LOCAL NEWS.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—*War Department, Office of the Chief Signal Officer, Washington, D. C.*, March 28, 1878—10:30 a. m.—For the Middle and South Atlantic States, cloudy and rainy weather, warm southerly, veering to colder northwest winds, falling, followed by rising barometer, and followed in the Second District by clearing weather.

WAR AMONG THE BARBERS—The trouble among the barbers, of this city, in regard to Sunday shaving, which waxed so warm some months since, has broken out again with undiminished violence.

Yesterday Thomas Collinsworth and T. E. Dulany, two of the barbers, procured warrants from Justic Nalls against Harrison Jacobs, C. M. Griffin, Wm. Triplett, B. F. Dutton, Washington Fisher, H. P. Tancill and John Ostendorf, charging them with violating the Sunday law by keeping their shops open and pursuing their usual avocation on that day.

All of the parties appeared before Justices Nalls, Padgett and Lovejoy at the former's office this morning. They did not deny the shaving on Sunday, but claimed that it was a work of necessity, and hence did not come within the prohibition of the law. The Justices decided to require each of the accused to pay a fine of two dollars and costs amounting to $1.20, from which decision Mr. Jacobs, for all, appealed to the judgment of the Corporation Court. The accused parties also sued out a warrant against Collinsworth and Dulany, for the same offense, and claim that they will be able to show that Sunday work was done in their shops also. Dulany confessed judgment, and Collinsworth's case has not yet been tried. Considerable excitement exists between the rival parties and further developments may be expected.

THE CANAL.—The Cumberland Alleganian has the following items of canal news :—

"Superintendent Willison has ordered the lumber for the repair of the basin wharf, which is now owned by the canal company, and work will be begun immediately.

"The repairs along the line on this division are progressing rapidly, and water will be in by the 10th of April, unless incessant rains shall prevent work.

"The Potomac wharf has been surrendered by the canal company, and it will be under the management of its owners the present season.

"As soon as the river falls a little more work will be commenced at the late big break below this city by placing about 400 feet of crib along the river bank to protect the tow path, which is 25 feet high, from the severe washing of the river at the bend in the high water.

"The work at Dam No. 4 has been retarded by high water, though it will not interfere with navigation. While the river is full the dam is not necessary; and as soon as it falls the key crib will be placed, and the stone work can be done at leisure.

"The canal will be in order by the time the companies are ready to ship coal, so that the disaster of last fall will not cause the loss in shipment of a ton of coal this season from that effect."

AMUSEMENTS.—The second entertainment of Alf. Burnett, at Sarepta Hall, last night, although but slimly attended was much enjoyed by those present. Alf. was in one of his happiest moods and several of his local hits were particularly good.

To-night the Hutchinson Family will give their entertainment at the same hall for the benefit of the Methodist Protestant Church. To be appreciated they need but to be seen, and the excellence of the object should secure them a full house.

To morrow night Mr. Ford's Company give their first entertainment, presenting "Naval Engagements" and "Jenny Lind." They are vouched for as a first class company in every respect and will no doubt be well patronized.

THE FISHERIES.—Since yesterday's report, there have been received at Fishtown about 1000 shad, which sold at $22a$24, and 6000 herrings, which brought $14a$16. Very few bunch fish have been received and prices remain about as yesterday. The fishermen who recently rented the upper fishing landings for the season left yesterday for their various landings, taking with them their paraphernalia. Among the crews was one of twelve, all temperance men, who have become such since the Dashaways have been holding their meetings in Georgetown. This is the first out-and out temperance crew that has left that town for the past twenty years.

THE HURON DEAD.—The steamer Jane Mosely, which arrived here yesterday morning from Norfolk, had among her freight sixty four coffins, containing the bodies of those persons lost by the Huron disaster which had been exhumed from their temporary resting place on Currituck Beach. They were landed by the Moseley at Shepherd's, opposite this city, whence they were conveyed to the Naval Academy at Annapolis, where they were finally interred with the honors of war, in the presence of a large concourse, composed of the officers and cadets of the Naval Academy and citizens generally.

RAN INTO THE WHARF.—The steamer Jane Mosely, of the Norfolk line, was detained at Washington, yesterday evening, by an accident to her boiler, and it was not expected that she would make her regular trip. About 9 o'clock last night, however, she came down, and, there being no light on the wharf, the pilot missed his calculation and struck the upper end of the pier, splitting a pile in half and carrying away a part of the planking. After going a short distance down the river she returned and landed a passenger and then proceeded on her way to Norfolk. So far as could be learned the steamer was not injured by the collision.

FORBIDDEN.—The Mayor has instructed the policemen to break up the practice of boys playing base ball in the streets and vacant lots of the city. Hereafter they will be compelled to use the commons on the outskirts for that purpose. The practice of rolling wheelbarrows on the sidewalks will also be stopped, and a persistance therein will subject the offender to arrest and punishment, as the law directs. Much complaint has been made by ladies and others in regard to this latter nuisance, and also to the carrying of hog slops on the sidewalks.

THE AQUEDUCT BRIDGE.—A meeting of citizens of Alexandria and Fairfax counties was held last Wednesday night at Walker's school house, near Ball's cross roads. Speeches and resolutions denunciatory of the tax placed on passengers crossing over the Aqueduct were made. Several plans were suggested by which this tax might be avoided, but nothing definite was accomplished. It is proposed to hold another meeting soon.

INVENTION.—Mr. Theodore Teed, of this city, has invented a relief and safety ladder, designed to rescue persons from burning buildings, which is a very complete affair. It is raised to any hight by means of a windlass, and can be lengthened by adding new sections to the bottom. The top of the uppermost ladder is fitted with a basket to receive women and children.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup should be kept in every family. A slight cough, if unchecked, is often the forerunner of Consumption, and a timely dose of this wonderful medicine has rescued many from an early grave.

MOTHERS! MOTHERS! MOTHERS!—Don't fail to procure MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP for all diseases of teething in children. It relieves the child from pain, cures wind colic, regulates the bowels, and, by giving relief and health to the child, gives rest to the mother.
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THE CITY DEBT.—The Finance Committee of the City Council are now engaged in framing an ordinance to carry out the provisions of the bill to compromise the city debt, passed at the recent session of the General Assembly. They held a meeting last night, and it is understood that the ordinance is nearly perfected, and it is probable that a special meeting of Council will be called to consider it at an early day.

APPOINTED.—Mr. Samuel L. Monroe has been appointed Collector of the Alexandria canal, at this city, vice Mr. B. R. Summers, whose resignation has been heretofore noticed in the Gazette. Mr. Monroe was for a long time connected with the American Coal Company, and is well qualified for his new position. His many friends will be pleased to hear of his appointment.

SURGICAL.—Dr. M. M. Lewis, assisted by Drs. Powell and Ed. Stabler, yesterday evening, removed a tumor and part of the jawbone from the face of Mrs. W. H. Thompson, of Washington, D. C. The operation was performed at the Mansion House, and was highly satisfactory.

Local Brevities.

Marriage licenses have been granted, in Washington, to Joshua Gunnell, of Fairfax county, Va., and Edmonia Nelson, of Fauquier county, Va.; James R. Taylor and Frances M. Young, both of Prince George's county, Md.; Wm. T. Fairfax, of Washington, and Ida Lewis, of Langley, Va.

The roof of the machine shop at the W. & O. depot caught fire yesterday evening, but the flames were extinguished by the operatives without raising an alarm, and with but slight damage.

Mr. W. P. Graves is preparing to build a handsome three story house on the site of his present store at the corner of Franklin and Fairfax streets.

THE QUEEN OF THE OVEN.—A breakfast biscuit or tea roll made with DOOLEY'S YEAST POWER is certainly the queen of the oven—so light, white, and delicious. You lift it tenderly, break it open gently, spread it daintily with fresh, sweet butter, waiting to be gracious. After breakfasting on biscuits made with DOOLEY'S YEAST POWDER, what man would contemplate suicide or grumble because his wife asked him for money?

SOMETHING NEW.—An all-wool Boy's Diagonal Vest for 50c at the Boss Clothing House, Blondheim's old stand, corner King and Fairfax streets. mh 26 tf

Persuade your suffering friend to use Durang's Rheumatic Remedy for rheumatism and he will afterwards thank you. Don't forget that Lodille's Headache Specific cures headache in 5 to 20 minutes. Sold by all druggists. mh 18-tf

VIRGINIA—At Rules held in the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 27th day of March, 1878

James Dudley and Elizabeth Dudley, his wife, plaintiffs, vs. Benjamin McCoy and Elizabeth McCoy, his wife; Isaiah Holly and L. Elizabeth Holly, his wife; Anna Bustar, William Dudley, Julia Huett, Margaret A. Huett and Ada M. Cook, defendants. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the sale and distribution of proceeds or partition amongst the heirs of a certain lot of ground and tenement thereon, situated on Royal street, Alexandria, Va., of which Nancy Dudley died seized.

The defendants, Benjamin McCoy and Elizabeth McCoy, his wife; Isaiah Holly and L. Elizabeth Holly, his wife; Anna Bustar, William Dudley, Julia Huett, Margaret A. Huett and Ada M. Cook, 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.
C. F. Markell, p. q. mh 28-w4w

VIRGINIA—At Rules held in the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city Alexandria, on the 27th day of March, 1878.

John Credit, in his own right, and as administrator of Nancy Dudley, deceased, plaintiff, vs. Mary Ann Cole, Anna Bustar, Benjamin McCoy and Eliza McCoy, his wife; Isaiah Holly and Elizabeth Holly, his wife; James Dudley and Elizabeth Dudley, his wife; William B. Dudley, Julia Huett, Margaret A. Huett and Ada M. Cook, defendants. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the sale of a ground rent of $18 per annum, of which Nancy Dudley died seized.

The defendants, William B. Dudley, Benjamin McCoy and Eliza McCoy, his wife; Isaiah Holly and Elizabeth Holly, his wife, and Julia Huett, Ada M. Cook and Margaret A. Huett, 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 said defendants appear here within one month after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their 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. A copy—test:

MORTON MARYE, Clerk.
Albert Stuart, p. q. mh 28-w4w

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Plain Talk.

The Washington correspondent of the New York Tribune says:—"The filling of the vacancy in the office of register of the Treasury is said to have been the cause of quite a lively scene in the office of Secretary Sherman yesterday. Tuesday evening Representatives Harry White and John M. Thompson, of Pennsylvania, called upon Secretary Sherman to urge the appointment of John Sullivan, of Pennsylvania. The Secretary asked them why they did not call on the President. Yesterday morning they did so, and the President listened to what they had to say, making notes, as is his custom, and asking in regard to the qualifications of different persons. The gentlemen then went to Secretary Sherman's office, and were greatly astonished to learn from the Secretary that the President had appointed Mr. Scofield Tuesday, and at the time of their visit had in his possession a telegram from that gentleman, accepting the position.

General White then vehemently demanded why they had not been told this before, and said such treatment was discourteous. He added, "If you persist in treating us in this manner, can you wonder at any estrangement between members of Congress and the Executive? If this is the character of your dealing, where do you expect support to come from?"

Mr. Sherman replied that he thought the administration had done well for Pennsylvania, whereupon Mr. Thompson blurted out, "Wh in h—l have you done for us?"

The Secretary, looking astonished, mentioned the names of Welsh and Taylor.

Mr. Thompson said that he would like to know who in Pennsylvania was responsible for those appointments, and added: "We think you will pay the penalty for trampling upon the people whose support you will want."

Gen. White then said again: "I want an answer to my question. Why were we not informed of this appointment without being trifled with?"

The Secretary replied: "We did not know that Mr. Scofield would accept."

"Yes," said General White, "but the appointment was already made when we first called upon you."

Mr. Thompson here spoke up again and said: "It looks much as if this were nothing but a lying, hypocritical and trifling administration. Let's go." Whereupon the two representatives turned upon their heels and left.

This report of this spicy conversation having been printed broadcast over the country, and especially in Pennsylvania, by Mr. Keim, the Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia Press, Secretary Sherman authorized a denial of its correctness, characterizing it as "a gross misrepresentation." He says in the denial:

"No such language was used by the gentlemen as stated. At the time the gentlemen called upon the President Mr. Scofield's acceptance had not been received by him. The Secretary informed the gentlemen at once of the acceptance, which he had just received."

The confusion of pronouns in this denial may be another diplomatic stroke; but the average reader will receive the impression from it that the "him" in the next to the last sentence undoubtedly refers to the President. If so, Gen. White was right in his declaration that he and his friend had been deceived, and it looks very much as if Mr. Sherman was decidedly wrong when he declared "We did not know that Mr. Schofield would accept."

As regards the correctness of the foregoing report of the conversation between Messrs. White and Thompson and the Secretary, Mr. Keim, the correspondent alluded to above, after taking every possible step to get at the truth, telegraphs to his journal as follows;

"Considering that an attempt has been made by the general press dispatches to discredit your correspondent's dispatch respecting the language used and feeling exhibited by Representatives White and Thompson before Secretary Sherman, on account of the treatment they received from him, it is only necessary to state that the facts and phrasing of the dispatch were from actual dictation of parties present, and contained but a portion of what was narrated.

"When the representatives mentioned to many of their fellow members on the floor their treatment and their action in the matter they were warmly congratulated, and it was stated if other representatives of the people who had received similar treatment had adopted the same course there would doubtless have been a better understanding between Congress and the Executive before this. The parties to night reiterate the general correctness of the statement published."

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By Harrison & O'Neal, Auctioneers.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—By virtue of a deed of trust, dated on the 26th day of March, 1875, executed by Maria McDermott, and of record in the land records of Alexandria county, Va., liber B., No. 4 folio 496, I, the undersigned, as trustee in the said deed, will, in compliance with the request of the assignee and holder of the note secured by the said deed of trust, proceed to sell by public auction, on SATURDAY, the 27th day of April, 1878, at 12 m., in front of the market building, on Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., the property conveyed by the said deed of trust, viz: A LOT OF GROUND with a FRAME TENEMENT thereon, in the said county of Alexandria, containing 1 acre, 1 rood and 5 poles, situated on the west side of the Washington Turnpike, about a half a mile north of the canal basin, and adjoining the property of Michael Hart. Terms of sale: Cash in hand on the day of sale. M. B. HARLOW,
mh 28—aots Trustee.

LOST OR STOLEN—CERTIFICATE No. 62 for 50 shares of the Janney Car Coupling Co's. stock, which I shall apply to the Board of Directors to reissue to me.
mh 28-eo3w E. H. JANNEY.

NOTICE—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the JANNEY CAR COUPLING CO. will be held at the office of K. Kemper, No. 54 King st., at 4 o'clock p. m. WEDNESDAY, April 24
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OLD JAVA COFFEE, very choice, just received by
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From Washington.

[SPECIAL TO THE ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28.

SENATE.

In the Senate, to-day, a communication was received from the President of the United States in relation to China's claims.

Memorials in opposition to the reimposition of the income tax were presented.

A number of private bills were introduced.

A bill granting a pension to General Eaton's widow was passed.

Thomas Crawford, of the Mexican war, was restored to the pension roll, and Fannie E. Ricards, of Maine, was granted a pension. A pension was also granted to General James Shields.

A bill to provide for the sale of the reservation of the Ottoe and Missouria and the Sac and Fox Indians, in Kansas and Nebraska, was considered and passed.

Mrs. Caroline M. Egbert, Mary Ann McFarland, Wm. London, Wm. H. Bagley, Hiram Howard, Mary B. Marsh, Adam Stinson, Bridget T. Hopper, and George McCoy were granted pensions, after which

Mr. Bailey, of Tennessee, took the floor and addressed the Senate on the Pacific Railroads funding bill.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

In the House of Representatives, immediately after the reading of the Journal, the unfinished business, the resolution admitting Dean to a seat from Connecticut in place of Field, the sitting member, was announced, when

Mr. Springer, of Illinois, moved that the House adjourn, and demanded the ayes and noes.

The motion was lost—ayes 4, noes 237.

The vote was then taken on the adoption of the resolution admitting Mr. Dean, dem., and resulted—ayes 124, noes 123, the Speaker voting in the affirmative.

The result was reached by the change of the vote of Mr. Jones, of Alabama, who yesterday voted to seat Field, but to day voted to seat Mr. Dean.

Mr. Dean was then conducted to the Speaker's desk and sworn in as a member.

Mr. Harrison, of Ill., then moved to take up the report in the case of Col. Polk, Doorkeeper of the House, upon which the ayes and noes were taken, resulting—ayes, 107, noes, 123, so the motion was defeated.

The Senate amendments to the Senate and House deficiency bill were concurred in. The amendments increase the appropriation $20,000.

The Senate amendments to the Diplomatic and Consular bill were referred.

A memorial for an appropriation of $100,000 to improve the Neuse river, in North Carolina, was referred.

A number of bills and several reports, from committees were introduced and made.

A large number of executive communications were referred.

A motion to adjourn was defeated.

A motion to go into committee of the whole on the state of the union was also lost, and

The House then resumed the consideration of the bill to provide a government for the District of Columbia.

THE ALEXANDRIA POSTMASTER.

In the Senate Committee on Postoffices to day the nomination of W. N. Berkley as postmaster at Alexandria, Va., was called, but in the absence of Messrs. Conover and Bailey, consideration was postponed till next Thursday. It is now said that the probabilities are that an adverse report will be made on the nomination by the committee.

PERSONAL.

Peter Cooper, of New York, was at the Capitol to day, and in company with his son-in-law, Abram S. Hewitt, inspected the building. It was suggested that if Mr. H. would take Peter home it would be wise.

By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer.

BY AUTHORITY OF A DECREE OF the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, rendered on the 3d day of December, 1877, in a suit in chancery depending in said Court, wherein J. S. Wimsatt and wife are complainants, and John C. Baggett and others are defendants, the subscribers, commissioners of sale, appointed by said decree, will, on SATURDAY, the 27th day of April, 1878 at twelve o'clock m., in front of the Fairfax st. entrance to the Corporation Court room, in said city, sell to the highest bidder, by public auction, the following described property, viz:

1st. A LOT OF GROUND, improved by a BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, situated on the west side of Fairfax street, 25 feet 7½ inches south of Wolfe street, in said city, and now occupied by John C. Baggett, esq. This lot has a frontage on Fairfax street of about 25 feet 7½ inches, and extends back 80 feet more or less.

2d. AN UNDIVIDED HALF OF A LOT OF GROUND and FRAME DWELLING on the south side of Wolfe street and east side of a 9 feet alley, fronting 14 feet, more or less, on said street, and running back southwardly 51 ft. 5 inches. (See advertisement of G. A. Mushbach, Attorney, hereunder.)

3d. A TRACT OF FORTY-SEVEN ACRES OF EXCELLENT LAND, with the necessary farm buildings, on Four Mile Run, in the county of Alexandria, being the subdivision, No. 1, of the estate of Elizabeth Baggett, deceased, according to a plat and certificate of survey thereof made by T. N. Carter, Surveyor, on the 10th day of November, 1868, and filed in the chancery cause of Baggett vs. Baggett and others, lately depending in the Circuit Court of said county.

Terms of Sale: Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid in cash, and the residue in three equal instalments at 6, 12 and 18 months from the day of sale; the deferred payments to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser or purchasers, with surety; the title to be retained until the bonds are paid. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

GEORGE A. MUSHBACH,
C. W. WATTLES,
Commissioners of Sale.

AT THE SAME TIME AND PLACE I shall, at the request and by authority of the owners thereof, expose to sale by public auction, the following pieces of property, viz:

1st. The other undivided half of the lot numbered 2d in the above advertisement, so that persons desiring to purchase may bid for the entire property.

2d. That certain lot of ground at the southwest corner of Fairfax and Wolfe streets, adjoining the lots numbered 1st and 2d in the above advertisement, and binding on Fairfax street 25 feet 7½ inches, and on Wolfe st. about 80 feet.

3d. A lot of ground the east side of Royal street, 151 feet south of King street, fronting on Royal street 25 feet, and extending eastwardly 113 5-12 feet to an alley, improved by a frame dwelling on Royal street, and two small brick houses on the alley; subject to a ground rent of $50 per annum.

Terms of Sale: Same as above mentioned.

GEORGE A. MUSHBACH,
mh 28-w4w Attorney and Agent.

CLERK OF THE MARKET—I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the position of Clerk of the Market, subject to the conservative primary election.
mh 28-tc* H. B. WHITTINGTON.

WHITE WASH BRUSHES FOR THE TRADE.

A large lot just received at very low prices, wholesale and retail, at 88 King st., cor. Royal.
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350 lbs COUNTRY BUTTER received and for sale by
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SUGAR CURED BREAKFAST BACON and Bacon Shoulders received this day.
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BUTTER—In store and for sale a lot of Fall packed Butter in firkins.
mh 28 W. A. JOHNSON.

TIMOTHY SEED in store and for sale very low by
mh 28 W. A. JOHNSON.

CHOICE DRIED BEEF, machine chipped, or sliced for broiling, for sale by
mh 28 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

AMUSEMENTS.

SAREPTA HALL.

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(With operatic and medley songs.)
Mr. Leatherlungs ..... Mr. M. Lanagan
Granby Gag (with songs) ..... Geo. Denham
Herr Swingemoff ..... Julian Mitchell
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The music will be under the direction of Prof. ROSENBERGER, Orchestral Leader of Ford's Grand Opera House, Baltimore.

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Gallery	25 cents

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Change of bill Saturday. mh 26

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MARCH 28, 1878.

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