

Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, DEC. 2, 1908

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 7:02 and sets at 4:39. High water at 3:35 a. m. and 4:03 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair and colder tonight, with minimum temperature about 20°. Thursday, continued cold; diminishing northwesterly winds.

W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Caroline P. Wallace from India will deliver an address on "The Horrors of the Child-life in India," at the Young People's Building Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The regular business meeting of the Allison W. C. T. U. will be held tomorrow afternoon at 8:30 o'clock at the Children's Home on Duke street.

The ladies of the union were entertained at Mrs. Nowland's on Fairfax street Monday afternoon.

POPULAR PATENT.

Mr. Geo. W. Pezney, general manager of the Pezney Electrical Indicator Signal Company, has returned after a flying trip through several of the larger cities and Canada.

ALARM OF FIRE.

Several awnings in the cellar of the residence of Congressman C. O. Carlin, on north Washington street, were found to be burning about 8 o'clock last night.

While the fire department was at Mr. Carlin's residence a burning chimney of the house occupied by Thomas Reynolds, colored, 432 south Columbus street, caused some excitement in that neighborhood.

BROTHERHOOD OF ST. ANDREW

The meeting of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew was held at St. John's Church, West End last night, when Rev. Dr. Massie, of the Theological Seminary, delivered an interesting address.

MEETINGS TONIGHT.

Alexandria Division, No. 1, Ancient Order of Hibernians, will hold its annual meeting at St. Mary's Hall tonight, when officers will be chosen to serve for the ensuing year.

A meeting of Alva Aerie, No. 871, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will be held tonight for the election of officers.

The monthly meeting of the Columbia Fire Company will be held tonight.

The regular meeting of the Friendship Veterans Fire Association will be held tonight at which officers will be elected.

CHANGE IN THE WEATHER.

The frigid weather which the Weather Bureau announced was in transit arrived last night. The summer temperature of yesterday when the mercury stood at 73° began to pass away at the close of the day, and before midnight a brisk northwest wind was prevailing.

VESTRY MEETING.

A meeting of the vestry of St. Paul's Church was held last night. After suitable action had been taken on the death of Col. L. W. Reid, Mr. Laurence Stabler was elected to fill the vacancy caused by his death.

FREE KINDERGARTEN.

The monthly meeting of the Alexandria Free Kindergarten Association was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edward Stabler.

The following subscriptions were received: Mrs. George Peyton, Miss Louise House, Mrs. M. W. O'Brien, Mrs. Galt North, Mrs. M. S. E. C. M. Knight, Miss Abby Ray, J. R. Savier, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Pierce \$1.00 each and \$17.00 from friends.

DEATH AT THE HOSPITAL.

Nellie Stralwood died at the Alexandria Hospital last night. The deceased was the inmate of a house conducted by Eva Baker on north Lee street.

She became ill a few days ago and was removed to the hospital, where an operation was performed upon her. The deceased had lived in Alexandria for several years, and at one time resided with her husband on upper King street.

SUICIDE IN THE WOODS.

The body of a white man, between 75 and 80 years old, was found in the woods near Fort Myer, in Alexandria county, yesterday. The head, neck and breast of the man had been cut with a knife, and it was at first supposed that he had been murdered, but, after a thorough investigation by the county authorities as well as by a coroner's jury, it was apparent that the man had committed suicide.

The cuts on the head and neck were not serious, but the wound on the breast caused death, the knife having penetrated the heart. The remains were removed to B. Whistley's undertaking establishment, in this city.

WALT HOLCOMB ARRIVES.

Rev. Walt Holcomb of Nashville, Tenn., arrived from the west this morning. Mrs. Holcomb, daughter of Sam Jones, the noted evangelist, came with her husband and will remain during the meeting.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

The Woman's Auxiliary to R. E. Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, will tomorrow night hold their annual oyster supper in Confederate Veterans' building. Supper will be served from 6 to 10 and it is hoped that all members and friends of the organization will avail themselves of this opportunity to enjoy a delightful supper.

AMUSEMENTS.

The time has come when people are always looking for the best of it and the managers of the motion picture houses are wise to this fact and are giving the amusement lovers the kind of entertainment which keeps them from leaving the city in search of enjoyment.

TAX SALE.

When City Collector Gorman opened the sale in front of the Market building this morning of property delinquent for city taxes he had but four hundred and fifty dollars and the total amount due on all the property amounted to but \$381.15.

WANTS TO CLOSE THE ALLEY.

People whose property abuts on the alley in the square bounded by Patrick, Henry, King and Cameron streets have complained to the police of the action of another property owner in stretching wire across the mouth of the alley at Patrick street.

MURDERER CAPTURED.

Keeling Green, colored, who shot and killed Charles Massey in a house at Johnson's crossing, near Arlington Junction, about two o'clock Sunday morning, was captured in Washington yesterday. Massey was engaged in a conversation with a woman in the home of George Green when he was shot.

THE ELKS.

We have received an invitation to attend the annual memorial services of Alexandria Lodge, No. 758, B. P. O. E., to be held at the Opera House, on Sunday night next, at 8 o'clock.

SHOES STOLEN.

A glass in the eastern end of the show window of H. Schneider's boot and shoe store on the south side of King street, between Fairfax and Lee, was broken in last night by thieves and three pairs of shoes stolen therefrom.

Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. They are antiseptic and soothe pain quickly. Insist upon DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. Regular size 50c. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

We sell all the new effects in up-to-date footwear and all the leading makes. Ladies ask to see the new Yale and Polo toe all leathers. Sold only by J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

POCOMOKE TANGIER Oysters On the halfshell at the Elkton Try 'em Finest seen in the city

Coke Domestic Coke All kinds of Coal, Wood and Coke. Best quality and prompt delivery at bottom prices. Phone 85. DEW. ATCHESON, 107 south Royal street.

FIRST GRAND Oyster Supper Benefit of Ladies' A. O. H. Auxiliary LEE CAMP HALL Wednesday, Dec. 2 From 6 to 9:30 p. m. Ticket 25 cents

OLD SONGS RECITAL.

The recital of "Old Songs" held last night at the Young People's Building for the benefit of the Free Kindergarten was a distinct success, both financially and artistically. Rev. Mr. Savier made a short address expressing the thanks and appreciation of the managers at having such a large and enthusiastic audience present, showing their interest in the work and to greet the singers, who, being announced by Mrs. O'Brien, rendered the selections with a charm and sweetness for which Alexandrians are sweetened.

OPERA HOUSE.

The Alexandria Opera House tonight will be the scene of one of the best vaudeville performances and moving picture exhibitions given in this city. The Opera House Stock Co. may be counted on to amuse you, and send you home laughing. In addition several specialties will be put on, 3,000 feet of surpassing motion pictures will be shown.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Wyckoff, who have been living in Laurel, Md., for the past few years, have returned to this city.

Mr. Fred M. Penn and Miss Ellie Howdershell will be married tonight by Rev. W. F. Watson, of the Baptist Church.

Capt. George Young, who had recently been confined to his home by indisposition, is out again.

Charles, the little son of Mr. Steward Jones, is ill at his home on south S. S. A. street.

SENT TO GRAND JURY.

Ellis Kidd, who was arrested by Deputy Marshal J. F. Glover on Monday for violating section 3,242 of the revised statutes of the United States and put under bond for her appearance to day, was brought before Commissioner R. P. W. Garnett at 2 o'clock on the grand jury under a bond of \$200.

"THE SENATE"

The Young Men's Senate did not hold a meeting last night as the room in which its meetings are held was used by the Alexandria Free Kindergarten for its recital of old songs, under a resolution of the Senate, members of which acted as ushers on this occasion.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

There were no cases for trial in the Police Court this morning.

The Ladies Auxiliary, A. O. H., will give an oyster supper at Lee Camp Hall tonight.

A white English bull terrier (female) is being held at the station house awaiting the appearance of its owner.

The barge Lily of the West, loaded with building material by S. Root & Co., left yesterday for Fort Washington.

Attention is called to the holiday advertisement of wines and liquors by John Riley, 114 north Fairfax street.

Mr. Anthony Brenner is building for Mr. William Baske a modern brick residence on Columbus street next to Old Fellows' Hall.

At the meeting last night of the Young Men's Senate local officers were nominated. The election will take place at a future meeting.

As will be seen by an advertisement elsewhere the Miller Company, No. 119 King street, will, commencing today and continuing till Christmas, allow a discount of two per cent on all the dinner and toilet sets and they have some many handsome ones.

Come to market. Come to the Auth Stand and see the happy smile. You know, Sylvan Bloodhead, The Auth Stand, City Market.

"Hot as Blazes" prepare I horseradish, is the very best cold weather relish. Ask your grocer, he knows.

The Red Cross Shoe for tender feet. The ladies who wear the Red Cross Shoe always wear a smile. Sold only by J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

[COMMUNICATED.]

WHAT ARE WE GOING TO DO? Citizens, neighbors, you and I. What are we going to do if this town goes dry? We may get along without our drink. But who will it hurt most, do you think? What are we going to do if the town goes dark? Not enough money for the electric spark? Not enough money for water plugs, and always Alexandria at the mercy of fire and thugs. Who's going to furnish the needed grease? To oil the wheels of the city's machine? To keep the town healthy, the streets to clear? What will we do? Will we issue bonds? To pay our sewer and drain our ponds? What will we do in case of fire. With our firemen fired and none to hire? When insurance goes up and property down, with cover a job for a man in town, when the market is gone for the farmers' eye and his corn and barley—when the town goes dry?

The Hess Hopkins FOOT FORM SHOES makes life a pleasure. Sold only by J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

FOR SALE—\$1,000 City of Alexandria four per cent BONDS. Apply at CITY OF ALEXANDRIA NATIONAL BANK. dec 2 31

FOR RENT—Store and Dwelling 62 King street. In the centre of the business section. Inquire at 607 Prince street. dec 1 31

SKANNSONS & CO. THE BUSY CORNER. 2,000 DIFFERENT STYLES Handkerchiefs CHOICE 12 1/2c (Worth 18c to 25c.)

CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK, ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA. OFFICERS: President, Edward L. Daingerfield. Vice President, Carroll Pierce. DIRECTORS: Edward L. Daingerfield, J. C. Smith, Worth Hulfish, M. A. Ahern, J. W. Roberts, Carroll Pierce, Urban S. Lambert.

Opera House TONIGHT. ENTIRE CHANGE OF PROGRAM. The Opera House Stock Co. Hotel Do Drop It.

Holiday We Have the Best Excellent assortment of liquors—the very best. HANNISVILLE: 7 years old \$1 qt. Leading brands of good cigars. Call and See. Hot Free Lunch day and night.

JOHN RILEY 114 North Fairfax Street. CHINA, GLASS AND HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS. Open Evenings Until Xmas. ALL READY FOR THE XMAS SHOPPER. Shop early and get the pick of things.

Appetite Is a splendid word and is a grand thing to possess. Try a Roast Of Our Select Jackson Creek Oysters tonight. A few on the half shell will be fine. Take home a half dozen fried Elkton special.

THE MILLER CO., 119 KING STREET. REDUCTION In order to reduce our stock, and continuing for 25 days we will make a reduction of 10 per cent on all Dinner Sets and Toilet Sets from wholesale prices. This a rare chance for our city folks.

S. H. BERMAN Ladies', Men's and Children's Outfitter. Terms to Suit Open Evenings JAMES S. JONES Manager Alexandria Room 1, Alexandria Nat'l Bank Building, King and Royal Sts. nov 24 2m

THE MILLER CO., 119 KING STREET. ATMORE'S Mince Meat and Plum Pudding, just received by J. MITCHELL. NICKLIN'S Hair Tonic is the remedy for a dull and all scalp diseases. It is all right. 50c and \$1.00 bottles. E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS

Puncture-Proof Sox. YOU DON'T HAVE TO BUY SIX PAIR. Puncture-Proof Sox. Guaranteed 3 months; no holes in toes or heels; 3 pair in a box for 50c; three guarantee coupons in every box. (We are Agents for Alexandria.) Makes a Neat Xmas Gift. The College Clothing FOR MAN AND BOY. THE BEST ON THE MARKET. (Agents for Alexandria.) Kaufmann Bros 402-405 KING STREET.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING is upon us, and many are puzzled to know what to give. We want to make it easier for you to decide, and we know that a visit to our store will be helpful. Our show cases are teeming with suggestions, and in our magnificent assortment of Watches, Diamonds, Bracelets, Rings, Chains, Brooches, Belt Pins, Lockets, Umbrellas, Cuff Buttons, and hundreds of articles, little and big you will find something to suit your needs and your purse. Holiday Goods Selected Now Will Be Reserved for You. Saunders & Son, JEWELERS—629 King St.—SILVERSMITHS

LORD FAIRFAX WHISKY Recommended by physicians for family use and for sale in first class houses. Call for it \$4.00 Per Gallon. \$1 per Full Quart. FAIRFAX & CO. SOLE PROPRIETORS Alexandria Virginia.

YOU are invited to inspect OUR HOLIDAY STOCK. It's variety, quality and moderate prices will aid you in deciding what the GIFT shall be. R. C. ACTON & SONS JEWELERS & SILVERSMITHS

Alexandria Amusement Co. 426 King Street. TALKING PICTURES Rainbow and You are in the Right Church But the Wrong Pew. SILENT PICTURES Donkey Skin. A Daughter or Erkin.

To day's Menu Fleischmann's is sure to be an attractive, appetizing and wholesome one, as is usually the case at that popular restaurant. Everything in season properly cooked and politely served finds place on our bill of fare. Our prices are moderate to a degree. Tables reserved for ailes. Fleischmann's. The Finest of Everything.

Strictly New English Walnuts, Long Filberts, Papershell Almonds, Soft Shell Almonds, Jumbo Pecans, Brazil Cream Nuts. SWEET CIDER 20c Gallon. Thos. Lannon, Cor. Cameron and Pitt Sts.

FOR RENT OR SALE—HOUSE No. 417 south Fairfax street, containing 11 rooms with 4-foot side yard running through entire square; has 21 fruit trees. Apply at R. E. KNIGHT'S, 621 King street. nov 27 1f WANTED—Men to lay floor on new barracks at Fort Washington, Md. Bring tools. J. C. MILBURN, dec 1 31