business transactions. The first plantation to which we refer, is situated immediately upon the line of the Railroad; and was sold a few years ago, on a credit we believe, of one and two years, for about $2 800. At the recent sale referred to, it brought over $5,000. The second was sold, if we are not mistaken, less than three years ago, for $7,000; and at the recent sale, we understand about half of it was sold for about the sum it all sold for then. A third tract, of about 500 acres of pine land, was valued about 4 years ago at $,000, which the owner could now realize $10 per acre for. What say the land owners along the line of the Railroad to these facts? Can they longer doubt the deep interest they have in the success of the project? Will they longer hesitate to promote that interest, by withholding a liberal subscription to the stock of the company?—*Cheraw Gazette.*

SINGULAR CASE OF FIRE.—The Boston Atlas says the following fact may be useful, not only in guarding against a similar occurrence, but in suggesting one among many causes of fire, which are, undoubtedly, often wrongly attributed to incendiarism: A few days since, a gentleman in the vicinity of Boston observed that the tassel to the shade of his chamber window was badly burned, and in a manner which gave no indication of the cause. He failed in his enquiries, and no person in the house could give him any information. A morning or two after, the domestic who was attending to the room, ran down in haste, exclaiming that the chamber window was on fire. An examination explained the mystery. In front of the window, which looked easterly, stood a shaving glass affixed to a moveable stand. A magnifying glass on the back reflected the rays of the sun, bringing them to a focus on the window; and whenever they struck on wood they burned into it, charring the frame in many places. A piece of paper placed against the widow was set on fire, and, indeed, the heat was so intense that it instantly burned whatever it touched. When first discovered the frame of the window was blazing.

Had the fire extended, it is not probable that the origin of it would have been discovered, and it would have been placed among those incomprehensible causes which can find no other solution than wilful mischief.

ARMY AND NAVY OF FRANCE.—The standing army of France numbers over four hundred thousand soldiers. Three hundred thousand are at home: eighty thousand in Africa; twenty thousand at Rome. All these troops are well trained effective men, constituting perhaps the best equipped army, in all particulars, of the world. They are drawn from the middle classes by a peculiar system, making it impossible that there ever be a failure of men. About eighty thousand too are disbanded each year, of whom but a small portion re-enter the ranks. Seven years is their term of service. By this system of rotation almost the whole population of the Empire are in turn trained to military life. By retaining any year the eighty thousand usually disbanded, France could bring into the field five hundred thousand well equipped and disciplined men. By a system of conscription, among all classes, of such as have been seven years in the army, a rigidly trained and effective force might at any time be enrolled, such as the great Napoleon never could have commanded.

The French Artillery amounts to thirty thousand well trained and disciplined men, and five hundred large field pieces, admirably horsed and mounted. Besides these guns belonging to the regular army, near a hundred trophies taken in the Imperial and Algerian wars, are ready to be brought into active service, if necessary.

The French Naval force amounts to three hundred and thirty vessels, manned by thirty thousand sailors, mostly of French birth. Of these vessels one hundred and fourteen are steamers; forty ships of the line. The fleet of France is principally stationed in her ports or cruising in the neighboring waters.

The French Army and Navy are, at the present time available by being concentrated at home. A large force is not necessary at Rome; that in Algeria might, without danger, be diminished. A few vessels are on voyages of survey and discovery, of which the French are very fond, but could be recalled at any moment. No people have more more accurate ideas of the physical world; their maps, charts, estimations, &c., are considered most valuable.—*Savannah Courier.*

COTTON PROSPECTS.—George G. Henry, a well-known commission merchant in Mobile, and one too favorably known for correctness in his estimates of previous cotton crops and prices, in a letter to the editor of the Cotton Planter, estimates the crop at 3,000,000 bales, and adds:

"Should the receipts run up to 3,000,000, the crop has been then at least 250,000 bales heavier. I have doubted, taking all things into consideration, if indeed it really were heavier. Last year at least 250,000 bales of cotton came to hand, which, depressed throughout the cotton region, is held for other years. This crop will lose that sort of aid. It will all come forward, I believe, as I do not know of any feeling in favor of holding cotton back in the country anywhere.

"Well, with all the favorable concurring elements, if it is found the crop will not exceed 3,000,000, middling cotton, I think will go to 7d, before the 1st of July in Liverpool; and if the *worms,* which made a pretty respectable commencement last year, should acquit themselves with their usual taste and impartiality, (and they are fully due this year, as it is the seventh since 1846,) why, prices will go to 8 or 9d, for middlings next fall.

"Middlings which we sold this time last year for 6 3-4c., we are now selling at 8 1-2c., and such as were selling at the same time in Liverpool at 4 1-4d., and were at last dates, selling at 5 7-8d. this year—a difference here of 1 3-4c. higher. The pressure of our receipts, and our anxiety to sell, put us *lower* than we should be evidently if these receipts could have been diffuse throughout the year.

"I think, therefore, the prospects of the cotton planter are extraordinarily propitious; that cotton must advance this season further, and prices will also be good another year.

"How much good depends, as usual, on accidents! If the worm does his seventh year's work, 15c. next year will be a common price."

SANTA ANNA AT VERA CRUZ.—The brig Rollerson, Capt. Crewell, which arrived at Mobile on Tuesday, in seven days from Vera Cruz, reports that in leaving that harbor, she met an English steamer going in, with Santa Anna on board, and flying his colors at her foremast.

Every barrel of flour used in Cuba is imported from Spain the duty upon American flour being nine dollars a barrel.

Later from Europe.

BALTIMORE, March 22.—The U. S. Steamship Atlantic, Capt. West, arrived at New-York on Tuesday from Liverpool, which port she left on Wednesday, the 9th inst.

THE LIVERPOOL MARKETS.—The sales of Cotton for the three days have comprised 14,000 bales, of which Speculators and Exporters have taken one thousand each. The imports during the same period amounted to 75,000 bales. Messrs. Wright and Gandy, in their Circular received by this arrival, quote Cotton as steady with a fair business up to Tuesday, the 8th inst., when a decline of an eighth of a penny took place in consequence of the unfavorable tenor of the Niagara's American advices, the market closing dull and gloomy.

The quotations are—Fair Orleans 6 1-4d; Middling Orleans 5 5-8; Fair Upland 5 7-8d; and Middling Upland 5 1-2d.

Flour was in moderate demand, and had experienced a further decline of sixpence per bbl. of 196 lbs.

Trade in Manchester had slightly declined.

HAVRE COTTON MARKET.—The advices from Havre brought by the Atlantic are to the 7th inst. The demand for Cotton, however, was but moderate and there was little or no change to notice as operators were awaiting the receipt of the Niagara's advices. For Rice and Ashes there had been a moderate demand from the trade and for export.

FOREIGN ITEMS.—In Lombardy the confiscation of the property of those suspected to be connected with late insurrectionary movements had commenced. The frigates Cumberland and St. Louis had taken many fugitives on board.

Prince Camerata Bonaparte has shot himself.

The Rothschilds have taken the Sardinian loan.

Great military preparations are making in Bavaria and many arrests have taken place.

In France the Emperor has appointed Commissioners to visit every part of the Empire and inquire into the wants of the people.

Father Lacordiere has been ordered to quit Paris for alluding in harsh terms to the Emperor.

A tradesman has been arrested in Paris, for shooting at the Archbishop of Paris.

The Earl of Malmesbury has reprimanded the Commander of the English Frigate at Genoa, for assisting Mazzini to escape from that city.

The Emperor of Austria has nearly recovered from his wounds.

The rumor that a conspiracy existed at Comorn, in Hungary, has been confirmed. The Provost of the town was hung in chains and five hundred prisoners sent to Pesth.

The arrangements between Austria and Turkey, are said to be as follows: The Hungarians and Poles serving in the Turkish army are to be immediately dismissed. The Porte is to withdraw her troops from Montenegro and pay four millions of piastres that are due to Austrian subjects. Vleck and Sutorina are to remain as part of Turkey, but the Porte relinquishes the right to erect fortifications on them, or to approach them by sea.

Still Later.

BALTIMORE, March 25.

The British mail steamship Asia, Capt. Lott, has arrived at New York from Liverpool, which port she left on the 12th inst., with 57 passengers.

THE LIVERPOOL MARKETS.—In the Cotton market, since the departure of the Canada on the 5th inst, prices have fallen off an eighth, and in some instances a quarter. The lower grades, however, have declined most and holders are pressing on the market. The sales of the week have comprised 41,000 bales, of which speculators have taken 1,000, and exporters 4 000 bales, part of which will be resold.

The quotations are as follows: Fair Orleans 6 1-4d; Middling Orleans 5 1-2d; Fair Upland 5 7-8d; and Middling Upland 5 7-16d.

For Flour and corn there is but a moderate demand, and the arrivals since the sailing of the Canada having been large, a decline of a shilling per bbl. of Flour, and the same per quarter of Corn, has taken place.

STATE OF TRADE.—In Manchester trade during the week has largely declined.

HAVRE COTTON MARKET.—Cotton in this market has declined. The sales since the 4th inst., to the 7th inclusive have averaged 700 bales per day. Orleans Tres Ordinaire is quoted at barely 90 francs, and Uplands at 88.

FOREIGN ITEMS.—A great number of executions have taken place at Pesth as also at Mantua, and the sequestration of property is on an extensive scale. Many refugees have sought protection of the Piedmontese Government, which has protested to the Court of Vienna against their being molested.

The Queen of England, Empress of France, and the Queens of Spain and Portugal, and Greece are all reported to be *enciente.*

The Pope, it is said, will positively go to Paris, to Crown the Emperor on the 1st of May.

The King of Naples has been so severely wounded by assassins that it has been necessary to amputate his leg.

Outbreaks are threatened throughout Austria and Germany, and great military precautions are being made by the respective Governments of those countries. Arrests and executions are of daily occurrence. One of the victims who suffered death at Mantua was an old man aged seventy.

THE COURT.—The Court of common pleas is now in session at this place, Judge FROST presiding. So far the proceedings have been uninteresting, the more important cases being left for the end of the week. The court during the first of the week has been occupied trying assault and battery cases, in which the point is, "who struck the first blow?" which is about as hard to determine in some cases, as who struck Billy Patterson?—*Darlington Flag.*

ANOTHER SCIENTIFIC WONDER.

IMPORTANT TO DYSPEPTICS.

Dr. J. S. HOUGHTON'S PEPSIN, THE TRUE DIGESTIVE FLUID, or GASTRIC JUICE, prepared from RENNET or the FOURTH STOMACH OF THE OX, after directions of BARON LIEBIG, the great Physiologica Chemist, by J. S. HOUGHTON. M. D., Philadelphia. This is truly a wonderful remedy for INDIGESTION, DYSPEPSIA, JAUNDICE, LIVER COMPLAINT, CONSTIPATION and DEBILITY, curing after Nature's own method, by Nature's own Agent, the GASTRIC JUICE. Pamphlets, containing Scientific evidence of its value, furnished by agents gratis. See notice among the medical advertisements.

TO THE SICK.

For the effectual rooting out from the system of all diseases brought on by indigestion, billiousness and impurity of the blood, it is a widely and well known fact that *WRIGHT'S INDIAN VEGETABLE PILLS* are *the great PANACEA.* Throughout the entire South, these Pills have long been held in the highest repute, both by private individuals and by the Medical faculty of our country. Southern fevers and Southern diseases generally, yield to their influence at once; and the unfortunate victim to "earthly ills and woes" is made to thank Heaven that a sovereign balm has been provided.

Let each try them for himself and if the medicine fails to satisfy, the experiment shall cost him nothing.

THOS. J. WORKMAN, Agent for Camden, S. C., and told by Druggists and Merchants throughout the country. June 28—1y.

POISONING.

Thousands of parents who use Vermifuge composed of Castor Oil, Calomel, &c., are not aware, that while they appear to benefit the patient, they are actually laying the foundations for a series of diseases, such as salivation, loss of sight, weakness of limbs, &c.

In another column will be found the advertisement of Hobensack's Medicines, to which we ask the attention of all directly interested in their own as well as their Children's health. In Liver Complaints and all disorders arising from those of a billious type, should make use of the only genuine medicine, Hobensack's Liver Pills.

☞ "BE NOT DECEIVED," but ask for Hobensack's Worm Syrup and Liver Pills, and observe that each has the signature of the Proprietor, J. N. HOBENSACK, as none else are genuine.

NOMINATION.

Mr. Editor: Having been informed that our present efficient Intendant declines a re election, we nominate Maj. JOHN ROSSER as a candidate for the same.

MR. EDITOR: You will oblige many voters by announcing the following gentlemen as candidates at our next municipal election:

FOR INTENDANT,

MAJ. JOHN ROSSER.

FOR WARDENS.

B. W. CHAMBERS, C. H. DAVIS,
W. C. MOORE, J. K. WITHERSPOON

BY THE GOVERNOR.

HEAD-QUARTERS,
CHARLESTON, Feb. 25, 1853.

The following gentlemen have been appointed and commissioned Aids-de-Camp to His Excellency the Governor and Commander-in-Chief, and will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By order:
J. W. CANTEY, Adj't. & Insp. Gen.

JOSEPH HAYWARD,
ALEXANDER G. RICE,
BENJAMIN T. BROCKMAN,
JOSEPH STONEY,
SUMMERFIELD GRAY,
WM. R. DOGAN.

March 15 11 3t

CAMDEN PRICES CURRENT.

BAGGING, per yard	12½	to	13
BALE ROPE, per pound	9	to	..
BUTTER, per pound	20	to	25
BEEF, per pound	5	to	7
BACON, per pound	11½	to	14
COFFEE, per pound	10	to	12
CHEESE, per pound	12	to	15
COTTON, per pound	8½	to	10
CORN, per bushel	70	to	75
FLOUR, per barrel	5¾	to	6
FODDER, per cwt	$1	to	
IRON, per pound	5	to	6
LARD, per pound	16	to	
MOLASSES, per gallon,	31	to	44
NAILS, per pound	4	to	5
OATS, per bushel,	37	to	45
PEAS, per bushel	62	to	75
POTATOES, Sweet per bushel	37	to	50
Irish, per barrel		to	..
RICE, per bushel	$ 3	to	5
SUGAR, per pound	6	to	12
SALT, per sack.	1¾	to	1½

I. O. O. F.—Kershaw Lodge, No. 9.

THE Regular Meeting of this Lodge will be held at their Hall, on Friday Evening, at 7 o'clock.
D. R. KENNEDY, Secretary.

Wanted Immediately,

A YOUTH, 15 or 16 years of age to attend in a Clothing Store. Apply to
March 29—2t P. ROSENSON.

Attention Beat, No. 2.

YOU are hereby summoned to appear at your usual Parade Ground on Saturday next, the 2nd April, at 11 o'clock, A. M. By order of
CAPT. WORKMAN.
WM. SHELL, O. S.
March 29—13 1t

NEW SPRING GOODS.

A VERY handsome Assortment of all kinds now receiving at A. M. & R. KENNEDY'S.
March 29tf

SPECIAL NOTICE.

THE subscriber has removed to the Store lately occupied by Mr. C. Matheson, on the corner of Broad and York Streets, and is now receiving his supply of SPRING GOODS, which, in addition to his former stock, makes his assortment very complete. He would be happy to see his old friends and customers at the "*NEW STAND,*" where he hopes to entertain them by showing them pretty Goods, and selling them great bargains. For particulars "see small bills." E. W. BONNEY.
March 29 13tf

Ladies' Elegant Spring Dress Goods,

IN New Styles, of Berages, Tissues, Grenidins, Jaconets, Lawns, Silks, Muslins, &c. Just received and for sale on the most reasonable terms at
March 29 BONNEY'S.

LADIES' KID GLOVES Handsome Fans, French Embroideries, Linen H'dkfs., Doilers, Table Linens, Linen Sheeting, &c., now opening at
March 29 BONNNY'S.

SUMMER Clothing and Hats, of the latest styles, for sale at BONNEY'S.
March 29—13 tf

White Havana Sugar,

A SUPERIOR article. Received and for sale low by JAMES McEWEN.
March 29. 14 tf

Leather! Leather!! Leather!!!

A GOOD assortment of every description. Just received and for sale by
March 29—13tf WORKMAN & BOONE.

BOYS' SHOES.

A *GOOD* Article, received and for sale by WORKMAN & BOONE.
March 29—13tf

Tarrants' Seltzer Aperient.

A LARGE and fresh supply; also, Ellis' Solution of Citrate of Magnesia; Sulph. Quinine; Sulph. Morphine, Hydriodate of Potash, Iodine, &c., &c. Just received at Z. J. DeHAY'S.
March 29tf

Radway's Remedies.

CONSISTING of Radway's Ready Relief, Ready Resolvent, Ready Regulators (Pills,) Medicated Soap and Circassian Balm for the Hair. Just received at Z. J. DeHAY'S.
March 29 tf

At Private Sale.

JANE and her two Sons, 5 and 7 years. Jane is a complete cook, washer, ironer and clear starcher, a general house Servant, and of good character, Apply to
March 22—12 tf J. B. F. BOONE.

ALL persons having demands against the Estate of M. D. Copeland, deceased, are requested to present them, duly attested, and those indebted will please make immediate payment to
L. W. MOAK, Adm'r

CHARLESTON PRICES.

HARNESS SADDLERY, TRUNKS,

MILITARY WORK, &c.

Manufactured to order and warrated, at CHARLESTON PRICES, opposite Mr. Robert Man's Coach Factory, Camden, S. C., by
LUKE ARMSTRONG.
☞ Ten per cent. discount for cash within 30 days.
March 22. 12 tf

CHARLES S. WEST,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, AUSTIN, TEXAS.

Will practice in the 2d Judicial District and adjoining counties, and in the Supreme and Federal Courts at Austin.

References.—Messrs. Doswell, Hill & Co., Galveston; Rugely, Blair & Co., New-Orleans; Patrick, Irwin & Co., Mobile; Boykin McRae & Foster, Mobile.
March 22—12tf

A CARD.

THE undersigned would announce to those who are interested in the cause of education that the subscription list to his course of Lectures on Chemistry is nearly complete, and if a few more names can be obtained he will proceed without delay to procure the necessary apparatus. He will also, if sufficient encouragement is given, organize a night class for the same purpose. It is hoped that such an opportunity (so seldom afforded) for obtaining a thorough knowledge of the important science will not be neglected. T. CARPENTER.
March 22. TA&J4t-12

$25 REWARD.

RANAWAY, on last Saturday, the 12th inst., my boy RICHARD, answers to the name of Dick, a white mulatto about five feet 3 or 4 inches high, tolerably stout built, and about twenty-five years old, with straight light colored short hair, has a very sulky appearance, and answers quick and short when spoken to. When he left he had on a black overcoat and a pair of common negro cloth pants, a low crown dove colored furd hat. The boy has a very down look—I have had the word "Slave" written on his fore-head with India Ink, just above the eye-brows, though I have no doubt he will try to hide it by tying something round his head, or he may put a plaster over it. *He will be certain to try and pass for a white man.*—The above reward of Twenty-five Dollars will be paid for his delivery in any jail in the State.
JAMES LOWRY.
Bradleyville P. O., Sumter District. 5t-12

COLUMBIA HOTEL.

THE subscriber, having purchased the above establishment, hereby notifies his friends and the public generally, that he will spare no pains or expense to render those who may call upon him comfortable. His Tables will be supplied with the best the market will afford. The Bar will be furnished with the best of liquors—and his stables with good ostlers and provender. Call and see for yourselves.
JOHN HARRISON.
Columbia, March 9 11 2m.

Southern Chair Factory.

THE subscriber begs leave to call the attention of wholesale Purchasers to his Stock of Cane Seat, Windsor, Office, and Dining Room Chairs, Cane Seat Stools, &c., all of which are made at his Factory, near Columbia.

Having obtained the best machinery now used for the purpose, and competent workmen, he is prepared to fill Orders for any style of Chairs.

He does not invite the attention of Purchasers to his establishment solely on the ground of its being a Southern enterprise, but because he can supply as good an article, fully as cheap or cheaper than it can be obtained from the North.

CHAIRS will be packed and delivered free of charge at any of the Depots in Columbia.

His Ware Rooms are over the Auction Store of Messrs. Allen & Philip's, who are Agents for the above Factory. W. F. PERCIVAL.
March 1. 9 3m

In Equity—Kershaw District.

Hampton Bynum, Gray Bynum, et. al., vs. Robert Matthews and Anne his wife, C. L. Banner and his wife Mary, et. al.—Bill for Partition.

NOTICE is hereby given to the distributees and heirs-at-law of Martha Blume, deceased, who was a sister of the late Benjamin Bineham, also to the distributees and heirs-at-law of Mary Carmichael, afterwards Mary Gardiner, deceased, who was likewise a sister of the said Benjamin Bineham, that the above Bill is filed for Partition of the Real Estate of the said Benjamin Bineham, and that they are required to plead, answer or demur to the same within three months from the date thereof.
W. H. R. WORKMEN. C. E. K. D.
Commissioners Office, March 7th, 1852. ($7)

CARRIAGES.

At the Old Stand of S. & J. Gilbert.

S. & E. M. GILBERT continue the CARRIAGE BUSINESS at the above stand, Nos. 35 and 40 Wentworth street, where they will be pleased to exhibit to their old friends and customers a very extensive stock of VEHICLES, comprising those of their own manufacture, together with the various other styles usually found in this market. Their long acquaintance with this market as manufacturers and dealers will enable them to offer great inducements to purchasers, both in styles and prices.
Charleston, Aug. 20. 67 tf

Just Purchased,

A LARGE lot of extra COUNTRY CURED HAMS, which will be sold low for CASH, by
March 22—12tf B. W. CHAMBERS.

A LOT of fine, well cured North Carolina BACON, hog round. Low for cash by
March 22—12tf B. W. CHAMBERS.

NOTICE.

THERE will be an Election held at Council Room on the first Monday in April ensuing, for an Intendant and four Wardens, to serve one year from that time, as the Town Council of Camden. The following individuals were appointed Managers to conduct said election, viz: R. M. Kennedy, F. Root, and John N. Gamewell.
By order of Council,
J. W. BALLARD, T. Recorder.
March 16, 1853. 12

FRESH Mountain Butter, Fresh Country Lard. For sale by J. A. SCHROCK.

DRIED Figs, Oranges, Prunes, Raisons, Citron and Currants—a fresh lot just received by J. A. SCHROCK.

BOLOGNA SAUSAGES, Smoked Tongues, Superior Canvas Hams, for sale by J. A. SCHROCK.

SEED POTATOES—a fresh lot on hand by J. A. SCHROCK.

MEAL and GRITS—a fresh supply kept constantly on hand by J. A. SCHROCK.

Just Received.

1 CASE Assorted Preserves.
2 cases Ginger do.
1 " Reading Sauce.
1 " Harvey do.
1 " John Bull do.
1 " Worcestershire Sauce.
1 " English Piccalilli.
1 " " Pickles.
2 " American Pickles
By J. A. SCHROCK.

THOMAS STENHOUSE,

Forwarding and Commission Merchant,

Will attend promptly to the Receiving and Forwarding of Goods. Charges moderate.
☞ Office No. 2 Hayne-street, Charleston, S. C.
March 1.—9 3t

5 CASES (quarts and pints) "Longworth's" Sparkling Catawba Wine. Received and for sale by
Dec. 6, 1852. SHAW & AUSTIN.

Tea, Tea, Tea.

GUNPOWDER, Hyson, Imperial, Young Hyson and Black, of superior quality. Received and for sale by SHAW & AUSTIN.

10 KITTS No. 1 Mackarel (new)
10 qr. bls. do do do
2 boxes dried Cod (new.) Received and for sale by
Dec. 6, 1852. SHAW & AUSTIN.

Sheriff's Sales.

BY virtue of sundry writs of *fieri facias* to me directed, I will sell on the first Monday and Tuesday in April next, being the 4th and 5th days of said month, between the usual hours of sale, the following property, to wit:

One tract of Land on the waters of Sawney's Creek adjoining lands of A. D. Jones and others, levied upon and to be sold as the property of William Robertson at the suit of James S. Deas and John Boykin, Ex'ors. vs Wm. Robertson. ($1)

—ALSO,—

One likely Negro Boy named John, three head of Horses one Carriage and Household Furniture, levied upon and to be sold as the property of Z. Cantey, at the suit of P. F. Villepigue et al vs J. W. Cantey and Z. Cantey. The Furniture to be sold at the defendant's residence. ($1.)

—ALSO—

One lot of Rice, levied on and to be sold as the property of Joseph A. Bossard, at the suit of N. B. Arrants vs. Joseph A. Bossard.)$1)
THOMAS BASKIN, S. K. D.
SHERIFF'S OFFICE, March 9.

Engineer's Office, S. C. Rail Road,

AIKEN, Feb. 28, 1853

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the Rail Road Company, in Charleston or Aiken, until the 1st day of April next, for grading sixty two miles of Rail Road between Charleston and Branchville. The same will be divided into sections of seven miles each; the privilege given to contractors to take one or more as desired, to be completed before the 1st day of May, 1854. Profile and Specifications can be obtained by application to the undersigned at Aiken, from whom all other desired information can be obtained. GEO. B. LYTHGOE,
Chief Engineer.
March 15 11 3t

Notice.

ALL persons having claims against the Estate of John Baskin, deceased, are required to hand them in.

This notice will be plead in bar of all claims not presented previous to the 1st Monday in January next, when a final settlement of the estate will be made.
Feb 8—4m SAMUEL BASKIN, Adm'r.

New Editions of Medical Books.

Carpenter's Principles of Physiology; General and Comparative London edition
Carpenter's Elements of Physiology. American edition
" Principles of Human Physiology
Condie on Diseases of Children
Churchill on Infants and Children
" Midwifery and Diseases of Women
Cazeneux do. Rigby's do.
Meigs' do. Dewees' do.
" Diseases of Children
Budd on Diseases of the Liver: Bartlett on Fevers
Dewees on Children; Dewees on Females
Dunglinson's Therapeutics and Materia Medica
" on Human Health
" Medical Dictionary
Druitt's Modern Surgery; Ferguson's Practical Surgery
Miller's Principles of Surgery
" Practice of do
Williams' Principles of Medicines
Wilson's Human Anatomy
Horner's Special Anatomy. 2 vols.
Horner & Smith's Anatomical Atlas
Watson's Practice of Physic
Griffith's Universal Formulary; Ellis' do.
United States Dispensatory Griffith's Medical Botany
Taylor's Medical Jurisprudence
Dr. Guy's Forensic Medicine
Muller's Physiology; Goddard on the Teeth
Roget's Outlines of Physiology and Phrenology
Jones' Opthalmic Medicine
Wilson on diseases of the Skin
Berzelius on the Skin; Eberle's Practice of Medicine
Smith on Parturition; Copeland on Apoplexy and Palsy
Pocket Medical Lexicon
Gunn's Domestic Medicine; Simons' do
Smith's Domestic Medicine, Surgery and Materia Medica; with directions for diet, management of the sick room, administration of medicines, bathing, treatment of Cholera, Antidotes for Poisons, &c.
March 8. A. YOUNG.

New Books.

A PRACTICAL TREATISE ON BUSINESS; or, how to get, save, spend, give, lend and bequeath MONEY; with an inquiry into the chances of success and cases of failure in Business. By E. T. Freedley.
Politics for American Christians: A word upon our example as a Nation, our labor, our trade, elections, Education and Congressional Legislation.
Ancient Christianity Exemplified, by Lyman Coleman.
Footpath and Highway; or, Wandering of an American in Great Britain in 1851-52. By B. Moran.
Appleton's 2d Series Essays from the London Times.
Miller's Philosophy of History. 4 vols. 12 mo.
New Themes for Protestant Clergy; Charity and the Clergy; Day Dreams; Basil, a Romance; Home Scenes and Heart Studies; Boys Treasury of Sports; Bohn's Hand Book of Games; Childs' own Book of Fairy Tales; Coleridge's Works; Goldsmith's Works; Cobbs' Miniature Lexicon; The Presbyterian Psalmodist, adapted to the Psalms and Hymns. Approved by the General Assembly; Allen's Rural Architecture.
March 8—10 tf. A. YOUNG.

SPRING DRESS GOODS.

A FEW DRESS PATTERNS, of printed Bereges and Grenadines. Just received at C. MATHESONS.
March 3. 11 2t

DISSOLUTION.

THE Copartnership heretofore existsng under the name and firm of R. H. FINCH & Co has this day expired by its own limitation. The business of the firm will be settled by R. H. Finch, who is authorized to do so. R. H. FINCH.
H. HOLLEYMAN.
Camden, March 1, 1853. 11—3t

NOTICE.

THE subscriber gives notice that he will continue business on his own account, at the old stand of R. H. Finch & Co., and will be pleased to attend to all who may favor him with a call.
March 1. R. H. FINCH.

Charleston and Florida Steam Packets.

UNITED STATES MAIL LINE.

SEMI-WEEKLY.

CONNECTING WITH THE NEW-YORK STEAMERS EACH WAY.

THE CAROLINA, L. M. Coxetter, master, will leave every *Saturday Afternoon,* at 3 o'clock, touching at Jacksonville, Picolata and Pilatka, on the St. John's River; returning, will arrive in Charleston on *Wednesday.*

The FLORIDA, Charles Willy, master, will leave on *Tuesday Afternoon* of each week, at same hour, and in addition to the above ports, will stop at Black Creek; returning, will arrive on *Saturday Morning.* Due notice will always be given when the Carolina makes an extra trip to St. Augustine. It is only considered necessary to say that these boats have been built especially for this trade, and are commanded by the most experienced navigators.

Fare to Jacksonville.....$8
Fare to Pilatka.....$10

For freight or passage, apply on board, at Southern wharf, or to JOHN W. CALDWELL,
Feb. 15. 7 20t 89 East Bay.

CARRIAGES! CARRIAGES!!

LEONARD CHAPIN,

MANUFACTURER and Dealer in CARRIAGES and HARNESS of every description, Nos. 124 Meeting st and 33 Wentworth-st. next to the old stand of Gilberts & Chapin, Charleston, S. C.
Feb. 1. 5 tf

WM. M. SHANNON,

Attorney at Law and Solicitor in Equity,

CAMDEN, S. C.

Has removed his Office to that one door above A. Young's Book Store. Jan. 24.

GEORGE HOPKINSON,

Attorney at Law and Solicitor in Equity,

Practises in Charleston and the adjoining Districts
☞ OFFICE No. 9 Broad Street.

Cigars and Tobacco.

10,000 Rio Hondo Cigars,
10 Gross Fine Cut Chewing Tobacco,
10 Boxes fine Chewing Do.
For sale by W. C. MOORE.

HEAD QUARTERS,

MILLFORD, JAN. 22, 1851

ORDER No. 2.

AN ELECTION for Major General of the Fourth Division, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Major General W. W. Harllee is hereby ordered to take place on Friday, the 22d day of April next.

The Brigadier Generals or officers commanding Brigades of the Division are charged with the extension of this order, and will cause returns to be made according to law.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief,
J. W. CANTEY, Adj't. and Insp. Gen.
Jan. 25 4 13t

☞ All the papers in the Division will publish weekly, until the election, and the Charleston Mercury, Courier and Standard, tri-weekly.

Under Decree in Equity.

Martin v. Aiken.

ON MONDAY, the 4th prox., the first sale day in April, will be sold in Camden,

All those LOTS OF LAND in the town of Camden, in the District of Kershaw, at the corner of Broad and Rutledge streets, bounding east on Broad-street, north on Rutledge-street, and known in the plan of the said town as Nos 1009, 1010, and part of 1008, and comprising the premises now occupied by K. S. Moffat, Esq., with the buildings thereon, consisting of the store, dwelling, house &c., and containing —— feet on Broad-street, and —— feet on Rutledge street.

Terms—one fourth cash, balance on a credit of one, two and three years, secured by bond and mortgage, with interest from date, payable annually, buildings to be insured and the policies assigned.
JAMES W. GRAY,
Master in Equity.
Charleston, March 11. 11—ts.

Three Hundred Dollars Reward

WILL be paid for the apprehension and delivery to the Jail of Kershaw District of HIRAM, a negro man, the property of L. W. R. Blair, a fugitive from justice, who stands indicted for the murder of Mrs. Jane D. Young, committed on Friday, 11th inst. Said negro is about five feet 8 or 10 inches high, thick set, has heavy eyebrows, with small eyes, holds his head far back in walking, is said to have a small scar on the back of his hand from a burn, with a scar running through it caused by a cut from a knife. He is about thirty five years of age, and is quick spoken and intelligent. JOHN D. YOUNG.
Camden, S. C., Feb. 22, 1853. 8

Raleigh Standard, Spirit of the Age, Greensboro Patriot, and Petersburg Intelligencer will copy four times, weekly, and forward bills to this office for payment.

ON and after this date the Passenger and Mail Train will run once a week, say WEDNESDAY, twice a day, from the Junction to Camden and back, connecting at the Junction with the Night Passenger and freight Express Trains from Charleston at 8 o'clock A. M., and bring up Passengers and light freight: Stock Poultry, Eggs, Fruit, and other light articles will be received at the Camden Passenger Depot, on Wednesdays, at 10 o'clock A. M., and connect with the night Express Train (down) from Columbia. It will be necessary for shippers of stock to give three of four days notice, that cars may be provided for them.

The Train will run directly through to Columbia and back on Saturday—one day only.

Schedule of Running Time.

FIRST OR MORNING TRAIN.

Leave Camden at	5	A. M.
Arrive at Junction at	7.45	"
Leave Junction at	8.00	"
Arrive at Camden	10.45	"

SECOND, OR MID-DAY TRAIN, ON WEDNESDAY.

Leave Camden at	11 30	A. M.
Arrive at Junction at	2.15	P. M.
Leave Junction at	2.45	"
Arrive at Camden at	5.15	"

N. D. BAXLEY, Agent.
Jan 18 3 tf

New Advertisements.

THE subscriber has *lately* received a large and choice selection of *PERFUMERY and FANCY ARTICLES,* consisting in part of Pomades for the Hair, Lyon's Kathaison, and Haul's Eau Lustral; German, French and American Cologne; Lubin's and Roussel's Handkerchief Extracts; Toilet Bottles—some very rich paterns; Tooth, Hair, Shaving and Nail Brushes; Dressing, Tuck and Pocket Combs, of Buffalo, Horn and Ivory. To all of which he invites the attention of the Ladies in particular, and the public generally.
Feb 8 Z. J. DeHAY.

Cutlery.

CONSISTING of Fine Razors, Penknives and Tweezers, Porte Monaies, Portfolios, and Glove Boxes.

—ALSO—

Letter, Cap and Bill Paper; Wafers, Sealing Wax, Plain and Fancy Envelopes, Steel Pens and Penholders, Red, Blue and Black Inks, may always be had at
Feb 8tf Z. J. DeHAY'S.

Fruit, Fruit, Fruit.

10 Kegs Malaga Grapes
1 case fresh Currants
50 pkgs. Baisins, in whole, half and quarter boxes, Layer and Bunch
20 drums new crop Figs
2 bags Bordeaux Almonds
English Walnuts, Filberts, Brazil Nuts, Citron, Lemons and Oranges. Received and for sale by
Dec. 6, 1852. SHAW & AUSTIN.

"Come at Last."

A FULL and fresh supply of Cleveland's Premium Cologne and Tooth Dentrifice. Received yesterday at Z. J. DeHAY'S.

1 HHD. "Cousard's" Hams. Received and for sale by
Dec. 6, 1852. SHAW & AUSTIN.

Special Notice.

ALL persons indebted to me previous to 1852, will please settle before Return Day.
Feb. 14. W. C. MOORE.

French Burr Millstones.

2 PAIR superior 5½ feet. For sale at cost in New York.

ALSO.

All kinds of Mill Irons furnished to order, and all kinds of Saw Mill Irons constantly on hand.
McDOWALL & COOPER.
Camden, S. C. Feb. 14. 7—6t
☞ The Lancaster Ledger and Charlotte Democrat will copy 4 times and forward bill to McD. & C.

In Equity—Kershaw District.

Hampton Bynum, Gray Bynum, *et. al. vs.* Robert Matthews and Anne his wife, C. L. Banner and Mary, his wife, et. al.—Bill for Partition.

IT appearing to my satisfaction that Robert Matthews, Anne Matthews, C. L Banner, Mary Banner, Benjamin B. Blume, John C. Blume, John Farmer, Thomas Hampton, Elizabeth Hampton, Elizabeth Farmer, Jno. Johnson, Tabitha Johnson, and Abner Carmichael, Defendants to the above Bill, are absent from and reside beyond the limits of this State: It is ordered, on motion of Shannon, Solicitor for Complainants, that they do plead, answer or demur to the said Bill within three months from the publication thereof; in default whereof an order pro confesso will be ordered against them.
W. H. R. WORKMAN, C. E. K. D.
COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, March 7, 1852. ($7)

GEO. ALDEN,

MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN

Boots, Shoes, and Leather.

KEEPS constantly on hand a large and well assorted Stock of all kinds of Goods in his line.
March 1.—9tf

PIANO FORTES.

TWO Second hand PIANO'S, in good style and tune, For sale by J. B. F. BOONE.
March 1-9 3t