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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA, to wit:—In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, February 1878.

John J. Shipman vs. William Fletcher } In ch'y. and on attachment.

Memo. The object of this suit is to attach a tract of land in the county of Fairfax, State of Virginia, containing 258 acres, known as "Sharon," or the Jones farm, and particularly described in a deed from Thomas Moore, commissioner, to the said defendant, and to subject the said land to the payment of a debt due to the said plaintiff from the said defendant for the sum of $16,000, with interest thereon from the 1st day of January, 1876, and the costs of this proceeding.

It appearing by affidavit filed that the said defendant is a non resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he appear within one month after due publication hereof, and do what is necessary to protect his interest. A copy: test:

F. D. RICHARDSON, Clerk.

Beach and Moore, p. q. feb 20-w4w

VIRGINIA, to wit: In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, February 16th, 1878.

Mark N. Garton and Mary C., his wife, complainant, versus Metrah Makely, in his own right, and as administrator of Jacob D. Makely. Purdy Makely, Leander Makely, Wesely Makely and Albert Makely, defendants. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a partition of the real estate of which Jacob D. Makely died seized, and a settlement of the accounts of Metrah Makely, his administrator, and an account of the rents and profits.

It appearing by affidavit filed that the said Metrah Makely, one of the above mentioned defendants, is a non resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he appear within one month after due publication hereof, and do what is necessary to protect his interest. A copy: teste.

F. D. RICHARDSON, Clerk.

Beach & Moore, p. q. feb 19-w4w

VIRGINIA—At Rules held in the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 6th of February, 1878.

John Thornton and Lucinda Thornton, his wife, plaintiffs, against Elias Cole, John Bell and Margaret Bell, his wife, Thomas Grayson and Sarah Grayson, his wife, defendants.

Memo: The object of this suit is to have the estate of Thomas Cole, deceased, divided amongst his heirs at law

The defendants, John Bell and Margaret Bell, his wife, and Thomas Grayson and Sarah Grayson his wife, not having entered their appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that they are not residents of this State, it is ordered that the said defendants appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city. A copy, test:

MORTON MARYE, Clerk.

John M. Johnson, p. q. feb 14-w4w

VIRGINIA—At Rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, on the 6th day of February, 1878.

Henry W. Febrey, administrator with the will annexed of Richard Southern, deceased, plaintiff, against William Shreve, Mary Shreve, Benjamin W. Donaldson, Thomas S. Donaldson, Joseph Hirst, Susan T. Hirst and Louis K. Payne, guardian ad litem of Bessie Shreve, Georgie Shreve and Richard Shreve, infants, defendants. In chancery.

The object of this suit is to obtain from the Circuit Court of Alexandria county a construction of the last will and testament of Richard Southern, deceased, and whether or not the debt due Reading should be paid out of the personal assets of the testator's estate, what constitutes the balance of the proceeds of the purchase money of the land sold to Veitch, to which the said infant defendants are entitled, and any other question arising in the construction of said will.

The defendant, Benj. W. Donaldson, not having entered his appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that he is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that the said defendant appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy, test:

LOUIS E. PAYNE, Clerk.

F. L. Smith & Son, p. q. feb 9-w4w

VIRGINIA, to wit: In the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, February Rules, 1878.

Beall & Shoemaker against The Fairfax and Georgetown Turnpike Company, M. J. Adler, John L. Boyer, H. W. Brewer, F. L. Moore, R. A. Philips, W. D. Shepherd, Wm. H. Keener, Caroline S. Dulin, Alex. F. Dulin, H. W. Reid and others, defendants. In chancery.

Mem: The object of this suit is to collect two judgments recovered by the complainants against the defendant, The Fairfax and Georgetown Turnpike Company, in the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, the one recovered on the 8th day of November, 1875, for the sum of $299, with interest thereon from the 11th day of September, 1869, and $12 71 costs; and the other on the 12th day of June, 1876, for the sum of $828 10, with interest thereon from the 22d day of September, 1869, and $13 71 costs; to hold the other defendants and all the other stockholders of the said company, when discovered, personally liable so far as may be necessary to the amounts of their unpaid subscriptions to the stock of said company, respectively, and to subject them to the payment of the same, and to subject the property conveyed by William Y. Dulin to William H. Keener for the benefit of Caroline S. Dulin, wife of Alexander F. Dulin, by deed of the 18th day of May, 1870, and recorded in Fairfax County Court, in liber L, No. 4, folio 300 and 301, to the payment of the unpaid subscription upon the stock of said company by said Wm. Y. Dulin, amounting to $2,500 and upwards.

It appearing by affidavit filed that the above named defendants, with the exception of The Fairfax and Georgetown Turnpike Company, are non residents of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that they appear within one month after due publication hereof, and do what is necessary to protect their interests. A copy—testo:

F. D. RICHARDSON, Clerk.

F. L. Smith & Son, p. q. feb 8-w4w

VIRGINIA, to wit: In the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, February Rules, 1878.

Thomas J. Rowens, Heaze Thompson, Charles Rathell and A. W. Neale against O. A. Boon, William Dulin, Julia A. Dulin and John F. Kelly, defendants. In chancery.

Mem: The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the sale of the tract of land in the bill mentioned to pay plaintiffs the amount which may be due them.

It appearing by affidavit filed that the said defendants are non residents of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that they appear within one month after due publication hereof, and do what is necessary to protect their interests.

A copy—teste:

F. D. RICHARDSON, Clerk.

Kent & Neale, p. q. feb 8-w4w

HAVING BEEN APPOINTED BY THE Corporation Court of Alexandria city Receiver of the D. F. WITMER CO., alias the H. 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. R. T. LUCAS,

nov 17-tf Sergeant and Receiver.

SMALL SUGAR CURED HAMS AND SHOULDERS received to-day for sale very low by

jan 17 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

SILK VELVET FRAMES, for card and cabinet size pictures, for sale by

FERGUSON & BRO.,

feb 1 96 King street.

LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA—At Rules held in the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 4th day of February, 1878.

Madison Carpenter vs. The Singer Manufacturing Company and another. In chancery and attachment.

Memo. The object of this suit is to recover of the defendant, The Singer Manufacturing Company, the sum of fifty-one dollars, and to attach and subject to the payment of the same the estate or debts due said defendant in this city.

The defendant, The Singer Manufacturing Company, not having entered its appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that it is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that the said defendant appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect its interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

F. L. Smith, jr., p. q. feb 26-w4w

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SAFETY LAMPS

NON-EXPLOSIVE.

WARRANTED PERFECTLY SAFE FROM EXPLOSION.

Call and examine them.

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CHINA, GLASS AND QUEENSWARE,

65 King street, Alexandria,

Respectfully call the attention of the trade to their large and splendid selection of

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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.

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HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS, CUTLERY, PLATED, PLANISHED, STAMPED. JAPANED, TIN, WOOD AND WILLOW WARES,

(of every description.)

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J. FERGUSON & BRO.

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Ladies', Gents' and Children's Merino Underwear and Hosiery.

Dress Trimmings, in Silk and Worsted Fringes, Galloons, Buttons, &c.

Toilet Articles—Hair, Tooth and Nail Brushes, Neck Puff, Side and High Combs, Soaps and Perfumery.

Ladies' Collars, Cuffs, Ruchings, Ruffllings, Ties, Lace Scarfs, Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs and Kid Gloves.

Worsteds, Germantown Wool, Shetland Wool and Floss, Saxony and German Knitting Yarns, in all colors, and Embroidery Canvases.

HOOP SKIRTS & BUSTLES.

All styles on hand and made to order at short notice.

We have also a large stock of Hair Braids, Curls, Puffs, &c., to which we invite your attention.

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oct 13 96 King street.

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I have just returned from the North with a full line of the following goods: Ladies' and Children's Hosiery from 12½c to 50c a pair; Kid Gloves from 75c to $1 75 per pair; Handkerchiefs at all prices; Zephyr Worsted, white 10c, colored 14c per oz; Ladies' Embroidered Collars 15c; a large line of Lace Collars for children; Corsets from 50c up; Yarn, Navy Blue, Seal, Brown, and all the plain colors; Merino Vests and Pants of all sizes; Card Board Silver Paper Pictures in great variety; Motto Pocket Books; Steel Purses, new style; Lace and Silk Scarfs; Crepe Lesse; all kinds of Ruffling very low; Buttons, Fringes and Black Velvet on the bias; also Velvet Ribbons and everything in my line as low as can be sold in this or any other city. Call and see for yourselves at

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Agent for SINGER'S SEWING MACHINES.

sep 24

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Ladies' & Gents' Furn'g. Goods.

LADIES' DEPARTMENT.

Kid Gloves, Hosiery, Underwear, Corsets, Scarfs, Collars and Cuffs, Handkerchiefs, &c.

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Kid Gloves, Collars and Cuffs, Hosiery, Shirts, Handkerchiefs, Underwear, Scarfs, Ties and Bows, &c.

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Cotton, Pins, Needles, Thread, Buttons, Edgings, Zephyr Worsted, Shetland Wool, Germantown Wool, Saxony Yarns, &c.

nov 8 C. M. ADAMS, No. 92 King st.

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feb 19 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

WINDOW GLASS, Putty, Varnishes, Dye Woods, Grass Seeds, Castile Soap, Toilet Soaps, Cold Cream, Camphor Ice, Rose Lip Salve and Seaman's Prepared Dyes, for sale by

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15 CASES VALENCIA ORANGES, 25 boxes Messina do., and 20 boxes Messina Lemons, for sale low by

feb 20 G. WM. RAMSAY.

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BURKE & HERBERT,

Dealers in

GOLD, GOVERNMENT BONDS, LOCAL STOCKS, AND ALL FIRST-CLASS RAILROAD BONDS and other good investment securities, have for sale

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Any information in regard to investment cheerfully given. feb 12

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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

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AND

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FOR 1878.

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.

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We invite the attention of dealers and consumers to our large stock of CAREFULLY PREPARED COAL of the following varieties:

LYKEN'S VALLEY,

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WHITE ASH (free burning and hard) of steamer, broken, egg, stove and nut sizes.

Also GEORGE'S CREEK, CUMBERLAND and KANAWHA SPLINT, from West Virginia.

Making Coal a specialty, we aim to keep only the HIGHEST GRADES, and having two large Storage Yards, each variety is kept separate, and is especially prepared for family use.

Yards floored, and all Coal sent out WELL SCREENED AND FREE FROM IMPURITIES.

Dealers, families, public institutions and manufactories supplied at lowest market rates—per ton of 2240 lbs T. J. MEHAFFEY & CO.,

feb 1 Wharf and Yards foot of Queen st.

COAL! COAL

COAL!

On my wharf and to arrive during the season a full stock of

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CUMBERLAND and

WEST VIRGINIA COALS

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and well screned. I will be pleased to supply my friends and customers at lowest market price. Delivered at houses, cars or boats, per ton of 2240 lbs.

jo 7 W. A. SMOOT.

COAL! COAL!

For good CLEAN COAL go to T. J. MEHAFFEY & CO'S., wharf and yard foot of Queen street. sep 8

AGRICULTURAL AND INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION.

Alexandria, Feb. 4, 1878.

The subscribers to the Alexandria Agricultural and Industrial Association are requested to come forward at once and pay to the secretary one dollar per share on each share of stock taken, being the first monthly instalment. Any others who feel an interest in the enterprise and who have not taken stock are requested to give us their assistance. Our friends in the neighboring counties are especially invited to take stock in the association. The shares have been fixed at five dollars each, payable in instalments of one dollar per month.

feb 4-3m J. T. BECKHAM, Secretary.

AMERICAN OIL CABINET

FOR LUBRICATING, BURNING OILS, NAPTHA, SPIRITS TURPENTINE, &c.

The very best thing for the purpose yet invented; invaluable to retailers. Call and examine specimen Cabinet. F. A. REED,

Agent American Oil Cabinet Co.,

jan 10-tf Janney's wharf.

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250 bbls Medium Split HERRING.

80 " Large Shore Split do.

75 " Bay Island Herring.

50 " Nos. 2 and 3 MACKEREL.

20 half bbls No. 2 Mackerel.

Also quarter bbls and kits Nos. 1 and 2 Mackerel in store and for sale by

feb 8-1m N. LINDSAY & CO.

NEW GOODS.

Cambric Edging and Inserting very cheap.

Corsets at 50c; worth 75c.

Knitting Cottons, white and colored.

Two Button Kid Gloves at 75c.

feb 13 At C. C. BERRY'S, 72 King st.

150 BBLS OCCOQUAN CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR just received and for sale by us and which we recommend with confidence and guarantee to give satisfaction in all cases.

feb 18-1m WASHINGTON & BRO.

50 BBLS CONE & WESTON'S N. P. FAMILY FLOUR on hand—we recommend this as very superior and guarantee to please. For sale by

feb 18-1m WASHINGTON & BRO.

50 BBLS CONE & WESTION'S CHOICE EXTRA FLOUR on hand and for sale. This flour stands very high and has never failed to give entire satisfaction.

18-1m WASHINGTON & BRO.

50 BBLS CHOICE OCCOQUAN FAMILY N. P. FAMILY FLOUR on hand—ask your grocer for it. Competetion defied. For sale by

feb 18-1m WASHINGTON & BRO.

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.

FRESH SUPPLY OF ZEPHYR WORSTEDS, split and single, in all shades, white and black, 10 cents per ounce; colors 14 cents a

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jan 8 96 King st.

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ALL THE LATEST NOVELTIES IN

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Just received at

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The assortment embraces a great variety of styles, and at prices lower than ever, beginning with twenty-four sheets of good Note Paper and twenty-four Envelopes, in a neat box, for ten cents. Very pretty boxes 15 and 25c, and all grades up to $1 50 per box.

New lot of Bill Heads, Note and Letter Heads, Cap Paper, Flat Letter, Flat Cap and Folio Post, all weights, very low.

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Printing and Book Paper, Tissue Paper of all colors, Paste Boards, Manilla Paper, Checks, Notes and Drafts, in books of a hundred up to one thousand; Manifold Paper, Parchment Tissue Copying Paper, China Cards, Printers' Blanks and Bristol Cards for printer's use, Shipping Cards and Tags of all sizes, Copying Books, Shipman's Adhesive Files, Inkstands in great variety, Indelible Pencils and Ink, Bristol Board of all sizes, Congress Tie Envelopes, Rogers' Erasers, Arm Rests and all sorts of Counting House Stationery.

Emerson's Clip and File is the best in the market, three sizes, note, letter and Cap.

A full stock of Faber's and Dixon's Pencils, black, blue, red and green.

Time and space fail to continue the enumeration in this department.

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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 Appich's restaurant will receive prompt attention.

Country merchants and dealers supplied at lowest rates. Delivered to any part of the city.

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We open to-day Sheetings, P. C. Cottons, Bro. and Bl'd. Cottons, Quilts, Towelings, Table Oil Cloth, Wine Cloth, Irish Linens, Linen Sheetings and a choice line of Calicoes, Cretons, &c., with other desirable goods for Febr'y. sales.

D. F. BRASHEAR,

H. B. Hoomes. No. 109 King street,

feb 18 Alexandria, Va.

D. F. BRASHEAR.

NEW GOODS FOR FEBRUARY SALES.

Full Line of Domestics and Calicoes.

Good Goods at Popular Prices.

Black Goods a specialty.

We defy competition in all goods.

Call and see.

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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.

jan 21 PRETZFELDER & CO.

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Previous to taking stock, of

CLOAKS,

SILK AND DRESS GOODS,

CLOTHS AND CASSIMERES,

FLANNELS AND BLANKETS,

LINEN AND COTTON GOODS,

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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.

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POROUS PLASTERS

15 and 20 cents at WARFIELD & HALL'S

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ONE HHD BACON SHOULDERS received this day, January 25th, and for sale very cheap by

jan 25 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

CHOICE HAMS, Sugar Cured Shoulders, and Breakfast Bacon received and for sale at the very bottom price by

jan 25 R. W. AVERY.

500 LBS PRIME PEELED DRIED PEACHES just received and for sale low by.

jan 30 R. B. LAWSON & CO.

SPORTING POWDER—Laftand's and Rund's Celebrated Powder, in quantities to suit; also Shot of all sizes, at

dec 21 W. A. JOHNSON'S.

TRY OUR BEST GUNPOWDER TEA received to-day if you wish something reliably choice

an 22 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

SMALL SUGAR CURED HAMS, Breakfast Pieces, Westphalia Hams and Ham Bologns, all choice, just received by

feb 13 J. C. & E. MILBURN

BUFFALO LITHIA WATER—Another supply of this valuable water just received direct from the springs.

jan 30 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

SMOKED BLOATERS AND BONELESS COD FISH, received and for sale by

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dec 7 147 King street.

A FULL LINE OF COFFEES received this day, Dec. 13th, and for sale at low prices by

dec 13 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

LUNCH HAM AND TONGUE AND WILSON'S COMPRESSED CURED BEEF for sale by

feb 5 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

COFFEES and CANNED TOMATOES are lower at J. C. & E. MILBURN'S,

feb 14 19 north Royal street.

YARMOUTH BLOATERS and SCOTCH HERRING for sale cheap by

jan 14 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

A FULL LINE OF SUGARS received and for sale very cheap by

jan 25 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

CHOICE LOT OF HAVANA ORANGES very cheap.

feb 21 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

FOR SALE—SATURDAY NEXT, March 30, 1878, at Drovers' Hotel, West End, the FARM OF THOS. E. COWLING, adjoining the lands of George Auld and Doctor W. B. Gregory, containing TWENTY-EIGHT ACRES, more or less, and improved by a TWO STORY FRAMED HOUSE and out buildings, and a young orchard, will be sold by public auction, for cash, to satisfy claims in my hands in favor of R. D. Catts, Cowling & Bro., George Auld and others. JOHN H. SARTIN,

Constable Fairfax County.

By order of the County Court of Fairfax.

feb 28—td

FOR RENT—The comfortable BRICK DWELLING on Columbus, between King and Cameron streets. Gas and water. Possession given immediately. Enquire of Doctor FRENCH. feb 27-e03t

FOR RENT.

THE ARKENDALE FISHING SHORE can be rented this season on the most reasonable terms. Apply to D. M. LEE, Richland station, Stafford county, Va. feb 20-1w

FOR SALE.

TWO SQUARES OF GROUND, situated near Colross, between Queen and Oronoco and Payne and West streets. For particulars enquire of JOHN LEATHERLAND,

feb 12-1m Commissioner of Sale.

FOR RENT—The DWELLING on south side of King street, near the corner of Washington, and lately occupied by Mrs. Griffith, will be let to a good tenant at a very reduced rent.

dec 18-2awtf GREEN & WISE.

FOR RENT—The TWO STORY BRICK DWELLING HOUSE No. 125 Cameron street, now occupied by E. E. White. Possession given Feb. 1st, 1878. Apply to

jan 9-tf C. C. SMOOT & SON.

FOR RENT.—The STORE ROOM on the northeast corner of King and Union streets—the best location in the city for a grocery and liquor store. Apply at this office. ap 18-tf

RESTAURANTS.

WINTER DELICACIES.

Henry Brengle,

129 KING STREET.

Continues his new enterprise. He has arranged his capacious and comfortable parlors for serving delicious

OYSTERS IN ALL STYLES.

during the winter to ladies and gentlemen in a manner as acceptable as he serves Ice Cream during the summer. He insures

PLEASANT ROOMS AND FRESH OYSTERS,

the pick of the market, FRIED, STEWED ROASTED, BROILED, ESCOLLOPED and RAW, at the lowest rates.

☞ Ice Cream, Water Ices, Soda Water Cakes, Pies, Fruit, Confectionery and TONIC BEER, of my own manufacture, always on hand. FROZEN CUSTARD made to order.

☞ Orders promptly attended to and families supplied. an 22-eotf

WANTS.

WANTED—A SITUATION in a school or private family by a lady who has had much experience in teaching the usual English branches, French and Music. She can give the best of references. Address TEACHER, B. C., Alexandria, Va. jan 15

KELLER'S ROMAN LINIMENT recently so extensively advertised, also LEADBEATER'S LUBRICATING LINIMENT equial, and perhaps superior to the first, are for sale by

feb 26 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

WE HAVE the best stock of DOORS, SASH and BLINDS in the city. Call and examine and get our prices before you buy.

PEAKE & NALLS,

feb 26 187 corner King and Columbus sts.

WE KEEP a large stock of WINDOW GLASS, running from 6x8 to 28x56 in.; also PUTTY, POINTS, &c.

PEAKE & NALLS,

feb 26 Corner King and Columbus sts.

LIME, CEMENT, PLASTER, Sand, Felt and Pitch, for sale by

PEAKE & NALLS,

feb26 cor. King and Colnmbus sts.

LEWIS' PURE LEAD and other brands; Boiled and Raw Linseed Oil, Turpentine, &c., for sale cheap. PEAKE & NALLS,

feb26 cor. King and Columbus sts

PRIME CAROLINA RICE of the new crop received and for sale by

F. J. DAVIDSON,

dec 7 147 King street;

CORKS—Bottle Corks; also Corks for Oyster Cans, &c., of all sizes, with CEMENT for sale by

nov 29 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO

WINDSOR COFFEE POTS. Another ot of the above coffee pots, received and for sale at McLEAN & UHLER'S,

jan 18 107 King street.

CLOCKS! CLOCKS! CLOCKS—Peep O'Day, Alarm, Tourist and Cricket Clocks for sale cheap by

dec 13 McLEAN & UHLER, 107 King st.

CHOICE MESSINA and FLORIDA ORANGES for sale by

jan 14 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

3 AND FIVE POUND BUCKETS OF P. T. GEORGE'S PURE LEAF LARD at

jan 29 W. A. JOHNSON'S.

PICKLES, Chow Chow, Mixed and Cucumber Pickles for sale by

jan 28 DAVY & HARMON.

A FULL LINE OF CHOICE COFFEES—rec'd to-day—and for sale cheap by

feb 6 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

A GENERAL REDUCTION IN GROCERIES.

feb 20 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

PRIME DRIED APPLES and PEACHES for sale by

jan 25 G. WM. RAMSAY.

ITALIAN MACCARONI, best quality, just received by

jan 16 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

GOLD PAINT, or LIQUID BRONZE, for ornamental painting, for sale by

jan 30 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

85 BARRELS OF FAMILY and EXTRA FLOUR for sale at lowest market rates by [feb 19] G. WM. RAMSAY.

GENUINE NEW YORK BUTTER of fine quality, just received

feb 19 G. WM. RAMSAY.

A FULL LINE OF HARDWARE, for sale cheap, PEAKE & NALLS,

feb26 cor. King and Columbus sts.

PAINTS OF ALL COLORS, in oil and dry, for sale cheap. PEAKE & NALLS,

feb26 cor. King and Columbus sts.

STOVE, SHOE, AND DUST BRUSHES—cheap at

feb 5 GEO. McBURNEY & SON'S.

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FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 1.

A Lost Soul.

The question which has been discussed for several weeks by the press of the country as to whether there be a hell, is answered by the late Dr. W. E. Munsey; as delivered to one of his congregations in East Tennessee many years ago, and reported from memory by a young lady. It is as follows:—"A lost soul, a lost soul! two words of the most momentous meaning, and when taken in connection with those other two, eternal hell, how expressive of the utmost agony and profoundest depths of misery! I have tried to believe there was no hell, and sought in those passages of the Bible where the idea of hell is expressed, to eliminate their meaning from the words; but there it stands still burning in the word of God—eternal hell! I do not know where hell is—whether a place or state of misery; either is bad enough. Whether it be a deep dark cavern, filled with gloom, where serpents hiss, and creep from crack and cranny; of hollows deep, and gloomy rills and rocks deep riven, where devils peep and creep, and goblins dance on dingy hills, and fiery flames ooze out from fissures deep, while dark fiends ride on dragons; or whether it be a sphere whirling through uncreated space, a volcanic world whirling on its course erratic through ethereal nothing, a rocky sphere, filled with gorges black and caverns squalid, covered with burning lava and blackened scoria—abstrusely gleaming through a light-half darkness, half hazy light; or suppose there is no hell, a lost soul—what is it? Bring the word lost down to natural things—a lost ship in the midst of the ocean, the compass overboard, the end rudder gone, sails in shreds, sailors unable to make their reckoning, the time expired at port for their return—lost! lost! at last sinking to ocean caves, where mermaids stretch the sailor boy's limbs in his watery bed.

Or take a lost child in the woods. A child goes out to gather berries, goes on and on, round this hill and up that hollow—crossing and recrossing his path, until he is lost, and now he wanders on, sobbing, lost! lost! weeping for his mother there, the mother at home weeping for her darling; until at last the weary child, despairing and tired, lies down and dies, while birds chirp and sing above his sylvan deathbed. But a lost soul! eternally lost, thrust out from God, a spark formed for social companionship, cast out from God companionless! while as star shines to star, and even the comet, erratic in its course, as it crosses and recrosses orbits and eliptic, whirling about in fiery circles round the sun, acknowledge one common center; as in the company of the white robed saints together with the tall sons of the morning, soul answers to soul in the rapturous language of heaven, while they swell their pæans to Almighty God—this soul, lost eternally, is cast forth alone to wheel its dismal flight forever through uncreated space, whetting its pinions on the tombstone of buried hope, and screaming lost! lost!! lost!!! There it goes, there and there, and there it goes that way, and screams, lost! it comes this way, and screams, lost! Anon, it discovers a city with battlemented towers and gates, with bolts and bars, and with all the spirit energy of its being seeks to reach what looks to be a heaven, but it recedes and is gone. Fly on, thou squealing spirit, until thou become a speck of terror in illimitable space."—*Lynchburg News.*

GOVERNOR VANCE'S HUMOR.—Previous to the late visit of the Walker Light Guard, of Richmond, to Charleston, Gen. Bradley Johnson, who went in command, requested permission of Governor Vance to pass through North Carolina. The Governor responded as follows:

"Permission is granted to pass through North Carolina with your command. Be virtuous and you'll be happy—but you won't have any fun."

When the command reached, Wilmington on their return, upon being drawn up in line at the depot Brig. General Taylor, of the North Carolina State troops, read the following telegram which he had received from Gov. Vance: "You will arrest General Bradley T. Johnson and his command, on their attempt to pass through your city, and detain them until the liquor gives out." The Virginia soldiers were then entertained in a handsome manner, and the liquor which had been provided for them was rapidly consumed.

ALBANI'S SUPERSTITION.—Albani, whose voice is now the delight of Paris, is quoted as being very superstitious about a pet nightingale, which, ever since crossing the Channel, has refused to sing. "If he does die," she says, "I have a superstitious feeling that I shall never sing again. I have always had a habit of singing to him before I went to the opera, and according as he answered me well or ill, just so I believed that I would sing that night. I have put a singing canary beside him. I put him upon my piano every day when I play, and I sing to him constantly, but still he is dumb." The young lady sang very early in life. She declares, "My father says that my baby goo-goos and gaa-gaas, as I sat upon my mother's knee followed the music of his violin with such fidelity that he used to say with delight: "There is a baby that sings before it can speak."

Opening and Closing of the Mails.

The following will be the hours for opening and closing the mails until further notice:

CLOSING.

Manassas Division 7 a. m.

Alexandria to Round Hill, Va., 8 a. m.

Alexandria to Gordonsville, Va., 8 a. m.

Washington, D. C., Baltimore, Md., and Georgetown, D. C., 12 m.

Northern and Western mails, via Washington, D. C., 4 45 p. m. and 8 30 p. m.

Southern mails, via Richmond, Va., 5 30 p.m. and 8 30 p. m.

Southwestern mails, via Lynchburg, Va., (through mails) 6 p. m.

Southwestern mails, south of Gordonsville, Va., 8 30 p. m.

OPENING.

Northern and Western mails, via Washington, D. C., 8 30 a. m. and 1 45 p. m.

Southern mails, via Richmond, Va., 8 30 a.m. and 1 p. m.

Southwestern through mail, via Lynchburg, Va., 8 30 a. m.

Manassas Division 2 30 p. m.

Round Hill to Alexandria, Va., 3 30 p. m.

Northern and Western mails 7 p. m.

HARDWARE, CUTLERY, GARDEN TOOLS, BRUSHES &C. 38 King, corner Royal street, Alexandria, Va. The subscribers are receiving a full supply of goods in their line, which were purchased at low prices, and will be sold wholesale or retail, at a small advance.—Special attention is invited to all classes of Builders Hardware, which can be bought at unusually low prices. Shovels, Spades, Forks, Traces, Log-chains, and other goods in same line are very cheap and goods. We have on hand a large stock of Shoe, Scrub, Horse, Whitewash, Dusting and other Brushes, together with allkinds of Family Hardware, at prices to suit the times—Calland see.

feb 19 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

MEADE & BAKER'S

CARBOLIC MOUTH WASH,

A safe and efficient application for the disinfection of decayed teeth and for healing diseased gums. Pleasant to the taste. Price fifty cents. Just received and for sale by

WARFIELD & HALL,

jan 28 Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.