

LOCAL ITEMS.

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ROBBERY IN THE COUNTY.—A short time since Mr. Phil. Roach removed from this county to Washington, leaving his house in charge of a colored woman. Almost as soon as he had quit the premises, the woman commenced to plunder his house, and was rapidly removing from it every article of household furniture, when Mr. Roach was informed of her villainy.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE. Election Case Postponed. CLEVELAND, Ohio, Oct. 27.—E. Penn Dick-

THE MARKETS. NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Money in demand at 7 per cent. Exchange 91. Gold 144. Five-

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Flour dull and 5a 10c lower. Wheat irregular and unsettled, but without decided change in price. Corn dull and about 1c lower.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 27.—Cotton unchanged. Flour dull, at a decline of 50 cts. on yesterday's quotations. Howard Street Super \$7.50; do. extra \$8.50; do. family \$11.50; 11 lb. City Mills Super \$6.75; do. extra \$8.75; do. family \$11.50; 11 lb. Western Super \$7.75; do. extra \$8.75; do. family \$11.50; 11 lb. Wheat very dull—prime to choice red \$2.35; 2.50. Corn dull and lower—prime yellow \$1.25. Oats dull, with best sales at 70 cts. Rye dull and nominal. Provisions firmer at yesterday's quotations.

GOLD. NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Gold to-day 144. CITY ITEMS. Now is your chance to save 25 per cent by buying your clothing at DEALMAN'S, No. 108, King street, lower than before the war.

THE MAN OF THE TIMES.—Commercial reporters, when they represent business just now as dull, state what is true, excepting at the great Clothing Emporium of S. BLONDHEIM, corner of King and Fairfax sts. His establishment is always full of customers. Whether you prefer ready-made clothing, or that made to order, for yourself, your children or your grandfather, BLONDHEIM'S is the place to go.

LIVERY OVERCOATS on hand or made to order; suits of liveries made to order at short notice by George C. Henning, No. 511 7th street. Those contemplating outfits for their servants will do well to call. Washington, Oct. 27—11

NOTICE TO BOYS.—Blondheim has just received a complete assortment of Boys Overcoats of all kinds and prices very cheap. Call early boys at BLONDHEIM'S, corner King and Fairfax sts. Oct 27

EVERY danger I have known, That a reckless life can fill; But my good clothes have not fled, For I deal at BLONDHEIM'S still. This brief extract from a recent volume of lyrics poems shows the magnificent cognation of Alexandria's great clothes king to have been embalmed in immortal verse. Call at once at the corner of King and Fairfax streets, and supply yourself with superior garments at prices that defy competition. Come on time, call, my store shall fly from its firm base, as soon I. S. BLONDHEIM, Single and Double-breasted Sack Coats at BLONDHEIM'S, corner King and Fairfax sts. Oct 5

BLONDHEIM. Corner King and Fairfax streets. Has just received a large and complete stock of Ready-made Clothing, and Under Wear, which rank highest in style and lower in price than that of any house in this city. He has—No. 1 Beaver Suits at \$25. First quality Sack Cloth Suits at \$20. Cassimere Suits at \$8 and upwards. Cassimere Pants at \$3 and upwards. Cassimere Pants at \$1 and upwards. And other goods as cheap in proportion. Remember the place. BLONDHEIM, Oct 2-4f Cor. King and Fairfax sts.

NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stock holders of the LITTLE RIVER TURNPIKE ROAD CO. will be held at 109, Prince street, on SATURDAY, November 7th, 1868, at 11 o'clock a. m. W. H. MARBURY, Treasurer. Oct 12-14wtd

BAZAN & HEGEMAN'S COMPOUND Camphor Ice with Glycerine for Chapped Hands, Face, Lips, &c. for sale by WARFIELD & HALL, sep 24-4w King street, cor. St. Asaph.

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

MACKEREL.—New No. 1 Mackerel just received and for sale by FRED. RECKER, King st., cor. St. Asaph. sep 24-4w

FRESH TEAS.—Gunpowder, Oolong, Japan and English Breakfast just received and for sale by AVERY & DAVIDSON, 226, King st., cor. Alfred. oct 15

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

NEW RAISINS and CURRENTS, received and for sale by AVERY & DAVIDSON, 226, King st., cor. Alfred. oct 15

AUCTION SALES.

By Green & Williams. (Auctioneers and Real Estate Brokers.) No. 528, S. E. cor. 7th and D sts., Washington. THE MOST EXTENSIVE STOCK OF HARDWARE AND AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS EVER OFFERED FOR SALE IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, AT AN AUCTION.

On THURSDAY, the 6th of November next, we will sell, at the warehouse and store of J. P. Bartholow, eq., opposite the Central Market, on Second street, between Potomac and Adams and the canal, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., and continuing from day to day until all is sold, the largest, most complete, and general assortment of Hardware and Agricultural Implements ever offered for sale in the city of Washington. As the stock is well known to be of the most superior quality and greatest variety, we deem it unnecessary to enumerate, but would mention in part—

Ploughs, Harrows, Cultivators, Seed Drills, Corn Planters, Mowing and Reaping Machines, Tire Benders, Large Platform and other Scales, Cutting Boxes, Corn Shellers, Scythes and Cradles, with a large lot of other Agricultural Implements. Also, a large and general assortment of Builders' Hardware, such as Locks, Hinges, Nails, Blot Tools and Cutlery, &c. Also, Blacksmiths', Wheelwrights', Machinists', Carpenters', Tinners' and Butchers' Tools! The Hardware Merchants of Alexandria, Georgetown and Washington, Farmers and Builders in the surrounding country, and the public in general, are respectfully invited to see this stock, which is large, and will be positively sold without reserve, and the sale will be worthy their attention.

TERMS.—All sums of \$100 and under \$50, cash; over, and not exceeding \$100, a credit of sixty days; over \$100, ninety days, for notes in all cases of credit, bearing interest from day of sale, properly secured by city endorsers. GREEN & WILLIAMS, Auctioneers. Washington, Oct 24-14

By J. H. Parrott, Auctioneer. COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF KING ST. PROPERTY.—In execution of a decree of the Circuit Court of the county of Alexandria, rendered on the 27th of August, 1868, in the suit in chancery of Baggett and wife vs. Johnston et al., the undersigned, Commissioners, will offer for sale, by auction, at the premises, in WYDENBURY, on the 25th of November, 1868, at 12 o'clock m., a two-story BRICK HOUSE and LOT OF GROUND, in the city of Alexandria, situated on the south side of King street, 43 feet 5 inches east of Fayette street, 17 feet 3 inches front on King street, and 100 feet deep to a first alley. The improvements consist of a very convenient and substantial DWELLING and SHOP, with back buildings. TERMS.—Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale, and on the ratification of the sale sufficient, in addition, to make one-fourth of the whole purchase money, and the residue in three equal instalments of six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest; the deferred payments to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, satisfactorily endorsed, and a deed of trust upon the property. As further security, the buildings to be insured and the policy transferred to the purchaser, at his or her cost. D. L. JOHNSON, Comm'r. of Sale. Oct 24-14

EDUCATIONAL. GERMAN AND FRENCH CLASSES. The Rev. JOHN M. BRANDT, D.D., late Professor of the Hebrew Language, Theology and Moral Philosophy of the Western Maryland College, having settled in Alexandria, offers a very complete course of instruction in the German and French languages. He proposes to open private classes for ladies and gentlemen at the school room of the 1st Lutheran Church, where he will teach these languages. Ladies' classes from 8 to 10 o'clock p. m. Ladies and Gentlemen wishing to avail themselves of the opportunity will please call at the above stated hours at the Lutheran School, No. 164, King st. Respectfully, JOHN M. BRANDT, Minister 1st Lutheran Church. Oct 24-14

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH. The English and German School of this Church, under the supervision of the Rev. Dr. Brandt, will open on Wednesday, October 21st, at 9 o'clock a. m., at No. 164, King street, near Washington, above Mrs. Hyman's store. Parents wishing to entrust their children to this Institution will please call at the school room between 12 and 1 o'clock a. m. W. M. METZGER, Pres. Oct 24-14

ALEXANDRIA ACADEMY, ELEVENTH ANNUAL SESSION. The exercises of this School will commence on Monday, September 7th, 1868, and terminate June 30th, 1869. Charges same as last year. Senior Class.....\$8 per quarter Intermediate Class.....7 " Junior Class.....6 " Regulars 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, on August 27. JOHN S. BEACH, Principal. Oct 27

OILS! OILS! We have in store and offer for sale—500 gallons LINSEED OIL, 120 " Neatfoot " 120 " Train " 100 " Sweet " 80 " Castor " 100 " Lubricating " 50 " Fine spindle " Also, 2 bbls each of Alcohol, Turpentine and Benzine. [Oct 26] J. ANNEY & CO.

WINDOW GLASS.—We offer for sale a large and complete stock of French Window Glass of all sizes; also, American Glass of the sizes 8x10 and 10x12. J. ANNEY & CO. Oct 26

ECONOMY FOR SMOKERS.—We have just received a job lot of very cheap GARDNER'S Navy Cut pipe tobacco, which we offer at 82 per box. We believe them fully equal to the majority of cigars that are retailed at 10 cents a piece. Call and examine them. J. ANNEY & CO., Druggists, 145, King st. Oct 26

AXLE GREASE.—Just received a large supply of superior anti-friction Axle Grease, which we offer at wholesale and retail to suit purchasers. J. ANNEY & CO. Oct 24

ORW'S READY-SPREAD MUSTARD PLASTERS.—A most convenient article and invaluable counter-irritant—can be cut to any desired size or shape. Price 15c each. For sale by J. ANNEY & CO. Oct 26

PICKLES! PICKLES! PICKLES! Chow Chow Pickles, Cauliflower do, Mixed English do, Mescal do, Pickled Cucumbers, also, a large supply of Cucumber Pickles, W. Tomatoes, Sauce, Bordeaux and Virgin Oils, Tomato Catsup, &c., are to be found at BROOKES & TAYLOR'S, 106, Prince street. Oct 22

NOTICE. A special meeting of MECHANICS LODGE No. 3, K. of P., will be held at the Hall of the Sun Fire Company on THURSDAY EVENING, Oct. 27th, at 8 o'clock. Full attendance requested. By order of W. C. A. KERKMAN. Oct 26-27

HARDWARE FOR THE COUNTRY TRADE. We are receiving a full supply of goods for the Country Trade, which we can and will sell as low as can be purchased in other markets. Terms Cash. J. T. CRIGHTON & CO., 85, King street. Oct 1

CUMBERLAND COAL! CUMBERLAND COAL! For sale in quantity by W. A. SMOOT & CO., No. 3, King street. Oct 19-11

AUCTION SALES.

MOUNT VERNON COTTON FACTORY, FOR SALE. Under authority of a deed of trust from Abijah Thomas and wife to me dated 23d of January, 1856, and duly recorded, I will offer for sale, by auction, to the highest bidder, on SATURDAY, the 6th day of November, 1868, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the premises, that LOT OF GROUND, with the BUILDINGS and improvements thereon, in the city of Alexandria, situated on the east side of Washington street, and south side of Pendleton street, at their intersection, bounded on the east by W. C. Veaton's ground, and on the south by the ground of Mrs. J. L. Turner, on which stands the Mount Vernon Cotton Factory buildings, &c., together with all the engines, boilers, fixtures, machinery, apparatus and personal property thereon, or contained in said buildings.

TERMS.—One-fourth of the purchase-money in hand on the day of sale, and the residue in 12 and 24 months, equal instalments, from that day, bearing interest, payable half-yearly, and secured by deed of trust upon the property to my satisfaction, and the buildings and contents, to be insured and kept insured for such amount, as I may direct at the expense of the purchaser, and the policies transferred to him, as additional security. R. JOHNSTON, Trustee. Oct 2-14

By Green & Wise. (Real Estate Auctioneers.) COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF A VERY DESIRABLE FARM IN FAIRFAX COUNTY, VA.—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, pronounced at its June term, 1868, in the case of Wm. Earnest and Mary Hustin et al., vs. the undersigned, Commissioners therein named, will, on SATURDAY, the 31st day of October, 1868, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Mayor's office, Alexandria, Va., offer for sale, by public auction, the following property, to wit: A LOT OF GROUND in Fairfax co., Va., containing ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY ACRES, more or less; lying on Blacklick run, and adjacent to the Orange, Alexandria and Manassas Railroad. The land is well watered and timbered about four miles from Alexandria. The land is improved, one-half cultivated, and the other in timber. There is a two-story BRICK DWELLING on it; also a frame barn; an apple orchard and other fruit trees. The land adjoins Mrs. Virginia Scott's, and Mr. C. D. Stout, who lives on it, will show it to any one who desires to purchase. TERMS.—One-fourth of the purchase-money to be paid in hand, the residue in three equal instalments of six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest thereon from the day of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by retention of title until they are paid, and the first payment to be forfeited upon the failure of the purchaser to comply with the terms of sale. This land, as it lies near the cities of Alexandria and Washington, and is suitable for farming or gardening purposes, offers peculiar inducements to purchasers who desire to locate in Fairfax county. GEO. W. BRENT, Commissioner. Oct 4-24wtd

By Green & Wise. (Real Estate Auctioneers.) COMMISSIONER'S SALE.—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of the county of Alexandria, rendered at its December term, 1858, in the suit of S. Bevan & Co. vs. Charles R. Swann et al., in chancery, the undersigned offers for sale, at public auction, on SATURDAY, the 31st day of October, 1868, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Mayor's office, a LOT OF GROUND, south of and binding on the old factor's road, in Alexandria county, containing TWENTY ACRES and one perch, and adjoining the lands of John J. Lloyd on the south, and Graves on the west. Also, another LOT OF GROUND, north of and binding on the old factor's road, in same county, containing TWENTY ACRES, and adjoining the lands of Sherwood on the west, and E. W. T. Swann on the east, running back to Four Mile Creek. TERMS.—One-tenth of the purchase-money in cash, and the residue in three equal payments of 6, 12 and 18 months from the day of sale, with interest; the deferred payments to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with personal security, and a retention of the title. Stamps and costs of conveying at the expense of the purchaser. GEO. W. BRENT, Comm'r. of Sale. Oct 1-14

By Green & Wise. (Real Estate Auctioneers.) COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE AND WATER POWER IN ALEXANDRIA COUNTY, VA.—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, Va., rendered in the case of Swann against Bevan and others, the undersigned, Commissioners therein named, will proceed on SATURDAY, the tenth day of October, 1868, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Mayor's office, in the city of Alexandria, to sell, at public auction, a TRACT OF LAND, situated in the said county of Alexandria, on which three miles from Alexandria, on which Dr. R. B. Alexander resided, and of which he died seized, containing 247 acres, 3 rods and 16 poles. Also, a TRACT adjoining the above, with water power, for sawing, in connection with a factory, containing 22 acres. TERMS.—One-third of the purchase-money in cash, and the residue in three equal payments of six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, and the title to be retained until full payment is made. FRANCIS L. SMITH, GEO. W. BRENT, Commissioners. Oct 3-14

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AUCTION SALES.

By J. H. Parrott, Auctioneer. TRUST SALE OF VERY VALUABLE UNDER A LORRY OF A DEED OF TRUST TO US, duly recorded in Alexandria county, in Liber K, No. 8 page 469, we will offer for sale, by auction, to the highest bidder, on SATURDAY, the 21st day of November next, at 12 o'clock a. m., at the Mayor's office, in the city of Alexandria, a LOT OF GROUND, with the BUILDINGS and improvements thereon, in the city of Alexandria, situated on the east side of Union street, 562 feet south of Princess street, and bounded on the south by the Wheat Mill property. The lot fronts on Union street 562 feet, and extends into the Potomac river with that width.

TERMS.—One-third cash; the residue in two equal payments at six and twelve months, with interest, to be secured by lien on the property. W. C. YEATON, Trustee. Oct 20-14

A VERY DESIRABLE LITTLE FARM NEAR VIENNA STATION, ON THE A. L. & H. R. R. FOR SALE.—By virtue of a deed of trust from Abijah Thomas and wife to me, the undersigned, dated December 14th, 1851, I will sell, at public auction, at Fairfax Court House, on the 16th DAY OF NOVEMBER next, that being COURT DAY, a VERY DESIRABLE LITTLE FARM, containing fifty-four and three-quarter acres of land, situated in the county of Stafford, in the State of Virginia. This land is of excellent quality, and is well located for a fruit and market farm. TERMS.—One-fourth of the purchase money to be paid in cash; the residue in three equal instalments of six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest from the day of sale. JOHN H. SUTTLE, Commissioner. Fairfax co., Va. Oct 19-14

SALE OF VALUABLE LAND. As Executor of the late Thomas Towson, I shall offer, at public sale, at Stafford C. H., on WEDNESDAY, the 18th day of November, 1868, being COURT DAY, that very VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND, containing FIVE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHT ACRES, situate in the county of Stafford, on the navigable waters of the Aquia Creek, and has upon it several thousand cords of oak and pine wood—more, it is believed, to pay for the land. There are about 500 acres of oak, and the whole tract is well watered, and is at present out of repair. It lies within two miles of the Court House, in a good neighborhood, and convenient to post-offices and churches. It affords a rare opportunity of a profitable investment, and is well known to all. JOHN H. SUTTLE, Executor of Thomas Towson, dec'd. Stafford co., Va. Oct