

Alexandria Gazette.

SATURDAY EVENING, MAY 7, 1910

LOCAL MATTERS.

Sun and Tide Table. Sun rises tomorrow at 4.4 and sets at 6.59. High water at 6.19 a. m. and 7.23 p. m.

Weather Probabilities. For this section rain tonight and Sunday; warmer tonight; moderate easterly winds.

Church Services Sunday.

CHRIST CHURCH—Rev. Wm. J. Morton, rector. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. ... GRACE CHURCH—Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector. Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. by the rector.

THE WALLACE PRIZE.

The Wallace prize contest in public extemporaneous speaking at the Episcopal Theological Seminary, near this city, took place in Wattle Hall last night. Six members of the senior class entered as follows: Messrs. Darke, Goodwin, Nelson, Randolph, Schroeder and Ware.

MR. CARLIN.

Representative Carlin is to have a fish fry. Having successfully caught a combination without opposition or expense the Alexandria congressman doubtless feels himself a pretty good angler and wants to show his friends.

A. L. I.

The Alexandria Light Infantry marched from the Armory last night between 6:30 and 7 o'clock to George Washington Park and pitched shelter tents and went through a number of extended order formations under the direction of Sergeant Morgan, 5th Infantry, U. S. A., who is here as special instructor for ten days.

ALARMS OF FIRE.

The alarm of fire at 5:30 o'clock yesterday evening was caused by a slight fire in an outhouse on the south side of Queen street, between Henry and Fayette. The damage was slight.

FUNERAL.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Bettie W. Jamieson, who died Thursday morning, took place from the residence, 217 south Columbus street, this afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Rice, of Richmond, and Rev. J. R. Sevier, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church of this city.

COMMITTEE MEETING.

The democratic committee of the Eighth Congressional district met at the office of Mr. G. R. L. Bostie in this city this afternoon and formally declared Hon. O. C. Carlin, Congressman from this district, the candidate of the party at the general election in November. The following resolution was adopted:

ENTERTAINMENT LAST NIGHT.

The musical entertainment given at Christ Church Parish Hall last night was, as had been expected, a perfect success and was greatly enjoyed by the large audience in attendance. The opening chorus, "Believe Me if All Those Endering Young Ones," sang by the girls, followed by "The Top of the Morning to You," sung by Mrs. George E. Pickett, and chorus, put the audience in a good humor and the rest of the performance went with a swing.

DEATH OF MRS. PARKER.

Mrs. Mary A. Parker, wife of Mr. Roderick A. Parker, of Prince George's county, Md., and daughter of the late S. M. Granger Dent, of this city, died last night at 9:30 o'clock at the Alexandria Hospital following an operation for appendicitis. The body was taken to the home of her aunt, Mrs. Eva G. Madsbach, 418 north Washington street, which had been her home since early childhood till her marriage on November 4 last.

ADMISSION TO MR. VERNON.

A bill to prohibit the charging of an admission fee to the grounds of Mount Vernon was introduced yesterday by Representative Coudrey, of Missouri. The bill also provides that the President be authorized to appoint such persons as he deems necessary to act in conjunction with the Ladies' Mount Vernon Association of the Union to properly guard, care for, improve, repair, and maintain Mount Vernon.

DEATH OF A BUILDER.

John Henderson, a veteran builder, at one time a resident of Baltimore, is dead in Washington. He was 86 years old and a native of Annapolis, Ireland. The deceased came to the United States in 1847, landing in Alexandria, and shortly thereafter went to Baltimore, where he lived until 1852, when he removed to Washington.

BASEBALL NOTES.

In an interesting game of ball played yesterday the Virginia Hill baseball nine defeated the Invincibles by the score of 10 to 4. This makes the fifth game this team has won, out of a total of six played.

POLICE COURT.

The following cases were disposed of this morning: Lewis Cavanaugh, charged with being drunk on the street, was fined \$5. Harry Carter, colored, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses, was discharged.

CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE CITY.

[Judge J. B. T. Thornton, presiding.] McMenamin vs. Southern Railway Company; a suit for damages; jury and case in progress. Court adjourned till Monday morning.

MEETING OF REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE.

A meeting of the republican committee of the Eighth congressional district met at the Hotel Rammel this afternoon. H. P. Dodge, of Manassas, chairman, presided, and John W. Gregg, of Purcellville, was secretary. All the counties in the district were represented. It was decided to hold a convention in this city on the 20th of June for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress.

EMMA OSTON, colored, came to this city today from the Petersburg State Asylum and conducted Sarah Ann Polk, recently declared insane, to that institution.

"They come high." "The best are the cheapest." Our people want them and so we say to the ladies you can see J. & T. Cousin's Exclusive Styles at 422 King street, J. A. Marshall & Bro.

EXTENSION OF ELECTRIC LIGHT SYSTEM.

The street lighting system for Potomac was turned on for the first time last night, and the system of illuminating the town was received with the highest praise.

The commercial service for private lighting will be ready next week. These lines were built and are being operated by the Alexandria Electric Company.

The cable, which supplies light and power to Fort Washington, was laid across the river yesterday between Fort Washington and Fort Hart. This cable was laid by the Alexandria Electric Company, which company recently secured a contract with the government to supply light and power to Fort Washington. The cable is 2,000 feet in length and consists of the highest grade of aluminum armored cable.

The Alexandria Electric Company has completed its pole lines from Alexandria to Fort Hunt, a distance of 7 1/2 miles, and is now stringing the wire. It is expected that current will be turned on within the next two weeks.

SALE OF APRONS AND FANCY ARTICLES.

The Woman's Auxiliary to R. E. Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, will hold a sale of aprons and fancy work in O'Connell's Building, Thursday next, commencing at 2 o'clock, to which the public is most cordially invited. A large number of pretty and useful aprons will be sold at a reasonable price. All persons who have promised a donation will please send it as early as possible to 816 Prince street.

A WORD FOR JOHNSON.

Worth Hulsh, a prominent business man of Alexandria, called on the governor yesterday to say a word for Calvin Johnson, one of the negroes under sentence of death for the murder of Walter Schultz. Johnson was formerly an employee of Mr. Hulsh. [Richmond Times-Dispatch.]

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Rachel Norton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. R. Barrell of this city.

On account of important proceedings in the House on Tuesday, May tenth, Mr. O. C. Carlin announces the change of date to Wednesday, May eleventh, of the state bake which he was to have given on Tuesday to the members of the House judiciary committee and to the Alexandria Bar Association.

Miss Nancy Lee Tackett has returned from a visit to friends in Richmond.

Mrs. J. Armstrong Carter, with her children, who has been visiting Mrs. Carter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Dorsey, has returned to her home in Norfolk.

LOCAL BREVIETTES.

There was nothing new to report in the market this morning. Cherries grown in Fairfax county were for sale in market this morning.

The May term of the Corporation Court, Judge Barley, will begin on Monday.

Those who fail to pay their capitation taxes by tonight will be unable to participate in the election next November.

No business of general importance was transacted at the meeting of the Board of Fire Wardens last night.

A strawberry festival for the benefit of Braddock Heights Mission will be held in the parish hall, Braddock Heights, Tuesday night.

At the First Baptist Church tomorrow morning the subject of Rev. Mr. Watson's sermon will be "A Message for the Troubled" and at night the "The Final Judgment."

A large limb of a tree in front of the First Presbyterian Church on south Fairfax street fell early this afternoon and passer-by narrowly escaped being struck by it.

Central High School's track team of Washington engaged in a dual meet with the Episcopal High School boys yesterday evening and won handsily by 59 points to 33. Fritz Rutter, of the visitors, was the star.

As heretofore stated, members of Old Dominion Commandery, Knights Templar, will observe Ascension day by attending special services in St. Paul's Church at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, when the rector, the Rev. P. P. Phillips, will preach.

Mr. Samuel H. Lust, auctioneer, sold at noon today in front of the Royal street entrance to the City Hall, a house and lot on the west side of Pitt street, between Oranoco and Pendleton, to Mr. Hugh Strider for \$305.

The comet was plainly visible this morning and many persons were on the streets to see it. A number also went to the wharves where a better view of it could be had. The comet was photographed by Mr. A. S. Jameson.

Citell service examinations will be held in this city on June 1st for a physician in the Department of Agriculture; on June 5th for glass blower, bureau of standards, and coal mine, geological survey, and on June 15th for laboratory helper, Department of Agriculture, and assistant in dairying, bureau of animal industry.

Duffey's Pure Malt Whisky for medicinal purposes, \$1.00 a quart, at Spinks, corner Prince and Royal streets.

Fresh Country Butter just received, 25 lb. Best Eight Creamery Butter 36c lb. Eggs 25c doz. Fancy Japan Rice, whole grain, 5c lb., 3 lbs. Evaporated Peaches 25c, 3 lbs. Large Prunes 25c, 3 Cans Fish Roe 25c, 7 lbs. Laundry Starch 55c, 7 Cans Salmon 35c, 4 Cans Best Tomatoes 25c, 4 Cans Sugar Corn 25c, Green Mountain Potatoes 55c bushel, 3 Cans Early June Peas 25c, 5 lbs. Pure Buckwheat 25c, Wal. P. Woods & Sons, Royal and Wolfe streets—Queen and Henry streets.

Washington - D. C. 16-Button Silk Gloves a pair, 69c. All silk, double finger tipped, in black and white in all sizes. Splendid quality for the price. TWO-CLASP SILK GLOVES, double finger-tipped, black, white, tan, and gray, a pair, 39c. KAYSER SILK GLOVES, two-clasp, double finger tipped, in four different qualities—50c, 75c, \$1 and \$1.25.

Swans ALEXANDRIA, VA. Misses' Middy Blouses. We will place on sale Monday a large line of Misses' New Middy Blouses, made of fine white linen finish, with collars of blue, old rose, navy, cadet, &c. We will show two qualities, all neatly finished. Each 49c and 98c.

Your Spring Suit is waiting for you. Come and get it. Easy payments. S. H. Berman Head to Foot Outfitter to Men, Women & Children 612 King Street.

New Potomac Family Roe Herring. 50 Barrels, 50 Halves, 25 Quarters, 100 Kits. Price's Packing, also 50 Pails. Herring Roe 90 cents each, G. W. RAMSAY.

Screen Enamel For renewing old screens and preventing rust. 15 cents. TAYLOR'S PHARMACY 616 King Street.

REGISTRATION NOTICE. The registration books of the city will be opened the 17th of May for one day only, for the purpose of amending and correcting the same. Any qualified voter who has not previously registered, and voters who have or will become of age on or before the 8th day of November, can then be registered. New York Stock Market. New York, May 7.—There were strong indications that important interests had met substantial buying orders in the stock market at the opening today in order to prevent the death of King Edward from disturbing conditions. First prices generally showed material advances, but after the first few minutes a receding tendency was evidenced. At the end of the first fifteen minutes prices generally ranged near yesterday's close. DIED. Friday night, May 6, MARY DENT PARKER, wife of Roderick Alphonse Parker, and the daughter of the late S. Magruder Dent and Laura Gwyn Dent, aged 21 years. Funeral services from St. Mary's Church, ten o'clock Monday morning. Bell Telephone 176, may 7 10

Woodward & Lothrop New York—Washington—Paris. GIRLS' WHITE DRESSES. We are showing a most attractive collection of Girls' White Dresses, suitable for confirmation, parties, evening, and general wear. The styles are all new and desirable, and there are many smart and beautiful creations not usually found in ready-made garments. We call special attention to the following items as being excellent values: Girls' White Dotted Satin Dresses, in waltz-line effect, trimmed with embroidery; Dutch neck; three quarter sleeve; full gathered skirt with deep hem; fasten in back. Sizes 8 to 14. \$3.95 each. Value, \$5.00. Girls' Fine White Batiste Dresses, made in long-waisted effect and trimmed with French valenciennes lace; high neck; long sleeves; full gathered skirt trimmed with lace flowers. Sizes 8 to 17. \$8.75 each. Value, \$10.00. Third floor—G street. BOYS' SHIRTS AND BLOUSES. Soft Collar Shirts, of khaki, blue chambray, white madras, and other good materials; size 12 to 14; all coat style, 50c each. Blue of khaki, blue chambray, and white madras, with soft attached collars; size 7 to 16. Good quality at 50c each. Shirts and Blouses, of madras and pongee; many designs and colorings; soft attached collars, \$1.00 each. Silk Shirts and Blouses, in pretty, plain colors, \$2.00 each. Third floor—Tenth street.

WANTED. WANTED—Young men to learn automobile business by mail and prepare for positions as chauffeurs and repair men. We make you expert in ten weeks; assist you to secure position. Pay big; work pleasant; demand for men great; responsible; write for particulars and sample lesson. Empire Automobile Institute, Rochester, N. Y. my7 3t. WANTED—By a lady, a SMALL ROOM in a well kept house. Address "W." 400 Bond Building, New York avenue and 14th street Washington, D. C. it. CIGAR SALESMAN WANTED.—Experience unnecessary. Sell our brands to the retail trade. Big pay. Write for full particulars at once. GLOBE CIGAR CO., Cleveland, Ohio. jeh9j615. WANTED. A good WHITE MAJ for the stable at Ravensworth. Write to Mrs. LEE, Burke, Virginia. mor11 f

YOU CAN DEPEND UPON IT. If you buy your watch here, we'll adjust it to your individual person and guarantee it to keep correct time. If it doesn't—bring it in and we'll make it right without cost. That is only one of the advantages of buying here. You'll also find our prices uniformly low and quality of the highest. Watches IN EVERY STYLE. —hunting case and open face, for men, women and children. See us before you buy a watch of any kind. Saunders & Son, 629 King Street.

Hofbrau Beer. The pleasure of eating is heightened to a remarkable degree by the addition to a lunch or meal of a glass or two of Hofbrau Beer. Every person who has tried it will vouch for the truth of the statement that Hofbrau Beer "fits in" with solid foods better than tea, coffee, or any other beverage. And while highly enjoyable it is pleasant to know that Hofbrau Beer is nourishing and excellent for digestion. Use Portner's Hofbrau bottled beer. ROBERT PORTNER BREWING CO., Alexandria, Va. Phone No 49-B.

Coal! Coal! Coal! Summer Prices. WM. H. PECK Bell phone 192. Capital City 192. DRY GOODS.

Sale of Gloves. Ladies' One-button Washable Chambray Gloves, in white and natural color. Special, \$1.00. Ladies' Two-button Washable Chambray Gloves, in natural color. Special, \$1.50. Ladies' One-clasp P. K. Kid Gloves, in tan, brown, champagne, and white. Special, \$1.00. Ladies' Two-clasp Glace Kid Gloves, in tan, brown, gray, black, and white. Special, \$1.00. Ladies' 16-button Double Tipped Silk Gloves in red, navy, gray, pink, green, champagne, blue, champagne, and white. Special, 89c. Ladies' 16-button Silk Lisle Gloves, in black and white. Special, 39c. LANSBURGH & BRO 420-426 Seventh Street, WASHINGTON, D. C. Bell Telephone 176, may 7 10

THE REPAIRING OF WATCHES. We are equipped with the necessary knowledge and experience to make your WATCH keep time to the second. All work guaranteed. Moderate prices. R. C. ACTON & SONS, Jewelers and Silversmiths.

The Steamer Frank M. Phillips. (formerly steamer No. 32) will leave Alexandria at 9:30 a. m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. On other days the regular schedule will be observed, except Saturdays, on which day there will be no boat. The steamer will run to Oceanan, McGuireport, Stump Neck, Cherry Hill, Gunston, Fort Washington, Bryan's Point and Marshall Hall. D. T. HANSAY. my7 14

SPECIAL No. 9.—Ice Picks worth 15c and 20c. 10c for this week. SPECIAL No. 10.—Dish Cover Fly Screens, 10c, 15c and 20c. Worth 25c. SPECIAL No. 11.—Desturral Alcohol Stoves, with 1, 2 and 3 holes, greatly reduced. Some bargain. The only safe store on the market. SPECIAL No. 12.—Some bargains in Ice Cream Freezers. SPECIAL No. 13.—Safety Razors at 25c each. Something that is good. SPECIAL No. 14.—Porch Rockers, every \$3.00, now \$2.49, for this week only. R. E. KNIGHT. 621, 623, 625 King Street.

VIRGINIA MILITARY INSTITUTE. The Board of Trustees, at their Annual Meeting on the 18th day of April, 1910, will appoint STATE CADETS to fill vacancies in the 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th. E. W. NICHOLS, Sup't. my7 14

NOTICE. Barge Corrotonum just arrived with 700 tons. Best W. A. Stove Coal at lowest SUMMER PRICES. Now is the time to place your order. DeW. Aitcheson 107 South Royal St. Phone 95-J. my7 10

Hard Crabs, Soft Crabs, Deviled Crabs and Crab Salad. AT JACOB BRILL'S RESTAURANT FOOT OF KING STREET. Open until 10 p. m. apr7 6m