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"We will cling to the pillars of the temple of our liberties, and if it must fall we will perish amidst the ruins."

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SOUTH CAROLINA.
PROCLAMATION.

[illegible] the sixtieth year [illegible] dence of the Unite[illegible] States

GEO. McDUFFIE.

By the Governor,
B. H. SAXON,
Secretary of State.
February 11, 1836. 1—6t

SOUTH CAROLINA.
PROCLAMATION.

By GEORGE McDUFFIE, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the State aforesaid.

WHEREAS information has been given to me, that MATHIAS AGNOR a blacksmith by trade, formerly a resident of Newberry District, has inveigled and [illegible] away two slaves from the vicinity of Camden, viz. Daniel, belonging to the estate of John C. McRea, and William, belonging to John Whitaker;

Now, therefore, I do issue this my Proclamation offering a reward of One Hundred Dollars to any person who will arrest the said Agnor, and deliver him into the custody of the Sheriff of Kershaw District.

Given at Columbia, the 24th December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five, and in the sixtieth year of the Independence of the United States of America.

GEO. McDUFFIE.

By the Governor.
B. H. SAXON,
Secretary of State.
Feb. 11, 1836 1—6t

SOUTH CAROLINA.
PROCLAMATION.

By GEORGE McDUFFIE, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the State aforesaid.

WHEREAS an election was held on the first Monday in September last, for a member to represent the Districts of Pendleton and Greenville, in the Congress of the United States; and, whereas it appears, upon the votes returned by the managers of the election to the office of the Secretary of State, that Waddy Thompson, jr. had a majority of said votes;

Now, therefore, I, George McDuffie, Governor of the State of South Carolina, do hereby declare and proclaim that the said Waddy Thompson has been duly elected a Representative from this State, for the districts of Pendleton and Greenville, to the Congress of the U. States.

{L. S.} Given under my hand and the Seal of the State, this 14th of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five, and in the sixtieth year of the Independence of the U. States of America.

GEO. McDUFFIE.

By the Governor.
B. H. SAXON,
Secretary of State.
February 11, 1826. 1—6t

Acts of the Legislature.

AN ACT,

To amend the Law in relation to granting licenses to retail spirituous liquors, and for other purposes.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted*, by the Senate and House of Representatives, now met and sitting in General Assembly, That from and after the fi[illegible] of March next, it shall not be lawful [illegible] any corporate body, or the commissi[illegible] the Roads, in their respective limit[illegible] grant any license to retail spirituous liq[illegible] applicant fi[illegible] the peti[illegible] conditioned for [illegible] in force in reg[illegible] liquors; and the[illegible] be liable to be es[illegible] shall [illegible] impose[illegible] ed by the court f[illegible] id laws of which the [illegible] icted by indictment.

SEC. 2. Every vendor or retailer of spirituous liquors who shall clandestinely, or behind, or within any screen, booth, or other place of concealment exchange, give, deliver, sell, or retail any spirituous liquors, shall, upon conviction, be fined in a sum not less than fifty dollars, nor more than two hundred dollars, according to the discretion of the presiding Judge.

SEC. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That hereafter the sum of fifty dollars shall be [illegible]

SEC. 3. [illegible] cellors shall meet and sit at the times and places hereinaf[illegible] specified, for the purpose of holding the Court of Appeals, in hearing and determining [illegible] motions which may be made for new trials, and in Arrest of Judgment, and such points of Law and Equity as may be submitted to them, with the same powers now exercised by the Court of Appeals; *Provided*, That not less than a majority of the Chancellors shall hold said Court; And *Provided* also, That no Chancellor [illegible] Law Judge, by or before whom a cause may be heard or tried, shall exercise appellate jurisdiction thereupon in said Court.

Sec. 4. That the several Courts of Common Pleas and Se[illegible] in the State, shall be, and they are hereby arranged into six circuits, in the following manner, [illegible] to say: The several Courts for the Di[illegible] of Richland, Orangeburgh, Barnwell, Colleton and Beaufort, shall form the Southern Circuit; the several Courts for the Districts of Abbeville, Edgefield, Newberry and Lexington, shall form the South Western Circuit; the several Courts for the Districts of Pickens, Anderson, Greenville, Spartanburgh and Laurens, shall form the Western Circuit; the several Courts for the Districts of Union, York, Chester, Lancaster and Fairfield, shall form the Middle Circuit; the several Courts for the Districts of Chesterfield, Kershaw, Sumter, Darlington and Marlborough, shall form the Northern Circuit; and the several Courts for the Districts of Charleston, Williamsburg, Marion, Horry and Georgetown, shall form the Eastern Circuit.

Sec. 5. That the several Courts of Common Pleas and Sessions shall hereafter be held at the following periods, that is to say: at Columbia for Richland District, at Abbeville Court House for Abbeville District, at Pickens Court House for Pickens District, at Union Court House for Union District, and at Chesterfield Court House for Chesterfield District, on the first Monday in October, and the second Monday in March, in every year; at Orangeburgh Court House for Orangeburgh District, at Anderson Court House for Anderson District, at York Court House for York District, and at Camden for Kershaw District, on the second Monday in October and the third Monday in March, in every year; at Barnwell Court House for Barnwell District, at Greenville Court House for Greenville District, at Chester Court House for Chester District, and at Sumter C. House for Sumter District, on the third Monday in October and the fourth Monday in March, in every year; at Walterborough for Colleton District, at Newberry Court House for Newberry District, at Spartanburgh Court House for Spartanburgh District, at Lancaster Court House for Lancaster District, and at Darlington Court House for Darlington District, on the fourth Monday in October and the first Monday after the fourth Monday in March, in every year, at Coosawhatchie for Beaufort District, at Lexington Court House for Lexington District, at Laurens Court House for Laurens District, at Winnsborough for Fairfield District, and at Marlborough Court House for Marlborough District, on the first Monday after the fourth Monday in October and the second Monday after the fourth Monday in March, in every year; at Williamsburgh Court House for Williamsburg District, on the fourth Monday in March and October; at Conwayborough for Horry District, on the first Monday after the fourth Monday in March and October; at Georgetown for Georgetown District, on the second Monday after the fourth Monday in March and October; at Marion Court House for Marion District, on the third Monday after the fourth Monday in March and October, in every year, for one week at each term, unless the business of said Courts respectively shall be sooner despatched; at Edgefield C. H. for Edgefield District, on the [illegible] day in October [illegible] March, in [illegible] year, for [illegible] weeks at each term; at Charleston for Charleston District, on the fourth Monday in January, for three weeks, and on the second Monday in May, for six weeks, and on the first Monday in October, for two weeks, in every year, unless the business thereof shall be sooner despatched.

Sec. 6. That the several Courts of Equity, in the State shall hereafter be holden twice annually at the following periods, that is to say; at Edgefield Court House for Edgefield District, and at Spartanburgh Court House for Spartanburgh District, on the fourth Monday in January and the first Monday in June; at Columbia for Richland District, on the fourth Monday in January and the second Monday after the fourth Monday [illegible] of the business of said Courts, respectively, shall be sooner despatched: at Anderson Court House for Anderson District, and at Williamsburgh C. House for Williamsburgh District, on the second Monday after the fourth Monday in January, and the third Monday in June, in every year, for two days at each term; at Pickens Court House for Pickens District, and at Marion Court House for Marion District, on the Thursday next after the second Monday after the fourth Monday in January, and the Thursday next after the third Monday, in every year, for three days at each term, unless the business of said Courts shall, respectively, be sooner despatched; at Greenville Court House for Greenville District, at Chester Court House for Chester District, and at Darlington Court House for Cheraw District, on the 3rd Monday after the fourth Monday in January, and on the fourth Monday in June, and at Barnwell Court House for Barnwell District, on the third Monday after the fourth Monday in January, and the third Monday in June, in every year, for one week at each term, unless the business of said Courts, respectively, shall be sooner despatched; at Laurens Court House for Laurens District, at Winnsborough for Fairfield District, and at Sumter Court House for Sumter District, on the fourth Monday after the fourth Monday in January, and the first Monday after the fourth Monday in June, and at Walterborough for Colleton District, on the fourth Monday after the fourth Monday in January, and the second Monday in June, in every year, for one week at each term, unless the business of said Courts, respectively, shall be sooner despatched; at Newberry Court House for Newberry District, at Lancaster Court House for Lancaster District, and at Camden for Kershaw District, on the fifth Monday after the fourth Monday in January, and the second Monday after the fourth Monday in June, and at Coosawhatchie for Beaufort District, on the fifth Monday in January, and the first Monday in June, in every year, for one week at each term, unless the business of said Courts, respectively shall be sooner despatched; and at Charleston for Charleston District, on the first Monday in January, for three weeks, and the first Monday after the fourth Monday in April, for five weeks, in every year, unless the business thereof shall be sooner despatched.

Sec. 7. That the Law Judges and Chancellors shall meet to hold the Court of Appeals, at Columbia, for all cases directed by law to be taken there, on the fourth Monday in November, for four weeks, unless the business thereof shall be sooner despatched, and on the third Monday in July, for as many weeks as may be necessary to despatch the business thereof, in every year; and at Charleston for all the cases directed by law to be taken there, on the first Monday in January, for four weeks, and on the fourth Monday in April, for four weeks, in every year, unless the business thereof shall be sooner despatched.

Sec. 8 That the Chancellors and Law Judges hereafter to be elected, shall receive, each, an annual salary of three thousand dollars.

Sec. 9. That all writs and processes which shall have been made returnable to the aforesaid Courts respectively, according to the laws heretofore in force, shall be legal and valid to all intents and purposes; and the persons bound thereby shall attend on the days prescribed by this act for the sitting of the aforesaid Courts respectively.

Sec. 10. That all jurors and witnesses already summoned, or who shall hereafter be [illegible] upon attend the said Courts re[illegible] according to the laws heretofore [illegible] required to attend at the [illegible] according to the laws heretofore in force, shall be required to appear at the [illegible] Courts respectively.

Sec. 11. That the Solicitors of the Southern, Eastern, Middle and Western Circuits, who are now in office, or may hereafter be elected, shall be assigned to those several Circuits respectively, and that a Solicitor shall be appointed by the Legislature for the South Western Circuit, hereby established, who shall attend the Courts assigned to the same, perform the several duties, be entitled to the same privileges and receive the same salary and perquisites as by law allowed to the other Solicitors.

Sec. 12. That all Acts and part of Acts repugnant thereto are hereby repealed.

In the Senate House, the eighteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one [illegible] the said bill be taken [illegible] them.

J. TERRY, C. E. D.

Comm. Office, Feb. [illegible] 1836. 2—3m

South Carolina,
IN EQUITY,
EDGEFIELD DISTRICT.

John Jay
vs.
Wiley Harrison, *et al.* } *Bill for Relief.*

IT APPEARING To my satisfaction that Shepherd Spencer, jr. and wife, and Mary A. M. W. Brown, defendants in this case, reside without the limits of this State: on motion by Wardlaw & Wardlaw, solicitors for complainants,

Ordered that the said Defendants do appear in this honorable Court, plead, answer or demur to the said Bill, within three month from the publication of this order, or the said bill be taken *pro confesso* against them.

J. TERRY, C. E. D.

Comm. Gce, Feb. 18, 18[illegible] 2—3m

Gentleman's Vade Mecum,
OR, THE SITING AND DRAMATIC COMPANION.

ON THE 1st of January, 1836, was commenced in Philadelphia, a new periodical, bearing the above comprehensive title. The contents are carefully adapted to the wants of that portion of the public who patronise Dramatic Literature, the Turf, Sting and the Fashions.

From the growing wealth and increasing population of the States, and the near assimilation of the nation appetite with whatever promotes the rational relations of life, it is presumed that this Journal, possessing, as the projector of it does, ample plans to diversify its pages, and a determination to render them subservient to the formation of correct taste in all matters relating to its design, cannot fail to meet with a liberal and profitable support from an enlightened community [illegible] of the country. The difficulty of sketching out such a plan as might be fancifully strewed with any of the charms of novelty to ensure it popularity and encouragement, has been not the least embarrassing obstacle which the projectors of this work had to surmount in its inception. Confidently assured, however, that its success is certain, when its character becomes properly known; they have incurred considerable expense in forming correspondents over the Union; and have ordered regular supplies of the English periodicals to assist in procuring materials for its columns.

It is not altogether feasible, when a new publication is contemplated, to present in detail to the public its prospective attractions. It is necessary, nevertheless that its principal features should be drawn out, as it is by them that its merits, if it has any, shall be judged. This is the more readily accomplished, the publishers being satisfied that whatever industry and a watchful zeal can effect in completing the filling up, will be done, and that they never will be found deficient or neglectful in this enterprize, and in striving to produce a beneficial and profitable result to themselves and to others.

THE DRAMA—Forms a material portion of the Gentleman's Vade Mecum. It is intended to publish alternately, every week, an entire play or farce—to be selected with a single eye to their merits alone; a preference, however, will be extended, in all cases, to native productions, when they can be obtained. Independent criticisms, carefully excluding invidious comparisons, and recommended by their brevity, are regularly inserted—besides Biographical Sketches, Anecdotes, and Bon Mots, of prominent Commedians of the present and past ages, of which a rare and inexhaustible compilation is in store.

THE TURF.—A faithful record is kept of all the Running and Trotting matches in this country & England. Biographies and correct portraits of celebrated thorough bred horses are published once a month. Every fact relative to the breeding, management, keeping, and the diseases of this invaluable animal, is particularly selected.

SPORTING.—Under this caption is interwoven accounts of Shooting Matches, Pedestrian Feats, Races, Aquatic Excursions, Fishing, with Anecdotes of noted Dogs.

FASHIONS.—Quarterly [illegible] various [illegible] various [illegible] ures worn [illegible] ergo; by [illegible] ers and [illegible] with the [illegible] dress. [illegible] at a distance, to suit their [illegible] most approved colors and modes [illegible] the earliest possible periods. [illegible] sufficient encouragement shall be given by this portion of the public, a full length engraving, illustrative of the same, will also be prepared and published.

MISCELLANY.—Although the purposes of our sheet may appear to be confined to the four leading subjects which have been stated—we deem it proper to say, that there is in addition to these, a considerable space allowed for Miscellaneous matters—such as Tales—Poetry—an Epitome of News—List of Hotels in this city, and all others in the United States, and the Canadas, that patronize this paper—Agriculture—*The American Songster*, being a selection of the most popular airs, set to music—and all other matters, regarding which an interest is supposed to exist at home or abroad.

This work [illegible] MITCHELL, [illegible] Buildings Franklin Place, Philadelphia.

Subscribers to the GENTLEMAN'S VADE MECUM and the MODERN ACTING DRAMA, are entitled to a deduction of one third, when settling for the latter work.

Edgefield Female Academy.

THE Exercises of this Institution were resumed on Monday the 4th of January last.

TERMS OF TUITION.

Spelling, Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, ... per qr.	$5 00
With the above, Grammar and Geography,	6 50
With the above, History, Philosophy, Natural and Moral; Logic; Chemistry, &c. &c.	8 00
Quarterly Entrance,	0 50
Firewood in Winter	0 50
Use of Maps and Globes,	0 50
Use of Apparatus,	0 50
Music,	15 00
Use of Piano,	[illegible]

The above charges are quarterly in advance.

Good Boarding can be obtained from 25 to 35 dolars per quarter.

WILLIAM B. JOHNSON, *Rector.*
February 11, 1836. 1—2t

Notice.
Goodwin & Harrington.
Merchant-Tailors.

RESPECTFULLY inform their customers and friends, that they have removed to their new Store, north side of the Court House, where they have opened a large assortment of

BROAD-CLOTHS,
Cassimeres, Vestings, Stocks,
Hats,
Collars, Suspenders, Gloves, Pocket-Hankerchiefs, &c. &c.

Together with a general assortment of

Ready-Made Clothing,

and every thing else in their line.

ALSO

Military Trimmings,

of all descriptions.

☞ Uniforms both for Infantry and Cavalry made up in the best style.

☞ All orders promptly executed.

February 11. 1836. 1—tf

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber wishing to bring his old mercantile business to a close, requests all those indebted to him, either by note or account, to make immediate payment, as longer indulgence cannot be given.

C. L. GOODWIN.
February 11, 1836. 1—tf

LOST OR MISLAID,

A NOTE of Hand given on or about the 13th of March 1833, by Hannah Cogburn to John Cogburn Esq. for Six Hundred and Seventy-nine Dollars and Forty-three Cents—and witnessed by Jesse M. Cogburn. There was a credit, I think, of Eleven Dollars, made in 1833. I forewarn all persons against trading for said Note, as it is my property and has never been traded by me.

MARSHALL LOTT.
February, 11, 1836. 1—3

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers have this day taken WILLIAM M. BOYLE into co-partnership, their business will hereafter be conducted under the firm of DOWD, GOODRICH & CO.

Grateful for past favors, we solicit a continuation of the liberal patronage heretofore extended to us.

DOWD & GOODRICH
February 11, 1836. 1—tf

Lumber for Sale.

THE Subscriber has recently erected a SAW-MILL two miles below the Pine House, and eight miles from this Village,—and offers for sale from fifteen to twenty thousand feet of Lumber, and will have constantly on hand a supply.

Orders for Lumber will be promptly executed.

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Corley, Mark
Clark, Solomon
Claxton, Thomas
Cook, Wm.
Carson, Hugh
Cook, Thomas A.
Corley, Thomson
D
Dorn, Wm. 3
Delaugter Absalom
E
Embty, Wm. W.
Elam, Geo. B.
Everett, John
F
Faunsworth, James
Frazier, Benjamin
G
Gould, mr.
Gibbs, Thos. 2
Gaden, William
Garrett, Wm.
Ginyard, Sanders
Garrette, Richard
H
Howel, Hopkin
Harden, Sarah
Hatcher, John
Hill, Henry H.
Hibbler, mrs.
Hammond, Sarah 2
Hollingsworth, J. W.
Holland, Daniel
Hart, John
J
Johnson, George
Jones, Henry H.
Jones, Barbaba
L
Limbaker, Sonathan
Lamar, Charles
M
May, William
Melvin, Joshua
Moore, Henry
Miller, George
Miller, J. H. & J. C. 2
M'Duffie, Geo. gov. 2
McDaniel, Levi
Mays, Rhydon G.
Martial Martha 2
Mitchel, Thomas
Moore, Lucy T.
McCarty, Philip
Martin, Elizabeth P
McDaniel, Mary
Mayson, Caroline
Mays, Edward S.
N
Ficholson, J. O.
O
Overby, Adam
P
Prothro, John
Price, Elizabeth
Parker, Judy
Presley, Hansford M.
R
Richardson, J. O. 2
Rumbo, Mary Fort
Rodgers, S. B.
Robertson, Wm.
Rodgers, Gasway
S
Simkins, Judy
Swaim, J. T. 2
Surles, Pleasans
Smith, E. A.
Stringers, Eli
Shibley, Jacob
Shraggans, Thos.
Sprat, Mary
T
Thomas, Alexander
Tubbs, Enos C.
Terry, Levi
U
Urquhart, Alexander
W
Weaver, Joshua
Williams, Laura mrs.
White, F. W.
Warren, Carson
Williams, Samuel

☞ Persons wishing Letters from this list, will ask for *Advertised Letters.*

M. FRAZIER, P. M.
February 11, 1836. 1—3

NOTICE.

I HAVE Appointed Messrs. WALLACE & FRAZIER, my agent to collect my notes and accounts, and all persons indebted to me are required to make payment to them immediately.

N. RUGGLES.
February, 11, 1836. 1—3