THE GAZETTE.

FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 31.

March Winds.

Listen, Kitty, my darling!
Here, by the fireside bright—
Do you know what the winds are saying,
Abroad in the gusty night?
Moaning under the windows.
Like the voice of a child that grieves,
Making the maples shiver
And creek at the cottage eaves!

Listen, Kitty, my darling!
The winds are singing a song
Of the Spring that is softly stealing
From sunnier lands along;
The snow-drops smile as they hear it—
A smile for the Spring's sweet sake;
And the shy little violets whisper,
"We hear—we are broad awake."

No matter, Kitty, my darling!
Though the March winds drearily blow,
I am sure that the daisies are stirring
Down under the sheltering snow.
In spite of the blustering weather,
The crocus is budding again;
And the daffodils whisper together,
And wait for the April rain.

Governor English, of Connecticut, by way of complying with the old custom of ordering an annual day of "fasting and prayer," has named Friday, April 7th—which is good Friday. Catholics, Episcopalians, German Lutherans, and many of other denominations, observe this day as the anniversary of the Crucifixion of our blessed Lord.

The Paris Daily Univers costs fifty-eight francs; to which two cts. postage has to be added, on each number, that must be paid in France. Counting in greenbacks, and difference of exchange considered, it is $20 25 a year. The London Times costabout the same we believe.

ELEGANT HAIR adds a charm to the plainest face; but when faded, features before agreeable lose their comeliness, and the whole expression is that of advancing age. This being a fact, it is not surprising that even injurious articles should have been prepared to supply the millions who wish to avoid premature gray hair. Under these circumstances it will scarcely be wondered at that NATTANS' CRYSTAL DISCOVERY should have met with such extraordinary success.

It is the only preparation furnishing a safe and reliable restorer for the hair; absolutely free from all poisonous and deleterious matter and without sediment, and thousands above thousands have availed themselves of it, not simply because it restores the color of the hair, but because it supplies nourishment. It feeds the roots of the hair, so that where decayed it becomes vigorous and healthy again. From all sections of the country orders and testimonials are received daily, speaking in the highest terms of its qualities as the only preparation that ever gave entire satisfaction. Those who have used CRYSTAL DISCOVERY will not use any thing else; but to those who have not tried this excellent article it is recommended that when they are again in want of something of the kind to give it a trial; you will be more than pleased; you will be delighted with it, and will never again be without it. Don't let your druggist, if he has not got CRYSTAL DISCOVERY persuade you to buy something else, or you will be disappointed; rather go where you can get it put up in large bottles, containing half as much more as any other in market and, consequently much the cheapest. Price one dollar. For sale by WARFIELD & HALL, and druggists generally.
mar 8—tf

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LATEST STYLES! LATEST STYLES!

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—AT—

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mar 27—5t

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My Millinery, consisting of all the latest styles, cannot be surpassed, both for elegance of design or in price.

The Dress Making Department will be superintended by one of the best artists of the North, and one that cannot fail to give satisfaction.

Dress Trimmings of all kinds.

Also, Patterns in every variety—all of the latest styles.
mh 30 MRS. C. L. SIMPSON.

SPRING, 1871.
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I am now receiving my Spring stock of the above goods, bought at lowest cash prices.

Country merchants and dealers generally are requested to call and examine my stocks and prices, as I am prepared to sell them goods at as low prices and on as favorable terms as any house in the United States.
mh 6—eo3m E. J. MILLER, 65 King st.

NOTICE.—Having disposed of my entire interest in the GROCERY STORE, cor. Royal street and Market Alley, to my brother, JAMES W. HUNTINGTON, in order to change my business, I respectfullly ask for him a continuance of the same liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon me, assuring all who may deal with him, that he will keep constantly on hand a large supply of every thing usually to be found in a first class family grocery store, and that he will sell the same at the lowest market rates.
mar 30 GEO. A. HUNTINGTON.

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GOODS FOR MEN'S WEAR.

We have put on our retail counter about 75 pieces (about 1500 yards) of Cassimeres, Tweeds, and Cloths, at greatly reduced prices, and think we can now suit all purchasers.
mh 30 ROBERT L. WOOD.

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mh 28-2w MARY E. TRIPLETT.

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mar 25—eo6t*

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This Commission is authorized to receive all claims from the States lately in rebellion; to take evidence and testimony, and report the same to Congress with their recommendation in each case. No provision is yet made for the payment of these claims, and all action is subject to the future action of Congress. The Commission will set in Washington.

R. C. GLASCOCK, late of Fauquier co., Va., is authorized to receive claims and collect testimony which will in proper time be presented to this commission. He will be at Fairfax Court House on Monday, the 20th of March; at Vienna, Fairfax county, 21st of March; Brentsville 3d of April; Manassas 4th of April Leesburg 10th of April. mar 18-1m

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WM. COGAN,
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Has constantly on hand a large and complete assortment of
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mar 20—eo6t

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I have on hand and will sell very low SEVEN SODA FOUNTAINS and ONE GENERATOR; also one of Bigelow's Revolving Syrup and Soda Draught Tubes; one of Nichols' and one of Mathew's Draught Tubes. Any one in want of any of the above articles will find a bargain by calling on
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mh 23-eo1m E. A. STABLER, M.D.

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In conjunction with a reliable agent in Washington city, we will prosecute before the Claims Commission, recently constituted, and before Congress, the CLAIMS of loyal persons in the South for supplies furnished the armies of the United States during the late war.

Also, under a recent act of Congress, PENSIONS due soldiers of the war of 1812. Address
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Attorneys at Law, Fairfax C. H., Va.
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JOS. SEGAR.
Washington D. C., mh 14—2aw5w

UNSETTLED WAR CLAIMS.

AT ITS LAST SESSION CONGRESS, AS an amendment to the army appropriation bill, directed the President to appoint a commission to ascertain and adjust the claims of all loyal citizens in the South for Quartermaster and Commissary supplies furnished to the United States during the war. Under the head of quartermaster are included hay, straw, wood, rent of houses and lots, grain, horses and mules, &c.—As commissary stores are included cattle and hogs, flour, corn meal, &c. As yet the rules which will be adopted by the commission concerning proof of loyalty and the furnishing of supplies are unknown. It is very necessary, however, that all claimants should have their claims presented at once, so as to have whatever benefit may result from priority of application, if any.

The undersigned will receive and promptly attend to all claims of parties who deem themselves entitled to compensation under the above act of Congress.

References by permission:
Hon. F. E. Spinner, Treasurer of the U. S.
Hon. LeRoy Tuttle, Asst. Treasurer U. S.
Hon. Alex. Ramsey, U. S. Senator from Min.
Hon. Lewis McKenzie.
Hon. Clinton Lloyd, Chief Clerk H. of R.
John Randolph, esq., Clerk of the U. S. Court of Claims. Address
WILLIAM H. BECK,
Attorney at Law,
97 King street, Alexandria, Va., or
WILLIAM H. BECK,
Care of S. A. Peugh, esq.,
mh 13 Washington, D. C.

WAR CLAIMS.

Congress having just passed an act creating a commission to examine claims of loyal citizens of the South for stores or supplies taken or furnished for the use of the army of the United States during the late war, the undersigned, CHARLES WHITTLESEY, late Attorney General of the State of Virginia, and WESTEL WILLOUGHBY, late Judge of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia, having associated themselves together for the purpose of giving special attention to this class of claims, offer to prosecute such claims, and hereby solicit the attention of claimants to their facilities for securing successful results. Call upon or address,
WHITTLESEY & WILLOUGHBY.
No. 8 south Washington street, Alexandria, Va., and 479 Pa. av., Washington, D.C. mh9-tf

LAW OFFICE.
KILGOUR & BURKE,
223 4½ street, Washington, D. C., and 10 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va.

By a recent act of Congress provision has been made for the payment of claims of loyal citizens of the South for property taken during the late war. The undersigned have made arrangements in connection with their law practice to prosecute said claims, and respectfully solicit the attention of all persons coming within the provisions of this act. [mh 9-1m] KILGOUR & BURKE.

DENTAL CARD.

Having disposed of my entire stock of Perfumeries and Toilet articles, I take pleasure in informing my friends and the public generally that from this date I shall devote my whole time and attention to the practice of my profession.—Thankful for the liberal patronage bestowed upon me for the last 18 years, it shall be my constant endeavor to give entire satisfaction to all who will favor me with their confidence.

Respectfully, JULIUS DIENELT, Dentist.
mar 9—1m*

W. ARTHUR TAYLOR,
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Congress having just amended the Bankrupt law so that nearly all parties can be discharged from their debts unobstructed by the fifty per cent. clause, so-called, another opportunity offers to secure the benefits of this most effective and permanent measure of relief. The above-named will make bankrupt business a specialty; will procure discharges on the most moderate terms, and transact all business in that line at prices which cannot fail to be satisfactory. Being United States Commissioner he will endeavor to visit the different counties on court days, and thus save parties the trouble and expense of several trips to Alexandria in beginning and proceeding with their cases. Discharges can be obtained here before Register Hill as promptly as in Richmond or elsewhere, and at much less expense to parties. It may be added that the Bankrupt act, in connection with the Homestead exemption, which it is now believed will be secured to the bankrupt under the bankrupt law, is the only real relief now offered to parties struggling in the hopeless bondage of old debts. Address personally or by letter at No. 12 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va. jy 16—1y

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Dr. L. respectfully informs the public that for twenty years he has given especial attention to the preservation of the natural teeth, and will continue to do so, and invites those who wish to save them to call on him, knowing that many are extracted and destroyed that by proper treatment might be preserved and made useful for life. Artificial teeth inserted only as APPROVED BY PROFESSORS AND COLLEGES. nov 29—tf

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STARKE'S DIXIE PLOW.

By invitation of Mr. F. C. Williams, of the county of Nottoway, a number of gentlemen assembled at his residence, Saturday, December 10, to test, by practical experiment, the comparative value of the Dixie Plow, manufactured by Starke & Co., and any other that might enter the field of competition.

The plows were taken to the field at half-past two o'clock p. m., the following gentlemen acting as judges: F. W. Epes, J. B. Williams, Robert Scott, Jas. S. Gilliam, Wm. T. Christian, Richard Epes, Dr. Darring, Sidney Graves, Walton Sydnor, F. C. Williams, G. N. Seay and J. M. Hutt. Mr. S. Graves and Walton Sydnor were the principal plowmen, Mr. W. Sydnor working the Watt plow and S. Graves the Dixie—both of whom handled them with masterly skill and success.

The plows entered were the Dixie two-horse right and left hand plows, and the Watt two-horse left hand. Soon after the trial commenced, the beam of the Dixie right hand broke in two and was laid aside, the contest being narrowed to the Watt left hand and Dixie left hand. The soil first selected was a stubble loam without soil; but as the plows were new, and did not turn in consequence of the roughness of the castings, after a short trial it was decided to take them to another field where the soil was a well trodden, tenacious clay, with a timothy sod covered with vegetation and with straw. The plows here performed their work admirably, cutting and turning clear without choking.

As the Dixie was a new comer, as the contest waxed warm, most of the judges took hold of it to test personally its practical working. While there is no intention to do injustice to any, as neither party had agent or representative present, and both plows did well, yet the trial, with the award of the judges, is deemed of sufficient importance to the interest of agriculture to justify its publication.

The award of the judges was unanimously in favor of the Dixie on the following grounds:
1st. It cut a deeper furrough.
2d. It cut a wider furrough.
3d. It more effectually inverted the sod.
4th. The draft seemed to be no greater.
5th. The mechanical arrangement for altering cut was deemed more simple and efficient.

At the conclusion of the trial some of the judges were so pleased as to determine to order them for their own use. J. M. HURT, Secretary.

I certify that the above was sent to the Richmond Whig for publication by myself; that I am not acquainted with Mr. Starke; that he had never seen the paper and knew nothing of its contents, and was in no wise a party to the trial of plows alluded to.
January 7, 1871. J. M. HURT.

We, the judges in the "Plow Trial" on the farm of Mr. F. C. Williams, published in the Whig, hereby certify that it was directed to be sent to that journal as a communication by the judges who made the award.
J. M. HURT,
F. C. WILLIAMS,
W. T. CHRISTIAN,
J. B. WILLIAMS,
January 9, 1871. JAS. S. GILLIAM.

I do not believe in plow trials made by the manufacturers themselves, but hope that every farmer will at once make a full trial of the Dixie with every plow he can find, and buy that which does the best work. I have not been able to supply the demand, nor fill my orders for some time, and must leave the field trials where they rightly belong—to farmers themselves.
P. H. STARKE, 1140 Main street.

New Market, Caroline County.
February 20, 1871.

P. H. Starke, esq.:
Dear Sir—Inclosed you will find a certificate which I send you for your "Dixie" Plow. I have been actuated from no other motive, but alone from the merit of the Plow. I fear the certificate may be too lengthy for publication should you desire it, but I felt a desire to do your Plow justice, and at the same time to do Watt no injustice, and show the reasons why I thought your Plow the best, and my opportunities for judging of the two Plows. You can make such disposure as you may choose of the certificate. I am very respectfully, &c.,
JOHN H. TALIAFERRO.

Falls Church, Va., October 28, 1870.
Mr. A. T. Skinner, Alexandria:
Dear Sir: The "Dixie" Plow bought of you the past season has given me entire satisfaction, after a thorough test. I have used the best Northern Plows, and consider the "Dixie" superior to any I ever used. Yours truly,
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It contains no heavy mineral substances such as enter into the composition of most of the articles sold under the name of Super Phosphates, and consequently the bags in which it is packed though as large as any other, contain only 167 pounds, thus saving to the farmer at least 20 per cent of weight in the same bulk.

It has less inorganic matter than those articles which are based on Rock Guano or other heavy material. The farmer therefore derives benefit from almost every atom of its bulk, either as a crop grower or permanent improver of the soil.

PRICE $54 PER 2000 LBS.

Pomonkey, Charles county, Md.,
September 19, 1870.
Dear Sir: I am much pleased with the Magnum Bonum. It is all you represented it to be. I shall want another ton this fall.
THOS. S. MARTIN.

Port Tobacco, Md., July 22, 1870.
Gentlemen: I used your "Magnum Bonum Soluble Phosphate" on my tobacco crop, and up to this time I have seen a marked difference in its favor between it and stable manure. Of course the tobacco is yet young, but I am disposed to believe that the Magnum Bonum will give entire satisfaction.
In haste, I remain yours, very respectfully,
GEO. P. JENKINS.

Baltimore, July 26, 1870.
Gentlemen: It affords me great pleasure to testify to the virtues of the Magnum Bonum Fertilizer, as tested this spring at my country residence, Nesthewood.
I tried it upon old grass, new sod, flowers, vegetables, &c., and in all cases with the most marked success.
I sowed lawn grass seed where the subsoil was of hard clay, with only one inch of top soil, and that poor, and gave it a dressing of Magnum Bonum on April 10, 1870. By the 10th of May, the grass was two inches high, and very thick and green. I then sowed ground plaster on it, and since have cut two crops, each about eight inches high, and competent judges declare it the most remarkable stand of grass, for its age, they ever saw. I can therefore say that for grass lands, vegetables, &c., your Magnum Bonum surpasses any Fertilizer I have ever seen. Very truly, yours, W. COURTENAY.

[Ex-Governor William Smith, of Virginia.]
Warrenton, Va., July 30, 1870.
Gentlemen: I am in receipt of yours of the 18th instant, asking my opinion of your Magnum Bonum Soluble Phosphate upon my spring crops. In reply, I have tried it on corn, roots and millet, with entire satisfactory results so far and alongside of Turner's Ammoniated Phosphate, which I esteem highly, and without any appearance of inferiority.
It is right that I should say that we had an extraordinary wet year since the opening of spring.
Yours, respectfully, WM. SMITH.

Charlottesville, Va., Feb. 1, 1871.
Mr. Thos. Perry, Alexandria, Va.:
My Dear Sir: Enclosed you will find the statement of my manager, Mr. Jacob O. McGebee, of the effects of your Magnum Bonum sent me for my last crop of corn. Mr. McGebee has been living with me now going on three years, and I think him one of the most accurate and reliable men it has ever been my good fortune to meet with. Yours, GEO. C. GILMER,
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February 1, 1871.
Geo. C. Gilmer, esq.:
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The Fertilizer was applied to corn at planting, May 5th, with machine, (wheat drill, with all tubes but two removed,) depositing same with seed at the rate of 50 pounds per acre. On June 28th was applied broadcast of same manure two hundred pounds per acre, ploughed in at last working of corn. The first application acted finely, causing the crop to push with a vigorous growth second to none, considering the difference as to time in favor of its competitors. The second application made when the corn was beginning to suffer for rain was entirely satisfactory in its results, producing a steady, rapid growth and development throughout the season, and a full remunerative return at gathering. The Magnum Bonum ranks among the best manures ever used.
Respectfully, J. O. MCGEBEE, Manager.

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I have on hand a full supply of this
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THE PRICE HAS BEEN REDUCED
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RAILROADS.

WASHINGTON & OHIO RAILROAD

SPRING SCHEDULE, BEGINNING MARCH 20, 1871.

Two Trains Daily, except Sundays, between Alexandria and Hamilton.

Leave Alexandria at 8.40 a. m. and 5 p. m. Arrive at Hamilton at 10.58 a. m. and 7.25 p. m. Leave Hamilton at 5.50 a. m. and 12.15 p. m.—Arrive at Alexandria at 8.05 a. m. and 2.35 p. m.

The 8:40 a. m. train from Alexandria and 12:15 p. m. train from Hamilton, connect at Hamilton with Kemp's Daily Line of Coaches for Purcellville, Snickersville, Berryville and Winchester; also, with Reamer's Line of Coaches, which leave Leesburg daily for Aldie and Middleburg.

Annual tickets, sixty dollars; commutation tickets, (25 trips) at 2½ cents per mile.
R. H. HAVENNER,
mh 13 General Ticket Agent.

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DEPARTURE OF PASSENGER TRAINS

On and after MONDAY, January 30th, 1871 through Mail Trains leave Washington, from Maryland avenue depot, at 7:10 a. m., for Lynchburg and intermediate stations, Sundays included, and 10:45 a. m. for Harrisonburg and intermediate stations on the Manassas Branch of the O., A. & M. R. R., Sundays excepted. Leave Alexandria, from the corner of Duke and Henry streets, at 2:00 p. m. from Harrisonburg, Sundays excepted, and 5:30 from Lynchburg, Sundays included.

Local Passenger Trains leave Washington, from Maryland Avenue Depot, at 7:15, 9.15 and 11:15 a. m. and 2:00, 3:30, 4, 6:10 and 7:10 p. m. Leave Alexandria, from the corner of Duke and Henry streets, at 4:45 and 9:30 a. m., and from the corner of King and St. Asaph streets at 6, 8 and 10:15 a. m., and 1, 3 and 5 p. m.

Local Sunday Trains leave Alexandria, from the corner of Duke and Henry streets, at 4:45 a. m. Leave Washington, from Maryland avenue depot, at 7:10 p. m.

Through tickets can be procured at the office of the Company, corner of 9th street and Maryland avenue, Washington, and baggage checked through.
O. A. STEVENS, Gen. Supt.
W. J. PHELPS, Gen. Manager. jan 28—tf

ORANGE, ALEXANDRIA AND MANASSAS RAILROAD.

On and after SUNDAY, January 29, 1871, one daily passenger train will run between WASHINGTON and LYNCHBURG, connecting at Gordonsville, with the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad to Richmond, Staunton and the Virginia Springs; at Lynchburg for the West and Southwest, and at Washington, to the North and Northwest.

Leave Washington daily at 6:55 a. m., and Alexandria at 8:00 a. m., arriving at Lynchburg at 5:05 p. m.

Leave Lynchburg at 8:25 a. m., arrive at Alexandria at 5:25 p. m., and at Washington at 6:15 p. m.

For MANASSAS LINE leave Washington daily (excepting Sunday) at 10:30 a. m.; leave Alexandria at 11:20 a. m., pass Strasburg at 4:20 p. m., and arrive at Harrisonburg at 7:00 p. m.

Eastward, leave Harrisonburg at 6:30 a. m.; pass Strasburg at 9:25 a. m., arrive at Alexandria at 1:50 p. m., and at Washington in time for connecting with the 3:30 p. m. train from Washington to Baltimore.

Good connections, by comfortable coaches, are made to Fairfax Court House from Fairfax station; to Middleburg from Plains; to Upperville from Piedmont, and to Staunton from Harrisonburg.

Both the Eastward and Westward bound trains make close connection at Strasburg with the Winchester and Strasburg Railroad to Winchester, Harper's Ferry, &c.

Elegant sleeping cars are run daily between New York and Lynchburg, without change.

Also, cars through between Baltimore and Lynchburg, avoiding the inconvenience of transfer in Washington.

Through tickets and baggage checked to all prominent points.
J. M. BROADUS,
jan 27tf— General Ticket Agent.

STEAMBOATS.

NOTICE.
CHANGE OF STARTING TIME.

The steamer COLUMBIA, Capt. James Harper, will leave Pier No. 5 every TUESDAY NIGHT, at 10 o'clock, for her usual landings on the Potomac and Baltimore.

Freight received on Tuesday until 4 p. m.

Returning, she will leave Baltimore EVERY SATURDAY AFTERNOON, at 4 o'clock.

Freight received on Friday and Saturday.
BENONI WHEAT, Agent.

N. B.—The Columbia will leave Baltimore on Saturday next, the 4th instant. feb 28-tf

POTOMAC TRANSPORTATION LINE

THE STEAMER EXPRESS,
Capt. A. C. NICKLE,
Will resume her route on Tuesday, February 28, leaving pier No. 10 Light street wharf, Baltimore, EVERY TUESDAY, at 4 p. m., for Alexandria, Washington and Georgetown, stopping at the following way points on the Potomac river: Piney Point, Stone's wharf, Coburn, Chaptico wharf, Chapel Point, Mathias Point, Smith's Point, Nanjemoy Stores and Pye's wharf.

Returning, will leave Sixth st. wharf, Washington, EVERY SATURDAY, at 6 a. m., and King street wharf, Alexandria, at 7 a. m.
J. BRODERS & CO.,
feb 25 No. 11 King street, Alexandria.

OFFICE POTOMAC FERRY CO.,
Washington, February 10, 1871.

Steamers of the Potomac Ferry Co. will make their hourly trips between Alexandria and Washington, as follows:

Every hour, from 7 a. m., from each city.

Last trip at 6 p. m., from each city.

The steamer WAWASET will resume her trips to Cone river and intermediate landings on the Potomac—leaving Washington on FRIDAY, the 24th of February, at 6 a. m., and Alexandria at 7 a. m.
S. S. HOWISON,
feb 10-tf President Potomac Ferry Co.

NEW EXPRESS LINE
—BETWEEN—
PHILADELPHIA AND ALEXANDRIA, GEORGETOWN AND WASHINGTON.

Steamers leave regularly from Georgetown, foot of Congress street, EVERY WEDNESDAY; from Alexandria, foot of King street, EVERY THURSDAY.

Freight received daily at lowest rates.

This line connects with all the Northern, Eastern and Western Railroads and Transportation Companies, and will forward freight by all the lines running out of Philadelphia, free of commission, and gives THROUGH RATES.

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