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Columbia, S. C., April 2, 1875.
April 4

Administrator's Notice.

Attend the True Event."

BY JULIAN A. SELBY.

COLUMBIA, S. C., WEDNESDAY MORNING, APRIL 7, 1875.

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RULES ON PORER-BY GEN. SKUNK. 1. Don't buy half as many chips at the start as the other players. The expectation is that you will win, and if you lose it is better to bor-

row or "owe" up.

2. Never ante up until some one tells you to, and then say that you have and stick to it, which will generally persuade some one else to "come in" twice. This rule, though an excellent one, must be followed with discretion. If practiced too often it is liable to produce unpleasent feelings.
3. Toward the end of the evening

it is always better to owe up your ante "for a minute" than to put up, as the winner of the pot frequently forgets to charge up the debts, and none of the other players will remind him, as they may wish to do

the same thing.

4. When the credit system begins to creep in, as it generally does about the middle of the game, you are the game and the middle of the game. should always owe up if possible, and bet chiefly against those who always put up. This is one of the most important rules. To win in cash and lose on credit is the great

secret of successful poker playing.

5. In dealing, always observe the bottom card, which you can easily do before the cut. Then, by noticing the cut is made you. ing how thick a cut is made, you can tell whether that card goes out. This may help you in the draw.

6. Keep a sharp eye on the discards. They may be of service if your draw is not satisfactory.
7. When you are "in luck," watch

your opportunity from time to time to put some of your checks in your pocket without being seen. This will enable you to "owe" up if luck turns, and will prevent your being borrowed from.

8. When any one wants to buy more checks and you have plenty, get him to buy of you, if possible, in preference to the bank. It enames to concert the amount of bles you to conceal the amount of your winnings, and, besides, the bank may not be able to pay up.

9. When you are "chipping out" for drinks, &c., put a cigar in your pocket every once in a while. You are sure to be so much ahead of the game, and they come in very handy, even when you don't smoke.

10. Never permit anything to make you forget for a moment that the whole object of your game is to save your own money and secure somebody else's, and let everything you do between triffing to the control of the cont you do, however trifling, tend to this desirable end.

11. When the game is over, if you are winner, deny it entirely, or fix the figure as low as possible; if you are loser, declare that you have lost twice an much as you really have. This rule is never departed from. The money lost at a game of poker always foots up four times as much as the money won.

12. When it is inconvenient to

avoid paying your poker debts entirely, use discrimination in the matter. Debts to persons whom you are not likely to meet very often you can avoid. Many players feel a delicacy about asking for a poker debt—these are safe ones to pay.

LONG CHASE AFTER A DEFAULTER At a late hour on Monday night At a late hour on Monday night Detective Spittle, of the London police, arrested W. H. Neeves in New York, on a charge of having embezzled about \$4,000 from his employers, Higgins, Egan & Co., of London. Spittle says that he has followed Neeves over a great portion of the world, having traveled in all about 8,000 miles. The prisoner was placed on heavel the prisoner was placed on board the steamer Wisconsin, which sailed for Liverpool on Tuesday.

What changes a few years bring about—don't they? Yesterday the citizens of Arbor Hill were aware of a woman madly tearing along, potato-masher in hand, giving chase to her husband, who was fly than her massare like a deer ing from her presence like a deer. Eight years ago the same female took a medal at an Eastern seminary for a graduating essay on "Repose of character."

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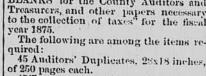
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RICHARD TONES, City Treasurer.

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EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER-GENERAL.
COLUMBIA, S. C., March 29, 1875.

IN accordance with an Act of the Genral Assembly, entitled "An Act to make appropriations to meet the ordinary expenses of the State Government for the fiscal year commencing November 1, 1874," approved March 29, 1875, the undersigned invites all parties interested to submit PROPOSALS for furnishing this office with the "BOOKS AND BLANKS for the County Auditors and Treasurers, and other papers necessary to the collection of taxes" for the fiscal year 1875. TURER Steam
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THOS. C. DUNN,
Comptroller-General State of S. C.
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