

Local Squibs.

DEATH OF MR. JAMES HARVEY SMITH.—Another printer has passed away to his long rest. James H. Smith died in Winstonsboro of consumption on the 4th instant. Mr. Smith was born in 1839 and was in the 55th year of his age. At the age of 17 years he entered the office of the Herald as an apprentice, and served out his full time. In 1861 he entered the army, and served in Co. "D," 6th Regt. S. C. Infantry. But the hardships of war were too great for his delicate constitution, and he was discharged. Upon the close of the war he resumed his trade. For a long time he was a proprietor of the Charlotte Observer, but his feeble health compelled him to relinquish control of it. After recruiting his health, he, with Mr. Monroe Seize, founded the Lincoln (N. C.) Progress, a staunch weekly. His strength again failing, he disposed of his interest, and feeling that his end was drawing nigh, determined to spend his closing days in Winstonsboro. At the residence of his father-in-law, Mr. T. D. Omer, he breathed his last. He was devoted to his trade, in which he was thoroughly proficient, and refused to abandon it even when warned to do so by his physicians. The last work he performed was in the Herald office, where years before he had set his first type. Mr. Smith was a member of the Typographical Union of Columbia, of Mecklenburg Lodge I. O. O. F., also a member of the Independent Hook & Ladder Company, of Charlotte. He will be borne to the tomb by his old comrades in arms, to-day. To his widow and child we tender our heart-felt sympathy.

DEATH OF JAMES H. SMITH, Esq.—It is with pain, says the Charlotte Observer, we chronicle the death of Mr. James H. Smith, formerly one of the proprietors of this paper, and one of its original founders.

He breathed his last Thursday at Winstonsboro, S. C., after a long and most distressing illness, occasioned by the disease of consumption. Mr. Smith leaves a wife and one child to mourn his untimely end, and a wide circle of friends and relatives. Kindhearted and genial in disposition, honest, industrious and straight forward in his dealings, he was generally liked and esteemed by all who knew him well. And many will grieve that he has thus, in the prime of life, been cut down, and torn away from family and friends. He led the life of a hard-working planter. May he rest in the blessed peace of heaven, ever hereafter.

Job Printing.—Our office has been fitted with all materials necessary for printing jobs of every description. Bill, L. Richards, Posters, Invitations and Business Cards, &c.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. O. I. C.—Dannenberg & Co. Third Supply.—J. C. Squier & Co. Eggs—R. J. McCarter. Fresh Arrivals for the Christmas Holidays—Baes & Co. Copartnership Notice.—Dannenberg & Co.

COTTON.—At the time of going to press yesterday evening, cotton was selling at 11 1/2 a 13 6/8 cents per pound.

WOOD.—In view of the scarcity of money and the cold weather, we will take a few loads of wood at current prices in payment of subscription.

FIRE IN CHESTER.—We learn that on Saturday the residence of Dr. A. P. Wylie in Chester was destroyed by fire. We have heard no particulars of this accident.

DEATH.—We are pained to hear of the death, in Columbia, of Maria, the youngest child of Col. John English. She fell as another victim to diphtheria.

IMPROVEMENT AT BLACKSBORO.—We are pleased to see evidences of progress in our thriving little sister town. Several buildings are in course of erection—among them, a hotel, owned by Mr. Carroll.

PHONOLOGICAL & HORTICULTURAL. Messrs. Baes & Co., have on hand a supply of fine oranges—only 65 cts. a dozen—think of it—besides apples &c. Also some extra fine cabbage heads. We can testify to the extra quality of these articles.

OVERCOATS.—Messrs. Withers & Dwight have been doing a brisk trade in overcoats. They have brought on a handsome lot which they are selling at panic prices. Call and examine.

DANNENBERG & CO.—Are daily receiving their new goods. In a few days, they will have on hand a full assortment, when they will be able to satisfy the most fastidious taste. Come one and all to the Thespian Hall, on Dannenberg call, and see what a fall there has been in the prices of goods since the "Wall street panic has busted" the land.

CHURCH MEETING.—There will be a meeting of the Congregation of Seion Presbyterian Church, this morning at 10 o'clock, at which all who are accustomed to worship in that church are requested to be present, as matters of importance will be brought up for their consideration. The church bell will ring at the hour designated.

The Rural Carolinian for December is full of interest. Great inducements are offered for subscribers next year, either in premiums or in club rates. This is a fine agricultural magazine, and should be read by every farmer. Walker, Evans & Cogswell, publishers, Charleston, S. C.

MT. Zion School.—The last month of the session is passing away. At the close, (a few days before Christmas,) there will be an exhibition. The last exhibition was a complete success, so that we look forward with pleasure to the next. Mr. Clarkson, the principal, is fully alive to his duties, and is untiring in his efforts to impart instruction. We recommend this school to all persons wishing to educate their sons.

A MISTAKE.—We saw two or three soldiers in town the other day, and at first thought that the United States had declared war on Cuba, and that these were recruiting officers. We learned, however, that the young gentlemen were Cadets in King's Mountain Military School. We were also pleased to hear that esdets Meaus and Mobley had done credit to old Fairfield in this school during the past year.

IMPROVEMENTS.—The Newberry Herald has been much improved in size and appearance. Of late, Mr. Ira B. Jones, a gentleman of promise, has been made associate editor. We welcome this evidence of prosperity on the part of our contemporary across the river. The Southern Home, of Charlotte, has recently donned a new and handsome dress. Under Gen. D. H. Hill, it is achieving quite a reputation. We bid it God speed in its mission against Radicalism.

THE AMERICAN FARMER FOR DEC.—Closes the year with a number of great value and interest. This old journal while maintaining its solid character keeps abreast of the age in everything connected with the improvement of our agriculture. Its contents are varied and seasonable and deserves the attention of our farmers. The publishers promise some additional attractions for the new year, and offer the last three numbers of '73 free to all new subscribers whose names are received this month.

Published by Saml. Sands & Son, Baltimore, Md., at \$1.50 a year, or at \$1 in club of five or more. Specimen Nos. sent free.

WHAT IS LOST BY NOT SUBSCRIBING.—The other day a gentleman called on us. He said he had something important to transact to a citizen of this County, and wanted to know his address. He had come to our subscription list. We informed him that that man didn't take our paper, and we could not give the information. He went off disgusted. Friends, see what you lose in not taking your county paper. Lose no time in rectifying your error; and hereafter your names will be found in the printers book—the county directory. Don't be afraid to tell where you live.

LITERARY NOTICE.—Among the many praiseworthy efforts of the present time is that of bringing knowledge within the reach of the masses. Among the most prominent benefactors in this line are T. B. Peterson & Bros., of Philadelphia. They have prepared a cheap edition of Dickens' works, and are now engaged in a similar task of bringing Wilkie Collins to a close acquaintance with the people. Wilkie Collins is the most popular of all living novelists, and his works possess a peculiar interest, causing them to be read through without laying aside once.

Vol. XI of this series is now ready. It contains Mac Monday and other short stories of great interest. Price 50 cents.

AN AFFRAY AND ESCAPE.—Last week below Doko two colored men, John Broom and Toby Entzmainger had an affray in which John was seriously stabbed in several places. Toby fled. Trial Justice Marshall sent a special constable to arrest him. The constable found Toby in a house with several friends and read the warrant. Toby refused to submit, and his friends, both men and women, flourished knives and sticks, and dared the constable to come on. The latter retired in good order for reinforcements. When he returned, Toby had vanished and he saw him no more. The rescuers were arrested on the charge of conspiracy and are on their way to jail. We hope that they will be duly punished for this infraction of the law.

KING'S MT. MILITARY SCHOOL.—Lieut. Jno. S. Reynolds, Instructor of History and Belles Lettres in this institution, is in town, where he

will remain for a few days. He proposes visiting the principal points in the State in the interest of the institution with which he is connected, and will be pleased to furnish any information that may be desired concerning it. This school has been so long and favorably known that it needs no encomiums from us. We will, however, state that the curriculum has been extended so as to make it a military college of a high grade. The instructors are gentlemen of acknowledged ability, and thoroughly proficient in the departments over which they preside. The school is now equipped with arms of the most approved pattern.

We take pleasure in recommending the school, and bespeak for Lieut. Reynolds the courteous attention of our friends throughout the State. Catalogues may be procured at this office.

THE CITIZENS' SAVINGS BANK.—We regret to see that this institution has gone into voluntary bankruptcy, under the advice of its counsel, Messrs. McMaster & LeConte, Pope & Haskell, and Bachman & Youmans. The bank was embarrassed in the crash, and being unable to collect its assets immediately suspended payment. A combination was formed to force it into bankruptcy, and to have a receiver appointed who would convert the assets solely for the benefit of the Ring. To defeat this attempt the Bank has gone into voluntary bankruptcy, and in this way will still have the management of its assets. The attorneys employed have issued an address to the depositors declaring their belief that the Bank will pay all claims against it in full, and warning depositors not to part with their claims, as they are informed that there exists a most dangerous combination whose object is to obtain a controlling interest, to the destruction of the Bank and the detriment of depositors. The officers of the bank will publish a statement of affairs in a few days.

We have the greatest confidence in the attorneys of the Bank, and advise depositors to comply with their request. Hold to your claims to the last, and lose them rather than suffer the corrupt Radical Ring in Columbia to prey still more upon our people. Now that our taxes have failed, they are trying to ruin our banks. Frustrate their designs by standing firmly by the Bank.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

BALTIMORE, December 1st '73. THE undersigned have this day formed a copartnership under the firm name of Dannenberg & Co. at Winstonsboro, S. C. R. L. DANNENBERG, PHIL. DANNENBURG.

EGGS! EGGS!

JUST RECEIVED, 100 DOZEN EGGS.

ALSO, A LOT OF FRESH BUTTER,

AT R. J. MCCARTLEY'S.

BACOT & CO.,

OFFER to the public a well selected stock of Groceries, Provisions and Good Things for the Christmas Holidays, at prices suitable to the times, for the

CASH AND CASH ONLY!

Consisting in part of 3 tierces Cracked Hams, at 15 cents per lb. Crushed Sugar, 7 1/2 lbs. for \$1.00. Demara and Coffee Sugars, 8 lbs. for \$1.00. Rio Coffee, 25 cents and upwards, Sugar House

Syrup, 40 cents per gallon, Havana Oranges 65 cents dozen, Select Northern Apples, 40 cents per dozen, 200 Northern Cabbages at 20 to 30 cents each, Fresh Stick Candy, 25 cents per lb., 10 barrels fine eating Potatoes, at 50 cents per peck, 50 Rolls heavy Bagging at 1 1/2 cents per yard by roll, 50 bundles Ties at 9 1/2 cents

Bacot & Co. dec 6

DANNENBERG & CO. ARE OPEN FOR BUSINESS. NOW IS YOUR TIME FOR BARGAINS.

CALICOES, BEST PRINTS 10 CENTS, 10 CENTS. JUTE POPLINES, 35cts. 35cts. 35cts. SATINES OF THE LATEST STYLES! 65cts. 65cts. 65cts. worth \$1.00 \$1.00.

Ladies Notions at Reduced PRICES. Come and examine our large line of

MENS' CLOTHING. BOYS and YOUTHS' CLOTHING.

AT OLD TIME PRICES. ALSO, Complete Stock of Ladies and Misses' CLOTHING.

AT BARGAINS. dec 9

THIRD SUPPLY. OUR STOCK IS NOW COMPLETE.

Owing to the financial stringency we will sell our GOODS at the lowest prices for CASH!

NOW IS YOUR TIME WE CASH BUYERS.

OUR STOCK EMBRACES Dress Goods of all kinds, Flannels, Shawls, Blankets, Hosiery, Gloves, Notions, IN GREAT VARIETY, Bleached and Brown Home-spuns, Ready made CLOTHING.

Boots Shoes, Hats and TRUNKS. JOHN C. SQUIER & CO.

DONT ASK FOR CREDIT. Pay the CASH and buy cheap.

We have closed our Books. All persons indebted MUST come forward and settle at once.

J. C. SQUIER & CO. dec 9

Sale of Land. ON Monday, the 29th of December, I will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder at the Court House door in Winstonsboro, for cash, the tract of land owned by me, lying and situate in the County of Fairfield on the waters of Little River, containing 267 acres, more or less, and bounded by lands of Est. of Adams Johnson, W. P. Curry, R. P. Curry, Mrs. E. O'Neal and others.

N. B. The condition of this notice is such, that if the money due to me by Benjamin H. James and payable on the day above advertised, shall be forthcoming by or before said day, the sale shall not take place. JAS. K. RABB. dec 2-1x2

Grand Central Hotel Just Opened I HAVE just opened a first class house of entertainment in Winstonsboro, in the most convenient locality in Town, and am prepared to entertain both transient and permanent boarders at moderate rates. Every exertion will be made to give satisfaction. Travelers should inquire for the "GRAND CENTRAL."

Terms: Transient boarding \$2.50 per day. Permanent board, \$16 per month. JOHN D. McCARTLEY, Proprietor. nov 8-1m

BARGAINS, BARGAINS. Owing to the low price of Cotton and the great scarcity of money, we now offer our entire Stock of Goods at extremely low prices. Especial attention is called to our very large Stock of Dress Goods, Shawls, Ready Made Clothing, Gents Furnishing Goods, boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps, and a splendid line of Cassimeres, all of which we offer at panic prices and to suit the times. Come with the CASH and get BARGAINS!

ALL those indebted to us are urgently requested to come forward and settle up, as we are greatly in need of money.

McMASTER & BRICE. oct 2

READ THIS!

PARTIES indebted to us for GOODS purchased will please come forward and settle. We need money and must have it.

We will take Cotton from parties owing us and hold it as long as they wish. We hope those who came to us in great need will now consider our necessities.

Our stock of Goods will be sold low for CASH! and CASH ONLY!

at prices to correspond with the TIMES!

Our stock is complete and we offer great inducements to CASH BUYERS.

Withers & Dwight. GRAND OPENING OF FALL and WINTER MILLINERY.

—AT— J. O. BOAG'S. WE again take pleasure in calling the attention of the ladies to our unusual large stock of ladies pattern Hats, and Bonnets, Ribbons, Flowers and Feathers.

ALSO, A full line of DRY GOODS, Ladies Dress Goods, Notions and fancy goods, Clothing, Men and Women's Boots, Shoes and Outlets.

Groceries and Confectionaries, Cigars and Tobacco, Furniture, Mattresses &c. CALL AND SEE. sep 18 J. O. BOAG.

MORE NE GROceries! BEATY BROS. CASH. PROMPT SETTLEMENT REQUIRED.

PARTIES indebted to the undersigned either by notes or open accounts are ONCE MORE requested to come forward and settle their indebtedness. Those remaining unsettled on the 1st of December next, will be placed in the hands of an Attorney, and their collection forced by the usual legal course.

Cotton will be received at market price, or held until better prices prevail. This notice is final, and those interested will save money by heeding it.

JAMES ANDERSON, Gen'l Supt. E. R. DONNER, General Ticket Agent. nov 4

BOOT AND SHOE Manufactory. HAVING procured the very best Mechanics in the country, I feel warranted in saying that I can furnish any Boot or SHOE as any Shop in the South. All work warranted to give satisfaction. My Shop is next door to F. Goring's Saddlery mar 19 S. M. GILBERT.

SUGAR AND COFFEE! 1 BBL. Powdered Sugar, 15 bbls. Crushed, Extra C. and D. Extra Sugar, Primo Rio Coffee, in store and for sale by BEATY & BRO. aug 28

Boots and Shoes. An elegant lot of Boots and Shoes just received from T. Miles & Son. McMASTER & BRICE. sept 16

Nails and Axes, 30 KEON cut nails, assorted; 6 Boxes "Extra Patent Finish" Brass Nails; 4 Dozen Axes. Low for Cash by sept 2 BEATY & BRO.

NEW GOODS! Large and varied stock of general merchandise, too extensive to describe too varied to enumerate. Purchasers will do well to call and be satisfied of the fact. Special attendance has been given to the ladies department.

D. LAUDERDALE. oct. 2 ESTABLISHED 1859. WINNSBORO, S. C.

THIRTY years experience in repairing all kinds of Watches.

NEW GOODS. GOLD and Silver Watches of all kinds. Fancy Jewelry and Clocks of all descriptions, which I will sell low for cash. Come and see for yourself. No charge for looking. Thankful for past patronage, I so feel a continuance of the same.

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I KEEP constantly on hand extra fine Kentucky Horses and Mules. Partic in want of good stock will do well to give me a call.

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GO TO NELSON & REFO. To Buy Your Liquors.

THEY have in store one hundred barrels, embracing every variety from the commonest to the FINEST brands.

We direct particular attention to our FINE CORN WHISKEY, the purity and age of which we warrant, and our Wines and Brandies represent every climate and country. In connection with the Liqueur business we have opened a Restaurant for the accommodation of the public where meals will be served at all hours, all we ask is a trial, satisfaction is guaranteed.

Fresh Lager on draught. Also, Fresh Oysters at the Restaurant.

Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta Rail Road. COLUMBIA, Nov. 1 1873.

THE following Passenger Schedule will be run over this road on and after MONDAY, 20th instant:

DAY TRAIN—GOING NORTH. Leave Augusta, at 6.30 a.m. " Columbia, S. C., 11.58 a.m. " Winstonsboro, 2.41 a.m. " Chester, 4.28 a.m. Arrive at Charlotte, N. C. 7.08 p.m.

DAY TRAIN—GOING SOUTH. Leave Charlotte, N. C. at 7.00 a.m. " Chester, 9.51 a.m. " Winstonsboro, 11.41 a.m. " Columbia 2.48 a.m. Arrive at Augusta 8.05 p.m.

NIGHT TRAIN—GOING NORTH. Leave Augusta 4.15 p.m. " Columbia, S. C., 9.37 p.m. " Winstonsboro, 12.33 a.m. " Chester, 2.28 a.m. Arrive at Charlotte, 6.18 a.m.

NIGHT TRAIN—GOING SOUTH. Leave Charlotte, 8.30 p.m. " Chester, 10.58 p.m. " Winstonsboro, 12.33 a.m. " Columbia 3.40 a.m. Arrive at Augusta, 8.45 a.m.

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