

Amendments to bill requiring certain persons, formerly Treasurers of Counties of Darlington, Anderson, Sumter and Beaufort, to turn over all checks, vouchers, papers or accounts to the County Commissioners, were concurred in, and title changed to Act.

Mr. Nash—Joint resolution to effect a removal of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Asylum to the city of Columbia.

Mr. Jervy introduced a resolution, which was agreed to, that when the Senate adjourns on Friday, March 12, it stand adjourned until Tuesday, March 16, 1875, at 11 A. M.

Bills to provide for the maintenance of prisoners in penitentiary; to amend Section 6 of "an Act to renew and amend charter of town of Anderson," received third reading, and ordered to the House.

Bill to provide for holding a certain election in Barnwell County, received its third reading, and the title changed to an Act.

The resolution relative to bond of State Treasurer, was agreed to and ordered to the House.

After consideration of general orders and executive session, adjourned. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. Young presented a claim of \$2,712.55 for money advanced in 1870 for purchase of the "Croft" land, in Newberry County.

Mr. Simons presented accounts Wm. Brice, for wood, and A. Brown, for extra labor in House of Representatives.

Mr. S. Greene introduced a resolution, which was agreed to, that when this House adjourns to-night, it stand adjourned until Monday next, at 7 P. M.

Mr. M. S. Greene introduced a concurrent resolution, which was adopted and ordered to the Senate: Whereas, on page 12, Comptroller-General's report, the estimate of amounts to be realized from the several specific taxes levied for the fiscal year commencing November 1, 1874, is given in detail; and whereas the amount to be realized from the tax of one-third of one mill levied for public printing, is placed at \$40,127.06 9/10; and whereas the State has entered into a contract with the Republican Printing Company to do the printing required for the sum of \$50,000; and whereas Section 3 of an Act to make appropriation to meet the ordinary expenses of the State Government for the fiscal year commencing November 1, 1874, appropriates the sum of \$50,000 from the tax of one-third of a mill levied for public printing; and it is currently reported that the contractors working under the contract for printing since November 22, 1874, a period of nearly four months, have not received any part of said appropriation, because the State Treasurer positively, by no lawful means, refuses to pay said appropriation, or any much of it as is claimed to be due; by this said Republican Printing Company; that the State Treasurer immediately inform the General Assembly what amount is now on the books of his office to the credit of public printing; and why he refuses to pay the order of the State Printer under the present contract.

Joint resolution to amend "A joint resolution to appoint trustees under the will of the late Dr. John De La Howe," was read third time, and ordered to the Senate.

Joint resolution authorizing County Commissioners of Colleton to levy and collect special tax; bills regulating manner of payment of all claims against the several Counties; for the relief of sureties upon official bonds of certain officers, were read third time, and passed.

Eracting clauses of a bill to require Commissioners of the several Counties to furnish County School Commissioners with offices, necessary office furniture and incidentals, was stricken out.

Bill to incorporate Richland Building and Loan Association, of Columbia, was read the second time, and ordered engrossed.

Mr. Keith introduced a resolution, which was adopted, that the State Treasurer be requested to furnish this House, by Monday next, a statement, in detail, of how much has been realized from the tax levy of 1 1/4 mills on the dollar, collected to pay claims of P. F. Drake, F. Oardarrell, W. E. Ross and others; and what amount he has paid out of said money, to whom paid, and in what amount, and the balance in his hands, if any.

OSSEYIANS ON THE TRANSIT OF VENUS.—Among the minor results of the observations there are two points of importance established. The exact measurement of the disc of Venus, never possible before because of the glare of the planet, in a telescope, has now been attained. The atmosphere of Venus has been found to contain the vapor of water, a fact which will be added to the number of proofs already accumulated that all the members of the solar system had, in the remote past, a common origin.

Philip Sharpley died at the station house, in Philadelphia, yesterday, from exposure. He was found lying in the snow and sleet in a drunken condition.

THE DAILY PHOENIX.

"Let our Just Censures Attend the True Event." BY J. A. SELBY. COLUMBIA, S. C., FRIDAY MORNING, MARCH 12, 1875 VOL. X—NO. 303

A ray of hope is furnished by the Cincinnati Gazette, which publishes a list of over thirty leading articles of consumption, and a comparison of their prices for the years 1860 and 1875, so far as the latter can be told. These articles are not luxuries, but mostly necessities of life, and, at the most, comforts. The present quotations, in but few instances, show a rise that would not indicate any violently varying or disturbing elements between the periods noted. Prime wheat is at 18 cents a bushel less than in 1860; most pork is only \$1 more per barrel, and that increase may be accounted for by the improved foreign demand. Sugar is at the same figure per pound; apples are cheaper, so are prints, soap and candles; while pig iron and the products made from iron are again upon an ante-war gold basis, and no are dry goods and hardware generally. The agricultural and closely allied interests of the country are in a good condition, and promise a marked improvement in trade and general industry before the year is over. For the past year, a shrinkage in values has been going forward, that has brought us down to rock bottom once more, and business men are in a way to find out where they stand.

WITCHCRAFT OR MAGIC.—Says the Detroit Free Press: "The three-year old child of a man named Lecinski, residing on Eighteenth street, coming in contact with a hot stove, burned its arm badly. The agony of the child and its piercing screams attracted the neighbors, and among those who went into Lecinski's house was a farmer named Sabel, who lives in Dearborn. Sabel took the child up, blew upon the burned part, and followed the breathing by thrice gently rubbing it with his hand, each time describing the sign of the cross. A jargon of words accompanied these manipulations. In not over two minutes' time, the fire was extracted, and the child was subdued and quiet. Sabel says the power he has over this class of cases is infallible. He derived it from an old woman in Mecklenburg-Straitz, and cannot impart the secret to any man. But it can be transferred by man to woman, or vice versa, but not otherwise."

POISONED BY EATING PAINTED CANDY The Wheeling (Virginia) Register gives an account of the fatal poisoning of one child and the serious and possibly fatal illness of two others in the same family, near Bridgeport, from eating painted sugar apples. The occasion was the birth-day festivities of one of the children of a German family named Bhorst. The children ate freely of the painted candy with the results named. Analysis proved that the confection had been colored red and green in the emulsion of real fruit by the use of arsenic and aniline.

THE GREAT ENGLISH ASTHMOLOGIST, Dr. J. W. Wilson, Greenfield, S. C.

Wonderful.—Crowds of people are visiting the Great English Asthmo-logist, who can see the nature, cause and mysterious circumstances at every age in life. She describes the whereabouts of hidden treasure, coal oil, mineral and all other resources. She tells you your future prospects, and is the only person now in this country who can show you a correct likeness of your future husband or wife. Call and see her at once, and be convinced, at No. 48 Washington street, between Market and Gates streets. March 10 6

Extra Fine Seed. HUBBARD SQUARE, The Turban SQUASH, Marblehead Champion BEAN, Marblehead Mammoth CORN, Stowell's Evergreen CORN. For sale at HEINISCH'S Drug Store, March 5

Patriot. THIS thorough-bred STALLION will stand for the season, commencing March 15, 1875, at the Wheeler House Stables, on Plain street. For terms and pedigrees, apply at the Stables. March 5

PERRY & SLAWSON'S THE military man after marital excess; the farmer after the day's labor; the mechanic returning from the busy scenes of the machine shop; the merchant, come out with the daily routine of the counting room; the lawyer plodding the dusty labyrinth of law's intricate paths; the parson perplexing over some difficult theological question; the man of elegant leisure disgusted with time's monotonous page—all find in these Oliges the refreshing, re-vigorating, enlivening and soothing panacea their tired nature, overtaxed brain and drooping energy require. Sold only by PERRY & SLAWSON, Indian Girl Oliges Store, Columbia, S. C.

MONOPOLY AND NEW SENSATION. Davis' Diamond Hams. 10 TIERCES Davis' Diamond HAMS and Sugar-Cured BEEF, just received and for sale by JOHN AGNEW & SON, Feb 20

Finest Goshen Butter IN town reduced five cents per pound, at Feb 6 HARDY SOLOMON'S.

Sweet Oranges. 10 BABELS SWEET ORANGES just received at HARDY SOLOMON'S.

THE SYMPTOMS of Liver Complaint are—nausea and pain in the side. Sometimes the pain is in the shoulder, and is mistaken for rheumatism. The stomach is affected with loss of appetite and sickness, bowels, in general, constive, sometimes alternating with lax. The head is troubled with pain, and dull, heavy sensation, considerable loss of memory, accompanied with painful sensation of having left undone something which ought to have been done. Often complaining of weakness, debility and low spirits. Sometimes many of the above symptoms attend the disease, and at other times very few of them; but the Liver is generally the organ most involved.

It is warranted not to contain a single particle of Mercury, or any injurious mineral substance, but is PURELY VEGETABLE. Containing those Southern Roots and Herbs, which an all-wise Providence has placed in countries where Liver Diseases most prevail. It will cure all Diseases caused by Derangement of the Liver and Bowels. SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR, OR MEDICINE, Is eminently a Family Medicine; and by being kept ready for immediate resort, will save many an hour of suffering, and many a dollar in time and doctors' bills.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS. Take Simmons' Liver Regulator For all diseases of the Liver, Stomach and Spleen. As a remedy in Malarious Fevers, Bowel Complaints, Dyspepsia, Mental Depression, Headaches, Jaundice, Nausea, Sick Headache, Colic, Constipation and Biliousness, IT HAS NO EQUAL.

TESTIMONIALS. "I have never seen or tried such a simple, efficacious, satisfactory and pleasant remedy in my life."—H. HAINES, St. Louis, Mo. "I occasionally use, when my condition requires it, Dr. Simmons' Liver Regulator, with good effect."—Hon. ALEX. H. STEPHENS, Governor of Alabama.

Important to Consumers of Tea. I HAVE made arrangements with an importing Tea House to supply me with a uniform grade of TEA, so that consumers, finding a Tea suitable in strength and flavor, can always depend upon getting the same, by asking for that grade and price. We have opened, to-day, twelve Chests of Tea, as follows:

- Five Oolong C. Fancy Oolong A. Fancy English Breakfast C. Fancy English Breakfast A. Choice Imperial C. Fine Imperial C. Fancy Young Hyson A. Choice Young Hyson B. Fine Young Hyson C. Choice Gunpowder B. Fancy Gunpowder D. Fine Gunpowder C.

Money to Loan. On Marketable Collaterals. EXCHANGE on New York, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Boston and all prominent cities of the United States and Europe bought and sold.

SEED POTATOES! GUANO! SOUTHERN WAREHOUSE CO. MONEY TO LOAN. On Marketable Collaterals.

New Books, at Bryan's Bookstore. WORKING to Win, a story for girls, \$1.75. Mistress of the Manor, by Dr. Holland, author of Arthur Bonnycastle, \$1.50. A History of Germany, from the Earliest Times, by Charles von Lewis, \$2.50. Manual of Mythology, Greek, Roman, Norse, Hindoo, Egyptian and Old German, by Murray, \$2.25. Prairie and Forest, the Game of North America, with adventures in their pursuit, by Gillmore, \$1.50. Health and Education, by Kingsley, \$1.75. Hogarth's complete works, in three volumes. The Wild North Land, by Major Butler, with plates, \$2.50. History of Clubs and Club Life, London. Book of Wonderful Characters, with portraits. The Blank Dictionary, Historical and anecdotal. Homes and Haunts of the British Poets. London, and other new books. Nov 1

Imported Wines, Brandies, &c. Etc. SCOTCH WHISKIES, Old Jameson's, Old Jamaica, &c., Holland Gin. Cherry Wine, Port Wine, Madeira Wine, &c. Also, a large stock of the old Whiskies, Oliges, &c. J. C. SEEGERS.

Naphtha Lamps. GAS LIGHT. A GAS LIGHT at much less expense. These LAMPS are in different styles and well adapted for Stores, Offices, Entries and Rooms. Each Lamp is of itself a gas-manufactory. The oil is fed through a tube or pipe, at the end of which the burner converts it into gas, which burns with a brilliant white flame nearly equal to the best coal gas, and surpassing many coal gas lights. For sale by M. E. CABE, 57 Bridge street. Feb 16 3mo

Grand Central Java Coffee. WE are agents for the GRAND CENTRAL JAVA COFFEE COMPANY. Their coffee is sold in pound packages, at thirty cents per pound, and each case of sixty pounds contains a superior eight day clock, which becomes the property of the lucky purchaser who buys the package containing the ticket which entitles the owner thereof to the clock. The coffee is full value itself for the price charged, and the clock is given as a prize to induce purchasers to try the coffee. Jan 22 JOHN AGNEW & SON.

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 Expecto-rant, Pisco's Cure. For sale at Dec 29 L. T. SILLIMAN & CO.'S Drug Store.



GIVING INSTANT RELIEF. "I have been a dyspeptic for years; began to feel ill two years ago; it has acted like a charm in my case."—REV. J. C. HOLMES. "I have given your medicine a thorough trial, and in no case has it failed to give full satisfaction."—ELLEN MEACHAM, Chattahoochee, Fla. "I have used your Regulator with successful effect in Bilious Colic and Dyspepsia. It is an excellent remedy, and certainly a public blessing."—C. MASTRISON, Bibb County, Ga. "My wife and self have used the Regulator for years, and testify to its great virtues."—REV. J. R. FALLEN, Perry, Ga. "I think Simmons' Liver Regulator one of the best medicines ever made for the Liver. My wife and many others have used it with wonderful effect."—E. K. SPAKES, Albany, Ga. "I have used the Regulator in my family, and also in my regular practice, and have found it a most valuable and satisfactory medicine, and believe if it was used by the profession, it would be of service in very many cases. I know very much of its component parts, and can certify its medicinal qualities are perfectly harmless."—B. F. GUNOOS, M. D., Macon, Ga. Jan 30 4pm

Early Rose Potatoes. BROWN'S Peerless, Choice Sets, Little Dixie, Calhoun, Early Elm Cabbage, ten days earlier than Early York. For sale at Feb 10 Drug and Seed Store.

STATIONERS PRINTERS AND BINDERS. FIRST-CLASS WORK. OUR SPECIALTY, YET BY USING CHEAPER GRADES OF STOCK, WE CAN FURNISH WORK AT LOWEST LIVING PRICES. FINE FASHIONABLE STATIONERY, Parties, Paper and Envelopes. Wedding and Ball Invitations. ON THE BEST STOCK AND PRINTED IN THE LATEST STYLE.

WINE, BRANDY & CHAMPAGNE. JUST RECEIVED direct from California. These Wines and Brandy are made of delicious grapes of California. For sale by J. C. SEEGERS. Dec 18

CELEBRATED STAR SHIRTS, OPEN BACK OR FRONT. NET CASH.

WHITE DRESS SHIRTS for \$10.50. " " " " \$12.00. " " " " \$13.50. " " " " \$15.00. " " " " \$18.00. All Linen Bosom and Collars.

NEW HATS, SPRING STYLES. WINTER CLOTHING, AT COST.

KINARD & WILBY. WINTER CLOTHING. REDUCED PRICES FOR CASH!!

TRAVELING BLANKETS AND SHAWLS AT COST! New Style Hats! Fall and Winter CLOTHS AND CASHMERE.

R. & W. C. SWAFFIELD. HIS STOCK OF FALL AND WINTER CLOTHING AND FURNISHING GOODS. CHAMPION OF LOW PRICES. CLOSING OUT.

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EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT. STATE TREASURER'S OFFICE. COLUMBIA, December 18, 1874. THE Coupons of the Consolidation Bonds of the State of South Carolina, due January 1, 1875, will be paid at that date on presentation at the Treasury, and at the South Carolina Bank and Trust Company, Columbia, S. C., and also at the People's National Bank, Charleston, S. C., and the National Bank, New York. The Coupons due July 1, 1874, on all Consolidation Bonds, hereon in exchange for old bonds, will be paid whenever presented at any of the above mentioned places. The Coupons of the Consolidation Bonds due January 1 and July 1, 1875, are receivable for taxes. F. L. CARLOZO, Treasurer S. C.