

LOCAL ITEMS.

RAILROAD SCHEDULES.—The following are the hours at which the trains on the C. C. and A. R. R. pass Winnsboro:

REGULAR PASSENGER—NIGHT.
For Charlotte, 1.25, A. M.
For Augusta, 11.07, P. M.

ACCOMMODATION FREIGHT—DAY.
For Columbia, 7.36, P. M.
For Charlotte, 10.45, A. M.

New Advertisements.

School Notice.
Annual Meeting—C. Bouknight.
Sheriff's Sales—S. W. Ruff, S. F. C.
Masonic Meeting—Wm. N. Chandler, Secretary.

AN IMPORTANT SCHOOL MEETING.—The County Board of Examiners has issued a call for a meeting of school trustees; and it is hoped that all the trustees will attend. It is notorious that many defects have heretofore existed in the system of free schools. These the State superintendent is laboring earnestly to remedy, and he requires the co-operation of the county school officials. Entirely too much laxity has heretofore prevailed, both in the examination of teachers and the conduct of the schools. The present State superintendent requires the strictest conformity with the provisions of the law. He has issued orders that no teacher's certificate shall be granted without previous examination; and indicates that the examination shall be mostly a written one, on questions prepared by himself and forwarded to the County Boards. The object of the proposed meeting is to have a full and free conference among the trustees, concerning the number of schools to be opened, the salary of teachers, the means of increasing the efficiency of teachers, and of popularizing the system of public instruction. The State superintendent has promised to attend the meeting, unless some unforeseen contingency prevent; and he will give some very useful and interesting information. Every one connected with schools should become acquainted with him. It is sincerely hoped that all the trustees of Fairfield, by attending the meeting, will evince that zeal in behalf of free schools which should characterize competent officials.

L. CASS CARPENTER.—The trial of L. Cass Carpenter for forgery began on Monday morning. The State was represented by Solicitor Abney, of the fifth circuit, and the defendant by Mr. R. B. Carpenter. The jury consisted of six white and six colored persons. In substance the indictment charged Carpenter with having altered a printing bill, on the 20th day of January, 1872, from \$720 to \$1720, and with having procured its payment at the State treasury in the fraudulently altered form. The witnesses for the State narrated very fully the circumstances of the case, and their testimony clearly established the guilt of the accused. Carpenter testified, in his own behalf, that he had never altered or changed a single figure or bill whereby the State was defrauded of a cent; the custom was to ask the treasurer how much he had, and to make the bills to conform; sometimes from twelve to fifteen thousand dollars were due him, which could not be paid; \$2,469 was due for subscriptions of members and clerks and their friends. Parker testified to having advanced Carpenter from his private funds until the State could pay. Experts and practical printers were then examined. The whole examination took a wide field. The evidence closed on Monday evening, and the argument began on Tuesday morning. We are informed, by a gentleman who came up from Columbia on Tuesday afternoon, that Carpenter was found guilty. On the announcement of the verdict he wept bitterly. Judge Carpenter, his counsel, stated he would not make a motion for a new trial, but would implore the mercy of the court, for the sake of the prisoner's wife and children. This is all well enough, perhaps. But Cass Carpenter never

once thought or cared for the wives and children of the white men of South Carolina, when, day after day, he was inciting the negroes to incendiarism, violence and crime. The day of retribution, we rejoice, is come at last. And the vile, cowardly villain, the infamous and malignant incendiary, L. Cass Carpenter, should suffer the extreme penalty of the law.

Winnsboro Lodge, No. 11, A. F. M.
THE regular monthly communication of this Lodge will be held this evening at 7 o'clock.
WM. N. CHANDLER,
Secretary.
nov 15

ANNUAL MEETING.
THE next Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta Railroad will be held at the office of the company, in Columbia, on FRIDAY, the 23rd instant, at 10 o'clock, a. m.
C. BOUKNIGHT,
Secretary.
nov 15

NOTICE.
ALL persons indebted to me either on open account or by note are requested to come up and settle, as I must have money. All notes and accounts unpaid by December 15, will be given to my attorney for collection. Let no one think that an exception will be made in their favor, as I intend to collect from every one owing me, without exception.
nov 13—
P. ELDER.

Final Notice.
SCHOOL COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
WINNSBORO, S. C., NOV. 12, 1877.

ALL parties holding UNREGISTERED school certificates issued prior to October 31, 1873, are required to present the same for registration within ten days from the date of this notice—at the end of which time payments on the same will commence.
WILLARD RICHARDSON,
School Commissioner,
nov 13-x7td Fairfield County.

School Notice.
THE trustees of the different School Districts of Fairfield are earnestly requested to meet in Winnsboro on Saturday the 24th inst. at 12 m., to consider matters of vital importance to the schools. The State Superintendent is expected to be present on that occasion. A full attendance is desired.
WILLARD RICHARDSON,
R. MEANS DAVIS,
T. R. ROBERTSON,
County Examiners.
Nov. 14-x72.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF FAIRFIELD.

In the Common Pleas.
William H. Lyles, Plaintiff, against
George W. Kirkpatrick, Defendant.

PURSUANT to the decretal order of his Honor T. J. Mackey, made in the above stated case on the 21st day of May, 1877, I will offer for sale before the court-house door, for Fairfield county, on Monday the 3rd day of December, 1877, for cash, the tract of land described in the pleadings in the above cause, viz:
All that tract or parcel of land, situate in Fairfield county, on Shadrack's Branch, waters of Broad River, in the fork of the public roads leading from Shelton's Ferry to Monticello, and from Chester to Ashford's Ferry, bounded on the south by lands of estate of J. J. McMahon, deceased, east by lands of George W. Kirkpatrick and the aforesaid public road leading from Shelton's Ferry to Monticello, and on the west by the said public road leading from Chester to Ashford's Ferry, and containing ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINE ACRES, more or less. This land is sold subject to the lien of a mortgage debt due by G. M. Chapman to the estate of E. F. Lyles, also to a judgment debt due by said G. M. Chapman to Thomas M. Lyle, in the whole amounting to about six hundred dollars; and any bid received will be considered as over and above that amount. Sold as the property of the defendant in the above entitled action.
S. W. RUFF,
Sheriff's Office, S. F. C.
Winnsboro, S. C.,
November 10, 1877.
nov 15-11x2

The State of South Carolina,
COUNTY OF FAIRFIELD.

By O. R. THOMPSON, Esq., Probate Judge.
WHEREAS, Robert Halsell hath made suit to me to grant him letters of administration of the estate and effects of Peter Halsell, deceased:
These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said Peter Halsell, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the court of Probate, to be held at Fairfield Court House, S. C., on the 21st day of November next, after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said administration should not be granted.
Given under my hand, this 3rd day of November, Anno Domini 1877.
O. R. THOMPSON,
J. P. F. O.,
nov 6-x7law2

SPECIAL NOTICES.

It is Found at Last.
SOMETHING NEW UNDER THE SUN.—A new era is dawning upon the life of woman. Hitherto she has been called upon to suffer the ills of man and her own besides. The frequent and distressing irregularities peculiar to her sex have long been to her the "direful spring of woes unnumbered." In the mansion of the rich and in the hovel of poverty alike woman has been the constant yet patient victim of a thousand ills unknown to man—and these without a remedy. "Oh Lord, how long!" in the agony of her soul, hath she cried. But now the hour of her redemption is come. She will suffer no more, for Dr. J. Bradford's Female Regulator—Woman's Best Friend—is for sale by Dr. W. E. Aiken at \$1.50 per bottle.
nov 6-2w

Augusta Advertisements.
BEST Dry Goods House in the South. All express freights paid where the order is \$10.00. Write a Postal for Samples and Price List.
V. RICHARDS & BRO.,
Augusta, Ga.
oct 27-

G. V. DeGraaf,

Wholesale and Retail
FURNITURE DEALER

—AND—
Undertaker.
Undertaking in all its Branches.

147, 147½ and 149 Broad St.
AUGUSTA, GA.

CHAMBER SUITS.

Imitation Walnut or Oak,	20
Ten pieces, solid head, carved top,	24
" " " " " "	28
" " " " " "	34
" " " " " "	40
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" " " " " "	50

DRESSING CASES.

Ten pieces.	\$ 40
" " " " " "	45
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CHAIRS.

Cane Seat, per half dozen,	\$ 5 75
" Dining, " "	8 75
" bent Dining, per half dozen,	10 00
Split Seat, " "	3 50
Best Cane Seat, " "	4 75
Wood Seat, " "	3 25

ROCKERS.

Wood Seat, Arm,	\$ 2 00
" " " " " "	1 00
Cane Seat " " " "	2 50
" " " " " "	3 75

G. V. DeGRAAF,
Augusta, Ga.
No charge for drayage or packing.

\$100,000!

One hundred thousand dollars' worth of Merchandise!
Selected with a view of supplying the wants of all the people visiting Columbia during the Fair, consisting of

DRY GOODS!

Carpets, Oil Cloths, Wall Paper, Window Shades, Ladies', Gents' and Children's Fine Shoes.

Jones, Davis & Bouknight

Offer in all their various departments an extraordinary collection of the latest novelties in
DRY GOODS, FANCY GOODS AND SHOES.
We call special attention to our immense stock of Dress Goods.
In our Hosiery department you will find everything you want at moderate prices. We keep always on hand a complete assortment of Harris' seamless Kid Gloves; also a superb article of two-button Kid Gloves, all colors, for one dollar a pair.
Our Upholstery department is stocked with a full assortment of Carpets, Oil Cloths, Rugs, Mats, Canton Mattings, Cocoa Mattings, Window Shades and Case Curtains.
Strangers visiting Columbia will find this establishment decidedly the most attractive place in the city, and we extend a cordial invitation to every one to pay us a visit.
Orders from the country for goods or samples promptly attended to. We reserve right on all cash orders of Ten Dollars and upward.

JONES, DAVIS & BOUKNIGHTS,
(Successors to R. C. SHIVER & Co.)
COLUMBIA, S. C.
oct 9-31.

A Fine Opportunity.

THE undersigned offers for sale or rent the fine store building now occupied by B. Sugenheimer & Co., and known as "Cathcart's Old Stand." This is one of the very best business stands in Winnsboro—being centrally located and surrounded by cotton buyers. The building has recently been put in first-rate condition—repainted and otherwise overhauled. On the same lot, is a comfortable dwelling house, and warehouse which will be disposed of along with the store building. The store has always attracted one of the best trades in the county, and is altogether one of the most desirable in Winnsboro. Terms very accommodative.
D. SUGENHEIMER.

ALSO,
Along with the store above mentioned, will be sold, if desired, the stock of goods in it.
nov 8-1xm B. SUGENHEIMER & Co.

YEAST POWDER.

FOR making wholesome, light, digestible bread of all kinds, try the Morning Star Yeast Powder. For sale at the Drug Store of
sept 14 W. E. AIKEN.

THE LATEST ARRIVALS!
BEST GOODS
AT LOWEST PRICES!

I HAVE just returned from the market, having selected one of the handsomest, largest, and best assorted stocks ever brought to this place, for the especial benefit of the citizens of Fairfield, to which I respectfully invite their attention.

To the Ladies who would have the prettiest styles of DRESSES, GLOVES, LINGERIE, and the very daintiest SHOES—
Call on SOL WOLFE.

To the Gentlemen who would get the very latest and noblest suits of CLOTHING, HATS, SHOES, BOOTS, and furnishing GOODS—
Call on SOL WOLFE.

To those who are in need of goods of all kinds, Notions in great variety—

TABLE LINEN, HOMESPUNS, HOSIERY,
DOYLIES, CHECKS, BUTTONS,
TOWELS, TICKING, HAMBURG EDGING,
BLANKETS, BLEACHING, VALISES and TRUNKS:

—THESE MAY BE FOUND AT—

SOL WOLFE'S.

THE ELEPHANT CONNOR & CHANDLER

—HAS COME—
With a Fresh Stock of Fall and Winter Goods,
CALL attention to their full STOCK

AT THE DRY GOODS, FANCY GOODS AND

Millinery Bazaar.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

WE take pleasure in announcing to our friends and the public generally that we are now opening the finest and most complete assortment of
FALL AND WINTER GOODS,
including Millinery and Fancy Goods in all the latest styles and novelties of the season, such as are generally found in a first-class Millinery establishment. Fancy and staple Dry Goods, a beautiful stock of newest styles of Dress Goods. Buttons and
TRIMMINGS.

A full assortment of brown and bleached Muslins, Poplins, Calicoes, Gingham, Gents' Goods, Notions, Corsets, Gloves, Hosiery, Bustles, Skirts, Shawls, Cloaks, &c. Men's and Boys' Hats. Boots and Shoes for Gents and Boys, Shoes and Gaiters for Ladies, Misses and Children.

LUMBER FOR SALE

As low as the lowest. Call and examine my stock and prices.
J. O. BOAG.
oct 3

A FULL STOCK OF

Fresh Groceries, Confectioneries, Cakes and Crackers, Cheese, Mackerel, Flour, Meal, Grist, Seaps, Starch, Candles, Kerosene, Crockery, Tin and Wooden Ware, Furniture and Mattresses.

RESTAURANT.

A full supply of the purest Wines, Liquors and Lager Beer. North Carolina Corn Whiskey a specialty.
—ALSO—
A well selected stock of Tobacco and Segars.
The patronage of the public is solicited.
J. GROESCHEL,
oct 14-x3m Proprietor.

ESTABLISHED 1874.

GEO. B. EDWARDS,
Cotton and General Commission Merchant
CHARLESTON, S. C.

PROMPT attention given to the sale of Cotton, Peas, Corn, Rice and Produce of all kinds.
Merchandise bought free of commission. Being on the spot, and thoroughly posted on prices, can guarantee large saving to buyers of merchandise.
Agent at Charleston for State Line Ocean Steamships between New York, Glasgow, Liverpool, London and all parts of Europe.
References: Bank of Charleston; Jas. Adger & Co., Charleston, S. C.
sept 22-x3m

Lowest Prices for Cash.

I HAVE just received a large and well assorted stock of Groceries, which I offer cheap for CASH.
I am selling out my stock of Boots and Shoes at COST PRICES.
Triumph and Lynchburg Rye, and Stone Mountain Corn Whiskies.
Fine Brands of Tobacco and Cigars.
Highest prices given for Cotton,
B. J. McCARLEY'S,
oct 6-2w

—FOR SALE BY—
W. E. AIKEN,
McMASTER & BRICE,
Winnsboro, S. C.
B. W. BRICE & Co.,
Woodward's, S. C.
DOWIE & MOISE, Proprietors,
Charleston, S. C.

Watches, Clocks, Gold and Silver

Watch Chains, Brooches, Ear-rings, Studs, Collar and Sleeve Buttons, Plain and Fancy Rings, Solid Silver and Plated Castors, Spoons, Forks, Napkin Rings, Goblets, Cups, Butter Knives, Butter Dishes, &c. Spectacles, Cutlery, Lamps, Lanterns, Glass and Crockery Ware, Vases, Toilette Sets and China Tea Sets

—ALSO—

Machine Needles and Springs. Sewing Machines repaired, cleaned, and adjusted.
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RESTAURANT.

THE undersigned begs leave to inform his friends and the public generally that the Restaurant attached to the Morning Star Saloon is open, and supplied with the best market affords—such as Beefsteak, Ham, Bologna Sausage, Oysters in every style, Fish, and other delicacies.
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