

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—Jan. 30, 1879.—For the Middle States clear or fair weather, northerly to westerly winds, slight rise in temperature, and no decided change in barometer.

BISHOP KEANE'S LECTURE.—Satephra Hall was crowded last night on the occasion of Bishop Keane's lecture, the reputation of the lecturer, equally with the object of the lecture, overcoming the well known indisposition of our people to attend lectures of any sort.

He then announced the subject of his lecture, "God's Voice in the World." Many have said, "God's voice is to be heard in the Bible, and as no time within the past century was the public mind more excited on the matter than now, the periodicals of the day show this, for they seem with anxiety upon the subject. That man, by his unaided reason, could not answer the questions he most desired to know; he, therefore, stood in need of a revelation from on high. Had such a revelation been made? If so, it was to be sought for in the far off ages of the past, for man had just as much need and desire for it then as now.

Research had shown that there were three tribes which peopled the earth in the dim dawn of history, and that they all lived in Asia. One of these, from some cause or other, had been considered inferior to the other two and had produced no literature. The Aryans, our progenitors, had wandered away over Europe and Lower Asia, and in their writings, the earliest now extant, the Rig Veda, the unity of God and the purest morality were clearly taught, but successive ages had written at different epochs had shown corruption and obscuration, and to these writings we could not look as to the Voice of God in the World. The Semitic race, dwelling in the original home of man, had, on the contrary, preserved its traditions unchanged. The Hebrew of the past was the Hebrew of today, and from him we gain our knowledge of the revelation. The Bishop then passed to review the philosophers of Greece and Rome, and those of Germany, France, and England, to show that their philosophy was unsatisfactory, even to themselves, and demonstrated from their failure to give a satisfactory answer to the questions of the soul, the necessity of revelation, which, he said, was not dependent on reason, as some imagined, but needed by aid auxiliary to it. He then took up that revelation, and argued that it was worthy of the God who made it, it must be clear and certain. It had been made originally to the Hebrew people, through the patriarchs and prophets, until, in the fulness of time, God had sent into the world, His only Son, His teachings. He had manifested to faithful followers, and had promised them assistance and the gift of His Spirit to guide them, as a spring from His continued presence with them as long as time should last. As His teachings were infallible, so must theirs be, if they were His messengers to men, for a Divine teaching must, of necessity, exclude the possibility of error. He knew that the very mention of infallibility, in the days of the non-crowd back as it were, and it was said that submission to an infallible authority violated the rights of man. Could that be so? Did the fact that he knew, unfortunately, that three times three make nine, and five plus five ten, or did not, require the recognition of a certain, infallible authority, make the mind truly free? If then proceeded to argue that as there was no other body upon earth even claiming infallibility except the Roman Catholic Church, that church is the exponent of Divine truth, the Voice of God in the World. It was said that infallibility is necessarily intolerant; that was true; truth could not be tolerant, in a moral sense, of error; but it was meant that physical intolerance was its characteristic, it was not so. In the ages of the past such intolerance was regarded as proper by mankind, and was resorted to by people of all creeds, and to harp upon these things now, after they have passed away, served only to stir up strife. Finally, he alluded to the comparison which had been made between an infallible church and an infallible book, that comparison was false and erro. The patriarchs and prophets of old had received part of their message to men by Divine inspiration; so had the first teachers of Christian truth; but this by no means derogated from the authority of their oral teaching. Nowhere did the Holy Scriptures declare that they alone were God's Voice in the World, on the contrary it was distinctly said that the unlearned and unskilled might wrest them to their own destruction. The church, therefore, was the interpreter of the written word, and both were infallible and inseparable.

The Bishop was listened to for an hour and a quarter with undivided interest and attention, and all, whether agreeing or not with his conclusions, pronounced the lecture a masterpiece of eloquence. We had expected to secure a more exact report, but having been disappointed, can give only the above sketch from the pen of a gentleman who wrote it entirely from memory, having taken no notes. It is unnecessary to say that it is far from doing justice to the lecturer.

PERSONAL.—Messrs. S. C. Neal and Haden Kent, of this city, arrived in New York yesterday, on the steamer P. R. from St. Croix, where they have been on business connected with claims of American citizens against the Danish Government for the destruction of property during the insurrection on that island. It is the intention of Mr. Neal's friends to send him on his arrival here on Saturday night.

DR. NORTON'S LECTURE.—Rev. Dr. Norton continued his series of lectures in the Book of Common Prayer in the lecture room of St. Paul's Church last night, a larger audience than usual being in attendance. He took up the Apostolic Creed which he explained up to a concise but most satisfactory manner, instructing and delighting all who heard him.

COUNTY COURT.—Judge James Sangster presiding.—Herbert, assignee, vs. Cramer & Wright; distress for rent; jury returned a verdict for defendants. Plaintiff moved to set aside the verdict and grant a new trial, and the court took time to consider. Court adjourned till court in course.

LOCAL BREVITIES.—The U. S. steamer Tallapoosa, from Norfolk for the Washington Navy Yard, passed up this morning.

The steamer John W. Thompson returned her regular trips to the river landing this morning.

"Be candid, doctor," said the patient, when found with a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. "You know it is a good medicine," and the M. D. left in disgust.

FOR BAKING PANS, CAKE PANS, PIE PANS; Oyster Cans, Cake Cutters, Tin Tops, or anything in the tinware line, call on Stansbury & Bro., corner King and Columbus sts. dec 21

A BOWL FROM SECOND BASE.—Harry Shafer, the second base of the Boston Club, fell and dislocated his knee cap a little while ago. He says that he owes his almost immediate recovery to Giles' Linctoid Iodide Ammonia. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro. Trial size 25 cents. Dr. Giles, 120 West Broadway.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Senator Isaac P. Christopher, of Michigan, has been nominated for Minister Plenipotentiary to Peru, and was yesterday confirmed by the Senate.

Vice President K. V. of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, believes that the Virginia Legislature will not venture to vacate the charter of the Valley Railroad.

William E. Merrick and John Ashby were executed yesterday at Indianapolis, the former for shooting George Leggett, a fellow gambler, and the latter for poisoning his wife.

A dwelling in Rahway, N. J., was set on fire Tuesday night and destroyed. The old fire department refused to turn out, and the new companies were not strong enough to draw the fire engine.

The Legislature of Tennessee has finally passed the bill repealing the charter of Memphis and remanding it to the Territory of Tennessee, and providing for its local government as a territorial district.

The New York nominations were not considered in the executive session of the Senate yesterday, a postponement having been agreed upon to await the reply of Secretary Sherman to Gen. Arthur's letter.

A bill was introduced in the Pennsylvania House of Representatives at Harrisburg yesterday to abolish capital punishment, and substitute solitary confinement for life at hard labor for murder in the first degree.

In the Davenport examination before the congressional committee at New York, yesterday, testimony was taken to show that the loss to the democrats on last election day by Davenport's arrests was between \$1,000 and 10,000 votes.

The first ballot for a United States Senator in the Kansas Legislature yesterday stood: Logan, 63; Anthony, 20; Gooden, dem., 22; Mitchell, greenback, 18; Simpson, 17; Phillips 14; Campbell, 4; Horton, 2; Pomeroy, 2. It requires 55 votes to elect.

The United States consul at Tampico, Mexico, writes under date of 20th inst. that a steamer 60 or 70 feet in length, with a crew and all the contents of a voyage, has been found by the Indians in the woods at Oahuama. The Indians appropriated the property and divided the spoil.

Elisha Whipple, a well known farmer of Northern Ohio, was shot and killed on Tuesday by a neighbor, Patrick Dunn. Dunn accused Whipple of improper relations with his daughter, from whom he was divorced, and also of investigating his arrest for arson two years ago.

REMARKABLE REDUCTION.—Acy one not familiar with the present prices would do well to call at Isaac Eichberg's this and next week. This house is just doing its best and is up to the times. They have opened this day some Sixty Cases of Domestic, Muslins and Notions. All hands are busy making them ready. Such a big lot of goods, wet and dry, has not been seen here for many a day. Mr. Schwartz has been north for two weeks, and has picked up some of the best bargains known for some time. As we have all goods piled up inside and marked in plain figures, we would ask you to look in time before the goods are all gone. For particulars call and look around in time. Jan 30. ISAAC EICHBERG.

REDUCTIONS EXTRAORDINARY.—OFFERS and URGES for men, youths, boys and children from \$2.50 up to \$30, at Kozzostein's, 310 Seventh street, Washington, D. C.

MAKE NO MISTAKE.—In DOOLEY'S YEAST POWDER you get the best articles of the kind in the world. The cans and bottles are always full weight, and the article itself the purest and strongest possible, so that a smaller quantity will do as much good. Do you want your tanking water polluted? Don't fall then to the DOOLEY'S YEAST POWDER.

FORWARDS OF THIRTY YEARS Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children. It cures colic of the stomach, relieves wind and pain, regulates the bowels, cures dysentery and diarrhea, whether arising from teething or other causes. An old and well tried remedy. 25 cents a bottle. e 22-11

TRUSTEES SALE OF LAND.—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Westmoreland county, as trustee in a deed to me executed by John C. Cramer, of record in the office of the clerk of said county, I will offer at public auction, on the premises, on SATURDAY, the 5th day of April, 1879, at noon, at the dwelling house, that large and valuable estate known as POPPE'S GREEN, being in the upper part of the aforesaid county, and lying on the Potomac river containing about SIXTEEN HUNDRED ACRES. And should said land not bring an amount sufficient to pay the debts secured by said mortgage, and the costs and charges of said sale, I will then offer that portion of the original tract contained to be sold by Cramer to Miller.

Terms of sale: One third cash; the residue in two equal installments at one and two years, with interest from date, secured by bonds, and return of said title, subject to order of court.

The title is known to be indisputable, but selling as trustee, warranty is special. For further information parties may apply to R. J. Washington, Oak Grove P. O., or to the undersigned at Hagley. W. L. T. BEALE, Trustee. Westmoreland co., Jan 30-15

DRY GOODS CHEAP.—January 10th, 1879. We are about completing our inventory, and now offer all goods in store at unprecedented low prices, in order to reduce stock and make room for large Spring and Summer purchases. Remnants of Dress Goods, Cassimeres, Percales, shirtings, etc., etc., at half price. White Kid Gloves at 10c per pair. We are agents for Mac. Demers's Reliable Pattens. D. F. BRASHEAR, No. 109 King street, Alexandria, Va. Jan 30

TEAS! TEAS! Choice Gunpowder, Oolong, Japan and English Breakfast teas for sale at J. C. MILBURN'S, 15 N. Royal St. Jan 30

MILK LOAVES, Coburg and other varieties of bread, fresh every day, for sale by J. C. MILBURN, Jan 30

ARMENIAN AND MECHANICS' SAVINGS BANK OF ALEXANDRIA, Va. No. 151 King street, Alexandria, Va. Jan 18th, 1879.

A DIVIDEND OF SEVEN PER CENT will be paid depositors in this Bank on the FIRST OF FEBRUARY next. Depositors will leave their pass books at the Bank of the Western Banking Co., so that the proper entries may be made thereon. JAS. H. REID, Jan 18-14 Receiver for & Sec. Sav. Bank.

BEST AND CHEAPEST COW FEED. 200 BUSHELS OF FRESH GRAINS AT PORTER'S BREWERY EVERY DAY until May 1st at the reduced price of 12 bushels for \$1. Contracts can be made. Jan 20 J. C. MILBURN.

VIRGINIA BAKERY, SOUTH FAIRFAX STREET. BREAD! BREAD! BREAD! NEW PROCESS, SWEET AND DELICIOUS, RETAINING ITS EXCELLENCY AND FRESHNESS FOR SEVERAL DAYS. JAS. T. CRUMP, Jan 20

NOTICE.—All organizations, trades and business firms wishing to take part in the parade of February 23rd, are requested to report to my aid, Mr. E. W. Ellis, at the store of Lunt & Davidson, between now and February 23rd. Jan 21-14 JAS. M. STEUART, Chief Mar.

CATARRH CIGARETTES.—Contain no tobacco; the best remedy for Catarrh. L. STABLE & CO. Jan 23

CUCUMBER PICKLES, in vinegar, firm, just received by J. C. MILBURN, Jan 25

VIRGINIA NEWS.

Rev. Mr. Wilson, of the Catholic Church, Paterfamilias, is in feeble health, and has almost entirely lost his voice.

The readjusters of Orange county at the last court day appointed delegates to the convention to be held in Richmond on the 25th of February.

Two indictments have been found against liquor dealers in Warrenton for selling to minors. Prof. A. G. Smith, the principal of Bethel Academy, is pushing this matter, determined that his boys shall not drink whiskey.

The Committee on Branchment and Reform of the House of Delegates has reported a bill reducing the salary of Dr. Ruffier from \$2,000 to \$1,600. The Senate Committee on Branchment, &c., has agreed to report a bill allowing an additional clerk to the Secretary of the Commonwealth at a salary of \$500.

A letter from Warrenton in the Richmond State says: "What is looking badly in this section, and were it not for sheep and cattle, our two staples, the farmers would be in a bad condition. Poor crops and worse prices are causing a gloom over our usually buoyant people."

Wm. T. Early and his daughter, Mrs. Mary L. Waring, died in Madison county on Saturday last within a few hours of each other. Mr. Early was born in Madison county on the 18th day of March, 1819. He was a lawyer by profession, and enjoyed a large and lucrative practice. At one time he represented this district in the State Senate, and was a member of the National Convention which nominated Mr. Breckinridge in 1860. Mrs. Waring was the widow of Col. J. F. Waring, of Savannah, Ga.

At the present time of the Fauquier County Court among the cases called was that of the Commonwealth vs. Walton, charged with cattle stealing. Walton has had four trials, having been twice convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary for a term of years, and the juries have twice failed to agree. At his last trial Walton was sentenced to imprisonment for 2 years in the penitentiary. The case was carried to the Court of Appeals upon a bill of exceptions to the ruling of the county judge, and remanded for a new trial back to the County Court. And now upon application by counsel for the defendant to Colquhoun county, Walton has been committed to jail almost a year, and has spent two or three thousand dollars defending himself.

A Golden Wedding.—A most delightful golden wedding was celebrated on Monday evening, Jan. 13, at the residence of Mr. Jonathan T. Patton, No. 314 East 30th street. It was the fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. Patton to Miss Ann Foster Smith, daughter of the late Jonathan Swift, of Alexandria, Va., and late granddaughter of Gen. Daniel R. Bates, of the Revolutionary army; and the fortunate couple, in a happy old age, gathered their children and grand children around them. The house was beautifully decorated with floral offerings. Contributions among these was a large heart containing two other hearts, on each of which, with fragrant violets, were traced the figures 1829; while their golden counterpart, 1879, rested upon a glowing scroll beneath. A golden hush-hush hung above the parlor doors, and underneath this the same significant figures, formed of red roses, surrounded by living hands, made half a century of married life seem in the retrospect like those charmed days of Jacob's life, of which we read, "They seemed to him but a few days for the love." Rev. Geo. S. Payne contributed to the interest of the occasion by repeating in part the ceremony which, fifty years ago, united this venerable couple. He recalled to their minds "the goodness and mercy which had followed them all the days of their lives," and pointed to the radiant hopes with which, as Christian believers, they look forward to the grave. A heavy gold ring was presented by the bridegroom to his bride, and placed upon her finger beside the wedding ring now worn this with age.

Mr. Patton was for more than forty years a merchant in this city. In 1812 he was chosen Captain to assist in building Fort Independence in Boston harbor, and recollects the celebrated philanthropist, Gen. Kearney, as being a member of his company. His banner was inscribed with the legend, "Millions for defence, but not one cent for tribute." Mr. Patton will be remembered by many of the old merchants of this city as a man of remarkable energy and of great integrity in all his business relations. The father of Miss Smith was a neighbor and particular friend of George Washington. Their estates were divided only by a fence, and it was the privilege of Mr. Swift, not only to receive the last letter which Washington ever wrote, but that the most solemn part of the funeral service, "Earth to earth, ashes to ashes, dust to dust," to sprinkle the dust upon his bier and to accompany his body to its last resting place.—New York Observer.

Jonathan Swift built his house at Colross, and the lady in question was born and spent her early youth here. Her grandfather, Gen. Robert Lee built the large house on Lee st., known as the "Robert Lee House," now owned and occupied by Mr. J. M. Hill.

MONEY AND COMMERCIAL.—It was stated at the United States Treasury yesterday that over \$25,000,000 of coin obligations, including \$14,000,000 United States notes presented for redemption, have been paid during the current month, and yet the stock of coin in the treasury has steadily increased. By direction of the Treasury Department, all assistant treasurers of the United States will hereafter pay the interest on government bonds in gold, if demanded, as was the case prior to January 1st. The payment of the January interest was in legal tenders or coin, checks on the sub-treasury at New York, if the latter were preferred. The February interest will be the first considerable payment to be paid out in gold (if demanded) for interest. It will amount to about \$6,000,000, but the department does not expect that there will be any great demand for gold.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, Jan'y. 30.—Prices on 'Change to day ruled about the same as yesterday. Flour continues dull, with light sales. The receipts of Wheat have increased, and the offerings to-day amounted to 2700 bushels, which sold at 95, 100, 102 and 103 for Fultz, and 104, 105 and 107 for Lancaster. But little Corn was offered, and 64 bushels of 'white sold at 40. No Bye or Oats reported. Country produce unchanged.

BALTIMORE, January 30.—Virginia sizes deferred 7 1/2; Virginia consolidated 5 1/2; put case coupon 7 1/2 bid to-day. Sugar in more inquiry, but quiet. A. F. 81 1/2. Cotton dull, but firm; middling 19 1/2. Flour in good demand here. Wheat—Southern quiet and nominal; no receipts; Western more active and a shade firmer; No 2 Penna red 105 1/2; No 1 Western winter red spot 108 1/2; No 1 1/2 102 1/2; No 1 1/4 104 1/2; April 10 1/2 bid. Corn—Southern—receipts light and market steady; Western in good demand and steady; Southern white 46; do yellow 46; Western mixed spot 42 1/2-43; Feb 43; Mar 44; do in light supply; Southern and Penna 28 1/2-31; Western white 28 1/2-30; do mixed 27-28. Bye quiet and steady. Hay dull and unchanged. Coffee very firm and tending upwards; Rio cargo 11 1/2. Whiskey dull, with sales at 102 1/2-103.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Stocks firm. Money 2 1/2. Flour quiet. Wheat quiet. Corn active.

MURKED BUREAUX.—Col. H. Labrador and Postmaster Herring received by Jan 29. R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

TIGERS REFINED LARD received for sale by Jan 29. R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

PROCEEDINGS OF CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, Jan 30, 1879. SENATE.

The Vice President appointed as the committee to consider and report as to the rights of the Senate in the matter of the amendments to the Post Route bill of the last session in regard to the mails, Brazilian mail steamship subsidy, &c., Messrs. Edmunds, Ferry, Hoar, Thurman and Whyte.

Mr. Hamlin, of Me., from the Committee on Fisheries and Forestry, reported favorably on the bill for the relief of the American Grocers Association of the city of New York.—Placed on the calendar. It authorizes the Secretary of the Treasury to pay to the association \$500 for postage erroneously paid by it.

Mr. Plumb, of Ks., called up the House bill providing for the payment of counsel fees in Osgood land suits, which led to a long discussion. The object of the bill is to pay out of the Indian appropriation to J. S. Black \$12,833.33; to McComas & McKirgen the same amount; to Wm. Lawrence and Wilson Staunton \$10,373.33, in payment of counsel fees in the suits named. Pending discussion the morning hour expired and the bill was laid aside.

At 1:30 p. m. the Senate resumed consideration of the unfinished business, being the resolution of Mr. Edmunds declaring the validity of the 13th, 14th and 15th amendments to the Constitution of the United States, and Mr. Morgan, of Alabama, proceeded to speak in favor of the substitute submitted by him on the 20th of January.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.—The House passed the Postoffice Appropriation bill after increasing many of the appropriations to the amount asked for by the estimates, and a struggle ensued between those members desirous of having a morning hour and those wishing to go into committee on the Army Appropriation bill.

The motion to go into committee was defeated—yeas 113, nays 123, but Mr. Hewitt changed his vote to the negative in order to make a motion to reconsider, and the House is now voting on laying that motion on the table.

COMMITTEE WORK.—The House Committee on Patents this morning agreed to report the Senate bill to revise the laws relating to patents without amendment.

The House Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds heard the views of residents of the District of Columbia to day on the question of locating the city offices, but took no action.

TAX ON LIQUORS.—The Senate Finance Committee to-day reconsidered the action taken by them a few days ago regarding the duty on the sale and export of virtually decided to make no change in the rate of duty on that article.

YELLOW FEVER.—The Board of Experts authorized by Congress to investigate the yellow fever epidemic of 1878 submitted a long report on the subject to the Joint Congressional Committee at its meeting this morning.

LETTER FROM RICHMOND.—[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.] RICHMOND, Jan. 29.—It is generally reported that Senator B. T. Johnson will, in April, leave Virginia and make his future home in Baltimore. The same thing has been so often reported that people are inclined to be skeptical. Gen. Johnson was more than a year ago called upon by the officers of the Fifth Maryland Regiment of Baltimore and tendered the coadjutorcy of that regiment, which he then declined.

The approaching conference, which is proposed to be held to-morrow, does not create as much stir as would be supposed. The fact is the members have been so much engrossed with the railroad bill that they have left this subject alone, and it would seem that the conference will be a rather tame affair. Up to midnight the Finance Committee has not decided where the meeting will be held, but one of the rooms in the capitol will be selected, probably the Auditor's office.

Perhaps one of the saddest sights is to see a member of the Legislature, the happy possessor of a stentorian voice, and yet in the time of need not able to raise that voice above a whisper. The changing weather has had the effect of giving many legislators bad colds. Mr. Sikes, of Norfolk, a popular member, is the possessor of a fine voice, and during the influenza weather that voice has dwindled down till it can now be drowned by the playful buzz of a blue bottle fly.

To-day while the House was engaged in considering the railroad bill Judge Stevens, of Nelson, made a point of order that a certain motion was not in order because the House had already considered the matter. The fact was that the member had been talking about the matter for an hour. Mr. Boock got up and killed the point with the remark, "I would remind the gentleman that talking is not action." Had Mr. Boock ever seen a female on a spring day discussing the latest style of bonnet he would have dropped from the position that "talking is not action."

It is evident that there will be a lively discussion in the House at an early day on the question of using public moneys in the matter of the Commonwealth. Dr. Hines, the member from Accomac, is a staunch opponent of them, while there are other members who are in favor of them.

The House had up a bill to-day providing for the revision of the civil code of Virginia. The matter was considered awhile and then recommitted. The advocates of the bill claim that as the code now stands there are laws which conflict with other laws in the same code, and in fact such a jumble of laws that they can be made to mean almost anything, and they think that the revision of the code in this respect would be a matter of real economy in the end. The bondholders and their representatives here, so far as their expressed opinion is concerned, are not willing to agree to any greater concession than four per cent. What effect the talk will have upon their reticence yet to be seen, but it is the opinion of the able members here and gentlemen interested in the matter that they will not come down as low because they think this is a great fall on their part.—STRONGBOW.

Suicide.—CINCINNATI, Jan. 30.—Mrs. A. L. Everhardt, residing on Main street, after attracting the attention of a neighbor, shot herself in the breast while standing at an open window. She had had some difficulty with her father's family watch is supposed to have been the motive for suicide.

A special dispatch reports that a disastrous storm has occurred at Ink, Miss. Six persons are reported killed and great damage to property.

The subscription to the U. S. four per cent loan yesterday was \$3,625,550.

THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING of the ALEXANDRIA INSURANCE CO. will be held at the room of the Commercial Exchange on MONDAY, February 24, 1879, at 10 o'clock a. m. R. W. AVERY, Pres. and Treas. Jan 30-31. GEO. WISE, Sec. and Treas.

FRAGRANT FLORELINE, a new English Perfumery, Jenney's Perfumery, Kay's Cologne, for mending China, glass, wood, &c., &c., and Carrick's Mallico with Cod Liver Oil, especially recommended for consumptives and others in whom it is necessary to increase the vital force and build up the system. Jan 14. L. STABLE & CO.

NEW DRY GOODS.—January 17, 1879. We received to-day some very pretty styles in Ribbons, with other cheap goods. H. B. Hoopes, D. F. BRASHEAR, No. 109 King st. Jan 17

BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

DIARIES FOR 1879.—FRENCH'S, NO. 95 KING STREET.

A full stock, one, two and three days to the page, calendars for the year, church days, calendar, interest laws of the States, interest tables, 6, 7, 8 and 10 per cent, domestic and foreign postage, population of States and territories, distances of the principal cities from New York, list of Presidents of the United States and other valuable information; all styles and prices from 15c to \$2.

HAGERSTOWN ALMANAC by the doz. or gross. FRANK LESLIE'S ILLUSTRATED ALMANAC. LONDON ILLUSTRATED ALMANAC. JOSH BILLING'S ALMANAC. GEO. E. FRENCH, Jan 4

RESTAURANTS.—GEORGE STEUBENAGEL'S. EXCHANGE RESTAURANT, No. 30 North Royal st. Importer of French Brandy, Holland Gin, Irish and Scotch Whiskey, St. Croix and Jamaica Rum, Rhine, Sherry, Port, Madeira and Claret Wines, &c., &c. OYSTERS and other delicacies always on hand and served promptly and in the nicest manner. nov 9-17

JOB PRINTING.—THE ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE

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FOR SALE.—500 POUNDS OLD NEWSPAPERS. AT THIS OFFICE. sep 6-11

FRANK'S COD LIVER OIL and LIME.—A preparation combining the virtues of pure Cod Liver Oil with Phosphate of Lime, making a really pleasant emulsion. dec 12. JANNEY & CO.

SMALL HAMS.—Choice Sugar Cured, ham, received to-day, and for sale low by J. C. MILBURN, dec 31

10 CENTS FOR ROYAL COFFEE.—F. J. DAVIDSON, dec 5. 147 King street.

12 CENTS FOR OREAM CHEESE of best quality. F. J. DAVIDSON, dec 8. 147 King street.

PURE GROUND SPICES.—Mace, Cinnamon, Cloves, Allspice, Ginger, &c., just received by (No 17) WARFIELD & HALL, dec 10. J. C. MILBURN.

COD FISH.—450 pounds Extra Shore Cod Fish received to-day by J. C. MILBURN, dec 10

CANNED PINEAPPLE, PEACHES and STRAWBERRIES, fresh, received to-day by (No 19) J. C. MILBURN.

COLUMBIA RIVER CANNED SALMON for sale by F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King street, dec 31

PATENT STEEL WIRE BALLETIES, for baling hay, straw, &c., for sale by Jan 15. J. F. CARLIN & SONS, 68 King st. SPLIT PEAS, fresh, just received by Jan 25. J. C. MILBURN.

AUCTION SALES.

TEXAS FOR SALE.—WE, THE EXECUTORS OF JOHN P. DULANEY, deceased will offer the above named FARM FOR SALE on the SEVENTEENTH OF FEBRUARY, 1879, at twelve o'clock, at the Salem depot, Manassas R. R. The Texas farm is well known; lies in Fauquier county, two miles from Salem depot; contains 400 ACRES, more or less; about 90 in good timber; the residue cleared and divided into fields, with good fencing. The improvements consist of a good DWELLING HOUSE, with 4 rooms, well of excellent water, first class barn, stables, &c.

Terms of Sale: Twenty per cent cash; the residue in five annual payments; deferred bonds bearing 6 per cent interest from January 1, 1880, with approved personal security. Title to be retained till purchase money is all paid. Interest on deferred payments to be paid annually. The purchaser will be allowed to send the corn and this fall; will be allowed interest on cash payment to January 1st, 1880, when possession will be given. As the timber land is valuable, only a sufficient amount for use of the farm will be allowed to be cut until the two first bonds are paid. Mr. J. Alex. Carter, who rents the farm this year, will show said farm, and give any information desired concerning it.

B. R. DULANEY, ANTHONY HERBERT, JNO. C. BERRY, (Signed) Jan 8-14. Exrs. of John P. Dulaney, dec'd.

TRUSTEES SALE OF A VALUABLE FRUIT FARM IN GREENVILLE, PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY, VA.—By virtue of a deed of trust executed by Charles A. Hubbard and wife, on the 25th day of March, 1878, and duly recorded in the Clerk's office of the Prince William County Court, in liber 31, folio 401, I will offer for sale, by public auction, on the premises, on the TWENTY-FIFTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1879, that TRACT OF LAND, containing 25 acres, situated on the turnpike leading from Gainesville to Haymarket, in said county, distant from Gainesville about one-half mile. The improvements consist of a TWO-STORY DWELLING HOUSE containing 3 1/2 rooms, good barn and all necessary outbuildings—all new and neatly built. The fruit consists of 25 Dwarf Apple Trees, 25 Standard do., 20 Peach, 40 Dwarf Pear, 20 Cherry, and 100 Grape Vines, &c., &c. There are also 6000 bushels of Strawberries, all growing; six acres are in good grass.

Terms of sale: Cash enough to pay the costs and expenses of executing this trust and to discharge the amount secured by said deed of trust, unpaid, it being about \$1,000; for the remainder the terms will be as follows: one-third of the day of sale, or by inquiry of the undersigned.

Selling as trustee I shall convey only such title as is vested in me, which, however, is unquestionable. Prince William co., Jan 21-24

By F. L. Kirby, Solicitor.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, pronounced at its November term, 1878, in the case of J. C. Cramer, guardian vs. Geo. W. Patton, and others, the undersigned, as special commissioner in said case, will offer for sale by public auction, on SATURDAY, January 18th, 1