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**A MODERN SAMSON.**

Thomas, or Tom Gardner, as he was familiarly called, was born on the River St. John, one mile above the mouth of the Macrauck stream, in the year 1738. He was, as usual, Gardner gave no evidence of unusual power, but when stripped his muscular development was tremendous, and it is affirmed that instead of the ordinary ribs he possessed a solid bony wall on either side, and that there was no separation whatever. He stood five feet ten and a half inches, erect and full-chested, and never exceeded 190 pounds in weight.

The late Charles Long informed the writer that at one time he saw Gardner lift from a tow-boat a puncheon of corn, containing at least twelve bushels, and swinging around, deposit it on the sand. In so doing he tore the sole of his boot. On another occasion a number of men were trying to lift a stick of timber. In all the crowd only one man could raise it about two inches from the ground. Gardner told four men to sit upon it, and then lifted it so high that the men jumped off to save themselves from the fall. Mr. Keen has frequently known him in lifting to break boom poles six inches thick. He has known him also with one hand to lift, by the rung of a chair, the chair itself and a man weighing nearly two hundred weight. Once in attempting to lift a very heavy man he wrenched the rug entirely from the chair.

Gardner at one time was possessed of a balky horse with which he exercised great patience; but when patience ceased to be a virtue he would fell him to the ground with his clenched fist, striking him behind the ear. It is related of Gardner's sister that no occasion a famous wrestler traveled all the way from Miramichi to Tom's home in order to "try a fall with him." Tom was absent, but the sister looked contemptuously upon the intruder, declared she could throw him herself, and, suiting the action to the word, in a fair trial threw him fairly three times in succession. The stranger's experience with the sister was sufficient; he never sought a future interview with the brother.

The greatest feat which Gardner was ever known to perform was one of the wharves of St. John. Mr. McKean saw him lift and carry an anchor weighing 4,200 pounds, numbers of other witnesses standing by, some of whom are yet alive. Frequently he has been seen carrying a barrel of pork under each arm, and once he saw him shoulder a barrel of pork while standing in an ordinary brandy box. When about 40 years of age Gardner removed to the United States, and never returned to his native province.

It is commonly reported and believed that he met with a sad adventure on board a Mississippi steamer. A heavy bell was on board as a portion of the freight, and the captain, a good powerful fellow, was concerned as to how he should remove it from its place in order to make more room on deck. While captain and passengers were at dinner, Tom, in presence of the crew, to their utter amazement, lifted the bell and carried it to the opposite side of the boat. When the captain returned he asked how that had been accomplished, and when Gardner, laughing, remarked that he carried it there the former gave him the lie; and as one word brought on another, he presently struck Tom in the face. This was too much, and for the first time in his life the strong man gave blow for blow; but one buffet was sufficient. The captain never spoke again; killed dead on the instant. Tom made his escape, went West and has never been heard of since.

**REMINISCENCES OF THE FELINE ORDER.**  
Cats do very well to get along with until they get to a certain size; then they are only fit to fling things at. Luv seems to affect them the same way that colic does our baby. They ain't neer so soft about it as sister Jen an her clerk feller. Them too air too much. Cats don't lay in another's lap an look like a cat. This maik moar noise about it in a minit than Jen an that feller duz it haf past 2 in the mornin. If luv must be I think the cats' way ain't kwite so sickenin, the awl kinds is bad enuf.

Cats are good things to be in the saim room wen yu neck sumthin opp an break it, or eat sumthin this air't swin for yu, coz cats air dum brootes an can't deny it. Wats the use a havin em around unless the can bare sun of the domestik difficulties? Tha hav got to do it in a family war luv joourain.

If yu rub a cat up the bak in a dark room it will electric. This is a good thing to get sum boy to do wih his cum to st'awl nite. Wen I hav sum fun like that kid I like to divide most awl w' it w' my little plamates.

Aut Hester has a ole cat which she brings warever she goes. Uncle Eliak sais this is becuz she is a ole maid an likes to be reminded uv her coartin days, but he dassant sa it to her face. She is to w'v house this morn. Mar rit to her that the kolery an small poks was a ragin here but she cum enyway and brot the cat. It is a gre cat with a bak spot awl over it cept a little on its tale an face. I don't like aut Hester coz she allus talks to me about Moses an Josef wen I want to slip an go fishin, so I git even on the cat.

## FISH, OYSTERS, &c.

**CLAMS!** OYSTERS! CRABS!  
WATERMELONS and CANTALOUPE!  
Can now be found at the stand of R. PHILLIPS, on King street wharf.  
I ask the patronage of the citizens of Alexandria. Being near the river wharves, I can get everything I offer for sale FRESH. Orders delivered to any part of the city.  
Aug 6-1w R. PHILLIPS.

**W. H. SMITH & CO.,**  
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in  
**ALL KINDS OF PRODUCE, FISH, OYSTERS AND GAME.**  
FAIRFAX ST. AND MARKET SPACE,  
Would inform their friends and the public that they have commenced the above business, and would be pleased to furnish them with anything in their line. Having made arrangements at their house, on Market space, by fitting up ICE BOXES, we are prepared to furnish MELONS, FISH and CLAMS from our ice boxes at all hours of the day and night, and all who favor us with their trade can depend on getting them fresh at all times.  
W. H. SMITH & CO.  
No. 2 and 3 Mackerel, new.  
100 bbls Split Labrador Herring.  
100 bbls Extra New Gibbod do.  
100 bbls "Round do.  
500 boxes Smoked Herring.  
100 kits No. 1 Mess Mackerel.  
100 kits No. 2 and 3 do.  
New Salmon, Cod, Hake and Halibut in store and for sale by  
S. J. REED & CO.,  
22 Union street.

**R. RECEIVED THIS DAY.**  
Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Mackerel, new.  
100 bbls Split Labrador Herring.  
100 bbls Extra New Gibbod do.  
100 bbls "Round do.  
500 boxes Smoked Herring.  
100 kits No. 1 Mess Mackerel.  
100 kits No. 2 and 3 do.  
New Salmon, Cod, Hake and Halibut in store and for sale by  
S. J. REED & CO.,  
22 Union street.

**REMOVAL.**  
S. J. REED  
Announces to his friends and customers that he has removed his stock of POTOMAC SHAD and HERRINGS to NOS. 22 UNION ST. and 14 SOUTH WHARVES, where, in connection with his former fish business, he will keep constantly on hand a large and varied assortment of EASTERN FISH.  
Has now on hand 600 bbls different grades of Fish, consisting of GROSS and NET SHAD, MESS SHAD in kits, FAMILY ROE HERRING, BARRELED MACKEREL, MESS MACKEREL in kits, and SPLIT and ROUND HERRINGS, to which he invites the attention of the public.  
The business will in future be conducted by  
S. J. REED and J. A. CUNNINGHAM.  
July 12-1f

**FISH!** **FISH!**  
300 bbls NEW "SPLIT" LABRADOR HERRINGS.  
100 bbls NEW "ROUND" LABRADOR HERRINGS.  
50 bbls NEW SPLIT EASTPORT HERRINGS.  
50 bbls MAGDALIN HERRINGS.  
For sale by  
SHINN & CO., 13 Union st.  
July 6

**APOTHECARIES.**  
**W. FRANKLIN CREIGHTON,**  
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in  
DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, DYE STUFFS, GARDEN SEEDS, &c., &c.,  
No. 85 King street, (under Serpentina Hall),  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.  
Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compounded. Orders will receive prompt attention.  
mh 24-1f

**ESTABLISHED 1792.**  
**S. LEADBEATER & BRO.**  
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.

**DEALERS IN**  
**PURE DRUGS, JEWELRY, 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

**PERSONAL.**  
**INFORMATION IS WANTED OF THE**  
HEIRS OF THOS. UTLEY, who was in Texas in or about the year 1855 or 1856, from Virginia.  
July 12-1f

**REFRIGERATORS.**  
NURSERY REFRIGERATORS,  
WATER COOLERS,  
COOLERS STANDS,  
PATENT FREEZERS,  
TIN TOILET SETS,  
WAITERS,  
PLATED WARE,  
CUTLERY, BASKETS of every description,  
TIN WARE in every variety, WOODWARE and BRUSHES of every kind, for sale low at  
A. H. NOTT & BRO'S.,  
my 24-3m No. 69 King st., Alexandria.

**HARDWARE, CUTLERY**  
GARDEN TOOLS, &c.  
At 88 King, on the corner of Royal st.,  
Alexandria, Virginia.  
The subscribers are receiving a full supply of goods in their line for the Spring trade, to which they invite the attention of wholesale and retail purchasers. Thankful for past favors, we solicit a continuance of your patronage. Orders will receive prompt attention.  
J. T. CREIGHTON & SON,  
88 King street, corner Royal.  
mh 30

**HINGES, SCREWS, LOCKS, SASH PULLEYS** and other Hardware for the use of builders, at 88 King street, corner of Royal st., Alexandria, Va. We have on hand a large stock of the above named goods, which were purchased at low figures, and will be sold at a small profit. Persons who are in want will find it to their advantage to call and examine.  
J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.  
July 15

**PRICES DOWN!**  
We have received a notice from the manufacturer of our SHIRTS which enables us to reduce our best \$3 shirt to \$2.50; the lower numbers accordingly. Now is the time to call and be measured for Shirts. Fit guaranteed.  
D. F. WITMER CO.  
July 2

**WORSTED DRESS FRINGES.**  
Received this day, per express, twenty pieces of Caterpillar Fringes, in all shades, at twenty-five cents per yard, at  
C. C. BERRY'S,  
ap 24

**SHIRT FRONTS! SHIRT FRONTS!**  
We have just received a large assortment of the above goods in all grades and at low prices at  
FERGUSON & BRO'S.,  
my 27 96 King street.

**PATENT MACHINE FOR WORKING BISCUITS.**  
Call and see, at 88 King street, on the corner of Royal. Something new and desirable.  
J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.  
July 30

**ROBERT YOUNGER'S SCOTCH ALE,** and Bass & Co's English Ale and Brown Stout, just received and for sale by  
GEO. MCBURNEY & SON,  
166 and 170 King street.  
ap 13

**CHOW CHOW and MIXED PICKLES** by the gallon and quart. Something nice. Those in want will do well to call now, as I have only a small quantity left. For sale at 147 King street.  
WM. F. BROOKES.  
[je 18]

**CHOICE NOS. 1, 2 and 3 MACKEREL,** loose and in kits, in store and for sale at 147 King street.  
WM. F. BROOKES.  
July 17

## PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

**A CARD.**—Circumstances rendering it desirable that I should reside in Baltimore, I have transferred my DENTAL PRACTICE in Alexandria to DR. D. N. RUST. He has been for so many years associated with me as to need no introduction or endorsement, his skill, ability and reputation for honesty and high integrity being well known. I cordially commend him to the favor of my friends and patients, as well worthy of the position to which he succeeds, and bespeak for him the practice with which, for so long, I have been favored.  
JAMES B. HODGKIN.  
Alexandria, Va., mar 10-1f

**COL. RICHARD L. MAURY,**  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,  
1015 Main street,  
RICHMOND, VA.  
Special facilities for prompt collections throughout Virginia and West Virginia. Money invariably remitted on day of receipt.  
Refers to: Gov. Jno. Letcher, (recent partner) Lexington, Va.; Gov. Jas. L. Kemper, Richmond, Va.; Hon. M. T. Hunter; J. H. Maury & Co., Bankers; Messrs. Barringer Bros. & Co., London, England; J. K. Gilliat & Co., London, England.  
Richmond, Feb 19-1y

**BUILDING MATERIAL.**  
**JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON,**  
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in  
**Hardware, Cutlery, Horse Shoes**  
Iron, Plough Castings, Nail Rods, Axle Greases, Wagon Materials, House-keepers' Goods, &c., &c.  
NO. 88 KING STREET, CORNER ROYAL, mh 8 Alexandria, Virginia.

**B. F. PEAKE & CO.,**  
(Successors to Jas. W. Nalls, Son & Co.)  
DEALERS IN  
DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, PAINTS, HARDWARE, LEADS, OILS, CEMENT, CALCINED PLASTER, &c.,  
No. 187 King street,  
Alexandria, Virginia.  
feb 2-1f

**COUNTRY BOARD.**  
First class country board, with large and airy rooms, bath house, plenty of ice, near churches, store and postoffice and in daily communication with Washington. Address A. B., White Post, Clarke county, Va.  
je 19-1f

**VARIETIES.**  
WORCESTER SAUCE,  
WALNUT and TOMATO CATSUP,  
DESSICATED COCOANUT,  
COX'S GELATINE,  
CANNED FRUIT,  
TWIN BROTHERS' YEAST CAKES,  
BABBITT'S, RUMFORD'S and PATAPSCO YEAST POWDERS,  
PINEAPPLE CHEESE and MACCARONI. Just received by  
my 10 DAVY & HARMON.

**FANCY GOODS, NOTIONS, HOSIERY,** &c.—We are receiving and keep constantly on hand a full line of Handkerchiefs, Hose and Half Hose, Ladies' and Men's Vests, Shirt Fronts, Cravats, Collars and Cuffs, Suspenders, Belts, Buttons of every description, Hat Crapes, English Crape Veils, Shawls in great variety, Printed and Plain Skirts, together with other very cheap goods.  
D. F. BRASHEAR,  
my 29 No. 109 King st., Alexandria, Va.

**MORE NEW DRY GOODS.**  
July 8th, 1875.  
We open to-day a full line of Fancy and Staple Goods, purchased at greatly reduced prices, and will be sold at popular rates. Country merchants are specially invited to send their orders or come in person and examine stock.  
D. F. BRASHEAR,  
H. B. HOOMES,  
my 29 109 King street, Alexandria.

**SOMETHING NEW!**  
COTTON FRINGES!  
COTTON FRINGES!  
All shades, suitable for any style of Dress Goods. These Fringes are being sold in large quantities in Baltimore and New York, being the newest and most desirable trimming now used. Only 20 cents.  
FERGUSON & BRO.,  
je 28 96 King street.

**CREAM SODA,**  
COLD, SPARKLING and WELL FLAVORED.  
Pronounced by critics superior to any drink ever offered to the public.  
At WARFIELD & HALL'S,  
Prince and Fairfax streets.  
July 8

**ORANGE BLOSSOM COLOGNE WATER.**  
We have just prepared and bottled for sale a large supply of the above popular Perfume. In bottles of three sizes, at 25c, 50c and \$1, respectively.  
[je 22] JANNEY & CO.

**PARASOLS and SUN UMBRELLAS.**  
Just received from William A. Drown & Co., of New York, another invoice of these beautiful goods.  
D. F. BRASHEAR,  
my 22 109 King street.

**BUILDERS' HARDWARE,** of every quality and description. A large stock on hand at low prices.  
J. T. CREIGHTON & SON,  
88 King street.  
ap 30

**CATERPILLAR FRINGE.**—We have just received another lot of Fringes, in all the desirable shades; also a fine assortment of Dress Buttons at  
FERGUSON & BRO'S.,  
my 24 96 King street.

**POTATO BUG.**—We have on hand a fresh supply of PARIS GREEN, the article recommended by all the agricultural papers for the destruction of the potato bug. For sale by  
my 18 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

**IVIN'S PATENT HAIR CRIMPERS.**—Another supply just received at  
FERGUSON & BRO'S.,  
my 27 96 King street.

**DAVIS' EXTRA SUGAR-CURED SMOKED BEEF** just received by  
G. W. RAMSAY,  
je 24 Corner King and St. Asaph streets.

**A LARGE LINE OF GRENADINES** that we have carried over, at greatly reduced prices—some of them half price.  
D. F. WITMER CO.  
my 13

## COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

**J. C. & E. MILBURN,**  
Wholesale and Retail  
GROCERS & COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
No. 19 N. Royal st., cor. Market Space,  
Alexandria, Virginia.  
Orders and consignments solicited. They will receive careful and prompt attention.  
July 2

**R. M. LAWSON,**  
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT,  
No. 69 Cameron street,  
Alexandria, Virginia.  
Deals in Standard Fertilizers and Grass Seeds. Cash advances made on Grain in store. Consignments solicited.  
aug 3

**R. B. LAWSON & CO.,**  
[Successors to R. M. Lawson,] GROCERS AND LIQUOR MERCHANTS,  
No. 67 Cameron street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
aug 3

**THOMAS PERRY,**  
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT  
AND AGENT FOR  
THE SALE OF FERTILIZERS,  
No. 17 King street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
aug 16-1f

**GEO. WASHINGTON, R. J. WASHINGTON,**  
WASHINGTON & BROTHER,  
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
NO. 20 UNION STREET,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Consignments of Grain, Merchandise and all kinds of Country Produce solicited. Special attention given to all business entrusted to them. Prompt returns made.  
ap 24

**W. A. SMOOT,**  
DEALER IN  
COAL, SALT AND PLASTER  
SMOOT'S WHARF,  
(Foot of Princess st.,)  
Alexandria, Virginia.  
feb 21-1f

**HOOE & JOHNSTON,**  
(Successors to Fowle & Co.)  
NO. 2 PRINCE STREET,  
GENERAL  
COMMISSION AND SHIPPING MERCHANTS.  
Dealers in all kinds of  
FERTILIZERS, SALT AND PLASTER  
Agents of the  
NEW YORK & BALTIMORE STEAMERS  
Also of the  
LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE IN SURANCE COMPANY.  
feb 5-1f

**SHINN & CO**  
(Successors to Samuel Hartley,)  
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS  
No. 13 Union street,  
Alexandria, Va.  
Particular attention paid to the selling of FLOUR, GRAIN and all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, and filling all orders for GROCERIES, GUANO, PLASTER, SEEDS, &c., &c., at the lowest market rates.  
Agents for the sale of James S. Welch's celebrated brand of FAMILY FLOUR.  
Agents for the sale of the "ROUND TOP HYDRAULIC CEMENT."  
jan 5-1f

**J. BRODERS & CO.,**  
No. 11 King street,  
Alexandria, Va.  
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
Wholesale Dealers in  
GROCERIES,  
LIQUORS,  
PROVISIONS,  
SALT FISH,  
and PRODUCE.  
Also keep on hand a general assortment of Cordage, Tar, Pitch, Nails, Lime, Packing, Oils, Lumps and Ship and Naval Stores.  
All orders and consignments promptly attended to, and goods forwarded without delay to consignees on arrival.  
Agents for Dupont's Gunpowder.  
XXX Ale and Porter always on hand.  
Agents for the Baltimore and Potomac Transportation line.  
mh 10-1f

**W. A. JOHNSON,**  
Dealer in  
GROCERIES AND LIQUORS,  
No. 44 corner Queen and Pitt streets,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
All orders addressed to William A. Johnson, Alexandria, Va., will receive prompt attention.  
mh 9-1f

**W. M. F. BROOKES,**  
DEALER IN  
FINE AND FANCY GROCERIES,  
147 King street,  
Alexandria, Virginia.  
Special attention given to the selection of TEAS, COFFEES and FAMILY FLOUR.  
July 10-1f

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

**G. W. RAMSAY,**  
WHOLESALE AND FAMILY GROCER,  
—AND—  
TEA DEALER.  
S. E. COR. KING AND ST. ASAPH STS.,  
Alexandria, Va.  
nov 22-1f

**POTATO BUG.**  
PARIS GREEN, CARBOLIC ACID and CARBOLIC SOAP, for the destruction of the Potato Bug—a full supply, with directions for use, for sale by  
je 30 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

**ENGLISH and AMERICAN GRAIN and GRASS SEEDS,** Scotch, Scotch Stones, Scythe Rifles, Hay and Grain Rakes, &c. A large supply in store, for sale wholesale and retail, at low prices.  
J. T. CREIGHTON & SON,  
cor. Royal and King st.  
je 10

**POTTED HAM, TONGUE and BEEF,** prepared for excursionists, travellers and sportsmen, unequalled for sandwiches and luncheons, for sale by  
je 14 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON,  
166 and 170 King street.

**LANDRETH'S GARDEN SEEDS.**—Extra Early Peas, Early May Peas, Champion of England Peas, Blue Imperial Peas, Tom Thumb Peas and McLean's Little Gem Peas, received and for sale by  
JANNEY & CO.  
mh

**REDUCTION IN LACE GOODS.**  
Being desirous of closing out our stock of Lace Points and Sacks, we will sell them at a very great reduction.  
D. F. WITMER CO.  
je 24

**OUR FOURTH SUPPLY THIS SEASON** OF  
SUN UMBRELLAS,  
In Silk, Supels, Serges, Zinilla, Gingham, &c., for ladies, gentlemen and children. Cheap.  
my 13 D. F. WITMER CO.

## DRY GOODS.

**NEW GOODS.**  
I have received another lot of Superior Black Grenadines, French Muslins, White Linen Lawns for dresses, Sun Umbrellas and Parasols for ladies, Gents' Superior Silk Umbrellas. Also a lot of extra quality Straw Matting and Oil Cloths, and Cocoa Matting for halls.  
July 17 J. M. STEWART.

**PARASOLS and SUN UMBRELLAS.**  
June 28th, 1875.  
Another invoice of these choice goods just received from the manufacturer.  
D. F. BRASHEAR,  
je 28 100 King street, Alexandria, Va.

**AT PRETZFELDER & BENDHEIM'S.**  
Beautiful patterns of HAMBURG NET for overskirts, with LACES to match.  
New styles of FRENCH, CORDED and PLAIN LAWNS.  
Also a beautiful line of LAWNS at 12 1/2 cts. per yard.  
je 18

**SUN UMBRELLAS**—at—  
PRETZFELDER & BENDHEIM'S.  
Latest styles, heavy twilled Silk, in shades of Blue, Brown and Black, with Pearl and Ivory Handles.  
my 5

**NEW GOODS.**—We are in daily receipt of new goods, keeping our stock well assorted. We invite purchasers, either at wholesale or retail, to inspect our goods before purchasing. Special attention given to all business entrusted to them. Prompt returns made.  
ap 24

**REDUCED PRICES ON DRESS GOODS.**  
We have just returned from New York with a full line of the latest styles of DRESS GOODS at REDUCED PRICES. We cannot give any idea by names of the goods, but would cordially invite an examination of them.  
GRENADINES, in Plaids and Stripes Plain Black and in Colors.  
Also GRENADINES in the same.  
PLAIN LINEN SUITINGS, something new.  
Our stock is large and our prices are low.  
my 13 D. F. WITMER CO.

**50 PIECES RIBBON**, in Blue, Pink and Cherry, at 12 1/2c, worth 30c, at  
FERGUSON & BRO'S.,  
96 King street.  
my 8

**YARD-WIDE PERCALES,**  
TWELVE-AND-A-HALF CENTS.  
**J. M. STEWART**  
Has just opened a large line of SUPERIOR QUALITY PERCALES, at the very low price named above.  
my 7

**MATTINGS,**  
OIL CLOTHS and TAPESTRY BRUSSELS CARPETINGS.  
I have just received 4-4 White Mattings, some of superior quality. Also Checked Table and Floor Oil Cloths, dotted for steps, Brussels Stair Carpet and Hall do. to match.  
J. M. STEWART.  
my 7

**SPRING GOODS! SPRING GOODS!**  
**Pretzfelder & Bendheim**  
Have just opened a beautiful line of SPRING GOODS of choice designs, which they are selling cheap.  
New styles of Gray and Brown Plaids, Drab and Gray Balloons, Alpaca, Lustres in all shades. Black Alpaca a specialty.  
Pillow Case Linens and Sheetings, Table Cloths, Wine Cloths, Towels, Napkins, &c., at reduced prices.  
Great inducements offered in Men's and Boys' wear.  
Large lot of Colored Grenadines, left from last season, at 10 and 12 1/2c per yard.  
Beautiful line of Worsted Fringes, in every shade.  
Another very pretty lot of Hamburg Edgings and Insertings, very low.  
A complete new line of Hosiery, Notions, &c.  
ap 28-1f

**OLD IMPORTED and DOMESTIC LIQUORS.**—We make a specialty of these goods in seeing that they are pure and genuine. We can, therefore, recommend them to those who want a pure medicinal liquor. One trial will convince you.  
GEO. MCBURNEY & SON,  
166 and 170 King street.  
je 27

**FAMILY ROE POTOMAC HERRINGS,** Mess Shad, No. 1 Mackerel and Scotch HERRINGS for sale by  
J. C. & E. MILBURN,  
19 north Royal street.  
je 6

**GRENADINES, LAWNS, &c.**  
SOME OF THEM 25 TO 33 PER CT. LESS THAN COST.  
D. F. WITMER CO.  
je 24

**PARIS GREEN,** the popular article for the destruction of the potato bug. We have just received a large supply direct from the factory. For sale by  
je 4 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

**HUBBELL'S SEA SALT,** for producing a real sea water bath in your own room. Also a portable Atomizer, a valuable little instrument for perfuming clothing, &c. For sale by  
je 29 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

**CURRENT JELLY.**—An imported article, and very fine, for sale by  
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