

cording to law ; and all persons anywise in-debted, will please come forward and settle. W. H. WHITE, WM. BUSH, Administrators Nor 27 38-11

Dental Notice

M Y office is over Bobo, Edwards & Carliale's Law Office. C. LEE, D. D. 3. March 18 1y

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. SPARTANBURG DISTRICT.

Hiram Neighbors vs. Richard B. Miller and Righ Barnett, Admr for Belief and to secure funds of absen

debtor. TI appearing to my satisfaction that Richard B. Will's resides from and without the lim-its of this State. It is on motion of Bobo, Solicitor, ordered that he appear and answer this Bill of Complaint within three months from this date, or the Bill will be taken pro

T. STOBO FARROW, C. K. S. D. Comme's Office, January 10th, 1863. 8m Jan. 16 44

IN paramance to the requisition of the NOTICE. General Commanding, the orders of his ers. Excellency Governor Bonham, and the terms of the Acts of the General Asse obly in relation D. C. KENNEDY having left his Books of ACCOUNT AND NOTES in my hands for collection and settlement during his ab sance in the Confederate servic. All persons having accounts unsettled, will please come forward promptly and make payment. If up

this month. March 26-2-ti

And yield a perfume pure and sweet. Then hail ! all hail ! fair Queen of May-Queen of this in le band so gay !

QUEEN'S REPLY TO THE CROWNER. My geatle friends to-day hestow A coronet to deck my broby: A simple reath of bul and hell. Sweet wild wood flowers from copse and dell; But dearer far this gift to me Than ere a monarch's gem could bel This grown endureth bu' a day The court as soon will pass away. But when the sun of May morn shines On some bright day of future times, The grateful mem'ry of this hour Will touch my beart with magic pow'r. And I will dream, dear friends, that ye Are thinking kindly then on me. BORPTER MEANER

As May her gentle sweets, distile And all the air with fragrance fills-Do than this sceptre gently wield. Which trustingly to thee we yield. [presents the sceptre.]

QUEEN'S DEPLY TO SCEPTRE BRARES. Most loyal subjects. I your Queen of May. Accept the homage which you willing pay. Accept the homage which you willing pay. This sceptre, emblem of a gentle reign. Shall mildly rule the maidens of my train-Not gentler shall descend May's avected show.

the owner or his agent said compensatio hereinhofore required, the suid owner shall be entitled to the spredy parment of the same by the proper disbarring offers, which, when so paid shall be in satisfied ion of all chain against the Government of the Confederate States.

Sec. 3. When ver the appraise nent prov led for in the 1st section of this Act, shall, for any reason, be practicable at the time of . impressment, tach, and in that case, the value of the property impressed shall be assessed as soon as possible by two loyal and disinterested citizens of the city, county, or parish, wherein the property was taken. as follows: One by owner, and one by commissary, or quarter-muster-general, or his agent, who, in case of owner. disagreement, shall choose the third cirizen of like qualification, as an umpire to decide the matter in dispute, who shall be sworn as aforeand, who shall hear the process adduced by the parties as to value of said property, and assess a just compensation therefor, according to the

SEC. 4. That whenever the Secretary of War shall be of opinion that it is necessary to take private property for public use, by reason of the impractio chility of procuring the same by reason of purchase, so as to accountilate necessary sup plies for the army or the good of the service in any locality, he may, by general order through the proper subordinate officers, authoriz such property to be taken for the public use, the compensation due the owner for the same to be d and the value found as provided

### From Charleston.

The Marcury of April 6th, speaking of the gathering of the Yankee naval forces for the attack upon Charleston, asys:

During the forenoon of yesterday there was very decided increas. of the enemy's naval forces off the bur, and later in the day the asrect of affairs became such as to encourage the hope that the time for the long expected attack is at hand. It is not unlikely that we may hear from the enemy t is day. We need hardly add that our land and naval forces are on the gui eice an I ready, in every respect, for whatever may occur.

The Courier remarks on the same subject: There appeared to be considerable activity and increase of the blockwiding squadron Sun-day morning. The general impression seemed to a that we might soon have some lively work on hand. Nothing definite was accertained, but our military are on the alert for whatever may transpire

#### C. L. Vallandigham at Home.

DAVENS. Ohio, March 13 -- Hon. C L. Val-by that Act, they should esteem it indightm, member of Congress, from the Dayton, Ohio d street, arrived at home in this intervention of the provision in the street of the city at 4 80 this afternoon, and, although but two days' notice was had of his coming. re-

ducts to market from the apprehension that they would be impressed at less that the market rates, or without "just com-pensation."—The recent order of Adjus-tant Cooper declaring that "no officer shall st any time, unless specially ordered to a so by a General commanding, in case so by a General commanding, in one exigency, impress supplies which are their way to market, for sale on arrive should, of itself, induce the agricultur to send in supplies of subsistence. We are so much needed in the cities and for But with the additional assurances vided in the impressment Ast, that property of a producer when impress shall be valued by appraisers of the ris age, ensuring "just compensation" i tation on the part of producers to supplies to market. On the com-with the protects n now guarantied to by that Act, they should esteem it is

erto been deterred from sending their pre-

able to pay the cash, please call and give a note, as it is desirable to have the accounts A. H KIRBY. elesed up. August 7

#### COMMITTED

TO the Jail of Spartanburg District, a dark Negro Boy, about 5 feet high, and weighs about one hundred and thirty or forty pounds, and is 18 or 20 years old, says his name is Henry, and was sold by 4. Crews, of Laurens District to a man named Fitzgerald, of Bun-combe Co., N. C. The owner will come for ward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away. L. M. GENTRY, s s. v. him away. Feb 19 uf



THE undersigned gives notice to those per sons who have left orders for TOMB STONES, &c., that he is now at Spartanburg, and is prepared to finish up their work with dispatch. He would be glad if those inter ested would call on him immediately If they have had their orders filled elsewhere he would like to know it. RICHARD HARE, Survivor.

#### STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. D. G. B.anton and wife and others vs Arthur Morgan and others.

Tappearing to my satisfaction that Arthur Morgan and Willis Ellis, defendants in this case reside beyond the limits of this State. On motion of Bobo, complain ints solicitor, it ordered that they appear, plead or answer, within three months from the publication of this notice, or the bill will be taken pro con-

farso against them. T. STOBO FARROW, C. E. S. D. per A. WINGO, Deputy Com. Comr's office, February 21, 1863. Feb 26 50 3m Feb 26 3m

## BOSQUET.

THE thorough-bred STALLION, imported from England by S. B. & J. D. Gist, will stand the ensuing season, commencing on the 12th idstant, at Sportanburg C. H , and Col.'S. N. Evilis. He will be at Spartanburg C. H., Thursdays, Fidays, and Saturdays of sach week, at Col. S. N. Evins' Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdiys. BOSQUET will serve marcs at \$30 the sea-

son Those putting mares will be called on the second week in June for the season money.

#### PEDIGREE.

Bosquet is a beautiful black brown, fifteen ands three inches high, of great power and good temper and action Free from all blem-less or any other defects whatever. He was got by Wr. Jacquies' Gameboy, his dam Misa Bear by Miley Moloch, her dam Barrian sol by Mr. Jacquies' Gameboy, his dam Miss Betay by Muley Moloch, her dam Bararian by Tramp, g. d. Comely by Comus, g. g. d. Authoipstion by Benninbrough, out of Expec-tation by Herod, Gameboy, by Tomboy, his fam Lady Moore, Carew by Tramp, the dam by Mendieant winner of the Oaks in 1816, and sho the dam of Baadsman, wioner of the Dar-by in 1846, g. d. Kite by Buzsard, Olympia by Shr Oliver. Grooms fee SI.

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berry, to supply its proportion of slave labor under the present requisition. II. The Commissioners or Roads of the sev-eral Districts, and the authorities of the incor-

burt, in treble the amount of purchase, and . odge the same with the agent, conditioned that

they will not convey. or cause to be conveyed.

beyond the limits of this State the spirits pur-

chased and that they will not resell at a great.

er advance than 50 per cent over the agent's price, and only to such persons at will give a

written pledge that they netually require and will use it only and strictly for medical pur poses, accompanied by a regular practicing physician, that the spirits are needed, and be

believes will be used strictly for medicinal pur-poses, and that the sub- urchasers will not re-

sell the spirits or convey. or cause to be con

Ber Orders will be filled at Legg's corner. Brick Range, on Saturday of each week, after

SLAVE LABOR FOR THE COAST.

FOR DIVISION NO. 1.

W II. WALKER.

veyed beyond the limits of the State.

yorated towns and villages having jurisdiction of the road hands within their boundaries will at once summon all persons in the possession of slaves within the limits of their authority to have their slaves subject to this call at the nearest italirond Depot to the owner's residence on Wednesday, the 5th day of May next, at 10 o'clock, a. m., ready for tradsportation to Charleston. III. All owners of slaves who have not hitt-

erto firmished any labor in this to nection will be required to furnish one half their hands subject to road duy for t irty days, and these who have furnished less than one half, will be required by the Commissioners and the town authorities as aforesaid to furnish eaon.h to make up one half. Persons owning single road bands or a number not divisible by one half vili he required to send such single negroes, or two in such cond tions may unite and send

IV. The Act requires the attendance of one of the Commissioners at each Deput. He will be met by an Agent of the State and of the State and of the Confederate States, and the negroes will be there receipted for.

V. Assessment of the negroes are made in duplicate upon their arrival in Charleston and before they are put to work: one copy is kept by me for the owner, the other turned over to the Confederate authorities. . I am authorized to say the negroes will be discharged a the expiration of the thirty days. VI. The owners of slaves are requested to

farnish them with spa es er shovels. The Con-federate authorities have u dørtaken ta have such utensils relurned. Owners will also far nish their hands with three day's rations, for which commutation will be allowed

Oversecers, at the rate of one to every hundre i slaves, may be selected by the own ers. They will receive compensation from the Confederate States at the rate of fifty dollars per month.

VIII: There is no doubt that the Confederate Government with employ. slaves while in their employ. WM. vi. SHANNON. ate Government will compensat for all ices of

WM. M. SHANNON. Agent for the State of South Carolina. Camden, S. C., March 20, 1863. The Courier, Mercury, and all papers within the Division will copy once a week for three weeks and forward bills, with a copy of the printed matter, to me. I will certefy and re-turn them, when they will be paid on presen-tation to James Tupper, Esq., State Auditor. April 2

#### STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER GENERAL, ) Columbia, March 10th, 1863.

HEREBY certify, that JOS. M. ELFORD, d Spartanburg, S. C., Ag-nt of the MER-CHANTS INSUBANCE COMPANY, incorporated by the State of Virginia, has complied with the conditions and requisitions of the Act of the General Assembly entitled ... An Act to regulate the Agencies of Insurance Companies not incorporated in the State of South Caro-lina," and I hereby license the said JOS, M. ELFORD, Agent as aforesaid to take risks and transact all business of Insurance, in this State, for, and in behalf of said Company.

W. LAVAL. For Comptroller General. March 19-1-3w

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Correspondence of the Field and Fireside. Blockade Auction Sales.

A letter from Charleston gives an interest-ing description of the mode of the conducting blockade auctions in that city, which the public see advertised in all the newspapers of the Confederacy After describing the quist and altered appearance of the city, the writer says: On King and East Bay streets at least four-finhs of the stores are closed, and on Meeting street the only oasis one sees in the great desert of suspension is at the houses where the piles of goods which so constantly run the blockade, are auctioneered off. Here, when an auction is to take place, merchants, professional obstacters, and men of leisure, all eager for the accumulation of dollars; congrega e to vast numbers, and the store rooms pre-sent a scene of busy life, which contrasts strongly with the remaining portions of the city. I have, by dint of extraordinary perso-verance, worked my way into one of these densely packed auction rooms, and found the the scene presented one of sufficient interest to describe. A burly man of about 240 pounds avoirdupors, mounts a chair and anne inces that the sale is about to commence, continuing with the remarks that the conditions are cash. and that no issue of the Hoyer & Ludwig Con federate plate will be taken. The crier, who possessess a strength of lungs of which Stentor himself would have been proud, and a rapid ity of articulation that has never been surpasa

d by homan tongue, is accompanied by a lit. tle gray-haired man, who wears a woolen cap of richly variegated hues, the crown of which displays the Confederate flag. This little man's chief occupation is to exalt the merits of the greds on sale, throw in occasional withi cisms, and catch the 'winks and blinks' bidders which the crier overlooks. A wink is as good as a nod with the little man, and he bawls it out as lustily as if he were giving an alarm of fire, or crying stop thief. The great majority of the crowd who attend these cargo siles are Germans and Jews, and one is as much surprised at their number as at their unpronounceable and strangely sounding e.g. nomens, which, at the knock down of every wrticle, grates harshily upon the car of a stranger. For the prousement of your uninitiated readers I give a few, which it was my privi-lege to hear, viz; Litchtonstein. Mittledorfer. Steinlein, Doorflinger, Rosenbaum, Gretzgraw, Zieglauf, Retscratiog, Slimglow, Ungrauphit, etc Many of the merchants here complain that although these immense cargoes are sold at their very doors, get by means of combinations made among buyers from abroad, they are unable t purchase articles sufficient to justify them in keeping open their store. For example, three, four, five, or six buyers may combine and purchase a let of articles amount. ing in the aggregate to one hundred thousand or more dollars and then divide the lot. Thus is frequently done, and as the auctioneets, who have a most extensive catalogue to dispose of, go upon the principle of contensing all they can, the buyer of more limited purses has no means of replenishing his exhausted stock. The magainade of these sales is really surpris-ing, and the last one made by R. A. Pringle & Co., I und rstand, footed up over two millions and a halt of dollars. The parties for whose benefit they are chiefly made viz: John Praser & Co., have already rentized \$10,000,000 Of this amount \$3,000,000 have been invested in Confederate bonds.

The Soldiers Aid Society of Reidvill- and vicinity gratefully acknowledge the receip of 200 yards of cloth from Messrs. J. & J. D. Bivings. By order of the President.

for in the first and second sections of this Act. SEC. 5. That it shall be the duty of the President, as early as practicible after the

passage of this Act, to appoint a commissioner in each State where property shall be taken for the public use, and request of the Governor of such of the States in which the President another commission to act in conjunction with th : commissioner appointed by the President. who shall receive the compensation of eight dollars per day, and ten cents per mile as mileage, to be paid by the Confederate Gov eroment. Baid commissioners shall constitute a board, whose duty it shall be to fix u on the prices to be paid by the Government for all property impressed or taken for the public use aforesaid, so as to afford just compensation to the owners thereof. Said comm sai mershall ag ee upon and publish a schelule of prices every two months or oftener if they shall deem it proper; and in the event they shall not be able to agree in any datter co-fided to them in this Act, they shall have powe to appoint an umpire to decide the matter in dispute, whise decision shall the the decision of the board ; and said unpire shall receive the same rate of compensation for the time he shall serve, allowed to said commissioners respectively : Provided, That said continissioners shall be residents of the State for which the shall be appointed ; and if the Governor of any State shall refuse or neglect to appoint said commissioners within ten days after a request to do so by the President, the President shall appoint both commissioners, by and with the

tvice of the Senate. SEC. 6. That all property impressed or taken for the public use. as aforesaid, in the hands of any person other than the persons who have raised, grown produce the same, or persons colding the same for their own use or consumption, and why shall make a aday: hereinbefore required, shall be paid for accor ding to the schedule of prices fixel by the commissioners as aforestid. But if the office impressing or taking for the public use say quality of the article or property impressed or tak n as aforesaid, thereby tanking it tall within a higher or lower price named in the set elule, then the owner or agent and the officer impressing or taking as aforesaid, may select each a disinterested citizen of the qualifica tion, as aforesaid, to determine the quality of said article or property, who shall, in case of disagreement, appoint an unpire of like qua iffeations, and his decisions, if approved b the oncer impressing, shall be total. But if not approved, the impressing officer shall the award to the commissioners of the State where the property is impressed with his reasons for disapproving the same and said commissioners may hear such preo as the parties may respectively adduce and their decisions shall b final : Provided, Tunt the owner shall receive t e price offer d by the impressing officer, without prejudice to his el im to receive the higher compensation.

SEC. 7. That the property neces ary for the support of the owner and his family, and to carry on his ordinary agricultural and me chanical business, to be ascertained by the appraisers to be appointed as provided in the irst section of this Act, under oath, shall not be taken or impressed for the public u-e: and when the impressing officer and the owner cannot agree as to the quintity of property nee sary as aforesaid then the d disions of the said apprises shall be hin ling on the

o cer and all other persons. SEC. 8. Where property has been impressed

coived on of the greatest ovations ever given to any man in Ohio. Before the hour of arri-al for the train on which he was expected, his constituents began to flock to the dapot by chousands. It seemed as if every man, woman and calld in the district had come out to do honor to this champion advocate of constitutional rights

Two bands of music enlivened the occasion while a cannon belched forth thunder tones of welcome, awakening the valley of the Miami was seldom ever awakened before.

Presently the whistling of the locomotiv-was heard, and as the train neared the depot, the thousands of persons rushed forward, all eager to catch the first sight of the man who nobly, gallantly, and fearlessly represented he white man's interest in the Congress that its adjourned.

The crowl was so dense that it was almost apossible for Mr. Vallandighon to reach the carriage which was in readiness to convey him to the court house, from the steps of which he was to speak. Having at length been almost carried to his carriage, and being seated, he bared his brow to the breeze, and was bailed with deatening cheers, while the cannon responded (wanty-four rounds.

The procession hing formet, proceeded to the court have, where the reception speech was male by Hon. David Hook. Mr. Vallan lightam briefly responded.

taken from offici il sources :

irst Lieutenant C. C. Wirite, Company A., First Lieutenant C. C. Wirte, Company A., 10th South Caroina Regiment, was on picket haif a mile in front of our line. Having taken three men and started to establish communi-cation with the pickets on his right, he was suddenly surrounded by a party of Ya kee cavairy, and ordered o surrender. Seein, he was overpowered, he give up his sword. The Lienement commending the Yankees then or dered him to the rear. He started, but no ticing the Yankee hocked agitated, immediate-ly furned and grappled num, calling to his three men to knock down as many as they could, and to his company to rally to his ascould, and to his company to raily to his as-sistance. Having succeeded n getting a saure he wound d soveral of the eneny, and kept them all at hay till his company came up, when he called out to them. "Shoot the ras cals -don't mind me." They fired killing a me and diving off the rest. By the time he had reformed his company, he was charged by a pretty large force of eavairy, whom he repulsed with a loss of fourteen killed and three wounded, left upon the field. Among three wounded, left upon the field. Among the Yankees killed was a Major Rosengasten, of Philadelphia.

# FIGHT AT TUSCUMBIA .-- PART OF THE TOWN DESTROYED. - We have information that a por-tion of Gen. Dodge's forces from Corinth encountered a portion of Van Dora's men at Tusbia last Sunday, and that the latter were ut-terly and completely routed. About 200 of the enemy were captured, together with 200 horses, one pilce of artillery and a large rail-

in that direction, but nothing is definitely known. At last accounts, our men were pur-suing a part of Van Dorn's men in an easterly played in the manufacture of, war for temporary use, and is lost or distroyed known. At last accounts, our men were pur-w thout the default of he owner, the Govern- suing a part of Van Dorn's men in an easterly ment of the Confederate States shall pay a just direction - Momphis Bulletin

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scatcity of provisions, in those portion the State from which supplies have a witheid. They a ve the incentive of munerative prices, and should not forget that under the operation of the Tax Bill and other Aors of Congress,a decline for currant rates is more than probable.

## Confederate rinunces.

We concur with our cotemporary the Mercury, in an other very impor-matter, besides that of Confederate I dables. The burden of taxation and Confederate, should b : hid, as light as possible, on our suffering people of the present day. We to day are paying the price of our righteous war of defense in blood and wounds and death, in hear wrung and anguished by the low of father husbands, sons and brothers, and in eve sort of personal privation and sufferin and it is but just and right that posteries should pay, in money, the price of the heritage of freedom, prosperity and gio which we will bequeath them by the an cessful prosecution of that war. Most us will pass from the stage of existence long before we can enjoy any coupenant tion for the blood, we are how lavishing a pending, and the sufferibgs we are no Two dive before the bat le of Murfreesbore. Confederate. fearlessly task and atr the public credit, to its utmost extent extremest bound, in order to carry on war, so that fixation may not crush to the earth our already over burthened poppl So mote it be.

Charleston Co

A writer in the new York Evenin Post describes the modus operandi of re dering torpedoes barmless, as follows :

As the rebais rely very much for the de As the rubeis rely very much for the fence of their harbours on the torpede placed in the channel ways. I would an g st. if not too inte in the day, a simp method of rendering them harmless. is merely to fire from a cannon, a ball dis a coil of rope attached to it, precisely done on our coasts when a line is projected ad on board a wreck in the breakers. The ball having dropped to the bottom, when hauling back by the line will inevitable drag upon the wires to which the corporate are attached, and either cause their caple sion of out of their connection wi

terly and completely routed About 200 of the chemy were captured, together with 200 hordes, one pilled at an explored that the pilled and a starge rail-town, and destroyed all the buildings which had been accupied by the rebel troops, togeth-er with commissary, quartermaster and ord-mance store. Our loss was only two man, Since the abwe engagement, it has been reported that there were several other fights in that direction, but nothing is definitely tions.

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