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TERMS-IN ADVANCE.

A New Scene in Norma. - Parepa-A New Scene in Norma.—ParepaRosa was singing Casta Diva at San
Francisco. Folding her white hands
on her bosom and raising her tender
eyes, she commenced with her Æolian
notes, the melody swelling and breaking into a gush of plaintive, supplicating harmony that vibrated through
every chord of the heart. I glanced
at my friend at my side, radiant in
her magnificent dress and halo of
golden hair, silver powdered, and golden hair, silver powdered, and there was a sweet, pensive look on her downcast face. The music ceased, and the audience, wild with enthusiand the audience, wild with enthusiasm, was demanding an encore, when my beautiful companion raised her large, serene eyes to mine and said, "Isn't it sad?" "Yes," replied I, quick, sharing her feeling, "although so glorious, it touches a melancholy chord." "Oh, nonsense," she exclaimed, "I don't mean that! You know very well that I don't pretend to appreciate this kind of musical largon. I mean inn't it sad to sae so to appreciate this kind of musical jargon. I mean isn't it sad to see so many young men in California baldheaded? I wonder if it's dissipation or trouble, or climate, or what? Do you know that I have been picking out bald-heads down in the parquette, and, would you believe it, I actually counted twenty-nine?"

[Letter from San Francisco.

THE UTAH LAKE MONSTERS. - Bro. Madsden, a well-known authority for anything connected with Utah Lake, says that a peculiar bird inhabits the lake, about the size of a duck, with short wings that have scarcely any feathers on them. It can neither fly feathers on them. It can neither fly nor walk, and can continue under water, when it dives, fully a quarter of an hour. It is called a "hell diver" by those who are acquainted with its movements. It sometimes makes its way across the wa'er with great velocity, flapping its short and almost featherless wings and leaving a wake behind it that gives it the appearance of a serpent dashing along. He suggests that its thus passing through the water and throwing up a long water and throwing up a long the water and throwing up a long visible track, with its own peculiar appearance, may have led to the opinion entertained by those who thought they saw monsters in the lake. Though a fisherman on the lake for fourteen years, Bro. Madsen has never seen anything that looked like a monetar and is a total unbelike a monster, and is a total unbeliever in their existence. [Salt Lake News

Three young men started together from Harper's Ferry, years ago, to settle in Ohio. They again met as ex-Governors Worthington, Tiffin, and Lucas, of the same State.

FOR SALE. A GOOD CORNER LOT, on Taylor street. Apply to

No. 5 Law Range, Columbia, S. C. Nov 22 mth4*

To Rent. THAT desirable lot of LAND situated on Upper Boundary street, and formerly occupied by W. Summer as a nursery. It is suitable for farming, and will produce about 1,500 lbs. of Seed Cotton or 20 bushels of Wheat to the acre. Apply to

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W. T. WALTER.

TO RENT. A HOUSE on Senate street. Ap-

Ply to Nev 18 FISHER & LOWRANCE. Notice.

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CITY CLERG'S OFFICE,
COLUMBIA, November 23, 1868.

PROPOSALS for supplying the Alms
House, Hospital, and the Poor of the
city with GROCERIES and PROVISIONS,
for three months, will be received at this
office. Contract to be given to the lowest
bidder. Bids to be left at this office on or
before December 1.

By order of the City Conneil.

J. S. McMAHON,
Nov 24 6

City Clerk.

Oity Clerk. Dried Apples. 4.000 LBS. of prime DRIED APPLES for sale low by E. & G. D. HOPE.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

UNRIVALLED .- Nothing that has ever been known or heard of as a tonic adds so much to the resistant power of the human system, under circumstances unfavorable to health, as HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS. If you would escape the intermittent fevers, fits of indigestion, bilious attacks and bowel-complaints, of which cold and damp are the frequent causes, use the BITTERS as a PROTECTIVE MEDICINE. This is the wisest course; but, if already an invalid, try the preparation as a RESTORATIVE. In either case full reliance may be placed upon its effi-

There is no mystery about the causes of its success. It is the only stomachic and alterative in which are combined the grand

alterative in which are combined the grand requisites of a mild, pure and unvitiated vegetable stimulant, with the finest selection of tonic, anti-billious, anti-scorbutic, aperient and depurative herbs, plants, roots and barks that have ever been intermixed in a medicinal preparation.

The Bitters have this distinctive quality, which is not shared, it is believed, by any tonic, tincture or extract in the world: It does not excite the pulse, though it infuses a wonderful degree of vigor into the norvous system, and strengthens and sustains the whole physical organization.

California and Australia have emphatically endorsed it as the MINER'S MEDICINE par excellence, and in Spanish America and all the tropical climates, it is considered the only reliable antidote to epidemic fevers.

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The already immense and still increasing consumption of HOSTETTER'S STO-MACH BITTERS, backed by many of the most influential physicians throughout the country, should convince the most skeptical that it is worthy the confidence and approbation of all.

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"MANHOOD."-Another New Medical Pamphlet from the pen of Dr. Curtis. The Medical Times says of this work: "This valuable treatise on the cause and cure of premature decline shows how health is impaired through secret abuses of youth and manhood, and how easily regained. It gives a clear synopsis of the impediments to marriage, the cause and effects of nervous debility, and the remedies therefor.' A pocket edition of the above will be forwarded on receipt of 25 Cents, by addressing Dr. Curtis, No. 58 North Charles street, Baltimore, Md. May 27 1y

REMOVAL. DR. B. W. GIBBES HAS REMOVED to his new residence and office—cor-ner of Plain and Sumter streets, and next door to office of Drs. Reynolds, Dentists. Nov 13 1mo

A Lot of RESH LEMONS just to hand, and for sale by G. W. PARKER, Nov 11

At Swygert & Senn's. RESH Buckwheat FLOUR,
Prime North Carolina Mullets, some thing rare, Golden Drip Syrup, Choice Goshen Butter, Cheese, &c.

Choice FAMILY SUPPLIES, received ally, at SWYGERT & SENN'S.

Fresh Norfolk Oysters. HAVING made arrangements, I will keep them constantly on hand during the season, by retail at \$2.00 per gallon, and in kegs at \$2.50 per gallon. All orders from the country promptly attended to, when the cash accompanies the order.

Nov 21 6 JOHN D. BATEMAN.

Wines and Liquors. STOCK full and prices to suit the times. Lowest in price and finest in quality. For sale by GEO. SYMMERS. Nov 21

Flour, Flour. 100 BBLS. Extra Family FLOUR, just received and for sale by J. & T. R. AGNEW.

Coffee, Coffee. 60 BAGS, consisting of Rio, Laguyra, on hand and for sale, at reduced prices, by Nov 24 J. & T. R. AGNEW.

A Fine Lot of Fresh

MOUNTAIN BUTTER received this day, and for sale low by Nov 11 G. W. PARKER, Agent. New Buckwheat Flour.

JUST received and for sale by Nov 11 G. W. PARKER, Agent. Apples, Apples. WE have this day received a fresh supply of fine North Carolina APPLES, and will be prepared to supply the trade at any time. FISHER & LOWRANCE.

Oranges and Lemons.

FLORIDA INDIAN RIVER ORANGES, Malaga Lemons, for sale by Nov 21 GEO. SYMMERS.

Rye Whiskey, SCHNAPS,
Bitters,
Brandies,
Rum,
Gin, &c., &c.
For sale low by
Nov 6 FISHER & LOWBANCE.

Light, Light.

10 BBLS. Prime White KEROSENE OIL, 110 fire test, on hand and for sale, at reduced prices, by the barrel and at retail, by J. & T. B. AGNEW.

New No. 1, 2 and 3 Mackerel, IN KITTS, Quarter, Half and Whole barrels, 100 boxes No. 1 and Scaled Herrings. For sale low, by E. & G. D. HOPE. For sale low, by

New Books.

COOKE'S New Novel—Mohun, or the Last Days of Lee and bis Palladius—Final Memoirs of a sltaff Officer, serving in Virginia, in some sort a Sequel to Surrey of Eagle's Nest, \$2.25.

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Gunsmith.

New Boot, Shoe AND



In Presbyterian Depository, opposite Kinard's dry goods store. Oct 24

LIBERAL CASH ADVANCES made on COTTON consigned to JAMES W. TRASK, New York, by applying to September 16 85 E. & G. D. HOPE.

Trusses and Eupporters.

Notice to Creditors of A. W. Thompson, deceased.

THE OPIUM HABIT, and sketches of Coleridge, DeQuincy, and other opium eaters. \$1.75.

About Woman, Love and Marriage, by Saunders, author of Salad for the Solitary.

A Strange Story, by Bulwer. \$1.00.
Agassiz's Journey in Brazil, with plates.
Life in the Argentine Republic in the
days of the Tyrants, by Horace Mann.
\$2.00.

Barnes on the Psalms. Cameos from English History, by Miss Yonge, Old Dower House, by Annie Thomas.

VERY fine Northern IRISH POTATOES just received and for sale by Oct 30 GEO. W. PARKER, Ag't. Codfish and Salmon.

MACKEREL, in whole, half and quarter barrels, and kits, on hand and for sale by Oct 29 J. & T. R. AGNEW.

RIGLISH WALNUTS, Brazil Nuts, Pecans, Filberts and Almonds. Just received and for sale by Oct 11 J. & T. R. AGNEW.

Broker and Commission Merchant,
WALHALLA, S. C., and Honea Path,
S. C., will attend to all business
entrusted to his care at either place.
August 13

Smoked Beef and Breakfast Bacon 300 LBS. Choice SMOKED BEEF, 1,000 lbs. Breakfast Bacon Strips. For sale by E. & G. D. HOPE.

Ale! Ale!! Ale!!! 20 HALF BBLS. "CLAGGET'S CREAM Day Dest in America, for sale low, GEO. SYMMERS.

rey of Eagle's Nest, \$2.25.
New supply of Surrey of Eagle's Nest, \$2.25.
Leet Days of a King, an Historical Re-

Last Days of a King, an Historical Romance, translated from the German, 50 cents.

Callamura, a Thrilling Romance, by Julia Pleasants.
Chambers' Miscellaneous Questions with Answers, \$1.25.
Who is He? An Appeal to those who regard with any doubt the name of Jesus.
At DUFFIE & CHAPMAN'S Rookstore.

Carolina House, and will furnish, at short notice, OYSTERS FRIED, ROASTED, STEWED and on the SHELL. Give me a call.

W. R. SESSFORD. call. Nov 6

Gunsmith.

I HAVE recently opened a new store (next to E. Stenhouse) where I will be found, at all times, ready to attend to anything in my line, such as repairing and making to order all kinns of PISTOLS, GUNS, LOCKS, &c., and will give particular attention to repairing SEWING MACHINES, IRON SAFES, &c. Patronage respectfully solicited.

Nov 12

F. A. SCHNEIDER.

THE undersigned, who is experienced in the business, has opened a fine and carefully selected stock of goods in the above line, and invites a call from purchasers. In the assortment, will be found Gent's, Ladies', Misses', Boys', Youths' and Children's BCOTS and SHOES, of the best make. His stock of HATS is varied. The articles will be disposed of cheap for cash.

In Presbyterian Depository, opposite

COTTON.

N store, a variety of superior TRUSSES and Supporters. For sale by FISHER & HEINITSH, Druggists.

Son, deceased.

PERSONS having demands against the estate of A. W. THOMPSON, deceased, either as principal or surety, are hereby notified to present their claims, properly attested, to the undersigned, within sixty days from date; and those indebted are requested to make payment without delay. W. T. THOMPSON, H. L. GOSS,

UNION, S. C., October 27, 1868.

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NEW BOOKS.

FINE Northern IRISH POTATOES, for sale by FISHER & LOWRANCE.

TEN BARRELS

K ITS SALMON and CODFISH, at re tail, just received.

Nuts! Nuts! Nuts!

Onion Sets, Onion Sets, Onion Sets.

JUST received, a choice lot of ONION SETS. Now is the time to plant them.

For sale by FISHER & HEINITSH,
Oct 31 Druggists. D. W. HAWTHORNE,

Pure Leaf Lard FOR sale by FISHER & LOWRANCE.

YOUR HORSES, AND ATTEND TO THEM.



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Low for cash, at

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REDUCED PRICES.

GUNNY CLOTH and Bale Rope, at very J. & T. R. AGNEW.

Oats! Oats!

For sale wholesale and retail by [Oct 31 #1mo]

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Nov 10 1mo

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CLOCKS SPECTACLES, &c.

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NOTICE.

New Guns---Gunsmith Shop.

The undersigned would respectfully inform his old friends of Newberry, Laurens and Union, and the public generally, that he has established himself in Columbia, at Bronson's old stand, on Main street, near Boyne & Sprowl's marble-yard, where he will make and repair Guns and Locks of every description, and keep for sale Guns, Locks, Pistols, Cartridges, Powder, Shot, and Gun Materials of all kinds. Also, Guns ordered for friends from the best makers of America and England, at cost prices, for cash.

Address SEBASTIAN KRAFT', Cct 29 ‡Imo Columbia, S. C. New Guns---Gunsmith Shop.

REMOVAL.



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MRS. C. E. REED has removed her MILLINERY ESTABLISHMENT to her old stand, on Main street, second door from E. Pollard's Drug Store, where she would call the attention of her city and country friends and customers to call and see for themselves the finest and cheapest stock of MILLINERY ever offered in this city, consisting of Ladies' and Children's Hats and Bonnets, of all kinds and all prices. Also, Flowers, Ribbons, Caps, Lepters, Millings, Caps, Lepters, Ribbons, Ribbons,

all prices. Also, Flowers, Ribbons, Caps, Laces, Ruches, Hair Braids, Curls, Water-falls, Nets, Corsets, Zephyr Worsted, Fancy and Bridal Veils, all of which will be sold much lower than anywhere else in the city. Everything of the latest and most fashionable style constantly arriving.

October 17

Guns, Pistols, Etc. THE undersigned informs his friends, and the public generally, that he has received a large and select assortment of SINGLE and DOUBLE-BARREL GUNS, RIFLES and PISTOLS, CARTRIDGES for all kinds of Guns, Rifles and Repeaters constantly on hand.

SPORTSMEN'S EQUIPMENTS, all of which will be sold low for cash. GUNS and PISTOLS made to order and repaired at short notice and moderate price. Cash system rigidly adhered to. Oct 7 P. W. KRAFT.

Stanley's Celebrated Cough Syrup, I Still a great remedy, and very popular among the people. For twenty-five years, it has been known to cure more Coughs than any other remedy.

For sale by FISHER&HEINITSH, Oct 99. Oct 22 ‡ Druggists.

Drugs, Chemicals, Medicines, &c. WHOLESALE and Retail, Quinine, Calomei, Blue Mass, Salts, Morphia, Chloroform, Patent Medicines, Oils, Essences, Pills, Ointments, Queen's Delight, &c. For sale at low prices, by FISHER & HEINITSH, Oct 8 + Druggists, Columbia, S. C.

Candles and Soap. 100 BOXES ADAMANTINE AND SPERM CANDLES, 75 boxes Superfine Washing and Toilet Soaps. For sale low by September 16 E. & G. D. HOPE.

Borneo Bagging.

6 BALES Superior COTTON BAGGING.
50 coils Greenless and Manilla Rope.
For sale low by E. & G. D. HOPE.

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WASHINGTON HOUSE, BY MRS. M. W. STRATTON.

Figs, Raisins, Nuts, &c.

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To hand, this day, a full assortment of Mediterranean FRUIT, consisting of: SMYRNA FIGS, small packages. Muscatel Raisins, loose. London Layer Raisins, new crop, quarter, half and whole boxes.

Zante Currants, by the barrel or retail. Pecan Nuts, Ivica Alimonds, Filberts, &c. 10 boxes Extra Messina Lemons, large and fine.

These are all of late importation and are offered at low rates, by

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Torders from the country, accompanied by the cash, promptly attended to; or shipped by Express C. O. D. Oct. 31

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Columbia, S. C. Convenient to the
Greenville and Charleston Ratiroads, and
the business portion of the city.
Rates of transient board—21 per day.
Lodgings can be obtained with or without meals, at any time. Sept 30 Sm

DILLON'S COTTON TIES are now offered by the undersigned at the low price of EIGHT CENTS PER POUND, to close consignments.

400 BUSHELS PRIME OATS.
For sale low by
September 16 E. & G. D. HOPE. A MATTER OF INTEREST

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NORTH AMERICAN,
HOME, of New Haven
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UNION, of Baltimore
GEORGIA HOME, of Columbus, Georgia
ALBEMARLE, of Charlottesville, Virginia.
SOUTHERN MUTUAL, of Athens, Georgia 700,000 2,000,000 200.000 500,000 400,000 400,000