THE DAILY NEWS.

☞ LARGEST CIRCULATION.—THE DAILY NEWS BEING THE NEWSPAPER OFFICIALLY RECOGNIZED AS HAVING THE LARGEST CIRCULATION IN THE CITY OF CHARLESTON, PUBLISHES THE LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING IN THE POSTOFFICE AT THE END OF EACH WEEK, ACCORDING TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE NEW POSTOFFICE LAW.

TUESDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 3, 1867.

LOCAL MATTERS.

AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

G. W. STEFFENS & Co. will sell this day, at their store, No. 28 Vendue Range, at 9½ o'clock, hams, shoulders, strips, &c.

JEFFORDS & Co. will sell this day, in front of their store, at 9½ o'clock, strips, hams, shoulders, &c.

T. M. CATER will sell this day, on Brown's wharf, at 9¾ o'clock, butter, hams, sides, bellies, &c.

HENRY COBIA & Co. will sell this day, in front of their store, at 9½ o'clock, sides and shoulders.

LAUREY & ALEXANDER will sell this day, before their store, at 10 o'clock, shoulders, sides, hams, &c.

MILLIGAN & SON will sell this day, at No. 22 Vendue Range, at 10 o'clock, furniture, dry goods, fancy goods, &c.

JOHN G. MILNOR & Co. will sell, this day, at their auction salesroom, No 133 Meeting-street, at 10 o'clock, 50 coils bale rope; also, dry goods and clothing.

MILES DRAKE will sell this day, at his store, corner King and Liberty-streets, at 10 o'clock, dry goods, hoop skirts, clothing, &c.

W. Y. LEITCH & R. S. BRUNS will sell this day, at the old postoffice, at 11 o'clock, 100 shares Northeastern Railroad stock.

JOHN S. RIGGS will sell this day, at the corner of Broad and East Bay-streets, at 11 o'clock, valuable securities belonging to the Calhoun Insurance Company.

JAMES W. GRAY (Master in Equity), will sell this day, at the old customhouse, at 11 o'clock, lot of land east end of Alexander-street; also, lot of land with buildings, north side of Henrietta street; also, lot of land with buildings, north side of Line-street.

JAMES TUPPER (Master in Equity), will sell this day, at the old customhouse, at 11 o'clock, lot of land with buildings, southwest corner of Line and Percy-streets.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.—Mr. John H. Honour, the City Assessor, has notified all tax-payers that the monthly returns for November must be made and presented on or before the 15th instant. This duty should not be neglected, as a prompt compliance will relieve the city of some of her financial difficulties by enabling the officers to collect her just dues.

THE REDUCTION IN RATES for telegrams over the Atlantic Cable is now officially announced at the Charleston office, as follows: On messages for Great Britain or Ireland the charge for ten words or less will be $25, and for each additional word $2 50, and in addition thereto the present tariff to New York. Address, date and signature will be sent free if they do not exceed five words or twenty-five letters; any excess over five words or over twenty-five letters will be charged for.

EXPORTS TO NEW ORLEANS.—The long established house of T. Tupper & Sons, who were largely engaged in the Louisiana trade before the late hostilities, cleared at the Customhouse yesterday the first class schooner Maggie McNeill, Captain Snow, for New Orleans, with five hundred and forty-seven tierces of Carolina rice, and eighteen hundred bushel peas, being the largest cargo of the Carolina esculent shipped to New Orleans for some years. The Maggie McNeill is a fine vessel of two hundred and seventy tons, and is in charge of Captain Snow, an old and well known shipmaster here.

WILL IT PAY TO ADVERTISE?—If there is any one thing in ordinary business life which has been more satisfactorily demonstrated than any other one, it is that judicious advertising will pay, and yet, there is no point upon which the majority of our business men are so skeptical. Most of those who advertise, if they fail to have immediate responses, become discontented, and consider it is a mere throwing away of money. If every customer who is influenced by advertisements, were to announce the fact, at the time purchases are made, these skeptical ones would have their doubts removed.

AT THE Anniversary Communication of Solomon's Lodge, No. 1, A.·. F.·. M.·. holden at Masonic Hall on Monday evening, December 2d, A.·. L.·. 5867, the following brethren were elected and duly installed to serve for the ensuing Masonic year:

Brother W. J. BOWICK, W.·. M.·.
Brother J. McLEISH, S.·. W.·.
Brother R. H. WERNER, J.·. W.·.
Brother H. J. McCORMACK, Secretary.
Brother E. THAYER, Treasurer.
Brother GEO. ICARD, S.·. D.·.
Brother W. FISHER, J.·. D.·.
Brother W. C. COOPER, } Stewards.
Brother VICTOR C. PELLERIN, }
Brother J. F. BAIL, Tyler.

CHERAW AND DARLINGTON RAILROAD.—The fifteenth annual meeting of the stockholders of this company was held at Cheraw on the 19th inst. From the Treasurer's report it appears that for the fiscal year, ending 31st August, the gross earnings of the road have been $61,013.43.

Of this amount, however, there remains unpaid by the United States Government	$ 4,963.73
Giving as actual receipts	56,049.70
The report of the Superintendent shows that the operating expenses have been	39,072.02
And the nett income	16,977.68
While expenditures for and on property have amounted to	18,670.78

Subsequent to the meeting an election was held for President and Directors for the ensuing year, which resulted as follows:

President—Allan Macfarlan.

Directors—J. A. Inglis, C. Coker, J. W. Williams, B. D. Townsend, W. Godfrey, D. Malloy, A. McQueen, T. Smith, E. W. Charles, T. P. Lide.

THE THEATRE.—*Vive la Ballet.*—The Black Crook has now become thoroughly familiarized to the city audiences, and though the attraction still continues, it has taken another phase, and the question that now agitates the community is which of the leading female danseuses is the most perfect in her *role*. The retrenchment question and the depreciation of the city currency are all forgotten in this all-absorbing topic, and the theatre-goers are on the *qui vive* to decide who has won the laurels. It is only by personal observation that a correct opinion can be formed, and we advise all interested parties who wish to take a calm and dispassionate view of the subject, to visit the Black Crook and draw their own conclusions, without depending on the reports of others. The Black Crook has so many attractions in the ballet, the scenery, the singing and the acting, that the hours spent at the theatre are those of unmixed enjoyment, and will furnish the beholder with many pleasant memories in the time to come.

PASSENGERS TO ARRIVE.—The following are the names of passengers, as reported in the New York papers, which left that city on Saturday last in the steamship Champion, for this port, and which may be expected to arrive here to-day:

In steamer Champion, for Charleston, S. C.—Mrs. Tomes, Miss S. O. Tomes, Miss M. A. Tomes, C. N. Frankenstein, O. Aichel, wife, child and nurse, David Campbell, Alexander B. Campbell, I. A. Dill, S. P. Dill, C. E. Boardman and lady, G. I. Decker, P. W. Decker, Mrs. Anna Smaker, Adolph Riebald, D. Benford, Miss Benford, Adolph Tresselt, John Dorscher, P. F. Englebert, J. T. Shackleford, J. B. Eoyd, C. W. Denny, F. Connier, Miss Rosa, Madsm. Girard, Mrs. Pinkine, Hall F. Baldwin, William H. Hurlburt, Mrs. Forster, Joseph Lee, Richard Holmes, J. F. Anderson, Mrs. M. A. Anderson, Miss Kate Anderson, Miss Sarah Anderson, Master Willie Anderson, Samuel Harding, William Fitzgerald, M. W. Cleary, and eight in the steerage.

GARROTERS.—These disciples of Thug have heretofore confined their attentions to Northern cities; but a few adepts are now in this city, and have showed their hands in a very disagreeable manner to their unfortunate subjects. A few nights since a United States soldier attempted this pleasant garroting game on a citizen, and had succeeded in rifling him of his watch and money, when all further progress was arrested by a pistol which was placed at his head by a party who had witnessed the transaction, and who demanded a return of the stolen articles. This peremptory proceeding induced the gay garroter to comply instanter, and his victim found his property restored when he had given up all as lost. Carrying concealed weapons is said to be one of the deadly sins under the new code, but pistols are occasionally found to be of vital importance, and there are some persons who are bold enough to risk all consequences, and go prepared for all emergencies, by carrying a small shooting iron about their clothes.

THE DEARTH OF ITEMS.—From the rising of the sun to the going down of the same ye Local has been wandering over the city, seeking what items he might devour, but all has been vanity and vexation of spirit. Quiet has reigned supreme, the gentle wiles of Bachus have failed to lead men astray, and the morals of the city are delightfully salubrious. The Black Crook has absorbed all of the spare change, and while that continues to be the rage nothing unusual will be likely to occur. The whole city is in a beatific state of serenity, from which nothing can arouse it, and the Local who perambulates the town for items finds it an arduous undertaking, bringing only weariness to the flesh, and being a severe tax on his shoe leather. Localizing is at present a difficult business, requiring a fertile imagination, that can make a mountain out of a mole hill, and can magnify a street brawl into a fearful riot. The absence of all raw material is deplorable, but the uncomplaining Local sits like Patience on a monument smiling at Grief, and waits for better days, when something will turn up to his advantage.

FACILE DECENSUS AVERNI.—Science has demonstrated the fact that it is far easier to descend than to rise, but an example was furnished yesterday that puts all doubts at an end. Conductor Roumilat's car was on its down-town trip, when a colored passenger on the front platform, wishing to show his agility, leaped, but forgot the old adage "to look before you leap," and, instead of landing on *terra firma*, went into a drain opening that was conveniently near. Fortunately, he cleared the windlass, and his descent was only impeded by the bucket, which had just been filled with mud, preparatory to being raised. The sudden descent caused the windlass to revolve quickly, and the side of the car was scraped by the handle. This performance was extremely unpleasing to Mr. Roumilat, and he abused the workmen for their carelessness, but was somewhat surprised when they stated that it was the fault of his car, as a passenger had made the leap which caused the revolution. The car was stopped, and from out of the depths a doleful voice was heard crying for succor. The appeal was answered by several strong pulls at the windlass, and the bemired individual was speedily elevated to the light of day, but his former gay apparel was sadly dimmed by the sewerage, and the contrast was so great that he soon disappeared from the view, amid the laughter of the spectators.

LECTURE FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE WIDOWS' HOME.—The ladies who have charge of the Widows' Home, in Broad-street, have fortunately secured the valued assistance of Miss Bates, and that lady will read a lecture at the Home, this evening, on "Florence," the proceeds to be devoted to the institution. Miss Bates' attainments are well known, and from her familiarity with the subject she is enabled to present its most attractive features to her hearers. The Widows' Home is one of the most deserving charities in our city, as it appeals to the sympathies of all who battled for the lost cause. The widows, daughters and wives of deceased Confederate soldiers have not only been offered a home where they are comfortably situated, but arrangements have been made to render them further assistance, by which their exertions may bring them some support. To effect these desired ends the Directors have taxed all available resources and have appealed to a generous public to sustain them by their donations. The lecture this evening will be both entertaining and instructive, and those who attend will find that their mite given in the sacred cause of charity has brought its reward in the pleasure afforded by the performance of a good deed.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.—*Pavilion Hotel.*—G. M. Whilston, Fla.; C. K. Nemitt, Hernando, Fla.; A. D. Richardson, Fla.; F. Stellins, City; G. R. Branlady, Marion; J. P. Ladd, lady and servant, Greenville, S. C.; R. G. Christy, Edisto; A Kingsbury and lady, Edisto; J. B. Northrop and servant, City; C. J. Frank, Cheraw; R. Bratton, Fla.; W. P. Haisley, Miss.; J. G. Beck, Williamsburg; Jas. D. Singletary, Williamsburg; J. H. Quinn, Graniteville; W. H. Beldon and wife, City; George Wilcox, Michigan.

Charleston Hotel.—W. T. Lewis, Fla.; Miss Pool and Mrs. Moony, Fla.; J. B. Hubbard, City; J. H. Howard, N. Y.; J. W. Manson, Philadelphia; Isaac J. Newton, Fayetteville, N. C.; Mary M. Newton and Sarah C. Newton, Fayetteville, N. C.; Captain Thos. Anthony, Georgetown; L. P. Wagner and lady, St. James Santee; Lieut. F. W. Liedtke, St. John's Berkeley; S. S. Rumstead, N. Y.; D. McLaughlin, S. C.

Mills House.—Daniel Crawford, Columbia; W. P. Haisley, Miss; D. P. Goggans, Newberry; L. C. Hayt, N. Y.; Jno. S. Lyle, N. Y.; G. W. Amory, N. Y.; W. G. Perryman, Indiana; S. H. Hutchinson, Indiana; Jno. Getty, City; J. M. Clarkson, N. Y.; Lewis Jones, Edgefield, S. C.; Jno. Wright, N. Y.; W. L. M. Burger, John's Island; R. Hagedom, N. Y.; Major D. H. Llewellyn, N. Y.

THE ALLEGED CASE OF PICKPOCKETING.—As a matter of justice we publish with pleasure the following communication, merely remarking that our reporters are not responsible for erroneous information that may be furnished them:

To the Editors of the Daily News:

As I am a constant reader of your valuable paper, an article headed "picapockets" arrested my attention. It stated that one of the light-fingered gentry was collared on last Thursday night in Hibernian Hall, with a watch in his possession, but, as he said that the button of his coat had caught the chain, he was suffered to go. Now, as the above-mentioned circumstance may put me in a false light with those whom were present at the occasion, you will oblige me by giving this a place in your paper. On last Thursday night I went to the Theatre, but the doors were not opened when I arrived. When the doors were at last opened, everybody rushed to the ticket box or office. I among the rest. When I procured my ticket, I managed to get out of the crowd, my coat being pushed back. When I was half way up the stairs somebody called to me that I would lose my watch. I turned around, when the same gentleman took a watch from a button of my coat; the owner coming up immediately and claiming it, took the watch. I did not know anything of it until the gentleman took it from the button. Such is the true statement of the case. I think it very hard, and at the same time very wrong for your reporter to give the name of "thief" to an honest man, when he does not know the true statement.

LUER LUBEN,
No. 749 King-street Road.

CHARLESTON, Dec. 2.

MOST HORRID AFFAIR.—On Monday night last the dwelling house of Mr. C. D. Wallace, one of our oldest and most respected citizens, at Gopher Hill, at eleven o'clock, was found to be completely enveloped in flames. When the neighbors attracted, arrived, the house, which was a large one, was so completely enveloped that nothing could be done to stay the flames. Mr. Wallace resided alone, and was known to be at home, as he was seen by some of his neighbors, and heard calling his hogs after dark by others, but whether in the house or not could not be determined until next day, when his remains were found almost entirely consumed. From every circumstance, suspicion of foul play was aroused. The whole matter is in the hands of an inquest, and should an end be reached in time, we shall add the finding to this paragraph. Until then we forbear particulars. If there was one inoffensive and unoffending citizen in the District, and a man without an enemy, Mr. Wallace was that man. The following is the finding of the Jury of inquest: "That the deceased, C. D. Wallace, was feloniously killed by James Flynn and John B. Langley, by means unknown to the Jury, or by being burned in his dwelling house."

[*Cheraw Advertiser.*

BUSINESS NOTICES.

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If you want cheap Stationery, Envelopes, Paper, &c.; or, MILLERS' Almanac;

If you want Printing executed neatly;

If you want Books bound in any style, or Account Books made to order, with any desired pattern of ruling, go to HIRAM HARRIS, No. 59 Broad street.

BOARD OF TRADE.—Attention is called to the meeting of this Society this evening, as advertised in this morning's News.

GERMAN MEETING.—We have been requested to state that on to-morrow evening the Germans of our city will hold a meeting at the German Engine House, on matters of importance. Particulars in the Charlestoner Zeitung.

THE TIME TO INVEST.—Messrs. Murphy, Little & Co. advertise to-day their large stock of clothing at retail. $50,000 worth of clothes, of every kind, quality and condition, are offered to the public at greatly reduced prices, and the Christmas holidays should find none without a new coat. Messrs. Murphy, Little & Co. can be found at No. 161 Meeting-street, opposite Pinckney, and they are fully prepared to meet all demands that may be made on their stock.

LARGE AND UNRESERVED SALE OF SECURITIES.—Mr. John S. Riggs will sell, at 11 o'clock this morning, without reserve, a large number of valuable securities belonging to the Calhoun Insurance Company. This sale is one that should command the attention of all moneyed men, as the securities offered comprise Bank, Railroad, City and State stocks and bonds. Many of these securities are of considerable value, and were at one time in great demand. Considerable interest has been manifested in this sale, as the prices obtained will furnish some criterion of the present value of the different stocks.

For restoring strength and appetite, use the great Southern Tonic, PARENT'S HEPATIC BITTERS and you will not be disappointed. For sale by all druggists. tu

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What is TARRANT'S EFFERVESCENT SELTZER APERIENT, and what are its effects? These are questions which the great American public has a right to ask, and it also has a right to expect a candid and satisfactory reply. The preparation is a mild and gentle saline cathartic, alterative and tonic, and is most carefully prepared in the form of a snow white powder, containing all the wonderful medical properties of the farfamed Seltzer Springs of Germany.

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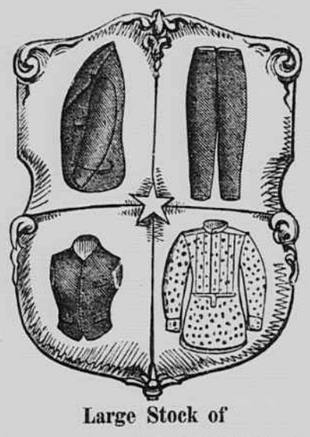

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November 16

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GREAT OPENING

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AT

GEO. LITTLE & CO.'S,

No. 213 King Street.

WE HAVE JUST OPENED OUR EXTENSIVE STOCK OF FALL AND WINTER CLOTHING, to which we invite those in want to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere. Our facilities are such that we can offer our stock of Ready-made Clothing and Furnishing Goods at such prices that will compare more favorable than any other house in the line.

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In addition to the above, we have on hand a very large stock of YOUTHS', BOYS' and CHILDREN'S CLOTHING, of all qualities. Parents will find it to their advantage to call and make a selection. Our sizes range from 3 years to 18 years of age.

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200 Gold Hunting English Levers	200 to 250
300 Gold Hunting Duplex Watches	150 to 200
500 Gold Hunting American Watches	100 to 250
500 Silver Hunting Levers	50 to 150
500 Silver Hunting Duplexes	75 to 250
500 Ladies' Gold Watches	50 to 250
1000 Gold Hunting Lepines	50 to 75
1000 Miscellaneous Watches, all kinds	50 to 100
2500 Silver Hunting Watches	25 to 50
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AUCTION SALES.

UNDER DECREE IN EQUITY.

Livingston vs. Hazelhurst et al.

THIS DAY, the 3d December instant, at 11 o'clock, will be sold, at the old Custom House,

All that LOT OF LAND situate on the East side of Alexander street, in the City of Charleston, measuring in front 52 feet, more or less, by 196 feet, more or less, in depth; bounding North on land of Dewees, East on land of Green and south on land of J. Nagle.

Terms cash. Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps

J. W. GRAY,
December 3 tu3 Master in Equity.

UNDER DECREE IN EQUITY.

Venning, Executor, vs. W. Rollin.

THIS DAY, the 3d December instant, at 11 o'clock, will be sold, at the Old Custom House,

All that LOT OF LAND, with the BUILDINGS THEREON, on the North side of Henrietta street, measuring 40 feet, more or less, in front, and 115 feet, more or less, in depth; bounding West on land of Ekhart, East on land of John M. Venning, and South on Henrietta street, North on ——.

Terms—One-third cash; balance in two equal annual instalments, with interest semi-annually, secured by bond of the purchaser, and mortgage of the premises. Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps.

J. W. GRAY,
December 3 tu2 Master in Equity.

UNDER DECREE IN EQUITY.

Venning, Executor, vs. Elizabeth Weston.

THIS DAY, the 3d December instant, at 11 o'clock, will be sold, near the Old Custom House,

ALL THAT LOT OF LAND, with the Buildings thereon, situate on the North side of Line street, Upper Wards of the city, measuring on the front and back lines each 30 feet, and on the East and West lines each 145 feet, be the said dimensions more or less, and known as No. 32, in a plat of forty lots belonging to the Estate of R. Limehouse, bounding East on land of Wharton & Petch, North on land of J. R. Stoll, and West on land of Sweek and others.

Terms—One-third cash; balance in one and two years, with interest from day of sale, semi-annually; the credit portion to be secured by bond of the purchaser and mortgage of the premises. Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps.

J. W. GRAY,
November 26 tu2 Master in Equity.

UNDER DECREE IN EQUITY.

Relief Loan Association vs. Walter, Trustee.

Will be sold, under the direction of the undersigned, at the old Custom House, THIS DAY, the 3d day of December, 1867, at 11 A. M.,

All that LOT OF LAND with the Buildings thereon, situate at the Southwest corner of Line and Percy streets, in Ward No. 8, in this city, known by the letter E in a plan of the lands of Peter Brandis, drawn by Robert K. Payne and dated 26th June, 1851, and attached to a conveyance of certain lots made by James W. Gray, Master in Equity, to John R. Dukes, measuring in front on Line street 31 feet 6 inches, in depth on Percy street 70 feet, on the South line 31 feet 8 inches, on the West line in depth 72 feet, more or less. Bounding North on Line street, East on Percy street, South on Lot B in said plan, belonging to John H. Fedtke, and West on Lot D in said plan, belonging to James Savo.

Terms—One-third cash; balance in one and two years, secured by bond of purchaser, with interest semi-annually, and mortgage of the premises. Buildings to be insured and policy assigned. Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps.

JAMES TUPPER,
December 3 th3tu1 Master in Equity.

IN EQUITY.

Dunlop et al. vs. Edings et al.

Will be sold under the direction of the undersigned, in front of the old Customhouse, on TUESDAY, 24th day of December, 1867, at 11 A. M.,

All that PLANTATION OR TRACT OF LAND on Edisto Island, containing about twelve hundred acres of high land, butting and bounding to the south on the Edisto River, to the east on the Atlantic ocean, to the north on lands of Mrs. James Legare, and to the west on lands of W. James Whaley, Constantine Bailey and E. M. Baynard.

Terms—One-fourth cash; balance in one, two and three years, secured by bond of the purchaser, with interest from day of sale, and mortgage of the premises. Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps.

JAMES TUPPER,
December 3 tu4 Master in Equity.

UNDER DECREE IN EQUITY.

E. C. Freeze, Executrix, vs. J. Goudkop, et al.

On TUESDAY, the 10th of December next, at 11 o'clock, will be sold, near the old Court House,

All that PIECE, PARCEL OR TRACT OF LAND, known as Freeze's Farm, situate on Charleston Neck, in Grove street, at the head of Rutledge avenue, measuring twelve and a half acres, more or less; bounding North and East on land of the estate of C. D. Happoldt, South on Grove street, West on land of Wasinger's.

Terms—One-third cash; balance in one, two, three and four years, secured by bond of the purchaser, with interest, semi-annually, until the whole debt be paid, and mortgage of the premises aforesaid. Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps.

J. W. GRAY,
November 26 tu3 Master in Equity.

UNDER DECREE IN EQUITY.

Police vs. Jefferson, et al.

On TUESDAY, the 10th December next, at 11 o'clock, will be sold, at the old Custom House,

All that LOT OF LAND, with the BUILDINGS THEREON, situate on the North side of Columbus street, in the City of Charleston, measuring in front 40 feet, and in depth 127 feet, more or less, bounding South on said street, East on land of T. W. Speissegger, West on land of Alice C. Guerry, and North on ——.

Terms cash; purchaser to pay for papers and stamps.

J. W. GRAY,
November 26 tu3 Master in Equity.

UNDER DECREE IN EQUITY.

O'Keefe vs. Duane.

Will be sold, under the direction of the undersigned, at the old Custom House, on TUESDAY, the 17th day of December, 1867, at 11 A. M.,

All that LOT OF LAND, with the buildings thereon, situate on the East side of King street, in this city, and known by the number 58; bounding North on lands of the estate of Yates, South on an Engine House, East on lands of the Baptist Church, and West on King street; measuring in front on King street — feet, and in depth from East to West — feet, more or less.

Terms—One-third cash; balance in three equal, successive, annual instalments, secured by bond of purchaser and mortgage of the premises, with interest from day of sale payable semi-annually. Buildings to be insured and policy assigned. Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps.

JAMES TUPPER,
November 26 tu4 Master in Equity.

UNDER DECREE IN EQUITY.

Gourdin, Executor, vs. Milliken.

Will be sold under the direction of the undersigned, at the old Custom House, on TUESDAY, the 17th day of December, 1867, at 11 o'clock, A. M.,

ALL THAT PLANTATION, situate on the West side of the Western Branch of Cooper River, known as "Mulberry," containing 467 acres, more or less, bounding North on Exeter Plantation, formerly the property of Alexander Broughton, now of John Nowell, West partly on said Exeter Plantation, and partly on Ekery Plantation, the property of Mazyck, South on South Mulberry, the property of the estate of Philip P. Broughton, and East on Cooper River.

ALSO,

All the undivided share of Thomas Broughton in a TRACT OF PINE LAND, containing about 1060 acres, lying to the West and in the neighborhood of Mulberry Plantation, which said Tract of Pine Land formed part of the Fairlawn Barony, and at the sale of the said Barony was bought jointly by the said Thomas Broughton, Philip Broughton, and Paul and Alexander Mazyck.

ALSO,

All the undivided share of Thomas Broughton in a TRACT OF PINE LAND, East of Black Tom's Bay, being the residue of a Tract of 480 acres after the conveyance by Thomas, the father of the above named Thomas Broughton, to Edward Trescott, of 240 acres thereof, resurveyed and divided May 7th, 1790, by John Diamond, Surveyor.

Terms.—One-third cash; balance in three equal successive instalments, secured by bond of purchaser and mortgage of the premises, with interest from day of sale, payable semi-annually. Purchasers to pay for papers and stamps.

JAMES TUPPER,
November 28 th3tu1 Master in Equity.

UNDER DECREE IN EQUITY.

Bulwinkel vs. Otten, Executor, et al.

On TUESDAY, the 17th December next, at 11 o'clock, will be sold, at the old Custom House,

All that LOT OF LAND with the Buildings thereon, situate at the corner of Tradd street and Bedon's Alley, measuring in front on Tradd street 23 feet 4 inches, and in depth 194 feet 6 inches, be the said dimenions more or less. Bounding North on land of Mrs. Conta, South on Tradd street, East on land late of H. Sommers, and West on Bedon's Alley.

ALSO,

Will be sold at Walhalla on the same day, All that SECTION OF LAND in Pickens District, near the town of Walhalla, being of the land bought by the German