

Alexandria Gazette

SATURDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 10, 1887.

LOCAL NEWS

Subscribers who fail to receive the GAZETTE regularly will please report such failures to this office promptly.

For this district colder, fair weather, preceded by light rain, light to fresh northerly winds becoming northeasterly.

CHURCH SERVICES, &c. To-morrow.—Christ Church.—Services at 11 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. by Rev. H. Suter.

St. Paul's Church.—Services at 11 a. m. and 4 p. m. by Rev. Dr. Norton.

Grace Church.—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. Mr. Sharp.

St. Mary's Church.—Mass at 7 and 11 a. m. and sermon by Rev. Father Quinn and Vespers at 4 p. m.

First Presbyterian Church.—Service at 11 a. m. by Rev. J. M. Nourse.

Second Presbyterian Church.—Service at 11 a. m. by Rev. M. B. Laublin. No service at night.

Baptist Church.—No service.

Trinity Meth. Epis. Church.—Quarterly meeting services. Love feast at 9 o'clock. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. S. A. Ball, P. E., and services at 7:30 p. m.

Meth. Epis. Church South.—Service at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. L. Southam.

Meth. Prot. Church.—Services at 11 a. m. by Rev. J. Perch.

German Lutheran Church.—No service.

Young Men's Christian Association.—Prayer meeting at the rooms at 4:30 p. m. Alms House at 2:30 p. m. and jail at 2 p. m.

ARRESTED.—It was stated in yesterday's GAZETTE that a young man named J. E. Walker was charged with robbing Mrs. Arthur Gregory, of this city, of some money and a watch, and that he had gone to Washington the police of that city had been notified to arrest him.

NEW RECTORY.—Several weeks ago it was mentioned in the GAZETTE that Grace church had secured a rectory on Patrick street. This happy result is largely due to the efforts of the ladies who compose the Rectory Society of that congregation.

THE EXCELSIOR.—The steamer Excelsior made her last trip for the season to Norfolk last night. She will return to-morrow morning and in a short time will proceed to Wilmington, Del., where she will have some alterations made in her upper works.

SCHOONER RELIEVED.—The United States revenue steamer Ewing, Captain Lay, at Washington, D. C., reports that on the 31st inst. he found the schooner Carpenter, of Alexandria, ashore on Point Lookout. The Ewing hauled her off, but carried away the schooner's mainmast in the effort.

THE DOLPHIN.—The new U. S. dispatch steamer Dolphin arrived here late yesterday and anchored off the lower end of the city till this morning, when she proceeded to the Washington navy yard.

PERSONAL.—Miss Markell and her sister, Miss Lula Markell, of Warrenton, are visiting in the city.

Mrs. B. D. Chalkley, of Richmond, is visiting the family of Mr. B. F. Price on Columbia street.

Misses Alice and Sadie Humphrey, of Washington, are visiting relatives in this city.

Miss Gertrude Stanbury, a charming and popular young lady of West King street, who has been smothering in London, has returned much improved in health.

Mrs. O. W. Skidmore, formerly of this city, but now of Friendship, N. Y., after a lapse of ten years is visiting her sister, Mrs. Francis M. Keyes, on Green street.

Gen. G. W. C. Lee has sufficiently recovered from his recent illness to be about again and to-day went to Baltimore. He expects to return to Lexington next week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mason celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their marriage at their home at Woodland Mansion in Fairfax county, a few days since. Mr. and Mrs. Mason still enjoy excellent health.

Mrs. W. M. Reardon, whose severe illness has been mentioned, was considered better to-day.

Miss Mary and Miss Hannah Lund, who have been visiting friends in Fauquier and Loudoun, have returned to the city.

Mrs. Benjamin Barton has returned from Raleigh, N. C., where she went two weeks ago to attend her son-in-law, Mr. Betts, who has been extremely ill.

VIRGINIA TROOPS TO GO NORTH.—The State Military Board met at the Capitol in Richmond yesterday. It was decided to order four Virginia companies (of fifty men each) to Philadelphia next week, on the occasion of the celebration of the centennial anniversary of the promulgation of the Constitution, as an escort to Governor Lee.

As Virginia men were among the most prominent promoters of the adoption of the Constitution, the board thought the State should have some representation on such a notable occasion, hence its action. Among the companies ordered to go to Philadelphia is the Alexandria Light Infantry, and Capt. Muehbach to-day notified the members of his company of the order. It is necessary that fifty men shall go and the State pays all expenses, beside which the city of Philadelphia allows fifty cents a day to each soldier in attendance. What other commands will go have not been determined, but it is probable that one company from Winchester, Portsmouth, and Richmond will be sent, under command of Major Nash, of the Fourth Virginia regiment. The A. L. I. will probably leave here on Wednesday next and return on the following Friday.

HABEAS CORPUS.—Wm. Marshall, colored, who was a few days since fined \$20 for an assault on Lee Wright, on the night of the 27th ult., and who, in default of payment of the fine, was sent to jail to work on the chain gang, yesterday, by his attorney, Mr. E. Burke, sued out a writ of habeas corpus, returnable before Judge Meade at 11 o'clock this morning. Judge Meade being indisposed the case this morning came up before Judge Chichester, who, after hearing argument by Mr. Burke for the prisoner and Mr. S. G. Brent for the city, discharged Marshall from custody on the ground that he had been arrested for a felony, and upon an examination of the evidence the Mayor, being satisfied that no felony had been committed, had fined Marshall \$20 for an assault under the city law. The trial having been without a warrant the Judge decided it was the right and duty of a warrant was at once retorted upon by Marshall's arrest and he will be tried under the city law.

CHARGED WITH BIGAMY.—Last night a woman named Mary Love, who said she came from Prince William county, went to the station house and procured a warrant for the arrest of her husband, Phineas Love, on the charge of bigamy. Love was arrested when he reached this city from Washington and was taken to the station house. This morning at the trial it was ascertained

that Love had been living for some time with a woman named Dela Raney, a short distance from this city, but there was no evidence that he had been married a second time, so the warrant was withdrawn. He stated that he would not live with his wife, as she had neglected him when he was sick, but agreed to support her and his children. On this promise he was discharged from custody.

POLICE REPORT.—Last night was clear until about 12 o'clock, when it became cloudy. There were three prisoners at the station house.

The Mayor this morning disposed of the following cases:

Phineas Love, arrested by officer Simpson, charged with bigamy was discharged on the promise that he would provide for his wife and children.

Ed. Guriz, colored, arrested by officer Taylor, charged with stealing a sewing machine, was discharged and Wm. Williams, arrested on the same charge, was sent to jail for 60 days.

Jan. E. Walker, charged with stealing a watch, had his case continued.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.—The report of the attempted suicide of Mr. Lewis Powell, of Leesburg, on last Wednesday, turns out to have been correct, Mr. P. having on that day succeeded in eluding the vigilance of his family, and with a razor which he had concealed, cut his throat, fortunately failing to sever any of the main arteries. Mr. Powell had been suffering from mental aberration for some time, and fearing that he might attempt self-destruction, a watch had been kept upon his actions, but going to his bedroom on the morning stated, he made the attempt before his absence was observed. His wounds were promptly attended to, and his recovery is only a question of a short time.

NEW RECTORY.—Several weeks ago it was mentioned in the GAZETTE that Grace church had secured a rectory on Patrick street. This happy result is largely due to the efforts of the ladies who compose the Rectory Society of that congregation. They have labored quietly and assiduously, and now they rejoice to see the fruit of their labors in the shape of a comfortable home for their minister in one of the most desirable parts of the city.

THE EXCELSIOR.—The steamer Excelsior made her last trip for the season to Norfolk last night. She will return to-morrow morning and in a short time will proceed to Wilmington, Del., where she will have some alterations made in her upper works. Capt. J. B. Davis, her present commander, will, on Monday, assume charge of the steamer George Leary, which will make the trips to Norfolk each week, leaving here on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays.

SCHOONER RELIEVED.—The United States revenue steamer Ewing, Captain Lay, at Washington, D. C., reports that on the 31st inst. he found the schooner Carpenter, of Alexandria, ashore on Point Lookout. The Ewing hauled her off, but carried away the schooner's mainmast in the effort. The Carpenter was commanded by Capt. C. W. Hall, and was loaded with ashes from Baltimore for Dr. Horace A. Brooks, to be delivered near Kinsale, Va.

THE DOLPHIN.—The new U. S. dispatch steamer Dolphin arrived here late yesterday and anchored off the lower end of the city till this morning, when she proceeded to the Washington navy yard. Her appearance in the river attracted much attention. She is a long steamer, painted white, and is one of the handsomest vessels ever seen here.

WEDDING.—A pleasant party met at the house of Mrs. Cook, near Chantilly, in Fairfax county, on the 7th inst., to witness the marriage of her daughter, Miss Susie Cook, to Mr. R. W. Ross. Everthing passed off pleasantly, and after a sumptuous repast congratulations were tendered and the happy couple left on a Northern tour.

SCHOOL PERMITS.—The clerk of the City School Board will be at his office in Peabody building on Monday morning next, and will resume the issuing of permits to children to attend the public schools. During the remainder of the session permits will be issued every Monday morning between the hours of 9 and 10 o'clock.

THE LOUDOUN FAIR.—The Loudoun Agricultural Exhibition will commence at Leesburg on Tuesday next, as will be seen by a notice elsewhere. There will be a fine exhibition of cattle and other stock, and some good racing is promised, as several fat horses have been entered.

THE OPERA HOUSE.—Another large crowd assembled at the Opera House last night to witness Bell's Royal Marionettes, every seat being taken before the performance commenced. A gold watch, a tea set, a chamber set and a large number of other presents were distributed. The engagement will close to-night.

Organic weakness or loss of power in either sex, however induced, speedily and permanently cured. Enclose 10 cents in stamps for book of particulars. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

LOUDOUN COUNTY FAIR

LEESBURG, VA. SEPTEMBER 13, 14 & 15, 1887, WITH TROT- TING, LUNNING AND HURDLE RACES.

Trains leave Alexandria on 14th and 15th at 8:50 and 9:17 a. m. Returning leave Leesburg at 2:10 and 5:30 p. m.

ROUND-TRIP TICKETS \$1.50. Regular trains Tuesday. Tickets good from the 12th to 16.

FOR RENT—A THREE STORY BRICK HOUSE, No. 430 S. Lee street; also SEVERAL LOTS for sale. sep10 1w JOHN T. HILL, 418 S. Lee st.

ONE POUND BLOCKS COD FISH, Fancy stock. sep9 GEORGE McBURNEY & SON.

NOTICE—All persons indebted to GREEN & BROS. are hereby notified to settle without further delay. After a reasonable time the bills will be put in suit. sep1w GEO. A. MUSHRACH, Assignee.

NEW MACKEREL, FANCY NOS. 1 AND 2 MACKEREL just received; white and fat. sep5 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

JUST RECEIVED—Another lot of TAYLOR'S IMPROVED PATENT BUSTLES, self-feeding, and for comfort and durability cannot be surpassed. Latest style. sep5 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER.

PINE PRESERVES—Cross & Blackwell's P. served Damsons, Plums, Currants, strawberries, Peaches, Apricots and Cherries just received by sep1 J. C. MILBURN.

IRON KNIVES and HOOKS, best quality, just received at 328 King street, corner of Royal; wholesale and retail. sep5 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

ENAMELED KETTLES of all sizes, Apple and Peach Patens, Enterprise and other Metal Cutters for sale cheap at 328 King, corner of Royal st. sep5 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

THE COMBINATION CRAVAT can be found at AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S. sep5

EDUCATIONAL. MEDICAL COLLEGE OF VIRGINIA, RICHMOND.

FIFTIETH SESSION COMMENCES OCTOBER 31, 1887, CONTINUES SIX MONTHS. For further information write for Catalogue.

J. S. DORSEY CULLEN, Professor of Surgery, Dean of Faculty.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The September term of the Corporation Court, Judge N. B. Meade, will begin on Monday next.

Some of the farmers in this neighborhood commenced cutting corn this week. The fodder has been very much dried and injured by the prolonged dry weather.

Catlets, Fauquier county, has been selected as the place for holding the next session of the District Conference of the M. E. Church South, with which the church of this city is connected.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to Samuel C. Dundas, of this city, and Hattie Hampton, of Fairfax county, and to Luther Lovelace and Eliza Shipman, both of Lewisville.

The libel of F. A. Reed & Co., of this city, against the steamer Henry E. Bishop for the amount of an ice bill has been dismissed by the complainant in Washington, the matter having been satisfactorily settled.

Mr. I. Rammel is daily receiving fine Norfolk oysters which he serves at his restaurant in every style and in the best manner. To-night he will commence steaming oysters and will be prepared to serve the public generally.

Marshall K. Boyston, a well known citizen of Fauquier county, died at his home at New Baltimore yesterday, aged 73 years.

Twelve barrels of fine Norfolk oysters were received at the Exchange and Ballard restaurant to-day.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.—The Fredericksburg Star gives the following account of the attempted suicide in that place on Thursday, mention of which has been made in the GAZETTE.

"A rather prepossessing young woman, passing pretty, and neatly attired, and appearing to be about twenty-seven years old, was taken from the 8:44 north bound train here Thursday night, in an inebriated condition. It is supposed that she had taken laudanum to terminate her existence. In response to a telegram dated Milford, from conductor Stratton, Dr. A. C. Doggett was at the depot when the train arrived and had his patient carried to the Exchange Hotel, where he succeeded in reviving her after several hours of unremitting medical attention. She left yesterday on the 9:27 a. m. north-bound train. Judging from her general appearance and her trunk, she is highly connected. She refused to give her name, but stated that she had a child in Baltimore. On a book she had in her possession the name of Alice Thomas was written. It is pretty certain that she intended to commit suicide, but whether she recanted after taking a small quantity of the poisonous drug, or thought she had taken enough to kill her, is merely conjecture. She did not express a willingness to either die or live before she left."

DRY GOODS.

BLANKETS, SHAWLS, SILKS, VELVETS and BEAUTIFUL DRESS GOODS. NEW FALL and WINTER GOODS received every day.

CARTER'S,

No. 711 Market Space, near 7th st., Washington. Blankets, slightly soiled, \$2 \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$2.87; Tricot Cloth Dresses, all pure wool, wide double width, cash value 50c, reduced to 37 1/2c; Black and Colored Silk Velvets, \$1; Heavy Bed Comforts, 75c; Table Damask, pure Linen, excellent quality, extra-wide double width, 50c; Black Silks, 75c, 87c, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50; Colored Silks, 60c, 62 1/2c, 87c and \$1; Strath Silks, 75c; special bargains in Black Cashmeres; Pure Wool Cashmere Shawls, \$1.25; Royal Serge, beautiful Dress Goods, wide double fold, in Black, Blue, Brown, Green and Garnet, 12 yards for \$2. New Dress Goods received every day.

Each customer who buys \$5 worth or over will receive a pair of handsome Damask Towels, worth \$1. Each customer who buys \$10 worth or over will receive a handsome Bridal Quilt, worth \$1.50. All cash. No credit. sep10

AMUSEMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE FOUR NIGHTS and SATURDAY MATINEE, COMMENCING WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 7.

Bell's Original Royal Marionettes.

From the Crystal Palace, London, giving MINIBELS and HUMPTY DUMPTY. Together with ELLIS & BURKE'S GRAND GIFT CARNIVAL.

100 ELEGANT PRESENTS GIVEN AWAY AT EACH SHOW. Admission 15, 25 and 35c. Seats can be secured at Summers & Allen's drug store without extra charge. sep3 7t

WANTS.

WANTED—A GOOD COOK, WASHER and WIRONER to go to Washington. Apply at this office. sep3 1w

WM. MURRAY, MERCHANT TAILOR,

No. 513 KING STREET. Informs his customers that he has received a supply of FALL and WINTER GOODS. And is now prepared to FURNISH SUITS IN ALL THE LATEST STYLES and on REASONABLE TERMS. sep9 1m

CARPETS CLEANED. ROBERT DARNELL. Solicits the patronage of those having SOILED CARPETS, RUGS, &c., to be cleaned. His process restores the original color and makes the old look new. 117 West street, or P. O. Box 210. Specimens on exhibition. Referencers give. sep5 2w

SEED WHEAT. We have on hand a SUPERIOR LOT OF FULTZ WHEAT, put aside especially for seed. sep2 1m J. T. & J. G. BECKHAM.

FALL TRADE, 1887. J. C. MILBURN OFFERS a full line of FANCY and STAPLE GROCERIES at low prices. J. C. MILBURN, sep9 New No. 113 N. Royal st.

DAVIS'S DIAMOND HAMS. Finest in the World. sep9 GEORGE McBURNEY & SON.

IF YOU CANNOT SEE and cannot find any SPECTACLES to suit you, go to HENRY WILDT'S and have your eyes tested, and you will have no more trouble. nov20

FLOWER POTS—Just received a lot of Flower Pots, assorted sizes, neat and durable, with or without saucers, at sep5 E. J. MILLER, SON & CO'S.

CATORINE! CATORINE!—Bann's ever ready Catorine, a perfect oil for Buggies, Wagons, Carts, &c. Never Gums; Never Chills. For sale by [sep9] W. P. CREIGHTON & CO.

COFFEES—We do not sell package Coffees; sell only pure Coffees, freshly roasted and ground at our store. sep2 J. C. MILBURN.

DRY GOODS.

NEW FALL GOODS.

We are ready to meet the demands for early fall goods with a stock to the selection of which was given a great deal of patient care and attention. Our buyer devoted very much time to the examination of the best and largest assortment in the market before making choice, and the result is we have numerous very attractive lines of goods that are needful for the commencement of the season.

THE DRESS GOODS

received a great amount of thoughtful care, and from the 'midst of plenty' have been culled some of the most choice gems, and in

RUGS AND CARPETS

the like has never been seen. Beautiful designs, and colors the richest.

We want you to particularly notice this department, not only on account of its sightliness and worth, but also on account of the low prices asked.

MERCHANT TAILORING.

About this department there needs to be very little said; its speaks for itself. We have an elegant line of SUITS and SUITINGS, and in Casimeres at \$1, \$1 25, \$1 50 and \$2 the stock just purchased is superior in quantity, quality and style to any we have heretofore offered.

We occupy the same store, but our numbers have been changed from 107 and 109 to 431 and 433 King street.

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J. E. TACKETT,

NOS. 431 AND 433 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

EDUCATIONAL.

PIANO LESSONS. Miss CLARA HARRISON, Pupil of Wm. Mason, New York. Address drawer 18, Alexandria, Virginia. sep7 1m

M. T. VERNON INSTITUTE, 224 south Washington street. School duties resumed Thursday, Sept. 15. For particulars apply to the Principal. sep8 2w Miss M. A. ROACH.

MISS MARY JOHNSON will open her SCHOOL FOR BOYS on September 20th, at her residence, 204 Prince street. ang12 1m

ARLINGTON INSTITUTE, BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR GIRLS. 228 south Washington street. The next session will begin on Tuesday, Sept. 20th. The Music Department— vocal and instrumental—will be in charge of Mrs. M. C. Wailes, of the New England Conservatory of Music. Mme. Ballhache Ehrmann, a native of France, and an accomplished and experienced teacher, will take charge of the French classes. Circulars, stating terms, &c., can be obtained at French's bookstore or at the Institute. REBECCA C. POWELL, Principal. ang19 1oct1

EPISCOPAL FEMALE INSTITUTE, WINCHESTER, VA. The 14th annual session will open September 14th, 1887. In location, buildings, equipment, course of study, teachers and general advantages, equal to the very best schools in Virginia, yet terms moderate. Send for Catalogue. A. MAGILL SMITH, M.A. (Univ. Va.), Principal. jyl6 eo2m

WARRENTON SEMINARY, A SELECT BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES and CHILDREN. ESTABLISHED 1870. Board, etc., tuition in English, French and Latin, \$300. Special rates in special cases on application. Extras at reasonable charges. For particulars and Circulars address Address Miss M. V. LOMAX, Box 157, Warrenton, Va. sep1 1oct15

NOTICE. Miss TEBBS' SCHOOL, 123 Queen street. Fifteenth session begins Sept. 15, 1887. sep2w

Alexandria Female Institute, No. 16 south Fairfax street. The next annual session of this Institute will commence Tuesday, Sept. 20th, 1887. Instruction thorough in all branches. For terms apply to sep20 1m Misses GREENE, Principals.

Episcopal High School of Virginia L. M. BLACKFORD, M.A., Principal. LLEWELLYN HOXTON, Associate Principal. Address With able Assistants. This School for Boys, three miles from town, begins its 49th year September 28, 1887. For Catalogue, with particulars, address the Principal, Alexandria, Va. jyl5 2awct1

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Mount Vernon Avenue. All persons who feel interested in the scheme to lay out and construct and maintain a drive from Washington city to Mount Vernon are requested to meet at the office of the undersigned, No. 102 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., at 3 o'clock p. m. on THURSDAY, Sept. 15th, 1887. ALEXANDRIA REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT, TRUST & TITLE CO. sep2 1d

TRANSFER OF BUSINESS. The undersigned having this day transferred the real estate business heretofore conducted by him to the Alexandria Real Estate Investment, Trust and Title Company, desires to thank his friends for their liberal patronage, and solicits a continuance of the same for his successors. In the future I will be associated with the above named company as auctioneer and sales agent. sep5 2w R. T. LUCAS.

BAUM'S NEW JERSEY JOY KILLS MOSQUITOES. Don't take any word for it—try it. Price 25 cts. For sale by ang16 J. D. H. LUNT.

AGRICULTURAL LIME. We have on hand TEN THOUSAND BUSHELS OF SHELL LIME, which we will sell in lots to suit purchasers. Apply at our office, No. 119 King street. sep2 1m J. T. & J. G. BECKHAM.

GUNS, PISTOLS, SHELLS, PRIMERS, &c., of all kinds at 328 King street, wholesale and retail. sep8 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.