For the Port Tobacco Times.

MISCELLANEOUS ENIGMA.

I am composed of 19 letters.

My 1 2 16 19, is an adjective pronoun *demonstrative;*
3 11 19 18, is in an undisturbed state;
4 6 14 10 3, is an instrument used in surgery;
5 11 8 2, is a *solemn affirmation;*
7 9 15 18, is (says Hallowell) still in use;
9 6, I am a disjunctive conjunction;
12 14 4 3, is a sacerdotal cloak worn in sacred ministrations;
13 5 17 16 12, is fitted to excite merriment;
My whole is what you have been reading for many years. N. E. B.

Chickamuxen, March 1, 1859.

Questions for Every Evening.

1. Have I read a portion of God's Word to-day? and if I have, has it been hurriedly and without meditation; or reverently, and with a sincere appreciation of its preciousness?

2. How have I prayed to-day. Has it been formally, without realizing thoughts of God; without sensible nearness to God; or with affection, ferver, and confident, dependence on Christ's meditation?

3. Have I been sensible of any holy motion of God's spirit in my soul? or have I encouraged or discouraged his gracious visits?

4. Have I longed after God, painted after his manifestations to my soul, and felt that in his favor and love alone could I be happy?

5. Have I studiously repressed evil thoughts and desired to be delivered from their intrusions; and have I made any successful assaults on my easily besetting sins?

6. Have I been guilty to-day of envy, jealousy, pride, evil speaking or unkind feelings? Have I returned good for evil? Has sin overcome me, or have I overcome sin?

7. Have I realized my nearness to eternity, and encouraged myself to meditate on, and to seek preparation for death, judgment, and the coming of my Lord?

8. Have I met crosses and disappointments, wrong or slandering, with meekness and patience?

9. Have I been covetous? or have I resisted the tendency of my heart to avarice; by the performance of benevolent and charitable deeds? Have I given anything to the poor or purposed to do good unto all men as I have opportunity?

10. Have my secular avocations absorbed too much of my time and attention to-day?

11. Have I lived to God's glory, or for my own selfish ends to-day?

12. It is a matter of consciousness with me that religion is my chief concern, and source of my greatest pleasure?

13. Have I been gentle and courteous toward my inferiors or dependents, kindly affectionate toward my equals, and respectful towards my superiors?

14. Have I spoken unadvisedly with my tongue, or rashly judged others?

15. Has the world been in any way benefitted by my living to-day?

16. Have I had opportunities for doing anything for Jesus, and have they been embraced? Have I spoken well of Him to any perishing sinner? Have I given away a religious tract, magazine, or book to any one, with prayer for the Spirit's blessing?

17. Have I prayed for the prosperity of the Church and the conversion of sinners, and considered all I have as given me for the promotion of the Lord's kingdom among men?

18. Have I felt with increased intensity that I am a sinner, and that my only hope is in Christ?

19. Have I avoided all appearances of evil, and set a holy example before those with whom I come in contact, fearing not men, but God.

20. In a word, have I made any advance in the divine life to-day? Ponder this, O my soul! as in the immediate presence of thy God.—*Tennessee Baptist.*

THE "TRY COMPANY."—A gentleman who was riding in the cars noticed a bright little fellow, between five and six years of age, sitting with his father and mother, and engaged in the attempt to loose the knot in the string that bound a small parcel.—The knot had become well compacted, and the child's tiny fingers seemed to make no impression thereon. The patient earnestness of the little fellow was contrasted with the apparent indifference of his parents, who looked on, but made no attempt to assist him. At last the gentleman whose sympathies with children were warm, could bear it no longer; so, partly to help the child, and partly to rebuke the parents, he took out his knife, and, handing it to the boy, said:

"Here, my little fellow, try the virtue of a sharp blade. You can't untie the knot."

Something to his surprise, the knife was not taken; but, instead, the child answered, with a smile:

"Please, sir, father don't allow me to say *I can't;* I belong to the 'Try Company.'"

"Indeed!" said the gentleman, as he drew back his hand. "I never heard of that company before."

"Oh, I've always belonged to it—haven't I, father?"

And the child turned with an expression of loving confidence in his face, toward his father.

"He's a worthy member of that excellent association, sir," remarked the father, now speaking to the gentleman, and smiling in a pleasant way.

"Ah, I understand you!" Light was breaking in upon his mind. "This is a part of your discipline. You never permit your little boy to say 'I can't.'"

"But, instead, I'll *try*, sir."

"Excellent!" said the gentleman. "Excellent! Here is the way that men are made. It is the everlasting 'I can't' that is dwarfing the energies of thousands upon thousands all over the land. A feeble effort is made to overcome some difficulty, and then the arms fall wearily, and the task is abandoned."

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

NEW STORE,
NEW GOODS,
NEW SYSTEM.

M. W. GALT & BROTHER,
JEWELERS,
Washington, D. C.

HAVE REMOVED to their NEW STORE, No. 354 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, (between 6th and 7th streets,) near BROWN'S HOTEL, and have opened the largest and most elegant assortment of desirable goods in their line ever offered for sale in this city. They enumerate in part—

Ladies and Gents' Superior Watches,

Manufactured by Frodsham, Jurgenson, Adams, Cooper, Tobias, Vacheron, and all other makers of celebrity.

JEWELRY.

Diamond, Pearl, Coral, Florentine, Mosaic, Lava, and Cameo Brooches, Earrings and Bracelets; Diamond Crosses; Diamond, Ruby, Emerald and Opal Rings; Gold Chains, Lockets, Seals, Keys, Thimbles, Wedding Rings, &c., &c., &c.

Silver Ware—Wedding Presents:

Solid Silver Tea-Sets, Waiters, Pitchers, Goblets, Cups; Table, Dessert and Tea Spoons and Forks. Silver Dessert Knives; Soup, Cream and Gravy Ladles; Sugar, Salt, Mustard and Egg Spoons.—With every variety of SILVER WARE suitable for Wedding Presents.

Extra Plated Ware and Table Cutlery:

Tea Sets, Cake Baskets, Casters, Waiters, Ice Pitchers, Goblets, Albata Forks and Spoons, Butter Dishes, &c. Also English and American Cutlery.

FANCY GOODS.

Ladies' and Gentlemens' Dressing Cases, Fine Fans, Shell Combs, Hair Pins, Opera Glasses, Porte Monnaies, Card Cases, Revolving Pistols, Walking Canes, &c.

SPECTACLES AND EYE-GLASSES:

Gold, Silver, Fine Steel Spectacles, and Eye-Glasses of all focuses.

☞Particular attention paid to the selection of GLASSES suited to the eyes of wearers.

Manufactured to Order—

Every description of Gold and Silver Ware. Diamonds and other precious Stones set in the latest style.

Watch Repairing and Engraving:

WATCHES and CHRONOMETERS carefully repaired by skillful workmen.

ENGRAVING of every description neatly executed, including Arms, Crests, and Initials on Stone. Particular attention paid to Wedding and Visiting Card Engraving and Printing.

The One Price System.

Having determined to sell at the lowest possible rates, the price of every article is marked upon it in distinct figures, from which there will be no abatement.

STRANGERS VISITING THE CITY are invited to examine their Stock, which implies no obligation to purchase.

M. W. GALT & BROTHER,
NEW STORE, 354 Pennsylvania Avenue, between 6th and 7th streets, near Brown's Hotel, Washington, D. C.
Nov. 25, 1858—6m.

CARRIAGE FACTORY.

IN PORT TOBACCO.

THE subscriber having greatly enlarged his CARRIAGE-BUILDING ESTABLISHMENT and provided himself with first class workmen in all the branches, would respectfully announce to the public that he is prepared to build LIGHT CARRIAGES of every description and repair all heavy or light work in this line, at the shortest notice, and on as accommodating terms as any other house this side of New York.

He is also prepared to repair all kinds of HARNESS and SADDLES.

Persons wishing to purchase new Carriages or have old ones repaired would do well to give him a call before going further, as he is determined to give satisfaction.

☞All orders left or arrangements made with Mr. R. K. VINCENT, Superintendant of this department, at the building adjoining Mr. Boswell's store, will receive prompt attention.

GRIFFIN CARTER.
Port Tobacco, Jan. 14, 1859.—1y

NEW DRUG STORE.

JUST opened at APOTHECARIES HALL, Port Tobacco, a full supply of

Fresh and genuine Drugs, Medicines, Perfumery, Fancy Articles, Soaps, &c. All the popular Patent Medicines of the day kept constantly on hand and warranted genuine.

Combs, Brushes, Pomades, Hair Oils, Lubin's and Corali's Extracts, Toilet and Shaving Soaps, Tooth Paste and Powders, Tooth Brushes, &c. &c. Medicines of every description by the dose or quantity—compounded to suit customers and patients. Essences and Tinctures by the dose or bottle.—Seidlitz and Soda Powders freshly put up in tin boxes—or by the dose.

Persons in need of any thing usually kept in the City Drug Stores will find it to their advantage to buy here, as *all Medicines or Compounds are carefully dispensed by a competent Apothecary—and at city rates.*

Invalids, look to your interest and security and purchase all your Medicines only at

Apothecaries Hall, Port Tobacco, Md.

☞Physicians of the county are respectfully invited to call and examine our stock of Drugs and Chemicals. ap 8.

A CARD.

DR. BEN. FRANKLIN respectfully informs his friends that he has resumed the Practice of Medicine and offers his services to all who may need professional aid.

Office at Apothecaries Hall, Port Tobacco, Md.
sep 16—tf

GUANO.

NO. 1 PERUVIAN, of direct importation;
AFRICAN, containing Amonia and Phosphates in large proportion;
MEXICAN, "A" & "A A," in barrels;
COLUMBIAN, in bags and barrels.
SUP. PHOS. OF LIME, warranted of best quality, in bags and barrels.
BONE DUST, in barrels, *worranted pure.*

All of the above fertilizers are warranted of best quality, and are offered at the lowest market rates.

FOWLE & CO.,
mh 4 Alexandria, Va.

SOMBRERO GUANO—the richest Phosphatic Guano known. A full supply on hand, which we offer at *reduced rates.*

FOWLE & CO.,
Alexandria, April 22. Sole Agents.

HATS.—A large and general assortment of Gentlemen and Boys' Hats.
ap 29. For sale by WM. BOSWELL.

CARPETINGS and OIL CLOTHS—Three ply and super Ingrain Carpetings; also Floor and Table Oil Cloths.
jan 6 For sale by J. T. PADGETT.

AGRICULTURAL LIME.

THE undersigned beg leave to inform the Farmers of Charles and St. Mary's counties that they will deliver at accessible points on any of the rivers of those counties, AGRICULTURAL LIME, (either with or without Magnesia,) at 9½ cents per bushel. Freight, cash, at 3 cents per bushel—the balance six months draft, with interest added, will be taken. We refer to the following letter of the State Chemist and solicit orders from our friends in Charles and St. Mary's counties generally.

BRISCOE, HILLES & CO.,
Havre de Grace, Md.

BALTIMORE, August 8th, 1857.

I have analyzed for Briscoe, Hilles & Co., of Havre de Grace, Md., four samples of "Susquehanna Limestone," from Wrightsville, Pa., taken from four different Quarries. They were found to be free of sand and other impurities, and to contain, besides Carbonate of Lime, respectively from 2 to 15 per cent. of Carbonate of Magnesia. The former will be of general advantage to the lower counties of Maryland, both on the Eastern and Western Shores, and are especially adapted to the application on "White Oak Soils" The latter should be applied to soils which are deficient in both Lime and Magnesia. They are, in general, the "Volcanic Soils" of the Upper, and the light soils in the Tide Water Counties of Maryland. JAMES HIGGINS,
State Agricultural Chemist of Maryland.
June 25, 1858—1y.

J. R. HERBERT. M. H. HERBERT.

JAS. R. HERBERT & BRO.,
TOBACCO AND PRODUCE
Commission Merchants,
No. 33 Grant & Hollingsworth Streets,
BALTIMORE.

REFERENCES.—Johns Hopkins, Pres't Merchants Bank; Trueman Cross, Cashier Commercial and Farmers' Bank; Geo. W. Howard & Co., Duer, Norris & Co., R. Hickley & Bro., Penniman & Bro., Whitney, Cushing & Comstock, Baltimore.
jy 8—1y

W. A. & W. W. PADGETT,
GROCERS
AND
PRODUCE COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
NO. 17 COMMERCE STREET,
2ND DOOR ABOVE PRATT,
BALTIMORE, MD.
mh 26—1y

H. H. ROBERTSON. SAM'L W. BRISCOE.

ROBERTSON & BRISCOE,
Tobacco, Grain and General Commission Merchants,
NO. 149 PRATT STREET,
BALTIMORE, Md.,

Will give personal attention to the inspection of all TOBACCO, the weighing of GRAIN, and purchase of all Merchandise, &c., entrusted to their care. Liberal advances made on consignments. jan 7—1y

SERVANTS WANTED.

The subscriber wishes to purchase a large number of likely servants of both sexes, for which the very highest cash prices will be paid. Persons having such to dispose of will find it to their advantage to give me a call. Letters addressed to me at Washington, D. C., will meet with prompt attention.

JOHN EDWARD ROBEY,
may 13—tf No. 311 Virginia Avenue, between 6th and 7th Streets, Island.

NOTICE.

I WANT TO PURCHASE for some gentlemen in the South, for their own use, some FORTY or FIFTY NEGROES of both sexes, at ages varying from twelve to twenty-five years. Persons wishing to sell will please address—

JOHN L. JOHNSON,
jy 1—1y. Washington, D. C.

NOTICE.

THE attention of Farmers and Planters is called to our stock of
Corn & Cob Crushers,
Agricultural Boilers,
Corn Shellers,
Cutting Boxes,
Sausage Cutters,
Plows, Harrows, &c., which we offer for sale on the most reasonable terms.

ADDISON, WALLACE & CO.
No. 3, Union Street, Alexandria, Va.
nov 4

I HAVE NOW in store a large and complete assortment of—
Corn Shellers—prices from $8 to $45
Cutting Boxes from $7 50 to $45.
I would call attention to Sinclair & Co.'s latest improved Cutter and Masticator. It has just been made and it is decidedly the best Cutter that has been offered. For sale by

DRAYTON G. MEADE,
dec 23 No. 12 Fairfax street, Alexandria.

FRUIT TREES.

The subscriber offers for sale the coming season a **large and select stock of FRUIT TREES,** making it a point to recommend nothing except what is known to suit our soil and climate. Orders left with our Agent, Mr. WILLIAM BOSWELL, Port Tobacco, will receive prompt attention.

D. M. REICHARDS,
Cedar Glen Nursery,
near Washington City, D. C.
References:—Dr. J. H. Bayne, Prince George's county; Samuel Cox, Esq., Charles county.
June 17, 1858—1y

WANTED,
20 FRESH COWS AND CALVES,

IMMEDIATELY, for which I will pay the highest cash prices. Address me at Washington City, Navy Yard, No. 673, Third Street, east. JOHN H. NELSON.
May 6, 1858.

RICHE'S IRON BEAM PLOUGHS.—We take this method of informing our friends in Maryland that we have purchased the right for the sale of the above Ploughs in the counties of Charles, Prince George's and Montgomery, and shall be prepared to furnish them at all times on the most reasonable terms.

Also—Constantly on hand a full supply of the Minor & Horton, Sinclair & Moore, and other Ploughs. Please address

ADDISON, WALLACE & CO.,
No. 13 Union st., Alexandria, Va.
nov 18.

ATTENTION,
Housekeepers. Farmers and Mechanics!

JUST RECEIVED at the Cheap for Cash Hardware Store, No. 12 Royal Street, a few doors north of King, Alexandria, Va.,
Sausage and Pie Meat Cutters of various sizes,
Chopping Knives, Spice and Coffee Mills,
Spice Boxes, Patent Nutmeg Grater, new article,
Shovels and Tongs, Fenders, Fire Carriers,
Coal Hods, Ash Buckets, Tin Plates and Pans,
Cake Cutters, Brittania Table Castors,
Coffee and Tea Pots, Brittania Lamps,
Brass and Tin Candlesticks,
Brittania & Iron Spoons, Ladles & Skimmers,
Bread Graters, Dredging Boxes,
Molasses Cups, Sugar Boxes,
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Lemon Squeezers, Tea Trays, Rolling Pins,
Steak Tenderers, Stove Polish,
Shoe, Store, Sweeping and Dusting Brushes,
Mason's and other makers Shoe Blacking,
Thimbles, Needles, Knitting Pins,
Scales and Weights,
Silver Plated Forks and Spoons of extra quality,
Ivory Handled and other Knives and Forks,
Pen and Pocket Knives, Scissors and Shears,
Butcher and Shoe Knives, Horse Phlemes,
Trace, Halter, Log, Cow and other Chains,
Chopping Axes, handled and unhandled,
Axe Handles of superior quality,
Broad Axes, Hatchets and Hammers.
Hand, Tennon, Pannel and other Saws,
Nails, Tacks, Sprigs, Screws, Locks,
Hinges of every patent, Common Butt Hinges,
Window Sash, all sizes furnished to order,
Smooth, Jack, Fore and Moulding Planes,
One Portable Mortice Machine,
Guano, Seed, Meal and Flour Seives,
Sand Paper, Emory Cloth, Liquid Glue,
Ohio Grindstones, the best in the known world,
Grindstone Cranks, Shovels and Spades,
Potatoe Hoes and Forks, 4 Prong Forks, Hoes,
Minor and Horton's Plough Castings, extremely low.

The subscriber is very anxious that persons should call and examine his stock. He feels confident that he is selling goods at SMALLER PROFITS than any other establishment. Keeping a general assortment of goods, you may save time by finding many articles at one place. Buying goods on good terms, the subscriber has it in his power to give bargains. Enquire for the place—No. 12, Royal St.

☞For sale a GREAT BARGAIN, Two Rockaway Carriages, also a Horse Power—all new. Guns and Gun Fixtures selling at cost to close out; also many other articles at less than cost.

Country dealers, wholesale and retail, will do well to call before purchasing, as they will certainly find a great difference in prices.

JOHN T. CREIGHTON.
Alexandria, Va., Nov. 18, 1858.

ALEXANDRIA
AGRICULTURAL WAREHOUSE.

I AM now in receipt of a large assortment of every variety of Farming and Garden Implements—such as

Plows, Corn Shellers, Cutting Boxes, Threshing Machines. Wheat and Guano Drills—all of the most approved paterns.

Also, Castings of different kinds, &c. All orders will meet with prompt attention.

DRAYTON G. MEADE,
Agricultural Warehouse,
sep 3—1y No. 12 Fairfax st., Alexandria

THE LARGEST
CHAIR AND FURNITURE
ESTABLISHMENT IN THE U. STATES
No 25 & 27 North Gay St., near Fayette,

WHERE is kept always on hand, or made to order, every style of French Tete-a-tetes, in Plush, Hair, Cloth, or Brocatelle.

French Full Stuff and Medallion Parlor Arm Chairs, in Plush, Hair, Cloth or Brocatelle.

French Full Stuff Carved Parlor Chairs in setts, with Plush, Hair, Cloth or Brocatelle.

Sofas; half French Spring Mahogany and Walnut Parlor Chairs, in Hair, Cloth or Plush.

Rocking Chairs—various designs, in Hair, Cloth and Plush.

Stuff Spring Lounges—a large assortment always on hand, or any patern made or covered with any goods to order.

Chamber Suits—in Mahogany or Walnut, complete, from $35 up.

Cane Chairs and Rocking do.—the largest assortment ready made in any one house in the United States—from $12 a dozen up.

Bar Room, Office and Dining Chairs, in Oak, Walnut or Mahogany, with Cane, Wood or Stuffed Seats—an assortment embracing over 50 dozen.

Wood seat Chairs and Settees and Rocking Chairs—over 100 dozen. A. MATHIOT,
Nos. 25 and 27 North Gay St., near Fayettee.
June 11, 1857—1y.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

THE subscriber has just received a large assortment of JEWELRY, and Gold and Silver WATCHES, for ladies and gentlemen; also Gold Chains, Gold and Silver Pencils, Lockets, Keys and Seals, Earrings and Breastpins, of various descriptions for ladies and children; large supply of Finger and Wedding Rings, Gold Studs, Sleeve Buttons; Spectacles suitable for all ages, together with various other articles in the Jewelry line too numerous to mention,—all of which is warranted to be of the character described, and which will be sold on the most reasonable terms for cash.

Thankful for the liberal patronage he has heretofore received, the subscriber would most respectfully invite the ladies and gentlemen of the vicinity, and the public generally, to call and examine for themselves.

Clocks, Watches and Jewelry carefully repaired by a skillful and experienced workman.

JULIUS QUENSEL,
March 25, 1858. Port Tobacco.

AGUE & FEVER.—Anderson's Ague & Fever Powders, Osgood's Cologogue, Sul. Quinine, and Sul. Cinchonia.
sep 10 For sale by WM. BOSWELL.

WE invite the attention of our customers and the public to our fresh supply of GROCERIES; also, of choice WINES and BRANDIES, just received by S. M. PADGETT & CO.
mh 19

PLOWS, PLOW CASTINGS, &c.—I have now a large assortment of Minor & Horton's Plows
Litus' Iron Beam Plows
Rich's Iron Beam Plows
Rough and Ready Plows
Landon Moore Plows, wrought and cast shear
Davis' Plows, wrought and cast shear
Hill-Side Plows; Subsoil Plows, and many other varieties.
40,000 lbs. Plow Castings.
For sale by DRAYTON G. MEADE,
dec 23 No 12 Fairfax st., Alexandria.

MARYLAND AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENT MANUFACTURERS.

THE undersigned would remind the Farmers and Dealers in FARMING IMPLEMENTS, that they are still in the market with a large assortment of PLOGHS in their almost endless variety—lumber and workmanship, the best; CULTIVATORS for Tobacco and Corn; HARROWS; STRAW CUTTERS of different patterns, CORN SHELLERS in their their variety; Wheat Fans of the most approved kinds; Wheat Cradles; Dewey's Patent Horse Rake or Gleaner, which gave such general satisfaction last season.

Agents for Manny's, Ray's and McCormick's REAPING & MOWING MACHINES. We have added to our large variety since last year some useful and important Implements, viz:—A Patent TOBACCO WEEDER—patented by T. A Robertson, of Anne Arundel county, Md.,—which will do the work of six or eight hands in the culture of Corn and Tobacco, to this we call the attention of the Farmers; a new SOD PLOUGH which is worthy the attention of all Farmers, is highly recommended for pulverizing the sod; it is differently constructed from any other Plough in use; instead of a plain surface mould-board there are cutters extending from it to cut the sod which can be removed or replaced, and when worn out can be had at a trifling cost.

HORSE POWERS and THRESHERS of the different manufacturers can be had of us—among them the Fitz Improved Horse Power and Thresher, Pelbin's Internal Geared Power and Thresher, which supercedes the necessity of the leather belt.

Plough and Machine Castings by the ton or single piece.

Forks, Spades, Shovels, Hoes, Trace Chains, &c.
Corn Mills, Corn and Cob Crushers.
Field and Garden Seed, fresh and genuine.

To all of which we invite the special attention of Farmers and dealers generally. Call and examine our stock, as it is a source of great satisfaction to us to be enabled to help and promote the interest of the Farmer. We are always on hand with our usual promptness, and ready to accommodate, at the old stand.

COTTINGHAM & HARDING,
150 Pratt Street, Baltimore.
March 18, 1858.

NATIONAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF BALTIMORE.

Incorporated by the State of Maryland, 1849.
Office, No. 13 South Street.

THE Company insures every description of Property in the City or Country, against loss or damage by Fire.

The Directors meet daily, to determine upon applications for insurance.

J. B. SEIDENSTRICKER, President.

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JOHN R. MAGRUDER, Jr., Sec'y.
March 18, 1858.—1y

CARRIAGE MANUFACTORY.

THE subscriber returns his sincere thanks to his friends and the public generally for the patronage heretofore extended to him, and has the pleasure to inform them that he has just finished a splendid assortment of

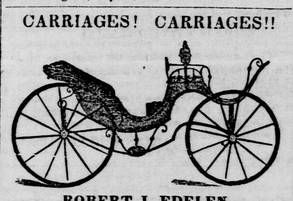
FASHIONABLE CARRIAGES.

Persons in want of CARRIAGES will find it to their advantage to give me a call before purchasing.

☞Old Carriages repaired at the shortest notice, or taken in exchange for new ones.

M. McDERMOTT,
No. 455 Penn'a Avenue,
Near Third Street.
Washington, Sep. 3, 1857.

CARRIAGES! CARRIAGES!!



ROBERT J. EDELEN,

RESPECTFULLY informs the public that he has on hand an assortment of Carriages of his own make and the very best finish and quality, which he will sell low for cash, or approved paper. R. J. E. will execute all orders in the best manner and at satisfactory prices. Repairing executed with neatness and dispatch, and warranted to please. Those in want of Vehicles of any kind are solicited to give him a call, as having had over twenty years experience in the above business, he is confident of his ability to give entire satisfaction in the execution of orders.

Alexandria, Va. May 31, 1858

WM. GRANGE & CO.,
Shipping and General Commission Merchants,
No. 3 Exchange Place, Baltimore.

LARGE Stocks of the purest RYE WHISKEY, old Virginia Planters, Ziegler's, Congress, Brownell's, and other Celebrated Brands, with every description of BRANDIES, PORTS, SHERRIES and other WINES, RECTIFIED WHISKEY, &c., always on hand at the most moderate prices. White Wine and Cider VINEGAR of superior quality.

Liberal advances made on consignments of Merchandise generally, Western and other Produce, Flour, Butter, Cheese, Provisions, Raw Whiskey, Alcohol, Dried Apples, and Fruit generally.

Particular attention paid to the Purchase and Sale of Clover and other Seeds, Grain, Tobacco, &c.

☞ORDERS PROMPTLY EXECUTED for every Description of Merchandise, Groceries, Foreign Fruit, Packed Oysters, &c.

Ground SUMAC bought.

BONE DUST of the purest kind, for Agricultural purposes, always on hand at the lowest market prices, viz: 65 cents per bushel—CASH; besides cost of barrels or bags. This article is far superior to Guano in its durable effect.
ap 22.—1y

TOBACCO and SEGARS—A very superior lot of Chewing Tobacco and Havana Segars, for
nov 20 sale by S M PADGETT & CO.

FLOUR—Extra, Superfine, and Buckwheat Flour. For sale by J. T. PADGETT.
jan 6

THE FAMILY JOURNAL,
A WEEKLY PAPER,
Devoted to Literature, News, Romance Science and Art,

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Embroideries; 3-4 and 6-4 Fulled Cloths; Plain and Twilled Flannels;
Cloths, Cssimeres, Satinetts and Vesings;
—ALSO—
READY-MADE CLOTHING,
such as
Gentlemen's Business Coats, Pants and Vests, Over Coats—Whirlpool and Bear Skin Raglan; Clothing for Servants' wear.
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We offer our goods upon the usual terms—for cash, or on a credit of six months to punctual buyers.

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Port Tobacco, Oct. 21, 1858.

NEW FALL GOODS.

THE undersigned invites the attention of his customers and the public generally to his stock of **NEW FALL GOODS,** comprising a large and general assortment of
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Ladies' Dress Goods and Trimmings
Heavy 6-4 and 8-4 Folled Cloths for Negroes
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Black and Fancy Colored French Cloths and Cassimeres, of the most celebrated make, Black and Fancy Colored Velvet Vestings, Satin, Silk and Woolen do.

Black and Fancy Colored Over Coatings, Traveling Shawls in great variety, Cashmere, Silk, Merino and Cotton Shirts, and Drawers.

A fine assortment of English Half Hose, Gauntlets, Gloves, Stocks, Scarfs, Cravats, Collars, Shirts, Handkerchiefs, &c.

☞We are also prepared to furnish *GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING* made up in the best style, guaranteeing it to fit, and give entire satisfaction. And at prices to suit the times.

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FULLED CLOTHS, LINSEYS &c.—
10 Bales superior Va. Fulled Cloths, heaviest and best make.
10 pieces Heavy Country Linseys
30 do 8-4—7-8—4-4 do
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No. 1 and 2 Osnaburgs, Brown Cottons, plaid Domestics, Chambrys and Osnaburg prints.

Also, heavy Fulled Cloth Coats and Jackets, all sizes for servants; a large stock of Negro Blankets, to all of which we invite the special attention of the country trade.

G. K. WITMER & BROS.
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