

On Thursday last, a squad of about forty of the sixteenth N. Y. cavalry, commanded by Lieutenant Luck, were attacked near Centreville, in Fairfax county, by some of Col. Mosby's command, and all captured except the lieutenant, who made his escape, though his horse was shot through the head. A large Federal cavalry force were sent in pursuit of Mosby, but after going as far as Aldie, they returned.

There was a partial "solution of the continuity" of the drought, by a slight shower yesterday afternoon. But there was not enough rain to "lay the dust," and this morning the weather was as hot, almost, as before. Gardens, pastures, streets, fields are all "suffering" for water. There was another shower this afternoon.

A terrible fight took place last week among some negroes who were holding a picnic at Hunter's Point, near New York. A posse of police made a charge and drove them off, using knives and pistols freely. Twenty negroes were injured and two are reported to have been killed.

The Soldiers' Burial Ground, near this place, being full, an additional piece of land has been attached to the cemetery, and will be arranged in the same manner. It is sincerely wished that the enclosures around the burial grounds of the city could be restored.

We understand that at the election in Norfolk, on the 24th inst., there was a majority of about 275 for the "military rule."

Rev. Dr. Wyatt, of the Episcopal Church, died, in Baltimore, last week.

Gold, in New York, to day, 220.

**NOTICE.**

HEADQUARTERS MILITARY GOVERNOR, ALEXANDRIA, VA., June 27, 1864.

THE great and increasing difficulty of supplying the Hospitals, Fire Department and citizens of the city of Alexandria with water from the water works in consequence of the scarcity of water in the stream upon which the supply depends, and the great waste by the unauthorized use of Hose and Fire Plugs demands that the same should be ended.

It is therefore

ORDERED: I. That the Fire Plugs shall be locked.

II. That no one except those connected with the Hospitals, Military Prisons, Fire Department or others especially authorized (and only for Hospitals, Military Prisons, Fire Department or other authorized purposes) shall use Hose or Fire Plugs in connection with the Water Works of the city of Alexandria, and, no one shall permit a waste of water from such works about his or her premises.

III. The Provost Marshal of Alexandria will arrest and punish all found guilty, of a violation of this order, and, will instruct his Chief of Military Police to see to its enforcement.

By Command of

Brig. Gen. JNO. P. SLOUGH,  
Military Gov. Alexandria Va.

ROLLIN C. GALE,  
Asst. Adj. Gen.

je 27-3t

**CARRIAGE FOR SALE.**—A light one horse FAMILY CARRIAGE, in good repair, will be sold cheap. Apply to John Summers, Coach Maker, No 19, Pitt street.

je 26-1w

**FOR SALE.**—A BRICK DWELLING, containing five comfortable rooms, pleasantly located, will be sold on reasonable terms. Apply at the Gazette office.

je 14-tf

**WANTED.**—At No. 70 King street, a good WOMAN (white preferred) to cook wash and iron.

je 25-3t\*

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE  
JOB PRINTING OFFICE.  
104, KING BETWEEN PITT AND ROYAL STREET

**NOTICE.**

HEADQUARTERS MILITARY GOVERNOR, ALEXANDRIA, VA., June 24, 1864.

THE hot weather, increasing sickness, filthy condition of the streets, and manifest negligence of the people of Alexandria in the matter of policing their premises, render it necessary that the military authority should be interposed to secure a degree of cleanliness in the city that may prevent epidemic disease. It is therefore

ORDERED. 1st. That every civil or military occupant of premises in the corporate limits of the city of Alexandria shall within five days thoroughly clean his or her cellar, yard gutters, and the street or alley adjoining his or her premises to the middle thereof, and shall keep the same thereafter thoroughly policed.

2d. Each person will be required to remove at his or her own expense to the place designated for that purpose, viz, Near Hunting Creek near south end of Washington street, all garbage, manure or dirt, that has accumulated or that may hereafter accumulate about his or her premises.

3rd. All persons after the expiration of the fifth day, from this date who have not obeyed the above orders will be liable to punishment by the Provost Marshal, who will instruct his chief of Military Police to see to their enforcement.

It is hoped that the instinct of self-preservation alone, will prompt all interested to give immediate attention to the foregoing so that it will be unnecessary for the military authority to inflict the penalty.

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je 24-5t

**IMMEDIATE SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN ALEXANDRIA**—

The premises occupied by T. J. Mehaffy, esq., situated on Columbus Street, in a pleasant part of the city, will be sold immediately, and possession given if required, in thirty days; title clear of incumbrance and warranted.

The house is three years old, built for the residence of its present owner, and thoroughly finished, under his personal supervision, from top to bottom. It contains eight large and beautiful rooms, besides kitchen, carriage house, stable and servants' house attached. It is provided with all the modern conveniences, gas, hot and cold water, bath room, furnaces, &c., and is designed to combine everything desirable in a dwelling house. The grounds are adorned with walks, flowers, fruit trees, and a graperly, all in the best condition. There will be a valuable crop of grapes and peaches the present year.

To any one who wishes to purchase, at less than cost, one of the most elegant and desirable residences in Alexandria, the best inducements are here offered.

TERMS—Easy—half cash, the remainder in one, two and three years, if preferred, with security on the property.

For further particulars, inquire of  
LYSANDER HILL, Esq.,  
corner of King and Royal Streets,  
Alexandria, Va.

je 24-tf

**SPECIAL NOTICE.**

W. L. MILBURN DRUGGIST,

Northeast Corner King and Washington Sts.,

GIVES NOTICE to the citizens of Alexandria, that his establishment will be open on Sundays, from this date, during the following named hours: From half-past eight to half-past ten A. M.; half-past three to half past five, and half-past six to eight o'clock P. M., during which hours he will be prepared to fill with promptness and accuracy all prescriptions.

je 10-2m\*

**BRICKS, LIME, and CEMENT.**

The subscriber has on hand and for sale fine press paving and building BRICK, and also oyster-shell LIME and CEMENT of superior quality. All orders left at his dwelling No. 56, south St. Asaph street, or at the Brick Kiln near the coal wharf, will be promptly attended to.

je 10-2m

JAMES MOLAN,

No. 15, King Street,

DEALER IN

CHAMPAGNE, SHERRY, PORT WINE,  
BRANDY, WHISKEY, &c.  
SUTLERS' SUPPLIES.

ap 27-tf

**AUCTION SALE.**

**PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE, ON WEDNESDAY JUNE 22** Will be sold on the Premises, at Public Auction on Wednesday, the 22d instant, between 12 o'clock, M., and 1, P. M., (immediately after the sales of Mr. Hallowell and Mr. Jamieson,) THE LOT OF GROUND AND BUILDINGS THEREON, owned by me, south side of King street, east of Payne street; said lot beginning 27 feet to the east of Payne street; runs east 27 feet on King; thence south parallel to Payne 79 feet, to Commerce street; then, returning to point of beginning, runs south parallel to Payne 95 feet to Commerce street, thence with Commerce street, to meet the second line, having a front both on King and Commerce street. The building fronting on King was partially destroyed by the late fire—much of it, however, is still standing and sound, and the building can be restored at no heavy expense. The tenement fronting on Commerce street was not injured by the fire.

TERMS—Cash, and expenses of conveyancing to be borne by purchaser.

For further particulars, enquire of S. F. BEACH, Esq.

je 11-ts JAMES ROACH

The above sale is postponed till WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of July, at 12 M.

je 22-ts

**NOTICE.**

MAYOR'S OFFICE,  
June 16, 1864.

ALL persons engaged in business are hereby notified to come forward and procure their licenses from this office on or before the 1st day of July, as all persons failing to do so by that time will be brought up and the fine imposed in all cases the law directs.

je 16-1w C. A. WARE, Mayor.

**TO CITY TAX-PAYERS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the collectors will be in attendance at the Council Chamber on and after the 20th instant, from 10 a. m. until 1 p. m., and from 3 until 6 p. m., for the purpose of settling with the tax-payers. A discount will be allowed to all persons paying their taxes for 1864, in full, in current funds, of twenty per cent. on or before the 1st of July next, and of ten per cent. thereafter and on or before the 1st of August next.

GEO. C. HEWES, Coll. N. D.  
O. C. WHITTLESEY, Coll. S. D.

je 15-ct

GEO. E. WHITE, & CO.

(Liberty Hall.)

89 AND 91, CAMERON STREET.

And Warehouse, Corner of Wilkes and Royal Streets for the sale of GUANO, HAY, GRAIN and Feed

**OFFERS FOR SALE**  
ALE—In barrels and half barrels from the favorite Washington Brewery always on hand, and daily received.

GROCERIES of every variety, and at lowest prices

LAGER BEER in the usual packages.

Rags,	
Iron,	
Bottles,	
Hay,	Always purchased at
Grain,	Market prices
Sunae,	
Butter,	
Eggs,	je 16-2w

**A CARD.**

THE undersigned having purchased the stock, good will and fixtures of the well-known Grocery and Provision Store of the late John E. Henderson, begs leave to inform his friends and the public generally that he is now in receipt of a fresh supply of CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES, and most respectfully solicits a share of public patronage.

W. F. BENDERSON,  
No. 226, King st., cor. Alfred.

ap 15-tf

**COAL!**  
A Cargo of WHITE ASH COAL, arrived, to be delivered on Monday 20th, will be sold as low as possible, for cash.

JNO. LEATHERLAND,  
No. 25 King street.

je 18-1w\*

If you wish to buy your DRY GOODS at the right figure, call on  
my 4-tf H. SCHWARZ.