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Decline of the Potomac Fisheries.

The Inspector of Marine Products has transmitted his annual report to the Board of Health. The report says: "The decrease of the shad and herring fishery of the Potomac during the past season has been of a most alarming character. Very few of the large seine fisheries have been continued throughout the season, something unprecedented in these waters. The gill nets and pound nets have continued as usual, though with very meagre results for their labor and investment. The cause of the decrease is without doubt the great amount of fishing done. Within a few years the gill nets especially have multiplied many times. It is not relative to this report to attempt to show the influence of the different kinds of nets in bringing about this state of affairs. Very little of the water coming through the Potomac reaches the Chespeake without passing through meshes of numerous nets, and it is scarcely possible for fish to ascend the river without capture, especially as there is no general interim, most of the nets being in active use at all hours of the day and night. This is the most probable cause of the decrease in the supply of shad and herring.

The salt water tailor, or blue fish, has been quite abundant this season off Chesapeake bay and vicinity. It is one of the most savage species on the Atlantic shores. It not only kills to eat, but, striking right and left in a school of more defenceless fish, mangles and wounds only for sport. Whether the presence of this fish on the coast has anything to do with the absence of shad and herring, we are not able definitely to tell. The whole question of the causes of the decrease is an intricate one, and requires a great deal of observation and study. The most evident cause, however, seems to lie in the great overfishing of the waters of the river. Very many laws have been proposed for the purpose of remedying the evil, by legislative action in general, each line of fishing or different net interest advocating laws which bear upon the opposing interests. The State of Maryland proposed a law during the early spring, which, if it could be carried out and enforced, would have largely solved the problem.

The report quotes from "Martin's Gazetteer of Virginia and the District of Columbia," published in 1835, that "in a short season 22,500,000 shad and 750,000,000 herring were taken in this river. Without including the rock fish, sturgeon and other varieties, this would afford about 625,000 pounds of food, which, at present prices, would realize a very large amount of money. It is very doubtful that an equal abundance can ever be restored to the river, but one half or one fourth of these figures would be regarded at this time as the return of the years of plenty after the discouraging experience of the past two or three years."

The report closes: "Some legislation or Congressional action, looking to a remedy for this great over-fishing of the waters of our river, is urgently demanded, and one thing is certain, unless some action is speedily taken, the immense business of fishing on the Potomac will soon dwindle away to nothing."—*Wash. Star.*

THE CASE OF LAWYER RUFFIN.—Yesterday afternoon the case of R. D. Ruffin, the colored lawyer, was called in the Criminal Court, Judge McArthur, and was concluded to-day. Ruffin was charged with having received stolen goods, knowing the same to have been stolen, and was defended by Messrs. A. G. Riddle and G. W. Mitchell; Mr. H. H. Wells, jr., represented the government. It was in evidence that in April last a gold watch and chain were stolen from the residence of D. W. Glassie, for which larceny Edward Marlar, a colored boy, was arrested and convicted, and sentenced to three years in the Albany penitentiary; that pending the trial Ruffin went to see Mr. Glassie several times, and proposed that a woman who had the chain would give it up if he (G.) would "let up" on the boy. The mother of the boy testified that she got the chain from a Mrs. Pollard, and she took it to Ruffin, handing it to him wrapped in her handkerchief, and that when she asked for it he handed her the hankerchief but no chain. It was further in evidence that Ruffin denied before Judge Olin that he had ever seen the chain, but when confronted with Mrs. Marlar he admitted that he had had it in possession, but had given it back to the woman. Mr. Wells briefly opened the case, and was followed by Mr. Riddle, who caimed that in this case as in a case of larceny, a felonious intent must be shown, but such intent had not been shown here. He further argued that the oath of an attorney did not make it any part of a lawyer's duty to furnish evidence against his client.

The jury after being out one hour and a quarter brought in a verdict of guilty. Mr. Mitchell gave notice of a motion for a new trial, and asked for a stay of judgment.—*Washington Star.*

A PROCLAMATION

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
ALEXANDRIA, VA., October 19, 1876.

Whereas the good order of a community depends upon the prompt and impartial enforcement of the laws which have for their object the maintainance and preservation of the morality, happiness and prosperity of society—

Therefore, be it known to all whom it may concern, that a non observance of the MUNICIPAL and STATE LAWS in reference to VAGRANTS, DRUNKENNESS, and an act PROHIBITING THE SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS ON THE SABBATH DAY, will be punished by sentence of the penalties prescribed by each law relative to the subject of the offence, and in this I hope to have the assistance of all good citizens.

J. B. JOHNSON.

By the Mayor:
JAMES F. WEBSTER,
Captain of Police. oct 20-tf

NEW GOODS—Received this day: Allcock's Porous Plasters, Herrick's Strengthening Plasters, Tarrant's Extract, Barry's Hair Dye, Burnett's Cod Liver Oil, Simmons' Liver Regulator, Bull's Cough Syrup, Eureka Tooth Powder, Edes' Corn Plasters, Barry's Tricopherous, Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup, Rossdalis, Ayer's, Bull's, Helmbold's and Townsend's Sarsaparilla, Wilbor's Cod Liver Oil and Phosphate of Lime and Lyon's Tooth Tablets.
JANNEY & CO.,
nov 7 79 and 145 King street.

NEW SPLIT PEAS for sale by
nov 16 G. WM. RAMSAY.

MEDICINES.

AN ADDRESS TO THE SICK.

Do you want to purify the system?
Do you want to get rid of Biliousness?
Do you want something to strengthen you?
Do you want a good appetite?
Do you want to get rid of nervousness?
Do you want good digestion?
Do you want to sleep well?
Do you want to build up your constitution?
Do you want a brisk and vigorous feeling?
If you do, take

SIMMONS'
LIVER REGULATOR.
PURELY VEGETABLE.

Is harmless,
Is no drastic violent medicine,
Is sure to cure if taken regularly,
Is no intoxicating beverage,
Is a faultless family medicine,
Is the cheapest medicine in the world,
Is given with safety and the happiest results to the most delicate infant.
Does not interfere with business,
Does not disarrange the system,
Takes the place of Quinine and Bitters of every kind,
Contains the simplest and best remedies.

ASK the recovered Dyspeptics, Bilious sufferers, victims of Fever and Ague, the mercurial diseased patient, how they recovered health, cheerful spirits and good appetite—they will tell you by taking Simmons' Liver Regulator.

The cheapest, purest and best family medicine in the world.

It contains four medical elements, never united in the same happy proportion in any other preparation, viz: a gentle Cathartic, a wonderful Tonic, an unexceptionable Alterative and a certain corrective of all impurities of the body. Such signal success has attended its use, that it is now regarded as the

EFFECTUAL SPECIFIC

For all Disease of the Liver, Stomach and Spleen

As a Remedy in Malarious Fevers, Bowel Complaints, Dyspepsia, Mental Depression, Restlessness, Jaundice, Nausea, Sick Headache, Colic, Constipation and Biliousness

IT HAS NO EQUAL.

CAUTION!—As there are a number of imitations offered to the public, we would caution the community to buy no Powders or Prepared Simmons' Liver Regulator unless in our engraved wrapper with Trade Mark, Stamp and Signature unbroken. None other is genuine.
J. H. ZEILIN & CO.,
Macon, Ga., and Philadelphia.

Your valuable medicine, Simmons' Liver Regulator, has saved me many doctors' bills. I use it for everything it is recommended and never knew it to fail; I have used it in Colic and Grubbs with my Mules and Horses, giving them about half a bottle at a time. I have not lost one that I gave it to. You can recommend it to every one that has stock as being the best medicine known for all complaints that horse flesh is heir to. E. T. TAYLOR,
sep 7 Agent for Grangers of Georgia.

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.

SAMUEL H. JANNEY. MAHLON H. JANNEY.
A. A. WARFIELD. C. J. W. SUMMERS.

JANNEY & CO.

DEALERS IN

DRUGS, PAINTS, OILS, PERFUMERIES, ACIDS, SPICES, GARDEN SEEDS, PATENT MEDICINES AND WINDOW GLASS.

Nos. 79 & 145 King street, Alexandria, Va.

Physicians' Prescriptions accurately compounded DAY or NIGHT at No. 79. Night bell at the King street door.
Orders and inquiries from the country promptly attended to at No. 145 oct 9-tf

NOTICE—Having purchased the stock and good will of the DRUG STORE formerly occupied by Mr. C. B. Grigg, at the northwest corner of King and Royal streets, we have thoroughly refitted and renovated the same, and supplied it with a FIRST CLASS STOCK of everything pertaining to the DRUG BUSINESS, and propose to carry it on as a branch of our establishment at No. 145 King street. The branch store will be under the charge of Mr C. J. W. SUMMERS, whom we have associated with us in business, and who will be prepared to compound Physicians' Prescriptions, or dispense medicines at any hour of the day or night. Night bell at the King street door.
oct 9-tf JANNEY & CO.

WARFIELD & HALL,
DRUGGISTS
COR. PRINCE & FAIRFAX STS.

Prescriptions a specialty. English, French, German and Domestic Toilet Soaps; Genuine Farina Cologne; Magnolia, Hedyosmia, Geranium and Florida Water; Genuine Lubin's Extracts; Sponges, Hair Brushes and Combs; best English Tooth Brushes; a full assortment of Patent Medicines; Coxe's Gelatine; Corn Starch; Sea Moss Farine; Spices of all kinds, and a select stock of all articles sold by druggists at prices as low as the same quality can be obtained elsewhere. dec 1

W. FRANKLIN CREIGHTON,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, DYE STUFFS, GARDEN SEED, &c., &c., &c.,
No. 55 King street, (under Sarepta Hall,)
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.
Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compounded. Orders will receive prompt attention.
mh 24—tf

ESTABLISHED 1792.
E. 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—tf Alexandria, Va.

OYSTER DEALERS.

OYSTERS.

STEAMED OYSTERS 25c per half peck.
OYSTER STEWS 25c a piece, and all other EATABLES.
To be had from 8 a. m. to 10 p. m.,
ELI PETTEY'S RESTAURANT,
nov 4-2m King and Union streets.

OYSTERS!
OYSTERS!
OYSTERS!
Wanted all my friends to come and try my SPLENDID STEAMED OYSTERS, which I make a specialty this season.
OYSTERS IN EVERY STYLE served day and night. GEO. STEUERNAGEL,
oct 4-tf No. 30 north Royal st.

WM. H. SMITH,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
OYSTERS, FISH, PRODUCE, &c., &c.,
No. 16 north Fairfax street,
Has constantly on hand Oysters of the best quality from Norfolk and elsewhere received fresh by steamers every day, and is prepared to furnish the trade at as low prices as any house in the city.
All orders intrusted to him shall receive prompt and careful attention. sep 7

CHEAPEST BLACK MOHAIRS and ALPACAS we have ever opened. Call and see them at
nov 7 R. C. SLAYMAKER CO'S.

DRY GOODS.

CHRISTMAS
—AT THE—
COMBINATION STORE

Mr. HENRY SCHWARZ, Manager of the Combination Store, has just received instructions to clear out all his stock of DRY GOODS, SHAWLS, and other goods, in order to make room by the 10th day of December, and turn the whole store into a

TOY
AND
FANCY STORE

consisting of all goods just about to be selected in Toys, Glass Ware, Crockery, Oil Paintings, and a great many Fancy Articles, such as please the little folks and the big folks. Take notice of this, and be prepared to see the largest and cheapest stock ever offered in this or any other city..

There will also be PRESENTS distributed on Christmas day to EVERY ONE who ever patronized the Great Combination Store. The gifts will consist of Chromos, Gloves, Handkerchiefs and numerous other articles. Due notice will be given three days in advance.
nov 18 H. SCHWARZ, Manager.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

Just Received, November 18, 1876.

A large assortment of double width (36 inch) all Wool Cashmere, worth $1, at 75c.

Striped all Wool Goods for Polonaises at 25c.

1000 yards of Simpson's Solid Black Calico, in remnants, at 6c per yard.

A beautiful line of Black Mohairs and Alpacas, very cheap.

Cassimere for Men and Boys' wear at 37½ up.

Fine all Wool Shawls, Blankets, &c.

Opera Flannel in all shades at 35c per yard.

A full line of Gents' and Ladies' Underwear.

A large and complete stock of Notions, Hosiery, &c.

D. BENDHEIM, 112 King st.,
nov 18 Adj'g. Marshall House.

WATERPROOF

1½ yards wide, in black, at 50c.

CASHMERES for ladies' wear, all wool, new shades, at 50c

DOUBLE BLANKETS at $1 75.

Large stock of SHAWLS, CLOAKS and SACQUES, CARPETS and OIL CLOTHS and CASSIMERES for men and boys—VERY CHEAP FOR CASH.

PRETZFELDER & COMPANY,
nov 14 144 King street.

RECEIVED BY STEAMER THIS DAY.
A very pretty line of
EXTRA SUPERIOR INGRAIN CARPETS, and Tapestry and Brussells do. for halls and stairs; also a large assortment of Velveteen and Tapestry Mats and Rugs, Door Mats in every style, and Floor Oil Cloths from 4 to 16 quarters. Inspection invited.
nov 13 D. F. WITMER.

SPECIAL CLOAK NOTICE—The demand for Cloaks was so unexpectedly large last week that we sold out a large number of those sent us to select from, and have reordered in the same way. We can give special inducements both in prices and variety while they are here. Good Black Beaver Cloth at $2 50.
nov 13 H. C. SLAYMAKER CO.

By Harrison & O'Neal, Auctioneers.

GREAT CLOSING OUT SALE
OF THE
LARGE AND EXTENSIVE STOCK OF
DRY GOODS
OF S. LINDHEIMER.

As I am determined on going out of the Dry Goods business and turning my attention exclusively to the Millinery and Fancy Goods business, I will sell out my entire large and well selected stock at auction—sale to take place at
NO. 108 KING STREET,
(Kaufman's old stand,)
Commencing Wednesday, 15th,
at 10 o'clock a m., and continuing daily until the entire stock is disposed of.

The stock consists of DRESS GOODS in all variety, Flannels, Shawls, Blankets, Fine Beavers, Cloths, Cassimeres, Furs, White Goods, Carpets, Hosiery, Notions and everything contained in a first class wholesale and retail dry goods house. Sale positive and without reserve.

The LADIES are cordially invited to attend this sale. Merchants from the country will find it greatly to their interest to attend.
nov 8-1m S. LINDHEIMER.

PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, &c.

PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, READY mixed Paints, Roof Paint, Averill Chemical Paints, &c., &c.,—a large stock on hand and offered at reduced prices.
aug 9 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO

ENCOURAGE HOME MANUFACTURE
I am now manufacturing a good and cheap PAINT, of several colors, the body of which is equal to Lead and Oil, which for tin roofs, barns, stables, fences, &c., will be found very suitable as well as economical, and an improvement over other cheap mixed Paints now in the market. For brick walls with a northern exposure it will act as a preventive to dampness. For iron it makes a solid and lasting coating, impervious to moisure and a preventive of rust. Being of various shades of color, the cornice and trimmings can be painted to suit. This Paint has been used by one railroad company and by many of the farmers in this vicinity, and is highly recommended by all who have tried it. Price, single gallon, 75c. 10 gallons 65c per gal. 1 bbl, or 40 gallons, 60c per gal. Call and examine samples at 85 King st., under Sarepta Hall.
mh 31 W. F. CREIGHTON.

LIME, CEMENT, CALCINED PLASTER, ROOFING, FELT and ROOFING PITCH always on hand and for cheap by
B. F. PEAKE & CO.,
ap 14 187 King st., Alexandria. Va.

USE THE
IMPERIAL FRENCH GREEN.
It is not poisonous; it is finer in texture; has more body, and is the most brilliant in the world. For sa B. F. PEAKE & CO.,
jy 2 187 King street

READY MIXED PAINTS of all the different makes supplied at factory prices. Sample cards and estimates furnished upon application.
my 9 JANNEY & CO.

WE CALL the attention of the public in general to our stock of PAINTS an OILS, which we are prepared to sell cheap. Those contemplating painting will do well to give us a call. B. F. PEAKE & CO.,
ap 14 187 King st., Alexandria, Va.

FURNISHING GOODS.

KNIGHTS TEMPLARS REGALIA.

We have in stock a full and complete line of

Knights Templars Equipments,

CHAPEAUXS,	OSTRICH PLUMES,
CAPS,	TRUNKS,
SWORDS,	BELTS,
GLOVES,	GAUNTLETS.

WILLETT & RUOFF,
HATTERS AND FURRIERS,
905 Pennsylvania Avenue,
nov 7-tf Washington, D. C.

SAVE FIFTY PER CENT
BY BUYING YOUR
CLOTHING AT DEALHAM'S

He has now on hand the finest suits of Clothing ever before offered in this community, which are warranted
THOROUGHLY SPONGED,
and in every respect equal to those made by merchant tailors. What is more interesting he sells them REMARKABLY CHEAP. His
GENTS' FURNISHING STOCK
comprises all the latest novelties, (from the finest to the cheapest) including fine WHITE LINEN SHIRTS AT SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS. To consult your interest call early at
sep 29 S. DEALHAM'S, 80 King st

1776 CENTENNIAL. 1876

FALL TRADE.

REMOVAL!
NEW STORE! NEW GOODS!
PRICES TO SUIT THE PRESENT TIMES.
THE PUBLIC SHOULD LOOK TO THEIR INTEREST.

I will inform the public in general that I have removed from the corner of King and Royal streets to my new building,
NO. 66 KING STREET,
where I have opened a

First-class Boot and Shoe Bazaar

and adjoining, No. 68 King st., I have opened a

Fine Clothing Emporium.

Having had over twenty-five years experience in the Clothing and Shoe business, I am fully able to furnish the public with all descriptions of BOOTS, SHOES, CLOTHING MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, TRUNKS, VALISES, &c., &c., lower than any other house this side of Baltimore. As I buy direct from the manufacturers and strictly for cash, this gives me the opportunity to give my patrons the benefit of the same.

All I ask is a trial from the public before making purchasing elsewhere.

HENRY STRAUSS'
BOOT AND SHOE BAZAAR, NO. 66 KING STREET.
FINE CLOTHING EMPORIUM, NO 68 KING STREET.
sep 20—tf

1876 W. B. WADDEY 1876
74 KING STREET.

FALL AND WINTER STOCK OF
BOOTS & SHOES

ECONOMY IS WEALTH.

WE CAN HELP YOU SPEND YOUR MONEY WISELY.

We can convince you that you can save money this Fall and Winter if you will buy your
BOOTS & SHOES
from us. Our stock is now in, and never before was more complete in every respect than at present. Almost every desirable style of
BOOTS & SHOES
FOR
GENTS', LADIES', MISSES', BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S WEAR,
can be found in our stock; and as for quality and prices we ask an examination and comparison to satisfy yourself that we can make it to your interest to trade with us.

COUNTRY MERCHANTS will find it to their advantage to examine our stock, from which equally good selections can be made, at prices that will compare favorably with those of the Northern cities.

W. B. WADDEY,
74 KING STREET,
sep 18 ALEXANDRIA, VA.

FALL STYLES, 1876.

JULIAN F. YOUNG,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in all the New and "Nobby" styles of Fine, Soft, Semi and Stiff Fur and Wool
HATS & CAPS
AND
Ladies' and Gents' Fur Goods.
NO. 80 KING STREET,
sep 12 ALEXANDRIA, VA.

TAYLOR & HUFTY,
933 Pennsylvania Avenue,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Have REDUCED the price of their celebrated
DOUBLE-YOKE SHIRTS,
AS FOLLOWS:

Quality No. 1, $24.00	Formerly	$30.00
" " 2, 33.00	"	36.00
" " 3, 39.00	"	42.00
" " 4, 42.00	"	48.00

Washington, my 8

DRY GOODS.

3D TRIP NORTH THIS SEASON.
DRY GOODS! DRY GOODS! DRY GOODS!
D. F. BRASHEAR, NO. 100 KING ST.
Alexandria, November 13, 1876.

To Country Merchants and Consumers—We open to-day and offer for sale large lines of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Notions, &c., purchased within the last few days at down prices. We offer Black French Cashmere, 90c, 95c and $1, unequalled for the prices named; Pure Black Mohair and Alpacas at 37½ and 50c—cheap at 62½c and 75c; Australian Crape at prices from 37½ to 75c. In all these Black Goods we defy competition. In Domestics, &c., we offer 3-4 Brown Cottons at 5c, 4-4 Brown Cottons at 6½c, 10-4 Bleached and Brown Sheetings at 20 and 25c, Felt Skirts good at 50c, Men's Undershirts at 37½c, extra cheap, Water Proofs at 75c, a great bargain. Also a full stock of Blankets, Comforts, Counterpanes, Shawls, Cloaks, good Shaker Flannel at 25c, together with innumerable other goods, all at popular prices.

D. F. BRASHEAR,
H. B. Hoomes. No. 100 King street,
nov 13 Alexandria, Va.

NOTICE! NOTICE!

We have received to-day from the manufacturers a large line of CLOAKS to make our selection from. We will not return them until to-morrow night's express, and can offer special inducements, both in variety and price, till then.
H. C. SLAYMAKER CO.

NOTICE! NOTICE!

Our store will be open until 8 o'clock every night except Saturday, and then till 9.
H. C. SLAYMAKER CO.

GENTLEMEN, ATTENTION.

31 dozen Merino Shirts and Drawers; also more of those Laundried Shirts at $1 50; home made Wamsutta do. at $1.
oct 27 H. C. SLAYMAKER CO.

LARGEST
STOCK OF
DRY GOODS!
IN THIS CITY.

OUR AIM IS TO HAVE THE BEST GOODS AT AS LOW PRICES AS THE SAME ARTICLE CAN BE SOLD.

FLANNELS.
A very large stock, from 10½c up. Many of these cannot be replaced at the same price.

BLANKETS
From $2 a pair up.

LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S
UNDERWEAR
A full line of numbers, and from low grades to first class.

ENGLISH, FRENCH AND GERMAN
CLOTHS and CASSIMERES.
Latest styles and made to order by our own tailors. Fit and satisfaction guaranteed in every case.

FULL LINE OF BOYS' CASSIMERES.

Mourning and Black Goods Dept.
In the most desirable fabrics of celebrated manufacturers. We make a specialty in this department to have best colors and cloths

COLD. DRESS GOODS,
In the new shades, from 20c up. Good goods.

GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHINGS.
DRESS SHIRTS $1—Wamsutta Cotton.
2100 LINEN COLLARS.
Also,
CUFFS, SOCKS, SUSPENDERS, HANDKERCHIEFS, SILK, LINEN, &c.

CALICOES, COTTONS & DOMESTIC STOCK GENERALLY WE ALWAYS KEEP FULL.

We have parties in Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York in our interest, who keep us informed of special sales, changes in the market, &c., and as we buy very largely, gain special discounts.

H. C. SLAYMAKER COMP'Y.
73, 75 & 77 King st., Cor. Royal.

SALESMEN.

H. C. Slaymaker,	W. L. Baldwin,
R. H. Detwich,	A. H. Slaymaker,
W. D. Wood,	E. W. Slaymaker,
E. F. Witmer,	A. E. Slaymaker,
A. B. Slaymaker,	Steadman Wilkins.

Lawrence Stabler, Cashier.
oct 16—eod1f

J. M. STEWART
Has just opened from New York an additional supply of CLOAKS, new styles, and very superior BLACK FRENCH CASHMERES. These goods are beautiful in their finish and very brilliant blacks.
A fine line of SKIRTING FLANNELS, yard wide, of all grades, some all wool and of the finest quality.
HEAVY ENGLISH CRAPE VEILS.
Also a large lot of CRUMB CLOTHS, all sizes and very rich patterns and colors. oc 18

CARPETINGS! CARPETINGS!

A very large arrival of New Carpetings at
D. F. WITMERS,
Who is now prepared to offer all grades of
INGRAIN,
THREE-PLY and
TAPESTRY CARPETINGS,
OIL CLOTHS,
MATS and RUGS,
at prices that cannot fail to please. aug21

SPECIAL ATTENTION is called to our HOOPSKIRT and BUSTLE department. These goods are our own make, and satisfaction guaranteed. Bustles made to order at short notice at FERGUSON & BRO'S,
nov 11 96 King street.

FINE IMPORTED and Domestic WINES in store. [oct7] McBURNEY & SON.

AUCTION SALES.

PUBLIC SALE—The undersigned, committee appointed by the Quarterly Conference of Loudoun Circuit, will sell, in front of Patton's Hotel, on THURSDAY, November 23d, 1876, at 2 o'clock p. m., the HOUSE and LOT, in the town of Middleburg, known as the PARSONAGE OF THE M. E. CHURCH SOUTH. Possession given 1st day of January, 1877, or earlier, if desired.

Terms—One third of the purchase money to be paid on the day of sale; the residue in one and two equal annual payments, bearing interest from day of sale. Title indisputable, and will be given when the last payment is made.
JOHN T. ROSS,
FENTON FURR,
H. N. RECTOR,
nov 17-td Committee.

By F. A. Kerby, Auct'r.

TRUSTEE'S SALE—By virtue of a deed of trust from Cassius Augur and Januita, his wife, dated the 15th day of May, 1875, and of record in Fairfax county, Va., liber S, No. 4, page 275, the undersigned, trustee therein named, and at the request of the creditor by said deed secured, will sell by public auction, in front of the Market House, on Royal st., Alexandria, Va., on SATURDAY, the 9th day of December, 1876, at 12 o'clock m., the property conveyed to him by said deed of trust, namely, a certain TENEMENT and TWO ACRES, 3 roods and 31 95-100 poles of land, situated on the north side of the Little River turnpike, near the village of West End, Fairfax co., Va., and lately occupied by Cassius Augur. The land is fertile, and has been for several years used as a market garden. On it there are young bearing orchards of apple, pear and peach trees.

Terms of Sale—So much of the purchase money in cash as will be requisite to pay the sum of $745, with interest thereon from the 15th day of May, 1876, and the expenses of sale, and the re idue on a credit of 12 and 18 months, with interest; the defered payments to be secured to the satisfaction of the trustee.
EDGAR SNOWDEN, Jr., Trustee.

Memo: There is a prior deed of trust on the property, but an arrangement can be made with the creditors secured by both deeds of trust for a reasonable time for the payment of most of the purchase money. nov 10-2aw4w

By F. A. Kerby, Auct'r.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE—Under authority of the decree of the Corporation Court of Alexandria in the suit of Simmons, Briscoe & Hill vs. Ulam W. Barker, passed at the January term, 1876, the subscriber will sell, on the THIRTEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1876, at 12 m., in front of the Postoffice, in the city of Alexandria, Va., the following described property in said city:

1. The two story Brick DWELLING HOUSE on the north side of Queen street, between Royal and Fairfax street, owned by said Ulam W. Barker, fronting about 20 feet, more or less, on Queen street, and extending back 100 feet to a 12 feet alley.

2. THREE FRAME TENEMENTS AND LOT OF GROUND on the east side of Henry street, between Cameron and King, beginning 218 feet 3 in. north of King street, and running thence north on Henry 41 feet 6 in. to a 10 feet alley, and extending back 118 feet 6 in. to the line of another alley, with right of way over said alleys.

4. ONE HALF INTEREST IN A LOT on the north side of Princess street, beginning at a point 75 feet east of Water street, fronting 25 ft on Princess, with a depth of 88 feet.

Terms—About 5 per cent cash; the residue in three equal annual instalments, with interest, bonds to be given therefor, with good personal security, and title to be retained till payment.
A. FERGUSON BEACH,
oct 23-eots Commissioner.

The above sale has been postponed until the THIRTEENTH OF DECEMBER, 1876.
nov 15-eots S. F. BEACH, Comm'r

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF A GOOD FARM IN PRINCE WILLIAM CO., NEAR HAYMARKET, CONTAINING 230½ acres.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed to me by J. T. Carter and wife, dated the 20th day of May, 1866, and recorded in the Clerk's office of the County Court of Prince William county, Va., I will offer by public auction, at the front door of the Court House, in the town of Warrenton, Fauquier county, Va., on MONDAY, December 11th, 1876, that being the first day of the Circuit Court of said county, the valuable tract of land in said deed mentioned, known as
"CARTER'S GREEN,"
containing 230½ acres—be the same more or less. The land is of good quality, well wooded, watered and enclosed. Upon the farm there is a comfortable DWELLING HOUSE and necessary out buildings. It is in a good neighborhood, adjoins the farms of Mr. Wise and Capt. James Purcell and about six miles from Gainesville, a station upon the Manassas Division of the Virginia Midland R. R.

Terms of Sale—Five hundred dollars in cash; the residue in one, two and three years. For deferred payments the purchaser will be required to execute bonds, with approved personal security, to bear interest from the day of sale, and secure the same by deed of trust upon the aforesaid premises.

N. B.—Being empowered to make private sale of said premises, I invite propositions. My address is Warrenton, Fauquier county, Va.
R. TAYLOR SCOTT, Trustee, &c., &c.
Robt. Coons, Auct'r. nov 1-eots

VALUABLE LANDED ESTATES FOR SALE—By virtue of a deed of trust executed to the undersigned on the 15th day of April, 1870, to secure a debt to W. S. Gurnee, of New York city, the following large, productive and very valuable estates will be offered for sale on the premises, respectively, at the times and on the terms hereinafter named, to wit:

On FRIDAY, the 5th day of January, 1877, the MOSS NECK ESTATE, containing nearly 700 acres, on the Rappahannock river, below Fredericksburg, in Caroline county.

On TUESDAY, the 9th of January, 1877, the LEELS MANOR ESTATE, containing 3300 acres, lying near Markham station, on the Manassas Gap Railroad, in Fauquier county, and

On THURSDAY, the 11th of January, 1877, the TRACT OF LAND, within four miles of Staunton, containing about 456 acres, and now held and possessed by Col. A. W. Harman, and being one of the most valuable estates in Augusta county.

The improvements on each of these properties are good. Possession given in time for Spring crops; the exact time will be announced at the sales. All growing crops will be reserved.

The sales will be for cash, as required by the trust deed. The titles are believed to be good, but only such will be conveyed as are vested in the undersigned.
HUGH W. SHEFFEY,
EDMUND COFFIN, Jr., } Trustees.
nov 8—wts

CAMPHOR ICE, Rose Lip Salve, Liquid Dentrifice, Smith's Aromatic Myrrh, Balm Thousand Flowers, Oriental Tooth Paste, Lyon's Tooth Tablets, Farnham's French Tooth Lozenges, Brown's, Thurston's, White's, Wells' and Williams' Tooth Powders; also a fine assortment of English Tooth Brushes, for sale by
oct 21 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

CLOAKS TO SELECT FROM.

Received this a. m. a very large line of Cloaks to select from, additional to our stock. We will keep them for a few days, and can offer special inducements, both in variety and price.
nov 9 H. C. SLAYMAKER CO.

SPARKLING CHAMPAGNE CIDER received direct from New York. For invalids equally as good as Champagne Wine and at less than one fourth the price. Quart bottles 50 cts, pint do. 30 cts. JANNEY & CO.,
nov 6 Nos. 79 and 145 King street.

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Another lot of
CROPLEY'S COCKTAIL BITTERS,
By the pint or gal on.
W. A. JOHNSON,
nov 2 N. E. cor. Cameron and Royal sts.

SULPHITE OF LIME, a fine chemical, used to prevent fermentation in cider, and thus preserve its sparkling qualities, just received by
oct 2 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.