

The New Albany Ledger reports a terrible accident on the Ohio and Mississippi railroad, near Leogoteo, Ind. last week. A freight train bound east, and a soldier's train bound west, collided. The engineer and firemen of both trains were killed, and while an angry dispute arose between the conductors as to the blame, another freight train from the east ran into the train of soldiers at the station, killing fifteen men and wounding one hundred and fifty, many fatally. The soldiers belonged to Illinois and Missouri regiments. [This last account has been contradicted—and the whole story said to be exaggerated.]

A financial truce appears to have been agreed to on the part of business men in New York. The bulls and bears, longs and shorts of Wall street, after four years of intense excitement and unremitting vigilance, promise themselves a recess, and a visit to the country and the watering places, preparatory to a renewal of operations in the autumn.

It is stated that some five thousand bales of cotton are to be shipped from New York to Liverpool, which will command exchange to the amount of six hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

A gentleman, while walking the street at Des Moines, Iowa, during a thunder storm the other evening, had one of his eyes completely destroyed by lightning, without other injury.

Admiral David D. Porter has been appointed Superintendent of the Naval Academy at Annapolis. He will assume the duties of his new position immediately upon the return of the school from its summer cruise.

Junius Brutus Booth, brother to the assassin, was last week unconditionally released from the Old Capitol prison, by order of the Secretary of War.

Gen. Halleck has telegraphed to Lynchburg that Col. Moseby will be paroled on the same terms as other Confederate officers.

We are assured that the statement of a counterfeit \$5 national currency note being in circulation is untrue.

Great destitution prevails in the interior Southern States where there are no communications by water or rail.

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**W. OWENS,**  
Corner of Alfred and Duke streets.  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.,  
Offers to the public his stock of MARBLE at very reduced prices.  
Call and examine for yourselves.  
Lettering done, in first rate style, at \$5 per hundred. je 22—tf

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Pine wood, \$6 50 per cord.  
Oak " 8 00 "  
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Takes at once the first rank among all ophthalmics yet known, and has proved to be the greatest blessing to thousands of sufferers in Europe for over 20 years. It cannot be too highly recommended to all men of business, especially to bank and other officers, bookkeepers, clerks, artisans, and all such as are obliged to work much by artificial light, or fire; artists, and to Ladies much engaged in reading, or fine needlework. It will not only strengthen and improve weak eyes but speedily cure all inflammation, cold, or lameness of the eyelids, but also, remove the beginning cataract, and its use will positively insure against blindness.

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For sale by most Druggists.

Jan. 3—tf

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**HENRY COOK,**  
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Leather, Findings, Uppers, &c.  
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ALEXANDRIA, VA. my 12—3m

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Dealers in  
**Groceries & Provisions**  
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**FAMILY GROCERIES & PROVISIONS**  
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The steamers C. Vanderbilt and Express will leave Baltimore every Tuesday and Friday, at 5 o'clock P. M., for Alexandria, Washington and Georgetown, stopping at all the usual landings on the Potomac River. Returning, will leave Washington every Saturday and Wednesday, at 6 o'clock, a. m., and leave Alexandria at 7 o'clock, a. m.—Stopping at the usual Landings on the River.  
For information, freight or passage, apply to A. Needham & Sons, 142, Light st. Wharf, Baltimore; J. Broders & Co. No. 3, King st.; Alexandria; Morgan, Rhinehart & Co., No. 104 Water st. and 241 F street, Washington and Georgetown. my 20—tf

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