THE DAILY NEWS.

LARGEST CIRCULATION .- THE DAILY NEWS BEING THE NEWSPAPER OFFICIALLY RECOGNIZED AS HAVING THE LARGEST CIR-CULATION IN THE CITY OF CHARLESTON, 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 SALE THIS DAY. A. C. McGilliviax will sell at 10 o'clock, at the old Postoffice, a mule, steam engine, cotton

MEETING THIS EVENING. Home, Loan and Building Association, at 70'clock

THE THEATRE.- The fascinating romance of "Foul Play," dramatized by Barry Watkins, was given to a good house last night. The same bill will e enacted again to-night.

THE REVIEWS .- We have received from Mr. Russell, King str. et, the Quarterly and Edinburgh Reviews for October, as well as Blackwood for De-

THE MARINER'S CHURCH.-There will be services in the Mariner's Church, Church-street, tomorrow, Sunday, at half-past ten o'clock in th morning, and half-past three o'clock in the after

THE WIDOW'S HOME. - The Board of Control for the Widow's Home gratefully acknowledge the following donations for the Home: Colonel Hunt, three bags potatoes; Mrs. Kirkpatrick, two bags potatoes; Dr. J. Palmer, a bag of potatoes and one box groundnuts; a donation of coal, name unknown; a round of beef, from Mr. Dunning; In Memoriamfor the Widow's Home, from a widow, \$5.

A RICH PICTORIAL.—The Christmas number of the London Illustrated News is a wonderfully entertaining pictorial for the holiday time. In addition to the large wood cuts, which are unusually numerous and beautiful, a supplement is given containing a spirited picture of . Dick Wittington," handsomely printed in oil colors, which is alone worth three times the cost of the paper. A few copies may be had at John Russell's bookstore.

HABEAS CORPUS. -A question arose on this writ before Magistrates Dingle and Mackey yester day, as to the legality of a commitment made by Wm. E. Mikell, Esq., in consequence of his no having been commissioned under the new law. The matter was not decided, a continuance being asked by the defendant, represented by E. B. Feabrook, Esq., to eaable him to obtain the evidence of the clerk of the court. The hearing will be had today at one o'clock. B. C. Pressley, Esq., appeared

ST. PETER'S (COLDRED) CHURCH.—The first anxiversary of the dedication of this church will occur on Sunday next. The first mass will be at seven, and there will be solemn high mass at nine o'clock, at which the Right Rev. Bishop Lynch will preach. In the aft moon, at four o'clock, there will be a distribution of premiums by the bishop to the pupils of the Sunday school, and the service: will onclude with a Te Deum and Benediction. A collection will be taken up for the beneat of the church.

CLUBS AND STARS .- The following is an abstract of the guardhouse docket for yesterday: Susan Hudson, a well-known female tipler, was picked up yesterday, in Calhoun-street, on "the same eld drunk."

Bichard Johnson, colored, was lodged for striking Benjamin Moultrie, colored, on the head with a brick, corner of Broad and Mazyck streets. Benjamin Moultrie was detained for interfering with Johnson. John Pratt was too drunk in Market-street to take

PUBLIC SCALES. MARKET-STREET, January 1, 1600. - Report of coal weighed at this office for December: C. W. Seignious, 817 tons; H. F. Baker & Co., 189 tons; F. P. Seignious, 118 tons; Budd & Blake, 162 tons; J. S. Herlbeck, 86 tons; Ravenel & Co., 54 tons; L. Deitz 60 tons; Wm. John:on, 1914 tons; J. Tienken, 14 tons. Total, 950½ tons.

Calhoun-street Public Scale -Report of coal weighed at this office for Docember: Wm. Johnson, 4814 tons; F. P. Se'gneus, 30% tons; C. W. Seignieus, 17% tons; Wm. Ravenel, 9 tons. Total, 105% tons.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.-George, an old colored man, acting as porter and night watchman at the Mansion House, Broad street, yesterday afternoon fell from the piazza on the second floor to the ground, and strange to say, sustained no other injury than a fracture of the sternum, and a luxation with slight fracture of the thumb at the first joint. He received immediate assistance from Dr. Stonelake, a guest in the house, and soon afterward from Drs. Thomson and Ravenel. Although insensible from the fall, he soon recovered from the shock, and is doing as well as can be expected under the circumstances. George was a very efficient and faithful servant, and has the sympathies of all who know him.

HOTEL ARRIVALS, January 8 .- Pavilion Hotel.-W L Carmichael, Celumbia; N E Hall, Northeastern Railroad; John Keenan, New York.

Charleston Hotel.—Geo E Boggs, Columbia; J P Beach, Augusta: H C Chisolm, D More, New York; Goodwyn, Fort Motte; John B Russell, Florida; L blows received in a fight on the streets; he lost Burke, P B Berry and wife, Mrs Dr Sewall, New York; " J Baster, Baltimore; Dr J W Parker, Washington; D D McKenzie, Wilmington; W F Peck, Jersey City; Geo W Townsend and wife, Buffalo, N Y; W E Smith, Rochester, N Y; D McDowall, George garden. Rusher, Geo Woodward, E Parsons, Geo Parsons, John S Long and whe. New York; Alfred Engel, Melbourne, France; M L Bonham, S C; John Thomas, New York; J H Clark, Canden; W H Gibbons, New be presented to a popular young physician, who is Jersey; John Barran, Leeds, Eng; C G Swan, New about to leave Charleston.

MEETING OF THE CONGREGATION OF ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH.—A meeting of the congregation of St. John's Lutheran Church, Rev. Dr. Bachman Pastor, was held at the church yesterday afternoon, at four o'clock. There was a large attendance of the male corporators-Mr. J.cob schirmer in the chair, and Mr. Theodore A. Smith rotting secretary. The streets. chairman opened the n ee ing with a few pertinent remarks, and read the report of Mr. R. G. Chisolm on the subject of the Assisiant Pastorship. A letter | Henrietta-street, is being carried through Calhoun from the venerable pastor was read, stating his long connection with the church, and the necessity of procuring assistance in consequen o of his declining years and growing infirmities.

On motion of Dr. Liias Horibeck, the vestry was authorized to obtain the services of the Rev. Dr. Hicks, for the space of six months. At the sugges tion of Henry Cobia, Esq , the call was made unanimous, although there was no dissenting voice to the first motion. After some other matters had been disposed of, a meeting of the vestry was held to carry out the instructions contained in Dr. Horl- to-morrow morning, on the fifty-fourth anniversary beck's metion.

United States Court, January 8-Hon. George S. BRYAN, TRESIDING .- The following cases

in bankruptcy were disposed of : Ex parte John B. Midall and Wm. J. McLeod. Petition for final discharge. Certificates signed.

Ex parte John H. Mai oney. Perimon for discharge. Final hearing 28th January, 1869. Exparte James P. Adams, in re Mcultrie Weston

Pe'ition for invo'untary bankruptey. Debtors show cause on 8th February why prayer shall not be. Ex parte Louis McLain, assignee, in re Jos. I. Green vs. J. E. Adger & Co. Petition on equity side of bankruptcy. Petition ordered to be dis-

Ex parte L. C. Chappell and Thomas M. McCutch en. Petition for final discharge. Registrar reported favorable and certificate signed. Ex parte T. B. Clowney, assignee, in re G. C. Mil-

missed.

ler. Petition for sale of real estate. Order of sale

Ex parte J. C. Strange, in re J. C. Burgess, Pe tition to establish lien. Order of sale granted. Ex parte J. G. Pressley. J. McCutchen, T. D. M. Byrd, Wm. Cooper, in re J. McCutchen. Petition to establish lien. Order of sale granted. Court adjourned.

THE EDUCATIONAL CENSUS .- We are informaed that the colored men whose visits and inquiries tween the ages of five and fifteen.

Ladder Company, No. 2, held at their hall, on Friday evening, January S, the following officers were elected to serve for the eusuing year:

J. C. LACOSTE, Foreman. W. H. MORRIS, Assista: t Foreman. GEORGE McLAIN, Secretary.

S. WEBB, Treasuret. C. H. Tift, Truck Keeper. Committee on Finance—T. L. Davidson, W. H. Mor-is and C. H. Tift. Committee on Letters—James Moore, Henry Nugent and S. Webb. attee on Charity-J. C. Ripley, H. Nugent and

CHARLESTON RIFLEMEN CHARITABLE ASSOCIArtox -The anniversary of this ancient society (founded in 1806), was celebrated last night-officers lected—and an elegant supper served, done up in Tulley's best style-at the hall, southwest corner of Market-street, keeps the only exclusive furnishing King and Liberty streets. The following are the fficers elected for the ensuing year:

*Re-elected.

At nine o'clock the company and invited guests sat down to pay their respects to the good things furnished by Tulley. Toss's were drunk, songs sung, and jokes cracked until a late hour.

PIONEER STEAM FIRE ENGINE COMPANY OF xmen. -The anniversary meeting of this officient company of firemen and axmen was held last evening at the Market Hall, and the following officers vere elected to serve for the ensuing year;

elected to serve for the ensuing year;
T. S. O'BRIEN.* President.
WM. KNOX, Vice-President.
M. F. NIXON, First Director.
W. MINNI-S, Second Director.
H. C. CARNAGHAN, Third Director.
V. G. PRICE, Fourth Birector.
J. C. SIGWALD, Chief Engineer.
Assistant Engineer.
F. J. GREEN, Socretary.
L. CAN IWELL, Treasurer.
J. E. BURKE, Solicitor.
Surreon.

GEO. HUGHES, First Axman. J. M. PRICE, Second Axman. D. R. TODD, Third Axman. W. COX, Fourth Axman.

*Vice E. D. Enston, declined. After the regular business of the meeting was ended, Mr. Wm. Kuox, in behalf of the company, presented to the retiring president, E. D. Ensten, Esq., a rich and beautifu! silver jew-l, consisting o bar, from which depended a trumpet, crossed axes, a fire hat front with the engine and date of organization, 1801, engraved thereon, around which two sections of hose and pipes are wreathed; the waole resting on a rosette. The jewel is of exquisits workmanship, and was made by Mr. A. W. Lewin, at the establishment of Mr. James Allan, Kingstreet. The engraving is in Mr. Wm. Fisher's usus faultless style. Mr. Knox was extremely felicitous in his remarks,

referring to Mr. Enston's long and faithful service to the company, and the regret experienced in parting with him in an efficial relation.

Mr. Enston spoke very feelingly in reply, assuring the company that he appreciated their sentiments, so happily expressed by the secretary, and warmly reiprocated their kindness, shown substantially in the beautiful testimonial. After the presentation was concluded, the company, with the invited guests and representatives of the press, repaired to "Kreeg's." Wentworth-street, where they discussed an elegan array of viands. Speeches, toasts, song and mirth succeeded, and the company did not disperse until a

REPORTERS' CRUMBS .- Mrs. G. W. Alexander will give one of her fashionable soirees at Ma

ommendably prompt in this matter.

A flo: Ilia of dugouts and batteaux, filled with ragDANIS, Drawley,
Drop Lights,
ARGAND BURNERS,

ged black and white boys, is kanging on the skirts of the fruit schooner on Atlantic wbarf. Butterfield has put nest ironwork in front of the

windows of the Pavilion Hotel, on the Meeting-street

The south side of Hasel-street has been put in preparation for the new covering of asphaltum. General Howard has appointed Dr. W. K. Hoga to succeed Colonel Jas. P. Lowe on the commission on planters' bonds. It will get to work in earnest on Monday. The commission has nothing to do

with planters' contracts with employees.

Colonel Edie and General Horace Neide are the chool commissioners for South Carolina, to continue the (du-ational department of the Freedmen's Bureau, as long as the fund in Washington lasts. A couple of negro boys had a severe fight on East

Fay yesterday over a trifling amount of cotton. James Rion was carried to the city hospital night L G Bigger, Manning; Miss A Wann, Columbia; A D before last with his head badly cut from office's of considerable blood, but was otherwise unhurt. The "crystal palace," going to rain at the cornof King and Queen streets, would make an excellent music stand for the bittery and ornament the

A teautiful silver pitcher, with goble's to match, and an elegant gold headed walking stick, are on exhibition at Carrington's, King-street. They are t

Car loads of Prolin clay, in cashs, are arriving by

the South Carolina Railroad daily.

R. M. Marshall & Brother sold yesterday \$3500

worth of Greenville and Celumbia Railroad bonds, State guarantee, with coupen at ached, at fifty-two. Goulding, the pedestrian and athlete, will go through a number of strange feats to-night, at the Adger Building Hall, corner of King and Marke A sloop, capable of carrying seventeen cords of

wood, built by the Pregnall Brothers in their yard in street on rollers, to be launched in the river. An advertiser in THE NEWS wants to borrow from

\$5000 to \$6000 on real estate. The Adiance Iscaelite Universelle will meet at the Hebrew Hall to-morrow morning at ten e'clock. On Wednesday night last a lady lost, in Ringstreet, a brown fur victorine. The finder can leave it at the "Big Boot," King-street.

The Orphan House wants estimates for furnishing pread, beef, pork and yeal, for the year. Dr. Hicks will preach in Dr. Bachman's Church of the pastor's connection with the church. The trees in the city look stylish in their new

dress of whitewash. Yesterday there was one steam hip, eight ships, eleven barks, four brigs and sixteen schooners in this port, and eighteen vesse's of all kinds bound for

The arrivals of cotton for the week show a gain in long staple and a heavy decline in uplands. The public are cautioned against trading for drafts drawa by W. P. Massey, February 12, on W. C. Bee

Mr. J. A. Robinson, Venning's wharf, has a bateau and sails to sell. Fine milch cows are for sale at No. 67 Canuon-

An advertiser in THE NEWS has a good piano to

& Co., of this city, in favor of C. B. Lucas.

street. Furnished sleeping rooms can be had by gentle

men at No. 324 King-street. The watchman at Chislom's Mill has a dug-out coat which he picked up in Wappoo Gut. The own

er can get it. Magistrate Jacoby, George's Station, South Carolua Railroad, has a dark bay mare mule in his posession, believed to have been stolen by one Roberts. If the owner does not apply for it, it will be sold on

ILLNESS OF EX-GOVERNOR PICKENS .- We learn from the Edgefield Advertiser that Hen. F. W. Pick at private houses were noticed in a late issue of THE ens is lying seriously ill, at Edgewood, his home, a News, are verifable consus-takers, acting under the mile from Edgefield village. For two months Gov authority of the School Commissioners of Charles- ernor Pickens has been afflicted with some subtle ton County, who, by a recent act of the Legislature, | nervous affection, of which great difficulty of breathwere directed to take a census of all children be- ing seems to be the chief outward sign. Dr. Hill, of Edgefield, and Drs. Steiner and Campbell, of Augusts, are in attendance upon him; and though they HOOK AND LADDER, No. 2.—At the forty-third | do not consider the case by any means hepeless, yet anniversary meeting of the Charleston Hook and they all concur in the opinion that it is a very curious and a vary critical one.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

NEW AND NOVEL GAS FIXTURES.-Mr. P. L. Guillemin, No. 140 Church-street, has on hand a fine assortment of porcelain shades and argund burners -the latter economizes gas and prevents flickering, and the former are a great protection to the vision He has a "novelty" called the Grecian bend fixture which is decidedly neat notwithstanding the "crooked" name. Mr. Guillemin is a competent and reliable workman, and deserves paironage.

THE STAR SHIRT AND FURNISHING EMPORTUM. Mr. B. Scott, Mceting-street, second door above establishment in town. His store is a great accommodation to the gentlemen of the city, and is well officers elected for the ensuing year:

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F. EUGENE DURBEC, * Scoretary and Treasurer.
Rev. W. S. BOWMAN, * Chaplain.
C. DAYEGA, * M. D., Surgeon.
J. W. MAUREY,
A. KOENCKE,
Committee on Finance. — Jos. G. Martin, Job Dawsob, H. Beinean.
Committee on Finance. — P. England, T. E. Clyde,
W. D. Goetjen.
Hall Committee. — R. LeRoy, A. W. Lewin. J.
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der wil give one of her issnionable solrees at Massenic Hall, this evening.

Whilst the whitewashing and felling of the trees in streets are roing on, The News suggests that the live ones be trimmed.

Northern drummers are as plentiful in town as blackberries in June.

East Bay, near the old Postoffice, is undergoing necessary repairs. The City Inspector has been commendably prompt in this matter.

A flotilia of dugouts and batteaux, filled with rag-

Porcelain, Mica, Paper and Tin Sasder, Glass Globes and Shades, Copper and Iron Pumps, Bath Tubs, Parlor and Bed-room Grates, Kerceene Lamps, &c., &c., at reasonable prices.

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WHAT BRICK POMEROY DID WRITE AND WHAT HE DID NOT WRITE. Fight o'clock, and he is not here vet! How dreary this little room does seem, and I am so lonesome! Ten o'clock. How I wish he would come It is so lonely here with the children asleep! Once he loved to stay with me, but now, alas! Twelve o'clock, and I am so tired, I cannot sleep! My heart aches and grows sad. I am growing old, per haps. May be my face is not as fair as once, but my

heart is as warm, though it is often sad.

Nervous, jaundiced, low spirited, weak, or are you sick and don't know what ails you; then try Plantation Bitters and our word for it, it will cure you.

ONE O'CLOCK. What charms can he find in that foul-scented room, by that dusty table, cutting and dealing those dusty cards, filling himself with poison, tainting his breath, ruining his mind, undermining his constitu tion, planting seeds of disease, squandering hi money, clouded with smoke, tired with excitement, Is this happiness? is this life? Is this our mission? Oh! I am so tired, do come home.

PLANTATION BITTERS. This delicious cordial and fine tonic is now hailed by thousands as the great health giver and restorer. Resolve to buy a bottle, and don't sleep on

"DO YOU GO DOWN TOWN TO-NIGHT, MY PET ?" "No darling. I have labored enough to-day. Why should I flee from home, from happiness, from thee' Life is full short to love-too short to squander. I love the photograph of my leart too well. No darling, my heart is here; here let me keep it company."

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Are they who mind their own business. Find a happy man er woman, and the affairs of another trouble them but a little. It is none of your business if the minister kisses one of the sisters, or one of the sisers thus silutes the minister. It cannot effect you when a man you know calls on a girl you don't know, or one you do. What if there is kissing behind the door, in tunnels, and when the night is dark at the vestibule of the church, or even ever the gate. Would you not do the same thing if the chance was offered?

A WINE GLASS FULL Of Plantation Bitters, taken three times a day, before each meal, will make the flame of life again burn

brightly, and illuminate a once wretched existence. For ladies it is an elegant and gentle stimulant, just such as they require.

"I WENT TO THE LAND OF STEADY HABITS." I wanted to hand several "bricks" down to posterity, and was told by father that with a New Engand girl for a wife, I could raise more children, grow more onions, skin more cels, sing more psalms, know more of what was going on in the neighbor hood, hear more scandal, sleep less nights, have more relatives, cat more beans, love myself and hate others more, and get more out of a dollar, than any other sort of woman in this happy country so-called.

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AND HE HAD A FEMALE CHILD, Whose name was Hexa Brightwater, and who was twenty-nine years old; who wore red stockings, red garters, metal tipped shoes, green spectacles, and the prettiest red hair the world ever set eyes on or into. Hexa, a true New England gal, chewed wads of pine gum, and sweetened her broth with onlons. Hexa-wasn't so much handsomer than a doll as to make the coll faint, but she was intelligent; in fact, intelligence was her best hold but one; she was grea og making baby garments, and had her trunks full. packed away, that she might be ready as willing when the evil hour drew nigh, as she trusted it would from year to year.

IF THE LADIES BUT KNEW What thousands of them are constantly relating to us, we candidly believe one half of the weakness prostration and distress experienced by them would

 $\label{eq:continuous} \text{JAMES MARSH}, \ E^{\pm} \varrho \ ,$ No. 153 West First-treet, New York, says he has three children. The first two are weak and pury, his wife having been unable to muse or attend them; but she has taken Plantation Bit ters for the last ten years, and hos a child now 18 months old, which she has nursed and regod berselt, and both are benty and well. Plentation Bitters is invaluable to mothers.

VARIETH, MY BOY, Here comes a man who was once tich. He had trief ds, and money, and a loving family, and posi-tion, and it fluence, and self-respect, and integrity, and a future of asciulness before Lim. But, my boy, he den't look like it now. He was elected to an important office. He forgot the lessins his good mother taught him, and was asked by designing politicians to sell his vote to a party of swindlers; he could not for the life of him give ariiculation to that little word, and so be felt.

HOW OFTEN DO WE HEAR THE COMPLAINT, From mother and father, that the son or daughter is not well; that they have no appetite; that they feel languid; that the head aches all the time; that they are growing thin and feeble, and that they have no life nor energy lett. And the questions are often asked. What shall I do for them? What shall I give them? Our answer is, let them try Plantation Bitters moderately, three times a day, and our word for it they will recover.

AND HERE VALTER. IS A YOUNG MAN,

Just like you and us, my boy. He has wit, sense education, intelligence, friends, ambition, and is loved. He has a knowledge of the world, acquired by mixing with its people. He has ambition and the same field in which to win honor, fime and distinction, as had Franklin, Fulton, Morse, and a host of others. He is naturally smart, but, Valter, my boy, as he meets us do you see the excess of mois ture in his eye, the little puffy ridge under it, the gradual turning of the beautiful corners of the mouth, his mother so loved to kiss. These, my boy, tell a sad tale of early shipwreck, of disease, of pre mature death, of noglected and squandered gifts.

December 7

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Anction Sales.

Public Sale. BY A. C. McGILLIVRAY, Auctioneer.

Under a foreclosure of mortgage from — to—, I will expose, at public sale, THIS DAY, the 9th instant, at 10 o'c'ock A. M., precisely, infront of the Old Postoffice, 1 BLACK MULE,

Immediately after the above sale, at Storehouses on Boyce's South Wharf,

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Will be sold, at Public Auction, at the Old Poetof-fice, on TUESDAY, January 19, 1889, at 11 e'clock, 4500 (forty-five hundred) SHARFS of the Capital Stock of the COLUMBIA AND AUGUSTA RAIL-BOAD COMPANY, in lots to suit purchasers. Conditions cask. stubsmtu6 January 9 UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S SALE.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA—SOUTH CAROLINA. DIS-TRICT. Harriet Harrison vs. J. S. Thompson and

L. J. Patterson.

L. J. Patterson.

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias to me directed, issuing out of the Honorable the Uni ed St. tas Circuit Courf for the District of South Caroina, I will expose for sale to the highest bidder, at public auction, at Camden, Kershaw County, on MONDAY, the first day of February, 1869, being the first Monday of the month,
All the right, title and interest of the defendant in and to the following Property. to with ONE HOUSE.

All the right, this and interest or the detendant in and to the following Property, to wit: ONE HOUSE AND LOT, situated at Liberty Hill, in Kershaw, containing seven (7) acres, adjoining lots of R. B. Cunningham, estate of Wyatt Patterson, Wylle Patterson, and others. The improvements consist of a fine two story Dwelling, containing eight square rooms, and other necessary outbuildings; the yard is well ornamented with the finest shrubbery and evergreens. TRACT No. 2, known as the "Beaver Creek Tract,

TRACT No. 2, known as the "Beaver Creek Tract," situated in Kershaw, containing fourteen hundred (1400) acres, more or less, six miles east of Liberty Hill, adjoining lauds of James S. Thompson, estate of D. D. Perry and others; about one hundred and fifty (150) acres in cultivation; land well adapted to cotton and cereals. Improvements, consist of those usually found on a cotton plantation, such as cribs, stables, outhouses, laborers' cabins, &c. &c.

TRACT No. 3, known as the "Perry Tract," situate in Kershaw, near Liberty Hill, containing two hundred and fifty (250) acres, more or less, adjoining lands of James S. Thompson, Daniel Kirkland, and others, minety (92) acres in cultivation. The improvements consist of those usually found on a plantation adapted to raising cotton, corn, &c., &c.

TRACT No. 4, known as the "Mill Place," situated in Kershaw. The three-fourths (3-4) interest of defendant in thirty (30) acres of land, more or less, with an overshot mill in running order capable of grinding 76 bushels corn per day, adjoining lands of James S. Thompson, Gard or Collins and others.

TRACT No. 5, known as the "McMillan Place," in Kershaw, containing one hundred (100) acres, more or less; thirty-five (35) acres in cultivation, with some improvements, adjoining lands of James S. Thompson, J. A. Bye and others.

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TRAOT No. 6, known as the "Russell Place," in Kershaw, containing eight hundred (800) acres, mere or less, ninety (90) acres in cultivation, adjeining lands of estate of Wyatt Patterson, estate of McMillan and others. This place is well improved as a cotton and grain farm, such as gin house and screw, grain houses, &c.

houses, &c.

TRACT No. 7, known as the "Summervillo Place,"
in Lancaster County, situated twenty mits from
Lancaster Courthouse, and two miles from I liberty
Hill, containing eleven hundred (1100) acres, more
or less, adjoining lands of estate of John Perry, Wiley
Patterson and others. One hundred and fity acres
in cultivation, with the ordinary improver an's of a
section and early farm, fencing in seed o. in cultivation, with the ordinary improver an's of a cotten and grain farm; fencing in good o. .r.

TRACT No. 8, known as the "Fleming Place," situated in Lineaster County, ten miles from Lancaster Courthouse, and ten miles from Liberty Hill, containing four hundred (409) aeres, more or less; one hundred and fifty (150) acres in cultivation; adjoining lands of Fleming, Mackey, estate of Bailey and others. This place has all the improvements of an ordinary farm for cetton and small grain.

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On WEDNESDAY, the 3d of February, I will sell,
The following PERSONAL PROPERTY at Liberty
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28 head of prime MULES, 2 Horses, about 50 head
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&c.. &c.

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Lavied on as the property of L. J. Pattersen, defendant, at the suit of Harriet Harrison, plaintiff.

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January, 9

Sale Under Foreclosure of Mortgage of Personal Property in the Mercury Office, at

On TUESDAY, the 12th instant, at 12 o'clock, will be sold, in lots as follows:
Contents of Engine Room: one PORTABLE FOUR-HORSE STEAM ENGINE AND BOILER.
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January 8

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