LOCAL MATTERS.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES. Sept'r 5, 1879. For the Middle Atlantic States clear or partly cloudy weather, winds mostly northwesterly, stationary or lower temperature and rising barometer.

FATAL BURNING.—A colored woman, Mary Ellen Dyson, employed as a domestic by Mr. M. T. Rust, on Duke street, near Fairfax met with a horrible accident about half past seven o'clock last night, which resulted in her death at eleven o'clock this morning. She was passing from one room to another with a lighted coal oil lamp in her hand, when her foot caught in the matting, causing her to fall and the lamp to break the ignited contents flying scattered over her clothing. The unfortunate woman ran, screaming, into the street, her clothing all ablaze and rushed against Mrs. Rust and her child, a little girl in the vicinity of both of them and assisting the daughter of Mrs. Rust's mother, who was standing near by. Several gentlemen of the neighborhood ran up by this time and smothered the flames with their coats. Mrs. Rust and child were not injured. The colored woman was taken into the house, where Dr. Brown attended to her injuries; but, despite everything that could be done for her, she died this morning, as above stated. She was one of the oldest stock of Alexandria colored people, and was a highly respectable woman.

CLANDESTINE MARRIAGE.—On the 12th of September, 1878 a man giving his name as Jerome J. Metcalfe and his age as twenty two years, called at the office of Col. Morton Marye, Clerk of the Corporation Court, and procured a marriage license for himself and Mary J. Barnard, who, he said, was of age, and resided in Alexandria. They were accommodated, and were subsequently married by Rev. Dr. J. J. Bullock, pastor of the Unity Presbyterian Church, as shown by the record. This morning a middle aged lady called on Colonel Marye stating that she was the mother of Mary J. Barnard, and that the latter was only fifteen years of age. She was much distressed when shown the record of the marriage, asserting that her son in law was a worthless fellow. It appears that the parties principally concerned have kept the marriage secret for a whole year, until a few days since, when it became known.

BLOWN OFF.—The schooner Mina A. Read, two weeks overdue from Gardiner, Me., arrived at Washington yesterday. Capt. Nash stated that on the night of the 18th, three days after leaving port, he encountered a heavy gale at a point forty miles east of Nantucket, near the South Channel. The vessel lost her foremast, split sails and top rigging, and scudded along under bare poles. She was blown 75 miles out of her course, and for twelve hours she was completely at the mercy of the tempest. The storm was one of the most severe he ever experienced, the barometer falling to 29. Finally the gale spent itself and the vessel put back into Vineyard Haven for repairs. Nine days were consumed in the work.

THE FAIR.—The Leesburg Mirror is writing of the coming fair in this city and says:

"The second annual fair of the Alexandria and Fairfax Agricultural and Industrial Association is to be held on the fair ground at Alexandria on September 30 and October 1, 2 and 3. The grounds have been improved and much enlarged. The track has been extended to a third of a mile and the main exhibition room has also been enlarged. The award of premiums is liberal, and all indications are that the exhibition will be larger and more attractive than that of last year, which fell so much credit on the first association."

POLICE COURT.—The only cases at the Mayor's office this morning were those of the three sailor boy thieves, who were mentioned in yesterday's Gazette.

Frank Grover, the tipsy man, was fined for drunkenness, and had some witness against his assailant.

Wm. E. Kelly, the assailant, was locked up for further examination. He will probably be sent on to court.

The third sailor, who was seen out of the courageous proceeding and most interesting with the officers, was discharged.

THE MINERS AND THE CANAL.—No news from the miners' meeting at Lonaconing yesterday has been received. The work has been done by the Borden Company, it is understood to be made necessary by some pressing orders and will only continue a few days.

The miners of the Georges Creek Coal and Iron Company resumed work yesterday for the first time in four weeks. Three mines are now working at that place. From the mines is work enough for 50 men.

The canal in the Cumberland division is in excellent order and the force of repair hands has been reduced.

PERSONAL.—Right Rev. J. J. Kain, bishop of Richmond, was in the city last night. The bishop has partially recovered from his recent accident, although still quite lame and compelled to walk with a cane.

Assistant Surgeon E. H. Mansfield, U. S. N., has been detached from the Mayflower and placed on waiting orders.

Ex Mayor R. Kemper has been appointed by the State Conservative Committee a canvasser for this city and county in the coming campaign.

A GRAPE SHOT, six and a half ounces, was shown us to-day by Wm. C. Gantz, which was found imbedded in the stump of a decayed sycamore tree on the bank of Hunting Creek half a mile beyond the bridge. Query: Could this shot have been sent up the creek during the revolution or the war of 1812-14, or might it not have been sent during the late war from some of the forts?

SHOOK FACTORY.—The proposed shook factory of Merrill, mentioned in yesterday's Gazette, was erroneously located at the corner of Queen and Union streets. It will be placed on the vacant lot, south of the Hampshire coal wharf, where large wooden buildings will be erected. It is expected that Mr. Merrill will engage quite largely in the business, having already made large contracts for staves, &c.

CHICKEN THIEVES.—Some chicken thieves entered the yard of the residence of Mr. L. E. Baker, on Cameron street, opposite Christ Church, last night, and stole all of his chickens.

A citizen of the Third Ward turned out six fine chickens one morning this week, since which time he has seen nothing of them, and doubtless they have been "confiscated."

STORE ROBBED.—The store of Capt. Edward Carter, at Plaisa, Fauquier county, was entered a few nights since and robbed of about fifty dollars in money, which was taken from the cash drawer. The entrance was effected through the cellar and a trap door. No clue to the thieves was found, but some negroes around the place are suspected.

THE LOUDOUN FAIR.—The annual fair of the Loudoun Agricultural Society will commence on the 16th inst. The prospects are that the fair will eclipse any of its predecessors.—Among the attractions will be the flight of a dozen carrier pigeons belonging to a gentleman of this city, from the Fair grounds at Leesburg to their cot here.

ACCIDENT.—Capt. Thomas Grimsley, who lives near Accotink, in Fairfax county, was thrown from his horse on Wednesday and broke one of his arms and several ribs. It is also feared that he received internal injuries, from which he may not recover. Capt. Grimsley formerly ran a packet on the Potomac.

PEARS.—Mr. F. M. Muse, of this county, has sent us a sample of pears, of the Bartlett variety, grown on his place, that were very delicious.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Special Correspondence of the Alexa. Gazette.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 5, 1879.

Mr. John Taylor, editor of the Fredericksburg Record, now on a visit to this city, says that the previously published reports about the excellent condition of the corn crop of the Northern Neck of Virginia are incorrect, and that that crop was so injured by the drought in June and July that the rains of August came too late to make good ears, no matter how much the appearance of the stalk and fodder may have been improved.

Capt. J. M. Stewart, postmaster of the House, while on a visit to the gold mines of Lower Fauquier county, Virginia, with Gen. Mitchell and other gentlemen of this city, a week ago, was suddenly and without premonition taken violently ill with spasms. A physician of the neighborhood bled him profusely, and after three or four days he was brought back to his home in Alexandria, where, it is feared, he is now lying in a precarious condition.

Dispatches from Memphis, received at the office of the National Board of Health here to day, give the following as the yellow fever statement in that city since yesterday's report: New cases, 27—12 white and 15 colored, and 6 deaths, all white.

The receipts at the Treasury to day from internal revenue amounted to $377,934; from customs, $678 555.

The result of the New York State convention, attempt to conceal it as they may, is looked upon by the administration as a direct and emphatic defeat, as an effectual damper to the Sherman boom, and as indicating beyond peradventure the nomination of Gen. Grant or the favorite Mr. Washburn by the next National Republican Convention. Sherman himself is so blinded by his ambition that he does not see it in such black colors, and will continue his efforts to secure the nomination, and his position and patronage are amply sufficient to procure him enough flatterers to keep up his delusion regarding his popularity.

It is becoming more and more apparent here that the machine politicians among the democrats are centering upon Tilden as their candidate for the next presidency, and that their efforts in that line increase as the objections to him by the rank and file of the party become more manifest.

FOREIGN WATERING PLACES.—Senator Bayard writing to a friend from the famous mineral springs of Carlsbad, in Bohemia, admits that the waters there are very efficacious in a variety of diseases and disorders, but expresses the opinion that the relief experienced by sufferers is due much more to the care and intelligence with which the water are administered than to the intrinsic mineral properties of the springs. He thinks that if our hotels at the springs were as well built and managed as those in Europe, and the waters utilized with the same careful medical supervision, the Virginia and other springs in this country would prove as beneficial as any in the world. In the European springs no one is allowed to take the waters except under medical direction, at the time and temperature and in quantities suited to the especial case. One great secret of the success of the Hot Springs of Arkansas in their hands system has been copied there. But at the greater part of our watering places the aid of medical attendance is seldom thought of—or, if consulted, as it is out in very few instances, the medical advice available is not of that experienced character in connection with the use of the waters which is most desirable, and which only scientific knowledge and practice in their administration could render judicious and safe. A most of our springs every one bathes and drinks the waters according to his own sweet will, and is merrier or in a jury rather than benefited by using them improperly.

GEORGE A. MUSHBACH, Esq., of this city was appointed on the 26th inst. a canvasser for this Congressional district by the State Coordinative Committee. Mr. Mushbach is a fine speaker, and an earnest advocate of the McCullough ball.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

"M. Grandmother's Watch," a new and popular song, by Miss Lena Abeele, has been received from the music store of M. J. H. Parrott.

The post office at Colton's S. Mary's county, Md., has been discontinued at the request of the postmaster. The mail goes to Mussowon.

Mr. George E. Price will have at his stall in the market, to morrow, some very fine fresh fish just in from the waters of the Chesapeake. He also has some very fine melons.

The Late Thomas Wilson.

BALTIMORE Sept. 5.—The will of the late Thomas Wilson, a retired merchant and capitalist, who died on Tuesday last, aged ninety-one years was filed for probate in the Orphan's Court this morning. The deceased was for many years an active business man, a well known member of the Society of Friends, and left an estate exceeding a million of dollars.

Boy Musicians.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—Herr Gaston Amberg, manager of the Austro Hungary cadets, who was arrested at the instance of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children for employing boys in his band, was held to day for trial in $500 bail. Amberg brought the little musicians over to this country on a musical tour.

FOUND BY A DOG.—In Milwaukee on Monday evening a little boy, three years old, was missing, and his parents became alarmed. A fine Newfoundland shared in their anxiety and joined in the search through the neighboring streets. He soon gave a joyous bark, and the father joining him, found that the boy, tired by his wanderings, had crawled beneath the stoop plate between the sidewalk and the crossing, and was fast asleep. The dog's joy at his successful hunt was shared by the rest of the family.

CLARENS' HOME SCHOOL.—In the neighborhood of the Episcopal Theological Seminary, Fairfax county, Va., in a beautiful and healthy country, is the Home School for Girls known as "Clarens," taught by Miss Virginia Mason, a daughter of the late Hon. James M. Mason, of Virginia. Parents desiring refined social as well as religious influences for their daughters, in combination with intellectual advantages, will do well to send them to this institution. The chapel services of the Seminary are open to the residents of the vicinity, and their is also a postoffice here and daily stage communication with Alexandria. "Clarens" itself, however, is less than three miles from the old town, the home of Revolutionary heroes, which is easily reached from the school by private conveyance. Without Miss Mason's knowledge we write this, and as much in the interest of the daughters of the South as in hers. We call attention to her advertisement recently to be seen in The Southern Churchman:

"Clarens Home School For Girls, Seminary Hill, near Alexandria, Va. The special effort in this school is to afford every advantage of education, and at the same time preserve the influences and the comforts of home. Careful attention is paid to the English branches.—Thoroughly competent teachers are also provided for music and the languages. The situation is healthy and the pupils can remain at Clarens during the summer. Terms very reasonable. Address Miss Virginia Mason, box 305 Alexandria, Va."

MARRIED.

September 4th, 1879, at St Mary's (Catholic) Church, Fairfax Station, Va. by Rev. A. P. Keating, S. J., WM. T. BUCKLEY and Miss ANNIE MURTAUGH, both of Fairfax county, Va.

FOREIGN NEWS.

The Moffett register income of Petersburg for August amounted to $460 87.

A smart shock of earthquake has been felt in the vicinity of Smyrna.

The state of siege has been raised in the Bulgarian districts of Rustchuk, Shuma and Osman Bazar.

It has been finally decided that ex Queen Isabella will be present at the wedding of King Alfonso.

The statement of the Bank of England shows a decrease of specie for the week of 190 000 pounds.

News has been received from Prof. Nordenskjold of the safety of the Swedish Arctic exploring expedition.

The sittings of the Eastern Roumilian International Commission have been indefinitely adjourned.

The French government has ordered the department of public works to make a preliminary study of a project for the tunnelling Mount Blanc.

An Oporto newspaper is about to be prosecuted by the Portuguese government at the request of the Spanish Ambassador for using offensive language towards King Alfonso.

The Marine Epoca publishes a letter from Rome stating that the House of Savoy would favorably regard a marriage between one of its members and a Spanish Bourbon.

The Czar and the Emperor William parted yesterday. The special correspondents of the London papers at Alexandrovo indicate that the precautionary measures of the police at the meeting of the Emperors were absurdly rigid.

A special dispatch from Berlin, published in this city, asserts that Prince Bismarck had tendered his resignation as premier. It is said that the report was a mere rumor on the Bourse and was universally discredited.

The International Law Institute, now assembled at Brussels, has adopted a motion proposed by M. John Gaspard Bluntschli, a distinguished Swiss lawyer, urging the government to bring about a settlement of the laws of warfare by means of international treaties.

An Odessa newspaper accuses the Porte of violating treaty obligations in allowing an armed vessel, the United States steamer Wyoming, to cruise in the Black Sea with the American ambassador to Turkey on board. The American consul at Odessa admits that the Porte at first refused permission, but yielded on the pleading by the Wyoming of part of her armament.

The striking cotton operatives at the North End and River Meadow mills, in Saddleworth, England, have accepted a reduction in their wages. The operatives association did not consider them to resist, although they are working three days in a week. The hands at two or three other mills where notice of a reduction of wages had been posted have quietly accepted it.

The Berlin National Zeitung says that the recent visit of the Emperor William to the Czar had only been decided on twenty four hours before the Emperor left Berlin, and that the visit was undertaken at the urgent invitation of the Czar. The preparations were made with greatest secrecy. When the Emperors met both the railway station and the street leading to it were cleared by the police, who were stationed every 20 yards.

DR. GRAYSON.—Sheriff Campbell, after an absence of two weeks returned last week from Columbiana, Ohio, whither he had gone for B. F. Grayson, jr., the defaulting cashier of the Page Bank. He reports that Grayson, through the efforts of his lawyers, was three times released and as often re arrested. A final hearing of his case was had on last Wednesday before Judge Lobby of the Court of Common Pleas, of that county, who, by reason of the failure of Gov. Bishop, of Ohio, to state the character of the embezzlement in his warrant to the Sheriff ordered his final discharge, and he went on his way rejoicing. He positively asserts, however, that he will return to Surrey on the 15th of October.—*Page Courier.*

Confession.

WEST WINCHESTER, ONT., Sept. 5.—Clark Brown has confessed to the murder of his father and sister. He implicates no one else, and says he was impelled by some strange feeling to commit the awful crime.

Fire.

MEDFIELD, MASS., Sept. 5.—The New England screw works at this place were burned this morning. Loss $15 000; insurance $10,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

☞ THE PRODUCTS OF INDIGESTION.—Inability of the stomach to act upon the food is productive of serious and speedy mischief to the entire bodily economy. The circulation languishes and grows poor; leanness, pallor and a loss of muscular and organic power supervene; but, worse than this, the functions associated with and dependent upon digestion, such as evacuation and the secretion of bile, grow irregular, and the organs, whose business it is to discharge these functions, become badly disordered. This disastrous state of things is more readily and thoroughly rectified with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters than any known medicinal agent. The stomach being invigorated the life giving principles of the blood are increased, the system properly nourished, leanness and debility overcome, and the bowels and liver thoroughly and promptly regulated.

OPENING OF CHARLOTTESVILLE GOODS.—We have this day placed over 2 000 yards of this celebrated make of goods, consisting of Ulster Reps, Kerseys, Scotch Suitings, Cadet Grays, Navy Cheviots, Mixed Suitings, Doeskins, Cassimeres, &c all of which are new designs and of the best grade wool, warranted as to quality and color. We have made and completed our arrangements not only as the *sole agents* for this goods for this city, but have also made ample arrangements to furnish suits complete, trimmed in the best manner, with the guarantee of a perfect *fit*, at prices that cannot be surpassed by any house in this or any other city. Call and examine for yourself. Samples freely given. Respectfully,

ISAAC EICHBERG,
sep 3 2w Successors to Seymaker Co.

VIRGINIA AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE.
The Eighth session begins AUGUST 18th, 1879. Tuition and room rent free. Board in messes $7; in families nowhere above $10. INCREASED opportunities for earning on Farm and in Shop. Drill twice a week. For appointment or catalogue, address C. L. C. MINOR, Pres't.
j 23 Blacksburg Va.

PURE CREAM SYRUPS.—Chocolate, Nectar, Coffee, &c., &c. For our Soda we claim a superiority, it having been pronounced by connoisseurs to be unrivaled in its general character, combining an ice coolness with the finest flavored syrups, of which fact we have full evidence from the compliments which we are constantly receiving from our patrons.
WARFIELD & HALL,
j 9 Cor Prince and Fairfax Sts.

TRUSSES.—We are just in receipt of a large invoice of TRUSSES SUPPORTERS, &c., both for single and double ruptures, and solicit an inspection of our stock by those in need and by physicians.
au 27 JANNEY & CO.

LEADS, of several sorts and colors, of all kinds, can be found at
j e 26 W. F. CREIGHTON'S.

SUGARS—A full stock of all grades for sale at low prices by F. J. DAVIDSON,
je 18 147 King street.

25 BOXES BIGGINS' SOAPS, assorted, received and for sale low by
se 6 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

PRESERVING GINGER for sale low by
au 14 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King St.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

H. S. Metcalfe, of Rappahannock, has been nominated for the House of Delegates.

It is proposed to light the Richmond streets by a patent fixture to save time and money.

It is stated that the readjusters of Spotsylvania contemplate putting forward H. L. Briggs, esq., as their candidate for the next House of Delegates.

Track laying on the S. V. R. R. has progressed to within 400 yards of Berryville, Clarke county. A lot of iron has been received, and the work of construction is going forward.

In Fredericksburg last night Lieut. N. J. Whitehead, U. S. Army, was married to Miss Nannie Spotswood Campbell, a daughter of the late Charles Campbell, the Virginia historian.

Col. John T. Anderson, a prominent citizen of Botetourt, died at his home near Buchanan last week. He was a brother of Gen. Joseph R. Anderson, of Richmond, and Judge Francis T. Anderson, of the Court of Appeals. He was seventy years of age.

Capt. James Terry, section master at Potomac River, R. F. & P. R. R., died on Wednesday from injuries received a short time since by being thrown from an ox wagon, in which he and his family were returning from church, the wagon passing over his body, breaking several ribs and otherwise greatly bruising him.

The Goshen Baptist Association, composed of 150 delegates from fifty churches located in the counties of Spotsylvania, Orange, Louisa, Caroline, Goochland, Fluvanna, and Hanover, will meet in the Baptist Church of Fredericksburg next Tuesday, and continue in session for three days.

FINE PEACHES.—There were sent to this office to day a number of fine soft peaches raised in the orchard of a gentleman of Mount Vernon district, Fairfax county. They are of the "Crawford's late" variety and excel anything in the way of peaches yet seen here. A number of them were exhibited at the late meeting of the Potomac Fruit Growers' Association and sold at auction for five cents each.

WANTED—300 YARDS (more or less) of clean sharp RIVER SAND at 17th Street wharf, Washington, D. C. For information apply to or address at No 601 4½ Street, S. W., Washington, from 6 to 9 a. m and 5 to 10 p. m. None but reliable parties need apply. au 5-2t

2 TIERCES SMALL SIZED SPRINGFIELD HAMS received this day. These Hams are very fine in quality, each and every one being guaranteed.
jy 24 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

ROTARY KNIFE, PEACH and APPLE PARER (the best thing out) for sale at 88 King street, corner of Royal.
aug 27 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

CROQUET SETS AND CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES.
A full line at prices to suit the times at
ap 23 C. C. BERRY'S.

LAROQUE'S BITTERS, Hostetter's and Walker's Bitters, Hamburger Plasters, and Koenig's Hamburg Drops, for sale by
e 19 L. STABLER & CO.

WE HAVE a lot of fine HANDKERCHIEF EXTRACTS—Lubin, Edrehi and Coudray—which we are selling out at 25c a bottle.
jy 16 L. STABLER & CO.

WE SELL nice Gunpowder, Japan and Oolong TEAS, pure and of fine flavor, for 50 cts. Try them and you will be pleased.
jy 7 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st

15 BOXES CHOICE BRANDS DANVILLE TOBACCO received and for sale by
jy 26 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st

JUST RECEIVED—25 packages of choice LOUDOUN COUNTY BUTTER. For sale by
aug 20 W. A. JOHNSON & CO.

25 BBLS J. R. PICKLEN & SONS' BELMONT XXXX EXTRA FLOUR in store and for sale by
aug 25 CHAS S. TAYLOR, Jr.

APPLE PARER, CORER AND SLICER combined just the thing for drying apples, for sale by JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS,
aug 15 63 King street.

BEDFORD WATER—Received direct from the Springs in Pennsylvania, and for sale by the gallon in any quantity desired.
au 27 JANNEY & CO.

FLY TRAPS! FLY TRAPS! FLY TRAPS!
We have in store and for sale a supply of the above. [je 24] McKEAN & UHLER.

ORANGE and HONEY SUCKLE brands fine SUGAR CURED HAMS, small, just received by
aug 21 J. C. MILBURN.

CHOICE SUGAR CURED SHOULDERS, Breasts and Hams received this day and for sale at lowest prices by
jy 24 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

FLOUR—WHITE LILY FLOUR Minnesota patent, in bbls, ½ bbls and 1-16 bbls, for sale by
aug 28 HARMON & SMITH.

25 BOXES BABBITT'S BEST SOAP, 50 boxes Higgins' Standard, and Smith & Fowler's Baltimore Soaps, for sale low by
aug 28 HARMON & SMITH.

WHEAT BRAN, White and Brown Middlings, shipstuff, Hay, Corn and Oats for sale and delivered to all parts of the city by
aug 25 CHAS S. TAYLOR, Jr

SPEAR'S FRUIT PRESERVING SOLUTION, Jar Corks of all sizes, Sealing Wax and Cement for fruit jars, just received by
aug 27 E. S. LADBEATER & BRO

ALWAYS IN STOCK—A full line of staple and Fancy Groceries, Fresh Fruits, which we deliver promptly to any part of the city.
aug 20 HARMON & SMITH.

CABBAGE, TURNIP, SPINACH, LETTUCE and KALE SEED—a large supply of all the best varieties just received by
aug 20 E. S. LADBEATER & BRO.

PRESERVING KETTLES—Brass, Bell Metal and Porcelain lined—at lowest rates.
aug 15 JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS.

FRESHLY GROUND GRAHAM FLOUR and CRUSHED WHEAT for sale at
sep 2 J. C. MILBURN'S.

MILL FEED—Corn, Oats Hay, Straw, &c. for sale at lowest prices by
aug 29 HARMON & SMITH.

SUGARS—A full line of all grades for preserving, &c., at
aug 28 HARMON & SMITH'S.

20 BARRELS WHITE POST EXTRA FLOUR, made of old wheat, for sale by
aug 25 THOS. PERRY, Agent.

5 BBLS OLD APPLE CIDER VINEGAR, for pickling for sale by
au 28 J. C. MILBURN.

ROASTED AND GROUND COFFEES at low prices
au 14 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King St.

FRESH BARLEY and OATMEAL received and for sale low by
sep 10 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st

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PORCELAIN DINNER SETS for sale cheap at E. J. MILLER & CO'S.,
sep 1 65 King street.

25 GROSS RUMFORD'S YEAST POWDERS, various sizes, for sale by
aug 28 HARMON & SMITH.

GEM JARS.—Quarter and half gallon Gem Jars received to-day, August 30 1879, by
aug 30 J. C. MILBURN.

CHEAP TEAS—Teas of fine quality for sale at low prices by F. J. DAVIDSON,
au 28 147 King Street.

SEALING WAX for fruit jars and cans, for sale very low by
au 28 J. C. MILBURN.

GROCERIES.

CIGARS.

A FRESH LINE OF

Key West, Imported and Fine Domestic,

JUST RECEIVED.

Attention is called to KEY WEST UNICOS, four for 25c, "M. G." and "PAROLE," guaranteed to be all Havana filler, and

The Best 5 Cent Cigars

SOLD ANYWHERE

G. WM. RAMSAY,
Corner King and St. Asaph sts.

NEW PICKLED

Cucumbers!

JUST RECEIVED BY

G. WM. RAMSAY,
Corner King and St. Asaph sts.

Cross & Blackwell's

PICKLES

Lea & Perrin's

Worcestershire Sauce.

Quarts, Pints and Half Pints, for sale by

G. WM. RAMSAY,
Corner King and St Asaph sts.

GREEN GINGER,

PURE SPICES,

PURE CIDER VINEGAR.

FOR SALE BY

G. WM. RAMSAY,
Corner King and St. Asaph streets.

GREEN & BRO'S
STEAM
FURNITURE WORKS & SAW MILL
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.
Having fitted up our factory with the latest and most approved machinery, we are prepared to furnish all kinds of HOUSE OFFICE and SCHOOL FURNITURE at the very lowest rates; and are also prepared to do all kinds of SAWING and TURNING, MOULDING PLANING and CARVING in our line.
Wanted, in exchange for the Furniture, Walnut Popular, Oak, Maple, Birch and Cedar Logs. je 8-tf

FLOUR! FLOUR

USE THE

Riverton "F. F. V."

AND

CONE & WESTON'S BEST.

STRONG WHITE, SWEET, NUTRITIOUS.
Unlike many Flours of the day, these brands are not made white at the expense of sweetness and nutriment, but by a system recently adopted are made to contain *all the virtue of the grain*, excluding only the bran, or husk.
For sale by all principal grocers. jy 11 eo2m

GEO. E. PRICE. J. F. COOK.

DELICACIES OF THE SEASON

We have this day opened at No. 16 NORTH FAIRFAX STREET, adjoining the Market square, a store, where all the delicacies of the season, from land and water, can be obtained. We have made arrangements by which we shall have the earliest WATERMELONS and CANTELOPES, FRUITS and VEGETABLES, fresh from the trees and vines, and FRESH FISH CRABS, CLAMS, &c., will be brought us daily in ice packages by the Potomac river boats. Orders from the country promptly attended to
jy 22 2m G. E. PRICE & CO.

JOHN A. COGAN,
PRACTICAL PLUMBER
NO. 15 ROYAL STREET,
Keeps constantly on hand Plumbers' Material of all kinds such as Bath Tubs, Water Closets, Sinks, Force Pumps, Hydraulic Rams for country houses, Iron, Lead and Terra Cotta Pipe, of all sizes, &c. Country houses fitted up with water at short notice. Jobbing promptly attended to. All work guaranteed. Plans and estimates furnished. jy 22 w6m

S. J. REED
Has resumed his
MEAT AND FISH BUSINESS,
At his old stall in the Northeast Corner of the Market, No 2.
He has also fitted up No 52 where he will keep on hand all kinds of PICKLES, GHERKINS and CHOW CHOW, as well as a well selected stock of MEATS, SALT FISH, SMOKED FISH, &c sep 4

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—I offer for sale on favorable terms, or in exchange for land or farm stock, situated in the village of Buckland, Virginia, a NEW TWO STORY FRAME DWELLING, well finished and in good repair; good garden and outbuildings; locality healthy and good society; on Warrenton and Alexandria turnpike, 3 miles from Virginia Midland Railroad. This property is now unoccupied, and will be rented low until sold. Apply to R. R. SANDERS.
Buckland, Va., sep 1-t1w1m

FIFTY HORSE POWER
ENGINE AND BOILER,
of superior quality and workmanship, for sale by
aug 5-w3m J. P. AGNEW

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Terms of Sale: One fourth of the purchase money in cash; the residue in three equal payments, payable respectively in six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with good security, with interest from the day of sale, and the title of the property to be retained until the whole purchase price is paid. LEONARD MARBURY,
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