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TUESDAY....SEPTEMBER 23, 1890.

Lincoln in Richmond.

In *Belford's Magazine* for October Admiral PORTER has an article descriptive of President LINCOLN'S visit to Richmond.

The important facts connected with the President's entry into this city very early after the evacuation have been related before by the Admiral, but to present them in this form he has dressed them elaborately and colored them with various startling surmises—among others that WILKES BOOTH was in this city at the time and would have attempted the assassination of Mr. LINCOLN had opportunity not been denied him.

Mr. LINCOLN came up here with Admiral PORTER from City Point, and their gunboat, the Malvern, was anchored in the James river (some distance below the city), from which the obstructions and torpedoes had not been completely removed. Immediately upon landing LINCOLN and PORTER drove to what had been the residence of President DAVIS, but which was then occupied as the headquarters of Generals WEITZEL and SHEPLEY. "It was quite a small affair compared with the White House (at Washington), and modest in all its appointments, showing that while President DAVIS was engaged heart and soul in endeavoring to effect the division of the States, he was not, at least, surrounding himself with regal style, but was living in a modest, comfortable way, like any other citizen. Amid all his surroundings the refined taste of his wife was apparent and marked everything about the apartments."

After receiving the cheers of a crowd assembled about the Davis Mansion and lunching with General SHEPLEY the President and Admiral proceeded to the Capitol, which he found "in great disorder." The writer fails, however, to say that the Federal soldiers had pillaged the building, including the library, and in a spirit of wantonness cut out of precious volumes large plates and many leaves.

Now, as evening was approaching PORTER relates that he began to get very uneasy about the President's safety, and therefore advised a return to the Malvern, and in this Mr. LINCOLN acquiesced.

About 8 o'clock that night, while they were sitting on deck, a man ashore hailed the vessel and said he had dispatches for the President. A boat was sent for them, but the man said that he must deliver them in person. After some conversation Mr. LINCOLN directed that the messenger be brought aboard, but when the boat again went ashore the individual sought for had gone. "I inquired about the appearance of the person when seen by the officer of the boat. He was a tall man with a black moustache, wore a slouch hat and a long cloak—a regular theatrical villain—one of the stereotyped play robbers," says the Admiral. Hereupon he concludes that "without doubt" the man was WILKES BOOTH, and that "it would have suited Booth's tragical spirit to slay the President on such an occasion; it would have added greatly to the scenic effect." Later on they were hailed again, "a sailor wanted to report himself on board" the Saugus. There was no such vessel in the fleet. A boat with five men in it was sent ashore, but the alleged sailor had disappeared. "These two circumstances made me suspicious and every care was taken that no one should get on board without full identification. The President himself felt a little unpleasant and nervous, and that night a marine kept guard at the door."

All of this stuff the Admiral relates as if there could be no doubt about it. Yet there is not the slightest foundation, so far as we can learn, for the supposition that WILKES BOOTH was in Richmond at the time, and Mr. LINCOLN'S fleet not only filled the river but thousands and tens of thousands of his soldiers swarmed on the banks.

The Admiral sees the occurrences of that night in the light of subsequent events, and blends the whole into a picture which may pass well enough in a magazine article but should have no place in history. Not a half-dozen people in the world knew that Mr. LINCOLN intended to visit Richmond; it was therefore impossible that BOOTH should have come here ready to do his bloody work.

The venerable Admiral now proceeds to describe the occurrences of the next day, most memorable of which (though often before told) was the visit to Mr. LINCOLN of Hon. JOHN A. CAMPBELL, who had been an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States. General WEITZEL came with him. Their interview was private and the result of it was that Mr. LINCOLN wrote an order permitting the Virginia Legislature to reassemble at Richmond to vote Virginia back into the Union.

After Mr. CAMPBELL and General WEITZEL left the vessel Mr. LINCOLN told PORTER what he had done and the Admiral as good as informed him that he had made a great blunder, and the President at once realized his error and had a messenger sent after CAMPBELL and WEITZEL with a written countermand of the order. "The President's order was sent back and they never returned to try to reverse the decision."

The recall indeed was a great mistake. Mr. LINCOLN'S first view was the correct one. PORTER says it would have created a great row at the North. It would have done no such thing. Mr. LINCOLN had such a hold upon the hearts of the people, they so believed in the infallibility of his judgment, that he could have had his own way. Besides, it was the right way, the one way that opened to perfect peace and reconciliation.

Another incident related was the visit to the President aboard the ship of the venerable and somewhat eccentric DUFF GREEN. He and Mr. LINCOLN had been old friends, and the latter cheerfully granted him an interview, but when the President extended his hand Mr. GREEN refused to take it, saying: "It is red with blood; I can't touch it."

Mr. GREEN then roundly rated the President as the cause of the war, and Mr. LINCOLN finally got angry and replied in terms and ordered him from the vessel.

Soon after this the President and the Admiral turned the prow of their gunboat back to City Point. On their way down they passed a large transport loaded with captured Confederates, who hailed the President very kindly. "They will never shoulder a musket again in anger," said the President; "and if GRANT is wise he will leave them their guns to shoot crows and their horses to plow with."

It is a well-told and readable story throughout, but the omission of the BOOTH incident would be a marked improvement.

All the connection that WILKES BOOTH'S name has with the history of Richmond is that in 1858, 1859, and 1860 he was an actor at the old Marshall Theatre and appeared under the name of J. B. WILKES. He was a member of Company F of the First regiment, and went with it to Charlestown to attend the execution of JOHN BROWN. In June, 1860, he left here for Montgomery, Ala., and so far as we know never returned to Richmond.

The Ocean Mail Service.

While our coastwise commerce far exceeds that of Great Britain few ocean steamers carry the Stars and Stripes.

Of 1,996 vessels leaving New York with grain and breadstuff for foreign ports last year only four floated our flag.

None but ships constructed in the United States can have the benefit of our registry; they cannot be built here under the present tariff laws as cheaply as on the Clyde, consequently capitalists will not invest for the patriotic pleasure of losing, and hence foreign ship-owners carry the mails between our shores and the ports of Europe.

Two remedies are proposed. One is to pay tonnage bounties for all vessels constructed in this country and owned by American citizens or on the American registry. The other is to pay large sums to American ships for carrying our foreign mails. Both of these measures have passed the Senate and now lie waiting the action of the House.

The Washington *Post* says that under "the ocean mail bill the Postmaster-General is authorized to enter into such contracts with American citizens for carrying the mails on American steamships as in his judgment will best subserve the postal and commercial interests of the United States, the service to be equitably distributed among Atlantic, Mexican Gulf, and Pacific ports.

The vessels to be employed are of four classes: 20-knot iron or steel steamers of not less than 8,000 tons; 16-knot vessels of 5,000 tons; 14-knot vessels of 2,500 tons, and 12-knot iron, steel, or wooden steamers of 1,500 tons. The rate of compensation is not to exceed $6 a mile for vessels of the first class; $3 a mile for those of the second class; $1.50 for the third class, and $1 for the fourth class on each outward-bound voyage; no vessel so employed to receive any other bounty or subsidy.

It is also proposed that these ships may be converted into transports and cruisers for the use of the Government in time of war.

It is claimed that the United States made a profit of $9,000,000 last year from the foreign mail service, and, therefore, can well afford to venture into a subsidy system, as (it is said) it ought not to seek to make any profit.

At all times it is a matter of dubiety how far our Government should go in the matter of subsidizing steamship lines, for that is the question after all. Certainly under the present Administration, which is so intolerantly sectional, it will be well for our representatives to enquire if the money proposed to be thus voted out of the Treasury is to be for the benefit of the public or for that of certain northern shipyards.

Railroad Reform.

Our Virginia friends outside of Richmond seem to be waiting to hear the date and the basis of representation of the railroad-reform convention before discussing the movement.

The idea of the movers in the enterprise is to agree upon and ask the Legislature to pass such laws as will give our cities and counties equal advantages with outside communities.

If the laws need amending—and it seems they do—the farmers and business-men of the State should point out the changes desirable. To do this most effectually a convention must be held. It is this the Chamber of Commerce of Richmond proposes; this that its Committee on Inland Trade is preparing; and then it will be necessary only for the farmers' alliances and trade organizations to send hither their representatives.

Meanwhile let us consider what legislation is wanted by us, what will be just to us and to the railroads.

Not Justice, But Revenge.

The New York Central Railroad Company is inflexibly enforcing its determination not to receive into its employment again the men who joined in the strike. This looks much like revenge. If this stand can be justified with respect to the leaders in the strike, it cannot be as to the hundreds who quietly left work and went to their homes and are chargeable with no outrages, disorder, or interferences whatsoever.

The Baltimore *Sun* has gone to work with great resolution to arouse its people to an understanding of the importance of extending the Valley branch of the Baltimore and Ohio road from Lexington to Roanoke or Salem, about fifty miles. Mr. FOARD, of its editorial staff, is now in the Valley collecting information and writing letters on the subject.

When the Virginia Press Association meets in this city next month (and we promise them a warm welcome) it might be judicious, and we think it would, to get an expression of opinion as to how the State may best use to advantage the opportunities that will be presented by the Chicago Exposition.

General ROGER A. PRYOR has been tendered by Governor HILL, of New York, the appointment of judge on the bench of the Court of Common Pleas, to fill a vacancy created by the retirement of Judge LANDMORE.

The House of Representatives adjourned again yesterday for want of a quorum to unseat Mr. VENABLE.

The only mistake it made was in not adjourning *sine die*.

DEATH OF MRS. W. B. HAZELTINE.

The Mother of a Famous Beauty to Be Buried To-Day.

[New York World.]

Mrs. William B. Hazeltine, an estimable lady, late of St. Louis, died suddenly at her residence, in New York, on Wednesday last. Heart-failure was the cause of her death.

Mrs. Hazeltine was the mother of the famous western belle and beauty, Miss Nellie Hazeltine, who at one time was reported to be engaged to the late Samuel J. Tilden. This report gained credence and was the subject of many newspaper paragraphs at the time, although vehemently denied both by the young lady and by Mr. Tilden. In fact, they had only met twice, and then in the most casual manner. Miss Hazeltine afterwards married Frederick W. Paramore, of St. Louis, and died a year after her marriage. Her funeral was one of the largest ever known in St. Louis, and she was said to have been as beautiful in death as in life.

Mr. William B. Hazeltine has been engaged in business in this city for some time with his son George.

Mrs. Hazeltine was extremely popular in St. Louis, and well known for her numerous charities. Her remains were shipped to St. Louis, and her funeral will take place there to-day from St. George's Episcopal church.

[Miss Hazeltine will be remembered as a famous White Sulphur belle during the seasons of 1876-'77 by many Richmond visitors of that resort.]

Emmons Blaine's Oil-Wells.

Emmons Blaine has been at Mannington, W. Va., looking after his oil interests, but left there for Chicago Sunday night. The Blaine well came in a good pumper without gas. Blaine is satisfied with the result and predicts great things for the Mannington field. Mr. Blaine is well posted about West Virginia politics and commended S. B. Elkins's refusal to contest the Second West Virginia district with W. L. Wilson.

Mr. Blaine severed his connection with the West Virginia Central railroad, of which ex-Senator H. G. Davis is president, last May. He is looking well and is engaged in no business other than looking after large investments.

"Why, now I cannot get enough to eat," says one lady who formerly had no appetite, but took Hood's Sarsaparilla.

OYSTER TRAFFIC.

A QUIET TRADE OWING TO THE PREVAILING WARM WEATHER.

Colored Baptists Paying Off Their Church Indebtedness—Inspection of Government Telegraph Lines.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]

NORFOLK, September 22, 1890.

The oyster traffic is quiet as yet, owing to the prevailing warm weather. The oystermen are all at work, but the orders come in slow at the packing-houses and the stock is mostly purchased for planting purposes. A cool spell North will make business brisk with the packers, but it will be a month or more before the usual large gangs of shuckers get to work and operations are lively at the packing-houses. The bivalves, especially the plants, are in excellent condition and flavor, and the fancy-priced Lynnhavens shipped North by the barrel are in the usual demand. Very little is done until cold weather sets in in shipping oysters South from this point along the railroad lines. Virginia and Maryland vessels are entirely cut off this season from getting oysters from the Carolina sounds, notwithstanding the catchers in that section are anxious to sell to the vessels on account of the good prices paid.

WALKING ABOUT.

Chief-Engineer E. D. Robie, in charge of the steam engineering department of the navy-yard, returned yesterday from his month's stay in upper New York, and found about a dozen men in his department and no work except a little on the Naval-Academy steamer Standish. The machinists of the yard are now walking about, but the chief expects something to be done by the first of the month.

The colored Baptists of Bank-Street church have just raised $1,300 to assist in paying off the debt for improving the edifice. Of late years the colored people of Norfolk have put a good sum of money in their church buildings and have been largely assisted by the white people.

THE NEW AGENTS.

The new appointment of agents on the Seaboard Air-Line, in the Atlanta division, went into effect on Saturday. As fast now as the construction corps advances towards Atlanta the line is placed in working order and connected with the main line.

President Warren G. Elliott, of the Wilmington and Weldon railroad, has moved his family from Norfolk to Wilmington.

Lieutenant Frank W. Ellis, in charge of the Government telegraph lines, is here and will commence in a day or two the inspection of the line from Norfolk to Cape Hatteras.

The North Norfolk Company has been chartered by the Corporation Court, composed of Baltimore, Richmond, Petersburg, and Norfolk capitalists, for the purpose of buying real estate and erecting factories, residences, etc., and authority to run the capital stock up to $500,000.

PAYMASTERS CHANGED.

Pay-Inspector James Hoy was detached from the United States steamer Richmond at the navy-yard this morning and ordered to settle accounts. Paymaster Theodore S. Thompson has been ordered to the Richmond.

President F. J. Kimball, of the Norfolk and Western railroad, and J. H. Dingee, Esq., of Philadelphia, have accepted the invitation of the Council of the city of Portsmouth to visit that city as guests of the Council.

OTHER NAVAL NEWS.

The work of painting the United States steamer Richmond commenced this morning, and will be finished Wednesday.

Mr. W. A. Young has been reelected chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of Norfolk.

The United States steamer Atlanta arrived at Fort Norfolk this morning from New York. She saluted the flag of Commodore Weaver, and the salute was returned by the receiving-ship Franklin. After discharging her powder the Atlanta will go to the navy-yard for repairs.

"THE PURE"

BAKING POWDER

Has Broken the Record.

Dr. Bennett F. Davenport, the State Analyst of Massachusetts, at the request of the "New England Grocer," analyzed the three leading Baking Powders now on the market—The Royal, Cleveland's, and THE PURE.

In spite of the trumpeted claims of the two former it was found that THE PURE was ahead in all qualities that make Baking Powder valuable.

With regard to strength in keeping qualities, Dr. Davenport's report says: "When first opened THE PURE was found to be the strongest, yielding 8.33 per cent. more leavening gas than the Royal, and 3.52 per cent. more than the Cleveland's," and again "after exposure to light and air in my office window and retested at intervals of one, two, and three weeks, they were found to still rank in the same order. At the last test, however, THE PURE was 13.39 per cent. stronger than the Royal, and 2.92 per cent. stronger than Cleveland's"

To be further convinced of its excellence—try it. au 5-Tutf

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LACE CURTAINS, AND DRUGGETS.

5 cases BLEACHED AND UNBLEACHED CANTON FLANNELS at 8½c.;
5 cases Extra Heavy at 8½c.;
All colors DOUBLE-WIDTH HENRIETTAS at 15c.;
Best HOUSEHOLD AMMONIA at 5c. a bottle.

Our store will be closed WEDNESDAY, September 24th, on account of holiday.

ISAAC SYCLE & CO.

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MEETINGS.

HEADQUARTERS RICHMOND COMMANDERY, No. 1, K. T., RICHMOND, September 23, 1890.—GENERAL ORDERS No. 3: SIR KNIGHTS,—Attend a stated assembly of your Commandery at the Asylum, St. Albans Hall, THIS (Tuesday) EVENING at 8 o'clock—citizen's dress. Report of committees on drill corps and uniform. Members of Commandery No. 13 and transient fraters are invited to attend.

By order of the Eminent Commander.

W. M. WILLIAMS, Captain-General.

Attest: S. McG. FISHER, Recorder. se 23-1t

A CALLED CONVOCATION OF LAFAYETTE ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER, No. 43, will be held at the Tabernacle in St. Albans Hall, corner Third and Main streets, THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, September 23d, at 7 o'clock promptly. Royal Arch Masons in good standing are invited to attend.

By order of the Most Excellent High Priest.

se 23-1t S. B. JACOBS, Secretary.

SCHILLER LODGE, No. 139, I. O. O. F.—The regular quarterly meeting of this Lodge will be held on WEDNESDAY, September 24th, at 8 o'clock. Quarterly dues to be paid at said meeting. Members of sister lodges and transient brethren are invited to meet with us.

By order of the Noble Grand.

se 23-1t* WALTER SENF, Secretary.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS.—PROPOSALS will be received up to 3 o'clock P. M. SEPTEMBER 25TH for the work of REPAIRS TO BE DONE TO THE FLOOR SYSTEM OF THE JAMES-RIVER FREE BRIDGE. Specifications and terms of agreement can be seen any time after 8 o'clock WEDNESDAY MORNING at my office, corner Ninth and Cary streets. The committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

T. P. CAMPBELL, Chairman S. and R.

se 16,18,20,21,22&25

THE PLYMOUTH ROCK IDEA"

From New York World, July 10, 1890.

PANTS TO ORDER $3.00 TO $8.25

—The production of clothing for men appears at present in this country to be divided into three distinct trades—the ready-made—the regular merchant tailor—and what is known in the trade as the "Plymouth Rock" idea, so named from its originators, the famous Plymouth Rock Pants Company of Boston—that is the cutting of clothes to each individual's measures but made in such quantities as to reduce the price to ready-made basis. This is the latest and perhaps most popular plan, opening as it does to the masses the luxury of clothing cut to order at ready-made prices.—

This is the result of

SUITS TO ORDER $13.25 TO $35.00

BRANCH STORE OF

PLYMOUTH ROCK PANTS COMPANY,

914 MAIN STREET, RICHMOND. se 23-eod

Meyer's

WILL BE CLOSED Wednesday.

Every day during this entire season you will find we are offering special things at prices which you not find in any of the other stores of Richmond. It is a common remark among the people who come in the store that we have the most varied assortment they ever saw. Our store will be closed all day Wednesday for holiday.

25 Patterns Fall Ginghams.....6½c.
The usual ten-cent quality Duck Fall Ginghams we sell for.....8½c.
Some of the prettiest and stylish you ever saw for.....10c.
Scotch Plaid Fall Ginghams.....12½c.
Campbell Plaid Fall Ginghams.....12½c.
London Cord Gingham Fall styles.....12½c.
Dark Outing Cloth, real pretty Plaids and Stripes.....8½c.
Many pieces Outing Cloths worth twelve cents for.....10c.
Outing Cloths pretty as the prettiest Ginghams.....12½c.
Dress Calicoes, fall styles.....6½c.
Dress Calicoes, Gingham style.....7c.
Dress Calicoes, Chambray style.....7c.
Dress Calicoes, Worsted style.....8½c.
Mourning style, Sampson's.....8½c.
Dress Calicoes, Gray and Blacks.....6½c.
Indigo Dye Calicoes, solid, blue, white figures.....8½c.
Red and Black Plaid Calicoes for Bed Quilts.....8c.
Cretonnes, beautiful figures.....10c.
Cretonnes, very heavy exquisite patterns.....12½c.

IN THE CARPET DEPARTMENT.

Sheepskin Mats, Red, Yellow, Blue, Brown, White.....$1 19

There is a Cap here for every baby in the city.

We received our new stock of them yesterday and we can sell you a prettier one for our price than you have ever bought.

Embroidered Infants' Caps, Cream Surah Silk Pompour of Ribbon and Lace, just.....50c.
Infants' Caps, finest Cream Surah Silk and Silk Embroidered, Silk Corded Ribbon, and Lace Pompour.....$1.
Child's Cap Silk Embroidered, Cream Cashmere, Flannel lined, three-piece shape Lace Pompour.....50c.
Child's Cap Embroidered Cream Surah Silk, Shirred Front, Silk Cord Seams, three-piece shape, and only.....50c.
Children's Caps—Black Embroidered Surah Silk, Shirred Front, White Cord Seams, three-piece shape.....75c.
White Caps came a large line of Infants' Long and Short Cashmere Cloaks—Whites, Creams, Tans and Grays.

SPECIAL BARGAINS.

Two-Year-Old Children's Cloaks—Solid Color with Silk Embroidered Capes worth $8.50. Our price for the lot.....$3.50.

JULIUS MEYER & SONS, Corner Sixth and Broad.

CARPETS, RUGS, OIL-CLOTHS.

Since we are in the business we have never been able to display such a stock and variety of the above goods as we can now show you.

Weeks of time and labor have been expended in the selection of the best grades, newest patterns, and choicest styles, until now we can offer you a stock of the above goods which cannot be excelled by any firm in the city.

Choice of 10 styles good Ingrain Carpets, yard wide, made and laid at 50c. a yard, that are cheap at 60c.;

Choice of 20 styles super Ingrain Yard-Wide Carpets made and laid at 60c., such styles as really should bring 75c.;

Choice of 15 styles extra super Ingrains, wool filling, yard wide, at 65c. You can't wish for better values—all made and laid.

Choice of 20 styles extra super All-Wool Ingrain Yard-Wide Carpets made and laid at 75c., the best values ever sold;

We can sell you Tapestry Brussels Carpets at 50 and 60c., laid on your floor;

At 75c., laid on your floor, we can give you choice of 10 styles the newest and best to be had;

At $1 a yard, laid on your floor, choice of the finest Tapestry Brussels that come to this city. Styles are unequalled.

Things of beauty that will please you are the exquisite patterns of Body-Brussels and Velvet Carpets that we make and lay on your floor at $1 a yard, which is less than the value of the Carpet without making and laying;

We carry also all the better grades of Velvet and Body Brussels Carpets, every piece entirely new. All work done in the best manner at the shortest notice.

We can give you the choice of over 1,000 Rugs in the very best Smyrna and Velvet patterns, all in the choicest designs, this season's productions. To see them is to buy them. They are the prettiest we ever had, and prices as low as you can wish for.

We can give you almost anything you want in Oil-Cloths and Linoleums, such as stair, hall, and room patterns, Mats, &c.

BEADED WRAPS.

Ladies' Cloth Capes and Children's and Misses' Reefers at one half their value. Come and see them. You can't help buying one or two.

Over 2,000 pair Lace Curtains from 50c. a window to the finest grades in the newest effects. You cannot fail to make your selections from them.

We will give away a Set of Brass Fixtures and Pole with every pair of Curtains from $1.50 up.

The latest effects in Dress Goods and Trimmings are now ready for your inspection, and we can charm you with some of the many lovely goods we are showing this season at low prices.

THALHIMER BROTHERS, Fifth and Broad streets. Tu&Th

NEW FALL STOCK NOW OPEN.

We especially invite an examination of our immense variety of DRESS GOODS, consisting of Plaids, Stripes, Fancies, and Solids in full lines of Henriettas, Sackings, Flannels, Serges, Camel's-Hair, and Broadcloths, together with complete assortment of Black and Colored Velvets, and other suitable trimmings.

We also show a most carefully selected stock of MOQUETTE AND BODY-BRUSSELS CARPETS, which with our large line of All-Wool and Mixed Ingrains, Rugs, and Art Squares, render our Carpet Department one of the most attractive in the city.

Orders filled at short notice and satisfactory work guaranteed.

We ask attention to the many articles which under the recent financial strain in New York we were enabled to buy for cash at much below value. We mention the following—viz.:

Ladies' and Children's 4-9 gauge FAST-BLACK STAINLESS HOSE, genuine Hermsdorf dye, at 25c. worth 40c.;

Children's EXTRA HEAVY FAST-BLACK STAINLESS HOSE, Shopper's make, Hermsdorf dye, at 25c. worth 35c.;

Ladies' HEAVY-RIBBED FAST-BLACK STAINLESS HOSE, Hermsdorf dye, at 35c. worth 50c.;

Job lot of WHITE- AND RED-BORDERED LINEN DOILIES from 40c. to $1 per dozen, worth 50 per cent. more;

An extra fine lot of DAMASK TOWELS, large size, knotted fringe, fancy borders, at 25c.—considered cheap at 40c.;

HALF-BLEACHED TABLE DAMASK at 30c., warranted all linen and extra heavy—value 50c.;

Pure BLEACHED TABLE DAMASK at 50c.—value 75c.;

Genuine BARNSLEY DAMASK 2 yards wide and double finish at 80c.—never known to sell under $1.25.

We claim to be the only house in Richmond that will sell genuine HAND-MADE SHADES mounted on best spring roller and fringed, 6x3 feet—all complete for 50c.

We can also furnish extra bargains in BLANKETS. A genuine all-wool full size at $5, and a fair article as low as $2 per pair. COMFORTS from 50c. apiece upward to the finest Satins and Off Colors.

Our store will be closed WEDNESDAY, September 24th, on account of Holiday, and for the same reason on the following MONDAY, September 29th, and MONDAY, October 6th.

A. HUTZLER'S SONS,

se 23-Tu&Th 215 east Broad street.

OUR OFFERINGS.

10 pieces CANTON FLANNEL at 5c. a yard;
15 pieces CANTON FLANNEL at 6½c. a yard;
Fine BLACK SILK-WARP HENRIETTA at 90c. a yard;
Extra fine SILK-FINISH HENRIETTA, 46 inches wide, never sold under $1.25. Our price is 97c. a yard.
2 pieces BLACK FAILLE FRANCAISE SILK, the usual $1.10 quality at 89c. a yard;
2 pieces ARMURE BLACK SILK, equal to anything sold at $1.25 elsewhere, we offer at $1 a yard;
50 pieces fine quality SERGES in all the new shades at 47c. a yard;
Superb CLAN PLAIDS, the newest thing out, worth 75c., at 50c. a yard;
DOUBLE-WIDTH PLAID FLANNEL EFFECTS at 25c. a yard;
54-inch BROADCLOTHS, the fine-finished 75c. quality for 50c. a yard;
ALL-WOOL DOUBLE-WIDTH LADIES' CLOTH at 25c. a yard;
Rich PLAIDS, a nice variety at 10c. a yard worth 12½c.;
BROCADE CASHMERES at 12½c. a yard worth 16½c.;
12 fine MARSEILLES 12-4 QUILTS, a special offering at $2.50 apiece, actually worth $3.50;
Just opened 100 pair CALIFORNIA BLANKETS which we have marked at prices to astonish you. Notwithstanding the fact that woolens are higher these Blankets are lower in price than we have ever had them.
Just think of it, an ALL-WOOL 11-4 CALIFORNIA BLANKET for $3. Of course we have them for less, but this particular Blanket merits your inspection.
We are now displaying a lovely assortment of TABLE CLOTHS and NAPKINS to match from $2.50 a set to $5. Ask to see them.
1 lot LADIES' PURE LINEN, FINE HEMSTITCHED INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS at 25c. apiece;
CHILDREN'S ALL-WOOL, HAND-KNIT RIBBED VESTS at 17c. apiece.

Our gift enterprise continues. Your CRAYON PORTRAIT made for you FREE OF CHARGE. We are giving to every CASH CUSTOMER coupons for every purchase made of us, and when $20 worth of these coupons have been secured bring them with any picture you desire taken and we will have it copied for you FREE OF CHARGE. Need we urge you to come to us to buy your goods? No other house offers you such returns for your trade.

HELD & THALHIMER,

se 23-Tu&Th 609 Broad street.

BOOK AND JOB WORK NEATLY EXECUTED AT THE DISPATCH PRINTING-HOUSE.

GANSS & CO.

RICHMOND, VA., September 21, 1890.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

To the ladies of this city and surrounding country we beg to announce that we will soon be ready to show you the finest and most select stock of

MILLINERY

of all kinds and every description. This is our second Fall Season, and having profited by the first one we will be better prepared than ever before to cater to the wants of the ladies and children in the most stylish HEAD-GEAR for the Fall and Winter. All we ask of you is to wait and watch for our Fall Opening of IMPORTED BONNETS and SHAPES, and you will not have any cause to regret so doing. To those who are in need of a Hat or Bonnet of any description we will say that our head milliner is with us now, and you can be accommodated at short notice.

As to prices, we are lower than the lowest, as we have never been known to charge more than a living profit on our goods.

In FANCY GOODS and other useful and ornamental articles we have made selections which are bound to please.

Our Stamping Department has undergone an entire change, and we promise the best work in the city or you need not pay anything, as we guarantee all the work to be done in the right manner.

GANSS & CO.,

113 east Broad street.

(se 23-Su,Tu&Th)

CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH PENNYROYAL PILLS

RED CROSS DIAMOND BRAND.

Safe and always reliable. Ladies, ask Druggist for Chichester's English Diamond Brand, in red, metallic boxes, sealed with blue ribbon. Take no other. All pills in pasteboard boxes with pink wrappers are dangerous counterfeits. Send 4c. (stamps) for particulars, testimonials, and "Relief for Ladies," in letter, by return mail. Name Paper.

Chichester Chem'l Co., Madison Sq., Phila., Pa.

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BARGAINS IN WALL PAPER.—THE LARGEST AND BEST SELECTED STOCK OF WALL PAPERS in Philadelphia, which we will sell to the consumer at wholesale price. Samples sent to all parts of the United States FREE. Send for samples and compare our goods and prices with others. CHARLES M. N. KILLEN, 614 south Twentieth street, Philadelphia, Pa. se 15-73t

LEVY & DAVIS

We Commence To-Day

THE GREATEST SALE

OF

BLANKETS

ever inaugurated in this city. Our Mr. LEVY has been searching the markets for the past three weeks and has secured the best values in these goods ever shown on our counters. For this sale we have marked every pair at a very small advance above cost and much less than we can sell the same quality later in the season, as we cannot duplicate this lot at the price we have marked them. Remember, first selections take the choicest.

10-4 WHITE-WOOL BLANKETS—very heavy and fine, with red and blue borders—good value at $4 per pair. For this sale $3.

11-4 WHITE-WOOL BLANKETS—very fine—equal to any $5 Blanket we ever offered. For this sale $4 per pair.

11-4 WHITE-WOOL BLANKETS—extra fine and heavy—the best blanket in the world for the money. For this sale $5 per pair.

11-4 "SEMINOLE" WHITE-WOOL BLANKETS worth $7 per pair. For this sale $5.98.

12-4 "SEMINOLE" WHITE-WOOL BLANKETS worth $8 per pair. For this sale only $6.94.

10-4 GRAY-WOOL BLANKETS—the best values ever shown at $1, $1.25, $1.50, and $2 up.

10-4 ALL-WOOL SCARLET BLANKETS—the same quality we sold last season at $5 per pair. For this sale $4.

CALIFORNIA CRIB BLANKETS—very fine and soft. For this sale $1.25, $1.50, $2.50, and up to $5 per pair.

CALIFORNIA BLANKETS in 10-4, 11-4, and 12-4 at special low prices for this sale.

Special Bargains in

CARPETS

THIS WEEK.

We have just received a handsome line of VELVET CARPETS—the exact same quality as sold everywhere at $1.25 to $1.50 per yard. The patterns are all choice designs. This week we offer this lot at $1 per yard, made and laid.

Special bargains this week in our

Ladies' Underwear Department.

100 dozen LADIES' FINE MERINO VESTS, worth 75c. each. For this week only 50c.

DRESS GOODS.

It would require a whole page of this paper to enumerate our stock of FINE DRESS GOODS. We have never shown so extensive an assortment as at the present time.

The 36-INCH LADIES' CLOTHS we are offering at 38c. per yard is a bargain never before seen in this city.

Our line of FANCY NOVELTY DRESS GOODS in Stripes and Plaids, Astrakhan and Boucle effects, Paris Robes and Combination Suits is worthy the attention of every lady in this city.

On WEDNESDAY, September 24th, our store will be closed all day.

LEVY & DAVIS.

The Palais Royal

WILL BE

CLOSED TO-MORROW.

SUPPLY YOUR WANTS TO-DAY AND SAVE MONEY.

Have you seen the beautiful Figured Satines we are selling at 12½c.? They are really worth 20c.

Those 36-inch-wide Half-Wool Henriettas at 16½c. are going rapidly. We have them in black and all colors.

Boys' and Girls' Cloth Reefers, double-breasted and trimmed with gold braid, only $2.50.

Best Knitting-Silks only 25c. a ball.
Best Embroidery Silks 5c. a dozen spools.
Tinsel 1c. a ball.
The best Turkey-Red Embroidery Cotton 10c. a dozen.

We are booming Carpets. This week we are selling the 35c. quality at 29c.; the 50c. quality at 39c.; the 75c. Two-Ply at 50c.

We positively have the cheapest lot of Rugs in the city.

We are headquarters on Stamped Goods. We sell a two-yards-long Stamped Linen Bureau and Buffet-scarf at 35c.; 2¼ yards long, 37½c. Stamped Pillow-shams at 15c. a pair.

Four-yards-long Lace Curtains at $1.75 a window; 3½-yards-long Lace Curtains $1 a window.

Oakley's pint-bottles of Florida Water 25c.; sell everywhere at 40c.

The Palais Royal,

111 EAST BROAD STREET.

THE TOWER,

201 AND 203 EAST BROAD.

TO-DAY

WILL BE OUR

GRAND OPENING,

OUR STORE WILL BE

CLOSED WEDNESDAY,

REÖPEN

THURSDAY MORNING,

SPECIAL BARGAINS IN

CARRETS

—AND—

DRESS GOODS.

JULIUS SYCLE & SON,

CORNER SECOND AND BROAD.

PERSONAL.

ELECTION OF STEWARD OF WESTERN LUNATIC ASYLUM.—The Board of Directors of the WESTERN LUNATIC ASYLUM will hold an election on OCTOBER 15TH to fill the office of steward of said Asylum, which at that date will become vacant by the resignation of the present incumbent. The new Steward must report for duty at the Asylum on the 16th of October. Address applications to the undersigned at Staunton.

C. J. ARMISTEAD, Secretary of Board.

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TAKE NOTICE.—TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Having returned home, I am prepared to attend to all the duties of the office of Vice-Consulate for Sweden and Norway.

C. LUNDIN, Vice-Consul for Sweden and Norway.

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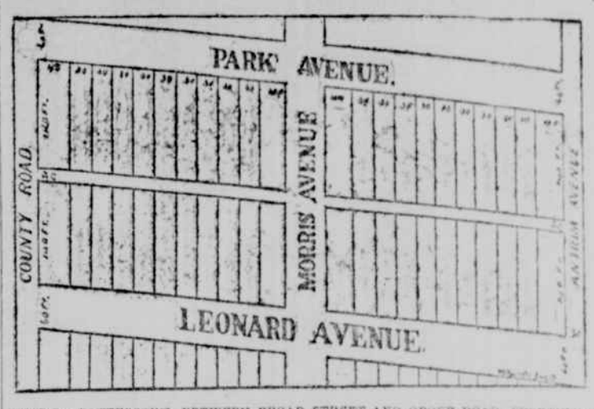
REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.

FOR SALE,

250 BEAUTIFUL LOTS

IN THE GROWING WEST END

AT $5, $6, AND $7 PER FOOT.



NEAR Dr. PATTERSON'S, BETWEEN BROAD STREET AND GROVE ROAD, FRONTING ON PARK AVENUE, LEONARD, AND KENSINGTON STREETS.

These are the cheapest Lots on the market and are in full view of the Soldiers' Home, Exposition-Grounds, and Lee monument. The ground lies high and dry in a beautiful grove. Those buying now are sure to make a big profit. Thirty-feet lots by a good depth at $150, $180, and $210 per lot. Small cash payment and balance on long time. Call on us and we will take pleasure in showing them to you.

JACKSON BRANDT & CO.,

se 21-2t Real Estate and Insurance Agents, 1008 Main street.

SPECULATIVE PROPERTIES.

6,000 FEET on west Cary, Beverley, &c., in one block.
75 ACRES on Brook turnpike near to and adjoining the city.
15 ACRES in the East End. Streets right up to it.
50 ACRES on Henrico turnpike.
15 ACRES on Broad street, close by, and a few other good things.

N. W. BOWE, Real Estate Agent.

se 23-2t

FOR SALE.—THE LAST SHOW wanted. After examining the lots advertised by others call in and see us. We have lots of property for sale which we desire to show in person. Give us the last call. We will suit you.

CHEWNING & ROSE, Real Estate Agents, Auctioneers, and Brokers, No. 5 north Tenth street. se 21-2t

NEW-MARKET STORE PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE.—We have several pieces of property opposite the new City-Ward Market which we can sell at a bargain; also, TWO SMALL HOUSES on Cherry street, the lots also having a front on the street east of and adjacent to the market, which will greatly enhance in value. There is a big future for this property.