

**EDWIN J. SCOTT, ESQ.**

Mr. Editor: It is most gratifying to our community, to whom the above named gentleman has been so long and so favorably known, to learn that, at the pressing solicitation of numerous friends, he has allowed himself to be put in nomination for a seat in the House of Representatives from Richland District.

Peace has its triumphs and its worthies as well as war.

Mr. Scott served sixteen years in the offices of Tax Collector and Clerk of the Court, in Lexington District; and was, during that time, chosen as a Delegate to the State Convention of 1832, otherwise known as the Nullifying Convention.

For the last twenty-eight years, as Teller and Cashier of the Commercial Bank of this city, he commanded the respect and admiration of all who had business with that institution, for his integrity, his financial abilities, his obliging disposition.

He is a reading and a thinking man, and will dare to do what he believes to be right. Upon the grave and difficult questions to come before our next Legislature—questions of State finance and taxation—of the status of the Freedmen, his rights and his duties—the relation between debtors and creditors—he is as competent to decide as any man in the State.

The District will honor itself by honoring him, and consulting its own interests by availing itself of his patriotism, ripe judgment, and independence of thought and action.

**CAN COTTON BE PRODUCED BY WHITE LABOR ONLY?**—The Richmond correspondent of the New York World taking the affirmative of this question, says:

There can be no doubt that, even in the cotton growing States, it is a great mistake to suppose that lands cannot be advantageously cultivated except on the large plantation plan. Experience has already proved—what common sense always understood—that far more could be produced by cutting up the lands into small farms, by which any industrious white family could easily get together from three to six or seven bales a year; leaving it to small combinations to start and reap all the advantages of a cotton-gin and press for the benefit of each member. As to the inadaptability of the white labor to such a climate, that is already an exploded humbug.

A writer in a recent number of the Richmond Whig, while discussing the question, makes the bold assertion that nineteen-twentieths of the cotton not only can but has been produced by white labor. If this much can be said of the cotton States, what can the Northern immigrant find in Virginia at variance with all his past experience, unless it may be more fertile lands, and a far more genial and productive climate.

Extensive fires are raging in the woods in Massachusetts. Near Attleboro, the flames swept over a valuable tract of woodland several miles in extent, mostly covered with oak and maple. Not less than one thousand acres have suffered more or less.

Bail has been refused by Mr. Justice Monk in the case of W. Wayne-blossom; one of the prisoners now in custody at Montreal, charged with the attempted abduction of George N. Saunders.

Lewis B. Smith, a Portland (Maine) official, recently received one-fourth of fifty thousand dollars—the informer's share—in the matter of an invoice of cigars condemned and sold as smuggled.

**OBITUARY.**

Died, at Columbia, on Monday evening, 9th inst., of brain fever, after only three days illness, JULIA IDA, daughter of Caleb and Julia Bonnight, nearly ten years of age.

This was taken from the household the first one of its members, and one of the sweetest and dearest of its number. Our hearts are bowed down in deep sorrow, and we mourn sadly for one whom we loved so well. But we have the comforting assurance that our dear one has gone from a world of pain and anguish, to a happy home—freed from all the burning cares and sufferings of this world—and that, indeed, she is an angel with her Saviour.

Although so young, she had greatly endeared herself to many. Her teachers had warm affection for her, her little friends dearly loved her, and her obedience, sweet temper, good mind and gentle nature made her truly a much-loved one at home.

**WANTED,**

An experienced CIRCULAR SAWYER. Apply at Steam Saw Mill, at site of Columbia Rolling Mill, five miles from this city. Oct 15 5\*

**NOTICE,**

W. G. EMBLETON begs to inform the inhabitants of Columbia that they can have ENGRAVING of every description executed with neatness and despatch. Residence Gadsden street, near the Fair Grounds. Oct 15

EDWIN J. SCOTT is respectfully nominated for the Legislature from Richland District by

MANY FRIENDS AND VOTERS. Oct 15 3\*

**Exchanged by Mistake,**

At Hope Station, a small VALISE, marked "B. S. B." for another, brass-bound, name erased, marked "College Buildings." A reward will be given for the recovery of the former. Apply at Col. A. R. TAYLOR'S. Oct 15 2

**Pest Coaches--Mail Route.**

A LINE OF FOUR-HORSE POST COACHES will leave Columbia daily for Hopkins' Turn-Out, on S. C. R. R., at 3 a. m.; to arrive in time for the Charleston train same day. Seats can be secured at Coffin & Ravenel's store. Oct 15 WARD & HARVEY.

**School Notice.**

THE MISSES HENRY having resumed the duties of their SCHOOL, will continue its exercises, at their residence, on Stark's Hill, East end Gervais street. English, French and Music taught. For terms, &c., apply as above. Oct 15 1\*

**Special Notice.**

COUNCIL CHAMBER, COLUMBIA, October 14, 1865.

THE attention of all parties using the CITY WATER is called to paragraph 12 of the Ordinance to Raise Supplies for the year 1865. All persons failing to comply with the terms of said ordinance, without further delay, will have the penalty strictly enforced against them. Oct 15 1 F. H. ELMORE, City Clerk.

**Special Notice.**

COUNCIL CHAMBER, COLUMBIA, October 14, 1865.

A N ELECTION for POLICEMEN, at a salary of \$400 per annum, will be held by the Council of the city of Columbia, on TUESDAY, October 17, 1865. Applicants will file their petitions with the City Clerk before and on that day, before 2 o'clock. F. H. ELMORE, City Clerk. Oct 15 1

**CHINA, GLASS, EARTHENWARE**

AND HOUSE-FURNISHING GOODS.



THE undersigned will open, about the 1st proximo, at the house on the South-east corner of Plain and Gates streets, (nearly opposite the Shiver House,) a new and complete assortment of MERCHANDIZE in the above line; selected and manufactured expressly for this market. All of which will be offered to the former patrons of China Hall at a small advance on the original cost. W. B. STANLEY. Oct 15

**Government Property.**

All persons in the Districts of Richland, Lexington, Fairfield and Kershaw, who have in their possession or control property belonging to the late so-called Confederate Government, are directed to give immediate notice thereof, and to surrender the same to the undersigned on or before November 1st. This order embraces cotton and every other description of Government property, no matter under what authority the same may be held or detained.

2. Parties holding property for which receipts have been given will exhibit them forthwith.

3. Persons having information which will lead to the detection of individuals who have sold, abstracted, or concealed Government property, and who furnish information thereof, will be fairly compensated.

4. Public sales will be held at this place on WEDNESDAY, at 10 A. M. of each week, at the College Campus, of Government property. Terms cash.

5. All persons who fail to comply with this order will subject themselves to arrest and punishment.

EDGAR McMULLEN, Asst. Special Treasury Agent. Columbia, October 12, 1865.

Fairfield, Lexington and Kershaw District papers will copy four times and send bill to this office. October 15 1104\*

**A Palmetto Breastpin,**

OF GOLD, was dropped yesterday. The finder will be rewarded if he leaves it at this office. October 14-2

**TO RENT,**

MY RESIDENCE, on Gervais street, near Charlotte Railroad. The house has four small rooms, with a good piece of ground attached for planting. Possession given about the 20th inst. Inquire on the premises. JAMES L. BEARD. Oct 14 3\*

**SHOT!**

50 BAGS SHOT, assorted sizes, just received and for sale by JAMES G. GIBBES. Oct 14 3

**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 64\*

**Brass Foundry.**

THE subscriber, thankful for past patronage, would inform his friends and the public that he is still prepared to furnish all kinds of BRASS CASTING in a workmanlike manner and with despatch. ROBERT McDUGAL, July 31 m Gadsden, near Washington st.

**Auction Sales.**

560 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

**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 (525) acres, more or less, on the waters of Sandy Run, in this District, belonging to the estate of J. J. Odum, deceased, bounded as follows: On the West by lands of Richard Sanders; on the North, by lands of Wm. Glover; on the South, 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. DeSAUSSURE, Admr. Cum Testamento Authro. Oct 8 110

**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 E. 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. DeSAUSSURE. Oct 7 113

**Boarding.**

GOOD BOARD and LODGING can be obtained in a private family, in this city, by immediate application to this office. Oct 13 3

**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 3\*

**ANDREW CRAWFORD**

HAS resumed the FACTORAGE AND COMMISSION BUSINESS. He is prepared to store and sell COTTON and COUNTRY PRODUCE generally. Columbia, Oct. 10, 1865. 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.

**Cotton Shed at Hopkins' Turn-Out.**

W. H. JEFFERS & CO., RECEIVING and FORWARDING AGENTS, at Hopkins' Turn-Out, are having erected a commodious shed for the protection of cotton consigned to them for shipment, and would be pleased to receive consignments from Columbia and the up-country generally. Cotton and Merchandise forwarded with despatch. Newberry Sun copy for one week and send bill to this office. Oct 14 6\*

**WINDOW GLASS.**

LUMSDEN & MCGEE, AGENTS of Baltimore Window Glass Manufactory, can furnish GLASS at manufacturers' prices, by the box, and solicit orders for the same. Oct 8 1mo

**LUMSDEN & MCGEE**

HAVE just received a supply of Gibson's old Nectar Monongahela WHISKEY, "1-40," cases "Krauter Bitter," boxes Pine Apple Cheese, cases Cosmetic and Honey Soap, fine Family Salt, in small boxes, boxes splendid Chewing Tobacco, Mat's fine Cinnamon, Smith's Kentucky Bourbon Whiskey, Preston & Merrill's Concentrated Essence Jamaica Ginger. Oct 8 6

**D. B. DeSAUSSURE**

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND COMMISSIONER IN EQUITY. Office in rear of the Court House. Oct 7 1mo

**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:

**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 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 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. Cambric, twilled and plain. Hoop Skirts, Corsets, Longcloth. Calicoes, Worsted, Coburg, &c., suitable for fall and winter.

Alpacas, black and colored. Combs and Brushes, Tooth Brushes. Perfumes of every variety. Chalk Pearl Powder.

Ladies' Shoes, Boots and Ties of all descriptions and the latest fashions. Truck Combs, Hair Nets, Waterfalls—all of the very latest styles and patterns. Collars, Wristbands, Ribbons. Hosiery of all descriptions. English and American Gloves of the prettiest style.

Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs, Thimbles. Needles, Thread, soap, 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.**

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, Eclaying 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 Meerschamm. Pocket Handkerchiefs, linen, silk and cotton; Hats; Pen and Pocket Knives. Razors and Razor Strops. Suspensorys of all styles. Tobacco, French and English style. Shirt Bosoms, Boy's Shoes.

**MISCELLANEOUS.**

Best Kerosene Oil, Watch Keys, Taylor's Twist, Glass Chimneys, 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 Sept 11 SULZBACHER & CO.

**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. Sept 11 SULZBACHER & CO.

**JOHN A. KAY, CITY SURVEYOR.**

OFFICE at residence, in rear of the Presbyterian Church, Columbia, S. C. Sept 20

**Kay & Hewetson, Architects and Civil Engineers.**

PROFESSIONAL BUSINESS attended to in South and North Carolina. Working drawings, plans, specifications, and all necessary details promptly furnished. JOHN A. KAY. RALPH E. B. HEWETSON. Sept 20

**ST. JOHN'S MALE HIGH SCHOOL.**

SPARTANBURG C. H., S. C., Oct. 1, '65. THE exercises of this School, discontinued for some time, are resumed. Tuition per month, \$5 00 Tuition and Board, (including fuel and lights,) per month, \$30 00 Payable in current funds, 2 1/2 months in advance. For further information, address the subscriber. WILLIAM IRWIN, Oct 7 15 Principal.

**COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.**

THE undersigned, having associated with him in business his son, EUGENE R. WALTER, the firm will hereafter be known as GEORGE H. WALTER & SON. The new firm will continue to receive and forward promptly all MERCHANDIZE and PRODUCE consigned to their care; and they hope the patronage so liberally extended to the old house will be continued to the new firm. GEORGE H. WALTER. Orangeburg, September 11, 1865. Sept 14 112

**LUMSDEN & M'GEE, Auction and Commis'n Merchants, AND FORWARDING AGENTS, COLUMBIA, S. C.**

HAVING built a large Store-house in the most central part of the city and connected to the different Railroads and Hotels, solicit consignments of COUNTRY PRODUCE and MERCHANDIZE generally. We promise faithful and prompt attention to all who may favor us with their shipments for sale, forwarding or storing. REFERENCES: Hon. T. C. PERRIN, Abbeville, S. C. H. T. PEAKE, Esq., Charleston, S. C. RUFUS M. JOHNSTON, Esq., Columbia, S. C. Gov. B. F. PERRY, Greenville, S. C. G. W. WILLIAMS & CO., Charleston. MOSES H. GRINNELL, New York. Sept 23 staine

**S. OLIN TALLEY, GENERAL COMMERCIAL AGENT AND COMMISSION MERCHANT.**

PRODUCE and MERCHANDIZE bought and sold, claims and accounts adjusted and collected. An experience of eight years as a lawyer and eleven as a bank officer, enables me to insure patrons of correctness and satisfaction. I refer to the bar and to the bank officers of South Carolina generally. Place of business made known as soon as arrangements are completed. Sept 30 sw6

**THOMAS G. VEAL, ARCHITECT, CIVIL ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR.**

WILL furnish Plans, Specifications, Details, Estimates and Bills of Material for public or private buildings, bridges, &c. Surveys and Levelling for city or country done on application. Office corner Richland and Sumter streets, residence of R. Keenan, Esq.—up stairs. Sept 30 sw2mo

**The South Carolina College.**

THE exercises of this College will be resumed on the FIRST MONDAY in January next. The Faculty having been authorized by the Board of Trustees to exercise their discretion as to the requisites of applicants for admission, such indulgence as the circumstances will permit will be extended. Applicants must present themselves on the first Monday in January. M. LABORDE, Chairman of Faculty. Columbia, S. C., Sept. 23, 1865. All papers in the State will please publish once a week until 1st November next, and forward bills to the Treasurer of the College, Rev. C. BRUCE WALKER. Sept 23 87

**FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE.**

H. E. NICHOLS, Agent, FOR the following FIRST CLASS COMPANIES: New York Underwriter's Agency, Capital, \$3,000,000 Home Insurance Company, New York, Capital, 2,000,000 Hartford Fire Insurance Company, Hartford, Capital, 2,000,000 Home Insurance Company, Savannah, Capital, 2,500,000 New England Mutual Life Insurance Company, Boston, Capital, 5,000,000 New York Accidental Insurance Company, insuring against accidents of every description resulting in LOSS OF LIFE or PERSONAL INJURY. With several other well known and reliable companies, the aggregate capital amounting to \$20,000,000. Risks taken on reasonable terms and in any one spot to the amount of \$200,000. ALL LOSSES PROMPTLY ADJUSTED. Office at Mr. Hussung's house, corner of Assembly and Washington streets, Columbia, S. C. Aug 15 jom