ALL OVER THE STATE.

THE EASTERN SHORE.

A Serious Joke—Scarcity of Labor—Old Records, &c.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.

ONANCOCK, January 19, 1885.

It turns out that the attempted assassination of Mr. Thomas Selby, reported last week, was only a trick of some youngsters of the neighborhood to frighten the old man, who is said to be cranky on the subject of sharpening razors. The boys fired a big charge of powder through the key-hole, striking Mr. Selby full in the face and destroying the sight of one of his eyes. The boys did not intend to hurt the old man, and to escape suspicion some of them gave the version of the affair as it first appeared in the newspapers. Mr. Selby had a fight with a tramp several nights before the shooting, and this, coupled with the fact that he had just received $500 in part payment for a farm, gave rise to the belief that robbery was intended.

The fish-guano factories that line both the bay- and sea-shores are closed. Millions of bushels of fish are made into manure every year at these factories and used on the Eastern-Shore farms in growing corn and potatoes.

There is much complaint over here among farmers about the scarcity of farm-laborers. Very few have yet secured hands for this year. It is said that many negroes have gone north in search of higher wages than our farmers are able to pay. Many of our farmers are talking of securing white laborers from Europe, while others are inclined to put their lands in grass and raise cattle.

The General Assembly at the late extra session passed an act allowing the people of Accomack to vote on the question of removing the court-house from Drummondtown to a point on the new railroad near the centre of the county. The question would have been decided at the May elections but for the blunder of the engrossing clerk in retaining in the bill several lines that had been superseded by an amendment. As the matter now stands, it seems that another act will have to be passed before the vote can be taken. In the mean time the building of the new court-house—to cost about $25,000—will be greatly delayed. The old court-house has come down from the revolutionary era, and is too small and shabby-looking for so large and prosperous a county as this. By the way, the old records of this county, preserved in the clerk's office at Drummondtown, go back nearly to the foundation of the colony, and are extremely interesting and valuable as historical documents. There is material in them for a readable volume if one only had the time and means to lay them before the public. Accomack probably had the first ducking stool in the colony, and the first victims were "two babbling women," who were ducked near this town for "slandering ye Majestie's Justice of the Peace." The celebrated report of Colonel Edmond Scarburgh, surveyor-general of the colony, and ancestor of all of that name in Virginia, in regard to the Quaker rebellion in northern Accomack is in one of these old volumes that records the events of 1662. It is a most remarkable document, bristling with sweeping denunciation of the "creeping Quakers" and containing many striking passages and expressions that serve to body forth "the form and pressure" of those quaint old days. We need a new repository for these venerable records.

The remains of a young lady, daughter of Mr. Edward Le Cato, formerly of the Eastern Shore, who died in Philadelphia last Saturday, were brought to Accomack to-day for interment.

KALLIAS.

TAZEWELL COUNTY.

Death of an Eminent Citizen—Some Reminiscences and Some News Items.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]

TAZEWELL C. H., Jan. 18, 1885.

Our people were saddened this morning by the announcement that Joseph Stras, an old and prominent lawyer, was dead. Just before the war Mr. Stras, who was one of the most successful lawyers in the State, was a candidate for judge of this circuit, and was opposed by the late Judge Samuel V. Fulkerson, who was killed at Seven Pines while commanding a brigade as senior colonel. Both candidates were popular, and Judge Fulkerson exceedingly so with the masses. Mr. Stras labored under the serious disadvantage of impaired eyesight, which contributed no little to his defeat. A few years after the war he became blind, but up to the day of his death he conducted a large and intricate business, with the aid of a secretary and the assistance of his sons.

The deceased was a native of Richmond and a graduate of Georgetown College. At an early age he studied law with the late Judge Johnston, of Abingdon, and soon established a good practice in several counties of the Southwest. He settled here over fifty-five years ago, and somewhat late in life married Miss Letticia Higginbotham, a daughter of a prominent family of this county, and who, to the universal regret of all classes and the irreparable loss of her aged and blind husband, preceded him to the grave over five years ago.

Mr. Stras's mother was married twice, the first time to Mr. Southall—the late Hon. Valentine Southall, of Albemarle, being his half-brother. While indulgent to his family and lavish in his style of living, he had accumulated a large property, consisting chiefly of money and securities. During the years of his blindness his chief amusement was playing whist, which his splendid memory enabled him to do with skill, and occasionally a game of chess. A life-long Democrat, Mr. Stras of late years had a strong antipathy to the Mahone-Readjuster party, and was always outspoken in his sentiments toward them.

Another remarkable change in the weather occurred night before last. At 10 o'clock a warm rain was falling, and at 12 it was intensely cold. So far very little ice has been formed, owing to the flush condition of the streams.

Some of our people have returned from New Orleans, and are favorably impressed with the great fair, but report a much smaller attendance than they had expected.

Of late a good deal of illicit traffic in whiskey has been noticeable in this section, and deputy marshals are looking up the delinquents. A new official in that department is ex-State Senator Leece, who some time since was appointed commissioner. MAX.

DANVILLE.

The Beethoven—Almost a Fire—Remarkable Recovery—Real Estate—Prisoners Removed.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]

JANUARY 20, 1885.

The Beethoven Association gave a concert last night, which was well attended and greatly enjoyed. Mr. A. T. Abernethy, of Richmond, once an active member, was found in the audience, unexpectedly called upon for a song, and heartily *encored*. Lively demonstrations of enjoyment were made at the songs of Misses Armistead, Skinner, Ficklen, and the chorus, and the violin performances of Mr. Pryor.

There was almost a big fire in North Danville on Sunday evening. The stable of Mr. A. M. Jeffries, a small frame building, was burned down, and his residence, which stood near by, was saved by the very great efforts of a number of friends, some of whom were severely scorched.

Internal-revenue receipts for last week, $11,563.96.

William Adkins, who was shot by Charles H. (or B.) Palmer, near Sago, in this county, on the 8th of December, the ball entering the front part of the head and lodging, it is supposed, on the brain, has so far recovered from the wound as to be able to "get about a little."

The following property from the estate of the late W. S. Patton, lots on Jefferson street, has been sold since last report, Captain E. E. Bouldin acting as commissioner, and getting for each lot $50 per front foot: Lot of seventy feet to Dr. Douglass; lot of forty feet to Mr. George W. Wilson; lot of fifty feet to Mr. W. F. Patton; lot of fifty feet to Mr. J. Allen Patton.

The prisoners from the county, fourteen in number, have been removed from the Danville jail to Chatham, the county jail having been finished and the work approved and accepted.

ALPHA.

PETERSBURG AND VICINITY.

Funeral of Dr. Dunn—Arrest of a Colored Preacher—Alleged Ghostly Visitor.

[Correspondence of Richmond Dispatch.]

PETERSBURG, Jan. 20, 1885.

A very large assemblage, composed of people of all denominations, filled the Tabb-Street Presbyterian church this afternoon on the occasion of the funeral of the late Dr. James Dunn. Many persons were unable to get inside the doors. The medical faculty turned out in a body in respect to the memory of their deceased brother. The services were conducted by the new pastor, Rev. J. W. Rosebro, assisted by Rev. S. K. Winn, of the Second church, and were very impressive.

Mr. Richard F. Strachan, an old and honored citizen, was prostrated yesterday by a severe stroke of paralysis—the second he has suffered during the past three years.

A colored man and preacher, giving his name as Rev. George Spencer, was arrested in this city last night on two serious charges—one the larceny of a coat from a citizen of Prince George, and the other, house-breaking and larceny in this city. Some of the stolen property was found in his possession. In his pocket was found a pistol. The Mayor this morning fined him $20 for carrying concealed weapons and confiscated the pistol. The other charges against him were continued for trial until some day next week. The prisoner says he is from Norfolk, and is apparently about thirty-five years of age. His conduct is, to say the least, very remarkable for a man of his reputed sacred calling.

It the Hustings Court to-day the last of the felony cases on the docket was tried. The civil docket was called over, several judgments entered, and times fixed for the trial of sundry cases. Among the judgments entered were several in favor of the Planters and Mechanics Bank against different parties for considerable amounts.

It is learned to-day that J. J. Brookbank, one of the parties arrested here and taken out to North Carolina a day or two ago on the charge of embezzling funds belonging to the Wheeler & Wilson Sewing-Machine Company, was discharged on reaching Henderson. His companion, E. M. Maddra, was held for trial.

A strange story comes from Dinwiddie to the effect that a citizen of that county has recently been greatly disturbed at night by an invisible ghostly visitor, who invariably shares his bed with him. He can see no one and hear no one, but no matter how carefully he may secure the doors and windows of his house and of his room, it is not long after he retires before he feels the covering of his bed drawn down and he is conscious of some presence beside him. The conclusion is that the house is "haunted." ROBIN ADAIR.

NORFOLK'S NEWS.

The Mayor and the Police—Sudden Death.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]

NORFOLK, January 20, 1885.

After my report of the police investigation was closed yesterday the committee sent to the Mayor for the record of the Police Commissioners to June 3, 1884, which he had declined to surrender to the other members of the Board. The Mayor gave up the book, and said he was desirous that a full investigation be had; and it was arranged that his statement to the commissioners should be taken on Wednesday. The investigation causes great interest here.

The city and community are much interested in the mysterious death of the man whose body was found on the banks of the river yesterday morning. After the report in the morning papers a gentleman in the city reported that he knew a man who answers to the description. The remains were viewed by him but not identified, and no sort of clew has been obtained. It is thought the man came from Richmond. A telegram was received here this morning from the chief of police of New York asking for a photograph of the dead man.

Elijah Whipple, a sailor, was found dead in his bed this morning. An inquest was held, and it was decided that he died from heart-disease. ELIA.

Found Dead Beneath His Horse.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]

JOHNSON'S SPRINGS, VA., January 19, 1885.

On Saturday morning, January 17th, Mr. Thomas Peers, who lives near St. Matthew's church, in Goochland county, started to go around collecting his load of marketing from his customers, so that he would be ready to start to town on to-day. He was found Saturday evening dead, with the horse lying on him. The cart was turned over, and the horse could not get up. Mr. Peers had been dead several hours when found. He was well known in the county and in Richmond. HOYT.

Killed Under His Locomotive.

A Pittsburgh telegram of the 19th says: Thomas Carlin, an engineer on the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago railway, met with a singular death this morning near the Union station. The machinery of his locomotive became out of gear, and he crowded under the tank to ascertain what was the cause. He unscrewed a nut, when two rods that were held in place by it were loosened and struck him on the head. The force of the blow evidently twisted his head around, as his neck was broken, and he apparently died instantly. The fireman found him lying on the track dead.

Will be Made a Cardinal.

A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, of London, from Rome, asserts that Archbishop Gibbons, of Baltimore, will be created a cardinal the coming May.

A YOUNG ADVENTURER.

How He Invested the Money of His Intended Mother-In-Law.

[New York Herald.]

Several hundred invitations were issued to a grand wedding which was to have been held last Thursday evening in the Gerard flats, in east Eighty-fourth street. On that occasion Mr. Hugo Baumann, a young man still in his teens, was to wed Rosa, the daughter of Mrs. R. Friedlander. The mother of the expectant bride is a widow, and said to be wealthy. She lives in elegant apartments in the Gerard flats, and is a prominent leader in fashionable German society.

Hugo Baumann has for several years been a clerk in the establishment of Baumann Brothers, who are his uncles. He has lived lavishly, spent money freely, and was as devoted to his fair *fiancée* as any young lady could wish.

The day of the wedding came and all arrangements were perfected. A handsome *trousseau* gladdened the heart of the happy bride. The rooms in the Gerard flats were elegantly decorated, and a superb supper was laid for the wedding guests.

DECKED FOR THE WEDDING.

The young lady was arrayed in her bridal dress and the carriages had begun to arrive when the bride's mother, pale with excitement, entered her daughter's room and announced that the wedding should not go on—that her daughter should never wed an adventurer.

The guests, as they arrived, were quietly informed that the wedding was necessarily postponed because of the bride's sudden illness. It was hoped that thus a scandal would be averted, but yesterday the sudden departure of the groom for Europe brought the whole affair into publicity. Mrs. Friedlander was seen by a reporter at her home yesterday. She was deeply distressed. Her daughter was not visible, and Mrs. Friedlander stated that Rosa was seriously ill. Mrs. Friedlander said:

A GAY DECEIVER.

"When Hugo obtained my consent to his marriage with my daughter I understood from him that he was worth several thousand dollars in his own right, and that he drew from Baumann Brothers a salary of $5,000. He and Rosa seemed deeply devoted to one another, and I was satisfied that the match was in every way a desirable one.

"A week before the wedding-day I handed Hugo $900, telling him to deposit it in the bank for me. I told him this money would defray the wedding expenses for decorations and supper. Hugo told me that in place of depositing the money in the bank he would place it with Baumann Brothers, and I consented to his proposition. Just before the wedding was to occur I told Hugo that we would adjust accounts, and you may imagine my surprise and indignation when, after exhibiting much confusion, he told me that all but $300 was gone."

"He had been robbed, I suppose," suggested the reporter.

"Robbed! No, he did not offer any excuses, but made a clean breast of it, and begged me to forgive him for Rosa's sake."

DIAMONDS FROM THE FAMILY FUND.

"In what way did he use your money?"

"He bought a $150 diamond ring for Rosa and another one for himself. Then he took Rosa to the opera, the theatre, out carriage-driving, sent her elegant bouquets, perfumery, and fans. All these he lavished on my daughter with my own money. I was foolish enough to believe that he was able to afford it himself."

At Baumann Brothers' it was learned that Hugo had been discharged by his uncles. Instead of a salary of $5,000, Hugo received $18 a week. For the past few days the store has been overrun with collectors from fashionable tailors, livery stables, flower-dealers, &c.

Miss Rosa left yesterday for the West, and Mrs. Friedlander will visit friends in Philadelphia during the present week.

A FIGHT ON A TRAIN.

It is Boarded by Roughs and the Conductor is Fatally Shot.

An Overton (Tex.) special says: "A tragedy occurred on the south-bound passenger train reaching Overton at 1 o'clock Monday morning. Two tramps boarded the train, and when Conductor W. A. Frazer asked for their fare they refused to pay it. Thereupon the conductor and Brakeman Powers attempted to eject the tramps, when the latter drew revolvers and opened fire. Frazer was fatally wounded by a shot through the lungs. Powers was shot in the thigh, and the train-porter was also shot. The train returned to Overton, where the wounded men received medical attendance. The tramps escaped to the woods. A special train from Jacksonville Monday afternoon brought bloodhounds, which were immediately put on the track of the murderers."

A special from Long View gives additional particulars of the train-tragedy. It says: "There were several tramps aboard the train. It is thought their intention was to overpower the messenger and rob the express-car."

Praying Piutes.

[Virginia (Nev.) Enterprise, January 11th.]

The wife of Captain Bob, of the Piute tribe, died yesterday morning, and was buried in the Catholic cemetery. Not a few of the Piutes have been baptized into the Catholic Church. A number of their chiefs became Catholics long before there were any whites in Nevada. They were in the habit of paying annual visits to the California coast towns, and some of their women married Spaniards at Santa Cruz, which made them acquainted with the Christian religion. Through the influence of the wives of the Spaniards, their kindred, several of their leading men and women were baptized each year when the annual trip was made to the sea-coast. Their own religion is not a bad one, and from it to any orthodox Christian religion is but a short step. Strange as it may appear, they are a praying people; are a people always ready to either pray or fight. The Princess Sarah Winnemucca's book is full of instances where her people were assembled in prayer, and she herself was wont to pray to the Great Spirit whenever she got into trouble—prayed aloud as she fled before her enemies on a wild cayuse across the deserts.

A machine which threatens to revolutionize boot- and shoe-manufacturing has been invented and set up in Marlboro', Mass., by Mr. Samuel Shepard, of Nashua, N. H., who is eighty-three years of age. The machine will drive 250 wedge-shaped headless nails per minute, on from 700 to 1,000 pairs of boots or shoes in a working day of ten hours. It does the work of fifteen persons. A stock company has been formed for manufacturing the machines.

Horsford's Acid Phosphate.

IN DEBILITY FROM OVERWORK.

Dr. G. W. Collins, Tipton, Ind., says: "I used it in nervous debility brought on by overwork in warm weather, with good results."

AUCTION SALES—This Day.

RICHMOND BAZAAR,

Nos. 1438 AND 1440 FRANKLIN STREET.

TO-DAY

at 10 o'clock we will offer a registry of EXCELLENT HORSES, MULES, BUGGIES, PHAETONS, WAGONS, &c.

Parties having stock to be offered should register the same early.

ja 21 E. B. COOK, Auctioneer.

By E. B. Cook, Auctioneer.

BARGAINS CAN BE HAD.—We will continue our great auction sales of BOOTS and SHOES EACH DAY, at No. 1519 east Main street, at 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. Don't forget to attend.

B. SAMUELS.

Sale conducted by E. B. Cook. ja 21-2t*

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT, THAT DESIRABLE AND CONVENIENTLY-LOCATED RESIDENCE No. 609 north Tenth street, containing seven rooms besides servants' accommodations. For unexpired term (till 1st August), rent $20 per month. Apply to JOHN T. GODDIN, Real Estate Agent, ja 21-3t Bank and Eleventh streets.

TO RENT, DETACHED TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING No. 403 east Clay street; modern conveniences, bath, range, hot and cold water, heater. Possession on Tuesday the 27th. Rent to commence February 1st. Inquire on the premises, or at 401 east Clay street.

FURNITURE SALE on MONDAY.

ja 21-3t

By N. W. Bowe, Real Estate Auctioneer.

THE GREENBRIER WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS OF WEST VIRGINIA FOR RENT AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of the United States for the district of West Virginia entered in the cause of W. A. Stuart, &c., vs. Greenbrier White Sulphur Springs Company, on the 14th day of January, 1885, I shall proceed to rent at public auction, in front of the office of the auctioneer, No. 4 north Eleventh street, in the city of Richmond, Va., on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1885,

the PROPERTY of the Greenbrier White Sulphur Springs Company, with all the rights, privileges, and appurtenances thereto belonging, for the term of one season, to expire November 30, 1885.

The property consists of a LARGE HOTEL and a number of COTTAGE BUILDINGS, all completely and comfortably furnished, capable of accommodating 1,500 guests, together with ample stables and servants' quarters. Included in the FURNITURE are all necessary KITCHEN EQUIPMENTS and UTENSILS, BEDS, BEDDING, TABLE-WARE, &c.—everything necessary to keep a first-class hotel. Also, all VEHICLES, necessary HARNESS, and TWELVE HORSES.

The whole tract of land contains about 7,000 ACRES, of which several hundred acres are well adapted to grazing and cultivation.

The virtue of the WATER and the reputation of the springs are too well established to require extended notice, as the place has long been one of the most fashionable and popular summer resorts in the United States.

Possession given at once.

TERMS: One third to be paid July 1, 1885; one third September 1, 1885, and one third November 1, 1885; the party renting to give bond, with approved security, in a penal sum sufficient to cover the rent and to insure the return of the furniture, &c., in good condition.

Parties wishing to rent are invited to inspect the premises.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned at Richmond, Va.

ja 18 A. L. BOULWARE, Receiver.

FOR RENT, SMALL HOUSES.

312 Linden street.
211½ south Cherry street.
11 west Canal street.
1307 west Leigh street.
612 north Eleventh street.
1019 west Leigh street.
805 Moore street.
810 west Broad street.
205 west Canal street.
714 north Twenty-seventh street.
110 west Jackson street.
— Jacquelin street, near Washington.
712 south Laurel street.
627 south First street.
310 Calhoun street.
919 north Second street.
104 south Cherry street.
— Beverly street, near Washington.
1100 and 1102 north Eighth street.
— Harvie street, corner Floyd street.
2007 Main street.
— Williams street between Graham and Oak streets.
3202 Rockett's street.

Apply to FURMAN TUPPER, Real Estate Agent, ja 18-3t 1016 Main street.

FOR RENT, MEDIUM-SIZED DWELLINGS.

506 north Fifth street, BRICK; seven rooms.
903 east Clay street, BRICK; seven rooms.
904 west Main street, FRAME DETACHED; seven rooms.
721 and 723 west Marshall street, BRICK; six rooms.
914 and 916 west Main street, BRICK; six rooms.
319 north Nineteenth street, BRICK; seven rooms.
703 west Marshall street, BRICK; seven rooms.
1604 west Cary street, FRAME DETACHED; five rooms.
120 south Fourth street; six rooms.
Laurel street, corner Spring street, BRICK; five rooms.
317 south Cherry street, FRAME DETACHED; five rooms. Apply to

FURMAN TUPPER, Real Estate Agent, ja 18-3t 1016 Main street.

FOR RENT.

BRICK DWELLING, No. 414 west Clay street.
BRICK DWELLING, Tenth and M streets.
BRICK DWELLING, 1013 Floyd street.
BRICK DWELLING, south Cherry street.
BRICK DWELLING, No. 615 north Seventh street.

The above houses are all in excellent order. Possession given at once.

ALSO,

The TWO FRAME DWELLINGS on Dobson street.
FRAME, Seventeenth between Main and Cary streets.
TWO SMALL FRAME HOUSES on Duncan street.
TWO FRAME DWELLINGS on Williams street.
FRAME DWELLING on Poplar street.
FRAME DWELLING, south Cherry street.
FRAME DWELLING, Catherine street.
FRAME DWELLING, south Laurel street.
FRAME DWELLING, Seventeenth and Valley streets.
FRAME, small, Seventh street.
SMALL BRICK HOUSE and FOUR ACRES OF LAND, in the northern part of the city.
FRAME DWELLING, New-Market square.

STORE.

That CENTRALLY-LOCATED STORE, No. 1105 Basin bank.

Apply to CHEWNING & ROSE, ja 18-ecd3t No. 5 north Tenth street.

FOR RENT, STORES.

Corner St. Paul and Duval streets, possession February 1st, NICE BRICK STORE AND DWELLING; six rooms and kitchen.
Corner Cary and Vine streets, possession February 1st, STORE AND DWELLING, BLACKSMITH-SHOP on premises.
Corner Twenty-second and Franklin streets, LOWER PART OF HOUSE—good stand.
705 west Marshall street, BRICK STORE AND DWELLING, suitable for green-grocery. Apply to FURMAN TUPPER, Real Estate Agent, ja 18-3t 1016 Main street.

FOR RENT, THAT NEW, ATTRACTIVE, and WELL-PLANNED DWELLING No. 414 west Main street, containing nine rooms; range, hot and cold water, &c. Rent very reasonable. Apply to JOHN T. GODDIN, Real Estate Agent, ja 20-3t Bank and Eleventh streets.

FOR RENT, THAT FINE, LARGE DWELLING No. 815 east Marshall street, between Eighth and Ninth streets. Possession in a few days. Apply to GRUBBS & APPERSON, Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers, ja 18-6t

FOR RENT, TO A GENTLEMAN, A VERY DESIRABLE LARGE FIRST FLOOR FRONT ROOM, unfurnished, in a private dwelling. Convenient to business. Address "M.," Post-Office Box No. 225. ja 18-ecd3t

FOR RENT, THE HOUSE I NOW OCCUPY, one of the most desirable in this city; large, elegant rooms and all modern conveniences. E. J. LEVY, ja 10-2w 709 east Franklin street.

BOOTS, SHOES, &c.

FOR THIS SEASON,

GENUINE ALLIGATOR GLADSTONES,
GENUINE ALLIGATOR CLUB SACKS,
GENUINE ALLIGATOR SHOPPING-BAGS,
GENUINE SEAL CLUB SACKS,
GENUINE SEAL SHOPPING-BAGS,
LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S EMBROIDERED CLOTH AND VELVET SLIPPERS,
SEAL, ALLIGATOR, KID, AND HAIR SLIPPERS,
BEADED SLIPPERS FOR LADIES,
And a full line of OLD LADIES' BOOTS, TIES, and SLIPPERS.

J. A. GRIGG, Pace Block, de 17-tFe14 Main and Eighth streets.

AUCTION SALES—Future Days.

By W. H. Lyne & Co., Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers, 1113 Main street.

THAT MOST ATTRACTIVE, DELIGHTFULLY-SITUATED, LARGE, AND HANDSOME RESIDENCE AND GROUNDS, THE LATE RESIDENCE OF COLONEL GEORGE S. PALMER, DECEASED, FRONTING ABOUT 126x190 FEET AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF FRANKLIN AND MONROE STREETS; ALSO, TWO BEAUTIFUL BUILDING LOTS ADJACENT THERETO, FRONTING EACH ABOUT 25x125 FEET ON THE EAST SIDE OF HENRY STREET BETWEEN FRANKLIN AND MAIN STREETS, WITH LARGE BRICK STABLE THEREON, FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

By request of the owners, we shall sell by public auction, on the premises, on WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1885, at 4 o'clock P. M., the above-named WELL-KNOWN AND TRULY-VALUABLE PROPERTY, fronting 126 feet on the south side of Franklin street, extending back on the west line of Monroe street and between parallel lines 190 feet to an alley in common.

The dwelling is a most admirably-arranged, substantial structure of two stories above the basement, containing about twelve rooms, having all the modern improvements, and in excellent order.

The grounds are beautifully shaded by the choicest forest trees, magnolias, evergreens, &c.

There being now no other property comparable to this in size and location for sale on this fashionable street, this sale presents an opportunity of which all who desire an elegant home with spacious and handsomely-ornamented grounds, in a strictly fashionable and delightful location, should avail themselves.

The BUILDING LOTS mentioned above are very attractive, and well-situated for desirable homes and profitable investment.

TERMS: Liberal, and announced at sale.

W. H. LYNE & CO., Auctioneers.

ja 21,23,25,27,29,31&Fe1,3&4

By Sutton & Co., Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers, 1108 Main street.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF BRICK STORE AND DWELLING, SITUATED ON SEVENTEENTH BETWEEN MAIN AND FRANKLIN STREETS (No. 5 NORTH SEVENTEENTH STREET), AND A ONE-THIRD UNDIVIDED INTEREST IN THE BRICK- AND GRANITE-FRONT STORE AND DWELLING No. 1545 EAST MAIN STREET.—By virtue of a certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned trustee, dated November 28, 1884, and duly recorded in the clerk's office of Richmond Chancery Court, and in execution thereof, I shall proceed to sell at public auction, on the premises, on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1885,

commencing at 4 o'clock P. M., the REAL ESTATE described in said deed, as follows:

First, The BRICK STORE and DWELLING designated as No. 5 north Seventeenth street, fronting 17 feet, more or less, on the east side of Seventeenth street, and running back a depth of 70 feet 7 inches.

Immediately thereafter will sell a ONE-THIRD UNDIVIDED INTEREST in that VERY DESIRABLE BRICK- AND GRANITE-FRONT STORE AND DWELLING situated on the south side of Main street and east of Shockoe creek, designated as No. 1545 east Main street, and fronting thereon 21 feet, more or less, with lot running back 110 feet to an alley in common 30 feet wide.

Both of the above pieces of property are well located and are good business stands, being situated near the First Market, in the centre of a large retail trade.

TERMS: At sale.

HENRY FLEGENHEIMER, ja 21 Trustee.

WANTS.

WANTED, BOARDERS AT 110 south Fifth street; also two or three LARGE CONNECTING ROOMS FOR RENT, with every convenience for housekeeping. Reference given. ja 21-1t*

WANTED, EMPLOYMENT BY A YOUNG MAN of industrious habits, good character, and health. Address J. L. H., Post-Office Box 11, city. ja 21-1t*

WANTED, A GOOD COOK, WASHER and IRONER for a small family. Apply, with references, at 105 west Main street. ja 21-1t*

WANTED,—A PHYSICIAN, RETIRING, will give his large practice FREE to a sober, energetic young physician. OUTFIT FOR SALE. Address Dr. L. WHIT, Warren post-office, Albemarle county, Va. ja 20-2t*

WANTED, BY A MAN OF EXPERIENCE a position as MANAGER IN A STEMMING OR REPRIZING ESTABLISHMENT. Best city references. Address MANAGER, *Dispatch* office. ja 20-2t*

WANTED, MEN AND WOMEN TO START A NEW BUSINESS AT THEIR HOMES—easily learned in an hour. No peddling. Ten cents to fifty cents an hour made daytime or evening. Send 10c. for 20 samples and a package of goods to commence work on. Address H. G. FAY, de 20-1m Rutland, Vt.

WANTED, A LARGE FORCE OF ACTIVE, ENERGETIC, SOBER YOUNG MEN, to sell NURSERY STOCK during the year 1885. None need apply who cannot furnish a good horse, saddle, and bridle; and to such as can furnish these liberal commissions or salary will be paid. For terms apply to

J. D. MOSBY & BROTHER, Post-Office Box 257, Richmond, Va. ja 4-dcod15t&w6t*

COURT ORDERS.

JOHNSON & LUXFORD, TRUSTEES, &c., vs. John Booker.

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND.

[Extract from decree of January 10, 1885.]

* * * On consideration whereof the Court, being of the opinion that the plaintiffs are entitled to the aid of this Court in administering the trust imposed by the deed of the defendant dated 12th November, 1884, and filed as an exhibit, doth adjudge, order, and decree that one of the commissioners of this court do take the following accounts: An account of the liabilities of John Booker at the date of the said deed, showing in which classes of the said deed the said liabilities are secured, and how they should be offsetted, if at all, by claims due said Booker by the holders in any capacity; an account of the assets conveyed in said deed, showing the action of the trustees as to them, and what should be done to properly settle and realize them, and any offers of compromise which may be made by the debtors, and the propriety of accepting said offers, and what offsets, if any, should be allowed to the debtors of said Booker; an account of the securities held by the trustees given by the debtors of said Booker, and what should be done as to each; an account of the action of the trustees in executing the trust, showing what balance is in their hands and how it should be distributed.

And the said commissioner is directed to report from time to time to the court such matters as may require the action of the court before filing his complete report of the matters embraced in this decree, and in making his reports, to report as to any matter required by any of the parties in interest which may be pertinent to the objects of this suit. And to enable the said commissioner to take the said accounts, he is authorized and directed to fix upon a time or times for taking the same, and to publish notice thereof once a week for four successive weeks in the Richmond *Dispatch*, warning all persons interested to appear before him at his office on the day or days fixed and produce evidence of such matters as they may desire to be reported.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, RICHMOND, January 21, 1885.

The parties interested are hereby notified that I have fixed on FEBRUARY 23, 1885, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office in Richmond, No. 1016 east Main street, as the time and place for executing the decree of which the foregoing is an extract; at which time and place they are required to attend.

Given under my hand this 21st day of January, 1885. R. H. STEGER, ja 21-4w Commissioner in Chancery.

INDIAN COUGH CANDY.

GRAND OPENING SALE OF BOZZARRO'S INDIAN COUGH CANDY AT 213 BROAD STREET, ON SATURDAY, JANUARY 17, 1885, AT 3 AND 7:30 P. M.

Twenty thousand dollars to be given away this month at the rate of $500 each day, in sums ranging from 10c. to $20.

The Indian Cough Candy is a positive cure for all throat and lung diseases. TRY IT.

Doors open at 2:30 and 7 P. M. ja 16-6t*

DENTISTS.

DRS. GEORGE B. AND CHARLES L. STEEL, DENTISTS. OFFICE: No. 723 MAIN STREET, RICHMOND, VA. [ja 1-1m]

AUCTION SALES—Future Days.

By J. Thompson Brown & Co., Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers, 1113 Main street.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF A VALUABLE CENTRALLY-LOCATED, DOUBLE-BRICK RESIDENCE, LARGE GROUNDS, No. 9 SOUTH FIFTH STREET, NOW OCCUPIED BY CAPTAIN MAXWELL T. CLARK.

Scott, plaintiff, against Clark and *als.*, defendants, } Chancery Court City of Richmond.

By virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court of the city of Richmond in suit styled as above, entered January 13, 1885, and as commissioner therein appointed, I will sell at public auction, on the premises,

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 28, 1885, AT 4:30 O'CLOCK P. M.,

the above VERY DESIRABLE AND MOST SUBSTANTIAL DOUBLE-BRICK RESIDENCE, being on the east line of Fifth street between Main and Cary streets. The dwelling commands beautiful river views, and contains twelve rooms, and has connected with it large and beautiful grounds, fronting 82½ feet on Fifth street, running back to Sixth street, on which it fronts 55 feet. A plat of the same will be shown on the ground.

The lot may be divided or sold as a whole, as may be desired.

TERMS OF SALE: One fourth cash; balance in six, twelve, and eighteen months, negotiable notes, bearing interest, and title retained until all the money is paid and deed ordered by the Court.

R. H. CARDWELL, Commissioner.

J. THOMPSON BROWN & CO., Auctioneers.

SCOTT, PLAINTIFF, AGAINST CLARKE AND ALS., DEFENDANTS—IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND.

I, Benjamin H. Berry, clerk of said court certify that the bond required of the special commissioner by the decree in said cause of January 13, 1885, has been duly given.

Given under my hand this 16th day of January, 1885.

BENJAMIN H. BERRY, ja 18 Clerk.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY IN CHARLES CITY COUNTY, VA., AT "HARDEN'S WHARF."—By virtue of a certain deed of trust, bearing date on the 25th day of February, 1884, and duly recorded in the clerk's office of the County Court of Charles City, default having been made in the payment of the debt thereby secured, and being required so to do by the beneficiary in said deed, I shall proceed to sell by auction, upon the premises (on the farm of J. A. Wyatt), at Harden's wharf, on the James river, on

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21, 1885,

at 11 o'clock A. M., the PERSONAL PROPERTY described in said deed, consisting of 12 MULES, 4 HORSES, 2 COLTS, 7 COWS, 4 CALVES, 7 WAGONS, 3 CARTS, 1 BUGGY, FARMING IMPLEMENTS MACHINERY, &c., and HARNESS of all kinds.

Also, a lot of CORN, PROVENDER, &c., or so much as may be necessary to satisfy a debt of about $780 and expenses.

By consent of the parties interested, the terms of the sale, although cash for the above amount, will no doubt be liberal, and made known to the purchasers at the time.

J. A. LYNHAM, Trustee.

Also, at the same time and place, under deed of March 26, 1881, to me, a SAW-MILL, ENGINE, BOILER, and FIXTURES.

W. L. COWARDIN, ja 6-d9t&tja21 Trustee.

POSTPONEMENT.

N. B. To better promote the convenience of all parties it is agreed to postpone the above sale until

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1885, at same hour. J. A. LYNHAM, ja 20-2taw&Fe5 Trustee.

By Frank D. Hill & Co., Real Estate Agents, 1108 Main street.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF SMOKING-TOBACCO FIXTURES, ENGINE AND BOILER, LOT OF CIGARETTE CLIPPINGS, &c., &c.—By virtue of a deed of trust dated August 11, 1884, and of record in clerk's office Richmond Chancery Court, I will sell on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 22, 1885,

at No. 1410 east Cary street, at 11 o'clock A. M., 1 ENGINE AND BOILER, twelve-horse power; and at 12 o'clock M., at the factory, No. 1210 east Cary, recently occupied by Messrs. Wrenn & Fuller, the following SMOKING-TOBACCO FIXTURES: 1 Granulator, 1 Roller, 1 Stem-Grinder, 1 Press, 1 Fan, 2 Spice Mills, 1 new Office Safe, Tins, Shovels, Shafting, &c., &c. Also, about 1,000 pounds Cigarette Clippings, &c., &c.

TERMS: Cash. J. P. COCKE, Trustee. Sale by JAS. MACDOUGALL, Auctioneer. ja 17

By Jas. Macdougall, Auctioneer, No. 1324 east Main street.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—By virtue of a deed of trust, dated November 28, 1884, and recorded in the clerk's office of the Richmond Chancery Court, I shall proceed to sell at public auction, on the premises, No. 7 north Seventeenth street, between Main and Franklin streets, on

MONDAY, JANUARY 26, 1885,

at 10:30 A. M., a large and well-assorted stock of MERCHANDISE, FIXTURES, and STORE-FURNITURE, consisting of READY-MADE CLOTHING, GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, CAPS, NOTIONS, &c. Also, an IRON SAFE, and other FIXTURES, together with the UNEXPIRED LEASE OF THE STORE.

TERMS: At sale.

HENRY FLEGENHEIMER, ja 20 Trustee.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an order of court, I will sell at the Westham House, No. 722 west Cary street, on

FRIDAY, JANUARY 23, 1885,

at 11 o'clock A. M., all the GROCERIES in the store, consisting of CANNED FRUIT, SOAP, LARD, CRACKERS, BEANS, BAKING-POWDERS, FISH, PICKLES, COFFEE, TEA, &c., &c.

LEWIS P. WINSTON, ja 18 Sheriff city Richmond.

By N. W. Bowe and Frank D. Hill & Co., Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VERY VALUABLE IMPROVED REAL ESTATE ON THE WEST SIDE OF FIFTEENTH STREET BETWEEN