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## MEDICINAL

### IT MUST COME.

As inevitable as the changing seasons of the year is the change which comes to every woman. And just as one anticipates the change of other seasons it is wise to anticipate this change of season and prepare for it. In this way the discomforts and disasters suffered by many women at the period of change can be avoided or overcome.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, a medicine for every season of woman's life, will entirely meet the needs of women at this period of change. It cures the physical ills and relieves the mental anxiety and depression usually associated with this critical period. It tranquilizes the nerves, encourages the appetite and induces refreshing sleep.

J. S. Carlisle, Esq. of Manchester, Coffee Co., Tenn., writes: "I have been using your medicine for the last sixteen or eighteen years in my poor-house. I am superintendent of the Coffee County Poor-house and Asylum combined. Your Favorite Prescription Golden Medical Discovery and Pleasant Pellets are the best medicines for the diseases for which they are recommended, that I ever used. They saved my wife's life at the time of 'change of life.' I have never found anything to equal the Favorite Prescription for diseases of women."

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This REMEDY is sure to GIVE Satisfaction

ELY'S Cream Balm

Gives Relief at Once. Cures Coughs, Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, Hoarseness, Sore Eyes, Cold in Head, and all the diseases of the head and throat. It is absorbed and relieves the membrane. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. Put in a tin at Drugists or by mail. Trial size 10c. by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York.

Can you eat? O hers can. Latest improvements in Teeth. Our patent suction Never falls down.

Call and have a set with the above improvements. Old loose and ill-fitting plates corrected in fit, durability and comfort perfectly to nature.

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AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over sixty 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 Diarrhoea. 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.

## BUILDING MATERIALS.

### SMOOT & CO.

(Successor to J. Rector Smoot & Co.)

## STEAM FLOORING

### AND PLANING MILL.

Manufacturers of DOOR AND WINDOW FRAMES, MOULD, DEALERS IN LUMBER, SHINGLES, LATHS, NAILS, LIME, CALCINED PLASTER AND CEMENT. No. 23 north Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va. Lumber delivered free in the city.

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## AGRICULTURAL.

HERBERT BRYANT | WILLIAM BRYANT  
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## Bryant Fertilizer Company

Manufacturers of FERTILIZERS, FERTILIZING MATERIALS, PURE RAW BONE AND FINE GROUND NOVA SCOTIA LAND PLASTER.

Office: 117 King street. Factory and Wharf: Foot of Duke street, Alexandria, Va.

JOHN P. ROBINSON, President. GEORGE E. FRENCH, Secretary.

## Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company.

Manufacturers of FERTILIZERS, FERTILIZING MATERIALS AND BLUE WINDSOR GROUND PLASTER.

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New PRUNES and APRICOTS for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

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The Gazette office is connected with the Telephone Exchanges. Advertisements, orders for the paper, news of any information or business can be sent by telephone. [Dated at the office of Alexandria, Virginia, as second-class matter.]

## A HARD WORKER.

"Private" John Allen, who represented a Mississippi district in congress for several years, but who was left at home two years ago by constituents who thought he was not serious enough to be a successful legislator, was in Washington recently on business connected with the St. Louis exposition. While in congress John Allen was known as "the wit of the house." During his last visit to Washington he was dining with some friends at a downtown hotel. The hour was late, and the conversation dragged. "Private" Allen began yawning. Finally he stretched out both arms and with a long drawn yawn said, "Well, gentlemen, I must go to my hotel and go to bed, for I have some hard work to do in the morning."

Knowing Mr. Allen's aversion to work of any kind, one of the party said:

"Why, John, what work have you to do in the morning?"

"Oh," drawled the Mississippian, "I have to get up."

## Prize Money Going A-begging.

There is about \$15,000 in the United States treasury as prize and bounty money for sailors who took part in the Manila and Santiago battles. Every penny of prize and bounty money that the courts decided was due to officers of the fleets of Dewey and Sampson has been distributed. In speaking of this matter Auditor Brown of the navy said it is undoubtedly due to the fact that the sailors do not know that the money is ready for them. Many of the tars in the two naval engagements were of foreign birth and knew nothing of the system of dividing prize money and bounties. They have since been transferred to other ships. Some have died and others have gone out of the service and into other trades.

## Tariff Freaks.

A German gentleman returning from a tinnywest Africa brought with him a tiny monkey, weighing about two pounds. From Tanga to Genoa the animal was conveyed gratis. Thence to the Swiss frontier is 3d. was charged on it as "a bird." The St. Gothard railway officials, however, viewed it as "a dog" and charged 7 shillings, while on the Eastern Swiss railway it became a mere "package" liable to eightpence. Through Baden and Wurttemberg the animal was passed free, but at Stuttgart it again became "a dog" and cost another 1s. 5d.

## A Remarkable Blind Man.

Dennis A. Reardon is Boston's most remarkable blind man. He has been sightless for thirty years, but he is a successful architect and buys all the goods for the Perkins institute. Mr. Reardon is the architect of fifteen completed buildings designed for the Perkins institute. By passing his fingers over the tracing paper he is able to feel the lines, so sensitive is his touch, and he can tell whether the idea has been carried out as he intended. Mr. Reardon carries a watch without a crystal and is never at a loss to know the time.

## Cosmopolitan Patti.

In order to give her a legal status Mme. Patti, we are told, has taken out letters of naturalization as a British subject. This helps to augment the great diva's cosmopolitanism. She was born in Madrid, her father was a native of Sicily and her mother a native of Rome. She was brought up by an "American" stepfather in the United States, married a Frenchman and also an Italian husband before she settled down in Wales, is the wife of a Swedish nobleman, Baron Cedarstrom, and is now a daughter of John Bull.

## A Mistake.

Stella—I came near missing a proposal last night.  
Bella—You did?  
Stella—Yes. He got down on his knees, and I thought he was merely looking for a pingpong ball.—Harper's Bazar.

A large assortment of FLOWER POTS and FERN PANS just received by J. C. MILBURN.

## MEDICINAL

# PUBLIC SPEAKERS

### STRONGLY RECOMMEND

DR. BULL'S COUGH SYRUP for all affections of the throat and bronchial tubes. James L. Burdett, one of the best known humorists, 232 West 135th St., New York City, says: "I have taken

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup exclusively for five years and find it not only prevents hoarseness, but keeps me free from coughs and colds. I heartily recommend it to anyone who speaks or sings, or who is troubled with sore throat, coughs, tonsillitis or bronchitis."

AVOID CHEAP SUBSTITUTES. ASK FOR THE OLD RELIABLE "DR. BULL'S COUGH SYRUP." SEE THAT YOU GET IT; also see that the "BULL'S HEAD" is on the package. It has stood the test for fifty years. Large bottles at all druggists, 25 cents.



SMALL DOSE. PLEASANT TO TAKE. ALWAYS CURES.

## BREAD.



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### THE CLEAN BAKERY

is in the long run the best bakery from which will emanate the BEST BREAD, for the baker who has no thought of cleanliness is indifferent as to the quality of his handiwork. Purity of materials and cleanliness in handling mark our entire output. Our bread is absolutely pure.

Ask Your Grocer For It.

## ALEXANDRIA STEAM BAKERY.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablet.

Try them

When you feel dull after eating.  
When you have no appetite.  
When you have a bad taste in the mouth.

When your liver is torpid.  
When your bowels are constipated.  
When you have a headache.  
When you feel bilious.

They will improve your appetite, cleanse and invigorate your stomach and regulate your liver and bowels. For sale by Richard Gibson, Druggist.

## Trust Those who Have Tried.

I suffered from catarrh of the worst kind and never hoped for cure, but Ely's Cream Balm seems to do even that.—Oscar Ostrom, 45 Warren Ave., Chicago, Ill.

I suffered from catarrh; it got so bad I could not work. I used Ely's Cream Balm and an entirely well.—A. C. Clarke, 341 Shawmut Ave., Boston, Mass.

The Balm does not irritate or cause sneezing. Sold by druggists at 50c., or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., New York.

## A Thanksgiving Dinner.

Heavy eating is usually the first cause of indigestion. Repeated attacks inflame the mucous membrane lining the stomach, expose the nerves of the stomach, producing a swelling after eating, heartburn, headache, sour risings and finally catarrh of the stomach. Koolid relieves the inflammation, restores the nerves and cures the catarrh. Koolid cures indigestion, dyspepsia, all stomach troubles by cleansing and sweetening the glands of the stomach. E. S. Leadbetter & Sons.

## OPENING AND CLOSING OF MAILS

Northern mails, week days, close at 7:30 and 10:20 a. m., and 1:15, 2:40, 6:40, 8:23 and 10:45 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m., 12:00 m. and 4:30 p. m. On Sundays Northern mails close at 1:30 p. m. and 7:20 p. m.

Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7:30 and 11:20 a. m., and 1:45 and 10:45 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m. and 2:30 and 4:30 p. m.

Southern mails via Richmond, close at 10:40 a. m., and 3:20, 6:20 and 10:45 p. m. Open at 8 a. m. and 1 and 4 p. m.

Manassas Division mails close at 7:50 a. m. and 3:45 p. m. Open at 12:00 m.

Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7:30 a. m. and 4 p. m. Open at 9:00 a. m. and 3:40 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 1:45 p. m. and 10:45 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.

Washington mails close at 7:30, 9:30 and 11:20 a. m., and 1:15, 2:40, 6:40, 8:23 and 10:45 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m., 12:00 m. and 4:00 p. m. and 4:30 p. m.

Office Hours—Open at 8:00 a. m. Close at 6:00 p. m.

Sunday Hours—Open at 9:00 a. m. Close at 10:00 a. m.

Carriers' schedule—Collection made on inside routes—4:30 and 10:00 a. m. and 3:00 and 5:30 p. m. Full route—6:30 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. Sunday collection 5:00 p. m. Carriers' window open Sunday 9:00 a. m. and close 10:00 a. m.

Deliveries made 8:00 a. m., 1 p. m. and 4:15 p. m.

All mail should be in the office ten minutes before our indicated time for closing.

## Select Useful

### Xmas Presents.

For Oak or Mahogany Finished Gent's Shaving Stand, nicely finished, French Mirror and drawer for razor, etc. \$13.50

For Solid Oak Book Case and Writing Desk combined, well made, adjustable shelves, large cupboard and drawer in base, top is ornamented with mirror.

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YARMOOTH BLOATERS and BONE-LESS CODFISH just received by J. C. MILBURN.

CHOICE SUGAR CURED HAMS and Breakfast Pieces, small sizes, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

BLENDED TEAS for sale at 40c, 50c and 60c per pound at J. C. MILBURN.

3 and 5 lb BUCKETS PURE LEAF LARD just received by J. C. MILBURN.

10 boxes Choice CREAM CHEESE just received by J. C. MILBURN.

ALBEMARLE PEPPERS and GENIEN APPLS for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

## MEDICINAL

## Tackett, Baker and Co

### WM. LEWIS ALLEN, MANAGER.

We call your attention to our NEW RUGS,

Latest designs and colorings.

Smyrna Rugs, size 21..... \$1.25

Smyrna Rugs, size 26..... \$2.00

Smyrna Rugs, size 30..... \$2.25

Smyrna Rugs, size 36..... \$3.25

Smyrna Rugs, size 47..... \$4.95

Smyrna Rugs, size 3x2..... \$15.00

Smyrna Rugs, size 3x4..... \$20.00

Moquet Rugs..... \$1.00

Moquet Rugs..... \$2.25

Moquet Rugs..... \$3.25

Anglo Indian, art squares 3x2..... \$5.25

Anglo Indian, art squares 3x4..... \$8.25

One Price.

## REAL ESTATE.

To Accumulate Wealth

begin by purchasing real estate. But unless you are fully posted on values, etc., don't purchase without the assistance of a reliable dealer. We can be of much use to those who desire to acquire any sort of

Real Estate

anywhere in this city and vicinity. Our list contains descriptions of a large number of houses and lots for sale—both for home and investment.

M. B. HARLOW & CO.,

Real Estate, Loan and Insurance Brokers.

119 S. Fairfax Street : Alexandria, Va.

## COAL AND WOOD.

REMOVAL NOTICE.

We have removed our office to 106 south Fairfax street, (three doors from King street), where all orders for Coal and Wood will receive our prompt attention

W. A. SMOOT & CO.

## PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF GAS, City Hall, Nov. 19, 1902.

SEALED PROPOSALS, addressed to WM. DESMOND, Chairman of the Committee on Light, will be received at this office until 4 p. m. Tuesday, December 2, 1902, for furnishing the Gas Works with FIFTEEN HUNDRED TONS (more or less) of GAS COAL (2240 pounds to the ton) to be delivered in the sheds at the works and trimmed up, during the five months, commencing January 1, 1903, and ending May 31, 1903, orders to be accepted by successful bidder any date after awarding of contract so that coal will arrive at the works on or before January 1, 1903.

The coal must be Monongah, Tryconell, Younghogheny, Montana or other gas coal of equal or superior yield and candle power. Bidders can give their figures on all of the mines, and are requested to give candle power, yield, etc., per ton coal.

Bids will be also received until the same hour and at the same place for furnishing TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY TONS (more or less) of GEORGE'S CREEK CUMBERLAND COAL (2240 pounds to the ton) for the use of the Electric Light Works, to be furnished by the boat load or smaller quantities, if necessary, delivered at the Electric Light Works during the five months commencing January 1, 1903, and ending May 31, 1903, orders to be accepted by successful bidder any date after awarding of contract, so that coal will arrive at the works on or before January 1, 1903. The committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Terms: Cash on the 15th day of each month following delivery of coal.

By order of the Committee on Light. nov19 td SAM'L L. MONROE, Clerk.

## OFFICIAL.

### STATE TAXES.

NOTICE TO STATE TAX-PAYERS.

I am now prepared to receive the STATE TAXES for the year 1902. The attention of taxpayers is respectfully called to the importance of paying the same prior to DECEMBER 1, 1902, as on that date a penalty of FIVE PER CENT. will be added to all unpaid bills and their collection enforced, as required by law.

THOMAS W. ROBINSON, City Treasurer, Room No. 1, City Hall. Office Hours: 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. nov 20td

## INSURANCE AGENCIES.

### Alexandria Insurance Co.,

(BEGAN BUSINESS IN 1871.)

CAPITAL PAID UP IN CASH \$57,000. Fire, Marine and Plate Glass Insurance. J. CLINTON SMOOT (of C. C. Smoot & Sons Co.), President.

LAURENCE STABLER, Secretary.

DIRECTORS: George S. French (Sec. Alex. Fert. & Chemical Co.), Worth Hulfish (of J. F. Carlin's Sons Co. hardware), J. T. Burke (of Burke & Herbert, bankers), B. Beer, Jr., (Clothing Merchant), Sam'l H. Lunt (Real Estate), Wm. H. Hall (Hull's Hotel), nov 20td

Office—No. 102 south Fairfax street.

## DRY GOODS.

### UNDERWEAR.

Ladies' Ribbed Vests and Pants, Particularly heavy and good, at 25c, 30c, 50c, 75c to \$1.00 each.

Ladies' and Children's Union Suits, At 25c, 50c to \$1.00.

Children's Underwear, ALL PRICES.

Small lot Wool Underwear in odd sizes, formerly 75c and \$1.00, to close out at 50c.

Men's Heavy Fleece Shirts and Drawers, Something good at 30c each.

Men's Wool Fleece Shirts and Drawers at 50c each.

Celebrated Wright's Health Underwear at 75c to \$1.00 each.

Celebrated "Victor" All-wool Shirts and Drawers at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 each.

## Hosiery.

Alexandria Knitting Mills Half Hose at 15c pair. They are worth a trial.

Full line Ladies' and Children's Hose at 10c, 12c to 25c a pair.

## Blankets and Comforts,

ALL PRICES.

## A. C. Slaymaker,

429 King Street,

## GROCERIES.

### The Store

THAT SAVES YOU MONEY [Established 1870.]

## W. P. WOOLLS & SONS,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in FAMILY GROCERIES, CHOICE MEATS, POULTRY, FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

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Quality Our Hobby

## C. R. YATES & CO.

Our own manufactured All Pork Sausage Meat, 13 cents pound.

Sauier Kraut..... 5c quart. Sweet Cider..... 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c, 65c, 70c, 75c, 80c, 85c, 90c, 95c, 1.00, 1.10, 1.20, 1.30, 1.40, 1.50, 1.60, 1.70, 1.80, 1.90, 2.00, 2.10, 2.20, 2.30, 2.40, 2.50, 2.60, 2.70, 2.80, 2.90, 3.00, 3.10, 3.20, 3.30, 3.40, 3.50, 3.60, 3.70, 3.80, 3.90, 4.00, 4.10, 4.20, 4.30, 4.40, 4.50, 4.60, 4.70, 4.80, 4.90, 5.00, 5.10, 5.20, 5.30, 5.40, 5.50, 5.60, 5.70, 5.80, 5.90, 6.00, 6.10, 6.20, 6.30, 6.40, 6.50, 6.60, 6.70, 6.80, 6.90, 7.00, 7.10, 7.20, 7.30, 7.40, 7.50, 7.60, 7.70, 7.80, 7.90, 8.00, 8.10, 8.20, 8.30, 8.40, 8.50, 8.60, 8.70, 8.80, 8.90, 9.00, 9.10, 9.20, 9.30, 9.40, 9.50, 9.60, 9.70, 9.80, 9.90, 10.00, 10.10, 10.20, 10.30, 10.40, 10.50, 10.60, 10.70, 10.80, 10.90, 11.00, 11.10, 11.20, 11.30, 11.40, 11.50, 11.60, 11.70, 11.80, 11.90, 12.00, 12.10, 12.20, 12.30, 12.40, 12.50, 12