

THE ADVERTISER.

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Friends and News from Further Westward.

People always like to hear about crops... say that the crops are better than...

And from America, the metropolis of South West Georgia, comes our old friend, ALLEN ADDISON, Esq., who also represents the crops, both cotton and corn...

Closing Scenes of Miss Butler's School.

The exercises of Miss Butler's popular and first-class school closed on Friday evening last, for this summer...

The Plays were first, "Mrs. Willis' Will," a perfect one-act comedy, at once bright, sparkling and innocent.

Edgfield Negroes Quiet and Un-demonstrative.

This, Tuesday, is the 4th of July, and while the colored people in a great many places are having tremendous glorification...

Where They Came From.

Seeing a gentleman and lady the other day, accompanied by their little boy and little girl, all of them very beautifully and stylishly dressed...

The Colored Schools.

In our town are two colored schools, the one taught by Robert Bryan, at the school-house in rear of Mr. Bryan's residence...

Concerning the young scholars, we can boast upon their aptitude and industry...

A Friend (an Edgfield man) writing to us on business from Camden, Wilcox County, Ala., closes with a few words in reference to the crops in that section...

We have had tremendous rains this season, ever since the planting season...

After the Edgfield Radical Ring. A correspondent from Columbia informs the Charleston News that the accounts of the Treasurer and Auditor of Edgfield county are in a precarious condition...

The Best Cotton Crop in the Cotton State.

Our distinguished fellow-citizen Gen. M. W. GARY has just returned from a trip to Galveston, Texas, and up the Mississippi River, in the interest of his grand Land and Immigration Scheme...

Music can no longer be considered a luxury, and those who spend fabulous sums in purchasing sheet music are simply throwing their money away.

Ys HAMBURG MELISS. From the best authority, (says the Chronicle of Saxony) we learn that important reforms with regard to the colored militia of Hamburg has taken place.

The Augustus Constitutionalist, of Saturday, says: Yesterday morning Mr. Benj. Johnson of the police force, stationed in the new district, attempted to arrest John Heffernan, the proprietor of a small grocery on the corner of South Boundary and the Savannah Road...

A SINGULAR INCIDENT. A few days since Mr. Gideon Hines, with his wife and little boy went out to gather some blue grass seed, and while engaged in gathering the seed, a swarm of bees alighted upon the boy, literally covering him from head to foot.

2404 Gifts, amounting to \$500,000.

Special Notices. A Chapter of Facts. Space is invaluable in a newspaper, and it therefore is proposed in this advertisement to condense a variety of facts, important to the public, into a small compass.

Grand Prize Distribution. \$500,000 TO BE GIVEN AWAY!

THE SOUTH CAROLINA LAND AND IMMIGRATION ASSOCIATION.

The undersigned have entered into an Association for the purpose of introducing immigrants into South Carolina and procuring homes for the same.

References in South Carolina: General WADE HAMPTON, Hon. P. P. PHIBBS, Hon. M. L. BONHAM, Hon. JOHN H. HAGOOD, Hon. ARMISTEAD BURT, Hon. JAMES CHESTNUT.

References in New York City: AUGUST BELMONT & CO., Bankers, MORTON, BLISS & CO., Bankers, Hon. CHARLES O'CONNOR, Counselor at Law, Hon. JOHN E. WARD, Counselor at Law, Hon. ROGER A. PRYOR, Counselor at Law, COLLEGE RICHARD LATHERS, Hon. A. HOYT, Esq., President Gold Room, HUNT, THOMPSON & CO., Factors, ANDERSON, STARR & CO., Merchants, J. ZOBORAN & FAIRCHILD, Merchants, PETTIS & CO., Merchants.

\$500,000 to be Awarded to the Ticket-Holders of the Series of Concerts to Commence on the First of October, 1871, at the Academy of Music, Charleston, S. C., on which day the Drawing Commences.

150,000 SEASON TICKETS OF ADMISSION, AND NO MORE, AT FIVE DOLLARS EACH.

ALL THE PREMIUMS, INCLUDING DEED AND CERTIFICATE OF TITLE TO ACADEMY OF MUSIC, will be deposited with the National Bank of the Republic, New York.

\$500,000 in Gifts. 1st Gift - ACADEMY OF MUSIC, Charleston, S. C., cost to build \$280,000, having an annual rental of about \$20,000, from Opera House, Stores and Halls; the building being about 230 feet by 60 feet, and situated corner of King and Market streets, in the centre of the city, and well known to be the finest building and most valuable property in Charleston, valued at \$250,000.

W. A. SANDERS, No. 3, Park Row, EDGEFIELD, S. C., Dealer in PURE DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISH, PUTTY, GLASS, DYE STUFFS, BITTERS, PATENT MEDICINE, PERFUMERY, FANCY ARTICLES, TOILET AND FANCY SOAPS, CONGRESS AND VERMONT WATER, ALL OF THE LATEST AND POPULAR REMEDIES OF THE DAY, SEAGARS AND TOBACCO, IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC WINES, LIQUORS OF ALL KINDS, &c.

Persons visiting Edgfield to purchase Medicines, Groceries, &c., will do well to call at SANDERS DRUG STORE, and learn his prices, which in the end will be a saving to all purchasers.

THE UNIVERSAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, 69 Liberty Street, New York.

The Original Stock Life Insurance Co. of the United States. OFFICERS: WILLIAM WALKER, President, HENRY J. FURBER, Vice-President, JOHN W. BEWLEY, Secretary, GEORGE L. MONTAGUE, Actuary, E. W. LAMBERT, M. D., Med. Ex.

When Life Insurance Companies were first organized, the reliability of the data upon which the premiums were calculated had undergone the test of experience. It was thought, therefore, to require that common prudence to adopt a scale of rates which would, in any event, meet all the presumed and unforeseen contingencies of the business.

As long as the matter was involved in some doubt, it was better to fix the rate too high than to incur the risk of making it too low, because, in the former case, the error could be easily remedied, at least in part, by returning to the policyholders, at certain intervals, such portion of the premium charged as was found unnecessary for the purposes of the business and the complete security of the Company.

Experience, however, having satisfactorily demonstrated that these rates are excessive, what possible excuse can there be for maintaining them?

Profits from these sources in a Company possessing a capital of \$200,000, and doing a fair amount of business, would go to the stockholders distributed largely in the form of dividends. They have, therefore, determined to divide among the policyholders of a Company a large part of the profits accruing from the sources named, all of which have heretofore been divided among the stockholders.

GOOD RELIABLE AGENTS WANTED. Persons of Assets to Establishes 136 to 100. GEO. B. LAKE, General Agent.

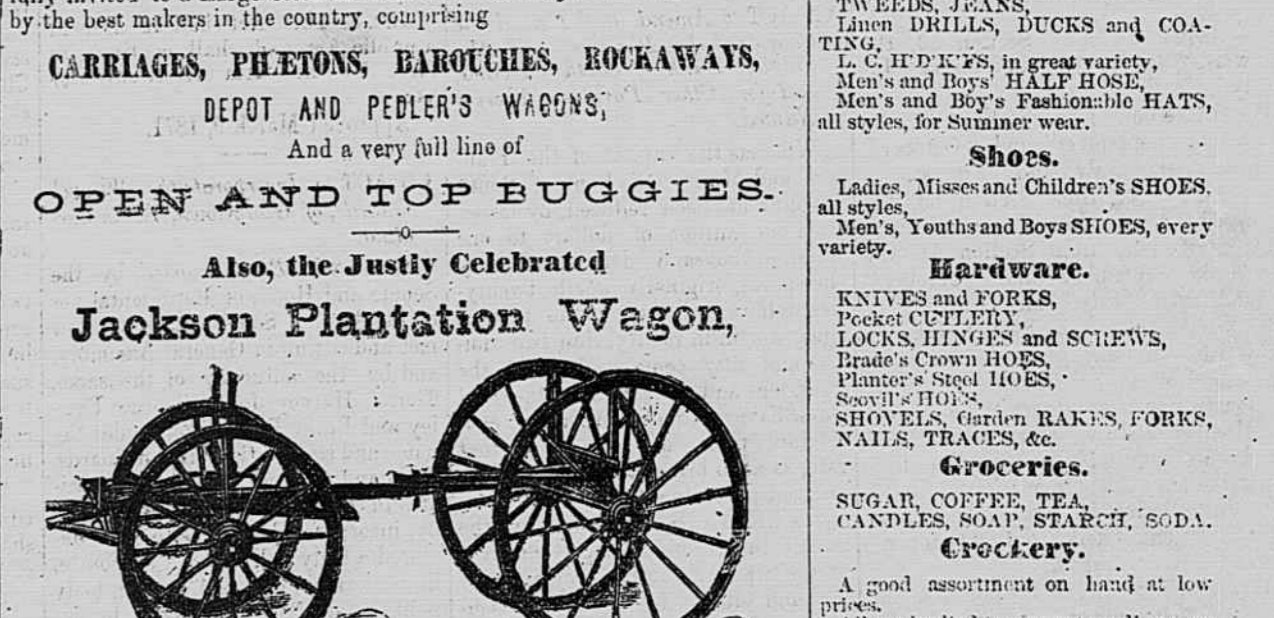
MARKERT & CLISBY, DEALERS IN Drugs, Chemicals, Paints, OILS, GLASS, Fancy Articles, Toilet Soaps, SEAGARS, TOBACCO, WINES, LIQUORS, &c.

RESPECTFULLY inform their Stock of PURE MEDICINES, &c., is now complete. And having special attention to their low prices, will from this date furnish Goods at AUGUSTA PRICES.

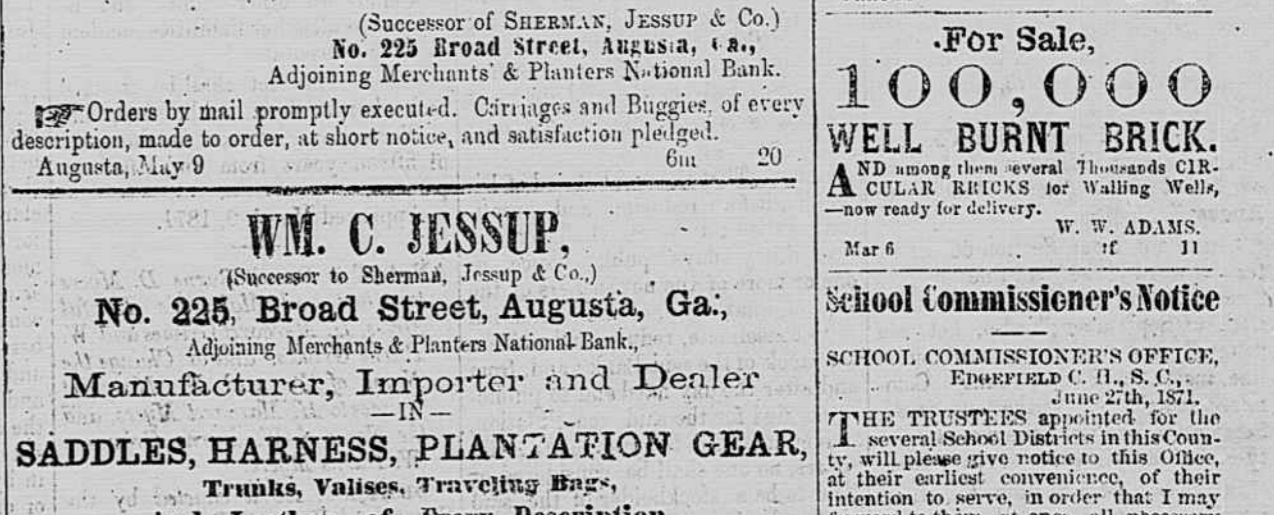
Splendid Goods AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES. I WILL sell from my stock of READY MADE CLOTHING, BLUE DENIM PANTS at 75 cts., Brown Linen PANTS at \$1.00, Beautiful Light Cassimeres SUITS, at from \$8 to \$12, Gent's Beautiful FANCY CASSIMERES, COTTONADES, TWEEDS and LINENS.

J. H. CHEATHAM, At Sullivan's Old Stand, New Spring & Summer GOODS!

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES AT JESSUP'S CARRIAGE REPOSITORY, No. 225, Broad Street, Augusta, Ga., Adjoining Merchants' and Planters National Bank.



THE ATTENTION of the Citizens of Edgfield and vicinity is respectfully invited to a Large Stock of Vehicles manufactured by my own order by the best makers in the country, comprising CARRIAGES, PHETONS, BAROUCHES, ROCKAWAYS, DEPOT AND PEDLER'S WAGONS, And a very full line of OPEN AND TOP BUGGIES.



Also, the Justly Celebrated Jackson Plantation Wagon.

WM. C. JESSUP, (Successor to SHERMAN, JESSUP & Co.) No. 225 Broad Street, Augusta, Ga., Adjoining Merchants' and Planters National Bank.

Commissioners and Supervisors of Drawing

Family Groceries! NOW IN STORE, a select assortment of CHOICE GROCERIES, such as RICE, CORN AND LARD, FLOUR, RICE, MEAL, SUGARS and COFFEES, Green and Black Tea, No. 1 TENNESSEE HAMS, Superior CANNED FRUITS, Florida SYRUP, Raisins, A fine grade of MOLASSES, Fine Fat STARCH, Table SALT, SOAP, CANDLES, STARCH, &c., &c. My prices will compare favorably with any other House in town. Give me a call. I will endeavor to please all.

Notice. THE undersigned, COTTON FACTORS and GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, of Augusta, Georgia, take pleasure in announcing to the public generally, and particularly to the citizens of Edgfield and adjoining Counties of South Carolina, that they have associated with their firm, Capt. LEWIS JONES, of Edgfield County, S. C., who is fully authorized to receive and extend orders, or transact any matters of business connected with our House. We earnestly solicit a liberal share of patronage, and guarantee full satisfaction to all our customers.