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 8TH ST. AND PENNA. AVE.

## What About a Tent?

Quantities are getting low—no more to be had at these prices—therefore if you want a good, servicable weather-proof tent at a price do not delay, but come here today for one of these big values

24-inch wall; weights but 27 pounds in all and can be easily carried; made of 8 ounce duck, in white; size 6x6 feet and 5 feet 6 inches tall. Complete with poles, stakes and guy ropes. . . . \$4.95

\$15.00 wall tents, special price . . . . . \$12.45

\$16.50 Wall tents, special price . . . . . \$13.45

Made with 36-inch wall; of 10ounce white canvas; with double seams throughout. Complete with pins, poles and guy ropes. Size 10x12 feet. Tent Store 4th floor

## Swan Brothers

Summer Store Hours 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Except Sat.

### Some of the bargains to be found here during our Clearance Sale

\$1.00 house dresses	79c
Boy's 50c wash pants	35c
Boy's 50c wash suits	35c
Ladies' \$2.50 crepe kimono	\$1.50
Children's 50c wash dresses	35c
Boy's 25c wash pants	19c
9x12 matting rugs	\$1.98
\$1.00 suit cases	79c
Boy's 25c underwear	19c
\$1.75 auto dusters	\$1.25
Men's \$1.50 bathing suits	\$1.00
Boy's 50c bathing suits	35c
Men's 75c office coats	25c
\$5.00 polished rattan suit cases	\$2.98
Men's \$1.50 office coats	\$1.00
Men's \$5.00 Turkish bath robes	\$3.50

## For Sale or Rent

That large three story press brick dwelling No. 514 Cameron st., with modern improvements, new Ideal hot water heating plant; separate bath and toilet rooms; spacious parlor; delightful bed rooms with large closets; attractive halls and dining room; thoroughly equipped kitchen with gas range, pantry; instantaneous heater; large cellar under entire house; everything comparatively new. To anyone desiring to buy an up to date house, we invite inspection of this fine old residence, and have no hesitancy in saying there is not a residence in the city that surpasses this in substantial construction, and believe an inspection by any contractor or builder in the city will bear us out in this statement. For further particulars, call or phone.

**MONROE & MARBURY**  
 307 King St. Call Phone 444

## Special Sale of Electric Fans

While they last we will sell all electric fans in stock at the following net prices:-

12" Straight blowing	\$12.50
12" Oscillating	\$16.50
16" straight blowing	\$15.50
16" Oscillating	\$20.00

All fans complete with cords and plugs, ready to attach to any lamp socket. Better come early. There are not many left.

**The Alexandria County Lighting Company**

### DELEGATES SELECTED

Columbia Steam Fire Engine Co Names Representatives to Firemen's Convention.

A called meeting of the Columbia Steam Fire Engine Company was held last night for the purpose of selecting delegates to represent the company at the State Firemen's Convention to be held at Covington, Va., on the 25th, 26th and 27th, instant. Clyde Chilcott, W. F. Webster, John Hamilton, A. Kircherer, Edward McDermott, O. Herring, James Zimmerman and Henry Sisson. The following are the alternates: W. Craven, E. C. Craven, Thomas Blake, James Bradley, John Sweeney, O. R. Evans, W. Lyons and Charles Ross. Vice President John Leadbeater will also attend the convention.

### CONTEST IS EXCITING.

With only a few days remaining for the counts for a week's trip to Atlantic City to be given to the young lady who sells the greatest number of tickets for the excursion of the Indian Guard's Band, the interest in the contest is becoming exciting. The four contestants, Misses Barkley, Ticer, Washington and Mrs. J. F. Buckley are neck and neck in the race and their friends are rallying to their support.

When in Alexandria visit the Hotel Rammel.

**BIDS WANTED**—Bids are requested for hire of 6 pack mules and 4 draft horses for Signal Corps Encampment Fort Meyer, Va., from August 18 to 27. Bids close August 16, 1915. Address all bids to F. S. Splatt, Captain, Signal Corps Richmond, Va.

## Surprise Theater

House Cool and Well Ventilated

**TONIGHT**  
 Pathe presents  
**Straws in The Wind**  
 A three part drama of fisher life. Featuring Henry King. Late star of the "Who Pays?" series.

Walter Edwards in a Domino two part feature  
**The Promoter**  
 The story of a swindler.

A Keystone Comedy  
**The Fatal Flirtation**  
 TUESDAY  
 Grace Cunard and Francis Ford in  
**The Broken Coin**  
 Universal special serial. Two parts.

THURSDAY  
 Essanay presents on the V-L-S-E program  
 Francis X. Bushman in  
**The Slim Princess**  
 George Ade's famous comedy drama in four parts

COMING  
 The serial of the moment  
**Neal of the Navy**  
 Taken by permission of the Secretary of the Navy. Pathe.

Our Customers who are using

## Coupon Books

are saving money and are not worrying about having to check the bill on the month.

## Coupon Books Save

**Mutual Ice Co.**  
 Phone 51.

### ARRIVAL OF WHALEBACK

Curious Craft Brings 2,300 Tons of Ore to Alexandria Fertilizer And Chemical Company.

The whaleback barge Providence, carrying 2,300 tons of ore, reached Alexandria yesterday afternoon from Portland, Maine. The Providence was towed around by the ocean tugboat Gwalla, belonging to the New England Coal and Fuel Company. The ore had been brought to Portland in cars from Canada.

The Providence is the first vessel of that class that has visited Alexandria. It is the shape of a banana, built entirely of iron, and has a cabin aft and a "bridge" forward. When it appeared off the city it suggested to many a picture of a German submarine and attracted much attention.

### LOCAL BREVITIES

The Indian Guard Band will give an excursion to Marshall Hall next Thursday, the 19th.

The meeting of Potomac Lodge of Odd Fellows held last night was largely attended. The second degree of the order was conferred on a class of eight candidates.

Delegates who have been attending the meeting of the Potomac Baptist Association held at Del Ray, Alexandria county, returned to their homes yesterday.

Misses Amanda and Mary Carne are spending the week-end with their cousin, Mrs. Claude L. Pickin, at her home on New Hampshire Avenue, in Washington.

In the Corporation Court today in the case of William T. Chantland vs. the Virginia Highlands Association et al. C. K. Carlin, was appointed special commissioner in chancery to make a report in the cause.

Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Rodgers left today for a two weeks' trip to New York and Atlantic City.

Hard Shell Crabs, Deviled Crabs, and Crab Salad, in our own delicious style. Jacob Brill, foot of King St.

**WELL-STOCKED MARKET.**

Propitious Season Causes Plethora of Offerings by Country People.

There was an increased attendance of country people in market this morning and there was an abundance of all seasonal vegetables and fruit on the benches. Prices were weaker in consequence of the large offerings. Watermelons, cantaloupes, peaches, apples, plums, damsons, etc., are more plentiful than during many previous seasons.

Housewives are now engaged in preserving, and fruits used in this process were being procured today.

### DEATH NOTICE.

DIED—At her home in this city, Friday evening, August 13, 1915, ELIZABETH WILSON PRICE, eldest daughter of the late Ellis L. and Judith P. Price. Funeral services from her late residence Monday, August 16th, at 10 a. m. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invite.

**LANSBURGH & BRO.**  
 Washington, D. C.  
 Established in 1860  
 Leaders Then—Leaders Now

## Is This The Kind Of Store That You would want to patronize?

A store that sells only the most reliable merchandise.  
 A store where absolutely no seconds are shown.  
 A store where reliability is the watchword.

A store where the customer comes first, last and always. Lansburgh and Bro's. have just such a store for the past 55 years and has earned the well deserved reputation of WASHINGTON'S LEADING DRY GOODS STORE.

Our efficient corps of expert shoppers will give your Mail orders exacting attention.

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings In Society.

Mr. and Mrs. George D. Hopkins and family have returned from a motor trip to Ocean City, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Cochran and family left today for Ocean City, Md., to spend their vacation.

Mrs. H. H. Kidwell is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Swann, at Jameson's Hill, near Culpeper, Va.

Mrs. Henry O'Bannon Cooper is visiting Miss Byrdie Pullman, of Culpeper, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott and daughter Louise, left today to visit Captain and Mrs. Nash, at the Post-guard Station South Baltimore.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to John N. Reed, Jr., of Washington, and Bertha L. Hunter, of Alexandria.

The Rev. J. M. Nourse, father of Mrs. Albert D. Brockett, will preach tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock in the Second Presbyterian Church.

William Emerson, for many years the sexton of St. Paul's Cemetery, has been compelled to resign his position on account of continued ill-health.

Mrs. Frank Rorabaugh and daughter Anna, have returned to Manassas after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Ludwig, of North Braddock.

Master Jack Roberts, who was recently operated upon for appendicitis at the Alexandria Hospital by Doctors Klipstein and Moore, is rapidly recovering.

Lieut. Phillip Wales Lauriat, U. S. C. G. S., and bride, have returned from Atlantic City and are visiting Mrs. Lauriat's mother, Mrs. George Abbott, of 1884 Newton St., Northwest, Washington, D. C.

LOST—Between 6:30 and 7 a. m. Saturday morning, between Fairfax and Washington street, common nickel watch with gilt chain. Valued for association. Apply at Gazette Office. 14-1t.

## Richmond Theater

The House of Star Productions  
 Six Reels Each Performance

**TONIGHT'S PROGRAM**

Lubin presents Velma Whitman and L. C. Shumway in  
**A House Of Cards**  
 Two parts.

Joseph Byron Totten and Neil Craig in  
**The Awakening Hour**  
 Essanay Three parts.

Wally Van, Nitru Frazer, Albert Roccardi, Edwina Robbins, Donald MacBride in  
**The Serpent's Tooth**  
 Vitagraph Comedy.

MONDAY  
 Anita Stewart and Earle Williams in the serial beautiful,  
**"THE GODDESS."**  
 Ninth Chapter

TUESDAY  
 Charlie Chaplin in  
**A New Profession**  
 Comedy.

WEDNESDAY  
**The Diamond From The Sky**  
 Chapter Fourteen, For Love and Money.

THURSDAY  
 Metro Night  
 Francis X. Bushman in  
**The Second in Command**  
 Clyde Fitch's Famous Military drama

FRIDAY  
**The Romance of Elaine**  
 Episode, The Searchlight Gun

SATURDAY  
 LUBIN NIGHT

## WOODWARD & LOTHROP

10th-11th, F & G Streets  
 WASHINGTON, D. C.

### The August Sale of Bed Blankets Continues

There is a good assortment to select from, but to avoid possible disappointment you should make your selections early. Besides the savings which these Blankets show in price, it is good judgment to purchase now owing to general conditions of the blanket-making industry.

These Blankets are mill seconds, but our customers know that we never offer goods at any price that will not give good service. The imperfections which these Blankets show are of no consequence. Only oil spots, heavy or dropped threads, uneven borders, slight soiling.

THE PRICES ARE ONE-THIRD LESS THAN REGULARLY

10-4 Blankets, \$3.50 to \$5.00 pair  
 11-4 Blankets, \$4.50 to \$7.00 pair.  
 12-4 Blankets, \$5.50 to \$8.00 pair.

## LAURENCE STABLER

321 Prince Street

### Insurance, Real Estate and Loans

Automobile Fire and Liability policies at most favorable rates.

## FOR SALE

Fine ten room brick dwelling on N. Columbus Street, near Christ Church, with all modern improvements. Finest location in the city for an ideal home.

Desirable frame dwelling 509 N. Alfred St., containing seven rooms and large side lot.

## FOR RENT

Cosy Six room frame dwelling 207 N. Royal, with modern improvements, including electric lights. Rent \$15.00 Per month.

Finely located flat on second and third floors 412 King Street, containing seven rooms and bath, Rent, \$15.00 Per Month.

**JOHN D. NORMOYLE**  
 REAL ESTATE LOAN AND INSURANCE AGENT  
 N. E. Cor. King and Royal Sts.  
 BELL PHONE 224 J HOME PHONE 124-R

## For Rent

That entire building No. 1315 Duke Street known as  
**The Old Slave Pen**  
 suitable for factory or storage  
 Very Low Rent  
**GRAHAM & OGDEN**  
 529 King Street Alexandria, Virginia.

## Fresh and Clean APARTMENTS For Rent

**'COLONIAL' Only \$16.**

Attractive 4 room and bath apartments, hot water heat, water and janitor service included. All freshly painted and cleaned up. Let us show them to you.

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 612 KING STREET