Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 7

LOCAL MATTERS

For this section warmer weather, westerly winds, diminishing in force and becoming variable.

FALLS CHURCH NEWS.—Much interest is manifested in the Good Templar's lodge here. There is a large attendance of the members and the literary and musical exercises form an interesting feature of the meetings. At the last session of Pioneer Lodge, No. 1, seven members were added to the rolls, thirteen applications for membership received, and an interesting song service was had. Next Tuesday the quarterly session of District Lodge, No. 13, will be held here, when Col. J. R. Miller, G. C. T. of the State, J. R. Mahoney, G. C. T., and A. Kelstrom, P. G. C. T. of Washington, D. C., are expected to be present.

The revival meetings conducted by Rev. Dr. Rosser, of the M. E. Church South, resulted in the conversion of near one hundred persons. Dr. Rosser left on Saturday for Bridgewater, Rockingham county.

There is quite a building boom in the village; seven houses are now in course of erection and quite a number are contemplating building in the spring and summer.

Mr. Jonathan Roberts and wife, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. M. Thom, returned to their home in New Jersey on Saturday. Mr. Roberts was formerly of this county.

THE MOUNT VERNON AVENUE BILL.—The following is the official copy of the bill for Mount Vernon Avenue as it has passed Congress:

AN ACT directing a survey of a road from the Aqueduct Bridge to Mount Vernon and making an appropriation therefor.

Be it enacted, &c., That the Secretary of War be and he is hereby authorized and directed to detail one or more engineer officers of the army to make the necessary surveys for a national road from a point in Alexandria county, Virginia, at or near the Virginia end of the Aqueduct bridge, and thence through the counties of Alexandria and Fairfax, in said State, to Mount Vernon, to ascertain the same, together with the estimate of cost of building such road, to the Secretary of War, who shall transmit the same to Congress.

SEC. 2. That the sum of $10,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War be, and the same hereby is, appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of the United States in carrying out the provisions of this act.

Senator Beck provides, "That nothing herein shall be construed to bind the government of the United States to pay for any portion of the right of way for the avenue contemplated by his act."

PERSONAL.—Miss Loula Lewis, of Culpeper, is visiting Miss Alice Cochran, on Alfred street.

Mr. Henry Strauss, who has been in Baltimore for the past week or so under medical treatment, has returned much improved in health.

Messrs. Downham, Agnew, Reed and Harlow, who went to Washington yesterday in the interest of the Mt. Vernon Avenue bill, say they saw Senator Riddleberger who promised them to look after the matter as soon as it reached the Senate, and to have the bill passed as amended by the House.

Mrs. Washington Bangs, of Philadelphia, is visiting her sister in law, Mrs. Jenkins, of this city.

THEY DON'T LIKE HIS WAYS.—A well known countryman, who has a vegetable stand in the market, has been served with a notice by parties who say they want him to quit, and that they are in no way connected with "white caps," warning him that he thinks too much whisky for a questionable policy; that he is not sufficiently neat in his appearance, and that he neglects his stand in market. The "notice" is illustrated with pictures of various instruments for testing the quality and quantity of whisky to be found in a man's stomach, which he is told are to be applied to him, and also with pictures representing the treatment he will be subjected to if he doesn't mend his ways. The receiver of the notice says such things will inevitably cause bloodshed, as this is a free country.

COUNTY COURT.—*Judge D. M. Chichester presiding.*—Com. vs. Geo. Jackson, colored, indictment for entering the stable of J. E. Fahey and stealing harness therefrom; jury and verdict of guilty and penalty fixed at two years in the penitentiary. Verdict set aside and new trial granted upon the ground that the jury had separated during the trial of the case, and also upon the ground of newly discovered evidence.

Com. vs. Wm. Robinson, colored, indicted as above; jury and verdict of not guilty.

Application of G. N. Saegmuller for a new trial was granted.

Court adjourned till court in course.

POLICE REPORT.—Last night was clear and cool with four prisoners and five lodgers at the station house.

The Mayor this morning disposed of the following cases:

Frank Martin, Henry Martin and Wm. Emerson, of Washington, arrested by Lt. Smith for disorderly conduct, were discharged.

Jno. Monroe, colored, arrested by officer Price for stealing from Mr. Daniel Patterson, had his case continued.

FIRE COMPANY MEETINGS.—At the adjourned meeting of the Hydraulion S. F. E. Co. last night Vice President Goodrich presided, but the business for which the company had met was postponed until the regular monthly meeting without action.

The regular monthly meeting of the Columbia S. F. E. Co. was held last night, at which little other than routine business was transacted. An invitation was received from Marley Encampment to attend their fair, which was accepted.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT.—A number of young men came here last night from Washington on a serenading trip and on their way back to the depot became very disorderly, blowing whistles, etc. They were chased by the police who fired at them several times and finally arrested three of the party and took them to the station house. This morning they were discharged, as there was no evidence that the three men arrested had engaged in the row.

MAIL CONTRACT.—Among the mail contracts let yesterday was that from Washington by Fort Foote, Fort Washington, Mount Vernon, Marshall Hall and Gunston, to Seymont, 30½ miles and back, six times a week, in safe and suitable steamboats, by a schedule satisfactory to the department, to Thomas Adams.

Happiness and Health.

Are important problems, the former depending greatly on the latter. Every one is familiar with the healty properties of fruit, and no one can afford to be sick and miserable while the pleasant California concentrated liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, may be had of our enterprising druggists. For sale by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

THE REV. GEO. H. THAYER, of Bourbon Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE." Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

THE OPERA HOUSE.—The Terre Haute *Star* says of the Lillian Kennedy company, who will commence a week's engagement here Monday night: "The company is all that was expected, each and every one being assigned to roles suited to their several abilities. Miss Kennedy portrayed her part with a feeling that is difficult to criticise. Mr. Kelcy is also deserving of credit for the excellent rendition of his part. The remainder of the cast was excellent."

Y. M. C. A. CONVENTION.—As stated yesterday reduced round trip railroad rates have been secured for delegates attending the Danville convention Feb. 14-17, on the Richmond and Danville R. R. and on the R. F. & P. To secure these rates it will be necessary to hold a convention credential; which, with further particulars, may be obtained of the general secretary of the Y. M. C. A.

Diseases of an exhaustive nature that have a tendency to create an unnatural feeling, such as fatigue, lassitude and great weakness throughout the system, owe their origin to a lack of iron in the blood. Brown's Iron Bitters will restore the blood to its natural healthful condition. Get the blood pure by using this remedy and disease will be quickly vanquished.

BRICK WORKS TRANSFERRED.—The National Press Brick Company have made arrangements for a transfer to Mr. M. H. Beach, trustee, of this city, of all their property in the county, between this city and Washington, the sum named in the agreement being $100,000. The tax for recording the deed of the transfer amounted to $100 and was paid to day to Mr. H. H. Young, clerk of the County Court.

DEATH OF AN OCTOGENARIAN.—Information has been received here, by his relations, of the death of Mr. Albert A. Ashby, who lived near Delaplane, on Sunday last, aged about 80 years. Mr. Ashby was one of the last of the original family in Fauquier, and was the chronologist of all that section, being very remarkable for his knowledge of persons, events and dates.

PROPERTY SALES.—Annie Wilson has sold to Mary F. William-on a house and lot on Queen street, east of Henry, for $300.

A. W. Harris has sold to Mary A. Muir a life estate in a house and lot on the east side of Columbus street, between Franklin and Jefferson, for $250.

BROOM FACTORY.—The broom factory at the northeast corner of Union and Prince streets will soon commence operations. Large quantities of broom straw are now being received and stored there and the machinery for the manufacture of brooms is expected to arrive in a few days.

CLAIM.—In the House of Representatives yesterday Gen. Lee introduced a bill to pay Wm. H. Marbury, administrator of Charles M. Taylor, deceased, $8 000 for use and occupation of dwelling house and grounds known as Peyton Grove, in this city, by the United States authorities.

THE TREASURER of the Ladies' Union Relief begs us to remind our citizens of the urgent need, this cold weather, of funds to carry on the work among the poor.

A Woman's Discovery.

"Another wonderful discovery has been made, and that, too, by a lady in this county. Disease fastened its clutches upon her, and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly and could not sleep. She bought of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and was so much relieved on taking the first dose that she slept all night and with one bottle has been miraculously cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz." Thus writes W. C. Hamrick & Co., of Shelby, N. C. Get a free trial bottle at E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.'s.

WILL YOU SUFFER with Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

For all diseases of the kidneys, bladder or urinary organs use Finney's Compound Syrup of Buchu, a positive and speedy cure for the following symptoms: Pain in the back, insomnia, nervousness, muscular weakness, vertigo, dizziness in the head, dropsical swellings existing in men, women or children, weakness arising from various abuses. As a blood purifier it has no equal; it eradicates from the blood, through the kidneys, all uric acid and other poisons, leaving the skin smooth and free from all eruptions.
BROADUS & SMITH, agents,
Successors to S. H. Lunt, Alexandria, Va.
jan14 6m

WHY WILL YOU cough when Shiloh's Cure will give immediate relief. Price 10 cts., 50 cts., and $1. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

HDQS. RATHBONE DIV., NO. 8, U. R. K. OF P.,
ALEXANDRIA, VA., Feb. 7, 1889.
Attention, Sir Knights: You are hereby notified to appear at Oriental Castle, on Friday night, February 8th, in fatigue uniform at 8:30 o'clock, sharp. Important business. By order of
SAM'L. L. MONROE, Sir Kht. Com.
LOUIS BRILL, jr., Sir Kht. Guard. feb7 2t

"RED WARRIOR and LIGHT-HORSE HARRY" CHOPPING AXES—A good supply of these celebrated Axes on hand. The "Light-Horse Harry" Axe we fully warrant.
JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS,
feb7 Alexandria, Va.

ALEXANDRIA, VA, Feb. 5, 1888.
TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE ALEXANDRIA INSURANCE COMPANY.
We, the committee appointed at your annual meeting to examine the books, &c., of the secretary, find them correct.
J. D. H. LUNT.
JAS. L. DYSON.
feb6 3t W. H. MAY.

FENCING WIRE—We have a large stock of Barbed Fencing Wire (2 and 4 point) now in store; also "Ribbon and Buckthorn" Fencing Wire. Prices are lower than ever known before. Call and see us before buying.
JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS,
feb5 Alexandria, Va.

WAGON WHEELS—"Sarvin and Warner Patent," full stock and prices reduced.
JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS,
feb6 Alexandria, Va.

SWEET CIDER received to-day by
jan8 W. A. JOHNSON & CO.

CENTURY CALICOES, in pretty styles, just received by
oct29 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER.

MOCHA, JAVA, MARACAIBO, LaGUAYRA and RIO COFFEES, freshly roasted, for sale by [dec31] J. C. MILBURN.

FAMILY ROE HERRING in kits, just the size package for family trade.
oct26 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

FODDER YARN at *reduced prices*, to close out the present season, at 328 King street, corner of Royal. [oct23] J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

FOR "BEST RETURNS" try the POTOMAC FLOUR. For sale by
nov5 J. C. MILBURN.

CANNED WHORTLEBERRIES and BLACKBERRIES just received by
ap16 J. C. MILBURN.

McBURNEY has just received Malaga Grapes, Cape Cod Cranberries, New Layer Figs and Fresh Cocoanuts. oct8

A FULL LINE OF FANCY BASKETS just received by
dec7 J. C. MILBURN.

10 BAGS CHOICE RIO COFFEE just received by [dec31] J. C. MILBURN.

DRY CATAWBA WINE, pint and quart bottles, at [jan18] McBURNEY'S.

DRY AND FANCY GOODS.

Ladies and Gentlemen,

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY YOUR UNDERWEAR

FOR NEXT WINTER.

By Doing So You will Save Fifty Per Cent.

We have secured the entire sample line of one of the largest jobbing houses of New York at 50 per cent. off regular price. This advantage we propose giving our customers in order to effect the sale of the entire lot in a few days.

EXTRA HEAVY COTTON SHIRTS,	REGULAR PRICE	50c,	NOW	25c.
" MERINO "	"	75c,	"	37½c,
" " "	"	$1.00,	"	50c.
" " "	"	1.25,	"	62½c.
ALL-WOOL " "	"	2.00,	"	$1.00.

In the lot are some very fine goods, both for ladies, gentlemen and children, and in every case we guarantee the price to be just one half regular retail price.

J. R. CHAPMAN, Agent, NO. 424 KING ST.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

A false report was in circulation this morning that a big fire was raging in Washington.

Almost a hundred names have been signed to the call to organize a board of trade in this city.

Last night was the coldest of the winter, the mercury dropping to 13°. Much ice formed on the river.

Hi. Henry's Minstrels gave a very fine performance at the Opera House last night to a crowded house, all of whom enjoyed the entertainment.

Officer Taylor in making his rounds this morning discovered the roof of a frame house on West street, between Cameron and Queen, occupied by a colored family, to be on fire. He notified the occupants and the flames were extinguished before much damage had been done and without causing an alarm.

There are two families in this city who, it is said, have struck against eating corn pudding in February. The heads of the families recently made a "deal" in corn.

The residence of A. G. Gardner, in Fairfax county, near Cloud's mill, was broken into a few nights since and robbed of about $10 worth of clothing and other articles.

"Green goods" circulars, very plausibly worded, and calculated to catch the innocent, have been received by several persons in this city.

Services will be held at Trinity M. E. Church at 7:30 o'clock to-night, at which Rev. L. T. Wilson, of Baltimore, will preach.

Mrs. Emma C. Nelson, wife of Mr. Wm. Nelson, died at her home, on south Columbus street, last night.

The regular monthly meeting of the City School Board will be held to-night.

A new schedule will go into effect on the Midland road on Sunday.

Mr. Louis Brill sent to this office to day from the Opera House restaurant some fine hard-shell crabs—the first of the season.

Mr. G. E. Price will have for sale in market tomorrow some fine fresh perch, fresh cod and white fish.

Distinguished Men.

Governor John Ireland, of Texas; Simon P. Hughes, of Arkansas; S. D. McEnery, Governor of Louisiana; E. B. Turner, Judge U. S. Court: Ex Gov. Hubbard, Minister to Japan; Marion Martin, ex Lieut. Governor of Texas; W. R. Miller, ex Governor of Arkansas; E. A. Perry, Governor of Florida; W. D. Bloxham, ex-Governor of Florida; John B. Gordon, Governor of Georgia; Alex Gregg, Bishop of the Episcopal Church and Chancellor of the University of the South, and hundreds of other distinguished men of the United States in all professions and in every department of science have had their sight restored by the use of Hawkes' Crystalized Lenses.

All eyes fitted and fit guaranted by L. Stabler & Co, Alexandria, Va. jan26 1w

THAT HACKING COUGH can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

BOARDING.

THREE THIRD-STORY ROOMS FOR RENT WITH TABLE BOARD. Terms reasonable. References exchanged. Apply to
feb4 1w MRS. MINNIGERODE, 414 Prince st.

WANTS.

WANTED—BUSINESS MAN WITH ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS TO INVEST in a manufacturing enterprise in Alexandria, Va. Staple article already introduced in State. Address BUSINESS, GAZETTE office, Alexandria, Va.
feb6 4t

WANTED—A VIRGINIA LADY earnestly desires a position as companion or assistant to an invalid or elderly lady, or will instruct small children and assist with the cares of a household. References exchanged. Address I. J. M., box 117 Liberty, Va. jan25 1m

EDUCATIONAL.

TYPE-WRITING DONE BY
Miss E. L. BROADUS,
At 601 Queen street.
Pupils taken. dec11 tf

LEGAL.

NOTICE—Having duly qualified as executor of the estate of the late JOHN H. BAGGETT, all parties having debts due or claims against the said estate will please present the same for settlement.
MARGARET T. BAGGETT,
jan17 1m Executrix.

PREPARE

—FOR THE—

22nd OF FEBRUARY,

Anniversary of Washington's Birthday.

We have materials, such as Bunting, Flagging and other Draperies to sell you by the yard, or we can furnish you estimates for decorating your house.

Bed Coverings at all Prices,

For cots or extra large beds.

CARD ENGRAVING.

We will engrave your name and 50 cards for 86c. Work guaranteed. Estimates given for Ball and Wedding Invitations.

LANSBURGH & BRO.,

WASHINGTON, D. C.
feb6 1w

PHILLIPS'S DIGESTIBLE COCOA, highly recommended by physicians, for sale at
nov23 J. C. MILBURN'S.

SURE-RAISING FLOUR and BUCKWHEAT for sale in 3-lb packages by
nov16 J. C. MILBURN.

DUFFY'S SWEET CIDER 30c a gallon at
jan18 McBURNEY'S.

SALMON STEAK, one pound flat cans.
jan18 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

FANCY EVAPORATED APPLES at
nov 20 McBURNEY'S.

CHOICE CAROLINA RICE just received by
jan28 J. C. MILBURN.

FRESH BUTTER and EGGS for sale low by
jan28 J. C. MILBURN.

AMUSEMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE. ONE WEEK,
Commencing MONDAY, Feb. 11.
The Beautiful and Popular
LILLIAN KENNEDY,
Supported by the Young Comedian,
ALFRED KELCY
And the Largest and most Powerful Company in America.
Special Scenery, Calcium Light Effects, Elegant Stage Appointments, Change of Bill Each Evening.
Monday evening—CASEY'S TROUBLES.
Tuesday evening—A BROTHER'S CRIME.
Wednesday evening—A TRUE IRISH GIRL.
The plays for the balance of the week will be announced later.
Popular plays at popular prices—10, 20 and 30 cts. Reserved seats now on sale at Summers & Allen's. feb4 7t

FAIRS.

A FAIR

FOR THE BENEFIT OF

Marley Encampment, No. 6,

WILL BE HELD AT ARMORY HALL,
Commencing Wednesday, Feb. 13th.
The Fair will close on the night of
FEBRUARY 22d with a
GRAND BIRTH-NIGHT BALL.
Cards of admission 50 cents.
Master of Ceremonies ..... R. M. LATHAM.
[jan29 td]

FANCY GROCERIES.

HECKER'S

Self-raising Buckwheat.

C. WM. RAMSAY.

1250 LBS

FANCY FIGS,

CHEAP AT

RAMSAY'S.

ROCK CANDY SYRUP,

Fancy New Crop N. O. Molasses

VERMONT MAPLE SYRUP.

For sale by

C. WM. RAMSAY.

FINE

Florida Oranges,

25 AND 30 PER DOZEN AT

RAMSAY'S.

Cooking Prunes,

OF ALL GRADES, CHEAP AT

RAMSAY'S.

EVAPORATED FRUITS.

Peaches, Peeled and Unpeeled.

Apples,

California Apricots,

Fancy Sun-dried Peaches

FOR SALE BY

C. WM. RAMSAY.

OFFICE OF CITY GAS WORKS,
Rooms Nos. 3 and 5 Market Building.
Alexandria, Va., January 30, 1889.
NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS.
On account of sickness, I have extended the time to the 10th of February for delinquent gas consumers to settle their accounts. Respectfully,
R. T. COOK,
jan31 td Clerk City Gas Works.

NOTICE.
The Secretary of the ALEXANDRIA CANNING COMPANY will be at the company's office February 2d, 5th, 7th, 9th and 12th for the purpose of contracting with growers for this season.
jan30 tfeb12 R. P. STULL.

THE FINEST DOUBLE-BREASTED AND BACKED SCARLET MEDICATED WOOL UNDERSHIRT in the market at $1.75 at
oct27 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

SILK AND LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS for ladies, gentlemen and children, at the lowest prices to be found at
dec18 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

DRIED BLACKBERRIES for sale at
jan18 McBURNEY'S.

DRY GOODS.

OUR STOCK IS TAKEN

AND WE HAVE NOW TO OFFER THE FOLLOWING

BARGAINS IN ODDS AND ENDS.

We have also added this week several NEW GOODS which have just been purchased to open early trade and give the

ADVANTAGE TO EARLY BUYERS.

—WE SHALL OFFER YOU—

ALL-WOOL 3-4 BAREGES, Spring styles	12½c	a yard
ENTIRE NEW LINE OF CHALLIS, in short ends	5c	a yard
NEW LINE OF DRESS GINGHAMS, soft and fine	8c	a yard
NEW LINE OF SATEENS, French styles and patterns	12c	a yard
ALL-LINEN CRASH, 2,000 yards, only	8c	a yard
A SPLENDID LINE OF PLAID and STRIPED WHITE GOODS	10c	a yard

100 HONEY-COMB, EXTRA-SIZED QUILTS, $1 only.

50 dozen LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS, imported to retail at 25c. We sell them at 10c.

Leading brands of BLEACHED and UNBLEACHED COTTONS at reduced prices.

This being a special sale, we shall make special prices.

ALL GOODS MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES

AND DISPLAYED ON OUR COUNTERS.

CALL EARLY AT

ISAAC EICHBERG & CO.'S

N. B.—Balance of MUFFS, BOAS and CLOAKS taken up in our stock at exactly one half and they will be disposed of at a sacrifice in preference to packing them away.

THE MONTH FOR BARGAINS.

February being between seasons, is the month we devote to clearing out stock, so as not to carry over stock to the next season, and also to make room for spring purchases. To do this great reductions must be made, and we have made them. The marking down this season has been merciless. We have a long counter filled with

Remnants and Dress Goods

REDUCED TO ONE-HALF AND LESS THAN HALF THEIR VALUES.

THE REMNANTS OF CARPETS AND MATTINGS

Have been brought to the front, and are splendid for bargains at the prices we are asking.

All the good values are, however, not confined to remnants and marked-down goods. To satisfy yourselves of this examine the

LARGE LOT OF TOWELS

Which we have just received and are rapidly selling for LESS THAN THEY USUALLY COST.

THERE ARE TOWELS AT	30c	WORTH	50c
" "	25c	"	37½c
" "	25c	"	33⅓c
" "	20c	"	30c
" "	20c	"	29c
" "	16⅔c	"	25c
" "	12½c	"	20c

The Great Reduction in Cloaks and Jackets

Which we have made makes it good economy to buy now for next year's use. Remember, we are not asking more than cost for any of them and from 10 to 30 per cent. less than cost for many.

THE CHILDREN'S RIBBED HOSE

Which we now have are even better values than former ones which proved so popular.

CHOICE PATTERNS IN NAPKINS AND TABLE LINENS

AT ATTRACTIVE FIGURES.

BE SURE TO BUY A PAPER OF ENGLISH PINS FOR FIVE CENTS.

TACKETT & MARSHALL,

NOS. 431 AND 433 KING STREET.