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## DRY GOODS.

### Great Mid-Summer Clearing Sale,

COMMENCING MONDAY MORNING, JULY 23d.

This being the very heart of the summer season, and in consequence of the long wet spell of weather, we find ourselves overstocked on a great many summer goods. Instead of waiting until the season closes, as is the usual custom, we have concluded to begin at once to offer IMMENSE REDUCTIONS on all Summer Goods.

We name in part a few of the bargains:

One lot of Challis at 5c per yard.

All of our 8 and 10c reduced to 6c.

The all-pure Wool Goods that were 20c are now 15c.

Our Black Fish Drapery Net and large dot do. reduced from \$1.50 to \$1.25.

**D. BENDHEIM, NO. 316 KING STREET.**

### SPECIAL SALE

## White Goods and Embroideries!

In our search for bargains we came across an importing house overstocked with the above goods and we were enabled to purchase them at a very low figure. They will be placed on our counters to-morrow morning, and we invite you to call and see them; they are bargains indeed.

Also special bargains in SWISS FLOUNCINGS, which we are offering at very low figures.

LADIES' LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS—Fifty dozen Ladies' Linen Handkerchiefs at 5, 8, 10 and 15 cents; worth double the price.

Another bargain we are able to offer consists of a fine assortment of TABLE LINENS, TOWELS and NAPKINS, and are prepared to sell them at astonishingly low prices.

**PRETZFELDER & CO.,**  
NO. 530 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

## Go to Chapman's This Week For Bargains.

The season is getting late and we have put the knife in deep. In some cases a reduction of one-half is made.

### DRESS GOODS MUST GO

almost at your own price. A line of beautiful Grey Serge, half Wool, Double Width, former cheap price 25c; it will go at 12 1/2c. Many other medium-priced Dress Goods at correspondingly low figures. We have a beautiful line of White Goods, India Linen Plaids, Alibors, &c. It will pay you to take a look.

### HEADQUARTERS FOR REMNANTS

of all kinds—Sattens, Lawns, Percales, Cottons, Gingham, &c.,—and do not forget that we make a specialty of

**J. R. CHAPMAN, Agt., 424 King street.**

**USE PEARL TOP LAMP**  
**THE BEST CHIMNEYS**  
**MADE ONLY BY**  
**IN THE WORLD**  
**GEO. A. MACBETH & CO. PITTSBURGH, PA.**

### COAL AND WOOD.

**COAL! COAL!**  
LAY IN YOUR COAL AND WOOD FOR WINTER While it is at the BOTTOM PRICES. Will furnish the best quality at the lowest market prices.

Orders will receive prompt attention at W. F. Creighton & Co.'s, corner King and Royal streets, and at F. J. Pellard's, corner King and Henry streets.

Main office—Corner Fairfax and Duke streets.  
**HEWES & MITCHELL.**  
152 3m Telephone No. 95.

**COAL! COAL!**

We invite the attention of dealers and consumers to our large stock of CAREFULLY PREPARED COAL of the following varieties: LYKEN'S VALLEY, LOBBERRY and SHAMOKIN RED ASH, broken, egg, stove and hard; also GEORGE'S CREEK, CUMBERLAND and KANAWHA SPLIT, from West Va. Making Coal a specialty we aim to keep only the HIGHEST GRADES. Yards doored, and all Coal sent out WELL SCREENED AND FREE FROM IMPURITIES.

**J. R. Zimmermann,**  
WHARF AND YARDS FOOT OF QUEEN ST  
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### Cooking Coal.

To arrive on wharf a superior lot of STOVE and NET COALS for cooking purposes for sale by W. A. SMOOT & CO., Foot of Princess street. Telephone call No. 57.

**COKE! COKE! COKE!**  
CONNELLSVILLE COKE, for house purposes, on hand and to arrive. For sale by W. A. SMOOT & CO.

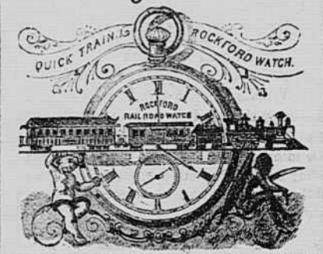
**PRATT'S**  
**ASTRAL OIL**  
**ABSOLUTELY SAFE!**  
**PERFECTLY ODERLESS!**  
Burns in any Lamp without danger of Exploding or taking fire. See that you get the genuine. For sale by

Baltimore United Oil Co., Washington, D. C.  
**E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.,**  
Agents, Alexandria.  
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**NEW GLASSWARE**—We have just received a lot of Fine Glassware, in imitation of an old-time pattern, which is so like Cut Glass that connoisseurs are deceived by it. We have this ware in most every article you can name, but would call special attention to the Flower Bowls at 45c, and Kirtles—each. It is well worth your time to call and examine. For sale at

### WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

**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.  
je27 No. 318 King st., Alexandria, Va.

### CONFECTIONERS.

### DELICACIES of the SEASON.

**HENRY BREngle, 531 KING ST.,**  
Is still furnishing his long-tested and approved ICE CREAM, of the best material and at the lowest rates.  
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, Caramels and Sugared Fruits. He caters for families, fairs, balls and entertainments, and furnishes social parties—of the best and at the lowest rates.  
He offers special inducements at wholesale to dealers, and packs carefully for country custom.  
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### GROCERIES, &c.

**ROBERT ELLIOTT**

DEALER IN  
**Groceries, Teas, Coffees, Sugars**

And Canned Goods.

FRESH BUTTER AND EGGS A SPECIALTY.  
CORNER DUKE AND ST. ASAPH STS.,  
Alexandria, Virginia.

Agent for HAVENER'S CREAM BREAD. A delicious dessert. Price 10c.

Also have in stock FRUIT PUDDING, a delicious dessert. Price 10c.

A fine lot of EARLY ROSE AND BURBANK POTATOES, GREEN PEAS, APPLES, ORANGES, LEMONS and BANANAS.

CRACKERS and CAKES, choice varieties.  
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**TY LUNT'S COUGH SYRUP**

FOR COUGHS AND COLDS.  
Price 25c; sample bottle 10c. dec15

**SUPERIOR QUALITY FIVE-BUTTON KID GLOVES** for 75c at  
ap2 AMOS E. SLAYMAKER'S.

GENTLEMEN, we call your attention to our line of FLANNEL SHIRTS, latest styles.  
ap3 CHAPMAN'S, 424 King street.

## MEDICINAL.

None Genuine without this Trade-mark.



**STONEBRAKERS' LINIMENT**

(Patented throughout.)

**THE GREAT EXTERNAL REMEDY For Man and Beast.**

**STONEBRAKERS' LINIMENT**

CURES

Lumbago, Neuralgia, Pains in the Side and Limbs, Scalds, Burns, Old Sores, Bruises, Chilblains, Frost Bites, Ringworms, Tetter, Sprains, Swelled Joints, Sore Throat, Mumps, Erysipelas, Spinal Disease, Gout, Pleurisy, Pains in Chest and Shoulder.

It will do a weak back more good in one night than all the oils and plasters in the world. It stands without a rival for Rheumatism, Swelling in Horses, Scalds, Old Sores, Kicks, Windgalls, and all Diseases which require an external remedy.

Price 25c. etc., 50c. etc., and \$1.00 per bottle.

FROM THE LARGEST POLTRY RAISER IN THE WORLD, After having tried every brand of Chicken Powder, I procured Stonebraker's, which I have been using and selling the past 20 years. Every package guaranteed to be the best preparation in use for Chickens, Ducks, Turkeys, Geese, Canary Birds, and the whole feathered tribe for the production of eggs. Sure cure and preventive of Bony, Cholera, Fly, Swelled Head, Gapes and all diseases incidental to the bird family. Stonebraker's Chicken Powder makes them healthy and strong, increases flesh, keeps them free from disease, and should be frequently used in the poultry yard, every year.

Yours to command, K. WORMLEY, Mendota, Ill.

Ask your merchant for Stonebraker's Chicken Powder, and accept no others, or send us 25 cents in stamps and we will forward one package by mail of this truly wonderful and original preparation. Sold everywhere. Price 25 cents; \$1.00 per doz.

**THE STONEBRAKER CHEMICAL CO.,**  
Sole Proprietors of the Genuine Stonebraker's Preparations.  
Baltimore, Md.  
BeWARE of Frauds and Imitations.

## HARDWARE.

**John T. Creighton & Son,**

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

## BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

**BEAUTIFUL STATIONERY**

**French's, 417 & 419 King St.**

An entire new line of the FINEST ENGLISH and IRISH LINEN PAPERS and ENVELOPES to match.

Specially noticeable are the "Old English Velvets," "The Queen," "Oceanic Mail," and "Pure British Linen." A large stock of Marcus Ward's Royal Irish and Court Linen Papers. Be sure and see our "Big Value" Box of Fine English Linen; 5 quires and 100 square Envelopes to match. It is immense.

The most complete and attractive line of FINE PAPETERIES, Wedding Notes and Envelopes, Visiting Cards, Mourning Stationery, Orders of Dance, &c. Elegant and artistic Novelties, Stationers' Specialties, Sporting Goods, Hammocks, Croquet, &c., &c.

Something new every day. Mail orders solicited for all lines of Stationers' Goods.

Geo. E. FRENCH, jr12

## HEADQUARTERS FOR CROQUET.

A FINE LINE AND CHEAP.

Over 500 NEW NOVELS just in.

THE MISTIEF, price only 4c.

TABLETS by the single or in pound lots.

A 100-sheet Tablet, only 10c.

These and anything you may want in the Stationery line will be found at the

**Little Store kept by S. F. Dyson,**

508 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Over 500 boxes of Paper 10c to \$2.75. ap24

**HARDWARE, CUTLERY, &c.** for the country trade, at 328 King, corner of Royal street, Alexandria, Va.—We have just received at the above number a very large and general stock of goods in our line to which we invite the attention of purchasers, both wholesale and retail. It will pay you to examine our stock before making your purchases; it costs nothing to try. We make a specialty in all kinds of Tacks, White Wash Brushes, Pocket Knives, Locks, Hinges, &c., Seives and other desirable goods. On hand English and American Scythes, Snaths, Rakes, Scythes, Grass Hooks, Hoes, Forks, &c., at extremely low prices. Call and see at 328 King street. my7

**J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.**

**BISHOP'S BIRD LICE DESTROYER.**

SEED SAND.

A large supply just received and for sale by nov14 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

**ALFRED SPEER'S UNFERMENTED GRAPE JUICE** makes a refreshing home drink for the summer months. Try it. For sale by ERNEST L. ALLEN, Corner King and Pitt streets. jv5

**GUNS, PISTOLS, CAPS, WADS, SHELLS, &c.**, just opened at 328 King street, corner of Royal, and for sale at reduced prices. oct23 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

**CASSARD & SON'S MILD-CURED HAMS** for sale by ap4 GEO. MCBURNEY & 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.

**CANNED OX TONGUE, LAMB** Just received at ap26 MCBURNEY'S.

**WHITE TAR CAMPHOR GLOBULES**, easy to use, and very effective as a moth destroyer. For sale by E. L. ALLEN, ap25 Corner King and Pitt streets.

**NEW SODA SYRUP.** Essence of CRUSHED VIOLETS. BROADUS & SMITH. jv17

**NEW SELECTED AFRICAN DATES**, Fresh Cocoanuts and Fancy Florida Oranges for sale by mh30 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

**LIMEADE**, with shaved lime, the finest in the city. ERNEST L. ALLEN, my15 Corner King and Pitt streets.

**ANOTHER large lot of these CHEAP GING-HAMS** at ERNEST L. ALLEN, my22

**25 BOXES FRANK SIDDALL'S SOAP** in store and for sale by my18 W. A. JOHNSON & CO.

**LIMEADE.** Cool and refreshing. BROADUS & SMITH. my20 tf

**DELICIOUS MILK SHAKES and COLD SODA WATER, ACID PHOSPHATE, &c.** BROADUS & SMITH. my16

**GREEN GINGER** just received. jv10 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

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## GRAHAM'S LAST EXPERIMENT AT NIAGARA FALLS NOT A SUCCESS.

—Hundreds of people crowded the southern shore of Goat Island and the Three Sisters Island at Niagara yesterday afternoon to witness the effect of the trip down the river and over the Horse shoe Fall of the barrel Carlele D. Graham had announced that he would set adrift. At 3:30 p. m. Walter Odell, a Central conductor, set the barrel afloat. It contained a Newfoundland dog, securely strapped to canvas suspenders attached to the inside of the barrel. At first it drifted lazily onward, but soon the more rapid current caught it, and at 3:39 o'clock the mass of people on Goat Island could distinguish it rapidly approaching them. The barrel appeared to keep far toward the Canadian side until it had got well into the rapids when it was speeded somewhat towards the American shore. At 3:47 it passed over the reef that runs out from the Third Sister Island, and for fully a minute was out of sight. All believed it to have been broken up, but it soon reappeared and at 3:40 o'clock reached the brink of the Horse shoe Fall and passed over a little west of the centre. Many expectant eyes watched for its appearance on the ruffled surface, but they were doomed to disappointment. It did not show up. Pieces of the barrel were picked up soon after. The dog was not to be found.

## BIGGEST PIECE OF LEATHER.

—In the northeast corner window of Tiffany's big building, Union Square, New York, has been put on exhibition the largest single piece of leather ever tanned. It is the hide of the elephant Chief Forepaugh, a beast which was only second in size to Jumbo. The skin, which has much the color and appearance of ordinary leather, has been placed upon a framework erected in the window so that it hangs down on either side for seven or eight feet. This elephant when alive was ten feet six inches high and weighed five and a half tons. He was a wicked pachyderm, and was generally credited with the murder of at least seven men. Chief was forty years old when he met his death and he had been in America for nine years, having been purchased in Germany for \$5,000. The tanning of the skin took five months, and every time the skin was turned in the vat it required the united strength of fifteen men to accomplish the work. The skin, aside from the fact that it was the largest ever tanned, is the only elephant skin ever prepared in America. After having been exhibited for a time the leather will be cut up and used in the manufacture of traveling bags, dress ing-cases, &c.

## TO OBTAIN POWER FROM THE CANADIAN FALLS.

—It has just been made known that Colonel Hamilton, of Kansas, whose scheme for the construction of a great generator of electricity under Niagara Falls came so near getting through the New York legislature, has obtained a grant from Sir John Macdonald, premier of Canada, for the erection of his machinery under the Canadian Horsehoe Fall. The work has been done very quietly in order not to arouse opposition. No trouble is expected from the Canadian Park Commissioners. The Colonel's ingenious machinery will, in all probability, be placed in the Queen Victoria Niagara Falls Park. The Cave of the Winds plan will probably have to be modified, for the cave in the rear of the Horsehoe Fall is quite insignificant. It is said that Colonel Gzowski, the celebrated engineer of Toronto, who built the international bridge, is interested in the new company; also Engineer Thomas Evershed, of Rochester, and ex-Governor Cornell. A meeting of the stockholders is to be held in this city on 2d proximo, to take steps to place the company in actual working operation. It is said the capital stock is \$20,000,000, part of which remains unsold.

## EIGHT SKELETONS FOUND IN A CAVE.

—St. Helena, on the Nebraska side of the Missouri, ten miles below Yantron, Dak., is in a state of excitement over a ghastly discovery made there yesterday. Parties who were prospecting in the chalk cliffs of that neighborhood came upon a small opening in the Missouri river face of the rock. It was found to be a large apartment carved by nature in the soft chalky substance, but the startling feature of the incident was the discovery within this cave of eight human skeletons. These were lying about on the floor of the cavern in such disorder as to discredit the theory that the cave might be an ancient burial place. The age of the bones cannot be determined, but they have undoubtedly been there a long time. The belief prevails that these are skeletons of early settlers who sought the shelter of the cave when attacked by Indians years ago, and that they were either killed in a body or starved to death.

## ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

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 diarrhoea, griping in the bowels and wind-colic. By giving health to the child it rests the mother. Price 25 cents a bottle.

## WROUGHT SPIKES FOR BRIDGE AND BOAT BUILDERS.

An assortment of sizes for sale cheap to close out. sep27 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

## MEDICINAL.

**ELY'S CATARRH**

**Cream Balm**

**CURES**

**HAY FEVER**

AND

**COLD IN THE HEAD**

A particle is applied into each nostril, and is agreeable. Price 50 cents at Druggists; by mail, registered, 60 cents. ELY BROTHERS, 124 56 Warren street, New York.

## PROPOSALS.

**DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,** Washington, D. C., July 17th, 1889.—Sealed proposals, in duplicate, subject to usual conditions, will be received here until 11 o'clock a. m. Saturday, August 17th, 1889, and then opened, for furnishing and delivering along the road on the east side of the Arlington National Cemetery, Va., certain cement, lime, sand, coping stone and galvanized iron as required. Preference given to articles of domestic production of manufacture, conditions of quality and price (including in the price of foreign productions or manufactures the duty thereon) being equal. Bids for delivery at other points will also be received. Any information required, lists of articles and forms for bidding will be furnished on application to this office. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Cement, Lime, Sand, Stone or Iron," as above, and addressed to Lt. Col. G. B. DANDY, Depot Quartermaster, Washington, D. C. jv20 6t

## FOR SALE AND RENT.

**FOR RENT**—The THREE-STORY BRICK HOUSE No. 401 south Lee street. Water and gas. \$12 50 per month. Apply to WILLIAM WOLF, Jr., 210 Wolfe street. jv17 1w

**FOR RENT**—After July 15th, BRICK DWELLING No. 420 north Washington street, seven rooms and bath. Address P. O. Box 22, Washington, D. C. jv10-tf

**FOR RENT**—The THREE-STORY BRICK DWELLING No. 114 south Fairfax street, now occupied by the Misses Greene. Apply to jv28 tf GEO. UHLER.

**FOR SALE**—The fine, large DWELLING No. 209 south St. Asaph street, containing twelve rooms, bath and all modern improvements. Price \$7,500. Key next door. Address WASHINGTON DANENHOWER, Real Estate and Insurance Broker, 219 N. Washington st. jv29 tf

**FOR RENT**—The DWELLING HOUSE and OFFICE No. 117 south Royal street, either together or separately. Apply at 418 King street or to Mrs. E. D. BAKTON. ap29 tf

**FOR RENT.**

THIRTY ACRES OF LAND, lying immediately in front of the Theological Seminary, adjoining the farm of Wm. Cleveland. Apply at this office. sep15 tf

## COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

**DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.**

The firm heretofore existing between G. Frank Kelly and Jas. W. Carr, and doing business under the firm name of KELLY & CARR, at No. 411 Cameron street, Alexandria, Va., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the firm are requested to make prompt settlement, as further indulgence cannot be allowed, owing to the necessity for promptly winding up the business of the partnership. Either party is authorized to sign in settlement. All persons having claims against the firm will please present the same for settlement. G. FRANK KELLY, JAS. W. CARR. Alexandria, Va., June 1st, 1889. jv5 1m

## FANCY GOODS, NOTIONS, &c.

**OUR SPRING STOCK OF**

**Fancy Goods, Notions, &c.,**

For Ladies, Gentlemen and Children, is now open with new goods coming in daily, and we invite inspection and comparison, as we have the best quality of goods at the lowest prices to be found.

We have also a full stock of Virginia Cassi-meres, Domestic Dry Goods, &c.

Shirts made to order and fit guaranteed.

AMOS B. SLAYMAKER, No. 429 King street. ap2

## HOTELS.

**Patterson's Eldorado House,**

T. J. PATTERSON, Proprietor.

NO. 319-321 CAMERON STREET (Near Old Tontine Hotel).

Having this day (June 27) taken charge of the above elegantly furnished house, I am prepared to serve my friends and the public with the best of everything found in a first-class restaurant and bar room. Thanking my friends for past favors, I shall be glad to see and serve them in my new place. T. J. PATTERSON. jv5

Pool Room and Private Dining Rooms.

## PORTRAITS.

**CRAYON, INDIA INK, WATER COLOR AND PASTEL PORTRAITS.**

**STILL ANOTHER ALEXANDRIA ENTERPRISE**

The undersigned has added to his Photographic business a regular PHOTO COPYING business, with all the necessary facilities for COPYING and ENLARGING OLD PICTURES of every description to any size required and finishing them in either of the above styles at prices and quality that defy competition. Bring your old pictures to us, as you run a risk by sending them away. SOLICITING AGENTS WANTED. PICTURE FRAMES, all sizes and styles. We are also prepared to do all kinds of OUT-DOOR WORK in our line, such as views of residences, on door groups, &c., in city or country. Call and see samples of our work. Respectfully D. H. NARAMORE, 321 KING STREET, Alexandria, Virginia. my23 3m

**ALFRED WRIGHT'S PERFUMES**—Geranium A Leaf, Mary Stewart, Margaretta, White Heliotrope, Frangipani and Violet. ERNEST L. ALLEN, Corner King and Pitt streets. jv19

**FRUIT PUDDING**—A delicious dessert that can be prepared in five minutes at a trifling cost. Assorted flavors. Price 25c per pan, at sale by mh30 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

## WASHINGTON DANENHOWER, Real Estate and Insurance Broker

(Successor to Danenhowe & Son, No. 1115 F STREET N. W., Washington, D. C.)

Real Estate Bought, Sold and Exchanged. Money Invested, Bonds Collected and the Care of