

Alexandria Gazette

FRIDAY EVENING, JAN. 15, 1905.

Local Matters.

Sun rises tomorrow at 7:15 and sets 5:02. High water at 1:15 a. m. and 1:46 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section cloudy and colder tonight, probably snow. Saturday fair, colder; fresh northerly winds.

The County Pool Rooms.

The pool-room operated at Jackson City under the alleged management of the Virginia Telegraph Company will be closed for good tomorrow, according to an understanding reached between Commonwealth's Attorney Mackey and Attorney Charles Beudheim, representing the Virginia Telegraph Company, and John Nelson, who is understood to be one of the proprietors of the place.

The case against the owners of an employes of the St. Asaph poolroom will come up in the Police Court tomorrow morning. In the event the St. Asaph people win the case it is rumored that the Old Dominion Telegraph Company, will move into the jurisdiction of Alexandria city. A survey made sometime ago disclosed the fact that the poolroom is about 105 feet outside the city limits, but by moving the building across the old St. Asaph race track the concern will be within the jurisdiction of the city authorities. Several reports concerning the future of St. Asaph have recently been circulated, one to the effect that the pool room is to locate within the city limits and another that it will be located in Maryland, opposite Alexandria. No serious attention, however, is given the reports, and the general impression is that pool selling in this section of the State has come to an end for some time, at least.

Died from his Injuries.

John Hickey, the young man who was seriously scalded yesterday afternoon by the blowing out of a cock while at work on a steam shovel near St. Asaph, died about ten o'clock last night at the Alexandria Hospital. Hickey was 19 years old and had been employed by Reiter, Curtis and Hill, contractors, for the construction of the new union yard north of this city. The accident occurred in a cut, and when the cock blew out the unfortunate young man was caught in such a position that he received the full rush of scalding steam, and was frightfully injured before he could be extricated. A southbound Chesapeake and Ohio train was stopped and Hickey placed aboard and brought here. The train was met by the ambulance, where, as stated above, he died last night. On the 22d of December the police arrested John McCormick, John Hickey and Joseph Johnson as suspicious characters. In the Police Court next morning it was shown that the men were employed in the railway improvements near this city and they were dismissed. The following night McCormick was struck by a locomotive and killed at St. Asaph, and yesterday Hickey was fatally scalded near the same place.

Hickey's remains will be shipped for Newfoundland by Demaine & Sons.

End of the Transfer Service.

Theten persons engaged in the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad transfer service between this city and Shepherd's next their services will be dispensed with, as the transfer of cars by barge will on that day cease. It has been rumored for over a year that this movement was contemplated, and the above announcement will create no surprise. The service was inaugurated in 1875, after the first of 1873, and at first passenger cars and freight trains were transferred from this city to Shepherd's. At that time all Southern Railway passenger and freight crossed the river on the barge. The larger cars and locomotives which were later constructed could not pass through the Wilkes street tunnel, and the traffic was restricted exclusively to freight cars. Many of the latter, however, being too large to pass through the tunnel, had to be sent over the Long Bridge. The sharp curve at the eastern end of the tunnel caused many derailments and damage to the cars, while much time was necessarily lost in making transfers when ice was in the river.

Funeral.

The funeral of Mr. Geo. R. Hill took place from his late residence on south Washington street at noon today and was attended by a large number of citizens who gathered to pay their last tribute of respect to their departed friend. The services were conducted by Rev. J. P. Stump of the M. E. Church South, assisted by Revs. J. W. Duffley and W. W. Smith. The pallbearers were Messrs. W. B. Smoot, A. D. Brockett, R. F. Knox, G. W. Ramsay, J. Frank Carlin, H. K. Field, T. W. Robinson, and K. Kemper, the last two representing Alexandria—Washington Lodge of Masons of which the deceased was a member. The interment, which was private, was in the Methodist Cemetery.

Mr. Hill was a son of the late Thomas G. and Martha A. Hill, of Baltimore. Besides his widow and daughter, Miss Melissa Hill, of this city, one brother, Mr. Thomas Hill, and one sister, Miss Martha L. Hill, of Baltimore, survive him.

Knights of Pythias.

A regular meeting of Mechanics Lodge, No. 3, Knights of Pythias, was held at their hall on south Fairfax street last night. The following officers were installed by D. G. C., Geo. W. Bontz: Chancellor, O. F. Baggett; Vice Chancellor, T. N. Eddy; Prelate, C. R. Herbert; Master of Eschequer, Geo. W. Bontz; Master of Finance, Chas. M. Hancock; Keeper of Records and Seal, J. S. Renner; Master at Arms, J. H. Bellomy; Master of Work, R. N. Roland; Inside Guard, J. J. Grady; Outside Guard, J. M. Walls; Representative to Grand Lodge, Chas. M. Hancock; Alternate, Geo. W. Bontz. Interesting addresses were made by Brother Geo. Shackelford, of Old Dominion Lodge No. 4, K. of P., of Richmond.

Car Robbed.

A night of two ago a Washington-Southern Railway car was broken open by thieves and robbed of a crate of eggs and a box of shoes. The empty crate and box were found in a ditch near Colross the next morning. The robbery has been reported to the police and they are at work on the case.

Building Association Meeting.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the German Co-operative Building Association, No. 5, held last night, the following officers were duly elected: Isaac Biechberg, president; Julius Schneider, secretary and treasurer; Henry Bader, John D. Normoziey and Phillip M. Bradshaw, trustees; E. E. Downham and John T. Nalls, directors for three years. The financial statement of the association was presented by the secretary and accepted and ordered to be printed. The following dividends were declared by the directors to be placed to the credit of the stockholders: Second series, \$10; third series, \$4; fourth series, \$2.50, and fifth series, 35 cents per share.

Charged With Robbery.

Mr. C. T. Goods's store at the northeast corner of King and Payne streets, was entered by thieves last night and robbed of sundry articles. Lieut. Smith and Officers Lyles, Beach, Sherwood and Smith went to work on the case immediately and soon recovered most of the goods in a house in the western part of the city and arrested Edward Maple on the charge of being a party to the robbery. It is believed that three other men were engaged in the affair. Later in the day Richard Pines, colored, was arrested on suspicion of being one of the robbers.

Expectorators Fined.

The only case before Justice Caton in the Police Court this morning was that of a white man named Martin Baker, and George Preston, Henry Frazier and Wm. Wright, colored, who had been arrested by Conductor Travers and Motor-man Davidson for expectorating in electric cars. The colored men were fined \$2 each and the white man forfeited \$5 collateral by failing to appear. A white man was arrested this morning for expectorating on an electric car. He left collateral for his appearance.

Revival Services.

The revival meetings at the M. E. Church South are increasing in interest and attendance. Rev. Mr. Bulla preached to a large and attentive congregation last night from the text, "Thou art weighed in the balance and found wanting." The reverend gentleman is a forcible speaker and was listened to with close attention. At 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon there will be a meeting of the children. All are cordially invited.

Milk-Thieves.

The police have been notified of the theft of bottles of milk from No. 413 north St. Asaph street. This species of larceny has become annoying to housekeepers and milk dealers, and both classes hope the police will detect the thieves and that the Police Court will make examples of the offenders. The loss of the milk is aggravating to consumers, while the dealers are equally exasperated over the loss of their bottles.

Personal.

The progressive euchre party given by the Misses Uhler last night at their home on Cameron street was one of the most enjoyable entertainments of the winter. The game was most interesting and the prizes were won by Miss Davidson and Mr. David Rust, after the awarding of which a beautiful supper was served. Among the guests were a number from out of town.

Still in Jail.

John Dempsey, charged with assaulting two young ladies in the county about three weeks ago, is still in the county jail and seems to care little whether or not he is released. There is a report that another man is soon to be arrested on the charge of the assault and that Dempsey will be released.

The Gazette.

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE.—This old reliable and newsy newspaper entered upon its 106th year January 1st. May it live many more centuries and continue to prosper.—[Piedmont Virginia.]

LOCAL BREVIETIES.

Richard Diggs, an old and respected colored resident, died at his home on south Alford street yesterday evening. The tug Daniel K. Jackson having been overhauled and ironed at the shipyard in this city has been put overboard.

There will be a meeting of Post F, Travelers' Protective Association, on Saturday (January 14th) at 8 p. m. at the New Hotel Rammel.

A horse and wagon will be raffled at Mr. Wm. H. Cox's saloon, southeast corner of Cameron and Fayette streets, at 8 o'clock tonight. An entertainment will be given later.

A letter from Danbury, Conn., announces the death of George W. Horton who for about 25 years lived near Lebanon, Fairfax county. He had previously lived near Wellington, Prince William county.

The annual meeting of the Relief Fund and Ladder Company will be held tonight, when the election of officers to serve during the ensuing year will take place. After the meeting an oyster roast will be given.

Working Night and Day.

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. These Pills change weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, and drag into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c per box. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons.

Coughs and Colds.

All coughs, colds and pulmonary complaints that are curable are quickly cured by one Minute Cough Cure. Clears the phlegm, draws out inflammation and heals and soothes the affected parts, strengthens the lungs, wards off pneumonia. Harmless and pleasant to take. Sold by all druggists.

Do Not Suppress a Cough.

When you have a cough do not try to suppress it, but remove the cause. The cough is only a symptom of some disease, and the disease is what you should cure, then the cough will stop of itself. The most common cause of coughing is a cold. Anodynes will promptly suppress the cough, and preparations containing chloroform, opium, etc., are used for that purpose, but they do not cure the cold. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy on the other hand does not suppress the cough, but relieves it by removing from the throat and lungs the mucus which obstructs the breathing and allaying the irritation and tickling in the throat. It also opens the secretions and effectually and permanently cures the cold as well as the cough. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

PHOTOGRAPHIC BREVIETIES.

The big corn products factory at Oswego, N. Y., which was wiped out by fire a year ago this month and rebuilt at a cost of half a million dollars, is again on fire. Its total destruction is probable.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Long Island Railroad Company, today, Vice President William F. Potter was elected President to succeed William H. Baldwin, deceased. The election was unanimous.

Andrew Johnson, a prominent engineer, committed suicide in a police cell in Wilmington, Del., today, rather than face a charge of non-support, and abuse of his wife and children. Johnson tore a piece from the mattress and choked himself with it.

It seems likely that tomorrow will bring to a conclusion after 25 weeks, the great textile strike at Fall River, Mass. The textile secretaries today issued calls for tonight's meeting of the five leading unions when, in all probability, a motion will be adopted by each giving plenary powers as to settlement, to a committee of three. The Manufacturers' Association met at noon, and selected a similar committee and instructed them to go to Boston tomorrow and, with the representatives of the unions, meet Governor Douglas, and try to arrange amicable terms.

Patrik Judge, of Philadelphia, a brakeman on the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, while coupling two sections of a freight train this morning, slipped and both legs were cut off. He was removed to the New Rochelle Hospital where he died.

FOREIGN NEWS.

A fire was started in Sir Thomas Lipton's provision stores at Glasgow this morning and did 30,000 pounds damage.

The Irish mail boat Connaught collided with the steamer Bedley, from Liverpool today. The latter was seriously damaged and was grounded to avoid sinking. The crew was taken off.

A dispatch from Calcutta says that the chiefs of the Dir and Nawagai tribes have declared war against each other, and fighting has begun. The Nawagai have won the first engagement and have captured a Dir fort. A British movable column will advance from Malakand to watch the fighting and it is possible they will aid the Dir tribesmen.

It is stated that the British admiralty is inquiring into the particulars of all British ships assisting the Russians either as transports, or as colliers, with the view of the possibility of the delicate situation arising from the sinking of any of the British vessels in the anticipated conflict between the Japanese and war ships of the Russian Baltic squadron.

President's Reception.

The President and Mrs. Roosevelt received at the White House last night in honor of the diplomatic corps. It was the first of the season's state receptions. Between 2,200 and 2,300 persons attend.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt received the guests in the Blue Room. They were assisted by several members of the Cabinet and their wives. While the reception was in progress Miss Alice Roosevelt mingled with the throng in the East Room.

The diplomatic corps was well represented. Members of Congress, judges, and prominent clergymen were in the distinguished gathering.

Ferns, palms, and cut flowers were arranged artistically about the recesses and alcoves and on the mantels of the first floor, every room of which was thrown open to the visitors. Aside from no attempt was made at floral decorations.

The Marine Band was stationed in the vestibule, and rendered the music. A force of nearly fifty policemen was on duty while the reception continued and mounted officers were detailed to manage the vehicles.

General Stoesel.

The Russian war office explains that the reason for Lieutenant General Stoesel giving his parole and returning to Russia, instead of remaining at the head of the heroic troops who formed the garrison of Port Arthur and sharing their fate as a prisoner of war in Japan, is that it is incumbent upon him to bring a detailed report of the defense of the fortress to the Emperor. Rear Admiral Doehinsky, who is senior naval officer, will bring the naval report. The arrangements for General Stoesel's route home are not completed. There is a suggestion that he may return by way of Marseilles, where he will receive a gold sword, which will be conferred on him by the French, and thence go to Berlin, where he will receive the Order of Pour le Merite, bestowed upon him by Emperor William. This, however, is not believed at the Russian War Office, where it is said that the general will undoubtedly come straight to St. Petersburg, his first duty being to report to the Emperor. As soon as his route through Russia is determined upon preparations will be made to give him a fitting reception.

Wholesale Prices of Produce.

Table listing various commodities and their prices, including Flour Extra, Wheat, Corn, Eggs, etc.

FOR RENT.—Two nice ROOMS on second floor, all modern improvements. Call at 302 north Alford street. jan13 3t

Lansburgh & Bro. Washington's Favorite Store. Business hours, 8:30 a. m. to 5:30. Saturdays, 9 p. m. Bargains in SILKS. Remnants of Fine Silks at Half and Less for One Day's Selling.

Woodward & Lothrop. 10th, 11th, F & G Sts N. W. WASHINGTON, D. C. Hereafter and until further notice store will close at 5:30 p. m. Saturday is Children's Day. Boys' Winter Clothing.

Lansburgh & Bro., 420 to 426 Seventh Street, WASHINGTON, D. C. CHINA, GLASS AND HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

ELLIOTT'S. 428-430 King Street.

Big Reductions This Week. 1/3 off on all Framed Pictures. 1/2 off on all 1905 Calendars.

1/4 off on all Vase Lamps. 1/4 off on all Cut Glass.

WANTED. DISTRICT AGENT WANTED for an old line annual Dividend Life Insurance Company. Liberal contract to right man. Address GENERAL AGENT, care Gazette, jan13 1w

WANTED.—A WOMAN to do general house work. Apply at No. 222 north St. Asaph street. jan13 1f

WANTED.—By couple two or three ROOMS, partly furnished, for house-keeping; second story preferred, with privilege. Address "G. P. D.," care of Gazette office. jan13 3f

BOOKS AND STATIONERY. S. F. Dyson & Bro. BOOKSELLERS AND STATIONERS. Wholesale and Retail. School Books, School Supplies and Office Stationery a Specialty. All the New Magazines and Papers.

Dyson's Bookstore, 508 King street. WATCHES AND JEWELRY Begins Today.

Our Annual January Discount Sale on Fine Clocks, Marble, Marbleized Iron and French Gift Clocks. 25 PER CENT. OFF REGULAR PRICES.

R. C. Acton & Son, Jewelers and Silversmiths. FOR RENT.—My FARM near Lorton station. Good references required. 128 S. Fairfax St., Alexandria, Va. jan11 1f

FOR RENT.—On the street on Tuesday a PIPE with silver shield on front of bowl. A reward will be paid for its return to 309 King street. jan11 1f

FOR RENT.—To one or two gentlemen BRIGHT ROOM, newly furnished and papered. Address "H.," care Gazette. jan12 2c

MR. W. K. HARLOW has been admitted as a member of the firm of HARLOW BROS. GEORGE H. HARLOW, Trading as Harlow Bros. jan11 3t

CHEAP.—One gallon cans NANTICOKE TOMATOES reduced to 20c each. Quality as usual—guaranteed. J. C. MILBURN.

Woodward & Lothrop. 10th, 11th, F & G Sts N. W. WASHINGTON, D. C. Hereafter and until further notice store will close at 5:30 p. m.

Boys' Winter Clothing. Boys' All-wool Two-piece Suits, some Norfolk jacket style, with four outer pants; some Norfolk jacket style, with straight pants, and double-breasted suits. Special Price, \$3.75. Values \$5 and \$6.

Boys' Madras Neglige Shirts; sizes 12 to 14. These shirts have never sold for less than 75c and sometimes at \$1. Special Price, 50c each.

Boys' all-wool Shirts; with or without collars; sizes 12 to 14. Special Price, \$1. Values \$1.50 and \$1.75.

Boys' Madras Blouses and Shirt Waists; sizes 5 to 14. Special Price, 39c. Values 50c and 75c.

Sweaters for misses, in plain white and gold red, buttoned down the entire front, with turn-over collar. Special Price, \$2 each.

Also a lot of Boys' Sweaters, with turtle and low necks, at \$1 each. Third floor, Tenth st.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE ALEXANDRIA NATIONAL BANK. At the close of business January 11, 1905.

Table showing financial details of the Alexandria National Bank, including Assets, Liabilities, and Total.

State of Virginia, City of Alexandria, ss: T. T. C. Smith, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of January, 1905. R. D. BRUMBACK, Notary Public.

Clearance Sale of Fine Imported and Domestic Woolens. In order to make room for an extensive stock of Spring and Summer Woolens we will close out our entire stock of Fall and Winter Woolens at and below cost.

Suits to Order, \$17.50 up. Trousers, \$2.00 up. Fancy Vests, \$3 up.

Robert T. Grimes, 322 KING STREET. F. X. STONESTREET, BUFFET.

Popular Resort of Alexandrians. 1213 Pa. Ave., Washington, D. C. GALVANIZED TUBS, BUCKETS and OIL CANS just received by J. C. MILBURN.

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Roquefort, Pineapple & Edam Cheese. G. Wm. Ramsay. Kernelled Corn. A Fine Canned Corn Without Hulls. 15c a can.

Alpha Brand, The Finest Maine Corn, 12c a can. G. Wm. Ramsay. Pin Money Pickles. In Glass. A Full Assortment.

MRS. R. J. JOHNSON'S Richmond Pickles By Measure. G. Wm. Ramsay. Absolutely Pure Sap Maple Syrup.

Sweet Cider, Very Fine. Heinz's Mustard By Measure. G. Wm. Ramsay.

Miss Mildred Ficklin (Graduate in music of St. Mary's Academy) Teacher of Piano & Mandolin. For terms, &c., apply at 714 Duke street. jan7 2w

A Fine Watch. If in need of one or of a cheap one, in either case we can supply your wants. We have a large assortment of the different grades. Waltham, Elgin, Illinois, Hamilton and Rockford.

H. W. Wildt & Son. 106 NORTH ROYAL STREET. EVAPORATED PEARS and CHERRIES. THOS. LANNON. Lyons & Brother, Dealers in WOOD and COAL.

Wood Sawn and Split Kept on Hand. COAL AND WOOD UNDER COVER. Office Corner Duke and Fairfax Streets. jan10 3t

A. C. Slaymaker. 429 KING STREET. Reduction Sale. PREPARATORY TO STOCK-TAKING. UNDERWEAR at a GREAT REDUCTION in price in all lines.

A few pieces of SICILIAN ALL-WOOL SUITINGS at COST. BLANKETS and COMFORTS at 10 per cent. off. You need these goods. We need the space.

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A. C. Slaymaker, 429 KING STREET. Open Kettle New Orleans Molasses. We have just opened a barrel and it is delicious. Don't confound this with the common stuff put up in cans, for no such molasses as this ever is packed otherwise than in barrels. Try some at 15c quart.

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