

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Sun rises to-morrow at 6:43; sun sets 5:17. High water 3:00 a. m. and 2:17 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section snow; northerly winds.

PRISONERS SENTENCED.—After the Gazette's report of the trial of Benj. White at Manassas yesterday closed, counsel for defense presented bills of exceptions, which the Judge refused to entertain. The defense moved for a new trial and on the motion being overruled Mr. Campbell stated he would prepare a new bill of exceptions setting forth the last refusal for a new trial. The bills were then read and presented to the court for changes and signature. The progress of the case were then called and stated that they went about 20 yards from the building and were accompanied by two gentlemen who they supposed were deputy sheriffs and that they neither talked to anyone outside nor among themselves. He announced that they would file a bill of exceptions to this division of the case. After remarks by Messrs. Sinclair and Thornton as to their position in connection with the White case, the prisoners were brought in for sentence, which was pronounced in the usual form. The execution was set for Friday, March 30th, between 7 and 11 a. m. Robinson received his sentence with stolid indifference, while White was visibly affected. The prisoners were last night brought here under guard by the Alexandria Light Infantry and placed in jail. When the train drew into the station last night it was met by a large crowd, including many ladies, who had turned out to welcome the soldier boys back home from their first military duty, which they performed with such courage and soldierly behavior as to merit and win the appreciation of all.

The jailer to-day reports the prisoners as despondent but hopeful of a new trial. Should a new trial be denied it is probable that the militia will be called on to guard them back to Manassas at the time of execution.

A number of Alexandrians who attended the trial were entertained by Mr. R. C. Milburn, formerly of this city, but now manager of the Hotel Curry.

SKILLFUL OPERATIONS.—Dr. O'Brien, assisted by Drs. Ashby, Gatewood and Jones, this morning performed a delicate and skillful operation in this city upon Miss Margaret Florence, of Backland, Prince William county. The abdominal cavity was opened by the abdominal section and an ovarian tumor weighing twenty-four pounds was successfully removed. Miss Florence stood the operation exceedingly well, and this evening her condition is considered excellent. This is one of the few occasions on which this operation has been performed in Alexandria, and the skill displayed by Dr. O'Brien and the other surgeons who assisted him has been highly complimented.

On Sunday last Drs. Jones and Ashby performed an operation upon a little son of Mr. Wm. Hamilton, to straighten his club feet. Both feet were successfully operated upon and the deformity which the little fellow has suffered since birth until, it is believed, be entirely corrected.

Drs. Klipstein and Quackenbush, at the Infirmary yesterday, amputated the foot of a youth named Edwin Bradley, from Fairfax, the bone of the lower portion of whose leg had been diseased from scrofula, rendering the foot useless. The foot was successfully amputated and the young man is steadily improving.

Mr. Geo. W. Johnson, a machinist at Simons' tannery, had one of his hands badly lashed yesterday evening by getting it caught in the machinery. Mr. Johnson was taken to his home where his injuries were dressed by Dr. Ashby, who says his patient will soon be about again.

PERSONAL.—Father J. J. Kenefick, an old Richmond boy, who is now stationed at Alexandria, delivered an entertaining and instructive lecture on the history, people and customs of ancient and modern Rome in the rooms of the McGill Catholic Union last evening. Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, the rooms were crowded with auditors who enjoyed Billy Father Kenefick's beautiful descriptions of the ancient city.—Rich. States.

Miss J. F. Sweeney is quite sick at her home on Wolfe street.

Mr. Tyson Jamney, of Occoquan, and Miss Helen Mela Gibson, daughter of Mr. Douglas Gibson, of Fauquier county, were married in the Methodist Church at Upperville to-day.

Mr. R. W. Avery, formerly of this city, was stricken with paralysis at his home in Washington, yesterday. His condition is considered critical.

Rev. J. I. Vance was in the city to-day on his way to Washington where he went to make arrangements with Moody and Sankey for their meetings to be held in Norfolk.

POLICE COURT.—Mayor Strauss presiding.—The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Charles Williams, colored, arrested by Officer Griffin for stealing articles from St. John's Academy, was sent to the chain gang for 30 days.

Edward Girty and George Boston, colored, arrested by Officer Griffin and charged with fighting, were fined \$2.50 each.

Maria Thornton and Wm. Turner, both colored, arrested by the same officers for disorderly conduct, were fined \$5 each.

A young man arrested by Officer Rowson, for disorderly conduct toward Mrs. M. M. Jones, was fined \$5.

Night Report.—Last night was partly cloudy and cold. Six prisoner and an average number of lodgers were at the station house.

BODY SNATCHER CAUGHT.—On Sunday last the body of a respectable colored woman, who had died the Friday previous, was interred near Oxon Hill, in Maryland, opposite this city. Last night as a colored man was passing along the road, near by, he saw a wagon and three men at the grave. He at once went to a store in the neighborhood and told some other colored men about the matter and all proceeded to the grave. They captured the horse, wagon and resurrecting implements and one of the colored men but the other two escaped. The captured man was severely beaten and forced to tell the names of his accomplices. He also told the name of a Washington

doctor who had employed them to get the body. The man was held for the action of the authorities.

OPERA HOUSE.—The talented young comedian, Wilfred Clarke, will on Thursday night again be seen at the Opera House in his popular comedy, "Fit for Tat." As the nervous, irritable and exceedingly jealous young husband Mr. Clarke has no equal, and as he has retained the same excellent company which supported him last season, an artistic and vivacious presentation of "Fit for Tat" may be expected.

Davis's big Uncle Tom's Cabin Company, said to be the largest and most complete company of its kind traveling, will give a presentation of this well known dramatization at the Opera House Saturday night. Press and public with one accord pronounce this a grand production of Mrs. Stow's novel.

An order given for a cabinet photograph to every purchaser of a baby carriage at M. Ruben & Sons.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

At a meeting of the Royal Arcanum last night six members were initiated and five applications received.

The funeral of the late Mr. Alfred Herbert, who died suddenly in Washington on Monday, took place to-day from St. Paul's Church chapel.

The plan to have fish ponds on the newly made flats at Washington is objected to by the engineer in charge of the improvement of the Potomac flats.

Rev. Wm. E. Monroe, M. D., died at his home in Baltimore yesterday, aged 73 years. He formerly resided in this city and was an uncle of Lieut. S. L. Monroe.

Patents have been issued to Henry W. Wildt, of this city, for watch-bowlers, and to Powhatan S. Buckley, Catharpin, for a trade-mark for veterinary remedies.

Judge Hughes, of the U. S. Court, was unable to reach this city to-day, and the jury and witnesses were notified to be in attendance to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

The steamer Harry Randall, which is having her broken shaft repaired at Newport News, will resume her regular trips on the Potomac river, commencing on Tuesday, the 20th.

The Washington Club, composed entirely of Washingtonians, held a banquet last night at the Concordia Hotel, Mr. Carl Bohraus superintended the arrangements, and had the banquet-room beautifully decorated. About 20 members sat down to the repast. President Chas. Groff acted as master of ceremonies.

The meeting of the Board of Directors of the Christian Union Mission has been deferred until Saturday night at 7 o'clock. The meeting to-night will be held by Mr. Hagart; to-morrow night by Mr. Frank Rawlinson, Friday night by Mr. Frank Rawlinson, and Saturday night by Mr. S. W. Goodson.

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DRY GOODS.

Woodward & Lothrop.

10th, 11th and F Sts., N. W.

VALENTINES AND BOOKLETS—FIRST FLOOR.

CANDY DEPARTMENT—BASEMENT.

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

All-wool German Henrietta in Browns, Garnets, Cardinals, Greens, Navy, Lavender, Nile, and Ecu. Imported to suit for 50c. This lot 25c a yard.

Two-toned Diagonals, cotton warp, with wool filling, 36-inches wide. Regular price, 37 1/2c. This lot 29c a yard.

Spring novelties, all-wool and silk and wool, 28 inches wide. Exceptional value at 39c a yard.

(First floor, 10th-st. building.)

FLANNEL DEPARTMENT.

French Wrapper Flannel, strictly all wool, cream and salmon grounds, with sprays of dainty flowers and green leaves. Reduced from 65c to 54c a yard.

(Second floor, 11th-st. building.)

HANDKERCHIEF DEPARTMENT.

Women's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, fine and sheer, all-edges, hand-embroidered. Regular price 25c.

15c; 6 for \$1.00.

(First floor, 10th-st. building.)

FAN DEPARTMENT.

Feather Fans; white, cream, and pretty shades, enameled sticks to match. Regular price, \$1.00. A bargain at 75c.

Children's hand-painted Quill Feather Fans; gilt sticks. Regular price 25c.

(Center table, 1st floor, 11th-st. building.)

STAMPED LINES.

The goods are new, and the designs are pretty, and attractive.

Monie Scarfs, fringed, 18x54, 25c.

Damask Scarfs, hemstitched, 18x72, 50c.

Linen Stocking Bags, 50c.

(First floor, 10th-st. building.)

JAPANESE DEPARTMENT.

Individual Butters, dozen, 25c.

Incorated Oatmeal Bows, 4c.

After-dinner Coffee Cups and Saucers, 7c.

Fire-proof Teapots, 10c.

Cloth and Paper Screens, from \$2.25 up.

(Third floor, 1st and 2nd annexes.)

BLANKET DEPARTMENT.

10-4 "Mohawk" cotton-and-wool. Reduced from \$2.00 to \$1.75 each.

10-1 "Boston" wool. Reduced from \$4.00 to \$3.50 a pair.

(Second floor, 11th-st. building.)

GOODS DELIVERED IN ALEXANDRIA.

Woodward & Lothrop,

10th, 11th & F Sts., n. w.,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

MONEY AND HOME ready for someone seeking a nice home. House will be transferred with Building Association book to a good party at a sacrifice of several hundred dollars. Address "HOME," Gazette Office. feb14

TO-DAY'S TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Foreign News.

LONDON, Feb. 14.—The Pall Mall Gazette says that hand bills dated London and threatening the life of President Carnot are in circulation in Algeria.

ROME, Feb. 14.—An Etruscan tomb that was discovered some days ago at Tarquinii was opened to-day and found to be filled with relics of the period 800 B. C.

PARIS, Feb. 14.—A bomb was found this morning in the doorway of the Banque de la Societe Generale. It is now in the hands of the police who are having its contents examined.

BERLIN, Feb. 14.—The Reichstag has adopted a proposal made by Herren Richert and Goeber to introduce in Germany the Australian method of polling. A very large majority of the members voted in favor of the proposal.

WARSZAW, Feb. 14.—The police here claim to have discovered an extensive conspiracy, the object of which was to secure the freedom of Poland. The conspirators are said to include nihilists, as well as persons not usually found affiliating with members of that sect.

Gambling Carnival.

St. Louis, Feb. 14.—A special from the City of Mexico says: The annual gambling carnival which has been running for ten days in the suburbs of Tacubaya has called forth an unusual amount of criticism. This year many robberies by the sharpers are reported and among the fleeced have been a number of American tourists. The gambling resorts have run day and night and the number of games is so great that the streets of the place have also been tenanted all through the day and into the night with all sorts of swindling devices.

Attacked by Lions.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—During the performance at Colonel Boone's arena, at the mid-winter fair last night, the electric lights went out and in the darkness one of the keepers, Carl Thieman, was attacked and horribly mutilated by two fierce lions. Doubts are entertained as to Thieman's recovery. He was rescued from certain death by the coolness of Colonel Boone, who entered the cage and beat the animals back from their victim.

Mail Stage Held Up.

PIERCE CITY, Mo., Feb. 14.—Two masked men held up and robbed the mail stage yesterday at Briceville, near this place. They covered the driver with Winchester and demanded that he turn over the mail bags and a large sum of money. They secured two valuable mail registered packages and told the driver to move on and not look back, which order he obeyed till he reached this place.

The Pollard-Breckinridge Suit.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 14.—The taking of depositions in the Pollard-Breckinridge case commences Thursday morning. Seventy witnesses have been summoned and Miss Pollard will attempt to substantiate the charges made in her suit. Colonel Breckinridge will introduce a score or more of witnesses in rebuttal. The proceedings will take up several days.

Local Option Sustained in Roanoke.

ROANOKE, Va., Feb. 14.—Judge Woods, of the Hustings Court, rendered a decision in the local option contested election case to-day, declaring the election of September 5th last valid. Consequently, prohibition will go into effect here on April 1st unless the decision of Judge Woods should be reversed by a higher court. The anti-option people will appeal.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Fire this morning destroyed the colonnade between the Agricultural building and Machinery Hall in the World's Fair grounds, Chicago.

The John Y. McKane contempt case came up again this morning in the general term, Supreme Court, of Brooklyn, but went over for thirty days in order to allow counsel to prepare briefs and final papers.

There are no new developments at the Gaylord mine in Plymouth, Pa. The rescuers are working hard through the solid coal to reach the entombed miners. So far they have been unable to communicate with them in any way.

Matilda Hyde, aged 49, a well-known maiden lady of York, Pa., was killed by the cars this morning. She attempted to run across the tracks in the southwestern part of the city in front of an approaching train. Nearly every bone in her body was broken.

Senator James H. Berry yesterday addressed a communication to the voters of Arkansas, announcing his candidacy for re-election. Senator Berry asks for the support of the people of Arkansas on the grounds of his opposition to the unjust application for pensions, his fight against the force bill, his efforts to secure appropriations for improvements along the Mississippi river, and other measures.

It is probable that in the absence of a peremptory refusal to allow his name to be considered the friends of Gov. McKinley will present his name at the convention which will nominate a successor to Representative Likert.

Snow commenced falling again yesterday afternoon throughout Kansas and the efforts to restore railroad communication with the western part of the State will be further impeded.

A battle occurred near Anson, Tex., last night between deputy sheriffs and a band of horse thieves, in which one of the latter was mortally wounded.

Admiral Saldaña Da Gama, the Brazilian rebel commander, who was wounded in the neck and arm during the battle of Armacao on Friday last, is in a critical condition.

FIFTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

SENATE.

Mr. Frye stated that there had appeared in the newspapers a few weeks since, a statement that the W. C. T. U. had petitioned Congress for an increase in the tax on whisky. He had now the pleasure of presenting a remonstrance from the National W. C. T. U. against a tax on whisky. These excellent women, said Mr. Frye, do not believe that the United States ought to enter into co-partnership in either the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors.

The "unfinished business" was then taken up, being the House bill regarding railroad companies in the territories to maintain stations at towns established by the Interior Department.

The bill was discussed by Senators Palmer in support of the bill and by Martin against it. The latter declared with much emphasis, that he was not a friend to railroad companies and that he had never been a candidate for public office when railroad people did not try to cut his throat. But in this case the Legislature of Oklahoma had full and complete power over the subject and Congress should not try to usurp that power for the purpose of entering into a town-site fight in Oklahoma.

HOUSE.

A communication was laid before the House suggesting that the statue of "Liberty Enlightening the World" in New York harbor be utilized as a beacon.

Mr. Reed called attention to the fact that Messrs. Quigg and Straus, members-elect from New York, were present, and that although their credentials had not been received there was no question as to their election. He asked unanimous consent that they take the oath of office. No objection being made, the members-elect were sworn in.

Mr. Bland made efforts to limit the time for general debate on the seigniorage bill and to reduce the time allowed each speaker from one hour to twenty minutes, but without success. The bill was then taken up and Mr. Stone spoke in favor of it.

During the debate Mr. Bland accused Mr. Reed of never losing an opportunity of trying to break a quorum. Mr. Reed replied with considerable heat, and Mr. Bland in like manner proceeded to speak at length. The chair pounded for order and finally instructed the Sergeant-at-Arms to seat Mr. Bland.

Richmond Terminal Reorganization.

The modifications of the Richmond Terminal plan of reorganization that have been substantially agreed upon are a reduction of the assessment on the common stock from \$12.50 to \$10 per share, and for the assessment a percentage of new bonds and preferred stock to be given as well as common stock on the basis originally contemplated. Having this change, the underwriting syndicate will be reduced 25 per cent.—that is, from \$15,000,000 to \$11,250,000. The reduction in the assessment, as well as the underwriting, is due to the fact that the reorganization committee has persuaded some of the floating-debt creditors to accept a portion of their money in securities and not entirely in cash, as at first proposed.

THE OYSTER COMMISSION.—The joint oyster commission appointed by the Maryland legislature to confer with a similar committee to be appointed by the Virginia legislature, with the view of fixing a time limit for the catching of oysters in the waters of the two states, held a meeting in Annapolis yesterday, and subsequently transmitted to Speaker Caldwell, of the Virginia legislature, a copy of the resolution, together with the request that the Virginia legislature take immediately action. The Maryland committee is made up of Senators Waters and Wilkinson and Delegates Legg, Stone and Keenan. It is understood that the Virginia legislature is favorably disposed toward the proposed legislation.

GOOD TEMPLES.—District Lodge, No. 13, held its regular quarterly meeting yesterday and last night and discussed considerable business of interest to the order. It was largely attended and much interest was manifested in the annual election of officers. The meeting was held at Falls Church, and the following officers were elected: District Chief Templar, George H. Hayden, of this city; District Secretary, Miss Elsie Bowman, of Vienna; District Secretary, J. H. Garrison, of Falls Church; District Past, Chief Templar, Geo. W. Hawaburst, of Falls Church. The other officers are appointed. The next meeting will be with Golden Light Lodge, of this city.

In the last stages of consumption, when tubercles have formed, and the disintegration of the lung tissue goes rapidly on, nothing can be done but to smooth the unfortunate sufferer's way to the grave. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, the old reliable remedy, promotes easy expectation, thereby giving relief and comfort to the patient.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

New York, Feb. 14.—There was a fair demand for stocks after the opening for both the long and short account. The market was strengthened by the rally in May wheat to 64 1/2c here. Stocks at eleven o'clock were strong.

Alexandria Market, February 14.—The markets are literally without new features and are very quiet to-day. Flour is easy. Wheat is a little firmer and in small receipt; sales 5 1/2, 59, 60 and 61. Corn 45 to 47. Rye 44 to 46. Oats 35 to 39. Eggs 15 to 17. Butter 14 to 18. Other Produce is in good demand. Bacon, Sugar and Provisions are steady. Millfeed is active. Hay is weak. Straw is very dull.

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Wheat—Feb 5 1/2, May 20 1/2, July 6 1/2, 1902, Corn—Feb 3 1/2, May 37 1/2, July 37 1/2, Oats—Feb 28, May 29 1/2, July 27 1/2, Pork—Feb 27 1/2, May 112 1/2, Lard—Feb 27 1/2, May 87 1/2, July 87 1/2, Ribs—Feb 86 1/2, May 86 1/2.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Flour dull and easy. Wheat firm and fairly active. Corn firmer and quiet. Pork quiet and steady; mess \$13 75 to \$14 25. Lard quiet and steady; steam \$7 85 to \$7 90.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 14.—Flour dull. Wheat inactive and higher; spot and Feb 6 1/4; May 6 1/4.

DRY GOODS.

CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET, Feb. 13.—(Continued from page 1.)

At Union stock yards—Some 110 cattle were offered and sold as follows: Best 4 1/2 year, good 3 1/2 year, medium 3 1/2 year, common 2 1/2 year per lb. Some 109 Sheep and Lambs were on the market with sales as follows: Sheep sold at 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 per lb. Lambs 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 per lb. Cows with calves sold from 8 25 to \$45 each. State of market for all kinds of stock was fair.

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Sch. Governor Cleveland, Kinale, lumber by J. H. D. Smith.

DRY GOODS.

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Magnetic Bargains

FOR THE ENSUING WEEK.

WHY IS IT that the largest crowds go to Bendheim's?

WHY IS IT that people from all over the city attend our sales?

WHY IS IT that all go away pleased and thank God that they are?

BECAUSE we offer unmatchable bargains. All goods must move and we do not stop at any reduction to accomplish this end. Rich and moderate, circumstance alike, are interested in our sales. Beginning MONDAY our store will assume its new spring garb. On our counters will be displayed the choicest Spring Line of Percals, White Goods, Prints, Satines, Chambrays, &c.

Behold the Array of Bargains.

FRENCH SATINES.

25 pieces French Satines, solid color grounds, fitted in shades of Helio, Magenta, Nile and Rose, in designs of floral sprays, buds, leaves and stripes. These are truly magnificent. Satines that were imported to retail at 25c. Our price 12 1/2c per yard.

See our window display of French Satines.

WAMUTTA PERCALS.

Every lady knows the value and quality of Wamutta Percals. We have 1,000 yards in short lengths, neat figures and stripes, suitable for Wrappers and Boys' Waists, of value 15c per yard. These 1,000 yards of Wamutta 36-inch Percals to be sold at the ridiculously low figure, 8c per yard.

LINEN FINISH CHAMBRAYS.

One case 50 pieces Linen Finish Chambrays, in solid colors of Pink, Light Blue, Nile, Helio, Lavender, with neat figures. Entirely new for spring wear, 12 1/2c value. Our price 6c.

NEW SPRING HENRIETTAS.

15 pieces 36-inch Wool Faced Henriettas, 15 different shadings, including the new shades Magnet, Blending Brown, 30c value. Our price 25c.

TWO SPECIAL BARGAINS IN BLEACHED COTTON.

1,500 yards fine Bleached Cotton, one yard wide, worth 7c, for 5c per yard.

1,500 yards Bleached Cotton, free from dressing, one yard wide, worth 10c, for 6c per yard.

The brands of these (which you are all familiar with) are withheld by special agreement with the seller.

SILKALINE DRAPERIES.

50 pieces finest quality Silkline Draperies, new floral designs, worth 25c. Our price 15c.

HOSIERY.

50 doz. Ladies' and Misses' Fast Black Hosiery, full regular, high spliced heel, derby ribbed, sizes 5 to 9 1/2, a 25c leader for 15c per pair.

WHITE GOODS.

25 pieces fine Satin Check Nainsooks, worth 8c, for 5c a yard.

15 pieces large Satin Plaid Nainsooks, worth 12c, for 8c a yard.

10 pieces heavy Satin Stripe Nainsooks, with lace effects, worth 20c, for 10c a yard.

500 yards fine India Linen, worth 12c, for 8c a yard.

500 yards yard-wide India Linen, worth 10c, for 7c a yard.

5 pieces White Linen Finish Ducking, for Lawn Tennis and Yachting Suits, worth 25c, for 15c a yard.

10 pieces 40-inch Apronettes, with beautiful lace sidebands, worth 15c, for 10c a yard.

GENTS' OUTFITTING SHIRTS.

50 doz. (dolls) new spring flannel Flannel Shirts. Some firms make a big burrah of them at 90c. Our price 30c.

MISCELLANEOUS BARGAINS.

Best quality India Blue Prints, short lengths, 5c.

Dress Gingham, in remnants 2 to 10 yards, worth 10c, for 5c a yard.

Good quality Crashes, in plain and twill, 3c.

Yard wide heavy Brown Cotton, worth 7c, for 6c a yard.