

The trial of Richardson and Gray, members of the Legislature, (both negroes) for the murder of Dallas Smith, has been concluded, and their prompt acquittal by a jury of twelve negroes been declared. The facts of this murder have been sifted on two occasions: the first of which at last term of court proving a mis-trial. We do not propose in this second trial to consider the testimony, its weight or directness, its nature or conclusiveness, the guilt or innocence of the accused. As a public record in its entire bearing, it is open to the scrutiny of all; but it lies in our province to comment upon the character and qualifications of these twelve negroes in their capacity as jurors; to estimate and determine upon the grave issue of life and death. "Coming events cast their shadows before them," and the empanelling of twelve negroes—the foreman selected probably in deference to his superior intelligence—whom we know to be ignorant and illiterate, was amply sufficient to determine, in our opinion, the manner in which the verdict would fall. It was so complete an axiom, so clear a deduction, that we hazard the assertion that all believed the verdict to be a foregone conclusion. In this trial, such questions of evidence, such contradictions of location and position of witnesses, such complicated technicalities arose, that we deem it a fair inference that their determination—one requiring nice discrimination and well-balanced judgment—was immeasurably beyond the intelligence and comprehension of this chosen twelve. Their gross incompetency, the blind allegiance of the negro to his race and color, and the claims of party, were so many landmarks to show what result would inevitably follow.

Whether Richardson was guilty or not, we hold that the negro jury who decided the issue was utterly and thoroughly unfit to pronounce in judgment. We do not touch the conduct of the case, the management of the attorneys or the charge of the Judge; we simply assert and maintain that in such a grave and solemn issue, involving intricate details of law and evidence, calling forth the most delicate exercise of nice and accurate judgment; with the sign-posts of the previous trial before them, that the provision of a negro jury to re-try this case, pointed clearly to the nature of the verdict. In any event, the empanelling of such a jury was disastrous to the cause of justice, and the truthful investigation of a great crime. The appointment of this jury might have been legal—i. e., might have been in accordance with some supposed law recently enacted by some supposed authority in South Carolina. But a law that leads to such results is simply a monstrosity, and the authority which called it into being a patent enormity against all good government, the peace of society, the integrity of the great principles of the law, and a flagrant outrage upon the people of South Carolina. The trial itself, as soon as the jury was selected, (according to the law, as we are assured,) was regarded as a sham, and some, at least, of the counsel engaged, abandoned the grave issue to its certain fate—a verdict of "not guilty." Can it be possible that in the 19th century, and in an enlightened country, nothing can be done to roll back the black race, with its auxiliaries, composed of Northern adventurers and Southern renegades, from overwhelming right, justice, law, and the very life and being of our State and people?

A VARIED SPECTACLE.—While the Yankees are congregated in Boston by the thousands to sing of "peace," the Government is putting three States under martial law, and doing what it can to Africanize the rest. The day for that "jubilee" has evidently not yet arrived. The Savannah Republican advises the hub-bits to take care of the "Coliseum" for some ten years to come, and the blows upon the "anvils" may be lighter than those upon the people.

THE SOUTH CAROLINA TREASURE.—It appears from the statement of an ex-officer of the 20th corps, published in a Western paper, that the collected treasure, jewelry, &c., recently examined and invoiced at the Treasury Department, and which attracted a good deal of notice at the time, was formerly the property of citizens of Camden, South Carolina, and that the gold and silver, as well as the principal portion of the Confederate notes and bonds, belonged to the old Camden Bank, and was captured during the war. The whole lot, it is thought, would not bring \$5,000.

Rev. Joseph Cross, D. D., formerly of the Methodist Church, South, but now of the Protestant Episcopal Church, has been called from Cedar Rapids, Iowa, to the Rectorship of St. John's, Buffalo, New York.

The Russian Czar to the American President, Greeting.

"At the dinner given to ex-Governor Curtiss, in Philadelphia on Saturday, prior to his departure for Russia, Count Rodzko, Charge d'Affaires of the Russian Legation, said that the sympathies of his Government during our late rebellion were with the Federal Government, and read a letter from the Czar expressing his gratification at the success of the Union arms, and the election of Gen. Grant to the Presidency."

There was a time when the United States did not possess the sympathies of any despotic power on the face of the globe, and did not para to possess them. There was a time when her very name was distasteful to such governments, and her mere existence was regarded as a threat. But then her people were free, and there was not within her borders one man dissatisfied with the form of government. We had no "rebellion" to crush out, no subject provinces to grind down to the earth. We had no Poland or Ireland of our own; no penal colony for political offenders; no tyrants, consequently, no assassins. There was no point of resemblance between us and Russia; our principles and our paths were different; our symbol of government was the ballot-box, hers the knout; her method of extension was by subjugation, ours by annexation. Now, we are not so far apart; we have narrowed the distance considerably, and a neighborly feeling has sprung up between us, as was natural. She sympathized with us in our efforts to destroy republicanism, by striking at its corner-stone, the consent of the governed. She admired our precocious maturity in oppression, the ease with which we took up her role, and the masterly manner in which we played it. Her sympathies were with us. Why not? She decided controversies by the sword: so did we. "There's sympathy," she ruled the conquered with a rod of iron: so did we. "More sympathy," she established "order" in Poland: we "reconstruction" in the South. Could there be better grounds for sympathy? Of course, she sympathized with us. We were making imperialism possible, we were breaking ground for it on every battle-field, from Bull Run to Appomattox.

Of course, Russia is gratified at the election of General Grant, for the preponderance of the military element is ever dangerous to liberty and republicanism. Neither can exist under the shadow or the shelter of the bayonet. And at the present moment the bayonet is supreme in this "land of light and law," as Whittier calls it, for ten States are wholly ruled by it, and law is silent. Whoever would see the apotheosis of force has but to look Southward, and he will behold it perfect in every detail. Well may our ally, the Czar, be gratified! Well may every lover of despotism in the old world or the new chuckle at the spectacle we present! Treason to the country openly preached under the name of imperialism! And the principal organ of the party that made such a thing possible can see no remedy for the disease, no way of averting the evil, but by assassination. Certainly, if a Caesar, why then a Brutus, too. But why a Brutus? Our list of worthies requires no Brutus to make it perfect, and the revolutionary fathers left no opening for a Brutus, for they left no opportunity for a Caesar. That's the only safe plan; that's the plan we advocate; that's the plan the Democracy of this country will see carried out, though in the prosecution of it they do not expect the "sympathies" of Russia, or any other despotism.—Metropolitan Record.

THE NEWS FROM CUBA.—The advices from Cuba, by mail and telegraph, contain some important points of news. While the revolutionary volunteers in Havana have evidently failed in the principal part of their scheme, which was to establish a government of their own, with but slight dependence on the Spanish crown, they have endeavored to exhibit a new energy in government, by ordering the troops throughout the portions of the island they occupy to arrest all suspicious persons. This, by filling the prisons with persons who are only suspected of disaffection, can have but one result to increase the embarrassments of the colonial government. The details from the seat of military operations show no important success on the part of the Spaniards, while the patriots have succeeded in cutting the railroad between Nuevitas and Puerto Principe, and General Quesada is pressing closely the siege of the latter city. This general seems to be so well satisfied with the supplies he has lately received, that he promises to be in Havana by the middle of August. Operations seem to have subsided in the Eastern Department and Ciego de Avila, who still remains at Bayamo, has spread his troops out in several neighboring cantonments for the purpose of saving them from disease and holding a large extent of country. The usual desultory and aimless operations are going on in the other disturbed district of the island. In Havana the yellow fever has appeared and the head of the Treasury Department died of that disease on Tuesday.—New York Herald, 17th.

The forthcoming Virginia campaign promises to be lively and interesting. Walker, (Conservative Republican,) at present, has the inside track, backed by such men of opposing politics as Hunnicutt, Extra Billy Smith, Colonel Allen, and John F. Baldwin and, from all accounts, if Gen. Canby gives the people of the State a fair election he is pretty sure to win. The constitution will probably be adopted, stripped of its obnoxious features, a fact that demonstrates how great is the failure of the reconstruction laws passed by Congress. [Washington Express.]

The Boston Journal says: "A man applied to Gilmore for employment, having been sent by a wag. He wanted to shovel rosin to the fiddlers during the jubilee."

At Chattanooga, on the 25th of July, 1865, Stokes of Tennessee, spoke as follows: "Fellow-citizens, I think of the idea of a big black night, with his toes spraddled out like a pig's, with cracks in his heels that you could put a bolt of calico in, coming up and sneering away the lives of the loyal white people of East Tennessee. I follow citizens, the thing is too awful to contemplate. I am opposed to the nigger swearing and voting. Hood is the daddy of nigger equality in Tennessee. Look at him! Don't you see the wool in his teeth?"

MISSOURI RESUMES SPECIE PAYMENTS.—By an opinion of Attorney-General Johnson, of the State of Missouri, rendered at the instance of the State Auditor and Treasurer, ex-officio Sinking Fund Commissioner, it appears that Missouri has placed herself upon a specie basis, and will hereafter pay the interest of her debt in gold coin, and accept the obligation to pay the principal also, when due, in real money.

MARRIAGE OF MISS ANNIE SURRATT.—Miss Annie Surrott was married on the 17th in Washington, at St. Patrick's Church, to Mr. Wm. P. Taney, a chemist employed in the Surgeon-General's office. The happy couple started immediately on a bridal tour North. The bride appeared in better health than she has enjoyed for years.

On Tuesday the supply of strawberries was the largest ever known in New York. The rain checked the sale of them, and the market was perfectly glutted. Prices touched ten cents a quart for good qualities. In the afternoon the common average sold as low as six cents. Whole cargoes of Norfolk berries were thrown into the river.

During the last thirty days, according to a Texas paper, the Indians have destroyed and stolen more property and killed more persons on the frontier of that State than during any similar period since Texas was settled. The result is attributed to the withdrawal of troops from the borders and stationing them in the interior.

A terrific rain-storm visited Western North Carolina on Sunday night, which caused destructive freshets throughout Iredell and Davie Counties. Mills, bridges, fences and crops were washed away. The Western North Carolina Railroad was injured so that travel will be suspended all this week. The damage is estimated at \$500,000.

Lieutenant-Governor Dunn, (colored,) of Louisiana, and three members of the Metropolitan Police Board of New Orleans have been imprisoned and fined \$100 each for contempt of Court.

UNREWARDED TREASON.—Deserters from the Confederate to the Federal army have recently applied for pensions. We are glad to say that the Commissioner refused to grant their petition.

POOR SAMBO!—The freedmen of Washington, D. C., are all agog over the discovery that their funds in the Savings Bank have been invested in Pacific Railroad bonds.

A terrible storm occurred in Augusta, Ga., on Thursday afternoon last; during which a negro fisherman was drowned, while attempting to cross to the Carolina shore.

The trial of Charles Sullivan, a keeper of Sing Sing prison, for killing the convict O'Neil, while he was trying to escape, has been concluded by a verdict of acquittal.

As late as the 5th inst., travelers in North-western Maine were delayed by deep snow drifts.

Charleston has once more been made glad. The recent heavy rains have more than filled the depleted cisterns.

A. F. M. An adjourned meeting of the craft will be held at Masonic Hall, TO-MORROW (Monday) EVENING, at half-past 8 o'clock, to receive the report of the committee for the celebration of the 24th instant. By order of Board of Trustees. G. T. BERG, Secretary.

Columbia Board of Trade. AN EXTRA MEETING of the Columbia Board of Trade will be held TO-MORROW (Monday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock, at the Palace to Engine House. A full attendance is requested, as business of importance will be brought before the meeting. June 20 R. O'NEALE, Jr., Secretary.

THE POLLOCK HOUSE, 191 Main Street, Columbia, S. C. Fine Cow and Calf. FOR SALE, a No. 1 COW and her young CALF. Apply to D. C. PEIXOTTO & SON, Auctioneers and Commission Merchants. June 19

United States Internal Revenue. COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, 3D DIST. S. C., COLUMBIA, June 18, 1899.

SPECIAL TAXES (or Licenses) for the Counties of Richland and Lexington for the year commencing May 1, 1899, have been assessed, and placed in my hands for collection. Payment is required by the 1st of July next. Persons who have failed to pay Annual Taxes can save further costs by prompt payment. The Collector has no authority to remit the penalty of 5 per cent. incurred by neglect of payment. R. M. WALLACE, Deputy Collector 3d District, S. C. June 18

State of South Carolina, TREASURY DEPARTMENT. COLUMBIA, S. C., June 16, 1899.

THE INTEREST DUE ON THE BONDS OF THE State of South Carolina since July 1, 1867, will be paid on and after July 1, 1899, at the Banking House of H. H. KIMPTON, No. 9 Nassau Street, New York, and at the TREASURY OFFICE, at Columbia, S. C.

The interest due on the Registered Stock of the State since July 1, 1897, will be paid at the Treasury Department in Columbia, S. C. NILES G. PARKER, Treasurer State S. C. June 17 14

Smoked Meats, &c. EXTRA SUGAR-CURED BACON STRIPS, Extra Sugar-cured Hams and Shoulders, Extra Large Smoked Beef Tongues. For sale by GEO. SYMMERS.

A singular and mournful instance of fatality in a family has recently occurred in Cincinnati. General I. I. Dormeyer, for some time a prominent Democrat, and his entire family, died within a very few weeks. The wife died first, then all of the children, and last the husband and father. The death of the children was caused by scarlet fever.

Last Saturday week, at Sandbar Ferry, near Beech Island, S. C., a colored man, a disciple of "Fetish," partook largely of yellow jessamine tea for a pain in his back, and after loss of sight and suffering, expired from its poisonous effects.

SUICIDE WITH A WATCH RIBBON.—Henry Villot, a Frenchman, who was arrested this evening for stealing silver scraps from Messrs. Ball, Black & Co., where he was employed, committed suicide in his cell by strangling himself with a ribbon attached to his watch.

Miss Kate Raymond has commenced an engagement at the National Theatre in Washington, where she will introduce for the first time in that city, her famous trained mare "Black Bess," in the spectacular play of "Mazeppa."

A prize fight took place between two unprofessional boxers, on Cayuga Lake on Saturday, and on the ninth round one of them was knocked dead by his opponent. The latter fled.

Booth's Theatre is now the only one in New York in which anything in the least approaching the legitimate drama can be seen.

Mr. Willis D. Hix, a gallant soldier in the late war, died in Laurens, on Sunday last, at the residence of his father.

CITIZENS' SAVINGS BANK OF SOUTH CAROLINA. AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, \$500,000. DEPOSITS OF \$1 & UPWARDS RECEIVED.

INTEREST at the rate of Six per cent. per annum, (the rate paid by most Savings Banks) from Three per cent. to Five per cent. (only) allowed on deposits, and payable in January and July of each year, or added to principal, and interest compounded, at option of the depositor. Principal and interest, or any part thereof, may be withdrawn at any time—the Bank reserving the right to demand the usual notice, to wit: Fourteen days if the amount is under \$1,000; twenty days if over \$1,000 and under \$5,000; or thirty days if over \$5,000. The officers may, however, in their discretion, and in most instances will, pay without such notice. In order to pay interest to depositors, the Bank must invest its funds; and the object of the notice is to give it time to realize, when necessary, upon its investments. When desired, special interest bearing certificates will be given, payable at a designated time. The Capital of the Bank has been paid in FULL IN CASH, and has been invested by the Directors in reliable securities.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT. COMPTROLLER-GENERAL'S OFFICE, March 1, 1899. I hereby certify that the Citizens' Savings Bank of South Carolina has furnished me with satisfactory evidence that the Capital of said Bank has been paid in, as required by the Act of incorporation, ratified February 12, 1869. (Signed) J. L. NEAGLE, Comptroller-General S. C.

Mechanics, Laborers, Clerks, Widows, Orphans and others may deposit their savings and draw a liberal rate of interest thereon.

Planters, Professional Men and Trustees wishing to draw interest on their funds until they require them for business and other purposes: Parents desiring to set apart small sums for their children, and Married Women and others whose deposits can only be withdrawn by themselves, or in case of death, by their legal representatives, wishing to lay aside funds for future use, are here afforded an opportunity of depositing their means where they will rapidly accumulate, and, at the same time, be subject to withdrawal when needed.

OFFICERS. Gen. Wade Hampton, President. Col. John B. Palmer, Vice-President. Thomas E. Gregg, Cashier. John C. B. Smith, Assistant Cashier. Solicitors. Col. F. W. McMaster, Col. B. H. Rutledge, Messrs. Fair, Pope & Pope, Attorneys. Gen. Wade Hampton, Columbia. Col. F. W. McMaster, Columbia. Col. A. C. Haskell, Columbia. Col. J. P. Thomas, Columbia. Col. J. B. Palmer, Columbia. Thomas E. Gregg, Esq., Columbia. Dr. E. H. Heintzsch, Columbia. J. Eli Gregg, Esq., Marion. G. T. Scott, Esq., Newberry. W. G. Mayes, Esq., Newberry. Col. B. H. Rutledge, Charleston. Daniel Ravenel, Jr., Esq., Charleston. Finance Committee. John B. Palmer, J. P. Thomas, G. T. Scott, A. C. Haskell, J. Eli Gregg.

[Extracts from By-Laws and Charter.] The Finance Committee shall have power to examine the officers, books and papers of said Bank, and to verify the statements of said officers and said books and papers, by taking an inventory of the assets and liabilities of the Bank; and the said Committee shall make at least quarterly reports of the results of their investigation to the Board of Directors.

The Cashier shall, on each Tuesday, report in writing, to the President the business transacted of the foregoing week. And he shall exhibit, at the regular meetings of the Directors, the Bank's book or books, and have prepared, from his books, a complete balance sheet, together with a statement showing his receipts and expenditures. The Cashier, Assistant Cashiers and Tellers shall be required to give satisfactory bonds for the faithful performance of their respective duties; and said bonds, before their acceptance by the President, must be affirmed by one of the Solicitors of the Bank, and by the Finance Committee. No Director or officer of said corporation shall borrow or use any portion of the funds thereof; be surety for loans to others, or in any manner, directly or indirectly, be an obligor for money borrowed or loaned by the corporation.

No loan or money shall be made by said corporation to any stockholder owning more than four shares therein. July 20

Restaurant, 191 Main Street, Columbia, S. C. THE POLLOCK HOUSE. Measuring Faucets. GUARANTEED correct, at manufacturers' prices and freight, by FISHER, LOWRANCE & FISHER.

Local Items.

The Court of Common Pleas was not in session yesterday.

Cesar Gurley, an enterprising freed-man, animated by a generous spirit of emulation, has left at this office a stalk of cotton, which fairly eclipses in height and fruit that exhibited by Joseph Taylor. Gurley reports thirty-six acres in cotton cultivation, but regards the stalk referred to as only a fair specimen.

ELECTION OF TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.—The following is the result of the election, on Wednesday last, for officers of the third or Central Township, of Richland County: Selectmen—H. J. Caughman, John Dent, E. S. Percival. Clerk—Henry Dixon. Surveyor—Andrew Paterson. Constable—James Evans.

MASONIC.—At a meeting of the craft, held last night, for the purpose of making preliminary arrangements for the celebration of St. John's Day—June 24—the following committee was appointed to carry the matter into the effect: John McKenzie, George Symmers, T. J. Gibson, Samuel W. Melton, C. F. Jackson, A. L. Solomon, W. T. Walter, A. T. Smythe, S. C. Peixotto, George Alworden, John C. Seagers, C. D. Eberhardt, G. T. Berg, R. D. Senn, R. W. Gibbs, Jacob Levin, M. Goldsmith, W. C. Swaffield, Alex. Oliver, James King, A. C. Davis, W. K. Greenfield, Lieut. J. K. Wilson, F. A. Grey, W. H. Wigg, J. D. Kavanaugh.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES THIS DAY.—Trinity Church—Rev. P. J. Shaud, Rector, 10½ A. M. and 5½ P. M. St. Peter's Church—Rev. J. J. O'Connell, Pastor, 10 A. M. and 3 P. M. Washington Street Chapel—Rev. Wm. Martin, 10½ A. M. and 5 P. M. Marion Street Church—Rev. Henry M. Mood, 10½ A. M. and 4½ P. M. Baptist Church—Rev. J. L. Reynolds, 10½ A. M. Lutheran Lecture Room—Rev. A. R. Rude, 10½ A. M. Presbyterian Church—Rev. W. E. Boggs, Pastor, 10½ A. M. and 8 P. M.

Colonel Ames appears with his "New Orleans Circus and Menagerie" in Columbia, on Monday, June 28. "A series of pre-eminently beautiful entertainments," executed by a score of ravishly lovely ladies, are some of the enticing features of the Colonel's programme. "A legion of male artists, distinguished for daring and agility," will join their eminent services; whilst a most extensive menagerie, trained horses, and clowns, brimful of rich humor, will fill up the little gaps in the evening's performance, left open by the above named performers, or the corps of musicians and comedians, who engage to furnish the audience and spectators with "floods of harmony and acceptable facetiae." "The grand street procession" is announced "to eclipse in gorgeous display" anything seen before, including Castello, we presume, and his Bactrian camels. The turning loose of Bengal tigers, lions and leopards may be a novel feature—indeed, we may say it is—and add that is the only feature of which we do not approve; our appreciation of a lion and the royal Bengal—there is no reason, too, why the leopard may not be included—is greatly enhanced by viewing them safely confined in a well-secured cage; and we confess to a preference to seeing them there, rather than loose in the streets of Columbia. Colonel Ames describes himself a "Southern man," and certainly his conduct in our sister city Atlanta marks him as of our kith and kin; as the Colonel generously bestowed the proceeds of one of his entertainments upon the "Ladies' Memorial Association" of Atlanta—a graceful charity and commendable liberality which should bespeak him a kind reception everywhere in the South. We sincerely hope the Colonel will have the good attendance and full houses which our people have always bestowed upon places of amusement.

HOTEL ARRIVALS—June 19.—Columbia Hotel.—O. M. Sadler, J. S. Tidwell, T. H. Symmes, S. C.; H. C. Larabee, F. Simmerles, Baltimore; H. Baruch, J. W. Desportes, Winnesboro; W. J. Molyneux, Charleston; J. McK. White, Baltimore; E. DeBerry, S. C.; H. B. Fant, Anderson; J. F. Gadsden, G. & C. R. R.; S. Coate, S. & U. R. R.; W. D. Kennedy, Charleston.

Nickerson House.—Rev. James P. Boyce, Greenville; W. E. McMichael, Orangeburg; W. P. Passmore, Greenville; Jas. Wilhelm, Louisville, Ky.; John Ferguson, Greenville; W. A. Elinson, John A. Hunt, Samuel M. D. Tate, N. C.; C. I. Bartlette, New Orleans; E. W. Wheeler, S. C.; Capt. John Kirkland, Charleston; Dr. W. Jensen, New York; James L. Rosebrough, S. C.; John L. Deaton, Charlotte, N. C.

A few copies of the 'Sack and Destruction of Columbia' can be obtained at the Phoenix office. Price twenty-five cents.

New Post Offices.—The department at Washington has instituted new post offices in this State at the following points, and with the following appointments: Enterprize Landing, Charleston County; Henry C. Lancaster, Postmaster. Bradford Springs, Sumter County; Daniel Reynolds, Postmaster. Port Royal Ferry, Beaufort County; Charles E. Patrick, Postmaster. Collins, Edgefield County; Thomas E. Mathis, Postmaster. Shelton, Fairfield County; Thomas M. Hargood, Postmaster. Stony Point, Anderson County; James A. Price, Postmaster.

MERCANTILE PRINTING.—All kinds of mercantile printing, such as circulars, letter heads, cards, bill heads, statements, &c., for counting-rooms and offices, promptly attended to at the Phoenix job office. JOB OFFICE.—The Phoenix Job Office is prepared to execute every style of printing, from visiting and business cards to pamphlets and books. With ample material and first-class workmen, satisfaction is guaranteed to all. If our work does not come up to contract, we make no charge. With this understanding our business men have no excuse for sending work North.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.—Attention is called to the following advertisements, published the first time this morning: Pollock House Restaurant. P. F. Frazee—Sherriff's Sales. Meeting Board of Trade. Jacob Levin—Auction Sale. Citizens' Savings Bank. Meeting A. F. M.

What is this? absorbs me, quite Improves my spirit, makes me bright, They tell me 'tis the "Queen's Delight." For the blood! blood! blood!!! Of all the medicines known to the world, none have been attended with such marked appreciation by the profession and the people at large, as "Heintzsch's Queen's Delight." Now is the time above all others to renovate the system, invigorate the organs and cleanse out those perilous spots, pimples, corrupt sores, which pollute the life of the blood, and render your body a loathsome thing. They are the precursors of a diseased blood, and will assume a much more formidable shape, if allowed to go on unchecked. The Queen's Delight, the only real blood purifier that has ever been invented, as thousands will to-day attest, is offered to the afflicted as a positive remedy for all diseases flowing from a vitiated condition of the system. Prepared only by Heintzsch. J20

THE ABORIGINES USED IT.—The medicinal virtues of Roots, Herbs and Barks which were used by the "Medicine men" of the Indian tribes, and which long experience has proven to possess the most efficient alterative properties for the cure of Scrofula, King's Evil, Ulcers, Cancerous and Indolent Tumors, Mercurial and Syphilitic Affections, Enlargement of the Bones, Tetters, Ringworm, Boils, Pimples and diseases resulting from a depraved state of the blood, and all female diseases, are contained in a highly concentrated form in Dr. TUTT'S SARSAPARILLA AND QUEEN'S DELIGHT. It is a very popular Medicine and deservedly so. J19 6

SCHOOL EXAMINATION. THE PUBLIC EXAMINATION of the HOWARD SCHOOL will take place JUNE 22, 23 and 24. On Tuesday, June 22, will be the examination of the Primary Department. On Wednesday, June 23, the Intermediate Classes. On Thursday, June 24, the Grammar Classes. All interested in the education of the colored children of this city are cordially invited to be present. At the School will open each day at 8 o'clock in the morning, continuing in session but three hours, it is important that those wishing to attend should be present at the opening exercises. AUGUSTA HALEY, Principal Howard School. June 19 2

Fulton Market Beef. PICKLED Ox Tongues and Sugar-cured Breakfast Strips. For sale by June 13 E. & O. D. HOPE.

REMOVAL. THE Office of the Citizens' Savings Bank will be removed to-morrow, 7th instant, to their new office, corner Richardson and Taylor streets. THOMAS E. GREGG, Cashier. June 6

Death to Flies! CHEMICAL PAPER for killing Flies—certain death and destruction. For sale by FISHER & HEINTZSCH, June 4 Druggists.

Executive Department. STATE TREASURY OFFICE. COLUMBIA, S. C., June 16, 1899. UNDER an Act for the Conversion of the State Securities, the Treasurer of the State is prepared to issue Bonds bearing 6 per cent. interest, payable semi-annually by registered Stock. Bonds are prepared for \$100, \$500 and \$1,000. Fractions may be returned in Certificates of Stock. Persons desiring of converting their Stock into Bonds will please present their certificates at this office with name endorsed upon the back, witnessed. Persons having Coupon Bonds desiring to procure Registered Stock in lieu thereof will please present the same to this office, with instructions. Where parties cannot attend in person to transact their business at this office, it is preferred that the same should be transacted through some authorized agent. NILES G. PARKER, Treasurer State S. C. June 17 14

To Rent. FOUR PLEASANT ROOMS and a KITCHEN, in a very desirable part of the city, suitable for a small or moderate sized family. Inquire at this office. June 13 nwl4

Lemon Syrup. FOR making a cool refreshing beverage during the warm days. A healthful drink, supplying just enough acid to the stomach. For sale by FISHER & HEINTZSCH, June 4 Druggists.