LOCAL NEWS.

CHURCH SERVICES, &c., TO-MORROW.—CHRIST CHURCH—Service at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. by Rev. Mr. Dame.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Service at 11 a. m. and 4 p. m. Rev. Dr. Norton.

GRACE CHURCH—Service at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. by Rev. D. F. Sprigg.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH—Mass at 6, 7½ and 11 a. m. Vespers at 7½ p. m. The mission will be closed at the last named service.

UNION PRESBYT'N. CHURCH (First Church)—Service in the morning and at night by Rev. Dr. Bullock.

SECOND PRESBYT'N. CHURCH—Sermon in the morning and at night by Rev. Wm. Dinwiddie.

METH. EPIS. CHURCH—Service at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. by Rev. L. H. Pierce.

METH. EPIS. CHURCH SOUTH—Service at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. by Rev. W. K. Boyle.

METH. PROT. CHURCH—Service at 11 a. m. and 7½ p. m. by Rev. J. B. Jones.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Service morning and at night by Rev. W. S. Penick.

GERMAN LUTHERAN—Service at 7.30 p. m.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.—Prayer meeting in the 2d Pres. Church at 4 p m. Alms House at 2½ p. m. Jail at 2 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—*War Department, Office of the Chief Signal Officer, Washington, D. C.*, March 30, 1878—10:30 a. m.—For the Middle Atlantic States increasing cloudiness and rain, cold northrly, veering to warmer and increasing southeasterly winds, and falling barometer.

RENTING OF MARKET BENCHES.—The Clerk of the market this morning rented the vegetable stands under the west end of the new fish shed. The bids were for first choice with the agreement to pay the usual rent of ten cents per day in addition. The sale was conducted by F. A. Kerby, auctioneer, and the premiums paid were as follows:—

S. Keys	$3 50
J. Mc Williams	3 50
Mrs. Jane Potter	3 00
Borden & Horseman	3 00
T. Craig	2 00
John Clubb	2 00
George Lyles	1 25
Mrs. Lacy	1 00
Joseph Markham	75
M. Kitson	80
J. McWilliams	50
B. Mason	75
James Dent	30

CITY SCHOOL BOARD.—By sending out for members, a bare quorum, consisting of S. C. Neale, esq., Chairman, and Messrs. Addison, S. F. Beach, Gregory, McKenzie, Whittington and Whittlesey and the Superintendent of Schools, was obtained at 8:05 last night.

After the reading of the minutes, Mr. Addison, from the Committee on Finance and Accounts, reported as correct the following bills, which were ordered to be paid, viz: Perpener, kindling wood, $5; J. H. Siddons, lectures, $15.

The Superintendent, from the Committee on Schoolhouses and Furniture, reported proposals for making blackboards for Washington School, which, on motion, were laid on the table.

Mr. McKenzie reported visits to the colored schools; and, at 8:15, the Board adjourned.

FORGER CAPTURED.—Some time since a man calling himself George McPherson, forged the name of a party in Cincinnati, to a check or checks for $15,000, and having secured the money, took with him a disreputable woman, and left for parts unknown. A detective was put on his track and succeeded in tracing him to this city, whence he went to Staunton and various other towns in the State, being last heard of at Culpeper Court House. Yesterday the detective started up the Midland road, taking with him officer James Smith, of this city, as mentioned in the Gazette, and a dispatch was received from them last night, stating, that the man had been captured at Front Royal. This evening the officers arrived here with their prisoner, and will start for Cincinnati to-night. The woman whom he call his wife still accompanies him.

FINED.—Thomas B. Bowling, postmaster at Milestown, St. Mary's county, Md., was fined $50 and costs in the United States Circuit Court, in Baltimore, yesterday, upon being convicted of embezzling a letter containing about two thousand three cent stamps, which were destined to Millston, in the same county. The defense was that the accused opened the letter by mistake and neglected to forward it. A verdict of guilty was agreed upon on the third count, and Bowling was fined as stated. The aggregate of the fine and government costs was $287.80. A number of well known persons appeared and testified to the good character of the accused.

RELIGIOUS NOTES.—The Mission services at St. Mary's Church contiue with great success. Last night the church was packed by a most attentive audience, and again this morning. There will be no services to night, but High Mass will be sung at 11 o'clock to morrow by Rev. Father McHugh, of Washington, with a sermon by Father Denny. The last named gentleman will also preach at 7.30 p. m., and close the Mission.

Rev. L. H. Pierce, the newly appointed pastor of the M. E. Church, arrived here from Lansing, Mich., last evening and will conduct the services in that church to morrow.

AMUSEMENTS.—Those lovers of the play who failed to go to Sarepta Hall, last night, missed a decided treat. The performance of "Naval Engagements" was most excellent, while the afterpiece was very laughable and well rendered. The performers were all fully up in their respective parts, and despite the discouragingly small audience played with much style and animation. It is to be hoped that the performance to-night will be much better patronized than that of last night. The comedy of "Married Life" and the farce of "My Neighbor's Wife" will be presented.

POLICE ITEMS.—Two cases have been tried since yesterday at police headquarters:—

Charles Birch, who had been committed to jail on the charge of stealing clothing from James Christie, was brought out and discharged for want of evidence.

James Pierson, colored, for threatening and abusing Margaret Gray, also colored, was fined and held for payment.

BON-FIRE.—Some boys started a bon-fire of straw and trash at the corner of King and Royal streets last night about nine o'clock, and came very near creating an alarm of fire. One of the boys was arrested, but subsequently released on account of his youth. The practice alluded to, and that of shouting on the streets at night, are very annoying ones, and cause a large proportion of the false alarms of fire. They should be put down.

FARMER'S AND MECHANIC'S SAVINGS BANK. The statement published in the Alexandria correspondence of one of the Washington papers, that the Farmer's and Mechanic's Savings Bank, of this city, had commenced the payment of another dividend of ten per cent., is entirely incorrect, and has been the source of much annoyance to the trustees of the bank.

THE DEBT COMPROMISE.—It is understood that there will be a called meeting of the City Council on Tuesday night next to consider the bill for carrying out the City Debt Compromise, which has been prepared by the Finance Committee.

DEAD.—Mr. R. H. Robinson, a well-known tailor, died this morning, after a short illness of typhoid pneumonia. Mr. Robinson was a man of many estimable qualities, and enjoyed the respect of a large number of friends.

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 head ache in 5 to 20 minutes. Sold by all drug gists. mh 18-tf

Local Brevities.

The bill authorizing the C. & O Canal Co. to issue a new series of bonds in substitution for the present outstanding preferred bonds, authorized by the act of 1844, was recommitted in the Maryland Legislature yesterday by a large vote in the majority. This action is regarded as equivalent to its defeat.

A marriage license was issued, in Washington, yesterday, to Samuel Parks, of King George county, Va., and Mary A. Lucas, of Hamilton, Va.

Letters addressed to John T. Brown, Major J. Burnell, New York, N. Y., and John Williams, are detained in the Postoffice here for want of postage and better directions

The meeting of the stockholders of the ship yard was not held last night for want of a quorum.

In another column will be found the advertisement of Messrs. M. W. Galt & Bro., jewelers of Washington. The Messrs. Galt are old Alexandrians, are strictly reliable, and keep first class goods.

FISHTOWN.—Receipts at Fishtown since yesterday amount to about 600 shad, 14,000 herrings and about 150 bunches of perch and rock. Shad sold from $25 to $26, herrings from $13 to $11½, the latter price late this evening, and bunch from 26 to 30 cents. The largest cargo of the season was one of 6,000 herrings received from "The Gums" this evening.

RESIGNED.—Mr. Thomas Lannon has sent in to Mayor Kemper, his resignation as Overseer of the Poor, for the Second Ward, as of date of March 13th. The resignation was to have been presented at the last meeting of the City Council, but by an unforseen circumstance, was not handed in.

Mothers, do not let your darlings suffer with the Whooping Cough, if you have a remedy so near at hand. Use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, and the little sufferers will soon find relief. Price 25 cents a bottle.

TO LOVERS OF GOOD BREAD.—Would you always have thoroughly good, sweet, easily digested bread, biscuits and rolls? The use of DOOLEY'S YEAST POWDER invariably insures perfect success. Your grocer keeps it.

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

COMMERCIAL.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, Mar. 30, 1878.—There is a slightly better feeling in Flour, and sales are more freely made, though there is no change to note in prices. Wheat is unchanged; there were no strictly choice offerings to-day, and sales were made at 125 and 128. Corn is off, and the highest price paid was 59; sales of 650 bushels. Small lots of Rye brought 57 and 58, and 146 bushels of Oats 35 and 36.

The statements in the British Parliament yesterday caused a great depression on the Stock Exchange. At certain periods the markets were in a state of panic. The fall in prices is general, and there has yet been no recovery from the lowest point touched. A London grain journal says: "The increasing gravity of the political situation as evidenced by the resignation of the Foreign Secretary, has caused considerable excitement. At our market this morning millers have purchased largely of wheat, paying an advance of 4d and 6d per cental for both white and red descriptions, the market closing at the inside figures. Some parcels have been taken by speculators. Flour is 1s per sack and 6d per bbl dearer. Corn participates in the activity, and an improvement of about 9d per quarter is readily obtained."

The London Times in its financial article today says: "In the silver market the activity of the last few days has disappeared, and is followed by a slight reaction. It is believed that the recent large American order is now completed, and this, coupled with the unfavorable turn of politics, has caused the market to be quite stagnant."

BALTIMORE, March 29.—Virg. 6s old, 25; do. deferred 4½; do. consolidated 57⅞; do. 2d series 30. Cotton unsettled and nominal; middling 10¼. Flour active and firm; and advanced 25 to 50c on medium and low grades; Howard street and Westerm Super 4.00a$4.50; do. Extra 4.75a$5.50; do. Family 5.75a$6 75; City Mills Super 4.00a$4.50; do. Extra 4.75a$5.50; do. Rio brands 6 50a$6 75; Patapsco Family $7 00. Wheat—Southern strong and higher; Western unsettled and feverish; Southern red 125a137; Penna red 133a135; No. 2 Western red winter spot 135; April 135a135¼; May 136⅞a137. Corn—Southern quiet and firm; Western unsettled and little doing; Southern white 53a54; do. yellow 53a54; Western mixed spot 55; April 55a55¼; May 56½a56⅞. Oats steady and firm; Southern 35a38; do. mixed 33a35; Western white 36a37; Penna 35a37. Rye firm; no stock; 63a65. Hay dull and unchanged. Sugar firm at 9¼a9⅜. Coffee quiet and steady; Rio cargoes 14a17. Whiskey quiet and steady at 1 06a$1 06½.

NEW YORK, Mar. 29.—Stocks strong. Money 4a5. Gold 101¼a101⅜. Flour firm. Wheat 1a2c better on futures. Corn ½a1c better.

BANK STATEMENT.—New York, March 30.—The following is the weekly bank statement.

Loans, increase	$24,200
Specie, decrease	919,900
Legal tenders, decrease	180,300
Deposits, decrease	1,560,100
Circulation, increase	6,000
Reserve, decrease	710,175

The banks now hold $15,562,600 in excess of the legal requirements.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, MARCH 30.

Sun rises 5 48 | Sun sets 6 21

ARRIVED.

Steamer Sue, Baltimore, to J Broders & Co.

SAILED.

Str J W Thompson, Leonardtown, by F A Reed.
Str Mattano, Nomini, by J Broders & Co.
Schr T B Taylor, Fredericksburg, by H Bryant.
Schr Eddie, Baltimore, by P B Hooe.
Schr Wm Mogee, Philadelphia, by Wm A Smoot.
Schr Annie, Philadelphia, by W A Smoot.

RAMSAY SELLS

GRANULATED SUGAR	10c
BEST "A"	9¼
GOOD "A"	9
ROASTED O. G. JAVA COFFEE	32
" LAGAUYRA	25
" RIO, BEST	23
" " GOOD	21
LARD	10

FLOUR and other goods at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. mh 7-tf

READ THIS!

We are selling at this time GROCERIES AS LOW as advertised by any Grocery House in the city, and will meet any future changes that may be made. For further information OUR REVISED PRICE CURRENT will be given upon application, or mailed to any address. Don't fail to get our Price Current.

Geo. McBurney & Son,
mh 8-tf 166 & 170 KING STREET

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
mh 28-eo3w K. H. JANNEY, Presid't

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 K. H. JANNEY.

CARRIAGES! CARRIAGES!
Just received a full line of Baby Carriages at very low prices; also a full line of SPRING GOODS at
mh 14 FERGUSON & BRO'S.

Virginia News.

A Boston paper having said that two citizens of Winchester, Mass., have determined to present the State of Virginia with an equestrian statue of Lee, of heroic size; that Martin Milmore, "the well known sculptor," has been employed to furnish the model; that he will establish a studio for the work in Richmond; and that the statue will be of bronze; enquiry in Richmond fails to confirm the report, and Col. French, secretary of the Lee Monumental Association, has written to Boston in regard to the matter.

Some twenty more boys from the New York Children's Aid Society reached Petersburg yesterday, in charge of one of the officers of that institution, and were taken out to Hicksford, near which place homes had previously been obtained for all of them. This makes upwards of two hundred of these New York orphan boys, between twelve and eighteen years of age, who have within the last few months been furnished with homes in the counties around Petersburg.

At Eastville, Northampton county, Thursday morning, Sidney Pitts and A. P. Thomas fought with pistols to settle a dispute. Two rounds were fired by each, and as they stood only six feet apart Pitts was killed and Thomas received a ball in the head, from which he will probably die.

Mr. Charles Smoot was knocked down and run over by a pair of horses attached to a harrow on his farm, near New Market, Shenandoah county, a day or two ago, and had one of his eyes destroyed.

Capt. Wm. Harding, an old, wealthy and much respected citizen of Nortumberland Co., died last Wednesday at the residence of his sister in law, Mrs. Bettie Harding, near Wicomico Church.

The Richmond Whig says that the coal trade over the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad for the week ending Saturday last, was in excess of that for the same period of 1877, nearly 11,000 tons.

Thursday afternoon Andrew Jackson, a citizen of Louisa, and an attache of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, got to drinking in Richmond, and it is supposed was drugged and robbed of his watch and $57 in money.

On Monday the regular terms of the United States Circuit and District Courts will commence in Richmond, and both judges Bond and Hughes are expected to be present.

Mr. W. B. Isaacs, president of the Bank of Commerce, of Richmond, has resigned, and Mr. W. G. Taylor, vice president, has been elected in his stead.

The store of Mr. Bootright, in Warrenton, was destroyed by fire early last Thursday morning. Fully insured.

Black bass and suckers are now abundant in the Shenandoah, and salmon and mountain trout are occasionally caught.

A petrified Virginia bacon ham has been discovered in Prince Edward, and forwarded to the University Museum.

M. W. GALT, BRO. & CO.,

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Importers of Fine Watches, Clocks, Bronzes, Fans, Opera Glasses, Fancy Goods, &c.

The latest designs in Pure Silver and Plated Ware for

WEDDING, BIRTH DAY AND ANNIVERSARY PRESENTS.

All the finest grades of

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Those of our own production have all the latest American and European improvements, and are confidently recommended as

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Goods sent for selection or examination upon receipt of satisfactory references.

Designs and estimates furnished for Testimonials, Medals, Prizes, College and Society Badges, &c.

1107 Pennsylvania avenue,
mh 30-1m WASHINGTON, D. C.

CHILDRENS'S CARRIAGES! CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES!!
We have received a well selected stock of Children's Carriage, of new and beautiful designs, and made in the best manner. We call particular attention to the PATENT SLEEPING COACH. We are selling these carriages as cheap as they can be bought in any city in the country. Call and examine.
McLEAN & UHLER,
mh 30 107 King street.

NOTICE—The fourth (4th) annual meeting of the stockholders of the ALEXANDRIA MARINE RAILWAY and SHIP BUILDING CO. will be held at the Commercial Exchange Building, TUESDAY, April 2d, 1878, at 11 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors.
mh 30-2t WM. H. BACON, Sec'y.

SOAP.

Having been appointed agent by Mr. J. E. Rose, I will commence the manufacture and sale of his SOAP at my place, near the corner of Queen and Pitt streets, where I will keep a large stock constantly on hand, and ask the encouragement of a home industry.
mh 30-2w JOB CORSON.

ALEXANDRIA GAS WORKS,
Alexandria, Va., March 30, 1878.
Bills for the quarter ending March 15th are now ready for delivery. As this is the last quarter of the fiscal year, consumers will please settle as promptly as possible.
mh 30-3t J. ROXBURY, Sup't.

5 CHESTS FINE OOLONG, JAPAN, IMPERIAL, HE-NO CHOP and GUNPOWDER TEAS received this day, which we guarantee equal to any on the market, and as low as the lowest in price.
mh 30 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

15 SACKS RIO, LaGAUYRA and JAVA COFFEE received to-day, all of a superior quality, and for sale at a very low price by [mh 30] R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.—T. E. Dulaney and Thomas Collinsworth having informed on the barbers, we give notice that our shops will be closed on Sundays, until our case is decided by the Corporation Court.
HARRISON JACOBS,
mh 29-2t For the barbers.

OLD BROWN JAVA—15 mats VERY OLD GOVERMENT JAVA just received from New York Steamer. This is the oldest and finest Java we have seen for a long time; special inducements offered in price.
mh 27 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

WHITE WASH BRUSHES FOR THE TRADE.
A large lot just received at very low prices, wholesale and retail, at 88 King st., cor. Royal.
mh 28 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

"IN TIME OF PEACE PREPARE FOR WAR."
LEADBEATER'S BED BUG POISON, Costar's ditto, Lyon's Magnetic Powder and Powder Guns; also Stonebraker's and other kinds of Poison for killing Rats, Mice, Roaches, &c., for sale by
mh 19 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

WE CALL YOUR ATTENTION AGAIN to great inducements and bargains in BOOTS AND SHOES.
JOB LOTS at one half the cost of manufacture. Ask to see them, and be sure you do not miss the place—110 King street.
mh 29 WADDEY'S.

ITALIAN MACCARONI and Vermicilli; also American do., very cheap.
29 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

SMALL MARYLAND BRAND HAMS—just received.
dec 11 G. WM RAMSAY.

FLOUR, of all grades, for sale low by
mh 8 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

JUST OPENED.—A fine and select stock of SPRING CLOTHING, remarkably cheap.
S. DEALHAM,
62 King st., cor. Fairfax.

ENJOY LIFE.—What a truly beautiful world we live in! Nature gives us grandeur of mountains, glens and oceans, and thousands of means for enjoyment. We can desire no better when in perfect health; but how often do the majority of people feel like giving it up disheartened, discouraged and worried out with disease, when there is no occasion for this feeling, as every sufferer can easily obtain satisfactory proof that Green's August Flower will make them as free from disease as when born. Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint is the direct cause of seventy-five per cent of such maladies as Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Costiveness, Nervous Prostration, Dizziness of the Head, Palpitation of the Heart, and other distressing symptoms. Three doses of August Flower will prove its wonderful effect. Sample bottles 10 cents. feb 23

RAILROADS.

[Hill & Co., Advertising Agents.]

BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILROAD. THE GREAT DOUBLE TRACK.
National Route and Shortest Line to the Northwest, West and South.
November 18th, 1877, 5 15 p. m.

A. M. LEAVE WASHINGTON.
5.00—Baltimore and Way Stations.
6.50—Baltimore, Annapolis and Way Stations, Strasburg, Winchester and Way Stations, via Relay.
†8.00—BALTIMORE EXPRESS,
8.10—Piedmont Strausburg, Winchester, Hagerstown, Point of Rocks and way stations.
8.30—New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Baltimore Express. Parlor cars to New York and Philadelphia.
†8.40—St. Louis, Cincinnati, Chicago and Pittsburg Express; connec for Valley Branch, except Sunday. Through cars for Staunton. Parlor cars to Grafton, and Sleeping cars to Louisville, Cincinnati, Columbus, Chicago Junction and Sanduskey.
†9.00—Baltimore Annapolis and way stations.
†10.00-BALTIMORE EXPRESS.

P. M.
12.10—Baltimore, Ellicott City, Annapolis and way stations.
†1.30—NEW YORK, PHILADELPHIA AND BALTIMORE EXPRESS. On Sundays to Baltimore and way stations only.
3.30—Winchester and way stations via Relay.
3.30—Baltimore and way stations.
4.30—Frederick via Relay.
4.30—Baltimore, Bladensburg, Laurel Express.
†4.35—Frederick, Point of Rocks, Hagerstown, Winchester and way stations. On Sunday Point of Rocks and way stations only.
†4.40—Baltimore, Annapolis and way stations.
†5.30—Philadelphia, Norfolk and Baltimore Express. Ellicott City. Passengers for Norfolk taken in the cars direct to boat at Canton. No connection on Sunday for Norfolk.
6.50—Baltimore and way stations.
†6.55—Chicago and Columbus Express. Sleeping cars to Chicago.
†7.30—BALTIMORE EXPRESS.
†9.25—St. Louis, Cincinnati, Louisville and Pittsburg Express. Sleeping cars to St. Louis and Pittsburg. Does not connect for Pittsburg on Sunday.
†9.30—New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore Express. Sleeping car to New York, and SPECIAL SLEEPING CAR to Philadelphia.

†Daily. Other trains daily except Sunday. All trains stop at Relay station.

W. M. CLEMENTS,
Assistant Master of Transportation.
L. M. COLE,
General Ticket Agent.
GEO. S. KOONTZ, General Agent. jltf

JANNEY & CO., Nos. 79 and 145 King st., Alexandria, Va., agents for ROCKY MOUNTAIN PAINT, mixed ready for use. It is the best known Paint in the world for freight cars, bridges, tin or iron roofs, out-buildings, fences, or will preserve old shingle and felt roofs for many years. This paint has a heavy body, dark red in color, dries quick, and will stand in any climate. One gallon will cover 300 square feet of tin, iron, or any smooth surface, and is the cheapest good mixed paint ever offered to the public. Put up in 1 and 2 gallon cans, all ready for immediate use. Price one dollar per gallon. No charge for cans. mh 29

THE PERFECTED BUTTER color, each bottle costing 25 cents; colors 300 lbs a rich golden yellow. It is entirely harmless to use, altogether free from taste or smell, and will keep for any length of time in any climate. It is used with no labor, as it is a fluid, and is mixed with the cream in the churn. For sale by
JANNEY & CO.,
mh 4 79 & 145 King street.

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

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 Rand's Celebrated Powder, in quantities to suit; also Shot of all sizes, at
dec 21 W. A. JOHNSON'S.

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.

PICTURE FRAMES made to order at short notice, of Walnut, Gilt and other Fancy Mouldings, at FERGUSON & BRO'S.,
mh 8 96 King street.

NOTICE—Sugars, Coffee, Lard and all other Groceries can always be had at the old store, 226 King street, as low as the lowest.
mh 8 R. W. AVERY.

CALIFORNIA BONELESS HAMS, Maryland Sugar cured Hams, Shoulders and Breakfast Pieces, choice, just received by
feb 28 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

WESTPHALIA BONELESS HAMS, very choice, received this day, Feb. 5th, and for sale very low by
feb 5 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

A CHOICE LINE OF SYRUP and NEW CROP NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES in store and for sale cheap by
mh 8 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

NEW YORK BUCKWHEAT FLOUR and HAND PICKED BEANS received to-day by
feb 7 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

LEWIS' PURE LEAD and other brands; Boiled and Raw Linseed Oil, Turpentine, &c., for sale cheap. PEAKE & NALLS,
feb26 cor. King and Columbus sts.

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.

CANDIDATES.

[*All announcements to be paid for in advance.*]

I ANNOUNCE myself a candidate for the office of City Sergeant, subject to the decision of the primary election, and respectfully request the support of my fellow citizens.
mh 30-te U. M. MONROE.

TO THE PEOPLE OF ALEXANDRIA CITY.—I take this method of announcing myself a candidate for re election to the office of City Sergeant. Two years ago you appointed me to fill this place in a manner so flattering to myself that I feel now, as I did then, that my best efforts could never discharge the obligations under which you have placed me. For that manifestation of your confidence and regard, I have labored to fulfill the duties of the office so that no one should regret the selection you then made, and, I hope I have done so acceptably to all. If I have met your approbation in the past and should receive your endorsement again I can only pledge a continuance of the same official conduct in the future. I believe I have discharged my duties to the satisfaction of the court, the attornies, the juries and all others having business relations with the courts as well as to the public, and in asking your renewed support I am confident that no dereliction can be charged against me. I have always endeavored to act fairly, to make no distinction, to do no injustice to any one, and to be an impartial public officer. I, therefore, ask your undivided support in the approaching election, and, if it should be your pleasure to elect me, it will be mine always to faithfully subserve your truest interests.

Very truly your obedient servant.
mh 29—te R. T. LUCAS.

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.

TO THE CONSERVATIVE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA.—Having been solicited by a number of my friends to present my name as a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Police, I take this method of announcing myself as a candidate for that office. I beg leave to refer to my past record as a conservative and to my fidelity to the party and its usages, to both of which I still adhere, and solicit the suffrages of the conservative voters of this city at the coming primary election, pledging myself to abide by the result. Should it be your pleasure to elect me, I will devote my best energies to the discharge of the duties of the office.

Respectfully
mh 27-2w* JAMES P. COLEMAN.

IN RESPONSE TO A PARAGRAPH IN the Gazette asking the use of my name as a candidate for election as Commonwealth's Attorney, I would say that the office in question would be a most acceptable one to me. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for that position, subject to the decision of the primary election, and earnestly ask my friends for their support. Respectfully, &c.,
mh 16-tf C. F. MARKELL.

I RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE MYself a candidate for the office of Commonwealth's Attorney. This announcement is made subject to the action of the primary election.
mh 13 SAM'L G. BRENT.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

SPECIAL AND IMPORTANT!

TO THE PUBLIC OF VIRGINIA AND MARYLAND.

We have purchased a very large stock of

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