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## COUNTY ADVERTISEMENTS.

**Dr. C. A. HARDING,**  
Practicing Physician,  
Rockville, Md.

**WASHINGTON HOTEL,**  
Rockville, Maryland.

**FRANK S. HARRIS,**  
The subscriber returns his sincere acknowledgments to his numerous patrons for the liberal patronage bestowed upon him from the opening of his establishment, and respectfully solicits a continuance, assuring them that no pains will be spared, on his part, to give them the best of the market, and at the lowest prices.

**THE STABLES** attached to the house are large and commodious, and as usual, attentive drivers will be employed, persons stopping in the house may rely upon their horses being well attended to.

**GOOD EATING & CAPITAL DRINKING**  
**KILGOUR'S SALOON,**  
Rockville, Md.

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THE subscriber wishes to purchase any number of **SEVANTS**, both sexes, who are young, sound and healthy, for which he will, at all times, pay the highest market price, and will also give them the best of the market, and at the lowest prices.

**NEGROES WANTED.**  
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**CARPENTERING & UNDERTAKING.**  
THE subscriber of Rockville, and the public generally, are informed that he has removed his office to the above business, at his old stand in Rockville, nearly opposite the Methodist Church, in all his branches, and in the most reasonable terms.

**WALLS & CRIMES.**  
CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS,  
SENeca, Mont. Co., Md.

**BUTCHERING.**  
THE subscriber having located himself about half a mile above Rockville, on the Frederick road, and having secured a large tract of land, and a fine stock of cattle, he is prepared to furnish the citizens of Montgomery County with the best of the market, and at the lowest prices.

**FRUIT MONTS.**  
THE subscriber has secured a large tract of land, and a fine stock of cattle, he is prepared to furnish the citizens of Montgomery County with the best of the market, and at the lowest prices.

**AUCTIONEERING.**  
W. W. ALLEN, Auctioneer, will hold sale in any part of the county, and especially a share of the public patronage. He charges no commission, unless he is successful in the sale.

## Poetry.

**MY GROWING OLD.**  
BY J. G. SMITH.

My days pass pleasantly away;  
My nights are bright with sweetest sleep;  
I feel no symptoms of decay,  
I have no cause to mourn nor weep;  
My feet are limber and my hand;  
My friends are faithful and true;  
And yet, and yet, I feel I'm  
Growing old!

**A Popular Story.**

**NEW FURNITURE.**  
A WIFE WORTH HAVING.

"Wife," said Edward Lincoln, as he settled himself on the sofa, one evening after tea, "we must have some new furniture for this parlor, there's no two ways about it; ours is getting decidedly shabby."

## Selected Miscellany.

**The Troubles at Occoquan, Va.**  
Lincoln and Hamlin Pole Cut Down.

The difficulties at Occoquan, Prince William county, Va., ended on Friday last, happily without bloodshed. A correspondent of the Alexandria Gazette visited Occoquan on Friday, learned all the particulars of the affair and was present at all the transactions.

**Subsequent Apologia.**

Many persons in the neighborhood opposed the erection of the pole, believing it to be a standing menace to the peace of the county, but at first there was no indication of an attempt to disturb it.

## Another Arithmetical Problem.

A few days since we witnessed some astonishing display of arithmetical genius by a young man named Meredith Holland, from Monroe county, Ky., who called into our office.

In a few minutes, however, there was a cry of "stand back under," and the pole came to the ground and shivered. Instantly the crowd gave three cheers, when the "republicans" responded by three cheers for Lincoln and Hamlin.

**Chilse Burials in San Francisco.**

The correspondent of the New York Times, at San Francisco, gives the following description of a Chinese burial in that city:

## Appearance of the Prince of Wales.

The following is a description of the appearance of the Prince of Wales, taken from a London paper:

The Prince, although youthful looking, is a well-proportioned and certainly a pleasant looking young man. He is about medium height and of a fair complexion, with brown hair and particularly brilliant hazel eyes.

**As American Volcano.**

One of the strangest phenomena in nature has recently developed itself near the Horse Lake, Polk county, Wis. Flames of fire came up through the earth in several localities, and one man's barn has been burned down by it.

## Progress of a Liberator's Settlement.

The Rev. John S. Bays writes an interesting letter from Liberia, dated Monrovia, May 12, from which we quote the following in relation to the new town of Carysburg:

I have been quite recently on a visit to Carysburg. Mrs. Bays accompanied me, and was delighted with the place and people. They are improving there beyond our most sanguine expectations.

**The Prisoners from France.**

The Grand Rapids (Michigan) Eagle says that the express company of that place have carried to market during the season 108,850 pounds of pigeons, valued at \$23,820.

## Assassination of Cassius M. Curtis.

A French paper says that a serious persecution has broken out against the Christians in Cochinchina. Their villages have been destroyed, some of their priests are in custody, awaiting death.

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