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FANCY GOODS.

GLOVES in Kid, Berlin, Lisle Thread, Silk and Lisle, showing all the newest shades for the season, also a new assortment of Lace Mitts. Prices 25c, 50c, 75c and $1 25 per pair.

Corsets in all the leading styles, perfect in fit and finish. Prices 50c to $3 00 per pair.

Underwear—special attention is called in the large assortment for Ladies, Gents, Misses, Boys and Infants in Gauze, Lisle Thread, Cotton and Summer Merino; also are exhibiting a choice assortment of Ladies' Undergarments of every description, Chemises, Drawers, Nightgowns, Skirts &c.

Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs—Suspenders.

Hosiery, showing the most choice patterns as well as the largest assortment of medium and low quality. Constantly adding the latest patterns as soon as they are offered for sale by the manufacturer.

Neck Ruchings, Ruffs, Shirts, Vellings, Buttons, Silks, Satins, &c.

Adding to stock Handkerchiefs, Balmorals, Corsets, Vermicelli, Valenciennes, Languedoc, Torchon, Hamburg, Yokes, Crochet, &c.

Alphonse Patent Boots, Reinforced and French Calfs, in lacquered and unlaundried Collars at 1 Cent, and in 14 inches. Prices 12½, 15c, 20c and 25c.

Gentlemen's Collars and Heavy Wool Zephyr Worsted in all the colors, Canvas, &c.

Neckwear—in this department the collection will surpass all other efforts made heretofore in the city. A fine display of Gloves, the best Kid ever made for men, in Tan, Brown, Black, Castorine, Tropical, Dogskin, Gauntlets, Mittens, and a complete line of Fancy Ties and Bows.

C. M. ADAMS.

22 King st. Alexandria, Va.

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Manufacturers of

HUMAN HAIR GOODS,

311 Pennsylvania Ave., N. W., Washington, D.C., and BRANCH STORE, No. 95 King street, (P. Taliaferro Hall)

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

And dealers in HOSIERY, GLOVES, Toilet Articles, Perfumery, Fancy Goods, &c. Orders by mail promptly attended to. [may7-1y]

HOSIERY, GLOVES, Handkerchiefs, Collars and Cuffs, in assortment.

LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S UNDERWEAR, Linen and Linen Lawns, in all the qualities and prices.

A. G. C. BERRYS.

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COAL! COAL! COAL!

John P. Agnew & Co.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

HARRIS' CREEK, LYKENS VALLEY, BROAD TOP, CUMBERLAND, PITTSTON, and WYOMING COAL.

Yard—Corner Fayette and Pitt streets, near the Market.

Office, 144 King street, Alexandria, Va.

Orders left at Agnew & Co.'s Office, Alexandria, or addressed to the Yard, will receive prompt attention. [may 7-3m]

COAL.

We invite the attention of families and manufacturers to our large stock of CAREFULLY PREPARED COAL, including the celebrated LYKENS VALLEY,

EGYPT and SHAMOKIN RED ASH,

WHITE ASH (free burning and lasting), Stevenson, Broken, Egg, Stove and Nut Sizes, and KANAWHA SPLINT, from New River.

Making Coal a specialty, we feel we can supply the HIGHEST GRADE, and having Delaware Storage Yards, can deliver it in high condition. Yards covered, and all loading under shed. WELL SCREENED AND FREE FROM DUST AND TRASH.

Dealers, families, public institutions and manufactories supplied at lowest market rates, per ton of 2240 lbs. Yard at CHESAPEAKE & OHIO DEPOT. Wharf foot Pitt street.

COAL.

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On my wharf and for sale at the lowest market rates, the following kinds of COAL:

CUMBERLAND and WEST VIRGINIA COALS, of best quality, and well screened. I would respectfully solicit a share of the patronage of my friends and the public generally, and supply my customers with good coal at the lowest price. Delivered at any place in the corporation of Alexandria.

j 7 W. A. SMOOT.

Boys' & Youth's Boots & Shoes.

We have a very large stock of Boys' and Youth's School and Dress Shoes of all the new styles which are warranted to give satisfaction, and will be sold more cheaper than they can be bought in this city or Washington. It will repay you to examine these goods.

It will afford us great satisfaction to show these goods to the public, and all we can say is that they cannot be beat in variety, style, quality or price.

W. H. WEARY, 110 King st.

100 BBLS CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR.

I have just received a fine lot of MASON MILLS FAMILY and EXTRA FLOUR, which I can recommend as a very superior and guarantee it to give satisfaction in all cases. All I ask is a trial. For sale by

mh29-3m G. WASHINGTON, Agt.

CUT HAY! CUT HAY!! CUT HAY!!! in bales and loose. Delivered Free. For sale by

CHAS. S. TAYLOR, JR.

je8 No. 23 King Street.

STEEL PLOW PLATES—We have in stock finished Steel Plow Plates and Bull Tongues; also Iron Plow Plates, shares, &c.

JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS,

je1 63 King street.

COFFEES AND TEAS—12 half chests Gunpowder, Oolong and Japan Teas; 10 sacks Rio, Laguayra and Java Coffee, and 100 pounds Arbuckle's celebrated Roasted Coffee.

sp7 HARMON & SMITH.

CRADLING SCYTHES, English and American Grain Cradles, Grass Scythes, Rifles and Stones, wholesale and retail at

JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS,

je14 63 King street.

DRIED FRUIT—500 lbs bright Dried Apples just received; also Turkish Prunes, Currants, Raisins, Dried Cherries and Peaches of prime quality, for sale by

je9 J. C. MILBURN.

GLASS BALLS! GLASS BALLS! for trap shooting, by the hundred or barrel, in store and for sale at lowest market rates by

JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS,

je14 63 King street.

THE "EASY" LAWN MOWER just received and for sale at 88 King, corner of Royal street; the best thing out; call and examine. [may4] J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

JUST received to-day a fresh lot of SUMMIT BEDFORD and DEEP ROCK MINERAL WATERS. For sale on draught or by the gallon at [my18] LUNTS.

12 DOZEN BROOMS made of selected straw received to-day by

my12 J. C. MILBURN.

NORTHERN PACKED BUTTER just received by [sp25] J. C. MILBURN.

JEWELERS.

Summer Jewelry.

Silver Lace Pins, Earrings, Chatelaine Watches, Vinaigrettes, Bangles, Bangle Rings, Sleeve Buttons, Scarf Pins, &c.

WATCHES.

The celebrated Waltham (American) Watches, of all grades, in Gold and Silver Cases, at the lowest prices.

S. W. GALT, BRO. & CO.,

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WALL PAPER, &c.

WALL PAPER.

All the latest designs of

SPRING STYLES OF WALL PAPER

just received.

We invite the public to call and compare paper and prices.

WINDOW SHADES, CHROMOS, OIL PAINTINGS, ENGRAVINGS, &c.

PICTURE FRAMES MADE TO ORDER.

All work done with dispatch.

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Country orders solicited. ap9-tf

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Will exhibit a well assorted stock of

WALL PAPER, WINDOW SHADES CORNICES, CORD and TASSELS, FINE OIL COLORS and PICTURE FRAMES from the best manufacturers and importers, of the newest and most popular designs.

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

BOOTS AND SHOES.

WE INVITE THE ATTENTION OF THE LADIES TO OUR

New Spring Styles Boots & Shoes

We offer a magnificent assortment of NEW STYLES which cannot be surpassed for beauty, durability and price.

Ladies' Fine French Kid Button Boots.
Ladies' Fine Patent Cloth Top Button Boots.
Ladies' Fine Dongola do.
Ladies' Fine Lasting Kid do.
Ladies' Fine Serge do.
Ladies' Fine Calf do.
Ladies' Fine Kid Slippers, every description.

W. B. WADDEY

110 KING STREET,

sep ALEXANDRIA, VA.

INSURANCE.

PHILIP R. ROSS,

AGENT

Represents the London & Globe Fire Ins. Co., of London.
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ALEXA., VA., COUPONS receivable for sale.

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W. P. GRAVES,

COR. FAIRFAX & FRANKLIN STS.,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.,

DEALER IN GROCERIES, FRESH AND SALTED MEATS and VEGETABLES.

I have smoked COUNTRY HAMS very cheap. Also SWEET MILK, BUTTERMILK and FRESH CREAM at all times.

Agent for O. O. MUNSON'S PREMIUM NURSERY. ja23

THE PERFECT WASHER!

THE PERFECT WASHER!

We have this day received another invoice of this stove. They will wash clothes without rubbing, and thus prevent the wear and tear of wash boards. Any purchaser who is not satisfied that it does all that is claimed for it after a fair trial, can return it and have the money refunded. Price $5.

McLEAN & UHLER, Sole Agents,

my24 76 King street.

HECKER'S SELF RAISING NEW PROCESS FLOUR, Graham Flour and Griddle Cake Flour received to day and for sale by

j 4 J. C. MILBURN.

TRY OUR 35 AND 50 CENT OOLONG TEA, latter particularly adapted for Iced Tea, for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

my12 19 N. Royal street.

ENGLISH CONDITION POWDERS for wholesale and retail by

CHAS. S. TAYLOR, Jr.,

je10 No. 23 King street.

SEED CORN! SEED CORN!!—A lot of choice white and yellow Seed Corn on hand and for sale by CHAS. S. TAYLOR, Jr.,

my27 No. 23 King street.

GOEBEL'S POTATOE PARER, a nice little machine for paring potatoes, at a low price, at 88 King st., cor. of Royal.

je16 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

TOWLER FLY FANS, with Lamberth Improvements, also Fly Traps, at very low prices, at 88 King, corner of Royal street. Call and see. [je16] J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

INSECT POWDER—Bed Bug Poisons of various kinds and the best known article for the prevention of moths are sold by

my14 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

SCYTHES AND CRADLES, Cradle Fingers, Rifles, &c., for sale cheap at 88 King street, corner of Royal.

je16 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

FRAMED RUCK and DRILL for wagon covers and wagon bows, and Hubs, Rims, &c., wholesale and retail.

my20 JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS.

CHERRY SEEDERS (two kinds, at 88 King, on the corner of Royal st., for sale cheap by

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NO MORE ROUND SHOULDERS!

THE AMERICAN BRACE!

PATENTED.

1. This brace in its peculiar construction has all the advantages of a suspender for the pantaloons, Shoulder Brace and Chest Expander combined.
2. It does not disarrange the shirt bosom.
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4. There is less strain on the buttons of the pantaloons.
5. Each section of the pantaloons can be adjusted independently.
6. By means of the adjustable back strap, a gentle or powerful brace may be obtained.
7. In rainy weather the pantaloons may be raised from the heels without interfering with the front.

1. This brace in its peculiar construction has all the advantages of a Chest Expander and Skirt Supporter combined.
2. It expands the chest and gives free respiration to the lungs.
3. It keeps the shoulders perfectly straight.
4. It relieves back, hip and abdominal organs by supporting the entire weight of the clothing from the shoulders.
5. It is worn without any inconvenience whatever and imparts new life to the wearer.
6. It is valuable to children while at their studies, obliging them to always sit erect.

In ordering by post send chest measure. Sent post free throughout the United States.

Prices 75c, $1, $1.50, $2.

OFFICIAL NOTICE.

NOTICE TO CITY TAX PAYERS.

Collector's Office,
Room 6, Market Building,
Alexandria, Va., June 1881.

Notice is hereby given that the tax bills due for 1881 are now in our hands for collection, and the attention of all parties interested is respectfully called to the following extract from the Revenue Bill of that year:

"Upon all bills paid in full by the 1st day of July, 1881, the Collectors of Taxes shall allow a discount of 10 per cent, and on all bills paid by the 1st day of August, 1881, they shall allow a discount of 5 per cent and all bills not paid on the 24 day of December, 1881, there shall be assessed and collected a penalty of five per cent upon the amount of said bills, and on all bills remaining unpaid on the 1st day of June, 1882, damages at the rate of 12 per centum per annum shall be paid."

Office hours during the discount period from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

JOHN T. HILL, Collector N. Dis.
R. E. FIELD, Collector S. Dis.

je25-tu1

BOOTS AND SHOES.

J. E. TACKETT

SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS.

Our Buyer just returned from New York. The latest novelties for

SUMMER WEAR.

Dotted and Figured India Mulls.
Colored Persian Lawns.
Novelties in Linen Lawns.
Exquisite Patterns Dotted Swiss Muslins.
All silk and Silk and Wool Brocaded Grenadines.
Nuns' Veilings, special bargains.
Large addition to Cassimere stock.
Table Linens and Napkins.
Special bargains in Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, &c., &c.

Goods bought for cash from the leading New York houses. An examination solicited.

my24 J. E. TACKETT.

JUST RECEIVED.

NEW FABRICS IN DRESS GOODS, Comprising Nun's Veilings,
Khyber Cloths,
Shoodhas and Poulas,
all in black and colors.

Trimmings to match, consisting of Roman Stripe and Plain Woolens and Bayadere Stripe and Plaid Louisiannes in Silk Goods.

PRETZFELDER & CO.

sp25 141 KING STREET.

CONFECTIONERIES.

ALWAYS READY!

HENRY BRENGLE,

NO. 129 KING STREET.

The FAR FAMED BRENGLE'S ICE CREAM

Is made of the richest cream, crystal sugars and most delicious flavors. It is the *creme de la creme*, and has substantially superseded all other creams in this section of this State. He still sells it at the old rates, and provides, also, Frozen Custards and Water Ices.

Pure Candies and Dessert Pies specialties; Black, Fruit, Pound, Jelly and Fancy, Ornamental and Plain Cakes, are sold cheaper than they can be manufactured at home. Also Cream Puffs, Tarts and Pastry and Tally of all kinds, Fruits, Nuts, Confectioneries, Caramels and Sugared Fruits. He caters for families and entertainments. [n21

HOUSEKEEPERS, REMEMBER GOODS.

China, Glass and Queensware.

We beg to call the attention of the trade to our new and complete assortment of goods from the best manufacturers in England and France, comprising English, French and Stone China Dinner, Tea and Dessert Sets, Cups and Saucers, Pitchers, Cuspadors, Chamber Sets, Bohemian Glass Vases and Toilet Sets, &c. Our stock comprises an extensive variety of everything pertaining to the trade.

A full line of Glassware of every description—Lamps, Lamp Goods, Chimnies, Goblets and Tumblers, Cut and Plain.

A full line of Haviland & Co's. White, Gold Band and Decorated China, which we offer at lowest rates.

E. J. Miller & Co.,

sep1 65 KING STREET.

DONALD McLEAN. GEO. UHLER.

McLEAN & UHLER,

DEALERS IN

House-furnishing Goods,

Cutlery, Plated, Planished, Stamped, Japanned Tin, Wood and Willow Ware, of every description.

NO. 76 KING ST., ALEXANDRIA, VA.

(Opposite E. J. Miller & Co.)

N. B.—All orders from the country promptly filled. an 10

WE HAVE this day secured the agency for a celebrated brand of BOTTLED ALE and PORTER, which we will keep constantly on hand, and to which we invite the attention of families who desire the article of Ale or Porter.

sp27 W. A. JOHNSON & CO.

THE GREAT STEP LADDER.—Call and see the new step Ladder. Takes a chair to hold a bucket. For sale cheap at

McLEAN & UHLER'S,

m721 76 King street

LOTTERIES.

34th

Popular Monthly Drawing of the

Commonwealth Distribution Co.

At Macauley's Theatre, in the city of Louisville, on

SATURDAY, JULY 30, 1881.

These drawings occur monthly (Sundays excepted) under provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of Kentucky incorporating the Newport Printing and Newspaper Co., approved April 9, 1878.

This is a special act, and has never been repealed.

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 Company has now on hand a large reserve fund. Read carefully the list of prizes for the

JULY 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	500 prizes 20 each	10,000
		1,000 prizes 10 each	10,000
10 prizes $1,000 each			$10,000
20 prizes 500 each			10,000
9 prizes 300 each, Approx. prizes			$2,700
9 prizes 200 each, " "			1,800
9 prizes 100 each, " "			900
1,863 prizes.			$112,400

Whole tickets $2; Half tickets $1; 27 tickets $50; 55 tickets $100.

Remit Money or Bank Draft in Letter, or send by Express. DON'T SEND BY PROMISSORY NOTE OR POSTOFFICE ORDER. Orders of $5 and upward, by Express, can be sent at our expense. Address all orders to M. HOAGELAND, Courier-Journal Building, Louisville, Ky., or T. J. CAMMEYER, 200 Broadway, N. Y.

NOTICE

Kid Button and Lace Newports, Regent Slippers, Paris Ties, Open Congress Shoes and Sandals; also a great variety of Ladies' Rubber Shoes and Slippers of every style and quality.

Misses' School, Walking and Dress Boots in a variety of new styles; also a large stock of Misses' Sandals and Slippers.

Children's Boots, Shoes and Slippers in every quality, style and price.

Gents' Fine Boots and Shoes in all of the new spring styles.

Gents' Pumps and Slippers in all the late styles.

The above goods are first class, and guaranteed to give satisfaction in every particular, and will be sold at such prices as cannot fail to satisfy all.

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HEINEKAMP PIANOS

AND SHONINGER ORGANS

For sale on easy monthly payments at

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PIANO WAREROOM, 437 7th STREET, n.w.

my19 Washington, D. C.

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J. W. HENDERSON,

Market Space.

Is prepared to furnish families and the trade generally with the best NORTHERN ICE on terms as reasonable as any other dealer.

Wagons will make daily rounds.

Ice House in Market Space is open daily, Sunday included, at all hours, day and night, for the retail trade. my24

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MACHINIST AND BLACKSMITH

No. 65 Union street,

Alexandria, Virginia,

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

NOTICE! NOTICE

Just received another large supply of HARRISON & BROS. READY MIXED PAINT,

second to none in the market. Call for sample card at

je 25 W. F. CREIGHTON'S

MAJOLICA WARE—We have just opened a good assortment of the above named goods, in Pitchers, Salad Bowls, Jug, Butters, Bread and Mush Sets, Chocolate Pitchers, Potato Baskets, Mugs, &c. Call and examine them at

my 1 E. J. MILLER & CO'S.

CHOICE SMALL HAMS—5 tierces of the CELEBRATED SPRINGFIELD S. C. HAMS, equal to any brand sold, received to-day and for sale by

my6 J. C. MILBURN.

HAMMOCKS! HAMMOCKS!!—A new lot just received and for sale cheap at

j 7 McLEAN & UHLER, 76 King st.

FRESH BUTTER and EGGS received by express every morning and for sale by

my28 J. C. MILBURN.

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THE GREAT

GERMAN REMEDY.

FOR

RHEUMATISM,

Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Backache, Soreness of the Chest, Coughs, Quinsy, Sore Throat, Swellings and Sprains, Burns and Scalds, General Bodily Pains, Toothache, Ear and Headache, Frosted Feet and Ears, and all other Pains and Aches.

No Preparation on earth equals St. Jacobs Oil as a safe, sure, simple and cheap External Remedy. A trial entails but the comparatively trifling outlay of 50 cents, and every one suffering with pain can have cheap and positive proof of its claims.

Directions in twelve languages.

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CELEBRATED

STOMACH

BITTERS

Feeble and Sickly Persons

Recover their vitality by pursuing a course of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the most popular invigorant and alterative medicine in use. General debility, fever and ague, dyspepsia, constipation, rheumatism, and other maladies are completely removed by it. Ask those who have used it what it has done for them.

For sale by all Druggists and Dealers generally.

HEALTH IS WEALTH.

DR. E. C. WEST'S NERVE AND BRAIN TREATMENT; a specific for Hysteria, Dizziness, Convulsions, Nervous Headache, Mental Depression, Loss of Memory, Spermatorrhœa, Impotency, Involuntary Emissions, Premature Old Age, caused by over-exertion, self-abuse, or over indulgence, which leads to misery, decay and death. One box will cure recent cases. Each box contains one month's treatment. One dollar a box, or six boxes for five dollars; sent by mail prepaid on receipt of price. We guarantee six boxes to cure any case. With each order received by us for six boxes, accompanied with five dollars, we will send the purchaser our written guarantee to return the money if the treatment does not effect a cure. Guarantees issued by JANNEY & CO., Druggists, Alexandria, Va., wholesale and retail agents. Orders by mail will receive prompt attention. mar7

BOOTS, SHOES & TRUNKS.

ALSO LEATHER AND FINDINGS.

IMPORTANT—I have this day received per steamers from New York and Philadelphia a large supply of all kinds of

SOLE AND UPPER LEATHER.

French and American Calf Skins, Findings and everything in the way of Shoemakers' Tools, which I intend to sell cheap.

All I ask is to give me a call to convince yourself. JOS. KAUFMANN, Agt.,

sep11-3m Alexandria, Va.

JOHN A. FIELD,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Smoking and Chewing Tobacco,

CIGARS, PIPES, &c.

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Winfree & Lloyd's Pride of Virginia, Chewalls and other brands at factory prices. Always keeps a large stock in store. Call and see him, at No. 71 King street, before you buy elsewhere. dec 16

WANTED—

LOCUST PINS.

14 inches long 1½ inches square.
16 " " "
18 " " "
20 " " "
22 " " "
24 " 1½ "
26 " " "
28 " " "
30 " " "
32 " 2 "
34 " " "
36 " " "

They must be straight, free of knots, worm holes and decay. W. A. SMOOT,

jes-1m Smoot's wharf.

TUCK BEACH AND LAWN CHAIRS!—Just the thing for the Beach, Lawn, Picnics, Foot Races, Base Ball Matches, etc. Weighs only 8 lbs. Can be packed in any trunk and carried as easily as an umbrella. Call and examine at McLEAN & UHLER'S.

my27 76 King street.

WASH BOARDS! WASH BOARDS!!—The Crescent, Angle, and Cable Coil, something entirely new and the best wash board ever invented. Call and examine. For sale wholesale and retail by

je29 McLEAN & UHLER, 76 King st.

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mh17 WARFIELD & HALL.

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Six months	3 00
Three months	1 50

ADVERTISING RATES.

Space.	1 w.	1 m.	3 m.	6 m.	1 yr.
One square	$3 25	$5 50	$15 00	$28 00	$50 00
Two squares	4 00	11 00	22 00	35 00	60 00
Three squares	5 50	15 50	31 00	45 00	75 00
Four squares	7 00	20 00	40 00	60 00	90 00
Five squares	8 50	25 00	50 00	75 00	110 00
Quarter column	10 50	30 00	60 00	90 00	150 00
One third col'n	15 00	40 00	80 00	100 00	175 00
Half column	20 00	50 00	100 00	150 00	225 00
One column	35 00	75 00	150 00	200 00	350 00

Christ's Mission.

The subject on which the Rev. Dr. Newman preached at the Lafayette Avenue Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn, recently, was "Christ's Mission," the text being, "This is a faithful saying, and worthy of all acceptation, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners"—1 Timothy, i., 15. Christ's mission, said the Doctor, was twofold—to readjust man's moral relations with the government of his Creator, and to renew human nature and preserve it in its purity. The first is purely governmental, whereby God could be just and the justifier of him that believeth in Jesus. The second is a supernatural operation upon man's intellectual and moral nature, whereby he is lifted out of his old self and becomes a new creation. Christ's conception of human nature is that it is radically bad, and that from its abnormal condition flow all the evils and miseries in individual and national life. To save the race from present suffering was no insignificant part of our Lord's advent into the world, and this He seeks to do by the application of a remedy to the fountain head of all our woes. He is in the highest sense a spiritual teacher and the Saviour of the soul. By the laws which He enacted to govern human conduct, by the fundamental principles of justice and equality which he proclaimed for the government of society, and by the divine impulse which he imparts to all who believe in him, all spiritual and temporal good must follow. Where He is accepted as a Saviour there the three great elements of civilization—wealth, learning and liberty—are possessed to a degree not attained by the most pagan nations known to man. The treasury of the world has followed the golden footsteps of Christ wherever He has been accepted. The treasury, once in the East, has passed successively through Egypt, Persia and Greece to Europe and America. The three great depositories of gold—Australia, California, and the Ural Mountains—belong to Christian nations. The most remunerative agriculture, lucrative commerce and productive manufactures are in such countries. Christians sail on all seas, explore all lands and penetrate all science. Pagan lands have a soil as rich, rivers as long, and as much native intellect and muscular force as we have.

Do you ask why the difference? Diligence, honesty, economy and temperance are the golden principles of Christianity. Christ did not come to teach the world science. He did not send the school master abroad, nor did He found schools of learning. But He knew that the purification of the heart would impart an intellectual elevation to the race. Christians write the poems, the orations, the histories, the philosophies, and are the high priests of science. His followers have made those great discoveries in art which have lifted the burden of toil from the shoulders of humanity. As the wise men followed the star to the cradle of the Saviour so you can follow the star of intelligence in its course through the intellectual firmament. The mental sceptre of our race has passed into Christian hands, and the hand that holds it now grows stronger day by day. Christ did not come into the world as a statesman to establish civil law and order. Once He declined to be a king; twice He refused to act as judge. He expressed no preference for one form of government to another. Slavery existed under His eye, but He was not an abolitionist. Intemperance abounded in the streets of Jerusalem, but He offered no man a pledge of total abstinence. Wars raged and He talked of swords and of armies, but He organized no peace societies. He at once rose to the grandeur of the situation of the human race. He grappled with fundamental problems. He knew that the heart is the mightiest factor in the universe. Standing on the eminence of the ages He looked out upon the nations that had been and that were, and saw what they had failed to do. He proposed to take the heart—the citadel of man. He exalted individuality, revealed personal responsibility, proclaimed the brotherhood of the race, preached the eternal principles of truth, justice, purity and sobriety, and declared the natural rights of man to life, liberty and happiness. He taught conciliation, forbearance and love, and said, "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called the children of God."

TO TELL A SHEEP'S AGE.—The process of dentition of a sheep is as follows: At one month old the lamb has eight temporary teeth in the front and three temporary molars on each side of each jaw; at 3 months one permanent molar is added to these three; at 9 months a second permanent molar appears; at 14 months the first two permanent incisors appear in the centre of the front of the lower jaw; at 18 months a third permanent molar appears; at 24 months the second pair of permanent incisors appears, one tooth on each side of the first pair; at 27 months the temporary molars are changed for permanent ones; at 30 months the third pair of permanent incisors appear, and at 40 months the fourth pair and complete. The sheep is then full mouthed, and is rising 4 years. After that the age is indicated by the appearance of the incisors and molars. But this is deceptive, because a sheep fed on thin sandy pasture and on straw wears the teeth much faster than one fed on better pasture and on roots. Some sheep have good teeth at 10 or 12 years of age, while others can scarcely bite at eight.

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