ponsible organ of communication between them and the Legislature. The information which such an officer, and such an officer only, could give to the Legislature, of the number and position of the poor children in the respective Districts of the State, of the difficulties to be overcome in each case, and of the operation of the system under varying circumstances, could enable it in a few years, to rectify most of the evils which are acknowledged to exist, but which many of the Commissioners attribute rather to the improper execution of the acts, than to the system itself. We have recommended a high salary, and a tenure of office of some years duration, because we think them necessary for the procuring an officer of the character, and the requirements, requisite to fill such a station, the details of his official duty can be best settled by the Legislature. They had better, at first, be very general, so as to give him much scope and latitude.

We would recommend, in the third place, that the money allotted to each District, be expended under the joint counsel of the Superintendant, and he Commissioners of Free Schools, as they may deem most for the interest of the poor children of their respective Districts; with this restriction, however, that where a poor child is placed at a neighborhood or private school, it shall be put upon a footing, as far as money can do it, with the schollars that may be receiving an English education in that school. Let there be no temptation with the master, to neglect the child, or any reason with the child to feel itself degraded by its dependance upon the State.

We should recommend, in the fourth place, but this we do with some hesitation, the establishment, in one of the healthy Districts of the State, of a Teacher's Seminary. We doubt whether a proper supply of Teachers, for Free Schools, can be obtained in any other way. The only expenditure which it would require, would be the salary of a Teacher, or Teachers, and the erection of buildings suitable for such an establishment. Those who went there, ought to be expected to support themselves during their term of preparation. Many, doubtless, would be sustained by private charity, and others would invest th ir little inheritance in what would eventually prove a certain and respectable profession.

The Legislature should insist, we think, in the provissions of its Act, that the Bible should be a Text Book in all its Schools, and that r ligion should be more or less incorporated into a system of instruction. Knowledge, unless it be accompanied by virtue, and the highest virtue is the fruit of religion, may only quicken the vice it was intended to eradicate and sharpen for the crimes it was designed to prevent. Besides, it would be adopting as a reading book, the best model of idiomatic English and only beginning in the Schools, what is afterwards carried on in your higher places of education.

We would recommend, in the last place, that the appropriation for Free Schools be increased to fifteen thousand dollars—a sum only sufficient to cover the additional expense of a Superintendant, and a Teacher's Seminary, and to meet the increase of our population.

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*From our Correspondent.*

COLUMBIA, Dec. 16, 1839.

The House of Representatives has laid on the table the report of the Special Joint Committee, on the situation and management of the Bank of the State of South Carolina, during the past fiscal year: contrary to general expectation, there was no discussion on the subject in the House. The Senate, after a long debate has made the same disposition of the report. The House has also laid upon the table, a bill to establish a board of district police. The object of this bill was to consolidate all the boards of Roads, Poor, Free Schools, and Public Buildings into one. It is probable that the other bills reported by the Solicitors concerning the duties of Clerks, Sheriff, Ordinary, Magistrates, Constables, and Coroner may be passed.—The military bill received its second reading in the House, after very strong opposition, on Saturday night. The opposition was made principally to the Brigade encampments. A motion to strike out the section authorizing the appointment of Sutlers was lost by four votes only. The Senate will strike out that section, as they have already passed a bill repealing the Sutler's law

The Committee of Ways and Means recommended an increase of ten cents in the taxes on Negroes, in order to meet a surplus in the Treasury, which they state will exist in the course of the next year. There was some *sectional* feeling excited in the debate in the House on that proposition. The members from the upper country, at first supposed that this tax would fall heaviest upon that section, but upon a close examination, it was found that this would not be the case, as there were more slaves in the lower, than in the upper country. The House however, refused to raise the taxes, and they remain as before; leaving the Bank to provide for the deficiency in the Treasury.

To-day in the House, will be considered as the special order, the application of the R. Road Company for some further aid from the State. The result is said to be doubtful. The Legislature will adjourn on the 20th.

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*Mr. Calhoun and the Tariff.*—Mr. Calhoun has addressed a letter to the Richmond Enquire, dated Nov. 22, declaring that certain rumors in circulation, imputing to him (Mr. C.) a change of views in favor of a high Tariff, are without the shadow of foundation. The letter adds:

"So far from favoring, I believe of all calamities that could befall the country, a renewal of the Protective system, with its certain consequences, would be among the greatest; and it is really surprising, that with the light of past experience, any one of sound judgement and attached to the country, should think of making the attempt. I fully agree with you, that the South and, I trust, the great body of the sound and patriotic of all parties elsewhere, cannot be gulled by the fallacious arguments put forth in its favor. The growing intelligence of the age is opposed to all such schemes; and all attempts at the renewal of the Protective system must fail; or if successful, be followed by a revulsion that would speedily prostrate the system, with infinitely greater loss than gain to the manufacturers themselves.

"I have not seen Gen. Hamilton in the recess, and cannot speak for him; but have no doubt, that the rumor is as unfounded in his, as in my case. In fact, I may say, that the united voice of this State, including all parties and every pursuit, is opposed to the system. As far as I am informed, I scarcely know an exception."

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*Strength of Parties in Congress.*—The *Globe* gives the following as the state of parties in the United States Senate, *Administration*—Messrs. Williams, of Maine, Hubbard and Pierce, of N. H., Smith, of Con, Wright, of N. Y., Wall, of N. J. Buchanan, of Pa. Roane, of Va., Brown and Strange, of N. C., Calhoun, of S. C., Lumpkin and Cuthbert, of Geo., King and Clay, of Ala., Walker, of Miss., Nichlas and Morton, of Louisiana, Grundy, of Tenn. Allen and Tappan, of Ohio, Robinson and Young, of Ill., Linn and Benton, of Missouri, Norvell, of Michigan, Fulton and Jevier, of Arkansas—29.—*Opposition.*—Messrs. Ruggles, of Maine, Prentiss and Phelps, of Vermont, Davis and Webster, of Mass., Knight and Dixon, of Rhode Island, Betts of Con., Southard, of N. J., Clayton of Del. Merrick and Spence, of Md., Preston, of S. C., Henderson, of Miss., White, of Ten. Crittenden and Clay, of Ky and Smith and White of Ind—16. One vacancy, each, in New York, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Virginia and Michigan.

In the House, the Globe clasifies the members as follows:

Administration, 121. Opposition, 113 Contested, 7. Vacancy, 1. In this classification, Mr. Hunter, of Va., a Sub-Treasury Whig, and Mr. Campbell, of S. C., anti Sub-Treasury, are placed on the side of the administration—the whole Georgia delegation is assigned to the Whigs although four of them are said to be for the Sub Treasury.

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*Treasury notes.*—According to a statement from the Treasury Department, the aggregate amount issued of Treasury notes under the provision of the several Acts of Congress is $19,567,086 22, of which, there has been redeemed $16,559,014 77, leaving the whole balance unredeemed $2,998,071 45.

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The Charleston Courier of the 12 inst., says—"A letter from Coosawhatchie, dated 11th inst. gives us the information that at an election held for Representatives for St. Luke's, in place of Col. W. E. Martin, elected Clerk of the Senate, Mr. Thos S. Gillson was elected without opposition.

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*The Fine Arts.*—A sculptor hearing a cobbler find fault with the sandal on the foot of one of his statutes, thought the man's objections so reasonable that he altered it, and returned him his thanks.—The cobbler, arrogating consequence to himself from this condecension, began to disapprove of the formation of the knee. "Hold my friend," cried the artist, "a cobbler's criticisms should never go above the *sole*."

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## OBITUARY.

*"Death has been busy at his appointed work"*

DIED.

At Pensacola, on the 9th ultimo, H. W. Nelson in the 21st year of his age, a native of Edgefield (S. C.) and for the last two years a resident of Pensacola.

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## Manual Labor School.

THE undersigned announces to the public that a Manual Labor School will be opened on the first of January 1840, at his residence on the Edgefield road, seventeen miles above Edgefield Court House, the residence being very healthy, and conveniently situated. The regulations of the school will be as follows:—The students who enter as laborers, will be required to rise before the sun, and labor until 8 o'clock, school will commence half after 8, and continue until twelve; one hour will be given for recreation, after which school will commence and continue until half after 4 o'clock, then labor until night. After supper, the studies will be resumed till nine o'clock. The Rector binds himself to pay undivided attention to labor with the students, also to preserve good order, and maintain pious discipline. A reasonable deduction will be made for labor. The scholastic year reckoned at eleven months. Good boarding can be had at the Rector's house at $8. per month.

Terms of Tuition—Spelling, Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, Geography and Natural Philosophy $15 per year. Latin and Greek $25 per year.

Any one wishing to enter not as a laborer, can do so. Twelve students can be retained at the house, which will be the school house.

SOLOMON DORN, Rector,
JNO. HAMILTON,
DANIEL BOON, } Trustees.
JAMES DORN,

Dec 18, 1839 b 16

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## DR. CROOK

INVITES those afflicted with stone in the bladder—Fits from injury done the head—Cancerous sores on the breasts or elsewhere—Blindness from Cataract or other affections of the eyes—Worms—Tumours of all descriptions—Polypus—Fistula—White Swelling—HARE LIP and CLUB FOOT, to call and see him.—He is provided with all necessary instruments, and is ready to operate in any of the above diseases, when it may be advisable. No charge will be made unless some actual service is rendered. The poor will be treated gratuitously.

Greenville C. H. S. C.
Dec. 12, 1839. } d 46

The Pendleton Messenger, Edgefield Advertiser, Charlotte Journal, Lincolnton Republican, Rutherford Gazette and Jonesborough (Tenn.) Sentinel, are each requested to give the above four insertions and forward their accounts to this office for payment.—*Greenville Mount.*

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## An Overseer Wanted.

ONE that can come well recommended to be of steady habits, and experienced in the business of Planting, with a small family, would be preferred. Apply to the subscriber, living five miles South of Edgefield Court House.

JON. TILLMAN.

December 16, 1839 b 46

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## Notice This.

ALL persons indebted to the Estate of Edward Jarrett, deceased, are requested to make payment; and those having demands against said estate to render them in properly authenticated, to JAMES MILLER.

Agent for Jarett Wise, *Ex'r.*

Dec 15, 1839 d 46

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## SHERIFF'S SALES.

BY virtue of sundry writs of *fieri facias*, to me directed, will be sold at Edgefield Court House, on the first Monday and Tuesday in January next, the following property, viz:

John Day, vs John Thurmond, Guthridge Thurmond and Randal Delaughter; other Plaintiffs, vs John Thurmond and Randall Delaughter, the Same, vs Randal Delaughter, & John Thurmond; the Same, vs Randall Delaughter, Guthridge Thurmond, and J. Thurmond; the Same, vs John Thurmond, one tract of land, the property of Randall Delaughter, containing —— acres, more or less, adjoining John Thurmond and others, and one negro man Mike, the property of Randall Delaughter. Also, three negro girls, the property of J. Thurmond, viz; Ridley, Edney, and Mima, also two mules.

Joseph Reynolds, (bearer), vs Barna M. Lamar and Mack Lamar, one tract of land containing three hundred acres, more or less adjoining lands of Charles Lamar and others.

David Turner, (bearer), vs the same, the above described property

Tredman Bergdoll, vs Morris Johnson, one tract of land containing seven hundred acres, more or less, adjoining lands of William S. Howard and others.

James Griffin, Assignee, vs George W. Thurmond, John Thurmond and Randal Delaughter, one Tract of Land containing —— acres more or less, adjoining A. Morgan, and others.

John H. Hollingsworth, vs George Thurmond, the above described property.

Butler Williams, vs Benjamin T. Rearden and Margaret Ogilvie, one Road Wagon, one Baroueh, two sorrel horses, and one bay mare.

E. G. Robertson vs Benjamin T. Rearden and Talbert Cheatham, one sorrel horse.

Abel Scannall, vs Clem. Mitchell, one Tract of Land containing two hundred acres, more or less adjoining Talbert Cheatham and others.

John Wash, (bearer), vs W. D. Kimbrell, one tract of land containing two hundred and sixty five acres, more or less adjoining B. Cochran and others.

Nicholson & Pressley vs the same, the above described property.

William E. Kilcrease, vs John King and Emberson Bussey, one Tract of Land containing —— acres more or less, adjoining A. Sharpton and others.

The Executors of J. Sharpton, deceased vs the same, the above described property.

Moses Kirkland, vs Joseph Grice, one Tract of land containing one hundred and sixty acres, more or less, adjoining William New and others.

Goodwin & Harrington, vs Spencer Elsmore, one tract of land containing fourteen acres, more or less, adjoining John Bush and others.

E. B. Belcher, for the use of Jesse Hobbs, vs Margaret Ogilvie and Thomas J. Hubler, one Road Waggon, one Baroueh, two sorrel horses, and one bay mare.

Smith & Frazier, vs Williams New, one tract of land containing ten acres, more or less, adjoining Jarett Wise and others

Smith & Croch, vs Riley Padget, one black mare.

John B. Smith, vs Lewis Falaw, one bay mare.

Davis B. Hadley, vs John B. Burgess; other Plaintiffs, vs the Same, one tract of land containing five hundred acres, more or less, adjoining Wiley Glover and others.

B. F. McDonald, vs G. H. Hull, one house and lot in the town of Hamburg, occupied by H. L. Jeffers.

J. B. Smith, vs Elisha Barker, one sorrel mare; other Plaintiffs, vs the Same, the above described property.

D. Williams, vs Riley Padget and Lewis Padget, one sorrel mare.

William Attaway, vs John Brown, one tract of land containing two hundred acres, more or less, adjoining lands of William Colbreath and others.

Nancy Hilburn, Executrix, for the use of the Executors of Wm. B. Herbert, vs Gosper Buzzard, one tract of land containing two hundred and sixty two acres, more or less, adjoining Anderson Mitchel and others.

George Dominick, vs Absolem T. Abney, one tract of land, containing two hundred acres, more or less, adjoining Ned Colbreath and others.

Penn & Brannon, vs Faithy Lassater; other plaintiffs vs the same, one tract of land, containing three hundred and forty acres more or less, adjoining W. H. Adams and others

W. Horsley, Administrator, vs Wiley Milton, W. S. Johnson, Executor, and Nancy Green, executrix, vs the same; John Ramsey, vs the same; George Parrott vs the same; Rosella Babcock, vs the same, Joseph Hightower and Eli Milton; F. H. Wardlaw, vs Joseph Hightower, Eli Milton and Wiley Milton; Jacob B. Smith, Executor, vs Wiley Milton; John S. Jeter, vs Wiley Milton and R. W. Mathis; Drake & Gibbs vs Wiley Milton, J. G. O. Wilkerson Dawson Atkinson, and David Richardson vs Wiley Milton, one tract of land, containing 5000 acres more or less, lying on waters of Big Horse Creek, on which is a valuable set of saw-mills. Also one Negro man, George, and eight mules.

M. Hankinson, vs Gedron Pardew and J. Randall; other Plaintiffs, vs the same, one tract of land containing three hundred and seventy acres, more or less, adjoining R. Hampton, and B. M. Rodgers.

Smith & Frazier, vs Anson Mobley; other Plaintiffs, vs the same, one tract of land containing one hundred and eighteen acres, more or less adjoining Ben. Tillman and others.

Oliver Towles, Ordinary, vs John B. Covington; other Plaintiffs, vs the same, and John H. Fair, the ware house and lot in the town of Hamburg, inludng the wharf known as the property of Covington & Fair.

Oliver Towles, Ordinary vs B. M. Rodgers, one tract of land near the town of Aiken, containing —— acres, more or less.

Lewis Collins, vs Henry Huffman; other Plaintiffs, vs the same, one tract of land where defendant lives containing ——, acres more or less, adjoining Caleb Talley and others; also one Negro woman, Patience, and one boy, Dave.

John Lofton, vs Sanders Rearden, four bales Cotton.

Alexander Sharpton, vs Evert Holmes, one black Mare.

W. Kemp, Administrator, vs Asa Fowler and Richard Hazle, two hundred and forty nine acres, more or less, adjoining Daniel Rodgers and others. Terms, *Cash.*

W. H. MOSS, s. E. D.

Dec 14, 1839 c 46

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## Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of *Fieri Facias*, to me directed, will be sold, at the house of Joan Thurmond, on Stevens Creek, on Saturday the 28th inst. the following property, viz:

John Day, vs John Thurmond, Guthridge Thurmond and Randal Delaughter; other Plaintiffs, vs the same, twenty-one Bales of Cotton and one lot of Seed Cotton. Terms *Cash.*

W. H. MOSS, s. E. D.

Dec 13, 1839 b 46

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## Final Notice.

ALL persons having demands against the estate of William Holloway, deceased are requested to present them duly attested, on or before the first of January next; and those indebted to the estate are required to make payment on or before that time, as longer indulgence will not be given.

JORDAN HOLLOWAY, }
JOHN LAKE, } *Ex'rs.*

Dec. 16, 1839 c 46

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PROSPECTUS OF THE

## CAROLINA PLANTER.

THERE will be published at the seat of Government, as recommended by the *Agricultural Convention*, a paper devoted to the interests of the Planter. It is thought proper that there should be, at the centre of the State, a publication, suited to the awakened spirit of enquiry on this great subject.

While the main object of the paper will be the diffusion of Agricultural knowledge, other topics of general interest, in News, Science, Literature, &c will not be neglected. The promised aid of many of our most distinguished men, will contribute to its interest and usefulness. Politics, will be excluded that the labors of the Editor may be acceptable to all

The *Carolina Planter*, will be edited by R. W. GIBBES M. D. and published by A. S. JOHNSON, every week, at $2,50 per annum. It will be neatly printed, on an imperial sheet, in quarto shape. The first No. will be issued early in January.

Columbia, Dec 4th, 1839.

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## Lands and Negroes.

WILL be rented on the first day of January next, in Hamburg, a valuable plantation on Savannah river, three miles below Augusta, and Hamburg; called Bell Mount, belonging to Thomas M. Lamar, minor.

Also the plantation, belonging to the estate of John Tarrance, deceased adjoining lands of James Vann, Seth Butler and the estate of Thomas Hale, deceased.

At the same time and place, upwards of thirty likely negroes, will be offered for hire, for one year, belonging to the minors of T. G. Lamar

Also the negroes belonging to Augustus Tarrance for one year.

CHARLES LAMAR, *Guardian.*

December 12 h 1839 c 46

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## The American Hotel,

WILL be sold on the first day of January next, in Hamburg, to the highest bidder, the above establishment, lately kept by G. W. Mayson. The house is large and commodious—54 by 60 feet, two stories and a half high, and situated in the centre of the commercial part of the town, having two Stores attached, fronting the main trading street. The above property will be sold on time. Terms and conditions made known more fully on the day of sale.

CHARLES LAMAR.

December 12th, 1839 c 46

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## Final Notice.

ALL persons having demands against the estate of David Timmerman, deceased, are requested to present them duly attested on or before the first of January next, and those indebted to the estate, are required to make payment on or before that time, as longer indulgence will not be given

JOHN LAKE, }
J. W. TIMMERMAN. } *Adm'rs.*

Dec 16, 1839 c 6

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## State of South Carolina.

EDGEFIELD DISTRICT.

Sarah Buckaloo, Applicant,
vs Allen A. Buckaloo
and others, Defendants. }

BY an order from the Ordinary, I shall proceed to sell at Edgefield C. House on the first Monday in January next the real estate of William Buckaloo, deceased, situate in said District, on the waters of Stevens' Creek, bounding on lands of Robert Bryan, Robert D. Bryan, David Richardson and others, containing one hundred and thirty acres, more or less, on a credit of twelve months. The purchaser will be required to give bond and personal security, and a mortgage of the premises to the Ordinary. Cost to be paid in cash.

W. H. MOSS S. E. D.

Dec 14, 1839 c 46

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## State of South Carolina.

EDGEFIELD DISTRICT.

Susan Garrett, Applicant vs
Richard M. Johnson, and wife,
and others, Defendants, }

BY an Order from the Ordinary, I shall proceed to sell at Edgefield C. House, on the first Monday in January next, the real estate of Henry W. Garrett, deceased, situate in said District on the waters of Gunnels' Creek bounding on lands of William Thurmond, Dempsey Bussey, Robertson Dagnal, and others, containing three hundred and thirty two acres more or less, on a credit of twelve months. The purchaser will be required to give bond and personal security, and a mortgage of the premises to the Ordinary. Cost to be paid in cash.

W. H. MOSS, S. E. D.

Dec 14, 1839 c 46

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## State of South Carolina.

EDGEFIELD DISTRICT.

Elizabeth Still, Applicant, vs
Franc Still and others,
Defendants }

BY an Order from the Ordinary, I shall proceed to sell at Edgefield C. House, on the first Monday in January next, the real estate of John Still, deceased, situate in said District on the waters of Sleepy Creek, bounding on lands of Alfred May, Sarah Dern, Wiley Adams and others, containing two hundred acres more or less, on a credit of twelve months. The purchaser will be required to give bond and personal security, and a mortgage of the premises to the Ordinary. Cost to be paid in cash

W. H. MOSS, S. E. D.

Dec 14, 1839 c 46

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## State of South Carolina.

EDGEFIELD DISTRICT.

*IN THE COMMON PLEAS.*

Caleb Mitchell, adm'r. vs
John Johnson; the same,
vs the same. } Attachment.

G. L. & E. Penn & Co. vs
John Johnson; the same, vs
the same, in two other cases. } Attachment

THE Plaintiffs having filed their declarations in my office, and the defendant having no wife or Attorney known to be within the State, upon whom a copy can be served. It is ordered that the Defendant, plead thereto within a year and a day from this publication, or the said action will be taken pro confesso against him.

GEORGE POPE, *C. C. P.*

*Clerk's Office, Edgefield*, Oct 26th, 1839. } n & w $10, cost 46

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## State of South Carolina.

EDGEFIELD DISTRICT.

*IN THE COMMON PLEAS.*

J. & L. Jones, vs
H. H. Jones. } Attachment

THE Plaintiff in this case, having filed his declaration in my office, and the Defendant having no wife or Attorney known to be within the State, upon whom a copy could be served with a rule to plead. It is ordered that the Defendant do plead to the said declaration within a year and a day, from this date, or final and absolute judgment will be awarded against him

GEO. POPE, *C. C. P.*

*Clerk's Office, Edgefield, Oct 2* 1839. } $7 50 n & w age 46

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## TO RENT.

MY House and Lot in the Village of Edgefield, now occupied by Gen. James Jones, offered for rent for the ensuing year.

E. J. MIMS,

December 10, 1839 tf 45

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## State of South Carolina.

EDGEFIELD DISTRICT.

*IN THE COMMON PLEAS.*

Milton Walker, vs
Saml. Holloway. } Attachment

THE Plaintiff in this case, having filed his declaration, and the Defendant having no wife: Attorney known to be within the State, upon whom a copy could be served with a rule to plead. It is ordered that the Defendant do plead to the said declaration within a year and a day, from this date, or final and absolute judgment will be awarded against him.

GEO. POPE, *C. C. P.*

*Clerk's Office, Edgefield, Oct. 26, 1839* } $7 50 n & w age 46

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## Sale of Personal Property.

THE Subscriber having disposed of his Lands, will offer for sale at his residence on Tuesday after the Sale-day in January next, the 7th of the month, the following property viz: 10 Horses and Mules, a considerable lot of fine Stock, Hogs, & Cattle, over 2000 bushels of Corn—25 stacks of Fodder, of 500 bundles in each, 200 bushels of Peas, Oats, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Farming utensils, Blacksmith Tools, a Waggon, Waggon and Plough Gear, and a considerable number of rare and excellent Books.

Terms—All sums to the amount of $20 cash. For all over, a credit till the 1st October, 1840, with note and approved security.

Also, some fifteen or twenty Fattening Hogs will be sold for cash or will be sold in the mean time on terms to suit purchasers.

ALSO,

Will be hired out at the same time if not before, over 20 likely hands until the 15th Oct. 1840, all fellows but a few. Note and security will be required—one full suit of clothes, hat and shoes, and I wish it expressly understood, that no Rail Road agent need apply.

ELDRED SIMKINS.

Edgefield C. H. Dec. 3, 1839 c 44

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## Administrator's Sale.

BY an order from the Ordinary of Edgefield District, I shall proceed to sell on Monday the 23d inst. at the late residence of Samuel Williams, deceased, all the personal property of said deceased, consisting of 14 Negroes, Household and Kitchen Furniture Stock of all descripions, such as Horses, Mules, Cattle Hogs Sheep, Corn and Fodder, and 36 bags of Cotton, Plantation and Blacksmith's Tools, one good Cotton Gin, one Waggon and many other articles too tedious to mention. Terms of sale, 12 months credit. Purchasers to give notes & two approved securities.

The Plantation belonging to said Estate, will be rented at the same time and place, for the ensuing year.

SAM. WILLIAMS, Jun. Adm'r.

Dec. 2, 1839 c 44

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## Administrator's Sale.

BY an Order from the Ordinary of Edgefield District, I shall offer for sale, to the highest bidder, on Thursday the 26th instant, at the late residence of William Strom, sen., deceased, all the personal property of said deceased, consisting of 38 likely Negroes, all field hands, eleven Horses, two yoke of Oxen, two Ox Carts, two Road Wagons, one Jersey Wagon, one two-horse Baroueh, one Cotton Gin and Screw, Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, Corn, Fodder, Oats, Peas twenty five bales of Cotton Plantation and Blacksmith's Tools, and Household and Kitchen Furniture, and many other articles to tedious to mention. Terms twelve months credit. Purchasers to give their notes with two approved securities.

WM. STROM, Jun., *Adm'r.*

Dec 9, 1839 b 45

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## Land for Sale

WILL be sold on the 1st of January next at Edgefield C. H. the valuable Plantation whereon Mrs. Alice Cantelou now lives, on the Martintown Road, containing five hundred acres, more or less, joining lands of Benj. Roper, Charles McKie and others. Terms made known on the day of sale. Persons wishing to purchase, previous to the day of sale, can apply to WM. FRAZIER.

Dec. 3, 1839 tf 44

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## Notice,

ALL persons indebted to the late William Strom, sen. deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; and those having any demands against the estate, will render their accounts, duly attested, to the subscriber, within the time prescribed by law.

WM. STROM, Jun. Adm'r.

Dec 9, 1839 tf 45

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## NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of the late Jesse Hobbs, deceased, are requested to make immediate payment. And all persons having demands against said estate are requested to present them duly attested.

ALBERT DEVORE, *Adm'r.*

December 3 1839 tf 44

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## Notice.

IS hereby given, that after the first day of January next, no Letter will will be given out of the Post Office, unless the postage is paid. The postage on Newspaper must be paid Quarterly in advance.

M. FRAZIER, P. M

Dec. 3, 1839 tf 44

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## NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to Smith & Frazier are required to call and settle their notes or accounts, as the case may be, if not settled by 15th of January next, they will be left in the hands of an *AGENT* for collection.

SMITH & FRAZIER.

Dec. 2, 1839 tf 44

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## LOST, LOST.

A RED Morocco *POCKET BOOK*, containing two five Dollar Notes on the Hamburg Bank. One note of hand on Dr. John Lake, for $209.56 payable to John Powel, or bearer, due the 25th Dec. 1839, and one note on Elias Lake, for $177, due 25th December, 1839, and one on Elias Lake, for $39 due same time. One on James S. Harrison, for $142, due 25th December 1839, with some other papers of no importance only to to the subscriber. All persons are forewarned from trading for the above notes. JOHN POWEL.

Nov. 26th 1839. 44 b

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## Carriage Making.

THE Subscriber will make and repair Carriages & Waggons of every description in the best possible manner and at the shortest notice. All orders thankfully received, and promptly attended to. EDWARD BARKER.

Hamburg Dec 1, 1839 tf 44

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## Edgefield District.

FALL TERM, 1839

IT is Ordered that a Court of Common Pleas and General Sessions, for the Trial of the Cases not disposed of at this Term, be held at Edgefield Court House, on the fourth Monday in January next.

B. J. EARLE, Judge presiding.

GEO. POPE, C. C. P. & G. S.

Nov. 5, 1839 tf 40

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## *New Dry Goods Store.*

## CHAUNCEY CHURCHILL,

WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Edgefield District, and the public generally, that he has taken the Store lately occupied, by John O. B. Ford, in Hamburg, S. C. and where he is now opening a general assortment of

## DRY GOODS,

they have all lately been purchased in N. York, under the present pressure in the money market, and they shall be sold *cheap* to correspond with the times. He has come to the conclusion, that the *nimble* sixpence is better than the *slow* shilling, and therefore invites all purchasers of *DRY GOODS*, who wish to save their sevenpences and their dollars, to favor him with a call.

*Among his Assortment may be found*

Broad Cloths, of all shades, from $3 to $7 per yard,
Cassimeres and Sattinets, from 62½ cents, to $2 50 per yard.
A good assortment of French German and English Merinoes, at reduced prices,
Allipacka Cloths, and Figured Lavabolaires, a beautiful article for Ladies cloaks and dresses,
Bombazines and Mouslin de Lanes,
Rich black and colored Silks,
Plain and figured French, English & American Prints, from 12½ to 50 cents per yard, and some 4-4 fine French, at 37½ cts.
Plain, figured, plaid and striped Muslins, of all qualities,
French needle worked and tambored Muslin Collars, from 50 cts to $5 each,
Heavy 4-4 bleached and brown Shirtings,
A few pieces (a little damaged,) Bleached Sheetings, will be sold at great bargains,
Shawls, Ribbonds, Laces, Gloves, Hosiery, &c &c.

N. B.—*C. C.* will be constantly receiving from New York, new additions to his Stock, of the latest Importations.

Hamburg, Dec 5, 1839 tf 45

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## Female Institute.

A SCHOOL for Young Ladies will be opened on the 1st Monday in January next, near the residence of Dr. Nicholson, on the Cambridge Road, seven miles above Edgefield Court House. The exercises of this Institution will be conducted by a Lady from the North, who has long been engaged in the important business of Teaching, and has testimonials of a high character. The course of Tuition comprehends the elementary and higher branches of Education. The healthfulness and pleasent retirement of this location, combined with the morality of the neighborhood, present very considerable inducements for its patronage. Board can be had at $8 per month, including washing, &c.

TERMS AS FOLLOWS.

| | PER QUARTER. |
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| For the elementary branches including Arithmetick, Geography, English Grammar, | $6,25 |
| For the higher branches, viz. History, Natural and Moral Philosophy and Chemistry, &c. | $8,00 |

French, and Music on the Piano and Guitar, Extra. Payments will be required Quarterly.

Dec 10, 1839 tf 45

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## *LOOK HERE.*

THE Subscriber offers for sale the following Blooded Stock at very reduced prices:—

*Fairy Queen*, by Phenomenon, dam Gallatin.
*Cold black Rose*, by Nullifier, dam Phenomenon.
*Sally Morague*, by John Bascombe, dam Phenomenon.

The above will be sold in lots to suit purchasers, and a bargain can be had if application is made immediately. R. C. GRIFFIN.

Cambridge, Dec. 7, 1839 d 45

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## Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of the late Joseph Griffin, are requested to make immediate payment, and those having demands will render their accounts duly attested, within the time prescribed by law.

N. B. Indulgence is out of the Question.

R. C. GRIFFIN, }
T. C. GRIFFIN, } *Administrators.*

Dec 7, 1839 d 45

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## Election Notice.

THE Election for Sheriff of Edgefield District will take place, as heretofore advertised, on the second Monday in January, but that of Ordinary will not take place until writs are issued by the Governor.

W. J. SIMKINS.
*Chair'n B. M. E. of Edge. Dist.*

Dec 10, 1839 e 45

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## To Hire,

ON the first of January next, two or three Negro Fellows belonging to the Estate of Jefferson Richardson, deceased, will be hired out for the ensuing year, at the plantation belonging to said Estate, near Mr. Benj Stevens' place. B. A. WALLACE,

Dec 6, 1839 c 45 *Guardian of the Minors.*

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## Public Notice,

THE Public are hereby notified, that I will not pay a Note of hand given me by to Eli Clark, now due, for $70, as the property for which said note was given has proven to be unsound. I am determined not to pay the same, unless compelled by law

BENAJAH CURRY.

Dec 10, 1839 c 45

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State of South Carolina.

EDGEFIELD DISTRICT.

LEWIS HOLMES tolls before me, one estray Horse, about fifteen and a half hands high, roan colour, both hind feet white, star and snip, shod before, a number of scars on the back. Supposed to be seven years old next spring—appraised to fifty dollars, before me.

ROBERT KENNY, J. Q.

Dec. 3, 1839 c 44

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## Removal.

THE Subscriber has removed his stock of Goods to the new Brick Store, two doors from the store he has before occupied, where he will be happy to show his friends and customers the most complete and extensive stock of *Dry Goods* ever offered in this market. Country merchants supplied at the lowest jobbing prices. JOHN O. B. FORD

Hamburg, Nov. 18 1839 tf 43

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## French Baskets, Bonnets, &c.

BY the latest arrivals, and will be open in a day or two, a new lot of

*Flannels, Bonnets, and Laced Goods.*

ALSO.

1 Case, containing in all 900 to 1000 *French Baskets*, comprising every variety and size.—Just received and now opening by

JOHN O. B. FORD.

Hamburg, Nov 19 1839 tf 43

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## *NEW SILKS.*

JUST Received a handsome assortment of Pru do Sois, Gros de Nap and Mattioni Silks, of the latest and most fashionable colours and patterns, which will be sold *very cheap* by

C. A. DOWD.

Dec. 13, 1839 tf 44