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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
HARDWARE AND CUTLERY.
NO. 88 KING, CORNER OF ROYAL STREET
Have on hand a very large and well assorted stock of goods in their line.
Country merchants are invited to call and examine before purchasing.
Satisfaction guaranteed. Call and see. [ap12

JAMES F. CARLIN & SONS,
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ALEXANDRIA VIRGINIA
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The Largest and Best Selected Stock in the State of FURNITURE, CARPETS,
RUGS, OIL CLOTHS, CLOCKS,
CHINA WARE, &c., &c.
A full line of
HOUSE-FURNISHING GOODS
At the Lowest Prices.
The public are invited to call and examine our stock and prices. We will guarantee to save you money. M. RUBEN & SONS,
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We have on hand an assortment of
New and Second-hand Carriages, Buggies and Spring Wagons,
WHICH WE OFFER AT BOTTOM PRICES.
Come and see before purchasing elsewhere.
REPAIRING done promptly and at lowest rates.
SUMMERS & BRO.,
oct18 tf PITT STREET.

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nov5 6m

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The above are the finest brands of Flour made
ap20 GEO. McBURNEY.

HOME-MADE CASSIMERES—A large assortment at prices to suit the times. An examination of them solicited by
oct8 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER.

CORN KNIVES and HOOKS, best quality, just received at 328 King street, corner of Royal; wholesale and retail.
sep8 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

GLOVES! GLOVES!—A new assortment of the best Kid and Dogskin, embroidered back, lined and unlined, received this day at
dec13 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

NATURAL COLOR LAMBS' WOOL SHIRTS and DRAWERS, soft as silk, and said not to shrink in washing. Call and see them at
oct7 AMOS. B. SLAYMAKER'S.

TRICYCLE, for girl or boy, steel wheels; manufacturer's price, $15; offered at $7.50; new and in good order at
dec12 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

SQUARE, OCTAGON and FLAT CAST STEEL will be sold at 88 King street, corner of Royal, at a greatly reduced price Quality warranted. [oct28] J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

CHOPPING AXES and AXE HANDLES, on hand and for sale at a small advance at 328 King, corner of Royal, by
dec2 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

SMALL HAMS, Missouri brand, 7 to 10 pounds each. For sale by
aug5 J. C. MILBURN.

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sp11 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

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Gambling Dens of Mexico.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria GAZETTE.]

The gambler, like the night-hawk, usually seeks his prey after dark, and the allurements used by the former are as numerous as the emotions of the mind and as varied as the desires of the human heart. If the good and pure in heart desire to look upon rich landscape paintings, many of which may recall the scenes of other days on the farm, with the customs of his own country, he will find them here. If he desires to hear the familiar airs of Scott's Wo-ha, The Bells of Shannon, or Hail Columbia, all rendered by able musicians on wind and stringed instruments, or listen to the lullaby songs his mother sang, he will hear them here. If he desires to look upon and breathe the perfume of the most beautiful flowers of the tropics, he can look upon and inhale their sweets here to his heart's content. If he would like to enter an ideal grotto as near as rustic art can make it, where he will find goldfish and frogs in sparkling fountains, rustic walks and ceiling draped in long gray moss, from among which the dew-drops and violets peep out in all their natural beauty, and where breezes always blow, even when the wind without is still, where the birds sing at night and roses bloom in winter, he may enter and find them all here. Or if he is a stranger, far from the land of his own language, and unable to speak to those around him, he will find to his great joy that his own mother tongue is spoken here, and the words of which will now seem sweeter than all the music. In short, such are a few allurements that appeal to the nobler sentiments of the soul, and by them many who are pure at heart are first drawn from the rule of right, and begin their downward course in these gilded halls of night. All this is but the bright mantle which hides an enemy worse than the seven-headed hydra, and to be influenced thereby is to follow bright shadows and be led into dark despair, or to be lured on by a bright show without regard to results, which follow after taking the second step in which we behold men and women of every class seated around the card and roulette tables. They have a serious cast of countenance and rarely speak while the game goes on and the money flows into the coffers of the keeper of the place. At every turn of the wheel or deal from the deck one half are made to rejoice at their gains though received at the cost of others; all the while the novice by turns listens to the the music, looks at the fine paintings and watches the game. He observes that it is an orderly place, there are no pistols by the money piles and no danger that he can see of being robbed, so he concludes that a gambling place is not so bad after all; and as all has been made so pleasant for him, he feels duty bound to take a hand in some game, so he is seated at the table conscious he is taking a wrong step. Good and evil emotions are at war for the mastery of the boy, but all is banished by the first turn of the wheel or deal from the deck which turns to his gain, and the stakes are pushed over to his side of the table. Now excited with joy and bouyed up by hope, he loses discretion, forgets the warnings of conscience, his mother's parting advice, and never thinks of what the result will be if he loses when he risks his month's, year's, or, perhaps, his life's savings. He only thinks of a fortune to be made without work and how he may break the monte bank. The end will justify any means, as all their gains are ill gotten. But the deluded youth never thinks that it is far easier to break his own bank than theirs, and that his gains are only the bait that is thrown out to catch the salmon. But it's make or break with him, and he puts all down and breaks. He beholds his all swept to the other side of the table and hears it rattle into the big drawer where supplications, cries, threats, curses, or the laws of the land can never reach or bring it back. Half crazed, he rises from the table, lashed by remorse, with self put questions asking, why was he deluded; why he had not quit when he gained; why did he not obey the warnings of conscience, the advice of friends, and the promise to his mother, and the sad thought now comes, what will he do now—financial credit ruined, moral strength broken, prospects blighted, his proud spirit humbled and hope gone. Thus, stung with remorse, he staggers out of the room, while the game goes on in the same quiet, orderly way as when he entered.

Thus by day, in brilliant and what are called holy places,

We find this awful curse,
Which dethrones the mind
And feeds on the purse.

Yet 'tis a monster of such horrid mien,
To be hated needs but to be seen.
But if seen too frequent in this,
Its brilliant lurking place,
Too oft we learn to countenance,
And then embrace. RAMBLER.

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MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP, for children teething, is the prescription of one of the best female nurses and physicians in the United States, and has been used for forty years with never-failing success by millions of mothers for their children. During the process of teething its value is incalculable. It relieves the child from pain, cures dysentery and diarrhœa, griping in the bowels, and wind-colic. By giving health to the child it rests the mother. Price 25 cents a bottle. my5-1yrM,W&S

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MEDICINAL.

DR. HENLEY'S EXTRACT OF CELERY

BEEF & IRON.
A Most Effective Combination.
This well known Tonic and Nervine is gaining great reputation as a cure for Debility, Dyspepsia, and NERVOUS disorders. It relieves all languid and debilitated conditions of the system; strengthens the intellect, and bodily functions; builds up worn out Nerves; aids digestion; restores impaired or lost Vitality, and brings back youthful strength and vigor. It is pleasant to the taste, and used regularly braces the System against the depressing influence of Malaria.
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FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

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HORSES BOARDED BY THE DAY, WEEK OR MONTH AT LOWEST RATES.
Telephone call NO. 74.
dec22 FRANK TAYLOE, Manager.

NEW MUSIC STORE.
I have opened at
NO. 414 KING STREET
(Between Pitt and Royal)
A MUSIC STORE, WHERE YOU WILL FIND A COMPLETE STOCK OF
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS AND NOVELTIES,
AND SHEET MUSIC AND BOOKS.
Music teachers should leave their cards at my store, so they can have the benefit of the usual discount to the profession.
I am also agent for the celebrated
MONARCH ORGANS
AND
HEINEKAMP PIANOS,
which I will sell at reasonable prices.
Call and see my stock.
Catalogue mailed to any address.
S. A. MANKIN,
dec23 2m No. 414 King st., Alexandria, Va.

DR. HORTON'S MIASMA ANTIDOTE.
THE ONLY INFALLIBLE REMEDY FOR MALARIA AND FEVER AND AGUE.
It never fails to effect a speedy and permanent cure. For sale by
oct13 WARFIELD & HALL.

CHOICE FLOUR.
BAKER'S CRYSTAL.
TENNEY'S NEW SOUTH,
FAMILY AND ROLLER EXTRA,
For sale by
ap23 J. C. MILBURN.

SMOKED BLOATERS,
CLOVER LEAF BONELESS CODFISH and
PRIME FAT MACKEREL just received by
nov9 A. C. HARMON & CO.

BREECH AND MUZZLE-LOADING SHOT GUNS, the largest and best assortment we have ever had and at lower prices; also Paper Shells of all grades, Wads, Caps, Belts and Canvas Coats. It will pay purchasers to call and see us.
JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS,
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BREECH LOADING GUNS, fine quality, Shell ejecting, Double action and other Pistols, Loading 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. CREIGHTON & SON.

COW DRINK! COW DRINK!
For gargle, maw bound, bloating and fevers, ilk fever and abortion preventive, just received and for sale by
nov25 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

THOMAS'S LIQUID BLUE,
IN PAPER BOTTLES.
entirely free from acids, and guaranteed pure. The greatest quantity for the least money of any pure goods on the market. Don't fail to try it.
mh5 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

GUNS, PISTOLS, PERCUSSION CAPS, WADS, &c., at a further reduction in prices to close out. We have on hand the "Merino Felt Wads," Baltimore make, at manufacturer's prices. Call at 88 King, corner of Royal street.
dec7 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

OAK WAGON HUBS, Hickory and Oak Rims Oak and Hickory Spokes, three grades of each kind; also Shafts, Poles, Wagon Skeins and Boxes, both steel and iron, fresh and full stock at
JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS',
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SHEEP DIP, Sage, Ground Sage, Diamond Dyes, Fitche'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.

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ARTIFICIAL TEETH WITHOUT PLATES AND THE INSERTION OF GOLD CROWNS A SPECIALTY.
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oct8 3m

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DRY GOODS AND NOTIONS.
Wholesale and Retail.
NO. 105 KING STREET
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The highest market price paid for Old Wrought and Cast Iron, Brass and Copper. je21

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THE SPLENDID ASSORTMENT
—OF—
Holiday Goods at French's
417 AND 419 KING STREET,
Is fast fading away, and it behooves every one contemplating gifts for the holidays to call early and examine the best selected, most varied and artistic line of goods, as well as the cheapest, in the State.
New styles ESTEY ORGANS and ST. JOHN'S SEWING MACHINES, ACCORDEONS and HARMONICAS just received.
dec21 G. E. FRENCH.

Seasonable Goods.
Layer Raisins,
Valencia Raisins,
New Currants,
Mixed Nuts,
Prime Citron,
Coxe's Gelatine,
Nelson's Gelatine,
Chalmers' Gelatine,
Dried Sugar Corn,
Italian Maccarani,
Campbell's Mince Meat,
Campbell's Fruit Butter,
Fancy New Orleans Molasses,
Sweet Cider,
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Cooking Wine and very old Sherry,
Scotch Whiskey and Pure Old Rye,
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In pints and quarts,
Ackron Oat Meal,
Buckwheat, Olive Oil,
Mixed Pickles and
Canned Goods,
all at lowest prices.
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A FULL LINE OF
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50 boxes Raisins,
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Valencia and Sultanas,
New Currants,
" Prunes,
Choice Mince Meat,
Peach and Pineapple Preserves in 2 and 4-lb buckets.
JELLIES.
Quince, Currant, Grape, Apple and Strawberry by the pound.
A full line of FRESH SPICES, whole and ground, all at lowest prices. dec9 1m

Holiday Times.
HENRY BRENGLE, 531 KING ST.,
Is now ready for the fall and winter with
THANKSGIVING, CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S SEASONS.
He intends to keep OYSTERS for his patrons and supply families with the pick of Chesapeake bay.
Creams of all flavors, Black, Fruit, Pound Jelly and Fancy, Ornamental and Plain Cakes, are sold cheaper than they can be manufactured at home. Also Cream Puffs, Tarts and Pastry, Candies and Taffy of all kinds. PIES A SPECIALTY. Fruits, Nuts, Confectioneries, Caromels and Sugared Fruits. He caters for families, fairs, balls and entertainments and furnishes social parties.
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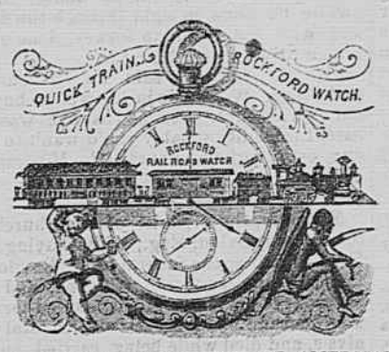

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Orders and consignments solicited; they will receive careful and prompt attention. ap19

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Grain a specialty.
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GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS
And Dealers in
ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS.
Have on hand GIBSON'S XX, XXX, XX and 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 will 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 sts.
sep14 Alexandria, Va.

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WHOLESALE
GROCERS, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND
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WINE AND LIQUORS.
FLOUR GRAIN AND COUNTRY PRODUCE SOLICITED.
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A BEAUTIFUL LINE OF
Christmas Cards and Art Novelties
dec16 At JOHN D. H. LUNT'S.

BUY YOUR
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From nobody until you have seen our indescribable variety of
Beautiful Goods,
Suitable for man, woman or child.
NEVER BEFORE SO MUCH TO SELECT FROM.
Presents of all Kinds.
ALL PRICE GOODS TO SELECT FROM.
NOVELTIES! NOVELTIES!
Useful, Practical and Beautiful Presents.
Our entire store is ready for the year's Greatest Holiday.
IMMENSE PREPARATIONS HAVE BEEN MADE.
NO FANCY PRICES.
ALL ARE INVITED TO INSPECT,
NONE URGED TO BUY.
Goods laid away for you until wanted.
Everything on earth done to please our continually increasing trade.
ONE PRICE AS USUAL.
Until after the holidays our store will be open until 9 p. m.
Lansburgh & Bro.
INSTIGATORS OF LOW PRICES.
420, 422, 424, 426 7th st., 417 and 419 8th st.,
dec13 Washington, D. C.

READY FOR CHRISTMAS!
L. SHUMAN,
CORNER KING AND PITT STREETS,
Announces that he is prepared to meet the wants of the Christmas and Holiday trade. His stock of Cakes, Black, Plain and other kinds, is large, and his supply of Confectionery, Nuts, &c., unexcelled. Now is the time to leave orders. dec 10

NEW GOODS.
We have just received through the importers the fullest and most varied assortment of Holiday Goods ever offered in this city, including Haviland's celebrated make of FRENCH CHINA in Fish, Game, Oatmeal, Pudding, Chocolate and Ice Cream Sets, Dinner and Tea Sets, After-dinner Coffees, Single Tea and Moustache Cups. Also a most complete line of CABINET PIECES, including Abbotsford, Doulton, Bonn, and Royal Worcester, in the very latest styles and decorations A beautiful line of large and small Vases. We are unable to mention but few of the many beautiful goods we have received in the last few days, so we cordially invite all to call and look at these goods before making their Xmas purchases.
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SOAP.

KIRK'S
WHITE CLOUD

FLOATING SOAP
IS
THE CHIEF
For the Bath, Toilet and Laundry.
Snow White and Absolutely Pure.
If your dealer does not keep White Cloud Soap, send 10 cents for sample cake to the makers.
JAS. S. KIRK & CO.,
CHICAGO.

LEGAL.

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 3rd day of December, 1887.

Mary P. Hurdle, guardian of Laura Edith Hurdle, Ernest Albion Hurdle and Lawrence Hurdle vs. Levi J. Hurdle, Annie D. Hurdle, Thomas T. Hurdle, Virginia Hurdle, Elizabeth L. Hurdle, George O. Wentworth and Minnie Estelle Wentworth, his wife, A. Lansing Hurdle, Laura Edith Hurdle, Ernest Albion Hurdle and Lawrence Hurdle. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the sale of the two lots of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon, belonging to the estate of Levi Hurdle, deceased, situate on the south side of King street, between Columbus and Washington streets, in the city of Alexandria, fronting together 40 feet on King street, and extending back southwardly 100 feet, and the reinvestment of the share of the late Albion N. Hurdle's children in the proceeds of sale; also to require the statement and settlement by the joint owners who received or enjoyed the same, of the rents of the said property since the death of the said Levi Hurdle.

The defendants, Thomas T. Hurdle, Virginia Hurdle, Elizabeth L. Hurdle, Geo. O. Wentworth, Minnie Estelle Wentworth and A. Lansing Hurdle, not having entered their appearance and given security, according to the act of Assembly and the 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 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: JOHN S. BEACH, Cl'k.
Geo A. Mushbach, p. q. dec6-w4w

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 3rd day of December, 1887.

George A. Appich and Michael German, executors of David Appich, deceased, vs. D. Harrison Appich, James Appich, Edward Sullivan and Margaret Sullivan, his wife, William Broadbeck, Mary King, nee Broadbeck, Robert Baggott, Stella Raab, David Raab, minor, Christine Appich, Louis Black and Annie Black, his wife, John Aitcheson and Caroline Aitcheson, his wife. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to construe the will of David Appich, deceased.

The defendants, Louis Black and Annie Black, his wife, Mary King, Stella Raab and David Raab, not having entered their appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the 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 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:
JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.
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