

General Quitman.—This gallant officer recently passed through Hamburg and Charleston on his way to Washington.

Illness to General Shields.—The Legislature of South Carolina appropriated seven thousand dollars to defray the expenses of Genl. Shields, during his stay in the State. A resolution was passed also, to present him a magnificent sword.

For the Advertiser.

### THE FALL OF VERA CRUZ

The placid moon,  
In mild and gentle radiance shined,  
Her endless journey through the deep blue skies.  
The stars shone forth and glittered in their homes,  
In all the splendor of a southern clime.  
Nature was calm, and she had gently thrown,  
Her mantle of mantle o'er earth and sea,  
And mid its sable folds in sportive play  
Myriad of insects tomm'd their tiny lamps.  
Soft cooling wisps afar from ocean came,  
And with their gentle wings sweet music made  
Like the low tully o'er cradle sung.

They are at their work,  
Columbia's gallant sons are rearing up  
Their breastworks for the morrow's strife, they toil.  
They falter not, they strain each nerve, and with  
Redoubled vigor cheer each other on.  
Daylight advances, and anon the bomb  
Traces its pathway through the humid air,  
In wrath comes booming to their very midst,  
It bursts, the earth is rent, but the large ball,  
In harmless fragments doth around them lie.

The work is done,  
The air is riven as the loud hurrahs  
Reverberate o'er earth, and main, and now  
The misty haze of morn is giving way  
As the proud sun is sending forth its rays.  
Ah! see the enemy who yonder stands  
Gazing in mute astonishment at the scene,  
He muses—can their adamantine walls  
So firm, so high, can you embattled castle yield  
To thee?

Never! Mexicans arise! God and Liberty,  
Boast not of Mexico, thou knowest not,  
The foe which thou contendest with, for they,  
Those gallant men, proud, chivalrous & brave,  
Are scions from a noble stock, our own  
Loved Washington.

The strife begins,  
The roaring of artillery is heard,  
The deadly ball goes booming on its way,  
Each pulse is quickened and with fearful speed,  
A work of death goes on,  
Let what reasoning sound, what piteous wail,  
What pleading cry is that which greets the ear,  
Thy poor defenceless woman, in whose veins  
The rich Caucasian blood is coursing see!  
Her agony is with dishevelled hair,  
And wild and haggard looks she clasps her  
babes  
In anguish to her bosom.  
To the Cathedral steps she tottering flies,  
And at the altar foot falls down and pleads for  
mercy.  
There where she oft had knelt, and asked for  
heaven,  
For those dear babes, or where perchance her  
vows  
Of love were given, when orange flowers  
Gleamed in her bonnet hair, and youthful love  
Shone in her clear blue eye, and innocence  
A fitting shrine had found in her young breast.  
But not to greet the sanctuary's walls,  
Could such wars cruel shafts, the fearful bomb  
In its terrific vengeance crashing fall?  
And they are with their God, the last and grand,  
The last faint sigh had quivering flown,  
Ere they had known their doom.  
The snowy flag, that messenger of peace,  
Tells its welcomed errand, a victory:  
From lip to lip the thrilling tidings leap,  
Sweet music leads its soul inspiring strains,  
The gates swing on their ponderous hinges,  
And with a mighty rush they enter in  
And Vera Cruz is ours.

From wall and dome, and from D'Urbino's  
heights,  
The stars and stripes float proudly on the  
breeze,  
And fame hath placed another laurel leaf  
Above Columbia's brow.

Rose Cottage.

For the Advertiser.

MR. DUNBAR—Sir—Through the kindness of a gentleman at Abbeville, I have been permitted to extract for publication the following, from a letter recently received by him from his brother in Mexico, relative to the gallant and noble bearing of Sergeant William B. Blocker, during the battles in and around the city, you will therefore oblige me by inserting the same within the columns of your paper, and if you think it advisable, the remarks also which I append:  
"Lieut. Morague was very ill at the time of the fight, and has been at death's door, ever since. Lieut. Abney had not recovered sufficiently from his wound to lead the company. The command fell on your kinsman Wm. Blocker, and he led it gallantly until he was killed by a cannon ball within the garita. I assure you, you never had a relation more noble, more generous or braver, than was Sergeant Blocker. I knew him a wild youth at home, but I did not know nothing of his character then. It requires the scenes through which he passed to develop the nobleness of character by which he was signalized. He was my dear, my personal friend, and I know if I had lost one bound to me by the tender ties of relationship, I could not feel his loss more. His leg was shot off close to his body, and he died some five hours after. He turned to his comrades after he had fallen, and handed to the one nearest him his Bible (the gift of his mother), with instructions that it should be sent to his father with the message 'that he had died like a man at the head of his company.' One stevens at the idea of war when such spirits are to fall its victims."

It should be a source of consolation to the bereaved to see exhibited on the part of others, that deep and heartfelt sympathy, which alone springs from a correct appreciation of the worth of those who died gallantly, and who deserve for their untiring assiduity, in sustaining the obligation resting upon them the meed of praise.

None deserve more the tears of their country than does the lamented Blocker. Regardless of the dangers of war, he stepped forth as one among the many, who came forward to defend the untarnished dignity of our beloved district; tearing himself away from the tender embraces of a devoted mother, despite of the heart rending sobs of sisterly affection, with the benedictions of an aged sire resting upon his head, he went forward to battle in the cause of justice, and like a true soldier died a martyr to its cause. Though surrounded by the temptations consequent to war, it is said of him that he stood aloof, not forgetful of his duty to his God, let not the tears of parental tenderness flow, for he has woven for himself a wreath of fame that time cannot wither.

Palmetto Regiment returning home.—We are pleased to learn, as we do from most reliable authority, that Governor Johnson has received intelligence from the Secretary of War, that the remnant of this brave and devoted Regiment will be immediately discharged, and the State and the friends of the survivors will have the satisfaction of greeting their return home about the first of February next.—Greenville Mountaineer.

### LATER FROM MEXICO.

We are indebted to the Courier's Express for news from Mexico to the 26th ult., received by the U. S. steamer Maria Bart, arrived at New Orleans from Vera Cruz.

The following is condensed from the New Orleans Picayune:

MEXICO, Nov. 26, 1847.

Advices were received to-day from Queretaro to the 23d instant. The Puros were making a great deal of trouble, and charging the Government with making a secret armistice with Gen. Scott. The Minister of Relations stated that he had received a note from Mr. Trist, which was answered in the same manner that the Minister of Santa Anna answered the note of the American Commissioner before the late armistice. The Puros were looking to Santa Anna for aid in another revolution. They were also expecting the arrival of American troops at Queretaro, notwithstanding the pretended armistice between Rosa and Gen. Scott. The Governments were in session and in conference with the Ministers. Some excitement was occasioned by one of the Governors, whose name is not given making public the private deliberations and secrets of the Council. He is said to be a partisan of Santa Anna, whose finger is plainly to be seen in this. The Sacrament of the Holy Ghost has been administered to Gen. Herrera, from which I would infer that there is no hope of his recovery.

### THE DIFFICULTY IN THE ARMY.

The difficulty among prominent officers of our army appears to be quite as serious as was represented. We publish here the orders of General Scott, reflecting upon the officers who were said to be under arrest. They betray no little temper—perhaps we should say, ascerbity of temper:

### GENERAL ORDERS—No. 3.

War Department, Adj. Genl's Office,  
Washington, Jan. 23, 1847.

The following regulations have been received from the War Department:

### WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, Jan. 28, 1847.

The President of the United States directs that paragraph 650 of the General Regulations for the Army, established on the 1st March, 1825, and not included among those published Jan. 25, 1841, be now published, and that its observance as a part of the General Regulations, be strictly enjoined upon the army.

By order of the President,  
(Signed) W. L. MARCY,  
Secy. of War.

The following is the paragraph of the General Regulations for the Army, established on the 1st of March, 1825, referred to above:

"650. Private letters or reports, relative to military marches and operations, are frequently mischievous in design, and always disgraceful to the army. They are, therefore, strictly forbidden; and any officer found guilty of making such report for publication, without special permission, or of placing the writing beyond his control, so that it finds its way to the press, within one month after the termination of the campaign to which it relates, shall be dismissed from service."

By command of Maj. Gen. Scott,  
(Signed) W. G. FREEMAN, Asts. Adj. Genl.

### GENERAL ORDERS—No. 319.

HEAD QUARTERS OF THE ARMY,  
Mexico, Nov. 12, 1847.

The attention of certain officers of this army is re-called to the foregoing regulations, which the General-in-Chief is resolved to enforce so far as it may be in his power.

As yet but two columns from home of the brilliant operations of our arms in this basin have reached us; the first in a New-Orleans paper, and the second through a Tampico newspaper.

It requires not a little charity to believe that the principal heroes of the scandalous letters alluded to did not write them, or specially procure them to be written, and the intelligent can be at no loss in conjecturing the authors—chiefs, partisans, and pet familiars. To the honor of the service, the disease—prurency of fame, not earned—cannot have seized upon half a dozen officers (present) all of whom, it is believed, belong to the same two coteries. False credit may, no doubt, be obtained at home, by such despicable self-pullings and malignant exclusion of others; but at the expense of the just esteem and consideration of all honorable officers who love their country, their profession and the truth of history. The indignation of the great number of the latter class cannot fail to be brought down upon the conceited and envious to their proper level.

By command of Maj. Gen. Scott,  
H. L. SCOTT, A. A. G.

The letters alluded to by Gen. Scott as "the echoes from home," are evidently the "Leonidas" letter & the other a letter which appeared first in the Pittsburg Post was thence transferred to the Union, whence we copied it on 8th October, with some introductory remarks, and the whole then appeared in a Tampico paper, in which Gen. Scott saw first the letter. Upon the publication of Gen. Scott's orders, given above, Lieut. Col. Duncan came out promptly in the north American with the following frank avowal of his connection with the "Tampico letter," so called. According to the North American the "Tampico letter" was "compiled from two letters written by officers of the army in Mexico to a brother officer in Pittsburg, for his eye alone." But read what Col. Duncan has to say of it:

MEXICO, Nov. 13, 1847.

To the Editor of the N. American—Sir I herewith present a copy of the "Tampico letter," characterized as "scandalous," "despicable," "malignant," &c., in general orders No. 319, published in the American Star this morning.

To the end that the true character of this letter may be known, I send you

you republish it in our paper; and that none of my brother officers may innocently suffer for a publication so obnoxious, I hereby publicly acknowledge myself to be its author. The substance of it communicated from Tacubaya soon after the battle, in a private letter to a friend in Pittsburg.

The statements in the letter are known by very many officers of this army to be true, and I can but think that the publication of truth is much less likely to do violence to individuals or the service than the suppression or perversion of it.

Justice to Gen. Worth, (who is evidently one of the "heroes" pointed at in order No. 319,) requires me to state that he knew nothing whatever of my purpose to write the letter in question, nor that it had been written, till well on its destination; he never saw, nor did he know, directly or indirectly, even the purport of one line, word or syllable of it till he saw it in print, and he is equally ignorant of my design to make this declaration, unprompted and on my own responsibility. Very respectfully, your obedient servant,  
JAMES DUNCAN,  
Brevet Lieut. Col. U. S. A.

After the publication of this letter, Col. Duncan was placed under arrest, and subsequently Gen. Pillow was arrested and next Gen. Worth. The North American is of opinion that Gen. Pillow was not arrested on account of the "Leonidas" letter, but on the following grounds:

"There has been another arrest, that of General Pillow, one of the chiefs aforementioned, but not, as appears, on account of which he is the hero. We hear, generally, that the cause was this: Gen. Pillow, having taken exception to the finding of a court of inquiry, which finding has been approved by Gen. Sear, addressed a paper relating to the matter to the Secretary of War, through the commander-in-chief, preserving a copy which he avowed in the letter accompanying, he had sent (or would send) directly to the Secretary at Washington. This transaction is judged to be a contempt, and for the so judged contempt Gen. Pillow is arrested. Not understanding the technicalities of the case we are not advised whether part or the whole transaction is regarded as the contempt—but that is immaterial.

Gen. Worth's arrest is thus noticed in the North American of the 26th ult: "The arrest occurred yesterday—that of Brevet Maj. Gen. Worth, and the charge is, we believe, contempt towards the commander-in-chief without a full knowledge of all the facts we do not propose to lengthen this article by any remarks upon this proceeding.

A correspondent of El Monitor, writing from Queretaro, says that the greater part of the Governors of the different States were present at the seat of government, and that with one exception (the governor of San Louis) they were unanimous in favor of peace. The sessions were soon to commence, and President Anaya proposes that no line of policy on the subject should be followed, except such as the States suggest, in order to get at once at the national will.

The following named gentlemen are Candidates for the Offices to be filled at the Election to be held on the 1st Monday in January next—  
FOR CLERK—THOS. G. BACON.  
FOR SHERIFF—SIMEON CHRISTIE,  
WESLEY BODIE.  
FOR ORDINARY—JOHN HILL.  
W. L. COLEMAN.

### Notice.

It being understood, that the remains of the brave and gallant Brooks and Adams, of the Old 96 Boys, are in Vera Cruz, and that they may be expected soon amongst us. The following Committee, appointed 26th of October last, are requested to meet in the Court House, at 11 o'clock, on next Sale Day, viz:—  
F. W. PICKENS, Col. G. D. Sims, Col. R. S. Boushield, Lt. Col. M. W. Clay, Lt. Col. E. Lagrange, Lt. Col. T. W. Latham, Capt. A. J. Hammond, Capt. W. B. Brannon, Col. T. M. Watson, Col. J. C. Allen, Avery Bland, James Tompkins, and Thomas Paine, Esqrs.

F. W. PICKENS, Chairman.  
December 22 31 49

### GREENWOOD

### FEATHERS, HATS, &c.

(Under the control of the Baptist Denomination)

MR. and Mrs. R. H. NICHOLLS beg leave to inform their friends and the public, that the second Session of their School terminated on the 17th inst., and that the next session will commence on the tenth of January 1848.

They again tender to their friends, their very sincere thanks for the continued and increased patronage they have received, and they trust, from the pleasing results of the past year, that an undiminished attention on their parts, and the improvements about to be made in the several departments of Music and the Natural Sciences, will merit a continuance of this confidence in their capability and exertions.

A List of superior accomplishments will be engraved, capable of conducting any department in the School, so that no loss of time can possibly be incurred by the indisposition, or other unavoidable cause of absence, of either of the Principals.

The vacations will be so altered in the ensuing year, that there will be but a short vacation in the Summer, and one of five or six weeks in the Winter, such an arrangement being consonant with the wishes of the majority of the friends of their pupils.

Arrangements will be made to secure comfortable Board for any number of pupils, and it is particularly urged upon the attention of the public that pupils are only charged from the time of entrance to the end of that session.

It is, however, highly advantageous to a pupil to commence with the session.  
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### Roberts' Cheap Cash Store.

### NEW GOODS!

PHILADELPHIA NAILS at 6 cts pr lb.  
English and French Percussion Caps,  
Single barrelled English Guns at 88  
Double do do do 820,  
Fine brass, 21 bits, brass mounted,  
Tailor's Cravats and Measures,  
Tack Hammers for laying Carpets,  
Steel Spurs for riding,  
Hobson's Drawing Knives, &c. &c.  
With a large assortment of Hardware and Cutlery.  
Buena Vista Hats, at \$1 75 each,  
Rough and Ready Hats, at 75 cents each,  
Sealette Caps at 1 25 cents each,  
Waterproof wool Hats, very stout, at 87 1/2 cents,  
Common Wool Hats 50 cents to 75 cents, stout fabric,  
Ladies' patent leather Shoes, a new article, impervious to wet.  
Ladies' Silk Gaiters, &c. &c.  
Gentlemen's waterproof Boots, extra quality and size,  
R. S. ROBERTS,  
N. B. My Groceries have now been received having been sent by mistake to Aiken in place of Hamburg. Call and see them.  
dec 29 31 49

### Head Quarters,

24 Regiment of Cavalry, S. C. M.  
Edgefield, Dec. 16th 1847.

IN pursuance of Orders, from Brigadier General J. W. Gaiton, an Election will be held on Friday the 29th of January next, for Major to command the Edgefield Squadron of Cavalry.

The Commanding Officer of each Company in the Squadron, will call to his assistance two of his subordinate officers, and hold the election at each Company rendezvous, respectively, on the day above named, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 3 o'clock P. M.

At least one Manager from each poll, will meet at Edgefield C. House, (the Squadron rendezvous,) on the 29th, the day following, to count the votes and transmit the result in writing signed by each Manager present at the counting, to Brigadier General J. W. Gaiton, By Order of  
THOS. W. LANHAM,  
Col. 2d Regt. Cavalry.  
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Edgefield Dec. 22nd, 1847.

AN ELECTION will be held at Longmeets, on Saturday the 30th of January next, for Captain to command the Johnson's Volunteers Troop of Cavalry, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of W. B. Brannon.

Lieut. J. Yelland, and Cornet W. Hall, will act as Managers, and will open and hold a poll on the day above named, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 3 o'clock P. M., and transmit the result to me at Edgefield C. House.  
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### INTERESTING TO MECHANICS.

The cheapest and best scientific paper in the United States is the new paper entitled the  
Scientific Mechanic,  
Inventor's Advocate, Patent Office Reporter, and Expounder of Arts and Trades.

PUBLISHED by Rufus Porter, (formerly Editor and publisher of the "New York Mechanic" and the "Scientific American," at the Sun Buildings, No. 132 Fulton street, New York.

Each number of this paper contains from three to five Engravings, most of them Original and well executed, illustrative of New Inventions, Scientific Principles, Elegant Designs, and Natural Curiosities, also general notices of the progress of Mechanical and other Scientific Improvements—American and Foreign Inventions—catalogues of American Patents—original Scientific Essays, illustrating the sciences of Mechanics, Chemistry, Electro-Magnetism and Magneto-Electricity—Curious Philosophical Experiments, and valuable instruction in various Arts & Trades,—notes of the most interesting passing events, religious, intelligence, poetry, &c. This paper is especially entitled to the patronage of mechanics and manufacturers; and farmers also will derive much advantage from its instruction in various mechanical trades. As a family newspaper it will convey more useful intelligence to children and young people than five times its cost in school instruction; and on the principle of economy, it may be argued, that every copy, if well preserved, will command more than the original cost at the end of the year. Published weekly for one dollar per annum per single copy; five copies to one address for four dollars.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
EDGEFIELD DISTRICT.  
IN ORDINARY.  
Margaret Hend, Applicant. } Summons  
vs. }  
Saml. McCrary and others, Defts. } Partition.  
Appearing in my satisfaction, that James H. McCrary, Thomas McCrary, and John McCrary, distributees in the above stated case, reside beyond the limits of this State, it is therefore ordered, that they do appear in the Court of Ordinary for the District of Edgefield and State of South Carolina, on or before the third day of April next, to show cause, if any why the real estate of Ann McCrary, dec'd., should not be sold or divided, or their consent to the same will be entered of record.  
Given under my hand, at my office, this 27th December 1847.  
JOHN HILL, O. E. D.  
dec 29 31 49

### To all whom it may concern.

ALL those indebted to the old firm of Presley and Bryan, are hereby notified, that after Sale Day in February 1848, their Notes and Accounts due them will be put in the hands of proper officers for collection, we hope all may avail themselves the opportunity of saving cost.  
E. B. PRESLEY,  
B. C. BRYAN.  
dec 29 31 49

### STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

### EDGEFIELD DISTRICT.

BY JOHN HILL, Esp. Ordinary of

Edgefield District:

Whereas Henry C. Culbreth, hath applied to me for Letters of Administration, on all and singular the goods and chattels, and rights and credits of Ralph Scurry late of the District, aforesaid, deceased.

These are, therefore, to cite and admonish all and singular, the kindred and creditors of the said deceased, to be and appear before me, at our next Ordinary's Court for the said District, to be holden at Edgefield Court House, on the 10th day of January next, to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.  
Given under my hand and seal, this 23rd day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven, and in the 73d year of American Independence.  
JOHN HILL, O. E. D.  
dec 29 31 49

### Caution.

ALL Persons are cautioned against trading for a Note of hand, given to J. D. Tibbitts, or bearer, for \$100, dated sometime in the month of February, 1847, and due about the first of January, 1848. I am determined not to pay the same unless compelled by law, as the consideration for which said note was given, has entirely failed.

A. BUSHNELL,  
dec 29 31 49

### Roberts' Cheap Cash Store.

### NEW GOODS!

"Magnat veritas et predebit."  
SUGAR 11 pounds for \$1 00,  
Coffee 10 do do \$1 00,  
Candy 25 cents per pound,  
Kisses 37 1/2 do do  
Sugar Plums large size, 50 cts. a pound,  
Club, Put and Glazed Caps, all prices,  
A large assortment of Ladies and Gentlemen's Boots and Shoes,  
Clarified Sugar 8 pounds for \$1 00,  
Goshen Cheese,  
Fresh Pickles,  
Brandy Cherries,  
Preserved Oysters, Salmon, Lobsters, and Sardines,  
Spices in boxes,  
Sperm Candles,  
Cider and White Wine Vinegar,  
Crochery and Glass,  
Cheap Jewelry,  
Leghorn and fancy Bonnets, and Artificial Flowers,  
Alpacas, Mousseline de Laine, Gingham, &c. &c.  
Steel Hoops and Purse Fringes,  
Shaded Purse Twigs,  
And many other articles too numerous to mention, which I will sell as formerly, Cheap for Cash.  
R. S. ROBERTS,  
In times of trial and difficulty, Mr. Roberts has gratefully felt the kind support of nearly the entire community, and in returning thanks for his patronage, he can assure the public that his business will be conducted with the same views as heretofore, viz. the accommodation of the public at the lowest rates, consistent with a livelihood for himself.

dec 29 31 49

### Pottersville School.

THE Subscriber will resume the duties of the School, at Pottersville, on the second Monday in January next. Every attention shall be given to the improvement of children placed under his care. Excellent Boarding can be had on very reasonable terms, in Pottersville. Tuition per quarter, payable quarterly as follows—  
Spelling, Reading, Writing, and the elementary rules of Arithmetic, \$1 00  
With the above, Arithmetic continued, Geography, English Grammar, History, 5 00  
The above, with Algebra, Geometry, Astronomy, Chemistry, Philosophy, Natural and Moral, with whatever is embraced in a thorough English Education, 6 00  
Instruction will be given to a few young gentlemen in Latin and Greek.

P. S.—Mrs. M. A. Turner, residing at Mr. Bailey Corley's, will give instruction on the Piano Forte, to any young ladies who may desire it. She has an excellent instrument.  
dec 29 31 49

### FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber offers for sale his PLANTATION, lying near the Savannah river, containing 1000 acres, 200 of which is river bottom, and the balance prime upland, well adapted to the culture of Corn or Cotton.

The plantation is in the repair; on the premises a commodious Building, and every necessary out building, including Gin House, Cotton Screw, &c. It is also well watered, having fine springs and several running streams of water, making it very desirable for the raising of Stock, &c.

Also, the RESIDENCE of the Subscriber, to which is attached 250 acres of land. The Residence is elevated, healthy and commodious. The Dwelling House is large and commodious—about six miles from Hamburg and Augusta, and commanding a fine view of both places. It has also attached a fine Orchard, Vineyard, and Vegetable Garden. Water convenient and fine.

The above possessions will be sold either separately or together.  
For terms, &c., address the subscriber at either Hamburg or Augusta.  
MILLEDGE GALPHIN,  
dec 15 31 47

### Administrator's Sale.

BY an order from John Hill, Esp. Ord. of Edgefield District, will be sold on TUESDAY the 14th of January next, at the late residence of Lewis Holmes, dec'd., all the personal estate of said deceased, consisting of—  
Men, Women, and Children, between two and three thousand bushels of Corn, Peas, 150 head of Hogs, 17 or 18 Horses, Cattle, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Plantation Tools, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms.—All sums of five dollars and under cash, all sums over that amount, on a credit until the 25th December, 1848. Notes with two approved securities will be required.  
GABRIEL DOLMES, Adm'r.  
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### Executors Sale.

IN accordance with the act will and testament of Ansel Tallent, dec'd., we shall proceed to sell at the late residence of the said deceased, on THURSDAY the 23rd instant, all the estate of the said deceased, both real and personal, (and otherwise disposed of) consisting of a tract of land, containing about fifteen hundred acres, with about four or five hundred acres in a high state of cultivation. The said land is as well adapted to the cultivation of cotton and grain of every description, as any tract of land in Edgefield district. The plantation is in most excellent repair. There is on the premises, a commodious Dwelling House, with four brick chimneys, and good negro houses, convenient horse stables, with running water through them, with good stables, several fine log barns, a separate granary for ploughing and cleaning grain, a good gin house and iron packing screw, carriage house, and a Stone shop, with a brick chimney, and in fact, every other necessary building, all of which are in good repair. There is also three fine springs of lasting water quite convenient to the dwelling, and a fine orchard of choice fruit trees. Any person wishing to purchase had better view the premises and satisfy themselves previous to the day of sale. Amos Hill.

### 70 Likely Negroes.

Men, Women, and Children, between two and three thousand bushels of Corn, Peas, 150 head of Hogs, 17 or 18 Horses, Cattle, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Plantation Tools, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms.—All sums of five dollars and under cash, all sums over that amount, on a credit until the 25th December, 1848. Notes with two approved securities will be required.  
GABRIEL DOLMES, Adm'r.  
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