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COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

CHAS. S. TAYLOR, Jr.,
(Late of J. T. Beckham & Co.,)
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT,
And Agent for
J. B. FICKLEN & SONS'
CELEBRATED BRIDGEWATER FAMILY FLOUR.
NO. 11 UNION STREET,
je 21–tf ALEXANDRIA, VA.

A. E. ADDISON. A. J. WEDDERBURN.
A. E. ADDISON & CO.,
DEALERS IN
FERTILIZERS, SEEDS and IMPLEMENTS
And Agents for
PITTS' SONS' CHICAGO THRESHER.
And the celebrated
TAYLOR STEAM ENGINES, ENTIRE ENGINES, &c.
Corner Prince and Union sts., Alexandria, Va.,
Have in store the "ELEWAN" and "CERES" FERTILIZERS, excellent for spring as well as fall crops.
Also Horse Rakes, Plows, Cultivators, Shovel Plows, Corn and Cob Crushers, all of the latest and best improvements and makes; also Kirby's and Wheeler's Harvesting Implements, consisting of Mowers and Reapers of different kinds, and Osborn's Self-Binding Harvester, all which they will sell at manufacturers' prices.
Also an EIGHT HORSE STEAM ENGINE and BOILER, entirely new, which they will sell at about one half the manufacturer's price.
ap 9–6m

ALLEN C. HARMON,
GROCERS, FEED AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,
CORNER PRINCE AND ROYAL STS.,
feb 1 ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Alexandria, Sept. 29, 1877.
I WOULD INFORM MY FRIENDS AND the public generally that I have this day made a business connection with the well known firm of HARLOW BROS., Grocers, Liquor, Feed and General Commission Merchants, N. W. corner Cameron and Royal streets, and would solicit a share of their patronage.
sep 29–tf F. G. SWAINE.

F. G. SWAINE,
WITH
HARLOW BROS.,
GROCERS, LIQUOR, FEED,
AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
N. W. COR. CAMERON AND ROYAL STS.
Liberal advances made on all consignments in store. sep 29–tf

THOMAS PERRY, Agent,
GENERAL
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
No. 17 King street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Agent for the sale of
ISAAC WENGER'S
CELEBRATED FAMILY FLOUR
jan 18–tf

PHILIP B. HOOE,
NO. 2 PRINCE STREET
GENERAL
COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANT
Dealer in all kinds of SHIPPING AND PLANTERS' FERTILIZERS, SALT
Agent of the GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIVERPOOL & LONDON &
feb 5–tf

W. A. SMOOT,
DEALER IN
COAL, SALT AND PLASTER
SMOOT'S WHARF,
(Foot of Princess st.,)
feb 21–tf Alexandria, Virginia.

R. B. LAWSON & CO.,
[Successors to R. M. Lawson,]
GROCERS AND LIQUOR MERCHANTS,
No. 67 Cameron street.
aug 3 ALEXANDRIA, VA.

GEO. WASHINGTON. R. J. WASHINGTON
WASHINGTON & BROTHER
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
NO. 20 UNION STREET,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Consignments of Grain, Merchandise and all kinds, of Country Produce solicited. Special attention given to all business entrusted to them. Prompt returns made. ap 24

BOOTS AND SHOES.

SPECIAL AND IMPORTANT

TO THE PUBLIC OF VIRGINIA AND MARYLAND.

We have purchased a very large stock of

BOOTS & SHOES

At a very great sacrifice, and will offer the same at our store,

110 KING STREET.

It is first class stock in every particular, and comprises every variety of Boots and Shoes, and will be offered at prices which we are confident will give satisfaction.

Our stock this spring will comprise a choice assortment of the latest styles, and every effort will be made to supply the best goods at the lowest prices.

The stock is large and fresh, and will be kept equally full and attractive throughout the season.

TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS and DEALERS we will make it an object to trade with us, being confident that we can save them a liberal discount on their purchases.

W. B. WADDEY,
110 KING STREET,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

WASHINGTON ADV'TS.

LUMBER! LUMBER!

WM. McLEAN
DEALER IN
PINE LUMBER, JOISTS, SCANTLING, SHINGLES, LATHS, &c.
ALSO OAK, ASH, WALNUT, POPLAR, RED CEDAR, CHERRY, MAHOGANY, MOULDINGS, &c., &c., &c.
AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES FOR CASH.
18th and B streets, n. w.,
ap 12–3m WASHINGTON, D. C.

ICE DEALERS.

ICE. ICE.

A full supply of
NORTHERN ICE,
from the clearest of water, and of unusual PURITY and SOLIDITY, constantly on hand.
Packing for shipment to the country a specialty.
Persons desiring to secure their summer's supply of the article, ABSOLUTELY FREE FROM ALL IMPURITIES, and at REASONABLE RATES, can do so by leaving their orders at my office, with my drivers, or with Mr. Wm. T. Emerson, corner Prince and Royal streets.
F. A. REED
JANNEY'S WHARF.
my 4–tf

ICE CREAM, SODA WATER, &c.

ICE CREAM.
My Ice Cream Manufactory, one of the largest in Virginia, still continues to supply private customers, Sunday schools, excursions, picnics, fairs, festivals and associations, as well as the trade, with that SUPERIOR CREAM that has made a name in this community, and is known everywhere as BRENGLE'S ICE CREAM. I could easily reduce its price by lowering its quality, but good cream, of fresh, pure, wholesome ingredients, cannot be furnished at a less price than I serve it. Of course, I could "grade my cream by the price," but my cream would lose the good name that years of fair dealing have won for it. I ask that persons abroad ordering "Brengle's Cream" from third parties will assure themselves that the cream sent is certainly from my establishment. I warrant my cream, and do not wish that inferior cream, sent out as mine, may injure its reputation. It is my aim to furnish the BEST CREAM IN AMERICA, and my customers are satisfied that I do so.
je 3–tf HENRY BRENGLE.

ICE CREAM! ICE CREAM!
TO THE CITIZENS OF ALEXANDRIA AND VICINITY.
I feel under great obligations for the liberal patronage extended to me since I commenced business in this place, an entire stranger, and heartily return my most humble thanks for the many favors shown me. I have decided to make ICE CREAM FOR THIRTY CENTS PER QUART, put up in paper, or $1.20 per gallon, packed in ice, and sent to all parts of the city. CUSTARD and ICES, of all flavors, made to order. How can it be done? 1st, I have secured a low rent; 2d, I pay cash for my goods; 3d, buy the best of cream at a reduced price; 4th, do away with hiring hands; 5th, make the cream myself; 6th, am determined to give full satisfaction. Picnics and Sunday schools supplied (ten gallons and upwards) at $1 per gallon. ICE CREAM and DINNER ROOMS No. 179 King street.
my 28–2m J. S. FORCE.

A. GLACHET,
WHOLESALE
CONFECTIONER
125 KING STREET.
LADIES' ICE CREAM PARLOR up stairs. Cakes and Pastry of every description, of my own manufacture, and Fruits of all kinds constantly on hand. Ice Cream and Water Ices, of the best quality, made to order and furnished to families, excursions, picnics, festivals and Sunday schools, or at my saloon at the cheapest day sch rates. ap 18

GENUINE SPRING MINERAL WATERS on draught, all ice cold, and at FIVE CENTS PER GLASS—Bedford, Pa., Vichy, Kissen-Bedford, Va., Alum and Iron, water glass. gen and Seltzer. Buffalo Lithia 10c
JANNEY & CO.,
my 7 Branch store, cor. King and Roy. sts.

SODA WATER—We are now dispensing at our Branch Store, corner of King and Royal streets, ICE COLD SODA WATER, with genuine and delicious Fruit Syrups, at FIVE CENTS PER GLASS. We cordially invite a call from our friends and the public generally.
my 7 JANNEY & CO.

CONGRESS WATER at
my 15 WARFIELD & HALL'S

FREDERICHSHALL BITTER WATER at
my 15 WARFIELD & HALL'S.

GEYSER WATER at
my 15 WARFIELD & HALL'S.

HATHORN WATER at
my 15 WARFIELD & HALL'S.

HUNYADI JANOS WATER at
my 15 WARFIELD & HALL'S.

SODA WATER at
my 15 WARFIELD & HALL'S

VICHY WATER at
my 15 WARFIELD & HALL'S

APOLLINAN'S WATER at
my 15 WARFIELD & HALL'S.

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

WATER COOLERS AND REFRIGERATORS
Just received by
STANSBURY & BRO.
Dealers in
STOVES AND HOUSEKEEPING GOODS,
Corner King and Columbus sts.
Tin Roofing, Spouting and all kinds of Tin and Sheet Iron work done.
Stoves received on storage. ap 9–3m

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

DONALD McLEAN. GEO. UHLER.
McLEAN & UHLER,
(Successors to A. H. Nott & Bro.,)
DEALERS IN
HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS, CUTLERY, PLATED, PLANISHED, STAMPED, JAPANED, TIN, WOOD AND WILLOW WARES,
(of every description.)
107 King street, Alexandria, Va.
N. B.—All orders from the country promptly filled. ap 2–1y

CARBOLINE! CARBOLINE! CARBOLINE!—Imediately arrests the falling off of hair; prevents the hair from turning gray, and gives the hair a rich and beautiful appearance. For sale by
WARFIELD & HALL.
je 1 corner Prince and Fairfax sts.

ITALIAN INSECT POWDER
Warranted to
KILL ROACHES, FLIES, ANTS, MOTHS, BED BUGS,
and all other species of insect. Price 10, 25 and 50 cents per bottle. For sale by
my 25 WARFIELD & HALL.

DRY GOODS.

WE HAVE RECEIVED A LARGE LOT OF SHIRTINGS, SHEETINGS AND DOMESTIC GOODS generally, from the late immense auction sale of Messrs. Wright, Bliss & Fabyan, of New York, and will sell, for a short time only, at prices considerably less than the same goods can be replaced at private sale.
je 24 PRETZFELDER & CO.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We have made considerable reductions in prices of SPRING and SUMMER DRESS GOODS, and would advise intending purchasers to call and ask our prices.
je 24 PRETZFELDER & CO.

WE HAVE received a great bargain in DRESS LINEN—warranted pure Linen. Ask the prices.
PRETZFELDER & CO.,
je 24 141 King street.

W. L. Baldwin,
(late with H. C. Slaymaker Co.)
W. L. Allen,
(late with J. M. Stewart)

6-4 FRENCH BUNTINGS, Beautiful French Organdies, Pure Shetland Wool Shawls, Madrass Dress Goods, Ladies' Neck Ties and Scarfs, with many other choice goods, received and for sale by
D. F. BRASHEAR,
H. B. Hoomes No. 109 King street.
Alexandria, Va.

June 20th, 1878.
ALSO A FULL LINE OF FANCY CASSIMERES, VESTINGS. Good goods at down prices.
je 20 D. F. BRASHEAR.

DRY GOODS! DRY GOODS!
ATTRACTIVE 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 down prices.
We buy our goods equivalent to cash, and receive the benefit of all trade discounts. We sell good goods at low prices. Call and see.
D. F. BRASHEAR,
No. 109 King street,
je 17 Alexandria, Va.

SUMMER RESORTS.

BOARDING—Persons desiring a healthy and pleasant mountain home for the summer can be a accommodated within walking distance of the White Post, where there are churches and postoffice. Address N. S. M., White Post, Clarke county, Va.

GLYMONT PAVILION.
This beautiful Summer Resort has changed its management, and has been placed in first rate order for the coming season.
Apply to S. F. SMITH, Proprietor, Power & White, 15 King street, Alexandria, or Brad. Adams, 812 F st., Washington, D. C., for open dates. my 9–2m*

ORKNEY SPRINGS.
FOUR HOURS FROM WASHINGTON, VIA BALTIMORE & OHIO R. R.
Round excursion tickets, good until November 1. Through Mark Wagonettes, in which to convey passengers from station to Springs. RATES.
BOARD reduced. The proprietor of Orkney Springs, fully appreciating business depression, offers the following reduced rates of board, graduated according to rooms occupied, and the number of persons in each room.
Board per day for one week and less than two $1 50, $2 and $2 50. Board per week for two weeks and less than four $8, $10 $12 and $14. Board per month for one month and less than two $30, $35, $40 and $45. Ministers, physicians and members of the press will be entitled to twenty-five per cent discount on the above rates. Children under 12 years and servants half price.
Families and parties numbering seven or more who desire to remain the entire season, can make special contracts at a reduction on the above rates.
The season will open on SATURDAY, the 15th of June, and close on the 15th of October.
All communications addressed to E. B. COLEMAN, Manager Metropolitan Hotel, until June 1, after that date to the proprietor at Orkney Springs, Shenandoah county, Va., will receive prompt attention.
ap 30–3m A. W. JONES, Lessee and Prop.

FRUIT JARS.
Received this day pints, quarts and half gallons Porcelain-lined and glass tops, Mason Improved and Gem Jars.
E. J. MILLER & CO.,
65 King street.

PAPER HANGINGS
AND
INTERIOR DECORATIONS
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.
JOHN P. CLARKE,
ap 19 No. 158 King street.

SALT! SALT!
LIVERPOOL GROUND ALUM,
LIVERPOOL FINE,
TURK'S ISLAND.
A full supply in store and for sale by
P. B. HOOE,
ap 17–2m NO. 2 PRINCE STREET.

ORANGES and LEMONS just received by
je 21 J. C. MILBURN.

BOOKS, STATIONERY, &c.

NEW BOOKS
A RARE OPPORTUNITY!
APPLETON'S ENCYCLOPÆDIA, new edition, complete set, in library binding, can be bought at a great bargain. This set is perfectly new, just from the publishers, and in the original wrappers. Call and examine.
PHYSICAL TECHNICS, or Practical Instructions for Making Experiments in Physics, and the Construction of Physical Apparatus with the Most Limited Means, by Dr. J. Frick; translated by John D. Easter, P.H.D.; 797 illustrations; 1 volume, 8vo.; $2 50.
POEMS AND BALLADS, by Algernon Charles Swinburne; $1 75.
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SEAFORTH, by Florence Montgomery; $1 25.
KATE WEATHERS, by Vaughan; $1 50.
THE AMERICAN EPISCOPATE, by Rev. H. G. Batterson; $2.
POGAMIC PEOPLE, Their Loves and Lives, by Harriet Beecher Stowe; $1 50.
CAMP COURT AND SIEGE, by W. Hoffman; $1 25.
AROUND THE WORLD IN THE YACHT SUNBEAM, by Mrs. Brassey; profusely illustrated; $3 50.
THE CLIFTON PICTURE, a novel; $1 25.
NEW BOOKS received daily.
je 20 GEO. E. FRENCH.

LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA—In the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 3d day of July, 1878.
Maria Skidmore, plaintiff, vs. Lewis Skidmore, Emily C. Skidmore, Mary D. Allen and Mary D. A. Skidmore, defendants. In chancery.
Memo. The object of this suit is to divide the estate of Andrew F. Skidmore amongst his heirs at law.
The defendant, Mary D. A. Skidmore, not having entered her appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that she 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 her 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.
John M. Johnson, p. q. jy 3–w4w

VIRGINIA—In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 18th day of June, 1878.
The Washington City Savings Bank, use of William F. Mattingley, Receiver, David Walker Lewis, J. Davis and John W. Magill, trading as bankers under the name and style of Lewis Johnson & Co.; James C. Hall and Otis Bigelow, for themselves and others, holders of notes secured by deed of trust made by Wm. H. Davis, who may choose to come in as plaintiffs herein, plaintiffs, against William H. Davis, Lucretia J. Davis, his wife, John C. Weems, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Joseph Dickinson Thorpe, Joseph Thornton and Ann R. Thornton, his wife, Charles E. Rittenhouse and —— Rittenhouse, his wife, William H. Marbury and M. Dulany Ball, trustees, S. Ferguson Beach, Francis L. Smith, jr., and W. Arthur Taylor, defendants. In chancery.
Memo. The object of the above suit is to establish a certain deed of trust made by defendant William H. Davis and wife to William H. Dulany, trustee, upon a certain tract of land in Fairfax county, Virginia, consisting of about 7500 acres, known as the Thornton tract, fully described in said deed of trust, which was executed about August 17, 1869, and recorded in the office of the Clerk of the county of Fairfax, about Sept. 14, 1869, and made to secure the payment of certain notes described in said deed of trust, amounting to $150,000, made by said Davis to the order of said Rittenhouse, and endorsed by him and said Joseph Thornton, a large portion of which are owned by the plaintiffs, as the first lien upon the said tract of land to procure the said property to be sold for the purpose of enforcing payment of the said notes held by the plaintiffs, to have adjudged and decreed certain alleged assignments of liens by Joseph Thornton to Joseph Dickinson Thorpe, and claimed by said Administrator of his estate to be the first lien upon said property to be invalid and void as to these plaintiffs, and to obtain personal judgments against said maker and endorsers of said notes for the amount thereof, with interest, and for the relief prayed for in the bill filed.
The defendants, Charles E. Rittenhouse and —— Rittenhouse, his wife, William H. Davis and Lucretia J. Davis, his wife, and Joseph Thornton, 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 resident 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.
Westel Willoughby and S. Ferguson Beach, } p.q. je 22–w4w

ASK YOUR GROCER FOR
J. B. FICKLEN & SONS'
CELEBRATED BRIDGEWATER FAMILY FLOUR.
je 11

CHARLES S. TAYLOR, Jr.,
Agent for
J. B. FICKLEN & SONS'
Celebrated
BRIDGEWATER FAMILY FLOUR.
je 11–tf

TO THE TRADE.
JOHN A. FIELD,
71 King street,
Is Agent for ALLEN & GINTER'S RICHMOND GEM CIGARETTES and other goods; also FELGNER'S & SON'S HERZEGOVINA REIN CIGARETTES. Will sell the manufactory PRICES. Call in and see for yourself. ap 22

VIRGINIA CLARET,
MADE BY THE
MONTICELLO WINE COMPANY,
of Charlottesville. Better and cheaper than most imported Claret. For sale on draught and bottled by
ap 5 R. B. LAWSON & CO.

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.

INSECT POWDER for the destruction of Ants, Roaches, Bed Bugs, &c.; also GUNS of the latest and best kind can be found at
ap 24 W. F. CREIGHTON'S.

DOORS, SASHES, BLINDS and all kinds of Building Materials. Prices reduced at
PEAKE & NALLS',
feb26 cor. King and Columbus sts.

A FULL LINE OF HARDWARE, for sale cheap,
PEAKE & NALLS,
feb26 cor King and Columbus sts.

ROACHES ROACHES! ROACHES!—Use the Italian Insect Powder; for sale by
je 1 WARFIELD & HALL.

5 TIERCES REFINED LARD received and for sale by
je 10 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

MEDICINAL.

VEGETINE
FOR DROPSY.
I NEVER SHALL FORGET THE FIRST DOSE.
Providence.
Mr. H. R. Stevens:
Dear Sir—I have been a great sufferer from dropsy. I was confined to my house more than a year. Six months of the time I was entirely helpless. I was obliged to have two men help me in an out of bed. I was swollen 1 inches larger than my natural size around my waist. I suffered all a man could and live. I tried all remedies for Dropsy. I had three different doctors. My friends all expected I would die: many nights I was expected to die before morning. At last Vegetine was sent me by a friend. I never shall forget the first dose. I could realize its good effects from day to day; I was getting better. After I had taken some 5 or 6 bottles I could sleep quite well nights. I began to gain now quite fast. After taking some 10 bottles, I could walk from one part of my room to the other. My appetite was good; the dropsy had at this time dissappeared. I kept taking the Vegetine until I regained my usual health. I heard of a great many cures by using Vegetine after I got out and was able to attend to my work. I am a carpenter and builder. I will also say it has cured an aunt of my wife's of Neuralgia, who had suffered for more than 20 years. She says she has not had any neuralgia for eight months. I have given it to one of my children for Canker Humor. I have no doubt in my mind it will cure any humor; it is a great cleanser of the blood; it is safe to give a child. I will recommend it to the world. My father is 80 years old, and he says there is nothing like it to give strength and life to an aged person. I cannot be too thankful for the use of it. I am.
Very gratefully yours.
JOHN S. NOTTAGE.

ALL DISEASES OF THE BLOOD.—If Vegetine will relieve pain; cleanse, purify, and cure such diseases, restoring the patient to perfect health after trying different physicians, many remedies and suffering for years, is it not conclusive proof, if you are a sufferer you can be cured? Why is this medicine performing such great cures? It works in the blood, in the circulating fluid. It can truly be called the *Great Blood Purifier*. The great source of disease originates in the blood; and no medicine that does not act directly upon it to purify and renovate, has any just claim upon public attention.

VEGETINE
I OWE MY HEALTH TO YOUR VALUABLE VEGETINE.
Newport, Ky., April 29, 1877.
H. R. Stevens, esq.
Dear Sir—Having suffered from a breaking out of *Cankerous Sores* for more than five years, caused by an accident of a fractured bone, which fracture ran into a running sore, and having used everything I could think of and nothing helped me until I had taken six bottles of your valuable medicine, which Mr. Miller, the apothecary, recommended very highly. The sixth bottle cured me, and all I can say is, that I owe my health to your valuable Vegetine.
Your most obedient servant.
ALBERT VON ROEDER.
"It is unnecessary for me to enumerate the diseases for which the Vegetine should be used. I know of no disease which will not admit of its use, with good results. Almost innumerable complaints are caused by poisonous secretions in the blood, which can be entirely expelled from the system by the use of the Vegetine. When the blood is perfectly cleansed the disease rapidly yields; all pains cease; healthy action is promptly restored, and the patient is cured."

VEGETINE
CURED ME WHEN THE DOCTORS FAILED.
Cincinnati, O., April 10, 1877.
Dr. H. R. Stevens:
Dear Sir: I was seriously troubled with Kidney Complaint for a long time. I have consulted the best doctors in this city. I have used your Vegetine for this disease, and it has cured me when the *doctors* failed to do so.
Yours truly, ERNEST DURIGAN,
Residence, 621 Rsce st. Place of business, 678 Central avenue.

VEGETINE
Prepared by
H. R. STEVENS, Boston, Mass.
Vegetine is sold by all druggists. jy 1–1m

FOR SALE OR RENT.

FOR RENT—The lady managers of the Alexandria Female Orphan Asylum offer for rent the BRICK BUILDING on the corner of Wolfe and Pitt streets, lately occupied by that institution. To a good tenant a reasonable amount of repairs will be made to the building and a moderate rent charged. For further information apply to J. W. STEWART or J. B. SMOOT. je 5–tf

FOR RENT—A BRICK HOUSE, pleasantly located, furnished or unfurnished, will be rented to a good tenant on reasonable terms. Possession given on the first day of May. Apply to JNO. T. HILL,
ap 23–tf Collector Taxes North. Dist.

TO LET—THREE ROOMS, furnished or unfurnished, with or without board. Apply at this office. ap 11–tf

FOR RENT—A SMALL COMFORTABLE DWELLING, No. 208 Prince street. For terms apply to CHAS. R. HOOFF, Esq., Cashier First National Bank. Keys at the telegraph office of the Virginia Midland R. R. ap2–tf

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

READY MIXED PAINT—Just received a supply of HARRISON'S READY MIXED PAINT, which is equal to any in the market for durability. Sample cards and prices on application.
ap 24 W. F. CREIGHTON.

FISH—No. 1 and Family Roe Potomac Herring, Potomac Shad, Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Mackerel and Scotch Herring, for sale at
J. C. MILBURN'S,
je 29 19 north Royal street.

BORDEN'S CONDENSED MILK, EAGLE BRAND—This is the purest and best milk for infants in the market. Received and for sale by
my 17 JNO. Y. GIBSON & CO.

CARBOLINE FOR THE HAIR—A new and elegant preparation, made from deodorized Petroleum, just received and for sale by
je 10 JANNEY & CO.

50 CENT CORSETS!
Best in the city at 50 CENT CORSETS
je 6 FERGUSON & BRO'S.

LACTOPEPTINE, an infallible cure for DYSPEPSIA and all forms of indigestion, for sale by
je 22 JNO. Y. GIBSON & CO.

SULPHIDE OF ARSENICUM for the COMPLEXION.—The above preparation is for sale by
my 17 JNO. Y. GIBSON & CO.

SUGARS ARE LOWER AT
McBURNEY & SON'S,
je 3 166 and 170 King st.

OAT GRITS and OAT MEAL, fresh, just received by
je 14 J. C. MILBURN.

SUGAR CURED SHOULDERS, choice, received to-day by
je 17 J. C. MILBURN.

COMPRESSED BEEF for sale at
je 14 J. C. MILBUN'S.

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GAZETTE BUILDING, NO. 70 PRINCE STREET.

One year	$6 00
Six months	3 00
Three months	1 50

ADVERTISING RATES.

Space.	1 w.	1 m.	3 m	6 m.	1 yr.
One square	$2 25	$6 50	$15 00	$28 00	$50 00
Two squares	4 00	11 00	22 00	35 00	60 00
Three squares	5 50	15 50	31 00	45 00	75 00
Four squares	7 00	20 00	40 00	60 00	90 00
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Jennings' Millions.

Morgan Hall, Camden, yesterday afternoon, was thronged with men and women. A meeting of the Jennings heirs had been called for two o'clock, and the hairs turned out strong. Everybody who has read newspapers has heard of the Jennings estate in England. Old Mark Jennings, afterward called the "Duke of Denmark," came with his countrymen to England at the time of the invasion, and settled in London in 1500. He grasped right and left, and confiscated so much property that when he died his estate was one of the largest in England. He had one son, John, to whom the property descended. John had three sons, Humphrey, Joseph and William. Humphrey was the eldest and inherited his father's property. He had twelve children. The eldest was Robert, who in turn inherited the estate. Robert had one son, William, who died a bachelor in 1778. All the descendants of the eleven other children had died before him, and with the death of William Humphrey's line became extinct.

The question then arose, who was the next in the line of descent to William? Of Humphrey's two brothers, Joseph and William, the former was the second son, and his descendants by law should have the estate. But these descendants had come to America, and, never dreaming of any fortune in store for them, got scattered. The estate went into chancery and after a time the Howe family, high among the nobility of London, established their connection with a remote branch of the Jennings family and secured a portion of the estate. But the bulk remained unclaimed. The Howe family tried to get it all, but Chancery decided that their connection was too remote to warrant possession of more than had already been given them.

The lands belonging to the estates were leased and the money put into the Bank of England. There it has lain for two hundred years or more, growing with compound interest till the amount now in money alone seems almost fabulous.—Every year the Bank of England sends official certificates to representatives of the Jennings family in this country, showing how much the money amounts to.

Last month the certificates showed the total amount to be thirty-three million three hundred and thirty one pounds sterling, or about one hundred and sixty million dollars. Besides this are the valuable estates in various parts of England.

To establish their heirship the Jenningses of this country have been holding meetings and subscribing money for years. Everybody they have sent to England to represent them, however, has proved recreant to the trust, it is averred, and enriched no one but themselves. Counter interests are on the alert in England, always ready to buy up any agent of the heirs.

About seventy of them sat in the hall yesterday. The bulk of them come from Southern New Jersey, in and about Camden and Philadelphia. The majority live on farms, some are business men and some laborers. A Solomon would have failed to trace connection and relationship by the various faces and features. Women predominated. Some were well dressed and others apparently belonged to the more humble walks of life. There were women with Grecian noses, women with short noses, black eyed women, blue eyed women and brown eyed women. Among the men appearances were likewise diversified. Some were sleek headed, professional looking men, others farmers, mechanics or laborers. Head to head they grouped together, compared notes, interchanged scraps of family history, tried to link up the chain of their connection and speculated as to their chances.

Anthony A. Cook, a stout man, with a smooth, red face, was introduced by the chairman, Wm. Ingram. Mr. Cook had proposed to the finance committee, since the last meeting of the heirs, to go to England and establish the claims of all that were good for $1,610 expenses and ten per cent. of the estate. The committee yesterday reported in favor of his proposition. Five hundred dollars of the expense money was to be held by the committee and sent to him in England should the other be insufficient. His first task, he told the committee, would be to search the records of Cape May county to find certain papers to establish the claim of certain branches of the family. He had no doubt that he could establish the claims of some. An association of so-called Jennings heirs existed in New England. They had a capital stock of $50,000, and had been trying to establish a claim. He was satisfied that they were not the rightful heirs and would not succeed. He felt almost assured that he would succeed because the claims of certain heirs, whose papers he had possession of, were just. He hoped to establish the claims without litigation, which he would not undertake unless convinced he should be successful. One of the first things that he would do upon reaching London would be to conciliate Lord Howe, the remote claimant. The Howe family was very influential in London, and if their good will and co-operation could be gained the work would be half done.

Mr. Beresford, a Philadelphia lawyer, who introduced Mr. Cook, took the same view of the matter. The meeting decided to send Mr. Cook to Europe as soon as the money could be raised. A constitution was adopted fixing the capital stock at $1,610 and the price of each share at $5.

The Messrs. Campbell, from Conshohocken, descendants of a daughter of a John Jennings, who was killed in the Revolution while fighting on the American side, near Burlington, New Jersey, obtained additional information in the meeting that is believed sufficient with what papers they already had, to establish their claim. This was in the form of an affidavit from a Miss Lydia Burroughs, of Bristol. She is nearly ninety years old and make affidavit that her great grandmother's name was Jennings and gives such information in regard to family and connection of her ancestors as agreed with that of the Messrs. Campbell. The next meeting will be held at Trenton, at the call of the finance committee.—*Philadelphia Times.*