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AUCTION SALES.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE—By virtue of that certain deed of trust from Matthew D. Woodward and wife to the undersigned, bearing date March 11, 1873, and of record on the land records of Fairfax county, liber P. No. 4 page 289, and at the request of the party secured, I will, on MONDAY, the 16th day of September, 1878, (Circuit Court) sell to the highest bidder by public aution, before the door of the Court House of said county, at one o'clock p. m., that certain TRACT OF LAND whereon the grantor resides, and conveyed by said deed of trust, containing 122 acres, 3 rods and 23 poles. This land lies about three miles southwest of Fairfax station, and has the usual buildings thereon.

Terms of Sale—So much cash in hand as will be required to pay the expenses and commissions of sale and the sum of $200 and interest thereon at nine per cent per annum from the 11th day of March, 1873, till day 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 lien on the property sold. O. W. HUNTT, Trustee,
aug 16-w4w Fairfax county.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the county of Fairfax in the case of Fitzhugh's administrator use of Ann F. Battsile against Ann R. Green, pronounced at November term, 1875, the undersigned, commissioners, will offer at public auction, at Fairfax Court House, on MONDAY, the 16th day of September, 1878, (Court day) a TRACT OF LAND, belonging to the defendant, Ann R. Green, situated near the Great Falls of the Potomac, containing 139 acres, being a part of the tract formerly belonging to Spencer Jackson the elder, deceased, and is of excellent quality—represented as fine farming land.

Terms of Sale—So much cash as will pay the expenses of sale and the sum of $411 40, with interest thereon from the 16th day of June, 1873; the residue in two equal annual payments, to bear interest from the day of sale, to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with good personal security, and a retention of the title until the last payment is made.

H. W. THOMAS, } Comm'rs.
THOS. R. LOVE, } of Sale.
Fairfax county, aug 9-wts

By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer.
(No. 56 King street, Alexandria, Va.)

BY VIRTUE OF DECREES OF THE Circuit Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, rendered at the November term, 1873, and the May term, 1878 in the chancery suit of Fairfax against Thornton and others, the undersigned, commissioners by said decree thereto authorized, will proceed, on SATURDAY, the 19th day of September, 1878, at 12 o'clock m, to sell by public aution in front of the Market Building, on Royal street, in the said city of Alexandria, Va., a TRACT OF LAND, in Fairfax county, Virginia, containing six thousand seven hundred and fifty-four (6,754) acres, in the bill and proceedings mentioned, being the residue of the original purchase by Thornton from Fairfax remaining unsold. The Washington and Ohio Railroad is located through the tract. A plat of the property will be exhibited at the time and place of sale, and the same offered in lots or as a whole, as may prove to the interest of all parties concerned.

Terms of Sale—Ten thousand dollars cash, and the residue of the purchase money to be payable in equal instalments at one, two and three years, respectively, with interest from the day of sale, to be evidenced and secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with good personal security; the commissioners to retain the title to said land untill the purchaser shall have paid all of the purchase money. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

S. FERGUSON BEACH,
FRANCIS L. SMITH, Jr.,
jy 13—2awts Comm'rs of Sale.

FANCY GOODS.

SPRING OPENING! SPRING OPENING!

Just received this day per express a beautiful and well selected stock of the following goods, which will be sold very cheap:
Ribbons, Ladies' Ties, Fancy Belts,
Hosiery, Gents' Ties, Buttons,
Ruffings, Fans, Corsets,
Edgings, Veilings, Rushes,
Coiffure Pins, Kid Gloves, Head Ornaments.

A beautiful line of Children's Striped and Plain Colored Hose, from 12½ to 75c per pair. An elegant three button Kid Glove, in light and dark shades for 75c per pair. All the latest styles of Veilings. Lace Handkerchiefs only 60c; Silk Fringes; the best 50c Corset in town, equal to what is usually sold for 75c, at
mh 27 C. C. BERRY'S, 72 King st.

C. M. ADAMS,

DEALER IN

Ladies' & Gents' Furn'g. Goods.

LADIES' DEPARTMENT.
Kid Gloves, Hosiery, Underwear, Corsets, Scarfs, Collars and Cuffs, Handkerchiefs, &c.
GENTS' DEPARTMENT.
Kid Gloves, Collars and Cuffs, Hosiery, Shirts, Handkerchiefs, Underwear, Scarfs, Ties and Bows, &c.
NOTION DEPARTMENT.
Cotton, Pins, Needles, Thread, Buttons, Edgings, Zephyr Worsted, Shetland Wool, Germantown Wool, Saxony Yarns, &c.
nov 8 C. M. ADAMS, No. 92 King st.

BUTCHERS.

OSCAR F. BAGGETT.

DEALER IN
FIRST CLASS BEEF, VEAL, LAMB, MUTTON, &c., &c.
CORNED BEEF A SPECIALTY.
Stalls—8 and 9 Centre Market, Royal st. wing.
Marketing delivered free of charge to all parts of the city. mh 29-6m

COPARTNERSHIP.

I have associated with me in business Mr. JOHN T. HAMMOND, and will continue the wholesale and retail Grocery, General Commission and Liquor business, as heretofore, at my old stand, northeast corner of Cameron and Royal streets, under the firm name of W. A. JOHNSON & CO.

Thankful for past favors extended to myself, I respectfully solicit a continuance of the same for the new firm.
aug 1 W. A. JOHNSON.

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.

A FULL LINE OF LADIES' LOW QUARTER SHOES AND SLIPPERS. CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST. A FULL LINE OF LADIES' LOW QUARTER SHOES AND SLIPPERS. MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Call and see at
je 13 WADDEY'S, 110 King st.

VALENTINE'S MEAT JUICE, Valentine's Meat Juice and Glycerine; also Tromner's Extract Malt, Malt and Iron, Malt and Quinine, &c., Vegetine, Giles' Liniments, Lactopeptine, &c., just received.
aug 2 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

HUNT'S INSECT POWDER, for the destruction of Roaches and Insects. Also a supply of INSECT GUNS received and for sale by
je 22 JNO. Y. GIBSON & CO.

ISAAC WENGER'S FAMILY and other choice brands of EXTRA FLOUR always on hand and for sale by
aug 8 W. A. JOHNSON & CO.

LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA—At Rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, on the 5th day of August, 1878.

Joseph Heimer, plaintiff, vs. Z. Jones, defendant. } In debt.

The object of this suit is to recover of the defendant $451 60, with interest thereon at 8 per cent per annum from February 7, 1874, till paid. Damages $400.

The deft., Z. Jones, not having entered his appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that he is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that the said defendant appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy, test:
LOUIS E. PAYNE, Clerk.
Claughton & Stuart, p. q. aug 9-w4w

VIRGINA—At Rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, on the 5th day of August, 1878.

Charles V. Gordon, plaintiff, vs. John Van Riswick and William W. Myers, defendants. In chancery.

Memo: The object of this suit is to avoid a deed of trust appearing on the deed records of Alexandria county, Va., made by Charles V. Gordon and wife to John Van Riswick, dated January 10, 1876, conveying the interest of said Gordon and wife in a tract of land in said county, near the lands of Anthony Frazier, and particularly described in said deed.

The defendants, John Van Riswick and Wm. W. Myers, not having entered their appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly, and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that they are not residents of this State, it is ordered that said defendants appear here within one month after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy—test:
LOUIS E. PAYNE, Clerk.
S. Ferguson Beach, p. q. aug 8-w4w

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.

AGRICULTURAL.

FOR THE FALL SEASON, 1878

BRYANT'S STANDARD FERTILIZERS

NO. 1.

Composed of 800 lbs No. 1 Peruvian Guano, 1100 lbs Ammoniated Dissolved Bone, and 100 lbs Muriate of Potash.

Analysis—Ammonia 5 per cent, Soluble Bone Phosphate 26 per cent, Potash 5 per cent.

Price $17 per ton.

NO. 2.

Composed of 500 lbs No. 1 Peruvian Guano and 1500 lbs Ammoniated Dissolved Bone.

Analysis—Ammonia 3 per cent, Soluble Bone Phosphate 30 per cent.

Price $12 per ton.

STANDARD GUARANTEED.

Our Formula and Analysis is branded on every bag.

My Sol. Bone Phosphate is obtained from Dissolved ANIMAL Bone. Not one pound of Charleston Phosphate or Navassa Rock enters into its composition. My Ammonia and Potash are obtained from the highest and best known sources.

HERBERT BRYANT,

Manufacturer,
aug 13-eotf Alexandria, Virginia.

SEWING MACHINES—DOMESTIC SHUTTLE, the lightest running and one of the best Sewing Machines now offered; also the Grover & Baker Elastic Stitch Machines, all at greatly reduced prices. A supply just received.
jy 18 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

GILES' LINIMENT, for Man or Beast Giles' Pills, Howe's Milk Cure for Consumption, and Howe's Vegetable Tonic and Pills, for sale by
jy 18 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

LEADBEATER'S DIARRHŒA MIXTURE, an invaluable article at this season; also Essence Jamaica Ginger, prepared with great care by
jy 6 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

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.

HARD RUBBER CUPS, in tin cases, very convenient for travellers; also GRADUATED MEDICINE GLASSES for sale by
aug 6 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

J. B. FICKLEN & SON'S BELMONT FAMILY FLOUR. For sale by
CHAS. S. TAYLOR, Jr.,
aug 7 Agent.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

W. A. JOHNSON. JOHN T. HAMMOND.

W. A. JOHNSON & CO.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCERS, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCH'TS., AND DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS. ALSO AGENTS FOR ARLINGTON BOTTLED ALE AND PORTER AND LAFLAND'S AND RAND'S POWDER.
Consignments of Grain, Flour and all kinds of Country Produce solicited.
Liberal advances made on consignments in store.
Northeast corner of Cameron and Royal sts., Alexandria, Va. aug 1

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.

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 R. HOGE,
NO. 2 PRINCE STREET
GENERAL
COMMISSION AND SHIPPING MERC'T.
Dealer in all kinds of
FERTILIZERS, SALT AND PLASTER
Agent of the
LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.
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

FISH, OYSTERS, &c.

WILLIAM H. SMITH,
DEALER IN
FRESH AND SALTED FISH.
FISH WHARF AND STALLS CITY MARKET,
would inform dealers and others that he is prepared to furnish them with all kind of
POTOMAC FISH
at the lowest possible prices. I would call the attention of buyers to the fact that my brand stands No. 1 in market at all times and I intend to sustain my reputation in that respect.

My stalls, Nos. 4 and 5, Fish Market, will be supplied with fresh fish every morning. They will be superintended by Mr. James G. Grimes, sr., and families can depend on getting the best, whether they come in person or send orders.

Persons at a distance wanting Fresh Fish can depend on getting them packed in good order.

All orders addressed to WM. H. SMITH, Alexandria, Va., will receive prompt attention.
mar 1

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

PRICES REDUCED.

I am now putting up SETS OF TEETH AT GREATLY REDUCED RATES.
Full sets from **$10** to **$15.**
Partial sets in proportion.
Satisfaction guaranteed.
Where sets are to be put in no charge will be made for extracting.
DR. FAWCETT, Dentist,
aug 10-tf No. 9½ N. Wash. st., Alexs., Va.

H. O. CLAUGHTON. CHARLES E. STUART.
CLAUGHTON & STUART,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW,
NO. 28 SOUTH FAIRFAX STREET,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Practice in the Courts of Alexandria, and the adjoining counties, and in the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia. sep 25

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.

NOTICE—ONE TEN CENT BOTTLE OF PERFECTED BUTTER COLOR will answer for fifty pounds of Butter. For sale by
W. F. CREIGHTON,
ap 11 85 King street.

FOR TEETHING CHILDREN—Winslow's Soothing Syrup, Godfrey's Cordial and Bull's Baby Syrup at low rates.
jy 22 JNO. Y. GIBSON & CO.

CHOICE OLD GOVERNMENT JAVA, MARACAIBO, LaGUAYRA and RIO COFFEES received to-day by
jy 31 J. C. MILBURN.

25 BBLS REFINED SUGAR in store and for sale at bottom prices by
je 10 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

HUBBEL'S SEA SALT, for bathing purposes, just received.
aug 2 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

CHOICE NEW CROP PORTO RICO MOLASSES received to-day by
e 6 J. C. MILBURN.

WOOD AND COAL.

WOOD & COAL YARD,

COLUMBUS STREET,
(Between King and Cameron streets.)

MILTON H. PRICE respectfully informs his friends and the public generally that he has bought the Coal and Wood Yard formerly occupied by A. S. Perpener at the above place, and is now prepared to fill all orders for Wood and Coal at the LOWEST MARKET price, and solicits a share of their patronage.

SAWED AND SPLIT WOOD constantly on hand.

Orders left at B. F. Peake's, corner Pitt and King streets, or at the yard will receive prompt attention. aug 14-1m

COAL! COAL!

We invite the attention of dealers and consumers to our large stock of CAREFULLY PREPARED COAL of the following varieties:
LYKEN'S VALLEY,
LORBERRY and
SHAMOKIN RED ASH.
WHITE ASH (free burning and hard) of steamer, broken, egg, stove and nut sizes.
Also GEORGE'S CREEK, CUMBERLAND and KANAWHA SPLINT, from West Virginia.

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

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

Dealers, families, public institutions and manufactories supplied at lowest market rates—per ton of 2240 lbs. T. J. MEHAFFEY & CO.,
feb 1 Wharf and Yards foot of Queen st.

COAL COAL
COAL!

On my wharf and to arrive during he season a full stock of
ANTHRACITE,
CUMBERLAND and
WEST VIRGINIA COALS
of best quality,
and well screned. I will be pleased to supply my friends and customers at lowest market price. Delivered at houses, cars or boats, per ton of 2240 lbs.
je 7 W. A. SMOOT.

COAL! COAL!

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

DRY GOODS.

NEW DRY GOODS.
D. F. BRASHEAR.
Thursday, July 25th, 1878.

We received per express to-day Lawns, Percales, White Goods, Table Damask, Towels and Napkins, Summer Suitings, &c., &c., together with the best assortment of Medium and Light Calicoes offered this season.
D. F. BRASHEAR,
H. B. Hoomes. No. 109 King street,
jy 25 Alexandria, Va.

FANCY GRANADINES and POPLINS.
Thursday, July 17, 1878.

We have in stock a line of the above named goods, which we are determind to close out at once at a great loss. Some of these goods are very pretty, and cost from 25 cents to $1 per yard. We will sell them at 12½, 15, 20, 25, 37½ and 50 cents. All Dress Goods Cheap. Call and see.
D. F. BRASHEAR,
H. B. Hoomes. No. 109 King street,
jy 18 Alexandria, Va.

REDUCING STOCK.
Saturday, July 6, 1878.

Bordered French Organdies at 12½c.
We are selling all styles of Dress Goods at greatly reduced prices.
French Lawns and Organdies with borders at 12½c, cost 27½ to 33c per yard.
Good style American Lawns at 8c.
Figured Linen Lawns as low as 8c per yard.
Good goods at low prices.
Call and see.
D. F. BRASHEAR,
H. B. Hoomes. No. 109 King street,
jy 6 Alexandria, Va.

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 24 144 King street.

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

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT TAX PAYERS.
Collectors' Office, Alexandria, Va., July 3, 1878.

The City Council of Alexandria having refused to extend the time for the collection of delinquent taxes, persons in arrears for taxes will have to call in the next five days at the Collectors' office, and make some arrangement for an immediate settlement; else the Collectors will have to proceed to the collection of such bills by distraint or otherwise.
J. T. HILL, Col. N. Dist.
S. K. FIELD, Col. S. Dist.
Office—Room No. 6 Royal st. front Market building. jy 3-tf

AMERICAN OIL CABINET

FOR LUBRICATING, BURNING OILS, NAPTHA, SPIRITS TURPENTINE, &c. The very best thing for the purpose yet invented; invaluable to retailers. Call and examine specimen Cabinet. F. A. REED,
Agent American Oil Cabinet Co.,
jan 10-tf Janney's wharf.

PRIME LEMONS received to-day by
aug 14 J. C. MILBURN.

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TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

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
Five squares	8 50	25 00	50 00	75 00	110 00
Quarter column	10 50	30 00	60 00	90 00	150 00
One third col'n	15 00	40 00	80 00	100 00	175 00
Half column	20 00	50 00	100 00	150 00	225 00
One column	35 00	75 00	150 00	200 00	300 00

Special contracts will be made with yearly advertisers.

Marriage and Death Notices fifty cents. Obituaries will be charged at advertisement rates.

The Yellow Fever.

A Grenada dispatch to the New York Herald say: The situation at Grenada to-day is more desperate and disheartening than that of any other period. The negroes who up to yesterday not been counted in reports are now falling victims in the dire disease. During the night fifty of them were prostrated, together with two whites, Miss Bishop and Mrs. Hood. The negroes all along have dreaded the disease more than the whites, but owing to their peculiar and well acclimated constitutions they had so far escaped. God knows where it will end. Now none of the nurses have died yet and those in good health have no fear of the disease. General Winfield Smith is working day and night.

Jack Miller, a Howard Association telegraph operator, arrived here to-day. He had come all the way from New Orleans to do duty here, but was so appalled at the horrible scenes that he fled from the place. Bill Redding, the telegraph operator here, who has been working night and day, says:—

"For God's sake, don't put Miller's name in the paper, for he may feel ashamed and return here. God knows I don't blame him for not stopping here. Were I out of this place all the money in the world would not induce me to return. I only stop here to serve God and the sick and dying."

During the night the following victims found relief in death: Miss Mole, Miss Belle Bishop, Miss Lulu Cook, three young ladies, members of the best families here; Hiram Jones, a well known silversmith, together with the negroes. At fifty minutes past eight this morning Mr. Friedman, of New York, breathed his last. At nine o'clock this morning Dr. Wilkins, a man who, while in health, had worked hard and faithfully to help the sick. Mr. Friedman, in company with his wife, was en route from New Orleans to New York when prostrated. He had passed the worst crisis, but like others had a relapse, resulting in death. His wife is still alive. Word was sent to the Howard Association two days ago asking for more nurses. They have not yet arrived, but are hourly expected.

The negroes attacked present a horrible and sickening appearance, while the sound of their delirious voices vibrates through the streets of the almost deserted village. The rooms where patients are confined must be kept at a regular temperature. Cold, damp weather kills all the sick. The skies are now filled with dark, threatening clouds. Cold winds are reported fifty miles north of here, and should they reach this point the mortality list will be a large one. The excitement in the towns along the road since the receipt of news announcing the breaking out of the fever at Canton is intense, and people who, up to yesterday, had laughed at the fever, are now making preparations to leave the country.

Outdoor work has been entirely suspended in towns and on the road from Cairo. Here and at every station along the line can be seen the black and white people sitting in the shade in earnest and serious conversation. Words can not describe the terrible excitement and fear which seem to have taken possession of all except railroad men. They are at their posts and seemingly pay no attention to the plague.

A strange sight to a Northerner are the negro brakemen and firemen on the trains. They are the only persons capable of standing that arduous labor in this debilitating country. Drs. Mandeville and Veazie are still attending the sick. Both are young practitioners, the former twenty seven years of age and the latter twenty-five, but both have had considerable experience in treating this class of disease.

When the disease first broke out the local physicians pronounced it bilious congestion, but on the 14th inst., Dr. Brown, of the Memphis Board of Health, arrived, and, upon close examination, pronounced the disease yellow fever of the most malignant type. Drs. Mandeville and Veazie, upon their arrival, at once agreed on this diagnosis and treated the disease accordingly. The three nurses prostrated may recover, as they, understanding the disease so thoroughly in the convalescent state, are more patient and obedient.

The various regulations of the towns which have quarantined are causing the railroad officials much inconvenience. It requires eight sets of conductors, brakemen, engineers, firemen, &c., now, where, ten days ago, it took but three sets. This is because the town authorities will not allow even railroad men coming from infected points to come within the limits of these towns. It is now when the busy time of the year commences with the merchants and the railroads, and the fever now prevalent will of course have a retarding influence upon it, but, nevertheless, the fall trade will be of vast proportions, and there are enough railroad employees ready to handle every pound of freight which offers, and so while the present may be a dull season in the Southern mercantile word, the late fall and winter trade will be a heavy one.

The tramp question, which has agitated the whole of the country and which has worried some of the best minds of our writers and thinkers, has at last reached a solution. The scare has acted like a charm. Not a tramp is to be seen, and the country is thoroughly cleared of them. Heretofore this has been a paradise for these individuals, owing to the mild winters and the good nature of the Southerners. Like birds of passage they go North in summer and return South in winter. Now not one is to be seen. Like Longfellow's Arabs, they have silently stolen away. Railroad men say that not one is to be seen on the road from Cairo to New Orleans.

Holly Springs, the noble city, whose invitation to those fleeing from the infection has been very generally accepted, now has two cases which were imported from Grenada. It is hoped that this plucky little town may succeed in keeping the disease from spreading in her midst. Her people are not afraid, and have not yet closed their gates.

The United States trops are quartered at this point. S. L. Downs, of Grenada, is one of the victims above alluded to. The people are still leaving Canton in hordes.

To illustrate the terrible panic reigning there it is only necessary to state that four days ago the place contained 4,000 inhabitants where to-day 125 cannot be found. Mrs. Conway and Mrs. Fulton were prostrated last night.—There are eighteen cases now there, but old residents say that it is impossible for fever to spread owing to every one having left the city except those considered plague proof. The streets were deserted at eight o'clock last night; not a human being was to be seen about the place. A great many of the merchants have moved their goods out into the adjoining country. Some of them have fled to Sharon, a village eight miles northeast of Canton.—Yesterday twelve cases of fever were developed, and they all were evidently imported from Canton. Canton lies on low swampy ground, between the Pearl and Big Black rivers. It is the richest town for its size on the Jackson route, and is the county seat of Madison county. It contains one of the finest court houses in the State, as well as a handsome theatre. The panic and the excitement seems to spread like wildfire and the inhabitants of the adjoining towns are terribly alarmed.—There is no fever near the railway depot; but on Centre street, beginning at Tunstal & Handy's store, there is not a single house occupied except those that the fever has broken out in.

On Fulton street, beginning at the Baptist Church, clear out to the edge of the town, there is not a single house occupied. On Academy and Semmes streets every house is deserted. Such a stampede was never witnessed before, even in war times. Yesterday wagons and buggies were leaving the place filled with human beings and light household goods. It is supposed the fever was imported to Canton from New Orleans by John D. Britton and family, who had fled from that city to escape the plague. Mr. Britton is a member of the firm of Britton & Mayson, large cotton dealers, doing business at No. 21 Carondolet street, New Orleans. Mr. Britton and his two children are prostrated with the fever. Mr. Steele, cashier in the freight agent's office of the Chicago, St. Louis and New Orleans Railroad, in New Orleans, left that city to go and nurse his family, some members of which were among the first victims, and he is now down with it. He reached there on Monday last, August 19.

At this hour (midnight) the weather is clearing. There was a slight shower about five p.m., and while this had no very severe effect it still caused some uneasiness among both the sick and the well. The clouds and the absence of sunshine, even when not accompanied with rain, have a certain depressing influence, and especially so in yellow fever cases. Entire freedom from everything irritating is one of the desideratum in nursing the sick, as the fever makes them fretful and exceedingly nervous, and, if suddenly shocked, hard to manage. Then when the clouds are low and the air is light the germs of the disease spread at a rapid rate.

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