THE SUMTER WATCHMAN.

The Sumter Watchman.

WEDNESDAY APRIL 20.

W. Y. PAXTON - - BUSINESS MANAGER.

☞ All Transient Advertisements, and all Job Work must be paid for in cash. This will be observed without distinction. Subscriptions are also payable in advance.

☞ Applications for Job Work will be made, at the office, to THOS. E. FLOWERS.

The WATCHMAN books are in the keeping of W. Y. PAXTON, who will receipt for monies due and attend to all matters connected with the Advertising or Subscription departments.

☞ Our Advertising friends are requested to send in their favors not later than Monday.

DEATH OF MRS. JUDITH G. MASON.

Our community was painfully wrought upon, on Saturday last, by the intelligence of the death of Mrs. JUDITH G. MASON, the devoted and beloved consort of Mr. C. T. MASON. The death of this much-loved lady was painful and sudden, and has thrust darts of piercing anguish into the hearts of a large circle of relatives and friends. Her funeral services were performed at the Presbyterian Church, on Sabbath morning, in the presence of an unusually large congregation, the occasion being one of great solemnity and impressiveness.—The Baptist and Methodist Churches were closed, the congregations united, and Rev. DONALD MCQUEEN, was assisted in the services by Revs. S. M. RICHARDSON and H. M. MOOD.

INCOME TAX.

Those who have not yet made their returns to the Assessor Maj. W. F. DE KNIGHT, still have the opportunity, and should do so at once.

☞ The Sunday school connected with the Methodist Church of Sumter has appointed the following delegates to the Convention to assemble at Charleston on the 12th of May next: Rev. H. M. Mood, F. A. Tradewell, J. H. Dingle, Col. Jesse Thompson, F. A. Folsom.

SODA WATER.

Our courteous and liberal friend, J. F. W. DeLorme, Druggist, handed us, a few days ago, a baker's dozen of tickets, which—so far from representing the number of witches which were supposed to sit down at the table with the bakers of former times, in their great meetings—stood good, each one, for a glass of the charming soda that makes merry music as it gushes from his beautiful fountain. Haven't we said enough to give all lovers of this delightful beverage the cue?

THE SUMTER BOOK STORE.

More new books received. See the advertisement, in which some are mentioned. We call upon the reading, intelligent community, to sustain this effort to establish a sufficient book department in our town. All books are sold at the publisher's retail prices, and so guaranteed. You can therefore get any book at Sumter for the same price you would pay in New York, Philadelphia, or any other place of publication.

TOWN IMPROVEMENTS.

The crust of the earth was broken, on Monday morning last, in excavation for the foundation of a new Brick Hotel and stores in connexion, on the lot immediately adjoining the Planters' Warehouse and fronting the Court House.

This building will rest upon two lots, as previously divided and sold—and last purchased, one by Messrs. RICKER & FERITER, and the other by F. J. MOSES, JR. These parties, we learn, have united the two lots, and will erect the building by common investment.

The building will have a front of seventy feet width and a depth of eighty feet. To the depth of forty five feet it will be three stories—the remaining thirty-five feet, one story. Two stores, twenty two feet wide, will run the entire distance from front to rare of the ground story. The centre will be the entrance to the hotel and constitute the office and dining room, on the first floor. On the second floor there will be three parlors—22 by 24,—with folding doors, so that the whole may be turned into one large room. On the second and third floors there will be eighteen bed rooms, and other apartments. On the front and centre of the building, to be reached from the second story, will be a veranda. The whole to be furnished in first class style, and to cost from fifteen to twenty thousand dollars. The hotel, we learn, will be rented to some party with means sufficient to furnish it, and who knows how to keep such an institution.

CHAMBER'S ENCYCLOPEDIA.

This is a dictionary of universal knowledge for the people, and one of Lippincott's most valuable publications. Revised edition, re issue of 1870, with maps, plates and engravings. To be completed in eighty parts of 104 pages each. Price, per part, including maps and illustrations, sixty cents. For sale by subscription only. W. Y. PAXTON, business manager of the *Watchman*, has been appointed agent for Sumter County, and subscriptions will be received by him or at the Sumter Book Store.

LIPPINCOTT'S PRONOUNCING

Dictionary of Biography and Mythology, containing memoirs of the eminent persons of all ages and countries, and accounts of various subjects of the Norse, Hindoo and Classic Mythologies. Also a book of great value, and to be had as above stated.

SERENADE.

It was the evening of the Firemen's Parade—

"The moon
Rising in clouded majesty, at length,
Apparent queen, unveiled her peerless light,
And o'er the dark her silver mantle threw."

It was a night of beauty—of lovely quiet. Young spring-times' beautiful array nestled in the grander light of the full-orbed moon. The earth beneath our splendid trees a patch-work of shadow and of light. Gentle zephyrs toyed amid the scene, to waft in sweeter melody music's soul-inspiring strains.

We, all unconscious, slept, to be awakened by the reality of delight that brought sweet sounds streaming full through our window. It was a moment of real pleasure, and if we failed to arise and greet the generous friends who came thus to greet us, it was that we would not break the spell that bound us.

We tender our highest appreciation of the beautiful compliment.

BEYOND A DOUBT.

More diseases are the result of a derangement of the Liver than from any other cause. When that organ is diseased, every part of the system sympathises with it, and general prostration and decline is the result. The best, safest and speediest remedy for Liver Complaint, and all the diseases that follow, is TUTT'S VEGETABLE LIVER PILLS, they are peculiarly adapted to the climate of the South. They are sold by Druggists everywhere.

"A GOOD LIFE KEEPS OFF WRINKLES," so do SUMTER BITTERS, which by its use restores and invigorates the whole system and repairs the ravages of time.

The most rigid philosophy and the most careless mirth, are intimately related, inasmuch that the latter is frequently the offspring of the former. The one discovers the vanity of human pursuits and wishes; the other seizes present enjoyment to compensate the calamity. A mixture of the two comprised the essence of the Epicurean system. But such should not be in extenso, the belief of the moderns, when the whole materia medica is at their call, in the shape of the "Old Carolina Bitters."

Winoman's Crystalized Worm Candy never fails!

STEWARDS' MEETING.

The Regular Monthly Meeting of the Board of Stewards of Sumter (Station) Methodist Church, will be held at the Parsonage on Wednesday evening, 20th inst., at 7 o'clock. A preliminary meeting, for the accommodation of the members of the Board who reside in the country, will be held at the office of the *Sumter Watchman*, at 12 o'clock same day.

Members will please come prepared to report collections for the month of April.

J. H. DINGLE, Chairman.

F. A. FOLSOM, Secretary.
April 6, 1870.

HOW TO BUILD CHEAP.—Every one who has any experience in building, knows to his sorrow that the thousand and one little items included in the one word finishing, make fully half the cost of a house, and that ill advised expenditure in this direction often runs the bill far above the estimate. To avoid such trouble and disappointment, buy your blinds, doors, sashes, mouldings, direct from the manufacturer, P. P. Toale, Charleston, S. C. See advertisement.

SUMTER ADVERTISEMENTS.

Our old friend D. J. WINN is prepared to furnish Clothing and Cloths, and Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods generally, for Spring and Summer use, at unusually low rates. His selections have all been made under his own experienced eye, and he is prepared not only to guarantee his goods, but to offer an elegant variety.

MRS. M. J. ZEMNOW—Is opening her Spring Fashions for the ladies. She has a beautiful variety of Millinery, which has been selected with that care and taste for which she is so well known, and which she is selling at very reasonable prices.

W. C. DUNCAN—Continues to repair Harness and Saddles—his shop now being at his residence, "over Turkey Creek."

CHARLESTON ADVERTISEMENTS.

We direct special attention to the following new Charleston Advertisements to be found in our present issue. [Others not mentioned here will receive notice next week.]

"STEEL'S HAT HALL."—Among the most prominent business men of Charleston, there are none entitled to more distinguished consideration than WALTER STEELE, of "Hat Hall" notoriety. His career has been an honorable one, and as an individual case, furnishing, in itself, one of the most remarkable incidents in the records of mercantile enterprise. Try him at least once.

PHŒNIX IRON WORKS—These works justly rank among the leading founders of the country. Their workings in iron and in brass are unexcelled, and their promptness—so essential—is a prominent feature of the establishment. We may mention as an incident sustaining this remark, that during the recent trip of the steamship "Manhatten," from New York to Charleston, an accident happened to her Air Pump Rod, which put her twelve hours behind. This rod, which is twelve feet long and contains five hundred pounds of brass, was completed in time to enable her to leave on her regular return trip. The capacity of the Phœnix Works is now ample, and we trust that orders from our section will be sent down to them.

UNION FERTILIZER.—Mr. PAUL C. TRENHOLM, Commission merchant, offers the Union Fertilizer to the farmers, planters, gardners, &c. of the country, which accomplishes the double purpose of fertilizing the soil and at the same time ridding it of all worms and insects injurious to vegetation. This preparation should be tested generally, inasmuch as it proposes to accomplish that which works great good to the planting community.

LENGNICK, SELL & FOSTER.—Mr. CHAS. FOSTER, a gentleman of high standing and accomplished business capacity, has recently connected himself with this old and popular house, where Fancy Goods in great variety, Ladies' Trimmed Hats and Millinery Goods generally, may always be found at the lowest prices.

FURNITURE.—Mr. R. WHITE, one of the oldest and most reliable Furniture Dealers of Charleston, has recently made large additions to his stock and business accommodations, and will fill orders at the lowest rates. When you go to the city, give him a call.

FOWLER'S PATENT ADDING MACHINE.—This is said to work great relief to the book-keeper or accountant, and as a labor-saver and economizer of time where figures are to be computed, is worthy the attention of all interested. Address Messrs. BOINEST & MARTIN, who own the patent for this State and Georgia, and offer county rights for sale.

MRS. M. J. BOOTH—French Millinery.—King Street has no place of greater attraction for the ladies than this. MRS. BOOTH'S Spring Stock is beautiful indeed. Let the ladies who visit Charleston remember this; as we have no doubt they will.

HENRY BISCHOFF & CO.—This establishment has prospered and grown, and grown and prospered, until its dimensions and extent of business would seem extravagant were they stated in detail. They are liberal and they are attentive to business, and they have never been afraid to advertise. Such men always succeed. We could point them out in every community. BISCHOFF'S is certainly the place to get Groceries in Charleston.

SUMTER POST OFFICE.

From and after this date, the mails going North and South will close at 12 o'clock A. M.

Northern and Southern Mails will be open for delivery at 2 o'clock, P. M.

The extra Charleston Mail will close at 6 o'clock, P. M., and open for delivery at 6½ o'clock P. M.

Office hours from 8 A. M. to 7 P. M.

Sunday—The Mails will close at 11 o'clock, A. M. Open for delivery from 3 to 4 o'clock, P. M.

T. B. JOHNSON, P. M.

☞ The many friends of Mr. THOMAS HAIR respectfully announce him as an independent candidate for a seat in the Legislature from Sumter County, and solicit for him the support of

THE CITIZENS.

April 13, 1870.

COMMERCIAL.

SUMTER MARKET, APRIL 19.

Cotton firm at from 17 to 20 but little offering.

BACON—Rib Sides, 19½@00; Clear, do., 20 @00; Shoulders, 16@00; Hams, 25.
LARD—20@25c.
FLOUR—Per bbl. $7@$12.
COFFEE—Laguayra, 30@32; Java, 45@50; Rio, 22@30.
SALT—$2.50.
SUGAR—Brown, 12½@14; C., 15@17; A., 17 @00; Crushed, 19½@00.
BAGGING—Best, 30@32; Gunny, 28@30.
IRON-TIES—10@12.
ROPE—10@15.
BATESVILLE SHIRTINGS—Per bale 12c.
YARN BY THE BALE—$2.10c. Per bunch.

LATEST QUOTATIONS OF
SOUTHERN SECURITIES,
IN CHARLESTON, S. C.,
Corrected weekly by A. C. KAUFMAN, Broker, No. 25 Broad Street.
APRIL 18, 1870.

STATE SECURITIES—South Carolina, old, 00@85; do new, —@79; do, [regist'd stock, ex int 79@80.

CITY SECURITIES—Augusta, Ga. Bonds, 83@84; Charleston, S. C. Stock, (ex qr int) —@58; do, Fire Loan Bonds, —@76; Columbia, S. C Bonds, —@70.

RAILROAD BONDS—Blue Ridge, (first mortgage) —@65; Charleston and Savannah, —@70 Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta, —@87; Cheraw and Darlington, —86; Greenville and Columbia, (1st mort) —@80; do, (State guarantee) 69@—; Northeastern, —@90; Savannah and Charleston, (1st mort) —80; do, (State guarantee) —@75; South Carolina, —@80; do, 73; Spartanburg and Union, —@59.

RAILROAD STOCKS—Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta, —@50; Greenville and Columbia, 1½ @2; Northeastern, 0@9; Savannah and Charleston, —@35; South Carolina, (whole shares) —@45; do, (half do) 18@22.

EXCHANGE, &c—New York Sight, ¼ off par; Gold, 111@113; Silver, 105@108.

SOUTH CAROLINA BANK BILLS.

*Bank of Charleston	—@—
*Bank of Newberry	—@—
Bank of Camden	05@—
Bank of Georgetown	—@5
Bank of South Carolina	5@—
Bank of Chester	5@—
Bank of Hamburg	2@—
Bank of State of S. C. prior to 1861	50@—
Bank of State of S. C. issue 1861 and 1862	18@—
*Planters' and Mechanics' Bank of Charleston	—@—
*People's Bank of Charleston	—@—
*Union Bank of Charleston	—@—
*Southwestern R R Bank of Charleston, (old)	—@—
*Southwestern R R Bank of Charleston, (new)	—@—
Farmers' and Exchange Bank of Charleston	—@—
Exchange Bank of Columbia	13@—
Merchants' Bank of Cheraw	2@—
Planters' Bank of Fairfield	2@—
State of South Carolina Bills Receivable	par.
City of Charleston Change Bills	par.

*Bills marked thus (*) are being redeemed at the Bank Counters of each.

Jan 12 1y

SPECIAL NOTICES.

DR. A. L. SCOVILL is the inventor of several medicinal preparations which have become very popular, and have been liberally used. Among his inventions are "Hall's Balsam for the Lungs" and "Liverwort and Tar." For the past six years a better Lung remedy has been offered to the public. Read the following letter from Dr. Scovill referring to it:

Messrs. J. N. HARRIS & CO.,

GENTS:—I make the following statement from a perfect conviction and knowledge of the benefits of ALLEN'S LUNG BALSAM in curing the most deep seated Pulmonary Consumption! I have witnessed its effects on the young and the old, and I can truly say that it is by far the best expectorant remedy with which I am acquainted. For Coughs, and all the early stages of Lung complaints, I believe it to be a certain cure, and if every family would keep it by them, ready to administer upon the first appearance of disease about the Lungs there would be very few cases of fatal consumption.—It causes the plegm and matter to raise, without irritating those delicate organs (the Lungs), and without producing constipation of the bowels. It also gives strength to the system, stops the night sweats, and changes all the morbid secretions to a healthy state. Yours respectfully,

A. L. SCOVILL.

Sold by A. ANDERSON & CO., Sumter, S. C.

OCCUPATIONAL AILMENTS.

Fresh, pure air is a vitalizing elixir. Whoever is debarred by circumstances from unrestricted access to this invisible, but powerful stimulant, needs a medicinal invigorant of some kind. The great object should be to choose the best. Popularity is a pretty good guarantee of merit in this scrutinizing and intelligent age, and tried by this criterion Hostetter's Stomach Bitters stands first among the invigorating and regulating medicines of the present day. To the wants of persons engaged in indoor employments, especially in crowded factories where even with the best possible ventilation the atmosphere is always in some degree polluted, this salubrious vegetable tonic is peculiarly adapted. The nature of the ingredients is no mystery. It consists of an absolutely pure diffusive stimulant, tinctured—or rather surcharged—with the fluid extracts of sanatous roots and barks and herbs. The pharmacopœia has its tinctures, but what are they? The juice of only a single root or bark or plant is present in each. Not one of them combines the three properties of a tonic, an alterative, and an aperient. All these elements are blended in the Bitters; nor are these the sum of its medicinal recommendations. It is also a blood depurent and an antispasmodic.

The baleful effect which air that has been partially exhausted of its oxygen by frequent breathing produces on the vital organization, is notorious, and when to this devitalized atmosphere is superadded the mephitic vapor of hot air furnaces, it becomes deleterious and depressing in the extreme. To enable the system to bear up, even for a few hours each day against the debilitating influence of a vitiated atmosphere, a wholesome tonic and alterative is urgently required. This grand desideratum is supplied in Hostetter's Bitters, which as a strength sustaining, health protecting agent has no rival either among officinal or advertised medicines.

KOSKOO!

Prepared by Dr. J. J. Lawrence, the celebrated PHYSICIAN and CHEMIST, Norfolk, Va., is a SAFE, PLEASANT and RELIABLE remedy for ALL diseases CAUSED by

TORPIDITY OF THE LIVER,
IMPURITIES OF THE BLOOD,
DISORDERS OF THE URINARY ORGANS,
DERANGEMENTS OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM.

It PURIFIES and ENRICHES the BLOOD, RESTORES the LIVER and KIDNEYS to a healthy ACTION, AIDS DIGESTION, REGULATES the BOWELS, and INVIGORATES the NERVOUS SYSTEM.

It is NOT a Patent Medicine.
FORMULA around each bottle.
ENDORSED *by the best Physicians.*
The MOST POPULAR *Medicine in use.*

DR. LAWRENCE is constantly in receipt of GRATEFUL letters and TESTIMONIALS of REMARKABLE CURES performed by Koskoo.

All letters answered and advice given—FREE.
KOSKOO for sale by Druggists everywhere at ONE DOLLAR PER BOTTLE. For sale by
J. F. W. DeLorme, Sumter, S. C,
July 28—1y

REDIVIVUS!!
The S. S. S. of 1861,

Or Dr. JEUSON'S Original SOUTHERN SOOTHING SYRUP FOR CHILDREN TEETHING, is again resuscitated!! It is a *Corrigent* of the *Bowel disorders* contingent upon this period; a *grateful Carminative*; a *nutritious Syrup*; and a *gentle Anodyne*, inducing *calm* and *refreshing* repose, without the pernicious and distressing reactionary disturbance of the nervous system that results from the exhibition of most preparations—*expressly made for children*. Its use in the Southern States, as far back as 1862, established its reputation as a Southern Institution, and, as a medicine unrivalled, and as being the *best* and *safest* preparation for *children teething*, ensuring REST to MOTHERS and NURSES and *relief* and *strength* to their infants. It is therefore *no new medicine*, and needs no advertising where it is best known. Every precaution has been taken to preserve and protect it from fraudulent counterfeits. It is *manufactured only at the Laboratory of* COITE, TOMPKINS & HURD, members of, and successors to, the old established SOUTHERN DRUG HOUSE OF HARRAL, RISLEY & KITCHEN, 141 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, to whom all orders should be addressed, and is for sale to the citizens of Sumter and surrounding country by the following first class and respectable Druggists: A. ANDERSON & CO., J. F. W. DELORME.
June 16—1y

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

THE advertiser having been restored to health in a few weeks, by a very simple remedy, after having suffered several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure Cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, etc. The object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable; and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

Parties wishing the prescription, will please address Rev. EDWARD A. WILSON, Williamsburg, Kings County, New York.
June 2.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing, in perfect confidence,
JOHN B. OGDEN,
June 2 No. 42 Cedar st. N. Y.

TO ALL
Whom it May Concern,

WHEREAS, IN THE COURSE OF HUMAN EVENTS, it becomes necessary for a man to get what is due him, in order to live and

PAY HIS TAXES,
(Honest debts left out;)

And whereas, the Subscriber returns his thanks to those who have so kindly and so promptly PAID HIM IN BANKRUPT AND OTHER NOTICES FOR THE GOODS they have so nobly carried off, and appropriated to their own use and benefit; he solicits a continuance of their custom, BUT ON DIFFERENT TERMS, hoping they will come forward and be as friendly as ever. He dont ask others whose bills are standing, some of which have been due a shameful length of time, to come forward and pay up, but heartily desires them to do so.

For further particulars enquire at
NO. 3.
April 13—tf

Spring Stock
ARRIVING.

THIS STOCK HAS BEEN PURCHASED within the last ten days, when Gold was $1.11, and having been purchased when the market was at the lowest point, I am prepared to offer one of the

Best and most Complete Stocks

ever brought to this market, and at prices that DEFY COMPETITION from any house who purchased a week ahead of me.

Call and examine for yourselves. It is useless enumerate, as my customers know that any and every thing useful can always be found at my store.

Goods Lower than Ever
And Lower than any where else.
Come and see, and you will be convinced.
A. A. SOLOMONS,
Corner Main and Liberty Streets.
April 13

MILLINERY.

A RICH AND BEAUTIFUL SELECTION OF
SPRING MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS,
IN GREAT VARIETY.

The ladies are particularly invited to call and examine the many novelties of the season, which cannot fail to please the fashionable and those of good taste.

Goods are much cheaper, and will be sold on very reasonable terms—to suit the times.

Call at the fashionable Millinery establishment of
MISS E. D. BRITTON.
April 13.

NOTICE.

AUGUSTA, GA., March 27, 1870.
A YOUNG LADY, of this city desires a situation in a family, to teach English and Music, both Vocal and Instrumental.
For further particulars address
"S. H,"
Key Box, 461, Augusta Post Office.
April 6—3t*

SPECTACLES
—AND—
EYE GLASSES.

LORSCH'S PATENT INTERCHANABLE LENSES.
Gold, Silver, Steel and Rubber Frames.
Periscopic, Convex and Concave Lenses.
Cataract and Colored Lenses, of all Shades.
March 9 C. T. MASON.

Estate Notice.

ALL persons having claims against the Estate of W. W. McCutchen, deceased, will please present them duly proven. And all persons indebted will please make payment to
H. C. McCUTCHEN, Adm'or.
Jan 19—tf

COWS AND CALVES FOR SALE.
APPLY AT THIS OFFICE
March 28—4t

COTTON SHIPPED.

We have made arrangements to ship
COTTON
To New York, Baltimore or Charleston, making
Cash Advances
on same when delivered, and having it held at
EITHER POINT
as long as may be desired.

We will receive Cotton at Sumter, Lynchburg, Mayesville or Manchester.

Green, Watson & Walsh,
DEALERS IN GENERAL MERCHANDISE
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

Just Received
200 BBLS. LIME,
AT $2 50.
300 Sacks Liverpool Salt,
AT $2.50.
1000 Bushels Corn,
AT $1.40.
20,000 POUNDS BACON,
FROM 16 to 20 cts.
200 Barrels Flour,
FROM $7,00 to $10,00.
—ALSO—
A Large Assortment of
SPRING CALICOES
—AND—
Dress Goods.
GREEN, WATSON & WALSH,
DEALERS IN
GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

Extraordinary Discovery.

All those indebted to me will please come forward promptly and pony up the stamps. I have waited patiently, until I have been reduced to straitened circumstances. And, as keeping my customers in ignorance of the facts, as they exist, would be unwise, therefore I will enlighten them on the subject, and give them a chance of doing their duty to God and myself and those immediately connected with me.
Respectfully Your Humble Servant.
A. J. MELDAU.
March 30—1m.

GUNS AND PISTOLS
REPAIRED BY AN EXPERIENCED WORKMEN, if left at
C. T. MASON'S Jewelry Store.
March 9

AN ORDINANCE
To Raise Supplies for the Year
1870.

SEC. I.—Be it Ordained by the Intendant and Wardens of the Town of Sumter, now met and in Council assembled, That a tax for the several sums and in manner hereinafter mentioned, shall be raised and paid into the treasury of the Town of Sumter, for the use and service thereof, for the year 1870.

On the value of each hundred dollars of Real Estate, twenty-five cents. On the value of each hundred dollars of the nett proceeds of all sales of Goods, Wares and Merchandize, twenty five cents. On the value of each hundred dollars of the Incomes arising from the professions of Law, Medicine and Dentistry, and for the business of taking Daguerreotypes, Photographs and all other similar likenesses, twenty five cents. On each pleasure Carriage, drawn by one horse, three dollars. On each pleasure Carriage drawn by two or more horses, five dollars. On each Vehicle of any kind kept for hire or profit, drawn by one horse, five dollars. On each Vehicle of any kind kept for hire or profit, drawn by two horses, ten dollars. On each Vehicle of any kind kept for hire or profit, drawn by more than two horses, twenty dollars. On each Dog, one dollar. On each hundred dollars of all sales made at Auction or on Consignment, except sales made by order of Court or process of law or by Executors or Administrators, twenty-five cents.

SEC. II.—That every person liable to be taxed by the first section of this Ordinance, shall make a just and true return on oath to the Clerk and Treasurer of such taxable property, and pay the said tax during the Month of May—and in default thereof, the Clerk and Treasurer shall immediately issue Execution for the same, under his hand and the seal of the Corporation of the Town of Sumter.

SEC. III.—That persons liable to road duty shall be exempt from the same for the year, by paying to the Clerk and Treasurer, by the first day of June, 1870, the sum of three dollars each, as a commutation for the same.

SEC. IV.—That the Chief Marshall make out for the Clerk and Treasurer, a full and complete list of all persons liable to road duty in the Town, and the Clerk and Treasurer shall, under his hand and seal, issue a warrant to the Chief Marshall, commanding him to summons all persons who are liable to road duty, and who have not paid the commutation money, to meet in front of the Court House, at a time to be hereinafter appointed, before the fifteenth day of June, to work six days on the streets, or in default thereof, to appear before the Council at the first regular meeting afterwards to answer for the default; and the Council if no sufficient cause is shown, shall impose and collect the fines now imposed by the road laws of this State.

SEC. V.—That all taxes on Real Estate shall be paid by the person or persons who are in possession of the same at the passage of this Ordinance; and the taxes on Carriages and other Vehicles, shall be paid by the persons owning the same, at the passage of this Ordinance, or who may hereafter own the same.

SEC. VI.—That the fiscal year shall run for the present from the first of May, 1870 to the first of May, 1871, and the taxes paid under this Ordinance shall not exempt any property taxed from taxation, longer than the first of May, 1871.

SEC. VII.—That the Council may hereafter regulate the Taxes on any subject of taxation not embraced in this Ordinance.

Ratified in Council assembled this 31st day of March A. D., 1870.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Corporation of the Town of Sumter.
E. C. GREEN, Intendant.
J. S. HUGHSON, Clerk and Treasurer.
April 13—2t

AN ORDINANCE
To Establish a Uniform Tax or License for all Parties selling Goods or Merchandise by Auction from Stores.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Intendant and Wardens of the town of Sumter, in Council assembled—

That all parties selling goods or Merchandise of any kind from stores or on any public square by Auction, shall pay a license of fifty dollars per year, or ten dollars per month. To be paid in advance.

Ratified in Council assembled, this 31st day of March, A. D., 1870, under the hand of the Intendant and the seal of the Corporation.
E. C. GREEN, Intendant.
J. S. HUGHSON, Clerk and Treasurer.
April 13—3t

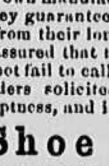
GREAT REDUCTION
—IN—
PRICES
—FOR—
Cash.

Coffee, 20 to 25c. per lb.
Coffee Sugar, 15c.
Sugar, 12 1-2 to 15c.
Sugar, Finest C, 16c.
Lard, 20c.
Fine Goshen Cheese, 25c
Halibut Fish, 12 1-2c.
Flour, 25 lbs. for $1 00.
Flour, best Family, 14 lbs. for $1 00.
Bacon, 15 to 20c.
Nails, 8c, by the keg, 7c.
Calicoes, 10 and 12 1-2c. per yard.

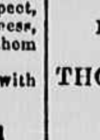
SPRING AND DRESS GOODS
at 12 1-2 to 20c. per yard.
PLANTERS' WAREHOUSE.
March 30

SEGARS, PIPES.
GENUINE HAVANA
SEGARS,
BEST IN SUMTER.
A LARGE VARIETY OF
Pipes.
MERCHAUM—Genuine and Imitation.
WOODEN—Various styles and prices.
And many others AT LOW FIGURES.
Glass and Crockery Ware,
IN GREAT VARIETY,
The cheapest ever offered in this market.
Fruit, Confectionery,
FANCY and HEAVY
GROCERIES,
Always on hand CALL AND EXAMINE
—AT—
JOHN S. HUGHSON'S,
Under the Photographic Gallery.
March 16

BOOTS AND SHOES,
MADE TO ORDER.



THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVING removed from Manning, and located themselves in SUMTER, S. C. (at the Old Telegraph office,) CORNER MAIN & DUGAN STS., are prepared to furnish BOOTS and SHOES of their own manufacture on short notice.



They guarantee satisfaction in every respect, and from their long experience in the business, feel assured that those who once patronize them will not fail to call again.

Orders solicited, which will be filled with promptness, and in workmanlike manner.

Shoe Findings
of every description on hand and for sale low.
☞ *Terms strictly Cash.*
Bultman & Wells,
March 30 3m

The State of South Carolina
IN THE COMMON PLEAS.
COUNTY OF SUMTER.

Edward A. Edwards, Assignee, vs. Samuel Furman. } Bill to Foreclose Mortgage of Land.

IN obedience to the order of sale made in this case, dated 15th January, 1870, I will offer for sale, at public outcry, at Sumter Court House, on Sales Day in May next, for cash, the mortgaged premises mentioned in said Bill, consisting of all that piece or parcel of land containing about seventy-five acres, situate lying and being in Sumter County, whereon the said Samuel Furman formerly resided with the messuages and buildings thereon. Bounded on the South west by the road leading from Stateburg to the Bradford Springs, on the North east by land formerly of Joseph B. White and other sides by lands now or formerly of Charles M. Furman.

Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps.
G. W. REARDON, C. C. P.
April 6—4t

SILVER PLATED WARE,
JUST RECEIVED
CASTERS, NEW PATTERNS,
BUTTER DISHES, GOBLETS, CUPS,
CALL BELLS and various articles for BRIDAL PRESENTS.
March 23—tf C. T. MASON.

Just Received
—AT—
DARGAN'S,
FINE SEGARS,
Smoking Tobacco,
Pipes,
Pipe Stems and Fixtures.
THE CHEAPEST
Crockery and Glass Ware
Offered in the market since the war,
(Auction Goods not Excepted.)
CONTINUE TO RECEIVE WEEKLY,
THE VERY BEST CANDY
SOLD IN THE MARKET.
First house in town to PUT THE PRICE OF CANDY DOWN.
SPECIE PAYMENT RESUME D AT
THE SUMTER CONFECTIONERY.
March 16—4t

J. D. CRAIG,

Upholsterer, Manufacturer,
AND DEALER IN
FURNITURE,
RESPECTFULLY INFORMS HIS friends and patrons that he is now prepared to furnish them with
Furniture, etc.,
of the different STYLES and PATTERNS now in use. He has now on hand a supply of
BED ROOM AND COTTAGE SETS,
CANE AND WOOD SEAT CHAIRS,
BEDSTEADS,
TABLES,
BUREAUS,
CRIBS,
&C., &C.

SAMPLE PLATES from the best Manufacturers of Boston and New York—will be shown to purchasers and any styles prefe:red, not on hand, will be ordered for accommodation of patrons—all of which will be sold at prices to suit the times.

FURNITURE made to order, in any style and at short notice.

Manufacturing, Repairing and Upholstery done promptly, and in a neat and workmanlike manner.

Chairs reseated with cane and made as good as new.

Picture Frames of all sizes, Rose Wood, Gilt, and plain mouldings, made to order, and Looking Glasses set in frames, and for sale.

FUNERALS promptly attended to in Town or Country, and Metallic, Mahogany, Walnut, or Common Coffins, furnished as required, at short notice.
Dec 8

Head Quarters
—FOR—
Cheap Goods,
—AT—
FRANK FOLSOM'S.
GREAT BARGAINS IN
Fancy Articles.
THE PLACE FOR THE LADIES TO BUY
TRIMMINGS, LACES, &C.
Fresh Arrivals Constantly.
THE FINEST LOT OF
FANCY GOODS IN SUMTER,
always on hand and sold CHEAP.
CANDIES! CANDIES!!
THE BEST.
And Good Things Generally.
TEA! TEA!!
A SPLENDID ARTICLE at $1.25 per pound in the Confectionery Department.
March 16

Pate & Taylor
HAVE RECEIVED A
FINE ASSORTMENT
OF
GOODS,
BOUGHT IN NEW YORK BY ONE OF THE FIRM AT THE RECENT DECLINE.
THOSE DESIRING TO PURCHASE
FRESH AND CHEAP
GOODS
HAD BEST GIVE THEM A CALL.
They are prepared to serve all in the best manner, and respectfully solicit a continuance of the favors hertofore so liberally bestowed.
March 28

General Life and Fire
INSURANCE AGENCY.
SUMTER, S. C.

THE following Companies having complied with the Law, and deposited $20,000 each with the Comptroller General, offer protection to households against loss or damage by fire:

Security Fire Insurance Company of New York, Assetts, $2.017.860 81.
German Fire Insurance Company of New York, Assetts, 1.053.054 61.
Georgia Home Insurance Company, Columbus, Ga., Assetts, 468.781 10.
Richmond Banking Insurance Co., of Virginia, Assetts, 279.546 24.
A. WHITE,
March 30 Agnet.

BUSINESS,
VISITING,
AND WEDDING CARDS,
Neatly executed at this Office.

DR. TU[illegible]
Golden [illegible]
Bitte[illegible]
The Best Tonic Ever [illegible]

Recommended by the bes[illegible] in the country for the cure of
Dyspepsia,
Dysentery,
Diseases of the Liv[illegible]
Kidneys,
Sick Headache,
Loss of Appetite,
Female Weaknesses,
And General Debility.
IT HAS NO EQUAL.
It is a sure PREVENTIVE OF CHILL[illegible] FEVER, and is a GREAT STRENGTH[illegible]
IT EXHILERATES WITHOUT [illegible] FOLLOWED BY DEPRESSION, [illegible] account is the best beverage.
IT IS A MOST DELIGHTFUL CORDIA[illegible]
The most delegate Females take it.
NO FAMILY SHOULD BE WITHOUT [illegible]
☞ Sold by the Principal Druggists [illegible] Grocers.
April 13

J. E. SUARES,
SUMTER FURNITURE
—AND—
Chair Ware-Rooms.

HAS ON HAND A LARGE STOCK OF FURNITURE, for less than can be obtained in any Southern market, saving both freight and risk of breakage by Railroad. With experience in this branch of business in the City of Charleston for twenty-five years, and having the advantages of the best Manufacturers, he is offering first class work of which every article sold is warranted. The stock consists of
Sofas, Side Boards, Book Cases, Wardrobes
Washstands, Bureaus, Cottage Setts, Whatnots
Extension Tables
Mahogany, Cane and Wood Seat Rocking Chairs
Mahogany, Cane and Wood Seat Setting Chairs
Cribs, Cradles
Trundle Bedsteads and Cottage Bedsteads
Every style Looking Glasses and Mattresses.
FIVE HUNDRED PAIR WINDOW SHADES just received, together with a lot of WALL PAPER AND BORDERING.
Main Street, opposite Express Office, UP STAIRS.
J. E. Suares.
Feb 23—tf

Coffees.
PRIME RIO,
Good Rio,
Fair Rio,
Common Rio,
Choice Laguayra,
Java.
For sale by ADRIAN & VOLLERS,
March 30 Wilmington, N. C.

Flours.
EXTRA FAMILY,
Family,
Extra Super,
Super.
For sale by ADRIAN & VOLLERS,
March 30 Wilmington, N. C.

Sundries.
CRACKERS, Soaps, Candles, Starch, Nails, Tobacco,
TEAS, Oranges, Lemons, Canned Goods, Snuff, Segars.
For sale by ADRIAN & VOLLERS,
March 30 Wilmington, N. C.

Sugars.
STANDARD CRUSHED,
Standard Powdered,
Standard A,
Circle A and B,
Extra C,
Standard C,
Light Brown,
Dark Brown,
Muscovado,
For sale by ADRIAN & VOLLERS,
March 30 Wilmington, N. C.

NO. 3
GROCERIES.
THE ONLY STRICTLY
Grocery and Liquor House
IN TOWN

THE UNDERSIGNED, begs leave to call the attention of his friends and the public generally to his
NEW AND WELL SELECTED
STOCK OF
Heavy and Fancy Groceries
Which he offers low for CASH ONLY.
☞ All articles warranted as recommended
☞ Pure Medicinal Liquors kept constantly on hand.
April 13 J. H. EBERHART.

REMEMBER
—THAT YOU CAN GET—
GOOD FOOL'S CAP PAPER at 15 cents per quire.
LETTER PAPER at 10 cents per quire.
ENVELOPES at 6¼ cents per pack.
SLATES at 10 cents each.
SCHOOL BOOKS and all Miscellaneous Books at PUBLISHER'S RETAIL PRICES.
—ALSO—
Photograph Albums,
Wall Paper,
Toilet Soaps,
Hair and Tooth Brushes,
Visiting Cards,
Engravings, &c., &c.
VERY LOW
At the SUMTER BOOK STORE.
March 16 A. WHITE & CO.

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DENTIST,
BROAD STREET, CAMDEN, S. C.
Every description of work executed with promptness, and in the most approved and durable style. Sets of Teeth furnished at very moderate rates.
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