

Mrs. Sartoris is by no means the beautiful woman she used to be. She must be now not far from forty...

Local Matters.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES AUGUST 18 1879 For the Middle Atlantic States...

ALEXANDRIA YESTERDAY.—Alexandria on a bright, cool, sunny Sunday is a very attractive city...

Teacher—Byss, Jules Leont was a bad man, and his name is a synonym for all that is base...

SINGULAR FALL OF A TREE—The residents of the neighborhood of Duke and Royal streets were startled...

Mrs. Sartoris Not Dead.—LONDON, Aug. 18.—The report published here of the death of Mrs. Sartoris...

THE LAMBERT CASE AND REMEDY.—The cause of laminitis, when it is not the immediate or indirect result of a disease...

DANGEROUS WELLS.—The covering of an old pump well in front of the planing mill of Mr. T. V. Hishell...

THE RAIN STORM.—At an early hour on Saturday night rain began to fall in heavy showers...

SUPPOSED YELLOW FEVER CASE!—Considerable excitement was caused in the city yesterday by the report that a man lately from Memphis...

RELEASED.—Messrs. J. T. Burnett and George Lysek, who have been confined in the Norfolk jail...

A PLEASANT TRIP.—A party of gentlemen from this city have been spending the past week-end very agreeably at Hollister's...

COKE & WATSON'S BEST. STRONG WHITE SWEET NUTRITIOUS. Unlike many flour of the day...

THE FURNITURE BUSINESS in all different branches under the old firm name of GREEN & BROTHER...

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NEW GOVERNMENT.—A telegram from Sitka, Alaska, announces that a civil government has been formed...

CHRIST CHURCH.—This venerable edifice has recently been repaired, and was open yesterday for the first time for several weeks...

WARRINGTON.—This most successfully rendered in Warrington, on Saturday night, before a large and appreciative audience...

DAMAGE TO THE CANAL.—A vessel reported here that the heavy rains of Saturday night occasioned a break of some fifty feet in length in the Chesapeake and Ohio canal...

POLICE ITEMS.—There have been but few cases in the city during the past day. Ed Johnson, colored, for fighting, was dismissed...

THE STORM in the vicinity of Guilford, in Loudoun county, on Friday evening, was one of the severest ever experienced in that locality...

FINGER CUT OFF.—Mr. Davis, of Washington, who superintends the grading of macadam at James O. Collins' foundry, lost the first finger of his left hand there, this morning...

MURDER.—Henry Young was killed with a stick of wood by Joseph H. Hester, at a ball, near Leesdown, on Friday night last...

FALSE REPORT.—A report was circulated in Washington on Saturday that Wm. H. O'Brien, well known in connection with the celebrated Treasury robbery of \$47,000, had died suddenly at Saratoga...

LOCAL BREVITIES.—A number of colored people were baptised at Battery Rodgers and Hunting Creek yesterday. The excursion by the officers of the steamer Jane Moore to Blackiston's Island to-day was postponed on account of the weather...

THE MARKET opens quiet and inactive, the wet weather appearing to have a depressing effect. Flour is unchanged, and light sales are made at quotations...

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

THE NEW FUNDING SCHEME—ITS SUCCESS. We take the following from the financial circular of John A. Hamblin & Co. of Baltimore:

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EDUCATIONAL.

POTOMAC ACADEMY. (Formerly Alex. Boarding School) Established by Benjamin Halliwell in 1821. A BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR BOYS.

NATIONAL MEDICAL COLLEGE. The Fifty-Eighth Session of this College will begin on MONDAY, Oct. 6, 1879, and continue until March 1, 1880.

EPISCOPAL HIGH SCHOOL. NEAR ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA. L. M. BLAKEFORD, M.A., Principal. Founded in 1839.

RICHMOND COLLEGE. RICHMOND, VA. Location healthy; instruction thorough, expenses moderate. Next session opens SEPTEMBER 18th and closes June 18th.

GREEN GINGER, PURE SPICES, PURE OLIVE VINEGAR. FOR SALE BY: G. WM. RAMSAY, Corner King and St. Asaph streets.

G. WM. RAMSAY, WINE AND LIQUORS. We desire to inform the public generally that we have in store and constantly receiving the following well-known brands of IMPORTED BRANDY, WINE and CHAMPAGNE:

G. WM. RAMSAY, GROCERIES. BONELESS HERRING, for lunch, put up in small boxes, 25c. LUNCH HAM and TONGUE.

G. WM. RAMSAY, GROCERIES. BOTTLED BEER, AMERICAN CHAMPAGNE, BEST IMPORTED and DOMESTIC WINES, BRANDIES, and AMERICAN RYE WHISKEY.

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MOUNT VERNON INSTITUTE. 12 South Washington St. Miss M. A. BOACH, Principal. Scholastic duties will be resumed MONDAY, Sept. 8.

MISS ANNIE SUMMERS, with four years' experience as a teacher in all the English branches, will reopen her SCHOOL FOR BOYS and GIRLS at the residence of her father, Mr. John Summers, 118 Princess St., on MONDAY, Sept. 1, 1879. Terms moderate. A desirable pupil shall enter on the opening day.

BELLE HAVEN INSTITUTE. ALEXANDRIA, VA. The Twenty-First Annual Session of this SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES will open with a full corps of thoroughly qualified teachers in every department on the 15th of SEPTEMBER next.

St. John's Academy. The Forty-first Annual Session will begin on MONDAY, September 1st, 1879. Advantages: Military drill and discipline; thirty-two years' experience of principal; close grading and consequent ability of teachers to devote much time to oral instruction...

KENMORE UNIVERSITY HIGH SCHOOL. H. A. STRODE, (Math. Medals Univ. Va.) Principal. H. C. BROOK, B. Litt. U. Va., (recently Asst. Ins. Latin U. Va.) Associate Instructor.

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