

Alexandria Gazette

TUESDAY EVENING, OCT. 2, 1906.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:57 a. m. and sets at 6:41 p. m. High water at 8:00 a. m. and 8:13 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section cloudy with occasional rain tonight and Wednesday; fresh possibly brisk northeasterly winds.

Southern Day at Luna Park.

The weather yesterday interfered with the rendering of the programme of exercises which had been arranged for Luna Park, the occasion being "Southern Day." The members of the various southern societies had worked earnestly to make the occasion interesting to all visitors to the park, and had meteorological conditions been favorable, a pleasant day would have been experienced.

A programme that included a tournament, in which were entered some of the best riders in this vicinity; a balloon ascension, country dances, a coronation ball, and other interesting events marked the celebration of "Greater Washington Day" at Luna Park today. Manager Gill had provided prizes valued at \$200 for the successful riders, and interesting features for all visitors. Mr. L. H. Machen, of this city, delivered the address. To the boy or girl who finds the baby balloon which will be dropped by the aeronaut, \$5 will be given. The knights began riding at 1 o'clock and were in regulation uniform. Tomorrow will be "German Day" at the park.

Tickets issued for Southern Day will be good for today and tomorrow.

Funerals.

The remains of the late Mrs. Eva F. Prentice, wife of sergeant Louis W. Prentice, who was drowned at Fort McRae, Fla., during the recent storm, will reach this city tomorrow, and the funeral will take place from Trinity Church at 3 p. m. The interment will be made in the M. P. cemetery. The body of Oscar Prentice, son of sergeant and the late Mrs. Prentice, who also lost his life in the storm, has not been recovered. It is supposed that it has been carried out to sea.

The remains of William Lewis Hopkins, who died at Arlington, Sunday night, were brought here this evening and interred in the Methodist Protestant cemetery.

The funeral of the late Charles Goodrich took place from the residence, southwest corner of Duke and Fairfax streets, this afternoon, and was attended by a number of relatives and friends of the deceased. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Jellors. The pallbearers were Messrs. R. L. Field, Louis Shuman, John Boyd, George Brown, F. M. Hill and J. Brill.

Engine Tested.

The new fire engine was tested at the old Vulcanizing Works' wharf at the foot of Wolfe street at ten o'clock this morning. C. E. Wessell, a representative of the engine building company, conducted the test. Chief Belt of the Washington fire department and Engineer Robinson and others Mayor Paft, and other city officials were present. The test continued three hours.

Mr. Thomas M. Robinson, superintendent of machinery of the Washington fire department, accompanied Chief Belt to this city, and took a prominent part in the testing of the new engine. According to his figures, the apparatus threw two 1/2 streams 217 feet; two one inch streams 184 feet; 1 1/4 stream 241 feet 5 inches; one 1 1/2 stream 221 feet 5 inches, and one 1 1/4 stream 213 feet 5 inches.

Preparing for New Plant.

Mr. E. E. Mandeville, president, and Mr. A. J. Darrah, superintendent, of the Alexandria Electric Company, were in this city today making arrangements for installing the new electric plant in this city. These gentlemen further inspected the newly-acquired property of the company at the foot of Wolfe street. The construction of the new plant will be commenced within the next few days. The new building erected by the Vulcanizing Company on the south of what was at one time the Smith & Fitts locomotive works, will be fitted up as the power house of the electric company. The offices for the present will be in the building now occupied by Machen & Moncre, on the south side of King street, between Fairfax and Lee. Mr. Darrah will reside in the "Colonial" on north Fairfax street.

Assault Case in Progress.

George Griffin, colored, who was brought to this city from Culpeper county recently to insure his safety until the date of his trial for an alleged attempt to attack a fifteen-year-old white girl, and who was removed to Culpeper by officers from that county yesterday, was arraigned for trial in the Circuit Court of the County on that day. The trial had not been completed when the court adjourned for the day and Griffin was sent to jail until this morning when the trial was resumed. A dispatch received at this office today from Culpeper stated that there was some talk last night of lynching the man but that no move in that direction was made. The case was still in progress at 1 o'clock today.

Fire Last Night.

A small frame house on the west side of Pitt street, between Princess and Oranoco, was discovered to be on fire early last night. A huge bank of light illuminated the northern heavens for a few minutes, but it disappeared soon after the firemen went to work. The house, which was occupied by colored people, was considerably damaged. This is the second time it has been on fire during the past year.

Delays Sailing.

The Italian cruiser Ferramosca, now lying at Washington, is to have sailed yesterday morning for New York by way of Norfolk, but was delayed until tomorrow. Capt. John Barclay, of the Maryland Pilots' Association, is in Washington awaiting to pilot the cruiser down the river as he brought her up from the cape.

Confederate Veterans.

At the meeting of R. E. Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, last night, Commodore W. A. Smoot, J. J. Hooff, W. W. Sherwood and Alexander Lyles were appointed delegates to the Grand Camp to be held October 24th at Rosnoke.

Prominent Dry Goods Houses.

Attention has occasionally been called to the dry goods establishments of this city. These branches of Alexandria's trade are increasing yearly, and the enterprise displayed by those in charge of these houses is meeting with well-merited encouragement.

Yesterday reference was made to the well-known establishment of D. Bendheim & Sons. There are others also which deserve similar notice.

Swan Bros., whose enterprise and business instincts entitle them to a position in the front rank, opened a mammoth and well-selected stock of fall and winter dry goods yesterday. The display continued today and will run virtually through the week. This well-known store has been visited by large numbers.

Rosenfeld's dry goods store is fast becoming an Alexandria institution. The business is conducted in a building used for the dry goods trade during the past half of a century, and is one of the best-known stands in the city. Patrons of this house are always assured of satisfactory goods at prices which will compare favorably with those prevailing elsewhere.

The Goodloe Company, located at the northeast corner of King and Pitt streets, is carrying a large stock of dry goods. Their supply includes all varieties and their prices are always regarded as satisfactory. This is also an old dry goods stand, it having been used by different merchants for over fifty years.

Attention has recently been directed to the Lausburgh Bros.' establishment of Washington. A large stock of everything in their line can be found at all times. They have many Alexandria patrons.

The Woodward & Lothrop establishment of Washington is a prominent landmark to the many Alexandrians who visit that city. An immense stock of everything in the dry goods line is carried, and the large number of bargains which are offered daily attracts numerous buyers.

Opera House.

The Corinne Runkel Stock Co. opened a two weeks' engagement at the Opera House to a crowded house all the seats having been sold by eight o'clock. The piece presented last night was the four-act comedy-drama, "The Shadow," a play full of intense interest throughout, which was interpreted in an exceedingly good manner by the company. Harry F. Price played the part of Ned Kee ("Lucifer") in a creditable manner, while Corinne Runkel as Flossie Glenwood was a very clever leading woman. The part of "The Shadow" was in the hands of C. W. Guthrie, who is an excellent heavy man. The comedy role was performed by Dave Runkel, who made the hit of the evening. The Kate Burk of Isabel Price was a part that could be asked of any actress. J. P. Tucker, formerly with the Chaucer L. Southern Co., as Dr. Leslie, deserves special mention. The specialties between the acts are the best seen in this city for a long time, especially that of the Briton-Runkel Trio, which is a show in itself. Baldwin and Price in "Hiram's New Doll" were also good. The show throughout was excellent, and as the company is composed of men and women of unusual talent, many fine productions may be expected. Those desiring to see a good play at popular prices should not miss this opportunity. Tonight "The Maid of the Mill" will be produced for the first time in this city, with entirely new specialties. Mr. Fred May, the "coon shouter," has been specially engaged for the remainder of the engagement. Mr. May is well known in this city, where he has many friends.

Death of Hesselius Smith.

Mr. Hesselius Smith, an old and well-known resident, died at his home, northwest corner of Cameron and Pitt streets, at 1:20 this afternoon. The deceased had been in ill-health for some time, and had been confined to his home for the past four or five weeks. He leaves a widow and one son, Mr. Malcolm Smith, now living in the western section of the country. The deceased was a son of the late Dr. Sidney Smith, and was in his 68th year. For many years Mr. Smith was an employee in the First National Bank of this city. Mr. Smith was a member of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons, and at one time was Senior Warden.

Police Court.

[Justice L. H. Thompson presiding.] The following cases were disposed of this morning: Nannie Jackson, colored, arrested by Officer Jones charged with disorderly conduct, was fined \$2.50. Florence Jackson, colored, arrested by the same officer on a similar charge, was dismissed. Nellie Dudley, colored, arrested by Officer Bettis charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed, the charge having been withdrawn.

Fall and Winter Millinery.

Mrs. E. A. Proctor has received her fall and winter stock of millinery at her store, on King street, between St. Asaph and Washington, which she placed on exhibition today. The assortment is varied and is calculated to please all tastes. Mrs. C. E. Bradley has also received goods in the same line at her store, 414 King street. She will have them on exhibition tomorrow and Thursday. She has shown good taste in her selections.

Cattle Were Delayed.

For alleged loss caused by delay in the transportation of cattle from The Plains, to Jersey City and Baltimore, G. Harris Field sued the Southern Railway and the Pennsylvania Railroad companies for \$800 damages in the Superior Court of Baltimore yesterday by S. S. Field, attorney. It is alleged that by delay in the transportation the cattle did not reach the market in time.

Death of a Fairfaxian.

Mr. Alexander Ogden, a well-known resident of lower Fairfax county, and equally well known in Alexandria, which city he often visited, died at the Alexandria Hospital at an early hour this morning. The deceased recently fell and injured himself so seriously that he was compelled to enter the hospital.

If an article is imitated, the original is always best. Think it over, and when you go to buy that box of soap to keep around the house, get Dewar's Witch Hazel Soap. It is the original and the name is stamped on every box. Good for eczema, letter, boils, cuts and bruises, and especially recommended for babies. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

Personal.

Fire Warden H. A. Downham, Capt. R. M. Latham, Driver J. E. Clapdore, E. C. Wildt and G. M. Myers of the Relief Hook and Ladder Co. left this morning to attend the Pennsylvania Firemen's Convention at Gettysburg. Mrs. Mammie Petty, with her son Ellsworth, who has been visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Marion Mayhugh, for the past five weeks, has returned to her home, in Baltimore, accompanied by her nephew, Master Melvin Mayhugh, son of ex-Officer Mayhugh.

Mr. W. E. Germann, of Pennsylvania, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Germann, on upper Prince street, has returned to his home accompanied by his two sisters, Misses Elsie and Annie Germann.

Mr. Jas. Keogh has just returned from a month's visit to New York city and Bluefield, W. Va. While in Bluefield he visited his old college chum, Mr. C. O'Leary, formerly of Alexandria.

Mr. J. H. Trimmer has just returned from a trip through North Carolina, in the interest of Messrs. W. A. Smoot & Company.

Rev. J. L. Allison, D. D., pastor of Gunston-Temple Memorial Presbyterian Church, Washington, will preach in the Second Presbyterian Church, tomorrow evening at eight o'clock.

Corporation Court.

[Judge L. C. Barley presiding.] W. E. Emerson vs. Isabel S. Price; M. R. Harlow vs. Sarah J. Gray's admr.; Marian F. Henderson vs. Chas. W. Henderson and J. Q. H. Smith vs. A. R. Emerson, final decree entered in all these cases.

City Council vs. W. H. F. Brookes; decree confirming report of R. D. Brumback and appointing G. L. Boothie and S. P. Fisher commissioners of sale. City Council vs. Susan C. Barker; decree confirming report of S. P. Fisher and appointing his special commissioner to convey property.

The Drowned Horses.

The horses which fell overboard and were drowned at the ferry slip yesterday were not recovered, as was stated. The hind wheels of the lumber wagon were grappled and pulled up a short time after the accident, but all efforts to recover the front wheels were futile. It was naturally supposed that the drowned horses were with the wagon, but after searching for them all yesterday afternoon and part of last night those engaged in the work acknowledged that they were unable to locate them.

Grand Jurors.

The following is the list of the members of the special grand jury summoned to appear in the Corporation Court tomorrow: C. N. Moore, L. Stabler, C. R. Yates, Geo. Uhler, C. T. Hellmuth, W. A. Moore, T. L. Carter and S. F. Wyson.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

See notice of coke for sale at gas works.

John Credit, a well-known colored resident of this city, was stricken with paralysis at his home on south Royal street yesterday.

The Alexandria Dancing Class opened the season at Odd Fellows' Hall last night. Prof. Padgett's orchestra furnished the music.

A few days ago two locomotives collided near the Potomac railway yards, north of this city. Both engines were considerably damaged.

The officers of the steamer Newport News, which arrived up this morning from Norfolk report experiencing a heavy blow in the bay and river. No damage resulted and the steamer reached this port on time.

A large photograph of the delegates to the Glass Bottle Blowers Association of the United States and Canada, which met in Atlantic City recently, is on exhibition in the window of Mr. Edgar Warfield's store.

More new engines of the "800" series, built by the Baldwin Works at Philadelphia for the Southern Railway Company, are arriving in this city. Sixty of this class of locomotives have been ordered by the Southern Company.

The horse attached to a buggy in which two ladies were seated ran away on north Fairfax street Sunday morning. The horse proceeded south at a rapid gallop, and upon reaching Prince street turned east. The animal was stopped before any material damage resulted.

Mr. Michael Dyer, a former well-known resident of Alexandria, died Sunday in Norfolk, where he had been living for the past twenty-five years. Mr. Dyer was a member of the 11th Regiment, which left this city with the Seventeenth Virginia Regiment in 1861, and served the state till the close of the war.

Mr. Julian D. Knight has been awarded a contract by Dr. S. B. Moore to make extensive repairs to his residence on Prince street. Among the improvements will be a handsome side porch of the most modern design. Mr. Knight has just finished for Mrs. R. C. Powell some extensive repairs to her residence on north Washington street.

Fried Clams 30 cents a dozen. Oysters fried, stewed or raw. Dining room open on Sunday during oyster season. C. H. Zimman, Market space. feb 26th

A Lucky Postmistress.

Miss Alexander, of Cary, Me., who has found Dr. King's New Life Pills to be the best remedy she ever tried for keeping the Stomach, Liver and Bowels in perfect order. You'll agree with her if you try these painless pills that infuse new life. Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons Drugist.

Now is your chance to get Lee Coal. Barze Wissahickon with 900 tons is now unloading clean coal right from the mines. Order your coal while unloading.

DEW. AITCHESON.

Both Phones. 107 South Royal St.

NOTICE.

Prepare for War in time of Peace. Coal is scarce. We are delivering the very best grades of Clean Newley mined Coal at bottom market price. 2,240 lbs. to the ton, promptly delivered by DEWILTON AITCHESON. Both Phones. 107 south Royal street.

THE WHISKY OF OUR FATHERS.

Continental Pure Rye, 75c full quart, 35c a pint; Overholt, bottled in bond, and Paul Jones Pure Rye, 90c full quart; Port, Sherry, Catawba and Claret, 25c a quart. All the leading brands of fine wines and liquors for family trade. Phone 85 or drop postal. HARBLOW BROTHERS, Cameron and Royal Streets. me 31st

SELECT NORFOLK OYSTERS AT THE EIKTON.

We are handling nothing but select Norfolk Oysters. Telephone orders receive prompt attention. sep 25, 1906

Greater Washington Day. LUNA PARK (George E. Gill, Manager.) Greater Washington Day. Grand Coronation Ball Tonight--Country Dances. Address by Mr. Lewis H. Machen. All "Southern Day" Tickets Good For Today or Tomorrow. TOMORROW "GERMAN DAY" Band Music. Shadow Dances. Fireworks. Trapeze Performance. Chorus of 200 Voices. Farewell Programme.

We announce the Opening of Our OYSTER SEASON Rammel's Restaurant. During winter season dining room will close at 12:30, excepting Saturday and Sunday. Saturday at 12 p. m. Sunday at 11 p. m. Family trade given prompt attention. Both telephones. sep 6 1m

DRY GOODS The Formal FALL OPENING Continues. The entire store is virtually a congress of correct style. These exhibits of Women's Dress Goods, Silks, Trimmings and Dress Accessories are the criterion of fashion for Fall, 1906. From all-sides comment of approval and delight is brought to us; from everyone comes the acknowledgement that these showings are supremely the authoritative expression of the foreign and domestic dress idea for the coming season. That they outclass every exhibit we have held in former years is undeniable. That they are far superior to any style showing of this season is also evident. This may be attributed to our ceaseless energy, our resources and prestige, together with advantageous trade connections which give us access to the foremost fashion creators. You are welcome to all these showings may teach. The freedom of the entire store is extended you.

A Human Nose Two Feet in Length. Elephantiasis is a peculiar form of leprosy in which the limbs and features swell to horrible proportions and out of all semblance to the legs, arms and faces of human beings. Cases are known where the legs have become so swollen that they measured 4 1/2 feet in circumference. The ears of the same victim, Walter Brisbane, an English sailor, were eighteen inches in length, and his nose elongated to upward of two feet when in the last stages of the horrible malady.—London Telegraph.

Feminine Logic. "The female sex," said M. Callio lately, "is the most illogical in the world."

"What new proof have you of the want of devotion of women to the canons of logic?" he was asked. "Why, take my wife," answered M. Callio. "I had all the trouble in the world to get her to enter her thirties, and now, a dozen years later, I can't get her out of them."

False Pretense. "No, madam," said Brillat, "I'll not have without two weeks' notice. That was the contract and I'll howld yez to it."

"But," replied Mrs. Hiram Offen, "you broke the contract in the first place by representing yourself as a cook."—Philadelphia Press.

Put Her Foot Down. Naggin—But why don't you argue the matter out with your wife? Moshon—Hush! My wife has very positive ideas on that subject. The moment I opened my mouth my wife would put her foot down, and— Naggin—The ideal I should think you'd choose to death.

He Knew. Teacher—Now, Robert, do you know what an isosceles triangle is? Boy—Yes'm, Teacher—Well, what is it? Boy—It's one uv dem things I gits hiked fer not knowin' wot it is.—Judge.

CHINA, GLASS AND HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

ELLIOTT'S, Cor. Pitt and King Sts.

5 inch Flower Pots and Saucers, 5c each, all sizes up to 14 inches.

Fern Pots, 6 inches, 5c. Fern Pots, 8 inches, 10c. 8 inch Jardiniers at 10c.

A full line of more expensive Jardiniers and Pedestals.

Headquarters for Burners, Wicks and Chimneys.

Alexandria, Va., Oct. 1st, 1906. COMPANIONS: You are hereby notified to attend a stated convocation of M. F. VERNON E. A. CHAPTER, NO. 14, to be held at the Tabernacle Friday night, October 5th, 1906, at 7 o'clock; work, M. M. and P. M. By order of the Most Excellent High Priest, K. KEMFER, Secretary.

Table Belle Flour, \$4.75. Large sacks Flour, 30c; small sack Flour, 15c; Granulated Sugar, 5c lb.; Cal. Hams, 10c lb.; 1 lb. best 50c Tea, 25c lb.; large New Potatoes, 25c peck.

W. P. WOOLLS & SON, Royal and Wolfe streets.

ONE PRICE. The Leader, GOOD GOODS CHEAP. 405 King St., Next to Creighton's Drug Store. Your Wants. Are here at one price. New Fall Underwear, Hosiery, Ladies' Shirt Waists, Skirts, Wrappers, Muslin Underwear, Corsets, Belts, Hairpin Novelties, Ribbons, Laces and Embroideries. Special Day Sales. WEDNESDAY. 11c for 18c Table Oilcloths. 3c for 5c Toilet Soaps. THURSDAY. 49c for 75c Umbrellas. Pins, six papers for 5c. FRIDAY. 39c for 50c Corsets. 19c for 39c Children's Dresses. SATURDAY. 7c for Gingham Aprons. 8c for Ladies' Fast Black Hosiery. MONDAY. Hairpins, six papers for 5c; worth 15c. 10c for Novelty Pocketbooks. TUESDAY. 39c for Men's Fleece Underwear; worth 50c. 9c for Infants' Undershirts; worth 15c. The Leader, 405 KING ST.

Kaufmann Bros. Fall and Winter Clothing. Men's Suits, \$5 to \$17.50. Men's Pants, \$1 to \$6. Boys' Suits, \$1.49 to \$10. Boy's Pants, 25c to \$1. Overcoats, Top Coats, Rain Coats and Manhattan Shirts. Heavy and Medium Weights in Underwear for men and boys, 25c to \$1.50 per garment. New Neckwear, 25c and 50c. Adler's Kid Gloves, in the popular shades, \$1 to \$1.50. Kaufmann Bros., 402 King Street, Alexandria, Va.

GROCERIES. AMUSEMENTS. OPERA HOUSE, Briton-Runkel Stock Co. IN REPERTOIRE. TONIGHT: "The Maid of the Mill." NEW SPECIALTIES NIGHTLY. SEE THE BRITON-RUNKEL TRIO, the best specialty ever produced in this city, together with many more. Prices, - - 10c, 20c, 30c. MATINEE SATURDAY 2:30 P. M. sep 28 3d

New Canton Ginger, Pots, Halves and Quarters. G. Wm. Ramsay. Fresh Saratoga Chips and Pretzels at RAMSAYS. Gosman's Ginger Ale, Cantrell & Coch-rane's Imported do. and America's Premier do. All Heavily Carbonated. For Sale By G. Wm. Ramsay. For Any Kind of Tool. Cutlery, Scissors and Shears, come here. We carry what is conceded to be the best line of tools in the world, the famous KEEN KUTTER Line. The Keen Kutter trade mark covers tools of all kinds and is a positive guarantee of highest excellence and long, satisfactory service. Tool Booklet free. R. E. KNIGHT 621, 623, 625 King St. NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS. Gas bills for the quarter ending September 1, 1906, having been delivered, this is to notify all customers that the usual discount will be allowed on all bills paid on or before October 1, 1906. After that date no discount will be allowed and delinquents will be required to make early settlement. By order of the Committee on Light. sep 17 J. B. WALLER, Clerk of Gas.