

CITY AFFAIRS.

Auction Sales This Day.

Louis D. DeSaussure will sell at 11 o'clock, at the Old Post-office, lot of land and dwelling.

Meetings This Day.

R. W. Grand Encampment, at 7 P. M. Solomon's Lodge, at 7 P. M. Board Trustees of P. Society, at 7 P. M.

THE CHEAPEST YET.—The News Job Office is now printing bill-heads in the best style and on the best paper.

THE PHOENIX.—Our lively contemporary, the Columbia Phoenix, celebrates the New Year by a conscientious examination of its sheet.

ST. PETER'S CATHOLIC FAIR.—This fair has been so well attended during the past week that it has been determined to continue it until Wednesday next.

BLACK MONDAY.—Christmas is over, 1869 is numbered with the past, and Black Monday dawns to-day. The "old high tide" enjoyed during the holidays renders the return to the thrum of school or work-a-day life somewhat irksome.

GRAND MASQUERADE BALL.—Our friends of the Friendschaftsbund, who are always so successful in devising and carrying out schemes of social enjoyment, are getting ready for a grand masquerade ball, to come off at the Old Post-office, on the evening of the 3d of February.

DEPARTMENT OF THE SPANISH FLEET.—The fifteen Spanish gunboats that have been anchored at the battery for the past few days went to sea on Saturday morning.

CHARLESTON TYPOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY.—At the semi-centennial anniversary of the Charleston Typographical Society, held on the 1st instant, the following officers were unanimously elected for the ensuing year.

Rev. THOMAS SMITH, D. D.—This venerable and learned divine, who for forty years has been the pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church of this city, was on Saturday last the recipient of a testimonial of affection from his congregation.

MASONIC ELECTIONS.—At a regular convention of Washington Chapter, No. 24, R. A. M., held at Bamberg, S. C., December 28, 1869, A. L. 5869, the following officers were elected.

HALF-RATE MESSAGES.—The Western Union Telegraph Company will receive messages at and for all stations on the lines, East of the Mississippi River and west of the Province of New Brunswick.

THE NINETEENTH CENTURY.—The January number of this magazine was issued on Saturday, and contains an article by Judge Longstreet, on Governor Perry's Sketch of the Life of Calhoun.

SHREDS OF STATE NEWS.—The Orangeburg News says that there has been a great rise in the Edisto. The whole swamp is under water.

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NEW YEAR'S DAY.—THE EMANCIPATION CELEBRATION.—New Year's Day in Charleston passed off with marked quiet. It was very generally made the occasion as usual of social and family parties.

A VALUABLE PIECE OF REAL ESTATE.—Special attention is called to the advertisement of a sale under decree in equity, by Hutson Lee, auctioneer, on to-morrow, 4th instant, at 11 o'clock.

SAVE YOUR MONEY!—How? By purchasing your stationery at the Hasel street Bazaar, opposite the Synagogue.

ONE QUIRE INITIAL note paper and envelopes to match, forty cents. Hasel street Bazaar, opposite the Synagogue.

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Clothing and Furnishing Goods.

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MENKE & MULLER, No. 325 KING STREET, Three Doors below Liberty street.

Have just received and opened a large and fine assortment of Men's Youths' and Boy's CLOTHING, FURNISHING GOODS, &c.

Our stock has been selected with great care, and is of the most fashionable and useful.

CIGARS, TOBACCO, &c. NO IMPOSITION!

R. L. MORILLO, Manufacturer of Havana and Domestic CIGARS, and dealer in TOBACCO, Snuff and Pipes.

J. MADSEN'S CIGAR MANUFACTORY AND WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TOBACCO HOUSE.

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HOLIDAY GOODS.

AVISITOR. Once said if we only knew where the resident citizens make their purchases there we should get well served.

A DIRECTORY. The ladies who desire the latest styles of fashionable Head Dressing, Caps, Collarons or Braids, &c.

For Hair Dyes and Regenerators, nearly all the best of the kind, at the lowest prices.

In fact, all who require genuine goods from the following houses: Society Hygienique, Bailey's, &c.

As also, Venis Goods in their line from every reputable manufacturer in the States.

FINE ARTS. AT THE HASSEL STREET BAZAAR. (OPPOSITE THE SYNAGOGUE).

CHROMOS! CHROMOS! CHROMOS! CHROMOS! CHROMOS! CHROMOS!

THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF FRAMED CHROMOS. Ever seen in Charleston.

PRICE FROM FIFTY CENTS TO TWENTY DOLLARS. FIFTY CENTS TO TWENTY DOLLARS.

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Apply in person or by letter to JAMES G. HOLMES, JR., General Agent for South Carolina.

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LAST CASH DIVIDEND (FIFTY) 50 PER CENT. POLICIES IN FORCE \$25,000,000.

Annual Income 800,000. Losses Paid 500,000.

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KEIM & ISSERTEL, General Agents for South Carolina and Georgia. Office No. 40 Broad street, Charleston, S. C.

Auction Sales—This Day.

SHERIFF'S SALE. By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias, will be sold at 11 o'clock, at the Old Post-office, lot of land and dwelling.

By RIPLEY & CREIGHTON, Auctioneers. FIRST CARGO VERY CHOICE NEW Crop Clayed Molasses.

We will sell THIS DAY, January 2d, at 11 o'clock, at the Old Post-office, lot of land and dwelling.

By LOUIS D. DESAUSURE. LOT OF LAND AND DWELLING, DUBOIS EGGLESTON, WM. J. EGGLESTON vs. MARY E. EGGLESTON, AND OTHERS.

In pursuance of an order of court in this cause, docketed at auction, at the Old Post-office, Charleston, S. C., to the highest bidder, THIS DAY, the 3d of January, 1870, at 11 o'clock.

All that LOT OF LAND, with the wooden Dwelling House thereon, situated on the north side of Warren street, west of Thomas street.

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Auction Sales—Future Days.

By J. A. ENSLOW & CO. CHOICE NEW CROP MOLASSES. Will sell WEDNESDAY MORNING next, 6th instant, at 11 o'clock, alongside schooner T. C. M. 100 hds.

By A. C. McULLIVRAY, Auctioneer. UNDER DECREE IN EQUITY. WM. M. BAILEY, et al, vs. CHARLES G. WILEY, et al.

Will be sold on THURSDAY, 6th day of January, 1870, at 11 o'clock, at the Old Customhouse, 4111 1/2 clock A. M.

All that PLANATION or TRACT OF LAND situate on the north side of Broad street, in the City of Charleston, measuring and containing 200 acres, more or less.

Terms—One-third cash; balance on a credit of one year, with interest thereon, at the rate of seven per cent. per annum.

By HUTSON LEE, Auctioneer. BELL VS. THE BANK OF SOUTH CAROLINA. On TUESDAY, 4th day of January, 1870, will be sold at the Old Customhouse in Charleston.

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