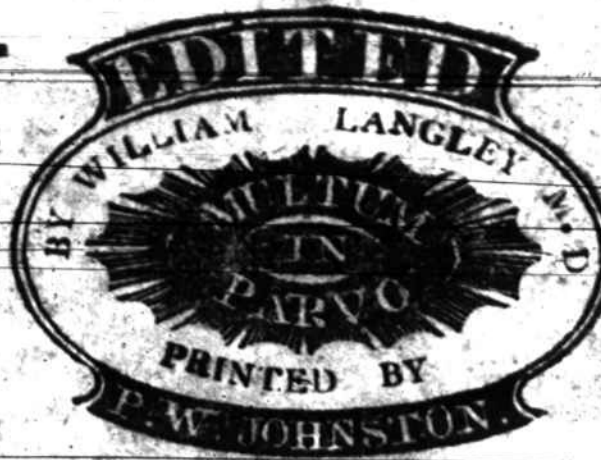


# CAMDEN



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Volume I.

**TERMS:**

The price to Subscribers is \$3 per annum, exclusive of postage; and in all cases where papers shall be delivered at the expense of the publisher, the price will be \$3 50 a year, to be paid six months after subscribing.

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Terms of advertising in this GAZETTE. Advertisements not exceeding eight lines will be printed for FIFTY CENTS, for the first publication, and half that price for every subsequent insertion. Larger advertisements will be charged in proportion.

A liberal discount will be made on the bills of those who are constant or considerable customers in this line.

If no directions are given with an advertisement, it will be continued till forbid.

**Wholesale Prices Current.**

Domestic Articles.	Charleston	Camden.
Cotton, Sea Island lb	00 00 .0 48	
" Upland,	0 24 .0 25	0 21 .0 23
Rice, prime new cw	0 00 .5 00	
Flour, Superfine bbl	15	12 .14
" Fine country	00 .0 00	
Corn, bush	0 00 .1 00	87
Wheat,		1 50 .0 00
Tobacco, leaf lb	0 14 .0 16	0 10 .0 11
" manufactured		0 20 .0 25
Whiskey, gal	0 60 .0 65	0 80 .0 85
Butter, lb	0 23 .0 25	0 18 .0 25
Bacon,	0 14 .0 17	0 12 .0 15
Lard,	0 20 .0 22	0 12 .0 15
Tallow,	0 18 .0 20	0 00 .0 18
Bees Wax,	0 28 .0 30	0 00 .0 25
Hemp,		
Homespun, cotton yd	0 23 .0 28	0 30 .0 37
" N. Carolina tow		0 25 .0 30
Shoe thread, lb		53
Indigo, prime,	0 75 .0 80	0 75 .0 87
Dear Skins in hair,		18
<i>Foreign Articles.</i>		
Coffee, prime, lb	0 19 .0 23	0 30 .0 32
" old		
Sugar, Muscovado	0 12 .0 15	0 18 .0 20
Salt, bush	0 55 .0 65	1 00 .0 00
Iron, 100 lb,	3 00 .6 00	7 00 .8 00
Molasses, gal	0 45 .0 48	0 87 .0 00

**NOTICE.**

THE Subscribers have entered into co-partnership, in the practice of LAW AND EQUITY in Sumter and Camden Districts.

STEPHEN D. MILLER,  
WM. HAYNSWORTH.

Mr. Haynsworth will pay constant attendance at their office in Stateburg, during the absence of Mr. Miller.  
Stateburg, January 15, 1817.

**Portrait Painting.**

THE Subscriber respectfully informs the Ladies and Gentlemen of Camden, that he has taken lodgings at the house of Mr. J. Havis, and will wait upon those persons who may wish to have their portrait painted at their places of residence.  
JOHN TOLMAN.

January 16, 1817.

He will not receive any pay if his paintings are not done to perfect satisfaction.

**Strayed or Stolen.**

ON the night of the 29th December, 1816, A Chestnut Sorrel HORSE, about 14 1-2 or 15 hands high, five years old, one fore and one hind foot lighter than the others. Five Dollars with reasonable expences will be paid if strayed, or if stolen, on conviction of the thief or thieves, Fifty Dollars.

JOHN MACKAY.

January 11, 1817.

**Hatting Business.**

THE Subscriber informs his customers and the public in general, that he has removed to 25 Mile Creek, where he continues to carry on the HATTING BUSINESS, and will sell good Wool Hats at \$12 per dozen, delivered at Mr. John McNeils in Camden.

John Nauden.

January 1, 1817.

N. B. A generous price will be given for good clean WOOL.

Blanks for sale at this Office.

**GARDENSEEDS.**

Just arrived from the North, and for sale by  
P. Thornton,

ONE door below the Market, warranted good, and will be sold wholesale or retail, as low as can be purchased in Charleston, among which are the following:  
Early York Cabbage, Early Cucumber, Early Dutch do. Long do. Drumhead winter do. Sugar Leaf Lettuce, Late Dutch do. Summer bush squash, Savoy do. Winter do. Early spring Turnip, Squash Peppers, Spanish do. Rabbit nose do. Blood Beet, Sage, Rue, Early scarcity do. Burnet, Spinage, Orange do. Red Onions, Turnip do. Cur'd Parsley, Salmon Radish, Early Petersburg Peas, Scarlet do. Early Charleston do. Orange Carrot, Dwarf Marrowfat do. Swelling Parsnip, Large White do. Cellery, Master Wort, Saffron, Pepper Grass, Summer Savory, Vegetable Oyster.

**—ALSO—**

Prunes, Almonds, Figs, Raisins, Cramberries, Oranges, Onions, Cheese, Codfish, Mackerel, Mustard, Hops, Irish Potatoes, fresh Chocolate No. 1 and 2, &c. &c.

A large assortment of Fresh SHOES, among which are Ladies, Misses and Mens and Boys of all descriptions, which will be sold low by taking a number of pair; and also he has added to his assortment of DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, &c. &c. many articles too tedious to enumerate, as they were lately laid in. Those who have cash to spare, may find it to their advantage to call. A few hundred Raccoon Skins for sale. Camden, Dec. 19, 1816.

STOLEN, on Thursday evening last, a fine Beaver HAT, nearly new, Kimberly's make with the owners name written on the lining. Any person who will stop the same and leave it with the Printer will be rewarded.  
January 15, 1817.

**FOR SALE.**

A LIKELY Young Negro Fellow—Enquire of the Printer.  
December 19

**POETRY.**

**WOMAN'S EYE.**

Mild as the star, whose diamond ray  
Beams soft at eve of summer's day;  
When o'er the still lake towering high—  
Is loveliest WOMAN'S melting eye!  
I see the heart that bounds to feel  
Another's woe, another's weal;  
The soothing look, the kind reply,  
In anxious Woman's tearful eye!

A culprit upon receiving sentence of death, begged the judge not to add, "and the Lord have mercy upon your soul," for, says he, I never knew any body to thrive after your prayers.

Matches.—It was told lord Chesterfield, that Mrs. W—a termagant and scold, was married to a gamester. His lordship said, that cards and brimstone made the best matches.

A printer of a village Gazette presented a bill to a delinquent subscriber, and finding the payment evaded, commenced a suit against his patron; who being served with a summons, exclaimed—"the d—d rascal; sue me, who subscribed for his paper 8 years ago on purpose to encourage him! I'll be revenged on the rascal—I'll not take his paper any longer."

It is said that Steam Boats were attempted in Canal Navigation in Scotland in 1801, but laid aside on account of the injury they did the banks of the Canal, by the agitation of the water. On the Potomac, the people have complained that they frighten away the fish!

At Liverpool, Eng. a public dinner has been given to the celebrated Irish Orator Phillips.

**Experiments on Wine.**

BY DR. REECE.  
From the seventh number of the Gazette of Health.

It is proper to observe, that all wines naturally possess a proportion of alcohol (ardent spirit,) but to the foreign wines a quantity is added to prevent their running into acetous fermentation during their voyage to this country, and this is proportioned to the quality of the wine. In order therefore to ascertain the quantity the different wines contain on an average, the experiments have been made on wines from different venders. Brandy and rum are sold at different degrees of strength; indeed, some termed white brandy and white rum are highly rectified. The brandy and rum employed in the following experiments, were obtained from a respectable wine merchant, who was desired to send samples of the articles as generally sold to the public.

A bottle of port wine, containing 26 ounces which had been in bottle seven years, produced 2 ounces and 7 drachms of alcohol (ardent spirit).

Ditto of port wine, containing 25 1/2 ounces (one year in bottle and two years in wood) 2 ounces, 6 drachms.

Ditto of pale sherry, 3 years old, containing 25 ounces, produced 3 ounces.

Ditto of Madeira, two years old, containing 25 1/2 ounces, 2 ounces 5 drachms.

Ditto cape ditto, one year old, containing 25 ounces 2 1/2 ounces.

Ditto old hock, containing 21 ounces, nearly an ounce.

Ditto brandy containing 24 ounces, 10 ounces.

Ditto rum, containing 24 1/2 ounces, 9 1/2 ounces.

A quart of public house ale (not bottled) from the brewery of Mr. Wyatt, 1 ounce.

From a quart of common draught Porter, from the brewery of Messrs. Elliott and Co. 5 1/2 drachms.

From the foregoing results, it appears that four bottles, either of Port, Sherry, or Madeira, contain more ardent spirit than a bottle of brandy.

Three bottles of Sherry are nearly equal to one bottle of rum.

That 10 bottles of hock, or 10 quarts of ale, or 14 1/2 quarts of Porter, are equal to a bottle of brandy.

The residuum of port wine contains an astringent extract, and more tartaric acid than that of Madeira. In one bottle of port, a small portion of vitriolic acid was detected. The hock also contains a considerable portion of tartaric acid. The residuum of the rum contains raw sugar, and the brandy burnt sugar, with a pungent aromatic, resembling capsicum. The residuum of the ale and porter was very bitter, and the spirit of the former was slightly flavored with the essential oil of the hop. Both contain saccharine matter.

As a tonic medicine, the preference is generally given to port wine, on account of its astringency, but in cases of indigestion and irritability of the bowels, the tartaric acid

is a very great objection to it. When this wine is on (what the merchants term) the fret, it is a practice with some to add to it a little vitriolic acid, which more effectually checks it than brandy—Sherry wine appears to be the best fermented, and more free from tartaric acid and saccharine matter than any other. It is, however, at best only a dilute spirit—Brandy is preferable to rum, on account of being entirely free from sugar.

The legislature of Georgia at their last session passed a section of the new penal code, which interdicts, under very severe penalties, the introduction of slaves into this state by negro traders for speculation—subjecting to a fine of 1000 dollars and to five years imprisonment in the penitentiary, the person who shall bring into the state a slave, and sell, or offer for sale, such slave *within one year thereafter*, with the exception only of emigrants from other states, who are allowed to bring with them, and dispose of as they may think proper, slaves who are their *bonafide* property. It will be observed, that the section above alluded to, does not prohibit residents of this state, or others, from bringing negroes into it *for their own use*, but subjects them to the severe penalties of the act, *if they sell or offer them for sale within a specified time.*

Savannah Rep.

Gen. THOMAS, of this place, has requested us to make known, that he will give *two thousand dollars*, and pay all requisite expences, to any person who will cure a cancer in his mouth. Printers throughout the union, by diffusing this information, may perhaps prolong the life of a valuable citizen.

Milledgeville Journal.

We notice the arrival at Louisville Ky. of a vessel with a cargo of dry Goods, shipped at Liverpool for Cincinnati, to which place she is bound. On this subject the Cincinnati Spy remarks—

"We thus have a practical evidence of what may be done by the spirit and enterprise of our Western Merchants in breaking the spell of dependence on the eastern cities, under which we have so long laboured. This is the second arrival of goods at this place, direct from Liverpool, within two months past, which, contracted with the present prices for flour, pork, &c. will soon restore Western paper to its real value, and give a spirit to internal improvement.

Washington January 7.

Mr. RUSSELL, late Minister of the United States to Sweden, arrived in this city on Sunday.

Judge TOULMIN, of the Mississippi Territory arrived in this city on Saturday.

We are grieved to learn that General TUCKER, of the House of Representatives, on his way to visit his family in Winchester, was overturned in the Stage, on Saturday, and dangerously injured by a dislocation of the shoulder, and otherwise hurt.

Nat. Intelligencer.