

# By Telegraph.

## English Elections.

LONDON, July 22.—The elections are nearly over. 625 members have been returned to the House of Commons. The Liberal gain is now twenty-four.

## From Washington.

WASHINGTON, August 2.—One hundred and two pardons, all of the twenty thousand dollar class, were yesterday granted by the President. Over two hundred applications were received.

There is good authority for stating that the sweeping assertions of the Raleigh Progress, scattered broadcast yesterday over the country, through the agency of the associated press, denouncing what it termed the reckless exercise of the pardoning power by President Johnson to the Confederate leaders, are without foundation. The statement, therefore, that large numbers of pardoned rebels were banded together in North Carolina to defeat Gov. Holden and oppose the Federal authorities, cannot be true.

The story that Gen. Kirby Smith was taken prisoner, with his forty companions, by the Mexican Government, turns out to be untrue. The General arrived safely at Monterey, and after resting a few days, pushed on for the city of Mexico.

The New Orleans Times' Brownsville correspondent, who received the original statement from one of Cortina's staff, says: I now learn that a young man, who was formerly mid-camp on Magruder's staff, has just arrived at Matamoros, from Monterey, and that he pronounces the whole story a canard. He said the party had no artillery, rifles or train; that they were unopposed by Federal or Mexican authority, and that they arrived at Monterey in safety. He also says Kirby Smith was hard up for money, and was compelled to borrow \$300 from a gentleman named Preston, at Monterey.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—The Star pronounces the reports of the impending collision on the Rio Grande to be untrue, as well as the story that reinforcements have been sent to Texas to repel the encroachments of the French troops. It is quite certain that the Government has no knowledge of any trouble in that section.

ILLNESS OF THE PRESIDENT.—President Johnson is suffering from a bilious attack, though it presents nothing serious. He has received no visitors since Saturday, and will probably receive none during the remainder of the week. In consequence of his illness the regular cabinet meeting was not held to-day.

GEN. DICK TAYLOR.—Gen. Dick Taylor returned this morning from Fortress Monroe, where it is thought he had an interview with J. E. Davis, his brother-in-law. What its object was no one here seems to know. It is plain, however, that there will be no trial of Mr. Davis for some time to come.

THE MONROE DOCTRINE.—The aptness always displayed by the New York Herald in falling in with the popular current, gives importance to its utterances as expressing the prevailing sentiments of the North. After advising the Western powers to "stand out of the way," pronouncing upon what will happen in the improbable event of their declining to do so, it says:

Then, without warning, the Senate will declare war; the President will call for a million of men; our veterans will take down their muskets; the Secretary of the Navy will provide transports and a convoy, and before the news of the declaration of war reaches France the first shot will be fired and the first battle won. After Mexico will come Canada, and after Canada will come Cuba. The crash will be heard, like Horace's thunder, from a clear sky. England, France and Spain, may combine, or they may fight us separately, but the result in either case will be the same. We warn Napoleon, Palmerston and Navarez of these facts of the future in the best possible spirit and in the interests of peace. For the same reason we urge them to accept the adjustment we propose. The end will be the same; it is simply a matter of choice with them how we shall reach it, by treaty or by war. The American people have just shown how sincere they were in saying the Union must be preserved. They are equally sincere in the statement that the Monroe doctrine must be maintained.

An association of Northern capitalists propose to lease one of the Southern railroads for a number of years. In case their proposition is accepted, the roads will be put in complete order.

## John Anderson, my Jo.

This exquisite ballad, constructed by Robert Burns out of a different and somewhat exceptional lyric, has always left something to be wished and regretted; it is not complete. But who would venture to add to a song of Burns? As Burns left it, it runs thus:

John Anderson, my Jo, John,  
When we were first acquaint,  
Your locks were like the raven,  
Your bonnie brow was bright;  
But now your brow is bald, John,  
Your locks are like the snow;  
But blessings on your frosty pow,  
John Anderson, my Jo.

John Anderson, my Jo, John,  
We clamb the hill together;  
And mny a canty day, John,  
We've had w' aye anither;  
Now we mairn tetter down, John,  
But hand in hand we'll gae,  
And sleep thegither at the foot,  
John Anderson, my Jo.

Fine as this is, it does not quite satisfy a contemplative mind; when one has gone so far, he looks and longs for something more—something beyond the foot of the hill. Many a reader of Burns must have felt this, and it is quite probable that many have attempted to supply the deficiency; but we know of only one success in so hazardous an experiment. This is the added verse:

John Anderson, my Jo, John,  
When we have slept thegither,  
The sleep that a' mairn sleep, John,  
We'll wake w' aye anither;  
And in the better world, John,  
Nae sorrow shall we know;  
Nor fear we'er shall part again,  
John Anderson, my Jo.

Simple, touching, true—nothing wanting, and nothing to spare; precisely harmonizing with the original stanzas, and improving them by the fact of completing them. This poetical achievement is attributed to Mr. Charles Gould, a gentleman of our town, whose life has been chiefly devoted to the successful combination of figures—but not figures of rhetoric. The verse was written some years ago, but it has not hitherto found its way into print; yet it well deserves to be incorporated with the original song in any future edition of Burns' poems, and we hope some publisher will act on this suggestion.—Home Journal.

KENTUCKY ELECTION.—In view of the approaching election in Kentucky, a proclamation has been published by Governor Bramlette, and a military order has been issued by General Palmer, commanding the national troops in the State, warning persons who have borne arms in favor of the rebellion, or assisted it in any manner, against attempting to vote, in violation of the State law specially prohibiting their exercise of this privilege.

CONFISCATION IN FLORIDA SUSPENDED.—Acting Attorney-General Ashton has directed the United States District Attorney for the Northern District of Florida to suspend the sale of confiscated lands advertised to come off at Jacksonville, August 7th, until the arrival of Gov. Marvin in Florida, and he can be consulted in regard to these cases.

Newbern, North Carolina, prior to the war had a population of six thousand, but is now the largest city in the State, having increased the number of its inhabitants to thirty thousand. The Northern elements of labor and capital are strongly represented. Two new daily papers are to appear in the autumn.

NEGROES LEAVING KENTUCKY.—The Louisville Democrat estimates that over sixty thousand slaves have crossed over the Ohio River, under Gen. Palmer's passes, since the 1st of May. At this rate the whole slave population of Kentucky will "pass away" in less than one year.

The Government pays a rent of \$1,500 per month for Ford's Theatre, and reserves the right of purchase for \$100,000. The building is to be used as a depository of rebel archives.

Gen. Lee is reported to be at the Clifton House, Niagara Falls, and it is supposed that Vallandigham (who passed through Detroit on Tuesday) was on his way to the same point.

The Simons Twins (Chung and Eng) announce in the Northern papers, that having lost all their property, they are compelled to exhibit themselves again.

The Charleston post office has been removed to the Pavilion Hotel.

## FUNERAL INVITATION.

The friends and acquaintances of J. W. and Elizabeth McCason, are invited to attend the funeral services of their little daughter, EMMA, in the Baptist Church, THIS MORNING, at 10 o'clock.

## Copartnership.

WE, the undersigned, have formed a COPARTNERSHIP, under the style of SIMONS & KERRISON, for the purpose of conducting the GROCERY, DRY GOODS and GENERAL COMMISSION BUSINESS, and would respectfully solicit the patronage of our friends and the public.

FOR SIMONS,  
JAS. S. SIMONS,  
CHAS. KERRISON, JR.

ON HAND.  
A lot of fine FAMILY FLOUR, by the barrel or pound; a choice assortment of GROCERIES; also a select stock of DRY GOODS. SIMONS & KERRISON,  
Assembly Street, opposite Courtland.

# C. S. Jenkins' STORE, Assembly Street, THIRD DOOR FROM PENDLETON.

Engine, Boiler, &c. for Sale.  
A FRESH SUPPLY OF GROCERIES just opened, and for sale as cheap as can be had in the city, for cash or barter for country produce and provisions. Call and see before purchasing elsewhere, as my object is to sell low and "ready sale and short profits."

Fresh Groceries, &c.  
I will also attend, with despatch, to the sales of any PROVISIONS that may be forwarded to me, and amount for or remit as ordered. GEO. L. PRATT,  
Assembly Street, one door from Riceland.

## Government Claims AND APPLICATIONS FOR PARDON.

THE subscriber respectfully offers to the citizens of the State his attention to all matters pertaining to GOVERNMENT CLAIMS and APPLICATIONS FOR PARDON. All applications for pardon, under the extended sections of the President's Amnesty Proclamation, must be in the form of a petition, stating the exception or exceptions, and accompanied both by the oath prescribed and with the approval of the Provisional Governor of the State. The subscriber presents, at the same time, his cards as ATTORNEY AT LAW.

## THE ORANGEBURG AND COLUMBIA Stage Line

SENDS A CARRIAGE OR SPRING WAGON to Orangeburg, Monday at 2 p. m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, making connection with Charleston trains the following morning. On arrival of train on Monday, Wednesday and Friday a vehicle starts for Columbia. For passage, apply to J. H. FOWLER or E. COFFIN, at the store of E. M. Stokes, Main Street. Ang 10 1/2

## Columbia Male Academy.

THE exercises of this Institution will be resumed on MONDAY, the 14th inst. The subscribers having been elected joint principals of the above Institution, respectfully inform the people of the State of South Carolina, that a thorough course of education, both scientific and classical, will be pursued, and that the youth of the State who are placed under their care, will receive the benefits of careful instruction, fitting them for either a mercantile or professional life.

The year will be divided into three terms. The first to commence on the 1st of January and end on the 31st of April. The second to commence on the 1st of May and end on the 31st of August. The third to commence on the 1st of September and end on the 31st of December. There will be three vacations of two weeks each.

Terms: Twenty-five (25) dollars per term of four months for Classical and French Schools; English and Mathematical, twenty (20) dollars. Applications can be made to either of the principals at Columbia.

J. B. WHITE,  
H. S. THOMPSON.  
Columbia, August 2, 1865.

## LIMESTONE SPRINGS FEMALE HIGH SCHOOL, SPARTANBURG, S. C.

Per Term of Four Months, Payable in Advance.  
INSTRUCTION—English Departments, \$20  
Board, including Washing and Fuel, 40  
Music—Piano, 20  
Guitar, 15  
Vocal (special lessons), 16  
Eye of Piano, 10  
French, German or Italian, each, 16  
Drawing and Painting, 16  
Primary Department, 12  
No charges besides the above will be made in connection with the School, except for books and stationery actually used. The School will be resumed for a term of four months, on WEDNESDAY, August 16. Payment can be made in money, provisions or cotton, at old prices. Each boarder must bring one pair of sheets, one pair of pillow cases, towels, her drinking cup and 1 Right.

## Charleston Advertisements.

STATE BONDS AND R. R. BONDS WANTED.  
BONDS OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA. Bonds of the State of Georgia. Bonds of the State of South Carolina. Bonds of the State of North Carolina. Bonds of the State of Tennessee. Bonds of the State of Virginia.

ADAMS, FROST & CO., CHARLESTON, S. C.  
ARE prepared to sell COTTON or PRODUCE in Charleston, New York or Liverpool, as may be most advantageous; and to make liberal advances on consignments to them. They will furnish planters as far as possible the usual facilities.

J. H. BAGGETT & CO., Factors and Commission Merchants, ADGE'S SOUTH WHARF, CHARLESTON, S. C.  
SELL, in this Market, or ship to New York or Liverpool, both Long and Short Staple COTTON. Liberal advances on shipments, and returns made in gold or treasury notes, as instructed.

Machinery for Sale.  
ALL the machinery required in the manufacture of COTTON GINS, GRAIN THRESHERS, &c., perfectly new and in complete running order, consisting of ONE EIGHT HORSE POWER STEAM ENGINE, with Boiler, Shafting, Pulleys, Belts, &c., complete. One Iron Planer, " Wood Planer, " Turning Lathe, " Corn Mill, " Small Circular Saw.

C. E. Chichester, REAL ESTATE BROKER.  
18 BROAD STREET, CHARLESTON.  
AGENT for the purchase and sale of REAL ESTATE in any of the Southern States.

Wills & Chisolm, Factors, Commission Merchants, AND SHIPPING AGENTS.  
OFFICE, MILLS HOUSE, CHARLESTON, S. C.

Fire Insurance.  
TUPPER & LANE, AGENTS,  
CHARLESTON, S. C.

THOMPSON STREET, COMMISSION MERCHANT,  
71 EAST BAY, CHARLESTON, S. C.

## Auction Sales.

BY DURBECK & WALTER.  
THIS DAY, August 10, at 9 o'clock, will be sold, at our office,  
Bureaus, Chairs, Mattress, Cradle, Feed Cutter, Lounges, Stoves, Tables, Buckets, Plates, Dishes, Wine Glasses, Jugs, Lamps, Carpets, Books, Pots, Pans, Bags, Looking Glasses, large Boiler, &c. Ang 10 1

BY JACOB LEVIN.  
THIS MORNING, at 10 o'clock, I will sell, a finely finished Top Buggy and Harness, in fine order. Sale positive. Ang 10 1

THIS MORNING, 10th instant, before my store, I will sell,  
7 extra good SADDLE AND HARNESS HORSES,  
2 light TWO-HORSE WAGONS,  
1 light SPRING WAGON. Ang 10 2

Columbia Gas Light Stockholders' Assessment.  
THE subscriber is now ready to receive the above at his office, corner of Plain and Assembly streets. Payment is required on or before MONDAY, the 14th inst. Ang 9 5 JACOB LEVIN.

Zealy, Scott & Bruns, ASSEMBLY STREET.  
Aug 9 3

Flour, Lard, Bacon.  
5,000 lbs. superior Western FLOUR,  
1,000 lbs. choice BACON,  
600 lbs. Kentucky LEAF LARD.  
Kitts prime Goshen BUTTER.  
Just received and in store, together with general assortment of

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, DRUGS and MEDICINES, FANCY ARTICLES,  
For sale by MELVIN M. COHEN,  
Assembly Street, West side, Ang 7 m 5/2 One door from Pendleton.

40, 40, 40.  
PRIME FRESH BUTTER, LEAF LARD. For 40 cents per pound, at the  
Cheap Store.  
Aug 9 3

ZEALY, SCOTT & BRUNS, Assembly Street.  
Aug 9 3  
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HAMS, SHOULDERS AND BACON.  
1,000 LBS. BACON, at the above figure, at the  
Aug 9 3 CHEAP STORE.

Wagon for Sale.  
ONE FOR OR FIVE HORSE WAGON, nearly new, with Body and Iron Axles, suitable for hauling goods or lumber. Apply to RICHARD O'NEALE.  
Aug 8 3\*

FENNER, BENNETT & BOWMAN, (Successors to Hotchiss, Fenner & Bennett.)  
COM. MERCHANTS,  
40 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK, AND MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE.

MR. T. A. TOBIN, who was for a length of time connected with the old firm of Hotchiss, Fenner & Bennett, has an interest in the present firm, and will devote his attention principally to the State of South Carolina. His address will be Clinton, Laurens District. Ang 4 1mo

Notice.—Charitable Appeal.  
THE ladies of the URSULINE CONVENT and ACADEMY are anxious to rebuild, as speedily as possible, an edifice suitable for their Monastery and Institute, theirs having been burned in the general conflagration of Columbia by the United States Army, under Gen. Sherman, on the night of February 17th. And while they are far from pressing their necessities on their fellow-sufferers of the South, will gratefully receive any contributions which the friends of education and religion may donate them for this excellent work. Remittances may be made through the Express Company. Please address  
THE MOTHER SUPERIOR,  
Ursuline Convent and Academy,  
Care Dr. John Lynch, Columbia, S. C.  
Aug 2 1mo

DRY GOODS.  
THE subscriber will open THIS MORNING, in addition to his stock of GROCERIES, at his store, corner of Camden and Ball streets, building formerly used as the upper story house, an assortment of DRY GOODS, consisting of  
PRINTS, BLEACHED SHIRTING,  
IRISH LINEN, RUSSIAN DIAPER,  
LINEN TOWELS, GRENADINE VELS,  
L. C. Handkerchiefs, White Cotton Hose, Hooks and Eyes, Hoop Skirts, Suspenders, Ball Cord, etc., etc.  
Aug 8 2\* RICH'D CALDWELL.

ZEALY, SCOTT & BRUNS, ASSEMBLY STREET.  
Aug 9 2