

**The Fenian Movement.**

A New York correspondent of the Philadelphia Inquirer says: If anybody has got it into his head that the Fenian movement doesn't mean anything in reality, but as the London Herald says only "blather," he may as well be undeceived first as last, so far as this country, or rather I should say this city, is concerned. As facts are better than speculations in such matters, I can give you some evidence perfectly reliable which will enable the reader to judge for himself. Fact First. That negotiations are pending for the purchase of eight ocean steamers, each warranted to carry one thousand men, with the certainty almost that the purchase will be made before the 1st of October. Fact Second. That there have been immense purchases of arms from the Government by parties who are supposed to be identified with the Fenians, within the past fortnight, and that propositions for further purchases are now under consideration. Fact Third. That one of the Bank Note Companies of this city are now engaged in engraving bonds for the new Irish Republic. It matters not who are their employers, but I have no doubt the British Consul and his attaches know all about it.

**THE MINERAL WEALTH OF THE SOUTH.**—Almost every day's developments go to show that one-half of the mineral wealth of the South has never been told. There is probably no country in the world richer in this respect. Dr. E. H. Grant, the State Geologist of Virginia, has recently been making explorations into its undeveloped resources, and he reports that he has found mines of gold, silver, copper, lead, zinc, tin, iron, plumbago, manganese, coal, slate, potter's porcelain and fine clay, hydraulic cement, fuller's earth, limestone, grindstone, whetstone, emery, marble, gypsum, salt, marl soapstone, sulphur, granite, etc., in various directions.

A new era has dawned, and we expect ere long to see the South more populous and wealthy under the new order of things, under the stimulus emigration and competition of free labor, of manufactures, and a general system of home industry than she has ever been or ever could have been under the old regime. The Poles are coming, the Scotch are coming, and the Germans, Swiss and French and other industrious peoples will come, and under the grand, universal awakening, the waste places of the South will blossom and bloom in perennial virtue and beauty. The horrors of war will be forgotten, and time, the great healer, will make all things new and glorious. [Louisville Journal.]

**A LIVING-DEAD WOMAN AT A CAMP MEETING.**—At the Williamantic (Connecticut) camp meeting a lady has been observed among the constant visitors for some years, who lies in bed in the centre of the grove. Her name is Lizzie Smith. She has been unable to move from her reclining position for the past thirty years. She is now forty-one years old. When she was eleven years old she was seized with a fever, and an over dose of calomel, administered to her, paralyzed her, and left her in her present helpless state. She has not grown any since, and is deformed. She has barely enough use of her hands and arms to feed herself with the aid of a long fork and spoon. She can only drink through a tube. The lady seems to be perfectly happy in spite of her disadvantages, and converses pleasantly with the crowds of visitors who constantly flock around her.

**SALE DAY AND COURT WEEK.**—These are names of the past, and there was scarcely anything to remind us on Monday last of Sheriff sales or the October Court. Juries had been drawn and were in attendance, but nothing was done in the way of holding a Court. New juries were drawn and all proceedings adjourned over until the regular Spring term. Most of our Judges we learn come within the exceptions of the Amnesty proclamation, and require a special pardon. There was a very good attendance of our citizens, and the Military authorities seem to be quite busy in approving contracts with freedmen and settling various matters of difference in which they were concerned. [Abbeville Press, 5th inst.]

The rumors of new loans by the treasury have pretty well exhausted themselves, which is not surprising in the face of seventy-five millions even hundred and fifty thousand dollars in the sub-treasury at New York, with corresponding balances at her sub-treasuries.

**Proceedings of Council.**

COLUMBIA, S. C., October 10, 1865. Present—His Honor the Mayor; Aldermen Bates, Fisher, Glaze, Hope, Blakely, Stork, Waring and Wells. The committee appointed at a meeting of citizens, held September 30, to consider the expediency of rebuilding the market or of building one at some new locality, submitted a report on the subject and resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That we, the citizens of Columbia, do hereby request the City Council to have the old market building repaired as early as practicable. Respectfully,  
JOHN SPOCK,  
H. DAVIS,  
WM. GLAZE,  
T. C. VEAL,  
J. A. KAY.

After considerable discussion, the following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That the rebuilding of the old market be referred to the Committee on the Market, to report at next meeting of Council the cost of said repairs; also, the probable cost of a new building, suitable for the purpose of a market, on Assembly street.

On motion, Aldermen Bates and Waring were added to this committee. The following accounts were presented and referred to the Committee on Accounts: Jacob Hussung, blacksmith work... \$ 60 00 Palmetto Lodge, rent of School House... 145 00 O. Z. Bates, for locks... 1 50

The following report from the Board of Health was received: COUNCIL CHAMBER, COLUMBIA, September 30, 1865. The members of the Board of Health having assembled at the Council Room, agreeable to the order of Council—the Chairman having announced a quorum present—proceeded to the business of the meeting, viz: the adoption of certain provisions to secure the health of the city.

It was moved and seconded that committees be appointed in each Ward to examine and report what nuisances exist, and the course to be adopted towards them; and that the Board should meet in some place, on 14th October, for the purpose of receiving and acting upon said reports. The Chairman appointed the following committees: Ward No. 1—Dr. John LeConte, Mr. Jacob Levin. Ward No. 2—Messrs. E. J. Scott, Husung, Beard. Ward No. 3—Drs. Lynch and Geiger, Mr. Bollin. Ward No. 4—Dr. Kennedy, Messrs. Crawford and McGuinnis.

The Chairman reported a vacancy in Ward No. 1, and recommended it be filled by Mr. John LeConte, Chairman. On motion, the meeting adjourned. F. H. ELMORE, Clerk. The Committee on Streets made the following report: The Committee on Streets respectfully report that they have for months past seen with pain the needless destruction of city property, such as cutting down trees in the street, tearing up bridges and pulling down fences, &c.; besides a great deal of other unlawful conduct in both white and black persons. We therefore recommend that a police force of five or six good men be organized at once to look after and protect the interests of the city, and take up trespassers and outlaws for punishment.

Resolved, That an election for six policemen, at a salary of \$400 per annum, be held on Tuesday, October 17. The following resolution was then adopted: Resolved, That the City Clerk be instructed to advertise that the ordinance will be enforced in all cases where parties fail to report when they use the city water. The ordinance prohibiting the building of wooden buildings on Richardson street received a second reading, and became a law. The following resolution was also adopted: Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to memorialize the Legislature and ask for the conveyance to the city of the Columbia Canal; also, of the lot on which the market and jail formerly stood; also, to give authority to the city to issue small or change bills, not to exceed \$100,000.

It was also Resolved, That the city stables be sold, and that the Mayor have the same done at public sale. On motion, the Council then adjourned. F. H. ELMORE, City Clerk.

**LITERARY.**—About the beginning of the war, Hon. Henry W. Hilliard, M. C., of Alabama, had ready for the press a work to be entitled *De Yane*, which was captured at Nashville upon the fall of that city. Mr. Hilliard, after great trouble, succeeded in finding the MSS., and during a recent visit to New York placed them in the hands of Messrs. Blelock & Co., the well-known publishers, 19 Beekman street, who will issue the book early in October. It is said by judges who have examined the work to be one of the most chaste and most fascinating novels presented to the American public for a long series of years.

Mr. P. T. Barnum has written a letter to the *Round Table* defending himself from its criticisms, and the paper renews its attack by calling the showman the representative of a class which is "a cross between the traditional stage Yankee, a casting moralist, and a practiced sharper."

The Pacific Railroad is completed, and St. Louis and Kansas City are now united in bonds of iron.

**Collectors for Southern Ports.**

Collectors of Customs appointed for the Southern ports have filed their bonds and entered upon the discharge of their duties, waiting to Congress to legislate for their payment. Very few of the appointees, however, have taken the oath of allegiance, except that portion which declares that they will bear true and faithful loyalty hereafter to the Government. [Washington Star.]

**WEATHER AT THE NORTH.**—The weather at Philadelphia has been remarkably cool for the season. Snow fell for half an hour on the evening of the 4th instant, in the Northern section of the city.

Governor Marvin, of Florida, has issued a proclamation, ordering an election for a State Convention, on the 3d of October.

Baltimore has expended \$9,000,000 on her Druid Hill Park. Property in the vicinity of the park has increased in value one hundred per cent. in nine years.

It has been suggested, after due consideration, that a convention of the planters of Alabama be called to meet in Montgomery on the third Monday in November.

The Savannah papers complain bitterly of the rapacity of juvenile cotton stealers, who diminish the sales by from five to fifty pounds, according as opportunity offers.

From the census returns already in, it is estimated that the population of Illinois is over 2,500,000.

**Funeral Invitation.** The friends and acquaintances of Mrs. SAMUEL BRODIE, are requested to attend her funeral at Trinity Church, THIS MORNING, at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Editor: Will you please state in your paper that I am not a candidate for the Legislature. Yours, respectfully,  
Oct 13 JAMES G. GIBBES.

**For the Legislature.** DR. J. H. BOATWRIGHT, DR. WM. P. GEIGER, WM. WALLACE. Oct 12\*

**Boarding.** GOOD BOARD and LODGING can be obtained in a private family, in this city, by immediate application to this office. Oct 13

**City Scales.** THE citizens of Columbia are notified that the CITY SCALES have been repaired, and are now ready for weighing any amount. The weigher will be found at the Scales. Oct 13\*

**I. O. O. F.** Palmetto Lodge No. 5. A REGULAR MEETING of this Lodge will be held in their Hall, (Odd Fellows School House,) THIS EVENING, 13th inst., at 7 o'clock. By order of the N. G. Oct 13 J. JOHN McCAMMON, Sec'y.

**Stolen.** FROM a carriage, about three miles from Orangeburg, on the road to Columbia, my VALISE, containing clothing—half a dozen shirts, marked "N. Fehrenbach," also, about forty letters, addressed to different parties at Wallhalla, Anderson and Pendleton. A liberal reward will be paid for any information leading to the recovery of the valise and contents. Address H. BISHOP, Charleston, S. C. Oct 13\* Charleston Courier copy once.

**STEELE'S "Hat Hall."** THIS extensive RETAIL "HAT HALL" has been re-opened on King street, opposite Merchant's Hotel, Charleston. Men's, Youth's and Children's SOFT FELT HATS, of all colors, from \$1 to \$5.

**FANCY HATS.** A large variety of little Children's and Infant's FANCY HATS and CAPS, trimmed with ribbons, cords and tassels. Prices 50c. to \$4.

**Ladies' Furs.** MUFFS, CUFFS, CAPES and VICTORINES, for Ladies and Children. \$2 to \$20.

**GENT'S DRESS HATS.** Fashionable SILK and CASSIMERE HATS for men.

**STEELE'S "HAT HALL,"** Oct 13 12 King street, Charleston.

**Auction Sales.**

Saddle Horse, Mule, Saddle and Bridle and Harness and Wagon. By A. R. Phillips. THIS FRIDAY MORNING, at 11 o'clock, I will sell at my auction room—1 fine Saddle Horse, Saddle and Bridle. 1 good Mule and Three-horse Wagon. 1 set Harness, Segars, Shoes and sundry articles of Dry Goods. Oct 13

Handsome Furniture, &c. By A. R. Phillips. THIS (Friday) MORNING, 13th inst., at 10 o'clock, I will sell, at my Auction Room, Bedell's building, A variety of handsome FURNITURE, consisting in part of: Mahogany Bureaus, Dining Tables, Card Tables, Marble-top Tables, Bedsteads, 2 doz. Mahogany Hair-seat Chairs, Rocking Chairs, 1 large Mirror, 2 Pier Tables, Mattresses; Brussels Carpet, 20x20 feet; Mahogany Desk; 1 Celestial and 1 Terrestrial Globe, large sized; 12 handsome Engravings; Liquor Case; 1 large Cooking Stove, with Furniture; 40 lbs. Washed Wool; 60 volumes Books.

ALSO, 1 Two-horse Carriage, in good order. 1 Bay Mare, perfectly gentle in harness. 1,000 lbs. prime Bacon Shoulders. 15 prime English Dairy Cheese. N. B.—Unlimited articles received until hour of sale. Oct 13 2

500 Acres Good Land. By Jacob Levin. ON MONDAY MORNING, 16th inst., previous to the sale of effects of late Jesse Drafts, I will sell, 500 acres good LAND, situated near Kingsville—50 of which are cleared; bounded on the North by lands of James Seay and C. A. Scott, East by John Bates, West by South Carolina Railroad, and South by lands owned by estate of John Carter. Terms cash. Oct 12 4

Estate Sale. By Jacob Levin. ON MONDAY MORNING, October 16, will be sold, at the residence of the late Jesse Drafts, by permission of Jacob Bell, Ordinary of Richland District, All the PERSONAL PROPERTY of the deceased, consisting of: A general variety of Household Furniture, Kitchen Utensils, &c. Also, a lot of Land, Salt, Leather, 2 Horses, 1 Wagon and Harness, 1 Carriage, Cow and Calf, &c. Sale positive, and terms cash on delivery. Sept 29 fm

Sale of Real Estate. I WILL sell, on the FIRST MONDAY in November next, all that tract of LAND, containing five hundred and twenty-five (255) acres, more or less, on the waters of Sandy Run, in this District, belonging to the estate of J. J. Odom, deceased, bounded as follows: On the West, by lands of Daniel and Rhoderic McDaniel and lands formerly of R. N. Lewis; on the East, by lands of William Colman. On the premises there is a good DWELLING HOUSE and good out-houses, barn, kitchen, &c., with a fine spring of water. About forty or fifty acres are under cultivation. The lands immediately on the creek is good bottom land. The tract is well timbered. D. B. DESAUSURE, Admr'r Con Testamento Amico. Oct 8 #10

South Carolina—Richland District. Catherine Franck vs. H. F. Franck and C. H. Franck.—Bill for Sale of Real Estate. IN pursuance of the order of the Court of Equity in the above case, I will sell, on the FIRST MONDAY in November next, before the Court House, at 10 a. m., The lot of LAND used by the late H. C. Franck as a store, fronting on Richardson street, and bounded as follows: North by a lot formerly owned by Thomas Campbell, afterwards by H. C. Franck, now T. S. Nickerson, South by a lot which formerly belonged to Robert L. Russell, East by a lot which formerly belonged to Dr. Fitch, now T. S. Nickerson. On the North is an alleyway, 9 feet 6 inches wide and 99 feet 6 inches deep, "to be kept open forever as an alleyway in common for owners of adjacent lots." The lot is one-fourth of an acre, and fronts 54 feet 3 inches on Richardson street. TERMS.—One-third cash. Balance on a credit of one and two years, interest annually, until the whole debt be paid; secured by bond, with mortgage of the premises. D. B. DESAUSURE. Oct 7 #13

**S. L. HOWARD, FACTOR** AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, CHARLESTON, S. C. Oct 12 ths6

**ANDREW CRAWFORD** HAS resumed the FACTORAGE AND COMMISSION BUSINESS. He is prepared to store and sell COTTON and COUNTRY PRODUCE generally. Oct 11

The *Fairfield News*, *Chester Standard*, *Newberry Herald*, *Edgefield Advertiser* and *Yorkville Enquirer* will publish three times and send their accounts to this office for settlement.

**FORWARDING NOTICE.** THE undersigned will follow the South Carolina Railroad and receive and forward GOODS and COTTON from each terminus. Their charges are: Merchandise packages, 15c. each. Cotton, 35c. per bale. PHELPS & DAWSON, Orangeburg, S. C. Oct 11 6\*

**D. B. DESAUSURE** ATTORNEY AT LAW AND COMMISSIONER IN EQUITY. Office in rear of the Court House. Oct 7 1m0

**J. SULZBACHER & CO.** (FORMERLY FOOT & SULZBACHER.) WHOLESALE and RETAIL MERCHANTS.

BEG 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:

- 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 Grocery. Copperas, Soda, Blue Stone, &c. Spices—Cloves, Cinnamon, Allspice, Ginger, Nutmegs, &c. Shoe Blacking, Brushes, Curry Combs. Horse Brushes, &c. Knives and Forks, Matches. Starch, Mustard.

**TOBACCO AND CIGARS.**

Best SMOKING and CHEW'G TOBACCO. Spanish and American CIGARS. Of Tobacco for chewing, the best Anderson's, Molace 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. Cambric, twilled and plain. Hoop Skirts, Corsets, Longcloth. Calicoes, Worsteds, Coburg, &c., suitable for fall and winter. Alpaca, black and colored. Combs and Brushes, Tooth Brushes. Perfumes of every variety. Chalk Pearl Powder. Ladies' Shoes, Booties and Ties of all descriptions and the latest fashions. Truck Combs, Hair Nets, Waterfalls—all of the very last styles and patterns. Collars, Wristbands, Ribbons. Hosiery of all descriptions. English and American Gloves of the prettiest style. Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs, Thimbles. Needles, Thread, spool, silk and cotton. Hooks and Eyes, Veils. Ladies' Billet 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.

**Gentlemen's Variet's.**

- Cents, (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 coat, pants, vests; Buckles for do.; Tooth Brushes. Boots and Shoes of all styles and the best qualities. Pocket and Neck Handkerchiefs, silk and cotton; Neck-ties of the latest styles. Pocket Books. Fancy Pipes—American Meerschaum. Pocket Handkerchiefs, linen, silk and cotton; Hats; Pen and Pocket Knives. Razors and Razor Strops. Suspensives of all styles. Tobacco, French and English style. Shirt Bosoms, Boy's Shirts.

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Best Kerosene Oil, Watch Keys, Taylor's Twist, Glass Chimmies, best Ink, Gun Caps, Tobacco Bags, Shoe Laces, Slate Pencils, Umbrellas, Children's Gloves and Hose, 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, to

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