

THE GAZETTE.

TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 6.

Seeing the Elephant.

The elephant was in town. The following is the experience of six men who saw or rather felt him:—[Lynchburg Virginian.

It was six men of Lynchburg town, To learning much inclined, Who went to see the elephant, (Though all of them were blind.)

That each by observation Might satisfy his mind. The first approached the elephant, And happening to fall Against his sturdy side, At once began to hawl: "God bless me—but the elephant Is very like a wall!"

The second, feeling of the tusk, Cried, "Hol what have we here, So very round and smooth and sharp? To me it's mighty clear, This wonder of a creature Is very like a spear!"

The third approached the animal, And happening to take His squirming trunk within his hands, Thus boldly up and spake: "I see," quoth he, "the elephant Is very like a snake!"

The fourth reached out his eager hand And felt about his knee; "What most this wondrous beast is like, Is mighty plain," quoth he; "Is very like a tree!"

The fifth, who chanced to touch the ear, Said, "Even the blindest man Can tell what this resembles most; Deny the fact who can, This marvel of an elephant Is very like a fan!"

The sixth no sooner had begun About his breast to grope, Than, seizing on the swinging tail That fell within his scope, "I see," quoth he, "the elephant Is very like a rope!"

And so these men of Lynchburg town Disputed loud and long, Each in his own opinion Exceeding stiff and strong, Though each was partly in the right, And all were in the wrong!

TRANSPORTATION LINES.

NEW YORK, ALEXANDRIA, WASHINGTON AND GEORGETOWN STEAMSHIP LINE. The line consists of the following: E. C. KNIGHT, and JOHN C. GIBSON, will leave New York EVERY SATURDAY for this port, and returning will leave Alexandria EVERY FRIDAY, at 12 o'clock, taking freight for Norfolk, Va.

For freight or passage apply to HOVE, WEDDERBURN & CO., Agents in New York, PHILLIPS & BROWN, No. 26-27, 52, south street, Pier No. 19, FOR BALTIMORE.

The passenger and freight steamer COLUMBIA, Capt. James Harber, having surpassed accommodations, leaves Baltimore every SATURDAY, at 4 o'clock, p. m., for Washington, Alexandria, and Georgetown, stopping at all her former landings.

Returning, will leave Alexandria every WEDNESDAY MORNING, at 7 o'clock. The freight steamer THOS. E. CAHILL, Capt. Wm. Mays, will leave Baltimore on TUESDAY AFTERNOONS, touching at Cone river, Lodge Wharf, and Chapel Point and Currioman, returning will leave Alexandria on FRIDAY MORNINGS at 10 o'clock.

NEW YORK, WASHINGTON AND ALEXANDRIA EXPRESS LINE STEAMERS. (OLD LINE). This line will be regularly kept up during the winter months by good and substantial OVERSIDE STEAMERS, leaving once a week, from pier 15, E. River, New York, and pier 11, Alexandria, connecting at New York with the Metropolitan Steamship Line to Boston, and with the Orange and Alexandria Railroad, at Alexandria.

Bills of Lading given through to Boston direct. Freight taken at lowest rates, and forwarded to all parts of the United States free of commissions. For freight apply to M. ELDRIDGE & CO., No. 4, South Wharves, Alexandria; JAMES HAND, 104, Wall Street, New York; JOHN B. DAVIDSON, 63, Water St., Georgetown, D. C.

NEW EXPRESS LINE BETWEEN PHILADELPHIA AND ALEXANDRIA, GEORGETOWN AND WASHINGTON. (VIA CANAL). Good substantial well adapted FREIGHT STEAMERS comprise this new line, which will sail on WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY of each week from Philadelphia, and TUESDAYS and THURSDAYS from Alexandria, at 12 m. Freight, &c., at moderate rates. For particulars apply at A. GENTS: M. ELDRIDGE & CO., No. 4, South Wharves, Alexandria; JOHN B. DAVIDSON, 63, Water St., Georgetown, D. C.

On and after TUESDAY next, September 1, the Wawaset will make two trips a week, on TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS, for CURRIAMAN and CONE RIVER, touching at her usual intermediate landings.

On Tuesday her trip is to Curriaman; on Friday to Cone River—leaving Washington at 6 and Alexandria at 7 o'clock a. m. POTOMAC FERRY CO. aug 28

NEW AND ATTRACTIVE STOCK OF HOUSEKEEPING ARTICLES, At A. H. NOTT & CO.'S, 69, King street, CONSISTING IN PART OF— ROGERS' CUTLERY, CASTORS, PLATED SPOONS, AND FORKS, BRITANNIA URNS, TEA AND COFFEE POTS, BASKETS, of all descriptions, Toilet Sets, Bristle Scedors, Patent Scrub Brushes, and every notion in the housekeepers' line.

We offer particular inducements to the trade in our extensive stock of CUTLERY, TIN, and WOODEN WARE and BROOKS. Having just returned from the largest New York factories, we can give satisfaction, and invite the attention of merchants and farmers to our stock at 69, King street, Alexandria. ANDREW H. NOTT, Late of Richmond. BERTRAND S. ASHBY, Late of Fauquier co.

SPLENDID LINE OF CASSIMERES AND SWIMMER & SLAYMAKER have now open their usual large line of Cloths and Cassimeres, and are now prepared to Trim off Suits, Overcoats and Capes in the very best style and at the lowest rates. A full line of Tailors' Trimmings always on hand. sep 30-tf

GROCERIES.

J. F. LARKIN, DEALER IN GROCERIES AND LIQUORS, No. 18, N. Royal street, Has received a lot of Old Cabinet, Monongahela, Old Ryo and other WHISKIES, which he will sell at the lowest market price, in lots to suit purchasers, from one pint to ten barrels. Also, RUM, GIN and IMPORTED PORT WINE, Chocolate, Cocoa, Raisins and Figs, Soap of various kinds, genuine Castile included. aug 25

TO THE PUBLIC. Having bought the stock of Messrs. Loomis & Paer, No. 179 King Street, I am now prepared to furnish to my friends and the public in general, as fine a selection of GROCERIES as can be found in any house in the city. Among our stock may be found the following articles which have been selected with the greatest care.

In Sugars, we have Crutcha, a fine lot of Cuba and Porto Rico Sugars. FLOUR. A very Superior Article of Gunpowder, Japan, Imperial and Oolong Teas. FLOUR. A choice article of Family and Extra Flour. MOLASSES. New Orleans Molasses and Golden and Honey Syrups.

Choice Factory Cheese, 25 Boxes Stearino, Babbitt's, Electric and Dobbin's Soap, Sugar Cured Hams, Broast Pieces, Country Cured Hams and Middlings. A choice article of Lard. COFFEE. A fine assortment of Old Government, Java, Laguayra and Rio Coffee. Pure Ground and Whole Spico. Italian Macaroni, Baker's Chocolate, Cocoa and Broma.

OILS. Marseilles and Bordeaux Oils; also a large assortment of Wooden and Willow Ware, Crockery and Glass Ware, may 16-tf

WM. F. BROOKES, CHAS. S. TAYLOR, JR. BROOKES & TAYLOR, DEALERS IN CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES, Cor. Pitt and Prince streets, ALEXANDRIA, VA. Country Produce taken in Exchange. mar 10-tf

J. CLINTON MILBURN, FAMILY GROCER, AND DEALER IN FINESTRA'S WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS, Corner Cannon and Royal Streets, ALEXANDRIA, VA. Particular attention paid to the selection of Choice Flour and Teas. my 28-tf

DAVY & HARMON, GROCERS, FEED, AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, Corner of Prince and Royal Sts., ALEXANDRIA, VA. Special attention given to the sale of Country Produce. my 9-tf

F. RECKER, DEALER IN GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, WINES, LIQUORS, &c., &c. COR. KING & ST. ASAPH STS. Country Produce bought at the highest market prices. Goods delivered to any part of the city free of charge. my 6-tf

F. G. SWAINE, NO. 22, NORTH ROYAL STREET (2 doors south of old stand.) Has on hand and is constantly receiving fresh invoices of GROCERIES, WINES & LIQUORS, which he will sell cheap for cash. fo 25

INSURANCE. We beg to call attention to the report of the LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE CO., for 1868: Capital, Surplus and Reserved Funds (Gold) \$17,005,026 00 Assets in the United States over 2,000,000 00 Daily Cash Receipts (Gold) upwards of 20,000 00 THE ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR '67 SHOWS That the Premiums in 1867 were \$5,478,278 The losses (Gold) amount to 3,244,728 The Assets have been increased. After paying a dividend of 30 per cent, amounting to \$587,925, the undivided Profits are \$24,115 Total Assets \$17,005,26 LIFE INSURANCE FOR FAVORABLE TERMS. The Shareholders personally responsible for the engagements of the company. All Directors must be Shareholders. Permanent Policies issued—insuring property forever. Losses paid in Gold, Sterling or Currency. Property holders can not put their risks in a more reliable office. HOVE, WEDDERBURN & CO., sep 17-1m Agents.

ROBERT JAMIESON, FIRE, LIFE, AND MARINE INSURANCE, WISE & CO., No. 97, King street. Fire, Life and Marine Risks placed in reliable Companies at reasonable rates. Persons wishing assurance of any kind will find it to their interest to consult us before placing their risks. FIRE RISKS IN THE COUNTRY taken at moderate rates. sep 15-ly

MANHATTAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, of New York, GWIN, BECKHAM & CO., Water street, No. 14, North Wharves, Philada. Dr. D. M. FRENCH, Medical Examiner. sep 12-1m

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE CO., Asserts (Gold) \$16,000,000 Risks taken on all descriptions of property, and Fire and Life Policies issued, payable in gold, currency or sterling. Forparticulars taken on most favorable terms. Shareholders personally responsible for all liabilities of the company, and losses settled without reference to England. Marine Insurance also effected. HOVE, WEDDERBURN & CO., Agents, Alexandria, Va. sep 18-tf

INSURANCE. FIRE AND MARINE RISKS, placed in responsible companies, at fair rates, by sep 7-tf HOVE, WEDDERBURN & CO.

LIME! LIME! LIME! The subscriber having established at the Canal Basin extensive Kilns for the production of all descriptions of LIME, offers the same to farmers, citizens and the public generally, in quantities to suit, and at low rates. Persons in want of any description of Lime, will find it to their interest to encourage home manufacture. They will find my Lime cheap as the cheapest, and good as the best, it being burned in the latest improved kilns. I also offer for sale, at like reasonable rates, all kinds of BUILDING BRICK, to be had at GERMAN & FRANCIS' BRICK-YARD. Orders may be left at the stores of J. Broders & Co., King street; R. H. Stabler, corner King and Washington streets; at the Kiln, or my house, No. 56, south St. Asaph st. my 21-6m EMANUEL FRANCIS.

CURRENTS! NEW CURRENTS! just received and for sale by FRED. RECKER, King st., cor. St. Asaph. sep 24-4w

SWISS AND LIMBURGER CHEESE, received and for sale by FRED. RECKER, King street, cor. Asaph. sep 24-4w

STOVES, TINWARE, &c.

THE GREAT DIAMOND HEATER. This magnificent Stove stands in the same relation to other stoves as the precious jewel from which it derives its name does to other jewels. Profiting by past experience, we have thrown into it all the commendable qualities of the most popular Stoves, and have added inventions of our own, rendering it the best combination of philosophy and mechanics now in the market, and making it a perfect stove. By the arrangement the combustion of gases is perfect, and greater efficiency is obtained to perform what we claim for it, with a great diminution in amount of fuel necessary. It is unequalled in every particular, in beauty, in workmanship, in durability, and as a home necessity is needless. It is superior, and not likely to get out of order with others, and feel confident its great superiority will ensure the preference. This handsome and economical stove is for sale by sep 7 ENOCH GRIMES, 43, King st.

STOVES! STOVES! KELL'S OLD STAND, No. 23, King street, Dealer in all kinds of FUEL-SAVING GAS-BURNING STOVES, AND TIN WARE, viz: Cook, Parlor, Hall, Church, Office and other kinds of Stoves and Ranges. Among his first-class Cook Stoves are the Excelsior, Monumental, Ironsides, Wm. Penn, Noble Cook, Pennsylvania, Paragon, Lehigh, Continental, Old Dominion, Wm. Tell, &c., &c., all of which he warrants as recommended.

Coppering and Plumbing, and other kinds of Tin work, at the lowest prices, for quality of material and workmanship. S. CUVILLIER, sep 7-tf Jan Alexandria, Va.

KING COMFORT. Having spent some time away from home in order to test the merits of the various Fire Place Heaters, we have returned, prepared to offer to the public something No. 1. We have secured the agency for the IMPROVED BALTIMORE HEATER, considering it by far superior to any Heater out, as to beauty, design and finish. It is worth a visit from those who may not even be in want of Stoves, that they may see to what perfection mechanism has arrived. To those in want, listen to our terms and guarantees, which there is no go back on. Look at the beauty of the stove and we will take pleasure in explaining the principles on which it runs. Select your stove; we will take it to your house, fit it up to heat 1, 2 or 3 rooms; and when the work is all complete you retaining the purchase-money until we build a fire, when we expect you to take a seat in front of your own hearth, and say this is truly King Comfort.

RECEIPT YOUR BILL. We are also prepared to receive orders for all other fire place Heaters that may be wanted. Our general assortment of Parlor, Dining Room and Hall Stoves, together with the most improved Cooking Stoves, have been selected from those who may not even be in want of Stoves, and will present one of the most complete and varied assortments ever offered in this market, every Stove of which we will warrant, and sell on the most reasonable terms.

R. B.—Our arrangements are such that we can sell to dealers at FACTORY PRICES. sep 27-tf Corner King & Washington sts.

BUILDING MATERIALS. JAMES W. NALLS, (SUCCESSOR TO J. W. NALLS & Co.) Having purchased the entire stock of the late firm, at the old stand, NO. 187, KING STREET, I invite those who have so liberally patronized them, and the public generally, to give me a call. Having a large stock on hand, I am prepared to sell as cheap as any other dealer in the State. My stock consists of Hardware, Cutlery, Carpenters' Tools, Doors, Sash, Blinds, Door and Window Frames, Brackets, Mouldings, Balusters, of different patterns, and Newell Posts. A large stock of French and American Glass, double and single thick, of all sizes—Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Paint and White Wash Brushes, Lewis' Pure White Lead, and other brands of fine quality, Putty, Turpentine and Machine Oil. Also, Lino, of superior quality, Cement, Cased Master, Pitch and Felt for Roofing, &c. A large stock of Pugh's celebrated Car Augers, and other articles found in first class Builders' Furnishing Establishments. All orders for Lumber, Brick and all kinds of Building Material promptly attended to. Terms cash. sep 21-tf

ENCOURAGE HOME INDUSTRY. VIRGINIA SASH AND DOOR FACTORY. We would respectfully announce to the public that we are prepared to furnish SASHES, DOORS, BLINDS, MOULDINGS, BRACKETS, NEWELS, BALUSTERS, &c., &c. at lower rates than the same can be had north of the Potomac. We have secured the services of Mr. CHAS. MANKIN as Superintendent of the Manufacturing Department, whose well-known reputation as a mechanic warrants us in saying that our work will compare favorably with any other. All kinds of TURNING and SCROLL SAWING done with dispatch. We have also connected with the Factory a large SAW-MILL, FLOORING-MILL and SURFACING-MILL. Send for Price List. RISHBELL & HOUGE, corner Fairfax and Queen streets, sep 18-4f ALEXANDRIA, VA.

WALL PAPERS, BORDERS, FIRE BOARD PRINTS, WINDOW PAPER JOHN P. CLARKE Has resumed his business at the old stand, NO. 168, KING STREET. HIS PAPER HANGING DEPARTMENT contains as usual the choicest, both PLAIN AND DECORATIVE, of the most celebrated FRENCH AND AMERICAN MANUFACTURE, suitable for Parlors, Dining Rooms, Halls, &c. All orders for PAPERING Private Dwellings and Public Buildings will be promptly executed in the most superior style at the lowest prices. Goods packed and forwarded with dispatch. sep 19-4f W. A. SMOOT & CO., 3, King street.

ALEXANDRIA STEAM DYEING AND CLOTH DRESSING ESTABLISHMENT, Established in 1843. A. D. WARFIELD, Proprietor. Grape Shawls, Silk Dresses, Merinos, Lous eaines, Kid Gloves, and all kinds of Ladies' Dress Goods Cleaned and Dyed in the very best manner. Gentlemen's Garments of every description Cleaned and Re-dyed, in a style not to be surpassed by any establishment in the country. Ladies' LINEN is a trial. Goods packed and forwarded with dispatch. sep 1-3m

SALT! SALT! SALT! 1200 sacks Liverpool Ground Alum Salt. 300 sacks Cheshire Salt. 300 sacks Verdin & Son's Salt. 500 sacks Marshall's Salt, for sale at market rates from vessel, by W. A. SMOOT & CO., sep 19-4f 3, King street.

BONE DUST. 100 tons fine Bone Dust. 50 " coarse " Just received in store and for sale by HOVE, WEDDERBURN & CO. aug 24-2m

OLIVE OIL, genuine Italian Olive Oil, received and for sale by FRED. RECKER, King street, cor. St. Asaph. sep 24-4w

EDUCATIONAL.

F. HENRY'S SCHOOL. This SCHOOL FOR BOYS, established in the year 1857, will commence its next annual session on Monday, the 7th of September. Terms of Tuition per quarter, in advance: \$8, \$10 and \$12, depending upon the branches taught. Persons wishing to see the subscriber on business relating to the School, may find him at his School room, in the 2d story of Friendship Engine House, on any day after the 1st of September, between the hours of 9 and 12 o'clock m. H. F. HENRY, sep 14-tf

ALEXANDRIA ACADEMY, ELEVENTH ANNUAL SESSION. The exercises of this Academy will commence on Monday, September 7th, 1868, and terminate June 30th, 1869. Charges same as last year. Senior Class.....\$8 per quarter Intermediate Class....." " Junior Class....." " Circulars may be obtained at the bookstores, and applications for admission, or further information, may be made at the school room, No. 43, north Royal street, to JOHN S. BEACH, Principal. sep 27

THE EPISCOPAL HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS. Three miles west of Alexandria, Va. Begins its twenty-ninth annual session on the 30th of September, with the same professors. A full course, mathematical, classical and practical, is taught. Pupils are received from the age of nine. Deduction made for ministers, and for persons sending two pupils. For further information address the Principal, Rev. WM. R. GARDNER, The Assessor, at Messrs. JAMES M. GARNETT, M.A.; W. P. MASON, and J. C. FORTESCUE, aug 8-602m

ALEXANDRIA ELECTIC ACADEMY, No. 142, DUKE STREET. The Fourth Annual Session of this School will begin on Monday, the 7th of Sept., 1868. Terms: Elementary Class, \$6; Junior, \$8; Intermediate, \$9; Senior, \$10 per quarter—in advance. A small charge will be made for fuel in the first three quarters. Applications may be made to the Principal at his residence, 142, Duke street. aug 24-604f WM. E. BAKER, Principal.

LATEST NEW YORK NEWS! THE PEOPLE GREATLY EXCITED. "COSTAR" IN THE FIELD! LADIES LOOK OUT! LOOK OUT! A BEAUTIFUL 'AS IS' A BEAUTIFUL. [Ladies' Magazine for Sept.] "Here," said one of the LADIES, who is said to be 'out' with a beautifier that eclipses anything ever known in this line. The ladies are wild with delight. One lady says "I know it's right," and pointed to a skin as fresh, soft and delicate as a child. Another lady said, "I cost \$10 a bottle, I'd have it; and another, 'twas with all her cosmetics, and give me only "COSTAR'S" BITTER SWEET & ORANGE BLOSSOMS. It gives beauty to the complexion, a rosy glow to the cheeks, a ruby tinge to the lips and happiness to the whole. All Beware! of worthless imitations. 11 Beware! in Alexandria sell it. One bottle for \$1. Three bottles, \$2. Or address "Costar," No. 10 Crosby st., N. Y. [Morning Paper, August 26] "OH MY! OH MY! I can't stand it; but he did, for he sent right off and got a box of "COSTAR'S" PURE INSOLUBLE POWDER, "20 boxes and fasks manufactured daily." "All Duggists in Alexandria sell them." "11 Beware! of spurious imitations."

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AGRICULTURAL. IMPORTANT TO FARMERS. ANDREW COE'S SUPER-PHOSPHATE OF LIME, The Great Fertilizer. 100 TONS IN STORE—MORE TO ARRIVE. Hundreds of certificates from practical and reliable farmers attest its superiority over all other Fertilizers used. Try it.

1868. 71.....KING STREET.....71 ALEXANDRIA, VA. The subscriber has now on hand and can afford to sell at prices to suit the times one of the largest and best assorted stocks of fine goods for Gentlemen, Ladies, Misses and Children, and heavy work suitable for farmers, ever before offered for sale in this market. His long experience in the trade has enabled him to procure a stock manufactured from the best material and in the most durable and stylish manner, and on the most favorable terms, and with such advantages he can afford to sell as cheap as the cheapest. All in want will do well to call at 74, King street, before purchasing. His stock comprises in part— Men's Kip Boots, suitable for farmers. Men's Calf Double-sole Pegged and Stitched Scotch bottom Boots. Boys' and Youth's Calf and Kip Double-sole Boots. Ladies', Misses' and Children's Calf, Goat, Morocco, Glove Kid, Turkish Morocco and Lasting Boots of every style and description. Men's, Ladies', Misses and Children's Gum Shoes. Also, a good stock of goods suitable for country merchants, to which we invite their attention. sep 14-3m W. B. WADDY.

ALEXANDRIA AND WINCHESTER MAIL STAGE LINE. FARE REDUCED! This old and reliable line of Stages from Alexandria via Fairfax C. H., Chantilly, Pleasant Valley, Arcolis, Aldie, Middleburg, Upperville, Paris, Berry's Ferry and Millwood to Winchester, is now running as follows, viz: Leaves Alexandria on TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS at 7 o'clock a. m., or on the arrival of the Northern mail, and Upperville on WEDNESDAYS, FRIDAYS and SUNDAYS, at 7 a. m., and arrives at Winchester, connecting with the cars for Baltimore, and stages for Capon Springs and Staunton. Returning leaves Winchester on TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS, at 10 a. m., and Upperville on WEDNESDAYS, FRIDAYS and SUNDAYS, at 6 a. m., and arrives in Alexandria in time for the cars for Baltimore and the North. Fare from Alexandria to Fairfax C. H. \$1.00 Middleburg... 3.00 Upperville... 3.50 Other points in proportion. As this line can be relied upon throughout the whole year, and the proprietor pledges his personal attention to the comfort and safety of his passengers (the driving himself over a greater portion of the route) the travelling public may rest assured that his best efforts will be exerted to merit their patronage. Offices—At Mansion House, Alexandria; Amos Fox's Saloon, Fairfax C. H.; E. C. Brown's Store, Middleburg, and Taylor & Keiger's store, Winchester. sep 14-602m WM. WHALEY, Prop.

RYAN & BREERWOOD Are now receiving from New York a large and well selected stock of DRY GOODS, adapted to the fall and winter season. We ask a call from all who wish bargains. oct 2-2w No. 76, King street.

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WM. H. BECK & CO., REAL ESTATE AGENTS. Have for sale CITY PROPERTY, OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS, BRICK AND FRAME HOUSES. Prices from \$300 to \$10,000 VACANT LOTS, WHARF PROPERTY, MARKET BARGAINS, and SUBURBAN RESIDENCES. ALSO—A number of Valuable Farms, Mills and Wood lands, lying on our railroads and rivers. They also attend to renting property. Parties wishing property in their hands get the benefit of extensive advertising free of all cost. Call and get a circular at their office, 97, King street, (Jamieson & Bro's. Ins. office) or address, C. Va. Real Estate Agency, Box 259, sep 24-tf ALEXANDRIA, Va.

GREEN & WISE, REAL ESTATE AGENTS AND AUCTIONEERS, INSURANCE & GENERAL AGENCY BUSINESS. Buy and Sell, Rent and Exchange Houses and Lots, Farming Lands of every description, Mineral and Timber Lands, Mills, Saws, Factories, Stone Quarries, &c., &c. Insurance, Life and Accident, Fire and Marine—all the best companies in the country North and South. Office No. 23, Green's Mansion House Building, Alexandria, Va. sep 16-4f

THOMAS A. BALL, GRAYS ON TYLER LAND AGENCY. OFFICES—Gainesville Depot, Manassas Gap Railroad and Buckle, Prince William county, Va. The subscribers having associated themselves for the purpose of buying and selling lands in Fauquier, Prince William and adjoining counties, are prepared to offer to purchasers a number of farms, containing from 200 to 1000 acres, at prices ranging from \$5 to \$40 per acre. Parties desiring to locate in this State, will do well to examine the lands we offer before purchasing elsewhere. Will attend the depot at Gainesville, and at Buckland daily, and be prepared to take care of and show parties the property we offer. This immediately vicinity offers great inducements in the way of rail and turnpike roads to the markets of Alexandria, Georgetown and Washington, distant 35 to 40 miles, and from 5 to 8 miles from Warrenton, on the Orange and Alexandria R. R., the country seat of Fauquier. No section of the State possesses greater advantages for grazing, fruit culture and farming, its nearness to market enabling the producer to place in the above market daily the surplus products of fruits, vegetables, &c. Flour and grist mills are numerous. At Buckland, 2 miles from Gainesville, a large woolen factory is in successful operation, affording a home market for wool and other products. The water and health of this section is unsurpassed. We will be glad to furnish information to all parties desiring it, with full descriptions of the lands. Terms of sale will be liberal. Address, P. O. Gainesville Depot, Prince William county, Va. References—R. W. Downman, esq., Washington, D. C.; Gen. Daniel Ruggles, U. S. Land and Immigration Company, New York; M. B. Washington, esq., Warrenton, Va. ap 3-6m

DOUDON AND FAUQUIER LANDS FOR SALE. I claim authorized to sell about fifty of the most desirable farms in Loudoun and Fauquier counties. ARTHUR L. ROGERS, Attorney at Law and Land Agent, Middleburg, Va. ap 15-6m

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