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POETRY.

Our Happiest Days. They tell me, love, that you and I Our happiest days are seeing, While yet is shut from either's eye

MISCELLANEOUS.

GAVE HIM THE MITTEN.—"Ah, mon dieu! mon dieu," said Monsieur Melomet to his friend Sniffins, "my sweetheart has given me one mitten."

A RUSE.—One of our Secretaries of State for the United States struck out a good mode of getting rid of an intruder in a particular case.

Southern Quarterly Review. This Periodical is the only one of its class in the entire region of the South; and its pages are referred to as the best evidence of the ability of the South, and its capacity to give expression to the feelings, the interests and intelligence of this section of the country.

J. M. NEWBY & CO., Wholesale and Retail Dealers in READY MADE CLOTHING, UNDER THE U. S. HOTEL, Augusta, Georgia.

Notice. The Notes of the Estate of D. P. Owsen, deceased, are now due, and have been placed in our hands for payment.

THE GHOST.—A foolish fellow went to the parish priest, and told him, with a very long face, that he had seen a ghost.

An impudent fellow on horseback overtook a poor Irishman on foot, and after putting many impertinent questions, asked him for what trade his father had bred up such an intelligent looking youth as himself.

At a muster down east, after an order was given to return ramrods, one of the soldiers broke from the line and was off at full speed.

PAT AND CUFF.—"An' Cuff, will ye be ather tipping us a little bit of a song this cold mornin'?" exclaimed a son of the Emerald Isle to a brother of the sable race, a co-laborer in the division and subdivision of wood.

PROSPECTUS OF THE VALLEY PIONEER.

THE undersigned will publish in the town of Hamburg, a new Weekly Paper on or about the first of September next, bearing the title of "The Valley Pioneer."

Office "Southern Quarterly Review," Law Range, Broad-st., Charleston S. C. The following resolution was adopted by the Southern Commercial Convention, held in Charleston in April, 1854.

Resolved, That the Southern Quarterly Review, published in the city of Charleston, by a native of Virginia, and edited by one of the most distinguished literary gentlemen of the South, being the only periodical of that character, printed and published in the Southern States, and having always defended the institutions and interests of the South, is entitled to the patronage of the Southern people, and this convention earnestly recommend it to their favorable consideration.

J. M. NEWBY & CO. are now opening the largest and best selected stock of Clothing ever offered in Augusta. Every article for gentlemen's wear, of the best Goods, make and finish, can be found at our establishment.

AUGUSTA ADVERTISEMENTS.

Everything New and Fresh. At the New and Elegant Dry Goods Store of WARD & BURCHARD, AUGUSTA, GA., Opposite Masonic Hall.

WE are now receiving our Spring purchases of rich and elegant SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS, To which we take great pleasure in inviting the attention of all in want of Family Supplies, feeling assured that we can offer the Greatest Bargains to be found in Augusta.

RICHAUD BROTHERS, AUGUSTA, GA. BEG to inform the public, that they have just returned from the Northern markets, with a full and complete stock of Spring Dry Goods.

GRAY BROTHERS, AUGUSTA, GA. BEG to inform the public, that they have just returned from the Northern markets, with a full and complete stock of Spring Dry Goods.

W. M. O. PRICE & CO., Tailors—For the Spring Trade—Are constantly manufacturing, and at all times well supplied with the newest styles of Clothing of all descriptions, COATS, PANTALOONS, VESTS, SHIRTS, UNDERSHIRTS AND DRAWERS, CRAVATS, SCARFS, GLOVES, BELTS AND BRACES, HOSIERY OF ALL KINDS, TRUNKS, TRAVELLING BAGS, &c. &c.

NEW SPRING GOODS. RICH TWISTED SILKS, BARBEGES AND TISSUES, ORGANDIES, JACONETS, BRILLIANTS, FRENCH CALLICOES, EMBROIDERIES.

Whiskey and Peach Brandy. BILLS Barton's best Rye WHISKEY, 64 Mountain Dew, 4 Peach BRANDY, four years old.

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HEAD QUARTERS FOR GOOD CARRIAGES OF EVERY DESCRIPTION!

AT CHARLESTON PRICES. PHINEAS F. FRAZEE, [Late J. C. Thornton.] COLUMBIA, S. C. The subscriber will keep on hand the largest and most elegant assortment of COACHES, ROCKAWAYS, BAROUCHES, BUGGIES, GIGS, SULKIES, TRAVELLING WAGONS, &c.

R. SWAFFIELD & SON, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT, No. 3 Granite Buildings, Columbia, South Carolina.

GREAT SOUTHERN REMEDY. JACOB'S CORDIAL. FOR ALL BOWEL DISEASES. Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhoea, Cholera Morbus, Bilious Cholera, Cholera Infantum.

A few short Extracts from Letters, Testimonials, &c. "I have used Jacob's Cordial in my family, and have found it a most efficient and in my judgment, a valuable remedy."

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District.—In the Court of Ordinary. In the matter of the last Will and Testament of LUCY LOMAX, deceased.

AMERICAN HOTEL. HAMBURG, S. C. THE undersigned takes this method of returning thanks for the liberal patronage heretofore given to his HOUSE, and of informing his friends and the travelling public, that he still keeps open the Establishment for their accommodation.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, ABBEVILLE DISTRICT.—IN EQUITY. David Keller, Adm'r of D. M. Bass, dec'd, vs. Bill to marshal all accounts, assets, &c.

New and Wonderful Machine. WILLIAM STODDARD, Proprietor. THE Subscriber having purchased the Right for the State of South Carolina in the Machine now invented, for RIFTING and SHAVING SHINGLES, BARREL HEADING, &c., is prepared to sell the Right of the District, or single Machines, at prices sufficiently low to make it an inducement for purchasers.

CHEAP CASH STORE. ABBEVILLE C. H., S. C. CHAMBERS AND MARSHALL. HAMBURG, S. C. April 22d, 1854.

MEDICAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

When the R. R. R. Theory was first declared to the world, skeptical persons doubted its correctness, and looked with distrust on the remedies it possessed. Others, however, struck with the originality of its views and conceding merit to the theory, were induced to try if the remedies bore out in practice what was claimed for them in theory.

RADIWAY'S READY RELIEF, the first of the R. R. R. remedies, is the most quick and safe remedy that has ever yet been discovered for the instant relief of all ACUTE OR CHRONIC PAINS.

RHEUMATISM. PAINS stopped in a few minutes. The moment Radway's Ready Relief was applied to the parts afflicted with rheumatic pains, whether it be in the knee joint, the arms, legs, feet or loins all, pain and anguish ceased.

CHOLERA. SICKNESS. For all internal difficulties, where the patient is suddenly seized with Cramps, Spasms, Diarrhoea, Cholera Morbus, one teaspoonful of Radway's Ready Relief will in fifteen minutes allay the most distressing pains.

THE subscribers, having had nine years experience, and given universal satisfaction to their patrons, being now fully prepared with good machinery and the best of workmen, feel safe in saying to the Cotton Planters in general in this and the adjoining States, that they can furnish them with the best COTTON GINS now made.

AUSTRALIA IN MARKET! OFFER for sale 86 acres of LAND, more or less, lying on the Snake Road, eight miles and a half from Abbeville County House, bounded by lands of Samuel Jordan, Patrick McCaskey and Thomas Thomson.

FURNITURE MANUFACTORY. THE Subscriber is prepared to furnish every article in the line of CABINET WORK, of his own manufacture, including BEDSTEADS, CHAIRS, WARDROBES, SECRETARIES, TABLES, WASHSTANDS, &c., made to order and for sale at extremely low prices.

GROCERIES. COFFEE, SUGAR, RICE, SAL, HERRING, Segars, A splendid assortment of CROCKERY, HARDWARE, WOODWARE. For sale cheap by W. H. McKee, Sharon Campground Abbeville District, S. C. June 17th '54.