

Alexandria Gazette

WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 23.

LOCAL NEWS.

For this section warmer weather and local winds easterly winds shifting to southerly.

POLICE REPORT.—Last night was clear and cool, with ten prisoners and eight lodgers at the station house.

The Mayor this morning disposed of the following cases:

James Jones, colored, who had been in jail for an assault on a woman last week, was released on the payment of \$7.

Geo. Wilson, Chas. Miller and Jno. O'Neal, arrested by officers Sherwood, Brenner, McCann and Davis, charged with fighting on the street yesterday, forfeited the \$5 each which they had left for their appearance this morning and Jos. Mills, arrested on the same charge was dismissed.

Levi Hill, arrested by officer Simpson for resisting an officer, was fined \$2.

Jeff Phillips, arrested by officer Lawler, charged with assaulting Samuel Johnson with a loaded cane, had his case continued till to-morrow.

Wm. Smith, arrested by officer Sherwood for disorderly conduct, was fined \$2.

Jno. Pinkett, colored, arrested for abusive language to the officers at the station house, was fined \$2.

Wm. Kelly, arrested by officer Ticer for being drunk and disorderly at the local depot, was fined \$3.

Frank Riley, arrested by officers Lawler and Hayes for being drunk and disorderly, forfeited the \$3.50 which he had left for his appearance.

A. Finerty, arrested by officer Roberts for disorderly conduct, was fined \$3.

A NATIONAL MEMORIAL BRIDGE.—Senator Mahone's bill for the erection of a national memorial bridge over the Potomac river from Washington to Arlington, a notice of which has been published in the GAZETTE, contains the following preamble:

Whereas, it is the desire of the people of the United States that there should be erected in honor of President Abraham Lincoln and General U. S. Grant a monument of imperishable material and of a design suitable to commemorate their distinguished services; and whereas the design most appropriate is a grand monumental bridge, symbolical of the restored union across the Potomac river, which divided the North from the South during the struggle in which the services of President Lincoln and General Grant were so conspicuously valuable, leading from the national capital to the sacred grounds of Arlington, where lie buried 15,000 men who died for the union; therefore, &c.

PERSONALS.—Mr. Thos. D. Addison and bride are in the city, the guests of Mr. W. B. Daingerfield.

Mrs. G. W. Cook and her sister, Miss Lloyd, at their home, No. 3, Thomas Circle, Washington, on Monday evening last held a delightful reception in honor of their guest, Miss Jackson, of Richmond. The reception was largely attended, among those present being a number of ladies and gentlemen from this city. A string band discoursed sweet music during the evening; dancing was engaged in by many present, and delicious refreshments were served to all. The Alexandrians returned on the midnight train.

Mr. R. LeGrand Johnston, formerly of this city, but now a prominent young artist of Washington, was here yesterday to witness the parade and see some of his old friends.

COMPROMISED.—In March, 1883, Mr. Jno. S. Reynolds, while acting as fireman on a locomotive of the Franklin Narrow Gauge railroad in Pittsylvania county, had his leg broken and received other serious bodily injuries. He brought suit against the Virginia Midland road for \$30,000 damages, and when the case was heard in the circuit court of that county last year got a verdict for \$15,000. The company took an appeal, and the case would have come up in the Court of Appeals next month, but last Saturday it was compromised, the railroad agreeing to pay \$12,000 cash, and all costs of appeal.

LENT.—To day, Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent, commemorating the passion of the Saviour, was observed by special services and prayer in the Episcopal and Catholic churches, and fasting and abstinence from worldly pleasures and amusements by the members of those churches. For the next forty days society will cease from trouble, and the weary will be at rest, for Lent has come. Yesterday closed a gay and delightful winter. Small dinners and card parties however, it is said, will enliven the monotony of this penitential season. Easter Sunday falls on April 10.

THE OPERA HOUSE.—"Tried for Treason" was produced at the Opera House last night before a large audience by Mr. Charles Thornton and Miss Isabella Granger, supported by a strong company. The melodrama, in construction, sentiment, moral, and scenic requirement and display, is all that is claimed for it. It is replete with artistic acting, in which there is a world of pathos, womanly devotion and loving courage, and in the hands of the able company interpreting it proved a most interesting and instructive performance. The play will be repeated to-night.

TWO MEN MISSING.—The custom house has received a letter from Liverpool inquiring about two men whom, it was said, came as passengers to this city in 1849 on the brig Antelope. Deputy Collector Lambert examined the records of the voyage of the Antelope, which came with salt to Lambert & McKenzie, and found that she brought no passengers, and that the persons named were not among the crew. The British authorities have been so informed.

CORPORATION COURT.—Judge N. B. Meade presiding.—Peter McCrink vs. The Eureka Screw, Bolt and Nut Manufactory; referred to Commissioner J. K. M. Norton for report. R. T. Lucas appointed administrator of Beverly Taylor, deceased, and G. R. Shinn, Theo. Ballenger, M. Schuler, H. McWilliams and Henry Hamill appointed appraisers. Court adjourned till court in course.

TO PREVENT ESCAPE.—Ben. Biscoe, Capt. Dixon's murderer, is still in Port Tobacco jail awaiting the decision of the Court of Appeals of Maryland in the matter of his appeal. Sheriff Simpson has him chained to the floor, as he thinks that Biscoe was implicated in the recent conspiracy to break jail by attacking Henry Smoot, the colored jailer, while the meals were being given the prisoners.

THE A. L. I. FAIR was again largely attended last night, and during the evening the Stonewall Band gave a fine concert, which was enjoyed by all. The fair will close to-night, when the voting for the various articles to be disposed of by ballot will cease.

Salvation Oil cures rheumatism in from 12 to 48 hours, swellings and bruises in a few hours.

Suicide is not more sinful than neglecting a cough. For only 25 cents you can buy a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and be saved from death. Try it.

FREE FIGHTS.—A fight occurred about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon in a Pitt street restaurant, among a number of Alexandrians and Washingtonians. The cause of the fight was the too free indulgence in whiskey, and the disposition on the part of a number of roughs of this city to create disturbances on occasions like that of yesterday. During the "scrimmage" Foreman Kane, of Truck A Company, Washington, was cut on the face, and Samuel Johnson, also of that city, was terribly cut about the head, either by a beer bottle or a blackjack. His wounds were dressed at a neighboring drug store. There was also a general smash-up of things in the saloon. The fight caused a large crowd to gather about the place. The police arrested two Washingtonians, who gave the names of Charles Miller and J. O'Neal, but they left collateral for their appearance which they forfeited. Jeff Phillips, of this city, was also arrested for assaulting Johnson, but to day he had his case continued.

A disturbance occurred also at the ferry wharf in the evening, in which several Washingtonians took part. Several of the parties were arrested and locked up in the station house, and were this morning fined.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The great Twenty-second is over. Snow commenced falling at 2 o'clock this evening.

The Old Stonewall Brigade Band left this morning for Staunton.

The parade of yesterday, to a considerable extent, prevented the observance of pancake day.

The conference report on the House bill to exchange property for a public building at Arlington has been reported to the Senate.

Among the trades represented in the procession yesterday and not mentioned was that of the Cannon Liver Tonic Company, which had in line a handsomely decorated wagon, the horses being driven tandem.

Mr. William Javins, who has been in bad health for some time past, came out yesterday but was taken suddenly ill on the corner of King and Royal streets and fell to the ground. He was taken home where he is now rallied.

Ex postmaster Windsor to-day made an appointment with Senator Mahone to meet the committee from this city in reference to the canal stock, by which the city hopes to be relieved of its indebtedness to the government on that account, on Thursday, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The funeral of the late Samuel H. Janney took place from his late residence, on Cameron street, this evening, and notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather was well attended. The services were conducted by Rev. H. Suter and the remains were interred in St. Paul's cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. D. A. Windsor, E. S. Leadbeater, Geo. Johnston, Law. Stabler, A. A. Warfield and C. W. J. Summers.

A little son of Mr. George Young, of this city, followed one of the military companies back to Washington yesterday, and was not found by his parents till this morning.

A little child of Charles Chapman, the well known colored driver of this city, died of spinal meningitis last night.

The Columbia Fire Company had 86 men in line in the procession yesterday, instead of 40, as published.

THE GAZETTE yesterday published every item of interest about the parade.

For weak lungs, spitting of blood, shortness of breath, consumption, night sweats and all lingering coughs, Dr. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery" is a sovereign remedy. Superior to cod liver oil. By druggists.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Last night at the ball given at McBurney's Hall, a GRAY CHINCHILLA OVER-COAT, with black velvet collar and having a pair of brown kid gloves in the pocket. A suitable reward will be paid for the return of the coat to W. F. LEEF's store, 157 King st. feb23 3c

FANCY NO. 1 MACKEREL, and Nos. 2 and 3 do. do. feb23 McBURNEY'S.

GRAHAM FLOUR, in 5-lb packages, GEO. McBURNEY & SON, feb23

SMOKED BLOATERS, very fat, just received. GEO. McBURNEY & SON, feb23

POTOMAC FAMILY ROE HERRING, GEO. McBURNEY & SON, feb23

BONELESS COD, in 1-lb blocks, GEO. McBURNEY & SON, feb23

DRIED PEACHES, peeled and unpeeled, and bright Dried Apples for sale, J. C. MILBURN, feb16

I AM now offering a SHIRT made of Dwight Anchor Brand Cotton at 50c; a perfect fit. feb16 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER.

HOME-MADE OVERALLS, Jumpers and Heavy Cheviot Shirts at feb16 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

TERRA COTTA 1, 2, 3 and 4-gal. COVERED BUTTER JARS. A very desirable article, at feb16 E. J. MILLER, SON & CO'S.

MIXED PICKLE, CHOW CHOW AND CUMBER PICKLES, for sale at feb20 J. C. MILBURN'S.

BELLS CHOICE NEW YORK BEANS received to-day by feb16 J. C. MILBURN.

SWEET CIDER received to-day by feb16 W. A. JOHNSON & CO.

CHEAP SOAP—7 cakes Higgins' Standard Soap, 12 ounces each, for 25c at feb16 J. C. MILBURN'S.

GARDEN WHEEL BARROWS.—We have strong and substantial Wheelbarrows at a low price. feb24 J. F. CARLIN & SONS.

IF YOUR CHICKENS ARE SICK, TRY LUNT'S CHICKEN CHOLERA CURE. Sold by all druggists and grocers. feb31

ALL-WOOL KNIT GLOVES, with Saranac front, for driving, at feb19 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

THOMAS'S MINCE MEAT and ENGLISH PLUM PUDDING, feb24 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

BEAUTIFUL BROCADED SILK MUFFLERS, from \$1.25 to \$2.50, at feb21 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

PURE BLACKBERRY CORDIAL, made for family use. GEO. McBURNEY & SON, feb10

DRINK MOXEY'S NERVE FOOD for sale by feb22 J. D. H. LUNT.

COLTON'S REMEDY FOR CHILBLAINS. Price 25c. For sale by feb17 J. D. H. LUNT.

SATISFACTION TOBACCO received to-day direct from the factory, and for sale low by feb23 J. C. MILBURN.

NEW CURRANTS and CRANBERRIES just received by feb20 J. C. MILBURN.

3000 POUNDS PURE, DARK BUCKWHEAT FLOUR just received by feb30 J. C. MILBURN.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

New York, Feb. 23—11 a. m.—The stock market opened very strong, first prices showing advances of from 1/4 to 1 1/2 per cent. There were further slight advances in the early dealings, but the market soon yielded, figures in the general list declining from 1/2 to 1/4 per cent. There were some insignificant rallies toward the end of the hour, but at 11 o'clock the market was quiet and barely steady. Money easy at 3/4.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 23.—Virginia 6s consolidated 48; 10-40s 38; post-due coupons 64; new 3s 65 bid to 4 y.

WHOLESALE PRICES OF PRODUCE FEB. 23

Table listing various commodities and their prices, including Flour, Superfine, Extra, Family, Fancy brands, Wheat, Longberry, Fultz, Mixed, Fair Wheat, Damp and tough, Corn, white, Yellow, Corn Meal, Hominy, per barrel, Rye, Oats, Butter, Virginia prime, Common to middling, Eggs, Turkeys, live, dressed, drawn, Dressed Chickens, Veal Calves, Dressed Pork, Irish Potatoes per bushel, Sweet Potatoes per barrel, Apples per barrel, Onions per bushel, Peaches, peeled, Cherries, unpeeled, Dried Apples, Bacon—Hams, country, Best sugar cured Hams, Butchers' Hams, Breakfast Bacon, Sugar-cured Shoulders, Bulk shouldered, lg. cl. sides, fat backs, bellies, Bacon Shoulders, Sides, Lard, Smoked Beef, Sugars—Brown, Off A., Conf. Standard A., Granulated, Coffee—Rio, La Guayra, Java, Molasses B. S., C. B., Sugar Syrup, Herring, Eastern, per bbl., Potomac No. 1, Mackerel, small per bbl., No. 3, medium, No. 3, large fat, No. 2, Clover Seed, Timothy, Plaster, ground, per ton, Ground in bags, Lump, Salt—G.A. (Liverpool), Fine, Turk's Island, Wool—Long unwashed, Washed, Merino, unwashed, Do. Washed, Sumac, Hay, Cut do., Wheat Bran, 1st and 2d car., Brown Middlings, White Middlings, Hominy Chop, Cotton Seed Meal.

Flour is quiet and without change; the demand is confined to the jobbing traders, who are buying to supply current needs. The wheat markets are without new features and are tame; futures are dull and lower, while common and ordinary grades are in full sympathy; there is a constant milling demand, showing but little change for prime lots for near delivery. Corn is steady. Rye is quiet. Oats are firm. Produce is in fair demand and without quotable change.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 23.—Cotton firm and quiet; middling 9 3/4 @ 9 1/2. Flour higher for low grades; Howard street and Western super \$2 50 @ 3 10; do extra \$3 25 @ 3 75; do family \$4 00 @ 4 60; City Mills super \$2 50 @ 3 00; do extra \$3 25 @ 3 75; do Rio brands \$4 62 @ 4 87; Patuxent superative patent \$5 45; do family \$7 15; Wheat—Southern steady and quiet; red 90 @ 93; amber 92 @ 94; Western irregular and dull; No 2 winter red spot 89 1/2 @ 90 1/2; Feb 89 1/2 @ 90 1/2; May 90 1/2 @ 90 1/2. Corn—Southern easy and quiet; white 48 1/2 @ 49 1/2; yellow 47 1/2 @ 48 1/2; Western lower and dull; mixed spot 45 1/2 @ 46 1/2; Feb 45 1/2 @ 46 1/2; March 45 1/2 @ 46 1/2; May 46 1/2 @ 47 1/2. Oats steady; Southern 34 1/2 @ 35; Penna 34 1/2 @ 35; Western white 37 1/2 @ 38; mixed 34 1/2 @ 35. Rye firm at 56 1/2. Hay dull; prime to choice Western \$11 1/2. Provisions steady and quiet. Mess Pork \$14 1/2. Bulk meats—shoulders and clear rib sides packed 28 1/2. Bacon—shoulders 7 1/2 @ 8; clear rib sides 8 1/2; hams 13 1/2 @ 14. Lard—refined 7 1/2 @ 8. Butter lower; Western packed 15 1/2 @ 16; creamery 23 1/2 @ 24. Eggs steady at 15. Coffee firm and quiet; Rio cargoes ordinary to fair 14 1/2 @ 15. Sugar steady; A soft 5 1/2. Whiskey steady and quiet at \$1 2 1/2 @ 2 1/2.

New York, Feb. 23.—Cotton quiet; uplands 9 1/2 @ 9 3/4; Orleans 9 1/2; futures steady. Flour dull and heavy. Wheat 1/2c lower. Corn a shade lower. Pork firm at \$15. Lard dull at \$7 25.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23—11:15 a. m.—May Wheat sold at 77 1/2 at the opening, or 1c lower than Monday. The market has since rallied to 78 1/2. May Corn 38 1/2. May Oats 28 1/2. May Pork very strong at \$15 20. May Lard \$7 25.

MARINE NEWS. PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, FEBRUARY 23, 1887. Sun rises.....6 40 Sun sets.....5 47

Sailed. Str McLeer, Williamston, N C, by Perry, Smoot & Co.

AMUSEMENTS. OPERA HOUSE, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22d and 23d. The Brilliant Young Actor and Author, CHARLES THORNTON. Supported by Miss ISABELLA GRANGE.

In his Great Sensational, Romantic, American play, TRIED FOR TREASON. The most successful dramatic effort of the day. Interpreted by a company of unusual excellence. This play has been mounted by Mr. Thornton at great expense, the wonderful scenic effect and beautiful costumes having never been surpassed in the annals of the stage. feb17 5c

WOLFF'S ACME BLACKING for sale by feb27 J. D. H. LUNT.

FLORIDA ORANGES, Malaga Grapes, Selected Dates, Large Bananas just received. feb24 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

OLD APPLE VINEGAR and WHITE WINE VINEGAR, extra strength, for sale by feb2 J. C. MILBURN.

FRESH ITALIAN MACARONI, Breakfast Hominy and New York Beans just received. feb20 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

POTATO CHIPS, in half-pound boxes, received to-day by feb2 J. C. MILBURN.

WOOL HOODS, SCARFS, MITTS and Gloves in every quality and color, at feb17 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

RHEUMATISM CURED BY DR. MITCHELL'S Celebrated Rheumatism Plaster, for sale by feb11 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

PLAID VEST FRONT COAT BACK JEANS at feb1 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

MEDICINAL.

CATARRH ELY'S CREAM BALM. Gives relief at once and cures COLD IN HEAD. CATARRH. HAY FEVER. Not a Liquid, Snuff or Powder. Free from injurious drugs and offensive odors. A particle is applied into each nostril and is absorbable. Price 50 cts. Druggists, by mail, registered, 60 cts. Circulars free. ELY BROS., Druggists, Owego, N. Y.

Can Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Costiveness, Giddiness, Colic. be CURED? OH YES. CANNON'S LIVER TONIC. Will do it every time. Your druggist sells it. C. L. T.

FANCY GROCERIES.

FINE FRUIT.

30 BOXES CHOICE FLORIDA ORANGES, 20 BOXES GOOD SICILY ORANGES, And a small lot of, GOOD MALAGA GRAPES. Just received and for sale low by G. WM. RAMSAY.

Fancy Creamery Butter

JUST RECEIVED BY G. WM. RAMSAY. A VERY FINE TEA INDEED. I have recently received an invoice of GUNPOWDER TEA OF THE New Crop, Which is without doubt ONE OF THE FINEST TEAS I HAVE EVER SEEN. Very strong and of exquisite flavor. G. WM. RAMSAY.

FANCY.

New Orleans Molasses

Just received by G. WM. RAMSAY.

WANTS.

WANTED—A SALESMAN. Apply at once. EDWARD PERRY SNELL, feb8 co26b Nurseryman, Rochester, N. Y.

CHOICE VIRGINIA ROLL BUTTER for sale by feb16 J. C. MILBURN.

DRY GOODS.

ISAAC EICHBERG & CO. READY FOR SPRING OF 1887. WE HAVE NOW PART OF OUR SPRING STOCK ON HAND, AND ARE THROUGH TAKING INVENTORY. WE HAVE JUST GIVEN OUR ORDER FOR OUR MEN'S WEAR, AND WILL IN A FEW DAYS OPEN OUR MERCHANT TAILORING DEPARTMENT. New Dress Goods, New Mattings, New Embroideries and White Goods. Ready Prices, up with the Times and with any of the Closest Markets. A CALL IS SUFFICIENT TO VERIFY OUR STATEMENT.

ISAAC EICHBERG & CO.,

Corner King and Royal Streets.

Salesmen—A. H. Slaymaker, A. E. Slaymaker, W. D. Wood and W. H. Hogan. Sales Ladies—Misses Alice Patterson, G. A. Briggs and Jenny Patterson.

WORTH READING.

We have had sent us from New York an immense lot of LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S HOSE. ALSO A VERY LARGE LINE OF HALF HOSE. Over 1,000 pairs in all, which we are selling at less than ONE THIRD of their real value. For the goods worth 123, 25, 37 1/2, 50, 75 and \$1 we are only asking 6, 8, 10, 12 1/2, 15, 20 and 25c.

Among the many other desirable goods into which we have put the knife you will find a large quantity of both cheap and fine DRESS GOODS That have been greatly reduced and in many cases to ONE HALF of their original prices.

We are offering a splendid quality of NAPKINS AT \$1.50 that would be bargains at \$2. We still have a few of the CHEAPEST TOWELS in the market. No better bargain ever offered than our 20c towel, and our fine towels in lots of 4 for \$2 and \$2 25 are exceptionally desirable.

THE PULLMAN BUSTLE has created quite a stir among the ladies, and the demand for them is growing every day. We will always keep a good assortment.

TRUNKS have been added to our stock, and purchasers will always find us with a full line at popular prices.

We have increased our already large line of CORSETS by the addition of several new makes, A choice line of 4-4 WAMSUTTA always on hand.

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