

Trip to Florida.

Having recently been absent from home on business, in the State of Florida, I have thought it might be of interest to some of your readers to know what is doing in other portions of the South, as well as what is transpiring at home.

Before going on board the Dictator, I spent a day in the good old city of Charleston. She sits like the Queen city of the South, magnificent in the midst of the disastrous effects of the terrific struggle of arms which has recently terminated.

I heard that a company from beyond the limits of the State offered to furnish the city with water, from the Artesian wells, or other sources, if the city authorities would give the company the right to furnish the city with water with the privilege of charging those who would have the water, and at the end of twenty years, return the work, with the pipes required to convey the water through the city, without compensation, and that such a proposition was refused.

On the evening of the 14th of December last I went on board the steamer Dictator. Capt. L. M. Coxeter commander, and on Sunday evening, arrived at Palatka, upwards of one hundred miles up the St. John's River. My destination was Marion County, E. F., whither I arrived on the 16th.

While in Marion County I had the opportunity of learning what many of the people of that country anticipated during this present year. They are all very much excited with the prospects of raising large crops of long cotton, with the labor of the freedmen. Hence there are large numbers of these people, who have gone to the country, to work for whom large wages are promised, and who are still on the way, not only to Marion County but to other parts of the State.

Many of the freedmen are going out to Florida to settle on Government lands, at New Smyrna, about seventy miles below St. Augustine, under the patronage or influence of Gen. Ely. I am informed that he takes these people to this place for ten dollars per head, and places them on the government lands and furnishes them with one month's rations when they reach their destination.

Some of my old friends are going largely into the culture of cotton, this year. A. S. Eichelberger is one of these men, and he has carried out his plans successfully, and he has energy to do so, by attending closely to his business, he will do well.

What real and substantial good to the people of the State, was or will be accomplished, we leave some one else to explain.

St. MICHAEL'S BELLS.—The ship Gladstone, which sailed from Liverpool December 23rd, and is expected shortly to arrive, brings the bells of St. Michael's Church. They were sent to England some months ago, and have been recast at the identical foundry where they were first manufactured, and it is said they now have the identical tones that for more than a hundred years roused the echoes of old Charleston.

After having transacted the business (so far as I could) which caused me to go to Florida, I started on my way home, with the intention to meet the steamer Dictator at Palatka, on the 30th of December last.

The weather was unpleasant on our return from Florida, to Charleston, and owing to head-winds, Capt. Coxeter would not venture out to sea; but we reached Charleston on Friday, the 4th of January. The captain of the Dictator was well exercised; for though the steamer could have with stood the roughness of the sea, it would have been very uncomfortable to the passengers. The Dictator is upward of 1600 tons burthen, is large, strongly and securely built; the accommodations are ample, and every thing is done to secure the comfort of the passengers, and their safety.

I have mentioned the removal of freedmen to Florida, many of them have gone from this section of the State. Have our people thought how this removal of labor would affect their interest, if it

place should not be supplied? Do they not see that their lands will become of little or no value, if labor for their cultivation cannot be obtained? These are not idle questions—they go to the foundation of the prosperity of every people. No people can be prosperous without labor applied to the cultivation of the soil.

MEMBER OF COL. STEEDMAN BY NEER ES.—One of the bravest, best, most popular, most honorable, most amiable citizens of Lexington District—of all South Carolina—was Col. Marcellus Steedman, leader, for some time during the late war, of the sixth S. C. Volunteers. Since the close of the war he has been living on his farm on Edisto, and been engaged at the same time in merchandize. His dwelling and his store were under the same roof. On Tuesday night the 8th inst., he walked out into his piazza, and as he turned to go in, was shot by some person unseen. As he fell, he cried out: His wife rushed forth, dragged him in and bolted the door. He survived but three hours. The wretched and bereaved woman, with two little children, spent the whole night alone with the corpse, fearing to give the alarm.

Immediately upon the shot being fired, there was a hubbub of voices, and Col. Steedman recognized those of two negro men, formerly slaves of his father. This, with their names, he disclosed to the police, and on the following day, the two monsters were arrested in Aiken. They made full confession. It seems that they had followed Sherman when he passed through Lexington, and had not returned till a fortnight before the murder. This fortnight they had spent in watching their chance. They had no grudge against their former young master, but knowing that he was in business, they killed him with the design of getting money and robbing the store. They intended also to murder the lady and children; but with the first shot their hearts failed them. We take it for granted they are in Barwell jail. Col. Steedman was only about thirty years of age.—Edgefield Advertiser.

The Contrabands—Georgia and South Carolina. A correspondent of the Anderson Appeal writes to that paper as follows: The people of the State of Georgia, through the Legislature, seem regardless of the condition and hardships of the times, and by wise and humane legislation, are attempting to soften down and ameliorate the sufferings of the citizens of that State.

The Legislature has provided by law for the payment of debts, by instalments running through four years—the first commencing 1st of January, 1868. Also, for a liberal homestead, one hundred and sixty acres of land; two horses or mules; two cows and calves; household and kitchen furniture, farming implements and enough provisions for one year.

Also, a law to secure to all married women their separate estate and inheritances. Also, a law declaring how contracts for slaves shall be construed and collected.

The Legislature of South Carolina has abolished all laws on the subject of Usury. Has refused to allow any time to debtors, and even rejected the Annual Court Bill, which in all large debts would have allowed one more crop to intervene before judgment.

Has refused to pass any Bankrupt Law. Has refused to pass any Homestead Bill, or enlarge at all property exempt from levy and sale. Has refused to abolish imprisonment for debt.

But the Legislature did aid one or more Railroad Companies, and did pass about one hundred acts—more than one half the number being for the incorporation of private and public companies.

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STEAM PLOW.—They have a new agricultural sensation in New Orleans in the shape of one of the steam plows of Messrs. Fowler & Co., Leeds, England, which has just been received by Longstreet, Owen & Co. It is used successfully in England and in Egypt, and it is said that the Arabs and Bedouins in the valley of the Nile are preparing their lands for the next crop with them. They are believed to be perfectly adapted to the lands of the Mississippi Valley and the prairie country.

A CALIFORNIA wife, in San Francisco, writes thus to her husband in the interior: "DEAR SIR:—It may be proper, and perhaps my duty, to inform you that about two months ago, I succeeded in getting my divorce from you, and also that I have since married again. You may continue your monthly remittances, as I may need them for your three children."

The principal attraction at Montreuil's Museum, Montreal, Canada, is a "big little woman." She weighs 316 pounds; measures round the calf 38 inches; around the body, 7 feet 9 inches; around the arms, 27 inches; and yet is only 2 feet 1 inch tall, only 13 inches across the shoulders, and wears with ease a No. 6 glove and a No. 3 shoe.

HOME AGAIN.—The Paris (Tenn.) Intelligencer welcomes back to their old home in Henry, the family of Ex Gov. Harris. Their residence in Mexico was brief, but none too short for their many true friends in Tennessee.

NEWBERRY, S. C.

Wednesday Morning, January 23, 1867.

District Court. The first session of this Court commenced Monday last, His Honor Judge Pope presiding. Both the civil and criminal dockets were represented.

Thanks. We are under many obligations to Mr. Crews, of the Laurensville Herald, and also to the attention of Mr. Cavis, of the same office, for a bundle of printing paper, to supply the deficiency caused by our mill friends failing to grind out a supply as promised.

The Aiken Press. We invite attention to the card of Mr. H. W. Ravenel, who proposes to publish a paper at Aiken. The country around Aiken is salubrious and healthy, and offers inducements to the manufacturer and fruit grower.

We have received a copy of the Democratic Almanac, Van Crie, Horton & Co., publishers, No. 162 Nassau st., N. Y. Together with the usual calculations, it contains an interesting political compendium. Single copies 20cts, six copies \$1.00, fourteen \$2.00, post paid, by express \$12.00 per hundred.

The Carolina Baptist, Published at Anderson, S. C., in its prospectus, which we have not room at present to insert, makes an appeal to Baptist clergymen of this State of whom there are 300 to give it help. 3000 Subscribers are wanted, which would be only 10 from each of these ministers, and an easy thing to accomplish we think. The Carolina Baptist is worthy of a large support, and we hope it may receive it.

ALEXANDER H. STEPHENS, in Public and Private, with Letters and Speeches, before, during and since the War, by Henry Cleveland, Richmond: National Publishing Co., Cor. 7th and Main Sts. We have received a copy of the above work. It is an octavo volume of 833 pp. The typographical execution is faultless. The work is embellished with several handsome engravings. Among them are life-likensses of Mr. Stephens. We have not had time to read the book, but will do so at an early moment, and refer to it again.

The Extra Court. Of General Sessions and Common Pleas, ordered for the dispatch of unfinished business, convened Monday, the 14th inst., and adjourned Saturday night last. His Honor Judge Aldrich presided. Two important cases were disposed of. 1. State vs. Booker Duckett and others, freedmen for the robbery of Lemuel Lane, Booker Duckett, Albert Davis, Jim. Posey, Emanuel Gantner and Dave Lane, Friday. Sentence—to be hanged on the first Friday in March. Armistead Cook, not guilty. 2. State vs. Bennet Wallace, arson. Not guilty.

Ministerial Changes. Rev. Dr. Brantley, Rev. J. W. Lambert, and Rev. E. C. Logan, respectively of the Baptist, Methodist and Episcopal Churches, have, within a few weeks, retired from their labors here, and gone to other fields of duty. Dr. Brantley has accepted a professorship in Mercer University. Mr. Lambert presides over the Methodist Church at Greenville, and Mr. Logan, has accepted a charge near Beaufort, S. C.

These gentlemen endeavored themselves to our people, and in their behalf, we bid them a fond farewell, trusting that they may find happy homes among a genial and generous-hearted people.

Sensible to the last. We beg pardon of the writer for giving publicity to the following short, sweet notice, and withhold the name and post office. He will recognize it and accept our thanks for the flattering estimation in which he holds the Herald. Better do without something else than a newspaper.

January 18, 1867. Messrs. Greener—Dear Sirs—Enclosed please find three dollars, my subscription to your welcome visitor, the Herald. I think my time expired about the 1st. I would not feel satisfied to send a friend, although money is rather tight, and I feel like I can do without some other things better than the Herald. With my best wishes for your success I remain yours.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—We are sorry to learn that Mr. C. F. D. Bremer, a compositor in the Daily News office, accidentally fell through a trap-door leading to the press room, thereby sustaining serious injuries and barely escaping death. Charles is a good printer and a capital fellow, withal. We wish a speedy recovery.

An Act to renew the Incorporation of the Town of Newberry. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, now met and sitting in General Assembly, and by the authority of the same, That the charter of incorporation of the town of Newberry be, and the same is hereby renewed and extended for the term of fourteen years from the day of the expiration of the present charter, with all the amendments, limitations and restrictions imposed by the several Acts of the Legislature in reference thereto.

In the Senate House, the nineteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six. W. D. PORTER, President of the Senate. CHARLES H. SIMONTON, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Col. Warren D. Wilkes has withdrawn from the position of contributing editor of the Anderson Intelligencer, and become associated with the editorial staff of the Appeal.

Samuel J. Hay, Esq., has retired from the editorial management of the Barnwell Sentinel. Mr. Blair has retired from the staff of the Camden Journal.

LOCAL ITEMS.

WRIGHT & COPPOCK.—Now is the time to secure bargains in the clothing line, by calling on Wright & Coppock.

TOWN MARSHAL.—Mr. Mathias Miller, we are informed, has been appointed Town Marshal. We have no doubt that under his energetic management, the appearance of our town will be vastly improved.

QUARTERLY CONFERENCE.—We have been requested by the pastor, Rev. W. S. Black, to give notice that the first quarterly meeting for this Conference year, Rev. W. H. Fleming, Presiding, will be held in the Methodist church on Saturday and Sunday next.

DR. KINGSMORE can paint portraits—miniature or life size—from life or any kind of picture. And take likenesses in any style known to the art. By procuring a photograph album, you can secure pictures of your kindred and friends in an enduring and beautiful form.

MESSES. BLEASE & WRIGHT.—We invite attention to the card and advertisements of these enterprising merchants, who are prepared, with the best material, to do all kind of work in the tin line, for the wholesale and retail trade. They have in store cooking and parlor stoves, house furnishing goods, and every description of plain, pressed and japanned tin ware.

KILLING.—An affray occurred on last Friday, at or near Chappell's depot, which resulted in the death of Stan. Chappell, and a freed boy. From what we learn, a difficulty occurred between Chappell and Paine, and that the former fired at Payne, inflicting a dangerous if not mortal wound, whereupon Payne succeeded in taking Chappell's pistol from him, with which he shot him dead. How the freed boy was killed we have no reliable information, and wait for an investigation for further particulars.

WEATHER.—We had determined to drop the weather subject until it could learn to do better, but we have waited long and patiently, and it is still the same ugly, disagreeable, cold, windy, rainy, uncivilized weather, wet, sloop, mud, and cold one day, and wind, ice, sleet the next; a change of programme each day, as shownman say, and ever for the worse. 'Who saw the sun to-day?' The same clouds however which frown upon the South, hang over the North, and we hear of weather there which throws ours out of the shade.

GET RID OF YOUR GREENBACKS.—The number of gold mines recently discovered, and which are of such prolific yield, force us to the conclusion that in a short while greenbacks must go entirely by the board. As this will fall heavily upon our subscribers and advertisers who are in arrears, and continue to board up and lay away, in defiance of our cry and many warnings, we make the following liberal offer: from all such we will receive currency without further depreciation, and will allow them to pay up, and thus relieve them of the fearful thought of loss. Bring us your greenbacks.

A DEAD TYLER.—Not Teddy the Tyler, but Wat Tyler, a faithful old stage, and family horse, the property of Mr. Henry Burton, shuffled off the mortal coil, and handed in his checks one day last week in front of our office, from a surfeit of provender, accidentally administered, which brought on a violent colic, and an untimely death. Wat was an exemplary quadruped, and had not he died, would still be alive, we think. But he is gone. Far his master's sake we must say that he was a 'trump' horse, but made 'game' very seldom, and his 'tricks' were few. The last card he played was the 'dooce,' and died.

LEWIS BUTLER.—Our new barber, or knight of the shears and soap pot, comes with the recommendation of having been raised as the body servant of the late Judge Butler, and educated to his present profession. In his card to the citizens, he declares his intention of making his shop worthy of patronage; and it is to be hoped that he will. A good barber shop is a desideratum, and an attentive, respectable, and expert operator will meet with a liberal patronage. We confess to a fastidious taste, and the barber who takes hold of our nasal organ, or manipulates through the hair on the top of our head, must have clean fingers, and be otherwise exceptional, or we'll have none of him. Give Mr. Butler a trial.

FOOL KILLER.—Many enquiries having lately been made of us to the whereabouts of this very necessary and useful member of society, and many regrets indulged in as to his prolonged absence, we feel constrained to say, that though we are expected to know all things, and keep posted as to the movements of all distinguished characters, our sorrow is unfeigned in being forced to plead ignorance. We don't know where he is, and have neither seen or heard from him in 'a coon's age.' We need no telling that the number of subjects is fearfully on the increase, and unless he speedily pay the town a visit, there will be an explosion of gaseous matter which may upset its well balanced equilibrium. It was thought by a few that the attractions of Court week would have brought him out, and a mutual friend actually affirmed seeing him, and danced for joy at the prospect of the fun ahead! But alas! it could not have been him, or else he has lost his power, or how account for the number of subjects still at large.

Should this paragraph meet his eye, it is hoped he will immediately come in.

[From the South Carolina Baptist.] BUSH RIVER BAPTIST CHURCH.

Dec. 8th 1866.

DEAR BRO. WALTERS.—Will you please be so kind as to publish in your valuable paper, the following Preamble and Resolutions, and oblige our Church:—

Whereas, in the vicissitudes of an eventful and tumultuous period of our history, circumstances have transpired, real or imaginary, which have caused our beloved Pastor, the Rev. James K. Mendenhall, thinking it best for the prosperity of the church, and the good of the cause he so much loves, to resign his pastoral cares over us; thereby showing a disinterested christian spirit, and a magnanimity of purpose seldom exhibited, and cannot be too highly appreciated by us. Inasmuch as the said Brother has served us so ably, faithfully and successfully, in the different functions of Pastor, Minister and Sunday School Teacher, during a term of five years, accompanied with war, bloodshed, demoralization and ruin, we should and do, deeply deplore the separation, but at the same time we console ourselves with the assurance, that the tie thus severed is only formal and official, and not spiritual or christian, leaving us the good hope, that it may eventuate in the mutual benefit of both Pastor and flock, which will not diminish, but increase in a brotherly love and esteem, that will culminate above in heaven where discrepancies are not known, and where perfect bliss endeth not.

Therefore, be it Resolved, 1st. That we, after returning our sincere thanks to the Rev. James K. Mendenhall, for his able, faithful and thoroughly devoted exercise, over us, as Pastor during the last five years, do, although in much sympathy and sorrow, accept his resignation as meet and proper. 2nd. That we will, ever with pleasure and gratitude, retrospect his advent amongst us, as being nothing less than a God-send to the needy, and his ministrations as affording a green spot, and one of the brightest pages in the history of our church. 3rd. That we cheerfully recommend the said Brother, to any and every christian community, not only as being thoroughly orthodox, but as being an able, zealous, faithful and efficient minister of the gospel of Christ. 4th. That we cordially invite him to visit and preach for us, at any and all times, that may suit his convenience. 5th. That a copy of these proceedings be furnished the said Brother; also, that they be published in the South Carolina Baptist; requesting the Newberry Herald, please copy. Done in Church conference and signed, by order of the same, this 8th Dec. 1866. B. F. GRIFFIN, C. Clerk.

WASHINGTON, January 21.—Mr. Baker, of Illinois, introduced a joint resolution, declaring the rebel States' Government invalid until Congressionally recognized; referred to Judiciary Committee. Mr. Brewwell introduced a joint resolution, declaring the rebel States disqualified from voting, pending future constitutional amendments, until formally restored.

The Committee of Investigation of the South Carolina murders has summoned General Sherman and Thomas and the Secretary of War and the Interior. PHILADELPHIA, January 20.—The colored deputies to the Massachusetts Legislature earnestly express the hope of preservation and future harmony and union, and urge the President to come to terms with Congress.

General Logan, who is just from Illinois, says the people generally favor impeachment. Sixteen States have adopted the constitutional amendment. New York, January 21.—The heaviest snow we have had for two years is now on the ground. The Ohio is closed at Wheeling—the first time in ten years. The Camden and Amboy Railroad has been cleared, 4,000 persons were detained since Thursday. Despatches from Springfield, Ill., say the snow is two feet deep. All the railroads are blocked.

The following appear in the Act concerning Roads, Bridges & Ferries: VII. That the ferry over the Saluda River, known as Clappell's Ferry be and the same is hereby re-established for the term of fourteen years, and vested in Elizabeth Chappell, her heirs and assigns, who shall be allowed the same rates of toll as heretofore established by law. VIII. That the road leaving the highway leading from Newberry Court House to O'neal's Mills, near Springfield, the residence of Mrs. Helen O'neal, and passing over lands of the estate of John B. O'neal and James M. Baxter, until it intersects the highway leading from Newberry Court House to Hlegia's Ferry, on Saluda River, be and the same is hereby discontinued as a public road.

MILITARY ARREST.—Lieut. Ross, commanding the garrison at this place acting under instructions from Gen. Scott, of the Freedmen's Bureau, arrested Sheriff Matthews, James P. Barriane and J. S. Beck on yesterday and sent them to Charleston this morning. This arrest was made in consequence of their being in charge of the jail which was recently destroyed by fire at this place. These officers were arrested while in discharge of their duty on the District Court.—Kingstree Star.

Never quit your hopes. Hope is often better than enjoyment. It is certainly a very pleasant healthy passion. A hopeless person is deserted by himself, and he who forsakes himself is soon forsaken by his friends and fortune.—Derkeley.

A paper asks very innocently if it is any harm to sit in the lapse of ages. Another replies that it all depends on the kind of ages selected. Those from eighteen to twenty-five is put down as extra hazardous.

Dr. Richardson states that iodine placed in a small box with a perforated lid destroys organic poison in rooms. In cases of small pox he has seen this method used with great benefit.

Lilly May, a little girl of five years, was burned to death in New York, on Sunday—her clothes taking fire from the stove.

A gentleman in Elizabeth, N. J., is the possessor of the pistol with which Col. Burr killed Hamilton.

COMMUNICATED.

MESSES EDITORS.—The distinguished services of the Hon. E. S. Keitt, in the late war for Southern independence, and the ability he has displayed in his short career in the Legislature of the State, entitle him to the thanks and gratitude of every patriot in the land, and should be suitably rewarded, by promoting him to a more extensive field of usefulness. No one who has read his eloquent and statesmanlike speech, lately delivered in the House of Representatives, can doubt for a moment his ability, patriotism and profound views of government, which qualify him for the highest office in the gift of the people, and point him out unmistakably as the proper person to rescue the banner of the constitution from the infidel hands which are now trailing it in the dust, and restore it with its full quota of stars to the position in which it was left by the patriots and statesmen of the revolution. We have therefore taken the liberty, without the knowledge of the distinguished gentleman, to nominate him as a suitable person to represent the third Congressional District in the U. S. House of Representatives, and sincerely hope he will gratify his many friends and admirers by accepting the nomination. Now is the time to have the State represented by her brightest lights, young men of ability, activity, energy, and a thorough knowledge of the constitution and government of the country, and all may yet be well, the South saved, and democracy triumphant. VOX POPULI.

DISTRIBUTIONS.—We would call attention to the opinion of one of the leading papers of Canada on this subject:— Most of our readers have no doubt read some of the numerous advertisements of Gift Enterprises, Gift Concerts, &c., which appear from time to time in the public prints, offering most tempting bargains to those who will patronize them. In most cases these are genuine humbugs. But there are a few respectable firms who do business in this manner, and they do it as a means of increasing their wholesale business, and not to make money. From such firms, it is true, handsome and valuable articles are procured for a very small sum, and what is more important, no one is ever cheated. Every person gets good value for his dollar; because as we have stated, it is intended to act as an advertisement to increase their ordinary business. We have seen numbers of prizes sent out by the Messrs. Watson & Company, of Nassau Street, N. Y., and there is no doubt that some of the articles are worth eight or ten times the money paid for them, while we have not seen or heard of a single article which was not worth the dollar which it cost. But this is only one of the exceptions of this rate, for as a general thing the parties engaged in this business are nothing but clever swindlers. (Saturday Reader, Montreal, C. E., Jan. 12, 1865)

New Advertisements. NEW BARBER SHOP.—Lewis Butler, Proprietor. ESTATE NOTICE.—E. P. Chalmers, Wm. F. Nance, Cotton Broker, Banking and Commission Agent, Newberry C. H., S. C. NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.—E. L. Lark, MAYES & MARTIN—Fresh Sour Krout for sale. Also fine country flour. WRIGHT & COPPOCK—Clothing at a sacrifice. BLEASE & WRIGHT—Tin ware, Stoves, house furnishing goods, etc. SHERIFF'S SALE.—T. M. Patsinger, s.r.d. NOTICE.—J. H. Williams. LAND FOR SALE.—J. H. Williams. DRAY SCHEDULE.—B. H. Lovelace. FRESH MEAT.—Lovelace & Wheeler.

MARRIED. MARRIED on the 15th inst., by the Rev. J. Marion Boyd, Rev. B. Thayer, of the S. C. Conference and Miss CARRIE E. BEZIARD, of Newberry. Our thanks are due for a handsome package of cake. MARRIED, on the 31st inst., by the Rev. J. C. Boyd, Mr. ATMAR ROGERS to Miss M. J. CRAWFORD, all of Newberry. Domestic happiness, than only bliss or Paradise that has survived the fall!

COMMERCIAL. NEWBERRY, Jan. 22.—Market closed with but little offering, prices 20 1/2 ct. COTTON, Jan. 22.—Cotton ordinary to middling, 22 ct. 1/2 to 17 1/2, hour, super, 12, extra 18, good 13 1/2. CINCINNATI, January 9.—Evening—Cotton dull, with sales 4,000 bales; the market closed at 14 1/2 per cent. Breadstuffs market active and buoyant. Corn advanced, and sold 23 1/2 ct. per bushel. NEW ORLEANS, January 20.—Cotton unchanged—low middling 22; middling 23; sugar in good demand—11 1/2 to 12 1/2. Twenty-one vessels, with 60,000 bales of cotton, are detained at the bar, for want of water. New York, January 21.—Cotton steady and uniform at 23. Cotton dull and nominally lower, with sales of 1,500 bales at 34. Four funds firm, prices without change. BALTIMORE, January 21.—Cotton scarce and firm—middling 23 1/2. LOUISVILLE, Jan. 21.—Beacon shavers 11 1/2; clear sides 13 1/2; Hams 13; Lard 15; Cotton dull, at 69 Cts 5/8. Cotton dull. Mobile, January 21.—Sales of cotton, today, 50 bales, market closing quiet and dull—middling 21 1/2 ct.

Special Notice. We are now offering great inducements to all in need of goods in our line, by selling them for less than what they are worth. We are induced to do this, to prepare for our Spring Stock, and will sell at cost, and "less than cost," rather than carry over old stock. Now is the time to buy Winter Goods cheap. Come soon if you want the best bargains.

Respectfully, Wright & Coppock. January 23

The Most Concentrated FERTILIZER. For Cotton, Corn, Wheat, Vegetable Crops, &c. Limes, stood drouth better than Peruvian. American or any of the various guanos used in the vicinity. The cotton held its bolls better. KINSMAN & HOWELL, Sole Agents, Jan. 23 183 East Bay, Charleston, S. C.

BLEASE & WRIGHT Buy their Stoves directly from the manufacturer, and can replace any part of a stove that gives away. Therefore it will be to your interest to buy from them. Jan. 23

Dray Schedule. I am now running 2 Drays, and will attend to all business in that line with dispatch, at the following rates, for a Load 25c, 1 Package 10c, except where an extra hand is required to load. B. H. LOVELACE. Jan. 23 4 ft.

Fresh Meal. A lot of splendid white Meal, fresh from the Mill, for sale by LOVELACE & WHEELER. Jan. 23 4 ft.

Notice. All persons having business with me, will take notice that I have appointed L. J. Jones to act as my Agent and Attorney during my absence from the State. Jan. 22, 1867. J. H. WILLIAMS.

WRIGHT & COPPOCK.

Dealers in Men's, Boys' and Youths' CLOTHING, and FURNISHING GOODS: Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Trunks, Umbrellas, Valises, &c.

No. 4, Mollohon Row, NEWBERRY, S. C.

Bleas & Wright.

Have now in store and are constantly receiving a large assortment of the very best articles of COOKING STOVES, which they warrant to give entire satisfaction. Also, HALL, OFFICE & SHOP STOVES. They manufacture and sell at wholesale and retail the best article of Plain Tin Ware. They keep on hand a good assortment of Pressed and Japanned Tin Ware, ALSO, House Furnishing Goods, Generally.

They do all kinds of JOB WORK, usually done in the line, such as ROOFING, GUTTERING, &c. Jan 23 1y

TEN I-2 BARRELS SOUR CROUT.

At MAYES & MARTIN'S. Jan 23 2c

TEN Barrels FINE COUNTRY FLOUR. At MAYES & MARTIN'S. Jan 23 2c

BLEASE & WRIGHT

Intend to try to put a good Cooking Stove in every family in the up country. They have taken great pains in selecting from many manufacturers, the very best patterns that are made, and offer them at very low prices, considering the high prices of everything else. For instance, before the war it took a whole bale of cotton to buy a good cooking stove, that can now be had for half or a little over that amount. Jan 23 2c

Sheriffs Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of Fieri Facies to me directed, I will sell on the first Monday in February next, at the former residence of Dr. J. A. Bond the following property, to wit: 1 Gin, Thrasher and Fan, lying upon as the property of J. A. Bond at the suit of J. H. Wells vs. J. A. Bond. Terms Cash. T. M. PATSINGER, s.r.d. Sheriff's office, Jan. 19th, 1867.

THE NEGRO IS FREE.

An' your wives and daughters will have their own cooking to do sooner or later. Now don't let them burn up your pretty faces over the fire, but call on Bleas & Wright, who can furnish you with a good cooking stove which will do your cooking cheaper, better, easier, cleaner, and quicker by half than the old way. Jan. 23 4 2c.

LEWIS BUTLER, FASHIONABLE BARBER and HAIR DRESSER.

RESPECTFULLY announces to the gentlemen of Newberry, that he has opened at the old shop, opposite the Court House, and will be happy to wait upon all in the exercise of his profession. His object is to please the most fastidious taste, and the keeping of his shop shall be after the most unexceptionable style. Shaving, Trimming, Shampooing, and Hairdressing executed in the most approved manner. Jan. 23 4 1.

The Aiken Press.

It is proposed to publish in the Town of Aiken, S. C., a weekly paper under the above title; to be devoted to general intelligence—political, commercial, social, literary and religious—with a department of agriculture, including the field, the orchard, the vineyard and the garden. A news summary, to contain a digest of the important events of the week, will occupy a portion of the paper, and particular attention will be given to the unsettled question of labor, as best adapted to our new condition, and the development of the resources of the country in Manufactures, Agriculture, Fruit-raising and Vine-growing. Terms: \$3 a year, in advance. H. W. RAVENEL, Editor. W. D. KIRKLAND, Publisher. Jan. 23 4 ft.

To Trespassers.

I HEREBY forewarn all persons, white or black from trespassing on my plantation, either on foot, or on horseback, throwing down fences, hunting, or for any other purpose. Any person found thereon in violation will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. A. L. LARK. Jan. 23 4 1m.

Land for Sale.

I will offer for sale, at public auction, at Newberry Court House, on the first Monday in February, 1867, the following lots of Land: One lot of 10 acres of wood land, within about two miles of the Court House, adjoining lands of L. J. Jones, James Caldwell, and the Hunt Land. Also, one other tract, containing 24 acres, situated on the Black Jack Road, adjoining lands of J. P. Kinard and Hamp. Folk. Terms: Cash in Green Backs or twelve months credit, with good security and note of sale, and note, with good security and mortgage. J. H. WILLIAMS, Jan. 22, 1867. 4.