

LOCAL MATTERS.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—June 18, 1878. In the Middle Atlantic States falling barometer, increasing north to east winds, cooler, threatening a rainy weather, followed to night and on Wednesday by winds shifting to northwesterly, rising barometer and warmer clearing weather.

A Happy Occasion—Banquet to Robt. Porter.

A few of the many friends of Mr. Robert Porter, who sails for Europe with his family, on Thursday next, entertained that gentleman at a banquet last night. At eight o'clock the company assembled in the dining parlors of the Tivoli restaurant, where Mr. Porter was welcomed by Mayor Kemper in a short, but delicious speech, which Mr. P. gratefully acknowledged.

Mr. James H. Reid then entered the room and presented Mr. P. with the following testimonial, beautifully engrossed on parchment: ALEXANDRIA, Va., June 17, 1878.

Dear Sir—The undersigned, your co-laborers in the material advancement of the city of Alexandria, desire, previous to your departure for the home of your youth, to express—first, our sincere admiration of you as a man in whom we recognize those just and steadfast principles of character as exemplified in your eminent standing in the community; secondly, our warmest pride in you as President of our German Bank, as President of our Building Associations, as founder of our Marine Railway, as proprietor of the most extensive industry in our midst, and as a successful representative of the business interests of the community; and finally, our warmest friendship for you socially.

With these heartfelt expressions, and a tender of our best wishes and prayers for a safe, speedy and pleasant voyage for yourself and family, we beg leave to subscribe ourselves as your faithful and attached friends, B. F. Price, J. H. Reid, T. V. Kishell, E. Francis, J. Schneider, Geo. E. French, Albert Stuart.

Mr. Porter accepted the testimonial in a few feeling remarks, after which the company engaged in conversation until the doors were thrown open and all invited to the banquet. The table was most exquisitely decorated, and the following menu will convey to the reader a better idea of the repast than can be described otherwise: Soup—Consommé a la Royal and Gascogne; tuckersoff, Roast—Ribs of beef, pig, turkey, tenderloin, sprig chicken and saddle of mutton. Entrees—Beef tongue, boiled ham, lobster salad, soft frits on toast, deviled oysters and dried crabs. Salads—Potatoes, a la mode, R. fishes—Worcestershire sauce, tomato catsup, chow o'ow, French mustard and mixed pickles. Fruits—Fruit apples and bananas. Liqueurs, etc. Cakes—Cakes and sugars. Antezelometer Gerstensaft, Gluminstengel.

After ample justice had been done the tables, Mr. Justus Schneider "rapped to order" and announced the toasts as follows: The German Bank, or "The Little Bank Around the Corner"—"May it prosper in the future as in the past, and ever remain as now, the security of the rich, and the friend of the poor man." Responded to by Mr. James H. Reid, cashier of the bank, who in the course of his remarks stated that since the establishment of the bank the cash clearing had amounted to upwards of \$10,000,000.

The Alexandria Marine Railway and Ship Building Company: Though struggling in all its ways, her offspring has no superiors, and but few equals. We hope, ere long, to add to the number. Mr. Justus Schneider responded, and gave a very flattering statement of the present condition and future prospects of the institution of which he has charge.

Our City Fathers: May they accomplish the good work already begun, and thereby release our old city from her thralldom, which event would secure to her a position in finances, like nature has endowed her with, second, in proportion to population, to none. This sentiment was responded to by Mr. E. E. Dowham, who concluded his remarks by saying: "I invoke you that we put our shoulders to the wheel and do something for the relief of Alexandria. Let our motto be, 'Ever alive to her interests, jealous of her honor, resentful of her wrongs, partaking in her struggles, and always laboring for her prosperity.'"

To the toast Our Mercantile Interest, Capital, energy and enterprise enable us to compete with any people, Mr. Isaac Eichberg replied, showing how Alexandria could be built up, and asserting that he was himself a living example that energy and enterprise were as amply rewarded here as in other places. In the course of his remarks Mr. Eichberg returned from the war he had then given them what credit they desired, and was proud to say that he had never lost a cent by any whom he then trusted.

Our Manufacturing Interests:—May the hummings, the saws and the clashing of various machines, never lose their din, until there shall not be a vacant lot from centre to circumference of this city, was responded to by Mr. T. V. Kishell, who gave a very interesting account of the industries in operation in Alexandria and the number of hands employed, and the amount of articles manufactured here from the raw material. Mr. Park Agnew replied to the toast: "Our Shipping Interests:—'May the black diamonds increase in numbers until our sail and commerce will float on all waters of the continents,' and showed what great advantages were possessed by Alexandria, as not only a coal depot but a most advantageous place for manufacturers of all descriptions, especially for iron. Our Executive Committee:—May they do their duty in the future as in the past, having an eye to the integrity of persons presenting offerings, as well as the money and property qualifications, was responded to by Mr. B. Francis, who bore testimony to the faithful discharge of the duties of the officers of the German Bank.

The Alexandria Building Associations Nos. 1 and 2:—May those organized in future have as good officers and prove as successful. Mr. B. F. Price responded and gave some very interesting statistics of the buildings erected, repairs made in the city, and showed that Alexandria was slowly, but surely improving, notwithstanding the dullness of the times. Our Examining Committee:—May they be as true as the scales they use to weigh coin, ever recollecting if there are irregularities, they fail to find them, they themselves will be weighed in the balances of public opinion, and be found wanting. To the toast Mr. Geo. E. French made a most felicitous response, most admirably imitating the style of Mark Twain, and keeping the company in a roar of laughter during the delivery of his remarks.

The City of Alexandria was responded to by Mayor Kemper in a brief but pertinent and most happily rendered speech. To the toast, "The Old Dominion: May she retain the title she so justly merits—the mother of Presidents and Statesmen, and may we in our enterprise be imbued with the same spirit as those of old." Mr. Albert Stuart responded in a speech, the classical allusions to which were very appropriate, and elicited the warmest applause.

Mr. Porter replied to the toast, "Der Fatherland: May her relations with us (U. S.) in future be as friendly as in the past, and to prove our fidelity, we point with pride to our Carl Schurz and Robert Porter," and after giving a brief, but very interesting account of his early life in the Fatherland, returned his thanks to the company in a touching manner for the uniform kindness that had been shown him since he first came into our midst.

MOTHERS! MOTHERS! MOTHERS!—Don't fail to procure Mrs. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP for all diseases of teething in children. It relieves the child, of pain, cures wind colic, regulates the bowels, and, by giving relief and health to the child, gives rest to the mother. mar 1-ly

Our German Citizens:—The typo of industry and perseverance. May their future be as bright as their past has been glorious. Responded to by Mr. L. Stein in a brief but not uninteresting speech.

The Press:—The lever that moves the world, the guardian of political right. May it ever remain a free press, was replied to by E. Snowden.

The gentleman present were then toasted and made appropriate responses, and the evening wound up with singing a verse of old Lang Syne, and one from The Watch on the Rhine.

A more delightful evening was hardly ever spent, and all regretted when the town clock gave the note for separation.

The table was decorated and the banquet supervised by Mrs. Justus Schneider, who was voted the thanks of the company for the elegant display of the entertainment and the great taste displayed in its preparation.

It was resolved that the company present escort Mr. Porter as far as his way as Washington, on Thursday, in a special car, which will leave the W. & A. depot at 1 o'clock p. m.

COLORED MASONS.—The regular annual election of officers of Eureka R. A. Chapter No. 2 Ancient York Masons, was held last night with the following result: S. Jackson, High Priest; Samuel Bolden, King; James Johnson, Scribe; Pompey Jackson, Treasurer; E. E. Bailey, Secretary; Wm. Throckmorton, Captain of the Host; Jacob D. Brown, Principal Sotjourner; Westley Tibbs, Royal Arch Captain; Michael Smith, Master of 1st Veil; John Starkes, Master of 2d Veil; Wm. Madison, Master of 3d Veil; S. Gordon, Chaplain; Robert Gaines, Sentinel; Grand High Priest, John B. Montgomery; Grand High Priest, of Virginia, then presented the Chapter with a handsome set of jewels, accompanied by suitable remarks.

This Chapter will join in the grand celebration of colored Masons in Washington on Monday, June 18th, leaving here on the 7 p. m. train that day.

THE RAIN STORM.—This section has again been visited by a heavy northeasterly storm of rain and wind. The rain, which commenced falling about three o'clock last evening, continued with slight intermissions, all night, and during nearly the whole of today. The streams in the adjacent country were all very high this morning, and the market people from the region south of this city were unable to cross Cameron road. It is feared that much damage has been done, but no reports to that effect have yet come in. One effect of the storm has been to bring business on the streets and along the wharves to a complete standstill, the streets being entirely deserted to-day except by those whose business compelled them to be out.

PRIZE DRILL.—The Cadet Battalion of St. John's Academy will have a dress parade and prize drill on the grounds adjoining the academy at four o'clock to-morrow evening, on which occasion the award of the very handsome medal presented by Major George Duffley to "the best soldier," as heretofore mentioned in the Gazette, will be made. The judges are to be Gen. W. H. E. Lee, Gen. M. D. Corse and Col. Arthur Herbert. The boys are very anxious to excel and to secure the really beautiful prize, and the drill will no doubt be a very fine one.

SUPPOSED LUNATIC.—Wm. Madella, colored, was this morning committed to jail by the Mayor, on complaint of his father, J. H. Madella, on suspicion of lunacy. He acted in a very disorderly and outrageous manner toward his parents, and hence the complaint. It is the opinion of many however that Madella's supposed lunacy is caused by a too liberal indulgence in whiskey. He is a frequent visitor at Police Headquarters, most of his escapades being directly traceable to the use of liquor.

POSTPONED.—Owing to the very inclement weather, the excursion of the officers of the steamer City of Alexandria, which was to have taken place last night, was postponed until Thursday night.

The excursion of the M. E. Church Sunday School, which was advertised for to-day, was also postponed on account of the weather.

MASHED.—A brakeman on the Virginia Midland R. R., named Thos. Sead, was caught between two cars and mashed, near Moily's Station, on the Daville division, two or three days since. The injured man resides in Lynchburg, whither he was carried, and is now somewhat improved.

THE WHEAT CROP.—The rain of the past twenty-four hours will, it is expected, prove very disastrous to the wheat, much of which has been cut, and lies in the fields. The farmers in town to-day say the grain will undoubtedly become heated by the warm, wet weather, and much of it be lost thereby.

Mother says the baby is fretful, but if the baby could talk, it would say it had pain. Relieve the pain by giving Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup, an innocent but effectual remedy.—Price 25 cents a bottle.

A. J. DITMAN, the enterprising druggist, corner of Barclay street and Broadway, N. Y., manufacturer and proprietor of "Ditman's Sea Salt" says: "I sell large quantities of Giles' Liment Iodide Ammonia. It is the best preparation I have seen in an experience of many years, and do not hesitate to recommend it before any thing of the kind I know of." Dr. GILES, 120 West Broadway, N. Y. Trial size 25 cents.

Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro. Send for pamphlet. IMPERIAL ENDORSMENT.—Owing to the perfect purity of DOOLEY'S YEAST POWDER, and its superior excellence in every respect over all other preparations, it has been adopted and used in the Royal households of the following countries, viz.: Germany, England, Spain, Russia, Denmark, Sweden, Italy and Brazil. It was long ago adopted and is to-day used by thousands of royal American households scattered all over the western world, and the high esteem in which it is held in this country fully justifies its introduction and use as above stated.

GREAT EXHIBITION OF DRY GOODS.—We will open this day the following cheap goods just bought at auction in Philadelphia at an immense sacrifice: 2,500 yards Ticking, in remnants, 15 cts. worth 25c. 500 yards do., in remnants, 20c. worth 30c. 1,000 do. Linceo Batiste at 15c worth 30c. 200 New desico Lobe Robes, 50c. 100 Elegant Horse Covers, (Linen.) \$1.40. 150 Marselles' Quilts at less than half their value. 208 pieces yard long Damask towels at 15c worth 35c. 50 pieces Gingham at 6c a yard, worth 12c. 30 pieces Marble Oil Cloth, 25c a yard. As these goods are all purchased at a great sacrifice we will offer them for sale for one week at the above published prices. After that time they will be put in regular stock. This week is your chance. All goods are marked, and on exhibition at T. EICHERD'S, and on exhibition at H. SCHWARZ, Manager. je 17-1w.

A disordered stomach is often the cause of headache, Lodiile's Headache Specific corrects the one and cures the other. Give it a trial and you will be satisfied. For Rheumatism use and you will be satisfied. For Rheumatism use Duran's Rheumatic Remedy. 3c.

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To the editor of the Alexandria Gazette:

"I take my pen in hand" to write a few words about a fellow who signs himself XX, Oza Nasby, "a fellow of indolent jest," and not unknown to fame, has converted X into a cross. If, therefore, one X means cross, double X means double cross, which expresses greenness in a two fold degree—"doubly green." What a lunny notion de plume! Poor fellow! Let us examine as to why he is so cross. First, he set out to curtail the city expenses by limiting the number of gas consumers, which is not the way the gas men do; they reckon that each consumer helps them to declare their fire dividends. Next, he sought to curtail the city expenses, and they gave his presumption the rebuke it is justly merited. Finding he had put his foot in it! he got cross, that is if being cross is not chronic with him. I do wonder if he knows how to take care of his own expenses? Minding other people's business pays so poorly that I reckon he often runs behind. He has lost his temper already, as I have shown, so a little advice, that most exasperating tonic, won't hurt him. I would, therefore, suggest that before he undertakes to keep down the public expense by the cutting off of its resources that he had better find out the way, lest he prove himself an ignoramus, and that would be such a pity!

I would further advise that he take the dose of "ovels," he so freely prescribes for others. It smells so sweet? But quacks never do take their own doses; more the pity, or the public would perhaps be spared the ill effects of their vile practice. In conclusion, would you tell this poor, cross man, that we, who delight in your valuable paper, are so tired of his rant and glib productions. Pray him to give us a rest, for whether as XX, or under any other name his effusions are such an offense to our nostrils that we are afraid they are infectious, in which case we shall get cross ourselves; from which may heaven protect us!

A canal boatman named Reed narrowly escaped drowning, by falling between two boats, on Saturday night last.

Opening and Closing of the Mails.—The following will be the hours for opening and closing the mails until further notice: Chesino—Manassas Division 6 a. m.; Alexandria to Round Hill, Va., 8 a. m.; Alexandria to Gordonsville, Va., 8 a. m.; New York city and the East 12 m., and 8 p. m.; Washington, Baltimore and Philadelphia at 12 m., and 8 p. m.; Western 8 p. m.; Southern mails, via Richmond, Va., 6 1/2 p. m. and 9 p. m.; Southwestern mails, via Lynchburg, Va., (through Martinsburg, Va.) 10 p. m.

OPENING—Northern and Western mails, via Washington, D. C., 8 30 a. m. and 2 7 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.; Lynchburg, via Martinsburg, 8 30 a. m.; Manassas Division 8 30 a. m.; Round Hill to Alexandria, Va., 3 30 p. m. SUNDAY MAILS—Office opens 8 30 a. m. and closes 7 30 a. m.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, JUNE 18. Sun rise, 4:38 1/2 Sun sets, 7:21

ARRIVED.—Str J. W. Thompson, Boston, to F. A. Reed, Jr. M. D., Nomin. to Jos. Broders & Co. CREAKED.—Str DeLancey, Philadelphia, by F. A. Reed. PASSED DOWN.—Schns Adams, Kennebec River; Gen'l Humphreys, Salisbury; Budd, Savannah; J. S. & L. C. Adams, Kennebec River; Wm Morgan, Philadelphia; R. S. Miller, Philadelphia; Henry Adelbert, Kennebec River; E. R. Kirk, Providence; E. M. Baxter, Eastern port; Almeida, and F. B. Ballock.

PASSED DOWN.—Schns Brezka, Hoboken; Clara, New York; Chas Dennis, Providence; Suroria, Dover, N. H.; Paul & Thompson, Biligport; Florence Dean, Providence; Currie Holmes, Jersey City. MEMORANDA.—Schn A. M. Lee, Georgetown, at N Y 17th. Schn Emily & Jenny, hence, at Boston 17th. Schn L. D. Estabur and Finny W. Johnson, Georgetown, at Boston 17th. Schns Stephen Morgan and John E. Sanford, Georgetown, at Dighton 14th. Schns Susan, hence, at Providence 16th. Schns Lottie, Georgetown for Plymouth; W. L. Abbott, hence for Boston; Wm Mason, Boston for Georgetown; Providence, do for do, all at Vineyard Haven 15th. Schns Sophia Godfrey, from Georgetown, D. C., for Gardiner, put into Philadelphia 17th for repairs, of what nature is not stated.

GENERAL COMMERCE.—Number of boats in the basin, but none have reported at the Collector's office to-day.

Monday, June 17, 1878. DRY GOODS.—ACTIVE SALES AND POPULAR PRICES.—We returned from the North to-day, and offer another choice lot of STAPLE and FANCY GOODS CHEAPER THAN EVER BEFORE. We are constantly in the market for cheap goods, and take advantage of all low prices. We buy our goods exclusively to cash, and receive the benefit of all trade discounts. We sell good goods at low prices. Call and see. D. F. HARRIS & Co., No. 100 King street, Alexandria, Va. je 17

EXTRA CHOICE DRIED BEEF, for salting and chipping, received to-day by J. C. MILBURN. je 18 PRIME EASTERN AND WESTERN FACTORY CHEESE received to-day by J. C. MILBURN. je 18 OLEINE SOAP received to-day by J. C. MILBURN. je 18

AGRICULTURAL.—HERBERT BRYANT'S ADVERTISEMENT.—We offer AGRICULTURAL ENGINES and complete outfits for threshing and cleaning all kinds of grain on the most favorable terms and at the lowest rates.

MALTA DOUBLE SHOVEL PLOW (genuine) at \$4. MALTA SINGLE SHOVEL PLOW (genuine) at \$3 75. MALTA DOUBLE SHOVEL PLOW PLATES at \$1 per pair. ROUTT'S DOUBLE SHOVEL PLOW PLATES at \$1 50 per pair. EXPANDING CULTIVATORS, new tooth, reversible points, \$4 50. IRON AGE CULTIVATORS, five tooth, reversible points, \$5 50. FARM WAGONS! FARM WAGONS! CHAMPION REAPERS and MOWERS. Special attention is called to the NEW CHAMPION MOWER, front cut.

WHEEL RAKES and HARVEST TOOLS generally. E. FRANK COEN'S SUPER PHOSPHATE, PERUVIAN GUANO, BONE DUST, GROUND PLASTER, &c. HERBERT BRYANT, No. 25 KING STREET, je 17-3t

WHITE GRAVEL FOR SALE.—The undersigned has at Budd's wharf, near the foot of King street, 100 BUDDS' WHITE POINT GRAVEL for sale, and will deliver it to any part of the city in quantities to suit the purchaser at 12 cents per bushel. Call at once and leave your order. It is not sold in small lots. It will be taken away. W. M. EVANS, je 17-3t On board Schn. John Francis.

From Washington.

SPECIAL TO THE ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE. WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18, CONGRESS.

The Senate sat till 11 o'clock to-day, and then took a recess till 11 o'clock to-day, when, upon resuming, an executive session was held. The House of Representatives, this morning at 3 o'clock, took a recess till 10 o'clock, when a number of District of Columbia bills were passed, after which

A motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill to repeal the resumption act, with the Senate amendments, was not adopted, the vote being 140 yeas to 105 nays, so the bill goes over till next session, and resumption will probably take place finally on the 1st of January. The House then, at 10 minutes of 12, adjourned till Tuesday at 12 1/2.

After the doors of the Senate were again opened the Civil Sundry Appropriation bill was further considered, pending which a motion was adopted extending the present session till 6 o'clock to-morrow evening. The House reassembled at 12 1/2 and passed a bill to confer upon the Court of Claims jurisdiction over all private claims which Congress alone cannot consider.

The Senate resolution making a further postponement of the final adjournment till 6 o'clock to-morrow evening, was agreed to. Mr. Wadell tried to obtain for the conference committee on the Post Route bill permission to agree or disagree to the Brazilian subsidy amendment without being restricted by the question of privilege between the two houses which Mr. Cannon raised last Saturday, but two thirds did not vote in the affirmative, and his motion was lost.

Mr. Dean asked consent to report a resolution appropriating money to bribe witnesses from China before the Committee on Expenditures in the State Department, but objection was made. Mr. Hale moved to proceed to the Speaker's table for the consideration of bills thereon. As the fishery award bill is among them and the President has threatened to call an extra session of Congress if it is not passed this session, much surprise was felt when the chair announced that two thirds had not voted in the affirmative, so the motion was lost.

The rules were suspended and a bill passed, which appropriates to Mr. Jas. B. Eads the amount now due him for successfully constructing his famous Mississippi jetties. The passage of this bill was greeted with applause. Mr. Eads, who had occupied a seat in the gallery, concluded that nothing more of great interest would take place to-day, and therefore retired to receive the congratulations of his friends.

A bill providing for the education of the blind was then read.

NOTES.—In the Senate to-day an amendment was adopted to the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill, making it a penal offence for the Southern mail contractors, prior to the war, to take from the Treasury monies for services rendered, that have been already paid them by the Confederate Government. An amendment was also adopted appropriating five and a half millions for the payment of the Halifax Fishery award. An amendment appropriating \$275,000 for the erection of a building, for a National museum on the Smithsonian grounds was tabled. The Brazilian subsidy was tried to be engrossed upon the bill, but the attempt failed. Secretaries Shurz and Sherman were on the floor of the Senate to-day apparently in five o'clock, and Secretary Keams, in the hour of the House, but looked as if perhaps as an owl. Several appointments of Justices of the Peace of the District of Columbia were confirmed by the Senate in executive session to-day.

A further prolongation of the time of the present session was agreed to to-day by both Houses, and there are those who think that further extension is not improvable.

AUCTION SALES.

PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Rappahannock county, entered in the suit of Turner, &c., vs. Turner's administrator and others, the undersigned, commissioners, will sell, by public auction, to the highest bidder, in the town of Woodville, in the said county, on the ELEVENTH DAY OF JULY, 1878, the TRACT OF LAND, lying adjacent to said town, of which Zephaniah Turner died possessed, and also TWO HOUSES and 1700 S in said town, one known as the Amis lot, and the other as the Stone House lot. The said tract of land contains 5773 acres, and is one of the most valuable farms in the county of Rappahannock. It is divided into eight fields and a large meadow, all under good fence, and with running water in every field. There is a good mill race, all the necessary out buildings, and a fine young orchard upon the said land.

Terms of Sale: So much of the purchase money to be paid in cash as will be sufficient to pay the costs and expenses attending the said sale, and the residue to be paid in three months to be paid in four equal annual payments, with interest thereon from the day of sale; said deferred payments to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with approved security, and retaining the legal title to the property sold until the whole of the said purchase money is paid; but if the purchaser shall pay in cash the whole of the purchase money, then personal security will be dispensed with. If the purchaser shall fail to comply with the terms of sale, then the land is to be resold at his risk.

J. Y. MENEFF, H. Y. FOPPETT, J. M. FORBES, J. F. STROTHER, R. TAYLOR SCOTT, Comm'rs. Rappahannock county, je 15-w1w

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—Pursuant to the decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, pronounced at its June term, 1878, in the case of Gamell's adm'rs vs. George H. Fox, administrator, and others, the undersigned will sell by public auction, on MONDAY, the 15th day of July, 1878, at 12 o'clock m. of said day, (Court day) in front of the Court House of said county, that certain TRACT OF LAND of which George H. Fox died seized, containing 87 1/2 acres, and divided into the real estate of which the late Gabriel Fox died seized; lies near Fox's old mill, now Wasp's; is well wooded, and the land under cultivation, susceptible of ready improvement.

Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will be required to pay the expenses of sale, and the residue on a credit of one, two and three years, in equal instalments; to bear interest from the day of sale; to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with good personal security, and a retention of the title until the last payment is made. THOMAS MOORE, Comm'r. of Sale. je 15-w1w

5 HERMES CHOICE BRAND SMALL HAMS received to-day by J. C. MILBURN. je 18 FINEST FLIES! FLIES!—Use the Italian Insect Powder, for sale by WARFIELD & HALL. je 18

A FULL LINE OF HARDWARE, for sale cheap. FRANK MALLS, cor. King and Columbus sts. je 18

PAINTS OF ALL COLORS, in oil and dry, for sale cheap. FRANK MALLS, cor. King and Columbus sts. je 18

NEW CROP "PEKOE CHOP" is just the thing foriced tea. For sale by G. W. RAMSAY, my 29

BLACK AGRICULTURAL PEAS just received at HERBERT BRYANT'S, No. 25 King street. je 17

EXCELSTOR LAWN MOWERS in stock at HERBERT BRYANT'S, No. 25 King street. je 17

CHOICE NEW CROP PORTO RICO MOLASSES received to-day by J. C. MILBURN. je 18

CAN VASSED HAMS, small and medium size. GEO. McBURNEY & SON. je 10

TRY OUR NEW SUG. P. W.—very nice. G. W. RAMSAY, my 7

AN UNDENIABLE TRUTH.—You deserve to die, and if you lead a miserable, unprofitable life in this beautiful world, it is entirely your own fault and there is only one excuse for you—your unreasonable prejudice and skepticism, which has killed thousands. Personal knowledge and common sense reasoning will soon show you that Green's Great Peppor will cure you of Liver Complaint, or Dyspepsia, with all its miserable effects, such as sick headache, palpitation of the heart, sour stomach, habitual constiveness, dizziness of the head, nervous prostration, low spirits, &c. Its sales now reach every town on the Western Continent and not a Druggist but will tell you of its wonderful cures. You can buy a Sample Bottle for 10 cents. Three doses will relieve you.

I HAVE JUST RETURNED FROM NEW York, and have now in stock as fine and select an assortment of Clothing and Gents. Furnishings as can be found in any of the largest cities, and VERY CHEAP. I can fit a child of six years and a man of 300 lbs weight. My Fine Dress and Business Suits are as good as can be made by any merchant tailor; and in Underwear my variety is complete, including Gauze Shirts at 20c, Lisle Thread Shirts at \$2, and Linen Drawers at \$1.75; two fine four ply Linen Collars for 25 cents, &c., &c.

S. DEALMAN, 62 King st., s. w. corner Fairfax.

BOYS' SHOES! Boys' Shoes! Largest and cheapest stock in the city. W. B. WADDEY, 110 King st. my 21

EXQUISITE WOLF QUARTER SHOES very cheap at WADDEY'S, 110 King st. my 21

IF YOU WANT A FIRST CLASS BOOT OR Shoe, of the finest material, best workmanship and perfect fit, go to WADDEY'S, No. 110 King street. ap 9

AN ELEGANT STOCK OF SPRING AND Summer Boots and Shoes for gentlemen's wear at WADDEY'S, 110 King st., Alex., Va. [ap 9]

EXCURSIONS, PICNICS, &c. SECOND ANNUAL EXCURSION

OFFICERS OF THE STEAMER CITY OF ALEXANDRIA. TO MARSHALL HALL, THURSDAY, JUNE 20, 1878.

These excursions were the most popular given from this city last year.

FIRE MUSIC engaged for the occasion. Boat leaves foot of King street at 7 30 p. m. Tickets 50 cents, admitting gent and ladies.

No gentleman admitted without a lady. MOONLIGHT EXCURSION for the BENEFIT OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL of the M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.

The steamer CITY OF ALEXANDRIA will leave her wharf, foot of King street, WEDNESDAY EVENING, June 19th, at 7 1/2 o'clock. Tickets 25 cts.—to be had at the Chinese Tea store, or from the scholars of the school. je 17-3t

POINT LOOKOUT EXCURSIONS. STEAMER SUE, Captain W. C. Geoghagan.

Will make an excursion from Washington to Point Lookout at Alexandria going and returning EVERY SATURDAY during the season. Leave King street wharf at 8 30 p. m. on Saturday, and arrive at 5 30 a. m. Monday. Fare for round trip \$2.

For further information apply to J. Broders & Co. Agents, Alexandria, or Stephenson & Bro., Agents, Washington, D. C. je 12-2m

LEGAL NOTICES. VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 25th day of May, 1878.

A. Charles Cazenove and Archibald H. Taylor, Administrators of the estate of George H. Taylor, plaintiffs, vs. William C. Yeaton, administrator of William Page, dec'd., and Ann Eliza Page, Catharine B. Page, William Page, Washington C. Page, Elias H. Page, Mary C. Page, children and heirs at law of William Page and Mary Page, his wife, dec'd., and William Washington, defendants: On original bill and bill of revivor and amendment.

Memo. The object of this suit is to procure the substitution of a new trustee in the place of Henry Winter Day, dec'd., trustee in trust to secure to Cazenove & Co. the payment of \$600, with interest thereon from the 15th day of October, 1870, until paid; to avoid and set aside the confession of said house and lot made in the year 1862, by the District Court of the United States for the District of Virginia, as well as the deed dated Oct. 22, 1864, from the U. S. Marshall, conveying all the title and estate of William G. Cazenove in and to said lot to William Washington; and to procure a decree directing the substituted trustee to sell the said lot for the payment of the said debt of \$600, with interest as aforesaid, and of such thereof as may appear to be due.

The defendants, Ann Eliza Page, Catharine B. Page, William Page, Washington C. Page, Elias H. Page and Mary C. Page, adult heirs at law of Wm Page, and Mary, his wife, dec'd., and the plaintiff, William Washington, do hereby enter 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 hereinafter in due season to answer to the said 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 also in the first issue of the Court House of this city. A copy, test:

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