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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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FRESH SUPPLY.

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE BY

W. L. Jeffers, & Co.

100 BARRELS Fresh No. 3, Mackerel.

[illegible] bbls. do. No. 2, do

[illegible] bbls fresh 2. do

50 do do do 1. do

25 qr. do do 1. do

50 bbl. Fresh Canal Flour.

20 casks prime Cheese.

10 M. best Havana Segars.

5 qr. Casks Superior Madeira Wine.

5 p pcs choice Cogniac Brandy.

25 bbls Northern Potatoes.

10 do do Onions.

20 do Sugar House Molasses,

20 boxes Sperm Candles,

ALSO, A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

Dry Goods and Groceries

of every description and of the best quality, which they offer for sale on accommodating terms. Their friends and the public generally are respectfully requested to call and examine their stock.

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Drugs & Medicines,

[illegible]

DRUGS, MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, [illegible]

[illegible]

PLUMB & LEITNER.

Augusta, Ga. November [illegible]

To Physicians, Merchants and Planters.

DRUGS, MEDICINES, [illegible] DOW GLASS, [illegible] CINES, PERFUMERY, &c. &c.

ANTONEY & TOOLE,

Physicians & Apothecaries.

HAMBURG, S. C.

RESPECTFULLY inform their friends and customers that they have received [illegible]

Hamburg, S. C., [illegible] 1836 22 tf

A CARD.

THE Subscriber, in returning his sincere thanks for the liberal patronage he has met with [illegible] *STOCK*, he is now opening from Philadelphia, a large and fresh supply of MEDICINES generally, together with a good assortment of

Dentist's Instruments,

Gold Foil, &c. which he is [illegible] satisfaction to all those who favour him with their custom.

N. B. Country Merchants and Physicians will [illegible] purchasing elsewhere.

R. WINDING.

[illegible] S. C. Oct. 26, 1836 39 tf

MEDICAL CARD.

DR. J. L. ATKINSON offers his professional services to the citizens of [illegible] and vicinity. Having been [illegible] years [illegible] London [illegible] in pursuit of Medical [illegible]

N. B. [illegible]

CO-PARTNERSHIP.

THE Subscribers have formed a Copartnership under the firm of

Shackelford, Boag & Co.

for the purpose of [illegible] and transacting a [illegible] They will [illegible] large and extensive stock of

GOODS,

(direct from Europe) suited to the Southern market, about the 1st of September, in [illegible] Range of Buildings, at the Corner of Fraser's Wharf and [illegible]

J. M. SHACKELFORD.

W. S. BOAG.

Charleston, July 29, 1836. 26—tf

VAUCLUSE.

THE Vaucluse Manufacturing Company, are making, and now have on hand, a good stock of smooth and heavy

Cotton Osnaburgs,

Warranted superior to any,

of a similar kind, imported. They are also putting up new woollen machinery of the latest improvements, designed to operate for the Fall and Winter market,—making Linsey to weigh about three-fourths of a pound per yard, in the most substantial manner.

Orders addressed to the undersigned, (Aiken, Barnwell District, S. C.) will be neatly baled and forwarded, as directed at the lowest manufacturing prices.

JASPER GIBBES,

Agent for Company.

August 27, 1836. 26—2m

Fire Proof Ware House.

Commission Business.

Stovall, Simmons & Co.

[illegible]

Augusta, Ga. Aug. [illegible] 1836 h 27

Georgia Insurance & Trust Company.

CAPITAL [illegible]

THE Subscriber, Agent for the above Company, will Insure against loss or damage from Fire or Navigation.

GEO. PARROTT.

Hamburg, S. C. Nov. 30, 1836 tf 23

Lumber for Sale.

THE Subscriber has recently commenced Sawing at the Mill known as the Rev. John Landrum's, and offers for sale Fifteen or Twenty Thousand feet of Lumber, at the customary prices. The Mill is twelve miles from the Village and [illegible] below the Court House, near the old road leading to Aiken. Orders [illegible] promptly executed.

BENJAMIN F. LANDRUM.

Dec. [illegible] 1836 tf 31

LOST.

[illegible]

SUSANNAH [illegible]

Dec. 12, 1836 [illegible]

LOST.

[illegible]

A. [illegible]

November [illegible] 1836 [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

October 27, 1836 tf 38

FOUND.

[illegible]

[illegible] tf 41

TRUE BLUES.

THE Members of the Company formerly existing at this place [illegible] & all persons having in their possession any of the public arms or accoutrements of said Company, will forthwith deliver the same to L. J. Youngblood, Esq. in the Clerk's Office.

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Petit Gulf Cotton Seed.

THE Subscriber has for sale *Twelve* [illegible] *Petit Gulph Cotton Seed*, second and third years planting [illegible] New Orleans. [illegible]

ROBERT WATTS.

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Brought to the Jail

[illegible]

C. J. GLOVER, J. E. D.

November 25, 1836 [illegible]

A Teacher Wanted,

TO take charge of the GATEWAY ACADEMY, who is well qualified to teach the English language. The institution to commence on the 1st Feb. 1837.

HUGH NEAL,
T. HILL,
H. H. HILL,
J. C. ALLEN,
C. L. STROTHER,
J. BLEDSOE. } Trustees.

Dec 8, 1836 tf 44

LAW BLANKS

Of all kinds kept constantly for sale.

Greenwood Academies,

ARE located on the healthy ridge which divides the waters of the Saluda and Savannah Rivers, and will re-commence their exercises on the first Monday in January next, under the superintendance of James Lessly and John Simpson of the male department and Miss Rebecca Chapman of the female department. Miss Andersen of Charleston it is expected will take charge of the Musical department.

Prices of tuition are as follows:

For the lower branches of English, including Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, and Orthography, twelve dollars per annum or - - - - $4 00 pr. qr.

For the same, together with Geography, History, Grammar, and all other higher branches of English, twenty dollars per annum or - - - - 6 00 "

For the same, together with Latin, Greek, and the French language, thirty dollars per annum or - - - - 9 00 "

For Music, forty dollars per annum or - - - - 15 00 "

For use of Piano, three dollars per annum, or - - - 1 00 "

Good Boarding, (including fire-wood and washing) can be obtained, at from eight to nine dollars per month.

LARKIN GRIFFIN,

Sec'y of Board of Trustees.

Dec. 17, 1836. e 46

Mount Enon Academy,

WILL be commenced on the 1st Monday in Jan. next, under the direction of Mr. [illegible] CAMPBELL, a graduate of the South Carolina College, recommended to be a gentleman of high moral worth, and a scholar well calculated to prepare young men for College.

December 8, 1836 [illegible]

NOTICE.

THE Copartnership heretofore existing between the subscribers under the name of

G. L. PENN, & CO.

was dissolved on the [illegible] day of September last by mutual consent. All persons indebted to them are respectfully requested to come forward and liquidate their accounts.

G. L. PENN & L. PENN are duly authorized to settle the business of the concern.

G. L. PENN,
E. PENN,
B. M. SOGGERS.

[illegible]

G. L. & L. PENN & CO.

[illegible]

G. L. PENN,
L. PENN.

Jan. 5, 1837. [illegible]

NOTICE.

THE Copartnership heretofore existing under the firm of

BOWD, GOODE, & CO.

is this day dissolved by its own limitation. All persons indebted to them are respectfully and [illegible]

C. A. DOWD,
SAMUEL [illegible] GOODE,
WILLIAM [illegible]

Jan. 2nd 1837.

THE Subscriber having [illegible] interests of [illegible]

A general assortment of GOODS [illegible]

C. A. DOWD

Jan. 24, 1837. [illegible]

Administrator's Sale.

UNDER the powers [illegible] deceased, we shall sell at public outcry on Monday the 6th of February next, at Edgefield Court House, the house and lot lately occupied by the widow of said deceased in the Village of Edgefield. The lot contains about [illegible] with a comfortable dwelling, and all necessary out buildings.

ALSO,

At the same time and place a tract of land of said deceased, containing about [illegible] acres, [illegible] miles from Edgefield Village, adjoining the lands where Mrs. R. Hanes now resides, lands of Mrs. Laborde and others.

ALSO,

A good Barouch and pair of match horses, [illegible]

TERMS OF SALE.—Credit until the 1st of January 1838, [illegible] proved surety.

B. [illegible] HARRISON,
THEOPHILUS HILL,
Administrators cum testamento annexo.

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NOTICE.

STRAYED from my plantation near Coast Island, on [illegible] of Nov. last, a small

BAY [illegible]

four or five years old, with some collar marks and a [illegible] Any information [illegible] will not only be thankfully received, but liberally rewarded.

CARROLL A. CLOUD,

Beech Island, Jan. 5, 1837 4 48

Poetic Recess.

The Carrier's New Year's Address

TO THE PATRONS OF

THE EDGEFIELD ADVERTISER.

The old year now has past away,
And new year comes in young and gay.
Our lovely soil with plenty's crowned,
And peace, and health, and wealth abound.
My readers listen to my song,
For I will not detain you long.
The Carrier his respects presents,
And asks you for your surplus cents.
Fair ladies of this [illegible] town,
I pray do not upon him frown.
He's told you many a tale of love,
And joy and grief, your souls to move;
He's told how many a cunning lass,
He found in chains more strong than brass.
Or adamant, some foolish swain,
Who'd even fondly hugg'd his chain.
And why may not each single dame,
Ere this year [illegible], do the same!
Bonny lass, I've one request to make,
When married you wed, send me some cake.
To politicians, foreign news
He's brought, to drive away the blues.
A word with you, ye wealthy misers,
Why dont you take the Advertiser?
The cash would ne'er by you be missed,
Subscribe then on the printers list.
I'll tell you where to purchase stock,
When next your coffers you unlock.
To all my readers young and old,
Live upon him, he's something told,
About the Clock-Jack Musician,
[illegible]
[illegible]
Over the broad face of this free land,
[illegible]
[illegible]
Or France [illegible]
[illegible] the brow, the gold [illegible]
[illegible]
They [illegible] in wonder and affright!
[illegible]
[illegible]
To [illegible] Moses' [illegible] hand,
When [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
The [illegible] to future days,
With [illegible] will grant thy praise,
Oh Texas! where the bold and brave
[illegible] or the soldier's grave,
[illegible] for man's noblest right,
Against the Mexic tyrants' might;
When Carolina's sons have bled,
And sunk among the valiant dead,
My humble muse would not essay
To sing of you, in her poor lay.
Of what has happ'd in our own State,
The [illegible] will not the time relate,
Save that she voted for Will Mangum;
To Van and others, she says "hang 'em"
Oh William, or the Gallic King,
Or Sultan Mahmoud, she'll not sing;
What [illegible] it in this kind of work,
To tell, [illegible] Turk?
What care we for a sailor King,
Or any [illegible] Prince?
This [illegible] the Printer's paradise,
Where each may [illegible] his [illegible] lies
On printing now, the muse would say,
When this you read, the Carrier pay.

Miscellaneous.

ONE REASON FOR FEMALE BEAUTY.

"Fontanes asked me one day why the women of the Jewish race are so much handsomer than the men. I gave him a reason at once poetical and Christian. The Jewesses, I replied, have escaped the curse which has alighted upon their fathers, husbands and sons. Not a Jewess was to be seen among the crowd of priests and the rabble who insulted the Son of Man, scourged him, crowned him with thorns, and subjected him to ignominy and the agony of the cross. The women of Judea believed in the Saviour; they loved, they followed him, they assisted him with their substance, they soothed him under afflictions. A woman of Bethany poured on his head the ointment, which she kept in a vase of alabaster; the sinner anointed his feet with a perfumed oil, and wiped them with her hair. Christ, on his part, extended his grace and mercy to the Jewesses; he raised from the dead the son of the widow of Nain, and Martha's brother Lazarus: he cured Simon's mother-in-law, and the woman who touched the hem of his garment. To the Samaritan woman he was a spring of living water, and a compassionate Judge to the woman taken in adultery. The daughters of Jerusalem wept over him; the holy women accompanied him to Calvary, brought balm and spices; and weeping, sought him at the sepulchre. "Woman, why weepest thou?" His first appearance after the resurrection was to Magdalen. He said to her, 'Mary!' At the sound of that voice Magdalen's eyes were opened, and she answered, 'Master.' The reflection of some very beautiful ray must have rested on the brow of the Jewesses."

YANKEE INGENUITY.

The whole world must ere long acknowledge the superiority of Yankee ingenuity, and already many portions of it have tacitly made the admission, by the employment of American mechanics in the superintendence of various kinds of mechanical business. Gen. Tallmage, in a letter from St. Petersburgh, remarks, that the foreman of the principal machine factory at Manchester, (Eng.) is an American from Providence: and that the principal manufacturer employed by the King of Prussia, is a native of Baltimore. Henry Eckford was for a long time the master ship-builder for the Sultan of Turkey: and we saw stated a few days since, that several elegant buggies have been exported per order to England from Newark, N. J. Two inventions, which are considered by the English as the greatest improvements of the age, are the fruits of Yankee ingenuity—the machine for making the weaver's reed, invented by J. A. Wilkinson, of R. I., and the "self-regulator" to the power loom, invented by A. Stone, of the same State. But in point of ingenuity, we believe nothing can exceed the stock machine, invented by Gen. Harvey, of this village, and now in successful operation in the manufacture of stock frames. Added to this, his machine for manufacturing screws; his brick machine; his combing apparatus, and various others of minor importance, exhibit mechanical skill of the highest order. Wherever our ingenuity and enterprise extend into foreign countries, an evidence and conviction of our greatness goes with them; and the now recollection of young Cockron made Mahmoud of Turkey exclaim, "If American *boys* can do this, what can their men do?"—*Poughkeepsie Telegraph.*

NAMES.

Most names have a meaning in the language [illegible]—sometimes, doubtless, the meaning was applied [illegible] of some characteristic of the person who bore it. Thus Clarke, from the latin *clericus* [illegible] that office. Smith is the English translation of the Latin *Faber*, a general term joined with the particle [illegible] the employment of [illegible] Hence the numerous *Smiths* in the world. The English language is made up of so many other languages that the definition of its proper names are not generally obvious; but in most native languages their meaning is apparent and simple.

To many Bibles is appended the definition of many Hebrew, Greek, and Latin names. An educated German or Italian can tell us the meaning of many of their names, which are sometimes quite ludicrous and not very flattering to the family they designate.

In most languages a syllable is affixed or prefixed to denote the son of. Thus In Highland [illegible], *Mc* or *Mac*. In Spanish, *ez*, as Fernandez. In Hebrew [illegible]. In Dutch *Van*. In Arabic *Ebn*. In English, *son* is frequently affixed: as Williamson, the son of William; Stevenson, Johnson, &c.

EXTRACT FROM WIRT.

Excessive wealth is neither glory nor happiness.—The cold wretch who thinks only of himself; who draws his head within its shell and never puts it out but for the purpose of lucre and ostentation, who looks upon his fellow creatures not only without sympathy, but with arrogance and insolence, as if they were made to be his vassals, and he was made their lord; as if they were for no other purpose than to pamper his avarice, or to contribute to his aggrandizement: such a man may be rich, but trust me, that he can never be happy, nor virtuous, nor great. There is in fortune a golden mean, which is the appropriate region of virtue and intelligence. Be content with that, and if the horn of plenty overflow, let its droppings of honey in the wilderness, be to cheer the way worn pilgrim. I wish you indeed to be distinguished; but wealth is not essential to distinction. Look at the illustrious patriots, philosophers, and philanthropists, who in various ages have [illegible] ed the world: was it their wealth [illegible] made them great? where was the wealth of Aristides, of Socrates, of Plato, of Epaminondas, of Fabricius, of [illegible] and a countless host of [illegible]. Their wealth was in the [illegible]; these are the treasures by which they have been immortalized, [illegible] treasures that are worth a [illegible] struggle.

The [illegible]

last [illegible] the waters of the [illegible] twelve [illegible] which [illegible] deceived [illegible] time of the [illegible]

Shooting stars are [illegible] the [illegible] of Mahomedan [illegible] is darted by angel watchers at those demons who approach too near the gates of paradise.

ETIQUETTE.

A little work has just been published in Glasgow, entitled the 'Science of Etiquette,' which furnishes a summary of laws of good breeding, condensed into a small compass, and calculated [illegible] comfort and welfare of society. The following are a few of the [illegible]:

"True politeness consists in appearing easy and natural, not forced and affected.

"If upon the entrance of a visitor you continue a subject begun before, you should always explain the subject to the new comer.

"Never commend a lady's musical skill to another lady who herself plays.

"Do not allow your love for one woman prevent your paying attention to others.—The object of your love is the only one who ought to perceive it.

"Avoid all proverbs and cant phrases in conversation.

"If you meet a lady of your acquaintance in the street, it is *her* part to notice you first, unless, indeed, you are very intimate. The reason is, if *you* bow to a lady first, she may not choose to acknowledge you and there is no remedy; but if *she* bow to *you*—you, *as a gentleman*, cannot cut her.

"Never *nod* to a lady in the street; neither be satisfied with touching your hat, but *take it off*: it is a courtesy her sex demands.

"Do not insist on pulling off your glove, on a very hot day, when you shake hands with a lady. If it be *on*, why all very well; but it is better to run the risk of being considered [illegible], than to present a *clammy* ungloved hand.

"If you meet a friend in the street, in a coffee house, shop, or indeed any public place, never address him by name, at least not so loudly as that others may hear it.—Sensitive people do not like to be "shown up" [illegible] as "Mr. Jones," or "Mr. Smith," and so attract disagreeable [illegible]. Accost your friend [illegible] "Ah! Mr. Smith" [illegible] Smith." It is very offensive, and shows a great want of proper delicacy."

A Noble Resolution.—[illegible] tions passed at a late meeting of the [illegible] respectful to the [illegible] a beautiful little girl seven years of age, [illegible] and educate her. [illegible] a man of high [illegible] better friend to others [illegible] which the members of the [illegible] vital moral upon the [illegible] reputation. *The* [illegible] father, and *they* are to [illegible] educate and support her."—[illegible]

A noble Animal.—The largest *dog* in America is now exhibiting at 161 Broadway. He is of the *Mount St. Bernard* breed, [illegible] although only eleven months old. [illegible] a noble animal. Mr. [illegible] he belongs, has also his [illegible] with a litter of pups at his room, and these have been readily disposed of at the price of one hundred dollars for the male [illegible] for the females. We recommend [illegible] of the most [illegible] to pay a visit to No. 161 Broadway.—N. Y. *Courier.*

Truth [illegible] by [illegible]—A clergyman [illegible] recently [illegible] a [illegible] to the small edification [illegible] who had been equally a [illegible] know," she answered, [illegible] missionaries for the [illegible] ed, and he seems to [illegible] way." The good soul meant [illegible]

Kreosote is one of the wonders of modern chemistry and materia medica. [illegible] many virtues hitherto attributed [illegible] believed to be a specific in [illegible] it is known to prevent ink from [illegible] mouldy or musty. It is a liquid [illegible] from wood tar; and may be obtained [illegible] drug stores.

Many men gain a reputation [illegible] by a sententious and sober [illegible] are like Pat's owl, which he [illegible] rot,' and offered for sale; [illegible] the purchaser, "he does not [illegible] to be sure, but he keeps a devil of a thinking."

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Mississippi during the last year.