

Alexandria Gazette.

FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 29, 1908.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table. Sun rises tomorrow at 4:38 and sets 7:15. High water at 7:52 a. m. and 8:07 p. m.

Weather Probabilities. For this section at 6 o'clock tonight and 8 a. m. today; cooler tonight increasing gradually winds.

CRITENTON HOMES.

The 25th anniversary of the establishment of the National Florence Crittenton Mission is being celebrated and the silver anniversary of annual conference will be held in Detroit, Mich., on June 2, 3, 4. Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, vice president and general superintendent of the Crittenton Mission has issued an address in which she says: We must be preparing for our silver offering. What a splendid thing it would be if we could have for doing the work for each girl equal to one dollar for the extension of the work during the year. Last year we sheltered eighteen thousand girls and babies, and we will likely shelter as many this year. Shall we not work and pray that we shall be able to raise this much to be used exclusively for the extension of the work. Let our hearts become enthused with our responsibility and our opportunity for our silver anniversary, and let us earnestly ask ourselves "what is my responsibility in the matter?" Who will be the first one to write us and offer their help in realizing the dreams of the officers of the National Florence Crittenton Mission?

THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S BUILDING.

In the erection last summer of the George R. Hill Memorial Building for the young people of Alexandria its promoters today can look with pride upon its closing year of successful work. The citizens have been favored at times with the best talent on the lecture platform and the hundreds of men crowding the hall every Sunday practically proved its need and the good it is doing in the community. The phenomenal work it is accomplishing among the young men and women should suggest to the business men and parents to get in touch and learn something of this really Y. M. C. A. It is understood that a gymnasium and swimming pool is to be added at once. Such efforts are commendable and should receive liberal financial assistance from the people, should they be asked to lend a helping hand. Lynchburg, Roanoke and other Virginia cities have such institutions, with complete facilities and attractions. Why not Alexandria?

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIETY.

The spring convention of the Christian Endeavor society of Northern Virginia is being held at the Methodist Protestant Church in this city this afternoon. The exercises began at 2:30 o'clock with praise services by the Mount Olivet Society. About one hundred delegates are in attendance. The programme as published yesterday is being carried out. A supper will be tendered the delegates at the church at 5:30 o'clock by the local society of the M. P. Church. Rev. G. J. Humphreys, pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church, will deliver the convention sermon at 8 o'clock tonight.

INVITATIONS.

We have received from President Charles Wilkes Needham a cordial invitation to the commencement exercises of the George Washington University to be held on Wednesday morning, June third, at half past ten o'clock at the Belasco Theatre, Washington.

We have received an invitation to attend the unveiling of the monument to the Confederate soldiers of Washington on June third. The committee in charge of the arrangements are: J. W. McBroome, Daniel Frazier, L. T. Osby, James L. White, R. M. Page, F. S. Robertson.

DOG KILLED.

Officer Young killed a dog in market alley this morning which gave evidence of rabies. The dog appeared on King street where it snarled at passersby. Officer Young stepped after the animal when it ran into Market alley where it was dispatched. Attention was called a few days ago to the increasing number of vagrant and unlicensed dogs in Alexandria, Baltimore and other cities are taking steps towards eliminating the canine nuisance, and Alexandria should take proper precautions before serious consequences follow.

DECORATION DAY EXCURSIONS.

The Washington and Potomac Steamboat Company will give excursions to River View tomorrow (Decor. Day). The steamer Queen Anne will stop at Alexandria going and returning. See advertisement.

THE STEAMER ST. JOHNS.

The steamer St. Johns will leave this port at 6:30 this evening, at 9 a. m. Sunday for Colonial Beach, stopping here on return trip.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice L. H. Thompson presiding.] The following cases were disposed of this morning: Patrick McGuire, charged with vagrancy, was fined \$5. John Monroe, charged with drunken and disorderly conduct, was fined \$5. Charles McCoy, colored, charged with stealing clothes, was fined \$10.

SOCIAL GATHERING.

There was a happy gathering of young people last night at the residence of Mr. Joseph Padgett, No. 308 north Pitt street. The party had been arranged by young lady friends of the family. Games were indulged in and seasonable refreshments were served during the evening. The guests adjourned at a late hour much pleased with the entertainment.

City Sergeant Cox today received notice from the officers of the Western State Hospital at Staunton that W. G. Gosling, who was committed to that institution from Del Ray recently, has made his escape.

Insist upon DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.

It is especially good for piles. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

You don't have to go to Washington for all the new dainty features in fine footwear.

Look our stock over and be convinced. We have all the new styles. J. A. Marshall & Bro.

PERSONAL.

Maj. and Mrs. John W. Green, who have been in Texas during the past winter, have returned and are at the home of their son, Mr. J. J. Green, at Braddock Heights.

Rev. L. L. Williams and wife of Gonzales, Texas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Green at Braddock Heights. Mr. Williams will in a few days sail for London to attend, as a delegate from the diocese of Texas, the Pan-Anglican Conference.

Dr. S. D. Hicks has returned from a visit to Warrenton.

Miss Katherine Dainingerfield is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Jenkins, at Seven Oaks, their country place in the Green Spring Valley, near Rogers station.

Miss Mary Gibson and Miss Mary Ball, who have been visiting friends in this city, have returned to their homes in Richmond.

Mr. L. E. Uhler, who had been confined to his home for the past week suffering with a carbuncle, is able to be out again.

The Misses Uhler yesterday evening delightfully entertained a number of their friends at a lawn party given at their residence on Cameron street.

Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Stump were in the city today. They were heartily greeted by their many friends and acquaintances. Mr. Stump is now stationed at Middleton, Frederick county.

Governor Swanson spent last night in this city. He visited Leesburg yesterday where he spoke at the unveiling of the Confederate monument at that place. The governor left for Richmond this morning.

Dr. and Mrs. Angus Crawford announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Beatrice, to Mr. Marion Bell Humphrey, of Washington. The wedding will take place in the early fall.

Mrs. Hattie Lambert, of Alexandria, is visiting relatives near Berryville.

The weekly tea will be served at the Alexandria Golf Club house tomorrow evening by Misses George French, Mary Snowden and Jean Brent.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Tomorrow (Memorial Day) will be observed in this city as on former occasions. It will be a holiday and government offices and banks will be closed. Appropriate exercises will be held in the National Cemetery in the afternoon. The following programme has been prepared: Assembly, First Washington bugler; Invocation, Rev. Joseph R. Sevier; hymn, "How Firm a Foundation, choir; reading of Lincoln's Gettysburg address, W. P. Graves; hymn, "I Will Sing You a Song of That Beautiful Land," choir; address, by Rev. Edgar Carpenter; with "America," choir; hymn, "Abide With Me," benediction. The music will be furnished by Miss Blanche Kitcher, assisted by her choir and a cornetist. There will be public excursions to river resorts, and many private parties will spend the day picnicking.

DEATH OF MRS. WATERS.

Intelligence was received in this city today from Wytheville of the death at Burke's Garden on Wednesday, the 27th, of Mrs. Cordelia Hunter Waters, widow of Thomas Waters, formerly of Alexandria, at an advanced age. Mrs. Waters leaves two children, Mr. T. A. Waters and Mrs. Robert M. Lawson. Her remains were interred at Burke's Garden today.

LECTURE ON NAPOLEON.

The lecture last night of Angus McD. Crawford, A. M., of the Episcopal High School of Virginia, on Napoleon at the Young People's building of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, was well attended and much enjoyed. The lecture was accompanied by interesting stereopticon views. The proceeds will be donated to the Chapel of the Good Shepherd.

FESTIVAL.

There will be a strawberry festival this evening at the residence of Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, 403 Duke street, from seven till ten, for the benefit of The Children's Home. An arranged musical programme has been arranged and all who come will be doubly happy for an enjoyable evening and a most worthy object.

BASEBALL.

The Alexandria Athletic Club will open the season tomorrow on the old fair grounds with the strong Navy Department team. Game called at 3 o'clock. A good game is promised all who attend. Alexandria line up will be Wilkerson, Donaldson, Gray, Scrivener, Benzetti, Snowden, Lyles, Stearns, Tyler.

TO EXCHANGE BONDS.

The executive board and the trustees of the Ann Lee Memorial Association met at Mrs. L. W. Reid's last night and decided to accept the new bonds of the city of Alexandria in place of the bonds now owned by the association, and to purchase two more \$100 bonds at par.

THE LIBRARY.

Beginning with Monday June 1st, the Alexandria Library, will be open in the morning instead of afternoon and will be open half an hour later at night. The hours will be every Monday, Wednesday and Friday morning from 9:30 to 11:30. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights from 7:30 to 9:30.

THE WARM WAVE.

The warm wave which has settled over this section nearly a week was still in evidence this morning. Early last night the temperatures fell somewhat, but before morning sultry conditions prevailed again.

When your foot seems to nuzzle like a Kodak. Take Kodol now and until you know you are right again. There isn't any doubt what it will do and you will find the truth of this statement verified after you have used Kodol for a few weeks. It is sold here by W. F. Creighton & Co.

"Say! your shoes are beauties," said a prominent citizen to a friend this week. "Where did you purchase them?" These shoes are the Hess; I bought them at J. A. Marshall & Bro's, 422 King street.

PAPER HANGING.

Window Shades, Pictures and Picture Framing. H. E. WEBB, 135 south Fairfax St. may28 3t

NOTICE-COAL AT BOTTOM ST. MERMER PRICES.

Take advantage of the low price and buy your coal before the advance July 1st. Will be pleased to have your order now. Both phones. DeW. AITCHESON, 107 south Royal street. apr28

Taos are the real thing for spring wear. We handle the swellest line in town. Our motto, high grade, low prices. J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

An adjourned meeting of the City Council will be held tonight.

Mr. S. D. DeVaughan has been awarded the contract for the carpenter's work on the court house.

Mr. August Calmes is having an addition made to the rear of his residence on north Royal street.

Mr. J. J. Minor, of this city, was caught in an elevator in Washington yesterday evening and painfully hurt. He, however, narrowly escaped a serious injury.

The schooners Lena S. Miles and Fleetwing, loaded with lumber by H. K. Field & Co. for Mount Holly, and the E. T. Cox, loaded with building material by the same firm for Colonial Beach, have sailed.

A. A. Lipscomb and G. H. Rucker, of Washington and Arlington districts, in the county, respectively, have been elected delegates to the Roanoke democratic convention and have been instructed to vote for Bryan.

Rip Van Winkle will be handsomely exhibited in the motion pictures by the Alexandria Amusement Company tonight. The singing of Mrs. Fisher adds largely to the attractiveness of the daily exhibitions. It is a rare treat. Electric fans to keep you cool.

A colored man, employed on a sloop now lying in one of the city docks, fell overboard about 9 o'clock last night at the foot of Fayette alley and was rescued with difficulty by some colored men who happened to be nearby. The cries of the man caused some excitement in the vicinity.

There is really no other Schweitzer Cheese in the city which can compare with ours and our price is only 50c a pound. Sylvan Blondheim, the Auth Stand, City Market.

Warm weather and cheap sausages are the best friends of the doctor and the undertaker. Saving a cent or two on a pound of sausage may be economy, but there's another name for it in the dictionary. Auth's sausages are absolutely pure and their flavor is delicious. Why not buy the best? Sylvan Blondheim, the Auth Stand, City Market.

The Potomac Fish Co. will have Soft Shell Crabs for sale tomorrow.

Fried Clams 30c dozen. Vegetable soup Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; clam soup Monday, Wednesday and Friday. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. mar21 f

LIQUOR FOR "DRY" TOWNS. In the Roanoke liquor cases, involving the refusal of the Southern Express Company to handle liquor consigned to Roanoke shippers to parties in "dry" towns on the line of the Norfolk and Western railroad and in which an appeal was made to the State Corporation Commission, it was decided yesterday that the ordinances of the "dry" towns were ineffective and that the express company, under the general law, is required to transport liquor legally sold to customers in such towns.

The express company is commanded to accept from licensed retail dealers of Roanoke and from all others similarly situated all intoxicating liquors lawfully sold and to transport them to the "dry" towns and deliver them to the consignees.

It appears from the ruling of the commission that a distinction is made between retail dealers on one hand and distillers and manufacturers on the other, as the two last-mentioned classes are forbidden to ship, while the ordinances are valid as to the retailers.

T. P. A.

The national convention of the Travelers' Protective Association will be held in Milwaukee, Wis., beginning June 22d, and will continue throughout the week. It is expected that there will be an attendance of between 5,000 and 8,000 travelers and their friends on this occasion and the Wisconsin division is making elaborate plans for their entertainment.

The business sessions will dispose of a number of important matters of interest to the traveling public. One subject of importance will be the encouragement of legislation in all States and in Congress to bring about the use of steel fire-proof cars on all railroads.

All want the best. The Hess, Walk Over, Red Cross and Queen Quality Shoes are to be had at J. A. Marshall & Bro's, 422 King street. nov21 1f

EXCURSIONS.

WASHINGTON & POTOMAC Steamboat Company. Decorative Day Excursions to Colonial Beach Washington's Atlantic City. Stops at Alexandria. Three special trips. Steamer St. Johns.

Friday, May 29, 6:30 p. m. Saturday, May 30, 9 a. m. Sunday, May 31, 9 a. m. All amusements in operation.

Bathing Boating, Crabbing and Fishing. Fare, round trip—Friday, \$1 ticket good to return on any steamer of the line within ten days. Saturday and Sunday trips, ticket good day of issue only, 50 cents. Ten day ticket good on all trips. Regular trips every Saturday afternoon and Sunday morning during June. Daily, except Monday, from July 3.

Colonial Beach Hotel opens June 12. may29 2t

Washington & Potomac Steamboat Co. Decorative Day Excursion TO RIVER VIEW The Family Resort of Washington. Stops at Alexandria. New Management. New Features. New Policies.

Plenty to amuse. No dull time. Music and dancing—11 day. Go where the cooling breezes blow. Steamer Queen Anne, 10 a. m. Tickets—Adult, 25c. Children, 15c. may29 1t

G. R. GAINES J. T. ALLEN FRESH VEGETABLES Of all kinds. FRESH COUNTRY BUTTER AND EGGS. CHEESE of all kinds. IMPORTED SWISS CHEESE a specialty. Best TEAS and COFFEES. CANNED GOODS and FLOUR. GAINES & ALLEN, 29, 30 and 31. City Market. may29 3m

Notice to Farmers.

Farmers please notice that the Osborne Mowers, Binders and Tillage Goods, as well as repairs, have been transferred by the International Harvester Company of America to MYERS BROTHERS, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

We will carry a full line of repairs, and you will also find our place of business open and ready to take care of your wants. Come and see us before buying mowers, rakes, grain and corn harvesters, as well as peg, spring and disk harrows and cult vators.

We are here to do what is right by you, and if you need anything in our line—such as Osborne harvesting machinery and tillage goods—we will keep a complete stock of repairs.

MYERS BROTHERS.

Gifts for Graduating Girls

The Sweet Girl Graduate naturally expects nice gifts from her friends and loved ones on Commencement Day. The day she receives her diploma is one of the most eventful days of her life.

We have many nice things in Jewelry that she will be pleased with.

We suggest a Nice Watch. Solid Gold Watches Waltham or Elgin Movement \$17.50 UP.

Saunders & Son, 629 King Street.

USE SUPERLATIVE FLOUR E. E. LAWLER & CO. ALEXANDRIA VA. ACTS.

Tuxedo Pool Room 305-307 KING STREET. An Up-to-Date Pool Parlor. We also carry all the leading brands of union-made cigars and tobaccos. Ice Cream Cones and Soft Drinks of all kinds. Our patrons will be served by polite and courteous clerks. JAMES W. B. PETTEY & CO, may25 1w

GENTS' FURNISHINGS. AMUSEMENTS. Alexandria Amusement Co. 426 King Street. Subjects for Tonight: Rip Van Winkle. We will repeat KER CHOO AND Don't Pull My Leg. It was so funny. Illustrated Songs. Matinee every day at 2.45. Admission - - 5c

Where Quality is Paramount -Now-a-Days- ITS "The Auth Stand" AND The Auth Products They're Delicious. We desire to attract attention especially to the "Auth" Sausages and the "Auth" Hams. For quality and flavor they're beyond comparison. Auth's Sliced Bacon. Cooked Ham and Tongue. The picnic basket is never quite complete unless it contains a little of "Auth's" Sliced Ham, Tongue or Bologna. Dressed Chickens. These chickens are both young and tender and are killed every Friday for Saturday. Dried Beef, our own clipping. Imported Schweizer Cheese. There is really no Schweizer in the city that can compare with ours and it is only 50c a pound. Red Clover. The very Best Creamery Butter on the Market—35c a pound. S. BLONDHEIM, CITY MARKET. Bell Phone 225.

THE PURE FOOD STORE Midland Butter. Is the quality sort that appeals to those who are particularly discriminating as to the merits of the butter they buy. It's pure, sweet and appetizing. For years Midland Butter has been recognized as the best that comes to Alexandria. We desire your butter trade. Price, 30c per pound. Call, phone or write Edward Quinn & Sons, DISTRIBUTORS, Car, St. Asaph and Orange Streets. BUSINESS FOR SALE.—Cigars, tobacco, news, novelties, tea, and coffee trade. Apply 1109-11 King street. may28 3t

Fresh ELGIN BUTTER just received. For sale at 30c, by J. C. WILBURN. Perfected EVAPORATED APPLES, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

SCREENS. Buy your Window Screens and Screen Wire of CARTER H. SMITH, 505 King street. may19 1m

The Blending of Coffee. next to its careful and proper roasting is an art and should be so classified. Our coffees are blended by an expert, and they will be found uniform, mellow and fine always. Do not confound Bon Alpha Coffee though moderately priced, with other cheap package coffees. You have a right to ask for our coffees at all grocers. Fifty-two merchants now sell them. The Alexandria Coffee Co., 300 SOUTH FAIRFAX STREET. Both Phones 195.

JEWELERS. Wedding Silver and Cut Glass. That is different. Beside quality our silver and glass has individuality that raises it above the mediocre. You are cordially invited to inspect our display. R. C. Acton & Sons, Jewelers and Silversmiths.

PURE WINES AND LIQUORS. We desire to direct your attention to our superior brands of whiskeys. ARLINGTON PURE RYE (7 years old—unexcelled.) BRADDOCK STRAIGHT RYE (None Better.) (Absolutely Pure.) SPECIAL ATTENTION TO FAMILY TRADE. RILEY & SPINKS, S. E. COR. PRINCE AND ROYAL STREETS. W. P. HUSTED, Bricklayer and Contractor, All Kinds of Cement Work. Boiler Setting and Furnace Work a Specialty. 964 Duke St.—Alexandria, Va. may28 1w

TO THE PUBLIC. On and after June 1, 1908, the undersigned will conduct a general BLACKSMITH and WHEELWRIGHT ESTABLISHMENT in the old Hydrocarbon fire engine house at 209 N. Royal street. My aim is to give my patrons entire satisfaction and I devote my personal attention to all orders entrusted to my care. Terms reasonable. Give me a trial. may28 3t HARVEY OLIVER.

Great Pool Exhibition BY THE HEIL BROTHERS, Aged 8, 10 and 12 years. At the NEW POOL ROOM, 801 KING ST. Friday Night, May 29. may28 2t

Lowest Prices On Runabouts, Buggies, Surreys, Daytons, Sunshades, Harness, Robes and Whips. MYERS BROTHERS, 115 North Pitt Street. may12 1m

CONFECTIONERS. Ice Cream BRICK or BULK. A TREAT TO EAT IN Summer's Heat. H. BLOCH, Wholesale and Retail Confectioner. Both phones. A large assortment of BEDDING PLANTS, including Rosebushes, Shrubbery and other Hardy Plants. Mrs. F. J. Kramer Floral Co., 114 North Fayette Street. Both Phones. feb3 6m

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Alexandria, Va. SATURDAY, May 30th, Decoration Day, being a legal holiday, this bank will be closed. GEO. E. WARFIELD, Cashier. may28 2t

THE CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK, Alexandria, Va. SATURDAY, May 30th, Decoration Day, being a legal holiday, this bank will be closed. RICHARD M. GREEN, Cashier. may28 2t

THE ALEXANDRIA NATIONAL BANK, Alexandria, Va. SATURDAY, Decoration Day, May 30, being a legal holiday, this bank will be closed on that day. Paper maturing on that date will be due June 1, 1908. may28 2t T. C. SMITH, Cashier.

FOR SALE. Large butcher's ICE BOX. Apply to 904 Duke street or M. E. PARKER & BRO. may28 3t

\$1,000 WILL PURCHASE A desirable seven-room frame dwelling in a good residential section, newly papered and painted. Rent \$10 per month. Address OWEN, care Gazette office. may28 3t

CIGAR SALESMAN WANTED. Experience unnecessary. \$100 per month and expenses. Peerless Cigar Co., Toledo, O. may25 1w*

Berries, Oranges and Lemons. Most reasonable articles at present. Strawberries, Oranges & Lemons are at the height of our berry season and are supplying our county trade with them direct from the patches. The quality is better this year than ever known, and being received direct are in a position to quote you lowest possible price. Oranges and Lemons are our specialties, and if you have never dealt with us you should have your name on our mailing list. You can save money and get superior goods by ordering from us. We refer those who do not know us to any banking house or grocery jobber in our city. Our terms cash with order or best city reference. J. M. PETTIT, Jr., Jobber and Shipper of Fruit and Vegetables, 717 KING STREET. Wholesale and Retail. may27 2m

The Finest of Everything. BURKE'S Guinness's Stout. It assimilates perfectly with any kind of food and greatly aids digestion. Pint Bottles - - 25 cents Half pint bottles . 15 cents

THOS. LANNON, Cor. Cameron and Pitt Sts. GROCERIES. Ramsey Sells the Best.

Ginger Ales. 230 Dozen. C. & C. Belfast, Michlenburg, Amer, Premier, U. S. Club, Clicquot, Hire's, Gosman's, Crystal. G. Wm. Ramsay. Prices Reduced. 15c sizes to - 12c 12c sizes to - 10c 10c sizes to - 7 1-2c

G. Wm. Ramsay. New Potomac Family Roe Herring. Price's Packing 40 Barrels 50 Halves 25 Quarters 75 Kits 25 Pails Herring Roe G. Wm. RAMSAY.