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EMPORIUM OF FASHION.

Fall and Winter, 1869--Specialties Dry Goods and Millinery.

Messrs. Fowler & McDonald are now better prepared to show the Ladies of Abbeville District a handsome stock of Dry Goods than ever before.

The Ladies are especially invited to examine their stock before buying. They will always strive to keep goods suited to the taste of the Ladies of our District.

Abbeville can boast of as fine a Millinery House as any in the State of South Carolina--in fact, as fine as any in any city, North or South.

Mrs. Sarsard has had experience, both in Europe and America, and we think, has the confidence of every Lady of taste in Abbeville.

They pay particular attention to the getting up of Brides' Baskets, Veils, etc., and promptly attend to all orders from a distance.

Millinery Department--Mrs. Sarsard and Mrs. Wier.

By adhering strictly to the cash system they are enabled to sell fine goods at reasonable prices.

VALUABLE LANDS For sale in Abbeville. Important to Land Buyers.

FALL OPENING FOR 1869! J. H. & M. L. KINARD'S COLUMBIA, S. C.

INTEREST PAID ON

Certificates of Deposit.

The Carolina National Bank.

By resolution of the Board of Directors of this Bank, Certificates of Deposit will be issued, bearing interest at the rate of SEVEN PER CENT per annum.

The Capital Stock of this Bank is now \$125,000, and authority has been granted to increase it to the sum of \$200,000.

The Carolina National Bank has purchased for its use the building belonging to the Bank of the State, in the city of Columbia, which it will occupy as soon as the necessary alterations and improvements are completed.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS. L. D. CHILDERS, President.

THE KNITTING... The introduction of this great labor saving instrument, we are sure, needs no eulogy.

VALUABLE LANDS For sale in Abbeville. Important to Land Buyers.

40 ACRES in Greenwood with 800 improvements. 30 acres in orchard.

DICKSON'S COMPOUND To Sixty-Pae (\$65) Dollars per Ton of 2,000 lbs.

REWARD! \$25.00 Reward! NOTICE: A large quantity of gold watches, chains, etc., for sale.

FRESH ARRIVALS

AT PENNEY'S DRUG STORE!

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE

At the Sign of the EMPORIUM OF FASHION.

DARBY'S CARMINATIVE. EXCELLENT for Bilious; Pains to make soap; Indigo, Horax, Bay Rum, Hostetter's Bitters, etc.

Woman's Best Friend. BRADFIELD'S REGULATOR, for sale by W. T. PENNEY.

Heinrich's Queen's Delight. THE Crowning Glory of Medicine and wonder of science, for sale by W. T. PENNEY.

Darby's Prophylactic Fluid. THE most powerful disinfectant known. Cleans and kills germs, removes Stains and destroys all animal and Vegetable Poisons.

HOUSEHOLD BLESSING. For sale at \$1.00 per bottle, by W. T. PENNEY.

Notice to Persons Suffering with Asthma. FOREIGN remedy is found in...

Leidy's Blood... An excellent form in which to take extract of sassafras.

The Real Estate Abram Haddon, deceased. WILL be sold by the Executors of the said deceased, on Sale Day in my next, viz:

Three Hundred and Thirty Acres, more or less, Living within four miles of Abbeville Court House.

JAS. W. THOMAS, Agent. Nov 12, 1869.

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THE IMMIGRATION QUESTION.

To the Public of South Carolina.

The immigration of an industrious white population into our State is now universally acknowledged as the true corner-stone of future prosperity.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE NEWS. A few days ago I received a letter from Mr. Ferlow, our former State agent of immigration for the Scandinavian countries.

MALMO, October 12, 1869. To Gen. John A. Wagener, Charleston, S. C.

JURISDICTION OF THE SUPREME COURT. Mr. Trumbull, from the Senate Judiciary Committee, has reported a bill, as a substitute for one offered by Sumner and referred to the Committee.

My proposition would be as follows: If a farmer wishes to get a number of hands, he deposits, at the time he makes the contract, five dollars in gold.

THE GEORGIA HOME INSURANCE CO. OF COLUMBUS, GA. CAPITAL, \$350,000

J. F. BOZEMAN, Pres't. D. E. WILCOX, Sec'y.

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day the laboring man must work and the kind of work, farm work or any other, and what kind of work the females are wanted for, kitchen work or any other, or all.

The wages will be the first year so much besides the money paid in advance. The contract must not be for any longer space of time than from the arrival of the immigrants on the plantation to the 31st December the same year.

If the people engaged do not do what they contract to do, the employers have a right to dismiss them at any time.

Yours, respectfully, W. J. FERLOW.

steanboat companies. great deal of delay and trouble, I have now obtained the agency of the Cunard line--the best steamboat line running from Liverpool to New York.

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J. F. C. DuPre, Agt. Oct 29, 1869.

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[From the Buff. Ex.] "Yurrip."

MARK TWAIN'S VIS-A-VIS WITH A NAUGHTY FAMILY.

Have you ever seen a family of fools just tuck from Europe--or Yurrips, they pronounce it? They never talk to you, of course, being strangers, but they talk to each other and to you till you are pretty nearly distracted with their chatter.

I traveled with such a family one eternal day, from New York to Boston, last week. They had spent just a year in "Yurrip," and were returning home to Boston.

Angustine--"Plague that nasty (nasty) steamer! I've the headache yet, she scolded. So the fifth day out."

Angeline--"And well you may. I never saw such a nasty old tub. I never want to go in the Ville de Paris again. Why didn't we go over to London and come in the Scotia?"

Angeline--"You, Cholly, Cheap! Well, how could I help? There we were, tied up in Switzerland--just down from Mon Bong (Mont Blanc, doubtless) couldn't buy anything in those nasty shops so far away from Paissy. I had to put up with that stinky forty-dollar rag; but, bless you, I couldn't go naked!"

Angeline--"Oh, ha-ha-ha! It was so funny! Papa one of them called the Santa della Spigiolla the Santa della Spiziolla. Ha-ha-ha! And she thought it was Canova that did Michael Angelo's Moses! Only think of it! Canova a sculpture and the Moses a picture! I thought I should die! I thought I should die! I guess I let them see by the way I laughed, that they'd made fools of themselves, because they blushed and sneaked off."

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And from that moment they lapsed into barbarous French and kept it up for an hour--hesitating, gasping for words, stumbling head over heels through adverbs and participles, floundering among adjectives, working miracles of villainous pronunciation--and neither one of them ever by any chance understanding what another was driving at.

By that time some new comers had entered the car, and so they lapsed into English again and fell to holding everything American up to scorn and contumely in order that they might thus let those new comers know that they were just home from "Yurrip."

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