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EDICINAL.

The advantage of a policeman over a burglar is that the officer has the law on his side. Health has the same advantage over disease. The Law of Nature is for people to be healthy. When they are sick, Nature helps to cure them. Nature's law is the guide for curing sick people. There is no way but Nature's way. What the doctors call many different diseases Nature cures in one way; by nourishing the whole body with good, pure, rich, red blood. That is Nature's way of curing scrofula, erysipelas, kidney and "liver complaint," consumption and every form of exhaustive and wasting disease. When you want to help Nature with medicine the medicine must work the same way as Nature works, then it has the laws of Nature on its side to make it powerful. That is the secret of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery's wonderful cures. It assists Nature according to her own laws; it is on Nature's side and Nature helps it; it imparts new power to the nutritive and blood making organs to create a large quantity of fresh, red, healthy blood which drives every germ of disease out of the system and builds up strong healthy tissues and *solid* flesh. The "Discovery" completely clears away every form of blood-disease from the system; It even cures consumption. It is the only true radical cure for that disease; facts and testimony to prove it.

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IDEAL TISSUES in Beautiful colors, at A. C. SLAYMAKER'S.

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WOODLAWN FARMERS' CLUB.

The Woodlawn Farmers' Club met at the home of Alfred H. Roberts on the 23d of May, with President Harrison in the chair. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

In reference to the bill for a farmers' market in Washington it was stated by Maj. Hine that the District committee had reported adversely, but they favored a measure somewhat in the nature of a compromise.

Exacts from the synopsis of crop reports for May were read and a comparison of views as to the crop prospects in this section resulted in the opinion that the wheat crop would not go above 70 and the hay crop 40. A length discussion followed about the difficulty of raising good hay crops of late years. A good crop of hay was the exception rather than the rule now.

When weather conditions favored the chances were that weeds would predominate and how to surpress or eliminate the weeds was now the burning question.

The prevailing custom of feeding the hay at home—the foul seeds going into the manure and then back on the land—did not tend to lessen the evil but to increase it some thought we would have to go back to the old system of summer fallowing. Then, too, many foul seeds are in the grass seed we buy. A member mentioned being on a farm in western Maryland a few days ago, where they were harvesting clover seed that was to be put on the market, and he would have been very loth to use it on his farm. The best place to get clover seed had been from the prairie farms of the far west, but there was now danger that the Russian thistle would be introduced in the seed from there. As an illustration of how that latest "noxiousness" can spread it was stated that one of those northwestern farmers put a tag on one of them and it was later on found sixty miles from there. John Munroe's name was presented for membership and he was duly elected. Club then adjourned to meet at the residence of Mrs. Pierson on the 20th of June.

W. GILLINGHAM,
Secretary.

GOING TO CUBA AS A NURSE.—Cuba, says a New York special, is to have a Florence Nightingale. Mrs. Lee Villard Hill, second cousin of the Consul General to Havana, Fitzhugh Lee, is a trained nurse, and a graduate of the New York Nurses' Training School. Fully realizing all the dangers of such a trip, it is her fixed intention to go to the assistance of the wounded and dying soldiers of the Cuban army. The officers of the junta have told her the chances of her return to this country are very slight, but she desires to go to the field. Her services will be of the greatest value, and she will go on the next expedition. Mrs. Hill is a widow, although less than 25 years old, and has a most attractive manner. Her mother, who is enthusiastic over the project, it is said, carried dispatches for General Beauregard in the late war, and Mrs. Hill has roughed it upon the plains, and knows what hardships there are in camp life. She will wear in Cuba a neat suit of dark canvas bloomers and military fatigue jacket, broad-brimmed slouch hat and buckskin leggings over heavy-soled shoes. In addition to her nurse's kit she will carry a blanket and a knapsack upon her shapely shoulders.—*Philadelphia Press.*

MEDICINAL.

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OFFICIAL.

LICENSE LAW.

An Ordinance for Imposing and Collecting Licenses within the City of Alexandria, for the Year commencing on the 1st day of June, 1896, and ending on the 31st day of May, 1897.

Be it Ordained by the City Council of Alexandria, That there shall be levied upon and collected from all persons required to be listed as subject to a license tax, the following taxes, viz:

1. On every license to sell ardent spirits or wines at wholesale, there shall be levied a tax of seventy dollars. This applies to persons selling in quantities of five gallons or more.

[NOTE.—Any person desiring to carry on the business of a wholesale liquor dealer and also that of a retail liquor merchant, shall obtain a separate license for each, but his retail license shall only be one-half of that required by section three.]

2. On every license to every brewer or wholesale dealer in malt liquors, twenty-five dollars.

3. On every license to sell wines, ardent spirits, or malt liquors, or any mixture thereof at retail, seventy-five dollars. (A license to sell liquors by retail shall include the privilege to sell in quantities not exceeding five (5) gallons at any one time to any individual; this shall include the privilege to sell, to be delivered to the purchaser in bottles, jugs and demijohns or other vessels and also the privilege to be drunk where sold.)

4. On every ordinary ninety-five dollars, and the right to keep an ordinary shall contain all the rights and privileges of a retail liquor dealer.

5. On every commission merchant or firm the specific license or tax shall be twenty five dollars.

6. On every person for the privilege of peddling or bartering, the tax shall be ten dollars, and only the person named therein shall be privileged to peddle under this license.

7. On every person or corporation conducting the business of real estate agent, or broker, there shall be levied a specific tax of fifty dollars.

8. On every auctioneer forty dollars, and no auctioneer shall sell real estate at public auction without taking out a license under this section.

9. On every person canvassing to sell books, maps, prints or pictures already published or peddling the same, ten dollars.

10. On every person canvassing for subscribers to any book or map, print or picture not yet published, ten dollars.

11. On all agents for the sale of manufactured articles, sold by them on commission, or otherwise, ten dollars.

12. On every junk dealer, one hundred dollars.

13. On every person canvassing or buying any junk or any other matter for any junk dealer, or for sale to any junk dealer doing business in this city, fifteen dollars, and only one person can canvass under this license.

14. On every person who shall sell tobacco or cigars in quantities not less than one box, except manufacturers, five dollars.

15. On every ship broker, thirty dollars.

16. On every money broker, or firm of brokers or bankers, having an office within the city, one hundred and fifty dollars.

17. On every pawnbroker, fifty dollars.

18. On every rectifier of distilled spirits or wines by any process, sixty dollars.

19. On every commercial broker, as defined in the revenue laws of the State, there shall be a license tax of forty dollars. This does not apply to bucket shops.

20. On every proprietor of a bucket shop or dealer in puts, calls or futures on or for flour, grain, cotton, pork, lard or oil, two hundred and fifty dollars.

21. On every person or persons acting as agent or agents for any fire, marine, life or other insurance company, or companies, having an office in the city of Alexandria, forty dollars on each company represented by such agent; and for each assistant or soliciting agent ten dollars. On every person seeking business for or soliciting for any companies who have no agencies in the city of Alexandria, fifty dollars for each company so represented.

22. On every hotel, or house of public entertainment, twenty dollars. Liquors cannot be sold under this section.

23. On every house of private entertainment the license tax shall be five dollars, and five per cent. on the rental value in excess of two hundred dollars.

24. On every cook shop or eating house, the tax shall be five dollars.

25. On every person or persons keeping a bowling alley, or saloon, the specific license tax shall be ten dollars, and five dollars on each alley in such house in excess of one.

26. On every person or firm keeping a billiard table or pool table for public use, whether a charge be made for playing or not, fifteen dollars, and five dollars on each table in excess of one.

27. On every person or firm keeping a bagatelle or other similar table for public use, whether a charge be made for playing or not, five dollars on each table.

28. On every theatrical performance, or any performance similar thereto, panorama, or any public performance or exhibition of any kind, lecture, literary readings and performances, except for charitable or educational purposes, in any hall or public room or other building, where an admission fee is charged, for each week of performance of six consecutive days, five dollars; if less than one week, one dollar for each performance.

29. On every exhibition of a circus or menagerie or either of them, fifty dollars for each day's performance, and for every side show or exhibition connected therewith, or traveling therewith, five dollars for each day's performance. On every exhibition or show where gifts or prizes are distributed or promised, ten dollars for the first day's performance, and five dollars for each additional day, provided said performances are given within one week.

30. On the proprietor of any room fitted up for public exhibition for which rent is charged, twenty dollars; for assembly or other halls, ten dollars.

31. On every person selling or offering to sell refreshments in any such hall, room or tent, during such performance, two dollars.

32. On every attorney at law, physician or dentist, whose practice does not exceed $1,000 per annum, fifteen dollars; on those whose practice is in excess of $1,000 and less than $2,000, twenty dollars, and on those whose practice is more than $2,000, twenty-five dollars.

33. On every owner or keeper of a daguerrean, photograph or sun picture gallery, or any photographer doing business in this city, fifteen dollars.

34. On every person canvassing for the purpose of enlarging photographs, or sun pictures, or for making crayons, photographs, paintings or other pictures, whether a charge be made or not for such enlarged photographs, sun pictures, crayons, photographs, paintings or pictures, fifteen dollars.

34½. On every person canvassing for the sale of picture frames, or holders of any kind, fifteen dollars.

35. On every agent for renting houses or other real estate, ten dollars.

36. On every person or firm except licensed merchants, who shall sell or offer to sell, buy or offer to buy for themselves or others, grain of any kind or description whatsoever, or other produce on 'Change, there shall be levied a specific tax of twenty dollars.

37. On every merchant tailor, whose stock in trade is less than $500, ten dollars, and on those whose stock is more than $500, twenty-five dollars.

38. On every green grocer, twenty dollars; meaning by this term any person or persons who shall sell at his or their place of business butchers' meats and vegetables. And on every green grocer who does not sell meats, five dollars.

39. On each and every butcher, or dealer in fresh meats, selling meat within the public market, five dollars.

40. On each and every butcher or dealer in fresh meats, selling outside of the public market, fifteen dollars.

41. On every person canvassing for the purpose of buying any matter of subsistence, and who shall sell the same within the public market, there shall be levied a tax of five dollars: *Provided*, That butchers, commission merchants or merchants shall be exempt from this tax. This law applies to hucksters.

42 On every person for the privilege of peddling green groceries on the streets of the city there shall be levied a tax of fifteen dollars, but this shall not apply to persons who sell vegetables of their own raising.

43. On every fish dealer, wholesale or retail, ten dollars, but this shall not apply to persons who sell the fish they themselves have caught.

44. On every person selling, on commission, horses, mules, cattle hogs, live stock, or any of them, or buying or selling the same for profit, fifteen dollars.

45. On every person or firm selling ice, coal, and wood, or either of them, where such person or firm requires two or more wagons or carts in their business for the delivery and sale of ice, coal and wood, or either of them, there shall be levied a specific license tax of twenty dollars, and twenty-five cents on every hundred dollars of purchases in excess of two thousand dollars, and on each person or firm using one cart or wagon in their business a specific license tax of ten dollars, and twenty-five cents on each hundred dollars of purchases in excess of two thousand dollars, and on every person or firm selling at their place of business ice, coal and wood or either of them in small quantities a specific license tax of five dollars.

46. On all agents for the sale of lager beer, porter, or ale, manufactured out of the city, twenty-five dollars.

47. On each agent for the sale in the city of ginger beer, pop, mineral water, catawba or soda water, manufactured without the city, fifty dollars, and said agent shall be privileged to distribute the same to his customers and collect his bottles and fountains without tax on the horse or wagon used for the purpose.

48. On every telephone company, the sum of one hundred dollars.

49. On every telegraph company receiving messages in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, and forwarding or transmitting them to points within the State of Virginia, not including any business done for the Government of the United States, its officers or agents, and not including any business done to and from points without the State or receiving or transmitting messages from points within the State of Virginia and delivering the said messages in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, not including any business done for the Government of the United States, its officers or agents, and not including any business done to and from points without the State, in addition to the tax on the assessed value of their property, one hundred dollars.

49½. On every express company receiving goods, wares and merchandise, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, and forwarding them to points within the State of Virginia, or receiving goods, wares or merchandise within the State of Virginia, and delivering them in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, and not including any business done to and from points without the State, in addition to the tax on the assessed value of their property, there shall be levied and collected a license tax of one hundred dollars.

50. On every livery stable, thirty-five dollars, and for each stall therein fifty cents.

51. On every person keeping any house or lot or yard for storing goods, wares, merchandise, wood, or coal, lime, salt, guano, or such like commodities for compensation, ten dollars.

52. On every bill poster, ten dollars.

53. On any person or persons distributing illustrated papers or printed matter of any description, except regularly licensed bill posters, ten dollars, but this shall not apply to residents of this city advertising their business by hand bills, cards, circulars, pictures, &c.

54. On every dog, regardless of sex, one dollar and twenty-five cents.

55. On every license to a person or firm to keep for compensation a house, a yard, or lot, as a shooting galley, the tax shall be five dollars per month.

56. On every license to a person to keep a flying horse or swinging machine, run by hand three dollars, by steam ten dollars per month.

57. For every license on a four-horse omnibus or wagon, whether used for hire or not, eight dollars.

58. For every license on a two-horse omnibus, used for hire or otherwise, five dollars.

59. On a two-horse wagon, four dollars.

60. On a one-horse cart, wagon, buggy, or other vehicle of the like kind, two dollars, but this does not apply to licensed livery stable keepers.

61. On a two-horse hack or carriage, four dollars. But this shall not apply to licensed livery stable keepers.

62. On every hearse, ten dollars.

63. On every person selling upon the public streets any patent medicines, patent rights, receipts, prescriptions, or any drug or article of any kind or description whatsoever, there shall be a tax of two dollars per day, or ten dollars per week.

64. On every oyster dealer, there shall be a specific tax of three dollars.

65. All persons owning or hiring horses and vehicles, and who make any charge for hauling their own merchandise, or the merchandise of others, shall be liable to the license tax of two dollars on horses and vehicles.

All persons embraced in this ordinance are required to make returns to the Commissioner of the Revenue at his office in the market building. He shall assess the license tax chargeable in this ordinance, and shall furnish to the Mayor, the Auditor, and Finance Committee the detailed amount of the assessment made on license, the name of the person or firm, and the period for which and under what section said license is issued, and shall duly certify the same on oath. The said amount of tax shall be paid to the Mayor before he shall issue the license, and all licenses shall state the amount assessed and paid for the privilege to be exercised, and for what period of time. The Commissioner of the Revenue shall be entitled to collect of the party taking the license a fee of 50 cents for each license. Where licenses for two or more vehicles of the same kind are issued, only a fee of 50 cents shall be charged. The licenses so granted, as aforesaid, shall be payable on or before the 1st day of July, 1896.

Any person who shall engage in or exercise any business, employment or profession without a license, where one or more is required, shall pay a fine of not less than three dollars, nor more than five dollars per day.

It shall be the duty of the Chief or Lieutenant of Police, or such officer as the Mayor may detail, to call quarterly upon each and every person doing business in the city and demand an exhibit of his or her license. The officer shall make his report to the Mayor, stating whether or not any person is doing a business other than that for which he or she has taken out a license, and should such be the case, the offender shall be fined not less than five nor more than ten dollars, and be required to take out the proper license.

Every license granted for the unexpired portion of the term heretofore mentioned, shall be charged *pro rata* unless otherwise provided; but no license shall be granted for a longer period than to the first day of June, 1897, and no license shall be granted for a smaller sum than one dollar.

All subjects not specifically embraced in this ordinance and liable to taxation under the laws of the State, shall be assessed by the Commissioner of Revenue the same as for State purposes

Sec 66. This act shall be in force from its passage.

Passed Common Council May 12, 1896.
L. E. UHLER, President pro tem.
Passed Board of Aldermen May 26, 1896.
W. H. MARBURY, President.
Approved May 27, 1896.
L. H. THOMPSON, Mayor.
Teste: JNO. T. JOHNSON, Clerk C. C.

APPROPRIATION BILL.

AN ACT to Appropriate a Part of the City Revenue for the Fiscal Year Ending May 31, 1897.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the City Council of Alexandria, That a part of the revenue of the city for the year ending May 31, 1897, be, and the same is hereby appropriated as follows; viz:

For Salaries	$ 6,000 00
The Police Force	11,650 00
Public Schools	13,500 00
Repairing Streets	500 00
Cleaning Streets	4,000 00
Pumps and Repairing	200 00
Chain Gang	1,200 00
Poor and Work House and Out door Poor	4,200 00
Printing and Advertising	500 00
Fire Department	6,700 00
Fire Plugs	300 00
New Building, Hydraulion Engine Company	3,000 00
Public Property	800 00
City Council and offices	1,250 00
Contingencies	150 00
Board of Health	500 00
Election Expenses	300 00
Ground Rents	100 00
Electric Lights	8,000 00
Courts and Jail	4,000 00
Law Expenses	500 00
Interest on Public Debt	30,000 00
Coroner's Inquests	150 00
Alexandria Infirmary	500 00
King and Pitt Street Sewer	12,000 00
Total	$110,000 00

Section 2. That it shall not be lawful for the Auditor to issue his warrant for any amount in excess of the several appropriations aforesaid, and it shall be his duty at the next meeting of the City Council to notify them if any of these appropriations are exhausted, and thereafter, until further appropriations are made, no warrant shall be drawn beyond the amounts herein appropriated.

Section 3. This act shall be in force from its passage.

Passed Board of Aldermen May 26, 1896.
W. H. MARBURY, President.
Passed Common Council May 26, 1896.
HUBERT SNOWDEN, President.
Approved May 27, 1896.
L. H. THOMPSON, Mayor.
Teste: JNO. T. JOHNSON, Clerk C. C.

The Ideal Panacea.

James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an Ideal Panacea for Coughs, Colds and Lung Complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physician's prescriptions or other preparations."

Rev. John Burgus, Keokuk, Iowa, says: "I have been a Minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church for 50 years or more, and have never found anything so beneficial, or that gave me such speedy relief as Dr. King's New Discovery" Try this Ideal Cough Remedy now. Trial Bottles free at Ernest L. Allen's Drug Store.

Mr. D. P. Davis, a prominent liveryman and merchant of Goshen, Va., has this to say on the subject of rheumatism: "I take pleasure in recommending Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism, as I know from personal experience that it will do all that is claimed for it. A year ago this spring my brother was laid up in bed with inflammatory rheumatism and suffered intensely. The first application of Chamberlain's Palm Balm eased the pain and the use of one bottle completely cured him." For sale by L. Stabler & Co. druggists.

It is a fortunate day for a man when he first discovers the value of Ayer's Sarsaparilla as a blood purifier. With this medicine, he knows he has found a remedy upon which he may rely, and that his life-long malady is at last conquered. Has cured others, will cure you.

For Over Fifty Years

AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. Is pleasant to the taste. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup and take no other kind. jan17 eod&w1yr

WANTS.

WANTED.—A SETTLED WOMAN white or colored, to do house work and cooking in a family of three. Wages $7 per month. Write or apply at 405 New Jersey avenue, S. E., Washington, D. C. my20 3t*

WANTED

Energetic, reliable men to solicit orders for Nursery Stock. Permanent employment. Good pay. Varieties especially adapted to the South. Stocks warranted true to name. Write at once for terms and territory.

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WANTED—AN AGENT in every section to canvass; $4 to $5 a day made, sells at sight; also a MAN to sell staple goods to dealers, best line $75 a month. Salary or large commission made, experience unnecessary. CLIFTON SOAP & MANUFACTURING CO., Cincinnati, O. oct26 1aw1y

WANTED FOR U. S. ARMY.—ABLE-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 21 and 30, citizens of the United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English For information apply, preferably by letter, to Recruiting Officer, Washington Barracks, D. C., or Ft. Myer, Va. ap23 eotju30

LEGAL NOTICES.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Having qualified as administrator of LLOYD WASHINGTON, deceased, of Fairfax county, all persons having claims against the estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly authenticated, to me, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement

JAMES McCUEN, JR.,
my23 eo1m Administrator.

DRESDEN GLOBES for Banquet and Boudoir Lamps. A new lot just received and for sale at low prices by E. J. MILLER & CO.

MAXIMUM, Minimum, Clinical, Standard Dairy and Brewers' Thermometers, Hydrometers, Aneroids, Barometers, &c., for sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

BROMANGELAN, 2 gross, Bromangelan Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry Flavors, received to-day by J. C. MILBURN.

A SPECIALLY GOOD VALUE, MEDICATED UNDERWEAR at $1, just received at A. C. SLAYMAKER'S.

NEW CROP OF NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES, choice quality, received to-day by J. C. MILBURN.

NOVELTY SUITINGS AND DUCKS at A. C. SLAYMAKER'S.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

DESIRABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

For sale, on easy terms, the fine DWELLING HOUSE and spacious grounds situated at the southwest corner of Pitt and Prince streets, in the city of Alexandria, the late residence of Robert A. Cline, deceased. This is one of the finest properties in the city of Alexandria, is in an excellent state of repair, and in every way, by reason of its location and otherwise, desirable as a residence. For information as to price and terms of sale, apply at 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia. JAMES R. CATON,
my8 tf Attorney for Owners.

FOR SALE.—A VALUABLE HOUSE and LOT on south Royal street, between Prince and Duke streets, formerly the residence of the late Mr. Allan C. Harmon. This property fronts on Royal 23 feet 9 inches, by a depth of 125 feet to a large lot in the rear which is about 30 feet wide by 90 feet deep; the location of the property makes it very desirable for a home. The lot in the rear will be sold separately if desired
mar20 tf O'NEAL & LUNT.

FOR RENT.

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MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders of the NORTH WEST ALEXANDRIA IMPROVEMENT COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, No. 216 King street, Alexandria, Va., on JUNE 9TH next, at 12 o'clock m. By order of the President. B. F. KNOX,
my25 eotd Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders of the SAVINGS INVESTMENT COMPANY will be held at the company's office, 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., MONDAY, June 1st, 1896, at 8 o'clock p. m. W. F. LAMBERT,
my16 2awtd Secretary and Treasurer.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—All persons holding certificates of stock in the WASHINGTON TIMES COMPANY are hereby notified that the annual stockholders' meeting of the Washington Times Company will be held at the office of C. C. Carlin, esq., on SATURDAY, June 20th, 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m. By order of the Board of Directors. JOSEPH K. POTTER,
my20 td Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of the WASHINGTON REAL ESTATE COMPANY will be held in the principal office of the company, No. 313 King street, Alexandria, Va., on the FIRST MONDAY IN JUNE, (1st) 1896, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers for the ensuing year, and transaction of such other business as may constitutionally come before said meeting. Books for the transfer of stock will be closed on Wednesday, May 20th, to Monday, June 1st, both dates inclusive. By order of the Board of Directors.
my132 w C. F. RAMSDELL, Secretary.

THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE AMERICAN BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the stockholders of said association will be held at the principal office of the association, 216 King street, Alexandria, Virginia, at two o'clock p. m., on WEDNESDAY June 3, 1896.

By order of the Board of Directors.
J. F. VINAL,
M. V. TIERNEY,
SAMUEL M. FRAZIER,
NOAH W. HALLEY, } Ex. Com.
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CARLIN SPRINGS, VA., May 15, 1896.

THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE CARLIN SPRINGS' CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION TAKE NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the association will be held at Curtis Hall, Carlin Springs, Virginia, on the 30TH INSTANT, at 10 a. m. The hall will be open for the use of stockholders during the day. Trains leave the B. & P. Station (6th street) Washington, at 9 a. m. and 1 p. m Returning trains leave Glencarlyn at 1:55 and 6:27 p. m. Round trip tickets, good for the day, for 30 cents, at Southern Railway Ticket Office, 511 Pennsylvania avenue, n. w.
my16&23 W. M. BACKUS, Secretary.

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AUCTION SALES.

TRUSTEES' SALE.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust, dated April 9th, 1894, and recorded in liber q, No. 4, folio 90, of the land records of Alexandria county, Virginia, executed by Virginia S. Williams to me, I will, on

SATURDAY,
the 30th day of May, 1896,

at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the city of Alexandria, Va., expose to sale at public auction for cash, ALL THOSE LOTS OR PARCELS OF GROUND in the county of Alexandria, Va., in the subdivision of a tract of land known as "Harlow Park," and designated as lots Nos. 1, 2, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, in block No. 2, on a plat of the said subdivision duly recorded in the Alexandria county land records; also ALL THOSE LOTS OF GROUND in said Harlow Park designated as lots Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, in block No. 3, on said plat. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.
ap28 td JAMES R. CATON, Trustee.

By R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN DEL RAY.

By virture of a deed of trust executed by William H. O'Connor and wife, on the 15th day of June, A. D., 1894, and duly recorded amongst the land records of Alexandria county, Va., in liber Q, No. 4, page 114, and at the request of the beneficiary secured therein, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash, on

MONDAY,
the first day of June, A. D., 1896,

at 5 o'clock p m. on the premises, the following described property in the town of Del Ray, in the county of Alexandria, Va., to wit: ALL THAT CERTAIN TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND lying and being in the town of Del Ray, county of Alexandria, and State of Virginia, and known and designated as lots numbered two hundred and eighty-six (286) and two hundred and eighty-seven (287), as shown by the map or plat of the town of Del Ray, which is of recorded in liber O, number 4, folio number 440 et seq., one of the land records of Alexandria county, Va., it being the same land conveyed to the said William H O'Connor by Charles E. Wood and wife, said property being improved by a handsome dwelling and outbuildings.

JOSIAH C. STODDARD,
ADDISON G. DUBOIS, } Trustees.
T. H. ANDERSON,
J. K. M. NORTON, } Counsel.

N. B.—The Washington, National Building and Loan Association of Washington, D. C., will loan the purchaser, if he so desires, the sum of $1,000, at least, in accordance with its charter and by-laws.

T. H. ANDERSON,
J. K. M. NORTON, } Counsel.
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TRUSTEE'S SALE OF A VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND IN FAIRFAX COUNTY, VA., NEAR FALLS CHURCH.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust dated December 7th, 1891, and duly recorded in liber E, No. 5, page 501 of the land records of Fairfax county, Virginia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, I will sell at public auction, in front of the Courthouse of Fairfax county, Virginia, on

MONDAY, JUNE 8TH, 1896,

at one o'clock p. m., the following DESCRIBED LAND AND PREMISES situate, lying and being in the county of Fairfax, State of Virginia, near Falls Church, and containing about twenty-three acres, more or less, bounded on the north by Henry Turner's land; on the west by the land of Truman Brush; on the east by the land of Martha A. Donaldson, and on the south by the land of the Misses Ball, and being the same land which was assigned J. F. Shreve in the partition of the real estate of his father, the late Benjamin F. Shreve. The said land now being the sole and separate estate of Mary Ott McLaughlin.

Terms of Sale: For so much cash as may be necessary to defray the expenses of executing this trust, and to pay a bond for $800 dated December 7th, 1891, with six per cent. interest from date to June 8th, 1896, of which a deposit of $200 must be made at the time of sale, and the balance in six and twelve months for which notes of the purchaser bearing six per cent. interest and secured by deed of trust on the property sold will be taken. All conveyancing and recording at the cost of the purchaser. If the terms are not complied with in ten days from sale the trustee reserves the right to resell at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser after ten days advertisement in the Alexandria Gazette. R. W. JOHNSTON,
my15 td Trustee.

By R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST made on the 6th day of March, 1894, and recorded in deed book No.