

**MISCELLANY**

Thomas Darcy McGee, in a speech, at Montreal, a short time since, said in favor of British confederation: The text of the Union is taken up for us not so much by men as by events; every thrill of the telegraphic wires gives us a reminder not to delay our Union. I speak on this subject without exaggeration when I say that in my deliberate, settled opinion, the question before all British Americans at this moment is, "Will you unite, or will you give up your country to another people, and another form of Government?"

On the other hand, the Montreal Herald, which reports the speech, says editorially: That there can be any identity of views between the Fenians and the members of her Majesty's Canadian Government may seem at first sight a paradox almost too absurd for belief. Nevertheless, we have often pointed out that the end of confederation, should it ever take place, involves as a necessity the destruction of the present connection between the mother country and the colonies, of which most of us desire the continuance.

The English army is chiefly composed of quite young men. Of the 50,420 men serving in the regiments at home in the year 1863, the returns of ages are as follows: 6,016 were under twenty years of age; 19,775 were twenty, but under twenty-five; 13,615 were twenty-five, but not thirty; 6,911 were thirty, but not thirty-five; 3,280 were thirty-five, but not forty; 823 were forty and upwards. Of the recruits inspected in the same year, nearly three-fifths were under twenty, 1,003 were boys under seventeen, 1,573 were from seventeen to eighteen, 7,764 from eighteen to nineteen, 4,697 from nineteen to twenty, 3,221 from twenty to twenty-one, 2,035 from twenty-one to twenty-two, 1,854 from twenty-two to twenty-three, 2,736 from twenty-three to twenty-five, and 634 above twenty-five.

**French, and Music on the Piano.**  
MADAME V. H. VALLORY and daughter will give instruction in the above branches, on reasonable terms. Residence in the College Campus. Ward 3. Nov 19

**STEAM SAW MILL FOR SALE.**

POSITIVELY will be sold, on TUESDAY, 19th December next, at Martin's Depot, Laurens District. The said portable STEAM SAW MILL is twenty-four horse power—made at Richmond, Va. The engine is in complete order. Eight mules can draw it on any common road.  
B. S. JAMES,  
D. C. SUBER,  
J. A. EIGLEBERGER,  
JOHN SUBER.  
Dec 2 3\*

**Estate Sale.**



WILL be sold, at public auction, on TUESDAY, 11th December, 1865, at the plantation of the estate of J. C. Doby, about eleven miles from Camden, on the West side of the Wateree River, all the STOCK HOGS, CATTLE, KILLING HOGS, MULES and HORSES, BLACKSMITH TOOLS, WAGONS, PLANTATION TOOLS, about 1,500 bushels CORN, PEAS, FODDER, 300 bushels COTTON SEED. The property of the late J. E. and A. E. Doby, deceased.  
A. M. KENNEDY,  
Adm'r estate A. E. Doby.  
A. BREVARD,  
Adm'r estate J. E. Doby.  
Dec 2 6

**Spectacles and Eye Glasses.**

ADMIRABLY adapted to any age.  
At E. POLLARD'S,  
On Main street, a few doors above Be- dell's corner. Dec 2 46

**Cotton and Wool Cards.**

500 PAIRS of Whittemore Improved No. 10 COTTON CARDS.  
100 Pairs Wool Cards. For sale at E. POLLARD'S Variety Store,  
On Main street, a few doors above Be- dell's corner. Dec 2 46

**PATENT MEDICINES.**

10 CASES of PATENT MEDICINES, admirably adapted for every disease and complaint. Just received and for sale at Charleston prices.  
At E. POLLARD'S  
On Main street, a few doors above Be- dell's corner. Dec 2 46

**DELICACIES! DELICACIES!**

**French and Italian Confectionery.**  
1,000 POUNDS of the purest and finest quality LADIES' ICE CREAMS, ICE CREAM DROPS, JELLY CAKES, Jelly Drops, Liquid Drops, Italian Almonds, French Almonds, Marshmallow Paste, Royal Cream Drops, Chocolate Cream, (fine,) French Burnt Almonds, Cordial Drops, Fruit Drops, Fruit Paste, Cream Jelly Paste, Sherbert Cream Drops.  
At E. POLLARD'S Variety Store,  
On Main street, a few doors above Be- dell's corner. Dec 2 46

**For Sale and Rent.**

ON WEDNESDAY, 6th December, will be sold, at public sale, if not disposed of privately before that time, at the residence of Mrs. Robert Latta, for cash, all the FURNITURE remaining therein, embracing:  
One complete set of DRAWING-ROOM FURNITURE, of solid Rosewood, carved, cushioned with Brocatelle. Also, Centre Table and Etagere.  
One set of Parlor Hair Cloth Furniture, complete.  
One Rosewood Piano, of Bacon & Raven's make.  
One solid Mahogany Extension Table.  
One Secretary, two What-Nots, &c.  
Two Cane-seated Settees.  
Two large Black Walnut and one Mahogany Bedstead, all with high posts, and Carpets and other Chamber Furniture.  
The HOUSE, together with all out-buildings, including commodious servants' apartments, kitchen and ironing room, smoke-house, carriage house, stables and crib; also, eighty-four (84) acres of Land—all in one tract—will be rented until January, 1867, and possession given immediately.  
Dec 3 \*

**LUMSDEN & M'GEE,**

**AUCTION AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND FORWARDING AGENTS.**

PROMPT attention given to the Purchase, Sale, Shipment and Storage of COTTON, COUNTRY PRODUCE and MERCHANDIZE generally. Special attention to the Forwarding of all Goods from Charleston to the up-country.  
ALWAYS ON HAND, A full supply of GROCERIES and PROVISIONS. Also, fine LIQUORS and CIGARS, and everything generally needed for Plantation and Family use.  
REFERENCES.—Hon. T. C. Perrin, Abbeville; Geo. W. Williams & Co., Charleston; Rufus M. Johnson, Esq., Columbia; L. D. Childs, Esq., Lincolnton. Dec 3 3m

**COMMISSIONER'S SALE.**

**RICHLAND DISTRICT—IN EQUITY.**  
John Logan, George W. Glenn, et ux et al., vs. Rufus J. Reid, Joseph Clippers, et ux et al.—Bill for Sale of Real Estate.  
IN pursuance of the order of the Court in the above case, I will sell, on the FIRST MONDAY in January next, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Court House, in the city of Columbia, S. C., two SQUARES OF LAND in said city, containing four acres each—one lot bounded as follows: On the North, by Plain street; on the East, by Winn street; on the South, by Washington street; on the West, by Barnwell street. The other square, or lot, bounded as follows: On the North, by Blanding street; on the South, by Taylor street; on the East, by Laurens street; and on the West, by Winn street.  
One of these squares is so situated as to be a desirable location for private residences; the other square, opposite the depot of the Columbia and Charlotte Railroad, is well situated for stores or business establishments. These squares, or lots, will be so sub-divided as to suit purchasers, as well those who seek investments as those who desire to provide themselves a comfortable home. A map, with the lots numbered, can be seen at my office, at any time after the fifth day of such prox.  
TERMS.—One-fourth cash; balance on a credit of one, two and three years, with interest payable annually until the whole debt be paid, secured by bond and mortgage of the premises. Purchasers to pay for papers.  
D. B. DESAUSSURE, C. E. R. D.  
Nov 28 #12

**Partnership Notice.**

WE, the undersigned, have formed a limited partnership for the transaction of MERCANTILE BUSINESS, in the city of Columbia, for the period of five years from this date, (unless sooner determined by death or by mutual consent.) The name of the firm is A. C. DAVIS. John English, the special partner, furnishes six thousand dollars in cash; A. C. Davis, the general partner, furnishes his time, labor and skill.  
JOHN ENGLISH,  
A. C. DAVIS.  
Nov 26 39

**To Rent,**

MY late RESIDENCE, at the corner of Bull and Upper Boundary streets. ALSO, THE BRICK HOUSE at present occupied by Mr. Wm. H. Heyward, on Laurel street. Both places are commodious and comfortable, with every convenience for a respectable family.  
Possession will be given first of January next.  
J. W. PARKER.  
Nov 23

**Law Card.**

I HAVE resumed the PRACTICE OF LAW. Office at Greenville.  
Nov 5 WADDY THOMPSON.

**New Goods!**

AT WHOLESALE!  
**M. WINSTOCK**

INFORMS city and country dealers that he has just opened at his establishment, over J. G. Gibbs', near the Court House, a large and handsome stock of DRY GOODS, FANCY ARTICLES, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, etc., which he offers at wholesale at prices as low, or lower, than they can be bought for in Charleston or elsewhere—barely adding cost of transportation. Nov 8 1mo  
Camden, Abbeville, Anderson, Greenville and Newberry papers copy three times and forward bills.

**LARGE AND ELEGANT STOCK OF NEW GOODS!!**



**JUST RECEIVED**

AND FOR SALE BY

**J. SULZBACHER & CO.,**

ASSEMBLY STREET, Between Plain and Washington Streets, COLUMBIA, S. C.

- 30 DOZ. Assorted GENT'S DRESS and BUSINESS COATS.
- 10 doz. OVER-COATS.
- 50 " PANTS.
- 20 " VESTS.
- 20 " Shetland Ribbed UNDER-SHIRTS and DRAWERS.
- 20 doz. White Ribbed UNDER-SHIRTS and DRAWERS.
- 20 doz. Shaker Flannel Under-shirts and Drawers.
- 20 doz. heavy Grey Under-shirts and Drawers.
- 5 doz. Red Flannel Under-shirts and Drawers.
- 10 doz. Brown Knit Coats.
- 10 " Grey "
- 20 doz. Linen Collars.
- 80 " Gent's Black Gauntlets.
- 50 " assorted Wool Gloves.
- 10 " White Gloves.
- 50 " Woolen and Silk Scarfs.
- 40 " Wristlets.
- 30 " assorted Merino Hose.
- 10 pieces All-wool White Flannel.
- 10 " Canton Flannel.
- 55 pieces White Muslin.
- 20 " French Chintz.
- 10 " Check.
- 15 " Gingham.
- 20 " Linsey.
- 5 doz. Balmoral Skirts.
- 10 pieces Black Alpaca.
- 10 " Fancy "
- 10 " Delains.
- 5 " Black Velvet.
- 10 " French Merino.
- 5 " Black Cloth.
- 10 " Satinets.
- 10 " Kentucky Jeans.
- 10 doz. Ladies' and Children's Hats.
- 10 doz. Umbrellas.
- 12 " Ladies' Nettis.
- 50 " Knives and Forks.
- 10 " Ladies' Hats.
- 10 " Children's Hats.
- 10 " French Corsets.
- 10 " assorted Cloaks.
- 10 doz. Umbrellas.
- 10 " Shawls.
- 10 tierses Butter.
- 5 boxes Ginger.
- 10 kits Mackerel, No. 1.
- 10 " No. 2.
- 10 boxes Sugar Crackers.
- 20 " Soda "
- 10 " Fancy "
- 10 " Wine "
- 1 " Allspice.
- 1 " Cinnamon.
- 4 " Pepper.
- 1 " Indigo.
- 2 firkins Lard.
- 10 bbbs. Crushed Sugar.
- 10 " Brown "
- 100 boxes Dairy Cheese.
- 5 bbbs. Kerosene Oil.
- 100 doz. Hinges.

ALSO, A LARGE LOT OF

**SHOES!**

WE ARE RECEIVING DAILY NEW GOODS! WHICH WILL BE SOLD AT THE LOWEST CASH PRICES.

Agent for Kalb's celebrated ARTIFICIAL LEG and ARM.  
Also agent for FAIRBANK'S SCALES. Circulars to be seen at the store.  
Watches and Jewelry Repaired.  
10 doz. Clocks.  
Highest Price Given for Old Gold and Silver.

**Clarkson & Talley, GENERAL COMMIS'N MERCHANTS,**  
WILL attend to purchase and sale of BONDS, STOCKS, BANK BILLS, &c. THOS. B. CLARKSON. S. OLIN TALLEY. Nov 10 1mo\*

**GENERAL COMMISSION AGENCY.**  
P. B. GLASS has established, in connection with the Book and Stationery business, a general COMMISSION AGENCY for the purchase and sale of Merchandize of every description, Bonds, Stocks, Real Estate, &c.  
Careful attention given to all business entrusted to him.  
Office, at present, on Plain street, near Nickerson's Hotel. Nov 1

**The Southern Guardian.**  
I PROPOSE to revive the publication of this journal, at Columbia, S. C., as soon as mail communications have been restored, and the necessary arrangements can be made. CHARLES P. PELHAM.  
Newspapers in this State and elsewhere will oblige me by extending this notice. Nov 25

The friends of Dr. A. N. TALLEY nominate him as a candidate for Mayor at the ensuing election in April next. Nov 2 \*

**Charleston Advertisements.**

**EDWIN BATES & CO.,**  
124 MEETING STREET, CHARLESTON, S. C., WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

**Dry Goods, FANCY GOODS AND CLOTHING,**

ARE now receiving a large assortment of A STAPLE and FANCY DRY GOODS—purchased during the recent decline—and offer them at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.  
Shall have a complete stock of CLOTHING manufactured for the Spring trade. The attention of merchants solicited. Dec 1 26

**STENHOUSE & CO., FORWARDING AND COM. MERCHANTS,**  
No. 110 EAST BAY, CHARLESTON, S. C.

COTTON and PRODUCE forwarded to the Northern cities. From their long experience, they feel confident of their ability to give satisfaction. Nov 10

**JOHN KING & CO., IMPORTERS and wholesale dealers in GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, FLOUR, Foreign and Domestic Liquors and Segars, Crockery, Hollow-ware and Glass-ware, &c. 2,000 sacks LIVERPOOL SALT to arrive. No. 88 Hazel street, Charleston, S. C. Nov 7 3mo**

**GHISOLM BROTHERS, SHIPPING AND GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, Charleston, S. C.**  
PROMPT attention given to the purchase, sale and shipment of COTTON, RICE, NAVAL STORES, LUMBER, COAL, &c. Merchandize forwarded to all parts of the country. Consignments solicited, on which liberal advances will be made.  
Nov 8 1mo

**NEW YORK AND CHARLESTON PASSENGER STEAMSHIPS! REGULAR LINE!**

CARRYING THE U. S. MAIL.  
GRANADA, QUAKER CITY,  
ANDALUSIA, STARBUCK,  
ALHAMBRA, SARAGOSSA.

THE ships of this line are all first-class and reliable, are at least as fast as any of the coast, and built at as great an expense. They are in charge of gentlemanly and capable commanders, and every attention will be paid to the comfort of the passengers. One of the above ships will be despatched from New York and one from Charleston EVERY WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY. Cargo by these steamers insured at the lowest rates. All information can be had from either of the agents.  
RAVENEL & CO., Charleston.  
ARTHUR LEARY, New York.

**PEOPLE'S STEAMSHIP COMPANY.**  
LINE COMPOSED OF THE NEW AND FIRST-CLASS STEAMERS  
MONEKA, Capt. Marshman,  
EMILY B. SOUDER, Capt. Winchester.  
FOR NEW YORK DIRECT!

THESE vessels alternating weekly, offering every Thursday to the traveling public a FIRST-CLASS PASSENGER BOAT, with superior accommodations. There will be a mail bag kept at the office of the Agents, closing always an hour before the sailing of each steamer.  
For Passage or Freight, apply to  
WILLIS & GHISOLM, Agents,  
Oct 5 3mo\* Mills House, Charleston.

**CONFECTIONARY, BAKERY AND FANCY ARTICLES.**  
THE subscriber, thankful to his friends and the public for the very liberal patronage heretofore bestowed, solicits a continuance of the same. He is manufacturing daily a superior article of ASSORTED CANDY, BREAD and CAKES of every description, such as Pound, Fruit, Sponge, Queen, Rock, Jumbles, Lady Fingers, Shewsbury, Plum, Jelly, Meringues, Ginger Snaps, Cocoa-nut Drops, Sugar Biscuit, Ginger-bread, Washington, Ginger-nuts, &c. Cakes iced and ornamented to order. Dessert Dishes prepared at short notice. Candies, of my own manufacture, wholesale and retail.  
FRESH BREAD and ROLLS every evening, at 5 o'clock; PIES and PUFF PASTE TARTS every morning. J. MCKENZIE.  
On Plain street, next door to the corner of Gates street, in the immediate vicinity of the Shiver House and the Columbia Phoenix Office, Columbia, S. C. Nov 2 3\*

**New York Advertisements.**

**JAMES GONNER'S SONS UNITED STATES TYPE FOUNDRY**

NOS. 28, 30 and 32 Centre street, (corner of Reade street,) New York. The type on which this paper is printed is from the above Foundry. Nov 18

**Metropolitan Enterprise. GREAT GIFT SALE OF THE NEW YORK AND PROVIDENCE JEWELERS' ASSOCIATION.**

CAPITAL \$1,000,000.  
DEPT 197 BROADWAY, N. Y.  
AN immense stock of PIANOS, JEWELRY, WATCHES and FANCY GOODS, all to be sold for ONE DOLLAR each, without regard to value, and not to be paid for till you see what you will receive.  
Certificates, naming each article and its value, are placed in sealed envelopes and well mixed. One of these envelopes will be sent by mail to any address, on receipt of 25 cents; five for \$1; eleven for \$2; thirty for \$5; sixty-five for \$10; and one hundred for \$15. On receipt of the certificate, you will see what you are going to have, and then it is at your option to pay the dollar and take the article or not. Purchasers may thus obtain a Gold Watch, Diamond Ring, a Piano, Sewing Machine or any set of Jewelry on our list, for \$1; and in no case can they get less than one dollar's worth, as there are no blanks.  
Agents are wanted in every town in the country; every person can make \$10 a day selling our certificates in the greatest sale of Jewelry ever known.  
Send 25c. for a certificate, which will inform you what you can obtain for \$1. At the same time get our circular, containing full list and particulars; also, terms to agents. Address  
JAMES HUTCHINSON & CO.,  
Nov 14 2mo 197 Broadway, N. Y.

**BACHELOR'S HAIR DYE!**

THE Original and Best in the World! The only true and perfect HAIR DYE. Harmless, Reliable and Instantaneous. Produces immediately a splendid Black or natural Brown, without injuring the hair or skin. Remedies the ill effects of bad dyes. Sold by all Druggists. The genuine is signed William A. Batchelor. Also, REGENERATING EXTRACT OF MILLEFLEURS, for Restoring and Beautifying the Hair. CHARLES BATCHELOR.  
Oct 25 1y New York.

**LAWRENCE BALDWIN & CO., BANKERS AND BROKERS,**

NO. 70 WALL STREET, NEW YORK. **GOVERNMENT SECURITIES**  
AND other STOCKS, BONDS, &c., bought and sold on commission.  
DEWITT C. LAWRENCE, member N. Y. Stock Exchange.  
SIMEON BALDWIN, Jr., member N. Y. Petroleum and Mining Board.  
FYRUS J. LAWRENCE, WM. A. HALSTED  
Sept 4 6mo

**Burning of the Museum.**

LETTER FROM MR. BARNUM.  
New York, July 14, 1865.  
MESSRS. HERRING & CO.—GENTLEMEN:  
Though the destruction of the American Museum has proved a serious loss to myself and the public, I am happy to verify the old adage, that "it's an ill wind that blows nobody good," and, consequently, congratulate you that your well known safes have again demonstrated their superior fire-proof qualities in an ordeal of unusual severity.  
The safe you made for me some time ago was in the office of the Museum, on the second floor, back part of the building, and in the hottest of the fire.  
After twenty-four hours of trial, it was found among the debris, and on opening it this day has yielded up its contents in very good order—books, papers, policies of insurance, bank bills, all in condition for immediate use, and a noble commentary on the trustworthiness of Herring's Fire-Proof Safe. Yours truly, P. T. BARNUM.  
**Herring's Patent Champion Safes.**  
The Most Reliable Protection from Fire now known.  
HERRING & CO.'S PATENT BANKERS' SAFES, with Herring & Floyd's Patent Crystallized Iron, the best security against a burglar's drill ever manufactured.  
HERRING & CO.,  
No. 251 Broadway, cor. Murray st., N. Y.  
FARREL, HERRING & CO., Philadelphia.  
Oct 25 2mo HERRING & CO., Chicago.