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AUCTION SALES.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, rendered on the 7th day of November, 1904, in the chancery cause of Solomon Myers and Isodore Myers, executors of Lewis Myers, deceased, vs. Max Lansburgh and others, the undersigned special commissioners of sale, will on

MONDAY,
the 5th day of June, 1905,

at 12 o'clock m., at the front door of the Court House of Prince William county, Manassas, Va., sell at public auction all the right, title, interest and estate of the defendant, Max Lansburgh, in and to ALL THAT TRACT OF LAND situated in the county of Prince William, State of Virginia, described as containing 4,264 acres, more or less, and bounded on the east by the Potomac river, on the north by Quantico creek, on the south by Chappawamsick creek and on the west by the telegraph road, together with all rights and appurtences thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining; or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount of the said decree in favor of the plaintiffs against the said Max Lansburgh, to-wit, the sum of $2,741.77, with interest on $2,473.66, part thereof from March 6, 1900, and on $268.11, the residue thereof from October 4, 1901, until paid, and the costs of this suit and of sale. The sale is made subject to the rights of W. A. Winsatt under the agreements made with him by the defendant, Max Lansburgh, bearing date February 9, 1904, and March 4, 1904, respectively, and the deed made in pursuance thereof, recorded among the land records of Prince William county, in Liber 52, page 323, and subject also to the contigent dower right of the wife of the said Max Lansburgh in the equity of redemption in said property.

Terms of Sale—One-third of the purchase money in cash on the day of sale and the residue in two equal installments at six and twelve months from the day of sale, the deferred installments to bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the day of sale until paid, and to be evidenced by the notes or bonds of the purchaser or purchasers with approved personal security and the title to be retained until the full payment of the purchase money. The purchaser or purchasers may at their option pay all in cash. All conveyancing to be at the cost of the purchaser or purchasers.

JAMES R. CATON,
J. B. T. THORNTON,
Commissioners of Sale.

I, John S. Beach, Clerk of the Corporation Court of Alexandria, do certify that James R. Caton has executed bond with approved surety as required by the above decree.

JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.

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PROPOSALS.

DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, Washington, D. C., May 5, 1905.—Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received at this office until 2 o'clock p. m., Saturday, May 20, 1905, for Grading, Cement Walks, etc., at Signal Corps Post, Fort Myer, Va. Plans and specifications can be seen and information obtained on application to this office. U. S. reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Grading, etc.," or for "Cement Walks," as the case may be and addressed to Captain A. W. BUTT, Quartermaster, U. S. A., in charge of depot. my9,10,11,17,18,19

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF GAS, City Hall, April 25, 1905.

SEALED PROPOSALS, addressed to L. E. Uhler, Chairman of the Committee on Light, will be received at this office until 8 p. m., Tuesday, May 16, 1905, for furnishing the Gas Works with FOUR THOUSAND 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 fiscal year commencing June 1, 1905, and ending May 31, 1906, orders to be accepted by successful bidders any date after awarding of contract so that coal will arrive at the works on or before June 1, 1905.

The coal must be Monongah, Tryconnel, Youghiogheny, Montana, Fairmont 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, &c., per ton coal.

Bids will also be received until the same hour and at the same place for furnishing FIVE HUNDRED TONS (more or less) of GEORGE'S CREEK CUMBERLAND COAL or other steam coal equal or superior to this (2240 pounds to the ton) for the use of the Electric Light Works, to be furnished by the boat, car or smaller quantities, if necessary, delivered at the Electric Light Works during the fiscal year commencing June 1, 1905, and ending May 31, 1906, orders to be accepted by successful bidder any date after the awarding of contract, so that coal will arrive at the works on or before June 1, 1905. The committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

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

By order of the Committee on Light.

apr25tmy16 J. B. WALLER, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF GAS, City Hall, April 25, 1905.

SEALED PROPOSALS addressed to L. E. Uhler, chairman of the Committee on Light, will be received at this office until 8 p. m., Tuesday, May 16, 1905, for the ENTIRE OUTPUT OF COAL GAS TAR of the city gas works during the next fiscal year, commencing June 1, 1905, and ending May 31, 1906. Bidders must agree to keep the tar in the well at all times below the outlet or overflow pipe, furnish and fill empty barrels and remove same from the works on presentation to the superintendent of gas of prepaid orders from this office within twenty-four hours after barrels are filled, 50 gallons of tar constituting a barrel. The successful bidder must enter into contract with the Committee on Light for faithful compliance with the above provisions. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Committee on Light.

apr25 td J. B. WALLER, Clerk.

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MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the PLAZA APARTMENT HOUSE COMPANY will be held at the office of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, May 22, 1905, at 2 o'clock p. m. By order of the Board of Directors.

R. E. BRADLEY, Secretary.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the PAFF SHOE COMPANY will be held at the office of said company, at the northeast corner of Washington and Gibbon streets, in this city, on TUESDAY, May 23, 1905, at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

By order of the Board of Directors.

CHARLES B PAFF, Secretary.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the COLUMBIAN MARBLE QUARRYING CO. will be held at 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., MONDAY, June 5, 1905, at 2 o'clock p. m.

HENRY F. WOODARD, Secretary.

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the DEWEY HOTEL COMPANY will be held at 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, June 8, 1905, at 3 o'clock p. m.

HENRY F. WOODARD, Secretary.

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AN ADJOURNED ANNUAL MEETING of the MOUNT VERNON AND MARSHALL HALL STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the company's offices, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, May 29, 1905, at 3 o'clock p. m.

HENRY F. WOODARD, Secretary.

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Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 2 30 p. m. and 10 45 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 4 30 p. m.

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Alexandria Gazette.

FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 12, 1905.

Wilkie Collins' Fat Villain.

Here is a story that was told by Hall Caine concerning Wilkie Collins: "The most successful character in 'The Woman In White' was not a woman, but a man—Fosco, the fat villain. When the book was produced everybody was talking about the fat villain. While the author was staying with his mother a visitor came. The lady said to Collins:

"'You seem to have made a great success with your villain in "The Woman In White." I have read the book. I have studied this villain, but he is not half a villain. You don't know a real villain, and the next time you want to do a villain come to me. I am very close to one. I have got one constantly in my eye—in fact, it is my own husband!'

"Wilkie Collins often told this story, but withheld the name of the lady. It was the wife of Sir Edward Bulwer Lytton."

The Long Eared Bat.

The long eared bat puts itself to bed in wraps not only of its own wings, but supplemented by the folding of its own enormous ears. This little British mammal, the body of which is only two inches long from the tip of the nose to the base of the tail, has the largest ears, in proportion to its size, of any animal in the world. They are an inch and a half long and three-quarters of an inch broad, and when their owner proposes to go to sleep it bends them outward and then backward, folding them down on either side of its head and shoulders before bringing up the wings to cover its sides. When waking up it is quite a business for the little bat to get its tall ears straightened out and into position again. They remain for some time at "half cock" and then are gradually set up and erected to serve the animal while awake.—London Nature.

The Expression "Great Scott!"

Correspondents of the London Academy have been discussing the origin of the American expression "Great Scott!" One thought it arose in some obscure way from the name of General Winfield Scott. Another writes: "Surely the connection of this with General Winfield Scott, mentioned by your correspondent, is doubtful—probably a mere volksetomologie or story invented to account for a word not otherwise understood. Russell's 'Current Americanisms' merely defines it as a 'euphemistic oath of no great force and very uncertain origin.' He must have been acquainted with the Winfield Scott story and (as he is elsewhere very hospitable to fancy derivations) must have had reasons for rejecting this one, but it is odd that he did not record the fairly obvious corruption of the German 'Gruss Gott!'"

Warlike, but Polite.

Ernest Vedel, a Paris literary man, was once a lieutenant in the French navy. At one time he commanded a small warship charged with the duty of preventing the entrance of foreign vessels into a Siamese harbor. A Scandinavian ship, with a Siamese commodore who called himself Armand Duplessis de Richelieu, attempted to enter by the alleged authorization of the French minister at Bangkok. M. Vede wrote a note in these terms: "If you don't desist, I shall open fire." Then he learn- that Mme. Richelieu was with her husband, and he tied the note to a magnificent bouquet. The commodore with the illustrious name desisted and thanked the polite lieutenant profusely for the flowers.

Gray Eyes and Lovelight.

There are no finer eyes in the world than those clear gray eyes of Quaker gray that now and then we see in some good woman's face. Somehow or other they fill you with a vague desire to pray. They are the eyes that shine with lovelight (a beautiful old word), the light of an exceeding kindness for all living things.

The green iris has had a bad reputation. Shakespeare speaks of eyes "green as leeks" and jealousy as a "green eyed monster." A person with green eyes is often stigmatized as "cat eyed" and is supposed to possess all a cat's purring and ingratiating insinuation.—Brown Book.

A Scotch Transaction.

A highlander who sold brooms went into a barber shop in Glasgow to get shaved. The barber bought one of his brooms and after having shaved him asked the price of it. "Twopence," said the highlander. "No, no," said the other. "I will give you a penny, and if that does not satisfy you take your broom again." The highlander took it and asked what he had to pay. "A penny," said the barber. "I will gie you a bawbee, and if that doesn't satisfy you pit on my beard again."—London Tatler.

The Schemers.

"Don't you sometimes think that you are too much attached to money?"

"No," answered Dustin Stax. "If you knew all the schemes to pry a man loose from it you'd realize that he has to be closely attached."—Washington Star.

Experience or Reminiscence.

The Author's Wife—How can you write an up to date sea story when you haven't been on the water for years? The Author—Well, I've been married for twenty years, and yet I can write a love story.—Life.

The Bitter End.

A pupil in one of the New York public schools was asked to write a sentence containing the words "bitter end." He turned in the following: "A dog chased a cat and bitter end."

Without the Silence.

Snacks—Did your wife's mother treat you with silent scorn? Jacks—No such luck; she just treated me with scorn.

Gold's Gilding Effect.

"That fellow is a perfect boor."

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"That so? Well, as I was saying, he's a man of marked individuality."—Pittsburg Post.

The Change.

Fred—She isn't the pretty girl she used to be. Arthur—Is that so? Fred—Yes. Her father lost all his money speculating.

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Japanese Ladies and Suicide.

While Japanese ladies never committed harakiri, the honorable equivalent was death by a stab in the neck from her own dirk, a weapon which she generally carried in her girdle to be used in time of need.

Where a Roman dame would in ancient times have plunged her dagger into her own heart, a Japanese heroine preferred to thrust the weapon into her neck, and there is no record of either male or female in Japan ending existence in the fashion that is so often depicted in western novels and less frequently perhaps in real life.—Nineteenth Century.

Tides on the Great Lakes.

In theory there must be lunar tides on the great lakes, although they may be too small to be detected in bodies of water so much more affected by winds and by differences in barometric pressure. This latter influence is so potent that in Lake Michigan it sometimes causes disturbances resembling tidal waves when the surface of the water is otherwise quite calm.

Reconciled to It.

The car was crowded to its full capacity, and the two who had just entered were compelled to hold to the same strap.

"We seem to be sentenced to hang," observed the maid.

"Yes," whispered the young man as his fingers closed over hers. "Capital punishment."—Chicago Tribune.

A Little Mixed.

"Johnson wants to borrow some money of me. Do you know anything about him?"

"I know him as well as I do you. I wouldn't let him have a dollar."—New Yorker.

Taking Desperate Chances.

It is true that many contract colds and recover from them without taking any precaution or treatment, and a knowledge of this fact leads others to take their chances instead of giving their colds the needed attention. It should be borne in mind that every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality, makes the system less able to withstand each succeeding cold and paves the way for more serious diseases. Can you afford to take such desperate chances when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cure of colds, can be had for a trifle? For sale by Gibson & Timman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

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PROPOSALS.

GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT, Washington, D. C., April 29, 1905. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 o'clock p. m., Friday, May 19, 1905, and then publicly opened for making repairs to roadway to the Richmond, Virginia, National Cemetery roadway. The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals. Specifications and drawings will be furnished upon application to this office or to the Superintendent of the Cemetery at Richmond, Va. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for repairing road to the Richmond, Va., National Cemetery," and be addressed to CAPTAIN A. W. BUTT, Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Washington, D. C.

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DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, Washington, D. C., May 1, 1905. Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received at this office until 2 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, May 31st, 1905, for curbing and paving road on U. S. Reservation at Virginia approach to Washington Aqueduct Bridge. Plans and specifications can be seen and information obtained on application to this office. U. S. reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Curbing and Paving," and addressed to CAPTAIN A. W. BUTT, Depot Quartermaster.

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VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 29th day of April, 1905.

Otis B. Goodall vs. Belle K. Goodall, } In Chancery.

Memo. The object is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the defendant and for further and complete relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Belle K. Goodall, is a non-resident of this State: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four succesive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city. A copy—Teste: JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.

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POTOMAC BRAND FLOUR, which is unexcelled.

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AUCTION SALES.

By R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Va., rendered on the 31st day of January, 1901, in the chancery cause therein pending between William T. Emerson and wife, complainants, and Isabel O. Price and others, defendants, the undersigned Special Commissioner of Sale will sell at public auction at 12 o'clock, m., on

SATURDAY,
the 13th day of May, 1905,

in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, the following real estate belonging to the estate of the late John P. Emerson, to-wit: ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND WITH THE BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS THEREON situated on the west side of Payne street and south side of Duke street, and fronting on Duke street 185 feet 11½ inches, more or less, and on Payne street 250 feet 2 inches, more or less. The above property will be offered first as a whole, and if no satisfactory bid is received for the same as a whole, it will then be offered in parcels as follows, namely:

1, THE LOT OF GROUND with the cottage and other improvements thereon situated at the intersection of the south side of Duke street with the west side of Payne street, fronting on Duke street 100 feet, and running southwardly in depth and fronting on Payne street 150 feet.

2, FOUR BUILDING LOTS on the west side of Payne street, commencing 150 feet south of Duke street, each fronting on Payne street 25 feet ½ inch, and each running westwardly in depth 185 feet 11½ inches, more or less.

3, FOUR BUILDING LOTS on the south side of Duke street, commencing 100 feet west of Duke street, one fronting on Duke street 25 feet 11½ inches, and the remaining three fronting on Duke street 20 feet each, and all running southwardly in depth 150 feet, more or less.

Terms of Sale—One-third of the purchase money in cash on the day of sale, and the residue in two equal installments at six and twelve months from the day of sale, the deferred installments to be evidenced by the notes of the purchaser or purchasers, and to bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the day of sale until paid, and the title to be retained until the full payment of the purchase money and interest. All expenses of conveyancing at the cost of the purchasers. JAMES R. CATON,
Special Commissioner of Sale.

I hereby certify that James R. Caton, Special Commissioner of Sale, as above, has executed bond with approved security as required by the decree of sale above mentioned.

JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.

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By S. H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE SECURITIES.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, rendered on the 6th day of May, 1905, in the chancery cause of Ella Rose Smoot vs. Frances P. Smoot and others, the undersigned substituted trustees, under the last will and testament of Josiah H. D. Smoot, deceased, will sell at public auction on

SATURDAY,
the 20th day of May, 1905,

at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Fairfax street entrance to the Court House, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, the following securities, viz:

1st. Thirty (30) shares of stock of the Alexandria Water Company.

2nd. Six hundred dollars ($600) of the first mortgage bonds of the Virginia Midland Railway Company.

3rd. Thirty-two hundred dollars ($3,200) of the second mortgage bonds of the Virginia Midland Railway Company.

Terms of Sale: Cash.

CARROLL PIERCE,
WORTH HULFISH,

Substituted trustees under the last will and testament of J. H. D. Smoot.

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BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

HISTORY OF ALEXANDRIA.

To the frequent questions as to when the History of Alexandria will be published, I wish to reply that it will be published as soon as Mr. Horace Ramey, the publisher, receives sufficient subscriptions, to be paid on delivery of the book, as will pay him for the paper, printing, &c. He is now circulating subscription papers which will be found at many places of business.

Wm. F. Carne.

LEADBEATER'S YEAST POWDER Guaranteed absolutely pure. 40c per pound For sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

GOLDEN CROWN SYRUP just received by J. C. MILBURN.

RAILROADS

Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway.

In effect May 1, 1905.

LEAVE ALEXANDRIA.

For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days, at 5 45, 6 15, 6 20, 6 45, 7 05, 7 15, 7 30, 7 45, 8 00, 8 15, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20 and 11 42 a. m. 12 20, 12 46 1 00, 1 20, 1 46, 2 10, 2 46, 3 05, 3 30, 3 46, 4 15, 4 36, 4 55, 5 30, 5 45, 6 05, 6 30, 6 55, 7 15, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 8 15, 9 00, 9 45, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20 and 11 50 a. m., 12 20, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50, 2 20, 2 50, 3 20, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 20, 5 50, 6 20, 6 50, 7 20, 7 50, 8 30 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 p. m

LEAVE WASHINGTON.

For Alexandria, from the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 12th street, week days, 6 20, 6 50, 7 05, 7 20, 7 40, 7 50, 8 20, 8 35, 9 05, 9 35, 10 00, 10 25, 11 00, 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 20, 12 40, 1 05 (express), 1 25, 1 55, 2 02 (express), 2 30, 2 55, 3 30, 4 00, 4 15, 4 40, 4 50, 5 05, 5 15 5 30, 5 55, 6 05, 6 30 6 55, 7 10, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10, 11 50 p. m. and 12 30 a. m.

Sundays—7 40, 9 00, 9 45, 10 20, 11 00, 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 30, 1 00, 1 30, 2 00, 2 30 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00 5 30, 6 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 7 55, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 6 52, 8 22, 10 32, 11 32 a. m. 12 32, 1 32, 2 32, 3 27, 4 15, 4 47, 5 30, 7 05 and 9 02 p. m.

Sundays—7 02, 9 33, 10 55 a. m., 12 44, 2 32, 4 47, 6 40 and 9 02 p. m.

FOR ARLINGTON.

Leave Alexandria 7 05, 7 45, 8 30, 9 00 10 00, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20, 11 42 a. m., 12 20 12 46, 1 00, 1 46, 2 10, 2 46, 3 05, 3 46, 4 36, 5 30, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55, 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 15, 9 00, 9 45, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20, 11 50 a. m., 12 20, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50, 2 20, 2 50, 3 20, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 20, 5 50, 6 20, 6 50, 7 20 and 7 50 p. m.

FOR ROSSLYN.

Leave Alexandria for Rosslyn, week days 7 05, 7 45, 8 30, 9 00, 10 00, 10 50, 11 42 a. m., 12 46, 1 00, 2 46, 3 46, 4 36, 5 30, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55 and 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 15, 9 00, 9 45, 10 50, 11 50 a. m. 12 50, 1 50, 2 50, 3 50, 4 50, 5 50, 6 50 and 7 50 p. m.

Baggage checked and carried on the following trains from Alexandria for Washington week days: 8 30 and 10 25 a. m., 1 00, 3 05 and 6 05 p. m.

Sundays—8 15 a. m. and 6 20 p. m.

Parcels carried.

Freight carried daily, morning and evening, in each direction. No freight accepted unless delivered at the station at least 30 minutes before the departure of the freight trains.

CLARENCE P. KING, President. J. COLVIN, Superintendent.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Schedule effective April 11, 1905.

Trains leave Southern Railway Station Alexandria:

7:55 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida limited. Pullman drawing-room sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

11:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville. Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa. Dining car service a la carte.

10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanoo