THE DAILY NEWS.

TUESDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 19, 1867.

As Day by Day.

As day by day the years go on,
I sometimes sit and ponder,
Will all be gone when love is gone?
What comes instead, I wonder?

It must be strange to wake at morn,
And not fall back on dreaming,
Not e'en to see one is forlorn,
Nor miss the love-light's gleaming.

So day by day, so old and gray,
The people go on living,
Till life hath taken all away,
And death begins its giving.

The Abyssinian Captives.

A letter from one of the Abyssinian captives, dated Magdala, the 7th of September, contains the following:

The only news of interest I have to communicate is the gradual downfall of the Emperor. He has been going downhill very rapidly during the last two months, and should the same state of things continue much longer, we may never see his face again, as he will hardly venture so far with his disaffected soldiery. For the last four months he has only been able to communicate three times with the garrison here, and even then had to employ a servant of one of the native prisoners confined in this fort, fearing that one of his own people might be waylaid and murdered. There is now nothing but death between the peasantry and their late ruler. If any of the former fall into the hands of the latter, they are instantly burnt alive or barbarously mutilated, and left to die a lingering death. On the other hand, whenever any of the royalists fall into the hands of the peasants, they are forthwith hacked to pieces. I have managed to communicate twice with Mr. Flad at Debra Tabor, but on each occasion my messenger was stripped naked on the road. Mr. Flad gives me a sad account of the state of affairs in the royal camp. Nothing but destruction of life is going on there from morning till night. The whole country between Debra Tabor and the Lakes, which formerly was thickly populated, has been laid waste, and all the inhabitants, men, women, and children, who could not effect their escape have been ruthlessly murdered. The garrison at Debra Tabor has been surrounded with a hedge, and if a soldier attempts to desert, his wife, children, and other relations he may have are instantly butchered. A body of 2,500 men who attempted to decamp last month were slaughtered like so many sheep, and 295 chiefs were left to die of starvation, after suffering the mutilation of their hands and feet. Ladies, too, of noble families, after being stripped to nudity and exposed to the gaze of the soldiery, were tortured and then executed. The most revolting cruelties, such as I must refrain from describing, are perpetrated on helpless women, who are held accountable for the desertion of their relatives. In addition to 400 confined in this fort, the Emperor has with him at Debra Tabor no less than 200 native captives, who a few months ago were accounted among his most trusty adherents. Besides ..ysel. and seven other fellow prisoners here, six of the Europeans at Debra Tabor are in chains, five or an abortive attempt to escape, and the six because he was alleged to have meddled in matters which did not concern him. There is some talk of the Emperor coming here at the end of this month, which I do not believe; but if he should come, I fear we shall have a miserable time of it, unless he puts on once more the garb of friendship, in order to ward off from himself any impending calamity.

Mr. Flad has told the Emperor plainly that England would be forced to fight him unless he released the captives, and sent them to the coast. To which he replied: "Let them come; by the power of God I will meet them, and you may call me a woman if I do not beat them." His last letter to me was very friendly. After courteously declining a small present which I had sent him, he goes on to say: "What I require of my friend the Queen, and of you, my brother, is your friendship. Not that I am rich in worldly goods, but what I desire most is that you should open my eyes, for I am a blind donkey." That letter was written on the 10th of April, and the messenger who carried my reply has been unable as yet to make his way back through the rebels who infest the roads. Mr. Flad informs me that as recently as last month, when the Emperor had ordered some swords to be presented to different officers for bravery in the field, he caught sight of one which he had given to me before my incarceration, and forthwith directed it to be taken care of, adding, "I intend shortly to bring him and them (the other Europeans) together, and will then restore him his property." This I doubt very much, unless he is constrained to release us by pressure from without. You will be surprised to learn that unless supplies reach us very soon from Massowah we shall all be in danger of starvation. Despite my instructions to the contrary, everything has been sent *via* Matammah, and the consequence is they never reach us, and we are nearly destitute of the means of subsistence. As regards the measures to be adopted for obtaining our release, I have repeatedly and distinctly given my opinion in the proper quarters, and unless the officer commanding the force follows my advice I fear our lives will be in great danger, and the troops will be greatly harassed. We have no lack of friends in the royal camp and elsewhere, but unfortunately they tremble at the very name of Theodore, and have not the pluck to move a finger in our behalf.

Affairs in the State.

—Samuel C. Reeder, one of the best citizens of Pickens District, died on the 29th ultimo.

—The Columbia Chronicle, of Sunday, says: The shipments of cotton from this point, over the South Carolina Railroad, have averaged at least three hundred bales per day for the past week. A considerable quantity of this was contributed from the up-country, through the Greenville and Columbia Railroad. This would seem to indicate that despite the low and still declining price of the staple, it is moving somewhat briskly to market.

—Every day, says the Cheraw Advertiser, and often several times a day, we hear complaints made of thefts committed. Horses, hogs, cows, chickens, are purloined nightly; in one instance, we learn a whole field of corn was stolen in a night! On the night of the 2d inst. Mr. John Wilks, living about fifteen miles from Cheraw, lost two fine horses, one the property of his son, stolen from his stables. Pursuit was made, and the thieves were followed to Yorkville, where information was received which leads to the belief that they have crossed to Georgia or Tennessee. Mr. Wilks offers a reward of $40. One is said to be a man named Duncan Crowley, about twenty years old, dark complexion, rather below medium height, and weighing one hundred and forty to one hundred and fifty pounds. He has little if any beard, has a bullet scar on his face, and his left eye is out. The other, —— Donahoe, is taller than Crowley, light haired, fair skin, sandy beard.

COMMERCIAL.

The Charleston Cotton Market.

OFFICE OF THE CHARLESTON DAILY NEWS, Charleston, Monday Evening, November 18, 1867.

The staple continues depressed and prices irregular, our quotations not indicating the precise basis for all transactions, some few sales of limited lots having taken place at lower figures, but large lines of Cotton could not be purchased below our rates. Sales near 600 bales, viz: 20 at 15; 27 at 15¾; 74 at 15¾; 35 at 15½; 121 at 15¾; 120 at 15¾; 53 at 16; 125 at 16¼c.

We quote:

LIVERPOOL CLASSIFICATION.

Low Middling	15¾@—
Middling	16 @16¼
Strict Middling	16½@—

NAVAL STORES.—The market was generally quiet and without transactions.

Augusta Market.

AUGUSTA, November 16.—GOLD—Brokers buying at 139 and selling at 141.

SILVER—Brokers buying at 130 and selling at 133.

COTTON.—The market has been quiet all day, with small sales, on a basis of 15¾c. for New York Middling. After the receipt of afternoon telegrams buyers would only offer 15¼ cents. Sales 234 bales. Receipts 644 bales.

BACON—Western Shoulders, 15 cents; B. B. Sides, 17 cents; C. R. Sides, 17¼ a 18 cents; C. Sides, 18 cents; Hams 23 a 25 cents.

CORN.—Mixed, $1 10 a 1 15; White, $1 20 a 1 25.

WHEAT.—White $3 10 a 3 20; red $2 50 a 2 70.

New Orleans Market.

NEW ORLEANS, November 13.—COTTON.—The market opened this morning with a good inquiry, a fair supply, and an improvement in both foreign and domestic exchange, but with discouraging accounts from New York and there was a considerable difference between the views of factors and buyers, the indications during the forenoon were that, although a full average business might be done, it was improbable that it would reach the heavy amount of yesterday.

We accordingly modify our quotations as follows: Ordinary nominal; Good Ordinary 16a —c; Low Middling 17a —c; Middling 17½ a 18. At the same time it is proper to state that it was difficult to buy Middling at the inside figures, although exceptional sales were reported at even less. There was some demand for the North, as well as for foreign export.

STATEMENT OF COTTON.

Stock on hand 1st September, 1867	bales—15,256
Arrived to-day	2,051
Arrived previously	67,608—69,659
	84,915
Cleared to-day	none
Cleared previously	37,683—37,683
Stock on hand and on shipboard	47,232

New York Market.

MONEY MARKET.

The New York Evening Post, of Saturday, November 16th, says:

Gold is lower to-day, in consequence of the foreign news being supposed to be more pacific. The rate for carrying overbalances is 1-16 per cent.

The only feature of interest at the Stock Exchange are the continued and increasing anticipation that Congress will pass a joint resolution stopping further contraction of the currency, and the appearance in the market of some of the Savings Banks and other monied institutions, which sold their Government bonds at the high prices ruling in the summer, and are now buying them back at the current rates, which are considerably lower.

The loan market is easy at 6 a 7 ₱ cent. on call. The discount demand is small, and the rates are 7 a 7½ for the choicest grades. The Western exchanges are still in favor of New York, and the flow of currency sets this way. From the south there is some demand for currency, but not to a very large extent.

PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, November 16.—FLOUR, &c.—The market for Western and State Flour is less active, and prices are irregular; medium grades are depressed; to effect sales a concession would have to be made.

The sales are 6,200 bbls at $8 45 a 9 for superfine State; $9 65 a 9 10 for extra State; $10 a 10 30 for fancy State; $9 30 a 9 90 for the low grades of Spring Wheat Western extra; $10 a 10 75 for good to choice Spring Wheat Extras; $9 70 a 10 65 for shipping Ohio; $10 80 a 13 40 for trade and family brands; $11 10 a 12 20 for amber Winter Wheat, extra Michigan and Indiana; $12 30 a 15 00 for White Wheat extras do do, and $11 a 15 50 for St Louis extras.

Southern Flour is unchanged. Sales of 800 bbls at $9 85 a 11 75 for ordinary to good extra Baltimore and country; $10 90 a 14 for extra and family Georgia and Virginia, and $11 25 a 14 50 for common to choice extra and family Maryland and Delaware.

Oats are active and better. The sales are 65,000 bush Ohio and western at 78 a 79½c.

Rye is better and in fair demand for export. The sales are 7,000 bush of western at at $1 05.

Corn opened a little firmer with a good demand for choice afloat, but toward the close rather lower prices were accepted, particularly for that in store.

The sales are 87,500 bush. Damp and unsound at $1; western mixed at $1 34 a 1 34½ in store, $1 35 a 1 36 afloat, closing at $1 35 a 1 36.

PROVISIONS—The demand for Pork has been fair at about former figures, but the market closes very heavy.

The sales, cash and regular, are 1500 bbls at $21 a 21 10 for mess, now offered at $20 95.

Beef is dull at previous rates. Sales of 106 bbls at $14 a $19 for plain mess, and $19 for extra mess.

Beef hams are dull. Sales of small lots at $27 a $29.

Bacon is very dull and rather heavy. We hear of nothing doing for forward delivery. Sales on the spot of 150 boxes city at 12½c for short rib, and 12¾c for long clear.

Lard is moderately active at about former figures.

Sales of 400 bbls and tcs., at 12¾ for No. 1, 13 a 13¼ for city; 13¾ a 13½c for fair to prime steam, and kettle rendered.

COFFEE—We hear of no change in prices.

COTTON—The market is weak and much depressed, with a declining tendency. We quote:

	Uplands.	Florida.	Mobile.	New Orleans and Texas.
Ordinary	14¾	15	15	15¼
Low Middling	17	17	17¼	17½
Middling	17¾	18	18½	18¾
Good Middling	19	20	20	22

HAY—The demand is fair and the market firm at 80c for shipping, and $1 10 a 1 40 for retail lots.

HEMP—Manilla is dull at 12½c gold. Other kinds are nominal.

MOLASSES.—We hear of no sales; prices are nominal.

NAVAL STORES—Spirits of Turpentine is firm. Rosins are dull and heavy. We quote as follows: Spirits of Turpentine, free, per gallon, 54 a 55c; Spirits of Turpentine, in bond, per gallon, 44 a 45c; Crude Turpentine, in bbl, per 280 lbs., $4 50; Rosins common, in bbls., per bbl., $3 25 a $ 3 37½; Rosins, strained, in bbls., per bbl., $3 37½ a 3 50; Rosins, No. 2, in bbls., ₱ bbl., $3 75 a 4 25; Rosins, No. 1, in bbls., ₱ bbl., $4 25 a 4 75; Rosins, pale, in bbls., ₱ bbl $4 50 a 5 50; Rosins, extra pale, in bbls., ₱ bbl., $6 a 7; Rosins, window glass, in bbls., ₱ bbl., $7 25 a 8; Tar, North County, in bbls., ₱ bbl, $3 a 3 25; Tar, Wilmington, in bbls., per bbl., $2 50 a 3 50; Pitch, city, in bbls., ₱ bbl., $3 75; Pitch, Southern, in bbls., ₱ bbl., $3 87½.

BUTTER.—Best qualities are in demand, but poorer qualities are dull and heavy. Prices generally are better. We quote as follows: Goshen and orange county, gals. ₱ lb. 50 a 55 cts, State firkins and tubs, good to choice, 40 a 42c; Illinois, Iowa and Minnesota, 25 a 30c; Western Reserve, good to choice 32 a 35c; state tubs, Welsh, good to choice, 40 a 42c; Ohio, common to fair, 20 a 24c.

SUGAR.—The business in raw is only moderate. Prices are steady at 11¾ a 12c for fair to good refining. Refined are quiet.

FREIGHTS.—To Liverpool, 100 tons provisions at 45s; 50 bales cotton at ¼d a ⅜d, and 500 bbls rosin at 3s per 280 pounds. To Antwerp, 30,000 bushels wheat on private terms.

Consignees per South Carolina Railroad, November 18.

1087 bales Cotton, 43 bales Mdze, 80 sacks Flour, 130 bags Rough Rice, 115 bags Peas, 43 bbls Naval Stores, 1 car Furniture, &c. To G W Williams & Co, Cart, Kopff & Jervey, Clacius & Witte, S C Turner, E H Rodgers & Co, E J Wiss & Co, Johnston, Crews & Co, W W Smith, H L Jeffers & Co, J B E Sloan, J R Pringle, G H Walter & Co, Hunt Bros, Willis & Chisolm, Mowry & Co, Howard & Bro, C N Averill & Son, J H Baggett & Co, C P Poppenheim, Mrs R Lockwood, R James, J Walterhelp, W H Chatee, J Mortimer, H N Emlyn, Adams, Frost & Co, Col Hunt, M Goldsmith & Son, Railroad Agent, Courtenay & Trenholm, Stenhouse & Co, Bellamy & Robinson, R Mure & Co, Utsey & Kenyon, Z Davis, G E Pritchett, O Reeder, T M Bristoll, T W Mikell, A J Salinas, Laurey & Alexander, W Sempken & Co, L A Lalue, H Bischoff & Co, L M Ayer & Co, W P Dowling, Burke & Son, J Wiley, W C Dukes & Co, G W Clark & Co, L D DeSaussure, R E Pennal, Graeser, Lee, Smith & Co, O Wilkie, J Campsen & Co, Jeffords & Co, W Lebby, F C Mey.

Consignees per Northeastern Railroad, November 18.

460 bales Cotton Mdze, &c. To F A Sawyer, J H Baggett & Co, Ravenel & Co, Mowry & Co, Williams & Co, Adams, Frost & Co, J & J D Kirkpatrick, J M Caldwell & Son, E H Rodgers & Co, W K Ryan, Graeser, Lee, Smith & Co, Kendall & Dockery, Z Davis, Willis & Chisolm, C J Colcock, Mrs McNeill, Gaillard & Minott, M Geraghty, J B E Sloan, and Order.

Passengers.

Per steamer Dictator, from Palatka, via Jacksonville Fernandina and Savannah—J Templeton, Miss A and J Dane, Mr and Mrs Collins, Mr and Mrs Clifford, Mr and Mrs Grace, Miss L Clinton, C Stewart, M Churchill, M Adams, Mr Wirt, Mr Riley, Miss McRae, Miss Turley, F Connelly, Mr and Mrs Floreuce, Mr and Mrs Burgane, Mr Cane, Mr Heddrick, J McLaughlin, H B H Oppenheim, J Swan, D B McRorey, D B Hall, Mr Hardee and lady, J L Savage, D R Thompson, wife and child, Miss A Creighton, J Gray, J Thompson, C J Wombwell, wife and daughter, Lieut Hunling and 2 Officers and 140 soldiers Co E, 3d U S Artillery, and 2 deck.

Per steamer Pilot Boy, from Savannah, via Beaufort, Hilton Head, &c—A V Champin, D C Wilson, W Harrison, Rev M French, T F Sams, Dr Johnston, W J Faulk, Miss Kate Quinn, and 24 deck.

Per steamer Emilie, from Georgetown, S C—Mr Mazyck, Mr Manigault, Mr Munnerlyn, H Buck, Miss Buck, P W Fraser, B Allston and lady, Mrs Robinson, J J Perkins Miss M Callahan, Master C M Tilton, Master R O Tilton, Miss M L Tilton, Miss L A Tilton, and 10 on deck.

PORT CALENDAR.

CORRECTED WEEKLY.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

First Q. 4th, 10h. 7m. morn	Last Q. 18th, 11h. 40m. morn
Full M. 11th, 7h. 50m. even	New M. 25th, 11h. 41m. even

DAYS.	NOVEMBER.	SUN. RISES.	SUN. SETS.	MOON RISES.	HIGH WATER.
18	Monday	6..34	4..57	Morn.	12..57
19	Tuesday	6..35	4..56	12.. 0	2.. 1
20	Wednesday	6..36	4..56	1.. 2	3.. 2
21	Thursday	6..36	4..55	2.. 3	3..58
22	Friday	6..37	4..55	3.. 0	4..54
23	Saturday	6..38	4..55	4.. 0	4..53
24	Sunday	6..39	4..54	4..54	6..26

MARINE NEWS.

PORT OF CHARLESTON.

Arrived Yesterday.

Steamship Prometheus, Harris, New York—left — inst. Mdze. To Jno & Theo Getty, Railroad Agents, W Roach, L Weishopff, Bissel & Co, J N Robson, Welch & Harvey, A H Hayden, Cameron, Barkley & Co, J Heeseman & Bro, C P Poppenheim, J & W H Armstrong, J A Quackenbush, B O'Neill, R & A P Caldwell, Little & Marshall, W G Whilden & Co, Stoll, Webb & Co, Brown & Hyer, Laurey & Alexander, Mrs M J Zarnow, Johnston, Crews & Co, J Kline, J R Read & Co, Goudkop & Bouthner, C Stackley, D O'Neill & Son, N A Hunt, J B McElhose, A Linstedt, A W Eckel & Co, E N Fuller, C Voight, J C Small, E H Rodgers & Co, Melchers & Muller, W M Bird & Co, and others.

Schr F B Colton, Robinson, Philadelphia—7 days. Coal. To Bisley & Creighton, W Johnson.

Schr Ann S Deas, from West Point Mill. 153 bbls Rice. To Street Bros & Co, Ravenel & Co, G H Hoppock.

Schr Louisa, from Cooper River. 900 bushels Rough Rice. To Thurston & Holmes.

Steamer Dictator, Payne, Palatka, via Jacksonville, Fernandina and Savannah. 261 bales S I and 15 bales Upland Cotton, 61 horses, 1 Battery Artillery, Mdze, &c. To J D Aiken & Co, G H Bergmann & Son, Fraser & Dill, Roper & Stoney, J & J D Kirkpatrick, Welsh & Brandes, J Salvo, Bart & Wirth, Major S A Pearce, Jr, W M Lawton, Pinckney Bros, Mouat, Huchet & Co, D S McNeill, Johnston, Crews & Co, Col E H Locke, B W Williams & Co, M G Idsmith & Son, J H Baggett & Co, T H Parker, C A Caldwell, McKay & Campbell, F A Mitchell, Templeton Bro hers Theatrical Co.

Steamer Pilot Boy, McNelty, Savannah, via Hilton Head and Beaufort. 23 bales S I Cotton, 27 Horses, 31 bags Corn, bales Hides, bbls Oranges, and Sundries. To J Ferguson, Cohen, Hanckel & Co, Roper & Stoney, W Garmey, Adams, Frost & Co, A Q Master, Southern Express Co, Bollmann Bros, Mrs Eliza F Holmes, Ravenel & Co, Ensslow & Co, W Hastie, Rev M French, D C Wilson, Col J P Low, and order.

Steamer Emilie, Davis, Georgetown, S C. 73 tierces Rice, and Sundries. To Shackelford & Kelly, J R Pringle, W Gurney, H Klatte & Co, Thurston & Holmes, J Schirmer, and others.

Received from Chisolm's Mill—160 tierces Rice. To Chisolm Bros.

From this Port.

Steamship Falcon, Reed, Baltimore, Nov 17.

Cleared for this Port.

Steamship Matanzas, Ryder, at New York, Nov 16.
Steamship Champion, Lockwood, at New York, Nov 16.
British steamship Pioneer, Shackford, at New York, Nov 16.
Schr Wide World, Hildreth, at Philadelphia, Nov 15.

Memoranda.

The steamer George, from this port for New York, arrived at Norfolk, Va, Nov 15.

LIST OF VESSELS

UP, CLEARED AND SAILED FOR THIS PORT.

FOREIGN.

LIVERPOOL.

The Skjold, Albrechtsen, up ..... Oct 29
Nor bark Kjellestadt, Worge, cleared ..... Oct 15
British bark Yumuri, Thompson, cleared ..... Sept 23
The Hakon Adelstein, Backer, up ..... Sept 14
The Pawnee, Anker, sailed ..... Oct 5

LEITH.

The Bertha, Anderson, sailed ..... Oct 22

CUXHAVEN.

The Competitor, Turner, up ..... Oct 4

BREMENHAVEN.

Bremen bark Gauss, Wieting, sailed ..... Oct 6

HAVANA.

Schr Nicanor, ——, sailed ..... Nov 14

MATANZAS.

Spanish schr Camila, Tosa, sailed ..... Nov 1

DOMESTIC.

BOSTON.

Steamship George B Upton, Rich, to leave ..... Nov 19
Bark John Fyfe, Luce, cleared ..... Nov 4
Schr E B Glover, Ingersoll, up ..... Nov 9

NEW YORK.

Steamship Champion, Lockwood, cleared ..... Nov 16
Steamship Matanzas, Ryder, cleared ..... Nov 16
British steamship Pioneer, Shackford, cleared ..... Nov 16
Steamship Miami, ——, to leave ..... Nov 20
Ship St Louis, Hubbard, cleared ..... Nov 14
Schr Americus, Moss, up ..... Nov 5
Schr N W Smith, Tooker, cleared ..... Nov 7
Schr L A Edwards, Marshall, cleared ..... Nov 7
Schr Grover, Hughes, up ..... Nov 7
Schr Carrie S Webb, Worthington, cleared ..... Nov 7
Schr E L B Wales, Jackaway, cleared ..... Nov 7
Schr A G Ireland, Townsend, up ..... Nov 8
Schr Harriet Newell, Gould, up ..... Nov 13
Schr Mattie E Taber, Morris, cleared ..... Nov 11

PHILADELPHIA.

Schr Maggie McNeill, Snow, cleared ..... Nov 5
Schr Wide World, Hildreth, cleared ..... Nov 15

BALTIMORE.

Schr David F Keeling, ——, cleared ..... Nov 14
Schr Shiloh, Hubbard, up ..... Nov 16

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November

OFFICIAL.

Headquarters Second Military District, CHARLESTON, S. C., October 16, 1867.

[GENERAL ORDERS, No. 99.]

By the terms of the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to provide for the more efficient government of the Rebel States," passed March 2d, 1867, and of the Acts of March 23d, and July 19th, 1867, supplementary thereto, it is made the duty of the Commanding General of this Military District to cause a registration to be made of the male inhabitants of the State of South Carolina of the age of twenty-one years and upwards and qualified by the terms of said Acts to vote, and after such registration is complete, to order an election to be held, at which the registered voters of said State shall vote for or against a Convention, for the purpose of establishing a Constitution and civil government for the said State, loyal to the Union, and for delegates to said Convention, and to give at least thirty days' notice of the time and place at which said election shall be held; and the said registration having been completed in said State of South Carolina, it is ordered:

First. That an election be held in the State of South Carolina, commencing on Tuesday, the 19th day of November, 1867, and ending on Wednesday, the 20th day of November, 1867, at which all registered voters of said State may vote "For a Convention," or "Against a Convention," and for delegates to constitute the Convention—in case a majority of the votes given on that question shall be for a Convention, and in case a majority of the registered voters shall have voted on the question of holding such Convention.

Second. It shall be the duty of the Boards of Registration in South Carolina, commencing fourteen days prior to the election herein ordered, and giving reasonable public notice of the time and place thereof, to revise for a period of five days the registration lists, and upon being satisfied that any person not entitled thereto has been registered, to strike the name of such person from the list; and such person shall not be entitled to vote. The Boards of Registration shall also, during the same period, add to such registers the names of all persons who at that time possess the qualifications required by said Acts, who have not already been registered.

Third. In adding who are to be stricken from or added to the registration lists, the Boards will be guided by the law of March 2d, 1867, and the laws supplementary thereto, and their attention is specially directed to the Supplementary Act of July 19th, 1867.

Fourth. The said election will be held in each District at such places as may hereafter be designated, under the superintendence of the Boards of Registration as provided by law, and in accordance with instructions hereafter to be given to said Boards in conformity with the Acts of Congress and as far as may be with the laws of South Carolina.

Fifth. All judges and clerks employed in conducting said election shall, before commencing to hold the same, be sworn to the faithful performance of their duties, and shall also take and subscribe the oath of office prescribed by law for officers of the United States.

Sixth. The polls shall be opened at such voting places at eight o'clock in the forenoon, and closed at four o'clock in the afternoon of each day, and shall be kept open during these hours without intermission or adjournment.

Seventh. No member of the Board of Registration, who is a candidate for election as a delegate to the Convention, shall serve as a judge of the election in any District which he seeks to represent.

Eighth. The Sheriff and other peace officers of each District are required to be present during the whole time that the polls are kept open, and until the election is completed; and will be made responsible that there shall be no interference with judges of elections, or other interruption of good order. If there should be more than one polling place in any District, the Sheriff of the District is empowered and directed to make such assignments of his deputies, and other peace officers, to the other polling places, as may, in his judgment, best subserve the purposes of quiet and order; and he is further required to report these arrangements in advance to the Commander of the Military Post in which his District is situated.

Ninth. Violence, or threats of violence, or of discharge from employment, or other oppressive means to prevent any person from registering, or exercising his right of voting, is positively prohibited, and any such attempts will be reported by the registrars or judges of elections to the Post Commander, and will cause the arrest and trial of the offenders by military authority.

Tenth. All bar-rooms, saloons, and other places for the sale of liquors by retail, will be closed from 6 o'clock of the evening of the 18th of November, until 6 o'clock of the morning of the 21st of November, 1867, and during this time the sale of all intoxicating liquors at or near any polling place is prohibited. The police officers of cities and towns, and the Sheriffs and other peace officers of Districts, will be held responsible for the strict enforcement of this prohibition, and will promptly arrest and hold for trial all persons who may transgress it.

Eleventh. Military interference with elections "unless it shall be necessary to repel the armed enemies of the United States, or to keep the peace at the polls," is prohibited by the Act of Congress approved February 25th, 1865, and no soldiers will be allowed to appear at any polling place, unless as citizens of the State they are qualified and are registered as voters, and then only for the purpose of voting; but the Commanders of Posts will keep their troops well in hand on the days of election, and will be prepared to act promptly if the civil authorities are unable to preserve the peace.

Twelfth. The returns required by law to be made to the Commander of the District of the result of this election, will be rendered by the Boards of Registration of the several registration precincts through the Commanders of the Military Posts in which their precincts are situated, and in accordance with the detailed instructions hereafter to be given.

Thirteenth. The number of delegates to the Convention is determined by law, and is the number of members of the most numerous branch of the Legislature for the year eighteen hundred and sixty, and this number, one hundred and twenty-four, is apportioned to the representative Districts of the State in the ratio of registered voters as follows:

District of Charleston	Nine (9) Delegates.
District of Berkeley	Nine (9) Delegates.
District of Colleton	Five (5) Delegates.
District of Beaufort	Seven (7) Delegates.
District of Georgetown	Three (3) Delegates.
District of Horry	Two (2) Delegates.
District of Williamsburg	Three (3) Delegates.
District of Marion	Four (4) Delegates.
District of Darlington	Four (4) Delegates
District of Marlboro'	Two (2) Delegates.
District of Chesterfield	Two (2) Delegates.
District of Sumter	Four (4) Delegates.
District of Clarendon	Two (2) Delegates.
District of Barnwell	Six (6) Delegates.
District of Edgefield	Seven (7) Delegates.
District of Orangeburg	Five (5) Delegates.
District of Kershaw	Three (3) Delegates.
District of Richland	Four (4) Delegates.
District of Lexington	Two (2) Delegates.
District of Newberry	Three (3) Delegates.
District of Laurens	Four (4) Delegates.
District of Abbeville	Five (5) Delegates.
District of Anderson	Three (3) Delegates.
District of Greenville	Four (4) Delegates.
District of Pickens	Three (3) Delegates.
District of Spartanburg	Four (4) Delegates.
District of Union	Three (3) Delegates.
District of York	Four (4) Delegates.
District of Chester	Three (3) Delegates.
District of Fairfield	Three (3) Delegates.
District of Lancaster	Two (2) Delegates.

By command of Bvt. Major-General ED. R. S. CANBY.

LOUIS V. CAZIARC, Aide-de-Camp, Act'g. Asst. Adj't. Gen.

Official: LOUIS V. CAZIARC, Aide-de-Camp, A. A. A. G.

October 17

NOTICE TO AUCTIONEERS.

CITY TREASURY OFFICE, October 2, 1867.

ALL AUCTION LICENSES EXPIRED BY ORDINANCE on 30th September. Renewals will be granted on application at this office, if made during *This Month.*

S. THOMAS, City Treasurer.

October 5

PUBLIC NOTICE.

OFFICE CLERK OF COUNCIL, May 1867.

The following Section of "An Ordinance to abolish the office of Superintendent of Streets; to provide for Keeping the Streets' Lanes, Alleys, and open Courts in the City of Charleston Clean, and for other purposes," is hereby published for the information of all concerned:

For the due protection of the said contractor or contractors, *it is further ordained,* That every owner, lessee, occupant and tenant of any premises fronting in any street, lane, alley, or open court, shall on every day (Sundays excepted) have the dirt, filth, garbage, or other offal, placed in front of his or her lot, in a barrel, box or heap, and in readiness for the contractor, by the hour of seven o'clock, A. M., from the first day of May to the first day of November in every year; and by the hour of nine o'clock, A. M., from the first day of November to the first day of May following. And any person offending herein, or placing any dirt, filth, garbage, or other offal, in any street, lane, or alley, or open court, after the hours above named, shall be subject to a fine not less than two nor more than five dollars, for each and every offence, to be imposed by the Mayor.

By order W. H. SMITH, Clerk of Council.

May 15

NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE, CHARLESTON, S. C., May 4, 1867.

THE REGULAR INSPECTION OF THE LOTS AND inclosures, vaults, &c., will commence on *Monday next,* 6th inst. Owners and occupants are hereby required to see that their premises are in good condition and that all filth and garbage is removed as required by Ordinance. Other inspections will follow.

By order of Mayor GAILLARD.

C. B. SIGWALD, Chief of Police.

FIRE LOAN.

MAYORALTY OF CHARLESTON, CITY HALL, November 9, 1866.

ALL PERSONS DESIROUS OF REBUILDING IN THE Burnt Districts and Waste Places of the City, under "An Act of the General Assembly, giving authority to the City Council of Charleston to proceed in the matter of a Fire Loan, with a view to aid in building up the City anew," are hereby notified that the form of application for loans can be obtained at the office of the Clerk of Council, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M.

All applications must be filed in the above mentioned office, as the Committee will meet every *Monday* to consider the same.

By order of the Mayor W. H. SMITH, Clerk of Council.

November 10

THE RAVENEL DAILY NEWS,

PUBLISHED EVERY MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND Friday, at Ravenel, Charleston County, S. C., by the undersigned, at $5 per annum, in advance.

Advertisements inserted at the usual rates.

Job Printing of every description, executed at the shortest notice.

Address

W. P. HAYNE, Ravenel, S. C.

November 12

THE ABBEVILLE PRESS,

PUBLISHED AT ABBEVILLE C. H., S. C., EVERY Thursday morning, at $4 per annum, if paid in advance; $4 50 if not paid in advance; $5 if not paid at the end of the year.

Advertisements inserted at the usual rates.

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Address

WILIE JONES, Editor and Proprietor.

November 12

THE SUMTER WATCHMAN

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Advertisements inserted at usual rates.

Every style of Job Printing executed in the neatest style and greatest dispatch.

September 24

DER CHARLESTONER ZEITUNG.

JOHN A. WAGENER, EDITOR.

UNDER THE ABOVE HEAD THE UNDERSIGNED purpose to publish a German Weekly Paper, to be the organ of the German population, and devoted to the interests of this State, in encouraging Immigration and Industrial Pursuits.

Literature, Agriculture, Commerce, Arts and Trade, will be represented in its columns, and the news of the day will be given.

General JOHN A. WAGENER has kindly consented to undertake the editorial management for the present.

Subscription—$3 for Twelve Months; $1.50 for Six Months; $1 for Three Months.

Advertisements inserted on liberal terms.

C. G. ECKMANN & CO.,
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THE GREENVILLE MOUNTAINEER

IS PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY, AT $2 50 PER year, in advance. Advertisements inserted at usual rates.

G. E. ELFORD, Editor and Proprietor.

May 10

OFFICIAL.

Headquarters Second Military District, CHARLESTON, S. C., October 23, 1867.

[CIRCULAR.]

I. Commanding Officers of Posts, upon the nominations of the Boards of Registration, will appoint for each election precinct or polling place within their commands, three discreet and duly qualified persons, who will be designated "Managers of Elections"—in all appointments for the State of South Carolina—and "Inspectors of Elections" when appointed for North Carolina.

II. When suitable persons cannot otherwise be obtained, members of the Boards of Registration will be eligible for that purpose.

III. When it is impracticable to fill such offices for any election precinct or polling place, such election precinct or polling place will, by order of the Post Commander, be consolidated with an adjoining election precinct or polling place for which such appointments are complete. Such consolidation will only be made among the respective election precincts belonging to one registration precinct.

IV. The order appointing officers of elections will specify the election precinct or polling place by number, and also by the local name or designation thereof, if any, and also will specify the registration precinct to which the same belongs, and the County or District for which the same is made; and such order will be forwarded without delay to these Headquarters.

V. The officers appointed as above provided will, immediately upon being appointed by the orders of the Commanding Officers of Posts, qualify by taking the oath prescribed in General Orders No. 63, current series, from these Headquarters, Form No. 1.

VI. Commanding Officers of Posts will fill all vacancies in the office of Registrar that may occur, stating in the order therefor the persons to whose places such appointment is made, and the cause of such vacancy; and such appointee will forthwith qualify.

VII. When a Registrar is a candidate for election at the election ordered to take place on the 19th and 20th days of November next, he shall give notice thereof to the Post Commander, and such office of Registrar shall be deemed vacant.

VIII. The powers and duties of Registrars as superintendents of elections, and of officers of elections whose appointments are herein provided for, will be fixed by General Orders.

IX. Managers and Inspectors of Elections will receive no pay or mileage, but will be entitled for clerical labor, not to exceed the sum of ten dollars for each Board for all duties performed in regard to elections.

X. The pay and mileage of Registrars as superintendents of elections will be fixed by General Orders.

By command of Bvt. Major-General ED. R. S. CANBY.

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