## THE DAILY NEWS

AT LARGEST CIRCULATION .- THE DAILS PUBLISHES THE LIST OF LETTERS REMAIN-ING IN THE POSTOFFICE AT THE END OF EACH WEEK, ACCORDING TO THE PROVIS-IONS OF THE NEW POSTOFFICE LAW.

## LOCAL MATTERS.

AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

John G. MILNOB & Co. will sell this day, at No. 133 Meeting-street, groceries, drugs, perfameries.

No. 31 Broad-street, at 10 o'clock, furniture,

hardware, piano. CAMPBELL, KNOX & Co. will sell this day, at their auction hcuse, No. 55 Hasel-street, at 10 o'clock, dry goods, boots, shoes. McKay & CAMPBELL will sell this day, at their auction house, No. 136 Moeting-street, at - o'clock, hats, clothing, dress goods. R. M. MARSHALL & BRO. will sell this day, at No. 33 Broad-street, at 104 o'clock, horses, mules, buggy.

THE PURSER of the steamship Charleston has our thanks for kind attentions.

PERSONAL.-His Excellency Governor James L. Orrarrived in the city yesterday, and has taken rooms at the Mills House.

Mrs. Mary Gladstane, the new Star of the Templeton Troupe, is staying at the Charleston Hotel.

THE UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH .- A call will be found in another column for a meeting of the trustees of this institution, to be held in Savannah on the 1st of April. Bishop Green, the Chancellor, is endeavoring to push forward his arrangements with a view to an early opening.

COBONER'S INQUEST .- An inquest was held yesterday on the body of Toney Brooks, a colored prisoner in the jail. Toney had been arrested August 1st, 1867, for larceny, and sentenced November 8th, 1867, to one year's imprisonment in the penitentiary. He was found dead in his cell yesterday morning, and the jury rendered a verdict of death from pneu-

WE HAVE BEEN REQUESTED by Mr. J. N. Robson, to state that he has just received instructions to reduce the price of the Soluble Pacific Guano ten dollars per ton, on either cash or time sales in future-thus bringing it within the reach of all, and making it one of the cheapest manures offered on the market. Papers which have inserted Mr. Robson's

guano advertisement, will please copy this notice. THE STOCK AND MONEY MARKET .- MONEY is

still free, and the Bank rate has been reduced to one per cent. per month.

In the stock and share market there is considerable activity, principally in railroad and city securities. South Carolina Railroad and Bank shares sold vesterday freely at forty, being a rise of fifteen dollars since the annual meeting held last month. Charleston City stock sold at forty, an advance of twelve dollars, and State Bills were bought by brokers at eightysix. Late in the day there were sales of city stock at even higher rates. The tendency of the railroad market is still upward. In bank shares there has been no large amount of business.

OUR COTTON MARKET.-Cotton yesterday was quiet and prices somewhat lower. It must not be forgotten that Charleston is in advance of the Liverpool prices. Cotton bought at 25 cents here must bring 10gd. in Liverpool to clear waste, commissions on the other side, freight and general expenses. Cotton bought at 26 cents must realize about 11d. to bring the purchaser out without loss.

Association .- A meeting of this association was held on Monday night, at No. 11 Exchange street. The object of the meeting was to es-NEWS BEING THE NEWSPAPER OFFICIALLY tablish an association, by the aid of which the RECOGNIZED AS HAVING THE LARGEST CIR- members could secure employment, and the CULATION IN THE CITY OF CHARLESTON, shipping merchants and captains have a certain and reliable source of labor for unloading their vessels. Mr. Anthony Michaels was appointed chairman, and Mr. E. C. Prince as secretary. Resolutions were adopted, expressing a firm determination to carry out the object for which they had organized.

THE CHARLESTON WORKING MEN'S MUTUAL

THE COURT OF EQUITY-CHANCELLOB CARROLL PRESIDING .- The Court convened at the usual hour, and the case of Creasy vs. Bradwell was N. HUNT & Son will sell this day, at their salesroom, No. 142 Meeting-street, at 10 o'clock, boots, shoes, gaiters. MILLIGAN & Son will sell this day, at wharf foot of Hasel-street, at 11 o'clock, sloop Eliza

MATOR'S COURT .- "The slaughter of the in-nocents" has produced a beneficial result, and the attendance at the court yesterday morning was comparatively slim.

Eliza, a colored damsel, who had a fondness for sweet things, insinuated a stick into the bung hole of a sugar hogshead on Accommodation wharf, and was complacently sucking the same when interrupted by the police. Eliza liked sugar, and did not wish to leave her "treasure trove," but, after some resistance, was constrained to accompany her captors. She was charged \$10 for her raid, with the option of going to the sugarless workhouse

for ten days. Two juvenile colored pugilists, who had probably read poetry and were endeavoring to emulate Roderick Dhu and Fitz James, were unseasonably interrupted before the contest was decided. The street not being a proper arena, they were fined \$5 each for the brawl.

Three mariners, who went "down to the sea in ships," and then got half seas over on land, were picked up in a wrecked condition. The salvage was \$10 for one and \$5 each for the others.

An individual who got drunk on fighting whiskey and charged the police, was charged \$20 in return. Another, who drew it milder.

escaped with the loss of a V. The owner of a night soil cart that leaked in the streets, was fined \$5 for the first and \$25 for the second leakage.

THE UNITED STATES COURT-HON. GEORGE S. BRYAN PRESIDING .- The court convened at the usual hour.

In the Circuit Court-On motion of John Phillips, Esq., defendant's attorney, the Fieri Facias in the case of Alexander Sutherland and W. D. Johnson ads. the United States, was stayed until the meeting of the United States

Circuit Court for South Carolina. It was ordered that Francis J. Pelzer, of the firm of E. H. Rogers & Co., do pay into court the amount of his bid at the sale in Orangeburg on the 4th instant, and that Messrs.

Macbeth & Buist be served with a notice to show cause, on Monday next, why the money should not be paid to the plaintiff on account of their judgement.

In the District Court-The following applied by the respective coursel, and referred to

Henry Summer, Registrar. W. E. Clary, of Edgefield; Messrs. Jones & Jones, solicitors.

James O. Duckett, of Laurens; Messrs. Simpson & Simpson, solicitors. In re Thomas A. Chappell, a bankrupt, and

Kingsmore & Chappell. E. R. Kingsmore having acknowledged the firm to be bankrupt. on motion of Garlington & Suber the firm were adjudged bankrupts.

Ex porte Patrick H. Keenan and A. Greenleaf. In re C. M. Rose vs. Robert Beaty & Co. On motion of John Grimball, Esq., it was ordered that the Marshal show cause, on March 20th, why the proceeds of a tract of land, sold under execution to Keenan & Greenleaf, are hibited in the result found shape in promises, not paid over.

CITY FINANCES-IMPOBLANT TO TAX-PAYERS,-The recent change in the Mayoralty caused a slight depression in city stock, but the rigorous policy pursued by the present incumbent, a fact of quotations here being higher and his evident intention to better the munithe Chair, and Council proceed to busicipal finances, created a healthy reaction, and Present-Aldermen Ravenel, Gerdts, city securities are now daily appreciating. ness. Small, O'Neill, Steinmeyer, Olney, Oakes, Mayor Cogswell is determined to keep the Honour, Marshall, Enston, Whilden, Butler, wheels of the city government in motion, and Courtenay, and Pringle. he knows that the only motive power is green-Sundry applications for licenses were read backs. Taxes are due the city, and they must and referred to the Committee on Licenses. be paid, or the defaulters will suffer. The last The petition of Mr. Joseph Hilton, Foreman tax bill made no provision for further interest of Hook and Ladder Company No. 1, was read. accruing on back debts, but arranged that the This petition stated that the house at present taxes are to be paid in tri-annual instalments. occupied by the company was entirely unfit for The first of these falls due this month, and if the purposes intended, as being small and out the tax-payers respond promptly, about \$150.of order. It was also stated that the company 000 will be received. A large portion of this could secure a suitable house at No. 159 Marsum will doubtless be paid in city bills, but a ket-street. The petition was signed and apsufficient quantity of greenbacks will be seproved by M. H. Nathan, and was referred to cured to keep the municipal machine in runthe Special Committee on the Fire Departning order. City bills are now almost as scarce ment. as the mythical hen's teeth, and it is confi-The petition of Mr. P. Brady and others to dently expected that the entire circulation will have a well at the corner of Line and President be called in during the present month. The streets cleaned. Referred to the Committee various taxes that will be paid in March will on Streets. amount in the aggregate to a considerable

A DARE LANTERN PARTY-THE RADS AFRAID OF NEWSPAPERS-THEY SIT WITH CLOSED DOORS-"THE LIBERTY OF THE PRESS" ILLUSTRATED-GENERAL R. K. SCOTT THE NEXT GOVERNOR-LIVELY TIMES AREAD.

The Nominating Convention.

Agreeably to the call of the State Central Committee, the delegates to a convention for the purpose of nominating State officers assembled immediately after the adjournment of the "Constitutional Convention," B. F. Whittemore in the chair by virtue of his office as Chairman of the State Central Committee.

On motion of L. S. Langley, J. J. Wright was chosen President pro tem. W. J. McKinlay! was appointed temporary

Secretary. .. On taking the chair J. J. Wright (colored), of Beaufort, made a short address explanatory

of the object of the convention, and expressive of the hope that the body would act prudently. wisely, and well, because upon their action depended the future success and stability of the party

W. J. McKinlay, of Orangeburg (colored), then moved that the hall be cleared of all spectators, and no one be allowed on the floor except delegates to the Constitutional Conven-

F. L. Cardoza sustained the motion, and it being agreed to, the reporters were compelled to vacate the premises. So that our readers and the people generally will be debarred from the knowledge of things said and done in this Secret Star Chamber, until matters have been cut and dried into presentable shape.

It is the first time in the political history of any State in the Union that a body which claims to owe its existence to the people themselves have dared to shut their doors and hide

from public observation and criticism. P. S.-MIDNIGHT,-The latest information we have from the Nominating Convention is that the permanent organization is as follows: President, W. J. Whipper (colored), of Beaufort; Secretaries J. H. Rainey (colored), of Georgetown, and J. K. Jillson (white), of

Kershaw. A heavy fight took place on the admission of the Orangeburg delegation. The delegates from that district claimed the place of honor, but, after much discussion and hullabalooing,

the old regime was crowded out, and the new admitted. The convention proceeded to ballot for Governor. The first was informal, and resulted as follows: For General R. K. Scott, 61; for T. J.

Robertson, 54. Speeches were made pro and con, and the second ballot caught the scattering votes as follows: Scott, 68; Robertson, 51.

More fillibustering-another ballot-result a nice speech from Dr. Neagle, of York, and the withdrawal of the name of T. J. Robertson.

the claims of candidates for Lieutenant-Governor. The name of J. J. Wright (colored) was circulated extensively, but, as we go to press, the understanding is that Lemuel Boozer, of cations of voluntary bankruptcy were present- Lexington, is the favorite nominee. Judge Boozer is an old member of the legislature

> than any man in the convention fitted for the position. ON THE STREET. Until long after midnight, the excitement

connected with the nominations was unabated. Grave citizens and "men about town" considered the occasion of sufficient importance to keep them out of their beds, and until a late hour curiosity was rampant to learn the names of candidates for whom the suffrages of the "unwashed" are expected. Friends of the several nominees vibrated with industrious pertinacity between the Club House and the neighboring gas lights; and the interest ex-

REQULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL rum of Aldermen being present, Alderman

Courtenay moved that Alderman Ravenel take

The Committee on Accounts made a favorable report upon sundry accounts. Adopted. The Committee on Assessments made the following report on the resolution adopted on the 18th ult., as to the reports in circulation that there was a large quantity of real estate in the city not on the tax books:

In the city not on the tax DOOKS: That they are of opinion that the rumors were unfounded, except so far as the property owned by the several railroad companies and religions and charitable societies. The latter are exempt by an ordinance ratified June 29th, 1793. As to the cause of exemption of railroad property, they will confer with the City Attor-ney and report to Council at a future meeting. Alderman Barrand gave notice of a bill to Alderman Ravenel gave notice of a bill to prevent and punish any indecent exposure or improper conduct, and asked that it be con-

sidered its first reading. On motion Council then adjourned. Mayor Cogswell was under the impression that Council met at 7 o'clock, and did not go to his office until that hour.

HOTEL ARBIVALS .- Charleston Holel .- Lorenzo Navodreicht, City; Captain Frisbie, bark Cyclone; A. A. Laramore, Lincolnton, Geo.; J. Neul, Augusta; M. Y. Cawama, L. S. Montett, New Jersey; W. D. Simpson, Laurens C. H., S. C.; N. O. Kennedy, Wm. Miles, S. R. Todd, Laurens; Mrs. Mary Gladstane, H. P. Kingsland, Ed. de Beixeday, Mr. and Mrs. Liver-

more, New York; John C. Petrie, Athens, Geo.; Col. G. A. Williams and family, U. S. A.; B. F. Williamson, Darlington; D. Mallory, Cheraw; J. P. Wilson, Darlington; S. M. Dinkins, Sum-ter; J. B. Hubbard, New York; W. Godfrey, Walterbore; T. R. C. Cathcart, Florida; S. F. Dearing, Georgia; Seth P. Miller and wife, Worcester, Mass.

Mulls House .- Mrs. G. W. Burgen, New York; Alexander Reed, Toledo, Ohio; Mrs W. Stevenson, Augusta; Ga.; John A. Barksdale, Laurens; Governor James L. Orr, South Carolina; C. D. Tylee, Mrs. L. H. Tylee, Mrs. B. W. Wilde, and Mrs. A. Suydam, New York; J. L. Flemming, Baltimore; William L. Cole, New York; W. A. Colclough, S. C.; J. Buckingham and wife, Chicago; R. K. Delafield, Mrs. Delafield, Miss Delafield, M. R. Delafield, R. P. Buck, Mrs. Buck, Miss Buck, and Miss Spofford, New York; Miss Watson, Miss Eustis, F. A. Eustis, and John C. Roper, Boston; J. L. Stephenson and wife, Pennsylvania; Dr. Chas. H. Suydam, New York; W. H. Galloway, Darlington; Charles Loyam, Columbia; Z. E. Harrison and wife, Marion, S. C.; P. A. Walsh, Co-

lumbia, S. C. Pavilion Hotel-A. P. Manville, Barnwell, S C.; S. G. Hay, Barnwell, S. C.; Alex. Reed, Toledo; R. Powsley, Vermont; J. T. Fleming, A. R. Mixon and J. A. Willis, Florida; D. J. Pruyn, Baleigh, N. C.; Ezra Eady, Marion District, S. C.; W. H. Griffin, South Carolina; George L. Choisey, U. S. Army; J. J. Nettles, Northeastern Railroad; D. W. Haines and A. Withington, Florence, S. C.; Dr. Charles E. Cooke, Unionville, S. C.; P. Harrington, Columbia, S. C.

LUCRETIA BOBGIA, at the Theatre last night. drew a very full house, and the general verdict was that Mrs. Gladstane is an actress of no ordinary merit. To-night we are to have Ingonar, with Mrs. Gladstane as Parthenia. Se-

## BUSINESS NOTICES.

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If you want cheap Stationery, Envelopes Paper, &c.; or, MILLEB's Almanac; If you want Printing executed neatly; If you want Books bound in any style, or Ac count Books made to order, with any desired pattern of ruling, go to HIBAM HARBIS, No. 59 Broad-street.

THE BALTIMORE STEAMERS .- From causes be yond control the steamship Sea Gull was de-tained from Friday, on Which day, she cleared with a full cargo at Baltimore, until Monday, P. M., when she sailed for this port. She will leave here on Saturday next; freight will be received to-day. The steamship Falcon will follow the Sea Gull, and may be expected to arrive here about the end of the week. Hereafter shippers will be assured of regular and frequent trips. BEOKERAGE AND COMMISSION BUSINESS .-We invite attention to the card of Mr. J. Y. Westervelt, which appears in another column. Mr. Westervelt has hung out his shingle at No. 35 Broad-street, and is prepared to conduct a general brokerage and commission business his specialty being the collection of rents and other dues. His previous acquaintance with this business has enabled him to promise to his friends and customers fidelty, promptness and dispatch in the discharge of any commis sions he may receive. We commend him to public patronage. Dry Goods, Etc. DIRECT IMPORTATION. -JAMES McCORD'S 4-4 SUPERFINE FRONTING LINEN. For sale at WM. MCCOMB & CO., March 10 DRY GOODS. NEW YORK. SPRING IMPORTATIONS, 1868. ANTE-WAR PRICES, FOR CASH. WE ARE NOW RECEIVING AND OPENING OUR we shall be pleased to show to buyers. We will make it to the interest of both Jobbers and Retailers



NOTICE. SALE UNDER FORECLOSURE OF MORT-GAGE.

I will sell at public auction, before the old Postoffice, at the corner of Broad and East Bay streets, TO-MORROW, 12th fnnt, at 11 o'clock 5. M., A CLOSE CARRLAFE, selzed upon by me under 2 mortgage from John Clausen to C. D. Franke. Terms cash. March 11 Agent of Mortgagee.

UNDER DECREE IN EQUITY. W. B. Minott vs. Fripp, Administrator.

MENTS. HEADSTONES, &c.

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Europe or America. JOHN R. HERIOT. Jr., Agent.





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cure your seats early. If you want cheap Blank Books;

predilections, bets, and "drinks all 'round." Mayor Cogswell not appearing, and a full quo-

General Scott was therefore nominated by acclamation. The convention next proceeded to consider

familiar with parliamentary law, and more

than corresponding quotations in Liverpool is accounted for by the belief that prices are still advancing, this belief being based upon general information as to the Southern crop prospects which has not yet been received in England but which is current on this side.

ST. MICHAEL'S CLOCK .- After weeks of anxious expectation, it has been decided that St. Michael's clock is to be repaired, and the contract has been awarded to Mr. Summer, a popular horologist. Mr. Summer has made a clock, and the committee te.' confident that he can mend one. They have decided that his offer is the best, and if the municipal red tape is not too binding, the work will soon be commenced. The contract has been made for \$875, and the contractor binds himself not only to repair the damages and regulate the striking, but to wind the clock for one year. Among the applicants for the contract were blacksmiths, wheelwrights, gas fitters, and others not acquainted with the business. The committee exercised their discretion, and have, we trust, made a wise selection.

REAL ESTATE SALES .- Messrs. Wardlaw & Carew sold yesterday, at the old Postoffice, the two and a half story wooden building on the cast side of St. Philip-street, southeast corner of McBride's Lane. The house is on a high brick foundation, and contains four square rooms, with attics and basement; the outbuildings are spacious, and built of brick. The lot measures fifty feet front on St. Philip-street, and two hundred and fifty feet deep. Terms, \$2975-one-third cash; the balance in one and two years.

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at the hours named : Messrs. Leitch & Bruns sold for Master in Equity, James W. Gray, two plantations in Date. | Hour.| Christ Church Parish. The "White Hall" Mar. 14 10 A.M. Burnes, James A..... Mar. 14 11 A.M. Stivender, David..... Mar. 14 11 A.M. Till, Irvin A..... measuring six hundred acres. Terms, \$2500one-quarter cash; balance in one and two Mar. 14 9 A.M. White, R. G. ....... Georgetown Mar. 14 1 P.M. Dezs, Semman. Mar. 14 1 P.M. Ervin, John W...... Clarendon. Mnr. 16 10 A.M. H.L., W.H & T.A. Jeffers Charleston. years. The "Bee Hive," measuring five hundred and twenty-nine and one-half acres of high land and nine hundred acres of marsh. Terms, \$3150-one-third cash; balance in one and two years.

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BILL OF MOUT LITYReturn in the City of Clarleston for the March 7th, 1868.			Mar. 17 11 A.M. Darage, Faile St Charleston. Mar. 17 1 P.M. Ottolargui, Isruei Charleston. Mar. 17 12 M. Lifrage, W. J. J Salter's. Mar. 17 2 P.M. Braiwell, Ravenel S. Manning. Mar. 18 9 A.M. McLiveeu, P
	WHITES	BLACKS OR COLORED	Mar. 18 10 A.M. Gayle, John H
DISEASES.	Adults		Mar. 18   9 A.M.   Gale, J. H.   Clarendon.     Mar. 18 11 A.M.   Harvin, John H.   Clarendon.     Mar. 18 12   M. Lessene, H. H.   Clarendon.     Mar. 18 2 P.M.   Mackey & Baker.   Charleston.     Mar. 18 3 P.M.   Odum, Eli   Darlington.     Mar. 19 9 A.M.   Hugkson, Wm. E.   Sumter.
Brain, Ramollissement of Carcer, Uteri Consumption. Convulsions, Pereperal Dropsy, from Cardiac Disease Fever, Typhoid Lungs, Hemorrhage of Old Age Preumonia Tetanus, Traumatic Total		$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Mar. 19 10 A.M. Hume, E. G
RECAPITULATION : Whites, 5; Blacks and Colored, 8-Total, 13.			Mar. 2011 a.M. Rembert, James E Sumter. Mar. 21 10 a.M. McLcod. Wade H Sumter. Mar. 21 II a.M. James, Wm. W. B Sumter. Mar. 21 9 a.M. Easterlin, Howell Orangeburg.
AGES: Under 1 year of age 0 Between 50 and 60 yrs. 1 Between 1 and 5 yrs 3 Between 60 and 70 yrs. 1 Between 5 and 10 yrs 0 Between 70 and 80 yrs. 0 Between 10 and 20 yrs 0 Between 80 and 90 yrs. 0 Between 20 and 30 yrs 3 Between 90 and 100 yrs. 1 Between 30 and 40 yrs 2 Over 100 years of age 0 Between 40 and 50 yrs 2			Mar. 21 12 M Johnson, Peter. Mariboro'.   Mar. 21 1 P.M. Weils, Irby S. Sumter.   Mar. 21 9 A.M. Trim, Wm. J. Charleston.   Mar. 27 10 A.M. Gaskin, John. Flat Rock.   Mar. 27 12 M. Branch, Daniel W. Hampton.   Mar. 27 1 P.M. Green, Joseph I. Charleston.   Mar. 27 2 P.M. Ford, Stephanns. Georgetown.   Mar. 27 3 P.M. Levin. Nath'. J.T.
Office of City Registrar, March 10, 1868. GEORGE S. PELZEB, M. D., City Registrar.			Mar. 28 9 A.M. Fanning, John C Orangeburg. Mar. 28 10 A.M.   Argoe, Ed Orangeburg. Mar. 28 11 A.M.   Phillips, Joseph W Orangeburg.

The petition of Caroline Mertens to complete sum: but the terms are now as fixed as the repairs of her house in Coming-street was relaws of the Medes and Persians-cash up, or property sold by the sheriff. The latter func-

The petition of Engine Company No. 6, coltionary has received strict orders to levy on all ored, asking to be admitted in the Fire Dodefaulters, and if the money is not forthcompartment, and be allowed the use of the house ing this week, a large sale will be announced formerly occupied by Company No. 4, at the in Monday's NEWS. All who dislike such newscorner of Washington and Inspection streets, paper notoriety, should commence the study was referred to the Board of Fire Masters. of finance immediately, and try to raise the Sundry bills from the Orphan House, Gas

Company and others were referred to the Com-NOTICES IN BANKRUPTCY .- Meetings of the mittee on Accounts. creditors of the undermentioned bankrupts, to The return of the City Sheriff for February, prove debts and choose assignees, will be held showing a receipt of \$8015.06; and the return at the office of the Registrar, Hon. R. B. Car-

of the Harbor Master for February of \$614.14, were received as information. The petition of Lieutenant Hendricks, of the Detective force, to be allowed to cut a window

in the cast wall of his office, was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings. The petition of Mrs. Mary Cooper, for relief from taxation, was referred to the Committee

on Relief. The unfavorable reports on the petitions of W. H. Collius, druggist, for drugs furnished to poor, and of Mrs. N. B. Whitney, for damage done to her house by a mob, were accepted.

The Committee on St. Michael's Clock reported that they had engaged the services of Mr. Summer to clean and repair the clock: also to repair the chiming and striking appa-Wright's Bluff Manning. ratus of the same, the entire work to be guaranteed for three years, for the amount of \$875. The winding of the clock was also included from one year from completion of the work. The Committee on Streets reported an expenditure of \$2,888.73 from 21st December to 20th January, and \$2,922.98 from 21st January to 20th February. The Committee on Licenses reported favorably on the application of W. D. Henness for a transfer of H. Wickers' No. 2 license.

Adopted. The Committee on City Lands made a report recommending that the City Treasurer be authorized and instructed to employ a competent collector to take charge of the houses which became the property of the city under tax sales, and lease them to good tenants, paying the rents into the City Treasury when collected. Adopted. Tho same committee made a report recom-

men ing an extension of the lease on the lumber pond at the west end of Broad-street, to Mr. E. W. Brodie. for a further term of two years, Adopted.



City Advertisements. CHARLESTON ORPHAN HOUSE. ON THURSDAY NEXT, THE 19TH INST., THE Board of Commissioners will enter into an Electic n for SYEWARD and MATBON of the above Applications must be left with the Steward at the CITY TAXES-MONTHLY RETURNS. OFFICE OF THE CITY ASSESSOE, CITY HALL, March 2, 1868. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL CONCERN-ED, that the Monthly Beturns, for the month of February past, in compliance with the tax ordi-dance, ratified on the 28th of January, 1868, must be unde on or before the 15th instant. nade on or before the 15th instant. TAXES ON THE FOLLOWING ARE PAYABLE MONTHLY: On all sales of Goods, Wares and Merchandise. On all gross receipts of all Street Railroads. On all gross receipts of all Express Companies. On all sales at Auction. On all sales at Auction. On all Carriages and Buggies. On all income derived from the pursuit of any faculty, profession, occupation or employment. On the gross rece pis of all Commercial Agencies. On all commissions received by Factors, Commis-sion Merchants, Bankers, Brokers, and others. all premiums received for or by any Insurance any, or by agencies for individuals or com-On all gross receipts of all Gas Companies, and ther manufacturing companies located in this city. On every Horse and Mule used or hept within the city, excepting horses or mules used in any public licensed carriage, cart, dray, or other vehicle. On all Retail Dealers in all articles whatsoever. On all Retail Dealers in all articles whatsoever. On all Hucksters and Barber Shops. On all gross receipts of Hotels and Public Eating and Boarding Houses. On all receipts of Livery Stable keepers. On the gross receipts of Cotton Presses. On the gross receipts of all Printing Offices, News-papers and Publishing Houses. On all Goods sold in the city by persons not resi-dent, by sample or otherwise. dent, by sample or otherwise. On all sales of Horses and Mules brought to the On sales of Stocks, Bonds and other securities. On the gross receipts of Magnetic Telegraph Com. panies. On the gross receipts of all Tavern Keepers and Liquor Dealers. All the defaulters will be dealt with as the ordi-nance directs. March 2 14 City Assessor. MERCHANTS AND BUSINESS MEN

MERCHANTS AND BUSINESS MEN WHO DESIRE TO SECURE TRADE FROM With rich Cotton country, Southwest Geor-gia, would do well to advertise in the "DAWSON JOURNAL," An old-established newspaper, published at the fourishing little city of Lawson, in the heart of this rich Cotton belt. Having the largest circulation of any paper in this section, it offers extra induco-ments to advertisers. ###Published weekly at \$2 per annum. Adver-tising rates moderate. ELAM CHBISTIAN, December 11 Dawson, Ga.