

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1865.

Mr. BOYCE presented the credentials of the Delegate from the Parish of St. Helena, which, on motion of Mr. BOYCE, was referred to a Special Committee of Three...

Mr. BLACK asked and obtained leave to record the vote he would have given, if present, on the passage of an Ordinance to repeal the Ordinance of Secession...

Mr. MOSES, from the Committee on the Judicial Department, made a report on so much of the Governor's Message as relates to the sittings of the Court of Appeals...

Mr. FROST gave notice that, on Monday next, he will offer certain amendments to the 6th Rule of the Convention.

Mr. BOLLING offered the following resolution; which was ordered to be laid on the table...

Resolved, That a Committee of Twelve, composed of two from each Congressional District, be appointed by the President of this Convention, to inquire and report to this Convention what number of Representatives it will be proper, according to the present law of the United States...

Mr. DAWKINS, from the Committee on Ordinances and Resolutions, made a report on a resolution to restore political relations with the State.

On motion of Mr. DAWKINS, the Committee was discharged, and the same was referred to the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution...

An Ordinance to declare slavery abolished in this State, and on other papers referred on the same subject; which was ordered for consideration on Monday next...

A Resolution in relation to Electors of President and Vice-President of the United States; which was ordered for consideration on Monday next.

Mr. FROST introduced the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Ordinances and Resolutions...

Resolved, That the Provisional Governor be authorized and requested to appoint an agent to proceed to Washington, and remain there, whose duty it shall be to represent, with the President and the departments, the interests of the State...

Mr. MACBETH introduced the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary Department...

Resolved, That hereafter colored persons and negroes shall be permitted to testify in all the Courts of this State in all cases where the rights of persons, or of property of such persons, may be concerned.

Mr. HAMMOND introduced the following resolutions; which were referred to the Committee on Ordinances and Resolutions...

Inasmuch as a fundamental difference of opinion in reference to the character, powers and policy of the Government of the United States and of the State Governments, which existed in the Convention which framed the Constitution...

1. Resolved, That the Union is the first and paramount consideration of the American people.

2. Resolved, That sovereignty, a unit absolute and indivisible, which, in all nations, must exist somewhere, resides in the American people...

3. Resolved, That it is an incontrovertible fact that slavery has ceased to exist through the exercise of the military power of the Federal Government...

4. Resolved, That it is the true policy of the American people to confine the General Government strictly within the limits of the Constitution...

5. Resolved, That the late war was not one of an oppressed people against tyranny, but arose from an apprehension, on the part of the weaker section, of oppression and tyranny in the future...

6. Resolved, That we endorse the acts of President Johnson's administration, and will cordially support its wise and patriotic efforts to restore to the whole country the blessings of peace.

Mr. DUDLEY, from the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution, made a report...

On sundry resolutions as to the mode of election of Treasurers, Comptroller-General and Secretary of State, and resolutions by Mr. Orr, indicated by Nos. 10, 11, 12 and 13 of series.

So much as relates to resolutions Nos. 12 and 13 was recommended to the Committee, with instructions to report articles and sections for the Constitution, in accordance with the suggestions of the report...

Mr. F. W. PICKENS introduced a Bill of Rights, which was referred to the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

Mr. SMART introduced the following resolutions, which were referred to the Committee on Ordinances and Resolutions...

Resolved, That we earnestly recommend to the citizens of this State the immediate formation in each District of a force of citizen militia, to act in concert with the United States troops as a general police for the District in which they are raised...

Resolved, 2. That the forces thus raised shall, as soon as their organization is completed, report through the proper channels to the officer commanding the United States troops garrisoning their District...

Resolved, 3. That His Excellency the Governor be requested to prescribe such organization and adopt such measures as in his judgment shall be necessary to carry out the above, and to urge on the United States authorities the acceptance of such organization in lieu of the colored garrisons now on duty.

Mr. LESÉSNE, from the Committee on the Judiciary Department, made a report on...

An Ordinance to declare in present force the Constitution and laws heretofore in force in this State, and the acts, official, public and private, done, and the appointments and elections made under authority of the same...

Mr. F. W. PICKENS introduced the following sections to the Bill of Rights, which was referred to the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution...

The free exercise and enjoyment of religious profession and worship, without discrimination or preference, shall forever hereafter be allowed within this State to all mankind...

CONSTITUTION OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

We, the Delegates of the People of the State of South Carolina, in General Convention met, do ordain and establish this Constitution for its government.

ARTICLE I.

DECLARATION OF RIGHTS.

SEC. 1. All power is inherent in the People, and all free governments are founded in their authority and instituted for their benefit.

SEC. 2. All men have a natural and inalienable right to worship Almighty God according to the dictates of their own consciences.

SEC. 3. No laws shall be passed respecting an establishment of religion, or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press, or the right of the people peaceably to assemble...

SEC. 4. The People shall be secure in their persons, houses, papers and possessions, from unreasonable searches and seizures; and no warrants shall issue but upon probable cause...

SEC. 5. No person shall be held to answer for a capital or otherwise infamous crime, unless on a presentment or indictment of a Grand Jury, except in cases arising in the land or naval forces...

SEC. 6. No person shall be subject for the same offence to be twice put in jeopardy of life or limb; nor shall be compelled in any criminal case to be a witness against himself...

SEC. 7. In all criminal prosecutions, the accused shall enjoy the right to a speedy and public trial, by an impartial jury of the District wherein the crime shall have been committed...

SEC. 8. No person shall be taken or imprisoned, or deprived of his freedom liberties or privileges, or outlawed or exiled, or in any manner destroyed or deprived of his life, liberty or property...

SEC. 9. The trial by jury as heretofore used in this State, and the liberty of the press shall be forever inviolably preserved.

SEC. 10. Excessive bail shall not be required; nor excessive fines imposed; nor cruel and unusual punishments inflicted...

SEC. 11. The Legislature shall not grant any title of nobility or hereditary distinction, nor create any office the appointment to which shall be for any longer term than during good behavior.

SEC. 12. The military shall be subordinate to the civil power, and every citizen has a right to keep and bear arms for the common defence...

SEC. 13. No soldier shall in time of peace be quartered in any house without the consent of the owner or occupant; nor in time of war but in a manner to be prescribed by law.

SEC. 14. Every person, for an injury done him in his person, reputation, property, or immunities, shall have remedy by due course of law...

SEC. 15. In all civil suits, and in all controversies concerning property, the parties shall have a right to trial by jury, except in cases where it has been heretofore otherwise practiced...

SEC. 16. No tax or duty shall be imposed without the consent of the people, or their Representatives in the Legislature.

SEC. 17. Slavery and involuntary servitude are hereby abolished in South Carolina, and shall not again exist in the State, except as a punishment for crime, whereof the party shall have been duly convicted.

SEC. 18. The enumeration of certain rights shall not impair nor deny others retained by the people.

Mr. DUVOVANT introduced the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Ordinances and Resolutions...

Whereas the President of the United States has, by proclamation, declared that slavery is forever abolished within the limits of the sovereign State of South Carolina; and whereas this Convention is powerless to add to or subtract from the force of the said proclamation...

Mr. ORR introduced an Ordinance to divide Pickens District into two Election and Judicial Districts; which was referred to the Committee on Ordinances and Resolutions.

Mr. WINSMITH introduced the following resolutions; which were referred to the Committee on the Legislative Department...

Resolved, That the General Assembly of South Carolina, consisting of a Senate and House of Representatives, shall be constituted as follows: 1st. Each Judicial District of the State, as now constituted...

2d. The House of Representatives shall consist of one hundred and twenty-four members, to be apportioned among the several Election Districts of the State, according to the number of white inhabitants...

Mr. REED introduced the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution...

Resolved, That so much of section two, article nine, of the Constitution of the State as provides that no ex post facto law or laws impairing the obligation of contracts shall ever be passed by the Legislature of the State...

Mr. PERCY introduced the following declaration of the rights to be incorporated in the Constitution; which was referred to the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution...

BILL OF RIGHTS.

1. All power is originally vested in the people, and all free governments are founded on their consent and authority, and are instituted for their peace, safety and happiness.

2. No free citizen of this State shall be taken, or imprisoned, or seized of his freehold, liberties or privileges, or outlawed or exiled, or in any manner deprived of his life, liberty or property...

3. The military shall be subordinate to the civil power.

4. Excessive bail shall not be required, nor excessive prices imposed, nor cruel punishments inflicted.

5. The trial by jury of free citizens, as heretofore used in this State, and the liberty of the press, shall be forever inviolably preserved.

RESTAURANT.

MRS. EMMA ROE has opened an Eating House, on Lancaster street, one door from Lady's...

Notice to the Tax-payers of the City of Columbia.

PURSUANT to instructions from the Council of the city of Columbia, I will be found, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., at the Council Chamber...

A CARD.

THE undersigned will remove to New York in the course of a few days, and will be permanently located at the store of THOMAS B. AGNEW...

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

THE subscribers having this day entered into a copartnership, under the firm of RICHARD O'NEALE & SON, for the purpose of transacting a GENERAL COMMISSION BUSINESS...

Notice.

THE copartnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the firm of BLAKELY & WILLIAMS, Charleston, and J. M. BLAKELY & CO., Columbia, is dissolved this day by mutual consent...

A Card.

W. B. WILLIAMS will continue the Factorage and Commission Business in Charleston, and offers his services to the friends and customers of the late firms of Caldwell, Blackely & Williams...

New and Cheap Goods.

AM receiving, almost every day, NEW GOODS, direct from the importers, comprising a great variety of articles...

Fishing Tackling,

OF every variety, at POLLARD'S Variety Store, Sept 7 76

SPECTACLES!

OF every description and grade, at POLLARD'S Variety Store, Sept 7 76

Splendid Assortment

OF Ladies' and Gent's Fall and Winter style of HATS, at POLLARD'S Variety Store, Sept 7 76

Violin and Guitar Strings.

SPLendid ASSORTMENT at POLLARD'S Variety Store, Sept 8 76

Hair Brushes,

TOOTH BRUSHES, SHAVING BRUSHES, Fine Tooth Ivory Combs, English Reading Combs, Tackling Combs, Side Combs, Round Combs for children, Pocket Combs...

SPECK & POLOCK,

General Commission Merchants, Plain street, 2d door from Assembly, COLUMBIA, S. C. We respectfully solicit a share of the public patronage. All business entrusted to us will receive prompt and personal attention...

Office Gen. Sup. W. and M. R. R.,

WILMINGTON, N. C. Aug. 24, 1865. CHANGES OF SCHEDULE. ON and after SUNDAY, 27th, daily trains will run over the Wilmington and Manchester Railroad...

Magistrate,

WILL attend to all official business brought before him; will also attend to drawing up deeds, conveyances, mortgages, contracts, and other ordinary legal instruments of writing...

Cotton Wanted.

THE highest prices paid for COTTON and for all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE. Farmers and country merchants will find it to their advantage to call and see...

J. SULZBACHER & CO.

(FORMERLY FOOT & SULZBACHER)

WHOLESALE and RETAIL

MERCHANTS.

BE to inform the citizens of Columbia and the people of the neighboring country, that they are now receiving, and have received, a great variety of...

Dry Goods

AND

GROCERIES

Of all descriptions, suitable to all seasons and all manner of persons. They have, among many other articles, fresh supplies of the following:

GROCERIES.

COFFEE, TEAS, (Green and Black,) SUGAR, (white and brown.) MOLASSES, (New Orleans.) CHEESE, MACKEREL, CLARET WINE, CANDLES, Sperm, Tallow and Adamantine, Crackers, Wine, Soda, Sugar, Boston, Candies, Almonds, Brazil, Walnut and other Nuts, Soaps, Toilet, Castile, Fancy, Common, With every variety of Groceries, Copperas, Soda, Blue Stone, Ses, Spices—Cloves, Cinnamon, Allspice, Ginger, Nutmegs, Ac. Shoe Blacking, Brushes, Curry Combs, Horse Brushes, Ac. Knives and Forks, Matches, Starch, Mustard.

TOBACCO AND CIGARS.

Best SMOKING and CHEWING TOBACCO. Spanish and American CIGARS. Of Tobacco for chewing, the best Anderson's, Solace and Honey Dew; all varieties.

DRY GOODS For Ladies.

A fine variety, to which the attention of the ladies is particularly requested. We have a fine assortment of Bleached and Brown HOMESPUN, MOUSSELIN DES LAINES, English and American PRINTS, Cambrie, twilled and plain, Hoop Skirts, Corsets, Longcloth, Calicoes, Worsted, Coburg, Ac., suitable for fall and winter. Alpacaes, Blacked and colored, Combs and Brushes, Tooth Brushes, Perfumes of every variety, Chalk Pearl Powder, Ladies' Shoes, Bootes and Ties of all descriptions and the latest fashions, Trunk Combs, Hair Nets, Waterfalls—all of the very last styles and patterns, Collars, Wristbands, Ribbons, History of all descriptions, English and American Gloves of the prettiest style, Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs, Tablecloths, Needles, Thread, spool, silk and cotton, Hooks and Eyes, Veils, Ladies' Bilet and Letter Paper, ruled, Skirt Braid of all colors, Lastings, Whalebone, Belts and Belt Buckles and Ribbons, Pearl and other Buttons, fancy, dress and common, Scissors, Pins, Hair Pins, wire and gutta percha, Misses' and Children's Shoes, Round Combs, Wadding, Table-cloths, Gingham, Lace and Trimmings, Working Cotton, Velvet, Ribbon, Elastic do.

Collars, linen and paper, Wristbands, Playing Cards, Fine Tooth and Pocket Combs, Buttons, for country merchants, vests; Buckles for do; Tooth Brushes, all styles, Boots and Shoes of all styles and the best quality, Pocket and Neck Handkerchiefs, silk and cotton; Neck-ties of the latest styles, Pocket Books, Fancy Pipes—American Meerschaum, Pocket Tracerches of Bone, silk and cotton; Hats; Pen and Pocket Knives, Razors and Razor Strops, Suspenders of all styles, Tobacco, French and English style, Shirt Bosoms, Boy's Shoes.

Gentlemen's Variet's,

Coats, (dress and frock,) Pants, Vests, Shirts of all descriptions, over and under, Flannel and Fancy Shirts, Drawers, lamb's wool and cotton, Hats, Stockings, Socks, Gloves—a great variety. Collars, linen and paper, Wristbands, Playing Cards, Fine Tooth and Pocket Combs, Buttons, for country merchants, vests; Buckles for do; Tooth Brushes, all styles, Boots and Shoes of all styles and the best quality, Pocket and Neck Handkerchiefs, silk and cotton; Neck-ties of the latest styles, Pocket Books, Fancy Pipes—American Meerschaum, Pocket Tracerches of Bone, silk and cotton; Hats; Pen and Pocket Knives, Razors and Razor Strops, Suspenders of all styles, Tobacco, French and English style, Shirt Bosoms, Boy's Shoes.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Best Kerosene Oil, Watch Keys, Taylor's Twist, Glass Chimney, Best Ink, Gun Caps, Tobacco Bags, Shoe Laces, Slate Pencils, Umbrellas, Children's Gloves and Hosiery, Violin and Guitar Strings, Letter Paper and Envelopes and a vast variety of other articles, desirable to both sexes, which we have not the space to enumerate. Apply at the old stand, in Assembly street, Sept 11 76 SULZBACHER & CO.

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