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AUCTION SALES.

By R. T. Lucas, Auctioneer.

PEREMPTORY SALE OF GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES, Jewelry, Ice Pitchers, Castors Rogers Knives Forks, Table and Tea Spoons at auction commencing on Saturday evening March 11 at 7.30 p m, and continuing every evening at the same hour until the entire stock is closed out at No. 69 King street, next to John Field's Cigar Store. This stock will be sold and awarded to the highest bidder in every case, let the amount be what it may. Goods will be sold at private sale. Every person interested should attend this sale as the goods will be sold right at bare sale.

R. T. LUCAS, Auctioneer.

J. H. ALLEN, Salesman. mh15-tf

By R. T. Lucas, Auctioneer.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, Va., FOR SALE.—Under authority of the decree of the Circuit Court for the city of Alexandria, Va., in the consolidated chancery cause of Cazenove & c. against Johnston's adm'x and others and Donald against Everett and others, passed on the first day of October, 1881, the undersigned commissioners therein named will offer for sale on SATURDAY April 15th, 1882 at 12 o'clock m., by public auction, in front of the Court House door on Pitt street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., the following described property: A LOT OF GROUND with a BRICK HOUSE thereon, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the west side of St. Asaph street 105 feet 7 inches south of its intersection with King street; thence westerly and parallel with King street 125 feet 6 inches; thence southerly and parallel with St. Asaph street 26 feet; thence easterly and parallel with King street 47 feet 5 inches; thence southerly and parallel with St. Asaph street 80 feet; thence easterly and parallel with King street 79 feet to St. Asaph street; thence north on St. Asaph street 56 feet to the beginning; subject however to a right of way over 2 feet alley between the property above described and the property adjoining on the north. Also,

A LOT OF GROUND with the BRICK STABLE thereon, beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the 4th and 5th boundaries of the above lot, and running thence northwardly with said 4th boundary 34 feet; thence westwardly and parallel with King st 2 feet 8 inches to the northwest corner of a brick stable; thence southwardly and parallel with St. Asaph street 15 feet 2 inches more or less to the dividing line of the double stable standing thereon, and which stable was erected to be used in the manner mentioned in a deed from J. McKnight to J. S. Halliewell, dated April 17, 1852, thence easterly and through said double stable and parallel with King street 18 feet 7 inches more or less to the western wall of said stable; thence south with said eastern wall to the intersection with the 5th boundary of the above mentioned lot; thence westwardly by said 5th boundary extended to the beginning.

Terms of sale: One third of the purchase money in cash, and the residue in two equal payments at twelve and eighteen months, with interest from the day of sale; the notes of the purchaser, with security, to be taken for the deferred payments, and the title to the property retained until the whole of the purchase money is paid. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

FRANCIS L. SMITH, THOS. MOORE, JOHN M. JOHNSON } Comm'rs. of Sale.

mh11-ws

By Green & Wise, Auctioneers.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF A VALUABLE SMALL FARM CLOSE TO THE SUBURBS OF THE CITY.—By virtue of a decree for the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, Virginia, rendered at its August term 1876, in the suit of Mary M. Lloyd, guardian, plaintiff, vs J. P. Tabb et ux, defendants, in chancery, the undersigned commissioner therein named will proceed on SATURDAY, the 29th day of March 1882 at 12 o'clock, in front of the Mansion House Hotel, in the city of Alexandria, Va., to sell by public auction, a TRACT OF LAND lying in Alexandria county, Va., about one mile northwest of the city, containing about sixty acres of high land and meadow, beautifully located, and improved by a FRAME DWELLING, Kitchen, &c., good barn and stables, orchard of good fruit, cistern and stream of water running through the place. Would make a good dairy farm. The land adjoins Garner, Wolf and others, and is bounded on the southwest by the old Leesburg road.

Terms: One tenth of the purchase money to be paid in cash, and for the residue the bonds of the purchaser with security, at 6, 12 and 18 months to be taken for the deferred payments, with interest from the day of sale, and the title to be retained until they are fully paid. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

feb28-2ewts C. W. WATKINS, Com'r.

ITALIAN INSECT POWDER.—We have just received a full supply of Polk, Miller & Co's. Italian Insect Powder, warranted to kill Roaches, Bed-bugs, Ants, and all other species of insects. Price 10 25 and 50 cts per bottle.

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A VERY CHEAP and PRETTY LOT OF WHITE and RED TABLE DAMASK just received at

feb16 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S

A FULL LINE OF FANCY and TOILET ARTICLES—Soaps, Perfumery, &c.,—at W. D. HUDSON'S, 265 King st., nov19 Between Henry and Fayette

CHOICE NEW CROP NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES and BRIGHT PURE SYRUP received to-day by

mar3 J. C. MILBURN.

20 BAGS O. G. JAVA, MARACAIBO LA GUAYRA and RIO COFFEES, just received by [feb7] J. C. MILBURN.

MRS. WELLS' PURE HOME MADE MINCE MEAT just received by

nov26 W. A. JOHNSON & CO.

A THOMAS'S CELEBRATED PLUM PUDDING, in 1 and 2 lb cans, for sale low by feb11 J. C. MILBURN.

FRESH COUNTRY ROLL BUTTER (Virginia) received to day by

nov15 J. C. MILBURN.

A NEW SUPPLY OF MINCE MEAT, Preserves and Fruit Butter, received today by [feb13] J. C. MILBURN.

NEW CROP PRIME NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES just received.

nov26 W. A. JOHNSON & CO.

ANOTHER SUPPLY OF STABLER'S CORN just received by

feb21 J. C. MILBURN.

1000 POUNDS PRIME NEW YORK BUCKWHEAT received to day by [jan18] J. C. MILBURN.

50 GROSS OF SULPHUR and PARLOR MATCHES just received by

feb9 W. A. JOHNSON & CO.

WINDOW GLASS and PUTTY—A large supply just received.

jan28 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

MAINE EARLY ROSE SEED POTATOES for sale by

feb6 THOMAS PERRY.

SCRAP BOOK PICTURES just received a

feb11 TENNESSON & CO'S.

SCOTCH HERRING for sale by

fe 22 J. C. MILBURN.

STEAMED WHITE OAT GRITS for sale by

feb9 J. C. MILBURN.

EXTRA CHOICE DRIED PEACHES for sale by [f 23] J. C. MILBURN.

FULL CREAM CHEESE, just received by

dec5 W. A. JOHNSON & CO.

POTOMAC ROE HERRINGS for sale by

feb22 THOMAS PERRY.

PRIME DRIED BEEF just received by

feb22 J. C. MILBURN.

100 COCOANUTS received to-day by

dec23 J. C. MILBURN.

AUCTION SALES.

By R. T. Lucas, Auctioneer.

AT PUBLIC AUCTION—THE ENTIRE OUTFIT OF THE TONTINE HOTEL in Alexandria, Va.—On THURSDAY, March 23d, at ten o'clock, I will sell, on the premises, the entire outfit of the TONTINE HOTEL, situated on Cameron street between Fairfax and Royal streets, and formerly known as the "Commonwealth House." The furnishings thereof consist of antique and modern hand made Mahogany and Walnut Furniture, handsome Parlor suits, Walnut and Marble Top Chamber Suits, fine Pier mirrors, Marble Top Tables, Chairs, Extension Tables, Feather Beds and Pillows, Mattresses, Blankets and Bed Linen, fine old sideboards and Silver Plated Ware, Cut Glass and French China Ware, Cutlery and Crockery, Axminster, Brussels and Ingrain Carpets, Rugs, Oil Cloths, Stoves, &c., &c. In addition to the above will be sold the handsome bar Outfit, French Plate Mirrors, Cut Glass Decanters, Glasses and Paintings.

Terms of Sale: Cash.

Mrs. VIRGINIA STEWART, mh19-td Owner.

PUBLIC SALE

OF THE

WASHINGTON & OHIO R. R.

Under authority of a decree of the Circuit Court of Richmond city rendered April 22, 1880, in the suit of Henry Lewis et als. vs the W. & O. R. Company et als., and affirmed by the Court of Appeals of Virginia at its September term, 1881, the undersigned special Commissioners, will, at 12 o'clock m. on the

16th day of May, 1882,

at the railroad depot of the Washington and Ohio Railroad Company, in the city of Alexandria, Va., offer at public auction the

ENTIRE LINE OF THE WASHINGTON & OHIO RAILROAD,

including that partly and that wholly constructed, and also all and singular all the works and property, real, personal and mixed, rolling stock, locomotives, cars, &c., and all rights, contracts and franchises of said Washington and Ohio Railroad Company.

The said property consists of a constructed line of railway in active operation from the city of Alexandria, Va., westward through the counties of Alexandria, Fairfax and Loudoun to Round Hill station, in Loudoun county, a distance of 51½ miles, including a line connecting with the Washington and Alexandria Railroad. The road is also graded beyond Round Hill for a distance of three miles.

The other real property of the company consists of a large brick depot building and freight house in the city of Alexandria, a round house, machine shop, car shop, car shed, store house, &c., and about fifteen acres of land adjacent thereto; also eleven depot houses and lots at the eleven principal stations between Alexandria and Round Hill.

According to the route surveyed the distance from Washington city to Point Pleasant, on the Ohio river, is three hundred and twenty-five miles, and passes through a country heavily timbered and of great mineral resources.

Terms: The entire property, real personal and mixed, franchises, &c., is sold together, and for the same the purchaser must pay fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) of the purchase money in cash, and the residue in four equal annual payments, with interest from the day of sale, which said payments are to be evidenced by bonds which are to be secured by a deed of trust upon the property and to be executed upon the confirmation of the sale and conveyance to the purchaser.

This sale is subject to the lien of the deed of trust executed August 6th, 1858 to indemnify the county of Clarke, State of Virginia, against liability for the annual interest on the bonds of the said county for the sum of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) up to and until the time when said road shall be commenced, and under construction in said county of Clarke, and against liability for the payments of the principal of said bonds in case they shall become due and payable before the road shall be commenced and under construction in said county, the said bonds falling due in the year 1892.

The purchaser will be entitled to the net profits of the road from the day of the sale.

R. T. BARTON, RICH'D. H. LEE, CHAS. S. STUART, HENRY BEATON, } Comm'rs. of Sale.

feb11-ts

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY—By virtue of a deed of trust executed by S. C. Neale on the 10th day of January, 1882, and duly recorded in the clerk's office of Alexandria city liber No. 10, fo io 671, the undersigned, as trustee in said deed, being requested thereto by one of the beneficiaries thereunder will offer for sale at public auction, on SATURDAY, the 25th day of March, 1882 at 12 o'clock m., in front of the premises, on Duke street in the city of Alexandria, Va., the property therein conveyed, viz: All that LOT OF GROUND, with the BUILDINGS thereon, situated in the city of Alexandria, at the intersection of Duke and St. Asaph streets, beginning at said intersection and running thence with Duke street east and binding therewith 40 feet to a lot formerly the property of Peter Wagner and George Densale; thence parallel with St. Asaph street 78 feet to a lot formerly the property of Doctor Pancoast, deceased; thence west parallel with Duke street 40 feet to St. Asaph; thence north and running with St. Asaph 78 feet to the beginning, with all the appurtenances thereto belonging; also all that LOT or PARCEL OF GROUND, with the BUILDINGS thereon, situated on the south side of Duke street, in the city of Alexandria, and adjoining the above lot, and bounded as follows: Beginning on the south side of Duke street at a point 40 feet east of St. Asaph street, and running thence eastwardly with Duke street 83 feet 5 inches; thence south parallel with St. Asaph street 100 feet more or less, to an alley; thence west parallel with Duke street 23 feet 5 inches; thence west parallel with St. Asaph street twenty two feet; thence west parallel with Duke street sixty feet; thence to the point of beginning, with all the appurtenances thereto belonging, being the same lot of ground conveyed by A. Stuart trustee to the said S. C. Neale. These two lots will be sold together as one piece.

Terms of sale: One-fourth of the purchase money in cash on the day of sale, the residue thereof in three equal instalments of six, twelve and eighteen months from day of sale with interest from date, evidenced by the notes of purchaser for the whole purchase money in cash at the option of the purchaser, the title to be retained until the full payment of the purchase money. The improvements on the said property to be kept insured against fire in the name and to the satisfaction of the undersigned in the sum of five thousand dollars in an undoubted company, upon default in the payment of any part of the purchase money the property to be resold at the costs and risk of the purchaser, selling as trustee long as proper to give such title as is vested in me. JOHN W. BURKE,

mar14-td Trustee.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

Take notice that I have appointed JAMES E. ROSE my attorney and agent to carry on the business of buying and selling COAL and WOOD at the N. E. corner of Fairfax and Queen streets in the city of Alexandria, Va.

mh11-2w MALITY ROSE.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned having duly qualified as the executor of JOSEPH M. HOWELL hereby notifies all persons indebted to the estate of the said Joseph M. Howell to settle the same with him as soon as possible and all persons having claims against the estate will present the same for settlement. C. W. HOWELL, Executor.

mh6-1m 100 King st., Alexa. Va.

TO ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO THE LATE FIRM OF H. S. W. BARKER & SON and to H. S. BARKER trading under the firm name of H. S. W. Barker & son.

Take notice, that the undersigned, by a decree of the Circuit Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia in vacation, in the chancery cause of Harris Small & Robinson vs. H. S. Barker et als., was appointed receiver of all the assets of the late firm of H. S. W. Barker & Son and H. S. Barker, trading under the firm name of H. S. W. Barker & Son. All persons indebted to said firms are required to make immediate settlement, or legal proceedings will be instituted to collect the same.

LEONARD MARBURY, feb25-1m Receiver.

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 1st day of March, 1882.

William T. Parrish and James H. Parrish, partners, trading and doing business under the firm name and style of Parrish Brothers, complainants, against Harrison S. Barker, alias Harry S. Barker, lately trading as H. S. W. Barker & Son, defendant. In chancery and upon an attachment.

Memo. The object of this suit is to attach and subject to the payment of plaintiff's claim against defendant for $61.83, with interest from February 21, 1882, until paid, the interest of the defendant in the real estate in the city of Alexandria, of which H. S. W. Barker died seized, viz: 1. A lot of ground and two story brick tenement corner of King and Commerce streets; thence westwardly 44 feet on King street and about 90 feet on Commerce street. 2. A lot of ground on the south side of King street, between Henry and Fayette streets, 20 feet on King street and extending back 100 feet. 3. A house and lot on Commerce street between Fayette and Payne sts.

The defendant not having entered his appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that he is not a resident of this State: It is ordered that said defendant appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city. A copy—teste:

MORTON MARYE, Clerk.

Wattles & Mushbach, p. q. mh1-w4w

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 22d day of February, 1882.

J. C. Herbert Bryant, trading under the name of Herbert Bryant complainant, against Robert W. L. Basin and Edward K. Cooper, partners, trading and doing business under the firm name of R. W. L. Basin & Co., and Etherbert B. Burgess and Benedict J. Burgess partners, trading and doing business under the firm name of E. B. Burgess & Son, defendants. In chancery and upon attachment.

Memo. The object of this suit is to recover the sum of $1,046.00 due by said firm of R. W. L. Basin & Co. to the said plaintiff, and to attach and subject to the payment of the same any monies due by the said firm of E. B. Burgess & Son to the said firm of R. W. L. Basin & Co.

The defendants, R. W. L. Basin and Edward K. Cooper, not having entered their appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly, and rules of this Court and it appearing by affidavit that they are not residents of this State, it is ordered, that the said defendants appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—test:

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Wattles & Mushbach, p. q. feb21-w4w

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Alexandria, Va., August 4, 1881.

I was thrown from my horse 6 or 7 years ago, and suffered a severe wound of the side, which was aggravated by disordered kidneys. Eleven months ago I was attacked with pneumonia and bladder disease, deposits of brick dust and albumen being discernable by the naked eye. I was confined to the house for six months, and was unable to cross the floor without assistance. My physician did me no good. Having read in my religious weeklies of the wonderful cures by your Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, and being advised to use it by Captain Graham, I did so, and am once more able to walk the streets. My pains have left me, and I believe if I had used the remedy a year ago I should then also have been cured.

Mrs Burgess

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First Circumnavigation of the Earth.

The successful expedition of Columbus in 1492 awakened fierce heart-burnings between Spain and Portugal, inasmuch that in the following year Pope Alexander VI. undertook to pacify these two most Catholic and chivalrous nations by summarily dividing between them all the heathen precincts of the earth. After more or less diplomatic wrangling, an imaginary line was drawn from pole to pole, three hundred and seventy leagues west of the Azores. All newly discovered lands to the east of this line were for evermore to belong to the King of Portugal, while everything to the west was to be the undisputed property of the Spanish crown. In 1497, within four years after the promulgation of this extraordinary decree, Vasco de Gama accomplished his arduous voyage of thirteen months duration around the Cape of Good Hope to Calicut in India; and now the commercial rivalry between the two most Catholic kingdoms began in earnest. The bull of Pope Alexander had indeed set matters at rest on the Atlantic, but on the opposite side of the globe everything was really left in dispute, for the line antipodal to the papal line of demarcation was by no means determined.

The Moluccas islands were commercially of great importance, and it was by way of showing that these islands belonged properly to Spain and not Portugal that the glorious Magellan set sail in 1519 on his westward voyage around the world. Following the path marked out by Vespucci, Magellan searched along the coast of South America for a western passage, and at last entered the treacherous strait which bears his name. Nearly a century was still to elapse before the Dutchman Van Horn gave a name to the cape which terminates the continent. For fifteen months Magellan had persevered, and his sailors were already mutinous, when he entered the Pacific Ocean and stood for the northwest, with the view of regaining the equator. Terrible was the four months' struggle which now ensued. The huge size of our planet began at last to reveal itself; no one had ever dreamed of so vast an ocean as the Pacific. The ships had not been victualled for such a voyage, and besides their agonies of doubt and fear, the crews had soon to contend with the torments of starvation. They ate pieces of leather torn from the rigging and soaked in the sea; they appeased their raging thirst with bilge water. Loud were their curses of the infatuated captain—the bold heretic who in defiance of the church insisted that the earth was round, and was now leading them off into the everlasting sea which extended into the fathomless abyss of space—a sea with no welcoming shore beyond, yet from which it was now too late to hope to retrace their course. But in spite of hunger and perplexity and mutiny the indomitable hero kept on his way unflinching.

The immensity of the ocean was a puzzle to him, too, who, like all the geographers of the time, had greatly under estimated the size of our globe. The doubt whether the earth might not be flat, after all, sometimes came up; but against such unseemly skepticism "he comforted himself when he considered that in the eclipses of the moon the shadow cast of the earth is round, and as is the shadow such in like manner is the substance." The very depth of their despair, too, no doubt worked in his favor, for while it seemed fatal to advance, it seemed no less fatal to retreat so far away had they come from the known world. At last, after incredible hardships, they made the Ladrone islands, and met with traders from Sumatra. In the hour of victory the heroic conqueror perished—slain in a skirmish with some worthless savages. But his lieutenant, Elcano, took possession of the Moluccas in the name of Charles V., and making southwesterly for the Cape of Good Hope, came finally into a port of Spain in the autumn of 1522. Of the five gallant ships which set out three years before on this unparalleled voyage, but one remained afloat to tell the proud story of the first circumnavigation of the earth.

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