

LOCAL MATTERS.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES, Aug. 7, 1882.—For the Middle States warmer, generally fair weather, southerly to westerly winds, stationary or lower pressure.

A BIG SCHOONER AND A QUICK PASSAGE. The Washington Republican of Saturday in speaking of the schooner Balch, which passed up the river Friday, as noticed in the GAZETTE, says:

"The four-masted schooner Charles Balch, a new vessel, arrived here yesterday morning from the Kennebec River with a very large cargo of ice for the Great Falls Ice Company, and is lying at the Tenth-street wharf, where she has been visited by crowds. This is her first trip since coming off the ways, and she made the very quick passage of seven days from port to port. She has wire standing rigging, and is fitted with all the modern appliances, including steam machinery for making and shortening sail, and a steam capstan, she brought a cargo of 1,000 tons showed below. Her sails consist of fore, main, spencer and spanker, below, gaff-topsails on each mast, fore stay-sail, jib, and flying jib. Her working complement consists of captain, first and second mates, four seamen, and the steward."

There is now being built at Bath, Maine, a schooner which, when completed, will be the largest vessel of the kind in the United States. The new vessel will have five masts, and will be the only five masted schooner in the world, so far as known.

YESTERDAY—RELIGIOUS ITEMS.—The weather yesterday was warm and oppressive, and the churches open had small congregations. There were no services during the day in the Second Presbyterian or M. E. Church South, the pastors being out of the city. Rev. J. Y. Bowman, a newly ordained minister, preached in St. Paul's Church in the morning, and will have charge of the church during the absence of the pastor, Rev. Dr. Norton. Rev. L. W. Rose, Jr., preached in Grace Church in the morning and Rev. Mr. Downman at night. Rev. Dr. Poulson, of the M. E. Church, preached in the First Presbyterian Church in the morning, and Rev. C. M. Haddaway filled Dr. Poulson's pulpit. Rev. John Hadley preached in the M. P. Church morning and night, and Rev. Mr. Obermeyer preached in the German Lutheran Church in the morning. But for the visiting clergymen nearly all the churches in the city would have been closed yesterday. In the afternoon temperance meetings were held in the hall of the Reform Club, at the Virginia Midland Railway depot and at the jail corner. The meeting at the jail corner was addressed by Messrs. Evans and Lee, of Washington.

POSTOFFICE APPOINTMENTS.—Mr. David A. Whitson, of the new Postmaster of this city, will, upon entering upon the discharge of the duties of the position, make the following changes in the office: Thos. Burroughs, the present money clerk, promoted to assistant postmaster; Jas. Lash, money clerk in place of Mr. Burroughs; R. Henry Simpson, delivery clerk, in place of George C. Hewes; J. McK. Ware, an Alexandria colored man, in place of Peter Larben. Mr. Windsor says he retains and promotes Mr. Burroughs in accordance with the wishes of the people of Alexandria without regard to party, and that he, Mr. W., expects to run the office in a manner that will give satisfaction to all classes of citizens; at least that is his aim. It is understood that an effort is to be made to have the amount fixed for the expenses of the office increased about \$1,000. If the effort should prove successful, and it is thought it will, then the clerks in the office will receive the same salaries they did during the first years of Mr. McKenzie's term. It is also said influence will be brought to bear on the authorities at Washington to have two mail carriers appointed for Alexandria. Mr. John Phillips, the present carrier of the mails to and from the several railroad depots and river steamers, will retain his position.

POLICE NEWS.—The Mayor had before him this morning Daffney Grady, colored, Charles Boyer, John Shinn, John Mills, Matt Williams, Dave Devaughn and Will Shocks, white, arrested yesterday by officers Lattin, Smith and Pat Hayes for gambling in an alley on King street; Geo. Petty, charged with beating Al. McCuen, both white, Saturday night last; Walter Fisher, white, of Washington, for drunkenness and disorderly conduct on the streets yesterday; Thomas and Lizzie Ashton and Julia Brown, all colored, for disorderly conduct; Zulu Payne, colored, for throwing slops in the streets; Solomon Krons, representing J. and L. Krons, of Baltimore, arrested by officer Crump for selling goods without a proper license, and Cotes Ward, colored, charged with robbing the residence of Mr. George Bauer.

All the young gamblers except Daffney Grady, colored, who was fined \$2, this being his second offence, were discharged with a reprimand.

George Petty, who, Mr. Travers testified, beat McCuen while he was in a beastly state of intoxication, was fined \$10.

The Washington man Fisher was fined \$5 and discharged.

Thomas and Lizzie Ashton, man and wife, were fined \$2.50 each, and Julia Brown was locked up.

Zulu Payne, on account of being engaged in attending a sick lady, was released for further examination.

Solomon Krons, who, it was ascertained was selling on the license of J. T. Henderson & Co., was released for further examination, he giving bond in the sum of \$350.

Cotes Ward was sent on to the grand jury of the Corporation Court.

The Mayor Saturday night fined a young man five dollars for disorderly conduct on the wharf Thursday night last.

PERSONAL.—Miss Annie Summers is visiting at Dalkesville, Dorchester co., Md.

Miss Annie Dyer will spend the remainder of the heated term in Northumberland county, Va.

Miss Eva Rudd is visiting in Lynchburg and vicinity.

Rev. John A. Kern, of this city, is at Wesley Grove camp meeting.

Rev. Mr. Tredway delivered a temperance address at Jackson Grove camp meeting yesterday.

Mr. Chas. H. Roach left last night to visit his friend, Mr. W. C. Potter, of Elmira, N. Y., after which he will make a tour of the various summer resorts of the North.

Mrs. Benjamin Wheatley and daughters are in Fairfax county, where they will spend the month of August.

Mrs. Charles Kelsey and children are at Pleasant Valley, Loudoun county.

THE CIRCUS.—The performance of S. H. Barrett & Co.'s circus will take place in this city on Saturday next. This is said to be one of the best shows on the road. It exhibited in Lynchburg on Friday last and the *Advance* of that city says: "The large tent was crowded to its utmost capacity. The features taken separately and collectively were of a superior order, and we can cheerfully testify to the polite and gentlemanly deportment of all the attaches of the circus with

whom we came in contact. The performance was the most chaste we have ever witnessed under the canvass. The menagerie, was composed of well-selected animals. The riding was of the highest order of circus equestrianism, and the feats on the trapeze, the jumping, tumbling and bar performances, were all of an excellent character.

RAID ON YOUNG GAMBLERS.—Complaint having been made of the noisy conduct of a crowd of boys in an alley on King street, Police Officers James Smith, M. Lattin and Pat Hayes visited the place yesterday afternoon, and surprised a number of young gamblers engaged in the pastime of pitching cents. The crowd scattered in every direction, but the officers succeeded in arresting seven of them, all boys between fifteen and twenty years of age. The arrested parties were locked up until this morning, when they were taken before the Mayor, who, after ascertaining that only four of the boys in the dock were actually engaged in pitching cents at the time, dismissed the other three, and the policemen made their appearance, dismissed them all with a reprimand, except Daffney Grady, colored, who he fined \$2, this being his second offence.

RIVER TRADE.—Inspector G. W. Hawhurst reports his recent arrivals at the river from the following:

Schooner Sue, Gheoghan, Baltimore, merchandise to J. Brothers & Co.; str. Louisa, Shropshire, Philadelphia, merchandise to F. A. Reed & Co.; str. E. C. Knight, Chichester, New York, merchandise to F. A. Reed & Co.; schr. Murry Vandiver, Falloway to load wheat for Baltimore, to William A. Moore; schooner America, Cox, Baltimore, lumber to Perry, Snoot & Co.; Schr. J. H. D. Snoot, Moore, cedar, to Wm. Rodgers; Schr. Honest John, Jackson, wood to T. J. McHaffey & Co.; Canal Barges, Agnes, Clark, and John L. Moyer, Moyer, coal to W. A. Snoot & Co.

NEW ENGINES AND CARS.—A new engine from Paterson, N. J., for the Western North Carolina Railroad arrived here on Saturday. Several new engines for this road have passed through here during the past week, and it is understood that an engine has been given by the Richmond and Danville syndicate for ten new first-class engines. Four new passenger cars for the Washington and Western Railroad are expected here from Paterson, N. J., the latter part of the month.

MARRIAGE.—The marriage of Mr. Wm. H. Helmut and Miss Bettie Folmar, was solemnized early this morning by Rev. Mr. Obermeyer, a German Lutheran minister visiting relatives in this city from Little Rock, Ark. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left for a short northern tour, carrying with them the best wishes of their many friends. Before returning they will visit Niagara Falls.

APPOINTMENT.—Capt. J. Wesley Davis, of this city, has been appointed sailing master of the coast survey schooner George Bates, at a salary of \$185 per month. The schooner will leave the Washington navy yard with a surveying party, under command of Capt. Bradford, Thursday next for Cape May. After a survey at Cape May, the Chesapeake Bay and Tangier Sound will be resurveyed.

EXAMINATION.—The annual examination of teachers, and of applicants for positions as teachers, of the Alexandria city public schools will take place on Saturday, August 19th, at the Peabody Building, beginning at 9 o'clock a. m.

More universally recommended than any proprietary medicine made. A sure and reliable tonic, Brown's Iron Bitters.

A meeting of the Alexandria Light Infantry will be held at their Armory to-night at 8 o'clock. By order of the

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

A meeting of the Conservative Executive Committee will be held at the City Treasurer's office, on Thursday August 10th, at 8 p. m. A full attendance is desired.

WANTED.—A WAITER, for a restaurant, on this office.

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COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF REAL ESTATE IN ALEXANDRIA COUNTY.

In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of the city of Alexandria in the chancery cases of Law B. Taylor, wife et al. vs. Powell et al. and Chamblin et al. vs. Powell et al., the undersigned, commissioners, will offer for sale at public auction, at 12 o'clock a. m.

TUESDAY, September the 12th, 1882, in front of the Fairfax street entrance to the Court room, Market Building, Alexandria, Virginia, ALL THAT TRACT OF LAND AND IMBRIA, Virginia, known as "MORVEN," formerly the property of G. W. Carlyle Whiting, containing 272 ACRES, more or less, subject to a lease expiring on the 1st day of January, 1883.

Terms: One fourth of the purchase money in cash, and the residue thereof in three equal payments, to wit: one and two thirds years from day of sale; the purchaser to give his bonds with approved security for the deferred payments, and said deferred payments to bear interest from day of sale; the title to be retained until all the purchase money is paid, and all conveyancing to be at the cost of the purchaser.

ALBERT STUART, } Comm'rs.  
K. KEMPER, } of Sale.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF A VALUABLE LOT AND FOUNDRY, at Vienna, on Washington and Western Railroad.

By virtue of a deed of trust from James Welch and wife to the undersigned to secure an indebtedness to Jonathan Magarey, dated the 29th of May, 1881, and recorded in Liber A, No. 5, folio 167, at the request of the party secured, he said trust I will sell at public auction in front of the Court House of Fairfax county, on MONDAY, the 21st of August, 1882, A LOT OF TWO ACRES, upon which there is a FOUNDRY, with its appurtenances, and stock on hand. This property is well known as the place where the "Cummin's Plow" is made, and is considered very desirable to those who wish to engage in this kind of business.

Terms: Cash.

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BOY'S SAILOR COLLARS, choice lot at

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SUN UMBRELLAS AND FANS.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Virginia Midland road now sells round trip tickets to any point on the road good for three days.

Mrs. William C. Markell, a young widow lady, died last night, after a long illness, from consumption.

The National Stars of Washington defeated the Richmond Browns, in a game of baseball in the latter city Saturday last, by a score of 8 to 3.

Ex-Senator W. H. Barnum, of Connecticut passed through here this morning en route for Richmond and the South to look after his extended interests in railroads and other things.

Over seventy car loads of cattle arrived here during Saturday night over the Virginia Midland Railway, and were shipped through to northern markets, over the Baltimore and Potomac road.

Jerry Reading and James Dwyer, deserters from the schooner M. N. Hale, were arrested Saturday afternoon by officers Goodrich and Nightingill, and taken before a magistrate. Dwyer promised to return to duty, and he was ordered aboard the vessel. Reading was committed to jail.

A colored woman named Arrington was taken ill at the Alexandria and Washington Railroad depot in this city to-day. The woman, who was from Pittsburg, Pa., was kindly cared for until a conveyance arrived to take her to the house of friends, on West street.

The schooner S. P. Hitchcock is on the ways at Agnew & Co's ship yard.

An agent of the Southern Telegraph Company was here to-day engaging men to watch the poles of the company in the country to prevent them from being cut down.

Salt water tailors received to day by Mr. George E. Price, which will be on sale in the market to-morrow. Messrs. Price & Co. also have on hand a large supply of fresh watermelons.

J. W. Dyer & Co., 23 S. Royal street, where to-day received a fine lot of salt water tailors, and will offer them for sale to-morrow.

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