

The Senate elected, by ballot, a Select Committee on the subject of French spoliation prior to 1800. The following are the Committee: Messrs Smith, Hunter, Bradbury, Mangum and Sturgeon.

Mr Foote gave notice that, on Monday he would call up his resolutions concerning the Territories.

The joint resolution providing for the collection of the revenue was taken up and passed.

Mr Borland, from the Committee on Military Affairs, reported bill for the payment to the State of Florida of certain expenses attending the suppression of Indian hostilities.

Mr Dodge, of Wisconsin, offered a resolution to pay the Rev. Mr Slicer the usual compensation for his services as Chaplain at the special and the present session. Agreed to.

Mr Brodhead's resolutions, calling on the President for a statement of the charges against all office-holders removed by him, were taken up.

Mr Mangum said this was a departure from the usual practice, and was wrong in principle. To test the opinion of the Senate, he would move to lay the resolution on the table. The motion was lost—yeas 22, nays 29.

Mr Bradbury said he was surprised at the opposition manifested to the call proposed, which was necessary to a proper discharge of the duties of the Senate, and was not all conflicting with the respect due to the Executive. He proceeded to argue and prove, that the removal of an officer, upon the principles assumed by the President before the election, was a stigma upon the character for fidelity and capacity. He also read that portion of the inaugural address, the passage relative to the appointing power, and the declaration that want of honesty, capacity and fidelity should be the cause for removal.

Mr Bradbury mentioned by name and gave a brief account of each of the most distinguished persons who have been removed by this administration. In this city competent and able faithful men were removed, and the consequence was that the public business was behindhand, and additional force was asked for. It would be better to restore the old officers. The Whig party have become the spoils party.

He did not believe that Gen. Taylor had intentionally deserted his principles, but he had no doubt been imposed upon by false charges, and it was the object of his resolution to elicit this fact. The President certainly did not intend in this way to redeem his pledge to lend himself to no party schemes.

If any Senator should rise in his place and say that the President had disregarded his pledges, and that he removed men merely because they were democrats—if this was acknowledged—if it was admitted that the President's course was inconsistent with his professions—that he would withdraw his resolution.

But it was due to the persons removed that they have an opportunity to vindicate their reputation, if it was insisted that they were removed on the score of incapacity and want of integrity.

The resolution was passed over. Mr Douglas offered a resolution calling for copies of instructions to the agent sent to Hungary; also, instructions to minister to Central America, &c., to be communicated to the Senate in open or in secret session. Lies over.

A short Executive session took place, and the Senate adjourned.

THE FOREIGN NEWS.

We have the following items by last night's mail in relation to the rebellion in Servia:

The military boundary stations are up in arms against the Austrian Government. The Slavonians and Servian boundary regiments had revolted, and raised the cordon of the Turkish frontier, so that their rear is fully secured from the troops on their rear in Turkey.

They were assured beforehand of a warm support—a circumstance which will complicate the relations already sufficiently complicated, between Austria and the Sublime Porte.

The boundary regiments which have revolted are among the bravest and hardest soldiers in the Austrian service. The chief movement is in the Servian, Peterwarden, and Veteck military districts, which are exasperated at being excluded from the wood shaft.

The military force of the rebels is estimated at 120,000, which is hourly swelled by desertion from the Austrian regiments in Peterwarden and other places.

It is said that Russia has been intriguing to get up this insurrection, so as to have both Austria and Turkey entirely dependent upon her; in proof of which Russian agitation is daily proving more open and daring; and the incredible activity of agents of that power leads to the conclusion that sanguinary engagements will speedily break out between Russia and Turkey.

The Prince of Servia has already refused to pay the tribute due to the Sultan of Turkey, of 34,000 ducats, and the

arming of all male adults is being carried on with the greatest possible activity, without any one knowing where the arms come from.

TRUE COURAGE.

We doubt whether the pages of the history of the world present a parallel to the sublime magnanimity and self-sacrifice of the crew of the United States brig Somers. When that vessel was wrecked and about to sink, it was found that only a portion of the crew could be taken off in boats. Those who were commanded to remain obeyed without a murmur. Some offered their places in the boats to others, though it was evident that no human help could reach those who remained. A large, heavy man, who had taken a seat in one of the boats was ordered to return to the vessel, as thereby two men of smaller size could be saved. He did so without complaint. The boats sailed off—the Somers went down amid the boiling waves, and with her, these self-sacrificing heroes, whose glorious courage and greatness of spirit have never been equalled in ancient or modern times.—Richm. Rep.

THE SERGEANT-AT-ARMS.

Mr. Glossbrenner, the recently Sergeant at arms, is the Editor of the York, Pa., Gazette. We have no doubt he was eminently qualified for the office. The following notice of his nomination, from his own pen, was written on the day previous to his election.

"We think the last mentioned is a very judicious nomination indeed—we know the nominee very well, and are rather prejudiced in his favor—but we are somewhat apprehensive that he would have a first rate chance only in the event of the election being decided in favor of the candidate who should receive the least votes. We are glad to know on the best possible authority, that he looks to the election with a full appreciation of the Ethiopian sentiment: 'Blessed are dey wot don't speet nuffin, for dey ain't guine to be dis appointed.'

A Beautiful Thought.—"Out of heaven and the bible, there is nothing so pure as that love which makes us forget ourselves and live unto others. The last time Eve wandered through Eden's bowers of celestial amaranth, the angels, betokening her departure, gave her many flowers, which she twined in her hair, and wore on her neck all, save one—a love blossom—which she pressed to her breast, and the approving smile of all the angels quickened its fainting leaves into life, and it took root in her heart; and so, evermore, the children of Eve are inclined to love."

Queen Victoria, it is said, is coming on a visit to Canada. If that is the case, she had better come soon, or she will be obliged to go out of her own possessions.

The Richmond Republican, in allusion to the amount of juvenile depravity, &c., brought to light by the late police reports in New York, says that resolutions denouncing the sins of other, coming from such sources, can only be compared to the supposed case of a deputation from Sodom & Gomorrah, expostulating with Aaraham on slaveholding.

Baldness.—We learn from the Buffalo Express that baldness is owing to the desquamation of the epidermis. Hang on to your hair, now, those who possess any.

MARRIED

On Tuesday 15th inst., by Rev. D. Humphreys, Mr. T. G. TRIMMER to Miss MARY L., daughter of Dr. M. Thomson, all of Anderson District.

TAXES.

The Tax-Collector of Pickens District will attend at the following places, viz:

On Tuesday the 5th of March at Jno Bowen's; 6th at the Trap; 7th at Hester's 8th at Wolf Creek; 9th Mrs. Barton's; 11th Hurricane; 12th McKinney's; 13th Grant's Store; 14th Oconee Station; 15th West Union; 16th Whetstone; 18th C. Poole's; 19th Bachelor's Retreat; 20th Rockwell; 21st Wm. Saunders; 22nd Miller's; 23d R. Gaines; 25th Salubrity; 26th Pickensville; at Pickens C. H. on Monday and Tuesday of Spring Court. My books will then be closed; All returns not made by that time will be double taxed.

All persons are required to return all taxable property transferred or purchased since the last tax return.

State Tax Road " 20 per cent. Poor " 12 1/2 " " J. BOWEN, t. c. Jan. 18, '50. 36—4f

LOOK OUT.

Those indebted to the subscriber can save cost by calling and settling their notes and accounts as longer indulgence cannot be given.

JAMES GEORGE, Jan. 5, '50 3f

BUILDERS AND LABORERS

Are notified that we will let to the lowest bidder, at this place, on the 2nd Monday in February next, in three separate contracts, the Removal of the Public Square to make room for a 10 foot story under the Court House, the building and completing the said story of Brick, and the putting up a Portico at each side of the Court House, with stone steps.

Those desiring to see the plan and specifications will find it with one of us.

Bonds with good security will be required for the faithful performance of the work, which will be required to be done strictly according to contract a portion of the money will be advanced if desired by the contractors.

MILES M. NORTON, JOSEPH BURNETT, E. E. ALEXANDER. Committee. Pickens C. H., Jan. 22nd 1850. tds.

CITATION.

Mrs Lucia King having applied to me for Letters of Administration on the Estate of George W. King, late of Pickens District, deceased, the Kindred and Creditors are cited to appear before me on the 4th day of February next, and show cause if any they can why said Administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand and seal, January 21st, 1850. W. D. STEELE, o. p. d. Pickens C. H. 36—2t

[H. L. JEFFERS.] [W. S. COTHRAN] [E. J. BUCKMASTER.] WAREHOUSE

Market-Street, HAMBURG, S. C.—WATERPROOF. McIntosh-Street, AUGUSTA, GA.—FIREPROOF.

Commission Merchants. Take this method of informing their friends and the public generally, that they still continue the WAREHOUSE and COMMISSION business in this place and Augusta, Ga., where they offer their services to RECEIVE, STORE OR SELL COTTON, FLOUR, BACON, &c., RECEIVE AND FORWARD MERCHANDISE, BUY GOODS, FOR PLANTERS OR MERCHANTS.

Their Warehouse in Augusta is on McIntosh-street, in the centre of the Cotton trade.

Their Warehouse in this place is safe from water and isolated, therefore not exposed to fire.

As they will be constantly at their post, promoting the interest of their friends (which they are aware will add to their own.) They solicit and hope to merit and receive a full share of that liberal patronage heretofore bestowed, and for which they now return thanks.

Liberal cash advances will be made, when required, on any produce in store. JEFFERS, COTHRAN & Co. Hamburg, Sept. 1st, 1849. 18

HEAD QUARTERS. COLUMBIA DIVISION. GENERAL ORDER.

ALL applications for Arms and Accoutrements will in future be made to the Commander-in-Chief direct.

Each application countersigned must contain the actual strength of the Company, the number and character of arms and accoutrements on hand, and the number and character of arms and accoutrements required. In no event will any requisition be complied with until all the old or useless arms and accoutrements are returned or satisfactorily accounted for to one of the Arsenal Keepers of this State.

The 117 Sec. A. A. 1841, herewith published, will be rigidly enforced. By order Commander-in-Chief. J. W. CANTEY, Adj. and Insp. Gen.

"Each officer required by law to make any return or report, or who shall be required by any superior officer, and fail to make such return or report, shall be liable to be fined as follows, to wit. A Major General, one hundred and fifty dollars; a Brigadier General, one hundred dollars; a Colonel, or officer commanding a regiment, seventy-five dollars; a Lieutenant-Colonel, Major, or officer commanding a battalion, fifty dollars; a Captain, or officer commanding a company, twenty-five dollars; a Judge Advocate General, seventy-five dollars; a Brigade Judge Advocate, fifty dollars; a Regimental Judge Advocate, twenty-five dollars; a Paymaster General, seventy-five dollars; a Division Paymaster, fifty dollars; a Brigade Paymaster, thirty dollars; a Regimental Paymaster, twenty-five dollars; and all commissioned staff officers shall be fined in similar sums, according to their respective rank, and fifty per cent. on the amount of the last general tax of such delinquent of any grade." All papers in the State will copy. Dec 22 32—4f

MONEY!

ALL Persons having demands against the Estate of Maj. Hamilton deceased will present them to me duly attested. Those indebted to the Estate will do well to call and pay up.

A. M. HAMILTON, Admr. Nov. 10, 1849. 26

NOTICE. TO DISTRIBUTEES.

The Distributess of the Estate of Henry Garner dec'd. are hereby notified to appear in the Court of Ordinary on Friday the 8th of March next, for a final and full settlement of said Estate. Each Distributee will be required to render on oath a schedule of all property received by them from said Estate.

All persons having demands against said Estate are required to present them to me duly attested on or before the 8th of March next, or they will be barred by the settlement.

JAMES GARNER, Adm'r Pickens C. H., S. C. Jan. 19, 1850 35 6t.

COMMISSIONERS SALE. IN EQUITY. PICKENS DISTRICT.

Mary Murphee & James M. Murphee vs. Sarah Stewart, Moses Murphee, and others. Bill for sale of Real Estate, &c. &c.

By virtue of a decretal order in this case, I will sell at Auction, at Pickens Court House, on the first Monday in February next; One Tract of Land lying on the Eastern side of Twelve-Mile River in Pickens District, known as the Moses Murphee Tract, adjoining the tract whereon Mrs. Mary Murphee now lives, Lands of Isaac Anderson, jr., Capt. Jacob Geavin and others, supposed to contain about one hundred and seventy five acres more or less.

Twelve months credit will be given on the purchase money, except a sufficiency to pay costs, which will be required in cash on the day of sale. Purchaser to give Bond with two good securities and to pay for titles.

MILES M. NORTON, c. e. p. d. Pickens C. H., S. C. Jan. 19, '50 35 tds.

Executors' and Administrators' Notice.

Persons having demands against the Estates of either Thomas or Elizabeth Cardine, dec'd, will present them legally attested, and those indebted will make payment to

MILES M. NORTON, Agent for Ex'r and Adm'r. Jan. 19, 1850. 35 4w.

BARGAINS AT SALUBRITY.

W. S. & T. P. WILLIAMS have just replenished their Stock of Goods with the very best assortment and the latest style of Dry Goods, Cloths, Satinets, &c., Linen, Shirting, Northern Homespun &c. Calicoes latest fashions, at 5 to 25 cts. per yard, silk Gloves and handkerchiefs of superior style, lower than ever offered here before, and mens Hoskin Black Gloves, a good article, at 75cts per pair. A fine lot of Shoes and Boots of every style; Hats and Caps, from 15cets to \$1.00, Fine Hats from \$1 to \$5.00.

Groceries, Sugar and Coffee, superior article. New-Orleans Molasses at 50cets per gal. Iron, Nails and castings on good terms. All of the above will be disposed of as low or lower than they have been sold in this market in many a day.

In exchange for Goods we will receive Beeswax, Tallow, and Feathers at the market prices.

Come and examine for yourselves, for we are determined to sell for small profits and quick returns. Jan. 12, '50. 34. 4f.

E. B. BENSON & SON, ARE NOW RECEIVING AND OPENING THE LARGEST STOCK OF GOODS THEY HAVE EVER HAD IN PENDLETON.

Consisting in part of BROADCLOTHS, CASSIMERES SATINETS, MACKINAW, PILOT, BEAVER AND FELL COATINGS, SATIN, CASHMERE, VEL VET, SWANS DOWN AND CASSIMERE VESTINGS

ALSO, TWEEDS, KERSEYS KENTUCKY JEANS, AND various New Style Goods for Gentlemen and Ladies wear—Merinos and Alpacas' all colours, Late Style Bonnets, Ribbons, Flowers, Laces, Edgings, Fancy Buttons, Braids, Tapes, &c., &c.

ALSO, A Fine assortment of Hardware, Crockery, Glassware, Saddlery Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Drugs, Medicines, Smiths and Carpenters Tools, Groceries, Cigars, Tobacco, Nails, Castings, Books and Stationery, Jewelry, Perfumery, Guns, Pistols, Powder, and lots of Yankee notions too tedious to mention.

Persons wishing to purchase would do well to give us a call, as it is against our principles to keep Goods long on hand. Pendleton, Dec. 11th, 1849. 3 2ins

Notice to Undertakers.

I will tell to the Lowest bidder on Saturday the 9th of February next, at twelve o'clock, m., the re-building the bridge over the west prong of Cane creek where the Road leading from Pickens village to West Union crosses it; the sale to be at the bridge.

JOSEPH BURNETT, 35--3t COM. ROADS, &c.

SHERIFF'S SALES. Pickens District.

BY VIRTUE OF WRITS OF FIERI FACIAS TO ME DIRECTED Will be sold before the Court House in Pickens District, within the legal hours, on the first Monday and Tuesday in February next.

600 Acres of Land lying on Estatoa, adjoining lands of O. E. Barton and others; 1 Road Wagon, 2 bay Mares, levied on as the property of John McKinney at the suit of W. L. Keith and others.

326 Acres of Land more or less, on Chauga, adjoining lands of Thomas Harbin, Wm. Barton and others; on Tuesday after sale-day at defendant's residence, 1 pair Oxen, 1 Ox Cart, 1 black Mare, 1 bay Colt, 3 Cows and Calves, and 13 head stock Hogs, all levied on as the property Joel Mason at the suit of Joseph Grisham.

On Tuesday after sale-day at the house of the defendant, 150 bushels Corn, 2 head stock Hogs, 3 Cows and Calves, levied on as the property of Enoch Chapman, Sen., at the suit of Enoch Chapman, Junr

180 Acres of Land, lying on the waters of 12 Mile River, adjoining lands of James Porter, Mary Murphee and others; on Tuesday after sale-day at defendant's house, 1 sorrel Mare, Saddle and Bridle, 1 two-horse Wagon, 1 one-horse Wagon, 2 Cows and Calves, 3 Hogs, 1200 bundles Fodder, 1 barrel Whiskey, an old set of smith's Tools, all levied on as the property Isaac Murphee, at the suit of A. Hunter and others.

J. A. DOYLE, s. p. d. Sheriff's Office, Jan. 11, 1850.

SOUTH CAROLINA. IN THE COMMON PLEAS PICKENS DISTRICT.

Allen Keith, assignee, Dec. in Attach vs. Perry & Keith, Joel M. Keith, Plaintiff's Att'ys. The Plaintiff having this day filed his Declaration in my office, and the Defendant having no Wife, nor Attorney, known to be in this State on whom a copy of this Declaration may be served, On motion of Plaintiff's Attorney, It is Ordered, That the Defendant do appear and plead or demur to the said Declaration, within one year and a day from this date, or judgment will enter by default. W. L. KEITH, c. c. r. Clerk's Office, January 1, 1850. 33—1y

NEW GOODS!

THE Subscriber would again inform his friends, and the public generally, that he has just received a fresh supply of Seasonable Goods!

consisting in part of the following articles, viz: Calicoes, from 5 to 20 cents per yard; Shirting, bleached and brown; Cambrics, Lawns and Alpacas; Cloths, Tweeds, Cassimeres, &c., for gentlemen's wear; Blankets, Hats, Caps, Bonnets, &c.; Umbrellas, and a variety of other articles, which he will sell very cheap for cash. S. R. McFALL. Pickens C. H., Dec. 19, '49. 32—b

Judge for Yourselfs.

Those indebted to me either by note or account must call and settle or they will have costs to pay. J. N. LAWRENCE. Jan. 5, '50 4f

Letters.

Remaining in the Post Office at Pickens C. H., Quarter ending 31st Dec., 849, which if not taken out within three months will be sent to the Post-Office Department as dead letters

Table listing names of individuals: Duganreum Artist, Micajah Alexander, J. L. Byram, H. E. Campbell, Peter Ellington, Elijah Foster, W. Grant, Rev. D. Humphreys, James Holden, James Lay, Bally Mosley, Alfred McCall, Rev. John Owens, Watson C. Owen, John Willson, Abraham Able, G. A. L. Bollos, S. M. Bell, W. W. Clayton, Garner Evans, Rev. J. Grisham, Richard Golden, Eunus Hunter, John Lay, Edmund Martin, Wm. Martin, J. B. Mauldin, Jeremiah Prater, Dan. Whitmer, Samuel Wilson, E. E. ALEXANDER, P. M., January, 12, 1850.

MONEY! MONEY!

Those indebted to the late firm of Thompson & Keith will find their Notes and Accounts in the hands of officers for collection if not paid by the first day of March next. E. M. KEITH, Jan. 5, '50. 4f