

AGRICULTURAL.

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

There are some things that farmers ought to know.

It is an error to plant seeds from a State further South.

Often breaking up a surface keeps a soil in health.

Weeds exhaust the strength of ground, and if suffered to grow may be called garden-kill.

The hand and the hoe are the instruments for educating weeds, yet if there is room between the rows for the spade, it will do you no good.

Never keep your cattle short; few farmers can afford it.

It will not do to have a great field for a little crop, as to mow twenty acres for five loads of hay.

Drive your business before you and it will go easily.

In dry pastures dig for water on the brow of a hill; springs are frequently near the surface on a height than in a vale.

Rain is cash to a farmer. The foot of the owner is the best manure for land.

Cut bushes that you wish to destroy in the summer, and with a sharp instrument, they will bleed freely and die.

Never plow in bad weather, or when the ground is very wet. It is better to cut grain just before it is fully or dead ripe.

When an implement is no longer wanted for the season, lay it carefully aside, but first let it be well cleaned.

Obtain good seed; prepare your ground well, sow early, and pay very little attention to the moon.

Cultivate your own heart aright; remember that "whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap."

Do not begin farming by building an extensive house, nor a spacious barn till you have something to store in it.

Avoid a low and damp site for a dwelling house. Build sufficiently distant from your barn and stock-yard to avoid accidents by fire.

Keep notes of all remarkable events on your farm. Recording even your errors will benefit.

Good fences make good neighbors. Experiments are highly commendable, but do not become a habitual experimenter.

The depredations of birds are fully compensated by the services they render in preying upon insects.

Sheep put into fresh stables are apt to be killed by eating too much grain.

A bare pasture enriches not the soil, nor fattens the animals, nor increases the wealth of the owner.

One animal well fed is of more value than two poorly kept.

The better animals can be fed, and the more comfortable they can be kept, the more profitable they are, and all farmers work for profit.

Ground well plowed once is better than thrice poorly.

Bountiful crops are more profitable than poor ones. Make the soil rich, pulverize it well and keep it clean, and it will be productive.

Weeds that grow unmolested around the fences, and stumps and stones, scatter their seed over the farm and they are likely to grow.

Cow well fed in winter give more milk in summer.

An ox that is in good condition in the spring will perform more labor, and stand the heat of summer much better than one that is poor.

When you see the fence down put it up; if it remains until to-morrow the cattle may get over.

What ought to be done to-day, do it, for to-morrow it may rain.

A strong horse will work all day without food, but keep him at it and he will not last long.

A rich soil will produce good crops without manure, but keep it at it and it will tire.

Farmers' sons had better learn to hold the plow and feed the pigs, than measure tape and count buttons.

Young ladies who have the good fortune to become farmers' wives will find it more profitable to know how to make johnny-cake, butter and cheese, than to play the piano.

All who wish to be rich, must spend less than they earn.

BURNT CLAY FOR MANURE.—Experiments are being made in several gardens by using burnt-clay as a manure on heavy and stiff soils.

State of South Carolina.



EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

COLUMBIA, Dec. 8, 1848.

By his Excellency DAVID JOHNSON, Governor and Commander-in-Chief, in and over the State of South Carolina:

Whereas, in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of this State, the votes for Members of the thirty-first Congress have been counted by Commissioners appointed for that purpose, and it appears that the Hon. Daniel Wallace has been elected for the first Congressional District, composed of the Districts of Spartanburg, Union, York, and Chester.

The Hon. Joseph A. Woodward has been elected for the second Congressional District, composed of the Districts of Pickens, Anderson, Greenville, and Laurens.

The Hon. A. Burt has been elected for the third Congressional District, composed of the Districts of Lancaster, Kershaw, Fairfield, Richland and Sumter.

The Hon. A. D. Sims has been elected for the fourth Congressional District, composed of the Districts of Chesterfield, Marlborough, Darlington, Marion, Horry, Georgetown and Williamsburg.

The Hon. A. Burt, for the fifth Congressional District, composed of the Districts of Abbeville, Newberry, Edgefield, and Lexington.

The Hon. Isaac E. Holmes for the sixth Congressional District of Charleston.

The Hon. W. F. Colcock for the seventh Congressional District, composed of the Districts of Orangeburg, Barnwell, Beaufort, Colleton, and the Parish of St. John's Calleton.

Now, therefore, I, David Johnson, Governor and Commander-in-Chief, in and over the State aforesaid, do issue this Proclamation, notifying and declaring according to the provisions of the said Act, that Daniel Wallace, James L. Orr, Joseph A. Woodward, A. D. Sims, A. Burt, Isaac E. Holmes, and W. F. Colcock, had a majority of the votes in their respective Congressional Districts, and are, therefore, duly elected Representatives in the Congress of the United States.

Given under my hand and the seal of the State, at Columbia, this eighth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, and in the seventy-third year of the Independence of the United States of America.

DAVID JOHNSON, Secretary of State.

B. K. HERAGAN, Secretary of State.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT. IN COMMON PLEAS.

Isaac Hawes vs. Robt. Shannon.

THE defendant, Robert Shannon, who is in the custody of the Sheriff of Edgefield District, by virtue of a writ of habeas corpus issued in this case, having filed a schedule of his whole estate, and a petition for the benefit of the Insolvent Debtors Act, on motion of Carroll, the defendant's Attorney, it is therefore ordered, that the said Isaac Hawes, as well as all others the creditors of the said defendant, do appear at Edgefield Court House before the Court of Common Pleas for the said district on the first Monday in March next to show cause, if any they can, why the said defendant should not be admitted to the benefit of the said Act.

THOS. G. BACON, C. J. P. D.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT. IN THE COMMON PLEAS.

Jeffers & Cothran vs. Henry Timmons.

THE Plaintiff in the above case, having on the 1st day of May last, filed his declaration, on motion of Mr. Faneau, attorney for Plaintiff, Ordered, that the said Defendant appear and plead to the said declaration, within a year and a day from the date hereof, or judgment will be awarded against him by default.

THOS. G. BACON, Clerk.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT. IN THE COMMON PLEAS.

David Sinalaker, for J. H. Hughes, vs. Wm. L. Cochran.

THE plaintiff in the above case having this day filed his declaration in my office, and the defendant having neither wife nor attorney, known to reside within the limits of this State, on whom a copy of said declaration, with a rule to plead, can be served. On motion of Mr. Wardlaw, Plaintiff's Attorney it is ordered, that the said defendant appear and plead to the said declaration, within a year and a day, from the date hereof, or judgment will be awarded against him by default.

THOS. G. BACON, Clerk.

State of South Carolina. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT. IN THE COMMON PLEAS.

Kemnick & Thayer vs. Wm. Gronet.

THE Plaintiff in this case, having this day filed his Declaration in my office, and the Defendant having neither wife nor attorney, known to reside within the limits of this State upon whom a copy of the said Declaration with a rule to plead, could be served. On motion of T. G. Key, Attorney for Plaintiff, it is ordered that the said Defendant appear and plead to said Declaration within a year and a day from the date hereof, or in default thereof, judgment will be entered against him.

THOS. G. BACON, C. J. P. D.

Brought to the Jail

OF this District, a negro man who says his name is HARRY, and that he belongs to Mr. Samuel Young of Laurens District, S. C. Said fellow is about five feet, 5 or 6 inches high, about 40 years of age, of dark complexion. He has a scar over his right eye and one near his left eye, his forefinger on his right hand has been broken, his forehead is very flat; he says he ran away sometime in May or June last. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away or he will be dealt with according to law.

A. H. BURT, J. E. D.

Notice. THIS is to forewarn all persons from cutting, or hauling off of my land, or letting fire out, or taking any liberty whatever, without my consent, as the law will be put in force against them.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT. IN THE COURT OF ORDINARY.

BY JOHN HILL, Esq., Ordinary of Edgefield District.

Whereas John A. Eigleberger hath applied to me for Letters of Administration on all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Jacob Long, 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 15th day of January, next, to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand and seal, this 29th day of Dec., in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, and in seventy-third year of American Independence.

JOHN HILL, O. E. D.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT. IN ORDINARY.

BY JOHN HILL, Esq., Ordinary of Edgefield District.

Whereas John A. Eigleberger hath applied to me for Letters of Administration de bonis non, on all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of George Bowers, dec'd., 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 15th day of January next, to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand and seal, this 29th day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, and in the 73rd year of American Independence.

JOHN HILL, O. E. D.

State of South Carolina. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT. IN THE COURT OF ORDINARY.

Thomas L. Garrett Applicant, vs. Harriet Garrett and others, Defendants.

IT appearing to my satisfaction, that Harriet Garrett the widow of Wm. Garrett deceased, David Hart and Mary Ann, his wife, John F. Hart and Jane E. his wife, George W. Garrett, Oliver S. Garrett, James W. Garrett, William H. H. Garrett, Nancy Garrett, and John H. Garrett Distributors of the Estate of William Garrett deceased, it is therefore ordered that they do appear and object to the sale or division of the Real Estate of said deceased, on or before the first Monday in March next, or their consent will be entered of Record.

Given under my hand at my Office, the 29th day of December, 1848.

JOHN HILL, O. E. D.

State of South Carolina. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT. IN THE COURT OF ORDINARY.

Thos. McCarty and wife and others, Applicants, vs. Thms. Stewart and others, Defendants.

IT appearing to my satisfaction, that Alexander Thompson, Thos. Thompson, Nelly Thompson, Polly Thompson, Thos. Thompson and Thomas Stewart, residing beyond the limits of this State, it is therefore ordered that they do appear and object to the sale or Division of the Real Estate of Alexander Stewart deceased, on or before the first Monday in February next, (1849) or their consent will be entered of Record.

JOHN HILL, O. E. D.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT. IN THE COMMON PLEAS.

Jesse Jennings and others, Applicants, vs. John Coleman and others, Defendants.

IT appearing to my satisfaction, that John Coleman, Anna Deshaizer wife of John Deshaizer deceased; John Chapman, Mary Chapman, Harriet and wife Caroline, Parin and Ellen his wife, Benjamin Parin, Tire Jennings, Levi McDaniel, and wife Elizabeth, — Kay and his wife Susan, live beyond the limits of this State. It is therefore ordered that they do appear and object to the sale or Division of the Real Estate of Philip Jennings deceased, on or before the first Monday in February next, (1849) or their consent will be entered of Record.

JOHN HILL, O. E. D.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT. IN THE COURT OF ORDINARY.

Jos. Parkman & Peggy his wife, vs. Blake Faulkner and wife Elizabeth, Defendants.

IT appearing to my satisfaction, that Blake Faulkner and wife Elizabeth, reside beyond the limits of this State. It is therefore ordered that they do appear and object to the sale or Division of the Real Estate of Elizabeth Faulkner deceased, on or before the first Monday in February next, (1849,) or their consent will be entered of Record.

JOHN HILL, O. E. D.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT. IN THE COURT OF ORDINARY.

Bridget Cahill Applicant, vs. Richard Cahill and others, Defendants.

IT appearing to my satisfaction, that Richard Cahill and Thomas Cahill, Dist. reside in the above stated case, reside within the limits of this State, it is therefore ordered that they appear and object to the sale or Division of the Real Estate of William Cahill deceased, on or before the first Monday in April next, or their consent will be entered of Record.

Given under my hand at my Office, the day and date above written.

JOHN HILL, O. E. D.

State of South Carolina. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT. IN ORDINARY.

90,000 HARD BURNT BRICK.

NOTICE. Goods always shown with pleasure. No charge for looking.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT. IN THE COURT OF ORDINARY.

William Little, Applicant, vs. Jesse Little & others, Defendants.

IT appearing to my satisfaction, that James Little Allen Little and John Little, reside beyond the limits of this State. It is therefore ordered that they do appear and object to the sale or Division of the Real Estate of William Little, Sr., deceased, on or before the first Monday in February next, (1849,) or their consent to the same, will be entered of Record.

JOHN HILL, O. E. D.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT. IN EQUITY.

Susan Pope vs. Mary Jane Pope.

NOTICE is hereby given that, by virtue of an Order from the Court of Equity in this case, I shall proceed to sell on the premises on the 29th January next.

The Mill tract of land, belonging to the estate of James S. Pope, dec'd., containing three hundred and ninety acres, lying in Abbeville District, on Wilson's Creek, and adjoining lands of Daniel Rauld, Dr. John Holland and others.

Said lands will be sold on a credit of one and two years, in equal instalments, except for so much as will pay the cost of this suit to be paid in cash. Purchasers to give bond and good personal security to secure the purchase money.

S. S. TOMPKINS, C. E. E. D. Commr's Office, Dec. 20, 1848.

The Abbeville Banner, Laurensville Herald, Greenville Mountaineer, will copy until day of sale, and forward accounts to this office.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT. IN EQUITY.

Bill for Partition of the Estate of James Morris, deceased.

Lewis Robertson and others, vs. William Morris and others.

IT appearing to my satisfaction, that Wm. Morris, James Morris, Rebecca Morris, Marshall Palmer and his wife Elizabeth, John Palmer and his wife Barbara, Levi Fulmer, William Fulmore, Joseph T. Fulmore and Joseph Morris, some of the defendants in this case are without the limits of this State: Ordered that the defendants above named do appear in this honorable Court, and plead answer or demur to the said bill within three months from the publication of this order, or the said bill will be taken pro confesso against them.

S. S. TOMPKINS, C. E. E. D. Commr's Office Dec 6, 1848.

SHERIFF'S SALE. STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. EDGEFIELD DISTRICT.

McCarter & Allen, vs. R. S. Roberts.

Walker & Bradford, vs. R. S. Roberts.

The same, vs. R. S. Roberts.

David Jayne, vs. R. S. Roberts.

R. S. Roberts, vs. L. Dwelle & Co.

R. S. Roberts, vs. R. S. Roberts.

BY an Order from D. L. Wardlaw, one of the associate Judges of the said State Court, will proceed to sell at Edgefield Court House, on Monday the 15th of January next, in the above stated cases, all the Dry Goods, Groceries and Stock in trade, of R. S. Roberts, the sale to continue from day to day, until the entire stock be sold out.

S. CHRISTIE, S. E. D.

NOTICE. ALL persons having claims against the Estate of C. A. Meigs, deceased, are hereby notified that unless they render them in to Samuel Brooks assignee, on or before the first day of February next, they will forfeit all or any part of said claim, that the Estate may be able to pay all persons indebted to the Estate by book account, are requested to settle the same on or before the above date, as all accounts unpaid at that date, will be put into the hands of an Officer for collection, and notice is hereby given to all persons that have given their notes for goods bought at the sale, that no indulgence will be given after return day in February next.

SAMUEL BROOKS, Assignee.

NOTICE. MR. ROFF, who holds conditionally an interest in the right of Edgefield District, to Hatchkins' Reaction Mill Wheels, (Patent) has never complied with said condition, therefore he holds no interest, and has no right to sell or make any contract for said Wheels. We, the undersigned are the owners, of said right, and a right purchased from any other, unless our agent, will not be good.

Mr. J. T. WEBBER, we authorize, with full power to act as our agent.

COTHRAN & MOORE.

Wm. Ketchum & Co. TAKE pleasure in returning their grateful acknowledgments for the very liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon them, and hope by liberality and fair dealing to merit a continuance.

We now invite the attention of our numerous friends and customers, and the public generally, to our new stock of FINE, FASHIONABLE AND CHEAP FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS.

Selected by one of the Firm during the last month from the New York and Philadelphia Markets.

Our assortment will comprise every article usually called for in this Market, and we pledge ourselves not to be undersold by any in Hamburg or Augusta.

Goods always shown with pleasure. No charge for looking.

N. B. Store in the American Hotel Building, Hamburg S. C.

GREAT BARGAINS.

DUNBAR & BURNSIDE has just received by Rail Road, and River, the following list of GOODS, to which they respectfully invite attention.

Planners visiting our market would do well to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

47 Hhds. St. Croix, Porto Rico and N. O. Sugars.

25 Bbls. No 1 Clarified Sugars.

70 Superior Coffee Sugars.

3 boxes Fine Cheese.

125 kegs of Nails and Brads.

30,000 lbs. Sweden Iron—all sizes, Hand Iron, German and Cast Steel, Wagon Boxes.

100 boxes Window Glass—all sizes, 500 pounds Putty in Bladders, 4,500 pounds White Lead, Vernon Mills, 100 barrels Lined Oil.

Diapers Boots, Brogans and Ladies Shoes, 500 Heavy Duffel Blankets, 200 pair Fine Bed Blankets, Keseys, Osnaburghs, Shirtings and Sheetings, 2 cases Prints—all patterns.

Painted Buckets and Tubs, Brassbound Buckets and Wire Sieves, 3000 pounds Lead, and 300 pounds oak tan Sole Leather, Upper Leather and Calfskin.

200 Coils Rope—1000 pounds Twine, 125 bags Shot, 50 kegs best Powder, Lead, Blinestone, Indigo, Copperas, Camels, Sperm and Tallow, Cheiving Tobacco.

Sugar Cans, Measures, Pepper, Spice, Ginger, Cane Seat Chairs, Wood and Cane Seat Rocking Chairs, and many other articles too tedious to enumerate.

We will be making almost daily accessions to our stock, and would be pleased to attend to all orders from our friends, and feel assured of giving satisfaction.

DUNBAR & BURNSIDE.

Hamburg S. C. Oct 25

AMERICAN HOTEL. (Formerly Hubbard's.) HAMBURG S. C.

GRATEFUL for past favors, the subscriber hereby gives notice that his House is now in complete order, and would respectfully invite all persons visiting Hamburg and the traveling public to give him a call, confidently believing, that he can give entire satisfaction to all those who desire a quiet orderly House, comfortable Rooms and Beds with as good a table as the Market can furnish.

Stables, Lots and Canning House in first rate order and well supplied. A sober and attentive Hostler always in attendance. Particular attention given to Horses left by persons visiting Charleston or other places.

Carriages always in readiness to convey passengers to and from the Rail Road when desired.

Horses and Vehicles to Let.

Wm. KETCHUM.

HASTING'S COMPOUND SYRUP OF NAPHTHA.

NOT only a positive, but a warranted cure for consumption and all diseases of the lungs. This medicine has decided the dispute about the curability of consumption, and satisfied the medical faculty and all who have used it, that consumption and all affections of the lungs can not only be cured, but they are as easily and simply cured, as almost any of the disorders to which the human frame is liable.

The operation of a single bottle, which costs \$1 is sufficient to satisfy any patient of its efficacy; and even a single dose gives evidence of its extraordinary influence in arresting and eradicating the guality by the immediate relief, which it affords. This is no quack or secret remedy. Dr. Hastings, its discoverer, is one of the most eminent physicians of the age, and has made a full disclosure of its history, and all its component parts to the world, not wishing to incur the responsibility of confining to himself, for the sake of profit, a secret which was calculated to do such universal good. And such has been the wonderful result of its operations, that the London Lancet, Medical Times, and the most eminent physicians of both hemispheres, are anxiously calling upon sufferers to have immediate recourse to it, and proclaiming that of all known medicine, it alone has positively established its efficacy by undeniable proofs of curing consumption and all other diseases of the lungs.

For sale at the Apothecary Hall by J. D. CHASE.

Price \$1 per bottle.

NEW GOODS.

THE Subscriber has just received his FALL and WINTER STOCK of GOODS consisting in part of a splendid lot of Westward Goods for Ladies Dresses of all kinds, a fine lot of Gingham, English & American Prints, Col'd & Black Alpaca's, Bombazine.

ALSO—A LARGE AND SPENDID STOCK OF Negro Shoes, Blanket & Kersays, Groceries, Hardware, Crockery, Hats & Caps.

To which he invites his friends, and the public to call and examine, before purchasing elsewhere, as he feels confident that he can give satisfaction to all who may favor him with a call.

B. C. BRYAN.

For Sale or Rent. THE Dwelling House & Lot, formerly occupied by W. G. Russell, one and a quarter miles of Edgefield Court House, on the Columbia Road.

The House contains three upright rooms, and other convenient out buildings. For particulars enquire at this Office.

New Boot and Shoe MANUFACTORY. WHERE Gentlemen's Boots and Shoes are made in a most superior style of fit and workmanship.

Gentlemen wanting cork soled, double soled, water proof, walking, dress, patent leather, and a fine pump soled BOOTS, need but leave their orders with the subscriber.

WILLIAM McEVROY.

List of Letters.

Remaining in the Post Office at Edgefield Court House 31st December, 1848.

Alexander, Edward, Jones, Miss M. A. Adair, Isaac, Kenney, Robert Anderson, W. H. Kilerene, Joseph Allen, O. W. Little, John Broadwater, Star H. Landrum, Wm M. Brant, Bradley, Low, Miss M. Bailey, Sam'l. J. McBuffie, Geo. Branch, Isaac, Merriweather, S. G. Burt, Mrs Emily Morris, A. Brax, Miss Betsy Miller, S. D. Clayton, John B. Mitchell, Lloyd Christian, E. M. Norris, A. P. Colbran, J. W. Watkins, Geo. Campbell, W. A. Oelrich, F. W. Clary, M. W. Price, Lieut A. M. Campbell, John A. Ferrin, Lieut A. M. DeLoach, Thos. Prewell, Edward Deacon of Hon's Parker, C. G. S. Parker, Wm C. Pope, Thos H. Plymale, John Edmonson, L. E. Flower, Moris Fenn, M. L. S. Fenn, Wm D. Rutherford, H. W. Griffin, David F. Reynolds, A. H. Goodin, Thos. Russell, Wm. Gommilion, Levett Smith, B. J. D. or G. E. or B. J. Still, Miss Ann. Stange, Miss E. Hayne, Paul H. Tompkins, J. S. Hayden, Wm H. Tompkins, F. W. Harris, Jas C. Toles, C. Harris, David Tott, Miss Mary Henderon, Miss E. West, John Hauser & Corley Wagon, A. S. Jones, A. S. Jones, C. L. Jones, Geo W. Jackson, Miss Kady Walker, Miss A. F. Jones, Miss Nancy Walker, Ellen Persons calling for the above named Letters, will please say advertised.

M. FRAZIER, P. M.

Edge