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EDUCATIONAL.

VIRGINIA AGRICULTURAL MECHANICAL COLLEGE.

The next half session begins the TWENTY-FOURTH OF FEBRUARY. Expenses vary from \$15 a month for furnished rooms and table board to \$7 in messes, with room rent free. For appointments or catalogues apply to C. L. C. MINOR, President, jan 15-1m Blacksburg, Virginia.

DRY GOODS.

FULL MOURNING GOODS. Tuesday, January 22, 1878. We have in store a choice assortment of FULL MOURNING GOODS, viz: Henrietta Cloths, Colons Cloths, Mourning Alpaca, Austrian Crapes, French Merinos, French Cashmeres, &c., all of which will be sold at prices as low as the same quality can be purchased in any market. D. F. BRASHEAR, No. 109 King street, Alexandria, Va. jan 22

WE HAVE BOUGHT THE BALANCE OF AN IMPORTER'S STOCK OF

KID GLOVES

at a GREAT SACRIFICE, and are selling elegant three buttons at 75c; worth fully \$1.25. We have just received a large line of HAMBURG EDGINGS and INSERTINGS. PRETZELDER & CO. jan 21

CLOSING OUTSALE

Previous to taking stock, of CLOAKS, SILK AND DRESS GOODS, CLOTHS AND CASSIMERES, FLANNELS AND BLANKETS, LINEN AND COTTON GOODS, GLOVES, HOSIERY, &c., AT A REDUCTION OF FROM TEN TO TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT. Also soiled ODDS AND ENDS OF WHITE GOODS, EMBROIDERIES AND DOMESTIC GOODS, of all kinds, VERY LOW. Pretzfelder & Company, jan 11 144 KING STREET.

INVENTORY

January 11th, 1878. Great inducements offered in all styles of Fall and Winter Goods. Blankets, Flannels, Shawls, Cloaks, Combs, Kerseys, &c., &c., at very low prices, in order to reduce stock and make room for spring and summer supplies. Our stock is large and must be reduced. D. F. BRASHEAR, No. 109 King street, Alexandria, Va. jan 11

MORE NEW GOODS FOR DECEMBER SALES

Tuesday, December 18, 1877. Opening fashionable Cloaks to-day; choice Dress Goods at low prices; beautiful Calicoes, new styles; Blankets and Flannels, a choice stock; Ladies' Neckties, very pretty. Our sales to country merchants larger than ever before, and our stock full and complete and well adapted to their wants. Prices as low as Baltimore quotations. D. F. BRASHEAR, No. 109 King street, Alexandria, Va. dec 18

WINES AND LIQUORS.

Henry Englehardt's Lager Beer.

(Bottled for Family Use and Shipping.) The attention of the public is respectfully called to a very superior article of LAGER and WEISS BEER, brewed from the best Malt and Hops, with the greatest care for its purity, and put up in the most convenient style with patent stoppers. Invalids or delicate persons will derive much benefit from its use. Orders left at Louis Apich's restaurant will receive prompt attention. Country merchants and dealers supplied at lowest rates. Delivered to any part of the city. HENRY ENGLEHARDT, West End Brewery. my 5

FANCY GOODS.

English, French, German and American Perfumery, Lubin's, Pivo's and Palmetto's Extracts, Genuine Parfina Cologne, Orange Blossom Cologne, Violet Cologne and Sachet Powders of various odors; also Cologne and Perfumery Bottles of various styles, including the "Rustic Bottle," something new and very attractive. JANNET & CO. 79 & 145 King street. dec 14

TO THE TRADE.

JOHN A. FIELD, 71 King street. Is Agent for ALLEN & CO.'S RICHMOND GEM CIGARETTES and other goods; also FELGNER'S & SON'S HERB DE LA REINE CIGARETTES. Will sell them at FACTORY PRICES. Call in and see for yourself. ap 22

SKATES, in great variety, wholesale and retail, at 88 King street, the corner of Royal street. Call and see. MOUNTED DEXTER AND CENTRAL BRACKET SAWS—Extra Saw Blades by the dozen or gross and other Tools for amateur workmen—nice presents for Christmas. J. T. CREIGHTON & SON. dec 12

FANCY GOODS—Fancy Lunch Baskets, suitable for school children, Fruit Baskets, Cocoa Mats, various styles, Centennial do; very pretty, woolen bordered and lettered do; Infant and Toy Pails—all new and cheap. GEO. MCBURNEY & CO. dec 10

SAUSAGE OUTER AND STUFFERS

in great variety, at lower prices than ever before offered. Call and see at 88 King street corner of Royal. J. T. CREIGHTON & SON. nov 30

TURKIES and EGGS, fresh, English Plum Pudding, Cranberries, Cooking and best London Layer Raisins, Currants, Citron and other fine Groceries for Christmas, at lowest rates. J. C. & E. MILBURN. [dec 24]

AN ADDITIONAL SUPPLY OF FRESH NUTS, Citron, Raisins, &c. to meet the demand caused by quick sales at low prices, received this day by F. J. DAVIDSON, dec 21 147 King street.

GREYSER WATER!

Price 20 cents per bottle at WARFIELD & HALL'S, Corner Prince and Fairfax streets. dec 7

THE AMERICAN SKATE SHARPENER

is an ingenious invention with which any one can sharpen their own skates in a few moments. For sale by J. T. CREIGHTON & SON, 107 King street. jan 14

DRIBD FRUIT.

1000 lbs UNPEELED PEACHES. 2500 lbs APPLES. For sale by J. T. CREIGHTON & SON, 107 King street. jan 20-2w

DECKER'S UNIVERSAL BURGALAR ALARM;

cheap, simple and effective can be applied to any door or window without the use of tools. For sale by J. T. CREIGHTON & SON, 107 King street. feb 1

HAMBURG EDGINGS and INSERTINGS

—a large assortment just received at very low prices by FERGUSON & BROS., feb 1 93 King street.

HAVANA ORANGES—A choice lot of this

fruit just received by GEO. MCBURNEY & SON, feb 4 93 King street.

SMITH'S CRUSHED WHEAT just rec'd.

by J. C. & E. MILBURN. [dec 3]

FINANCIAL.

U. S. FOUR PER CENT FUNDED LOAN SUBSCRIPTIONS.

FIRST NAT'L BANK, ALEXANDRIA, VA., January 23d, 1878. To facilitate the public subscription for the U. S. FOUR PER CENT FUNDED LOAN, announced in the Treasury circular of the 10th inst., this Bank will furnish the coupon and Registered bonds in all denominations at par and accrued interest in coin, or the equivalent in currency, making immediate delivery, free of expense. The 4 per cent Consols are the only U. S. bonds, the issue of which has not been closed, and can therefore be furnished in denominations of a large premium. These bonds are redeemable after thirty years from July 1st, 1877, and carry interest at 4 per cent per annum, payable quarterly in coin, say 1 per cent on Jan. 1, Apr. 1, July 1, and Oct. 1, in each year. The coupon books are prepared in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500 and \$1,000. Registered stock, which is preferred for absolute security, is issued in the name of the owner in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000 \$5,000, \$10,000, and interest thereon is paid by check issued by the Treasurer of the U. S. to the order of the holder and mailed to his address. The stock is transferable only by assignment, and is thus guarded against loss by accident or theft. CHAS. R. HOOFF, Jan 25-1m Cashier.

BURKE & HERBERT

Dealers in GOLD, GOVERNMENT BONDS, LOCAL STOCKS, AND ALL FIRST-CLASS RAILROAD BONDS and other good investment securities, have for sale ALEXANDRIA CITY and VIRGINIA COUPONS receivable for taxes on ALEXANDRIA CORPORATION SIX PER CENT BONDS. Any information in regard to investment cheerfully given. my 21

FISH, OYSTERS, &c.

WM. H. SMITH, SAM'L SMITH, WILLIAM H. SMITH & CO., Dealers in PRODUCE, FISH AND OYSTERS. Nos. 18 N. Fairfax st. and 43 King street, Alexandria, Virginia. Having completed our arrangements for the produce, Oyster and Fish business, we are now prepared to do the trade with anything in our line at prices to suit. We will also receive fresh SALT WATER FISH three times a week, which will be offered for sale at No. 3, City Market, by Mr. J. G. GILMES. Orders will receive our special attention. D. F. BRASHEAR, No. 109 King street, Alexandria, Va. aug 1

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

HEADQUARTERS

HOUSEKEEPERS' GOODS.

Let all remember that MRS. S. K. SNIDER Had the largest and most select stock of HOUSEKEEPERS' GOODS in the city last year, and her stock this year is a great improvement over last. She also has a large assortment of beautiful and cheap Lamps and every variety of Housefurnishing Goods. All are invited to call at No. 6 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., and examine for themselves. dec 12

E. J. MILLER & CO.,

DEALERS IN CHINA, GLASS AND QUEENSWARE, 65 King street, Alexandria, Respectfully call the attention of the trade to their large and splendid selection of CHINA, GLASSWARE, &c., which they offer for sale at the LOWEST RATES. They also have in store a large assortment of LAMPS OF ALL KINDS, including all the latest patents and designs. A call is solicited. Orders from the country promptly filled. nov 29

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS, CUTLERY, PLATED, PLANISHED, STAMPED, JAPANESE, TIN, WOOD AND WILLOW WARE, (of every description.)

107 King street, Alexandria, Va. N. B.—All orders from the country promptly filled. ap 2-ly

PAPER HANGERS, &c.

J. P. POSS,

Paperhanger and Upholsterer,

Residence, No. 60 North Patrick st., Alexandria, Virginia. Making and laying carpets and oil cloths, trimming and hanging window shades and lace curtains. Paper hung at 10 cts. per roll. Persons wishing to have work done will please leave orders at my residence, or at Lunt & Davidson's Drug Store. Work executed with promptness, and satisfaction guaranteed. Orders for work in the country promptly attended to. jan 8-3m

PAPER HANGINGS AND INTERIOR DECORATIONS FOR 1877.

New and Beautiful Gold, Silver, Mica, Embossed, Plain, Fresco, Marble and Wood Imitations. New styles of Paper Hangings and Fresco Imitations for ceilings and side walls of private houses, public halls and churches, selected with great care from the best manufacturers. My experience for many years in this business enables me to give satisfaction and sell low. JOHN P. CLARKE, No. 168 King street. ap 19

MEDICINAL.

BUTLER'S BALSAMIC MIXTURE FOR FALLIBLE REMEDY.

Price one dollar per bottle. feb 28-ly

ARE YOU TROUBLED With Biliousness,

A Sick Headache, Vertigo, Constipation, Dyspepsia, etc., are you dull and languid, feeling pure and renew the blood; take QUIRK'S IRISH TEA, the great and cheap remedy; it will relieve you. Sold by Druggists; 25 cent per package, each making a quart of medicine. dec 27

YOUNG PEOPLE, Do pay attention to

your teeth. Neglect will ruin them. Clean them daily with HURSTON'S IVORY PEARL TOOTH POWDER, the most perfect dentifrice known. It will keep them through life white and sound; will harden the gums, sweeten the breath, and prevent toothache. Sold by all druggists; 25 cents per bottle. dec 27

JOUVEN'S INODOROUS KID GLOVE

CLEANER will quickly renovate soiled gloves; 25 cents per bottle. dec 27-ly

POCKET KNIVES and TABLE CUTLERY

at McLEAN & UHLER'S, 107 King street. dec 12

TURKISH PRUNES for sale by

GEO. MCBURNEY & SON jan 28

LEGAL NOTICES.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Prince William, January 14, 1878.

JOHN H. BUTLER and SUSAN, his wife, plaintiffs, against Wm. S. Pickett, Cecelia A. Pickett, Agnes Foley, Kneph F. Pickett and others, defendants. In Chancery. The object of this suit is to enforce the provisions of the will of Sanford W. Pickett, dec'd; and affidavits having been made that Kneph F. Pickett, one of the defendants in the above suit, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, he is required to appear here within one month after due publication hereof, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit. A copy—test: LUCIEN A. DAVIS, Clk. A. & O. E. Nicol, p. q. jan 28-4w

HAVING BEEN APPOINTED BY THE

Corporation Court of Alexandria city Receiver of the D. F. WITMER CO., alias the E. C. SLAYMAKER CO., all persons indebted to the said company are hereby notified to immediately settle the same, or I will be compelled to force the payment of the same. Myself or deputy are alone authorized to receipt bills due the company. N. T. LUCAS, S. T. Sergeant and Receiver. nov 17-4f

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

DAVY & HARMON,

GROCERS, FEED AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, CORNER PRINCE AND ROYAL STS., ALEXANDRIA, VA. feb 1

GROCERY AND COMMISSION HOUSE.

This Grocery and Commission business formerly conducted by Kelly & Carter, at No. 6 Cameron street, will be continued by the firm of KELLY & CARR. FIRST CLASS GROCERIES sold in quantities to suit purchasers. Consignments of GRAIN and COUNTRY PRODUCE disposed of at the best advantage. J. FRANK KELLY, J. W. CARR. All persons indebted to the old firm will please settle immediately. J. FRANK KELLY. nov 11-4f Alexandria, Sept. 29, 1877.

I WOULD INFORM MY FRIENDS AND

the public generally that I have this day made a business connection with the well known firm of HARLOW BROS., Grocers, Liquor, Feed and General Commission Merchants, N. W. corner Cameron and Royal streets, and would solicit a share of their patronage. F. G. SWAINE, sep 29-4f

HARLOW BROS.,

GROCERS, LIQUOR, FEED, AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, N. W. COR. CAMERON AND ROYAL STS. Liberal advances made on all consignments in store. sep 29-4f

THOMAS PERRY, Agent,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT, No. 17 King street, ALEXANDRIA, VA. Agent for the sale of ISAAC WENGER'S CELEBRATED FAMILY FLOUR. jan 18-4f

PHILIP B. HOOR,

NO. 2 PRINCE STREET GENERAL COMMISSION AND SHIPPING MERCHANT, Dealer in all kinds of FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC PLASTER, LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY. feb 5-4f

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. jy 2

B. LAWSON & CO.,

[Successors to R. M. LAWSON.] GROCERS AND LIQUOR MERCHANTS, No. 97 Cameron street, ALEXANDRIA, VA. aug 3

GEO. WASHINGTON, B. 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 21-4f

GENUINE RODGERS' SCISSORS,

four pairs of assorted size, in a Morocco case; a nice Christmas Present. Call and examine at 88 King street, corner of Royal. dec 19 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

ANOTHER LOT OF ENGLISH PLUM

PUDDING just received. This is undoubtedly the very best luxury for the season. GEO. MCBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street. dec 11

POROUS PLASTERS!

POROUS PLASTERS! POROUS PLASTERS! 15 and 20 cents at WARFIELD & HALL'S corner Prince and Fairfax sts. dec 11

TEAS AND COFFEES, a full line of all

kinds and qualities received this day and on sale at very low prices by F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King street. dec 7

TRY HILL & CO'S CUT ORANGE, BON

AND LINDJUN CAKES! Best cake ever offered to the family trade. For sale by GEO. MCBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street. jan 28

AXLE GREASE! AXLE GREASE!

100 cases of AXLE GREASE, in store and for sale in lots to suit the trade by McLEAN & UHLER, 107 King st. jan 18

CARRIAGE and BUGGY WHEELS, of

assorted sizes, made by H. Millette, of select materials, will be sold at very low prices, at 88 King st., corner of Royal, by J. T. CREIGHTON & SON. jan 16

FRESH SUPPLY OF ZEPHYR WORST-

EDS, split and single, in all shades, white and black, 10 cents per ounce; colored, 12 cents a pound. FERGUSON & BROS. 96 King st. jan 8

CHOICE HAMS, Sugar cured Shoulders

and Breakfast Bacon received and for sale very low by R. W. AVERY, 226 King st. jan 17

ANDERSON'S MINE MEAT—the best

made, for sale low by F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King street. dec 21

TRY OUR BEST GUNPOWDER TEA

choice to-day if you wish something reliable. J. C. & E. MILBURN. jan 22

NEW CROP CAROLINA RICE just re-

ceived by G. W. RAMSAY dec 4

AUCTION SALES.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE VILLAGE PROPERTY AND OTHER REAL ESTATE—Pursuant to the order of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, rendered at June term, 1876, in the suit of Stephenson vs. Stephenson, the undersigned, as special commissioner named in said decree, will, on MONDAY, the 21st day of January, 1878, Court day, at 1 o'clock P. M., in front of the Court House door of said county, sell to the highest bidder the real estate of which the late Abner Stephenson died seized, lying and being in said county. This property embraces that VALUABLE FARM wherewith Mrs. Stephenson and her residuary legatees occupied the county road leading to the Little Falls bridge, and about half a mile west of the village of Langley, and contains 63 acres and 10 poles. This property is improved by a comfortable FRAME DWELLING, with the usual outbuildings, and is situated in a desirable neighborhood, and is very desirable. Also that well known property, situated in the town of Providence, (Court House) on the southeast corner of Main and Paine streets, containing the DWELLING lately occupied by Mrs. C. T. LUCAS, and a STOREHOUSE occupied by Job Hawkhurst, bar room by Dallas Powell, and the several rooms over the store named, occupied by a Masons' Lodge. As a business stand this is regarded as the best in the village. Terms of Sale—One tenth of the purchase money to be required in hand as a deposit, the balance to be paid in three equal annual payments, to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with good personal security, and retention of title until the last payment is made. THOMAS MOORE, Commissioner of Sale. dec 20-4w

THE ABOVE SALE IS POSTPONED UNTIL

the 18th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1878, (Court day) when it will take place at the same hour and place. THOS. MOORE, Comm'r. Fairfax county, jan 23-4w

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT DRANESVILLE—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, rendered at the November term, 1877, in the suit of Creighton vs. John B. Farr's heirs, the undersigned, special commissioner, named in said decree, will, on MONDAY, the 21st day of January, 1878, in front of the Court House door of said county, at noon of said day, sell to the highest bidder by public sale all the REAL ESTATE of which John B. Farr died seized, except the widow's dower. This land will be sold in small lots, of 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80, 90, 100, 120, 150, 200, 250, 300, 400, 500, 600, 700, 800, 900, 1000, 1200, 1500, 2000, 2500, 3000, 4000, 5000, 6000, 7000, 8000, 9000, 10000, 12000, 15000, 20000, 25000, 30000, 40000, 50000, 60000, 70000, 80000, 90000, 100000, 120000, 150000, 200000, 250000, 300000, 400000, 500000, 600000, 700000, 800000, 900000, 1000000, 1200000, 1500000, 2000000, 2500000, 3000000, 4000000, 5000000, 6000000, 7000000, 8000000, 9000000, 10000000, 12000000, 15000000, 20000000, 25000000, 30000000, 40000000, 50000000, 60000000, 70000000, 80000000, 90000000, 100000000, 120000000, 150000000, 200000000, 250000000, 300000000, 400000000, 500000000, 600000000, 700000000, 800000000, 900000000, 1000000000, 1200000000, 1500000000, 2000000000, 2500000000, 3000000000, 4000000000, 5000000000, 6000000000, 7000000000, 8000000000, 9000000000, 10000000000, 12000000000, 15000000000, 20000000000, 25000000000, 30000000000, 40000000000, 50000000000, 60000000000, 70000000000, 80000000000, 90000000000, 100000000000, 120000000000, 150000000000, 200000000000, 250000000000, 300000000000, 400000000000, 500000000000, 600000000000, 700000000000, 800000000000, 900000000000, 1000000000000, 1200000000000, 1500000000000, 2000000000000, 2500000000000, 3000000000000, 4000000000000, 5000000000000, 6000000000000, 7000000000000, 8000000000000, 9000000000000, 10000000000000, 12000000000000, 15000000000000, 20000000000000, 25000000000000, 30000000000000, 40000000000000, 50000000000000, 60000000000000, 70000000000000, 80000000000000, 90000000000000, 100000000000000, 120000000000000, 150000000000000, 200000000000000, 250000000000000, 300000000000000, 400000000000000, 500000000000000, 600000000000000, 700000000000000, 800000000000000, 900000000000000, 1000000000000000, 1200000000000000, 1500000000000000, 2000000000000000, 2500000000000000, 3000000000000000, 4000000000000000, 5000000000000000, 6000000000000000, 7000000000000000, 8000000000000000, 9000000000000000, 10000000000000000, 12000000000000000, 15000000000000000, 20000000000000000, 25000000000000000, 30000000000000000, 40000000000000000, 50000000000000000, 60000000000000000, 70000000000000000, 80000000000000000, 90000000000000000, 100000000000000000, 120000000000000000, 150000000000000000, 200000000000000000, 250000000000000000, 300000000000000000, 400000000000000000, 500000000000000000, 600000000000000000, 700000000000000000, 800000000000000000, 900000000000000000, 1000000000000000000, 1200000000000000000, 1500000000000000000, 2000000000000000000, 2500000000000000000, 300000000000000