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ORANGE & ALEXANDRIA RAILROAD. TWO DAILY TRAINS. ON AND AFTER FRIDAY, June 29th, 1860, TWO TRAINS will leave Alexandria daily.

ON AND AFTER FRIDAY, June 29th, 1860, TWO TRAINS will leave Alexandria daily, for Lynchburg and the Southwest, connecting at Gordonsville with the Trains on the Central Railroad.

WASHINGTON, ALEXANDRIA AND GORNTOWN STEAM PACKET COMPANY. NEW ARRANGEMENT. The favorite steamer COLUMBIA, Capt. James Haper, has recently been put in complete order.

FOR BALTIMORE AND POTOMAC RIVER. THE "NICHOLOS," Captain Jacob Lewin, will leave Washington at 6 o'clock, and Alexandria at 7 o'clock, A. M., on Saturday morning.

CHANGE OF HOURS! ON AND AFTER MONDAY, APRIL 9th, 1860, GEORGE PAGE, and THOS. COLLYER, leave Alexandria at 4 1/2, 5, 10, 12, 4 and 5 1/2 o'clock.

CHANGE OF RUNNING OF THE STEAMER GIPSEY. On and after Monday, the Steamer GIPSEY will run regularly, every day, between Farmington and Alexandria.

NEW YORK WASHINGTON, GEORGETOWN AND ALEXANDRIA PACKETS. THE OLD REGULAR LINE. SCHMIDT ARCTIC, Captain Hicks.

FIRE INSURANCE NOTICES, &c. SOUTHERN PATENT INSURANCE COMPANY. CAPITAL OVER \$50,000 DOLLARS. AND CONSTANTLY INCREASING.

THE COMPANY commenced issuing Policies against loss or damage by fire, on the 13th day of March, 1854, since which time over seven thousand several hundred persons have insured and become members of the Company.

THE VIRGINIA FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. OFFICE, No. 141, MAIN STREET, RICHMOND. CHARTERED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF VA. IN 1822.

THE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF ALEXANDRIA, Va., connects its lines against fire, generally, in Town and Country asherettes, for the most reasonable terms.

ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY. INVITE the attention of the public to the facilities afforded by this Company, for the quick and safe conveyance of all kinds of goods.

FOR RENT. DWELLING FOR RENT. Intending to remove from the city, I offer for rent my DWELLING HOUSE, No. 121 King street.

AGRICULTURAL WAREHOUSE. No. 25, King-street. PLASTER MILL AND FACTORY. No. 49, Union-street.

BUSINESS CARDS. J. B. CORSE, Banking, Exchange, and Collection Office of CORSE BROTHERS, 55 Exchange Block.

WE will make Collections on all accessible points in the United States, and hold proceeds subject to Check, or remit promptly to any designated point.

THOMAS S. JAMIESON, MACHINIST and IRON FOUNDER. Corner of Royal and Wilkes streets, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

LEWIS VANSANT, (Successor to C. G. Gray.) RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Alexandria and vicinity, that he is prepared to furnish them with a superior article of HOPPED PORTER, ALE, MINERAL WATERS, CIDER, &c.

JEFFERSON TACEY, PAPER-HANGER, UPHOLSTERER, GILDER, and House Decorator in General.

HUNTON & RIDGELY, WHOLESALE DEALERS IN TEAS, TOBACCO, FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC LIQUORS.

DAY & HARMON, GROCERY-DEALERS IN CORN MEAL, CORN, OATS, RYE HAY, and all kinds of MILL-FEED, &c.

HUNTON & RIDGELY, WHOLESALE DEALERS IN TEAS, TOBACCO, FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC LIQUORS.

OFFER to the trade, upon accommodating terms, and at the very lowest rates, 200 lbs. Pure RYE WHISKEY, Copper distilled, purchased direct from Distillers—a large portion of which is highly improved by age, and purity guaranteed.

PIANOS AND MELODIONS. I have now a choice lot of the above Instruments, some just landed, per steamer Montevideo, from the justly celebrated Manufacturers of Horatio Worcester and Son, Boston, Mass., which, for beauty of finish, sweetness and power of tone, easy touch and durability of wear, never have been surpassed by any thing made on the continent of America.

CABINET, CHAIR, and SOFA MANUFACTORY, No. 130 King street, Alexandria, Va. Having lately fitted up one of the handsomest and most complete FURNITURE DEPOTS in the city.

CHINA, GLASS AND EARTHENWARE. BY THE SHIP TRADER, DIRECT FROM LIVERPOOL, AND OTHER ARRIVALS, we have received our stock of FINE CHINA, GLASS, and EARTHENWARE, of all grades.

STAND BACK—BROOMS ARE FALLING. I shall sell, from this date, BROOMS from \$1.25 to \$2.75 per dozen, and the largest and best made broom in the city.

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN TEAS, TOBACCO, and LIQUORS. J. EDWARD CHASE, M. D., DENTAL SURGEON, Corner of Washington and King streets, Alexandria, Va.

AMUSEMENTS. LIBERTY HALL! Positively the Last Two Nights!! FRIDAY and SATURDAY, Dec. 7 and 8. SANDERSON'S Magnificent Moving Illustration of the RUSSIAN WAR!

LADIES' FAIR! For the Benefit of the MOUNT VERNON GUARDS, AT SAREPTA HALL! THE LADIES would respectfully announce to the citizens of Alexandria, that they will hold a FAIR for the benefit of the MOUNT VERNON GUARDS, AT SAREPTA HALL, commencing on MONDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 10th.

IMPETINE, THE PERSIAN FEVER CHAIR, and Bilious Fevers. This wonderful remedy was brought to the knowledge of the present proprietors by a friend who has been a great traveler in Persia and Holy Land.

HUNNELL'S UNIVERSAL COUGH REMEDY. For all Throat and Lung Complaints, from Common Coughs to Actual Consumption.

EXCELISIOR NO. 1 PERUVIAN GUANO AND COMMONLY known in this region as EXCELISIOR GUANO, FULLY EQUAL TO NO. 1 PERUVIAN GUANO, AND THE BEST MANUFACTURED FERTILIZER IN THE MARKET.

GENUINE FAMILY LIQUORS. WM. B. MOREHOUSE & CO. Importers and Wholesale Dealers in Brandy, Wines, Gins and Serrars.

OLD MOREHOUSE BITTERS. Recommended by the best physicians as the best tonic for Biliousness, Indigestion, Debility, and all Nervous Diseases. As a beverage, it is pure, wholesome, and delicious to the taste.

MISCELLANEOUS READING. A CASE OF CONSCIENCE; Or, the Professors at the Races. BY JOHN G. SAKK. Two College Professors won't give their names—(Call one of them Jacob, the other one James) Two College Professors, who never in their lives had wandered before from the cares of their wives.

Which claim the reports that appear in the papers? And whether a "stake" is the same as a post? And how far a "hedge," in the language of sports, is much like the plain agricultural word?

Our worthy Professors no sooner had found their (both in the city and in the outer ground) And looked at the horses, when presently came a wish to know what was the Peculiar name; And how stood the betting—quite plainly revealing its preparation, and ascertained where the medicinal herbs were found, of which was contained in the high character of the article.

THE AMERICAN MEDICAL and TOILET RECEIPT BOOK. This Book contains Receipts and Directions for making all the most valuable Medicinal preparations in use; also, Recipes and full and explicit directions for making all the most popular and useful Cosmetics, Perfumes, Ungents, Hair Restoratives, and all Toilet Articles.

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THE STRONGEST and most reliable MACHINES in the world, possessing advantages over all others. Persons who wish to purchase, will please call and examine at my Store, 85 King-street, where full information can be obtained.

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