

Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, DEC. 21, 1908

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table. Sun rises tomorrow at 7:16 and sets at 4:41.

Weather Probabilities. For this section partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday.

THE WEEK BEFORE CHRISTMAS. The week before Christmas, and through the whole town.

ACCIDENTS. An electric car struck a buggy in which Mr. Rogers and Mrs. Besie Gorman and her little daughter were seated.

DEATH OF MRS. OVALIER. Mrs. Myra Lee Ovalier, formerly of this city, died on Saturday of pneumonia at her home, 17 east Twenty-first street.

CHRISTMAS WEEK. There is as yet but little noticeable hereabouts to remind one of the fact that this is Christmas week.

TO IMPROVE OHANNEL. A report, advocating the improvement of the Potomac river channel at Alexandria was sent to the House on Saturday by Gen. Marshall.

GEN. LEE'S BIRTHDAY. Plans are being perfected for the celebration in this city, by B. E. Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, of General Lee's birthday, January 19.

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POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Cato presiding.] The following cases were disposed of this morning: A young man charged with being drunk and disorderly, was fined \$5, and two others, charged with similar offenses, forfeited their collateral by failing to appear.

John Davis, charged with taking coal hods and a wagon jack, belonging to the Hulshub-Carlson Co., and placing them in a stable, was fined \$5 if being shown he was under the influence of liquor at the time and had no intention of appropriating the articles to his own use.

George Oberholster, charged with taking butter from E. F. Downham's store, was fined \$5.

Wm. Nowlin, charged with disorderly conduct and fighting, was dismissed. A white man charged with gambling, was dismissed.

Robert Smith, colored, charged with hurling stones at Manuel Taveres' shop, was fined \$10.

Alice Fields, colored, charged with throwing a pot of hot tea in the face of John Smoot, forfeited her collateral by failing to appear.

Theresa Johnson, colored, charged with stealing \$7 and several pieces of wearing apparel from Wm. Mayhugh, was sentenced to jail for sixty days.

PENNY HILL. Penny Hill burying ground is in need of a general cleaning-up. In by-gone days Council appropriated small sums for the purpose of keeping this cemetery clear of bushes, weeds and other noxious growths.

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PERSONAL.

Rev. Bertram Green, of the Theological Seminary, recently elected bishop coadjutor, was unable to preach at St. Paul's Church yesterday by reason of indisposition and Rev. Dr. Massie, of the Seminary, filled the pulpit of that church at the morning service.

The East Side News of Buffalo of Thursday last published an excellent likeness of Mr. Charles A. Strangmann, who, it says, is one of Buffalo's business men whose thrift has done much to boost that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCormick, of Clarke county, are the guests of Mrs. McCormick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ramsey, to spend the holidays.

Miss Lucy Rust, has gone to Louisville, Ky., to spend the holidays with relatives.

Miss Eva Thompson, of Williamstown, New Jersey, is visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Mr. William B. Mary, who has been on a visit to Alexandria, has gone back to his home in Baltimore, to spend the holidays. He will return to Alexandria afterward and spend the winter.

PROPERTY SALE. Mr. John D. Normoyle, real estate agent, has sold for Mr. Frank C. Spinks, Jr., three building lots on the west side of Columbus street, between Queen and Princess, (Court House square) to Mr. Wm. H. Quinn. It is understood Mr. Quinn contemplates the erection of a modern home on the lots.

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Choice Home Killed. Poultry. Turkeys, Chickens—the kind we kill at our factory and guarantee—is what you should buy. Aaron Odell. Stalls 48-49 City Market. Both 'Phones. 484-49. Poultry & Meats Delivered.

Nineteen Hundred and Eight. Is nearly gone and it would surprise you to learn the greatly reduced prices at which we are selling the balance of our 1908 stock of vehicles. We have just the carriage you require, whether it be a handy runabout, a comfortable buggy, or a more elaborate vehicle, with steel or rubber tires. All high-grade goods; prices from \$40 up. MYERS BROTHERS, 115 North Pitt Street.

Opera House TONIGHT. W. H. Ward. Singing, dancing German Comedian, introducing his comedy song hit, "Don't You Want to Buy a Dog?" Edward Lemuels. Prince of the Silver Card, introducing phenomenal features in stick wire walking. Lead Albott. Singing and dancing sourette. Hear her sing her latest song hits.

Alexandria Amusement Co. TALKING PICTURES. He Goes to Church on Sunday In My Oldsmobile. SILENT PICTURES. Modern Magic. (Hand colored). A Surprise Package. Wrongfully Accused. 5c Elite Picture Co. 5c BIG SHOW. TONIGHT. 3,000 Feet of Pictures. This is the 5 cent show they all talk about.

Fortune Hunters. The Miller, His Son and the Ass, Jim is Fond of Garlic. Drawing tonight after the first show for a turkey. Come early. OHINA, GLASS AND HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS. Open Evenings Until Xmas.

These Coupons Will Save you Money. Coupon. This coupon and \$1.00 entitles the holder to a Fancy Decorated Water Set consisting of one pitcher and six glasses and metal tray worth double. Coupon. This coupon and 50c entitles the holder to a seven piece Glass Berry Set worth double.

ELLIOTT'S. Cor. Pitt and King Sts. Candies. We have the finest assortment, including Huyler's Lowneys, Etc. Our west window will show you what a beautiful present you can give. L. Shuman & Son. 516 King Street.

Thos. Lannon, Cor. Cameron and Pitt Sts. Table Supplies. We know that the Table Supplies we offer are the purest and best to be had. That our prices are right and that you will find in our complete stocks just what you want for any or all occasions. These are the reasons we invite you here to buy. CLEANED CURRANTS 1 pound packages. 9c a pound. Canton Preserve Ginger. 1-4 and 1-2 Pots. Anchovies. Pate de Foie Gras. French Truffles. Sweet Pickled and Brandy Peaches.

Our Store Is full and overflowing with practical Xmas Presents. Whatever you wish to give. Something simple and inexpensive; something elaborate and out of the ordinarily exclusive, you are certain to get here of the FIRST QUALITY. D. BENDHEIM & SONS, 316 KING STREET. Open Evenings Until Christmas.

LORD FAIRFAX. GREAT REDUCTION IN Wines and Liquors for the Holiday Season. \$4 Whisky reduced to \$3.25. \$4.00 Port and Sherry \$3.00. \$3.50 " " 3.00. \$3.00 " " 2.50. \$2.75 " " 2.25. \$2.50 " " 2.00. Catawba, Port and Sherry [California grade] \$1 per gallon. Can be had in large bottles at 20 cents per bottle.

FAIRFAX & CO., 423 King Street. Bell' phone 136. Home 'phone 187. XMAS GIFTS. Ladies' 14k. Solid Gold Watches, Elgin movement \$15.00 up. Ladies' 20-yr. Watches, Elgin movement \$10.00 up. Ladies' Silver Watches \$6.00 up. Gents' 14k. Solid Gold Watches, Elgin movement \$25.00 up. Gents' 20-yr. Gold-filled Watches \$10.00 up. Boys' Watches \$1.00 up. Solid Gold Signet Scarf Pins \$1.25 up. Solid Gold Cuff Buttons \$2.00 up. Solid Gold Fobs \$4.00 up. Solid Gold Signet Rings \$2.00 up. Solid Gold Handy Pins \$1.00 up.

Hamilton & Co., 323 KING STREET. The Family Liquor Store. Headquarters for Xmas Wines and Liquors. Wines from 50 cents to \$6 Gallon. Whiskies, Brandies, Rums, Gins and Cordials from \$2 to \$8 per gallon. Wakefield Rye. Best Medicinal Whisky. \$1.00 QUART. Both 'Phones. LOWENBACH BROS. Goods delivered to any part of the city.

Armory Skating Rink. WILL OPEN. Tuesday Night, Dec. 22. Two Sessions Daily. AFTERNOON—2 to 5 o'p. m. NIGHTS—7 to 10 to 10 p. m. Ladies. 15c. Men. 25c. P. A. DEMPSEY Manager.

Acton's Are Sure to Please. A Few Suggestions: Belt Buckles, Lockets, Brooches, Lorgnette Chains, Barettes, Match Boxes, Buttons, Neck Chains, Cuff Buttons, Penicils, Combs, Shirt Buttons, Charms, Signet Rings, Cigarette Cases, Stone Pins, Ear Rings, Hair Pins, Hats Pins, Umbrellas. Many of the above are set with diamonds and semi-precious stones, also plain and hand chased. Open Evenings. R. F. DOWNHAM, CORNER KING AND PAYNE STREETS. Fancy and Staple Groceries and Liquors.