

UNITED STATES ARMY CHANGES.—The *Army Register* for 1875 has been printed in advance, showing much interesting matter. The United States army has been reduced by deaths, discharges and desertions from 30,000 (its reported strength last January) to 25,000 enlisted men. There are now 2,069 officers on the active list of the army, without counting a batch of assistant surgeons recently appointed, so that for every twelve enlisted men (and a fraction) there is one commissioned officer. Forty-five officers have been lost to the service by resignations, deaths and dismissals; upward of 120 have been promoted, forty-one cadets have joined the army from West Point. The resignations were nineteen; deaths, twenty-five; dismissals, five; cashiered, four; deserted, two; retired, nine.

A COLORED DIPLOMATIST.—The representatives of the United States to the two principal countries inhabited and governed entirely by the colored race, are themselves colored men, and both these colored diplomatists are at present sojourning in Philadelphia on leave of absence from their posts. They are Ebenezer D. Bassett, a former resident of Philadelphia, who has been Minister resident and Consul-General to Hayti since 1869, and James Milton Turner, of St. Louis, who has been Minister resident and Consul-General to Liberia since February, 1871. Mr. Turner, the latest arrival, reached Philadelphia on Wednesday, and has rooms at the Continental Hotel. He has had quite a checkered career, having been a slave in St. Louis County, Mo., before the war.

The Philadelphia *Chronicle* publishes the substance of Gen. Gordon's remarks at the late glorification at Atlanta, Ga., over the Democratic victory, and adds: "Unless faith in human nature is to be abandoned, what other conclusion can be reached than that the people of the South are fully prepared to do their part toward the restoration of national peace and prosperity. Such statements do not savor of Ku Klux, or of outrage upon the rights of the negro. It would be well for some of our rabid contemporaries to imitate their spirit, and thus assist in allaying strife instead of promoting it, as they are now earnestly endeavoring to do."

A simple accident, near Rutland, Vt., had a remarkable semblance to murder. Mrs. McGuire, a farm-wife, took a load of butter to the village, sold it for forty dollars, and started alone to drive home. Afterward she was found lying dead on the floor of her carriage, with her head terribly bruised and her money gone. The theory of robbery and murder sound ready credence. Later, the truth explained it all. She had died of heart disease, and had fallen on the wheel of the carriage, which had made the bruises, and the money had been spent in paying bills in the village.

A FATAL THANKSGIVING DAY ACCIDENT.—A crowd of men in fantastic dress paraded the streets in Hoboken, New Jersey, on Thursday, and while passing, a small cannon was brought out and several salutes were fired. A number of children amused themselves by running in front of the cannon and were ordered away. John Sweeney, aged fourteen, ran before the cannon just as it was fired, and his right leg was blown off. He died that evening.

Tax Levy.
RICHLAND COUNTY.
OFFICE COUNTY TREASURER,
COLUMBIA, S. C., Nov. 16, 1874.

The following taxes have been levied upon the property of this County, viz:

1. For pay of salaries Executive and Judicial officers of the State, the Clerks and contingent expenses of the Executive and Judicial Departments of the Government.	114
2. For support and maintenance of the penal, charitable and educational institutions of the State, exclusive of common schools.	134
3. For support and maintenance of public schools.	2
4. For payment of deficiencies for school claims and School Commissioners' salaries, due prior to November 1, 1873.	14
5. For expenses of the General Assembly.	1
6. For public printing.	14
7. For payment of interest upon the public debt, (as adjusted by Act of December 22, 1873), due and payable upon 1st of January and July, 1875.	2
8. For deficiencies, or unpaid appropriations and claims of Central National Bank, P. F. Frazee and F. Cardarelli.	145
Total for State Taxes	10 23-60
For current expenses of Richland County.	MILLS 3
For New Court House.	1
For Common Schools.	1
Total for County	5

The tax duplicate will be opened in this office on the thirtieth day of this instant, for the collection of the above tax levies, and every day thereafter (Sunday excepted) until the 15th day of January, 1875. When 20 per cent. penalty will attach to all delinquents.

J. L. NEAGLE,
Treasurer Richland County.
Nov 17

THE DAILY PHOENIX.



"Let our Just Censures"

Attend the True Event."

BY J. A. SELBY. COLUMBIA, S. C., THURSDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 3, 1874. VOL. X—NO. 217.

Cigars and Tobacco.

RETAIL Dealers will do well to examine our CHEWING TOBACCO AND CIGARS.

Tobacco.

200 boxes, from 45 to 50c per pound. Cigars, from \$20 to \$60 per thousand.

100 BOXES GOLDEN CHOP FINE CRACKERS. Just received and for sale low by JOHN AGNEW & SON.

The Spartanburg and Asheville Railroad Company.

STOCKHOLDERS of this Company, resident in Columbia, are informed that the TRUSTEE will be in this city, on Friday, December 4, 1874, to collect the installments now due upon the capital stock. There are three installments, payable at the rate of five dollars (\$5) per share, to be met. The contract for the first or South Carolina Division, has been let and work upon it is progressing rapidly. We need money to pay for the same, and urge upon every stockholder to respond promptly to this call. Charleston, Spartanburg and other points along the line of road are re-opening. Let Columbia keep abreast of them. O. G. MUMFORD, Pres't. A. C. KAUFMAN, Secretary and Treasurer. Dec 2

Wanted.
THREE or Four FIRST CLASS SALES- MEN. Apply to W. D. LOVE & CO. Dec 13

Gas Bills for Month of November.

CONSUMERS will please attend to the payment of the above without delay. This collection closing the fiscal year, my annual statement has to be made to the Stockholders. Consumers can, by promptness, facilitate my labor and enable me to close my accounts in due time.

200 PACKAGES LAYER RAISINS. Prunes, Currants. Citron, Almonds. Pecans, Filberts. Walnuts, Canton Ginger. Mince Meat, Plum Pudding, &c. Just received and for sale low by JOHN AGNEW & SON. Dec 1

500 KEYS NAILS. assorted sizes, manufactured by the Laclede Nail Works, Wheeling, W. Va. Quality very superior, and prices at wholesale and retail greatly reduced. For sale by the Agents, JOHN AGNEW & SON. Nov 25

Springs, Axes and Iron.
OUR stock of SPRINGS and AXES, as well as IRON of all descriptions, is very large. Purchasers will save money by procuring these goods, as well as Carriage Material, at the Hardware Establishment of JOHN AGNEW & SON. Nov 25

To Rent.
THE STORE now occupied by George Symmer; possession given on the first day of April, 1875. This is one of the best stands in the city for a grocery business. A. PALMER. Nov 28

Genuine Corn Whiskey.
FROM Catawba County, N. C., selected by myself out of United States bonded Warehouse. Warranted pure. Sold at J. O. SEIGERS'. Nov 22

For Sale.
A LIGHT ROCKAWAY and a pair of small HORSES. For particulars, apply at PHOENIX office. Oct 10

Apples! Apples!
50 BARRELS Choice Northern APPLIES just received and for sale by JOHN AGNEW & SON. Nov 29

Coughs and Colds.
BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES, Chlorate Potash Pastilles, Gelatine Lozenges, Wistar's Balsam Wild Cherry, Hill's Balsam Honey, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, Jayne's Expectoant, Pisco's Cure. For sale at L. T. SILLIMAN & CO.'S Drug Store. Nov 29

Just Published:
PIANO AT HOME!
A large collection of the best FOUR-HAND PIECES For the Piano-Forte.

NO book is better fitted for "Home" musical entertainment than this. Beginners can play the easier duets. Advanced players and teachers need not be told that practice with four hands is the very best to acquire "time" and "certainty." Practice in the "Piano at Home" is nothing but a continual pleasure.

25 pages, full sheet music size. In boards, \$2.50; cloth, \$3; full gilt, \$4. For Choirs—THE SONG BOOK, \$1.25. For Singing Schools—THE SONG MONARCH, 75 cents.

THE EMERSON METHOD FOR BRED ORGANS.
By L. O. Emerson and W. S. B. Matthews. Easy and progressive lessons, scales, studies, voluntaries, interludes, quartets, songs and other pieces in profusion. All well arranged by skillful hands. Price, \$2.50.

For Choirs—PERKINS' ANTHEM BOOK, \$1.50.
For Quartet Choirs—THOMAS' QUARTETS, \$2.50.
Specimen copies sent, post-paid, for retail price.

OLIVER DITSON & CO., Boston.
CHAS. H. DITSON & CO.,
Nov 28

Final Discharge.
NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN AGNEW, Executor of the estate of Michael Brennan, deceased, has applied to Sanders D. Swygart, Esquire, Judge of Probate in and for the County of Richland, for a final discharge as Executor aforesaid. It is ordered, that the 21st day of December A. D. 1874, be fixed for hearing of petition and final settlement of said estate. SANDERS D. SWYGART,
Judge of Probate, Richland County.
Nov 28

Medicinal Confections.
MARRHAWLOW DROPS, Gum Drops, Jujube Drops, Flaxseed Candy, White Oak Bark, Cocoa Cream, Irish Moss Drops, Wild Cherry Drops, Chlorate Potash Drops, Cocoa Wafers, Chocolate for the Health, Cocoa Cream Caramel, Tolu Jujube, Horse-hound Jujube. For sale at HEINTZ'S Pharmacy. Nov 14

Kerosene, 20 Cents Gallon.
PURE KEROSENE OIL, United States Standard, constantly on hand and for sale at 20 cents per gallon and 5 cents per quart. JOHN AGNEW & SON.

New Orleans Syrup and Buckwheat.
NEW ORLEANS SYRUP,
White Sugar Drops,
Golden Syrup,
New Bull Brand Buckwheat.
Just received and for sale by JOHN AGNEW & SON. Nov 25

PARKER'S HALL.

TWO NIGHTS ONLY. Thursday and Friday, Dec. 3 and 4.

RETURN to Columbia of the favorite and ever-welcome

BERGER FAMILY

WITH THEIR Splendid New Company!

Comprising Lady Orchestra, Ladies' Silver Cornet Band,

SWISS BELL RINGERS

AND GREAT COMEDY COMPANY!

The most chaste, elegant and popular Troupe in existence. Everything new this season. First appearance of the Renowned Comedian and Greatest Character Vocalist of the age,

MR. JAMES W. McKEE.

First appearance of the talented Humorist and Impersonator

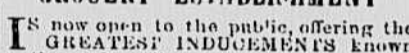
LEGRAND.

All the late Songs and New Music!

Admission—Parquet, \$1.00; Gallery, 50 cents. Seats can be secured in advance at Lybrand's Music Store without extra charge. W. W. FOWLER, Business Agent. Nov 24

A CARD.

The Laurel Street



GROCERY ESTABLISHMENT

IS now open to the public, offering the GREATEST INDUCEMENTS known to the trade. The proprietor is so confident of the superior merits of his goods that he asks no discrimination in his favor as compared with anything in this market; so that you can at once encourage Southern industry, and at the same time directly serve your interest, by purchasing from this reliable house. Offering every reasonable facility to customers, I beg a humble share of public patronage. Dec 1 JOHN E. GYLIS, Agent.

MILLINERY.

PRICES REDUCED OF Ladies', Misses' and Children's BONNETS, HATS, CAPS, SUITS, UNDERWEAR, Fur Sets, Cloaks, Worsted Goods, Hair, Corsets, Zephyr Worsted and other articles too numerous to mention; also, Bazar Patterns. Ladies will please call and see for themselves at Nov 26 MRS. C. E. REED'S.

For Sale or Rent.

A DESIRABLE Residence, on Gertrude street; the lot contains half an acre, with good orchard; the house has seven rooms; well of good water on the premises.

Also, for rent another HOUSE, on Blending street, containing four rooms, one and a-half squares from Main street. For particulars, apply to D. L. BOUZER, Nov 17 At his Dental Office.

CIGARS! CIGARS! CIGARS!

THE friends, patrons and public at large are respectfully notified that in consequence of the large demand for my favorite brands of Cigars, I have been compelled to open another branch

In the Columbia Hotel Rotunda.

My Retail and Wholesale Departments are kept in full force, to meet the demand. All friends from the country are invited to inspect our Factory, at No. 113 Main street, three doors below the Wheeler House, sign of Indian Chief. Nov 10 M. SULZBACHER.

GOVERNOR MOSES

In changing the Commissioners of Election, deserves the united thanks of every lover of peace. THE PROPRIETOR OF THE INDIAN QUEEN SEGAR STORE, in introducing the FIVE CENT MANILLA, deserves the commendation of every lover of the weed, as

ON THE

Day of election, the people flock to the polls, each to deposit their ballot for their favorite candidate, so do the many consumers flock to this popular resort to obtain this FAVORITE SEGAR. Let it be understood that we are not on the

WAR PATH

Against other dealers, we merely claim that the segar offered by others is inferior to that sold by the

1. DIAN QUEEN CIGAR STORE,
Nov 1 1054 Assembly Street.

Imported Wines, Brandies, Etc. Etc

SCOTCH WHISKIES,
Old Jamaica Rum,
Brandies—Otard, &c.,
Holland Gin,
Sherry Wine, Port Wine, Madeira Wine,
Also, a large stock of the old Whiskies,
Cigars, &c. J. C. SEIGERS

Boarding.
MISS CORDELIA MORDECAI, Columbia, S. C., announces that her establishment, South-west corner of Sumter and Lady streets, is prepared to accommodate BOARDERS, permanent and transient, where the tastes and comforts of the most fastidious will be guaranteed. Nov 12

Medicinal Confections.
MARRHAWLOW DROPS, Gum Drops, Jujube Drops, Flaxseed Candy, White Oak Bark, Cocoa Cream, Irish Moss Drops, Wild Cherry Drops, Chlorate Potash Drops, Cocoa Wafers, Chocolate for the Health, Cocoa Cream Caramel, Tolu Jujube, Horse-hound Jujube. For sale at HEINTZ'S Pharmacy. Nov 14

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VISITORS

Will Do Well by Calling at

R. & W. C. SWAFFIELD'S

CLOTHING

HAT HOUSE!



They keep the LARGEST and best made stock in the city.

An experience of 30 years in the city of Columbia, enables them to offer their customers goods just suited to their wants.

HATS

Is entirely new, embracing all the late styles.

Is a specialty with us, and our Custom-made Garments cannot be excelled. Examine them—on exhibition at the Fair Grounds—and be convinced.

We keep a full line of the celebrated Diamond D. perfect fitting Shirts.

Give us a call.

R. & W. C. SWAFFIELD,
Nov 10

JOHN AGNEW & SON,

WHOLESALE LIQUOR DEALERS.

CALL the attention of purchasers to their large stock of fine Rye and Bourbon WHISKIES, from the celebrated distilleries of John Gibson, Son & Co. and the Hanna Distilling Company, together with a large assortment of Rectified Whiskies, New England Rum, Domestic Gin, Old Holland Gin.

Jamaica RUM,
James's Old Scotch WHISKY,
Sherry and Madeira WINES,
California and Imported CHAMPAGNES,
Imported ALES, PORTER, &c.
For sale at low prices by
Nov 26 JOHN AGNEW & SON.

Wines and Liquors.

CHAMPAGNES—Pommery, Sec, Ochsens & Duetzel,
Kallie's Island Sparkling Catawba, California "Imperial,"
BRANDIES—Brandenburg, Freres, Jas. Hennessy,
Otard, Dupuy & Co., vintages 1855, 1858, 1865.

WINE—Old Private Stock Madeira—in bottles only,
Choice Table Sherries,
California Angelica—very delicate,
Sardanian and other Ports,
Full line of Hocks and Sauternes, including "Chateau Yquem," "Latour Blanche," "Hockheimer," "Lanbenheimer," &c., &c.
Our specialty is fine goods, such as we can, with confidence, recommend. Any rare wine not in store we are prepared to purchase either in New York or Europe, and furnish at market rates.

Nov 28 GEO. SYMMERS.

CAROLINA

Lumber Manufacturing Co.

JOHN C. MALLONEE, President.

THOS. BONNELL, Sec. and Treas.
WHOLESALE and retail dealers in all kinds of Southern and Northern LUMBER, FLOORING, CEILING and other kinds of WORKED LUMBER made a specialty: Shingles, Planing, Lath, Vegetable Boxes, &c., &c. Office and Works, Horlock's Wharf, near North-eastern Railroad, Charleston, S. C., and 95 West Gervais street, Columbia, S. C.
E. MORRIS,
Agent at Columbia, S. C.
N. B.—Special arrangements have been made with the railroads for delivering lumber. Nov 19 1874

Buckwheat Flour

AND NEW ORLEANS SYRUP!

White Fish, Cod, Eureka Cod, &c.

APPLE BUTTER, Cranberry Sauce, Mince Meat, CIGARS, equal in quality and as low in price as any in the city.

We will not shock your nerves with glibly or ridiculous advertisements, but simply say our expenses are small compared with those of other houses, and amount of business done, and we are satisfied with moderate profits.

Nov 20 LORICK & LOWRANCE.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

THE undersigned respectfully informs his customers (that he has just returned from the North with a nice assortment of WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, &c., which he offers at the lowest cash prices. Repairing skillfully done. B. VISANSKA,
Main street, opposite New City Hall. Nov 7

WM. GLAZE,

JEWELER,

Has on hand a large stock of

Gold and Silver Watches and Clocks,
DIAMOND RINGS AND PINS,
Fine Jewelry in Whole and Half Sets,
Silver and Plated Ware,
House-Furnishing Goods,
Fancy Goods in Variety,
Military Goods—Stock Complete.

N. B. I have on hand a large stock of ENGLISH GUNS, breech and muzzle loading, and will sell at reduced prices.

Wishing to reduce my whole stock, I will sell, until January next, all goods at reduced prices.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY repaired in the best manner and warranted. 2mo Nov 8

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry,

SILVER AND PLATED WARE,
SPECTACLES, EYE-GLASSES, ETC.

I HAVE a large stock of the above on hand, and will sell them at the lowest cash prices. All goods warranted as represented.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired and work warranted.

Oct 27 GEO. BRUNS,
Columbia Hotel Block.

AT APOTHECARY'S HALL,

Pure Cod Liver Oil,

FOR CONSUMPTION!
PURE COD LIVER OIL, plain,
Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites Lime,
Wilbur's Cod Liver Oil and Lime,
Mother's Norwegian Cod Liver Oil,
DeJough's Cod Liver Oil,
Pancreatic Cod Liver Oil,
Baker's Cod Liver Oil,
Sayne's Expectoant for Coughs,
Stanley's celebrated Cough Syrup,
Ayer's Cherry Pectoral,
Allen's Lung Balm,
Liverwort and Tar,
Tar and Wild Cherry.
For sale by E. H. HEINTZ,
Nov 5 Wholesale and Retail Druggist.

LADIES' UNDER GARMENTS.

NEW STOCK

Just received at

C. F. JACKSON'S.

Another Lot Black Alpaca. BEST in this city at the price. Now ready at C. F. JACKSON'S.

New Prints, New Dress Goods,

NEW RUFFLINGS, NEW SKIRTS, at C. F. JACKSON'S, Leader of Low Prices. Nov 21

THE election now approaches, and there is great excitement and speculation as to whether or not

Chamberlain

Will be elected Governor by his party! So is there great excitement among those who are purchasing DRY GOODS, and F. P. ORCHARD & CO. have decided

Not to be

Undersold by any other house in the city, and they should be patronized and

Supported

Not only by Democrats and Conservatives, but also

By the Republicans.

Oct 31

OPENING DAILY!

EVERY DESCRIPTION OF

DRY GOODS!

CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, RUGS AND WINDOW SHADES!

BOOTS AND SHOES

Of all kinds and at very low prices.

THE MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

Is well stocked with everything that is new and pretty, and no extravagant prices.

Orders from the country promptly attended to, at the Old Stand of

Oct 14 R. C. SHIVER & CO

Special Notice From The GRAND CENTRAL

DRY GOODS ESTABLISHMENT,

or

W. D. LOVE & CO.

WE have just received ten cases of

very choice and seasonable DRESS GOODS, purchased for cash of two bankrupt importing houses, which will be sold very cheap. Also, five cases BLACK AND VACAS and choice MOURNING GOODS, which, for quality and finish, cannot be excelled anywhere.

The following Goods are now in stock: 50 pieces choice patterns of CARPETS, 100 RUGS, 90 MATS, 50 dozen of Hallou & Co.'s celebrated SHIRTS, for which we are the agents, retailing them at wholesale prices.

All the departments of our establishment are full of the best makes of goods, and purchased by our resident buyer in New York for cash at the lowest prices, enabling us to sell goods as low as any house in New York.

Those residing in the city, and strangers passing through, before laying in their winter supplies, should examine our large and choice assortment, at the GRAND CENTRAL DRY GOODS ESTABLISHMENT OF W. D. LOVE & CO.'s wholesale and retail dealers in DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, BOOTS AND SHOES corner of Main and Plain streets.

N. B. SAMPLES sent gratuitously to all parts of the country on application. Oct 11

107 Main St., Next to Wheeler House. ESTABLISHED IN 1845,

AND STILL IN THE FIELD,

WITH

A LARGE and well selected stock of first class FURNITURE, Parlor, Bedroom and Dining Room Sets, which will be sold as low as any house in the country for cash. Nov 10 M. H. BERRY.