all have been looked after so carefully.

The following are the latest Charleston cotton quotations: 

ENCOURAGING-An old friend, who has taken a prominent stand in his pro-fession, concludes a private letter to us in these words: "I am glad to see that your newspaper venture is doing so well. I know something of the labor and trouble of your work in that direction, as I served four years in that business. I am always glad to see a young man go to the front, especially one of our old set of Barnwell boys. May THE PROPER live long and prosper is my earnest wish."

CHRISTMAS TRIX.—Our friends Adams & Miles and Hooton Brothers, of Bamberg, announce through the columns of THE PEOPLE this week that they have a full line of Christmas goodles for everybody, and are prepared to sell them at prices too low down to admit of any dissatisfaction. Both these houses are active, energetic and thoroughly reliable, and we are confident all who pay them a visit will consult economy and save money.

The Senior member of the firm of Manville & Co. went to Charleston on Tuesday night last to lay in a supply of goods for Christmas week. All our friends in the country adjacent to Barnwell had better call at this popular house before laying in their Christmas supplies. We know the most fastidious can be suited by Messrs. Manville & Co.

A GOOD TIME.—By reference to the advertisement it will be seen that the play of "Ten Nights in a Bar Room' will be rendered at Bamberg on Friday night, 21st instant. Owing to our not receiving this information in time the hand bills, which have been circulated, do not contain any announcement of mation will not cause any loss to the worthy enterprise, and we confidently expect to see a crowded house greet the actors at Bamberg. The Bambergers know as well as any other \$150. people on the globe just how to do any thing they undertake, and therefore we have no fears. Between Grahams and Bamberg almost anything might be accomplished, and as the cause for which the performance is to be given is a highly creditable one, we hope the two towns will enter luto a generous rivalry to see which will go further towards helping the work. On Thursday evening, the 20th the troupe plays at Grahams. On Friday evening, the 21st, the troupe plays at Bamberg. Let every man in ten miles of either place persuade all his friends to at-Und, and let the ladies do likewise.

### Augusta, Georgia.

THE FRENCH STORE.—This is one of the many attractive and necessary features of the enterprising and goahead city of Augusta. At this popular resort our visitors to Augusta will find all styles varieties and priced toys, fireworke, fruits, candles, cakes and everything usually kept in a first class fruit and confectionery store. We speak from experience when we say that goods bought at this store will give satisfaction both as to quality and price, and we ask our many friends in search of Christmas "things" to give "The French Store" a trial. The advertisement appears elsewhere, to which we ask attention.

OATES BROTHERS-It is a genuine pleasure to visit the music and book house of these universally esteemed gentlemen. It is next to impossible to go away otherwise than perfectly charmed with the beautiful frames, pictures, books, etc., that are here to be seen in such endless quantities. Here we saw perfect photographic representations of all the master pieces of statuary, handsomely framed, at prices which bring them within the reach of every one. Messrs. Oates deserve credit for introducing these cheap styles in our midst, thus enabling the humblest person the means of studying this branch of art, which has been so long confined to the few who were wealthy enough to travel long distances to see the originals. To our unpracticed eye these photos seem to have caught up all the beauty of the artist and preserved it without disparagement. The planofortes and cabinet organs kept by this popular house are inferior to none in the United States, and they make liberal discounts on all the sale of organs.

comes before them asking their patron- commentary against this bar-room age. The name of Capt. Wood's drinking custom. We believe therefriends in our county is legion, and fore that more stringent laws should they know him to be everything that be passed regulating the traffic, than

gentleman and a friend should be served with him during those fearful times that "tried men's souls" and throughout all that period of peril and of trial, whether amid the ettle of musketry and the hissing of pullets, or around the camp fire serenely discussing some social problem, with which "the boys" were wont to pass away their hours of inactivity. he was, as he is still, ever the same genial friend and courteous gentleman, never otherwise than chivalrous with all that word of large significance imports. Almost immediately after the war Capt. Wood settled in Augusta, where he has ever since engaged in business, being at present inspector of phosphates in that city. After a long study of the subject Capt. Wood embarked in the manufacture of phosphates, and has succeeded in reaching standard of merit in that line of goods which he thinks will success fully defy competition, in point of worth. with any other fertilizers in the mar ket. Our friends Dunbar, Clark & Co. the popular commission m erchants, of Augusta, have received the general agency for the sale of these fertilizers, and we are sure our farmers would

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G. K. Ryan, assignee, to W. H. Ca rey, 4 acres for \$37.50; J. V. Baxley to O. F. Weiters, store houses and lot in Blackville for \$5,000 ;J. R. Tucker to A. R. Stokes, 315 acres for \$630; J. R. Delvach to F. P. DePass, intetest in two tracts for \$1,250; C. E. Patterson to F P Depass, 1-4 of 500 acres for \$1,250; John Aldrich to Henry Hutto. 25 acres for \$100; M.A. Richardson to H W Richardson, trustee, body of land near Allendale, deed of gift; ER Hays to Ja cob Barnes, 50 acres for \$225 Council Gibson and Clayborne Benjamin to James A Myer, release of 460 acres Sheriff to D J Thomas, 158 acres for \$400 : Sheriff to M H Thomas, mill the Bamberg performance. However, seat for \$350; J J Getsinger to M E we hope the delay in getting the infor- Hewitt, 1 lot in Bamberg, no consideration given; W B Williams, to J C Williams, 200 acres, deed of gift; JA Lancaster to Charlotte Nix, 53 acres for

G R C Tood against Moses Dyches, executor. \$105; E W Peacock against Red ick Pitts, \$39 30 . S. C. Loan and Trust Co. against J B Betes, \$260 73. MORTGAGES.

H it Hanberry to Aaron Radcliff, 2 horses for \$200; Isaac Jones to H W Walker, 1 horse for \$97 50; D L moke to Berkman & Pearlstein, I horse for \$75, Matthew Lain to Adams & Miles, I horse for \$100.

### Jettings From Bamberg.

The spirit of improvement still con-

tinues in our town. Since writing you last the mercantile firm of Messrs. Hartzog & Johnson have concluded to separate; Mr. Samuel J. Hartzog will continue business in the front portion of the same building; Mr. Johnson is having the rear portion of the building neatly fitted up, with the door opening on Bamberg street, next to Messrs. Rice & Copeland, and will about the 1st of Japuary open a stock of goods to supply any who may give him a call. see from the papers that they are having some contention in the general assembly in regard to the usury law. I am aware that much can be said for and against fixing a rate of interest. Under the old law flxing the rate at seven per ceut, our State was prosperous. It was argued that if the usury law was repealed and capitalists were allowed a higher rate of interest for the use of their money, that capital would flow into the State. This prediction has not been fulfilled. I am of opinion that higher interest than seven per cent, is ruinous to the debtor, yet I am aware that no law can be enacted that will meet with universal approval and all laws can be evaded in some way or other. I believe that a majority in this vicinity are of my opinion. It is thought by some that the State is threatened with another insurance deposit law. It is said such a law will drive insurance from the State. If it has reference to fire insurance. I have not much to say, but if it refers to life insurance, the sooner it is driven from the State, the better, for many of the companies have failed and all their fair promises of safe investment was a fraud upon the policy holders, they have been grossly deceived and swindled out of their hard earnings to pamper agents and officers with high salaries, and failures and defalcatons organs sold to churches. Any infor have become quite common. Now mation on the subject not contained in while I am writing the stillness of the night is broken by some six pistol cation to our associate editor, who shots at the bar-room of S. J. Inabinet. will act as Mesere. Oates' agent for Two men were wounded severely, though not dangerously, Mr. W. J Capr. P. H. Woon.-His numerous Jones of this place and Mr. H. Deer of friends throughout old Barnwell will be Allendale. We withhold particulars for glad to hear a word concerning Capt. prudential reasons as the case will P. H. Wood, and will be equally most probably be earried to the courts. pleased, we are sure, to find that he These sad occurrences are a standing

now exist. We know that the masses bitory laws regd to prohi ulating morals; but it is our candid opicion that all laws should as far as possible be so framed as a preventive as well as punishment for crime

Barnwell Agricultural and Mechanical Society.

A meeting of the stockholders of the society will be held at the Fair Grounds, in Barnwell village, on Friday, December 28th, at 12 m. A full attendance is urged as business of importance will be transacted, and it i desired to place the society upon firm foundation for the future.

All original subscribers at the formation of the society who do not wish to be considered as members will please notify the secretary, and all stockholders, who have not received their certificates, will please apply to the

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JOHN S. STONEY, President. F. M. Mixson, Secretary.

HYMENEAL.

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