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CHAS. S. TAYLOR, Jr.,
(Late of J. T. Beckham & Co.)
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT,
Agent for
J. B. FICKLEN & SONS'
CELEBRATED BRIDGEWATER FAMILY FLOUR,
11 North Union street,
Alexandria, Virginia.

HARMON & SMITH,
GROCERS & COMMISSION MERCHANTS
Corner Prince and Royal sts.,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

A choice line of FAMILY GROCERIES always in stock and for sale at lowest market prices. Consignments solicited and prompt returns made.

NEW AUCTION AND COMMISSION HOUSE.
We have opened at No. 22 ROYAL ST. an Auction and Commission House.

We are now ready to receive all kinds of merchandise and household goods on consignment or purchase the same.

We think it may prove an advantage to persons who have PRODUCE of any description to send it to us. Located immediately opposite the main entrance to the Market on Royal st., goods can be exposed every morning at public auction, when the best prices may be expected. Prompt returns made on all sales.

Persons having FURNITURE for sale will find it to their advantage to give us a call. We will attend to auctioneering at public sales of property, and respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.

J. NEAL & LUCAS,
Auctioneers and Commission Merchants,
No. 22 Royal St.,
Alexandria, Va.

THOMAS PERRY, Agent,
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DRY GOODS.

DRY GOODS CHEAP.
January 30th, 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, Percalines, Calicoes, Plannels, &c., &c. at half prices. White Kid Gloves at 50c per pair. We are agents for Mrs. Demorest's Reliable Patterns.

D. F. BRASHEAR,
No. 109 King street,
Alexandria, Va.

H. B. HOOMES,
No. 109 King street,
Alexandria, Va.

BLACK SILKS AND CASHMERE.
January 17th, 1879.
Great bargains in the above goods. Call and see. Also Henrietta Cloths, Australian Crapes, Crapes Veils, &c., &c.

D. F. BRASHEAR,
No. 109 King street,
Alexandria, Va.

H. B. HOOMES,
No. 109 King street,
Alexandria, Va.

DRY GOODS AT REDUCED PRICES.
January 14th, 1879.
We take inventory to 1st February, and in order to reduce our stock as much as possible, are prepared to offer all styles of goods at such low prices as to make it to the interest of consumers to purchase freely from us.

D. F. BRASHEAR,
No. 109 King street,
Alexandria, Va.

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HARDWARE AND CUTLERY.
JAMES F. CARLIN & SONS,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
HARDWARE, CUTLERY,
&c., &c., &c.
No. 43 KING STREET.

We keep a full stock of Builders Hardware, Saddlery, Hardware, Carriage and Wagon Material; also Iron, Steel, Nails, Horse shoes, Spikes, Kims, Hubs, &c., to which we invite the attention of country merchants. Prompt personal attention given to orders from the country, and satisfaction guaranteed.

B. F. PEAKE,
DEALER IN
Doors, Sash, Blinds, Hardware,
Paints, Oils, Leads, Cement, Lumber, Limes, Colored Plaster, Slate Mantles, Hearths, &c., &c.
CORNER KING AND PITT STREETS
dec 1-11 Alexandria, Va.

JNO. W. PEAKE, B. W. NALLS
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DEALERS IN
DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, HARDWARE,
PAINTS, OILS, LEADS, CEMENT,
LIME, CALCINED PLASTER,
SLATE, MANTLES,
HEARTHES, &c.
CORNER KING AND ST. ASAPH STS.
oct 10 Alexandria, Va.

JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
HARDWARE, CUTLERY, HORSE SHOES
Iron, Plough Castings, Nail Rods, Axle Grease, Wagon Materials, House-keepers' Goods, &c., &c.
No. 28 KING STREET, CORNER ROYAL
m 8 Alexandria, Virginia.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.
H. C. 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

NEW AND CHOICE GOODS.
Choice New Raisins, Currants, Citron, Figs, new Prunes, Cox's Galatine, Campbell's Mince Meat, (two grades) Florida Oranges, New Lemons Assorted Nuts, Baldwin's Apples, (very cheap) Cape Cod Cranberries, New York Sweet Cider Fruit Butters, Choice Jellies, Cherry Chow and Mixed Pickles in bulk, Sugar Cans, Sardines, Orange Brand, Sugar Cured Hams, Shoulders and Breakfast pieces, Old Baker Pure Rye Whiskey, Port, Sherry, Madras and Sweet Catawba Wine, Rum, Gin, Brandy, &c., &c. I am prepared to sell all the above named goods, and all other goods in the grocery line as cheap as any price list advertised. Call and examine for yourself and be convinced.
K. W. AVERY, 226 King St.
dec 1

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

AMERICAN OIL CABINET
FOR LUBRICATING, BURNING OILS,
NAPHTHA 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 10-11
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ORANGE BLOSSOM COLOGNE WATER.
We have just prepared, specially for the Christmas holidays, ten gallons of the above fragrant and delicious perfume, which we have been manufacturing for so many years and which has been so much appreciated by all of our customers.
J. A. NEY & CO.,
dec 17 Nos. 79 & 145 King St.

CLOVER SEED.
NEW WESTERN CLOVER SEED
For sale by
THOS. PERRY, Agent,
17 King street,
Jan 7

A CHOICE LOT OF WHITE PEACH
A BLOW POTATOES received and for sale cheap by
Jan 23
B. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

ANOTHER SUPPLY OF CAPE COD
CRAWBERRIES, Raisins, Currants, Citron, &c., received to-day by
dec 19
J. C. MILBURN.

CURRENT JELLY, Peach and Apple But and Preserved Cherries for sale by the pound by
dec
F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS! We are receiving new goods every day, suitable for Christmas presents.
MCLAN & UHLER,
dec 18
107 King street.

SLEDS! SLEDS!—A nice lot of the above cheap at
dec 19
MCLAN & UHLER'S,
76 King street

A FEW FINE BED BLANKETS WILL be sold at greatly reduced prices by
Jan 3
WM. N. BERRYLEY.

BELMONT CANNED PEACHES, guaranteed far superior to all others, are for sale by
dec 31
F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES, choice and fair grades, received to-day and for sale low by
dec 18
J. C. MILBURN.

10 COFFEE at 12 1/2 cents at
dec 14
G. W. RAMSAY S.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

REVOLUTION IN SHOE TRADE
In order to dispose of our very large stock of
FALL AND WINTER
BOOTS & SHOES,
WE WILL SELL THEM
At Cost from now until March 1.

All we ask is a call to satisfy you that we MEAN WHAT WE SAY.
Ladies' Peb Goat Button Boots at \$2.00, worth \$2.50
Ladies' do. at 1.25, worth 1.65
Ladies' do. Polish Boots at 1.25, worth 1.65
Ladies' Kid Button Boots at 1.50, worth 2.00
Ladies' French Kid Button Boots at 3.00, worth 4.00
Ladies' Lasting Foxed Button Boots at 2.00, worth 2.50
Ladies' do. at 1.00, worth 2.00
Ladies' Lasting Foxed Button Boots at 1.15, worth 1.50
Misses' Peb Goat Button Boots at 1.30, worth 1.75
Misses' do. at 2.00, worth 2.50
Children's Boots from 10 cts. up to all prices.
Good stock of

Men's and Boys' heavy Kip Boots
FROM 70 CTS. UP TO \$2.50
We would also call the attention of gentlemen to our large stock of very FINE WALKING SHOES, all hand made, of the very best stock, and of the latest styles. To all in want we would say that now is the time to save money. These goods must be sold in order to make room for our spring stock.

TO THE PURCHASERS OF
CHILDREN'S SHOES
We would say we have a much larger stock and greater variety of styles than can be found in any one house either here or in Washington, and if they will favor us with a call they will find it to their interest, as the goods must be closed out by the first of March, and a large stock of

Boys' and Youths' Fine Boots,
which will be sold for less than the price of shoes. It will cost you nothing to examine these goods. Call at 110 KING STREET.

W. B. WADDEY,
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

BOOKS AND STATIONERY.
DIARIES FOR 1879
—AT—
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, rates, 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 10c to \$2.

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

CHOICE GOODS.
Just received:
Whole, half and quarter boxes Layer Raisins, Whole, half and quarter boxes London Raisins,
Valencia Raisins,
New Currants,
Citron,
Italian Macaroni,
English Pickles,
Sardines,
Best Quality Mince Meat,
Gardening Extracts,
Grain and ground Spices, of all varieties.
The above goods will be sold as cheap as by any other house.
HARMON & SMITH,
dec 10

CHOICE GOODS AT
C. C. BERRY'S.
Handkerchiefs, Collars and Cuffs; Kid and other Gloves; Scarfs and Bows; Toilet Sets; Vases; Perfumed Soaps; Dolls; Toys in great variety with a large assortment of other goods, all of which will be sold at prices to suit the times.
dec 17

SKATES! at
88 King street, corner of Royal,
Alexandria, Va.
We have on hand a small lot of Skates of assorted kinds, which we will close out at prime cost.
Jan 11
J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

COUGH MEDICINES—Leadbeater's Anodyne Pectoral, Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, Bull's Cough Syrup, Winchester's Syrup of Hysop, and a large number of other preparations for the cure of Coughs, Colds, &c., for sale by
Jan 7
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

GARDEN SEED—We have just received our first supply of Early Peas, Beet, Cabbage and Tomato Seed, from the old and reliable house of Leadbeater, for the spring trade. Leadbeater's Register and Almanac can be had upon application.
Jan 7
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

30 BARRELS WENGER'S FAMILY FLOUR; also Bridgewater and Cameron Mills Family; and a full stock of high grade Extra Flour for sale at lowest rates, by
dec 2
F. J. DAVIDSON 147 King st.

GUNS AND PISTOLS FOR SALE AT COST for cash at 88 King, corner of Royal street, Alexandria, Va. Call and see.
Jan 11
J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

SLEIGH RUNNERS, all sizes, Willow Sleigh Baskets, Sleigh Bells, &c., a full stock at
dec 10
JAS F CARLIN & SONS.

TEAS! TEAS! Choice Gunpowder, Oolong, Japan and English Breakfast teas for sale at
Jan 20
J. C. MILBURN'S,
14 N. Royal St.

CANNED PINKAPPLE, PEACHES and **STRAWBERRIES,** fresh, received to-day by
dec 19
J. C. MILBURN.

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

TOMATO CATSUP, first rate quality, just received by
Jan 25
J. C. MILBURN.

12 CENTS FOR CREAM CHEESE of best quality. **F. J. DAVIDSON,**
dec 31
147 King street.

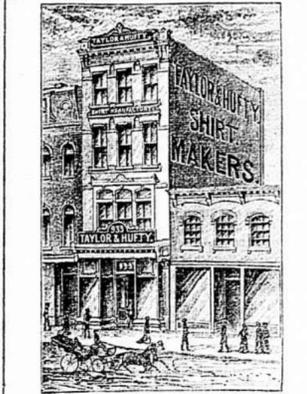
A FRESH SUPPLY OF NEW YORK SWEET CIDER received this day by
Jan 21
K. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

CATARRH CIGARETTES—Contain no tobacco; the best remedy for Catarrh.
Jan 28
L. STABLER & CO.

FLORIDA, JAMA CA, VALENCIA and **SICILY ORANGES** just received by
Jan 31
G. W. RAMSAY.

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

TAYLOR & HUFTY.



WE HAVE
REDUCED THE PRICE
OF OUR
Celebrated Inimitable Fitting
SHIRTS.
AND WILL MAKE TO ORDER

SIX SHIRTS FOR.....\$10 00
SIX SHIRTS FOR..... 13 00
SIX SHIRTS FOR..... 15 00
SIX SHIRTS FOR..... 18 00
WE USE ONLY THE BEST MATERIAL,
AND THE FIT ALWAYS GUARANTEED.

We keep in stock, of our own make, an
UNLAUNDERED SHIRT,
Of Wamsutta Cotton, at the very low price of \$1.50 each.

MEN'S KID GLOVES,
At 1.35 and 2.00 per pair.
Cadet size 1.25 and 1.75 per pair. In all shades, for street, parties, receptions and operas.

MEN'S NECKWEAR.
White Silk, Satin and Lawn Ties.
Black Silk, Satin and Colored Silk Ties.
Plain and Fancy Colors Polo Dane Scarfs.
Plain and Fancy Colors Improved Renown Scarfs.
Plain and Fancy Colors Rutland Scarfs.
Plain and Fancy Colors Derby Scarfs.

LADIES' & MISSES' KID GLOVES
LADIES'.
TWO BUTTON.....\$1 20 \$1 75
THREE BUTTON..... 1 35 2 00
FOUR BUTTON..... 1 50 2 25
SIX BUTTON..... 1 80
EIGHT BUTTON..... 2 20
TEN BUTTON..... 2 50
MISSSES'.
TWO BUTTON..... 0 88 1 03
THREE BUTTON..... 1 00 1 25
And also a Complete Stock of
COLORBD AND BLACK DOGSKIN
GAUNTLETS
FOR DRIVING.
Also a full stock of
HARRIS' PATENT
PREVOST SIDE CUT GLOVES.

This Glove is entirely new and different from all others, the buttons being scarcely perceptible when the arm is raised, while the peculiar and perfect fit adds to the natural beauty and symmetry of the arm. It renders the Glove easier to put on, and is more agreeable to the hand and arm. These Gloves come in four, six, eight and ten buttons, in white and in all the delicate white shades, for parties, balls and receptions.

LADIES' UNDERGARMENTS.
Our stock of all kinds of Ladies' Undergarments is complete, comprising
CHEMISES, SKIRTS,
DRAWERS, NIGHT DRESSES,
CORSET COVERS,
DRESSING SACQUES,
AT VERY LOW PRICES.

LADIES' HOSIERY.
Ladies' Plain Hose,
Ladies' Fancy Hose,
Ladies' Opera 1 Toe,
Children's Plain Hose,
Children's Fancy Hose,
Children's Opera H. 2cs.
In Cotton, Lisle Thread and Silk.

TAYLOR & HUFTY,
933 Pa. ave., Washington, D. C.

MEDICAL.

VEGETINE.
HER OWN WORDS.
Baltimore, Md., Feb. 13th, 1877.—Mr. H. R. Stevens: Dear Sir—Since several years I have got a sore and very painful foot. I had some physicans but they couldn't cure me. Now I have heard of your Vegetine from a lady who had used it for a long time, and became all well from your Vegetine and I went and bought me one bottle of Vegetine; and after I had used one bottle, the pain left me, and it began to heal, and then I bought one other bottle, and so I take it. I thank God for this remedy and your self, my debilitated sufferer may pay attention to it. It is a blessing for health.
Mrs. C. KRAE, 638 West Ball st.

VEGETINE
SAFE AND SURE.
Mr. H. R. Stevens: In 1872 your Vegetine was recommended to me, and yielding to the persuasions of a friend, I consented to try it. At the time I was suffering from general debility and nervous prostration, superinduced by overwork and irregular habits. Its wonderful strengthening and curative properties seemed to me, and under its persistent use I rapidly recovered, gaining more than usual health and good feeling. Since then I have not hesitated to give Vegetine my most unqualified endorsement, as being a safe, sure and powerful agent in promoting health and restoring the wasted system. To new life and energy, Vegetine is the only medicine I use; and as long as I live I never expect to find a better. Yours truly,
W. H. CLARK, 120 Monterey St.,
Allegheny, Pennsylvania.

VEGETINE
THE BEST SPRING MEDICINE.
Charleston, W. V., Feb. 13th, 1877.—Dear Sir—This is to certify that I have used your "Blood Preparation" in my family for several years, and think that for Scrophulous or Cancerous humors or "Acidic" humors it cannot be excelled; and as a blood purifier and spring medicine it is the best thing I have ever used, and I have used almost everything. I can cheerfully recommend it to any one in need of such a medicine.
Yours respectfully,
Mrs. A. HUNSMORE, 19 Russell st.

VEGETINE
WHAT IS NEEDED.
Boston, Feb. 13th, 1877.—H. R. Stevens, Esq.: Dear Sir—About one year since I found myself in a feeble condition from general debility. Vegetine was strongly recommended to me by a friend who had been much benefited by its use. I procured the article, and, after using several bottles, was restored to health, and discontinued its use. I feel quite confident that there is no medicine superior to it for those complaints, and have Vegetine always prepared, and would cheerfully recommend it to those who feel that they need something to restore them to perfect health. Respectfully yours,
U. L. PATTINGILL,
Firm of S. M. PATTINGILL & CO.,
No. 10 State street, Boston.

VEGETINE.
ALL HAVE OBTAINED RELIEF.
South Haverhill, Me., Jan. 17th, 1872.—H. R. Stevens, Esq.—Dear Sir: I have had dyspepsia in its worst form for the last two years, and have taken hundreds of dollars' worth of medicine without obtaining any relief. In September last I commenced taking the Vegetine, since which time my health has steadily improved. My food digests well, and I have gained fifteen pounds of flesh. There are several others in this place taking Vegetine, and all have obtained relief. Yours truly,
THOMAS E. MOORE,
Overseer of Card Room
Portland Co's Mills.

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

FOR SALE OR RENT.
FOR RENT—The TWO STORY BRICK DWELLING N. W. COR. DUKE AND BRICK streets, thoroughly renovated and furnished with all modern improvements. For terms apply to
GEO. M. BURNETT & SON,
109 and 170 King street.

FAIR BUILDING AND GROUNDS FOR RENT—Proposals will be received until SATURDAY the 22d inst., at 12 m, for the renting of the Fair Grounds and Buildings, until August 1st, 1879, with certain reservations. Good security will be required for the prompt payment of the rent.
JNO. B. SMOOT, President.

FOR RENT—The comfortable DWELLING HOUSE now occupied by J. C. Newell, Esq., on Duke street, between Fairfax and Royal streets, will be let at a low rate. Enquire of
E. HILBERG, corner King and Royal sts. oct 4-11

FOR RENT—THE STORE ROOM on the north east corner of King and Union streets—the best location in the city for a grocery and liquor store. Apply at this office. sep 18-19

DAIRY SUPPLIES
Perfect Milk Pail.
PAIL MILK STOOL AND STRAINER IN ONE.
Cannot be kicked over nor knocked over by the cow; the "cow" is entirely prevented, as neither dirt nor foul air can get into the milk.
The pail holds 14 quarts; its cover makes a rest for the milk; the funnel which receives the milk is supported by a rubber tube which returns it to its position if moved by kicks or blows from the cow. A strainer is placed in the lower end of the tube. Any impurity falling out of the funnel can at once be removed and the funnel or the strainer cleaned. The height of the funnel gauged to suit different cows.
The "animal odors" and evil flavors in milk are in a great part due to dirt falling into the milk as to the cream of the milk during the milking to the atmosphere of the stable. Nothing absorbs odors quicker than milk.
PRICES 20.

Blanchard Churns, and
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