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Classic Gingham, in different colored stripes and checks; make nice one-piece dresses for women or children; 27 in. wide; real 10c yd. quality. On sale tomorrow at a yd. 7 8-4c.

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We wish to extend to our many friends and customers our most sincere thanks for their many expressions of courtesy which they have extended to us since we have occupied our new building. It is most gratifying to us to know that our new move, which involves a large undertaking for Alexandria, has met with the approval of the public and we can only reiterate that it will be our endeavor to serve the public in every possible way. We shall endeavor to maintain the high standard we established many years ago and with our improved facilities are confident that our highest ideals will be carried out.

To those who have not had an opportunity to visit our new building we extend a cordial invitation to do so. We are through with many of the inconveniences due to moving and our new stock of late summer and fall goods is now ready for your inspection.

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\$1.25 and \$1.48 Slip-Over Gowns 97c

Slip-over Gowns; made of excellent quality nainsook and crepe; trimmed with lace, embroidery, beading, and ribbon. Regularly \$1.25 and \$1.48. Special 97c

Gowns, made of fine quality nainsook; several styles; low neck and short sleeves; trimmed with lace, embroidery, and ribbon; sizes 14 to 17. Regularly \$1.25 to \$1.48. Rebuilding sale Price 83c

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Pays for anything you care to select from our superb stock of

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria--Happenings in Society.

Mrs. James A. Long and Miss Florence Long have returned from Rehoboth Beach, Delaware, where they were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Clarence E. Ball at their cottage.

Mr. Wallace Lindsey is entertaining a party of friends on an automobile trip through the Valley of Virginia.

Miss May Wenrick has returned to her home "Breezy Highland," Manassas, after a visit of several weeks to friends in this city and Washington.

Mr. Charles Swetnam of Burke visited Alexandria during the week.

Miss Emma Carter, formerly of this city but now of Charlottesville, is the guest of Miss Christina Kemper in Rosemont.

Mr. Hugh Todd, of Rocky Mount, N. C., is the guest of his mother, Mrs. F. S. Harper.

Miss Ruth Watkins is the guest of Miss Evelyn Wenrick at her home in Manassas.

Mrs. Sarah Fletcher, of Strasburg, visited this city recently.

Mrs. Duffey is the guest of Mrs. W. N. Lipscomb in Manassas.

Mrs. J. Roland Goode and Master Louis Goode are visiting friends at Charles City Court House.

Mr. Robert Ayres was the recent guest of his brother, Mr. Thomas Ayres, near Wakefield.

A number of Alexandrians with guests from Washington and Fairfax county, enjoyed a delightful trip to Colonial Beach yesterday. Among those present were Mrs. Walter Roberts, Misses Ruth, Jean, and Mary Hunt Roberts, Masters Cameron, Allen, and Jack Roberts, Mrs. Alfred Roberts, Miss Margaret Roberts, Mrs. Brown of Washington; Miss Helen Richardson, Miss Georgie French, Miss Nellie Uhler, Miss Campbell, Mr. Irvin Zirpel, Mr. Walter Zirpel, and Mr. Leonard Brown, of Washington; Mr. Scott Campbell, Mr. James W. Roberts, Jr., Mr. Parker Richardson, Mr. Harmon Roberts, Mr. Hunt Roberts, and Master Clarence Robinson.

DISCHARGING HER CARGO

As has been stated the Holland-American steamer Zaandyk, Capt. Braun, has arrived at Washington. The Zaandyk has 3,200 tons of scoria bricks imported from Middlesboro, England, to pave Pennsylvania avenue on the east side. Yesterday the work of discharging began. The ship also has 700 tons of general cargo for Baltimore.

While passing Mount Vernon on the way up the Potomac on Wednesday the bell of the Zaandyk was tolled and all of the colors on the vessel were placed at half-mast. The Zaandyk, notwithstanding some thick weather in the Potomac, made the run from Cape Henry to Alexandria in fourteen hours.

WORK DRAWING TO CLOSE

Labor of Present City Council to Terminate--Substantial Results

The present City Council will expire on the first day of September, but the new council will not be organized until, Monday, the 2d, as the 1st falls on Sunday.

The Board of Aldermen at the meeting Tuesday night passed a resolution to the effect that when the board adjourned it be to meet again on the 2d of September. The Common Council, however, adopted a resolution providing for an adjournment to next Tuesday night. The Aldermen, it is said, will call a meeting for the same night in order to act upon more important measures now before the two branches, after which both bodies will adjourn sine die.

The ordinance providing for modern improvements on the two squares on Fairfax street from Duke to Wilkes will be passed by the Aldermen on that night, and, after having been signed by the mayor will become operative. Other ordinances and measures laid over in the Board of Aldermen will also be disposed of.

The present Council, which began September 1st, 1910, has probably instituted more measures providing for public improvements than any which has preceded it. Several squares of vitrified brick roadway have been constructed and fine macadam work has been executed in certain sections of the city. Plans for the improvement of Washington street have been formulated and the work of preparing the thoroughfare for its new highway is now in progress.

When improvements shall have been accomplished in accordance with ordinances recently passed, and there is reason to believe they will be before the advent of cold weather, several more squares of vitrified brick roadway will have been constructed in addition to about forty squares which have been improved in this fashion during the past ten years.

The manner in which this work has been accomplished meets with the approbation of the great majority, and prosecuted as it is upon conservative grounds the work is destined to be continued throughout a large portion of the city in the near future.

DEATH OF AN OLD RESIDENT.

John M. Young, an old and well-known citizen, died at his home, 627 South Alfred street, this morning. The deceased leaves a widow. Mr. Young was born in Boston in 1833 and at the outbreak of the civil war was residing in Washington. He enlisted in the United States navy and served on several men-of-war, in battles near Mobile and other places.

In 1867 he moved to Alexandria, where he continued to reside up to the time of his death.

For several years he engaged in the oyster business, and conducted the trade in a building on the north side of Prince street between Fairfax and Royal. Of late he conducted a store in the house in which he died.

He was a member of the Friendship Veteran Fire Association.

The funeral will take place from St. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock Monday morning.

SOLDIERS AT MT. GRETTA

Virginia and West Virginia Militia in Camp of Instructions. Troops Delayed

Camp of Instruction, Mount Gretna Pa., July 26.—The third and last period of the United States Army Camp of Instruction opened here yesterday for Virginia and West Virginia regiments. Gen. C. C. Vaughn, Jr., commander of the First Brigade of Virginia Militia, arrived here at noon yesterday with the Fourth Infantry of his command and found all of the First Infantry in camp, in command of Co. W. J. Perry, of Staunton, and a part of the Second in command of Col. Robert F. Leedy of Luray.

The remainder of the Second did not reach here until nearly 8 o'clock last night.

The West Virginia militia did not arrive and the two regiments from that state will not reach camp before today. Some of the troop trains were delayed by washouts and a freight wreck near Pittsburg.

The First Brigade of Virginia National Guard includes approximately 1,600 officers and men, and when the two West Virginia regiments arrive here the camp will contain the largest number of men since the opening day and while the Marylanders were here. Brigadier-General Vaughn is accompanied by these members of his staff:

Adj.-Gen. C. R. Wright, Assistant Inspector General J. Lane Stern, Ordnance Officer Maj. A. B. Percy, Engineer Officer Major P. B. Winfree, Quartermaster Allen Potts and Major I. Walker Truxtun, the brigade commissary.

DAMAGE SUIT FOR \$15,000

The Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway Company was named as defendant in a suit filed yesterday by Charles E. Smith who claims \$15,000 damages. Smith claims that while driving a horse ambulance along the highway bridge June 10, 1910, a train of cars of the defendant company collided with his vehicle, throwing him to the ground and seriously and permanently injuring him.

CHARTER IS GRANTED

The State Corporation Commission granted a charter yesterday to Craig & Haas, Inc., of Rosslyn, Va. Capital \$1,000 to \$15,000. W. A. Craig, president, Washington, D. C.; Jesse J. Haas vice-president, Hyattsville, Md.; J. M. Daniel, secretary and treasurer, Washington, N. C.

POLICE EXCURSION

The annual excursion of the police of the Alexandria department to Marshall Hall yesterday attracted large crowds on each trip of the steamer Charles Macalester.

Many persons went down on the evening trip, leaving here shortly after seven o'clock.

A family living on North Patrick street complained to the police this morning that a bulldog which is harbored in the neighborhood makes periodical visits to their yard and on each occasion picks up a chicken and carries it away. The dog does not eat the fowls where caught but takes them to its own premises.

Woodward & Lothrop
 10th, 11th, F and G Streets,
 WASHINGTON, D. C.

Men's New Silk Socks Half Regular Price

Pure Thread Silk Socks, in a good assortment of the fashionable and handsome two-toned shades. These were purchased at a sacrifice price, due to slightly imperfect weaves, which in most instances cannot be detected, and will not in the slightest degree interfere with the usual service. No pair contains a thread break.

Silk Hosiery from this maker has always been noted for its desirability, and this assortment is no exception. If perfect, these would sell at 50c pair. Special Price, 25c pair.

Main floor—F st.

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Carnations, Roses, Sweet Peas, Rambler Blooms, Cut Flower Baskets. Very suitable for graduate a specialty, &c.

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The Directors of this Bank desire to express their appreciation of the Public's approval of the liberal policy and conservative management of the Institution, which has been the prime factor in our steady growth.

Our Assets Having More Than Doubled Since 1900

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 Opening of the Season
 and Close of Oyster Season.
 OUR DELICIOUS SEA FOOD SPECIALTIES HAVE A WIDE REPUTATION.

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WE ARE STILL SELLING GOODS AT COST.

We want to thank the public for their liberal patronage last week, and announce that we will continue to SELL FOR THE COMING WEEK

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The one motion kind—that are worth \$12 to \$14—for \$6.50 to \$7.



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We have 3x3 feet awnings and 12x2 feet awnings that are left on our counter. We sell them this week at cost as we desire to close out.

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Solid Gold Crosses \$2 to \$7.50

Belt Pins 25c to \$4.50

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A Fine Home FOR SALE

Two Squares N. of King St.

A beautiful little six room brick house, only two years old, with all modern conveniences, southern exposure, house has tiled bath and vestibule, concrete cellar, fine heating plant. In prime condition. Rented at \$30.00 per month. Lot 20 feet front, and 120 feet deep, with side and rear alley.

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