

The Weak Spot.

If you are sitting in a restaurant where waitresses are in attendance, you will note now and again some young woman put her hand to her back, and straighten herself up, while her lips are tightened as if by pain. It's backache. Yet all day long she must be on her feet, lifting, carrying, hurrying.



That weak spot, the back, can be made strong by the use of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It cures the womanly diseases which cause headache, backache, dizziness, and nervousness and sleeplessness. It makes weak women strong and sick women well.

DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS. The only safe, sure and reliable Female Pill ever offered to Ladies. Especially recommended to married Ladies. Ask for DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS and take no other.

CATARRH Nasal Catarrh. In all its stages there should be clean-ness. ELY'S CREAM BALM. COLD IN HEAD.

Kidney Dyspepsia Cure. Digests what you eat. It actually digests the food and aids Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs.

KIDNEY DISEASE. DR. ELY'S GLOOMY VIEW. At the Unitarian Church of All Souls Sunday morning the Rev. Thomas R. Slicer preached a New Year's sermon on "The Expectant Soul."

For Over Fifty Years. As old and well-known remedy. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success.

Alexandria Gazette.

UNPAID DAILY AND TRI-WEEKLY AD. Gazette Building, 210 & 212 Prince at. PERM. DAILY 50 CENTS. TRI-WEEKLY 1.50. MONTHLY 4.00. QUARTERLY 12.00. YEARLY 40.00.

WHITE SUPREMACY IN THE SOUTH. A dispatch from Columbia, S. C., says: The wedge to be driven into South Carolina's solid white democracy is to be started at Washington, according to what seem authentic reports, and doubtless other southern States are on the administration's list.

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BIG FISH FACTORY. The Atlantic Fisheries Company, located on Sandy Island, immediately adjacent to Cape Charles, operated their immense plant for making oil and fish products during the entire season last year for the first time.

FOR SALE AND RENT. M. B. HARLOW & CO., Real Estate and Renting Agents, No. 119 SOUTH FAIRFAX ST. Offer the following properties: FOR SALE: 208 s. Patrick, b. h. 9 rooms, bath, 46x100 ft. to 30 ft. court, \$4,750.

FOR RENT. Store on Pitt and Queen, fine business corner, 10 00. Store and 7 rooms, cor Queen and West, 15 00. Store and dwelling, cor. King & West, 22 and 34 feet 321 King, 5 rooms, 10 00.

PROFESIONAL. DR. S. D. HICKS, 109 S. COLUMBIA STREET. DISEASES OF THE SKIN, EYE, EAR AND THROAT. Hours daily—9 a. m. to 1 p. m. and 3 to 5 p. m. Mondays, Wednesday, and Fridays, 7 to 8 p. m. Sundays, by appointment. (dec19)

THE EYE. Is Such a Delicate Organ. That it should be treated only by the skillful—those who make it a specialty. Let us examine your eyes. No charge for examination and advice. We furnish Spectacles and Eyeglasses of all kinds AT LOWEST PRICES. W. E. DIENELT, OPHTHALMIC OPTICIAN. Office and residence 109 south Washington street.

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M. Ruben & Sons. 601 KING STREET. Come and See what we have in Books, Bibles, Episcopal and Catholic prayer Books, Hymnals of all denominations, Pocket Books, Portfolios and Lap Tablets and other Leather Goods, Box Papers of the Best Quality and Latest Designs and Shades, Christmas Cards, Calendars and Tree Ornaments. We have the Celebrated Wirt and Waterman Fountain Pens. Also six other makes of good, but cheap pens. You will save money if you buy of us.

MEETINGS. THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the E. E. JACKSON COMPANY will be held in the office of the company, No. 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., on WEDNESDAY, January 9, 1901, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. JOHN B. RIDGEP, Secretary.

MEETINGS. THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the GEORGE B. HILL COMPANY will be held at its principal office in the city on THURSDAY, the 17th instant, at 8 p. m. GEORGE B. HILL, President.

MEETINGS. THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the OLD DOMINION PERPETUAL BUILDING FUND ASSOCIATION will be held on WEDNESDAY, January 9, 1901, at 7:30 p. m., at the office of James R. Oatton, dec21 td. L. F. UHLE, Secretary.

MEETINGS. THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the POT MADSTONE COMPANY will be held on THURSDAY, January 17, 1901, at the office of the company, No. 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., at 2:30 o'clock p. m. C. G. SMITH, Jr., Secretary.

MEETINGS. THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the NEW WASHINGTON BLDG. CO. COMPANY, for the election of directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, in the city of Alexandria, State of Virginia, on MONDAY, the 17th day of January, 1901, beginning at the hour of 12 o'clock, meridian. The polls will be open from 12 m. to 4 p. m. T. L. HO-BROOK, Pres. Attest: W. F. MATTINGLY Sec. jan14

MEETINGS. THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the CONSOLIDATED QUARRIES COMPANY, for the election of directors, will be held in the Brickdodge House, Alexandria, Va., MONDAY, January 14, 1901, at 3:15 o'clock p. m. H. F. GIBBERT, President. J. C. PRATT, Secretary, dec24td

MEETINGS. THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the ATLANTIC BUILDING COMPANY OF WASHINGTON, D. C., (incorporated under the laws of Virginia) will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 south Royal street, on THURSDAY, January 17, 1901, at 1 o'clock p. m. MYRON M. PARKER, President. GEORGE E. EMMONS, Sec. & Treas. dec21 td

MEETINGS. THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the COLONIAL LOAN AND DEPOSIT ASSOCIATION will be held at the principal office of said association, No. 123 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., at 2:30 o'clock p. m. on TUESDAY, January 22, 1901. By order of the Board of Directors. GEORGE BAKER, Secy. jan7 td

MEETINGS. THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the MERCHANTS RAILWAY, BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, Alexandria, Va., Jan. 8, 1901. The annual meeting of the stockholders of this association will be held at 2 p. m., JANUARY 17, at the office of the company, 106 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, the 14th day of January, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m. LEWIS HOOFF, Sec. dec29 td

MEETINGS. THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA PAPER MANUFACTURING COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street Alexandria, Va., on JANUARY 14, 1901, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year. The polls to be open from 12 m. to 4 p. m. G. L. MOORE, President. W. M. WHEATLEY, Secretary, (dec23 td)

MEETINGS. THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the DULIN & MARTIN CO. will be held at the office of the company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, January 15th, 1901, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. T. C. F. HENSON, Sec. dec23 td

MEETINGS. THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the REE CIGAR VENDING COMPANY for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, will be held at Fishman's Hotel, Alexandria, Va., on WEDNESDAY, January 9, 1901, at noon. The stock books will be reopened January 11, 1901. HENRY L. REE, Sec. dec27 td

MEETINGS. STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the ANGLIC-AMERICAN COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at 11:30 o'clock a. m., WEDNESDAY, January 9th, 1901, at the principal office of the company, No. 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Virginia, for the purpose of electing three directors for a period of three years and other business as may be necessary and properly brought before it. By order of the Executive Committee. CHAS. E. NEWMAN, Secretary. dec22 wd

MEETINGS. STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the D-B-BEST STOCK COMPANY will be held at 11:45 o'clock a. m., on WEDNESDAY, January 9, 1901, in the principal office of the company, No. 107 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., for the purpose of electing a President, Director, and other necessary business. By order of the Executive Committee. FRED MCKEE, Secretary. dec22 wd

MEETINGS. THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the COLUMBIA NATIONAL SAND DRIDGING COMPANY will be held at Fishman's Hotel, Alexandria, Va., on WEDNESDAY, January 10th, 1901, at 12 o'clock noon, to elect Directors and transact other business. By order of the Executive Committee. PHILIP MAURO, President. G. A. BONNET, Sec. dec27 wd

MEETINGS. THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON NATIONAL LOAN ASSOCIATION, for the purpose of continuing the business of Messrs. E. J. Miller & Co. will be held at the principal office of said association, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on THURSDAY, January 10th, 1901, at 12 o'clock noon, to elect Directors and transact other business. By order of the Board of Directors. JESSE B. WILSON, President. HERBERT DAVIDSON, Executive Committee. ROBERT E. DOAN, JOHN O. JOHNSON, dec19 td

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DRY GOODS. A BIG SALE OF REMNANTS. Over 5000 hundred yards of remnants of miscellaneous Dry Goods, called out of our stock, that must positively be sold before stock-taking. Remnants of Dress Goods, Silks, White Goods, Embroideries, Calicoes, Cottons, Linings, Tickings, Domains, in fact, remnants from every department in our house. Sale begins MONDAY and will continue until every yard is sold. There are here earliest will necessarily get first choice and best selection. If you desire to procure the greatest of all Remnant Bargains, come here this week.

Bring This List With You. EVERY LOT ADVERTISED IS REMNANTS. One lot Pique, worth 20c, at 10c yard. One lot Furore, 12 1/2c quality, at 6 1/2c yd. One lot White French Nainsook, 10c quality, at 5 1/2c yard. One lot Dress Gingham, 7c quality, at 3 1/2c yard. One lot Furore, 8c quality, at 5c yard. One lot White Dress Goods, 3 1/2c yard. One lot White French Nainsook, worth 25c, at 12 1/2c yard. One lot fine India Lins, 15c quality, at 10c yard. One lot double-width White Organdy, 25c to 50c quality, at 15c yard. One lot white and fancy imported Pique, worth 25c to 30c, at 15c yard. One lot Fancy White Goods, worth 15c, at 8 1/2c yard. One lot Check Nainsook, worth 10c, at 6 1/2c yard. One lot Check Nainsook, worth 6c, at 3 1/2c yard. One lot Fire Fancy Wt Goods, 25c to 50c value, at 15c yard. One lot Plain Imported Pique, pink, lavender, and navy, former price 50c, to close out, at 25c yard. One lot White Satin Damask, worth \$1.25, at 75c yard. One lot Bleached Cotton, yard wide, worth 6c, at 3c yard. One lot Bleached Cotton, yard wide, worth 8c, at 6c yard. One lot Soerneckers, worth 10c, at 7 1/2c yard. One lot pink, cream, and light blue Outings, worth 12 1/2c, at 8c yard. One lot Heavy Tickings, worth 12 1/2c, at 10c yard. One lot Heavy Denims, worth 12 1/2c, at 10c yard. One lot Twelling Cranes, 2 1/2c yard. One lot Calico Wrappers, 30c each. One lot Flannel Wrappers, 60c each. One lot White Dotted Swiss, 8c yard. One lot Ladies' Dressing Sarong, 30c each. One lot Ladies' Fleece-lined Vests, 12 1/2c each. One lot Ladies' 25c Vests, at 21c each. One lot Gents' Camels Hair Underhirts, 25c each. One lot Gents' Outing Shirts, 25c each. One lot Ladies' Wool Skirts, 30c each. One lot Children's Coats, sizes 6 to 12, at 85c each. One lot Heavy Canton Flannel, 8c yard. One lot Lace, Embroideries, and Inserting, 3c yard. One lot Edgings and Inserting, worth 8c, at 5c yard. One lot Swiss, Nainsook and Cambric Embroideries, at 5c yard. SPECIAL SALE MUSLIN UNDERWEAR. Muslin Umbrella Drawers, with lace and ruffles, 25c. Muslin Umbrella Drawers, with lace and inserting, 60c value, at 40c. Cambric Corset Covers, all sizes, 12 1/2c. Muslin Gowns, with lace, embroidery, and tucked, worth \$1.25, at 95c. Muslin Underskirts, ruffled with tucks, 6c. Cambric Skirts with ruffles, Torcheron Valenciennes lace and inserting trimming, at 95c, \$1.25, and \$1.50. SALE OPENS MONDAY MORNING.

Watches and Jewelry. NICKEL ALARMS, made to order for me and warranted for 12 months. \$1.00. BRONZED, BETH THOMAS MAKE, 20 minutes alarm. \$2.75. EIGHT-DAY HALF-HOUR STRIKE, gold case. \$2.75. Do. ash cabinet case. \$3.50. MARINE LEVER, in wood and nickel cases. \$2.00 to \$2.75. PARLOR CLOCKS; in wood, iron, Dresden mahogany and gilt cases. \$5.00 to \$25.00. OFFICE CLOCKS, CALENDAR CLOCKS and REGULATORS, all day. \$4.50 to \$12. CLOCKS REPAIRED. Henry W. Wildt, 106 N. Royal st. Diamonds, Watches and Jewelry on Credit. Pay a little each week. Our representative is in Alexandria every week and will call on you with a full line of samples if you drop a card with your name and address to our Washington store. Railroad Watch—21 jewels—strictly complete. All transactions strictly confidential.

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R. LEE FIELD, One-Price Clothier and Furnisher, No. 304 King street. DRY GOODS. A. C. SLAYMAKER, 429 King street. For Christmas. Handkerchiefs. EMBROIDERED and Lace Edges, 5c to 25c. PURE LINEN with Lace Edges, 5c to 25c. PLAIN HEMSTITCHED, 5c to 25c. PURE LINEN HEMSTITCHED, 10, 12 1/2, 15, 25 and 35c. Silk Handkerchiefs and Mufflers. Neckties. IMPERIALS, FOUR-IN-HANDS, BATHING and BUTTERFLY TIES, BOWS, &c. The largest and handsomest assortment we have ever had.

Umbrellas. A JOB LOT to run at, Ladies' 98c. Gentsmen's \$1.00. Special Handkerchiefs and Good Corsets. Also A HANDSOME LINE, at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, to \$2.50 and \$3 each. Finest Fir and Boxwood Handles, and Best Materials in Cover. Gloves. LADIES' GENUINE MOCHA, \$1.25. DRESSED KID, \$1.00 to \$1.25. Warranted. Gentsmen's Genuine Mocha, English Top, GOOD KID GLOVES, reduced from \$1 to 75c to close out. Handkerchiefs and Glove Boxes. Necktie Boxes, &c. Underwear, Hosiery, &c. Checked Gingham, Muslin, India Linen, &c.

Special Prices. ON ALL WINES AND LIQUORS. Fine Old Eye Whisky, Regular price \$3 Special per gallon. \$2.00. Hambleville, Pure Eye, 4 years old, Wm \$4 per gallon. \$3.50. Wm. \$4 per gallon. \$3.50. Special per gallon. \$3.50. Very Old Port Wine, Regular price \$2.50. Special per gallon. \$2.00. \$5.00 per gallon. \$4.00. \$2.00 per gallon. \$1.50. \$1.00 per gallon. \$0.75. We carry in stock all kinds of Foreign and Domestic Wines, Liquors, &c. MALT BREAKFAST FOOD, just received, by J. C. MILBURN.

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