

Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, JULY 25.

EATING A CAT.—Policeman Jenkins was patrolling his post in Eighteenth street, New York, yesterday morning, when he was horrified by a seeing a negro walking along the street ravenously devouring the body of a dead cat.

RESCUING AN INFANT.—The sound of a baby crying was heard from a vault in a water-closet in the rear of No. 10 Goerck street, New York, yesterday morning.

A Strong Endowment is conferred upon that magnificent institution, the human system, by Dr. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery" that fortifies it against the encroachments of disease.

DIRECTORY OF THE Principal Business Houses of the City

- Barke & Herbert, cor. King and Fairfax streets. Citizens' National Bank, n. w. cor. Prince and Leo streets. Books, Stationary and Printing. G. E. French, 95 King street. Brewers. The Robert Porter Brewing Company. Brick Makers. Arlington Brick Machine Co., Casual lock. Carriages. Summers & Bro., Pitt street. China, Glassware, &c. E. J. Miller, Son & Co., 65 King street. Clothing and Furnishing Goods. Jos. Brager, No. 12 King street. Commission Merchants. P. B. Hooe, 2 Prince street. Confectioners. Henry Brengle, 129 King street. Dry Goods and Notions. R. H. Taylor, 933 Penna. ave., Washington. A. B. Slaymaker, 105 King street. J. E. Tackett, 109 King street. Cartor, 711 Market Space, Washington. Drugs and Chemicals. W. F. Crighton, & Co., n. w. cor. King and Royal streets. A. A. Wainfield, 152 King street. E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., 7 S. Fairfax street. S. H. Lunt, cor. King and Fairfax streets. J. D. H. Lunt, n. o. cor. King and Washington streets. L. Stabler & Co., n. w. cor. King and Washington streets. Warfield & Hall, cor. Prince and Fairfax streets. Grocers and Liquor Dealers. J. C. Milburn, 17 n. Royal street. Charles King & Son, 67 Cameron street. Harlow & Bro., n. e. cor. Royal and Cameron streets. W. A. Johnson, n. e. cor. Royal and Cameron streets. G. McBurney & Son, s. w. cor. King and Washington streets. G. Wm. Ramsey, cor. King and St. Asaph streets. Hardware and Cutlery. J. F. Carlin & Sons, 63 King street. J. T. Crighton & Son, 88 King street. B. F. Peake, cor. King and Pitt streets. Ice. F. A. Reed & Co., Strand. Jewellers. H. Wildt, 10 n. Royal street. Lumber, &c. Perry, Smoot & Co., No. 25 corner Cameron and Union sts. Josiah H. D. Smoot, 21 north Union st. Machinists. W. S. Moore, 65 Union street. Real Estate Agents. Harlow & Caton, Market Building. Wines and Liquors. Geo. Steurnagel, corner King and Fairfax sts. Wood and Coal. W. A. Smoot & Co., foot of Princess st. A. H. Agnew, foot of Franklin st. J. R. Zimmerman, foot of Queen st.

Opening and Closing of the Mails. Northern mails close at 7:30 and 10:30 a. m. and 12:30, 6:30 and 7:30 p. m. Open at 8:30 a. m., 12:40 p. m. and 6:30 p. m.

Landreth's Garden Seeds. We have just received our first supply of the above celebrated seeds. Catalogues furnished upon application. mh2 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. SHEEP DIP SAGE, Ground SAGE, Diamond Dyes, Fitch's Pocket Scales, Hood's Sarsaparilla, Warner's Kidney and Liver Cure, Brown's Iron Bitters, Volina Cordial, Pratt's Astral Oil, and Sweet Majoram—a large supply just received. dec1 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. PAINT YOUR BUGGY FOR ONE DOLLAR. Another supply of CROWN CARRIAGE GLOSS PAINT; ready for use; only one coat necessary. For sale by W. F. CRIGHTON & CO. WHITE WASH BRUSHES of superior quality and others suited to the wholesale trade at 88 King street. J. T. CRIGHTON & SON. IF YOUR CHICKENS ARE SICK, LUNT'S CHICKEN CHOLERA CURE. Sold by all druggists and grocers. mh31

BAKING POWDERS. ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure. This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low-test, short-weight alum or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall Street, New York.

COAL AND WOOD. A. H. AGNEW, DEALER IN GEORGE'S CREEK, CUMBERLAND AND ANTHRACITE. COAL AND WOOD, 2240 pounds to the ton. Office and Yard—South end of Union street. Orders left at the drug store of W. F. Crighton & Co. will be promptly filled. VESSELS HAULED OUT ON RAILWAYS and repaired. A full stock of material always on hand. ap18

COAL! We invite the attention of dealers and consumers to our large stock of CAREFULLY PREPARED COAL of the following varieties: LOBBERRY and SHAMOKIN RED ASH. WHITE ASH (free burning and hard) of steamers, broken, egg, stove and nut sizes. Also GEORGE'S CREEK, CUMBERLAND and KANAWHA SPLIT, from West Va. Making Coal a specialty we aim to keep only the HIGHEST GRADES, and having two large Storage Yards, each variety is kept separate, and is especially prepared for family use. Yards floored, and all Coal sent out WELL SCREENED AND FREE FROM IMPURITIES. Dealers, families, public institutions and manufacturers supplied at lowest market rates—per ton of 2240 lbs. J. E. ZIMMERMAN. (Successor to T. J. McElroy & Co.) Wharf and Yards foot of Queen st. mh7

JOB PRINTING. THE GAZETTE. JOB PRINTING OFFICE. (UNDER THE ENTIRE CONTROL AND MANAGEMENT OF THE ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE) IS PREPARED TO DO AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE AND ON THE MOST REASONABLE TERMS. All kinds of Book and Job Printing. CATALOGUES, BILL HEADS, &c. SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO ALL ORDERS WITHOUT THE CITY.

HENRY WILDT, JEWELER AND OPTICIAN. A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF AMERICAN WATCHES, FINE JEWELRY, SILVERWARE, CLOCKS, &c. Sole agent for the celebrated DIAMOND SPECTACLES and EYE GLASSES. mh27 No. 10 N. Royal st., Alexandria, Va. PARIS GREEN! PARIS GREEN! Another large supply just received. Put up in 1-lb and 4-lb cans. For sale by W. F. CRIGHTON & CO.

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RAILROADS. RICHMOND AIR LINE ROUTE. CONDENSED SCHEDULE, IN EFFECT JUNE 5, 1887. Trains run by 75-Minute Time. SOUTH BOUND. No. 51, No. 53, No. 55, No. 52. LEAVE: Washington, 8:30 a.m., 11:45 a.m., 5:30 p.m., 11:00 p.m. Alexandria, 8:55 a.m., 12:15 p.m., 5:55 p.m., 11:25 p.m. Manassas, 9:51 a.m., 12:25 p.m., 7:00 p.m., 12:15 a.m. Warr's Junction, 10:23 a.m., 1:01 p.m., 7:35 p.m., 12:42 p.m. Orange, 11:48 a.m., 2:18 p.m., 8:01 p.m., 1:55 a.m. Charlottesville, 1:10 p.m., 3:35 p.m., 10:30 p.m., 2:00 a.m. ARRIVE: Lynchburg, 3:25 p.m., 5:45 p.m., 1:00 a.m., 6:15 p.m. Franklin Junction, 4:05 p.m., 6:25 p.m., 1:40 a.m., 6:55 p.m. Ashville, 4:35 p.m., 6:55 p.m., 2:10 a.m., 7:25 p.m. Hot Springs, 5:05 p.m., 7:25 p.m., 2:40 a.m., 7:55 p.m. Chantanooga, 5:35 p.m., 7:55 p.m., 3:10 a.m., 8:25 p.m. Memphis, 6:05 p.m., 8:25 p.m., 3:40 a.m., 8:55 p.m. Louisville, 6:35 p.m., 8:55 p.m., 4:10 a.m., 9:25 p.m. Cincinnati, 7:05 p.m., 9:25 p.m., 4:40 a.m., 9:55 p.m. NORTH BOUND. No. 51, No. 53, No. 55, No. 52. LEAVE: Danville, 10:30 a.m., 11:40 p.m. Franklin Junction, 11:38 a.m., 12:47 p.m. Lynchburg, 1:20 p.m., 2:30 p.m. Chantanooga, 4:00 p.m., 5:10 p.m. Orange, 5:01 p.m., 6:10 p.m. Warr's Junction, 6:25 p.m., 7:35 p.m. Manassas, 7:53 p.m., 9:03 p.m. Alexandria, 8:03 p.m., 9:13 p.m. ARRIVE: Washington, 8:23 a.m., 10:43 p.m. Baltimore, 11:25 a.m., 8:10 p.m., 12:40 p.m., 11:25 p.m. Philadelphia, 3:00 a.m., 12:35 p.m., 3:10 p.m., 3:00 a.m. New York, 6:20 a.m., 3:20 p.m., 5:50 p.m., 6:20 p.m.

MANASSAS BRANCH. EASTWARD. Daily, except Sunday. WESTWARD. Daily, except Sunday. 9:47 a.m. Arrive Washington, 2:35 p.m. 9:06 p.m. 9:22 a.m. Alexandria, Ar. 2:55 p.m. 3:00 a.m. 6:06 Manassas, Va. 3:09 p.m. 3:15 a.m. 1:30 p.m. 6:21 Front Royal, Va. 3:31 p.m. 3:20 a.m. 1:03 p.m. 6:10 Riverton, Va. 3:38 p.m. 3:40 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 5:45 Strasburg, Va. 7:05 p.m. 11:40 a.m.

WARRENTON—Trains No. 50, 51, 54, 55, 58 and 59 connect daily to and from Warrenton. FRANKLIN DIVISION—Daily, except Sunday. Leave Rocky Mt. 7:40 a. m., arrive Franklin Junction 11:40 a. m.; leave Franklin Junction 7:30 p. m., arrive Rocky Mt. 10:30 p. m. GORDONVILLE—Trains leave Orange for Gordonville 11:53 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 9:20 p. m. daily, and 8:45 a. m. daily except Sunday. Returning, leave Gordonville for Orange 6:15 a. m., 1:35 p. m. and 4:20 p. m. daily, and 11:00 a. m. daily except Sunday. SLEEPING CAR SERVICE. On trains Nos. 50 and 51 Pullman Buffet Sleepers between New York and Atlanta, via Danville. On trains Nos. 52 and 53 Pullman Buffet Sleepers between Washington and Montgomery, and Washington and Augusta, via Danville. On trains Nos. 54 and 55 Pullman Sleepers between Washington and Louisville, and Charlottesville and Cincinnati. On trains Nos. 54 and 59 Pullman Buffet Sleepers between Washington and Memphis, via Lynchburg. On trains Nos. 55 and 58 Pullman Buffet Sleepers between Washington and New Orleans, via Lynchburg and Kennewick route. WASHINGTON AND OHIO DIVISION. ALL TRAINS DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY. Leave Alexandria 6:00 a. m., 9:17 a. m. and 4:50 p. m.; arrive at Round Hill 11:20 a. m., 11:45 a. m. and 7:19 p. m. The 9:20 a. m. train and 4:50 p. m. train from Alexandria connects at Vienna with stages for Fairfax Court House. Through tickets on sale at the principal stations to all points. For rates or information apply to any agent of the Company, or to J. S. E. THOMPSON, A. G. P. A. Alexandria, Va. JAS. L. TAYLOR, G. P. A. Washington, D. C. SOL. HAAS, T. M., Richmond, Va.

HARDWARE, CUTLERY, &c., just received at a small advance—wholesale and retail. Rodgers & Son and other make of Carvers and Forks, a great variety. Rodgers & Son, and other make of Table and Breakfast Knives. Genuine Rodgers & Son, Heinech and other make of Scissors. Pocket Cutlery in great variety, several hundred patterns. Table Knives, with Forks to match, at low prices. Enterprize, Clampon and other Meat Cutters, all sizes. Browne's Flexible Rubber Weather Strips, the best in use, with a great variety of other goods in our line, for sale cheap. Special attention is asked to a large job lot of Fray's Solid Steel Scissors and Shears, for sale at a large deduction from usual prices. Call and see, at 88 King, corner of Royal street. dec1 J. T. CRIGHTON & SON.

FLOUR! FLOUR! We offer the following fancy and choice brands of Flour at low prices: Hungarian Fancy Patent. Lilly " " Crystal " " New South " " Triumph Herwood Choice Family. Tenhoy's Best " " Cook's " " White as Snow " " Blue Ridge " " jan24 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

800 BUSHELS BURBANK, NOVA SCOTIA AND MAINE EARLY ROSE POTATOES in stock and for sale by ap6 CHAS. KING & SON. JUST RECEIVED. A consignment of PRIME MINNESOTA BUTTER, which we are offering to the trade at current figures. ap15 HARLOW BROS.

THE LARGEST and finest assortment ever offered in this city of Haveland & Co.'s and other makes of French China After-Dinner Coffees, Fruit Plates, Ice Cream and Salad Sets, Buckwheat Cake Plates (new), Biscuit Jars, Tea and Dinner Sets, besides many smaller articles too numerous to mention. For sale by E. J. MILLER, SON & CO. dec3

CUTICURA PLASTERS—New and original, and of ready superior to any other plaster for destroying pain wherever located or from whatever cause produced, together with all the other Cuticura Preparations, Ointments, Resolvents, Soaps, &c., just received at WARFIELD & HALL'S, Corner Prince and Fairfax sts. ap7

GREEN AND FIGURED SCREEN WIRE 24, 30 and 36 inches, wholesale and retail, at 88 King, corner of Royal street. You can buy wire, and have Window and Door Frames made of better quality, to cost no more than the common Frames offered for sale in the city. Call and see. J. T. CRIGHTON & SON, 88 King, cor. Royal st. je4

TEA SETS—We have just received the cheapest line of CARLEBAD and FRENCH CHINA TEA SETS ever offered in this city, of 44 and 56 pieces each, low-shaped cups and heavily gilded and beautiful decorations. We are sure of selling both your taste and pocket if you are in need of anything in this line. For sale by E. J. MILLER, SON & CO. mi

BREECH LOADING GUNS, fine quality. Shell ejecting, Double action and other Patterns, Leaver Implements, Shells, Caps, Primers, Wads and other goods in same line, will be sold at low prices, at 88 King, corner of Royal streets. Call and examine. nov14 J. T. CRIGHTON & SON.

ENAMELED PRESERVING KETTLES, Cherry Seeders and Fruit Presses, wholesale and retail at 88 King, corner Royal street, by J. T. CRIGHTON & SON. je9

RAILROADS. GREAT PENNSYLVANIA ROUTE 1887 TO THE NORTH, WEST AND SOUTHWEST, DOUBLE TRACK, STEEL RAILS, IMPROVED SCENERY, MAGNIFICENT EQUIPMENT. In Effect May 16, 1887. Trains leave Washington, from station, corner of Sixth and B streets, as follows: For Pittsburg and the West, Chicago Limited Express of Palace Sleeping Cars at 9:50 a. m., daily; Fast Line, 9:50 a. m. daily, to Cincinnati and St. Louis, with Sleeping Cars from Harrisburg to Cincinnati, and Buffet Car to St. Louis; daily, except Saturday, to Chicago, with Sleeping Car Altoona to Chicago. Western Express, at 8:10 p. m. daily, with Sleeping Cars Washington to Chicago and St. Louis, and Harrisburg to Cleveland, connecting at Harrisburg with through Sleepers for Louisville and Memphis. Fast Express, 10:00 p. m. daily, for Pittsburg and the West, with through Sleeper Harrisburg to Chicago. BALTIMORE AND POTOMAC RAILROAD. For Erie, Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara 10:00 p. m. daily, except Saturday, with Palace Cars Washington to Rochester. For Williamsport, Lock Haven and Elmira, at 9:50 a. m. daily, except Sunday. For New York and the East, 7:25, 9:00, 11:00 and 11:40 a. m., 2:00, 4:10, 10:00 and 11:20 p. m. On Sunday 9:00 and 11:40 a. m., 2:00, 4:10, 10:00 and 11:20 p. m. Limited Express of Pullman Parlor Cars, 9:40 a. m., daily, except Sunday, and 4:00 p. m. daily, with Pennsylvania Railroad Dining Cars. For Boston without change, 2:00 p. m. every day. For Brooklyn, N. Y., all through trains connect at Jersey City with boats of Brooklyn Annex, affording direct transfer to Fulton street, avoiding double ferries across New York City. For Philadelphia, 7:25, 9:00, 11:00 and 11:40 a. m., 2:00, 4:10, 6:00, 10:00 and 11:20 p. m. On Sunday 9:00 and 11:40 a. m., 2:00, 4:10, 6:00, 10:00 and 11:20 p. m. Limited Express, 9:40 a. m. week days, and 4:00 p. m. daily, with Pennsylvania Railroad Dining Cars. For Baltimore 6:35, 7:25, 9:00, 9:40, 9:50, 11:10 and 11:40 a. m., 12:05, 2:00, 4:00, 4:10, 4:20, 4:40, 6:00, 8:10, 10:00 and 11:20 p. m. On Sunday, 9:00, 9:45, 9:50 and 11:40 a. m., 2:00, 4:00, 4:10, 6:00, 8:10, 10:00 and 11:20 p. m. For Pope's Creek Line, 7:25 a. m., and 4:40 p. m., daily, except Sunday. For Annapolis 7:25 a. m., and 12:05, 4:20 and 6:00 p. m., daily except Sundays. On Sunday at 9:00 a. m. and 4:10 p. m. ALEXANDRIA AND FREDERICKSBURG RAILROAD AND ALEXANDRIA AND WASHINGTON RAILROAD. For Alexandria, 6:00, 6:45, 8:40, 9:47, and 12:05 p. m., 12:04 noon, 2:05, 4:25, 4:35, 6:01, 8:05, 10:05 and 11:37 p. m. On Sunday at 6:00, 8:40, 9:47 and 10:57 a. m., and 2:30, 6:01, 8:05 and 10:05 p. m. For Richmond and the South, 6:00 and 10:57 a. m., daily, and 4:35 p. m., daily, except Sunday. Trains leave Alexandria for Washington, 6:05, 8:00, 9:40, 11:00, 11:40 and 11:50 p. m., 2:00, 3:23, 5:10, 7:05, 9:32 and 10:42 p. m., and 12:15 midnight, except Monday. On Sunday at 8:00, 9:10 and 11:07 a. m.; 2:00, 5:10, 7:05, 9:32 and 10:42 p. m. and 12:15 night. Tickets and information at the office, Northeast corner of 13th street and Penna. Avenue, and at the station, where orders can be left for the checking of baggage to destination from hotels and residences. J. R. WOOD, G. P. A. CHAS. E. PUGH, G. M.

DRUGS, CHEMICALS, &c. EDWARD LEADBEATER, THOMAS LEADBEATER, E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. Nos. 5 and 7 S. Fairfax st. Established 1792. DEALERS IN PURE DRUGS and MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, PROPRIETARY MEDICINES, GARDEN SEEDS, SPICES, AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS, FINE TOILET GOODS, &c. Proprietors of Anodyne Pectoral, Lubricating Liniment, Essence Jamaica Ginger and Cough Syrup, and Agents for Ayer's Medicines, Ready-mixed and Tinted Gums, &c. Every effort will be made to maintain the high reputation of our old establishment. my3

A. A. WARFIELD, (Successor to Janney & Co.) DEALER 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. NEW BUILDING, No. 162 King street. sep1

SAMUEL H. LUNT, DRUGGIST, CORNER KING AND FAIRFAX STREETS, Dealer in DRUGS, CHEMICALS, FANCY and TOILET ARTICLES, PERFUMERY, BRUSHES, &c., &c. Physicians' prescriptions carefully prepared at all hours, day and night. ap4 W. F. CRIGHTON & CO., Wholesale and Retail Dealer in DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, PATENT MEDICINES, OILS, DYE STUFFS, GARDEN SEEDS, &c., &c. Corner King and Royal streets, ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA. Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compounded. Orders will receive prompt attention. mh24-tf JOHN D. H. LUNT, (Successor to Lunt & Davidson.) DEALER IN DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES AND TOILET ARTICLES. N. E. corner King and Washington streets, ALEXANDRIA, VA. Physicians' Prescriptions a specialty. [Jan10

L. STABLER & CO., (Successors to R. H. Stabler) DRUGGISTS AND CHEMISTS, N. W. Corner King and Washington Streets 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. jan28-tf WARFIELD & HALL, DRUGGISTS, Corner Prince and Fairfax street. Prescriptions a specialty. English, French, German and Domestic Toilet Soaps; Genuine Farina Cologne; Magnolia, Hedyotis, 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. dec1

L. STABLER & CO., Manufacturers and Bottlers of SODA AND MINERAL WATERS, GINGER ALE and Sarsaparilla. We have just put in operation apparatus of the newest pattern for the production and bottling of carbonated drinks which we are now manufacturing of the very best quality, and which can be had at any of the saloons or grocery stores in the city. We solicit a trial. We supply only the trade. L. STABLER & CO., N. W. cor. King and Washington sts., mh24 Alexandria, Va.

ICE! ICE! ICE! A full supply of NORTHERN ICE, of superior quality, constantly on hand and for sale wholesale and retail on the most favorable terms. Orders left with our drivers, at our office, or by telephone will receive prompt attention. Our facilities for delivery by the car load are unsurpassed in any city. Packing for country delivery a specialty. F. A. REED & CO., Janney's Wharf. je8

MINERAL WATERS and GINGER ALE—We will from this date supply the family trade with STABLER'S MINERAL WATERS. Leave your orders at our store. ap11 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

STEAMERS. DAILY LINE TO NORFOLK AND FORT MONROE. STEAMERS "GEORGE LEAHY" AND "EXCELSIOR." On and after Monday, July 14, 1887, the "LEAHY" will leave Prince street wharf on TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS at 6:00 p. m., and the "EXCELSIOR" on MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS and FRIDAYS from the same wharf at the same hour. Returning, LEAVE NORFOLK EVERY DAY, except Mondays, at 4 p. m. Exclusive connection with Boston and Providence steamers. Connect also with Old Dominion steamers for New York, steamers Ariel and Old Point at Fortress Monroe for Richmond and landings on James river, and with all other rail and steamboat lines at Norfolk and Fort Monroe. For other information apply to F. A. REED & CO., may13-4t Agt. Prince Street Wharf.

INLAND AND SEABOARD COASTING COMPANY. GREATLY REDUCED RATES. DIRECT (NO STOPS.) The steamer LADY OF THE LAKE will leave her wharf EVERY MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY at 6 o'clock p. m. Fare, first-class, \$1.50; round trip, \$2.50. FOR RIVER LANDINGS. The steamer JOHN W. THOMPSON will leave her wharf EVERY MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at 8 a. m., for all river landings as far down as Kinross, Monday's Point and Lodge Landing, in Yeoconico river; returning Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings. Fare, first-class, 50c; second-class, 25c. FOR NEW YORK. STEAMERS E. C. KNIGHT AND JOHN GIBSON EVERY FRIDAY MORNING, and returning leave New York, from pier 41, East river, every SATURDAY. The steamers of this company make connections at Norfolk for all points East; at New York with all points West and Northwest; and at Alexandria with Virginia Midland Railway and Washington and Ohio Railroad. Through rates given and freight handled carefully and promptly. For further information apply to F. A. REED & CO., Agent, Janney's wharf 1416 F street, Washington, D. C. sep27-tf

Clyde's Steam Line Weekly to PHILADELPHIA. Appointed sailing days from Alexandria EVERY TUESDAY and from Philadelphia EVERY SATURDAY. This line connects at Alexandria with the Virginia Midland and Washington and Ohio railroads, and at Philadelphia with Clyde's regular Steamships. Freight forwarded with promptness and care, free of commission. No charge for transfer in Philadelphia. Quick time. Frequent departures. Through rates and through bills of lading given. Insurance at the lowest rates. Agents F. A. REED & CO., Alexandria, Va. WM. F. CLYDE & CO., Philadelphia. JOHNSON & CO., Wash. & Georgetown. jan5-tf

COMMISSION MERCHANTS. J. C. MILBURN, GROCER, TEA DEALER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT. No. 17 North Royal street, near Market space. Orders and consignments solicited; they will receive careful and prompt attention. an19 CHARLES KING & SON, Wholesale Grocers, 67 CAMERON STREET ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA. PHILIP B. HOOE, No. 2 Prince street, GENERAL SHIPPING AND COMMISSION MERCHANT. Agent for steamers to Norfolk, connecting with line to Boston, Providence and the East. dec15 W. A. SMOOT & CO., COAL, SALT, PLASTER, ALEXANDRIA, VA. Office—Smoot's Wharf. ap4 Special attention paid to forwarding. W. A. JOHNSON & CO., WHOLESALE GROCERS, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, AND DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS. Have on hand GIBSON'S XX, XXX, XXXX, PURE OLD RYE OLD CABINET and MONOGRAM WHISKIES; also BAKER'S and THOMPSON'S PURE RYE WHISKIES, to which they invite the attention of the trade. Orders from the country for merchandise shall receive prompt attention. Consignments of Flour, Grain and Country Produce solicited, for which they guarantee the highest market prices and prompt returns. Northeast corner of Cameron and Royal streets sep14 Alexandria, Va. HARLOW BROS., WHOLESALE GROCERS, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS. FLOUR GRAIN AND COUNTRY PRODUCE PROMPT RETURNS AND LIBERAL ADVANCES ON GOODS IN STORE. AGENCY OF LARLY & BANDA SPORTING, BLASTING AND MINING POWDER Also COTTON AND WATER-PROOF FUSE. N. W. cor. Cameron and Royal sts. mh10

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