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J. POWELL, Aug. 16/66-1y.

**FURNITURE!** THE UNDERSIGNED TAKES pleasure in announcing to the citizens of Ridgway and adjoining towns, that he has just opened a Furniture Shop in Ridgway, and is prepared to sell all kinds of Furniture at the lowest prices. His stock consists in part of

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HENRY H. THOMAS. May-17/66-1y.

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JAMES McCLOSKEY. May 3d, '66.—Gm.

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St. Mary's, March 10th/66

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