Meetings This Day.

Washington Lodge, at 8 P. M.

Union Light Infantry Charitable Society, at 8 P. M.

Charleston. County Agricultural and Horticultural Society, at 8 P. M. Marion Pire Engine Company, at half past

Auction Sales This Day.

A. C. McGillivray will sell at 11 o'clock, at the old Postoffice, real estate.

John G. Milnor & Co. will sell at 10 o'clock, at their store, linen drills, shoes, &c. Laurey & Alexander will sell at 10 their store, strips, hams, &c.

PERSONAL .- Hon. J. P. Reed, of Anderson, arrived in our city yesterday.

FIRST OF THE SEASON. -Yesterday Messrs Kanapaux & Gonzales shipped North by the steamship South Carolina, the first suapbeans of the souson. They were raised by Mr. Wm. Lucas, of this city.

OPPOSITION TO WHITTEMORE.-E. J. Snetter has nominated J. H. Rainey, colored, State senator from Georgetown County, as a candidate for Congress to fill the unexpired term caused by the resignation of Whittemore.

A FULL CARGO AND PASSENGER LIST .- The superior steamship South Carolina left for New York last evening with a very large cargo, in facthe largest in bulk ever cleared by steamer at Charleston for that port. Every state-room was occupied, some seventy or eighty passengers from this city and the interior being hansomely accommodated in her splendid deck cabins.

A Good Move .- Messrs. W. C. Whilden & Co. and A. H. Hayden will close their stores at 2 o'clock on Saturday afternoons, from May 14th to October 1st. This is a good move, and it would be well for all of our merchants who can do so to emulate the example, and thus give their employees an opportunity, which they seldom have, of enjoying week day fresh air.

THE SOUTH CAROLINA MAILROAD ACCIDENT. The jury summoned to hold an inquest over the body of little Mishew, who was killed by the railroad collision last Sunday afternoon, was in session yesterday, and a number of witnesses were examined. As there are many more witnesses to be examined, it cannot be definitely stated when the verdict will be rendered.

Joshua Mishew, the father of the little boy who was killed, is in a critical condition from wounds received at the same time.

THE WORKING OHRISTIAN.-This interesting and copular religious and family newspaper, published at Yorkville, S. C., has been removed to Charleston. The next number will be issued from this city next Tuesday. It is the ergan of the Baptist denomination in South Carolina. The enterprising editor, Rev. Tilman R. Gaines, has added to the editoria, strength of the paper the names of Rev. Dr. Reynolds, of Columbia, and Rev. L. H. Shuck, of Charleston, and has an able corps of contributors from other parts of the State.

BOLD BURGLARY-FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS WORTH OF GROCERIES STOLEN.-Night before last a daring burglary was perpetrated at the store of Mr. P. Wehmann, corner of Laurens and East Bay streets. The burglars forced a door on Lau rens street, which was fastence! with an iron bar two and a half inches in diameter, and then proneeded to help themselves to tea, coffee, sugar rice, whiskey, &c., carrying off altogether about four hundred dollars' worth of groceries. Mr. Wehmann complains that a policeman is never seen in his neighborhood; certainly there could have been none thereabouts at the hour of the burgiary. The police force is, it seems to us, suf-Sciently large to patrol the entire city and prevent such a depredation as above described.

CRUMBS,-The committee of Council, appointed to revise the jury lists have, we learn, completed their work.

County Agricultural and Horticultural Society will take place to-night-The parents of Richard Singleton, colored, have

had him arrested for stealing money from them. M. B. Delaney, colored, aide-de-camp to Governor Scott, has been serenaded by the Delaney Rife Guards, a colored company of this city.

Priday Nixon will be carried up to the penitentiary to-day. The steamship Tennessee, Captain Chichester, left New York yesterday at quarter-past 3 P. M.

with a full freight. Until further notice the Skating Rink will be open every morning from 10 to 12, exclusively for ladies Admission and use of skates free.

A VERY HANDSOME COMPLIMENT.-The following letter has been forwarded to H. T. Peake, Esq., by the delegation which represented the Ootton States Agricultural Association, in the South Carolina Mechanical and Immigration Con-

AUGUSTA, GA., May 6, 1870. H. T. Peake, Esq., General Superintendent S. C. R. R., Charleston, S. C .:

R. R., Charleston, S. C.:

DRAK SIR—The undersigned delegates from the "Cotton States Mechanic and Agricultural Fair Association," of Augusta, Georgia, to the Agricultural, Mechanical and Immigration Convention, letaly held in your city, bear to thank you for placing at their disposal, your very luxurious "special car." This unexpected contribution to their comfort will be greatly remembered by each and all of us.

We have learned with genuine regret that you are about to retire from the position you have filled for so many years, with rare ability, and that you have determined to remain in retirement. Permit us to hope that you will reconstuer this, and consent to entertain any call to a position in which your administrative talent and progressive policy will be manifested in a wide field of nsefuness.

With sincere good wishes for your future health

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J. W. MEREDITH,
JOHN OSLEY, JR.,
W. A. BEALL,
W. C. BEALL,
W. CRAIG,
THOSES. MORGAN,
J. M. TURPIN.

THOSES. MORGAN, J. M. TURPIN, ROBERT Y. HARRISS, GEO. A. WHITSHEAD. UNITED STATES COURT-HON. GEORGE S. BRYAN, JUDGE, PRESIDING .- The following busi.

ness was disposed of in the Circuit, District and Admiralty Courts yesterday: Circuit Court In the case of Thomas Branch and Fred. R. Scott, of Virginia, and Thomas P. Branch, of Georgia, copartners, as Branch Sons & Oo. vs. Reuben Tomlinson, James W. Grace et

al, of South Carolina, a motion for injunction was made. After a short hearing, the case was continued until to-day. District Court .- Ex parte W. G. Mazyck-appli-

eation for a copyright of a production entitled "The Cradle and the Grave." The application was granted. Ex parte J. E. Adger & Co., creditor, in re Wm

H. Haywood et al-petition to establish lien. Petitions referred to Registrar Carpenter, to re-Ex parte J. Lebby & Sons, in re Owen P. Fitz-

simmons—petition to establish lien. Petition referred to Registrar Carpenter. In re John T. Sloan, bankrupt. The Judge ap-

proved the appointment of J. N. Brown, of Anderson, as assignee. Ex parte D. T. Vaughan-petition for final dis-

charge from bankruptcy. Referred to Registrar

In the case of the United States vs. David R. Williams, charged with being physician in prac tice without paying license sax, a noile prosequi

was entered Admirally Court.-The case of Charles Relegia t. M. owners of the Ark, vs. schooner Francis THE SCHUTZENPEST.

Stray Shots at the Riflemen-Target Practice by the Ladies-Distribution of Prizes by Captain Melchers.

sent, to be given up to recreation, and between

came and went, discharging their living freight

and taking in those homeward bound, and be

tween footmen, cav aliers and carriages, the sur-

roundings were an aspect decidedly gay and

If the immense throng within the grounds did

Amusements were untiring in their efforts to

please, and at proper intervals trotted out bri-

gades of little urchins, who, for a consideration,

were made to go through with anties that tickled

the diaphragms of spectators. Individual mem-

bers of the Rifle Club likewise exerted themselves

to promote the object of the festival, namely, en

tertainment, and all present were made to real-

ise the freedom of the place, the absence of re-

straint, and the hearty purposes of the occasion

If the visitor loved music, he found gratifica-

tion in listening to the strains of Muller's Band:

in the great hall; panoramic views of the peripa

tetic humanity thronging the grounds, he could

secure from the broad piazzas; quiet, he could ob

tain in the shady recosses of the old oak groves

natural history, he could study among the mon-

keys and trained mice; tete-a-tetes and perambu

lating firtations were but natural outgrowths of

the scene; sandbars in the throat were washed

away by ever-nowing streams of lager; and of

eating, there was no end-the only drawback

being that Nature did not create man with a tast-

ing apparatus extending from his head to his

To those interested in marksmanship, the tar

get exercises were naturally the chief attraction,

and the shots indicated a degree of skill on the

part of a majority of the olub, which proves that

the German of to-day has in no wise lost the art

Peeping into the shooting shed (for only mem-

bers of the Schutzenverein are a imitted there,

you are struck by the order which prevails and

the system by which each bullet's work is record

ed against the name of the person by whom it

You see big rifles and little rifles-rifles hoary

with antiquity, with old-fashioned stocks and bar-

rels; rifles bright with polish, and fresh from the

hands of Happoldt, our Charleston gun maker;

rifles with bores as big as your thumb, or no big-

ger than a good sized pea; and you see too the

folliest, best natured, biggest hearted Germans in

Charleston-true types of the Fatherland, and true

representatives of our most valued adopted citi-

Yonder, for instance, is Torck, the heavy-

breasted, round-bodied restaurateur, who makes

a practice every year of shooting out "bull's

eyes" and carrying away crowns. Whether he

holds a majority of moral sunshine or lager under

his shirt buttons, is a point that has never been

There also is Happoidt, a keen, grey-eyed man,

slim, trim and athletic—a fine representative of

the men who are building our fortunes, and yet

preserve unchanged the traditions of their own

people—a sharpshooter in the A No. 1 ranks of the

Next appears Mclohers, the president of the

club, fair haired, ruddy faced and Teuton shaped-

he who has a kind word for all, and is at home

equally in dispensing the hospitalities of the

Schutzenverein or watching the inscrutable ways

of Providence amid the dispensations of every-

Then, again, there is C. H. Bergmann, the sec

retary, a serious looking, practical gentleman,

who keeps all the papers of the club where he can

lay his hands on them instanter; who never get

angry, and who believes a German is a direct de-

scendant of Father Adam in everything but the

disposition to partake of forbidden fruit. Mr.

Bergmann is in charge of one of the best schools

in Charleston, and on the day of the parade his

eighty pupils, every one of whom is a microscopic

Turner, constituted a very important feature of

the procession. A big-hearted, brave and intel-

There, too, is P. Packhaber, the vice-president,

who received a gold-headed cane the other day,

because he was so unseldsh as to work for the

appiness of other people-a generous looking

Nor is our friend F. Melchers to be lost sight of.

It was he who, with Professor Deden and three

others, met in 1854 to organize the club, and who

may be regarded as the founders of these annual

festivities. They wear their honors serenely, and

in all that concerns the weal of the public, may

of written down with an emphatic "Yours,

And You Santen-he must not be neglected.

Young, smooth-faced, handsome, a thorough son

of the Patherland, brimful of energy, with a kind

word for all, not proud of his prosperity, but very

proud of his ancestry, most happily does he com-

bine the suaviter in modo of the social gentleman

with the fortiler in re of the tined rideman. He

wears his nutform like the king he deserves to be.

There are others who pass in view before us-

good shots, good men, and healthy old fellows

who have made their social mark; but we must

We only need add that the German Rifle Club is

composed of a body of men, of every one of whom

omething kind might be written; and it is due

to the fact that they are all, by nature, identified

with our social and butness welfare, that they

to-day command a power in Charleston which

TARGET PRACTICE BY LADIES

Yesterday a number of ladies engaged in tar-

get practice with the air-guns. There were several

excellent shots made, and the ladies displayed

great interest in the practice, each one seeming

auxious to secure one of the prizes offered. After

a long contest it was decided that Mrs. Gellfuss

was entitled to the first prize: Mrs. Harms to the

second: Miss Nichols the third, and Mrs. W. D.

Harvey the fourth-for making the worst shot.

Shortly after four o'clock, Captain Melchers dis-

tributed the prizes to the ladies. Mrs. Gellfuss

received a ladies' work stand; Mrs. Harms a port-

monnaie: Miss Nichols a silver sewing-bird, and

Mrs. Harvey one of Mr. Claussen's advertising

The firing at the eagle was lively during the

shooting hours, and although the bird suffered

considerably, only the head was shot off, Mr. P.

The members of the South Carolina Rifle Club

with their sixteen-shooters, displayed consider-

able skill. These rifles, while a very efficient wea-

pon, are not specially adapted to target practice.

One of the members of this club fired about thirty

shots at the target, and although not one of the

bullets struck the buil's-eye, yet the whole num-

ber were close around it in a space which could

be covered by the hand. Had he possessed one

of the rifles used in regular target practice, the

Harry Leslie and Miss Nichols gave their usual

ight-rope performances. Leslie announced that

on Priday he would take a stove on the rope with

him and cook and eat his dinner. It is under-

stood that the public are invited to partic pate in

the meal. He need not prepare a very large din-

The exercises of to-day will be similar to those

THE SKATING RINK, at the Academy of Music

Hall, is getting to be a place of popular resort.

The roller stating exercise is exhibarating and

healthful, and we would advise our young citi-

zens of both sexes to avail themselves of the op-

portunity of getting a large amount of exercise,

combined with considerable amusement.

of yesterday. To-morrow the fest will close.

Kressel making the successful shot.

bull's-eye would have been put out.

shorten our bowstrings and withhold fire.

carries with it the respect of the people. ..

ellow, who would pass anywhere for a marrie

man and is unimpeachable as a bachelor

day life-a first-class citizen, full of bonho

and alive with the duties of his position.

determined.

German Club.

ectual gentleman

truly."

medals.

lancing, he could enjoy with true Teutonic vim

THIRD DAY.

AN INTERESTING CASE.

There was no shatement of fun, interest or In the United States Circuit Court vestercrowd. Indeed, the week seems, by common conday, his Honor Judge Bryan presiding, a motion was made by Hon. A. G. Magrath for an injuncne and five o'clock every day the shell road, on to restrain Reuben Tomlinson, Esq., State lined with vehicles, and the fastest horses the Auditor, and the treasurers of the several councity affords, presents a processional aspect that ties through which the South Carolina Railroa charmingly contrasts with the monotony of ordipasses, from proceeding to the collection of taxes nary travel upon it. At stated intervals the cars ssessed upon the property of the company.

STATE TAXATION.

Metion for an Injunction to Restrain

the State from Levying Taxes

upon the South Carolina Railroad

The bill sets forth that the South Carolina Railroad Company has, by the statutes of the State, a perpetual exemption from taxation; that by the recent act of the Legislature the courts are for bidden to interfere with the collection of any not enjoy themselves, it certainly was no fault of tax assessed under the authority of the State, the ever-thoughtful Germans. The Committee on and that the provision made in the statute for th recovery of taxes illegally assessed and collected is inadequate and affords no adequate or substantial relief. Hence this bill is brought by Branch & Sons, citizens of Virginia and Georgia, against the South Carolina Railroad to prohibit the compa ny from paying the tax, and against the tax offi cers for the purposes of suspending the enforce ment of the taxes.

Mr. Magrath appeared for the complainants and Messre. D. H. Chamberlain and D. T. Corbia for defendants. Mr. Magrath opened the argument in support of the motion, and cited from the various statutes of the State, showing that the South Carolina Railroad Company had perpetual exemption from taxation. He then argued that such exemption from taxation constituted a contract, within the meaning of the Constitu tion of the United States, which the court was bound to protect. The act of the Legislature of 1879 was a distinct violation of that contract, which this court was bound to give them protec tion against. The learned counsel cited nume rous authorities in support of his position, more particularly from decisions of the Supreme Cour of the United States.

The question made in the bill, he said, is this: Branch, Sons & Co., citizens of Virginia and Georgia, come into this court with the allegation that they are stockholders of the South Carolina Railroad Company, and that the State of South Carolina has imposed a tax on the property of that corporation, from which tax, by acts of the Legislature of South Carolina, an exemption had been granted to the South Carolina Railroad. That exemption, they allege, is still in force. The act of the Legislature imposing a tax now on the property of that company is a violation of a contract, and impairs the obligation of that contract being such, it is a case arising under the Constitution of the United States, and a case of which this court has jurisdiction. According to the decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States, where a corporation within a State is either unable or unwilling to make sufficient opposition to an unconstitutional act of the State Legislature, it is the right of a corporator living outside of the State to come into this court for that relief which the corporation is not able to secure. The parties whom he (Mr. Magrath) represented, have demanded of the South Carolina Railroad Company its purpose in relation to the assessment made of this property for taxation, and that corporation, as stated in the bill, has expressed to them its inability under the laws of the State to offer an

effectual resistance to the collection of the tax. Counsel, after thus briefly stating the case, sub mitted a copy of the order, which it was proposed to make after the hearing of the whele ar gument by the court. This order restrains Renben Tomlinson and the various county treasurers from proceeding by distress or execution or any other manner to assess, impose, or cellect any tax upon the capital stock of the South Carolina Railroad Company or dividends thereon, &c., and prohibits the south Carolina Railroad Company from consenting to pay such tax, professed to be assessed and collected under the act of 1870

The argument for the State will be opened this morning, at 11 o'clock by, Attorney-General

THE SUNDAY-SCHOOL CONVENTION .- Quite a large number of delegates to the State Sunday-School Convention, which meets to-day at 10 o'clock, in the Trinity Church, arrived yesterday afternoon. There will be three sessions of the convention per day excepting on Saturday, when there will be two. The exercises will be interesting, and will doubtless result in much good to the

Sunday-school cause. The public are invited to attend all these meetings, as there will be many very interesting subjects discussed relating to Sunday-schools. The session this morning will be devoted to effecting the organization of the convention and the ap pointment of committees. In the afternoon the ollowing subjects will be discussed : Half-past 3 g'clock-'The object and design of Sunday schools." 4 o'clock-"What relation does the Church bear to the Sun iay-school." Half-past 4 o'clock-"The duties of pastors, officers and members of Churches to the Sunday-schoels."

6 o'clock-"Opening of question box." The question box is one of the most interesting features of the convention. Every person is requested to write questions relative to Sunday chools that may not be upon the regular programme and place them in the box. At the close of each session the box will be opened, and the questions read and answered by the president. In the evening a public meeting will be held, at which appropriate addresses will be delivered by gentlemen appointed for the purpose. Thes evening meetings are likely to prove intensely interesting, and should be well attended.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

A NEW STYLE Boot, for ladies, misses and children, called the "Fau" boot; the first that has appeared here. They are of superb style and finish. Sold at retail by Joun Commune, No. 131 Meeting street.

MBSSRB. L. CHAPIN & Co. are offering great bargains for thenext sixty days in their largestock of carriages, buggies, harness, &c., at No. 20 Hayne street, and No. 193 Meeting street.

may12-3 SPECIAL ATTENTION is called to the large stock of dry goods at Mr. A. R. Stillman's store, No. 281 King street, which will be sold upon the most reasonable terms.

BILL HEADS printed on fine paper at \$3, \$4, \$5, \$6 50 and \$8 50 per thousand, according to size, at THE NEWS Job Office.

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Miscellaneons.

FRANK'S SALOON. FRANK HOWARD, late of the Pavilion Hotes, and more recently of the Mills House, has opened FRANK'S SALOON.

at No. 146 MEETING STREET, directly opposite the Board of Trade Rooms. ALES, Wines, Liquors and Cigars, of the best quality, will be served, and Lunch daily from 11 PRANK HOWARD.

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THE RELATIVES, FRIENDS AND equaintances of Mrs. ANNE FOX, of her daughter, Mrs. Cecelia M. Corcoran and family, and of Rev. J. A. Corcoran, D. D., are invited to attend 1, 1870. the Funeral Services of the former, at the Cathedral Chapel, Queen street, at 9 o'clock, THIS MORNING. may12*

THE RELATIVES, FRIENDS AND accuaintances of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. PEUGAS, and the Congregation of the Cathedral Chapel, are respectfully invited to attend the Puneral Service of the fermer, THIS MORNING, at 10 o'clock. may12-*

COLE .- Died at the Confederate Widows' Home. on Wednesday, May 11, GERTRUBE COLE, one of the pupils of the "Home," aged 14 years and 6 months, youngest daughter of the late John J. Cole. of Bluffton, S. C.

THE FRIENDS OF THE FAMILY and of the "Home," are invited to attend the Funeral, To-Mornow (Friday) Morning, at 10 o'clock, at the Huguenot Church. may 12-2

Snerial Notices.

M. C. POROHER, ADMINISTRA-TRIX, vs. EXECUTORS F. M. WESTON BT AL. - By virtue of an order entered on 5th inst., befor Hon. R. B. Carpenter, in this case, the Creditors of the late PERCIVAL R. PORCHER are required to prove their claims before me, at my office, No. 50 Broad street, on or before the 1st of July next. W. ST. JULIEN JERVEY, Referce

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE,-A L I. persons having claims against the Estate of the ate GEORGE W. NICKERSON, Printer, of Charles ton, deceased, will present the same, properly at

ested; and those indebted to said Estate make payment to the undersigned. JANE NICKERSON Qualitied Executrix. PROPOSALS .- OFFICE SINKING FUND COMMISSION, COLUMBIA, S. O., APRIL 25, 1870.-Notice is hereby given that the Commis-

sion is now prepared to receive proposals for the purchase of STOCK owned by the State. All communications must be addressed to the under-J. H. RAINEY, signed. Secretary Sinking Fund Commission

Columbia, S. C. apr29 22 NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS aled proposals for completing the Breast Dam at Langley, S. C., (formerly known as Kalmia Mills,) about eight miles from Augusta, on the South Carolina Railroad, will be received until May 1st. Specifications can be seen at the office of Messrs. J. SIBLEY & SONS, Augusta, Ga., or upon the premises at Langley, S. C. The Company reserve the right to reject any or all bids. .WM. C. SIBLEY, President

Langley Manufacturing Co. CARD. - WILLIAM COMINGS late practical Painter of the firm of T. A. BEAM-ISH & CO., Painters, begs leave to return thanks to his friends and customers of the late firm. Being now in the employ of DOUGLAS & MIL LER, No. 50 East Bay, all orders from my friends will be promptly attended to, by myself and may2-mth1mo

MILHAU'S GOLDEN COD LIVER OIL.-With Hypophosphite of Lime, a great improvement; made with the best of oil known, it unites efficacy with pleasant flavor and easy di gestibility. Sold by all respectable druggists. J. MILHAU'S SONS, No. 183 Broadway. or21 thm1mo New York.

them.

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ESTATE NOTICE.—ALL PERSONS having claims against the Estate of RICHARD YEADON, deceased, will present the same duly attested, and those indebted to said Estate will make payment to Messra. BUIST & BUIST, Solicitors, No. 41 Broad street.

CHARLES MACBETH, may5-thm6 Qualified Executor.

PEOPLE'S BANK OF SOUTH CAROLINA .- This Bank is now prepared to sell or issue at par Certificates for Shares of its Capi tal Stock, which will be entitled to participate in all future divisions of profits or assets, at the rate of Twenty-five Dollars each.

JAMES B. BETTS.

may4-3 tuthed DAC Cashler. SPECIAL NOTICE.-BOOKS FOR Subscription to the Stock of the ENTERPRISE RAILROAD COMPANY of Charleston will be opened on and after THIS DAY, the 23d instant, at the office of Messrs. WHIPPER, ELLIOTT & AL-LEN. No. 91 Broad street, where the undersigned may be found daily between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. WM. MCKINLAY,

COMPLICATED MECHANISM -Are you aware that you are wonderfully and fearfully made, and that the complicated and delicate mechanism of the human body can be entirely disarranged by one part being out of or der, just as the aprings, wheels and cogs of a clock refuse to go, if even an infinitessimal portion of the works is wanting?

Being acquainted with this fact, how surprising it is to see hundreds of sensible men and women going through life like a creaking door, always complaining and yet never resorting to any means of improving their health.

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MANHOOD .- A MEDICAL ESSAY on the Cause and Cure of Decline in Premature Man, the treatment of Nervous and Physical De billity, &c.

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Special Notices.

THE UNDERSIGNED STORES, AC-CORDING to their usual custom, will close at 2 o'clock on SATURDAYS, from May 14th to October W. G. WHILDEN & CO. A. H. HAYDEN.

SOUTH CAROLINA SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION .- All Delegates to this Convention are requested to report immediately on their arrival, at the Committee Rooms of Trinity Church, Hasel street, where they will register their names and be assigned to residences. OLIVER F. GREGORY,

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Chairman Committee on Entertalument and Reception. may11-2 MRS. McMILLAN, HAVING OPEN-

ED a SEWING-ROOM at her residence, No. 34 Wentworth street, will be pleased to receive a continuation of the patronage hitherto extended to the Sewing-room of Mr. D. B. Haselton, in King street, which is now closed. Mrs. M. thinks she can give general satisfacton to all her patrons. mayo OFFICE CHARLESTON CITY

RAILWAY COMPANY-CHARLESTON, MAY 7, 1870 .- In order to provide increased facilities for visitors to the Festival of the Schutzenfest, the TWO HORSE (Red) CARS will be changed to the KING STREET LINE, and the ONE HORSE (Yellow) CARS will run on the RUTLEDGE STREET LINE, commencing Monday, the 9th instant, and so continue until PRIDAY, the 13th instant, inclusive; after which date they will resume their regular S. W. RAMSAY. Secretary. may7-6

THE PIONEER STEAM FIRE COMPANY-TO THE CITIZENS OF CHARLES-TON: Would respectfully represent that the present condition of their apparatus and of their finances compel them to make that appeal to your liberality and public spirit, which has never yet been made in vain by the Fire Department of

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