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SOAKING SEED WHEAT.
The New England Farmer says: "We
have grown wheat the past few years from
seed soaked in brine and rolled in ashes, or
slaked lime, and with a decrease of smut each
year, the present year's crop being almost ab-
solutely free from it. If grain growers had no
worse enemy to contend with than smut they
might be happy." This precaution may cost a
little time and money if adopted, but the re-
sult will most probably save many times the
amount. Let us here remark that seed used
for sowing should be threshed out with the
flail, and not by the threshing machine.

Some farmers, as soon as they are able to
do so after harvesting their oats, plough under
the stubble six or seven inches, and harrow the
surface. Then, as seeding time approaches,
they spread the field over with their barn-yard
manures—the shorter the better—and turn it
over by a cross ploughing so shallow as not to
disturb the oat stubble. A good harrowing
then follows: next the roller, and lastly the
grain and seed drill. If the land had been
limed before the previous crop of corn had
been in the ground, there would be no neces-
sity of putting any lime on the ground at this
time, but otherwise great advantage will result
in giving strength to the straw by putting some
tubs of lime on with the stable manure. The
danger of the lime driving off the amonia,
by being mixed with the dung, is not looked
upon by some as being as great as it was
formerly esteemed, as it is all turned under to-
gether, and any damage by such mixture is
counteracted.

In regard to the variety of the wheat sown,
the result of the past year's test shows most
conclusively that the Fulks wheat has stood
the test in every respect, proving itself to be
earlier, a larger yielder, and as being better
able to stand the changeable seasons than any
other. It is further suggested that the grains
which have been allowed to become thoroughly
ripened should be used, and if any portion of
the crop has matured earlier than the rest, this
should be chosen. It is also important, in
order to succeed, that the seed be full, heavy
and well matured; this fact, though not so
generally understood, is just as important as it
is to secure fine stock to breed from. Then
the best and heaviest seed should be separated
from the lighter and used. One way in which
this separation may be made is to place a quan-
tity of wheat, when there is a stiff current of
air on the side of the barn floor, opposite where
the current enters; take a scoop or small shovel,
and throw the grain against the current—the
lightest will fall first, and you can shovel up
the heaviest for seed. Another way is to run
the grain through the windmill, under a heavy
current, say once or twice, thus blowing out the
light and faulty seed.

A VALUABLE TREE.—At the last meeting
of the French Academy of Sciences an interest-
ing communication was read from M. Gimbert
who has been long engaged in collecting evi-
dence concerning the Australian tree, Eucalyptus
globulus, the growth of which is surprisingly
rapid, attaining, besides, gigantic dimensions.
This plant, it now appears, possesses an extraor-
dinary power of destroying miasmatic influ-
ence in fever-stricken districts. It has the singular
property of absorbing ten times its weight
of water from the soil, and of emitting antiseptic
amorphous effluvia. When sown in marshy
ground it will dry it up in a very short time.
The English were the first to try it at the Cape,
and within two or three years they completely
changed the climatic condition of the un-
healthy part of the colony. A few years later
its plantation was undertaken on a large scale
in various parts of Algeria. At Poudook,
twenty miles from Algiers, a farm, situated on
the banks of the Hamyze, was noted for its
extremely pestiferous air. In the spring of
1874 about thirteen thousand eucalyptus were
planted there. In July of the same year, the
time when the fever season used to set in, not
a single case occurred; yet the trees were not
more than nine feet high. Since then com-
plete immunity from fever has been main-
tained. In the neighborhood of Constantine
the farm of Ben Machybin was in equally bad
repute; it was covered with marshes, both in
winter and summer; in five years the whole
ground was dried up by thirteen thousand of
these trees and farmers and children enjoy ex-
cellent health. At the factory of the Gue de
Constantine, in three years, a plantation of
eucalyptus has transformed twelve acres of
marshy soil into a magnificent park, where
fever has completely disappeared. In the island
of Cuba this and all other paludal diseases are
fast disappearing from all the unhealthy dis-
tricts where this tree has been introduced. A
station house at one of the ends of a railway
viaduct in the department of the Var was so
pestiferous that the officials could not be kept
there longer than a year. Forty of these trees
were planted, and it is now as healthy as any
other place on the line.

THE RECENT DECISION of a California court,
affirming the widowhood of Mrs. King, the
wife of James E. King, now at Sing Sing State
prison, though establishing no new point of
law, gives, for the benefit of many women simi-
larly situated, a distinct and definite inter-
pretation of an existing statute. Judge Myrick
has given it as his unqualified opinion that
Mrs. King is a widow in New York, because
her husband is dead to her, dead to the State,
dead to his children, having no right to make
contracts, to sue or be sued, or to inherit prop-
erty. The principle that King is civilly dead
is not contrary to the law of California, and for
this reason she will receive the portion of her
father's estate in that State which would not
have gone to her while she remained the wife
of King. The estates of rich life convicts can
be settled by this rule as if they were actually
dead. It has been intimated that this action
was taken by Mrs. King in order that having
obtained her patrimony she might spend the
money in procuring a new trial for her convict
husband. Such a course of procedure, though
it would be proof of considerable devotion,
would, nevertheless, be little less than obtain-
ing money under false pretences, while at the
same time showing a lack of prudence on the
part of her husband's estate. It is believed
that the action was taken by Mrs. King in
order that she might spend the money in
procuring a divorce for her husband commit-
ted the murder for which he is now in prison.

EXCELLENZA SOLUBLE PHOSPHATE.

I have been selling this Standard Fertilizer
for the past four years, and can recommend it
with entire confidence as a first class article.
The material of which it is composed is of a
durable character, and furnishes all the neces-
sary plant food for the cultivation of Wheat,
Tobacco and Garden Vegetables.
IT IS IN FINE DRY POWDER, READY
FOR DRILLING, its mechanical condition be-
ing equal to that of any Fertilizer in this or any
other market.

PRICE \$15 PER TON OF 2000 LBS.
FOR SALE BY
THOS. PERRY,
aug 17-2m 17 King street.

CLARKE'S AMMONIATED Dissolved Bone.

This highly esteemed Manure, which has given
such general satisfaction for several years in the
counties of Loudoun and Fairfax, has been
greatly improved in quality and mechanical
condition.
I sold largely of it during the last Spring
season, and have yet to hear of a single complaint
of its action. Price \$45 per ton of 2000 lbs. For
sale by
THOS. PERRY,
aug 17-2m 17 King street.

J. J. TURNER & CO'S. EXCELSIOR.

In mechanical condition and quality EXCELSIOR
is the conceded standard of excellence, and
competitive tests for seventeen years have
established its superiority for all soils and for all
crops. Apply to
R. M. LAWSON,
aug 14
LIME, FOR AGRICULTURAL PURPOSES,
for sale at TWO CENTS PER BUSHEL, at
the Gas Works, foot of G street, Washington,
D. C. aug 12-5m

STANDARD FERTILIZERS.
We offer the following popular Fertilizers at
reduced prices:
OBER'S "AA" GUANO, \$55.
AMMONIATED SUP. PHOSPHATE, \$15.
BLOOD GUANO—PURE BLOOD AND
BONE, \$54.
EUK'S AMMONIATED SUP. PHOS-
PHATE, \$50.
GUANAHANI GUANO, \$35.
For particulars and Circulars, containing tes-
timonials, apply to
HOUE & JOHNSTON, Agents,
No. 2 Prince street.
aug 6

**REDUCTION IN PRICE OF OBER'S
GUANO.**
AA Guano, \$55; Ammoniated Super Phos-
phate, \$15. We offer these well known Fertil-
izers at greatly reduced prices, and will furnish
any information and Circulars, containing tes-
timonials, on application.
HOUE & JOHNSTON, Agents,
No. 2 Prince street.
aug 6

RELIABLE FERTILIZERS.
BRYANT'S BONE
DUST.
NO. 1 PERUVIAN
GUANO. 200 tons to
arrive, dry, bright and
in excellent condition.—
This is from the best car-
go in agent's hands, con-
taining 12 per cent of
ammonia—2 per cent more
than any other cargo.—
All in want are invited to
examine this lot before
purchasing, as they
will not find any thing
equal to it now in agent's
hands.
**R. FRANK COE'S SUPER PHOSPHATE,
FINE GROUND BLUE WINDSOR PLAS-
TER.**
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, and
FIELD AND GARDEN SEEDS,
HERBERT BRYANT,
No. 25 King street.
aug 5-1m

Sumac Wanted
BY
JAMES E. MCGRAW,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
aug 14-3m

**BARGAINS IN SUMMER AND SPRING
DRESS GOODS.**
We are selling Pink, Blue and other Colored
Grenadines at 12 1/2 and 16 1/2, worth 25, 37 1/2
and 50c per yard. We are closing out our
Laws and Organdies at 12 1/2 and 20c, worth 25 and 37 1/2
per yard; also beautiful yard-wide Parasols
and Batiste Suitings at 12 1/2c per yard. Wonderful
these inducements to make room for a large
stock of Fall and Winter Dry Goods, Notions,
Hosiery, &c. **D. F. BRASHEAR,**
H. B. HOOMES, No. 109 King street,
aug 13 Alexandria, Va.

COAL!
We are now unloading from schr J. W. Hines,
a cargo of SUPERIOR WHITE ASH COAL,
which we are enabled to furnish at a greatly re-
duced price. Orders left at Grigg's Drug Store,
corner Royal and King streets, will be promptly
filled. **J. T. McHAFFEY & CO.,**
sp 7 Wharf and Yards foot of Queen st.

**PAINTS, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, Ready
mixed Avaril Paint and Roofing Paint, a
large stock in store and for sale at lowest rates by**
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.
aug 29

**RAW SUGARS—P. R. and V. P.—at RE-
DUCED PRICES AT**
G. W. RAMSAY,
Corner King and St. Asaph sts.
je 9

**1000 LBS GENUINE OLD GOV.
ERNMENT JAVA COFFEE,**
in mats, just received and for sale by
GEO. MCBURNEY & SON,
aug 16

**BEST Mocha, Java, LaGuayra and Rio Con-
fios, in natural state or freshly roasted.**
For sale by **J. C. & E. MILBURN.**
FISH—50 bbls new No. 3 Mackerel for sale by
je 21 **D. F. WITMER & CO.**

AUCTION SALES.

**TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE
PROPERTY**—Under deed of trust from
Col. B. F. Seavey to wife of the undersigned,
dated 11th of May 1871, recorded in the Clerk's
office of the City of Alexandria, on Court of the city
of Alexandria, and by deed of the beneficiary,
I will sell at public auction, on THURSDAY
the 30th day of September, 1875, at 12 o'clock m.,
in front of the Market House, on Royal street,
in the city of Alexandria, that VALU-
ABLE PROPERTY which said Seavey
now resides, embraced within the following
boundaries, to wit: Beginning at the intersec-
tion of Washington and Wolfe streets, and run-
ning thence southwardly with Washington street
and binding thereon to the north line of the
Lancasterian school house; thence eastwardly
and parallel to Wolfe street eighty-eight (88) feet
and six (6) inches; thence southwardly with the
eastern boundary of said school house and a lot
of ground conveyed by Samuel H. Atwellor to
the Common Council of Alexandria; thence
eastwardly thirty-four (34) feet and eleven (11)
inches to the line of property owned by the
Quaker meeting; thence northwardly with a line
parallel to Washington street to Wolfe street;
thence westwardly with Wolfe street, and bind-
ing thereon one hundred and twenty-three (123)
feet and five (5) inches to the place of beginning.
There is on the premises a good THREE-
STORY BRICK HOUSE, with good summer
and winter kitchen, convenient thereto.
Terms of Sale: One half the purchase money
to be paid in cash; the residue to be paid in
to be secured by deed of trust on the premises.
Selling as Trustee, I shall convey such title as
is vested in me by the deed, which is believed to
be unquestionable. **C. F. SUTTLE,**
aug 10-2m Trustee.

By Green & Wise,
[Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]
**VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN ALEX-
ANDRIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA, FOR
SALE.**

Under the authority of the decree of the Cir-
cuit Court of Alexandria county, Virginia, in the
suit of Roach's executors vs. Roach's devisees
passed at the May term, 1875, of said court,
the undersigned, who was appointed commis-
sioner for the purpose, will sell at public
auction, on SATURDAY, the 25th day of Sep-
tember, 1875, at 12 m., at the east front of the
Market House, in the city of Alexandria, Va.,
the property in said county, known as "PROS-
PECT HILL," into the residence of James
Lynch, dec'd., on the south side of the Arlington
turnpike, and on the west side of Alex-
andria Canal, being, on both, containing about
TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FOUR
ACRES.

About 140 acres of it is rich bottom land, valu-
able for agricultural purposes, and especially
valuable for its rich deposits of brimstone. The
remaining 84 acres extend to the top of the
bluff and front on the county road from
Alexandria to Georgetown. On this is a
LARGE BRICK MANSION, with Sta-
bles and all necessary outbuildings, the site be-
ing unsurpassed by any in the county, or its vic-
inity.
The estate has been surveyed and divided into
a number of parcels, one of 50 acres, embracing
the Mansion House, &c.; another of 44 acres, on
the bottom, with Frame House, Barn, &c., on
the same; another of 35 acres, in the bottom,
with no buildings.
A number of small lots, binding on the canal,
each containing about 7 acres, and other parcels
in addition to the foregoing, also, a TRACT
OF LAND, in said county, on Four Mile Run,
on the county road from Alexandria to Geor-
getown, about equidistant from Washington,
Alexandria and Georgetown, containing about
26 a. or 11 p. This place has a valuable WAT-
ER POWER, for either a mill or a factory,
and the land is of fair quality.
Terms: Twenty per cent of purchase money
cash; the residue in three equal instalments, at
six, twelve and eighteen months, respectively,
with interest, to be secured by bonds of the pur-
chaser, with good personal security. Title to be
retained until full payment of purchase money,
and land to be resold at purchaser's risk on de-
fault in meeting bonds at maturity.
S. FERGUSON BEACH,
Commissioner.
aug 17-4s

**FINE LOUDOUN FARMS FOR SALE
AT PUBLIC AUCTION.**
Will be sold at public auction, on SATUR-
DAY, September 25th, 1875, at 12 o'clock m., at
Middleburg, Loudoun county, Va., the TWO
FARMS of the late Robert C. Bowman, dec'd.,
situated about 3 1/2 miles from Middleburg, and
1 mile from Mountsville, Loudoun county, Va.,
containing in both places about 384 acres—200
acres in one, and 184 acres in the other. Each
place has comfortable improvements, and is sepa-
rated only by a road.
The land is first class, well adapted to the
working of machinery, and has upon it a suffi-
cient quantity of good timber, running water, &c.
The neighborhood is first class in every particular, and
is one of the most beautiful portions of Virginia,
having an abundance of good schools, churches,
mills, &c. A great bargain in these lands may
be expected, as they will most positively be sold
for a division among the legatees, all of whom
live in other States. Immediate possession of the
land given for seeding purposes.
Terms will be liberal, and made known on
day of sale. For further information address
GEO. H. SLAUGHTER,
Agent for the heirs, St. Bethlehem, Tenn., or
Col. L. CLARK SELLAR,
aug 17-4s Middleburg, Virginia.

MUSICAL NOTICE.
VICTOR BECKER
Will attend, as heretofore, to the TUNING OF
Pianos and Organs in Alexandria and vicinity,
and solicits a continuance of the patronage
of his friends.
He also calls their attention to his assortment
of second hand and new
PIANOS,
especially to those of Marchal & Smith, several
of which he has sold here, and which have given
so much satisfaction for their merits and moder-
ate prices.
Send orders or call at his store, No. 803 7th
street, northwest, Washington, D. C., near H,
where you will find the usual assortment of
Musical Merchandise, first class Violin Strings,
&c., &c. Washington, aug 18-1f

T. L. SANBORN,
Agent for the
**PURCHASE, SALE, EXCHANGE AND
RENTING OF**
SUBURBAN REAL ESTATE,
Near Washington, D. C.
Office at the W. & O. Junction, on the A. &
W. R. P. O. address, box 603, Washington,
D. C.
Parties having property for sale in Alexandria
county, will find no surer method of effecting the
same than by placing it in our hands.
Our advantages for calling attention to this
class of property are such as are not usually af-
forded in real estate advertisements. ad 29-12w*

**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.
mh 30 **J. T. CREIGHTON & SON,**
88 King street, corner Royal,

**HINGES, SCREWS, LOCKS, SASH PUL-
LEYS and other Hardware** for the use of
builders, and for general use, at lowest rates,
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,
je 15

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.
je 21 **D. F. WITMER & CO.**

DRY GOODS.

CADET CLOTH! CADET CLOTH!
PRETZFELDER & BENDHEIM.
We have just received and can furnish suits of
the above goods very cheap, at the shortest no-
tice, and guarantee a good fit. aug 23

NEW GOODS.
I have received another lot of
Superior Black Grenadines,
French Muslins,
White Linen Lawns for dresses,
Sua 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.
je 17 **J. M. STEWART.**

PARASOLS AND SUN UMBRELLAS.
June 28th, 1875.
Another invoice of these choice goods just re-
ceived from the manufacturer.
D. F. BRASHEAR,
je 28 109 King street, Alexandria, Va.

AT PRETZFELDER & BENDHEIM'S.
Beautiful patterns of HAMBURG NET for
overshirts, 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 6

**NEW GOODS—We are in daily receipt of
new goods, keeping our stock well assort-
ed. We invite purchasers, either at wholesale
or retail, to inspect our goods before purchasing.**
je 10 **D. F. WITMER CO.**

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 examina-
tion of them.
**GRENADINES, in Plaids and Stripes, Plain
Black and in Colors.**
Also **GENAPINES** in the same.
PLAID LINEN SUITINGS, something new.
(Our stock is large and our prices low.)
my 13 **D. F. WITMER CO.**

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

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

**FOUGERA'S READY MADE MUSTARD
PLASTERS.**
Superior to common mustard plasters, always
ready for immediate use, clean and not liable to
change easily transported and pliable, so as to
be applied to all surfaces. For sale by
WARFIELD & HALL,
aug 20 Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.

**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,
je 27 106 and 170 King street.**

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

GRENADINES, LAWNS, &c.
**SOME OF THEM 25 TO 33 PER CT. LESS
THAN COST.**
je 21 **D. F. WITMER CO.**

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

**HUBBELL'S SEA SALT, for producing a
real sea water bath in your own room. It
is also Perfume Atomizer, a valuable little in-
strument for perfuming clothing, &c. For sale by**
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

CADET CLOTH! CADET CLOTH!
We have just received a supply of CADET
CLOTH, and can now furnish suits at the short-
est notice. [aug 18] **D. F. WITMER CO.**

BACON! BACON!
Another lot of Sugar-cured Shoulders,
Hams and Breast Pieces just received and for
sale by
W. A. JOHNSON,
je 10 Corner Pitt and Queen streets.

**FRENCH ORGANDIES—Special attention
is invited to a beautiful assortment of
French Organdy Lawns, reduced from 37 1/2c
to 25c per yard. **D. F. BRASHEAR,**
je 21 No. 109 King st., Alexandria, Va.**

**OILS! OILS!—Just received another
or supply of Machine, Natural and Lard
Oil, for lubricating purposes, at**
W. F. CREIGHTON'S,
je 3 85 King street.

**EGG and BUTTER POWDER, a perfect
substitute for Eggs and Butter, in store and
for sale by****W. M. F. BROOKES,**
my 22 147 King street.

**CURRENT JELLY—An imported article,
and very fine, for sale by****W. M. RAMSAY,**
ap 25 Corner King and St. Asaph sts.

**S MOKED POTOMAC HERRING and
S MOKED SALMON for sale by****G. W. M. RAMSAY,**
ap 26 Corner King and St. Asaph sts.

**SUGARS—23 bbls Hard and Soft Crushed
and Brown Sugars just received and for sale
at lowest current rates by****J. C. & E. MILBURN.**
je 6

BUILDING MATERIAL.

JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
Hardware, Cutlery, Horse Shoes
Iron, Plough Castings, Nail Rods, Axle
Grease, 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.)
**DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, PAINTS, HARD-
WARE, LEADS, OILS, CEMENT,
CALCINED PLASTER, &c.,**
No. 187 King street,
Alexandria, Virginia.
feb 2-1f

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.
A CARD—Circumstances rendering it de-
sirable that I should locate 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. Jas. L. Kemper; Rich-
mond, Va.; Hon. R. M. T. Hunter; R. H.
Maury & Co. Bankers; Messrs. Barrington Bros.
& Co., London, England; J. K. Gilliat & Co.,
London, England.
Richmond, feb 19-1f

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

ESTABLISHED 1792.
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.
DEALERS IN
**PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES,
CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS,
VARNISHES, GARDEN SEEDS,
SPIES, ACIDS, &c.,**
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