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FOR THE SALE OF WHEAT, FLOUR, BUTTER

AND ALL OTHERS.

To Which They Give Their Undivided

Attention.

Richmond, Sept. 3, 1856.

M. BLAIR & CO.

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## POETRY.

The Marchioness's Dream.

By J. A. L. WADDELL, Jr.

My pipe is in its golden sheath,

My sword is in its scabbard,

My lance is in its rest,

My bow is in its bow,

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## FROM A NEW YEAR.

By J. A. L. WADDELL, Jr.

From a New Year, fashionable article in the

New York Dispatch was written the following:

We should think it was written by a lady, and

she gives some common sense advice which

some people would do well to heed.

Of two rival belles met at an evening party

the pleasure of one is destroyed if the other

happens to wear a more elegant dress, or if

she has a greater number of guests, or if

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## CHRONICLE OF THE DAY.

By J. A. L. WADDELL, Jr.

On Monday, the 13th inst., a correspondent

of the New York Dispatch, writing from

London, writes that the following prophecy

from an ancient Greek book, the Sibylline

oracles, was found among his papers:

"Christus tuus dominus est."

"Thou art the Lord of Christ."

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