

Alexandria Gazette

SATURDAY EVENING, JULY 31.

A BUREAU BETWEEN DEVS.—Two lads, each about 16 years of age, were, it seems, breakfasting together in a factory near the Blue Niter...

People often complain of hard times from a mere natural tendency to grovel, but a Georgia clerk the other day said: "I never recall such times since I was born."

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

By virtue of authority vested in us by the State Central Committee, we hereby designate Wednesday, the 29th day of August, 1880, as the time, and Alexandria as the place, for holding a convention to nominate the Democratic candidate for Congress in the 8th Congressional District of Virginia.

The basis of representation will be one delegate and one alternate to every one hundred votes and fractions of one hundred exceeding fifty votes for Times and Hendricks in 1876.

Delegates to said convention are to be selected by county, district or ward meetings, or by primary election by wards or districts, as the various county or city committees may elect, and attendance as the respective county or city committees may determine; provided, that if district or ward meetings or primary elections are adopted, such meetings or elections in any one county or city shall be held on the same day.

Members of the State Central Committee for the Eight Congressional District of Virginia.

Opening and Closing of the Falls.

Washington, D. C., North and Northeastern falls 12 m. and 8 1/2 p. m.

Western falls 4:30 and 8 1/2 p. m. Southern falls, via Richmond, Va., 6:30 a. m. and 8:30 and 10 p. m.

South and Southwestern falls, via Lynchburg, Virginia, 6:00 a. m. and 5:45 p. m. Alexandria to Lynchburg, Va., (way mails) including through mails, 6:00 a. m. and 9:00 p. m.

Gordonsville and Charlottesville, Va., 6:00 a. m. and 9:00 p. m. Massanutten Division 6:00 a. m. Alexandria to Round Hill, Va., 7:45 a. m.

Northern and Western falls, via Washington, D. C., 8:30 a. m. and 2:00 and 6:00 p. m. Southern falls, via Richmond, Va., 6:30 a. m. and 1:00 p. m.

Southwestern falls via Lynchburg, Virginia, (through mails) including way mails on Midland Railroad, 8:30 a. m. and 10 p. m.

Massanutten Division 8:30 a. m. Round Hill to Alexandria, Va., 8:30 p. m. Office Hours—Office opens at 8:30 a. m., and closes at 7:00 p. m. Sunday Hours—Office opens at 9:45 a. m., and closes at 9:30 a. m.

REPAIRS AND CONTRACTS.

B. F. PEAKE.

Doors, Sash, Blinds, Hardware, Paints, Oils, Leads, Cement, Lumber, Lime, Calcedine, Plaster, Putty, Mortar, Bricks, Tiles, Roofing, etc.

JAMES F. CARLIN & SONS, NO. 36 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

HARDWARE and CUTLERY, Building Hardware, Locks, Hinges, Screws, Door Bolts, Latches, etc.

JOHN T. CROFTON & SONS, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in HARDWARE and CUTLERY.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in HARDWARE, CUTLERY, HOUSEHOLD GOODS, Iron, Plough Castings, Nail Rods, Axes, Green, Wagon Materials, House-Apparatus, etc.

REFRIGERATORS! Water Coolers! Just received a lot of the above goods. Call and examine at McLEAN & UHLER'S, 75 King Street.

FINE TOILET SOAPS—Lecture, Oshmore, Houquet, Glycerine, Honey, Elder Flower, Turtle Oil, Yewine, Aurifer, Bath and Olive Castile, just received in every variety of style and price.

PLAIN WHEELS at 88 King Street, corner of Royal, Alexandria, Va.—We are still selling the above wheels, which have given general satisfaction to our customers, both as to quality and price.

MILLVILLE GLASS FRUIT JARS—We have just received a supply of these, with out any exception, the finest fruit jars made; in stock pint, quart and half gallons; wholesale and retail. JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS, 37 King Street.

POTOMAC FISH—55 lbs No. 1 and FAMILY ROEBERGING, 25 lbs No. 1 HERRING, and 25 lbs SHAD BUCK in store and for sale by W. A. JOHNSON & CO.

TURNIP SEEDS—Just received direct from David Landreth & Sons, Philadelphia, a supply of fresh and genuine Turnip Seeds of all its most popular varieties, which we offer low.

100 BOXES various brands of Family SOAP—Babbitt's, Higgins', Standard, Oriental, Dobbins and other varieties. HARMON & SMITH.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

CHAS. S. TAYLOR, JR., (Late of J. T. Heckham & Co.) GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT AND FEED DEALER.

Agent for J. B. PICKLEN & SONS, CELEBRATED BRIDGEWATER FAMILY FLOUR, 11 North Union Street, Alexandria, Virginia.

W. A. JOHNSON & CO., WHOLESALE GROCERS, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, AND DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS.

Have on hand GIBSON'S XX, XXX, XXXX and PURE OLD RYE, OLD CORN and WOODRUM WHISKY; also BARKERS and THOMPSON'S PURE RYE WHISKEY, to which they invite the attention of the trade.

Orders from the country for merchandise should be accompanied by remittance in the form of drafts on New York, or on the country, or by cash, or by check, or by draft on the highest market prices and prompt returns.

Corner Prince and Royal sts., ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Consignments of Grain and Country Produce solicited, and prompt returns made. J. B. FELLOW BROS., WHOLESALE GROCERS AND GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

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STOVES AND TINWARE.

S. P. DEVAUGHAN, Copper, Tin & Sheet Iron Worker.

PITTS, BET. KING & PRINCE, ALEXANDRIA, VA. Has opened a regular job shop. He is prepared to do all kinds of job work in his line, including sheet iron work, etc.

ESTABLISHED 1856. J. P. CLARK, AT THE OLD LOCATION—108 KING ST.

Will exhibit a well assorted stock of WALL PAPERS, WINDOW SHADES, CARPETS, OILS and PAINTS, FINE PICTURES and FINEST LINENS from the best manufacturers and importers of the West and most popular dealers.

He intends by faithful attention to the wants of the customers and fair dealing to merit a share of their patronage.

FOR RENT—The comfortable FRANK DWELLING, on the east side of St. Asaph Street, between Cameron and Queen, containing water, gas, heater, &c., recently occupied by W. H. May.

FOR RENT OR LEASE—The desirable and roomy STORE and WAREHOUSE No. 97 Cameron Street, lately occupied by H. B. Lawson & Co. Apply to R. M. LAWSON.

FOR RENT—HOUSE No. 25 Cameron St., between Fairfax and Lee. Apply to J. H. D. SMOOT.

RECEIPT FOR THE WARM WEATHER. LEMON ICE CREAM, VANILLA ICE CREAM, STRAWBERRY ICE CREAM.

BRECKLE, 122 King Street, will sell Ice Cream at the season rates, notwithstanding the high price of cream. He would be glad to receive orders for his Cream, and to see the good name that years of fair dealing have won for him.

His healthful hand-made candies, free of terra, sals or glucose, have been largely purchased during the past season. To those who have used them he refers for testimony of their excellence.

Y. B. RIMS, SPOKES, WHEELS, &c., at very low prices, at 88 King, corner of Royal Street, Alexandria, Va. The subscribers, for want of space, will not do justice to the above line at reduced prices. Special attention is asked to stock of Wheels of Virginia manufacture, which will be sold at a great bargain.

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LOTTERIES.

23d POPULAR MONTHLY DRAWING OF THE Commonwealth Distribution Co.

At Macaulay's Theatre, in the city of Louisville, on TUESDAY, August 31, 1880. THESE DRAWINGS, AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATURE AND SUSTAINED BY ALL THE COURTS OF KENTUCKY, according to a contract made with the owners of the Frankfort Lottery, will occur regularly on the LAST DAY OF EVERY MONTH, Sundays and Fridays excepted, for the period of FIVE YEARS, terminating on JUNE 30, 1885.

The United States Circuit Court on March 31 rendered the following decisions: 1st—That the Commonwealth Distribution Company is legal. 2d—Its drawings are fair.

The management call attention to the liberal scheme which has met with such popular favor heretofore, and which will again be presented for the AUGUST DRAWING.

1 prize \$30,000 100 prizes \$100 each \$10,000 1 prize 10,000 200 prizes 50 each 10,000 1 prize 5,000 600 prizes 20 each 12,000 1 prize 1,000 1,000 prizes 10 each 10,000

20 prizes \$1,000 each \$20,000 20 prizes 500 each 10,000 20 prizes 200 each 4,000 20 prizes 100 each 2,000

1,000 prizes. Whole tickets \$2; half tickets \$1; 27 tickets \$50; 55 tickets \$100. Permit by Post Office Money Order, Registered Letter, Bank Draft or Express.

To insure against mistakes and delays, correspondents will please write their names and places of residence plainly, giving number of Post Office box or Street, and Town, County and State.

All communications connected with the Distribution and Orders for Tickets should be addressed to W. F. CREIGHTON, Courier-Journal Building, Louisville, Ky., or at Nos. 307 and 309 Broadway, N. Y.

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES, Oils, Dye Stuffs, Garden Seed, &c., &c.

No. 85 King Street, (under Sarcopa Hall,) ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA. Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compounded. Orders will receive prompt attention.

JOHN T. COLE & CO., (Successors to Jno. Y. Gibson & Co.) PEABODY BUILDING, DEALERS IN DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES.

German and Domestic Toilet Soaps, Lows and Lubin's Extracts, Hair Brushes and Combs and fine assortment of English Tooth and Nail Brushes. Prescriptions a specialty. my22-4f

JANNEY & CO., DEALERS IN DRUGS, PAINTS, OILS, GARDEN SEED.

WINDOW GLASS, SPICES, Acids, Dye Stuffs and Druggists' Sundries. Physicians' prescriptions carefully compounded. Orders and inquiries from the country promptly attended to.

MAIN STORE—At their NEW BUILDING, No. 102 King Street, BIANCHI STONE—Northwest corner King and Royal streets. doc 23

L. STABLER & CO., (Successors to R. H. Stabler) Druggists and Chemists.

N. W. COR KING & WASHINGTON STS. Dealers in Patent Medicines, Drugs, Cigars and Cigarettes, Fine Tooth Brushes, Nail Brushes, German and Domestic Cologne, Hair Brushes, Sponges, Flesh Straps, &c. Special care given to prescriptions. Jan 28-4f

E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., No. 6 and 7 S. Fairfax St., Established 1793.

DEALERS IN PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, PROPRIETARY MEDICINES, GARDEN SEEDS, SPICES, AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS FINE TOILET GOODS, &c., &c.

Proprietors of Anodyne, Federal, Lubricating Liniment, Essence Jamaica Ginger and Cough Syrup, and Agents for Ayer's Medicines, Ayer's Chemical Paints, &c. Every effort will be made to maintain the high reputation of our old establishment. my 3

WARFIELD & HALL, DRUGGISTS, COR. PRINCE & FAIRFAX STS.

Prescriptions a specialty. English, French, German and Domestic Toilet Soaps; Genuine Parfums; Cologne; Magnolia, Holyosins, Geranium and Florida Water; Genuine Lubin's Extracts; Sponges; Hair Brushes and Combs; best English Tooth Brushes; a full assortment of Patent Medicines; Cox's Gelatine; Corn Starch; Sea Moss Farine; Spices of all kinds, and a select stock of all articles sold by druggists at prices as low as the same quality can be obtained elsewhere. dec 1

NEW GOODS IN THE HARDWARE LINE at 88 King, corner of Royal Street. Just received, the STEAK GRILL, for iron frying best; it never fails to make the toughest steak tender all the way through. Also the self setting DELUSION BATH TRAP; something new; call and examine.

Both Proof and Plain Carpet Felt, Matting Tacks, Tack Cloths, Carpet Hammers, Carpet Stretchers, White-wash, Dusters and Scrub Brushes, and other goods suited to the season. The Windsor Scale for sale cheap.

TRY OUR IMPROVED CREAM BISCUIT. THE BEST ON THE MARKET. This delicate Biscuit is very desirable for tea or lunch, and is especially recommended for invalids and children.

W. S. MOORE, MACHINIST AND BLACKSMITH, No. 65 Union Street, Alexandria, Virginia.

Where he is prepared to furnish all kinds of MACHINERY, WROUGHT and CAST IRON PUMPS, &c. Repairing done with dispatch and at prices that were charged previous to the war. dec 12

FOLDING SETTERS! FOLDING SETTERS! We have just received another supply of Folding Setters. Those in want of them would do well to call early.

SCOTT'S EMULSION OF COD LIVER OIL, Read & Caruick's Maltine, Extract Malt and its Combinations, Hop Bitters, &c., for sale by L. STABLER & CO., dec 23

LOOK! LOOK!—LONDON CATTLE FEEDER in 6 lb boxes, can be purchased for one dollar per box. W. F. CREIGHTON'S, 85 King Street. feb 4

STEAMERS.

NOTICE. POTOMAC FERRY CO'S STEAMERS FOR LANDINGS ON THE POTOMAC RIVER.

On and after Sunday, July 18th, will arrive as follows: Steamer T. V. ARROWSMITH leaves Potomac Ferry Co's wharf, foot of King Street, EVERY SUNDAY, TUESDAY and THURSDAY, at 7:30 a. m. for Leonardtown and all intermediate landings.

Steamer MYRTLE leaves EVERY MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at 7:30 a. m. for Kinross and intermediate landings. GEO. B. PHILLIPS, Manager, Potomac Ferry Company. J. B. PADGETT, Agent. jyl7

CHANGE OF TIME. On and after Wednesday, May 26th, the boats of the POTOMAC FERRY CO. will run as follows: LEAVE ALEXANDRIA: 6:00, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 and 11:30 a. m., and 12:30, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:15 and 7 p. m.

LEAVE WASHINGTON: 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 and 11:30 a. m., and 12:30, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30 and 7:30 p. m.

On Sunday the first trip from each end will be at 8:30 a. m. GEO. B. PHILLIPS, Manager.

1880 POTOMAC STEAMBOAT CO. 1880 GEORGE LEARY, RESUMPTION OF ROUTE ALEXANDRIA, VA., AND NORFOLK, VA., CALLING AT PINEY POINT AND POINT LOOKOUT going and returning.

On and after Monday, March 15th, 1880, the steamer GEORGE LEARY, Joseph White, Commander, will resume her route between the above ports.

From ALEXANDRIA, Hoop's wharf, every MONDAY and WEDNESDAY, at 6 p. m., and every SATURDAY at 6 1/2 p. m. From NORFOLK, Campbell's wharf every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SUNDAY, at 4 p. m.

Arriving at either port early next morning. During the past winter the Leary has been thoroughly overhauled, newly painted, carpentered, upholstered and put in nice order. Her owners pledge the public cleanliness, a first class table and courtesy and attention from the officers and servants of the boat. Tickets, rates, information, staterooms, &c., furnished by P. B. HOOK, Agt., Alexandria, Va. B. F. DODD, Agt., Wash., D. C. mh 9-4f

Inland & Seaboard Coasting Co. Steamers of this line will run as follows: FOR NORFOLK, Connecting with Merchants' and Miners' Line for Boston, steamer LADY OF THE LAKE.

EVERY MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at 5:30 o'clock p. m.; returning, leave Norfolk on alternate days at 4:00 p. m.

This staunch iron steamer has just been painted and carpeted, and is the handsomest as well as the safest boat on the Potomac river and Chesapeake bay, and is the only steamer making close connection with the New York and Boston steamers; also connects with Richmond steamers and railroad lines south. Stops at PINEY POINT and POINT LOOKOUT going and returning. Fare, first class, \$1; round trip \$1 50.

FOR POTOMAC RIVER. STEAMER JOHN W. THOMPSON, EVERY MONDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY at 7:30 a. m.; returning on alternate days.

FOR NEW YORK. STEAMERS E. C. NIGHTINGALE and JOHN GIBSON, EVERY MONDAY, at 12 m.; and returning, leave New York, from pier 41, East river, EVERY SATURDAY, at 4 o'clock p. m.

The steamers of this company make connections at Norfolk for Boston and all points East; at New York with all points West and Northwest, and at Alexandria with Virginia Midland Railroad and Washington and Ohio Railroad. Through rates given and freight handled carefully and promptly. For further information apply to F. A. BEED, Agent, Janney's wharf.

SAMUEL BACON, President. Office under Nat'l. Metrop. Bank, Washington, D. C.

CLYDE'S STEAM LINES WEEKLY TO PHILADELPHIA, FALL RIVER, PROVIDENCE AND BOSTON. Steamers leave Alexandria EVERY SATURDAY. This line connects at Alexandria with the O. A. & M. and W. O. K. R., and at Philadelphia with Clyde's regular Steamships for Fall River, Providence and Boston.

Freight forwarded with promptness and care, free of commissions. No charge for transfer in Philadelphia, and no wharfage in Boston. Quick time. Frequent departures. Through rates and through bills of lading given. Insurance at the lowest rates.

Agents: F. A. BEED, Alexandria, WM. B. CLYDE & CO., Philadelphia, JOHNSON & CO., Wash. & Georgetown. Jan 8-4f

FINANCIAL. BURKE & HERBERT, Dealers in GOVERNMENT BONDS, LOCAL STOCKS AND ALL FIRST CLASS RAILROAD BONDS, AND OTHER GOOD INVESTMENT SECURITIES.

ALEXA., VA., COUPONS receivable for taxes. my 9 BURKE & HERBERT.

ICE! ICE! ICE! A full supply of NORTHERN ICE, from the clearest of water, and of unusual PURITY and SOLIDITY, constantly on hand. Packing for shipment to the country a specialty. Persons desiring to secure their summer supply of the article ABSOLUTELY PURE FROM ALL IMPURITIES, and at REASONABLE RATES, can do so by leaving their orders at my office, with drivers, or Mr. Wm. T. Emerson, corner Prince & Royal streets.

JANNEY'S PALACE SODA FOUNTAIN. We have now on draft at our BRANCH STORE, corner King and Royal streets, ICE COLD SODA WATER, with choice Fruit and Cream Syrups; also Vichy, Jellies, Deep Rock Bedford Springs (Pa.) and Bedford Springs (Va.) Alum and Iron Waters, all at FIVE CENTS per glass. JANNY & CO., Druggists, Branch Store, cor. King and Royal sts.

REMNANTS! REMNANTS! We call attention to a large lot of Remnants of every description of goods, which we propose to sell at about half price. Bargains may be expected. Choice of our entire stock of fine Prints &c.; beautiful Calicoes at 6c; 6-4 Lawns at 8c, fast colors.

D. F. BRASHEAR, No. 109 King St., Alexandria.

WOODEN PLATES! WOODEN PLATES! WOODEN PLATES! We have in store a nice lot of Wooden Plates (three ply) for decorating, assorted sizes. McLEAN & UHLER, 75 King Street.

RAILROADS.

W. O. VIRG. MIDLAND & G. S. R. R. JOHN S. BARBOUR, Receiver.