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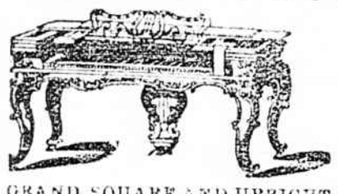

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SMALL SUGAR CURED HAMS and SHOULDERS received to-day by R. W. AVERY, mar29 226 King street.

15 SACKS OLD GOVERNMENT JAVA and RIO COFFEE received to day by R. W. AVERY, mar29. 226 King street.

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Monday, March 22, 1880.

We invite special attention to our stock of CASHMERES and other BLACK GOODS, just received from New York. We sell the best PURE WOOL BLACK FRENCH CASHMERE at 50c ever offered in any market at that price. We are selling the best pure Worsted double width Bunting at 20c to be found any where at that price. All Worsted Roll Bunting at 25c, extra cheap. Also Black Crape Veils, Black Cashmere Shawls, Mourning Handkerchiefs, Black Lisle Hose, Black Ingrain and Oxford Hose, Black Kids, &c., &c.

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AUCTION SALES.

TRUSTEE'S SALE IN FAIRFAX—By virtue of a deed of trust from J. D. Crocker and wife, dated Nov. 20th, 1876, and duly recorded in the land records of Fairfax county, Va., and for the purposes therein mentioned, I shall offer for sale by public auction, in front of the Court House door, at Fairfax C. H., on MONDAY, April 19th, 1880, (court day) at 12 m. the TRACT OF LAND conveyed by the above deed, containing 131 and 81-100 acres, lying upon the road leading from Lewensville to Langley, adjoining the lands of Smoot, Peacock, and others, and known as the "Dorr Crocker" place.

This sale will be made subject to a deed of trust dated Sept 1874, to secure Albert Peacock the sum of $770, and also subject to another trust deed, dated Jan. 27th, 1876, to secure Nicholas Acker the sum of $1,000.

Terms of Sale: Cash, as to the costs of this sale, and the sum of four hundred dollars and unpaid interest thereon for something over two years. Balance in one, two, and three years.

O. E. HINE, Trustee.

Fairfax county, Va., March 18-ts

By Green & Wise,

[Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE Circuit Court for the city of Alexandria, Va., rendered at its May term, 1876, in the suit of Stabler's administrator vs. McGaw and others, in chancery, the undersigned, commissioners, therein named, will offer for sale, by public auction, on THURSDAY, the 22d day of April, 1880, in front of the Market Building, on Fairfax street, at 12 o'clock m., the following described real estate, to wit:

No. 1—HOUSE and LOT on the north side of King st, beginning 16 feet east of Henry st., at the middle of the partition wall there standing; then east 15½ feet, more or less, to the middle of another partition wall, and extending back 100 feet to a ten ft alley, with the use thereof in common.

No. 2—VACANT LOT on the north side of Prince street, 41 feet 8½ inches east of Payne st.; thence east 20 feet, and extending north the same width as in front, 104 feet 7 inches, to a 12 feet alley, with the use thereof in common.

No. 3—A LOT OF GROUND on the west side of St. Asaph street, beginning 90 feet 5 inches south of King street, binding on an alley 10 feet wide, running thence south on St. Asaph street 43 feet 10 inches; thence west in a line parallel to King street 110 feet to an alley 13 feet 5 in wide; thence north parallel to St. Asaph st. 43 feet 10 inches to the 10 feet alley; thence east with the said alley and parallel to King street 110 feet to the beginning, with the use of both alleys.

No. 4—A RENT CHARGE of $36 per annum in fee charged upon a piece of ground on the west side of Union street, between Cameron and Queen streets, 27 feet 9 inches north of Thompson's alley, 27 feet 9 inches front and 100 feet deep, now held by G. Price's heirs.

No 5—A FRAME HOUSE and LOT on the south side of King street, 73 feet 5 inches west of Patrick street, 25 feet by 100 feet.

No. 6—HOUSE and LOT on the southwest corner of King and Henry streets.

No. 7—HOUSE and LOT on the north side of Prince street, next east of house and lot on the corner of Alfred street, and adjoining R. L. Carne.

No. 8—A GROUND RENT of $19 33 per annum charged on the property on the southwest corner of Cameron and St. Asaph streets.

No. 9—HOUSE and LOT on the south side of King street, adjoining on the east the house at the corner of Alfred street, now occupied by Demaine, 15 feet 10 inches by 37 feet 5 inches, a space of 4 feet 4 inches by 15 feet 10 inches in rear to be kept open for use of this and adjoining lot

Terms of Sale: Enough in cash to pay costs of suit and sale, and the residue of the purchase money in three equal instalments, with interest from the day of sale, payable at one, two and three years; the bonds of the purchaser or purchasers, with good security, to be taken for the deferred payments, and the title to be retained until said bonds are paid.

H. O. CLAUGHTON, C. W. WATTLES, } Comm'rs. of Sale.

mh 18—eots

WILL be offered at the same time and place the THREE STORY BRICK DWELLING No. 62 south Royal street. The house is in good order, and has all the modern improvements, located on the east side of Royal street, between Prince and Duke. Terms at sale.

mh 26-eots GREEN & WISE, for owners.

By Green & Wise,

(Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.)

COMMISSIONERS SALE—By virtue of a decree of the Corporation Court for the city of Alexandria, Va., rendered at its January term, 1880, in the chancery cause of R. T. Lucas, Sergeant, Administrator of William Hance vs. Shirley King et al., the undersigned, Commissioners therein named, will offer for sale, by public auction, in front of the entrance to the Court room, on Fairfax street, on THURSDAY, the 22d day of April, 1880, at 12 o'clock m., the following property, to wit: ALL OF THAT LOT OF GROUND, with the IMPROVEMENTS thereon in the city of Alexandria, Va., bounded as follows: Beginning on the east side of Royal street, between Cameron and Queen streets, at the north line of the ground formerly James McGuire's; then north with Royal street twenty two (22) feet; then east parallel with Queen st. seventy-two (72) feet six (6) inches, more or less, to a seven feet alley; then south parallel with Royal street, twenty two (22) feet; then by a straight line to the beginning.

Terms of Sale: One fourth of the purchase money in cash, and the residue in six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest from the day of sale; the notes of the purchaser to be given for them, and the title to the property to be retained until the whole of the purchase money be paid.

H. O. CLAUGHTON, JNO. M. JOHNSON, } Comm'rs. of Sale.

mh 19—eots

NOTICE—Just received Tutt's Pills, Tutt's Expectorant, Boschee's German Syrup, Green's August Flower, Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar, Thompson's Syrup Tar and Wood Naptha, Vegetine, Parker's Hair Balsam Allen's Lung Balsam, Simmon's Liver Regulator in 25 cent packages, Allcock's, Benson's and Herrick's Plasters, &c., at

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AUCTION SALES.

By O'Neal & Lucas, Auctioneers.

WILL BE SOLD ON SATURDAY, April 3d, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Market House on Royal street, TWO SQUARES OF GROUND, bounded by Queen, Oronoco, Payne and West streets, inclusive.

Terms: One fourth cash; the residue in six, twelve and eighteen months, with properly endorsed notes, bearing interest from day of sale.

JOHN LEATHERLAND,

mh 5-td Commissioner of Sale.

By Green & Wise,

(Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.)

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VA.

By virtue of a decree of the Corporation Court for the city of Alexandria, Virginia, rendered at the March term, 1880, thereof, in the chancery cause of James F. Carlin & Sons vs. Mary F. Ford, executrix, et als., the subscribers, as commissioners of sale, appointed by the said decree, will expose for sale by public auction, on SATURDAY, the 3d day of April, 1880, at 12 m., in front of the Market Building, on Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., the real estate mentioned, to wit

No. 1. A TENEMENT AND LOT OF GROUND in the said city of Alexandria, Va., situated at the southwest intersection of King and Payne streets, in front on King street, 24 feet, more or less, and extending southwardly in depth 100 feet to a 12 feet alley, being the premises formerly occupied and used by Josiah Ford as a dwelling and wheelwright shop.

No. 2. A TENEMENT AND LOT OF GROUND adjoining No. 1 on the west, in front on King street 24 feet 5 inches, more or less, and extending southwardly in depth 100 feet to a 12 feet alley.

No. 3. A LOT OF GROUND adjoining No. 2 on the west, in front on King street 24 feet 8 inches, more or less, and extending southwardly in depth 100 feet to said 12 feet alley.

Terms of Sale: One tenth of the purchase money in cash on the day of sale, and the residue in three equal payments at 6, 12 and 18 months from the day of sale; the deferred payments to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser or purchasers, with good security, and the retention of the title until all the purchase money is paid.

CHARLES E. STUART, S. FERGUSON BEACH, ALBERT STUART, } Comm'rs. of Sale.

mh 4—eots

By Green & Wise,

[Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

TRUSTEE'S SALE—By virtue of a deed of trust from Thornton Hyett, John F. Vandergrift and William Vandergrift dated the 22d day of August, 1873, duly recorded in Alexandria county, Va., land records, liber B, No. 4, page 101 the subscriber, as trustee, will sell for cash to the highest bidder, on SATURDAY, the 24th day of April, 1880, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Market Building, on Fair ax street, the TRACT OF LAND and the BUILDINGS thereon conveyed by said deed of trust, situated in Alexandria county, Va., and bounded as follows: Beginning at (a) a stake; thence running north 50½° w. 4 16 chains; thence south 26° w. 16.38 chains; thence north 64° w. 1 21 chains to a stake (d); thence south 76° w. 18 chains to a stake (e); thence s. 60° e. 5 37 chains to a stake (f); thence n. 26° e. 35 17 chains to the place of beginning, containing 16 acres, 2 roods and 27 poles H. O. CLAUGHTON,

mh26-2aw4w Trustee.

By John W. Graham, Auctioneer.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF DESIRABLE PROPERTY IN FAIRFAX COUNTY—By virtue of a deed of trust from Alfred Bayliss and John H. Sarten and wife, dated the 27th day of January, 1877, and duly of record among the land records of Fairfax county, in liber W, No. 4, folio 435, and for the purpose therein mentioned, the undersigned will offer for sale by public auction, in front of the Court House door at Fairfax Court House, on MONDAY, the 19th day of April, 1880, (court day) at 12 o'clock m., to the highest bidder, the TRACT OF LAND conveyed by the above mentioned deed, and described therein as follows, viz: One certain tract of land known as KEEN'S MILL TRACT, situated on the south side of Pohick Run, in the district of Lee, county of Fairfax, State of Virginia, and contains, by recent survey, one hundred and forty-one and a half acres, to which survey for the metes and bounds reference is had.

Terms of Sale: So much cash as will pay costs of sale, also the sum of five hundred dollars, with interest thereon from the 27th day of January, 1877, until paid; and if there be any residue of such purchase money, the same shall be made payable at such time or times, and be secured in such manner as the said Bayliss and Sarten shall direct, or in case of their failure to give such directions, at such time and in such manner as the undersigned shall think fit.

mar17-wts O. W. HUNT, Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY NEAR OCCOQUAN VILLAGE—By virtue of a deed of trust from George Selecman and wife, dated the 15th day of February, 1873, recorded among the land records of Fairfax county, liber P, No. 4 page 26, and for the purpose therein mentioned, the undersigned will offer for sale by public auction at Fairfax Court House, on MONDAY, the 19th day of April, 1880, the TRACTS OF LAND conveyed in said deed of trust, except that portion conveyed by George Selecman and wife to Redman Selecman. Said land contains 522 acres, and will be sold in lots designated as lots Nos. 1, 2 and 3. No. 1 contains 60 acres, with a COMFORTABLE HOUSE, one third in timber. No. 2—192 acres, with good HOUSE and barn, one third cleared. No. 3—270 acres, and known as the Home Tract; has a comfortable HOUSE and barn.

Terms of Sale: So much cash as will pay expenses of sale; also the sum of one thousand dollars, with interest thereon from the 15th day of February, 1878, until the day of sale. Selling, as trustee, I shall convey such title as is vested in me, which I believe to be good.

WILLIAM T. HALLEY, Trustee.

Fairfax county, mh 18-wtd

By Green & Wise

[Real Estate Agents and Actioneers.]

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF A VALUABLE BUILDING ON KING STREET.

In pursuance of a decree of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria in the cause of H. B. Claflin & Co., against James M. Stewart and others, the undersigned commissioners of sale, will offer for sale, by auction, at about 12 o'clock m., on MONDAY, the 12th day of April 1880, in front of the entrance to the Court room, on Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, the LOT OF GROUND and IMPROVEMENTS thereon on the north side of King between Royal and Pitt streets, Alexandria, Va. on which stands the building, Nos. 101 103 and 105 King street. This lot fronts on King street 35 feet 5 inches, more or less, and runs back 100 ft north to Hoff's alley.

Terms of Sale: One thousand dollars in cash, and the residue in three equal payments at six, twelve and eighteen months with interest from the day of sale; the notes of the purchaser, with security, and waiving homestead, to be given therefor, and as further security the building to be kept insured by the purchaser for the benefit of the undersigned in the sum of $4,000 and the title of the property retained till the purchase money is paid.

S. F. BEACH, JOHN M. JOHNSON, } Comm's of Sale.

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GARDEN SEED—I have this day received a large supply of LANDRETH'S GARDEN SEED, which I am selling at the lowest market prices. Rural Registers free on application.

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mh 1-6w W. A. SMOOT.

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Marriage in Egypt.

When an Egyptian wants a wife, he is not allowed to visit the harems of his friends to select one, for Mohammed forbade men to see the face of any woman they could marry, that is to say, any besides their mothers or sisters. A man is, therefore, obliged to employ a "khatbeh," or matchmaker, to find one for him, for which service, of course, she expects "backsheesh"—that is, payment. The khatbeth having found a girl, recommends her to the man as exceedingly beautiful and eminently suitable to him. The father is then waited upon to ascertain the dowry he requires; for all wives are purchased as they were in patriarchal days. When Jacob had no money to pay for Rachel he served her father seven years as an equivalent; and, when duped, was obliged to serve a second time to secure his prize. (Gen. xxix.) Fathers still refuse to give a younger daughter in marriage before an elder shall have been married. The people of Armenia, in Asiatic Turkey, forbid a younger son to marry before an elder, and this is likewise the law of the Hindoos.

The price of a wife varies from five shillings to fifteen hundred dollars. The girl may not be more than 5 or 6 years old, but, whatever her age two-thirds of the dowry is at once paid to the father, in the presence of witnesses. The father then or his representative says: "I betroth to thee my daughter," and the young man responds, "I accept of such bethrotal."—Unless among the lower classes, the father expends the dowry in the purchase of dress, ornaments or furniture for the bride, which never become the property of her husband. Even when bethrothed, the intercourse of the parties is very restricted. The Arabs will not allow them to see each other; but the Jews are not quite so stringent. The bethrothals often continue for years before the man demands his wife, thus: "Samson went down and talked to the woman, or espoused her, and "after a time, he returned to take her." Girls are demanded at the age of ten and between that and sixteen years, but after sixteen few men will seek them, and the dowry expected is then proportionably low.

Girls in Egypt are often mothers at 13 and grandmothers at 26, and in Persia they are said to be mothers at 11, grandmothers at 22, and past child bearing at 30. When a man demands his betrothed a day is fixed for the nuptials, and for seven nights before he is expected to give a feast, which, however, is furnished by the guests themselves. Thus one sends coffee, another rice, another sugar, etc. The principal time of this continued feast is the night before the consummation. The conduct is entrusted to the "friend of the bridegroom." (John iii., 29.) About the middle of this day the bride arrives at the house and retires to the harem, where she sits with her mother, sisters and female friends. At the third or fourth watch of the night—three or four hours after sunset—the bridegroom, who has not yet seen his fair one, goes to the mosque to pray, accompanied by "meshals," or torches and lanterns, with music. Upon his return he is introduced to his bride, with whom, having given her attendants a present to retire, he is left alone. He then throws off her veil, and for the first time sees her face. If satisfied, he informs the women outside, who immediately express their joy by screaming "Zageareet," which is echoed by the women in the house and then by those in the neighborhood.

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