LOCAL MATTERS.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—*War Department, Office of the Chief Signal Officer, Washington, D. C., March 21, 1877*—10:30 a. m.—For the Middle States cloudy weather and rain or snow, with falling barometer, followed to-night by colder northwest winds and rising barometer.

THE COAL TRADE.—The Baltimore Sun says:—The Chesspeake and Ohio canal will be open for business to-day for the season. The strike in the Cumberland coal region is at an end and heavy shipments to the seaboard by canal and railroad will be made as early as practicable. The snow storm of Monday interfered with operations. Stocks of Cumberland coal at Baltimore have been exhausted for some time. The low price at which some of the anthracite mining and shipping corporations, now in the hands of receivers, are taken contracts, it is expected will have some effect upon the bituminous interest, but a reasonably good season is nevertheless expected.

The stock of coal at this city has also been long exhausted.

The Alleganian has the following interesting items of canal news. The rate of toll on the Chesspeake and Ohio canal the coming season will be forty-eight cents per ton, including the toll at the outlet lock.

The New Central and Consolidation companies have ordered their boats up from below, and will be ready to load them on their arrival.

The surveyors on the George's Creek and Cumberland railroad will resume work, as soon as the weather permits, on the line beyond Pompey smash.

The Maryland, New Central and George's Creek Companies commenced work at their mines yesterday, but suspended on account of the heavy snow. The New Central put out twelve cars. Resumption may now be considered general. The Maryland Coal Company will be ready to ship coal by to-morrow if the route is open.

The miners went to work yesterday in the George's Creek and the Detmold mines. The employees were also working at the Big Vein. It was thought the canal would not be opened for a week yet; but the pressure of the companies upon the directors will probably cause an immediate opening.

FIRE.—Messrs. J. M. Buchanan and R. H. Judd, while coming down King street, near Columbus, this morning, shortly before eleven o'clock, noticed smoke issuing from the second story window of the residence of Mr. E. E. Pickett. Running into the house and up stairs they discovered that a straw bed had by some means caught fire and was in a light blaze. They promptly picked the bed up and threw it out of a window into an adjoining alley. Meantime an alarm of fire had been sounded and the fire department was speedily on the ground, but its services were not required. During the alarm a small colored boy, whose name could not be ascertained, attempt to grasp the rope of the Hydraulion company's second carriage, going up Cameron street, and missing his hold was knocked down and run over. Fortunately the reel was light and had but little hose on it; hence the boy was not seriously hurt.

CHARGE AGAINST AN OFFICER.—William E. Brown, the Superintendent of Police, was arrested late last evening, near the corner of Prince and Henry streets by Officer C. Phillips and committed to the station house, charged with being disorderly. As complaints have been heretofore made of Mr. Brown's conduct in this respect and the matter may result in his removal from office, the Mayor postponed the hearing of the case until Friday, in order to allow the accused time to prepare his defense. The Committee on Streets of the City Council, under whose supervision the Superintendent's work is done, have been summoned to testify in the case.

WASHINGTON ANNUAL CONFERENCE.—The Washington Annual Conference (colored) of the M. E. Church which has been in session at Lynchburg, adjourned on Monday night. The committee reported in the case of Rev. R. H. Robinson, that they found the charges sustained by the evidence; but by reason of proper humiliation and acknowledgement on his part, they recommended him to the mercy of the Conference, which adopted the report, and his character passed. He was given an appointment at Mt. Vernon near Staunton. Rev. G. C. Pinkney was assigned to Alexandria, Rev. B. W. Brown to Fairfax and Rev. N. Watkins to Langley.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Mr. P. H. Hanrahan, a well known grocery store keeper, at the corner of King and Union streets, died last night rather suddenly. Mr. Hanrahan was engaged about his store and on the streets attending to business as usual on Monday, but during the afternoon of that day was taken with severe cramps and had to be carried to his home on Fair street, where he lingered in great pain until late hour last night, when he died. The cause of his death is stated to have been congestion of the bowels. The deceased was about 40 years of age, and leaves a wife and two or three children.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION.—The residence of Mr. Robert Portner, the proprietor of the well known and extensive brewery, on north Washington street, was the scene last night of a most agreeable entertainment. The occasion was the celebration of Mr. Portner's birthday, and the guests were the directors of the German Banking Company, of which the host is President. The banquet spread was most sumptuous and the conviviality continued until late hour.

WILD WATER FOWL.—Wild water fowl are more numerous in this neighborhood now than at any previous time during the season, and are affording excellent sport to those engaged in shooting them. Blinds and floating batteries surrounded with decoys are the means most availed of to bring them within range of the gunners. Among the number brought ashore yesterday from Hunting Creek were some fine canvas backs and two wild geese, killed by Mr. William Harris, of Washington.

THE WRONG SIGNAL.—A well known restaurant keeper of this city, while in attendance on his stand at the Washington Club House, on Monday last, mistaking the key of the District telegraph for an ordinary gong handle, gave it several rapid turns and in a few minutes had several policemen on hand enquiring for the cause of the alarm, and the person who gave it. Of course the Alexandrian kept quiet, but says he will be careful of gongs hereafter.

THE JUDGE T. J. MACKEY whose name is so frequently in the papers, in connection with South Carolina affairs, married a daughter of the late Richard B. Lloyd, of this city.

JOSH BILLINGS' ALMANAC says:—"About the time look out for cold weather." And it might have added—Keep Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup in readiness.

LADIES will find relief from their headache, dizziness, swimming in the head, colic, sour stomach, restlessness, etc., etc., by taking Simmons' Liver Regulator.

Persons living in unhealthy localities may avoid attacks by taking a dose of Simmons' Liver Regulator occasionally to keep the liver in healthy action. It should be used by all persons, old and young. It is not unpleasant, is a purely vegetable compound, is not injurious to the most delicate constitution, and will keep the liver in healthy action.

Every druggist has calls for Wells' Eureka Shoe Polish; a first-class article will always sell; those who use it help advertise it as being the best.

CRANBERRIES—A prime lot just received.
mh 21 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

BY TELEGRAPH.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.]

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, March 21—12 m.—President Hayes is but mortal, and mortals, though presidents, are liable to err. In his inaugural, while apparently advocating "local self government," "home rule" and the like, the careful reader will perceive that there was no *committal*, and the question was left open as to which side *he* would consider the "local government." The impression was insidiously made that this "home rule" meant that the people of South Carolina and Louisiana were to be allowed to take charge of their own State affairs, and though making no definite promise, Mr. Hayes certainly led prominent men on the democratic side, who consulted him, to reach such a conclusion. It now looks as though the promise "was made to the ear," only "to be broken to the hope," and that Packard and Chamberlain are yet to be kept hanging on the ragged edge of a doom that inevitably awaits them, to the further detriment, however, for the time being, of the unfortunate people upon whom they have waxed fat and grown saucy.

Mr. Hayes is not a Jackson, and there never was a time when firmness was more needed. Had he come out boldly, taken a decided stand and carried out immediately what he *seemingly* promised, he would to day have, to a great extent, obliterated the stain, which must rest upon his administration, of fraudulently accepting power; but hesitancy is ruin to him, and should he prove false in this instance, his opportunity will have been lost, and in a little time he will not only have forfeited what of confidence the people were willing to bestow, but the respect of even the right-thinking of his own party. It was feared from the first that ultra radical counsels would prevail with him, and there are those who already predict that the present Cabinet cannot hold together. How this may be, the near future will more fully develop, but it would seem reasonable that he who would accept a position under the circumstances would be apt to "stick," so strong is the desire for *place* in these degenerate days. Men who make their beds with the rulers now must be content to lie in them, though they may not prove to be beds of roses, and the odors may be offensive in the nostrils of the more consistent.

The Civil Service reforms, so far as promulgated, mean, in plain English, the retention in office of the present incumbents, with a notice to members of the opposition, in Congress, that none such need apply.

The appointment of a "commission" to go South calls up the spectre of the "Electoral Commission," and sends a "thrill of horror" through the democratic body politic. The other side may cry "down," but the ghost will not be allayed, and it still struts forth with all its ghastly wounds, bleeding afresh at the mere mention of commission.

2 p. m.—The Cabinet is in session again to-day, engaged, it is said, upon the question of an extra session of Congress, though the Southern question will, of course, be further discussed. Whether a conclusion upon this latter will be reached is problematical.

Numerous telegrams from prominent persons in New Orleans, Charleston, and other Southern cities have been received at the Executive Mansion, and by individuals in this city, appealing for early information as to the decision to be reached by the Administration in respect to its policy in Louisiana and South Carolina, and in which the whole South is so intensely interested.

Fred Douglass, with a colored delegation, were at the White House to-day to pay their respects to the President, and a delegation of Irish citizens are in the ante room of the Executive Mansion patiently awaiting the adjournment of the Cabinet meeting, in order that they may present their views to the President with regard to the representation of their race in the administration of national affairs.

3 p. m.—The Cabinet has taken a recess to allow the Secretaries to attend to office business and for lunch. It was decided at the meeting to send a commission of prominent public men, headed probably by Wheeler, to Louisiana, to investigate matters there before the Executive takes action in the affairs of that State.

A decision may be reached to-day with regard to South Carolina, and there seems to be an impression that the decision will be directly in favor of the Hampton government.

There is a great diversity of opinion as to the future policy of the Administration. The sanguine insist that the troops will be withdrawn from the State House, at New Orleans, while the skeptical are of opinion that the South is again doomed to disappointment.

The delay in reaching a conclusion is certainly ominous and portends rather evil, while a refusal to withdraw the troops may, it is thought, dissolve the Cabinet.

The South Carolina carpet-baggers, who have their representatives here watching their interests are very anxious and uneasy. A deputation is waiting to see the President to present additional evidence but it is evident the Cabinet does not desire to hear further argument. It seems to be definitely settled that an extra session of Congress will be called for the 4th of June, such a decision it is said having been reached to-day and it is not improbable that the Executive proclamation will be issued to-morrow. S.

CABINET MEETING.

WASHINGTON, March 21, 1877.—There was another Cabinet meeting at the Executive Mansion this morning, and the subject of Louisiana was under discussion in the light of some reports brought in by members of the Cabinet. A full statement of these facts was not before the Cabinet meeting of yesterday, and hence the adjournment.

LATER.

The Cabinet has adjourned until to night.

It has decided to send a commission to Louisiana, headed by Vice President Wheeler, with a view of securing a peaceful solution of all difficulties, and the full recognition of the will of the majority of that State.

It is understood that the Nichols Government will be fully recognized, and that arrangements will be made to secure the peaceable withdrawal of Packard.

THE KILBOURNE CASE.

The Supreme Court of the District of Columbia held a session this morning and decided that in the case of Hallet Kilbourne vs. Kerr et al. that the House of Representatives had the power to order his imprisonment for contempt in not producing to a committee of Congress the books of the real estate pool. The suit of Kilbourne for damages was dismissed.

VIRGINIA POSTAL MATTERS.

It has been determined that for a few days no action will be taken in the pending cases in relation to postoffices in Virginia until all the facts can be ascertained, and the service adjusted to suit the policy of the new Administration.

A Washington dispatch says:—"The President has concluded to re appoint Marshal Fiske in the southern district of New York, in the place of Mr. Payne, whose nomination for this position was sent to the Senate and confirmed a few days before the expiration of the last Congress."

Miss E. L. Van Lew, the Federal spy, will be re-appointed Postmistress of Richmond.

The friends of Col. Mosby are working earnestly to have him appointed assistant to the Attorney General. His claims are approved by some of the leading republicans, and his character certified by such democrats as the two U. S. Senators from his State and Judge Robertson. It is thought that he will receive the appointment, as both Gen. Grant and President Hayes want him to have something.

A strong effort is being made to have Collector Richards, of the 2nd District of Virginia, removed.

Telegraphic Summary.

The Russian fleet, consisting of the flagship Svetland and steamers Bogatyr and Askold, sailed from Hampton Roads, at nine o'clock this morning, for New York.

The Connecticut House yesterday passed the new election law over the Governor's veto, but sustained his veto of the bill giving mileage to members of the Assembly.

Two children were accidentally poisoned yesterday by one Archambault, a hotel keeper at Point au Trembles, near Montreal They died almost immediately.

In the New York State Senate to-day the vote by which the act allowing women to hold office on school boards was lost, was reconsidered and the bill was passed.

The General Assembly of Ohio, in joint session, to-day, declared Stanley Mathews duly elected Senator from Ohio to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of John Sherman.

John Scott, of Rockdale, Pa., this morning, set his bed on fire while smoking a pipe, and died from suffocation before assistance arrived.

A dispatch from Pottsville, Pa., says John Lindermuth, of New Castle, who has been missing since the tenth instant, was found yesterday frozen to death at Floweryfield.

The Pennsylvania Legislature met in joint convention to-day, and it was announced by the President of the Senate that J. D. Cameron had been duly elected to the U. S. Senate to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Simon Cameron.

While fire engine No. 22 was proceeding to a fire this morning, it collided with a street car at Third and Walnut streets, Philadelphia. Patrick King, the driver was thrown under the engine and instantly killed. He leaves a wife and three children.

Preparations are now in progress at Beaver City for the execution of John D. Lee, the chief murderer of the Mountain Meadow massacre. The prisoner is confined in the penitentiary at Beaver City, under charge of U. S. Marshal Nelson. Capt. McConihe's company of infantry arrived there yesterday afternoon from Salt Lake City and another company is expected soon.

Local Brevities.

There was no regular business transacted at the meeting of the Christian Association last night.

The managing owner of the schooner Robert Portner denies the report that fears are felt for her safety.

To-day was the vernal equinox, and well sustained the reputation of that period for a cloudy damp and disagreeable day.

The Richmond State notices that the Misses Withers, daughters of Senator Withers, are in that city as the guests of Colonel J. G. Spott.

The American Coal Company will commence loading boats at Cumberland immediately and expect arrivals at this port by the middle of next week.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to Edward A. Butts of this city and Sallie A. C. Bartlett; and to H. L. Padgett and Rachael M. McColium, of Charles county, Md,

Maj R. W. Hunter, of the Winchester Times, is in Washington on business. Major Hunter was clerk to the Louisiana Committee of the last House of Representatives, and well and faithfully performed his duties.

Charles E. Stewart esq, Attorney for the Corporation, addressed the Legislative Committee, having the matter in charge, yesterday, at Richmond, in favor of the bill to provide for the sale of the old Court House, on Columbus street, in this city. The committee will take action on the matter to-morrow.

TOBACCOS IN STORE.

20 boxes genuine B. F. Gravelay's.
50 boxes 3 oz. Twist, Danville
25 boxes do., stock 1874, prince Danville.
40 boxes 4 oz. do.
40 boxes 11 inch Plug Rich. and Danville
Pancake, Pocket Pieces, Pig Tail, Natural Bright, Black Navy and other brands. Very low to the trade. JOHN A. FIELD,
feb 21 71 King street.

NOTICE! NOTICE!
HARRIS' BLACK SEAMLESS
HARRIS' BLACK SEAMLESS
KID GLOVES!
KID GLOVES!
I have this day opened a full line of the above in two buttons, all sizes, at
feb 17 C. C. BERRY'S.

LISLE GREEN! LISLE GREEN!—I have just received a fresh supply of the above Green. It is acknowledged by practical painters to cover more surface and to be as brilliant and lasting as any other Green now in the market. Call and examine at
W. F. CREIGHTON'S,
mh 13 85 King street.

CEMENT! CEMENT!
ROUND TOP!
Having been appointed agent for the celebrated ROUND TOP CEMENT, I am prepared to fill all orders with dispatch at lowest market rates
jy 27 W. A. SMOOT

GOOD CHEAP TEAS—More of those nice fifty cent Japan, Gunpowder and Oolong Teas which have given such general satisfaction received and for sale by
feb 16 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

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

FLOUR—Best brands Family, Extra and Superfine Flour for sale at prices prevailing before the late advance.
dec 18 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

ANOTHER INVOICE OF RAISINS, Currants, Citron and other Christmas goods just received by
dec 22 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

BRIGG'S FLOWER SEED—I have this day received a small supply of the above choice Flower Seed. Call early so as to make selection
feb 15 W. F. CREIGHTON, 85 King st.

ALKETHREPTA and Baker's Premium Chocolate for sale by
jan 31 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

EIGHT BBLS PRIME WHITE BEANS just received by
jan 11 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

NEW YORK and VIRGINIA APPLES for sale by
nov 26 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

BEST No. 1 and 2 MACKEREL just received by
dec 3 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

PIN HEAD OATES GRITS, fresh and the best quality, just received and for sale by
mh 1 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

TRY IT.—We can recommend our readers to use EDWARDS & HUTCHISON'S LINIMENT. There is nothing better for Rheumatism, Sprains, Bruises, Frostbites, and Chilblains; also equally good for injuries in horses. Try it, and you will find it does all we claim.
feb 20—eo3m

A CARD.—To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D, Bible House, New York city. feb 6—eo&w6m

TEETH, if not kept clean, soon decay. Young people, remember this. Use daily THURSTON'S IVORY PEARL TOOTH POWDER. It will preserve them through life. Sold by druggists. 25c per bottle. feb 28-1y

HARD TIMES demand economy. Practice it. Renovate your soiled Gloves with JOUVEN'S INODORLESS KID GLOVE CLEANER. It will cleanse them thoroughly. Sold by druggists. 25 cents per bottle.

GREAT UPROAR ABOUT CLOTHING.—The largest stock of Overcoats and Suits bought at bankrupt sale to close out. Good Overcoats from $2.50 upwards, including the very best of imported Chinchillas, Beavers, Kerseys, &c. Gents' Cassimere Suits, consisting of Coat, Pants and Vest, at $4.50; all wool Suits at $6.50 and upwards, including the finest imported materials; excellent Children's Suits, 3 years, $1.25; 4 years $1.75; 5 years $2.25; 6 years $2.75 and upwards. They must be sold quick at
S. DEALHAM'S,
dec 8 80 King street.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

1877 SPRING TRADE. 1877
W. B. WADDEY,
BOOTS AND SHOES
74 KING STREET,
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.
The largest and best selected stock of Boots and Shoes ever offered in this market. The especial attention of the trade is invited to our stock of
LADIES', GENTS', MISSES', YOUTH'S, CHILDREN'S and INFANTS' WEAR,
comprising all of the varieties and new styles, from the heavy Brogan to the most delicate Slipper—made to order, and of the very best material.
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.
In the RETAIL DEPARTMENT we have all of the latest styles of Ladies', Gents', Misses' and Children's Boots, Shoes, Gaiters and Slippers, finished in the most elegant style, and warranted durable.
Our Word is Our Bond—Any goods we sell with a verbal guarantee for certain service, such as not to rip, etc., in a given time, will be mended free of charge if found not to stand as represented.
mh 20 W. B. WADDEY.

BOOTS & SHOES.
We, the undersigned, respectfully solicit your examination of our
New Spring and Summer Stock,
Before you spend a dollar elsewhere in our line, and earnestly believe, if you will remember this invitation and call and see us, it will be money in your pockets and good fits on your feet.
WADDEY'S,
74 KING STREET,
mh 12 ALEXANDRIA, VA.

FISH, OYSTERS, &c.

WM. H. SMITH & CO.,
Dealers in
FRESH AND SALTED FISH,
Corporation Fish Wharf,
Alexandria, Virginia,
Would inform dealers and others that they are prepared to furnish them with all kinds of
POTOMAC FISH
at the lowest possible prices. We would call the attention of buyers to the fact that our brand has stood No. 1 in market at all times, and we intend to sustain our reputation in that respect.
All orders addressed to W. H. Smith & Co., Alexandria, Va., will receive prompt attention.
mh 15—3m

J. G. GRIMES & CO.,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
FRESH AND SALTED FISH,
Stands—Fish wharf and Market Building.
feb 23—3m

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

ICE CREAM & CONFECTIONERY.

125 KING STREET. 125
MILK DEPOT.
RECEIVED DAILY FROM JNO. MASON'S DAIRY.
New Milk 7c per quart; skimmed 4c; Sour Cake 10c per quart.
Ice Cream 35c per quart; Frozen Custard 25c per quart, or in ice, and sent to all parts of the city; Ice Cream per gallon $1.50; Frozen Custard $1.10.
I return my thanks to my friends and a generous public for their liberal patronage, hoping by strict attention to business to merit a continuation of the same.
J. S. FORCE, No. 125 King st.,
jan 30-3m Alexandria, Virginia.

AVERILL CHEMICAL PAINTS, ready for immediate application, and of all colors and shades, in gallon cans, kegs or by the barrel. A full supply just received. Also GLINE'S ROOF PAINT, a most valuable article for painting roofs of all kinds. Both of the above for sale at New York prices by
mh 16 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

COXE'S and NELSON'S GELATINE received to-day by
mh 20 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

DRY GOODS.

PRETZFELDER & COMPY.
Are now opening
NOVELTIES IN SPRING GOODS,
and would name in part—
Dolman Cloths, new styles and colorings, with Fringes to match.
Newest Fabrics in imported Dress Goods, in entirely new shades.
Cassimeres, Worsteds, Diagonals, Meltons, 6-4 Cloths, &c., in large variety; newest designs at unusually attractive prices.
Spring shades of Kid Gloves, in two buttons, at $1. Every pair warranted
PRETZFELDER & CO.,
Ludwell Baldwin. } No. 144 King street.
B. P. Taylor. } [mh 17]

PUBLIC INVITATION!
FIRST OPENING OF SPRING GOODS
AT
ISAAC EICHBERG'S,
(Successor to Slaymaker Co.)
Just received and ready for inspection an entire and complete stock of Bleached and Unbleached Muslins, in all the popular brands.
Sheetings in all widths, both Linen and Cotton.
Pillow Case Muslins and Linens, 45 inches.
Table Damasks in all grades up to the finest; also White Linen, Unbleached and Colored Damasks.
Towels, an elegant assortment, in Huckebac, Damask and all other grades and sizes.
Embroideries, the newest designs, in Insertings, Edgings and Ruffings.
Gloves, in Lisle, Silk and Kid; every pair warranted.
An entire new line of Ladies' Linen Collars and Cuffs, plain, embroidered and in sets to match.
A beautiful and complete line of Napkin, tea and dinner, in Linen and Damask, with handsome colored borders.
500 pieces of Calicoes, the very latest and newest designs, just out.
A beautiful line of Cambrics, Jackonets, Swisses and Victoria Lawns, in all grades.
A complete line of Black Dress Goods, in Cashmeres, Tamises, all wool DeLaines, Alpacas and Bombazines.
Heavy elegant and best makes of Crape, Tissue and Berege Veils, in black and all leading shades.
The above mentioned articles have been carefully selected and bought from the very best houses at the very lowest cash rates, and are all marked at exceedingly low prices, to which I most respectfully call the attention of the most fastidious and closest observers. Respectfully,
ISAAC EICHBERG,
mh 12 Successor to Slaymaker Co.

WM. N. BERKLEY & SON,
intending to make a
CHANGE IN THEIR BUSINESS,
Will sell
ALL WOOLEN GOODS AT COST.
They have recently received many desirable
DOMESTIC GOODS,
which are being sold at greatly reduced prices.
Call early and examine. mh 8

SPECIALTIES
AT THE
GREAT COMBINATION STORE,
(Muir's Corner.)
Yard wide Ginghams 7c a yard.
12 yard Table Cloth 12½c a yard.
Black Superfine Percales 10c a yard.
Elegant Satinets, in various styles, 20c a yard.
Yard wide White Flannel 15c a yard.
Do. all wool 20c a yard.
Four elegant patterns of Carpets 20c a yard.
Gents' Black Hats, worth $2 50, $1 a piece.
White Gloves 6c a pair.
Misses' and Ladies' Gloves at 5c a pair.
Corset Stays, fine, 8c a pair.
Superfine Silk and Lisle Gloves 25c.
A lot of Edging (Cambric) 7c a yard.
A new line of Shoes and Slippers, just from auction headquarters, cheaper than ever.
Also 2000 Frames, all sizes, for mottoes and pictures, from 10c to 20c—a real bargain.
Call or send for samples or price list.
mh 6 H. SCHWARZ, Manager.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!
March 5th, 1877.
New line of CASSIMERES for men and boys' wear, very cheap.
1000 yards of FINE IRISH LINEN, in remnants, at half price.
Auction lot of FINE HAMBURG EDGING from 4c up.
KID GLOVES in all shades; every pair guaranteed
Also a complete line of TAILOR'S TRIMMINGS, &c.
D. BENDHEIM, 112 King st.,
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HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS.

SHERWOOD HOUSE,
Corner Fayette and Harrison sts.,
BALTIMORE, MD.
EUROPEAN PLAN.
HENDRICKS & BARNUM,
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WANTS.

WANTED—A COOK and NURSE, settled and well recommended. None but such need apply. Apply to 77 High st., Georgetown, D. C. mh 8

WE CALL attention to our stock of Ready Mixed PAINT, put up in one gallon cans; any color desired. Call or send for sample card of colors.
mh 17 B. F. PEAKE & CO.

RECEIVED this day a large stock of Doors, Sash, Blinds, Builders' Hardware, Leads, Oils, &c., to which we call especial attention.
mh 17 B. F. PEAKE & CO.

WHITE WASH BRUSHES, Shoe Brushes, Dust Brushes and Paint Brushes received this day and for sale at prices to suit the times.
mh 17 B. F. PEAKE & CO.

GARDEN RAKES, Hoes, Spades, Shovels, &c., received this day.
mh 17 B. F. PEAKE & CO.

ANYTHING you may need in the building line can be had of
mh 17 B. F. PEAKE & CO.

DRY GOODS.

DRY GOODS! DRY GOODS!
OPENING SPRING TRADE.
DRY GOODS AT POPULAR PRICES.
Wednesday, March 7, 1877.
SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS.
We are receiving a great many New Goods to-day, and invite an early examination.
D. F. BRASHEAR,
No. 109 King street,
mh 7 Alexandria, Virginia.

NEW GOODS.
Just received direct from New York a very handsome line of
BLACK GRO. GRAIN SILKS.
These goods are very handsome and cheap. Parties in want of Black Silks will find it to pay them to look at them. They range in price from $1 50 to $2 50 per yard.
Very handsome Navy Blue and Invisible Green do.
Pin Stripe do. for the Spring sales.
Black Cashmeres, Tamise Cloth and other Mourning Goods.
A fine stock of Cashmere Long Shawls; square ditto.
Black Crape Veils.
Best Black Kid Gloves, Prints, Bleached Goods, Lonsdale Cambrics, Alpacas very cheap, with other Dress Goods.
mh 3 J. M. STEWART.

GROCERIES AND LIQUORS.

REDUCTION IN PRICES OF CHOICE FAMILY BACON.
40,000 LBS EXTRA BACON,
my own curing, put up with great care, for sale at the following
REDUCED PRICES:
Sugar cured HAMS 14c.
" BREAST PIECES 12½c.
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