

THE GAZETTE.

FRIDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 13.

REVERDY JOHNSON AND WM. CULLEN BRYANT.—Hon. Reverdy Johnson, of Maryland, sent an interesting letter to the present editor, Mr. Bryant, on the recent occasion of Mr. Bryant's sixtieth birthday anniversary.

"I rejoice to know that your mind remains all its vigor, and your physical health is unimpaired. I am your junior only by a year and a half, and Providence has been so kind to me also as to leave my faculties as good as ever and my senses the same as of yore, except that my sight is greatly enfeebled."

St. Louis is enjoying a bit of public on account of a threatened change in the channel of the Mississippi, which would leave St. Louis high and dry. A great dyke has been built with the intention of turning the river below the city and making new land in that vicinity, but instead of that it has set back the water and changed the current above the city, at the same time cutting away a tract of some thousands of acres of land from Illinois and adding it to Missouri.

To HUNGRY DEMOCRATS.—We find in one of our exchanges the following summing up of the places in the gift of the next House of Representatives: General clerks 23, library of the house 3, document room 8, sergeant-at-arms' office 4, door keepers 23, H-use post office 10, committee clerks 29, official reporters 5, total 106. There are thirteen men employed in the general library of Congress, but their appointments must be renewed in by the Senate. But giving the House seven of these it makes a grand total of 113.

Ladies' Misses' and Children's Boots, Shoes and Slippers. We are this day receiving a full line of Ladies' Misses' and Children's Boots, Shoes and Slippers, suitable for Fall and Winter, embracing all of the latest styles.

GENTS' EXTRA FINE BOOTS AND SHOES. We have just received a fresh supply of Gents' extra fine, hand-sewed Boots and Shoes, and Slippers of every description, which we are confidently recommending to be the very best on sale in the city.

LARGEST STOCK CHILDREN'S BOOTS AND SHOES. Protection Toe will wear twice as long as shoes made in the ordinary way. They will not wear through the upper at the toe. One who will witness this to your satisfaction. For sale at WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

MISSES' LASTING BOOTS. IN EVERY STYLE, QUALITY AND PRICE. At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

MISSES' FINE BUTTON BOOTS. At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

MISSES' WALKING AND SCHOOL BOOTS. A large stock, in every style and quality. Prices low. At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

GENTLEMEN'S FINE DRESS BOOTS AND SHOES. A large stock of new styles, very handsome, of the best quality, and at low prices. At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

CHILDREN'S SCHOOL AND WALKING BOOTS. A large stock and great variety of styles, at very reduced prices. At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

EASTERN HERRING. SHORE SPLIT and ROUND HERRING, just received per schr O. D. Withersell, from Boston, and for sale by THOS. PERRY, 17 King street.

SHAWLS! SHAWLS! Also a great variety of CLOTH and WOOLEN SHAWLS, cheap at nov 7 D. F. WITMER CO'S

THIRD OPENING OF CLOAKS THIS SEASON. Another fall assortment received this day, of the latest styles, and at the lowest prices. Call and see them before buying. nov 4 D. F. WITMER CO.

LADIES' SHAWLS, in great variety; Water proof Cloth, all colors; Lambs' Wool and Merino Wools; all kinds of Ladies' and Children's Merino goods, with a full stock of everything in our line. nov 3 ROBT. L. WOOD.

POTATOES! POTATOES! A small cargo of choice MAINE POTATOES to arrive. For sale by F. A. REED, Janney's wharf. nov 5-7

FALLS' DOUBLE SUPERFINE MUSTARD, superior to Colman's, and at lower rates, for sale by GEO. McBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street.

W. T. BABBITT'S CONCENTRATED POTASH and U. S. Lye Co's. Concentrated Lye just received by R. B. LAWSON & CO. oct 31

GEO. McBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street. oct 21

NEW CUCUMBER PICKLES, by the 100 or dozen, in store and for sale by W. F. BROOKES, 147 King street. oct 1

40 SACKS Rio, LaGuayra and Govt. Java COFFEES in store and for sale at current rates by J. C. MILBURN. oct 31

BED COMFORTS, very cheap at W. M. N. BERKLEY'S, 64 King street. nov 10

PRESERVING SUGARS—Hard and Soft, Crushed and V. F. Sugars, just received and for sale low by J. C. MILBURN. sep 17

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Fall Trade, 1874.

The subscriber has just had manufactured one of the largest and best styles of goods in his line ever offered in this market, which he can afford to sell at prices to suit the times. He names in part—

LADIES', GENTS', MISSES', BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S

BOOTS & SHOES,

OF FINE AND COARSE WORK,

manufactured from the best material, and in the most durable and elegant manner, comprising a great variety of new and handsome styles. Also a large stock of

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS

SUITABLE FOR THE COUNTRY TRADE.

to which he invites the especial attention country merchants and farmers. All in want will do well to call before purchasing elsewhere.

W. B. WADDEY,

74 King street.

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

sep 17

AUCTIONEERS.

FRANCIS A. KERBY,

AUCTIONEER,

REAL ESTATE BROKER,

AND GENERAL BUSINESS AGENT

NO. 56 KING STREET.

(Burke's Building), Alexandria, Virginia.

Buy and sell, let and lease houses in Alexandria and farms in the country.

Particular attention given to the selling of household furniture at auction at the residences of families declining housekeeping. [feb 21-1f

ICE DEALERS.

ICE! ICE! ICE!

Having made arrangements for a full supply of NORTH KEN ICE

I am prepared to fill all orders, both wholesale and retail, at market rates.

Country orders solicited and special attention paid thereto.

F. A. REED, Agent, Janney's wharf. je 1-1f

EDUCATIONAL.

NOTICE.

Rev. Mr. BONNHIEIM

Will give private

Lessons in German and Hebrew.

For terms, &c., apply at 183 King street, or 314 O. box.

Professors—Miss M. A. Roach, Mr. R. L. Carne, Messrs Taylor & Blackburn, Mr. J. S. Beach, Drs. R. H. & E. A. Stabler, Dr. Klipstein. oct 14-1m

PROFESSIONAL.

DR. E. S. FAWCETT,

DENTIST,

Office, 91 North Washington street, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Fillings of Gold and other material at moderate charges.

LAUGHING GAS administered for extracting teeth.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH inserted by the most improved method. sep 8-3m

WANTED.

WANTED—1000 MOLASSES BARRELS

by CHAS. S. TAYLOR, Jr., 6 Prince street. my 12

WANTED—GOOD BROOM CORN.

C. S. TAYLOR, Jr., 6 Prince street. jan 19

HATS, CAPS AND FURS.

JOHN T. EVANS

Respectfully informs his old customers and the public generally that he has just returned from New York with a large and select assortment of HATS, CAPS AND FURS,

all of the latest styles, and quality from the medium to the finest. He has the largest and best assortment of LADIES' and MISSES' FURS ever offered in this market, which he is prepared to sell at reduced prices. He has also in de arrangements with the most fashionable and best silk hat manufacturers in New York to be supplied with the latest styles.

Ladies' Furs repaired and White Furs cleaned. oct 14-1f

INFANTS' BOOTS AND SLIPPERS.

A fine stock, in every color, style and quality, at very reasonable prices.

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

BOYS' AND YOUTH'S DRESS SHOES.

A good stock of new styles, of fine quality, and at low prices.

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES' HOUSE SHOES.

A large stock and great variety, suitable for old ladies.

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

BOYS' AND YOUTH'S BOOTS, Kid and Calf, good and cheap.

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES' FINE WALKING BOOTS,

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

A LARGE STOCK OF HEAVY GOODS,

suitable for the country, to which we invite the special attention of country merchants, as they will be sold very low for money.

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

LADIES', GENTS', MISSES' and CHILDREN'S OVER SHOES.

At WADDEY'S, 74 King st. sep 30

FINE IMPORTED LIQUORS A SPECIALTY.—We have on hand a stock of Old French Brandy, Holland Gin, Jamaica Rum and Scotch Whiskey; also a fine selection of Imported Wines. The above mentioned Liquors are selected with great care, and we would inform those who wish a pure article to try.

GEO. McBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street. sep 14

WINTER WRAPPINGS.—The newest and most fashionable Cloth Caps and Jackets out for the season are now on sale.

D. F. BRASHEAR, 109 King st., Alexandria, Va. oct 25

PEARL BARLEY, Hill's Hominy and Grits, and Hecker's Farina, Mazena and Corn Starch. GEO. McBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street. oct 21

FAMILY and BUILDERS' HARDWARE, of every description, wholesale and retail, by J. T. CREIGHTON & SON, No. 88 King street. sep 26

CHOPPED PICKLE by the gallon, quart and pint, in store and for sale by W. M. F. BROOKES, 147 King street. oct 26

BLANKETS! BLANKETS! At all prices, just received.

D. F. WITMER CO. oct 26

FOR COUGHS and COLDS use BALSAMIC PECTORAL. Prepared only by HENRY COOK & CO. oct 22

GROCERIES.

W. A. JOHNSON, DEALER IN GROCERIES AND LIQUORS, NO. 44 CORNER QUEEN AND PITT STS., ALEXANDRIA, VA.

He would inform dealers and others that he is prepared to furnish them with all kinds of POTOMAC FISH,

at the lowest possible prices, and would call the attention of buyers to the fact that his brand has stood No. 1 in market at all times, and that he intends to sustain his reputation in all respects. All orders addressed to William A. Johnson, Alexandria, Va., will receive prompt attention. je 4-1f

W. M. F. BROOKES, DEALER IN FINE AND FANCY GROCERIES, 117 King street, Alexandria, Virginia.

Special attention given to the selection of TEAS, COFFEES and FAMILY FLOUR. je 10-1f

GEO. McBURNEY & SON, Dealers in CHOICE FAMILY AND FANCY GROCERIES, WINES AND LIQUORS, ENGLISH AND SCOTCH ALE and BROWN Also, EASTERN and POTOMAC HERBING and MACKEREL, NOS. 166 AND 170 KING STREET, (Washington Hall Building), Alexandria, Va. Orders promptly filled. mh 31-1f

W. S. RAMSAY, Wholesale and Family Grocer, —AND— TEA DEALER, S. E. COR. KING AND ST. ASAPH STS., nov 22-1f Alexandria, Va.

WOOD AND COAL.

COAL! COAL! COAL! On the wharf and to arrive a full stock of all kinds of ANTHRACITE and CUMBERLAND COAL.

Sold at market rates per ton 2240 lbs. aug 14-1f W. A. SMOOT Smoot's wharf.

CENTRAL COAL AND WOOD YARD, NORTH COLUMBUS STREET, Two Doors from King.

To arrive per schooner John Bessy, a cargo of WHITE ASH, Egg, Stove, and Nut sizes, of good quality. For sale from vessel or yard.

Keep on hand LYKEN'S VALLEY RED ASH, EGG, STOVE and NUT COAL; also WHITE ASH.

W. A. WOOD and SPLIT WOOD. aug 4-3m A. S. PERPENER.

COAL! COAL! COAL! We have now on hand and are constantly receiving at our wharf and storage yards, foot of Queen street, all the best COALS known to this market. We name in part: LYKEN'S VALLEY, SHAMOKIN and EAST FRANKLIN LORBERY RED ASH, JOHN'S, from EAGLE VEIN COLLIERY, The celebrated CONTINENTAL and HAZEL DELL, from the Goodrich Colliery, esteemed the best in the market. Also, LEASE and STANTON WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL, of Steamer, Broken, Egg, Stove and Nut sizes. Also, GEO. GEORGE'S CREEK CUMBERLAND COAL. Also HICKORY, OAK and PINE WOOD. Having ample space, each variety of Coal is kept distinct from that of others, and is especially prepared for family use. Yards floored and Coal sent out well screened and free from mess, 2240 lbs. to the ton. Orders left with Messrs. Clarridge & Grigg, corner King and Royal sts., or at the yards will be promptly filled. J. T. MEHAFFEY & CO., je 17 Wharf and Yards foot of Queen st.

J. P. AGNEW, Agent for the Sale and shipment of best quality GEORGE'S CREEK, CUMBERLAND and ANTHRACITE COAL. Either by the cargo, car load or retail. Coal Docks, Alexandria, Va., and Georgetown, D. C. jan 9-1f

TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS & OTHERS. STAPLE DRY GOODS AT BALTIMORE PRICES. Great inducements to cash buyers, or prompt parties on short time. October 19, 1874.—We now offer a great many goods specially suited to the wants of country merchants, and at such prices as to defy competition. D. F. BRASHEAR, 109 King street, Alexandria, Va. oct 19

BRADLEY'S PATENT ENAMELLED PAINT. I have this day accepted the agency for the above paint, which is warranted to be equal, if not better, than any in the market, in point of durability, economy and facility of application. Call and examine samples at W. F. CREIGHTON'S, oct 19 85 King street.

REPELLANT CLOTH—Black, Blue and Golden Repellant Cloth just received by W. M. N. BERKLEY, 64 King street. oct 10

CHOICE SMOKED BEEF, for chipping and broiling, in store and for sale by W. M. F. BROOKES, 147 King street. sep 15

LACE MANTLES and JACKETS.—In great variety; latest styles; and at all prices, opened this morning. D. F. WITMER CO. my 8

HARDWARE, Cutlery, Nails, Screws, Tacks, Horse Shoes, Bar Iron, Steel, &c., wholesale and retail, at 85 King st. cor. Boylston street. J. T. CREIGHTON & SON. sep 25

COLTON YARN, all numbers, and Carpet Chain, all colors, warranted today by W. M. N. BERKLEY, 64 King street. oct 5

WELCH'S BEST and MT. JACKSON FAMILY and EXTRA FLOUR, in bags and barrels, for sale by J. C. MILBURN. sep 10

NEW No. 1 MACKEREL, in kits; also lous, in store and for sale by W. F. BROOKES, 147 King street. oct 1

SKIRTING CAMBRIC. 5-4 soft-finish Cambric, for Skirts, very cheap at [oct 1] D. F. WITMER CO'S.

LARD, Linsseed, Cottonseed, Neufchatel and Lubricating OILS, just received and for sale low at 107 King street. HENRY COOK & CO. sep 7

GEO. R. HILL & CO'S BREAKFAST ROMINY, put up expressly for family use, for sale by W. F. BROOKES, 147 King street. oct 1

CHEAP HOSIERY. Another large lot of those cheap Hosiery just opened. [sep 9] D. F. WITMER CO.

JUST RECEIVED—A large lot of SPICES, whole and ground, which we are prepared to sell to the trade at low figures. oct 13 HENRY COOK & CO.

JACQUAND'S FRENCH BLACKING, was warranted not to crack or split the leather, just received at 107 King street. sep 19 HENRY COOK & CO.

MIXED PICKLES, by the gallon, quart and pint, in store and for sale by W. F. BROOKES, 147 King street. sep 5

CLOAKING VELVET just opened. oct 25 D. F. WITMER CO.

MEETINGS.

NOTICE. The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the VIRGINIA TELEGRAPH COMPANY will be held at the office of W. D. CORSE, Alexandria, Va., on WEDNESDAY, November 18, 1874. W. D. CORSE, Secretary and Treasurer. nov 7-2aw3w

OFFICE WASHINGTON CITY, VIRGINIA MIDLAND & GREAT SOUTHERN RAILROAD CO. Alexandria, Va., Nov. 6, 1874

NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Washington City, Virginia Midland and Great Southern Railroad Company, will be held at the office of the Company, in Alexandria, on MONDAY, the 20th instant, at 12 o'clock m. By order of the Directors: L. W. REED, Secretary. The transfer book will be closed from the 15th instant until the adjournment of the above meeting. nov 6-10-1f

PROPOSALS.

VIRGINIA AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE.

TO CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.

Sealed proposals are hereby invited for the erection of two large College buildings and two dwelling houses. Plans and specifications for the same can be seen on or after the 21st of November next, either at the College in Blacksburg, or at the office of A. Lybrook, Architect, Richmond, Va. The proposals to be handed in on or before Tuesday, the 24th of November. The estimates to be made out separately for each building, and in detail for the different branches of work, viz: Brickwork, Carpenters' work, Plastering, Painting, Slating, &c. The right of rejecting all bids is reserved. H. BLACK, Rector, Blacksburg, Montgomery county, Va. oct 20-1m

FINANCIAL.

W. D. CORSE, STOCK, EXCHANGE AND COLLECTION BROKER.

Will deal in Gold and Silver Coin, State, City and Railroad Securities.

Will execute orders for any Stocks or Bonds on the Stock Boards of New York or Baltimore on commission.

Virginia Coupons, receivable for taxes, for sale.

Agent for the MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO., of New York. je 2

BURKE & HERBERT, Dealers in GOLD, GOVERNMENT BONDS, LOCAL STOCKS, AND ALL FIRST-CLASS RAILROAD BONDS and other good investment securities, have for sale VIRGINIA COUPONS, receivable for taxes, ALEXANDRIA CORPORATION SIX PER CENT BONDS. Any information in regard to investment cheerfully given. my 27

A CARD. Having concluded to close out my business, I give notice to all in want of STOVES, RANGES, FURNACES, TIN, COPPER and SHEET-IRON WARE to call on me before purchasing elsewhere, where they can get them at a great discount. TWENTY PER CENT LESS than the regular price. My stock embraces the very best that can be found, and I intend to close out at very low figures. Country merchants and others in want of anything in my line will do well to give me a call. ALEXANDRIA, Va. E. ANTHONY in charge of Mill. Shipping and Commission Merchant, No. 18 Union wharf. oct 15-1-1m 46 King street.

GROUND PLASTER.

A CARD.—Having leased and thoroughly refitted the UNION CORN and PLASTER MILL, recently occupied by Messrs. Tuttle & Stuart, I am now prepared to furnish FINE and FRESHLY GROUND PLASTER in bulk, bags or barrels. Also, COGNAC and various other liquors. E. H. LAMBERT, Jr., Shipping and Commission Merchant, No. 18 Union wharf. oct 15-1-1m

Having taken out letters of administration on the estate of E. A. ALEXANDER, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate will present the same to me for settlement. All persons owing said estate will please make prompt payment. J. B. HODGKIN, Alexandria, Va., Sept. 22, 1874.—4w

NEW GOODS.—Received this day: Iodide Potassium, White's Tooth Powder, Pierce's Nasal Douche, Lyon's Tooth Tablets, Drexel's Vienna Cologne, G-m Truancuanti, White Castile Soap, French Yellow Ochre and Solution Chinese Magnesia. J. JANNEY & CO. sep 15

GENTS' LAMBS' WOOL SHIRTS AND DRAWERS. A large stock of these goods, all sizes and qualities. G-n-tion in want of goods to suit the season will do well to call and examine our stock. K. L. WOOD, No. 62 King st. nov 3

BELTS! BELTS! IN LEATHER, SILK AND ELASTIC. A large assortment at C. C. BERRY'S. ENGLISH and AMERICAN PICKLES, Sauces, Mustards, Pickled Meats, Olive Oil, putts and quarts, and Canned Goods, for sale at very low prices by GEO. McBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street. sep 15

A SLIGHT COUGH seems at first a very unimportant matter, but how many consumptives can remember when they only had a slight cough? BALSAMIC PECTORAL cures your slight cough. For sale by HENRY COOK & CO. oct 25

VERMIL PAINTS, ready for immediate application, requiring no oil before using. We have sold large quantities, and they have given general satisfaction. For sale by cards can be had upon application. For sale by J. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. aug 31

EXTRACT SMART WHEED, Durang's Rheumatic Remedy, DeJouin's and Wilbor's Cod Liver Oil, Sage's Catarrh Remedy and other proprietary articles, just received and for sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. oct 27

RESTAURANTS, ATTENTION.—I am in receipt this day of an excellent article of TOMATO CASUP, and am prepared to sell it in any quantity by the gallon, quart or pint. I ask a trial of the same. For sale at 147 King street. [oct 29] W. F. BROOKES.

GUANO. Agents for ZELL'S AMMONIATED BONE SUPERPHOSPHATE, WASHINGTON and BRO. PROCTER & GAMBLE'S ADAMANTINE CANDLES and OLEINE SOAP, the best made, for sale by GEO. McBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street. oct 21

JEWELRY and BROWN'S TOOTH PASTE, Smith's Aromatic Myrrh and Aromatic Dentrice, Taylor's and White's Tooth Powders, and Soudozol, for sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. oct 21

WINTER SPOON, Machine, Lubricating, Lard, Tanners' and Linsseed Oil, just received and for sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. oct 21

IMPORTANT TO HOUSEKEEPERS. FLOUR, of the choicest brands, at prices to suit every one. Now is the time to buy cheap. GEO. McBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street. oct 20

SPICES—Whole and strictly pure Ground. Spices for sale by J. C. MILBURN. sep 28

CHEAP SUGARS and COFFEES, at J. C. MILBURN'S, 19 north Royal street. sep 25

STEAMBOATS.

OFFICE POTOMAC FERRY COMPANY, Washington, November, 1874.

Until further notice, the FERRY BOATS between Alexandria and Washington will run as follows: Leave Alexandria at 8.10 and 11 a. m., 12 m., and 1. 2. 3. 4 and 5 p. m. Leave Washington at 8.10 and 11 a. m., 12 m., 2. 3. 4 and 5 p. m. S. H. HOWISON, President. S. GEDNEY, Gen. Supt. sep 18

The Steamboat MARY WASHINGTON will continue her mid-day trips until further notice.

She will leave Alexandria every day, Sunday excepted, at seven o'clock a. m. Returning, will leave Washington at two o'clock p. m., stopping at all the landings on her route. Horses, carriages and live stock carried at low rates. [oct 10] M. E. GREGG, Captain.

1874 SUMMER ARRANGEMENT 1874

FOR POTOMAC RIVER LANDINGS, including Colton's, Blackstone's Island and Leesylvania.

The swift and favorite steamer PILOT BOY, Captain Joseph White, leaves Alexandria on EVERY TUESDAY and SATURDAY MORNING, at 7.30 o'clock, for Landings on the Potomac, as follows:

On Tuesday for: Glymont, Sandy Point, Liverpool Point, Smith's Point, Chantler.

On Saturday for: Glymont, Sandy Point, Liverpool Point, Smith's Point, Chantler.