

LOCAL NEWS

For this district warmer, fair weather, light to fresh variable winds, generally easterly.

THE CURRAN CASE.—In the Corporation Court to-day, in the case of John Curran, indicted for the murder of Officer Julius Arnold, in May last, two motions were made by Mr. E. Burke for the prisoner, one to have the case removed elsewhere, and in case that was not granted, to have the prisoner tried by a jury from another city or county.

The Court overruled the motion for a change of venue and held that as the trial may not take place until the January or April term next, and the defendant may exist to-day by that time he greatly preferred to have the trial here.

The prisoner, who was in court during the argument, looking much better than he did when he was first arraigned, was then remanded to jail.

FEDERAL OFFICERS.—It is understood that the Alexandria Real Estate Investment Trust and Title Company will offer to give the Standard Title Car Company a suitable site if they will locate their works here.

Mr. Frank Hume has written Bishop J. J. Keane, of Virginia, offering to donate 25 acres of land, situated on Arlington Heights, for the purpose of locating the Catholic University.

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DEATH OF COL. M. D. BALL.—The death is announced of Col. Motrom Dulany Ball, at Sitka, Alaska, on the 13th inst. Col. Ball was a native of Fairfax county, but made this city his home for some years before and after the war, where he practiced law and served one term in the Legislature. At the breaking out of the war he commanded a troop of cavalry and was made prisoner upon the entrance of the federal troops into this city. After his release he went back into the confederate army and served through the struggle. At one time he edited the Virginia Sentinel, republished here for a period of about six years from 1871. Under the Hayes administration Col. Ball was sent to Alaska, as collector of the port of Sitka, and remained there for about three years. Under the present administration he was appointed District Attorney of the territory, which position he occupied at the time of his death. He was aged about fifty-one years, and his death will be learned with regret by a large circle of relatives and acquaintances.

A NEW PHYSICIAN.—Dr. Wm. A. Chapman, a recent graduate of the University of Maryland, and a native of Alexandria, Va., has recently come to Atlanta to settle down in the practice of his profession. Dr. Chapman is a son of Col. W. H. Chapman, U. S. Revenue Agent for this Federal District, who is well-known and highly esteemed in Atlanta. Dr. Chapman comes with the best of credentials, and The Capital predicts for him a cordial reception and a brilliant success in his professional work.—Atlanta Capital.

PERSONAL.—Mrs. J. R. Smoot has been called to Albemarle county by the illness of her sister, Miss Whitehead, who was last week stricken with paralysis.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The sloop Pilot is on the ways at the ship yard.

Dr. J. B. Johnson has sold to Lorenzo Freeman a lot of ground on the east side of Patrick street, between Princess and Orange, for \$115.

Mr. A. H. Agnew's coal yard has been extended so as to include the wharf on the north. This will give ample room for storing the fall and winter stock.

A number of locomotive engineers of the Midland road have recently been discharged, and in some instances their places filled by the promotion of firemen.

The locomotive of the north bound train on Sunday about three miles from Warrenton struck Lucy Ann Baker, a half-witted colored girl 13 years of age, killing her instantly.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to James Green and Ellen Cox, both of Stafford county, and to Thos. H. Martin and Nettie Webster, both of Fort Foot, Md.

Mr. Michael Henry died at the residence of his brother, Mr. Daniel Henry, last night, aged sixty years. The deceased was a native of Ireland, but for several years had resided in this city.

Mr. Jas. Smith, who resides on the corner of Patrick and Princess streets, narrowly escaped injury yesterday afternoon by the breaking of the buggy in which himself and infant daughter were taking a drive. Both were precipitated to the ground, and but for the gentleness of the horse would doubtless have been hurt.

Charles Jackson, a well-known colored politician of this city who recently secured a position in one of the departments in Washington through democratic influence, has left his position, having had a row with the man over him. It is feared that he has gone back to the republican fold in which he was so recently a shining light.

The steamer City of Alexandria is being overhauled and while off the ferry route her place will be supplied by the Arrowhead.

Mr. G. E. Price will have for sale in the market to-morrow some nice salt-water spots, trout and tailors of large size.

The report that W. W. Belknap, Secretary of War under Grant, had been "summering" at Powhatan Court House, turns out not to be correct.

A prominent business man of Norfolk says that the foreign shipping from that port during the month of August was exceptionally good.

Gov. Lee and his staff have returned to Richmond from Philadelphia.

Use the great specific for "cold in head" and catarrh—Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

MEDICINAL.

ELIXIR BABEK, A vegetable compound, contains no Quinine. A safe and positive cure for MALARIA, FEVER and AGUE; also as a tonic for strengthening and invigorating the system.

For sale by all druggists. Fifty cents a bottle; three bottles for \$1.25. sep2 3m

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—A PAIR OF GOLD-RIMMED EYE-GLASSES, with gold chain attached. A suitable reward will be paid upon their return to this office. sep19 3t

AMUSEMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE ONE NIGHT ONLY, THURSDAY, Sept. 22. RICE, HART & RYMAN'S LEGITIMATE MINSTRELS.

Headed by these Distinguished Comedians, WM. HENRY RICE, JOHN HART, GOV. ADD RYMAN.

As listed by LESTER and WILLIAMS, HOOLEY and THOMPSON, CHAS. FRENCH and others. A Superb Quintette, Brilliant Orchestra and Serenade Brass Band.

The Great Society Burlesque, SARAH HEAKTUBURN, Wm. Henry Rice's great and original creation, as seen at the Arch Street Opera House, Philadelphia, for four consecutive weeks.

Seats on sale at Summers & Allen's. Prices, 25, 35 and 50c. sep19 4t

BOOTS AND SHOES.

AN OPPORTUNITY SELDOM HAD. Have just finished opening a brand-new stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing, OVERCOATS, BOOTS, SHOES AND RUBBERS, which we will sell lower than the lowest. No old stock; all new goods. Our stock of Clothing was entirely destroyed by fire on June 18th, and we have just finished remodeling our store, and have just opened our Clothing Department with a new and desirable stock, and can please the most fastidious. All we ask is a trial. If we can't sell to you lower than any other house, we won't ask you to buy.

J. A. MARSHALL, New No. 422 King street, (W. B. Wadley's old stand). Clothing Department over shoe store. aug29 1m

I HAVE ACCEPTED THE AGENCY FOR THE CELEBRATED HARDMAN, EMERSON & NEWBY AND EVANS' PIANOS, AND THE KIMBALL ORGANS for the counties in Eastern Virginia. A full line of the above may be found in the store at 314 King street, where I shall be happy to see my old as well as new customers. Will also offer fine new Organs at \$50 cash; \$60 monthly payments. Lower prices and easier terms than ever before offered for new goods. F. L. VANAUKEN. sep17 1w

NOTICE. All persons doing business with the NORTON SHIPBUILDING COMPANY in Virginia and West Virginia should address or forward all communications to the central office of the company, 633 F street, Washington, D. C., as the company has no office or postoffice address in Alexandria. sep5 2w

AGRICULTURAL LIME. We have on hand TEN THOUSAND BUSHELS OF SHELL LIME, which we will sell in lots to suit purchasers. Apply at our office, No. 119 King street. sep2 1m J. T. & J. G. BECKHAM.

FALL TRADE, 1887. J. C. MILBURN Offers a full line of FANCY and STAPLE GROCERIES at low prices. J. C. MILBURN, sep9 New No. 113 N. Royal st.

KITCHEN, CRYSTAL AND PEERLESS Scouring Soaps, for sale by J. C. MILBURN. sep24

PHILLIPS' DIGESTIBLE COCOA, highly recommended for invalids and children, for sale by J. C. MILBURN. [17-22]

10,000 SIX-OUNCE Cakes FINE TOILET SOAP for sale at 5c each by J. C. MILBURN. oct20

HOME-MADE CASSIMERES—Good styles and very low prices. Just received at AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S. sep5

SQUARE, OCTAGON and FLAT CAST STEEL will be sold at 88 King street, corner of Royal, at a greatly reduced price. Quality warranted. [oct25] J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

STRICTLY PURE CIDER VINEGAR, extra strength, for pickling, for sale by J. C. MILBURN. sep13

NEW MILD CHEESE just received by J. C. MILBURN. aug9

CLOTHING, &c.

NO CHESTNUT! STRAIGHT GOODS! AN ABSOLUTE FACT! Over \$35,000 Worth

—OF— Clothing, Boots, Shoes,

Hats and Gents' Furnishings.

NOTE THE FOLLOWING PRICES:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include 650 MEN'S SUITS AT \$25, 250 " " " " 3 24, 190 " " " " 4 20, 190 " " " " 5 10, 89 " " " " 6 25, 78 " " " " 7 49, 58 " " " " 9 24, 200 " " " " 10 00, 68 " " " " 4 58, 49 " " " " 13 50, 200 " " " " 15 50, 69 " " " " 21 00, 32 " " " " 25 00, 29 " " " " 27 50, 21 " " " " 27 50.

1,000 CHILDREN'S SUITS, ranging from \$1 to \$6 25. 650 BOYS' SUITS, ranging in price from \$2 25 to \$18.

BOOT AND SHOE DEPARTMENT. Men's, Boys', Children's, Misses' and Ladies' Shoes at prices so low as to astonish all. Men's and Boys' Fine Calf, Kip and Split Boots at extremely low figures.

We invite the public to inspect our stock and take note of our prices and styles. The sale continues until our stock is reduced satisfactorily. We would request all who desire to take advantage of this opportunity to come as soon as possible while our stock is complete.

JOSEPH BRAGER'S, ESTABLISHED 1850. NEW Nos. 108 & 110 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

FANCY GROCERIES.

VIRGINIA CIDER VINEGAR.

GUARANTEED STRICTLY PURE.

Whole and Pure Ground Spices.

For sale by C. WM. RAMSAY.

SHREDDED OATS.

FRESH GOODS.

FRESH GROUND OATMEAL.

AND Crushed Wheat.

Just received by C. WM. RAMSAY.

FINE GOODS.

FOR PICNICS AND TRAVELERS.

GENUINE SARDINES, FANCY OLIVES in small bottles, IMPORTED FRENCH MUSTARD, CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S CHOW CHOW, PRESERVED GINGER in small and med. pots, CRYSTALIZED do. in half pound boxes, ANCHOVY PASTE, POTTED MEATS AND GAME, SOFT MARMALADES in half lb tins, &c.

For sale by C. WM. RAMSAY.

FAMILY ROE HERRING.

50 BARRELS AND HALF BARRELS.

In store and for sale by C. WM. RAMSAY.

MERCHANT TAILORS.

WM. MURRAY, MERCHANT TAILOR, No. 517 KING STREET.

Inform his customers that he has received a supply of FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

And is now prepared to FURNISH SUITS IN ALL THE LATEST STYLES AND ON REASONABLE TERMS. sep9-1m

TRANSFER OF BUSINESS. The undersigned having this day transferred the real estate business heretofore conducted by him to the Alexandria Real Estate Investment Trust and Title Company, desires to thank his friends for their liberal patronage, and solicits a continuance of the same for his successors. In the future I will be associated with the above-named company as auctioneer and sales agent. sep5 2w R. T. LUCAS.

SEED WHEAT. We have on hand a SUPERIOR LOT OF FULTZ WHEAT, put aside especially for seed. sep2 1m J. T. & J. G. BECKHAM.

DAVIS'S DIAMOND HAMS, Finest in the World. sep9 GEORGE MCBURNEY & SON.

LUNCY and MARKET BASKETS, a full line just received by J. C. MILBURN. sep19

DRY GOODS.

NEW FALL GOODS.

We are ready to meet the demands for early fall goods with a stock to the selection of which was given a great deal of patient care and attention. Our buyer devoted very much time to the examination of the best and largest assortment in the market before making choice and the result is we have numerous very attractive lines of goods that are needful for the commencement of the season.

THE DRESS GOODS.

received a great amount of thoughtful care, and from the "midst of plenty" have been culled some of the most choice gems, and in

RUGS AND CARPETS.

the like has never been seen. Beautiful designs, and colors the richest. We want you to particularly notice this department, not only on account of its sightliness and worth, but also on account of the low prices asked.

MERCHANT TAILORING.

About this department there needs to be very little said; its speaks for itself. We have an elegant line of SUITS and SUITINGS, and in Casimeres at \$1, \$1 25, \$1 50 and \$2 the stock just purchased is superior in quantity, quality and style to any we have heretofore offered.

We occupy the same store, but our numbers have been changed from 107 and 109 to 431 and 433 King street.

ONE PRICE.

J. E. TACKETT,

NOS. 431 AND 433 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

THIS SPACE IS

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Corner King and Royal Streets.

FALL AND WINTER STOCK

and the Immense Bargains we have secured.