CITY AFFAIRS.

MEETINGS THIS DAY.

Union Kilwinning Lodge, at 7 P. M.
Stonewall Fire Company, at 7 P. M.
Irish Rifle Club, at 7 P. M.

AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

A. Tobias' Sons will sell at 11 o'clock, in United States bonded warehouse, brandy.

Leitch & Bruns will sell at 11 o'clock, at the east end of Broad street, real estate.

Lowndes & Grimball will sell at 11 o'clock, near the Postoffice, real estate.

Laurey, Alexander & Co. will sell at three-quarters past 9 o'clock, at their store, hams, mackerel, &c.

Wm. McKay will sell at 10 o'clock, at his store, shoes, clothing, &c.

THERMOMETRICAL.

The range of the thermometer yesterday at the drug store of Dr. Joseph Blackman, on the south side of Broad street, was as follows: 8 A. M., 46; 10 A. M., 51; 12 M., 56; 2 P. M., 58; 4 P. M., 58; 6 P. M., 54; 8 P. M., 52.

LOCAL LACONICS.

—The steamer South Carolina will sail for New York this evening, at eight o'clock.

—A choice supply of California grapes and pears has been received at Fisher's.

—An artistic pen and ink drawing has been made by Mr. Joseph Samson, for presentation to Governor Moses, of a rare and ancient map of Charleston, published in London in the early part of the eighteenth century.

—To-day having been appointed a day of thanksgiving and prayer by the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, the Glebe street Church will be opened for service at eleven o'clock this morning.

—At a meeting of the Tobacco Dealers' Protective Union, held last evening at Lindstedt's Hall, the committee previously appointed to draft a constitution made its report, and the constitution was adopted.

—Joe Smith, colored, stole a box of cheese from the store of Messrs. Wagener & Monsees, at the corner of East Bay and Queen streets, yesterday afternoon. He was subsequently arrested and locked up in the main Guardhouse.

—The race which was arranged to take place shortly at Augusta, between the stallion "Gaberlunzie" and "Lady B.," will not come off; the owner of the mare having paid the forfeit of one hundred dollars. The stallion is owned by Messrs. R. Graham & Co., of this city. He is a colt of the imported horse Bonnie Scotland.

THE COURTS.

United States District Court.

In the case of A. B. Vanevor and others against the bark Agnes Campbell, libel for collision, the answer to the libel and a portion of the testimony were heard.

The petition of James Crockett, of Lancaster, for voluntary bankruptcy, was referred to Registrar Clawson.

T. J. LaMotte, assignee of Robert Bryce & Sons, bankrupts, was ordered to show cause, at Columbia, on the 26th instant, why he should not be attached for failure to pay costs to officers of the court and dividends to J. S. R. Thompson, attorney for creditors.

United States Commissioner.

D. A. Seabrook, colored, was bound over by Commissioner Porteous yesterday for trial at the next term of the United States Court on a charge of perjury. Stephen Brown, colored, was bound over for violation of the internal revenue laws.

General Sessions.

The sealed verdict rendered in the case of Robert W. Brown, tried on Tuesday for the murder of Ellis Allen, was opened and read in the court yesterday morning. It pronounced the accused not guilty, and he was thereupon released from custody.

Simon Gall, colored, was tried for the murder of John Johnson, colored, near Bikersville, in September last. He was defended by Messrs. N. P. DeSaussure and Robert Chisolm, Jr.. Solicitor Buttz conducted the prosecution. The jury was composed of one white man and eleven negroes. The facts that the prisoner had been confined in the Lunatic Asylum at Columbia, and that he escaped from it several months previous to the murder, were fully established. The jury, after a short absence, returned a verdict of not guilty. Gall was then remanded to jail for examination as to his sanitary condition.

After the foregoing case had been disposed of, the juries were paid and discharged. To-day was appointed sentence day, and the usual general orders of adjournment were issued.

Colonel W. N. Taft applied for admission to the bar, and Messrs. C. W. Buttz, H. W. Schroder and E. B. Seabrook were appointed a committee to examine him.

The Court of Common Pleas will be opened this morning and adjourned until the first Monday in December.

Municipal Court.

James Fogartie, colored, drunk, disorderly and abusing a policeman, one dollar. A mule and two dogs, at large, one dollar each.

Trial Justices' Courts.

About a week ago a gentleman left an overcoat for safekeeping at the office of Dougherty's wharf, adjoining South Bay street, but failed to find it when he returned. A few days later the missing coat was discovered upon the back of a "Jim Island possum hunter." The possum hunter proved that he had purchased the coat from a negro dealer in second-hand articles named Henry Chapman. Chapman could not explain how he had obtained the coat, so he was committed to jail by Trial Justice Mackey, for trial at the next term of the Inferior Court.

Lewis Walker, colored, stole a lot of dry goods valued at thirty-three dollars from a colored woman named Moultrie, who keeps a shop in King street. He was carried before Trial Justice McKinlay and bound over for trial at the next term of the Inferior Court.

Trial Justice McKinlay also sent Brutus Simons, colored, to jail for thirty days for committing a malicious trespass.

William Rivers, colored, was committed to jail by Trial Justice Levy for trial at the next term of the Inferior Court, on the charge of assaulting Policeman O'Donnell.

A FINE MERCHANTMAN.—The first class American ship Richard the Third, Captain Hubbard, arrived here yesterday from Savannah, and is in the hands of Messrs. Street Bros. & Co., who will freight her for Liverpool. The Richard the Third belongs to the Messrs. Tucker, of Wiscasset, Me., who for years have been known to our merchants as owners of fine and successful sea craft. The present ship is constructed of the best materials, and when building underwent the most careful supervision. She is 985 tons, and will take over three thousand bags compressed cotton. Her owners have long been connected with the commerce of Charleston, and their vessels were generally remarkably successful, some of them having made admirable passages to and from this port. The present commander of the Richard is Captain Joseph Tucker Hubbard, an officer of skill and an able shipmaster.

RING OUT THE OLD--RING IN THE NEW.

Sheriff Bowen Takes Possession of his New Office—Deputy Dingle Retained at the Request of the Bar.

About one o'clock yesterday Sheriff Bowen, accompanied by his counsel, Colonel Thomas Y. Simons, having previously recorded his commission in the office of the clerk of court, repaired to the sheriff's office to make a formal demand for the possession of the same. THE NEWS has already stated that ex-Sheriff Mackey is in Washington, and his chief deputy, Mr. W. B. Dingle, was also absent from the office when Mr. Bowen and his counsel entered. The Hon. Timothy Hurley was on hand and smiling as ever, and a host of other friends of the new sheriff were also present. The whole party walked into the inner department of the office and sat down there to await Mr. Dingle's arrival. In the meantime a promiscuous crowd of light and dark colored friends of each sheriff collected around the office, in the Courthouse, street, and Courthouse yard, were the representatives of each faction indulged in pleasantries and innuendoes at the expense of the other. Two of these became enraged beyond endurance and got into a scuffle, but were quickly separated by the bystanders. After about half an hour of fruitless exhaustion of patience in waiting for Mr. Dingle, the sheriff and his counsel left the office. They returned about two o'clock, by which time Mr. Dingle had arrived, and the demand for immediate possession was made. Mr. Dingle replied that he had received no instructions from Mr. Mackey, and begged that time would be allowed him to telegraph to Washington for orders. This was acceeded to by the sheriff, and Mr. Dingle accordingly communicated with Mr. Mackey by telegraph. Up to a late hour last evening no reply had been received. The sheriff also telegraphed to Mr. Mackey, at a later hour, to say that he had taken all of the necessary steps of qualification for office, and that he would allow Mr. Mackey's deputies a reasonable time to prepare for delivering up the office.

The following communication was addressed to the new sheriff yesterday, and elicited the reply which follows it:

CHARLESTON, November 19, 1872.

Hon. C. C Bowen, Sheriff of Charleston County:

DEAR SIR—as we believe the office to which you have been elected is one of very considerable importance, not only to yourself and the county, but also to the members of the bar, who will have constant business transactions with you, we respectfully recommend and request that you retain Wm. B. Dingle, Esq., in his former position therein. His long experience in the management of the said office, and his uniform courtesy towards every one, will certainly render him a valuable and efficient aid to you and to us in that position.

Very respectfully, &c.,

Pressley, Lord & Inglesby,	Magrath & Lowndes,
Simonton & Barker,	Duryea & Cohen,
Whaley & Minott,	Jas. B. Campbell,
Hayne & Son,	M. E. Hutchinson,
Alex. H. Brown,	Porter & Conner,
Jno. E. Rivers,	Buist & Buist,
Walker & Bacot,	Bryan & Bryan,
W. M. Bruns,	Augustine T. Smythe,
Richard DeTreville,	J. N. Nathans,
M. P. O'Connor,	McCrady & Son,
Rutledge & Young,	G Herbert Sass,
Jennings W. Perry,	Memminger, Pinckney & Jervey,
Thos. Y. Simons,	Martin L. Wilkins,
Rudolph Siegling,	Whaley & Mitchell,
Wm. J. Gayer,	John Phillips,
Brewster, Spratt & Burke,	W. D. Clancy.

CHARLESTON, November 20, 1872.

To Messrs. Pressley, Lord & Inglesby, Simonton & Barker, Whaley & Minott, Hayne & Son, and others.

GENTLEMEN—Your letter of the 19th, signed by yourselves and other members of the bar, requesting me to retain William B. Dingle, Esq., in his former position, has been received.

My earnest desire is for the faithful and efficient discharge of the duties of the office to which I have been elected as sheriff of this county, and that these shall be performed with courtesy and satisfaction to the bar.

I have the honor to state that in accordance and compliance with the request so numerously signed, I have this day tendered to Mr. Dingle the appointment which you have desired on his behalf.

Very respectfully,
C. C. BOWEN.

It is also understood that Mr. John H. Symmes, a gentleman who filled the position of jail-keeper during the war, will be reinstated in that office.

STRICKEN SAVANNAH.

The Horse Disease Crippling Commerce in our Sister City.

The following extracts from the Savannah papers of yesterday will give some idea of the state of affairs resulting there from the visitation of the "epizoot." Our sister city was a little too fast in crying out about the difficulty of transportation in Charleston. There has not been a day since the disease began on which merchandise of any description coming to this city was delayed for ten minutes at wharf or railroad depot in consequence of the disease. Savannah has been far less fortunate. The Advertiser says:

"Shanks' mare" is now the only equine available for trotting purposes. The horse disease fairly leaps in its progress. Many of the dray horses that were in use yesterday wore red stockings, and needed handkerchiefs badly. It was cruel to allow such horses to work. All the doctors, policemen, agents and merchants were on foot. The Bay and wharves seemed almost like a Sunday thoroughfare. It is likely that not a horse will be seen at work within a few days.

The Republican says:

The horse disease has been slowly and insidiously gaining ground, and now its effect upon trade has been shown unmistakably. For several days past the street railroad has been diminishing its number of cars, and now an entire estoppage seems imminent. The effect on the transportation of cotton has been very marked. Prices for drayage have risen fifty per cent., and yesterday it was found necessary to employ steam in removing cotton from the yard of the Central Railroad to the Bay. Orders for coal and wood remain upon the books of dealers undelivered, and unless we have an influx of oxen, or a substitute in the way of hand-carts, some suffering may be the consequence. For the past two days or more, horses fit for service have appeared on the streets under cover, and one team we came across in our wanderings was adorned with a roll of red flannel around the neck like a brilliant scarf.

The Traction engine of Captain Sid. Goodwin was engaged at the wharf of the Baltimore steamer yesterday morning in hauling a truck loaded with cotton. On level ground it worked well enough, but when she came to up-hill work it stalled, and the truck had to be pushed up by hand. It is bad enough to have a baulky or stalling horse at any time, but when we come to the substitute, steam, and find it baulky too, we must pray for the horse malady to cease.

A gentleman engaged in business in Savannah, who arrived here yesterday, reports that draymen there are charging one dollar per bale for transporting cotton from the depots to the steamships. Send your cotton to Charleston, gentlemen, and save delay in transportation and exorbitant charges for draying.

BALL OF THE GERMAN FIRE COMPANY.—The German Fire Company gave another ball, their second one of this season, at their hall in Chalmers street last evening. It was well attended, and the dancing was kept up until near daylight. An excellent supper was served about one o'clock.

THE ENTERPRISE RAILROAD.—City-Attorney Corbin yesterday gave notice of his intention to make a motion on Friday next, before Judge Graham, for the issuing of an injunction against the Enterprise Railroad Company to restrain them from proceeding further in the laying of their track with the kind of iron they are at present using.

CHARLESTON RIFLEMEN'S RAFFLE.

How the Drawing was Conducted—The Lucky Numbers.

The raffle in aid of the Charleston Riflemen took place last evening at the Merchants' Hotel Hall, corner of King and Society streets. The hall was filled with eager ticket-holders. The whole number of tickets was five hundred, and the number of prizes fifty-eight. Dr. T. E. Chupein and Messrs. F. F. Chapeau, C. G. Taylor, and E. Rosenfield, were appointed managers of the drawing. The five hundred tickets were represented by the same number of small squares of card board numbered from one up. These were placed in a raffle wheel and thoroughly mixed; fifty-eight numbers were then drawn out one by one, the first number drawn taking the first prize, a valuable sewing machine; the second number the second prize and so on. The following are the drawn numbers in the order in which they were taken from the wheel: 201, 140. 285, 134, 47, 174, 244, 344, 257, 472, 101, 481, 207, 95, 150, 1, 478, 270, 404, 243, 304, 58, 105, 427, 116, 38, 477, 293, 215, 142, 491, 328, 149, 271, 219, 154, 464, 163, 488, 125, 416. 236, 359, 57, 327, 432, 435, 171, 70, 396, 188, 234, 60, 74, 476, 415, 423, 287.

Holders of the lucky numbers can get their prizes by calling on Mr. John A. Moroso, the chairman of the committee on the raffle, at the Courier office. After the completion of the raffle a resolution was passed by the ticket-holders approving of the manner in which the drawing was conducted. A handsome silver service, valued at fifty-five dollars, was won by several employees of the Savannah and Charleston Railroad Company, who had formed a club.

BOARD OF FIREMASTERS.

The Proposed Decrease of Pay of the Steam Fire Department.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Firemasters was held last evening at Market Hall. The following action was taken upon the recent resolution of the City Council looking to a reduction in the pay of the Steam Fire Department:

Resolved, That this board having given that careful consideration to the resolution from the City Council which its importance demands, it is

Resolved, That in the opinion of this board the Fire Department of Charleston, as now constituted, is ample in each of its branches for all emergencies, and that the present pay of the department is not more than sufficient to keep it in running order, while any decrease of such pay would be detrimental to its efficiency.

A resolution was also adopted requesting the chief and assistant chiefs of the department to examine the hose of every steam and hand engine in the city, and report every steam company that was not supplied with eight hundred feet, and every hand company not supplied with four hundred feet of serviceable hose. It was recommended that those companies which should be found not fully equipped with hose should be supplied by the City Council, unless they immediately furnished themselves, and that all sums thus paid by the Council be deducted from the monthly pay of the companies so furnished.

In accordance with the action of the board an inspection of the hose of several of the companies was ordered for next Friday afternoon, and a notice to this effect will be found in our advertising columns.

THE COLUMBIA BOARD OF TRADE.

The following committees of the Columbia Board of Trade have been appointed for the ensuing year:

Executive Committee—J. B. Ezell, chairman; R. D. Senn, J. S. Wiley, R. O'Neal, Jr., John Agnew, Jr., R. C. Shiver.

Committee on Prices Current—J. M. Blakeley, chairman; R. D. Senn, John Agnew, Sr.

Committee on Transportation—R. D. Senn, chairman; R. O'Neal, Jr., John McKenzie.

Committee on Reading-Room—Colonel J. B. Palmer, chairman; J. Agnew, Jr., E. W. Seibels, John C. Seegers, J. S. Wiley.

Committee on Grievances and Arbitration—J. Agnew, Sr., chairman; C. F. Jackson, W. C. McGregor, Thompson Earle, J. Meighan.

Committee on Market and Country Produce—J. E. Black, chairman; P. Cantwell, T. J. Gibson, L. F. Hopson, M. H. Berry.

Committee on Finance—L. D. Childs, chairman; R. C. Shiver, L. Gambrill, A. G. Brenizer, W. B. Stanley.

HOTEL ARRIVALS, NOVEMBER 20.

Pavilion.

M. L. Jones, J. H. Pike, McD. C. Cannon, S. S. A. Brooker, H. H. Singletary, F. Graham, Graham's Cross Roads; T. W. West, Greenville; W. A. Merony, Orangeburg; C. S. Park, Savannah; W. Ryan, Barnwell; P. M. Porcher, Fort Motte; S. Browne, Blackville; W. G. Hubbard, Columbia; J. P. Gamble, Gourdin's; W. W. McDiarmid, Florence; Mrs. Edwards, Jacksonville; P. Ward, Clarendon.

Charleston.

F. J. Boesse, N. B.; F. L. Hunter, Ga.; E. Burton, Philadelphia; F. Norton, Baltimore; J. Crews, Laurens; C. G. Jaeger, Newberry; T. F. Wight, Atlanta; W. B. Robinson, Nova Scotia; D. Schackman, N. Y.; Z. Stien, S. C.; E. Black, Atlanta; E. A. Smith, Augusta; D. G. Duffy, St. Louis; G. W. King and wife, J. Foster, S. A. Woods, Mrs. A. D. Gibson, N. L. Gibson, S. C.; C. G. Day and wife, Miss M. L. Day, Hartford, Ct.; J. J. Ward, Dartington; J. Chesnut, Camden; J. R. Stevens and wife, N. Y.; M. N. Nolan, Albany; W. B. Kennedy, Boston; Alfred Williams, J. H. Mather, J. G. Thompson, Beaufort; G. E. Thurston, N. Y.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

ATTENTION is called to the sale to-day of that extensive and valuable piece of property on the north side of Tradd street, east of Meeting street, formerly known as "Marshall's Bakery;" and of the lot on the opposite side of Tradd street, by Messrs. Leitch & Bruns.

NO DISAPPOINTMENT, when you use Durand's French Polish. It is easily applied. nov13-1mo

WINTER COATS, Sacks, Water-Proofs, Pants, &c., &c., nicely cleaned, renewed, binded, mended, &c., at Otto Sonntag's, Dyer, No. 34 Wentworth street, between Meeting and Anson streets.

FURCHGOTT, BENEDICT & Co., No. 275 King street, are the Sole Agents for the Celebrated Chielley's Kid Gloves. Each pair is sold under guarantee.

TIME IS MONEY.—Clocks, fifty different styles, in wood, bronze and marble cases, at Allan's, 307 King street.

FURCHGOTT, BENEDICT & Co., No. 275 King street, have received a new stock of Shawls, Blankets, Cloakings, &c. Also new lines of Silks, Poplins, Reps and Mourning Goods.

FURCHGOTT, BENEDICT & Co., No. 275 King street, have received the latest importation of Paris and Berlin Cloaks, also 200 pieces of all styles of Carpets—great bargains.

CHRISTMAS is coming. For handsome Gold Bracelets, Studs and Sleeve Buttons, go to Allan's, 307 King street.

MR. SOUDER invites attention to his Stock of Photograph Frames just received, embracing upwards of thirty different styles, many of them of entirely new design and beauty of finish, which he offers to cash buyers at a small advance on cost. SOUDER'S Gallery, No. 263 King street. oct31-1mo

HOUSTON'S NEW PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY, No. 307 King street, is constantly thronged with visitors, who gaze upon the beautiful Photographs with wonder and amazement. The Celebrated Rembrandt Pictures made at this Gallery surpasses anything ever introduced in this city before. We have over fifty different style of Frames. Also, a large stock of Albums, Cases, &c. nov12-tuths3

HOW TO USE MERCURY.—Never put mercury into your stomach. The proper place for it is the thermometer or the barometer. There it will inform you of the changes of temperature, or forewarn you of the coming of storms, thus indicating the times and seasons when it is necessary to reinforce the system with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, in order to ward off the ailments which peculiar conditions of the elements produce. When the quicksilver suddenly falls several degrees of Fahrenheit, as it often does at this season, fortify the system against the depressing influence of this sudden abstraction of heat by a dose of the most genial and wholesome of all invigorants. Or if the indicator of your barometer points to stormy, brace up for those damp, driving gales which are sure to search to the very marrow of an untoned organization. Fever and ague, chronic indigestion, violent colics, dysentery, bilious intermittents, rheumatism and a host of pulmonary complaints, come of such visitations. nov19-tuths3D&W

GIFTS FOR THE HOLIDAYS.—For Silverware, fine Watches, gold Opera and Vest Chains, go to Allan's, 307 King street.

COMMERCIAL NEWS.

Exports.

BOSTON—Per schr Francis Satterly—300,000 feet resawed planks and boards.

The Charleston Cotton, Rice and Naval Stores Markets.

OFFICE CHARLESTON NEWS, WEDNESDAY EVENING, November 20, 1872.

COTTON.—There was rather a good inquiry early in the day, in which prices hardened and were about ⅛c ℔ lb higher; afterwards a more quiet feeling prevailed; sales about 1000 bales, say 1 at 16, 3 at 16⅛, 192 at 17, 42 at 17⅛, 36 at 17¼, 17 at 17⅜, 86 at 17½, 9 at 17⅝, 82 at 18, 8 at 18⅛, 127 at 18¼, 54 at 18⅜, 118 at 18½, 19 at 18⅝, 16 at 18¾, 19 at 19, 45 in private terms. We quote:

LIVERPOOL CLASSIFICATION.

Ordinary to good ordinary	17 @17¼
Low middling	18¼ @18¼
Middling	18½@18½
Strict middling	18⅝@18¾

RICE.—This grain was in good demand at firmer prices; sales about 200 tierces of clean Carolina, say 10 tierces at 6c, 15 at 6¾, 125 at 7, 48 at 7¼. We quote common to fair at 6½@6⅝, good 7@7¼c.

NAVAL STORES.—The receipts were 42 bbls spirits turpentine and 585 bbls rosin. Sales 500 bbls spirits turpentine at 52c ℔ gallon; also, some 200 bbls rosin at about previous rates.

FREIGHTS.—To Liverpool, by steam, direct, —— on uplands, —— on sea islands; via New York, ¾d on uplands, —— on sea islands; by sail, ½d on uplands, and ¾d on sea islands. To Havre, 1c on uplands. Coastwise—to New York, by steam, ¾c on uplands and —— on sea island; $2 ℔ tierce on rice; 60c ℔ bbl on rosin; by sail, ——c ℔ lb on cotton; ——c ℔ tierce on rice; 50c ℔ bbl on rosin; $11@12 ℔ M on lumber; $12@12 50 ℔ M on timber. To Boston, by steam ¾c on uplands and $2 50 ℔ tierce on rice; by sail, ——c ℔ lb on uplands; rosin 70c; resawed stuff $12@12 50; timber $13@13 50; phosphate $5@5 50. To Providence, by sail $10@11 ℔ M on boards; ——c ℔ lb on cotton; by steam ¾c via New York. To Philadelphia, by steam ¾c on uplands; $1 75 ℔ tierce on rice; 60c ℔ bbl on rosin; $1 on spirits. Through bills of lading given to Boston, Providence and the New England cities are regularly issued on this route, and dispatch guaranteed. By sail, $8 ℔ M on boards; $12 on timber; —— ℔ ton on clay; $3 50 on phosphates. To Baltimore, by steam ——c ℔ lb; by sail $8@8 50 ℔ M on boards; —— on timber; $3 50 ℔ ton at city; $4@4 50 ℔ ton up river on phosphate rock. Vessels are in demand by our merchants to take lumber freights from Georgetown, S. C., Darien and Satilla River, Ga., and Jacksonville, Fla., to Northern ports, and $10@12 ℔ M are the rates on timber and boards.

EXCHANGE.—Sterling 60 day bills 21@21¼.

DOMESTIC EXCHANGE.—The banks purchase sight checks on New York at ¼@½ per cent. off, and sell at par.

GOLD—18@14.

Markets by Telegraph.

MONEY MARKETS.

LONDON, November 20.
Noon.—Consols 92¼. Fives 88¾.
FRANKFORT, November 20.
Noon.—Bonds 96¼.
NEW YORK, November 20.
Noon.—Freights quiet. Stocks steady. Gold heavy at 13¼. Money firm at 1-32@1-16 per cent per day. Exchange, long, 8¾; short 9¾. Governments firm and steady. State bonds dull and firm.
Evening.—Freights dull and lower. Money fluctuated at the closing from 5 to 7. Sterling, firmer; prime bankers' at 8¾@8¾. Gold 13. Governments quiet and steady; states dull and steady; Tennessees strong.

COTTON MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, November 20.
Noon.—Cotton opened with a hardening tendency; uplands 9¼d, Orleans 10¼d.
Later.—Uplands 9¼@10¼d; Orleans 10¼d; sales 18,000 bales; exports and speculation 400.
Evening.—Cotton closed unchanged; uplands November 9 13-16d.
NEW YORK, November 20.
Noon.—Cotton firm; sales 1226 bales; uplands 19¾c; Orleans 19¾c.
Evening—Cotton ⅛c higher and strong; sales 2893 bales; uplands 19¾c; net receipts 1414 bales; gross, 6955; sales futures, 142,500; November, 19 3-16@19 5-16c; December, 18¾@18 15-16c; January, 18¾@18¾c; February, 18⅞@18 9-16c; March, 19 3-16@19⅜c; April, 19¼@19 9-16c; May, 19 13-16@19¾c; June, 20c.
BOSTON, November 20.
Cotton firmer; middlings 20c; gross receipts 317 bales; sales 600; stock 4000.
BALTIMORE, November 20.
Cotton firm; middlings 19¼c; gross receipts 310 bales; exports coastwise 50; sales 410; sales last evening 150; stock 6910.
NORFOLK, November 20.
Cotton firm; net receipts 267 bales; exports coastwise 1186; sales 200; stock 9339.
WILMINGTON, November 20.
Cotton firm; middling 18¼c; net receipts 307 bales; sales 107; stock 8955.
SAVANNAH, November 20.
Cotton quiet and firm; middling 18½c; net receipts 4829 bales; exports to Great Britain 832; exports coastwise 1004; sales 2929; stock 68,281 bales.
AUGUSTA, November 20.
Cotton quiet; middlings 18a18¼c; net receipts 1262 bales; sales 1200.
MEMPHIS, November 20.
Cotton firm; middling 18⅞a19c; net receipts 127 bales; shipments 2386; stock 28 789 bales.
MOBILE, November 20.
Cotton quiet; good ordinary 18c, low middlings 18½c. middlings 19c; net receipts 6281 bales; exports to Great Britain 1875; coastwise 1622; sales 1000; stock 26,244.
NEW ORLEANS, November 20.
Cotton in good demand; low middlings 18¾c; middlings 19¾c; net receipts 4197 bales; gross 5200; exports to Great Britain 2052; to the Continent 2779; sales 1500; last evening 4300; stock 126,516.
GALVESTON, November 20.
Cotton firm; good ordinary 16¾a17¼c; net receipts 871 bales; sales 2000; stock 47,139.

PROVISIONS AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, November 20.
Noon.—Red winter wheat 11s 6d a11s 8d.
Evening.—Common rosin 11a11s 3d.
NEW YORK, November 20.
Noon.—Flour quiet and firm. Wheat and corn firm. Pork quiet at $15 50a16. Lard steady; steam 8¾@9 1 16c. Turpentine firm at 60c. Rosin quiet at $4 15a4 25.
Evening.—Flour more active and unchanged. Whiskey steady. Wheat 1a2c better and in fair demand; winter red Western $1 61a1 66. Corn a shade firmer, with a fair inquiry. Rice firm at 7¼a8¼c. Pork lower at $15 35a15 40. Lard firmer; kettle 8⅞c. Turpentine firm. Rosin quiet.
BALTIMORE, November 20.
Flour quiet and in favor of buyers. Wheat dull, except for choice. Corn steady and firm. Provisions dull. Mess Pork $16. Shoulders 6¼a6¾c. Lard firm at 8½c. Whiskey weak at 95¾c.
WILMINGTON, November 20.
Spirits turpentine firm at 45½c. Rosin firm at $3 50 for strained. Crude turpentine steady at $3 for hard, $5 for yellow dip and virgin. Tar firm at $3 60.
CINCINNATI, November 20.
Flour in fair demand and higher at $7 10a7 30. Corn quiet. Pork and lard quiet. Bacon—jobbing sales, shoulders 6¾c; clear sides 10¾. Whiskey 89c.
LOUISVILLE, November 20.
Provisions in fair order demand. Pork $13 50. Lard 8a8¼. Whiskey 89c.

New York Naval Stores Market.

NEW YORK, November 19.

The Daily Bulletin says: Receipts to-day 462 bbls rosin. Spirits turpentine is quiet, but prices a trifle steadier than on Saturday. Sales 100 bbls at 61c, and 50 bbls at 61c, flat. Strained rosin is quiet at about $4 15a4 20 for common strained, $4 20a4 25 for good strained. Sales 250 bbls at $4 25. Tar scarce and unchanged. Pitch steady.

New York Rice Market.

NEW YORK, November 19.

The Daily Bulletin says: The offerings of Carolina are increasing somewhat, and buyers are operating with more freedom. Foreign grades are steady and in fair request. The sales are 200 bags Rangoon at 7a7⅛c, and 40 tcs Carolina at 7¼a8¼c.

Wilmington Market.

WILMINGTON, November 19.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—Sales of 50 casks at 55c, and 300 casks at 54½c per gallon for Southern packages.

ROSIN.—Sales of 600 bbls at $3 50 for strained and $4a5 for pale.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Sales of 388 bbls at $3 for hard, and $5 for yellow dip and virgin.

TAR.—Sales of 135 bbls at $3 60 per bbl. Market firm and has advanced 30c.

COTTON.—Sales of 73 bales at 17¼, 50 at 17¼, and 17 at 18c per lb.

Interior Cotton Markets.

MONTGOMERY, November 18.

Cotton market steady to day; ordinary 16c; good ordinary 16¾c; strict good ordinary 17a17¼c; low middlings 17¼a17¾c; middling 17½c.

MACON, November 18.

To-day was decidedly the lightest of the season, the receipts having fallen off in a most unaccountable manner. Though the market was somewhat irregular, there was an active demand for middlings at 17¾c. Fancy lots brought a fraction higher. The receipts to-day were only 315 bales, about equally divided between wagon and rail; shipments 120; sales 253.

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State Notices.

OFFICIAL.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
COLUMBIA, S. C., October 28.

"THE CHARLESTON DAILY NEWS is hereby designated as the newspaper for the publication of all Legal Notices and Official Advertisements, for the County of Charleston, under the act of February 22, 1870, entitled: 'An Act to Regulate the Publication of all Legal and Public Notices,' and the former order of this Board, dated February 22, 1872, designating the Charleston Daily Republican as the newspaper for the publication of all Legal Notices and Official Advertisements for the County of Charleston, is hereby rescinded."

J. L. NEAGLE,
Comptroller-General.
D. H. CHAMBERLAIN,
Attorney-General.
F. L. CARDOZO,
Secretary of State.

AN ACT TO REGULATE THE PUBLICATION OF ALL LEGAL AND PUBLIC NOTICES.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted* by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina now met and sitting in General Assembly, and by the authority of the same: It shall be the duty of the Attorney-General, the Comptroller General and the Secretary of State, conjointly, to designate, by public notice [in] one or more newspapers in this State, in which all legal notices, advertisements, or publications for the State, of any and every character required by law to be made public, shall be published; and said Attorney-General, Comptroller-General and Secretary of State shall have power to make such changes and new designations from time to time, as they may judge that the public interest required.

SEC. 2. All state and County officers and other persons are hereby required to furnish to the newspapers designated under this act for the State and for the representative counties, for publication, all legal notices, advertisements and publications, of any and every character required by law to be made public; and no legal notice, advertisements or publication required by law to be made public shall have any valid force or effect unless published in the newspapers designated under this act; and no publication of any character, in any newspaper not designated under this act, shall be paid for from the funds of this State or of any county: *Provided*, That the said officers mentioned in section 1 shall have power, in cases requiring unusual publicity, to order publications in such newspapers, in addition to those designated under this act, as by and with the advice of the Governor they may select; and bills so incurred shall be audited and paid in usual manner.

SEC. 3. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SEC. 4. This act shall take effect from and after its passage. nov11

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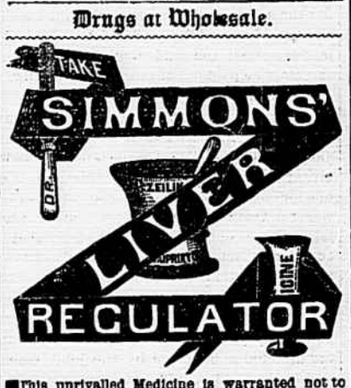

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