

Alexandria Gazette

VOL. LXXV.

ALEXANDRIA, VA., SATURDAY, JANUARY 3, 1874.

NO. 3.

ALEX. GAZETTE & VIRGINIA ADVERTISER.
PUBLISHED DAILY BY
EDGAR SNOWDEN.
GAZETTE BUILDING, NO. 70 PRINCE STREET.
One Year.....\$3 00
Six Months..... 1 50
Three Months..... 1 00
One Month..... 0 25

ALEX. GAZETTE & VIRGINIA ADVERTISER
(FOR THE COUNTRY.)
Published regularly on TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS, at FIVE DOLLARS PER ANNUM, payable in advance.

MISSING BROADWAY MERCHANT.—The New York World states:

"The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Mr. Edison Braley, a Broadway (New York) merchant, has been explained by United States Marshal Fiske. From information he has received it is believed that the missing man has fled to Canada with \$70,000 in gold belonging to his creditors. The latter include Messrs. H. B. Croft, A. T. Stewart, Dale Brothers, and other importers. Bradley's flight was discovered by James Moon, a private detective. His story is that the merchant has gone to Montreal to escape imprisonment on a charge of fraudulent bankruptcy. It seems that the cloth firm of Bradley & Co., suspended on Wednesday last week, with liabilities amounting to about \$250,000. To avoid being forced into bankruptcy Bradley represented to Mr. Chidlow and the rest of his creditors that if they would give him time to collect the notes due him he would be enabled to settle nearly in full with them. They subsequently had their suspicions aroused as to the honesty of his intentions, and employed Moon's detective agency to watch him. On Sunday afternoon the members of the firm met at the house of Mr. Hoffman, one of the partners, at 55 Joralemon street, Brooklyn, and Bradley confessed, it is said, that he should take all the cash assets and flee from the city. He subsequently took a carriage and drove to the Fifth Avenue Hotel in company with his son, Major Wm. G. Bradley. A detective saw him leave the hotel by the ladies' entrance and go to the Hudson River railroad depot, from which he took a train going north. From Buffalo he went to the Clifton House, in Canada. He carried with him \$70,000 in gold, which he is supposed to have taken out of the assets of the firm. It is charged that Major Bradley attempted to conceal his father's flight from his creditors.

Major Bradley was arrested at his store by detective Moon Thursday last on a warrant from Commissioner Betts. He is accused of swindling his creditors. Mr. Hoffman, his brother-in-law, who is the complainant, says that he negotiated \$25,000 in Gold notes and converted them to his own use.

THE EMPRESS EUGENIE AND RISTORI.
The Roman journal Il Futuro contains an interesting account of a visit paid by Mme. Ristori to Chiselhurst. The great Italian actress who has received many proofs of kindness from the late Emperor of the French and the Empress Eugenie when she gave her first representations in Paris, was, it seems, desirous of visiting the tomb of Napoleon III. With this view she wrote to Dr. Conneau to know if she might obtain permission, and on receiving an answer in the affirmative, she at once performed this pious pilgrimage. She was very courteously received by Dr. Conneau, who intimated to her that it was the wish of the Empress Eugenie to see her. Mme. Ristori did not think of intruding on the privacy of the Empress, but, on the assurance of Dr. Conneau that her Majesty really wished it, she gratefully availed herself of the Empress Eugenie's courtesy. The Empress honored her with a long interview, in which she gave the greatest prominence to the manner in which she first received by the numerous marks of public respect paid in Italy to the memory of Napoleon III. She authorized Mme. Ristori, to give whenever a fitting occasion presented itself, in expression to these feelings, which she asked were completely shared by the Prince Imperial. The Empress in referring to the purpose announced to the memory of her deceased husband, especially dwelt on her hope that it might have a national, not a personal character, that it might rather record the general services rendered to Italy than the affectionate memories cherished by individual friends. Mme. Ristori left Chiselhurst deeply touched by the noble language and bearing of the widowed Empress.

THE PEN BUSINESS IN THE BOWERY.—At the Lower New York, is a new scheme for money-getting. In one game the operators have a number of white boxes, each about two inches long and an inch wide. In these money is deposited, and the operators are invited to take chances. When \$20 is the amount balanced for, as is usually the case, five boxes are placed before the operators, and one contains the money. The operator of the house then exhorts his hearers to invest a \$5 chance. The first man to avail himself of the offer is capped of the game, and he picks out the lucky box every time. A poor man lost twelve dollars last night in about as many minutes. First he invested \$2, hoping to draw \$10. Failing in this, he was caught for \$10 more. The operators played it nicely. Twenty dollars was placed in one of three boxes. Then the caller said that \$10 would purchase either box, and perhaps the purchaser might strike the "big money." The man who had lost his \$2 waited and saw the caller draw a box, which proved to be blank. This left two boxes on the shelf, and another caller took one; of course, it contained the \$20, but did not exhibit its contents. In following a long harangue from the auctioneer, in which he avowed as his firm belief that the box he held in his hand contained the prize. The man bought another ticket and drew nothing. The swindlers cloak their robbery under the pretense that each box contained a number of pennies, and that they offered the only money in an incense to customers in the pen line.—New York Sun.

BANK OF THE OLD DOMINION,
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 23, 1873.

The annual election for Directors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House of the Citizens National Bank, on TUESDAY, the 15th of January, 1874, between the hours of twelve and two o'clock.

WM. H. LAMBERT, Cashier.

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK,
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 23, 1873.

The annual election for Directors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House on TUESDAY, January 15th, 1874, between the hours of 11 and 12 o'clock.

WM. H. LAMBERT, Cashier.

HONEY CHOP
IS A
RICH AND CHEAP FOOD FOR HORSES
AND COWS.

GEORGE R. HILL & CO.

TELL YOUR GROCER TO ORDER
WARFIELD'S COLD WATER SOAP,
Manufactured by
Z. TOBKINER.

It is superior to all other Soaps. dec 2

CALENDAR FOR 1874.

1874.	Sunday.	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday.	Saturday.	1874.	Sunday.	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday.	Saturday.
JAN.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	JULY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
FEB.	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	AUG.	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
MAR.	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	SEPT.	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
APR.	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	OCTO.	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
MAY.	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	NOV.	29	30	31	1	2	3	4
JUNE	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	DEC.	5	6	7	8	9	10	11

FANCY GOODS AND NOTIONS.

BARGAINS

GREEN'S NOTION HOUSE,

76 KING STREET.

WINTER GOODS

REDUCED PRICES.

JANUARY 1, 1874.

In accordance with my usual custom, all WINTER GOODS have this day been marked down at CLEARING OUT FIGURES, and a favorable opportunity is presented to purchasers to secure

REAL BARGAINS

in the following goods, many of which were purchased a few weeks since at less than the cost of production:

LADIES', GENTS' and CHILDREN'S MERINO HOSIERY.

LADIES', GENTS' and CHILDREN'S MERINO UNDERWEAR.

WORSTED SHAWLS, SCARFS, RUBIAS, HOODS, CAPS, &c., &c.

GLOVES! GLOVES! GLOVES!

Bargains extraordinary in Gloves, of every description, for Ladies, Gents and Children, comprising as great a variety of choice Gloves as can be found in any city.

There are many goods too numerous to mention embraced in the reduction so as to make room for a splendid stock of

SPRING GOODS

the advance orders for which will begin to arrive early in February.

CHARLES W. GREEN.

68 KING STREET.

jan 1—1874

FANCY GOODS.

FERGUSON'S

HAIR DEPOT.

NEW NOVELTIES IN JEWELRY.

BRACELETS, HAIR ORNAMENTS, &c.

Call and see our new \$2, \$3, \$4 and \$5

Switches, superior to anything ever before offered at these prices.

COMBINGS! COMBINGS!

Made into beautiful Braids, Switches, Curis, &c.

All work warranted first-class at

29 FERGUSON'S HAIR DEPOT.

BARLOW'S

GALLERY OF FINE ARTS,

1225 Pennsylvania Avenue,

Washington, D. C.

I have now on hand the largest and best stock of FINE OIL PAINTINGS,

CHROMOS.

ENGRAVINGS and PHOTOGRAPHS,

this side of New York, which I will sell at 20 per cent less than former prices for the next thirty days.

Also a very fine assortment of Gold and Black Walnut Frames, Gilt and Velvet Photograph Frames, Mats, Cord, Passe Partouts, Nails, &c., at same low prices.

Also a large number of Stereoscopic Views, which I will sell at greatly reduced prices.

Terms cash.

H. N. BARLOW.

Washington, D. C., nov 21—6w

SALT AND FRESH MEAT.

1000 lbs of DRIED BEEF, of the best quality, and of my own curing.

CORNED BEEF of the best quality.

FRESH BEEF, VEAL and MUTTON, just from Loudoun and Fauquier, for sale in quantities to suit purchasers daily at stalls 8 and 9 Royal street wing near Market House.

dec 2—1m OSCAR F. BAGGETT.

CLOTHING AND GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

EXTRAORDINARY!

CLOSING OUT SALE OF CLOTHING!

FOR \$23

FOR \$20

FOR \$18

FOR \$15

FOR \$12

FOR \$10

FOR \$8

FOR \$6

FOR \$4

FOR \$3

FOR \$2

FOR \$1

FOR 50c

FOR 25c

FOR 10c

FOR 5c

FOR 2c

FOR 1c

FOR 50c

FOR \$1

FOR \$2

FOR \$3

FOR \$4

FOR \$5

FOR \$6

FOR \$7

FOR \$8

FOR \$9

FOR \$10

FOR \$11

FOR \$12

FOR \$13

FOR \$14

FOR \$15

FOR \$16

FOR \$17

FOR \$18

FOR \$19

FOR \$20

FOR \$21

FOR \$22

FOR \$23

FOR \$24

FOR \$25

FOR \$26

FOR \$27

FOR \$28

FOR \$29

FOR \$30

FOR \$31

FOR \$32

FOR \$33

FOR \$34

FOR \$35

FOR \$36

FOR \$37

FOR \$38

FOR \$39

FOR \$40

FOR \$41

FOR \$42

FOR \$43

FOR \$44

FOR \$45

FOR \$46

FOR \$47

FOR \$48

FOR \$49

FOR \$50

FOR \$51

FOR \$52

FOR \$53

FOR \$54

FOR \$55

FOR \$56

FOR \$57

FOR \$58

FOR \$59

FOR \$60

FOR \$61

FOR \$62

FOR \$63

FOR \$64

FOR \$65

FOR \$66

FOR \$67

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS.

Baltimore, Maryland.

BROCHE AND CACHEMERE d'ECOSSE SHAWLS.

We keep both the Paris and Vienna makes of these Shawls, and have now in stock of this season's goods

ABOUT FOUR HUNDRED NEW PATTERNS.

Prices from \$7.50 to \$125 each.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS.

Samples supplied by mail on application.

OUR AIM IS TO SUPPLY GOODS adapted to the wants of the poor as well as to the rich, and we keep ONLY THE BEST and most SERVICEABLE grade of every class of goods.

With a fixed price and not misrepresenting the quality of any article, the public may supply their wants from us with confidence.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS.

Samples supplied by mail on application.

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, &c., FOR MEN AND BOYS' WEAR.

In this department will be found all the desirable and fashionable goods of the season, and gentlemen may save 25 to 33 per cent upon the cost of a suit of clothing by getting the material of us.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS.

Samples supplied by mail on application.

MOURNING DEPARTMENT—This stock receives our most careful attention, and it will be found not only all the best and most serviceable grades of STANDARD GOODS, but every novelty for deep or light mourning that comes out in the London market. Our "Monumental" brand of ALPACAS and PURE MOHAIRS are imported only by us, and while they are as slightly and well finished as any other make of goods, they are fully one-third heavier than any other brand in the market.

Particular attention paid to filling funeral orders.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS.

Samples supplied by mail on application.

HOUSEKEEPING GOODS—Hotels, Steamboats and Public Institutions supplied with the best and most durable articles, at moderate prices. We keep a large stock of goods specially adapted to these wants.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS.

Samples supplied by mail on application.

ALL PERSONS ARE INVITED to visit our store and inspect the stock, whether desiring to purchase at the time or not, and being fully satisfied to buy. Full lines of samples of any kind of goods will be sent to parties out of the city, and express charges paid on cash purchases amounting to \$20 and over.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS.

Samples supplied by mail on application.

LACES—We have determined to regain our former prestige for having the best stock of LACE GOODS in the city, and have this season imported very largely of them. With us will be hereafter found every NEW STYLE OF LACE that comes out in Brussels, and at reasonable prices.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS.

Samples supplied by mail on application.

CAMELS' HAIR SHAWLS—Seventy (70) NEW SHAWLS—this season's importation—all different patterns. Prices from \$45 to \$1,000 each.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS.

Samples supplied by mail on application.

EVENING SILKS AND SATINS—We have now in store a full line of evening Silks, embracing all the new shades that have come out in France this season.

Prices from \$1.50 to \$7.50 per yard.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS.

Samples supplied by mail on application.

DEALERS who import their goods direct from the manufacturers in Europe not only offer to their customers the newest and most fashionable fabrics, but saving the profits of the New York importers and "middle men," can sell their goods to consumers at about the prices of other merchants.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS.

Samples supplied by mail on application.

EMBROIDERIES, EDGINGS AND INSERTINGS—Of these goods we have at all times a large and commanding stock. We invite an inspection of the goods and a comparison of prices.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS.

Samples supplied by mail on application.

DRESS GOODS—Our stock of Dress Goods in every department will, as heretofore, be unsurpassed by that of any house in the country. In it will be found every grade of goods from the lowest priced to the most expensive.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS.

Samples supplied by mail on application.

GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, London make, Umbrellas, English Underwear and Hosiery, receive special attention.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS.

Samples supplied by mail on application.

ALL RELIGIOUS AND CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS buy their supplies from us AT COST.

HAMILTON EASTER & SONS.

Baltimore, dec 23—6o2m

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.

ESTABLISHED 1792.

S. LEADBEATER & BROS.

DEALERS IN PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, GARDEN SEEDS, SPICES, ACIDS, &c., Nos. 5 and 7 South Fairfax st., aug 2—1f Alexandria, Va.

H. H. COOK, WM. F. CREIGHTON, COOK & CREIGHTON.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in PURE DRUGS AND CHEMICALS, PAINTS, Varnishes and Oils, WINDOW GLASS AND PUTTY.

No. 108 King street.

Prompt attention given to orders and inquiries from the country. mar 9—1f

CLARIDGE & GRIGG

DEALERS IN Pure Drugs and Chemicals, Patent Medicines, Foreign and Domestic Perfumery, Fancy Toilet Articles, Hair, Tooth and Nail Brushes, Pure Wines and Liquors, &c., &c., Corner King and Royal streets, Alexandria, Va. Special attention given to the compounding of prescriptions. nov 13

SAMUEL H. JANNEY, MARLON H. JANNEY, JANNEY & CO.

DEALERS IN PURE DRUGS, LEWIS' WHITE LEAD, Paints, Oils and Varnishes, FRENCH WINDOW GLASS & PUTTY. No. 145 King street.

Orders and Inquiries from the country promptly attended to. sep 23—1f

NEW LAYER RAISINS, whole, half and quarter boxes; Valencia, Seedless and Muscatel do., Citron, Lemon Peel, Figs and Nuts, of all kinds, in store and for sale at prices to suit the times [dec 16] W. F. BROOKES.

PURE VIRGINIA RYE AND WHEAT WHISKIES.