

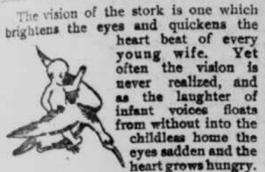
# Alexandria Gazette

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### MEDICINAL.



The vision of the stork is one which brightens the eyes and quickens the heart beat of every young wife. Yet often the vision is never realized, and as the laughter of infant voices floats from without into the childless home the eyes sicken and the heart grows hungry.

It often happens that childlessness is due to conditions which may be corrected. Many women have found that the vitality and vigor imparted by Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription to the womanly organs, has been the one thing needful to fulfill the joy of motherhood. This famous medicine is not a cure-all, but a specialist's prescription, having as a single aim the cure of diseases peculiar to women.

Sick or weak women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., by letter, free of charge, thus avoiding the indecise questions, offensive examinations, and local treatments, generally considered necessary by inexperienced practitioners. All letters are held as strictly private and are answered confidentially. Each answer is sent in a perfectly plain envelope.

There is neither alcohol nor other intoxicant contained in "Favorite Prescription," and it is absolutely free from opium, cocaine and all narcotic drugs.

"My wife was sick for over eight years," writes Albert H. King, Esq., of Altamont, Grundy County, Tenn. "She had uterine disease and was treated by two physicians and got no relief. At last I read, in one of your Memoranda, that you had a cure for my wife's trouble, and I sent her your medicine. She has now had it for three months, and she is perfectly well. I sent her five more bottles, and when she had taken the sixth she was cured and well. We now have her just as she was before."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets promote a healthy condition of the stomach.

THE CLEANSING AND HEALING CURE FOR CATARRH OF THE BLADDER AND UTERUS. Ely's Cream Balm.

For Over Fifty Years AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for this children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, clears the bowels, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It 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.

"After suffering from piles for fifteen years I was cured by using two boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve," writes W. J. Baxter, North Brook, N. C. It heals everything. Beware of counterfeits.

ARNOLD'S BROMO-CALBERRY. Try this universal remedy for Headaches, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, 10 cents.

IS WHAT EVERY HOUSEWIFE WANTS when she purchases flour for her bread, cakes or pastry. She can never make any mistake when choosing the "Pride" flour, made by the most improved process from the choicest Virginia wheat, which is manufactured at the "Globe Mills." This flour is unsurpassed for quality, flavor and strength.

JNO. W. EMMERT & CO., Union Street. 'Phones—Bell 29; Home 148.

Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company, MANUFACTURERS OF Fertilizers, Fertilizer Materials and Blue Windsor Ground Plaster, PRINCESS STREET, BETWEEN UNION AND LEE.

THE HOTTEST DAYS AND NIGHTS OF SUMMER Can be made comfortable by the delightful breeze of An Electric Fan, Not a luxury, but just as necessary as a warm stove in winter time. We can supply them for residences, stores, offices and factories. Better see us now so you will be prepared for the first breeze.

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Marriages and death notices must be paid for in advance. Resolutions in memoriam, of thanks, tributes of respect, resolutions adopted by societies or persons, unless of public concern, will only be printed in this paper as advertisements.

THE GAZETTE office is connected with the Telephone Exchange. Advertisements, orders or business can be sent by telephons. Entered as the Postoffice Alexandria, Virginia, as second-class matter.

THE LAST LEGISLATURE.—Several important changes in the Code were made by the last Virginia Legislature, among them the following:

The property rights of married women were so changed that married women now have about as much control over their property as if they were unmarried.

Where a party formerly was compelled to sue on a lost bond or note by an expensive chancery suit he may now by a simple motion or action at law have all the relief he is entitled to.

No man can be compelled to serve longer than ten days at any term of a court unless the case in which he is engaged should last for a longer time.

No man shall be eligible for service on a jury who solicits the judge to put him on the jury or who gets a friend to ask for him.

A party in a suit is given the right to discredit by other evidence a witness whom he has himself called.

Farries demurring are required to state specially in writing the grounds of their demurrers.

MEMORIAL PARK.—As stated in the Gazette of that date, the Senate on Wednesday passed the bill to establish the Fredericksburg and adjacent National Battlefields Memorial Park in the State of Virginia. Its object is expressed in the preamble as being—

"For the purpose of preserving and suitably marking for historical and professional military study the famous battlefields in Spotsylvania county, known as 'Fredericksburg, Salem Church, Chancellorsville, the Wilderness, and Spotsylvania Courthouse,' all of them within a radius of eight miles, and on which limited territory the distinguished Union General John C. Newton, after careful investigation, declared that more great battles were fought, more men engaged, and more execution done than on any other spot of similar area in the world."

A MARINE COLOSSUS.—The North German Lloyd Steamship Company has made a contract with the Vulcan Shipbuilding Company, of Stettin, Germany, for the construction of a ship that will be 752 feet in length, with a proportionate beam. It is to be the largest vessel ever attempted and will be 48 feet longer than the Oceanic, of the White Star line. The new steamer will engine of 40,000 horse power, driving enormous twin screws, with a speed that is expected to propel the vessel at 24 and a fraction knots. At this speed she would cross the Atlantic from Southampton, of Queenstown, to Sandy Hook, 2,775 miles, in 4 days and 21 hours, thus making her the fastest as well as the largest ship that ever floated on any sea since the beginning of the world.

Prevented a Tragedy. Timely information given Mrs. Geo. Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remedies and doctors, but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle wholly cured her, and she writes this marvelous medicine cured Mr. Long of a severe attack of Pneumonia. Such cures are positive proof of the matchless merit of this grand remedy for curing all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50 cents and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at E. S. Leadbeater & Son's Drug Store.

"I had stomach trouble for twenty years and gave up hope of being cured till I began to use Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It has done me so much good I call it the savior of my life." writes W. B. Wilkinson, Albany, Tenn. It digests what you eat.

How Are Your Kidneys? Dr. Hobb's Spargous Pills cure all kidney ills. See free. Add. Sterilize Bottles. On. Chicago or N. Y.

### King's Palace Department Stores, 512-14 Seventh and 715 Market Space, WASHINGTON, D. C.

## ENTIRE STOCK OF LADIES' SUITS TO BE CLOSED OUT.

Enormous reductions have been made to do it quickly. Values greater than we have ever offered are spread before you. Every suit in the store reduced. These two lots show the extent of the reduction.

\$10 & \$12 suits - - - - \$5 \$12, \$15 & \$20 suits - - - - \$7.98 Women's and Misses' Suits of fine Venetian, Broadcloth, Cheviot Serge, Homespun, Coverlet and handsome cloths, in black, blues, tans, mode, grays, royal, cadet, garnet, etc., with single and double-breasted box, fly-front and reefer jacket lined with taffeta silk and some with satin; skirt made with the newest box-pleated skirt. Many of these suits are plain, but there are equally as many appliqued with taffeta silk, trimmed with braid and have strap and welt seams. Are being shown about now now at \$10, \$12 and \$15.

\$5 and \$6 Trimmed Hats, \$2.75. A most remarkable sale of Ladies' Trimmed Hats, embracing all the newest shades and the most stylish shapes—in an assortment embracing, perhaps, 300 sorts and a never-ending variety—hats which are sold elsewhere for no less than \$5 and \$6—for \$2.75.

Extraordinary Sale of Flowers —the offerings of thousands of artificial flowers, embracing every wanted sort, the very highest grades, in all the fashionable colors, embracing roses, foliage, blossoms, chrysanthemums, fruits of all kinds, bouquets and large and small flowers of every sort which are being used for prettifying hats, including silk mull rosettes—

Such as are actually sold at 39c to 75c., for— - - - - 15c

### King's Palace Department Stores, 512-14 Seventh and 715 Market Space, Washington, D. C.

## The Furniture House. SPRING OPENING OF FINE FOOTWEAR.

REFRIGERATORS AND ICE CHESTS.—The line we carry is the best made. Thoroughly selected lumber is used, fully guaranteed. Ice Chests as low as \$3. CARRIAGES AND GO-CARTS—\$11 for a beautiful full-roll carriage, loose corduroy cushions, rubber-tire wheels, silk parcel. Go-Carts as low as \$3. A few short lengths of Carpet at very low prices.

Does it pay to buy cheap? A cheap remedy for coughs and colds is all right, but you want something that will relieve and cure the more severe and dangerous results of throat and lung troubles. What shall you do? Go to a warmer and more regular climate? Yes, if possible; if not possible for you, then in either case take the ONLY remedy that has been introduced in all civilized countries with success in severe throat and lung troubles, "Boecher's German Syrup." It not only heals and stimulates the tissues to destroy the germ disease, but always inflammation, causes easy expectoration, gives a good night's rest, and cures the patient. Try ONE bottle. Recommended many years ago by all druggists in the world. For sale by Ernest L. Allen, Claud M. Lennon, Wardfield & Hall, Charles G. Lennon, W. F. Creighton & Co., and Richard Gibson.

In its advanced and chronic form a cold in the head is known as Nasal Catarrh and is the recognized source of other diseases. Having stood the test of continued successful use, Ely's Cream Balm is recognized as a specific for membranous diseases in the nasal passages, and you should resort to this treatment in your own case. It is not drying, does not clog or smother. Price 50 cents at drug stores or by mail, Ely Brothers, 55 Warren Street, New York. Give up prejudice and try it.

Don't Tobacco Sift and Smoke Your Life Away. To quit tobacco easily and forever, be made, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No. 75. See the wonder worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1. Cure guaranteed. Booklets and sample free. Address: Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

After suffering from severe dyspepsia over twelve years and using many remedies without permanent good, I finally took Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It did me so much good I recommend it to every one," writes J. E. Watkins, Clerk and Recorder, Chillicothe, Mo. It digests what you eat.

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### DRY GOODS.

## NEW GOODS.

DIMITIES and LAWNS, handsome line, at from 5 to 12c per yard. PIQUES, in whites and colors, 10c, 12c, 15c to 25c per yard, the old prices. CHECK and STRIPED MUSLINS at 5c, 6c, 8, 10c and 12c. INDIA LINENS, in 40-inch and regular widths.

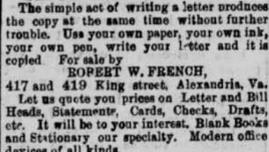
MADEAS, PERCALES, ZEPHYR, GINGHAMS and BATES'S SEEBUCKERS for WAISTS. REMNANTS—Checked and Striped Dimity, Lace Striped Lawns, &c., at 6c, 8c and 10c—20 per cent below regular prices. Full line of medium and summer weight UNDERWEAR.

HOSIERY of all kinds and at all prices. Handsome line of NECKWEAR. SHIRTS, all kinds and styles. COLLARS and CUFFS in the latest shapes. Full line of UMBRELLAS. FULL PROTECTION ON PRICES.

### A. C. Slaymaker, 429 KING STREET.

## BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

LETTERS COPIED WHILE WRITING. No press, no water, no work, no time, any ink, any pen, a perfect copy.



THE PEN CARBON LETTER BOOK. The simple act of writing a letter produces the copy at the same time without further trouble. Use your own paper, your own ink, your own pen, write your letter and it is copied. For sale by ROBERT W. FRENCH, 417 and 419 King Street, Alexandria, Va. Let us quote you prices on Letter and Bill Heads, Statements, Cards, Checks, Drafts, etc. It will be to your interest. Blank Books and Stationery our specialty. Modern office devices of all kinds.

WE DEVELOP FILMS, ALL SIZES, FOR 15c a roll. Have you seen Eastman's \$1 Kodak? If not call and examine it at Carne's Bookstore, 708 KING STREET.

### THE UP-TO-DATE FURNITURE HOUSE, 512 KING STREET.

OUR STOCK OF Bedroom Suites and Sideboards. Is the largest ever put on sale in this city, and while the quality is high the price is low. Our line comprises all classes of Furniture.

MATTINGS, BABY CARRIAGES and GO-CARTS A SPECIALTY. T. A. GROVES, 517 1st 512 KING STREET.

MERCHANT TAILORS. WM. B. MURRAY, MERCHANT TAILOR. NO. 517 KING STREET, Alexandria, Va. Informs his friends that he is prepared to furnish SUITS IN THE LATEST STYLES at very reasonable prices. He guarantees satisfaction in every particular, and requests a call and inspection of Samples. mh3 3m

Merchant Tailoring. We are prepared, with the assistance of a new cutter whose services we have secured at big expense, to furnish the latest spring styles in— FANCY WORSTEDS at reasonable prices. Send your order at once to us to avoid being disappointed.

Robert T. Grimes, Merchant Tailor and Men's Furnishings, 322 King Street, Alexandria, Va.

CARTER & HOWARD HAVE RECEIVED A LOT OF THE Lightning Ice Cream Freezers, and can make you special prices on these Freezers as we entered our order for them last December before the advance in metal goods. The Lightning will freeze your cream any one using the Lightning as to the quality of the freezer. A book of recipes with each freezer. Try it once and you will never be content with any other make.

Carter & Howard, 423 KING STREET. SHRIVER'S SILVER BRAND EARLY JUNE PEAS, only 10c can at W. P. WOOLLS & SON'S.

CHOICE EVAPORATED APPLES, 8c per lb., at W. P. WOOLLS & SON'S.

### DRY GOODS.

## SWAN BROS.,

ONE PRICE ONLY. (Successors to J. R. Chapman) NOS. 424-426 KING STREET.

Our Men's Furnishing Department is a very important part of our business. We take up one entire side of our store for Men's and Boys' Furnishings, and we have the facilities for showing the largest assortment of these goods in the city. We mention a few items as follows: Men's Negligee Shirts.

Men's Percal Negligee Shirts, fast colors..... 50c. Men's Madras Negligee Shirts, fast colors..... 75c. Men's Madras Negligee Shirts, fast colors..... \$1.00. Men's White Madras Shirts..... 75c AND 98c. Men's Manhattan Madras Shirts..... \$1.50. A small lot of Manhattan Stiff Bosom Shirts..... \$1.50 TO \$1.00. Reduced from

Men's Summer Underwear. Men's Balbriggan Undershirts..... 25c. Men's Balbriggan Undershirts..... 25c. Men's Balbriggan Undershirts..... 50c. Men's Balbriggan Undershirts..... 50c. Long or Short Sleeves.

Jean Drawers. Good Heavy Jean Drawers, double seat..... 25c. Good Heavy Jean Drawers, string or knit bottom..... 50c. Scriven's Elastic Seam Jean Drawers..... 75c.

Men's Suspenders. We are sole agents for the well-known Smith made suspenders. None better..... 25 AND 50c.

Men's Neckwear. Our line of Summer Neckwear comprises everything suitable for summer wear. We mention a few items, such as Madras String Wash Ties, 10c each, three for..... 25c. Madras Bat Wing Wash Ties, two for..... 25c. All Silk Ties and Four-in-hand Ties..... 25 AND 50c. All Silk Bat Wing Neckties..... 10, 13, 25 AND 50c. DOZ. White Lawn String Ties..... 25c. White Lawn Bow Ties, 10c each, three for..... 25c. White Lawn Bow Ties, 13c each, two for..... 25c.

WASHINGTON STORES 1810 & 2808 14th St. CLOTHING, FURNISHINGS, & C. SPRING CLOTHING FOR MEN & BOYS, In all the latest styles and most reasonable prices.

Spring Samples For custom work now ready. All goods marked in plain figures.

R. Lee Field, One-Price Clothier and Furnisher, No. 304 King Street.

FISH DEALERS. FOR THE SEASON OF 1900 Potomac Fish. During the season we will keep on hand and received daily All Kinds of Potomac Fish. Fresh, and Fresh Cut, and Salted, which we will sell at lowest market rates, quality guaranteed. We solicit your orders to which we promise prompt attention. We also keep on hand ALL KINDS EARLY VEGETABLES. Respectfully, mh7 2m 113 N. Fairfax St., Alex. Va. GEORGE E. PRICE & CO., DEALERS IN Fresh and Salted Fish, Are receiving Fish daily from the shores of the Potomac, and will supply customers in quantities to suit, either fresh or salted, by experience of packers. Country orders solicited and satisfaction guaranteed. OUR BRAND OF BARBELED FISH has always stood No. 1 in the market. Terms: C.O.D. or best references. Stall No. 2 Royal street entrance to the City Market, and Fish House front of Corporation fish wharf. mh6 2m

BUILDING MATERIAL. (ESTABLISHED 1829.) Henry K. Field & Co., Successors to JOSIAH H. D. SMOOT. Lumber and Mill Work OF ALL KINDS. Office and Yard 115 N. Union Street. Factory No. 113 N. Lee Street. Material Delivered FREE in the city. SMOOT & CO. (Successors to J. Ector Smoot & Co.)

STEAM FLOORING & PLANING MILL. Manufacturers of DOOR AND WINDOW FRAMES, MOULD ING, &c. DEALERS IN LUMBER, SHINGLES, LATHS, NAILS, LIME, GALVANIZED PLASTER and CEMENTS. No. 95 North Union Street, Alexandria, Va. Lumber delivered free in the city.

POLK MILLER'S ITALIAN INSECT POWDER. A fresh supply today at WAREFIELD & HALL'S, Corner Prince and Fairfax Streets. HILL'S HEARTSEASE will remind you of those good cakes your grandmothers served on dainty china.

IT ECLIPSES ALL. W. A. SMOOT & CO.'S High Grade COAL AND WOOD. Leave your orders at OFFICE, 529 KING STREET, and we will pay special attention to orders for family use. Office and Wharves, foot of Princess Street, Telephone, Bell and Home, 57. STRICTLY FRESH EGGS received daily only 15c per dozen, at W. P. WOOLLS & SON'S. 5 BAGS LIMA BEANS just received by J. C. MILBURN.