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The Charleston News.

SATURDAY, MARCH 8, 1873

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—Texas lunatics are turned loose on the inhabitants of the town where they belong, if board at the asylum isn't paid promptly.

—Senator Sprague represents the largest moneyed interest in the Senate, variously estimated at from $12,000,000 to $20,000,000.

—Spurgeon, with his broad, bad taste, dislikes old paintings, and foolishly avows the fact, to the horror of English journalists, artists and connoisseurs.

—Beecher describes Tyndall's face as "long, thin, fringed with whiskers, without moustache or goatee, leaving his mouth like the embrasure of a fort, clear for action."

—The first choral wedding ever celebrated in Washington took place at St. Paul's Church, in that city, recently. The bridal party, preceded by a processional cross and twenty-four robed choristers, and the officiating priest, marched through the main aisle singing a wedding hymn. On arriving at the altar, which was surrounded with numerous lighted candles, the bride and groom elect knelt in silent prayer; after which the ceremony of the Episcopal Church was performed.

—New Hampshire holds the first spring election this year, and the candidates for Governor are Ezekiel A. Straw, Republican, and James A. Weston, Democrat. The election is held on March 11. The next election will be held in Rhode Island, April 2d, and the third in Connecticut, April 7th. In the latter State Henry P. Haven, Republican, and Chas. R. Ingersoll, Democrat, have been nominated for Governor. Both in New Hampshire and Connecticut members of Congress are to be chosen at these elections, the former having three and the latter four members. At the Presidential election the majorities for Grant were, in New Hampshire, 5744; Rhode Island, 8536, and Connecticut, 4758. At the Governor's elections in these States, in the spring of last year, the Republicans carried New Hampshire by 2167, Rhode Island by 1065, and Connecticut by 2001.

—According to Miss Grundy, society in Washington isn't entirely given to epicureanism. The refreshments offered at the different houses vary. Sometimes there are only chocolate and cake; again only cake and wine; and again there is a handsome table set, and though calling appears to make people very hungry, and salads, croquettes and fried oysters disappear as if it were aristocratic to be in a starving condition, still when simpler refreshments are offered no one remarks upon it. In fact refreshments are by no means indispensable. There are some houses—favorite resorts—where every week there are large receptions at which no refreshments are offered. No one makes an ill-natured remark about the ladies who dispense with a collation. Sandwiches appear to be a favorite article of diet at receptions. Toast, cut thin and in small squares, and buttered and placed on silver salvers, is always found at the Peruvian Minister's, and is always eaten with a relish. Bouillon (beef tea) is as much relished as wine.

—A recent lawsuit in Baltimore must be somewhat astounding to persons holding conditional insurance policies and contemplating Alpine tours. A physician of that city, recently starting on a European tour, took out a five thousand dollar policy, which was forfeit in case he encountered the risks of hunting or exploring expeditions. Of course, a cosmopolitan traveller might as well visit England without seeing the Tower of London, as Switzerland and not toil up the slippery steeps of Mont Blanc. So the doctor thought, and as a matter of course made the ascent with no idea of imitating Sir John Franklin or Captain Hall. The expedition was fatal, however, and the particular company in which his policy was registered refused to pay it because the death which called for it was met on an "exploring expedition." The law was not clear upon that point, and the case was adjusted by compromise. Probably insurance companies in general would hardly approve the action of this one of their number. If in these days of constantly increasing European travel, life insurance policies are to be forfeited by all who insist upon enjoying one of the first attractions of the grand tour, there will be found a marked diminution in the fattest premiums. Every person who spends time, money and effort to see something new, is in one sense on an exploring expedition, but a business that confines itself so closely to the letter of the law as this can hardly be extensive or flourishing.

—Whatever they may have done or left undone for the people, members of Congress, in the last moments of the session, were not unmindful of themselves. For fear, perhaps, that they might not receive from their constituents the reward of "good and faithful servants," they resolved to reward themselves. It must be confessed that they have done so handsomely. They have voted the increase of their own salaries with no niggard hand. Under the disinterested lead of General Butler, whose motive in the matter may certainly be conceded to be "above suspicion," the House amended the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, as it came back from the Senate, so as to give the President $50,000, Vice-President and Speaker $10,000, judges of the Supreme Court $10,000, Senators and Representatives $6500. In this shape the bill went to a conference committee of the two houses, and reported back, making the salary of Senators and Representatives $7500, instead of $6500. In this form it passed, with a proviso that, as to the salaries of Congressmen, it should take effect from March 4th, 1871. Thus Congress have voted themselves an addition of $5000 back pay for the last two years. The point of order that members could not vote upon a bill in which they were personally interested was simply laughed down, and by the votes of men whose terms expired on the 4th of March, 1873, and who scrupled not to make this last "raid upon the treasury," the bill was passed. While the vote was being put, the speaker (Mr. Blaine) had the tact, upon his own motion, to amend the bill so as to make the increase of the speaker's salary to begin "hereafter," instead of from March 4th, 1871, thereby taking himself out of the "ring."

The Jobbing Trade of Charleston.

It may be said without fear of contradiction, and even if contradicted, it is capable of clear proof, that Charleston is, without exception, the best market for the purchase of goods by the smaller merchants of this State, Georgia, Florida and Alabama. It is true that it cannot compare in size with New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore, and that the amount and variety of goods at either of the places mentioned is immensely greater than it is in Charleston. It is also true that there are a few jobbing houses in some of the interior cities nearer to the merchants in their respective localities. But in comparing Charleston with other markets in regard to the facilities which it affords for a jobbing trade, it must be considered whether the larger stock and greater variety offered in Northern cities is of any real advantage to the small dealer of the South. A moment's reflection will show that they are not. The interior merchant needs for the conduction of his business but a small stock of goods at a time, and that stock suited to the peculiar wants of his neighborhood. Manifestly the larger the stock and the greater the variety he has to select from, the more difficult is the task of selection, and the greater the temptation to buy more than he really wants, and some things that he does not want at all. In addition to this difficulty, the extra amount of time and money required to go to these large but distant centres of trade renders it very inconvenient, if not impossible, to go more than twice a year. The consequence is that a large amount of capital is required to lay in a sufficiently heavy stock for the season. The change in fashion, and the change in prices before the end of the season, often renders a large part of the goods unsaleable, and thus takes off a large portion of the profit on those sold; to provide against which it is necessary to ask a higher price on goods at the opening of the season than would otherwise be done. It has now become patent, and is acknowledged even in New York, that between two rival merchants in the same interior town, one of whom buys in New York twice a year and carries a large stock, and the other buys at the nearest market, keeps a small stock and constantly renews it, thus being able to keep up with the changes of the fashion and the market, the latter is sure to win the race. This is so certain and so generally acknowledged that within the last few years the jobbing trade of New York has greatly fallen off, and her merchants are gradually changing their business to that of warehousemen. In regard to the jobbers in the interior cities of the South, they have to pay almost as much freight as their customers, and being generally new concerns, cannot compete with Charleston either in experience or capital.

Independent, however, of all comparisons, Charleston has facilities which make her necessarily the centre of the jobbing trade of the South. With a fine harbor, and cheap and rapid water communication with Boston, New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore; with direct daily railroad communication with all parts of the South, with a large capital, which, if not equal to what it was before the war, is ample for the present trade and increasing every year; with a large number of experienced merchants and business connections of many years standing, and an unblemished commercial credit, she can bid defiance to competition.

In another column will be found an advertisement of some of the leading houses in various branches of business. All of these are responsible and successful concerns. Some of them have a history dating back to a period long antecedent to the war, and their names have been as familiar as household words to several generations of country merchants. Others are of more recent origin, formed by young men of industry and energy, who have acquired their business knowledge in this community, and have by their successful careers shown themselves in every way equal to the task which they have undertaken. To those country merchants who are among our readers, and their name is legion, we would in view of the approach of the Spring trade offer the above reasons for coming to Charleston in preference to going to any other market. We also specially invite their attention to those houses whose names appear in the advertisement alluded to. It does not by any means include all the jobbing houses in Charleston, but those it does include are among the very best, and are well worthy the patronage of any merchant visiting Charleston.

The Camden Journal.

Mr. John Kershaw, the editor and proprietor of the *Camden Journal*, has resigned its editorial charge to his father, General J. B. Kershaw. The *Journal* was well managed by its former editor, who, strangely enough, has a wise head upon very young shoulders; but we cannot complain of any change which places General Kershaw in a position in which his frank, generous and liberal views can be impressed, week by week, upon the reading public. It is not forgotten that General Kershaw was the leading spirit of the Reform movement of 1870, and we think now, as we thought then, that the social and political redemption of the State can be secured only by a practical and lasting application of the principles of which that movement was the exponent. Those principles were and are the recognition in good faith of the constitutional changes growing out of the Confederate war, and a binding together of all honest men, without respect to color or party, for the purpose of securing an honest and economical government of the State.

Mr. G. W. Olney.

Mr. G. W. Olney, who has been a member of the editorial staff of the New York *World* for a number of years, has taken editorial charge of the *Spectator*, the leading insurance journal of the United States. Mr. Olney was the chief statistician of the *World*, and was, besides, the compiler of the *World* Almanac. It is pleasant to see a Charlestonian work his way in journalism as rapidly as Mr. Olney has done, and it is pleasanter still to know, by personal experience, that his tact, energy and indisputable talent will go far to establish the success and increase the prosperity of any undertaking with which he may be connected. Mr. Olney carries with him to his new and responsible post the warm good wishes of his Charleston friends.

The Blue Ridge Scrip.

It was reported in Columbia, a few days ago, that the act repealing the section of the act authorizing the issue of the Blue Ridge scrip, and compelling its receipt for taxes, had not been presented to Governor Moses for his approval. The chairman of the Senate committee on enrolled bills, whose duty it is to present such bills to the Governor, is Senator Maxwell, who was, we believe, an opponent of the repeal of the Blue Ridge act. Will he be so good as to inform the public what has become of the act in question?

The Commissioners of Public Lands.

The amount of $7500 noticed in our issue of yesterday as having been expended by the commissioners of public lands is not a new item of expense. There were appropriated $6000 for the Old Folks' Home, and $3000 for the House of Correction. These amounts were transferred to the commissioners of public lands, who have maintained the two institutions at an expense of only $7500, or $1500 less than the sum allowed them, and they have, besides, carried on the public cemetery, the cost of which was formerly charged to the Board of Health.

Special Notices.

SUMTER RIFLE CLUB.—MEMBERS will please leave Measures for their Hats at JOHNSON & BROWN's Hat Store, King street, without delay. D. HUGER BACOT, Chairman Com. on Uniforms. mch8-smw3

A SURE PREVENTIVE FOR GRAY Hair is HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR RENEWER. Try it. mch8-stuth3paw

FOR THE OPERA, EVENING Parties and the Ball Room, Elgin's Phantom Powder will be especially esteemed on account of the surprising and surpassing brilliancy and beauty it gives to the complexion. No lady should fail to try it. Its effects are magical in transforming even the homeliest complexion into one of beauty and loveliness. Price 25 and 50 cents per box. For sale by all druggists. mch5-thstu3mos

BOTTOMRY LOAN WANTED.—Wanted, One Thousand Dollars, more or less, on Bottomry on the Spanish Brig HUGO, B. Guanabens, Master, on her intended voyage from Charleston to Barcelona, (Spain,) to defray expenses of repairing the vessel in this port. Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the acting Spanish Consul until MONDAY, the 10th inst, at 12 o'clock M. mch7-3

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY cautioned against trusting or harboring any of the crew of the British Bark AGNES CAMPBELL, as no debts contracted by them will be paid by the Captain or Agents. WILLIAMS, BLACK & WILLIAMS, Agents. mch7

DOCTOR AYER'S LABORATORY, that has done such wonders for the sick, now issues a potent restorer for the beauty of mankind—for the comeliness which advancing age is so prone to diminish and destroy. His VIGOR moints luxuriant locks on the bald and gray pates among us, and thus lays us under obligations to him for the good looks as well as health of the community. mch6-thstu3paw

UNION BANK OF SOUTH CAROLINA, CHARLESTON, FEBRUARY 25, 1873.—The Annual Election for Directors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House, on WEDNESDAY, 12th day of March, proximo, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 2 P. M. H. D. ALEXANDER, Cashier. feb27-thstu6w1

BOTTOMRY LOAN WANTED.—CAPTAIN DE LARUE, of the French Brig THERESE, of Havre, with the approval of Consul of France at this city, desires to make a loan of $5000, more or less, (secured by Bottomry Bond on Vessel and Cargo,) to pay disbursements at this Port.

For further information, apply at the FRENCH CONSULATE, Broad street. Sealed proposals must be deposited by 1 o'clock, P. M., Saturday, 8th instant. mch6 3

IF YOU WOULD ENJOY LIFE, use TUTT'S PILLS. They produce a good appetite, sound digestion, and impart vigor to body and mind mch6-6paw

LADIES WILL FIND ELGIN'S Phantom Powder just the nicest, softest, whitest, prettiest face Powder in the world, far superior to any other Powder, Lily White, or Tablet in the market. Thousands of ladies who have used it are delighted with its effects, and pronounce it the very best cosmetic they ever tried. For imparting youthful beauty and freshness to the complexion, and clearness and softness to the skin, it cannot be surpassed. For sale by all retail druggists. DOWIE, MOISE & DAVIS, Wholesale Agents, Charleston, S. C. mch6-thstu3mos

NOTICE TO BRIDGE CONTRACTORS.—Sealed Proposals will be received at the Office of the Bridge Commissioners, for one month from date, for the completion of the Bridge crossing the Wateree River. Direct proposals to WILLIAM M. SHANNON, Shannon & Shannon, or to J. J. SUTHERLAND, Secretary. J. J. SUTHERLAND, Secretary. Camden, March 6, 1873. mch6-thstu1mo

BURNETT'S FLAVORING EXTRACTS.—The superiority of these Extracts consists in their perfect purity and great strength. They are warranted free from the poisonous oils and acids which enter into the composition of many of the factitious fruit flavors now in the market. They are not only true to their names, but are prepared from fruits of the best quality, and are so highly concentrated that a comparatively small quantity only need be used.

"Pre-eminently superior."—Parker House, Boston.

"The best in the world."—Fifth Avenue Hotel, New York.

"Used exclusively for years."—Continental Hotel, Pennsylvania.

JOSEPH BURNETT & CO., Boston. mch6-thstu3 Manufacturers and Proprietors.

Rewards.

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD.—Lost or Stolen on the evening of January 20 from the South Carolina Railroad train, between Charleston and Columbia, a CARPET BAG, containing important papers, of no value to anyone but the owner, as payment upon them has been stopped. A reward of One Hundred Dollars will be paid, and no questions asked, for the return of the papers to this office. JOSEPH CREWS. feb15

Wants.

INFORMATION WANTED OF THE whereabouts of ARELL REID, a small colored girl, eight years old, who left the residence of Samuel Fennick, Lucas street, near Doughty street, on Thursday, 27th February. mch8-1*

WANTED, A GIRL TO MIND CHILDREN and do chamber work. Apply at No. 436 King street, third door above Hudson street. mch8-1*

WANTED, BY A NATIVE OF Charleston, with the experience of several years in business, a good reputation, and active habits, an interest in a house of good standing. Can combine a growing business with that offered. All communications strictly confidential. Address "Commerce," Office DAILY NEWS. mch8

WANTED, A WOMAN TO COOK AND make herself generally useful; also a house servant. Apply at No. 24 Vandernorst street. mch8-1*

SITUATION WANTED BY AN EXPERIENCED Weaver to take charge of a weaving room in a cotton mill. Good references given. Please address WM. LEONARD, Manville, R. I. mch8-2*

WANTED, AT FURCHGOTT, BENEDICT & CO., two Cash Boys, from 14 to 15 years old. References required. mch7

WANTED, FOR CASH, A BUILDING LOT in Broad, Logan, or News rect, or any street not far distant from City Hall. Apply to S. A. WOODSIDE, Market street, next to Kinsman's. mch7-6

WANTED, A THOUROUGHLY COMPETENT BOOKKEEPER, to fill situation immediately. HART & CO., No. 39 Hayne street. mch1-stuth

WANTED, A MAN WHO UNDERSTANDS the care of horses and can drive, to a competent person liberal wages will be paid. Apply at No. 574 King street. mch7-3

WANTED, A COLORED WOMAN TO Cook and Wash. Apply in Rutledge street, four doors above Queen street. mch6

WANTED, A THOROUGHLY RESPECTABLE White Female Cook, about thirty years of age. None need apply without the best recommendations from their last employer. Apply at No. 7 Water street from 12 until 2 o'clock on Thursday or Friday. mch6

WANTED TO PURCHASE, SECOND-HAND FURNITURE, of all descriptions, for which good prices will be paid. Address Post-office Lock Box 122. mch3-mism4*

WANTED, A SITUATION AS GOVERNESS, by a young lady who has had some experience in teaching. English, French and Music taught. References given if required. Apply to Rev. Dr. Shand, Columbia, S. C. mch1-10*

WANTED TO DISPOSE OF A LIBRARY of Six Hundred Volumes of Valuable Works. Price three hundred and twenty-five dollars delivered to railroad. Catalogue furnished on application to Box No. 60, Bennettsville, S. C. feb28-15*

ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS IN ONE WEEK.—To any shrewd man who can do business on the quiet, I guarantee an immense fortune, easily, rapidly and in perfect safety. Address, in perfect confidence, WM. WARREN, No. 28 West Fourth street, New York. dec21-s1yr

For Sale.

WILL BE SOLD THIS DAY, AT B. C. KIRK'S, tables, in Queen street, between State and Church streets, a lot of cheap HORSES and MULES, at 10 o'clock A. M. mch8-1*

FOR SALE, A LOT OF FINE LARGE DRAY MULES, young, sound and gentle. Having been used through the season in the city, they are well broke, and just what is wanted for Dray, Cart or Turpentine hauling. Apply to B. F. MCCABE, or T. S. GISSELL, State Press, Corner East Bay and Pinckney streets. mch8-6

AN OPPORTUNITY SELDOM OFFERED.—To close up an estate, the Store and Fixtures formerly occupied by Perez Fridenberg, of Jacksonville, Florida, deceased, is offered for Rent, or will be sold on easy terms, together with a portion of Stock in store.

The store is located in the best business part of the city, is built of brick, 80 by 80 feet, three stories high, French roof, and Brick Warehouse in rear. No bonus required. For further information apply to the undersigned.

HARRIS SOLOMON, No. 55 Reade street, New York City, Or to HENRY P. FRIDENBERG, Jacksonville, Florida. mch8-1mo Executors Estate Perez Fridenberg.

MULES! MARES! HORSES! MULES! KENTUCKY SALE STABLES, No. 89 Church street, keeps constantly on hand a large supply of TURPENTINE AND TIMBER MULES, PLANTATION AND DRAY MULES, SADDLE MARES AND SADDLE HORSES, HARNESS AND DRAFT MARES AND HORSES, which we will sell on the most favorable terms. Fresh car-load received every week. Call and examine our stock. All Stock guaranteed as represented or money refunded. BAMBERG & MCCOY. mch5-1mo*

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFER FOR sale Desirable Building Lots in the City of Greenville, S. C., near the Depot of the Atlanta and Richmond Air Line railroad. Those desiring to settle in this growing and prosperous city will find it to their interests to address C. X. BIRNIE & CO., Postoffice Box No. 7, Greenville, S. C. mch5-ws18

JUST ARRIVED, ONE CAR LOAD OF HORSES, MARES and heavy-bodied MULES, for sale on time, at R. OAKMAN'S sale Stables. mch5-4*

JUST ARRIVED, FORTY HEAD OF Blocky built small Mares and Horses and Mules, which will be sold cheaper than any stock sold here this season. Apply at WILSON'S Stables, No. 148 Meeting, near Wentworth street. mch5-4*

JUST ARRIVED, A CAR LOAD OF well broke MULES, from four to six years old to be sold for cash or on time, at the Planters' and Drivers' Stable on Queen, between Church and State streets. Purchasers will do well to call before purchasing elsewhere. B. C. KIRK. mch4 5*

FOR SALE, A MILCH COW, AT A LOW price. Apply at the corner of Spring and Norman streets—No 86. mch6-ths2*

FOR SALE—FRESH EGGS! HOUDAN and Light and Dark Brahma Fowls. T. L. BACOT, No. 34 Smith street. mch4 4*

SEWING MACHINES.—ALL DESCRIPTIONS of Sewing Machines repaired on reasonable terms and at the shortest notice by J. L. LUNSFORD, Smith street, just north of Wentworth street. jan22

New Publications.

OUR NEW BOOK LIST—NO 8.

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We have just received an additional supply of English and American Family Bibles, some entirely new and beautiful styles of binding, with illustrated index and Dictionary to the Bible, Concordance, Photograph Cards, &c., &c. They are offered at much lower prices than they have ever been sold, ranging from $3 to $50.

Benedicite, Illustrations of the Power, Wisdom and Goodness of God, as manifested in his works, by G. Chaplin Child, M. D. $2.

"Every advance in our knowledge of the natural world will, if rightly directed by the spirit of true humility and with a prayer for God's blessing, advance us in our knowledge of himself and will prepare us to receive His revelations of will with profounder reverence."

Hallam's Constitutional History of England, (Student's series,) from the accession of Henry VII to the death of George II, edited by William Smith, D. C. L., LL. D. $2.

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The Life and Times of Philip Schuyler, by Benson J. Lossing, LL.D., 2 vols. $5.

Herbert Spencer's Principles of Psychology, vol. 2. $2 50.

The Reformation, by George P. Fisher, D. D., Professor of Ecclesiastical History in Yale College. $3.

A Handy-Book About Books, for Book lovers, Book-buyers and Booksellers, attempted by John Power, London. $4 25.

Talmage's Sermons, 1st and 2d Series. Each $2.

"Una and Her Paunee;" Memorial of Agnes Elizabeth Jones, by her sister, with an Introduction by Florence Nightingale.

Open Air Grape Culture; a Practical Treatise on the Garden and Vineyard Culture of the Vine, and the Manufacture of Domestic Wine, by John Phin. $1 75.

In Memoriam; Tributes to the Memory of the Rev. C. P. Gadsden, late Rector of St. Luke's Church, Charleston, S. C., with Thirteen of his Sermons, and Photograph Likeness. $1 50.

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Meetings.

FRANKLIN LODGE, No. 96, A. F. M.—The Regular Monthly Communication of the above Lodge will be held at the Masonic Temple, THIS EVENING, 8th instant, at 7 o'clock. Candidates for the F. C. Degree will please be punctual. By order of the W. M. JAMES L. SIMS, Secretary. mch8

FELLOWSHIP SOCIETY.—THIS SOCIETY will celebrate its One Hundred and Eleventh Anniversary WEDNESDAY, March 12th, inst., at the New Masonic Temple. An Election of Officers for the ensuing year will be held between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock, and the usual business transacted. The Society will reassemble in the evening at half-past 7 o'clock, at the same place to partake of an anniversary supper. CAMPBELL DOUGLAS, Secretary. mch8-smw3

CHARLESTON HOOK AND LADDER, No. 2.—Attend regular monthly meeting THIS (Saturday) EVENING, the 8th inst, at 7 o'clock. F. A. LORD, Secretary. mch8

ATTENTION, RANDOLPH RIFLEMEN. You are hereby summoned to be and appear at Military Hall, on MONDAY, at 1 o'clock P. M., in full uniform, for escort parade. By order of the Captain. W. H. ROBERTSON, Orderly Sergeant. mch8-1*

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA RAILROAD COMPANY, AND OF THE SOUTHWESTERN RAILROAD BANK.—Shareholders having proxies intended to be used at the Meeting to be held on the 8th and 9th of April, are requested to lodge them with either of the following Committee, who will be in attendance at the Hall of the Bank of Charleston, during the morning of the 8th instant, for the purpose of verifying proxies. On the following day, during the Election, other duties may prevent the Committee from examining batches of proxies before the hour for closing the polls.

L. C. HENDRICKS, A. W. BURNETT, C. P. AIMAR, } Committee on Proxies.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA RAILROAD COMPANY, AND OF THE SOUTHWESTERN RAILROAD BANK.—CHARLESTON, S. C., MARCH 8, 1873.—The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the South Carolina Railroad Company, and of the Southwestern Railroad Bank, will be held in this city, in the Hall of the Bank of Charleston, northeast corner of Broad and State streets, on TUESDAY, April 8 proximo, at 11 o'clock A. M. On the following day an Election will be held between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M., for fifteen Directors of the Railroad Company, and thirteen Directors of the Bank. A Committee to verify proxies will attend. Stockholders will be passed over the road to and from the Meeting free of charge. J. R. EMERY, Secretary. mch8,12,15,18,22,25,29, apr1,7,8

STATE AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL SOCIETY.—In pursuance of a Resolution passed at the Meeting of the State Agricultural and Mechanical Society in December last, the Spring Meeting of the Society will be held in Charleston, on the first TUESDAY in May next, beginning at 11 o'clock A. M. The place of meeting and programme of proceedings will be published in the (morning) Charleston papers of that date.

The following subjects have been selected for discussion at that meeting, and the names attached are the appointees who will be expected to open the debate on the respective subjects:

The Culture of Upland Rice as a Staple Product of South Carolina.—GEO. T. WICKS, Richland.

The Comparative Advantage of Labor-Saving Machinery, and their Adaptability to Southern Labor and Products.—M. L. DONALDSON, Greenville.

Ploughing—Its Effects Upon Different Soils at different Seasons.—JOHN H. FORMAN, Sumter.

The Cheapest Fertilizer, whether domestic or commercial, and the most Economical Time and Method of its Application. PAUL S. FELDER, Orangeburg.

Is an Exclusive Cotton Crop Good Policy for any Single Farmer or Planter in South Carolina.—W. M. SHANNON, Kingsbaw.

The Most Economical Method of Wintering Stock.—THOS. G. MOORE, Spartanburg.

Is South Carolina in Greater Need of Labor or Capital?—JAS. MC UTCHEN, Williamsburg.

With Cheap Hands and Inefficient Labor, is the Farmer Better Remunerated by Superficial or High Farming?—R. M. SIMS, York.

The above named gentlemen are earnestly requested to attend the May Meeting of the Society, and be prepared to open the Discussion with Essays upon the subjects respectively assigned them.

By order T. W. WOODWARD, President. mch5-1 &c D. WYATT AIKEN, Secretary.

Lost and Found.

LOST, A PAIR OF SLIDING FRAME GOLD SPECTACLES. The finder will please leave them at WHILDEN'S, No. 255 King street, where the owner can obtain them. mch8-1*

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The Doors will be opened at 7 o'clock, and the Oratorio will commence at 8 mch8

Legal Notices.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT three months from date, application will be made to the Bank of Charleston for the Renewal of Scrip No. 8144 for TWO WHOLE SHARES, standing in the name of E. Magdalen Legare, and of Scrip No. 4752, for FOUR HALF SHARES, standing in the name of Magdalen Legare on the Books of the Bank. CHARLES INGLESBY, Administrator de bonis non. feb8-1amo3

NOTICE.—ALL PERSONS HAVING claims against the Estate of JULIUS MATTHIESSEN, deceased, will hand them in, duly attested, to the store of WM. MATTHIESSEN, corner of King and Wentworth streets, and those indebted to said Estate will make payment to me, at Beaufort, S. C. JOANNAH MATTHIESSEN, Qualified Executrix. mch5-6

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF CHARLESTON—COURT OF Common Pleas.—THOMAS J. KERR and HERMANN BULWINKLE, late Copartners under the firm of T. J. KERR & CO., Plaintiffs, against J. W. SPRAGUE and W. D. SPRAGUE, late Copartners under the name of J. W. SPRAGUE & BRO., Defendants.—Copy Summons for Money Demand. [Complaint not served.]

To J. W. SPRAGUE and W. D. SPRAGUE, Copartners as aforesaid, Defendants in this action: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for the said County, and to serve a copy of your answer on the subscribers at their office, No. 21 Broad street, Charleston, S. C., within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of service.

If you fail to answer this complaint within the time aforesaid the Plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of $92 35-100, with interest at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum from the eighteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and costs.

Dated Charleston, S. C., February 18, 1873. PRESSLEY, LORD & INGLESBY, Plaintiffs' Attorneys. JACOB WILLIMAN, [L. S.] C. C. C. P. for C. C.

To the Defendants, J. W. SPRAGUE and W. D. SPRAGUE: Take notice that the summons in this action, together with the complaint therein referred to, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Charleston, in the State of South Carolina, on the eighteenth day of February, 1