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Special contracts made with large advertisers, with liberal deductions on above rates.

JOB PRINTING

DONE WITH NEATNESS AND DISPATCH TERMS CASH.

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY

At the New Store on Hotel Lot.

I have now on hand a large and elegant assortment of

WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY,

Silver and Plated Ware,

VIOLIN AND GUITAR STRINGS,

SPECTACLES AND SPECTACLE CASES,

WEDDING AND BIRTHDAY PRESENTS,

IN ENDLESS VARIETY.

All orders by mail promptly attended to.

Watchmaking and Repairing

Done Cheaply and with Dispatch.

Call and examine my stock and prices.

EDUARD SCHOLTZ.

Nov. 21, 47-1f.

WILLIAM GLAZE.

I am receiving a full line of

Fine Gold Jewelry,

DIAMOND RINGS,

PLAIN GOLD RINGS,

Sterling Silver Wedding Presents

NEW DESIGNS.

I am Agent for the J. E. SPENCER & Co.,

Diamond Pebble Glasses,

all ages. Watch and all kind of Repairing

and Engraving done in the Best Style.

WILLIAM GLAZE,

COLUMBIA, S. C.

Oct. 22, 43-2m.

Buggies.

BUGGIES! BUGGIES!!

The subscriber having bought the stock

of the firm of J. Taylor & Co., will continue

to conduct the business in all of its various

branches of

WHEELWRIGHT WORK,

BLACKSMITHING,

PAINTING AND TRIMMING,

All of which will be done in first class style.

I have a choice and well selected stock

of seasoned material and will build

Double and Single Seat

Buggies

for sale and to order, of any style or pattern,

promptly and guarantee satisfaction,

as I will employ none but the best and

most careful workmen; and spare no pains

to make my work first class.

OLD CARRIAGES AND BUGGIES renovated

and made to look equal to new.

REPAIRING done in the best manner

and at lowest prices.

HORSESHOEING AND PLANTATION

WORK promptly done.

All of the above will be executed

AT LOWEST CASH PRICES.

A liberal patronage respectfully solicited.

J. TAYLOR,

Shop Opposite Jail,

NEWBERRY, S. C.

TERMS CASH.

Oct. 8, 41-5m.

Miscellaneous.

BURIAL CASES.

Respectfully announce that they have on

hand the largest and best variety of BURIAL

CASES ever brought to Newberry,

consisting of

Fisk's Metallic Cases,

Embalming Cases,

Rosewood Cases.

Together with

COFFINS of their own Make,

Which are the best and cheapest in the

place.

Having a FINE HEARSE they are prepared

to furnish Funerals in town or country

in the most approved manner.

Particular attention given to the walling

up of graves when desired.

Give us a call and ask our prices.

R. C. CHAPMAN & SON.

May 7, 1879. 19-1f.

WANTED.

One Hundred Raw Hides,

WEEKLY,

At PINE GROVE TANNERY.

MARTIN & MOWER,

PROPRIETORS.

Oct. 15, 1879. 42-1f.

Clothing.

CLOTHING,

UNDERWEAR,

HATS, SHOES, &c.

NEW FALL STOCK

—AND—

NEW PRICES.

WRIGHT & J. W. COPPOCK

Invite attention to their elegant stock of

Clothing & Furnishing Goods,

Guaranteeing Satisfaction

Both in Quality and

Price.

Suits Fine, Medium, Common,

LOWER THAN EVER.

GIVE US A CALL.

WRIGHT & J. W. COPPOCK,

No. 4 Mollohon Row,

NEWBERRY, S. C.

Oct. 1, 17-1y.

Miscellaneous.

O. B. BUTLER & CO.,

MACHINE SHOP

—AND—

GRIST MILLS.

The undersigned have associated together

for the purpose of conducting a MACHINE

SHOP and GRIST MILL, and will give particular

attention to

Repairing Engines and Boilers,

and persons having work of this kind to do

will find it to their advantage to patronize us.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

We are also Agents for

ENGINES, THRESHERS, &c.

OUR GRIST MILLS

Are running daily, turning out the best

of Meal, and Mercantile can rely on being

supplied at all times and AT THE LOWEST

RATES.

BLACKSMITH WORK.

Mr. JAS. ROLLISON, the well known

Blacksmith, is with us and is assisted by a

first-class Horse-shoer.

WHEELWRIGHT WORK.

Mr. THOS. CHAPMAN, late of Jalapa, is

on hand to do work in his line.

O. B. BUTLER,

R. H. ANDERSON.

Nov. 5, 45-5m.

THE COMPLETE HOME.

Full of practical information.

The experienced house-keeper's friend.

House-keeping, Cooking, Dress, Accidents,

Sickness, Children, Company, Marriage,

Religion, Morals, Money, Family Govern-

ment, and a multitude of other topics

fully treated. TEXAS HOW TO MAKE THE

HOMES BEAUTIFUL AND HAPPY.

A book of more practical utility will sel-

dom be found outside of this nation.

NEEDED in every city home, in all coun-

tries. Try it before you buy. It is a com-

plete and old. Fine Paper, Clear Type,

Beautiful Binding, Splendid Illustrations.

Nearly 600 pages. LOW PRICES. Sells rapidly.

AGENTS WANTED LIBERAL COM-

MISSIONS. Address: CONSTITUTION, De-

scription and terms free.

J. C. McCURDY & CO., Philadelphia, Pa.

Cincinnati, O. Chicago, Ill. or St. Louis, Mo.

Nov. 12, 46-2m.

EMBALMING

BURIAL CASES.

The subscribers inform the public that they

have on hand EMBALMING CASES, and are

prepared to EMBALM in a satisfactory

manner. By the use of these cases

bodies can be kept through all time with a

perfect preservation of features. Those

who wish our services will call on us. These

embalming cases are beautiful in their

make and we guarantee them to be all that

is said of them, or take back and refund

the price.

R. C. CHAPMAN & SON,

Dec. 11, 50-1y.

The Southern Cultivator.

Now is the time to subscribe for this old

and reliable Agricultural Journal. It is in

its XXXVIII volume, and stands at the head

of agricultural papers. It is now published

by the CONSTITUTION, Atlanta, Ga.

Price, \$1.25 per annum.

Clubs of 10, 12.50

Clubs of 20, 20.00

THE WEEKLY CONSTITUTION.

THE GREAT SOUTHERN FAMILY PAPER.

Price, \$1.50 per annum.

Clubs of 10, 12.50

Clubs of 20, 20.00

Clubs of 50, 45.00

Agents wanted everywhere. Liberal com-

missions. Address: CONSTITUTION,

Nov. 19, 47-1f ATLANTA, GA.

Poetry.

FAITH.

Fain would I hold my lamp of life aloft

Like yonder tower built high above the

rest;

Steadfast, thou tempest rave or winds blow

soft,

Clear, through the sky dissolve in tears of

grief.

For darkness passes; storms shall not abide.

A little patience and the fog is past.

After the sorrow of the ebbing tide

The stinging flood returns in joy at last.

The night is long and pain weighs heavily;

But God will hold His world above despair.

Look to the east, where up the lucid sky

The morning climbs! The day shall yet

be fair!

—Celia Thaxter, in Scribner.

Miscellaneous.

THE GREENWOOD & AUGUSTA

R. R. AND THE PENITENTIARY CONVICTS.

The correspondence below has

appeared in the Abbeville papers.

DEFENSE OF THE RAILROAD DIRECTORS.

STOCKADE No. 5,

ON GREENWOOD & AUGUSTA R. R.,

EDGEFIELD COUNTY, S. C.,

Oct. 22, 1879.

To the Public: So many horrible

charges of cruelty and brutality

towards the convicts at work

on the Greenwood and Augusta

Railroad, have lately been published

in the newspapers, that the

undersigned board of directors of

said road feel it due to the public,

to themselves and to the employ-

ees of the road, to make the fol-

lowing plain statement of facts:

It is sadly true that during the

little over two years that the con-

victs have been at work on our

road, about half of those we had

in charge have died, but it is also

true that about half of all their

deaths occurred the five next suc-

ceeding months of the present

year, dating from 20th April, 1879,

when we received our last batch

of convicts from the Penitentiary,

and we are sorry to have to add

that we now believe most of them

died of scurvy, although undoubt-

edly very many of the dead con-

victs likewise had syphilis and

other chronic diseases.

At each of the stockades estab-

lished on our road every reasona-

ble effort has been made by the

board to provide for the comfort

and health of the convicts consist-

ing with their safe-keeping. Every

stockade has had a good spring

or well of pure water. A large

yard has been enclosed for exer-

cise of the sick; commodious pris-

ons have been erected, another

separate structure for a hospital

has been built, still another

cabin for commissary stores put

up, another for a guardhouse, yet

another for the superintendent,

besides two large tents for various

uses. A bountiful supply of ba-

con, corn bread, peas and such

other vegetables as could be had

in the neighborhood have been