Selected Miscellany.

TO PARENTS.

Parents! if your endeavoring
You would lead to ways of truth,
Shielding them from the temptations
Which surround the paths of youth,—
Count as vain your time worn maxims,
And, to make your teachings sure,
Guide them not alone by precept,
But example, just and pure;
For, to shelter from the tempests
Sin's dark clouds would cast round each
Tender flower of your protection,
You must practice what you preach.

MANAGEMENT OF A HOUSEHOLD.—No young woman ought to feel herself qualified to become a wife until she is sure she understands how to do the most that can be done with her husband's money. The management of a household is not a thing to be properly and safely entrusted to hireling hands. A servant is a broken reed for the head of a family to lean upon. There are a thousand little ways in which money must be expended, in which real shrewdness and enterprise are requisite in order to use it to the best advantage; and there are a thousand other ways of saving money, known only to those who have studied aright the art of economy. The Turkish proverb has it, that "a prudent woman is a mine of jewels," and, like many other oriental sayings, this is beautiful for the truth it embodies. A wasteful housekeeper not only robs those for whom she undertakes to manage, of the comforts it is her duty to provide for them, but keeps her husband head over ears in debt, and makes the domestic life of a poor man a continual series of experiments in shinning it from one day to the next, and in keeping the stomach full, though the purse be empty.

PRETTY WOMEN.—A pretty woman is like the "institutions" of the country—an angel in dry goods and glory. She makes sunshine, blue sky and happiness wherever she goes. Her path is one of delicious roses, perfume and beauty. She is a poem written in rare curls and choice calico, and good principles. Her words float around the ear like music, Birds of Paradise, or the chime of Sabbath bells. Without her, society would lose its truest attractions; the church its firmest reliance and young men the very best of comforts and company. Her influence and generosity restrains the vicious, strengthens the weak, raises the lowly, flannel shirts to the heathen, and strengthens the faint heart. Wherever you find the virtuous woman, you also find fireside bouquets, clean clothes, order, good living, gentle hearts, music, right and model institutions generally. She is the flower of humanity, the very Venus in divinity, and her inspiration is the very breath of heaven.

THE ROYAL ALPHABET.—We wonder when will her Britannic Majesty reach Z in her family? Look at this:

Alexandrina Victoria, Queen of England.
Albert, Prince, under petticoat rule.
Adelaide, Princess Royal, now of Prussia.
Albert, Prince of Wales, a smart stripling.
Alice, second daughter to the royal pair.
Alfred, second son.
Augusta, third daughter.
Alberta, fourth daughter.
Arthur, third son.
Arbella, fifth son.
Beatrice, fifth daughter.

A DRUNK FELLOW was asked by an old lady to read the newspaper, and timing it up began as follows:

"Last night, yesterday morning, about two o'clock in the afternoon, before breakfast I was hungry but about forty years old, bought a spade to dig potatoes, and taken it through a brick, six inches thick, and jumping over a stone, it's right inside above the left knee fell into a well and was drowned. About forty years after that, on the same day, an old cat had nine turkey gobblers, high wind blew Yankee Doodle on a frying pan, and knocked the old church clock down and killed a sow and two lead pigs at Boston, where a deaf and dumb man was talking French to his aunt Peter." The old lady taking a long breath, exclaimed, "Du tell!"

SOURCE OF SORROW.—Out for the sorrow of the heart, where would the affections find their strength? Our virtues, like the aromatic shrubs of the forest, only give out their sweets when their leaves are bruised and trampled. He who has not felt sorrow, may be scarcely said to have known love, since the most precious joys of the soul arise from sympathies that are seldom known till they are sought—till they are necessary to soothe an infirmity or satisfy a need.

IN A RECENT CASE of assault, in Chelsea, the defendant plead guilty. "I think I must be guilty," said he, "because the plaintiff and me were the only ones there were in the room, and the first thing I knew I was standing up and he was doubled over the stove. You'd better call it guilty."

"LANDLORD," said a commercial traveller, "you do too much honor—you let me sleep among the big bugs last night." "Oh, don't be too honest, my dear sir," said the landlord; "I doubt not they have your own blood in their veins."

"DON'T get above your business," as a lady said to the shoemaker who was measuring her ankle in order to ascertain the size of her foot.

CHILDREN'S DEBATES are like white clouds that float through a summer sky. Bathed in the glory of heaven, they drift away, leaving no trace of sadness behind.

A YOUNG LADY should not be unhappy because she isn't quite as tall as she would like to be. It is a very easy thing to get 'spliced.'

READING makes a learned man, writing a correct man, speaking a ready man, thinking a great man, and playing a good man.

WHAT ARE THE YEARS but perishable leaves, blown, one by one, from the ever opening rose of Time, by the same breath that first created them.

A SCOTCHMAN asked an Irishman—"Why were half-farthings coined in England?" The answer was—"To give Scotchmen an opportunity to subscribe to charitable associations."

A YOUNG MAN advertises in a London paper his desire for a wife—"pretty and entirely ignorant of the facts." Does he want a blind woman?

"CAN YOU tell me, Billy, how it is that chanticleer always keeps his feathers so smooth and slick?" "No, I can't." "Well, he always carries his 'comb' with him."

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WILLIAM WHELAN,
(Successor to Mr. THOMAS EVANS.)
Announces to his friends and the public, that he is prepared to execute, with promptitude and dilligence, all orders for PLUMBING, GAS AND STEAM FITTING. He is permanently located at
No. 74 High St., Georgetown, D. C.,
Opposite Dr. Stone's Drug Store.
☞ Orders from the country promptly attended to. [oct 26-1y

W. M. BROWN. J. W. COLLEY.

J. W. COLLEY & CO.,
DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF
Fancy & Staple Dry Goods
Cloaks, Shawls and Mantillas,
ALL OF THE BEST CLASS.
523 7th St., One doors above Penn. Av.
WASHINGTON CITY, D. C.
☞ Particular attention given to all orders.
oct 19-1y

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DEALERS IN
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DRY GOODS!
☞ No. 140 ☜
NORTH SIDE OF BRIDGE STREET,
GEORGETOWN, D. C.
☞ A GOOD ASSORTMENT of Ladies' Dress Goods, all of which will be sold at the lowest possible cash prices. [oct 26-1y

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VAUGHAN & SHEKELL,
STAINED GLASS PAINTERS
Dealers in Window Glass and Medicines,
384 D, between 7th and 8th Streets,
WASHINGTON, D. C.
Church windows, Venetian Blinds, Sash Doors, Door and Window Frames, Looking Glasses, Pictures, Fancy Goods, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, Putty, Glass, &c. Colored Diamonds may be found at the above place.
☞ All orders promptly attended to.
sep 25—y

F. I. LUDEKE,
Lock and Gunsmith,
AND BELL HANGER,
No. 168 Bridge St., near the Market,
GEORGETOWN, D. C.
jan 2—1y

LOOK! LOOK! LOOK!
AND
READ! READ! READ!
THIS ADVERTISEMENT!
THE CHEAPEST STOCK OF
Summer and Fall
CLOTHING,
WARRANTED GOOD AND WELL MADE, IS TO BE FOUND AT
H. SIEGEL'S,
184 Bridge St., opp. the Market,
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Also—GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, TRUNKS, HATS, BOOTS, SHOES, &c.
july 12—1y

FINE
FAMILY GROCERIES.
HAVING purchased, for cash, a full and complete Stock of FIRST CLASS
Groceries, Wines,
Teas and Liquors,
suitable for family use, I am now prepared to sell the same at prices as reasonable as any House in the District.
I am determined to keep constantly on hand every article to be found in a FIRST CLASS GROCERY AND LIQUOR ESTABLISHMENT; and always purchasing for cash, persons will find it to their advantage to give me a call before purchasing elsewhere.
T. A. CARROLL,
Corner of First and High Streets,
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RELIGIOUS BOOK DEPOSITORY,
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☞ THE BEST STOCK OF THE BEST BOOKS to be had in the District, and at the lowest prices.
Every thing requisite for Sabbath Schools.
A Library of 100 Volumes for $10.
Hymn Books, suitable for all denominations.
Bible Society Depository and Prayer Books.
School Books and Stationery, at exceedingly low prices.
Letter Paper, at $1.25 per ream.
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WM. BALLANTYNE,
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april 20—tf Washington city.

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Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
CORN, MEAL, OATS, BRAN, SHIP-STUFF, &c.
☞ Gentlemen who wish to dispose of their crops, in the above line, will please favor me with their custom, at the corner of Bridge and Green Street, Georgetown, D. C.
july 20 6 mo

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ROBERT G. THRIFT,
Attorney at Law,
No. 22 Louisiana Avenue,
oct 26—y WASHINGTON, D. C.

THOMAS P. SIMPSON,
WHOLESALE DEALER IN
Wines, Liquors and Segars,
No. 625 SEVENTH STREET,
(UNDER AVENUE HOUSE,)
oct 26—y WASHINGTON, D. C.

BEALL & MATTHEWS,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
Groceries, &c.
No. 112 Bridge Street,
oct 26—1y GEORGETOWN, D. C.

LEWIS PAYNE,
Wholesale and Retail Manufacturer of
BOOTS AND SHOES.
Ladies', Misses' and Children's
Shoes.
HIGH STREET, OPPOSITE FOREST HALL
GEORGETOWN, D. C.
July 13—1y

J. RICHEY,
Fancy and Variety Store,
No 192, 7th Street, between D and E,
WASHINGTON, D. C.
DEALER in Laces, Embroideries, Millinery Goods, Perfumery, Hosiery, Gloves, Worsteds, Jewelry, &c. &c. [jy 13—12m

CHARLES C. ATZ,
Confectioner and Fruiter,
☞ No. 65 HIGH STREET, ☜
GEORGETOWN, D. C.
☞ PARTIES, WEDDINGS &c. attended to at the shortest notice.
CONFECTIONARY, of every description, made to order at the shortest notice.
aug 3—1y

WILLIAM ELLIS,
Post Office Restaurant,
Congress Hall, adjoining the P. O.,
Georgetown, D. C.
☞ Always prepared for the reception of friends. [July 13—1y

DENNISEY & O'TOOLE,
WELLING & WRITING-CARD
Engravers & Printers.
336 Pennsylva. Ave., bet. 4th & 10th sts,
WASHINGTON, D. C.
☞ Fine Stationery, Fancy Goods, &c. ☜
Initial Stationery, on Note Paper and Envelopes in gold or in colors. [may 28 tf

GEO. M. & JNO. W. SOTHERON,
Druggists and Apothecaries,
Bridge St., Georgetown, D. C.
Dealers in Medicines, Perfumery, Fine Soaps, Fancy Articles, Patent Medicines, Chemicals, Paints, Oils, Dye Stuffs, Brushes, Glass, Putty, Window Glass, Fancy Articles, Cigars, Tobacco, Snuff, Pipes, &c. &c.
☞ A full and complete assortment of Drugs, Medicines, Perfumery, Fancy Articles, &c. &c. always on hand, and for sale at the lowest prices.
☞ Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compounded at all hours of the day and night.
☞ Orders from the country promptly attended to.
sep 25—y

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MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN
GILT AND PLAIN FRAMES,
TIN, IRON AND HOLLOW WARE,
Brass Cocks, Water Coal Oil, &c.
No. 88 High Street, Georgetown, D. C.
☞ GOODS SHIPPED TO COUNTRY DEALERS ☜ on the most reasonable terms.
aug 2—1y

E. T. BENTON,
WOULD respectfully call the attention of the Ladies of Georgetown and the public generally, to his large and well selected Stock of—
BOOTS & SHOES,
☞ No. 161 Bridge Street, ☜
(Two Doors East of the Market,)
GEORGETOWN, D. C.
N. B.—Keep constantly on hand a fine assortment of BOOTS & SHOES MADE TO ORDER.
july 13—1y

R. G. JOHNSON,
No. 80 High St., GEORGETOWN, D. C.
DEALER IN
Men's BOOTS, SHOES, &c
Ladies', Misses' and Children's SHOES, &c.
☞ WORK made to order. [july 13

CARLIN & GUVERNATOR,
DEALERS IN
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
Cigars, Tobacco & Snuff,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,
No. 56 High St., opp. Forest Hall,
GEORGETOWN, D. C.
july 13—y

NEW STORE.
JAMES F. GROSS,
No. 93 Water St., GEORGETOWN, D. C.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
GROCERIES, FLOUR, &c
☞ COUNTRY PRODUCE ☜
TAKEN IN EXCHANGE FOR GOODS.
July 13—1y

T. A. LAZENBY,
No. 124 Bridge St., GEORGETOWN, D.C.
DEALER IN
China, Glass and Queensware,
TABLE CUTLERY, &c.
july 13—1y

M. J. ADLER & CO.
(Successors to O. H. Muncaster,)
—DEALERS IN—
Foreign and Domestic
HARDWARE,
☞ No. 123 Bridge St., ☜
GEORGETOWN, D. C.
july 13—1y

GEORGE W. ORME,
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FAMILY GROCERIES,
Teas, Wines, Liquors, Cigars, &c
No. 89 corner Bridge and Congress Sts.
(Opp. Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank,)
Georgetown, D. C.
july 13—1y

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THE GREAT
WASHINGTON
BAZAAR.
THE NEW STORE,
THE NEW STORE,
THE NEW STORE,
DON'T MISS IT,
DON'T MISS IT,
DON'T MISS IT.
THE CHEAP STORE,
THE CHEAP STORE,
THE CHEAP STORE,
DON'T FORGET IT,
DON'T FORGET IT,
DON'T FORGET IT.
Fine Spring and Summer CLOTHING,
Fine Spring and Summer CLOTHING,
Fine Spring and Summer CLOTHING.
Trunks,
Trunks,
Trunks!
WE CAN AFFORD TO SELL CHEAPER than any other establishment in the city. We have the ability and determination to do so, and
We are determined to do it.
MARK THAT!
Friends know all about it: Strangers must come and judge for themselves.
Great Bargains
Can be had at the
Great Bazaar.
☞ One purchase will satisfy the most skeptical that this is
ONLY ONE PLACE
In Washington City to Buy
FIRST-RATE CLOTHING,
AT VERY LOW PRICES!
THAT PLACE IS THE
Great Bazaar of
SELDNER & CO.
THE NEW BUILDING
Corner Penn. Av. and 7th St.
SUPERIOR GOODS, LOW PRICES.
SUPERIOR GOODS, LOW PRICES.
SUPERIOR GOODS, LOW PRICES.
☞ Remember the CLOTHING CAPITAL ☜
GO TO THE GREAT BAZAAR
OF
SELDNER & CO.
June 22—y

309 309
JOHN R. ELVAN & CO.,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
HARDWARE,
of all Kinds and Colors Making,
BAR IRON AND STEEL,
309 Penn. Avenue, between 9th and 10th Sts.
Washington, D. C.
ALWAYS ON HAND a well selected Stock of

Hoes	Coffin Handles
Shovels	" Laces
Forks	" Plates
Rakes	" Screws
Sleds	Screw Rings
Traces	Cupboard Locks
Tongues	Sash Pulleys
Bows	Glue
Clevises	Chisels
Hollows	Plane Irons
Nuts & Washers	Bits
Bands	Screw Drivers
Axles	Hammers
Springs	Hatchets
Plow Plates	Cork Screws
Corck Handles	Tape Measures
Corck Locks	Nails
Washer Cutters	Spikes
&c. &c. &c.	Files
	Rasps
Hair Cloth	Screll
Gimps	Band
Screws	Tire
Jacks	Shoe
Brads	
Casters	
Reps	
Sofa Springs	
Curled Hair	
Moss	

IRON: Tire, Spring, Cast, Blister, Round. STEEL.

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GREAT ATTRACTION!
HAMILTON & CO.,
No. 502 7th Street, Washington, D. C.
MANUFACTURERS & DEALERS IN
SASH, BLINDS, DOORS, MOULDINGS, BRACKETS, MANTLES, &c.
TO CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS.
$10,000! $10,000!
TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH OF—
SASH, DOORS, BLINDS, MOULDINGS, SLATE MANTLES, BRACKETS, NEWEL POSTS & BALUSTERS
All now in store, and will be sold Cheap! Cheap!! CHEAP!!!
Call and examine—
500 DOORS, 500 Pair BLINDS,
1000 WINDOW SASH,
100,000 Pieces of MOULDINGS,
That has just arrived from different States of the Union, and the Best and Cheapest ever before offered in this or the surrounding cities.
Call and see our first class Doors! Call and see our first class Blinds! In fact, call and see all the different styles, sizes, qualities, and prices, and satisfy your own mind, at 502 Seventh Street, opposite Centre Market, Washington city, D. C.
H. W. HAMILTON & CO.
502 Seventh St., Washington, D. C.
feb 3—1y

LUMBER FOR SALE.
ALL KINDS OF LUMBER that are used for Building Materials, in this neighborhood, for sale on very reasonable terms, including—
White and Yellow PINE BOARDS;
DRESSED FLOORING;
JOIST & SCANTLING, different lengths;
TIMBER; Also, LATHS & SHINGLES.
A full assortment kept constantly on hand. Call, before purchasing, at
J. LIBBY & SON,
Office No. 17 Water Street,
july 13—1y Georgetown, D. C.

SPECTACLES.
GOLD, Silver and fine Steel SPECTACLES & Eye-Glasses, &c. of every focus. Also Opera and Shell Reading Glasses. A large assortment of the above always on hand.
Particular attention paid to the selection of glasses suited to the eyes of wearers.
M. W. GALT & BRO., Jewellers,
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mar 25 Washington, D. C.

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ETCHISON & DORSEY,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
SOUTH CHARLES STREET,
oct 19—1y BALTIMORE, MD.

JOHN T. CLARKE,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL
GROCER & COMMISSION MERCHANT,
DEALER IN
Foreign and Domestic WINES, LIQUORS, TOBACCO, SEGARS, &c.
No. 554 West Pratt St., near Light,
BALTIMORE, MD.
oct 19—12m

CHARLES DUNLAP,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
GROCER AND TEA DEALER,
Corner of Howard & Lexington Sts.
BALTIMORE, MD.
Has on hand a general assortment of
GROCERIES, TEAS, WINES, LIQUORS, CIGARS, &c.
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W. WHITELOCK, S. S. WOOLSTON.
W. Whitelock & Co.
Commission Merchants,
MANUFACTURERS OF
Super-Phosphate of Lime,
AND DEALERS IN
Guano, Bone Dust, Seeds, &c.
South Street, BALTIMORE,
oct 19—12m Opposite Exchange Place.

H. DUVALL. G. L. IGLEHART.
DUVALL & IGLEHART,
Produce Commission Merchants
AND DEALERS IN
BACON, FLOUR, WHEAT, TOBACCO, GRAIN, &c.
No. 128 Light St., N. W. corner Conway St.
oct 19—1y BALTIMORE, MD.

BELT, BOWIE & CO.
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Corner of Pratt and Bank Streets,
Near the Long Bridge, BALTIMORE
☞ Especial attention given to the Sale of Tobacco. ☜
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W. HENRY JOHNSON
—DEALER IN—
Solid Brass Cocks, Patent Yard Cocks, Patent Carpet Locks, Brass and Iron Door Locks, Brass and Japanned Door Knobs, Brass and Japanned Door Plates, Door Bells, Door Springs, Door Knobs, Door Trimmings, Door Knobs and Plates, Door Locks, Door Latches