Consuming Mosaics:

Mass-Produced Goods and Contours of Choice in the Upper Potomac Region

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The following listing provides a sample of merchant advertisements in newspapers published and distributed in the Upper Potomac and northern Shenandoah region in the period of 1750-1865. This is a limited sample. Area archives preserve only fragments of the total number of newspaper editions published in that time period and region. The earliest dates in this sample begin in 1792. Having reviewed some of those editions available in local archives, I list below the pertinent information of selected merchant advertisements, with a focus on whether the merchants emphasized the availability of domestic or imported ceramic house wares, the varieties of goods available through local merchants, and the geographic spread of wholesale and retail markets.

Part I lists the newspaper sources I was able to locate and review in local archives. Part II lists, in chronological order, pertinent information from merchants' advertisements that provided information related to the sale of general merchandise.

I. Sources

The Genius of Liberty, published in Leesburg, Loudoun County, Virginia. Excerpts available on microfilm at the Thomas Balch Library, Leesburg, Virginia.

The Loudoun Chronicle, published in Leesburg, Virginia. Excerpts available on microfilm at the Thomas Balch Library, Leesburg, Virginia.

Virginia Centinel & Gazette: Winchester Political Repository, published in Winchester, Frederick County, Virginia. Excerpts available on microfilm at the Library of Virginia, Richmond, Virginia.

Virginia Free Press and Farmer's Repository, published in Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia (later West Virginia). Excerpts available on microfilm at the Library of Virginia, Richmond, Virginia.

The Washingtonian, published in Leesburg, Virginia. Excerpts available on microfilm at the Thomas Balch Library, Leesburg, Virginia.

Winchester Gazette, published in Winchester, Virginia. Excerpts available on microfilm at the Library of Virginia, Richmond, Virginia.

Winchester Virginian, published in Winchester, Virginia. Excerpts available on microfilm at the Library of Virginia, Richmond, Virginia.

II. General Merchandise Advertisements

General merchants "Gamul & John Dowdall" note their "very advantageous location to the City of Philadelphia," with a store in Winchester, Frederick County, and one in Stephensburg, Jefferson County, and list a broad array of product types and housewares, but with no mention of English-made goods or ceramics in particular. *Virginia Centinel & Gazette: Winchester Political Repository*, January 7, 1792, Vol. 4, No. 197, p. 1, col. 2. A similar ad was published June 4, 1792, Vol. 5, No. 218, p. 3, col. 4, with no mention of English-made housewares, ceramics or other imports.

Daniel Norton at "his New Store, The sign of The Plough, in Winchester," offering for sale "Goods Suitable to all Seasons"; no mention of English-made goods or ceramics; also notes that "He buys and sells FURS and SKINS of every description, and will be constantly furnished with a quantity of each." *Virginia Centinel & Gazette: Winchester Political Repository*, January 7, 1792, Vol. 4, No. 197, p. 3, col. 4.

Cor O'Laughlin in Winchester, offering for sale a recently received supply of goods, including a broad array of fabric types, "European and West India Goods," "frying pans and pewter," men's and women's clothing, "west India and Jamaica spirits," but no mention of English ceramic goods. Also notes: "Wanted to Purchase, A quantity of red DEER SKINS." *Virginia Centinel & Gazette: Winchester Political Repository*, January 7, 1792, Vol. 4, No. 197, p. 4, col. 3.

"William Holliday's Store," located in Winchester, stating that he had "Just Received from Philadelphia, a large and beautiful assortment of Fall Goods"; sets forth a list of the goods; there is no mention of English-made ceramics or other specific imports. *Virginia Centinel & Gazette: Winchester Political Repository*, January 28, 1792, Vol. 4, No. 200, p. 1, col. 1. Similar ads were published in the *Virginia Centinel & Gazette: Winchester Political Repository*, June 11, 1792, Vol. 5, No. 219, p. 3, col. 4; and November 16, 1792, Vol. 5, No. 243, p. 1, col. 2, with no mention of English-made housewares, ceramics or other imports.

"O'Neal's Ready Money Store" in Winchester, offering for sale a broad assortment of goods, including: "Old Jamaica Spirits, Antigua Ditto, West India Rum, Windward Island Ditto, Continental Ditto, Best Holland Gin, on draft, Best Ditto, in cafes, French Brandy"; numerous wine types listed; "a large supply of Medicines and Dye Stuffs"; "Tin Wares, Glass and Earthen Ware, almost of every description"; no mention of Englishmade ceramic goods; states that "Charles O'Neal assures his friends and public, that he will dispose of the above Goods, either by wholesale or retail on as good terms as goods of the same quality are disposed of in the city of Philadelphia." *Virginia Centinel & Gazette: Winchester Political Repository*, January 28, 1792, Vol. 4, No. 200, p. 3, col. 3.

Robert Gray, in Winchester, offering for sale a "general assortment of the best Goods that could be collected from the fine wholesale Warehouses in Philadelphia, fitting for all the seasons"; includes a lengthy list of goods available for sale, including many fabric types and clothing types, "London and Bristol pewter; [illegible] and pewter table & tea spoons; china and Liverpool cups & saucers; large and small dishes & plates; chamberpots & wash-basons; enamelled, variegated & plain tea-pots; cream-jugs, sugar-bowls &

paper [illegible]; quart & pint enamelled & plain bowls; quart, pint & half-pint decanters; gallon, quart & pint bottles" and "Dutch and English Books." *Virginia Centinel & Gazette: Winchester Political Repository*, January 28, 1792, Vol. 4, No. 200, p. 4, col. 2.

John McAlister, in Winchester; offering for sale a broad array of goods and groceries, including "ironmongery" goods; no mention of imported goods or Philadelphia suppliers. *Virginia Centinel & Gazette: Winchester Political Repository*, January 28, 1792, Vol. 4, No. 200, p. 4, col. 4. A similar ad was published in the *Virginia Centinel & Gazette: Winchester Political Repository*, November 16, 1792, Vol. 5, No. 243, p. 4, col. 2, with no mention of English-made housewares, ceramics or other imports.

Thomas Vowell in Winchester, offering for sale a broad array of goods, hardware, groceries, including "a large assortment of Queens Ware, Dishes, Plates, Cups and Saucers, and Glass Ware unusually cheap." *Winchester Gazette*, January 7, 1801, [Vol. and No. illegible], p. 4, col. 2.

Hugh Thompson in Loudoun County, offering for sale "Goods Just Received from Baltimore and Alexandria," including "Grocery, Hardware, China, Queens Ware and Glass Ware lines"; the glass wares include "decanters, mugs, and sugar dishes, flowered tumblers, stock glasses, black and green bottles." *Winchester Gazette*, January 7, 1801, [Vol. and No. illegible], p. 4, col. 3.

Joseph Gamble and John Hodge in Winchester, offering for sale an array of goods, including "assorted stock of Queens Ware and Hollow Glass." *Winchester Gazette*, August 12, 1801, Vol. 14, No. 694, p. 1, col. 1.

William Newby's store in Winchester, offering for sale various goods, including "Glass and Queens Ware." *Winchester Gazette*, August 12, 1801, Vol. 14, No. 694, p. 5, col. 1.

A "New Cash Store" by George Janney, offering for sale "Dry Goods and Groceries, and located on his plantation in Loudoun County, one mile from Nickols' Mill"; no mention of ceramics, housewares or imports. *The Washingtonian*, July 24, 1810, Vol. 2, No. 86, p. 4, col. 3.

Samuel Miller in Leesburg, offering for sale "Dry Goods, Groceries, and Queens-ware." *The Washingtonian*, July 24, 1810, Vol. 2, No. 86, p. 4, col. 3.

Samuel Carr in Leesburg, offering for sale of "a very handsome assortment of SUMMER GOODS" with no mention of ceramics, house wares or imports. *The Washingtonian*, July 24, 1810, Vol. 2, No. 86, p. 4, col. 3.

John J. Harding in Loudoun County, offering for sale of "a very considerable supply of SPRING GOODS," with no mention of ceramics, house wares or imports. *The Washingtonian*, July 24, 1810, Vol. 2, No. 86, p. 4, col. 4.

John Potter & Company in Leesburg, offering for sale "a large and handsome assortment of GOODS" with no mention of ceramics, house wares or imports. *The Washingtonian*, October 16, 1810, Vol. 2, No. 89, p. 4, col. 2.

Samuel Miller in Leesburg, offering for sale "a handsome assortment of GOODS" with no mention of ceramics, house wares or imports. *The Washingtonian*, October 16, 1810, Vol. 2, No. 89, p. 4, col. 2.

- L. G. Bell in Leesburg, offering for sale "an additional supply of SUMMER GOODS," listing types of imported wines and spirits, and "groceries," "paints and nails," "Hardware & Cutlery & Books Assorted," but with no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, October 16, 1810, Vol. 2, No. 89, p. 4, col. 2.
- L. G. Bell in Leesburg, stating he "Has just received from *Philadelphia*, *Baltimore* and *Alexandria Ten Thousand Dollars worth* of FRESH SPRING GOODS" (italics in original), including various types of clothing and fabrics, imported wines and spirits, and "A large invoice of elegant Glass and Queen's ware." He notes that "The subscriber [i.e. L. G. Bell as merchant] will take as usual all kinds of country produce in exchange for goods." *The Washingtonian*, April 30, 1811, Vol. 3, No. 126, p. 3, col. 3.

George Rust in Leesburg, advertising a "New Store" and stating that he "has just received from Philadelphia and Baltimore, a handsome assortment of *Spring & Summer Goods*" (italics in original), which he "is determined to sell low for cash or country produce"; with no detail of goods offered for sale and no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, April 30, 1811, Vol. 3, No. 126, p. 3, col. 4.

Samuel Miller in Leesburg, offering for sale "a general assortment of *Spring & Summer Goods*" (italics in original) with no mention of house wares, ceramics or imports. *The Washingtonian*, May 7, 1811, Vol. 3, No. 126, p. 4, col. 1.

L. G. Bell in Leesburg, stating he "Has just received from *Philadelphia, Baltimore* and *Alexandria Ten Thousand Dollars worth* of FRESH SPRING GOODS" (italics in original), including various types of clothing and fabrics, imported wines and spirits, and "A large invoice of elegant Glass and Queen's ware." He notes that "The subscriber will take as usual all kinds of country produce in exchange for goods." He also notes he has "A large and very general supply of the best PAINTS, which I will sell at as low prices as they can be had for in Alexandria." *The Washingtonian*, May 7, 1811, Vol. 3, No. 126, p. 4, col. 2.

George Janney in Loudoun County, offering for sale "NEW GOODS" including "an elegant assortment of Dry Goods, Hardware, Groceries, and a well laid in assortment of Medicines," with no mention of ceramics. He notes that "All kinds of Grain will be taken at cash price." *The Washingtonian*, May 7, 1811, Vol. 3, No. 126, p. 4, col. 4.

George and James Rust in Leesburg, offering for sale "New & Cheap Goods," stating they "Have just received from Philadelphia and Baltimore 13,000 Dollars worth of seasonable goods and groceries," and 1,500 pounds of "Factory Cotton," with no detailed description of the goods and no mention of ceramics. *The Genius of Liberty*, April 29,

1817, Vol. 1, No. 16, p. 4, col. 3. The same ad was published in *The Genius of Liberty*, May 6, 1817, Vol. 1, No. 17, p. 4, col. 4.

J. C. Quick in Leesburg, advertising a "New Establishment" selling "an elegant assortment of Groceries," listing an array of foods, condiments and sundries, and "a small but an elegant assortment of DRY GOODS, Queen's ware and glass ware." He notes that "Country farmers who have any market produce for sale, shall receive the highest cash prices customary in Leesburg delivered at my store." *The Genius of Liberty*, April 29, 1817, Vol. 1, No. 16, p. 4, col. 3.

Triplett & Neale in Alexandria, offering for sale "Spring Goods" that were "Received by the subscribers, at their Warehouse on King Street, per the brig Eliza Ann, from Dublin, a general assortment of CUT and PLAIN GLASS," including "Elegant oval & square dishes, Do. Sallads, Celery glasses, Decanters, Wines, Tumblers, Jellies, Salts, Tincture rounds, Vase lamps, completely mounted, Flower root glasses, Goblets, Lemonades, Wine coolers, Egg cups, Hock glasses, Pint bottles, Creams, Castor bottles, Nipple shells, Large specious mo. Jan. Patties, Inks, Mustards, Urinals, Pitchers, &c, &c, &c." They also offer for sale "By Other Arrivals A general assortment of English and Canton CHINA." *The Genius of Liberty*, May 6, 1817, Vol. 1, No. 17, p. 4, col. 3.

Charles Slade in Alexandria, stating that he has "received by the ship Franklin from Liverpool via Baltimore, a part of his spring importation of Hardware" and that he "has always on hand a supply of domestic goods on consignment which he is enabled to sell at the Philadelphia manufactory prices, among which are Blistered steel, caols, cotton twist, Weavers' seeds, cotton & wool cards, Shovels, spades, a few trunks, British cotton hosiery, &c, &c, &c." The printer notes at the end of this advertisement that it will also be printed in the Winchester papers. *The Genius of Liberty*, May 13, 1817, Vol. 1, No. 18, p. 3, col. 3.

R. Bentley in Leesburg, stating that he has just moved his operation to the house formerly occupied by James H. Hamilton, and "has just received from Baltimore (in addition to his former stock)" an array of goods, including groceries, teas, condiments, wines, grains, "Wooden Ware," "Stone do.," "Together with a general assortment of CHINA, GLASS and QUEEN's WARE." *The Genius of Liberty*, August 12, 1817, Vol. 1, No. 31, p. 3, col. 4.

Shaw & Tiffany on Market Street in Baltimore, stating they "Respectfully inform the merchants of Loudoun and [illegible] counties that they are regularly supplied by the northern manufacturers with a large and extensive assortment of Domestic Goods & Cotton Yarn which they are authorized to sell at the *Philadelphia prices*, and on very liberal terms" (italics in original). *The Genius of Liberty*, September 23, 1817, Vol. 1, No. 37, p. 3, col. 4.

Triplett & Neale in Alexandria, offering for sale "FALL GOODS," stating that "WE have received per the Amanda and other arrivals, our Fall supply of China, Glass & Earthen Ware comprising a very general assortment." *The Genius of Liberty*, September 23, 1817, Vol. 1, No. 37, p. 3, col. 4.

Williamson & Shawen in Waterford, Loudoun County, stating that they have "just received and are now opening an extensive assortment of Seasonable Goods, which have been purchased at the very lowest Philadelphia cash prices, and will subsequently be sold unusually low. ALSO B as usual, a very general assortment of HARDWARE, QUEEN'S WARE, GROCERIES." *The Genius of Liberty*, November 11, 1817, Vol. 1, No. 44, p. 3, col. 4.

Thomas Beatty in Leesburg, stating that he has for sale "22 Boxes of Window Glass." *The Genius of Liberty*, November 11, 1817, Vol. 1, No. 44, p. 3, col. 4.

Humpreys & Conrad in Leesburg, offering for sale a broad array of goods, described in detail, including clothing and fabrics, groceries, but no mention of ceramics. *The Genius of Liberty*, December 23, 1817, Vol. 1, No. 51, p. 1, col. 1.

Humphreys & Conrad in Leesburg, offering for sale merchandise "purchased at the Philadelphia and Baltimore markets" including "Bar Iron, Strap Iron, Castings, Crowly and Blister Steel, Cut Nails, Brads, Scythes, Sickles, &c." *The Genius of Liberty*, June 23, 1818, Vol. 2, No. 24, p. 1, col. 2.

Triplett & Neale, in Alexandria, offering for sale "Spring Goods," stating "We have just received per ship Edward, via Baltimore; and Amity via New York, from Liverpool, our Spring supply of CHINA, GLASS and Queen's-Ware. ALSO, Porter Bottles which we will sell by the original package." *The Genius of Liberty*, June 23, 1818, Vol. 2, No. 24, p. 1, col. 3.

Triplet & Neal, in Alexandria, stating "Have received by different arrivals from Liverpool; their Fall supply of CHINA, GLASS AND EARTHEN WARE also a handsome assortment of Fine Cutlery and Hardware." *The Genius of Liberty*, November 30, 1819, Vol. 3, No. 46, p. 4, col. 2. (This is a variant spelling of the firm name, Triplett & Neale.)

Thomas B. Beatty and Otho R. Beatty, in Loudoun County, offering for sale "a handsome assortment of CHINA, GLASS & QUEEN'S WARE," along with groceries and hardware. *The Genius of Liberty*, November 30, 1819, Vol. 3, No. 46, p. 4, col. 4.

Hurxthal and N. Norris, on Market Street in Baltimore, offering for sale "an extensive assortment of Hardware, Cutlery, Saddlery & Brass Ware," but no mention of ceramics. *The Genius of Liberty*, May 16, 1820, Vol. 4, No. 18, p. 1, col. 1.

Triplett & Neale in Alexandria, stating they "Have received their Spring Goods, per ship Hope, consisting of China, Glass, and Earthenware, also Porter Bottles," "Window Glass" and "Cutlery and Hardware" and that "Dealers in the above articles will be supplied on the best terms." *The Genius of Liberty*, May 16, 1820, Vol. 4, No. 18, p. 1, col. 1.

C. Shawen & Co. in Waterford, Loudoun County, offering for sale of goods, but providing no details. *The Genius of Liberty*, May 16, 1820, Vol. 4, No. 18, p. 1, col. 2.

- Clark Gordon, located in Winchester, offering for sale "Spring Goods" of "French, English, German and American Manufacture" including "Hardware, Queensware and Groceries." *Winchester Virginian*, April 25, 1828, Vol. 14, No. 23, p. 3, col. 5.
- Geo. W. Hammond "at his New Store in Charlestown," stating that the store "Is now receiving and opening a fresh supply of Seasonable Goods (having just returned from Baltimore,) among which are to be found" a variety of goods, including fabric types, clothing, and some home furnishings; no mention of English-made ceramic wares or imports. *Virginia Free Press and Farmer's Repository*, January 6, 1830, Vol. 22, No. 45, p. 4, col. 3.
- Joseph L. Russell & Co. in Harpers Ferry, offering for sale "More Fall and Winter Goods," including "Hard Wares, Queens and Glass Ware, Groceries, &c." *Virginia Free Press and Farmer's Repository*, January 6, 1830, Vol. 22, No. 45, p. 4, col. 3.
- Joseph L. Russell in Harpers Ferry, offering for sale goods received in "Second Arrival of New, Cheap, and Elegant Spring & Summer Goods, at Market Square, Harpers Ferry" and listing a broad array fabrics, clothing and other goods; no mention of ceramics. *Virginia Free Press and Farmer's Repository*, June 30, 1830, Vol. 23, No. 18, p. 4, col. 5
- Rupert & Kownsale in Smithfield, Loudoun County, advertising a "New Store" and stating that "Their Stock consists of entire New Goods of the latest importation, selected with great care in the markets of Philadelphia and Baltimore, and bough entirely for cash, on most reasonable terms"; further states that "they are determined to sell at a small advance for cash, or on the usual credit to punctual customers"; no further detail is stated as to the nature of the imported goods. *Virginia Free Press and Farmer's Repository*, July 14, 1830, Vol. 23, No. 20, p. 3, col. 3.
- N. A. Hinkle in Snickersville, Loudoun County, offering sale of clothing and fabrics; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, November 12, 1836, Vol. 31, No. 10, p. 3, col. 2.
- A. S. A. Rogers in Middleburg, Loudoun County, offering sale of a broad array of "Fall Goods," received from "Philadelphia and Baltimore," without describing goods in detail; stating that goods will be sold "AS LOW as they can be had in the neighbour-hood, or this side of the tide water," and that "All sorts of grain, and domestic linsey, will be taken at the highest prices." *The Washingtonian*, November 12, 1836, Vol. 31, No. 10, p. 3, col. 2.
- D. G. Smith in Loudoun County, offering sale of a "New Stock Hardware &c." including "Wood Ware generally, tea trays, Britannia tea & Coffee pots," stoves, bar and rod iron, and various hardware items. *The Washingtonian*, November 12, 1836, Vol. 31, No. 10, p. 3, col. 3.

Graham Miller in Lovettsville, Loudoun County, offering sale of a broad array of "Fall and Winter Goods" recently obtained in Baltimore, including groceries, "Hardware, Queensware, Tin Ware, Hats, Shoes, Fruit, Castings, & Cook & Ten Plate Stoves," and

- stating that "All kinds of county produce taken for goods." *The Washingtonian*, November 12, 1836, Vol. 31, No. 10, p. 3, col. 4.
- L. D. Worley in Waterford, Loudoun County, offering sale of a broad array of "Fall and Winter Goods," including fabrics, clothing, shoes, groceries, drugs, "Glass and Queen's Ware," and stating that "Rags, and all kinds of produce taken in exchange for goods, at the highest market prices." *The Washingtonian*, November 12, 1836, Vol. 31, No. 10, p. 3, col. 4.
- R. Bentley in Loudoun County, offering sale of a broad array of "Fall and Winter Goods," including fabrics, clothing, shoes; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, November 12, 1836, Vol. 31, No. 10, p. 3, col. 6.
- William N. McVeigh in Alexandria, offering sale of a broad array of groceries, fabrics, clothing, wines, spirits, and stating that his goods were "purchased by the subscriber with usual care in the New York market, and a principal portion at auction from direct importations . . . and will sell as low as can be purchased in Baltimore or the District of Columbia"; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, November 12, 1836, Vol. 31, No. 10, p. 4, col. 3.
- Alex. Johnson in Leesburg, offering sale of "Fresh Groceries, Together with a Large Stock of Cutlery, China, Glass, Earthenware, Britannia Ware," fabrics, clothing, shoes, and other "fancy" articles. *The Washingtonian*, November 12, 1836, Vol. 31, No. 10, p. 4, col. 5.
- Jon. A. Klein in Loudoun County, stating he has "just returned from Philadelphia with a large and superior assortment" of jewelry, watches, silver plated wares, "Britannia Coffee & Tea Pots," and other "fancy" goods. *The Washingtonian*, November 12, 1836, Vol. 31, No. 10, p. 4, col. 5.
- L. D. Worley, in Waterford, Loudoun County, offering sale of "New stock of Spring and Summer Goods," including fabrics, clothing groceries, and "a complete assortment of Shoes & Queensware, Tin Ware, Wooden Ware, Hardware, &c. &c," and stating that "All kinds of produce taken in exchange for goods." *The Washingtonian*, July 8, 1837, Vol. [illegible], No. 1, p. 3, col. 3.
- William N. McVeigh, in Alexandria, offering sale of "Sugars, Coffees, Teas, Molasses, &c. &c. &c.," including wines, spices, stationery, household implements, but no mention of ceramics, and stating that the store was "Now receiving per schooners Victoria and Alexandria, from New York and in store -- & offered to country dealers, and purchasers generally, wholesale and retail, on as accommodating terms as can be had in this place or Baltimore." *The Washingtonian*, July 8, 1837, Vol. [illegible], No. 1, p. 3, col. 3.
- T. H. Harrison in Leesburg, offering sale of "Fall and Winter Goods," but providing no detailed description of the goods; no ceramics mentioned. *The Washingtonian*, February 9, 1839, Vol. 33, No. 32, p. 4, col. 1.

- D. G. Smith in Loudoun County, offering sale of "Woodware and Tinware in all their varieties, stove pipes, drums, Stoves, all kinds; Ivory, Cocoa, and Buck handled Knives and Forks." *The Washingtonian*, February 9, 1839, Vol. 33, No. 32, p. 4, col. 3.
- C. B. Wildman in Loudoun County, offering sale of fabrics and "dry goods"; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, February 9, 1839, Vol. 33, No. 32, p. 4, col. 3.

Glessner & Young in Loudoun County, offering sale of a broad array of fabrics and clothing, and stating that they "are receiving from Philadelphia and Baltimore their supply of Fall and Winter Goods"; no ceramics mentioned. *The Washingtonian*, February 9, 1839, Vol. 33, No. 32, p. 4, col. 5.

Cleary & Addision in Washington, D.C., offering sale of coffee, teas, spirits, and wines; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, February 9, 1839, Vol. 33, No. 32, p. 4, col. 5.

F. J. Conrad in Waterford, Loudoun County, offering for sale "Dry Goods, Groceries, Hats, Boots, Shoes, Chinaware, Pottersware, Tinware, Cutlery, Hardware, Drugs, Medicines, Dye Stuffs" to be sold for cash or "to good Customers on a short credit." *The Washingtonian*, May 25, 1844, Vol. 38, No. 48, p. 4, col. 2.

Hugh Smith & Co. in Alexandria, offering for sale "China and Earthenware," including "Dining Sets, blue and fancy, imitation China, Lime Stone China, white blue, &c. &c.; Tea sets, China gilt and plain in every variety; Glassware, cut, plain and pressed; Stone Ware -- an excellent article; Window glass, warranted the best quality; Redford Crown Glass at factory rates; Best English plated &c., Castors; Dixon & Son's celebrated Britannia Tea Sets; Solar lamps -- cut and plain shades &c." and other products. *The Washingtonian*, May 25, 1844, Vol. 38, No. 48, p. 4, col. 2.

Schooley & Luckett in Lovettsville, Loudoun County, offering for sale "Dry Goods, Groceries, Crockery and Hardware, Drugs, Boots, Shoes, Hats &c." *The Washingtonian*, May 25, 1844, Vol. 38, No. 48, p. 4, col. 3.

- R. H. Miller, in Alexandria, offering for sale "115 Boxes of new Window Glass." *The Washingtonian*, May 25, 1844, Vol. 38, No. 48, p. 4, col. 3.
- D. G. Smith in Loudoun County, offering for sale a "New stock of Hardware," including "Knives and Forks, Spoons, Ladles, Hatchets, Broad axes, Planes, Cross Cut Saws," "Nails (all kinds)" and other hardware products; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, May 25, 1844, Vol. 38, No. 48, p. 4, col. 3.

McVeigh & Brothers in Alexandria, offering for sale an extensive array of groceries, fabrics, household implements, wines, spirits, received in the store "per schooner Victory and other vessels, from New York," and stating they will sell these goods "upon as favorable terms, as they can be bought in the District or Baltimore." Further states that "Our Canal will in a few days be open for transportation of Produce and Merchandize, and we most cordially invite our Valley friends and those bordering on the Canal, as also

dealers generally to call and examine our very extensive assortment." *The Washingtonian*, May 25, 1844, Vol. 38, No. 48, p. 4, col. 4.

Advertisement for a "New Cash Store" located "near Valley Bank, Winchester" by Bayly and Hendricks, with an array of products, including "Queensware, Hardware, Liquors, and a general stock of Groceries." *Winchester Virginian*, June 25, 1845, Vol. 19, No. 26, p. 3, col. 4.

Vandevanter & Downs, in Leesburg, offering sale of dry goods, groceries, and "China, Glass & Crockeryware," and stating that "Country produce bought and sold." *The Loudoun Chronicle*, July 3, 1846, Vol. 1, No. 21, p. 3, col. 4.

Leesburg Machine Manufactory in Leesburg, offering sale of machined products, including thrashing machines, wheat fans, corn shellers, farm and road wagons, and ploughs. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, July 3, 1846, Vol. 1, No. 21, p. 3, col. 4.

James H. Benedum in Leesburg, offering sale of groceries, hardware, clothing, shoes, and "a fine assortment of HOLLOW WARE, such as Ovens, Pots and Skilletts, &c." *The Loudoun Chronicle*, July 10, 1846, Vol. 1, No. 22, p. 4, col. 3.

- J. W. W. Gordon, "Druggist," in Baltimore, addressed to "Merchants, Physicians, and Others," offering sale of "Medicines, Drugs, DyeStuffs, Paints, Oils, Glass, Varnish, Brushes, &c. &c.," no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, July 10, 1846, Vol. 1, No. 22, p. 4, col. 4.
- S. M. & A. K. Peiser in Leesburg, offering sale of "ready Made Clothing"; no mention of ceramics *The Loudoun Chronicle*, July 10, 1846, Vol. 1, No. 22, p. 4, col. 4.

McVeigh & Brothers in Alexandria, offering for sale an extensive array of groceries, fabrics, household implements, wines, spirits, received in the store "direct from New York and Boston," but with no listing of ceramics. They state that: "The ready and cheap mode of transportation, afforded by the canal, renders this market particularly desirable for merchants and other dealers contiguous thereto; and would respectfully suggest this as one of the many inducements which they now offer." They also state that: "The larger portion of the above stock having been purchased for cash, from the manufacturers, in New England, . . . they feel fully prepared to offer to their customers and dealers generally, great bargains, and upon as liberal terms as can be had in the Northern cities." *The Washingtonian*, July 25, 1846, Vol. 41, No. 5, p. 4, col. 5.

R. P. Jackson, Grocer, located on the Canal in Georgetown, D.C., offering sale of an assortment of groceries; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, November 27, 1846, Vol. 1, No. 42, p. 3, col. 2.

Wm. Cline of Loudoun County, offering sale of various types of lumber; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, November 27, 1846, Vol. 1, No. 42, p. 3, col. 3.

Vandevanter & Downs, in Loudoun County, offering sale of dry goods, groceries, and "crockeryware," and stating that "Country produce taken in exchange for goods." *The Loudoun Chronicle*, November 27, 1846, Vol. 1, No. 42, p. 3, col. 3.

- A. T. Peebles in Loudoun County, offering sale of watches, jewelry, spectacles, and other fancy goods; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, November 27, 1846, Vol. 1, No. 42, p. 3, col. 3.
- J. E. S. Hough in Leesburg, offering sale of clocks, watches, jewelry, silver smith products, and other fancy goods; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, November 27, 1846, Vol. 1, No. 42, p. 3, col. 3.

McPherson & Nixon in Loudoun County, offering sale of fabrics, clothing, boots and shoes, hardware, "Queensware," and groceries watches. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, November 27, 1846, Vol. 1, No. 42, p. 3, col. 4.

Dallam & Miller in Baltimore, offering wholesale and retail sale of dry goods; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, November 27, 1846, Vol. 1, No. 42, p. 3, col. 4.

Gregg & James, "Tobacco, Snuff and Cigar Manufactory," in Philmont, Loudoun County, Virginia, offering sale of tobacco products. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, November 27, 1846, Vol. 1, No. 42, p. 3, col. 5.

Asher W. Gray in Loudoun County, offering sale of an assortment of "Spring and Summer Dry Goods," including fabrics, clothing, shoes and linens; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, August 10, 1849, Vol. 4, No. 32, p. 4, col. 3.

A. R. Mott in Leesburg, offering sale of an assortment of medicines, tonics, dye-stuffs, paints, "ethereal lamp oil," and lamps; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, August 10, 1849, Vol. 4, No. 32, p. 4, col. 3.

Wm. L. Powell & Son in Alexandria, offering sale of sugars, grains, seeds, stone plaster, "Liverpool Salt," and other agricultural supplies. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, August 10, 1849, Vol. 4, No. 32, p. 4, col. 5.

H. C. Neale & Brothers in Alexandria, offering sale of marble products, including tombstones, monuments, mantels, door and window frames. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, August 10, 1849, Vol. 4, No. 32, p. 4, col. 5.

Muncaster & Lodge for a "New Hardware Store" in Georgetown, D.C., offering goods at wholesale and retail, including various types of hardware, cutlery and stoves; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, August 10, 1849, Vol. 4, No. 32, p. 4, col. 6.

Wheatley & Walker for a "New Lumber Yard" in Georgetown, D.C., offering sale of lumber and shingles. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, August 10, 1849, Vol. 4, No. 32, p. 4, col. 6.

Joel L. Dixon in Loudoun County, offering sale of "China, Glassware, Queen's and Stoneware, with a general assortment of Groceries, Flour, Meal, Tobacco, and Train Oil." *The Loudoun Chronicle*, August 10, 1849, Vol. 4, No. 32, p. 4, col. 5.

Moale & Medcalfe as "Shipping, Produce, and General Commission Merchants" in Baltimore, offering sale of "Fish, Cheese, Fruits, Foreign and Domestic Liquors, and Produce generally"; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, August 10, 1849, Vol. 4, No. 32, p. 4, col. 6.

Benjamin D. Rathje in Leesburg, offering an assortment of goods, including fabrics, clothing, teas, groceries; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, August 10, 1849, Vol. 4, No. 32, p. 4, col. 4.

James S. Oden for the "Aldie Cheap Store" in Aldie, Loudoun County, for sale of "1,500 pounds hollow ware, viz: Pots, Ovens, Skillets, &c." *The Loudoun Chronicle*, August 10, 1849, Vol. 4, No. 32, p. 4, col. 3.

Hamilton, Easter & Co. in Baltimore, offering for sale an extensive array of goods for wholesale or retail purchasers, including fabrics, clothing, shoes, window treatments; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, October 19, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 18, p. 3, col. 2. Same ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, October 26, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 19, p. 4, col. 3.

Spencer Rowe, Jr., in Baltimore, offering for sale to wholesale and retail purchasers "all kinds of Brooms, Woodenware, Willow and Cedarware, Bristle Brushes, Twine, Cordage, Mats, Matches, Blacking &c. &c." with no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, October 19, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 18, p. 3, col. 3. Same ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, October 26, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 19, p. 4, col. 3.

- D. E. Shipley & Co, in Baltimore, offering for sale a "general assortment of Ready Made Clothing" at wholesale and retail. *The Washingtonian*, October 19, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 18, p. 3, col. 3. Same ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, October 26, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 19, p. 4, col. 3.
- Wm. A. Wisong in Baltimore, offering for sale "Window Glass, Paints, Oil, Varnishes, Brushes, Turpentine, Bronzes, &c." for "Artists, Painters and Daguerrotypists." *The Washingtonian*, October 19, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 18, p. 3, col. 3. Same ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, October 26, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 19, p. 4, col. 2.
- J. S. Tough in Baltimore, "Manufacturer of the genuine Ethereal Oil, and all kinds of Lamps for burning the same." *The Washingtonian*, October 19, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 18, p. 3, col. 4. Same ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, October 26, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 19, p. 4, col. 4.
- H. H. Cole in Baltimore, offering for sale extensive assortment of clothing. *The Washingtonian*, October 19, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 18, p. 3, col. 4. Same ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, October 26, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 19, p. 3, col. 3; May 16, 1851, Vol. 45, No. 47, p. 4, col. 2.

- Mary A. Wright in Loudoun County, carrying on the operations of merchandise sales formerly handled by John A. Wright, and having "just returned from the North with a fresh supply of goods," offering for sale an assortment of millinery goods, fabrics, gold and silver watches, "Tea and Tablespoons, Butter Knives and Salt Spoons," and other silversmith articles and jewelry; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, October 19, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 18, p. 3, col. 7.
- Johnson & Wallace in Leesburg, offering for sale an extensive assortment of groceries; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, October 19, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 18, p. 4, col. 3.
- J. W. & C. B. Wildman in Leesburg, offering for sale an extensive assortment of goods, clothing, fabrics, and offering "The highest price given in goods for any quantity of Wool"; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, October 19, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 18, p. 4, col. 3. Same ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, October 26, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 19, p. 3, col. 4.
- Bentley & Brothers in Loudoun County, offering for sale an assortment of dress goods, shawls, housekeeping goods, clothing for gentlemen, ladies and servants, and stating that goods will be sold "as cheap as can be bought in the District markets"; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, October 19, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 18, p. 4, col. 3.
- J. E. S. Hough in Leesburg, offering for sale watches, jewelry and "fancy goods"; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, October 19, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 18, p. 4, col. 2.
- J. S. Harris & Brothers in Leesburg, offering for sale "Groceries, Crockery and Queensware," boots, and shoes, and stating that "Country Produce taken in exchange for goods." *The Washingtonian*, October 26, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 19, p. 3, col. 1.
- E. C. Broun in Middleburg, Loudoun County, offering for sale "Dry Goods," including "Hardware, Cutlery, Queensware, Wooden and Tinware, Bar Iron, Castings, Drugs, Groceries," clothing, shoes, fabrics, and other goods. *The Washingtonian*, October 26, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 19, p. 3, col. 2.
- G. & W. Harding in Loudoun County, offering for sale "Dry Goods for Fall & Winter," but providing no details; stating that "Wool taken in exchange for dry goods." *The Washingtonian*, October 26, 1849, Vol. 44, No. 19, p. 3, col. 4.

Advertisement of the "Baltimore Fall Trade, 1849" stating "To Country Merchants & Families, The under-signed merchants, importers, manufacturer, and dealers, respectfully unite in calling the attention of country merchants and others, visiting Baltimore, to their large and varied stock of goods, which will be found as complete, and the prices as low, as at any other establishments in this or any other city." The undersigned Baltimore merchants include: G. G. Finch, wholesale and retail dealer in stoves, plows, furnaces; Bartus Wilkins, wholesale and retail saddle, harness, trunk, and collar factory; Charles Blake, wholesale and retail dealer in watches and jewelry; A. & J. B. Mathiot, selling fancy and windsor chairs, rocking chairs, settees; L. Jarrett, selling men's and boy's

clothing; D. Steele & Co., wholesale and retail sellers of books and stationery; Jesse Marden, manufacturer and seller of balances and scales; George Harman, selling army brogans for servants, men, women and boys; R. M'Eldowney & Co., wholesale and retailer seller of silks, shawls, and other dry goods; Horn's Trunk Manufactory, selling trunks and baggage; Robert Brown & Son, selling watches and jewelry; Cushing & Brothers, selling books and stationery; William Brown, importer, manufacturer and seller of watches, jewelry and silver plated goods and wares; and several other merchants of varied types of goods; no particular mention of imported ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, November 2, 1849, Vol. 4, No. 43, p. 3-4, col. 2.

- G. V. Keen & Co. in Baltimore, "Manufacturers and Dealers in Tin and Sheet Iron Ware; Britannia; Block Tin, Willow and Hollow Ware; Stoves; Hardware; Cutlery; and Fancy Goods." *The Loudoun Chronicle*, November 2, 1849, Vol. 4, No. 43, p. 3, col. 3.
- J. E. S. Hough in Leesburg, stating that he has "just returned from the Eastern markets" with a broad assortment of watches and jewelry; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, November 2, 1849, Vol. 4, No. 43, p. 3, col. 3.

Benjamin D. Rathje in Leesburg, offering an assortment of goods, including fabrics, clothing, teas, groceries; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, November 2, 1849, Vol. 4, No. 43, p. 3, col. 1.

Wheatley & Walker for a "New Lumber Yard" in Georgetown, D.C., offering sale of lumber and shingles. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, January 11, 1850, Vol. 5, No. 2, p. 4, col. 6.

Joel L. Nixon in Leesburg for a "New Grocery Store" offering sale of groceries, teas, spices, condiments; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, January 11, 1850, Vol. 5, No. 2, p. 4, col. 4.

Moale & Medcalfe as "Shipping, Produce, and General Commission Merchants" in Baltimore, offering sale of "Fish, Cheese, Fruits, Foreign and Domestic Liquors, and Produce generally"; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, January 11, 1850, Vol. 5, No. 2, p. 4, col. 6.

Wm. L. Powell & Son in Alexandria, offering sale of sugars, grains, seeds, stone plaster, "Liverpool Salt," and other agricultural supplies. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, January 11, 1850, Vol. 5, No. 2, p. 4, col. 5.

Muncaster & Lodge for a "New Hardware Store" in Georgetown, D.C., offering goods at wholesale and retail, including various types of hardware, cutlery and stoves; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, January 11, 1850, Vol. 5, No. 2, p. 4, col. 6. Same advertisement ran again in *The Loudoun Chronicle*, June 7, 1850, Vol. 5, No. 23, p. 4, col. 5.

McVeigh Brothers & Co. in Alexandria, for sale of goods, stating that they "Are now receiving by Packets Senator, Hamilton and Andover, direct from New York and Boston, their regular SPRING STOCK of GROCERIES," and listing various grocery products,

condiments, and sundries; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, June 7, 1850, Vol. 5, No. 23, p. 4, col. 6.

McVeigh Brothers & Co. in Alexandria, for sale of "Boots, Shoes Hats, &c." stating that they "Are now receiving by Packets Hamilton and Andover, direct from Manufactures in New England, their regular SPRING STOCK of BOOTS & SHOES," that "The terms on which their Stock has been purchased are such as to enable them to compete successfully with any of the Northern Cities," and that "The Canal is in fine order, and offers great inducements in transportation"; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, June 7, 1850, Vol. 5, No. 23, p. 4, col. 6.

Chas. E. Evard in Leesburg, offering for sale gold and silver jewelry, clocks and watches; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, June 7, 1850, Vol. 5, No. 23, p. 4, col. 2.

J. L. Nixon in Loudoun County, offering for sale groceries, crockery, hardware and clocks, including "CROCKERY, CHINA, Glass, Liverpool and Stone, of the latest importation." *The Loudoun Chronicle*, June 7, 1850, Vol. 5, No. 23, p. 4, col. 6.

James S. Oden in Aldie, Loudoun County, offering for sale "SPRING & SUMMER GOODS," with no detailed descriptions given. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, June 7, 1850, Vol. 5, No. 23, p. 4, col. 1.

James S. Oden for the "Aldie Cheap Store" in Aldie, Loudoun County, offering for sale "1,500 pounds hollow ware, viz: Pots, Ovens, Skillets, &c." *The Loudoun Chronicle*, June 7, 1850, Vol. 5, No. 23, p. 4, col. 6.

Wood & Dutton in Waterford, Loudoun County, offering for sale "SUMMER GOODS," including "Queensware, Hardware," fabrics, clothing, drugs, and many other goods and groceries, and stating that "The highest prices [will be] given, in goods, for country produce." *The Loudoun Chronicle*, June 7, 1850, Vol. 5, No. 23, p. 4, col. 4.

- S. B. T. Caldwell in Wheatland, Loudoun County, offering for sale "English, French and Domestic Dry Goods," including "Crockery & Glass Ware, One Stone China Mulberry Dining set, 74 pieces, one Tea set, 42 pieces, China, flown Blue and Common do., Glass sets, Preserve Dishes, Molasses Cans, Castors, &c. Also a good assortment of Tin, Stone, Clay & Wooden Ware, such as Milk Pans, Pots, Jars, Tubs, Buckets, half Bushels, Keelers, Wash Boards, Tar Cans, Patent Ice cream Freezers, Churns, &c, &c." *The Loudoun Chronicle*, June 7, 1850, Vol. 5, No. 23, p. 3, col. 6.
- O. B. Castle & Brothers in Leesburg, offering for sale "Ladies and Gentlemen's" clothing, stating they "have just received from Baltimore" an assortment of such goods and that "Country produce taken in exchange for Goods." *The Loudoun Chronicle*, June 7, 1850, Vol. 5, No. 23, p. 3, col. 4.

James H. Benedum in Leesburg, offering for sale goods, including "DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, CHINA & QUEENSWARE," and stating that "Country produce, of all

- kinds, taken in exchange for goods." *The Loudoun Chronicle*, March 7, 1851, Vol. 6, No. 10, p. 4, col. 3.
- James H. Benedum in Leesburg, offering for sale stoves, listing an array of stove brands and types. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, March 7, 1851, Vol. 6, No. 10, p. 4, col. 3.
- C. E. Evard in Leesburg, offering for sale goods, including jewelry, silver ware, fancy goods, perfumery and cutlery, states that "he has just returned from Philadelphia with the largest and most complete lot of goods ever offered in Leesburg"; silver ware includes "Casters, Soup Ladles, Table, Desert, and Tea Spoons, Butter Knives, Sugar Tongs, Fruit Knives, Mugs, Combs, Candle Sticks, Trays and Snuffers, Cake Baskets, Tea Pots, &c"; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, March 7, 1851, Vol. 6, No. 10, p. 4, col. 5.
- S. B. T. Caldwell in Wheatland, Loudoun County, for sale of "FALL & WINTER GOODS," including "a fine assortment of CROCKERY, QUEENS and GLASS, STONE, and CLAY, TIN and WOODEN WARE, GROCERIES, AIN'TS, OILS, DRUGS and DYE-STUFFS." *The Loudoun Chronicle*, March 7, 1851, Vol. 6, No. 10, p. 4, col. 6.
- J. E. S. Hough in Leesburg, for sale of goods, including jewelry, silver ware, clocks, cutlery, and stationery; no mention of ceramics. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, March 7, 1851, Vol. 6, No. 10, p. 4, col. 6.

Freeman, Hodges & Co., Importers & Jobbers in New York City, for sale of assortment of "Fancy Silk and Millinery Goods." *The Loudoun Chronicle*, March 7, 1851, Vol. 6, No. 10, p. 3, col. 6.

Grafenberg Company of New York, for sale of an assortment of "Standard Medicines," and listing general agents in Loudoun County from whom the products may be ordered. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, March 7, 1851, Vol. 6, No. 10, p. 3, col. 6.

James S. Oden for "Aldie Cash Store" in Aldie, Loudoun County, for sale of "FALL & WINTER GOODS," with no detailed descriptions given. *The Loudoun Chronicle*, March 7, 1851, Vol. 6, No. 10, p. 3, col. 6.

R. Bentley, Jr. in Loudoun County, offering for sale "Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods selected from the Philadelphia market," but providing no detailed listing of goods; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, May 16 1851, Vol. 45, No. 47, p. 4, col. 3.

Shipley, Howard & Co. in Baltimore, offering for sale an assortment of clothing for wholesale or retail customers. *The Washingtonian*, May 16 1851, Vol. 45, No. 47, p. 4, col. 3.

D. G. Smith in Leesburg, offering for sale bar iron and steel, tools, hardware, and blacksmith tools; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, May 16 1851, Vol. 45, No. 47, p. 4, col. 1.

- Jas. M. Wallace in Leesburg, offering for sale a general assortment of "family groceries"; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, May 16 1851, Vol. 45, No. 47, p. 4, col. 1.
- C. E. Evard in Leesburg, offering for sale an extensive assortment of goods, including clocks, cutlery, guns, silver ware, fancy goods, "China Ware -- Flower Vases, pitchers, mantel ornaments, ornamental pen holders, motto cups and saucers, ink stands, bird glasses, Bohemia cut-glass, cologne decanters, of various patterns and colors do., Tumblers, highly gilt," and perfumes. *The Washingtonian*, May 16 1851, Vol. 45, No. 47, p. 3, col. 4. Same ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, July 2, 1852, Vol. 48, No. 1, p. 3, col. 2; August 13, 1852, Vol. 48, No. 7, p. 4, col. 2.
- G. & W. Harding in Loudoun County, offering for sale an assortment of dry goods, but providing no detailed descriptions; stating that "Wool taken in exchange for Dry Goods." *The Washingtonian*, May 16 1851, Vol. 45, No. 47, p. 3, col. 5.
- I. Rice & Co. in Leesburg, advertising a "New Store" with "Dry Goods, Groceries, Liquors, Hard Ware, Queensware, Boots & Shoes, Hats & Caps &c." *The Washingtonian*, May 16 1851, Vol. 45, No. 47, p. 3, col. 4.

James Entwistle in Alexandria, offering sale of books and stationery. *The Washingtonian*, July 2, 1852, Vol. 48, No. 1, p. 4, col. 1. Same ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, August 13, 1852, Vol. 48, No. 7, p. 4, col. 4.

- H. Moore in Baltimore, offering sale of books and stationery. *The Washingtonian*, July 2, 1852, Vol. 48, No. 1, p. 4, col. 6.
- John L. Rinker in Leesburg, offering sale of wheat fans which are manufactured in Alexandria. *The Washingtonian*, August 13, 1852, Vol. 48, No. 7, p. 3, col. 4. Same ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, October 1, 1852, Vol. 48, No. 14, p. 3, col. 6.

Henry Cook in Alexandria, advertising an "Alexandria Drug Store" and offering sale of drugs, soaps, medicines, oils, paints and art supplies at wholesale and retail wheat fans which are manufactured in Alexandria. *The Washingtonian*, August 13, 1852, Vol. 48, No. 7, p. 3, col. 7. Same ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, October 1, 1852, Vol. 48, No. 14, p. 3, col. 7.

Henry Peel in Alexandria, advertising a "New Wholesale and Retail Drug Store," and offering sale of drugs, medicines, paints, oils, window glass, and "fancy articles"; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, August 13, 1852, Vol. 48, No. 7, p. 4, col. 1.

- A. R. Mott, M.D., in Leesburg, offering sale of "Drugs and Medicines" at wholesale and retail. *The Washingtonian*, October 1, 1852, Vol. 48, No. 14, p. 3, col. 7.
- Geo. R. Coffroth in Alexandria, advertising a "New Tobacco, Cigar, Snuff Store in Alexandria." *The Washingtonian*, January 6, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 26, p. 4, col. 1. Similar ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, July 21, 1854, Vol. 50, No. 2, p. 4, col. 5.

Roach & Washington in Alexandria, advertising services as "Grocers, Commission & Forwarding Merchants." *The Washingtonian*, January 6, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 26, p. 4, col. 2.

McVeigh & Chamberlain in Alexandria, advertising services as "Wholesale Grocers, Produce and Commission Merchants," stating that they have received their "Fall Stock, purchased directly of the Importers in New York and Boston," offering for sale an extensive assortment of goods, including "groceries, tobacco items, snuff, wines, and spirits," and stating that their selection of goods "have been influenced by the increased facilities in transportation via Railroad and Canal, and have greatly enlarged their supplies to meet the increased demand, and . . . they are fully prepared to offer as great inducements as can be found in any of the Northern cities"; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, January 6, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 26, p. 4, col. 2. A similar ad also ran in *The Washingtonian*, July 21, 1854, Vol. 50, No. 2, p. 4, col. 7.

Quigley & Co., Druggists in Middleburg, Loudoun County, offering sale of "Drugs, Paints, Fancy Articles, Stationery, Perfumery, Brushes, Caps, Cutlery, Pistols, Jewelry"; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, January 6, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 26, p. 4, col. 2.

George W. Morling in Baltimore, offering sale of "Fashionable, Ready Made Clothing." *The Washingtonian*, January 6, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 26, p. 4, col. 5.

Harper & McVeigh in Alexandria, offering sale of "Foreign and Domestic Notions, Gloves, Hosiery and Fancy Goods"; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, January 6, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 26, p. 4, col. 5. A similar ad also ran in *The Washingtonian*, July 21, 1854, Vol. 50, No. 2, p. 4, col. 7.

A. R. Mott in Leesburg, offering sale of grooming products, cutlery, stationery and ink; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, January 6, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 26, p. 4, col. 5.

A. H. Haines in Waterford, Loudoun County, offering sale of "Groceries, Queensware, Hardware, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps," fabrics and clothing. *The Washingtonian*, January 6, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 26, p. 4, col. 7.

Wells A. Harper & Co. in Alexandria, offering sale of boots, shoes, caps, hats and other clothing products; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, January 6, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 26, p. 4, col. 5.

William S. Pickett in Leesburg, offering sale of fabrics and clothing. *The Washingtonian*, January 6, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 26, p. 3, col. 6. Similar ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, July 21, 1854, Vol. 50, No. 2, p. 4, col. 6; June 15, 1855, Vol. 50, No. 49, p. 4, col. 7.

T. M. McCormick & Co. in Alexandria, offering sale of broad assortment of groceries; no ceramics mentioned. *The Washingtonian*, January 6, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 26, p. 3, col. 7.

Same ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, February 24, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 33, p. 3, col. 7; July 21, 1854, Vol. 50, No. 2, p. 4, col. 7.

J. W. & C. B. Wildman in Leesburg, offering sale of fabrics and clothing. *The Washingtonian*, January 6, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 26, p. 3, col. 7. Same ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, February 24, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 33, p. 3, col. 6; July 21, 1854, Vol. 50, No. 2, p. 4, col. 7; October 3, 1856, Vol. 52, No. 12, p. 4, col. 2.

William Newton in Leesburg, offering sale of "Groceries of All Kinds," boots, shoes, "Dry Goods, Hardware, Japaned Ware, China, Glass and Earthen Ware," and noting that goods could be purchased in "exchange for country Produce." *The Washingtonian*, January 6, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 26, p. 3, col. 7. Similar ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, July 21, 1854, Vol. 50, No. 2, p. 4, col. 1; June 15, 1855, Vol. 50, No. 49, p. 4, col. 5.

English, Castleman & Co. in Alexandria, offering sale of hardware and cutlery; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, January 6, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 26, p. 3, col. 7.

C. E. Evard in Leesburg, offering for sale an extensive assortment of goods, including clocks, cutlery, guns, silver ware, fancy goods, "China Ware -- Flower Vases, Pitchers, Mantel Ornaments, Motto-cups and Saucers, Ink-stands, Bird-glasses, Bohemia cut-glass, Cologne Decanters of various patterns and colors do., Tumblers, highly gilt," and perfumes. *The Washingtonian*, January 6, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 26, p. 3, col. 5.

John Q. Adams in Baltimore, advertises services with Fisher, Boyd & Co. as "Importers and Wholesale Dealers in Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods"; no detailed descriptions of goods provided. *The Washingtonian*, February 24, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 33, p. 3, col. 6. Same ad also ran in *The Washingtonian*, July 21, 1854, Vol. 50, No. 2, p. 4, col. 4.

B. F. Hough in Leesburg, offering for sale dry goods and groceries, including "Hardware, Queensware, Confectionary, &c., Boots and Shoes, &c., Hollow-ware of all kinds, Fancy Goods, and Glassware." *The Washingtonian*, April 28, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 42, p. 1, col. 1.

Samuel Orrison in Leesburg, advertising a "New Grocery Store" and offering for sale groceries, housekeeping wares; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, April 28, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 42, p. 1, col. 1. Similar ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, July 21, 1854, Vol. 50, No. 2, p. 4, col. 1.

Federleicht & Co. in Loudoun County, having "just returned from Baltimore" and offering for sale "Ready-Made Clothing," shoes and baggage goods. *The Washingtonian*, April 28, 1854, Vol. 49, No. 42, p. 1, col. 1.

Geo. W. Ryan in Leesburg, advertised a "Cheap Grocery and Liquor Store," having received "from Alexandria . . . a large assortment of goods," and offering for sale groceries, tobacco products, spirits, wines, "China, Liverpool, Glass, Stone, Earthen and Queensware, all sizes and patterns," clothing, hats, boots, shoes, and other goods, and stating that "Country produce taken in exchange for goods." *The Washingtonian*, July 21, 1854, Vol. 50, No. 2, p. 4, col. 1.

- C. W. Coleman & Co. in Georgetown, Washington, D.C., advertising services as "General Dealers in Groceries, Teas, Liquors, and Country Produce, Wholesale and Retail," and offering for sale an assortment of groceries, spirits, wines, and "Wood-ware &c."; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, July 21, 1854, Vol. 50, No. 2, p. 3, col. 4.
- W. A. Harper & Co. in Alexandria, offering sale of "Boot, Shoes, Hats, & Straw Goods Purchased Direct of the Manufacturer in New England." *The Washingtonian*, July 21, 1854, Vol. 50, No. 2, p. 3, col. 6.
- Meade & Eaches in Alexandria, advertising services "Agricultural Warehouse" and offering for sale an extensive assortment of agricultural tools, products, seeds, and fertilizers. *The Washingtonian*, June 15, 1855, Vol. 50, No. 49, p. 4, col. 1. Similar ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, October 3, 1856, Vol. 52, No. 12, p. 4, col. 7.
- E. C. Broun in Middleburg, Loudoun County, offering for sale an assortment of "ready-made clothing." *The Washingtonian*, June 15, 1855, Vol. 50, No. 49, p. 4, col. 1. Similar ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, October 3, 1856, Vol. 52, No. 12, p. 3, col. 5.
- R. J. C. Thompson in Leesburg, offering for sale an assortment of groceries, boots, shoes, and liquors; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, June 15, 1855, Vol. 50, No. 49, p. 4, col. 5.

Jackson & Wood in Winchester, Virginia, advertising services as an "Agricultural Depot" and offering for sale an assortment of agricultural implements. *The Washingtonian*, April 4, 1856, Vol. 51, No. 39, p. 4, col. 3.

Fitzpatrick & Burns in Alexandria advertised the "Fairview Cotton Works" and offered for sale a variety of cotton textile products. *The Washingtonian*, April 4, 1856, Vol. 51, No. 39, p. 4, col. 1. Same ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, October 3, 1856, Vol. 52, No. 12, p. 4, col. 7.

Benj. S. White in Poolesville, Maryland, offering for sale an assortment of agricultural implements. *The Washingtonian*, April 4, 1856, Vol. 51, No. 39, p. 4, col. 3.

Samuel Clapham and Crawford White in Lovettsville, Loudoun County, offering sale of tin wares and stoves. *The Washingtonian*, April 4, 1856, Vol. 51, No. 39, p. 3, col. 2.

Geo. W. Morling in Baltimore, offering for sale an assortment of fabrics and clothing. *The Washingtonian*, June 15, 1855, Vol. 50, No. 49, p. 4, col. 4. A similar ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, October 3, 1856, Vol. 52, No. 12, p. 4, col. 1.

Peel & Stevens in Alexandria, advertising services as "Wholesale Druggists" and offering for sale an assortment of "Foreign and Domestic Drugs, Chemicals, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Window Glass, Putty, Spices, Patent Medicines, Glassware, Instruments, Perfumery, Soaps, &c."; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, June 15, 1855,

Vol. 50, No. 49, p. 4, col. 5. A similar ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, October 3, 1856, Vol. 52, No. 12, p. 4, col. 1; September 24, 1858, Vol. 54, No. 10, p. 3, col. 2; May 11, 1860, Vol. 55, No. 42, p. 4, col. 1.

Jacob Kolb in Leesburg, advertising a "New Wholesale and Retail Confectionary." *The Washingtonian*, June 15, 1855, Vol. 50, No. 49, p. 3, col. 7.

Geo. A. Head in Loudoun County, offering sale of tinware and stoves. *The Washingtonian*, October 3, 1856, Vol. 52, No. 12, p. 4, col. 7.

Robert Herstein in Leesburg, having "just returned from the Baltimore market," and offering for sale an assortment of "Ready-Made Clothing," trunks, and baggage. *The Washingtonian*, April 4, 1856, Vol. 51, No. 39, p. 3, col. 2. Same ad also ran in *The Washingtonian*, October 3, 1856, Vol. 52, No. 12, p. 3, col. 3.

Wm. H. May in Alexandria, offering sale of agricultural implements, seeds, and fertilizers. *The Washingtonian*, September 24, 1858, Vol. 54, No. 10, p. 4, col. 1.

J. P. Bartholow in Washington, D.C., offering sale of agricultural implements, seeds, and fertilizers, including "Peruvian Guano." *The Washingtonian*, September 24, 1858, Vol. 54, No. 10, p. 4, col. 1.

Samuel C. Means in Point of Rocks, Maryland, advertising a "New Store," offering for sale an assortment of groceries and offering to purchase wool; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, September 24, 1858, Vol. 54, No. 10, p. 4, col. 1.

Fowle & Co. in Alexandria, offering sale of agricultural fertilizers, including Columbian, Mexican and Peruvian Guano. *The Washingtonian*, September 24, 1858, Vol. 54, No. 10, p. 4, col. 4.

Busey & Barnard in Georgetown, Washington, D.C., offering sale of agricultural implements, seeds, and fertilizers. *The Washingtonian*, September 24, 1858, Vol. 54, No. 10, p. 4, col. 4.

- C. E. Evard in Leesburg, having "just returned from the New York and Philadelphia markets," offering for sale an extensive assortment of goods, including clocks, cutlery, guns, silver ware, fancy goods, perfumes, stoves and tinware; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, September 24, 1858, Vol. 54, No. 10, p. 4, col. 5.
- Eli J. Hamilton in Georgetown, Washington, D.C., offering sale of groceries, but providing no detailed descriptions. *The Washingtonian*, September 24, 1858, Vol. 54, No. 10, p. 4, col. 5.

Addison Wallace & Co. in Alexandria, offering sale of agricultural implements, seeds, and fertilizers, including guano. *The Washingtonian*, September 24, 1858, Vol. 54, No. 10, p. 3, col. 2.

Drayton Meade in Alexandria, offering sale of agricultural implements, seeds, and fertilizers, including guano. *The Washingtonian*, September 24, 1858, Vol. 54, No. 10, p. 3, col. 7.

J. Weatherby in Baltimore, offering sale of "Furnaces, Ranges, Stoves, Grates, &c." *The Washingtonian*, September 24, 1858, Vol. 54, No. 10, p. 3, col. 6.

Steer & Schooley in Waterford, Loudoun County, offering sale of agricultural implements, seeds, and fertilizers, including guano. *The Washingtonian*, May 11, 1860, Vol. 55, No. 42, p. 4, col. 7.

Meade & Maryr in Alexandria, offering sale of agricultural implements, seeds, and fertilizers, including guano. *The Washingtonian*, May 11, 1860, Vol. 55, No. 42, p. 4, col. 7.

Gray, Miller & Co. in Alexandria, advertising as "Wholesale Grocers" and providing no detailed description of goods. *The Washingtonian*, May 11, 1860, Vol. 55, No. 42, p. 4, col. 8.

R. H. Miller Sons & Co. in Alexandria, offering sale of "Earthenware, China and Glass," and stating that "Our Spring importation has been dispatched by the ship 'Anna Little' from Liverpool, direct to Alexandria." *The Washingtonian*, May 11, 1860, Vol. 55, No. 42, p. 3, col. 8.

Harley, Triplett & Co. in Alexandria, advertising as "Importers and Wholesale Dealers in Foreign and Domestic Hardware and Fancy Goods." *The Washingtonian*, May 11, 1860, Vol. 55, No. 42, p. 3, col. 8. Same ad was published in *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 4, col. 5.

Albert W. Gray in Alexandria, offering for sale an assortment of southern yarns. *The Washingtonian*, May 11, 1860, Vol. 55, No. 42, p. 3, col. 8.

J. M. McVeigh & Son in Alexandria, advertising as "Wholesale Grocers" selling groceries, liquors, wines, tobacco products and sugars. *The Washingtonian*, May 11, 1860, Vol. 55, No. 42, p. 3, col. 8.

Wright & Co. in Lovettsville, Loudoun County, offering sale of "Spring and Summer Goods," including fabrics and clothing; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, May 11, 1860, Vol. 55, No. 42, p. 3, col. 7.

J. W. & C. H. Wildman in Leesburg, offering sale of "Summer Dry Goods," but providing no detailed descriptions. *The Washingtonian*, May 11, 1860, Vol. 55, No. 42, p. 3, col. 7.

Thomas O. Morallee in Leesburg, offering sale of clothing, hats and caps. *The Washingtonian*, May 11, 1860, Vol. 55, No. 42, p. 3, col. 7.

- G. W. Janney in Hamilton, Loudoun County, offering sale of "Spring Goods," including fabrics and clothing; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, May 11, 1860, Vol. 55, No. 42, p. 3, col. 7.
- Jacob Herstein in Loudoun County, offering sale of "Ready Made Clothing"; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, May 11, 1860, Vol. 55, No. 42, p. 3, col. 7.
- J. E. Douglass in Alexandria, offering sale of groceries, teas and tobacco products. *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 4, col. 5.
- James C. Nevett in Alexandria, offering sale of fertilizers, including guano. *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 4, col. 5.
- Peel & Stevens in Alexandria, offering sale of drugs and medicines, paints and oils. *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 4, col. 5.
- C. F. Suttle & Co. in Alexandria, offering sale of fertilizers, including guano. *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 4, col. 5.
- J. H. McVeigh & Son in Alexandria, offering sale of groceries, liquors, wines, and tobacco products. *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 4, col. 5.
- Davy & Harmon in Alexandria, offering sale of groceries. *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 4, col. 6.
- H. I. Gregory in Alexandria, offering sale of "Stoves, Hot Furnaces, Parlor Grates, Refrigerators, Water Coolers, Tin Safes, . . . Plain and Japanned Tin Ware." *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 4, col. 6.
- G. K. Witmer & Brothers in Alexandria, offering sale of fabrics, clothing, carpets and linens. *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 4, col. 6.
- T. A. Brewis in Alexandria, offering sale of groceries and liquors. *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 4, col. 6.
- Geo. T. Baldwin in Alexandria, offering sale of iron and steel wares and products. *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 4, col. 6.
- Know & Brothers in Alexandria, offering sale of fertilizers, including guano and plasters. *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 4, col. 6.
- Phillip H. Hoof in Alexandria, offering sale of groceries, flour, grains, plaster and salt. *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 4, col. 6.
- G. H. Robinson in Alexandria, offering services as "Grocery and Commission Merchant." *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 4, col. 6.

- Albert W. Gray & Co. in Alexandria, offering services as "Grocery and Commission Merchant." *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 4, col. 6.
- Wm. D. Drish in Loudoun County, offering sale of "Groceries, Queensware, Liquors, &c." *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 3, col. 4.
- John T. Creighton in Alexandria, offering sale of "Housekeeping Goods, Fancy Articles, Garden Tools" and tobacco products, including "Japanned and Plain Tin ware, Tablecutlery, Forks and Spoons, Ladles, . . . Tea-trays, . . . Glassware, such as Bowls, Pitchers, Sugars, Creams, Pickle and Preserve Dishes, Celery Glasses, Lemonades, &c." *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 3, col. 6.
- Wm. H. Thomas in Leesburg, offering sale of "Tin Ware" at wholesale and retail, including roofing and spouting. *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 3, col. 6. Similar ad for "Tinware and Stoves" also ran in *The Washingtonian*, July 7, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 3, p. 2, col. 7.

Samuel Orrison in Leesburg, offering sale of "Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Liquors, &c." including "Woodenware, Glassware, China and Queensware." *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 3, col. 4.

James Swarts in Leesburg, offering sale of groceries, liquors, and livestock feed, including "Coffee, Tea, Sugar, Molasses, Queensware, Earthenware, and a large quantity of Notions." *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 3, col. 4.

- G. W. Janney in Hamilton, Loudoun County, offering sale of stoves. *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 3, col. 5.
- Geo. R. Head in Loudoun County, offering sale of stoves, "Hardware and Housekeeping Goods"; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 3, col. 6. Similar ad for "Tin Ware, Stove Trade and Gunsmithing" also ran in *The Washingtonian*, July 7, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 3, p. 2, col. 7; October 6, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 16, p. 3, col. 5.
- Wm. D. Drish in Loudoun County, offering sale of "Groceries, Queensware, Liquors, &c." *The Washingtonian*, January 18, 1861, Vol. 56, No. 25, p. 3, col. 4.
- Mott & Metzger in Leesburg, offering sale of drugs, medicines and tobacco products. *The Washingtonian*, July 7, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 3, p. 2, col. 6.
- Bond, Schooley & Co. in Leesburg, offering sale of dry goods and groceries, clothing, fabrics, "Queensware, Glassware," and other products and offering to purchase wool. *The Washingtonian*, July 7, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 3, p. 2, col. 7.
- W. H. Laley in Baltimore, advertising services as a "Commission Merchant and wholesale and retail dealer in Foreign and Domestic Liquors." *The Washingtonian*, October 6, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 16, p. 4, col. 4.

Asher W. Gray & Son in Alexandria, advertising services as "Grocers, General agents, Commission and Forwarding Merchants." *The Washingtonian*, October 6, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 16, p. 4, col. 4.

- J. E. Douglass in Alexandria, offering sale of groceries, liquors, pickles and sauces. *The Washingtonian*, October 6, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 16, p. 4, col. 4.
- F. L. Moore in Georgetown, Washington, D.C., offering sale of agricultural implements, seeds and fertilizers. *The Washingtonian*, October 6, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 16, p. 4, col. 4.
- J. J. Turner & Co. in Alexandria, offering sale of agricultural fertilizers. *The Washingtonian*, October 6, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 16, p. 4, col. 4.

Gray & Sellman in Leesburg, offering sale of groceries, dry goods, books, clothing, boots and shoes. *The Washingtonian*, October 6, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 16, p. 4, col. 2.

D. M. Bull in Georgetown, Washington, D.C., offering sale of groceries and liquors. *The Washingtonian*, October 6, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 16, p. 4, col. 2.

Wm. H. Thomas in Leesburg, offering sale of tinware and stoves. *The Washingtonian*, October 6, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 16, p. 4, col. 2.

B. S. White in Baltimore, offering services as wholesale dealers in "Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods." *The Washingtonian*, October 6, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 16, p. 3, col. 1.

Carroll, Adams & Neer in Baltimore, offering services as wholesale dealers in boots, hats, caps and straw goods. *The Washingtonian*, October 6, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 16, p. 3, col. 1.

Eli Duval in Aldie, Loudoun County, advertising a "New Store" and offering sale of dry goods, groceries and liquors. *The Washingtonian*, October 6, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 16, p. 3, col. 1.

Edgar Speiden in Alexandria, offering sale of groceries, drugs, spices, sundries, housekeeping goods, and stating that "All kinds of Country Produce received on Commission"; no mention of ceramics. *The Washingtonian*, October 6, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 16, p. 3, col. 1.

D. J. Markey & Co. in Frederick City, Maryland, offering sales of lumber products. *The Washingtonian*, October 6, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 16, p. 3, col. 5.

Elijah White in Leesburg, offering sale of clothing, fabrics, housekeeping domestics, fancy goods, "Hard-Ware, Queens-Ware, Glass-Ware, Cutlery," and other goods. *The Washingtonian*, October 6, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 16, p. 3, col. 7.

Stork & Gillespie in Baltimore, offering services as "Card Engraver" and sale of stationery. *The Washingtonian*, October 6, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 16, p. 3, col. 7.

E. V. White in Leesburg, offering sale of agricultural implements. *The Washingtonian*, October 6, 1865, Vol. 60, No. 16, p. 3, col. 7