munication between her Provinces; and this is determined to have. Maine will concede her Territory in exchange for a conventional right to navigate the St. John's River, to its outh, or she might give the Territory of that River, in exchange for the Territory west of it. The timber, concerning which so much noise is made, will be of little use to Maine, without the navigation of the St. John's. Our Government has assumed the ground, that it will support the rights of Maine, as they have decided, by both Houses of Congrees, unless Maine herself should consent to different terms, or unless a different decision should be made by a new empire, to whom Mr. Van Buren is willing to mit the case. But, with the assent of Maine the matter can be settled by negotiation, at Lon don. Even in the event of disagreement France would probably offer her mediation, as England offered hers, between ur and France So, we shall get through the session, without straining our resources by a preparation for

From the National Intelligencer, March 30. TREASURY NOTE BILL.

In debate on the Treasury Note Bill in the House of Representatives, March 27, Mr. Pickens made a few observations, which were not prepared in time for Saturday's paper, but have been since handed into the office, as fol-

Mr. Pickens rose and said: Mr. Chairman I do not rise to inflict a speech, but merely to join in the request of the gentleman from New York (Mr. Monroe) that we should, according to the general understanding entered into yes-terday, before our adjournment, take the bill out of Committee, and dispose of it finally tonight in some way or other. I rise to make an

appeal to the good sense of the modrate portion of all parties in this House.

This is a simpe bill authorizing the issue of Treasury notes to the amount of five millions of dollars. We have heard the statements of members of the Committee of Ways and Means, as to the wants of the Government. Is there a man here who is not prepared to give his vote? Are we to sit here day after day, and night after night, listening to the miserable hackneyed par-ty slang of the day upon a bill, on the merits of which every man here is prepared to give his vote? My constitution is unprepared to go through with these midnight scenes of confusion, and, I was going to say, of disgrace. I do hope that the moderate men of all parties combine to take this bill out of committee and to pass or reject it, Sir, it is no time to sit here and dwell upon political newspaper para-graphs, and the miserable attacks and slanders growing out of the mere partisan contests of the day. We have lately heard, and all I am sure with deep pain, the present critical position which we occupy in regard to a foreign Power, and, resulting from which, great and serious ques-tions will press upon us. I trust in God that the peace of the country can be preserved, but it is no time for us to waste our days and nights in wrangling over these little matters, loc their interest, when there is such a great and momentous question which may be pressed up-on the consideration of this country. I was prepared to have voted against this bill, and was disposed to do so, because I believe it to be an unsafe precedent in legislation. I have so said but not from any constitutional objections. But if an exigency occurs, if the necessity is palpable and plain, I will give the Government my support. If they need their credit to maintain the Government, I am prepared to give it. I solemnly believe, from the develop-ments of the last few weeks, that it may be necessary, I am prepared to give my vote for this bill under the circumstances in which the country is placed; but I do not say that there is any immediate danger of a conflict. I trust in God, not; but I will, say that it is by no means certain that the peace of the country can be preserved, and I am for giving the Government strength to support itself in any emergency that

I join heartily in the request of the gentleman from New York, (Mr. Monroe,) and I hope and trust that gentlemen are prepared to put an end to the discussion, and, at all events, to take the bill out of committee.

FROM FLORIDA. - The steamer General Clinch, Capt. Brooke arrived at this port yesterday, from Garey's Ferry Black Creek, (Florida,) having on board, as assengers, Capt. F. Searle, Assistant Quarter Master, Drs. J. B. Wells, and S. R. Arnold, all of the U.S. Army; also two Hosnital Nurses.

We learn that Col. Twiggs had returned from a fifteen days scout up the St. John's River, with the Blood Hounds, which, it is stated, were found to be perfectly useless-all attempts to induce them to take the trail of the Indians proving nusuccessful.

Two Indians were discovered in a boat, and shot-one of them said to be a brother of Sam Jones-Charleston Courier.

The Court of Sessions and Common Pleas, for Barnwell District, commenced its session, on Monday, the 30th March, at 10 o'clock, and adjourned on Friday, the 3d April, at half-past 11 o'clock, his Honor, Judge Gantt, presiding. The following statement will show the number of cases on the dockets for trial.

No. of cases for trial, - - - 748 " Tried, - - - 493

Notice of appeal but in one case. Thus it will be seen that his Honor had to encounter a docket, formidable for the number of cases upon it; formidable also, because a great number of those cases were contested. But the Judge commenced, and continued his duties with a zeal and industry which enable him to get through the whole business in the course of four days, and thereby to confer an essential benefit upon the district, and to reflect great honor upon himself .- Ibid.

Accident .- The steam packet James Adams, Ham, started this morning for Columbia, and proceeded as far as the bar, owing to the strong N. E. gale, she was compelled to return-on her way back, off the lower end of the middle ground, came in contact with pilot boat Georgia, that was proceeding to sea, and stove in the larboard side, when she immediately sunk. The J. A. had all her fore ends near the stern, stove in; the crew of the pilot hoat were taken off by the steam boat .- Charleston Mercury.

A ship freighted with blacks by the Colonization Society, has been overhauled on the coast of Africa by a British Cruiser, on suspicion of being engaged in the Slave Trade. Well, we hope it will now be discovered that when one government assumes the right of violating the laws of nations, they hold a weapon which cuts more than one way. If the British wish to monopolize the trade with Africa all they have to do is to suspect the vessels of all other nations of favoring the Slave Trade.-Charleston Courier.

Poverty to a remarkable degree possesses the power of self-perpetuation. poverty of the poor is his destruction."

The Advertiser.

EDGEFIELD C. H.

THURSDAY, APRIL 16, 1840.

Death of Gov. Noble .-- A letter received by a gentleman in this place, gives an account of the death of Gov. Noble.

We are informed that he died of dropsy in the chest, on Tuesday the 7th inst. The long and valuable public services of this gentleman, are well known to all. He is cut off in the midst of his usefulness. At the time of his decease, he was in the prime of life, and the full vigor of intellect. He was emphatically, an honest politician and a good man. We hope that some one competent to the task, will prepare a memoir of this distinguished public servant. In common with the whole State, we deeply deplore his untimely death.

MUNICIPAL ELECTION .- At an election held in this place, on the 11th instant, William J. Simpkins was elected Warden of Edgefield, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the removal of A. V. Montgomery.

We are indebted to the Hon. F. W. Pickens, for a pamphlet copy of the Speech of Mr. Bynum, of North Carolina, on the resolution of Mr. Thompson of South Carolina, on the subject of Abolition," This speech is one of considerable length and evinces great research. It vindicates the Democratic party from the charge of abolition. No impartial man can read it and fail to be convinced, that the Democrats, as a party, are laboring with the most strenuous efforts, to put down those political incendiaries, the abolitionists.

THE WEATHER .- The fifth of this month was a bright and beautiful day. There was a delightful calmness in the air, and every thing augured well for the future. But alas!

"A change came o'er the spirit" of April, and the bright sunshine was suc ceeded by dark clouds, mists, and copious showers of rain. For several days during the past week, the rain poured down almost continuously, and the weather very much resembled that of a wintry month. Vegetation was greatly retarded, and the young crops were much injured. We have heard it said, that

> "April showers, Make May flowers."

A fig for such showers, say we, and such cool breezes, as " have fanned our cheek !" Give us the glorious sun-shine, the warm breath of summer, and away with the mist in Scotia born! We care not for the Hyperborean winds which roar so musically in the ears of some. We have had enough of them. We fervently pray for the return of the delightful vernal season, so celebrated by the poets, but so rarely enjoyed. Since penning the above, the sky has brightened, and the Rain King has fled howling away.

Several days since, we read the Speech of Mr. Duncan, of Ohio, "on the bill to authorize the issue of Treasury Notes." Much the largest portion of the speech, is taken up with the history of the Florida War, from its commencement to present time. In reading the remarks of Mr. Duncan, we were forcibly reminded of the celebrated debate de omnibus rebus et quibusdam aliis which took place in the Senate, some years since, and in which our own Hayne and Mr. Webster partici-

In these days of speech making, it is not at all necessary for an orator to confine himself to his text. He is privileged to fly off from his subject, and discourse on any thing that seemeth to him proper. Many take the liberty, to speak on any thing else, but the subject before them. This is using the freedom of speech with a vengeance.

We refer our readers to the Prospectus of the " New Yorker," which will be seen in another column. We have seen some numbers of this paper recently, and have found in them, an agreeable melange of Polite Literature, Politics, News, &c. There is always to be found in this paper a page of Music. This must recommend it to those who have "music in their souls," especially the ladies.

SPEECH OF MR. CALHOUN .- We publish to-day, the first part of the Speech of Mr. Calhoun, on the resolutions which he introduced in the Senate on the 13th of March. These resolutions must commend themselves to the approval of all parties, especially, to those who desire the perpetuity of our Union, and the preservation of the rights of the Southern States. The decision of the British Government, in the case of the negroes, on board the Enterprise, should not be tamely submitted to by our Government. The dearest rights of the South have been infringed, palpably and flagrantly, and she will never acquiesce in such a decision. We subjoin the comments of two lead-

ing papers, on the Speech of Mr. Calhoun. The Globe says-

ciples involved in the negotiation with ho!"

Great Britain about the slaves withheld; from the Enterprise, is one of the most remarkable of the session. It has received high and deserved encomiums from men of all parties. Its lucid reasonings are irresistible; and the autmadversion upon the inconsistent attitudes assumed by Great Britain, not merely in relation to her controversy with us, but in regard to her assumed position before the world, upon the subject of slavery, compared with her actual condition, is not less just than severe.

The New York Evening Star, another able and leading journal, says-

"Letters from Washington unite in giving a high and important character to the speech delivered by Mr. Calhoun on the 13th. It was not on the abstract doctrines of the Abolitionists, as some suppose, nor the constitutional rights of the slave States, but of a more general character, predicated on the rights of American vessels driven by stress of weather into friendly ports; and he maintained the jurisdiction of the State to which such vessel belongs, over her rights and interests. which can lose none of those rights by being forced into a friendly or neutral port. This was carried out by reference to the case of the brig Enterprise, the Encomium, and the Comet, vessels sailing from one State to another State, having slaves on board, sent from one plantation to another, and released by the British authorities of the islands, into the ports of which these vessels were driven by stress of weather. It is true, that after many years of negotiation, the British Government has seen the expediency and justice in making indemnity to the owners; but the Ministry will not avow the doctrine, and establish the principle that our vessels carrying domestic slaves from one State to another, shall be released with their slaves, if driven by stress of weather, into their ports. This right must be avowed openly and unequivocally. It will never do to permit the Abolitionists of the North to confederate against Southern rights guarantied by the Constitution, and at the same time to find them backed in their position by the practices of the British Government touching the safety of Southern property, accidentally thrown into their ports

Mr. Calhoun's position is not disputed and carried out with firmness and temper. will show the British Government the necessity of abstaining in every respect, from being mingled up or participating in car-rying out the doctrines of this vexed ques-

The South Carolinian of the 10th inst. says :- An election of Intendant and Wardens, for Columbia, for the ensuing year, was made on Monday, the 6th inst., The following persons were elected:

Intendant .- Robert W. Gibbes, M. D. Wardens .- 1st Ward, R. H. Goodwyn. Henry Lyons. 2d Ward, W. B. Stanley, John Fisher. 3d Ward, A. H. Gladden, A. Kirk.

We are sorry to see that Col. James Gadsden, of this Territory, has been unani mously elected President of the Cincinnets and Charleston Rail Road Company. We say we are sorry, provided he accepts: for, although he may well deserve and fill such a post, and his selection be gratifying to his friends, yet we can ill spare such men at this time, when we hope so soon to become a State, and shall require greatly the services of men of honesty, patriotism, and principle. Should Col. Gadsden, however, see fit to accept the honorable post assigned him, he will bear with him the well wishes of a large circle of true friends-Quincy Sentinel.

The New York American of Friday afternoon says that about 5,000 out of the 13.000 apurious shares of Kentucky Bank stock, issued by the Cashier of the Schuylkill Bank, in Philadelphia, have been raced, principally, in that city. believed that these will not be acknowledged by the Bank of Kentucky.

Winter at the North,-We learn by passengers from Albany, that the storm of rain and sleet which we had here on Tuesday last, was there a regular snow storm, was about a foot on a level. The Boston vicinity, at the same time. Here the trict aforesaid, deceased. ground was barely covered. The Northampton (Mass) Courier, says that the snow in Windsor, Goshen, Chesterfield and Peru is still from two to seven feet deep. Parly old snow, we presume .- N. Y. Journal of Commerce.

> Form the Montreal Courier. CANADA NOTIONS

His Royal Highness, the Duke of Saze! Prince Albert!-Our towns woman Mrs. Bingham, wrote, from Paris, some time since that she had mazourka'd with Victoria's dearly beloved Sour-Crout!-and informed some one, or other, who lives on this side the "big pond" that he was a very nice young man." No doubt! So was Tittlebat Titmouse:—particularly, after

he got ten thousand a year.
Why is Albert called Duke of Saxe?hecause he sacks a large quantity of the blunt of a fine old English gentleman called Old John Bull.

Albert! what a pretty name! My Albert !- as the Queen says! My! Albert! as his sisters say,-in ecstacy at his good luck! There is some art in punctuation!

A very good match that, for a Lieutenant of Austrain Dragoous! very! Perhaps some of Dragoou Regiments would have turned out as pretty a gentleman;—a Captain, or a Colonel, too! That would not, however, have been so German to the matter.

How the folks must have laughed, when this high and mighty Prince of £300 per annum-(the salary of a teller in a Bank) with the gravity of a turk, pronounced the words, "I thee endow with all my worldly goods." Two new jackets, embroidered with gold,-a brass helmet,-a pair of pea green inexpressibles, with a Bologna sausage in the pocket,-and a flacon of Kirchenwassar!

"The Queen did not take her eyes off him, during the entire marriage ceremony! "Mr. Calhoun's Speech upon the prin- | Pretty dear, -oh! I could eat you! Heigh

John Hunter .- This ingenious man had | so much diligence, that he often told his friends that for forty years, summer and winter, the sun never found him in bed. "I never have any difficulties," said he "a thing either can be or it cannot. If it can be done, I may do it as well as another, if I take equal pains. If it cannot he done, I will not attempt to do it." Mr. Hunter made the completest collection in comparative anatomy, that ever was assembled together

Early Garden Peas .- Mr. G. B. Terry. of this city, presented us yesterday with a small mess of Garden Peas, the earliest vegetable of the kind, we have seen or heard of this season.—Columbus (Ga.) Argus.

The Wilmington Advertiser of the 2d inst. says: "The Raleigh and Gaston Rail Road is completed and the Cars are now running over it daily. This work is entirely the result of private enterprise and has been wholly built by ndividual subscription.

Receipts for Subscription. The Publisher acknowledges the Receipt from the following persons, to the time put down to their respective names:

Dr. E. Andrewa, Feb. 8, 1841. Col. ohn Hill, Feb. 8, 1841. Joel Hill, Jan. 16. 1841. Chas. Lamar, Feb. 8, 1840. Capt. John Lipscomb, April 11, 1841. Green B. Mitchell, April 2, 1841. A. Mobley, Aug. 29, 1840.

HYMENEAL. " The silken tie that binds two willing hearts.

MARRIED. On Thursday Evening, 9th inst., by Rev. Mr. Ardis, Mr. ROBERT DUNBAL, of Barnwell District, to Miss ELIZABETH ANN RANDOLPH, of this village. Fees accompanied

NOTICE. DERSONS wishing to hire Negro Carpenters, can be accommodated by applying to the subscriber.

Edgefield C. H., April 13, 1840. 11 tf

NOTICE.

THE subscriber, the wife of Robert Ander-son, who resides in Hamburg, S. C., late-ly engaged in merchandizing, hereby gives no-tice, of her intention to trade as a sole dealer, after the expiration of one month, from the date of this publication.

ELIZA ANDERSON.

Hamburg, April 8, 1840. 11 tf.

NOTICE.

ILL be sold by mutual consent, for division, on the first Monday in May next, at Edgefield Court House, the Pottersville Manufacturing establishment and the ap purtenances, three Negro men, two of whom are Turners, twelve Mules, one fine saddle Horse, Wagons, Geer, Tools, &c. &c.

Terms to be made known on the day of sale April 8, 1840.

DISSOLUTION. WE have this day, by mutual consent, dissolved the partnership heretolore existing under the name of Ramey and Hughes. John H. Hughes is the authorised person to wind up all the unsettled business of Rames the concern, to make inuicidate payment, and likewise requests these who have demands, to present these to him.

N. RAMEY. Edgefield, April 10, 1840. 11 if

Notice.

Mule, of ordinary size, supposed to be three or four years old. Whoever has lost said Mule, can have the same by proving property, and paying charges. W. G. GALLMAN.

Edgefield. April 11, 1840.

R. JAMES H. MURRAY tenders his pro fessional services to the citizens of Ham burg and the vicinity. Office at H. R. Cook & Co.'s Drug

Hamburg, March 20, 1840

State of South Carolina. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT. BY OLIVER TOWLES Esquire, Ordinary of Edgefield District.

Whereas Alfred N. Dicke, hath applied to me for Letters of Administration, on all and singular the goods and chattles, rights papers also speak of a snow storm in that and credits of John Dicks, late of the Dis-These are, therefore, to cite and admon

ish all and singular, the kindred and creditors of the said deceased, to be and appear before me, at our next Ordinary's Cour for the said District, to be holden at Edgefield Court House on the twenty-seventh day of April inst., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand and seal this 11th day of April, in the year of our Lord onethousand eight hundred and forty and in the sixty-fourth year of American Independence

O. TOWLES O. E. D. April 11, 1840 (82 124) b 11

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 May next, the following property, viz:
Guy Broadwater, vs Thomas Ford, one hay
Horse, Carryall and Harness.
Tully F. Sullivan, for Joseph Hightower, vs
Geo. Hamook, the defendant's interest in one

tract of land containing four hundred acres, more or less, adjoining Mary Hightower and

Also, one other tract of land containg five hundred acres, more or less, adjoining Mary Hightower, Lewis Elzy, and others.

Mary Hightower, Executrix, vs the same, the bove described property.
Simpson Matthews, vs Wm. M. Steifle, one

negro man, Stephen. Atticus Tucker, vs Joseph Cook, one tract of land, containing one hundred and five acres, more or less, adjoining James Tompkins, Jas. Freeman, and others.

Elias Robertson, vs the same, the above de-

scribed property.

Elias Robertson, vs Joseph Cook. Will be sold at the House of the defendant, on the 1st of May next, the following property, viz: one yoke of Oxen and Wagon, one sorrel Horse, three Cows and Calves, and ten head of Hogs, one lot of Bacon, one lot of Farming utensils, and Household furniture.

" White "
" Timothy Atticus Tucker, vs the same, the above des-Also, a few Cases of Nankin. cribed property. Terins Cash. SIBLEY & CRAPON. Hamburg, March 12, 1840. 7 41 S. CHRISTIE, s. E. D. April 12, 1840

ATTENTION CAVALRY.



HE Edgefield Squadron of Cavalry, hereby ordered to parade at Edgefield Court House, on Saturday, the 18th inst., armed and equipped for Drill and Review.

J. P. CARROLL, Lieut. Col.

Edgefield Squadron S. C. M. Edgefield C. H., April 4, 1840. b 10

Spring and Summer Goods. JOHN O. B. FORD.

S now opening a general assortment of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, suitable for the Spring and Summer Trade: and in the present week, will receive additions to his stock that will make his assortment complete. also begs to assure those who favor him with their custom, that so long as he has the pleasure to supply them, they will at all times find a full assortment of the newest and best goods, and of latest styles and fashions. Among those already opened, are

Parady opened, are 7-8 and 4-4 Bleach'd Shirtings & Long Cloths. English and American light Prints. French do and Printed Muslins. Plain, Check, and Plaid Cambrics.

" and Stripe Swiss Muslins. Book Muslins, and Bishop Lawns. Silk and Gingham Umbrellas. Ladies Silk Umbrellas and Parasols. Childrens do and do Furniture, Prints, Dimity, Checks, Fringes

and Binding.

A variety of Plain, Twilled and Stripe colored Cottons, for servants wear.

Mexican and York Mixtures. Drape d'te and Prussian Cloths, for Summe

Brown and White, Plain and Ribbed Lines Drilling. 10-4 and 12-4 Linen Sheeting, fine, and will

be sold at a reduced price. Grass Cloth.

Imitation do do and Brown Linen.

Irish Linens, and Linen Lawns.
do do Heavy, for Coats. Bl'k Italian Cravats, and Summer Stocks.

Linen Bosoms and Colars.
Gloves of all kinds and sizes, besides a varie y of fancy goods, not mentioned. A few Bales Brown Shirtings and Sheetings.

The above, with most other articles in his line, for sale in quantities to suit purchasers. Country Merchants supplied at a very small dvance from cost. Hamburg, April 8, 1840.

State of South Carolina. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT.

Edward Broughton, vs ... Attachment.

Wm. M. Wilson.

Pleas, in the above stated case, I shall proceed to sell at Edgefield Court House, on the first Monday in May next. Ten Thousand lbs. irst Monday in May next, Ten Thousand lbs. of Bacon, more or less. Terms Cash.
S. CHRISTIE, S. E. D.
April 12, 1840

State of South Carolina. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT.

Wm. Daniel, vs Attachment. Wm. Daniel, vs
Wm. Salter.

Y an Order from the Court of Common
Pleas in the above stated case, I shall
proceed to sell at Edgefield Court House, on the
first Monday in May next, one Negro boy, Jeff.
Terms Cash.

S. CHRISTIE, 5. E. D.
April 12, 1840

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Fashionable Summer Goods. BRYAN & MINOR, MERCHANT TAILORS,

HAVE just received a general assortment of Goods for Gentlemens ware, of the latest and most fashionable style. Consisting London Cashmere, French and Thibet

Cloths. French Bombazin Gambroons

Honey Comb, Striped, and Ribbed Linen Drillings, for Pantaloons.
London Weltings, Challies, Plain and Fig'd Satin Vestings.

A complete assortment of GLOVES, HOSIERY, STOCES, CRAYATE, SHIRTS, COLLARS and Bosoms. Also, a good assortment of FASHIONABLE HATS.

With many other articles, too tedious to men which they invite their customers, and the public generally, to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere. Edgefield C. H., April 6, 1840.

Strayed or Stolen,

A T Edgefield C. H., on Tuesday, the 24th of March, a Bay Horse, three years old, both hind feet white, and a star on his fore-head, a scar on one side of his nose, caused by kick of a horse. I will pay all expenses to any one who will bring the horse and thief, or either of them to me. Any information res pecting said horse will be thankfully received SAMUEL POSEY. Edgefield Dist., April 6, 1840

Carriage Making.

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

Hamburg Dec 1, 1839

MOTICE.

HE Public are hereby cautioned against trading for a Note of hand given by John Burns to Susunnah Boyd, for Fifty dollars.— The said note was given 1st January, 1839, and due 1st January, 1840; as said note has been settled, and a receipt given for the same.
SUSANNAH BOYD.

March 26, 1840

NOTICE. HE Subscribers have just received, and offer for sale,

1 Bbl. Red Clover Seed,

The Hamburg Journal,

A SEMI-WEEKLY PAPER, Decoted to Foreign and Domestic News. The Markets, Literature, Science, &c. &c. YARBOROUGH & MULLAY,

Editors and Publishers.

THE present flourishing trade, and the grow Ing importance of Hamburg in a commer cial point of view, fully authorize the establishment of such a Newspaper as the Publishers design to make of the Journal. No place of the same population in the Union, and certainly none where so large an amount of business transacted, is without such a vehicle of trade and intelligence. Every effort will be made to render the Journal entirely acceptable to the liberal and enterprising community for whose patronage it presents itself. Political facts will be given to the public as matter of news; but political speculations, with their train of soph-istry, misrepresentation, slander and abuse, will be carefully excluded from our columns. Particular attention will be given to the state of the Markets at home and abroad; and we shall furnish regularly corrected lists of the prices current at Hamburg, Augusta and Charle as well as copious extracts from the Trade Lists of the Northern cities. Our extensive mail facilities will give us intelligence from every part of the Union at the latest possible dates; and the means they will also afford us of transmitting our paper speedily to every post-office throughout the South and South West, will make the Journal useful and valuable to the business men of these sections of our great country, and we shall look with confidence for patronage at their hands. We shall endeavor to find a place in our columns for every thing of interest to the business classes of the people and the community generally; and, in shert, no expense or labor shall be spared to render the Journal a truly valuable paper, and in every way worthy of the favor and support we now solicit for it.

Terms .- \$5 per annum, in advance. The Journal will be printed twice a week, with good type, on beautiful white paper, of an extra-imperial size. Advertisements inserted at the usual rates.

Hamburg, S. C., April 7, 1840.

\$120 Reward.

WAS Stolen from my house, in Edgefield District, S. C , on the 16th inst., a fine, heavy, Silver Lever Watch, with a gold key, attached by a black, water colored ribbon, which was used as a guard-chain. The Watch has a high chrystal, with a small flat circle on the top, and two or three small notches I think, where it joins the case.

The Watch was taken by a notorious thief,

in the presence of my Mother, late in the evening of the day above mentioned. He passes under various assumed names. Sometimes he calls himself Stephen Bright, alias Tom Jones. alias Woodsbury. He is dark complected, resembling a Spaniard, has a heavy, black beard, high, broad cheek bones, chin rather tapering. He is about 5 feet, 5 to 8 inches high, square shouldered. He is rather of a bony. look. This thief travels on public roads as a foot traveller, and on neighborhood roads, generally carries in his hand a bridle, which, he says is for the purpose of catching estray horses. Whenever be enters a house he is always in a great hurry, and says that he cannot wait for any preparation of meals; but if any thing cold, or not cooked is at hand, he seizes it, and decamps. He seldom, or never enters a house at times when the male members are present.

It is probable that he will pass as a beggar, on foot, or a gentleman on horse-back, wherev-er he goes. He is known to have stolen sevorses, Watches and Pocket Books, and broken open several houses, in the presence of to have called at several houses for enterainment, and to have departed suddenly before any thing could be prepared. Whenever he enquires the distance to a particular place, he enquires the distance to a partie opposite he generally, or always takes the opposite ovade pursuit, if it should course, in order to evade pursuit, if it should be made. \$120 reward will be paid for his detection and delivery in jail at Edgefield C. H. \$15 will be given for the recovery of the watch lone. SAMUEL MARSH.
Edgefield District, March 25, 1840 uf, 8

State of South Carolina. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT IN EQUITY.

Moses Holstun. William Holston and Bill for Account, &c. others, Children of Moses Halstun, sen.

It appearing to my satisfaction, that William Iolston, Stephen Holston, Elkanah Sawyer. and Celia his wife, Hiram Holstnu, David B. Williams, and Mary his wife, some of the defendants in this case, reside without the limits of this State. On motion by Wardlaw, and Wardlaw, ordered that the defendants above named appear and plead answer, or demur, to the bill in this case within three months from the date of the publication of this notice, or the said bill be taken pro confesso, against them.

J. TERRY, c. E. E. D.

Feb. 27, 1840, \$8 81 ac 5

Commissioner's Office. UNTIL Further notice, my Office will be open on Monday and Friday for the transaction of business with Suitors and others 'residing out of the Village. Defaulting Guardians will do well to make their returns before the first of May next.

JAMES TERRY, C. E, E. D.

Edgefield, Feb 25, 1840

NOTICE.

OCTORS H. and W. M. BURT having formed a partnership in the practice of Physic, respectfully tender their services to their friends and the public generally.

Their office is situated near C. J. Glover's Hotel, where one or both may at all times be found, ready to attend to any professional busi-

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\$10 Reward.

Edgefield C. H., March 5, 1840

RUN AWAY from me a negro man, forty five years of age, about five feet eight inches high, has a scar on his left breast by a cancer, also a large scar on his foot between his heal and little toe by a mattock. It is believed he will try to get to Newberry District, as he was bought of Caleb Lindsay.

A. W. SATCHER. March 26, 1840

Notice.

A LL Persons are cautioned from trading for a Note of hand, given by me to John Singleton, or bearer, for one hundred and twenty five dollars, payable on the twenty fifth of Dec. or the first of January next. As I am determined not to pay said note except compelled by law, CALEB HOLLAWAY, sen. April 6, 1840 c 10 by law, C. April 6, 1840

Georgia Nankeen. Case of the above Goods just received . and for sale by the piece at smaller quar

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