December, we have had a great many applications for copies of it, which we have been unable to supply, and we have therefore thought it proper that we should give it a second insertion.

FLORIDA WAR.

Nothing decisive has yet been done to arrest the depredations of the Savages in Florida. It will be seen, from the extracts of letters from that territory for which we are indebted to the Charleston papers, that the Indians have recently burnt several valuable plantations.

There is no news of interest from Florida, which will not be found in our columns.

THE MEDIATION.

It will be perceived from the message of the President, which we subjoin, that the offered mediation of England to settle existing difficulties between this Government and France has been accepted by the President, and we indulge the hope now, that a satisfactory and amicable adjustment will be the result. The President has in our opinion, very properly excepted one point from mediation, that of the right of France, or any other Foreign Government, to demand explanations of any remarks which may be made in communications from one branch of this Government, to another. Admit such a right, and the consequence would be that we should soon have to add, to the departments already existing, one for the express purpose of making explanations.

The following is the message.

"*To the Senate and House of Representatives:*

"The Government of Great Britain has offered its mediation for the adjustment of the dispute between the United States and France. Carfully guarding that point in the controversy, which, as it involves our honor and independence, admits of no compromise, I have cheerfully accepted the offer. It will be obviously improper to resort even to the mildest measures of a compulsory character, until it is ascertained whether France has declined or accepted the mediation. I therefore recommend a suspension of all proceedings on that part of my Special Message of the 15th of January last, which proposes a partial non-intercourse with France. While we cannot too highly appreciate the elevated and disinterested motives of the offer of Great Britain, and have a just reliance upon by great influence of that Power to restore the relations of ancient friendship between the United States and France, and know, too, that our own pacific policy will be strictly adhered to until the national honor compels us to depart from it, we should be insensible to the exposed condition of our country, and forget the lessons of experience, if we did not efficiently and seriously prepare for an adverse result. The peace of a nation does not depend exclusively upon its own will, nor upon the beneficent policy of neighboring Powers, and that nation which is found totally unprepared for the exigencies and dangers of war, although it come without having given warning of its approach, is criminally negligent of its honor and its duty.

I cannot too strongly repeat the recommendation, already made, to place the seaboard in a proper state for defence, and promptly to provide the means for amply protecting our commerce.

ANDREW JACKSON.

Washington, Feb. 8, 1836

ABOLITION

The debate in Congress, on this exciting subject, has been arrested for the present, by the adoption of the following Resolution, offered by Mr. Pinckney, of this State. We should have been pleased if Mr. Pinckney, had taken stronger ground, in reference to the interference of Congress with the subject, in the District of Columbia. The ground of *inexpediency* is not the true position to take on a question admitting, and requiring, under existing circumstances, all the guards which can be placed around it.

"*Resolved*, That all the memorials which have been offered, or may hereafter be presented to this House, praying for the abolition of slavery in the District of Columbia, and also the resolutions offered by a gentleman from Maine, (Mr. Jarvis,) with the amendment thereto, proposed by an honorable member from Virginia, (Mr. Wise,) and every other paper or proposition that may be submitted in relation to that subject, be referred to a select committee, with instructions to report that Congress possesses no constitutional authority to interfere in any way with the institution of slavery in any of the States of the Confederacy; and that, in the opinion of this House, Congress ought not to interfere in any way with slavery in the District of Columbia, because it would be a violation of the public faith, unwise, impolitic and dangerous to the Union; assigning such reasons for these conclusions, as in the judgment of the committee, may be best calculated to enlighten the public mind, to repress agitation, to allay excitement; to sustain and preserve the slaveholding States, and of the people of the District, and to re-establish harmony and tranquility amongst the various sections of the Union."

The following gentlemen compose the Select Committee of the House of Representatives, appointed under the resolution of Mr. PINCKNEY, on the subject of the Abolition of Slavery:

Mr. PINCKNEY, of South Carolina.
" HAMER, of Ohio
" PIERCE, of New Hampshire.
" HARDIN, of Kentucky.
" JARVIS, of Maine.
" OWENS, of Georgia.
" MUHLENBERG, of Pennsylvania
" DROMGOOLE, of Virginia.
" TERRELL, of New York.

Commercial Record.

Revised and corrected Weekly—Feb 22

Cotton,	11 a 11 3-4
Corn,	70 a
Wheat,	1 37 a 1 50
Flour, Camden Mills, $10, country	8 75 a 9 00
Fodder,	1 25
Bacon,	12 1-2 a 00
Whiskey,	25 a 30

REMARKS.

Cotton.—This article has continued freely since our last, and has been regularly advancing in price. We quote sales at 11 to 11 3-4 cents.

[BY AUTHORITY.]

LAW OF THE UNITED STATES PASSED AT THE FIFTH SESSION OF THE TWENTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

[PUBLIC No. 1]

AN ACT making an appropriation for suppressing hostilities commenced by the Seminole Indians.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of five hundred thousand dollars be and the same hereby is appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, in addition to a former appropriation to defray the expenses attending the suppression of hostilities with the Seminole Indians in Florida; to be expended in the manner provided for in the Act approved January fourteenth, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, entitled "An Act making an appropriation for suppressing hostilities commenced by the Seminole Indians."

JAMES K. POLK,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WM. R. KING,
Vice President of the United States and President of the Senate.

APPROVED, 29th of January, 1836.
ANDREW JACKSON.

PUBLIC No. 2

RESOLUTION authorizing the President to furnish rations to certain inhabitants of Florida.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be authorized to cause rations to be delivered from the public stores to the unfortunate sufferers who are unable to provide for themselves, and who have been driven from their homes by Indian depredations in Florida, until they can be re-established in their possessions, or so long as the President may consider it necessary.

APPROVED, Feb. 1, 1836.

[PUBLIC—No. 3]

AN ACT making appropriations to pay for the support of Government, for one year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and the same are hereby appropriated, to be paid out of any money in the treasury, viz:

For pay and mileage of members of Congress and Delegates, two hundred and fifty-six thousand and four hundred and eighty dollars.

For pay of the officers and clerks of the Senate and House of Representatives, thirty-three thousand seven hundred dollars.

For stationery, fuel, printing, and all other contingent and incidental expenses of the Senate, fifty-three thousand seven hundred dollars.

For stationery, fuel, printing, and all other contingent and incidental expenses of the House of Representatives, two hundred thousand dollars.

The said sums to be accounted for, to be applied to the payment of the ordinary expenditures of the Senate and House of Representatives, severally, and for no other purpose.

APPROVED, Feb. 11, 1836.

P. HENRY.

Professor of the Ancient Languages, intending to settle in this place, proposes to open a school for the instruction of youth and gentlemen, on reasonable terms. He refers to the public generally, and more particularly to those who have had their children under his tuition, with their parents, in the County of Kershaw.

Terms of Tuition.

Reading, Spelling, Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, Geography, Use of Globes, Mensuration, Surveying, Navigation, Algebra, Geometry, Trigonometry, Conic Sections, Natural Philosophy, Chemistry, Astronomy, Rhetoric, Logic, Moral Philosophy, Natural Theology, Evidences of Christianity, Ancient and Modern History, Political Economy, Constitution of the United States, Latin, Greek, French, Spanish and Italian languages, per session of five months, $20

For the Professor may be engaged for two years by subscribing to the above rate of Tuition, Students

He expects to give general satisfaction, and solicits a continuance of the public favor.

FEE TO BE PAID QUARTERLY

At Camden or Kingsville, $10
At their residence, $15
Attending pupils at their residence, $20

Corner of Broad and Dekalb streets.

He also offers a few books in various Languages for sale, at moderate prices.

Feb 20 4t

ATTENTION TROOPERS

You are hereby ordered to parade in Camden on Saturday the 27th inst, at 10 o'clock A M. By order of Lieut Levy.

J. P. BRYANT O. S.

NEW CONCERN.

The subscribers, under the firm of C. C. Campbell & Co. will continue the business at Bishopville, heretofore conducted under the firm of J. M. Nolon & Co.

J. BISHOP,
W. H. BOWEN,
C. C. CAMPBELL.

Feb. 20—4:3t

NOTICE.

THE firm of C. C. Campbell & Co. are authorized to collect the debts due the late concern of J. M. Nolon & Co. at Bishopville.

J. BISHOP.

Feb. 20—4:3t

DISSOLUTION OF

Copartnership.

THE Copartnership heretofore existing under the firm of

JOHN M. NOLON AND CO.

here at Camden and Bishopville, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted will come on, either by judgment, bond, note, or open account, and pay over to Judge Bishop alone, or to his authorized agent or agents.

J. M. NOLON.
J. BISHOP.

Feb. 20:4:3t

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE Copartnership heretofore existing between the subscribers under the firm of L. WILLIS JOHNSON & Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to said concern will make payment to J. Bishop, alone, or to his authorized agent or agents.

L. JOHNSON.
J. M. NOLON.
J. BISHOP.

Feb. 20:4:3t.

Dissolution of Copartnership

THE copartnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the firm of

J. BISHOP & CO.

is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—The business will be continued at the same place, by J. Bishop & W. H. Bowen, and attended to as heretofore by M. A. Burr, under the firm of J. Bishop & Co.

J. M. NOLON.
J. BISHOP.

Feb. 20:4:3

DR. J. PRATT'S
ARTIFICIAL NIPPLE.

THE Subscribers have just purchased a supply of the above instrument, which has been successfully used for the last two or three years for that distressing complaint, sore or excoriated nipples; of which the nipple is entirely wasting; or where the child sucks so sore that it cannot nurse on the natural nipple.—The artificial nipple is recommended by the highest medical authorities in the United States, as the best instrument ever invented in this country. Dr. Stewart of Philadelphia, and Dr. Smith of Washington City, to the certificates annexed will refer any one who wishes the medical opinion of this place, give their entire confidence, having witnessed its successful application.

Dr. Elijah Pratt,

DEAR SIR:

As it is of a matter of much public importance, to possess a means of lessening the terrible suffering from sore nipples, I have much pleasure in being able to say, that the shield you offer for the preventing and cure of the malady, is better adapted to the purpose than any I have before seen. In two or three instances I have seen them to be used—much satisfaction has been expressed, and have no hesitancy in believing it will generally prove successful. I am so well persuaded of this, as the case is, that I deem it but a duty I owe to suffering humanity, to say through the various Apothecaries, may be supplied with them.

Very, yours, &c.
M. E. DWEES, M. D.

Philadelphia, Dec. 28th, 1835.

Washington City,
February 4th, 1836.

Having examined Dr. Pratt's newly invented nipple, and witnessed its practical application in some very painful cases, I take great pleasure in recommending it as a valuable improvement in the nursing apparatus now in use. It must be a perfect remedy for the distressing malady sore nipples, a disease which so frequently afflicts nursing women.

THOMAS SEWALL, M. D.
Prof. Anat. & Physiology,
Columbian College, D. C.

The Instrument is accompanied with printed directions for its application, and preservation—It can be packed up in a small compass, and sent to any part of the country by Stage—price $5—Address

YOUNG & McKAIN,
Camden, S. C.

CAPT. D. MASSEY, of Lancaster, will act as agent for the subscriber during his absence.

SAML. L. GIBSON.

Feb. 20—3m
February 20—4t

DR. J. PRATT'S

For sale at this Office.

A Journeyman Printer

Will meet with constant employment at this office if by letter (post paid)

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the late concern of John M. Nolon & Co. (including the Millenary establishment) in Camden, or to the late concern of Lewis Johnson & Co. are hereby notified to come forward and settle the same with Mr. J. C. West, who is fully authorized to receive payment and grant discharges and all persons having claims against either of said concerns, will hand them in to Mr. West.

J. BISHOP.

Feb. 20—4:3t

Head Quarters,
CAMDEN, Feb. 19

COL. JOHN CHESNUT, commanding the 22d Regiment, being absent in the campaign against the Seminole Indians, it is ordered that Lieutenant Col. Saml. S. Taylor take command of the said Regiment.

Captains James S. Stewart, and T. L. Dixon, of the same Regiment, and Capt. E. Boykin of the Cavalry, having gone upon the same expedition, the first Lieuts. of said companies will take command thereof respectively.

Capt. C. Humphrey's of the 23d or Lancaster Regiment, having left on the same expedition, the first Lieutenant of his company will assume the command thereof.

William J. Grant, having been appointed paymaster of the 22d Regiment, in the absence of Thos. Whitaker, Esq. will be obeyed and respected accordingly. By order of Gen. J. W. Cantey.

J. M. DESAUSSURE Brigade Major.

Feb. 20—1:2:

Head Quarters,
FEBRUARY 19

JOHN SINGLETON Esq. having been appointed Quarter Master of the 5th Brigade, with the rank of Captain, will be obeyed and respected accordingly By order of Gen J W Cantey

J M DESAUSSURE Brigade Major.

SOUTH CAROLINA.
LANCASTER DISTRICT,

Mary Izard,
vs.
Walter Izard,
Henr. Izard,
Lucy Izard,
Allen Izard,

IN CHANCERY.
BILL FOR PARTITION.

By virtue of a decree of the Court of Equity in the above case, I will offer for sale at Lancaster Court House, on the 1st Monday in March next, the following tract of land, the property of the late Walter Izard. The description in the bill is as follows—"One tract of land lying in Lancaster Dist., on the Catawba river, near Landsford, containing 550 acres, including a small Island in the river, containg three acres, more or less; this tract is bounded west by the Catawba river, South by lands of Massey & Allen, East by lands of Thompson & Geddes and North by lands of Foster, upon this tract are the mills extant.—fifty acres have been sold to Gibson, so that the tract now contains but 500 acres.

Also another tract containing three hundred acres more or less situate in the District of Lancaster, about one mile from the tract last named, bounded W. by Foster's land, S. by Crawford and Foster, East by Dean & Geddes lands, and N. by Massey & Hoods, Lewis.

The above lands will be sold on a credit of one, two and three years from the day of sale. Purchasers to give bond and mortgage and personal security, and also to pay for Commissioners papers.

J. D. LEMIERE,
Comm'r. Equity, L. D.

Feb. 20: 4:2.

Remember March!!

THE IDEA OF MARCH BE-MEMBERED.

A single glance at the following five magnificent schemes is sufficient for Sylvester's patrons to see the necessity of hastening their orders. Sylvester has again to offer an apology to the many disappointed of his friends in the last $30,000 scheme—that all may have an opportunity to be supplied in similar Lotteries.

Virginia Monongalia, 6, will draw on the 19th March, and Virginia Petersburg, 7, the 26th. Both particulars recommended as the most favorable for adventurers, and for which early application is solicited.

Virginia State Lottery,

Class No 6.

For the benefit of the Petersburg Benevolent Mechanic Association. To be drawn at Alexandria, Va. Saturday, March 12, 1836

SCHEME

[illegible] 1000; 2,500; 10 of 1,000; 1 of 800; 10 of 700; 10 of 600; 10 of 500; 10 of 400; 20 of 300; 20 of 250; 5 of 200; 60 of 150; 60 of 100; 105 of 50

Tickets only 10 dollars.

Certificate of a package of 25 whole Tickets in this Magnificent scheme to be had for $130—Shares in proportion

BRILLIANT SCHEME
Virginia State Lottery,
CLASS No. 6

20 prizes of $[illegible]000; 25,000; 8,000; 5,000; 3,000; 2,000; 10 of 1,000; 20 of 500; 20 of 400; 20 of 300; 20 of 250; 20 of 200; 20 of 150, &c

Tickets only 10 Dollars.

Certificate of a package of 22 Whole Tickets to be sent for $130. Shares in proportion.

S. J. SYLVESTER.

Grand Consolida
LOTTERY,
Class No. 12, for 1836.

For the benefit of the Petersburg Benevolent Mechanic Association. To be drawn at Alexandria, Va. Saturday, March 26, 1836.

CAPITALS.

40 Prizes of $500.

$15.000; 6.000; 3.000; 5,000; 1,776; 40 of 500; 10 of 300; 16 of 200 56 of 100 &c.

Tickets only 5 Dollars.

Certificate of a Package of 25 whole Tickets will cost only 130. Halves and Quarters in proportion.

MAMMOTH SCHEME.
Thirty thousand Dolls.
25 Prizes of $1,000.
Virginia State Lottery,
CLASS N. 7.
CAPITALS.

$30,000; 10.000; 6,000; 5,000; 4,000; 2.50.; 25 of 1,000; 25 of 500; 28 of 300 200 of 200. &c. &c.

Tickets only TEN DOLLARS.

Certificate of a package of tickets will cost $130 Halves and Quarters in proportion.

GRAND
Consolidated Lottery.

To be drawn at Alexandria, Va, Saturday, March 20, 1836.

CAPITALS,

Twenty Thousand Dollars.

20 prizes of $1.000 20,000; 5.080; 2,000; 1,640; 20 of 1.000; 20 of 500; 20 of 150; 155 of 100 &c.

Tickets $8 Dollars—Shares in proportion.

The Edgehill Academy,

THE Public are respectfully informed that the duties of this institution are again resumed by Mr. W. Richardson. The course of studies will be suited to the present requirements of the South Carolina College.

Claramount, Feb 1:4:10t.

AUCTION.

ON the 1st of March, will be sold by the subscriber, the remainder of his stock, consisting of

DRY GOODS,
ALSO EDWARD,
CROCKERY and
GROCERIES.

Sums under 20 dollars cash, and above that amount, 6 months credit, with note and good security, and interest from the date.

J. D. LEMIERE.

Feb. 13:3-3t.

NEGROES
For Sale.

A prime well disposed young woman, a good cook, washer and house servant, and formerly a field hand, with her male child five, and female two years old.—Also another woman of similar character, aged about thirty three years, with her male child five, and female ten years of age.

For information apply at this office.

Feb. 13-3:3t.

Taxes, Taxes, Taxes.

I will attend at the following places and times for the collection of taxes for the year 1835. To wit:

Liberty Hill, Monday, 28th March, 1836.
Flat Rock, Tuesday, 29th " "
Buffalo, Wednesday, 30th " "
Lyzenby's, Thursday, 31st " "
Schrock's Mill, Friday, 1st April, "
Cureton's Mill, Saturday, 2d " "

And at Camden, previous to, and after that time, until the first of May, when the books will be closed and double tax executions issued against all defaulters.

J. F. BRYANT T. C. K. D.

Feb 6-2

SELLING OFF AT
COST.

For a few weeks only.

THE subscriber having determined to close his business in this place in March next, offers the whole of his Stock, consisting of

DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
WINES, &c.,
AT COST.

Country Merchants, and Families will find it advantageous to call and lay in their supplies. A. CATONNET.

Jan. 23 1836 4t:4t.

$25 REWARD.

The above reward will be paid for the delivery of CATHERINE or Cate, as she is sometimes called, to the jailer either of Kershaw or Sumter District. Catherine ran away about a month or 6 weeks ago. She is a bright mulatto, stout and good looking, generally well dressed. She is supposed to be lurking some where in the neighborhood between the Bradford Springs and Carter's Crossing, or Mechanicsville and perhaps in Camden.

WM. MAYRANT.

Statesburg, Nov. 13. 13:4t