

# AT COST!

A VERY GOOD REASON!  
"A retail shoe dealer died last week, but on reaching heaven was refused admittance by St. Peter, his name not being on the books. He then applied at the other place, but was also refused by Satan, his name not being on the books. At this second refusal, the poor man, throwing up his hands in an agony of despair, exclaimed, 'Great Scott! I have got to go back to the retail shoe business?'"

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OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF  
**Hardware!**  
Is now being closed out AT COST, in order to close up our business.

The death of one of the Firm renders this necessary. Now is your chance to get—

**BARGAINS.**  
So come and see for yourself.  
ALL SALES SPOT CASH!  
Nothing will be charged.  
**J. G. CUNNINGHAM,**  
Surviving Partner.

**THE HOG!**  
A dirty animal, but we couldn't get along very well without him. His bristles enter into a variety of very useful articles, such as—  
**Hair, Nail, Coat, Tooth and Hat Brushes,**  
Not to mention the numerous Paint and Artists' Brushes. A full line of the hog products always on hand at the new Firm—  
**GOSSETT & BROWN**  
Claim to do—i. e., give value received for every purchase you make with them.

YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO LOSE THIS OPPORTUNITY!  
AFTER buying our Winter Stock we decided to make a change in our business, and are now selling our entire Stock of—  
**CLOTHING AND NOTIONS**  
— AT —  
**NEW YORK COST.**  
We mean exactly what we say, and will show invoices at any time.  
Give us a call—it will pay you!  
**TAYLOR & CRAYTON.**

**HELLO! STOP AND LISTEN!**  
SINCE I opened business two months ago, my trade has been increasing every week, and I feel very grateful to my friends and patrons. They know that my Stock of Staple and Fancy Groceries, Confectioneries, Canned Goods, Tobacco, Cigars, Etc., is First Class in every respect, and that my PRICES ARE VERY LOW. I now have in Store some very fine FRUITS. I also carry a nice selection of Currants, Raisins, Citron, and a lot of the best Evaporated Apples. Come and see me. I am confident my Goods and prices will please you. FREE CITY DELIVERY.  
**G. F. BIGBY.**

**FOR 30 DAYS**  
**BROWN, OSBORNE & CO.**  
WILL OFFER SPECIAL BARGAINS IN  
Cashmeres, Henriettas, Mohairs, Serges, Mopsacks, Broadcloths, Dress Flannels, Eiderdown Flannels, Silks, Table Linens, White and Red Flanneis, Canton Flannels in colors, Hickory Stripes, Bed Tickings, Shirtings and Sheetings, Blankets and Quilts, Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, Hats, Trunks, Valises, and

**SHOES!**  
Our Stock is large, and must be reduced. Therefore, we will offer them below hand time prices for the next thirty days.  
Call and see us.  
Yours truly,  
**BROWN, OSBORNE & CO.**  
**BROWNLEE & VANDIVERS,**  
From now until Xmas offer  
**SPECIAL BARGAINS**  
In Every Line of Goods.

**The Worst Yet to Come.**  
Mr. Thomas, Clerk of the New York World's editorial staff, who accompanied the relief train south by the journal returned to Charleston Tuesday morning, and has written a very interesting article regarding the storm-stricken region. His investigations were made under the direction of the World's staff, and he has secured a number of sketches regarding the people and their wants for publication.

After having spent a week or more among the sufferers, Mr. Thomas has written a number of sketches regarding the people and their wants for publication. He has seen the terrible distress in which the cyclone left them. There are many thousands of people who are not only without food, but without shelter, and who are suffering from the cold.

It is estimated by those who have investigated the matter, that ordinary food of the kind that is now being distributed is being consumed by a million people. The supply of food is being exhausted, and the people are suffering from the lack of it.

**Public Sale.**  
I WILL sell in front of the Court House on Saturday next, at public sale, the highest bidder, one STORE ROOM in Anderson, now occupied by the Enterprise Printing Co. Terms—One-third cash, and the balance in two payments. Purchaser to pay necessary papers. Dec. 6, 1893.

**Notice to Contractors.**  
Office of County Commissioners, Anderson, S. C., Dec. 6, 1893.  
WILL be let to the lowest bidder on December 20th, 1893, at 1 o'clock a. m., the Macadamizing of a piece of Road near John Maddox's. Plans and specifications made known on day of letting.  
R. E. PARKER, Chm'n.  
B. T. MARTIN,  
Board of Com. A. C.  
W. T. McMillan, Clerk.

**18 Hundred 99,**  
Something, S. C.,  
10c. Store and Starve to Death.  
Well, no! Not as long as MINOR continues to sell—  
**CROCKERYWARE, TINWARE, LAMP GOODS, RIBBONS, LACES, SPENDERS, JEWELRY, TRUNKS, POLICES, DRY GOODS,**  
And many other things innumerable and incalculable.  
"Say, Bill, didn't you know that the Bazar and 10c. Store was headquarters for SANTA CLAUS and XMAS GOODS?"  
"Why, yes, of course I did. What do you take for me? A moss-back, green-horn, or what? You know that everybody in Anderson County knows the 10c. Store is the place to go to get your Dolls of all shapes, sizes, colors and descriptions, and Toys. Oh, yes, you can get your bottom dollar that MINOR beats the town on that line; but as for that matter, he beats it on any other line, or any other town. But let'er roll, or the multitude continues to come!"  
"Say, no, not changing the subject at all, but are you going to the Augusta Exposition?"  
"No, of course not, man! What in the deuce do I want to go there for? While MINOR's Exposition is just as good, and is right here in Anderson, and there is no railroad fare, and no cost for the privilege to see the wonders therein. Side shows also free!"  
Yours for Low Prices and first-class Goods,  
MINOR,  
SANTA CLAUS and THE 10c. STORE.

**DISSOLUTION.**  
The undersigned members of the Firm of J. C. Cox & Co., of Anderson, S. C., have mutually agreed to dissolve their partnership on December 31st, 1893, and from now until that date we will offer our entire Stock of General Merchandise at prices below former cost, to give every one a cordial invitation to visit us and take advantage of these special bargains.

**REBARGAINS.**  
All parties indebted to us must come forward at once and pay up, or make satisfactory arrangements.  
J. T. COX,  
Anderson, S. C., Nov. 28, 1893.

**J. F. FANT & BROS.,**  
ANDERSON, S. C.,  
WHOLESALE ORANGE DEALERS.  
Write for Prices.  
Nov. 8, 1893.

**The Australian Ballot.**  
GREENVILLE, S. C., Nov. 30, 1893.  
To the Editor of the Greenville News: As a bill to be introduced in the Legislature on the Australian ballot, and the subject is becoming one of general interest, I thought I would send you a copy of the explanation which was given to me by the author of the bill, and which is published in the Greenville News of the 27th inst.

It was first introduced in South Australia in 1872, and has since been adopted by the States of New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, and Michigan. It is a simple and effective system, and is now being introduced in South Carolina.

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**Love Triumphs.**  
MADISON, GA., December 2.—After weary months of anxious waiting and watching, E. O. Cochran to-day gained possession of his wife, and his treasure—a bright-eyed, rosy-cheeked wife of seventeen summers.

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**COLUMBIA CORRESPONDENCE.**  
SCHEDULE OF OUR LEGISLATORS.  
COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 4, 1893.  
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