & CO.,
(Sarepta Hall,) No. 85 King Street,
ap 10 Alexandria, Va.

LADIES' DRESS GOODS—Fancy colored, plaid, striped and plain Silks; 10 pcs super. quality, and rich Lustre Black do; Grenadines. Foulards, Challies, Berages, Tissues, Organdies, French Lawns and Cambrics, Ginghams, &c., French Chintzes, Mouslins, (all colors) Debages, Lustres;

With many other Goods, to which we invite attention. We shall also be receiving at short intervals throughout the season, everything that is new and desirable, rendering our stock at all times complete. G. K. WITMER, BROS. & CO,

Alexandria, April 17, 1856.

PEEL & STEVENS,

No. 39 King Street, Alexandria, Va.

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS,

PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES,

BRUSHES, GLASSWARE, ETHERIAL OIL, Camphene, Turpentine, Matches, Segars, Perfumery, Window Glass, Putty,

GARDEN SEEDS,

Spices, Essences, Toilet Soaps, Surgical Instruments, PATENT MEDICINES, together with every article comprising the Stock of a Druggist or Physician. Are now in receipt of a full and well selected stock, which they offer to Merchants and Dealers at the very lowest prices and spare no effort to give entire satisfaction.

☞Particular and prompt attention given to orders. may 15

MISS M. A. BURROUGHS,

FASHIONABLE MILLINER,

HAS just returned from Baltimore with a full supply of

SPRING & SUMMER MILLINERY,

OF THE VERY LATEST STYLE,

which will be ready for exhibition on Saturday, the 19th instant, to which she calls the attention of the Ladies generally. Thankful for the liberal patronage extended to her heretofore, she asks a continuance of the same, pledging herself to use every effort to please those who may favor her with their patronage. Prices moderate.

April 17, 1856.

MANTLES AND DRESS GOODS.—By express from New York, still another supply of Lace and Silk Mantles of the latest and most desirable styles. Also, a very pretty assortment of Berage Robes, French Embroideries, &c., to which we solicit the attention of the ladies.

G. K. WITMER, BROS. & CO.

Alexandria, Va., May 8, 1856.

DRILLINGS—white and brown of very superior quality, for sale by WM BOSWELL

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Charles County, Md., letters of Administration on the personal estate of JOSEPH YOUNG, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the Register of Wills, on or before the 22d day of November next. They may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's estate.

Given under our hands, this 20th day of May, 1856. ROBERT YOUNG,
WALTER A. HAISLIP, Admr's
may 22 of Joseph Young.

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Charles county, Md. letters of Administration on the personal estate of JOHN G. CAMPBELL, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouches thereof, to the Register of Wills, on or before the 1st day of January, 1857. They may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said deceased's estate.

Given under my hand this 27th day of May, 1856.

BERNARD M. CAMPBELL, Adm'r
may 29. of John G. Campbell.

HILLS & STRINGER'S ORIGINAL DANDELION COFFEE, for Indigestion, Diseases of the Liver, Flatulency, Constipation, Irritable and Sour Stomachs, so frequently followed by Sick Headache, etc. It is also especially recommended to those of weak and delicate constitutions as a superior, nutritious, and delightful beverage, having, at the same time, a decided hygenic effect, and an aroma not surpassed by the finest Java coffee. Be sure and obtain the genuine, as immitations are in the market. It is neatly put up in air-tight tin cans, with the signature upon the label—without which none is genuine.

Sold at the General Depot, 679 Broadway, from whence orders will be filled from any part of the city or country,

ALSO, by PEEL & STEVENS, Wholesale Druggist, 39 King Street, Alexandria Va.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That ROBERT HODGKIN, practical *WHEELWRIGHT & BLACKSMITH* Continues to make all kinds of work in his line of business, and has now on hand an assortment of WAGONS, CARTS, OX-WHEELS, WHEELBARROWS, &c., which he offers cheap for cash. Orders from the Country for Wagons, Carts, Drays, or repairing, promptly attended to. From long experience in his business he feels confident that he can give satisfaction.

☞Persons from the Country will find it to their interest to call at the corner of Pitt and Queen streets; where they can always be accommodated on reasonable terms.

☞All work warranted. ☞ REMEMBER THAT! ROBERT HODGKIN,
Corner Pitt and Queen sts., Alexandria, Va.
mh 27—1y

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

HARPER & BRO.,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.,

ARE now in receipt of a large stock of *SPRING* and *SUMMER DRY GOODS*, which will be sold at a small profit. Their friends and customers in Charles county will please call.

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JOHN Q. ALVEY

WOULD most respectfully call the attention of his country friends to the above advertisement and solicits a call from them before purchasing elsewhere, feeling assured that they can be accommodated in every article of DRY GOODS, that they may want, on the very best terms.

Alexandria, Va., April 3, 1856.

GENTLEMAN'S FURNISHING STORE.

J. LA TOUCHE,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

Respectfully informs the public that he has just received his supply of

SPRING GOODS:

CLOTHS of various shades and prices, FANCY CASSIMERES. French TWEEDS, & choice SILK VESTINGS; also a large assortment of

Dress Shirts and Collars,

NECK TIES AND CRAVATS

of the latest style, UNDER SHIRTS and DRAWERS, SOCKS, GLOVES and POCKET HANDKERCHIEFS of various descriptions; Bindings, Cords and Buttons in great variety.

April 10, 1856.

BOUNTY LAND

AND PENSION CLAIM AGENCY.—The undersigned, assisted by a gentleman in Washington engaged in one of the Departments and of much experience, will attend to the collection of Pension and Bounty Land Claims. All Officers, Musicians, and Privates now living, who served 14 days in any war, (or if dead, their widows or children, male or female, under 21 years on the 3d of March 1855,) are entitled to Bounty Land.

Claims presented and suspended for want of proofs or a correct statement of service, if referred to me, can be secured, as I have every facility of proving them by the Company Rolls in my possession, which give a full history of the service rendered by every man;—give how many times each was out; date of entrance on duty; number of days in every tour each man served; date of discharge; names of all the officers; aggregate number of days served by each man during the war, &c.,—most of which it is necessary for claimants to know in order to substantiate their claims, otherwise they will never get them and can only be had through me. I will also give the highest prices in cash for warrants or unsettled bounty land claims, if applied to in Port Tobacco on Tuesdays, or at my residence near Allen's Fresh, Charles county, Md., in person or by letter on all other days.

mh 13—6m. W. A. POSEY.

PLOWS & CASTINGS—We would call the attention of Farmers to our large stock of Stocked Plows and Castings, consisting of—
Minor & Horton Plows, Nos 19 & 19 1-2
Sinclair & Moore do Nos 8 & 9
Davis do Nos 8 & 9
Hill-side Plows—together with a general assortment of Mould Boards, Points, Heels and Screws, all of which will be sold as low as they can be purchased in the county or out of it.

feb 17 DAY & PADGETT.

EMBROIDERIES AND WINDOW CURTAINS!—We have just received a handsome supply of French Worked COLLARS, SLEEVES, Cambric and Swiss BANDS, rich embroidered Skirts, &c. Also, a full supply of Lace and Muslin WINDOW CURTAINS.

MEYENBERG, BRO. & CO.,
mh 27 Sarepta Hall, King-st., Alex.

DOMESTICS—Striped and plaid Osnabergs
Penitentiary Plaid Cottons
5-4, 4-4, 7-8, 3-4 brown Cottons
Cotton Osnabergs; Cottonades
Heavy Patapsco Twills; Bed Ticking and Apron Checks. For sale by
ap 24 WM BOSWELL.

GILLING THREAD.—The subscribers have several hundred pounds No. 45, 3 cord Gilling Thread for sale

Dec 20, 1855. DAY & PADGETT.