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W. C. MOORE, Esq., Camden, S. C.
And Postmasters are requested to act as our Agents.

To My Old Friends in Kershaw.

HAVING paid particular attention to the growth of different kinds of new cotton seed for the last four years, I became so convinced of the superiority of some of them to the gulf cotton, that I bought last fall every seed with which my crop is planted and am fully satisfied that I shall be handsomely paid for so doing. I have the Pront, Bannana, Pomegranate, Harris, and golden chaff. This year I think the golden chaff and Pomegranate, are doing best of a wet year, and on fresh land the Harris cotton will or has made more than any other.

If any of my acquaintances should feel disposed to try them I will forward any reasonable amount to Charleston, neatly put up in strong sacks at one dollar per bushel and this is what I paid here for all but the golden chaff, for these I paid $5 per bushel. The expense to Charleston cannot be more than one dollar more in other, words, I will deliver any reasonable amount of the seed in Charleston at $2 per bushel. Any one sending an order shall have the seed of the kind ordered. I would remark however, that I have no great many of the golden chaff to spare, as I purpose planting largely of them, this is an early cotton with very extended branches even to the top. The golden chaff seed commanded $5 per bushel here last year.

WILLIAM L. MCCAA.

Dayton, Ala. sept. 18, 1850. 77–3t

Fair Notice.

I HEREBY caution all persons against trading for a note on land given by me, payable to N. Bradshaw, of Kershaw District dated in September 1850, for seventy-five dollars, payable the first day of January 1852, the consideration for which said note was given, having failed, I am determined not to pay it unless compelled by law.

ELIHUE BATES.

Gadsden, S. C. Sept 23 1850. 77 4t

MANSION HOUSE.

CAMDEN, S. C.

THE subscriber respectfully announces to his friends and the TRAVELLING PUBLIC generally, that he has opened, as a HOTEL, that large and commodious house in Log Town, formerly the private residence of B. Perkins, esq.

The building is admirably adapted for that purpose, being situated in the most healthy and pleasant part of Camden, combining all the advantages of the town with the balmy atmosphere of the country, and within a few minutes' walk of any part of Camden. The rooms are large and airy, his Servants respectful and attentive, and he pledges himself to spare no pains in keeping up an attractive and well supplied TABLE, and to use every exertion to please those who may call upon him.

His STABLES will be found commodious, and always fully supplied with Provender,

☞The House being conducted on *Temperance Principles*, he flatters himself that those who favor him with a call will find the MANSION HOUSE not only the comforts and attention of a well regulated Hotel, but the quiet retirement of a *Home*.

Charges moderate.

☞All the Stages arriving in the place, and the Omnibuses running to the Depot, will call at the House when desired.

E. G. ROBINSON.

Camden, Sept. 1. 27 tf

Fifty Dollars Reward.

RUNAWAY from the subscriber on the night of the 22d inst., (six miles south of Lancaster Court House on the Camden road) a negro man named John, about six feet six inches high, with a scar on his face, (near his eye) occasioned by the kick of a horse, he is black, carried off with him two suits of clothes, among which was a satinet coat, black cloth pants, blue flannel shirt, striped shirt, &c. He carried off a chesnut sorrel horse, fine black saddle with plated stirup irons, doubled reined bridle and martingales with ivory rings. It appears said boy, after leaving my house went to Mrs. Stinson's, at Russel Place in Kershaw District and carried off a negro woman and young child, that Mrs. Stinson had on trial and was about purchasing from me. The negroes were recently purchased by me in the city of Baltimore. Since they have left I understand the man said he had a free pass, that he brought it with him from Baltimore. The above reward will be paid for their apprehension and delivery to me, or information given so that I can get them.

ELI C. BISHOP.

Lancaster Dist. S. C. 23 Aug. 1850. 68 tf

Superior Mustard,

IN quarter and half pound boxes; White Mustard Seed; Ginger; Black and Red Pepper Spice; Nutmegs; Mace; loves; Cinnamon, &c.; For sale by Z. J. DEHAY.

Pastilles de Paris.

FOR the alleviation and cure of BRONCHITIS, and other diseases of the throat now so prevalent in the United States, among Ministers and other public speakers For sale by

sept. 20 Z. J. DEHAY.

WM. MATTHIESSEN'S Wholesale Clothing Establishment,

Corner of East Bay and Queen Streets,

CHARLESTON, S. C.

Manufacturing House, 36, Platt St. New York.

COUNTRY Merchants purchasing Clothing, will find it to their advantage to look through the stock of this extensive Clothing House, where they will find fresh and desirable Goods, at prices as low as can be purchased at in New York.

July 26. 59 sw10t

JOHN B. DESAUSSURE, FACTOR,

Adger's Wharf, Charleston, S. C.

Will give prompt and close attention to the sale of all descriptions of Produce entrusted to his care, and to the selection and filling of orders.

sept. 13. 72 6m

MAZYCK & SON,

Facters and Commission Merchants,

SOUTH COMMERCIAL WHARF,

CHARLESTON, S. C.

WILLIAM MAZYCK, }
W. ST. J. MAZYCK, }

PAUL T. VILLEPIGUE, FACTOR,

And General Commission Merchant,

ACCOMMODATION WHARF,

CHARLESTON, S. C.

Liberal advances made on consignments of Produce, and prompt attention given to the forwarding of Goods, at the lowest rates.

Aug. 26. 68

20,000 PAIRS OF BOOTS AND SHOES.

TO BE HAD at the New Shoe Store, and will be sold lower than any ever before offered in this market—having paid the cash for every article, and selected from the best and largest manufacturers in the United States, we flatter ourselves that no one can fail to be pleased in quantity, quality and price. The stock consists in part, as follows—

Men's fine Calf stitched Boots
" " " Pump Boots
" " Waterproof do cork soles
" " " do stitched and quilted soles
200 pairs fine Calf sewed Boots, from $4 50 to $6 00
200 " " " and Kip pegged Boots, from $2 to $5 00
Men's fine Calf sewed Bootes $4 to $4 00
" " " and Cloth Congress Boots $3 to $4 50
" " " Jersey Ties, $3 to $3 50
" " " pegged Bootees, $1 to $2 00
" " Kip " " 75c to $1 00
Youth's Kip pegged Bootees, 50c to 75c
" Calf " " 75c to $1 00
" " Boots assorted
" Kip " "

Ladies' Department.

Fine silk Gaiters, black and colored
" satin " " "
" lasting " " "
" " " welts and black
" " Half Gaiters, welts and black
" " " " colored and black
Welt " Ties, Foxed, Broad and Easy
" " " without Tips, for corns
" Jenny Lind Bootees, Kid and Morocco
Pump " " " "
Kid and Enameled Excelsiors
Kid and Morocco Jenny Lind Buskins
Taylor Ties, Pump
Fine Kid Slippers with Rosettes
Fine Morocco Slippers and Ties
Fine Ties and Buskins, Welts
Fine Morocco do do
Kid extra wide Slips and Ties
Goat Buskins and Ties, Welts
Goat Boots "
Misses' black and colored Gaiters
" blue and light colored Half Gaiters
" black, blue and bronze Bootees
" black and colored Slippers
" Goat Bootees, sewed and pegged, for School Shoes
Children's Shoes and Boots, assorted

Together with a great variety of Gentlemen's, Ladies' and Children's Shoes, too numerous to mention.

—ALSO—

Fine TRAVELING TRUNKS, CARPET BAGS, VALICES, HATS and CAPS. All of which will positively be sold lower than the lowest for cash.

☞Call and see for yourselves, at the NEW SHOE STORE of

WORKMAN & BOONE.

Sept. 20.

Fall Goods.

T. BONNELL & CO. are now receiving their Fall supplies, to which they invite the attention of purchasers.

SUGARS—St. Croix, Delta, crushed, powdered and clarified
COFFEE—Rio and Java
TEA—Green and Hyson
MOLASSES—West India and New Orleans
SALT—Table and sack
MACKAREL—No. 1 and 2
Pickles, Ketchup, Mustard, Ginger, Pepper Spice, Cinnamon, Soap, Candles, Starch, &c.
Hardware, Hoes, Axes, Spades, &c.

Bagging, Rope and Twine.

DOMESTICS—Bleached and brown Homespuns

Together with a *general assortment* of Goods suited to this market. For sale low by

July 26. T. BONNELL & CO.

Ready-Made Clothing.

A COMPLETE assortment of Over-coats, Dress and Frock-coats, Business-coats, Blanket and coating Over-coats, gentlemen's fine Cloaks, Pants and Vests, Ready-made Shirts, Stocks and Collars.

sept. 16 H. LEVY & SON.

Carpeting.

A COMPLETE Assortment of Ingrain and Venetian Carpetings, for sale low by

Sept 26. H LEVY & SON.

New Goods.

THE undersigned is now receiving his Fall supply of goods. Having purchased very largely, he is enabled to offer great inducements to his friends and customers to purchase from him. Among his stock may be found many articles not usually kept, and which he will take great pleasure in showing; as it regards prices, he will be satisfied with Charleston terms. A liberal deduction made on cash purchases.

E. W. BONNEY.

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Annatto,	Copperas,
Indigo,	Logwood,
Madder,	White Lead,
Linseed Oil,	Turpentine,
Window Glass,	Lamp Chimneys,
Solar Globes,	Solar Wicks,
Sperm Oil,	Solar Oil,
Castor Oil,	Epsom Salts &c. &c.

A full and fresh supply of all the above articles just received, and for sale by

sept. 26. Z. J. DEHAY.

General Information!

THE subscriber would confidentially inform his kind patrons, and the public promiscuously, that he is "in town," having returned from the North with an overwhelming stock of choice, cheap and elegant Goods, embracing every thing new and elegant in

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods.

His purchases consist entirely of Dry Goods, selected from the most recent importations, with the closest attention to every branch of the Dry Goods business, so as to present to the public at once, a complete assortment in that line, and at prices low enough to suit the closest economist.

Parties from the country will please bear him in mind when they visit Camden, as his stock is always open for inspection.

New Goods received every month, at the "*Palmetto Cash Store.*

JAMES WILSON.

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Linen Department.

BROWN and bleached damask Linen Shirtings, damask Table-cloths and covers, Huckaback and Diaper Towelings, Crash, Dowlas, B. E. Diaper, Long Lawns, French cambric, ladies and gentlemen's linen cambric Handkerchiefs.

—ALSO—

a choice stock of *IRISH LINENS*, warranted pure Flax, and remarkably low, newly opened at JAMES WILSON'S.

New Fall Goods.

A. M. & R KENNEDY, are now receiving their supply of goods suitable for the season. The stock will be found complete in all the branches, usually kept by them, they have been carefully selected at unusually low prices, and will be sold at a very small advance on New York cost. The above would respectfully invite the attention of their friends and the the public generally to an examination of their stock, feeling satisfied if low prices and good styles will effect sales, they cannot fail to enjoy a liberal share of that patronage heretofore so fully extended to them.

They beg to call attention to a few of the leading articles, viz:

Rich Figured and Chene Silks.

Newest styles cashmeres and mousselaines
Changeable poplins and coburgs
Brocade and plain lustres
Face capes, collars and chemizettes
Puff sleeves, children's work'd bodies
Muslin and thread edgings and insertings, &c
Gloves of every description, hosiery do.
Lawn and cambric handkerchiefs
English and american prints, unusually low
Furniture chintz, ginghams
Long and square shawls, &c &c &c

Mourning Goods.

Super. alpaccas and canton cloth, a new article
Dark grey poplin, ginghams and English prints
Fast colors, collars and handkfs. ingrained
Cotton hose, silk do., cashmere & cassimere sh'wls

In Domestics.

Blea. sheetings and long cloths, very low
10-4 to 12-4 blea & bro sheeting, super family linens
Brown and col'd h'spuns of all kinds
Linseys, bed blankets, from 10-4 to 13-4
White & red flan'ls, shaker welsh & gauze do. &c

Gentlemen's Wear.

Sup'r bl'k and col'd french cloths
" " " doeskins and cassimeres
Tweeds in variety suitable for boys
Satin, silk and cashmere vestings
cravats, gloves and half hose
Superior quality of dress shirts
Under clothings of every description.

Ready Made Clothing.

Coats, vests and pants, got up in a very superior style.

Hats and Caps

In great variety and of the latest fall fashions.

Negro Goods.

Superior plains, kerseys and satinets, suitable for house servants, am. & eng. blankets, wool hats, &c. &c.

Together with a full supply of hardware, &c., all of which will be cheerfully shown to any one favoring them with a call,

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Boots, Shoes and Leather,

TOGETHER WITH

Travelling Trunks, Carpet Bags and Valices.

THE subscribers have just received the largest and best assorted stock of **Boots and Shoes** ever offered in this market, to which they respectfully invite the attention of purchasers.—Their stock consists in part, as follows, viz:

Gentlemen's fashionable Dress Boots, pump bottoms
" " " " stitch "
" " waterproof do quilted bottoms
" " " do cork soles
" Calf pegged, California Boots
" " " waterproof Boots
" Kip " " "
" fashionable pumpsole Shoes
" " Patent Leather and Calf Gaiters
" " Jenny Lind Ties
" Hungarian Boots
" India Rubber Shoes
Boy's fine Calf Pump Boots
" " " Pegged Boots
" " " Waterproof Boots
" " Kip pegged Boots
" Calf Bootees
" Kip do
Ladies White Silk Gaiters
" " Kid Slips
" Gaiter Boots, assorted colors
" Black Satin Gaiters
" " Lasting "
" Colored Hungarian Ties
" Black " "
" " Kid Slips and Ties
" " Morocco Slips and Ties
" India Rubber Shoes
" Buskin Walking Shoes
" Goatskin " "
" " " Boots
" Black Lasting Half Gaiters
" " " Slips
" " " Buskin Ties
Misses Gaiter Boots, assorted colors
" Colored and black Jenny Lind Ties
" " " Bootees
" " " Slips
" Calf and Goatskin Boots

Together with a beautiful assortment of Children's Shoes of all colors and styles

—ALSO—A LARGE STOCK OF—

NEGRO SHOES,

of our own manufacture, both pegged and sewed.

—ALSO—

Sole, Upper and Harness Leather, Calf and Kip Skins, Lining and Binding Skins, together with everparticle necessary for carrying on the manufactory of Boots and Shoes.

—ALSO—

Fine and common Travelling Trunks, Carpet Bags, School Satchels, Nurse Bags and Valices, all of which we offer at very low prices.

ALDEN & MURRAY.

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Received to-Day.

Superior French Brandy, for Medicinal purposes. For sale at

McKAIN'S DRUG-STORE.

Domestic Items.

BROWN and bleached Sheetings, every width; Ticking; English Long-cloths; Counterpanes; plain and figured curtain Dimity; garment Dimity; colored Homespuns and Denims; plaid Linseys; Flannels and Blankets, at all prices.

—ALSO—

1150 pieces of bleached and brown Homespuns, as low as they can be bought any where in America. At JAMES WILSON'S.

JUST RECEIVED,

At McKain's Drug-Store,

A choice assortment of Perfumry, &c. from the establishment of X. Bazin, successor to the celebrated Roussell, of Philadelphia, consisting in part, of

German Farina Cologne, in wicker bottles
Roussell's cologne, in fancy bottles, all sizes
Lubin's Extracts, a large assortment
Roussell's Ex't. Jockey Club and Jenny Lind
Aromatic Vinegar

Soaps.

Poncine, Omnibus, Palmyriene and Jenny Lind Soaps
Chrystaline Wash Balls

For the Hair.

Jenny Lind Hair Gloss
Roussell's Eau De Lustrale
Ox marrow Pomatum, in screw top Jars
Jules Hauel's Eau De Lustrale
Tooth, Nail, Flesh and Hair Brushes

Just Received,

AT McKAIN'S DRUG-STORE,

A fresh supply of Drugs and Medicines, consisting in part, of Cod Liver Oil, Ipecac, Quinine &c. &c., which will be sold at the lowest rates for cash or "good credit." Oct. 1

OILS, OILS.

Best pure Winter-strained Sperm Oil
Solar Oil, at 87½ cents per gallon
Train Oil, Linseed Oil,
Spirits Turpentine, &c. &c.

For the lowest prices, at

McKAIN'S DRUG-STORE.

Notice.

THE Town council of Camden, wishes to hire 4 or 5 able bodied hands to work on the streets. For particulars, apply to either of the council, or to the Town Marshall. By order of council,

L. W. BALLARD, T. Marshall.

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PRICE'S POEMS,

ELEGANTLY bound, at $1 per copy, for sale by W. C. MOORE.

Salem Woolens.

HAVING taken the agency of the Salem, N. C. WOOLEN MANUFACTORY, we are prepared to supply Planters with their

Negro Cloths

of various qualities, and at Manufacturer's prices.

These Goods have been used by several Planters in this neighborhood for many years, to whom we can refer, as being an article, for warmth and durability, of a very superior quality.

☞WOOL will be taken in exchange, at a fair price.

W. ANDERSON & CO.

Aug. 22. 67 2m

Notice.

ALL persons having demands against the estate of the late Mrs. Mary B. Gill, dec'd of Lancasterville, will please present them properly attested to the undersigned, by the first of December next.

JONES CROCKETT.

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Stone Lime, Plaster of Paris, and Cement.

The above articles constantly on hand, of good quality and at low prices. Also, Gypsum or land plaster.

C. L. CHATTEN.

Feb. 12. 12 tf

Bogardus' Planetary Horse Power.

THE Subscribers have received one of the above machines from the manufactory of Geo. Vail & Co., to which they would call the attention of those who want powers for Ginning, Sawing or Grinding. Orders for any kind of MILL IRONS or CASTINGS will be promptly attended to.

McDOWELL & COOPER.

☞A few Mill Cranks on hand.

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NEGROES.

A LIKELY NEGRO WOMAN, and five children. Also, a woman, a good cook, washer and ironer, and her three children—All perfectly sound and healthy. Apply to

Oct 4. W. C. MOORE.

Notice.

THE Special Partnership heretofore existing in the name of W. M. M. LUBBOCK & Co., for the carriage of Freight and Passengers on the waters of the State of South Carolina, by the steamboat ROBERT MARTIN, is this day dissolved with the consent of all the partners.

Charleston, July 16th 1850.

W. M. LUBBOCK.
PAUL F. VILLEPIGUE & SON.
C. J. SHANNON,
ROBT. MARTIN.
J. R. & C. H. DUKES.
E. W. WALKER.
EDWIN P. STARR.

Sept. 24

Attention Guards.

YOU will parade at your Rendezvous on Saturday the 12th of October next, properly armed and equipped.—At which time by the order of Lieut. Col. J. B. Kershaw, an election will be held for 2d Lieutenant. Sergeants Hudson, Huckabee and Watson, are detailed as managers. By order of Capt. K. S. MOFFAT.

W. E. HUGHSON, O. S.

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South Carolina—Kershaw District.

By John R. Joy, Esquire, Ordinary for said Dist.

WHEREAS G. R. Miller applied to me for letters of administration on all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Mrs. Sarah A. Miller, late of the District aforesaid, deceased.

These are, therefore, to cite and admonish all and singular, the kindred and creditors of the said deceased, to be and appear before me at our next Ordinary's court for the said District, to be holden at Kershaw Court House on the 15th day of Oct inst. to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand and seal, this 3d day of Oct, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty, and in the seventy-sixth year of American Independence.

JOHN R. JOY, O. K. D.

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Segars.

20,000 of those very fine brands; such as "Cuba Cabecon," "Gold Leaf," and Charleston, &c.

Also—10,000 medium quality, &c.

Oct. 20. AT MOORE'S.

SOUTH CAROLINA AND THE SOUTH.—The letter of Gov. Seabrook which we published some days since, had attached to it a note not marked as a postscript, and which we did not feel at liberty to make public without further authority, which we now have. The note stated that notwithstanding the reasons given in the letter for reserve and caution on the part of this State, in a certain contingency, which his Excellency hoped would occur, he would speedily summon the Legislature together.

Gov Seabrook's letter was written before the proclamation of Gov. Towns had reached him. We now add the important movement of the Governor of Mississippi, whose terse and stirring proclamation we publish to-day. No imputation of precipitancy, or ambition of leadership, can rest upon South Carolina now, and we can hardly doubt that under this striking change of circumstances, his Excellency will decide that the reasons for reserve on the part of this State have altogether disappeared, and that the time for the decisive move has come. To hold back now, would look, not like a refusal of leadership, but like a betrayal and desertion of our stster States,—and to such a proceeding we need not say we hold Gov. Seabrook utterly incapable for one moment of lending his countenance. To act, when the action of South Carolina could add strength, instead perhaps of weakness, doubt and division, to the sacred cause she is pledged to serve,—this, we know well, has been the aim of Gov. Seabrook, and he will not fail to see that inaction now would be construed as pusillanimity rather than discretion. We cannot doubt what his course will be.—*Charleston Mercury.*

Presentiment.—There is a singular circumstance connected with the death of Mrs. Charles Wellman of this city. Five years ago, she predicted that in 1850 she would die. This belief she had ever since confidently maintained. About two months since, when in her usual health, she expressed some apprehension that she might have done wrong in marrying, when she must so soon take a final leave of her husband. When her sister came to see her, during her last sickness. Mrs. Wellman reminded her of the prediction, and its approaching fulfilment. Her death, which took place night before last, was from the prevailing disease. She was only fourteen years old when this strange presentiment impressed itself upon her mind.—*Hannibal (Mo) Union.*

A LUMP OF GOLD.—A wife of Mr. Solomon Greer, residing a few miles from this place, found a lump of gold on the day of the big rain, or the day after, which weighed *sixty pennyweights*! It was lying on the edge of the spring branch which when she discovered it, the rain having washed the dirt off it, and left its tempting beauty bare.

This lump, said to be the largest ever found in this country, was picked up on the land of Mr. Samuel Hampton. We learn that several large lumps, weighing, from 8 to 16 pennyweights, have heretofore been found near the same place. Who knows how near California is to us?—*Mountain Banner.*

Be Gentle.—There are some persons that appear from their acts every morning as if they had slept upon a bed of thorns. Their first word to the children or dependents is a cross one, and as the day wears on—as the sun lights his glorious course through the heavens the whole earth beneath him, he brings no joy to the churlish heart, but in sunshine as in storm and darkness it will be miserable, and make others wretched.

Oh, what folly! how unhappy the morose, the fretful, and the passionate are; and how they scatter the blight of their misery about them!

Scold, scold, is the order of the day with them. Alas for the poor dependent child that comes under their jurisdiction.

Hundreds have thus been made a wreck whom kind words and gentle acts words would have made useful. And who must suffer the penalty? Those who have committed transgression. For as sure as punishment follow error and crime, so certain will it be the unkind. It may not come for years. They may go on abusing and oppressing those who are beneath their control. But in an hour, perhaps, when they least expect will fall the blow sudden and severe, that will fill them with anguish, and call up to their minds in their wakeful night hours, the wrong they have done. Conscience seared through it may be, and hardened will [illegible] make the professor feel the puncture of a thorn keener than the callous ever dreamed it could be.

Kindness to others will always create happiness in the giver and the recipient. The gentle will ever be beloved, and their influence upon the heart will be like the zephyr of summer, stirring the heads of flowers, as if to unfold their rich beauties in greater profusion, and scatter wider the fragrance of their grateful perfume.

Desecration of the Sabbath.—The following announcement is made in the report of Congressional proceedings:

"The House met at 11, and (excepting a recess of two hours) continued in session till Sunday morning at 5 o'clock."

The House might just as well, if it were not for appearance sake, have adjourned on Saturday night, and met on Sunday morning at the usual hour. That body puts off to the adjournment the violation of the fourth commandment, having, in all probability, violated the remainder of the decalogue throughout the session. This act of desecrating the Sabbath is a fitting finale to the godless proceedings of the whole session.

It is said that all the cotton factories in Cincinnati have suspended operations.