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DANIEL A. SMITH,
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Bedding, Window Shades, Carpets, &c
Is now located in his new building on North
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Parties in want of goods in his line will save
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Particular attention paid to the sale and
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AND
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Having purchased the entire STOCK OF
GOODS of Messrs. D. L. DeSAUSSURE &
Co., we will sell the same at
COST FOR CASH,
and for that purpose hereby constitute the
members of that firm our agents to effect such
sales!
J. I. MIDDLETON & CO.
June 8

SOUTH CAROLINA RAIL ROAD.


CAMDEN BRANCH.
On and after Monday, Dec. the 25th., 1871 the
Schedule of the Camden train will be as follows:
Leave Camden at 6 15 A. M.
Arrive at Columbia at 10 40 A. M.
Leave Columbia at 1 45 P. M.
Arrive at Camden at 6 25 P. M.
By order of the Vice-President,
A. B. DeSAUSSURE Agent.
Camden Dec. 23d, 1871.

PERUVIAN GUANO
ZELL'S PHOSPHATE!
PHENIX GUANO!

AND
WILCOX & GIBBE'S
MANIPULATED COMPOUND
OF
Guano, Salt and Plaster!

For sale by
GEO. ALDEN,
Feb 1st Agent.

"NICKERSON HOUSE."
Columbia S. C.

THIS Pleasantly located Hotel, unsurpassed
by any house in the South for comfort, and
health of locality, is now open to Travelers and
others seeking accommodation. Families can
be furnished with nice, airy rooms on reason-
able terms. "A call is solicited."
Mrs. W. A. WRIGHT & SON,
Our Omnibuses and Carriages will be found at
the different depots.
Terms reasonable, transient or regular
boarders. mar 23 ft.

YOUNG MEN
Contemplating a business life should attend the
BRYANT, STRATTON & SADLER
BUSINESS COLLEGE.

For Circulars and specimens of Penmanship
enclose two stamps and address,
W. H. SADLER, President,
Nos 6 and 8 N. Charles st, Baltimore, Md.

THE GRAND FINALE.

An increase of business and a desire to
improve, has prompted us to procure new
apparatus, which enables us to make pictures
from the size of a pin head to life size, and
at prices to suit the times. Give us a call,
for we mean what we say.
LEE & BRO
Up Stairs in the Workman Building.
Feb. 1-

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ADVERTISING RATES.

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3 squares	5 00	12 00	16 00	24 00	35 00
4 squares	6 00	16 00	20 00	30 00	43 00
5 squares	7 00	20 00	24 00	36 00	50 00
6 squares	8 00	24 00	28 00	42 00	58 00
7 squares	9 00	28 00	32 00	48 00	66 00
8 squares	10 00	32 00	36 00	54 00	74 00
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All Transient Advertisements will be charged
One Dollar per Square for the first and
75 CENTS per Square for each subsequent
insertion.

Extensive Arrivals!

THE UNDERSIGNED is now receiving his

FALL STOCK OF GOODS,

Fresh from the Great Markets of the East,
consisting in part of

Calicos, Ginghams, Delaines,

BOOTS, SHOES, HATS.

Notions and Fancy Goods,

Full Li of each,

In Groceries

He is prepared to show a well-selected stock
of Family and Fancy Groceries, Bacon, Lard,
&c., &c.

To Planters

He is offering Cheap Bagging, Ties and Rope.

Buys Cotton,

At the highest market rates, and makes liberal
advances on consignments.

Having bought for CASH, he is prepared to
sell CHEAP for the same.

Give me a call. No charge for showing
goods.

Tailoring

Done in fashionable style and at reasonable
prices by Mr. C. A. McDONALD.

J. W. McCURRY, Agent
oct 26-ly

NEW GOODS!

At the store occupied by A. M. Kennedy, a
few doors north of the Market, will be
found a stock, consisting of

STAPLE DRY GOODS.

Hardware, Nails, Iron, Steel, Spades, Shovels,
Garden Hoes, Brady & Elwell Hoes,
Plow Moulds, &c., &c. &c.

GROCERIES.

Crushed, Coffee and Brown sugars, Rio Leguira
and Java Coffees, Green and Hysou
Teas, Smoked and unsmoked
Side and Slaughter Bacon, Hams
Lard
Goshen Butter,
Corn, Oats, Salt, Stone
Lime, Fine Super and Extra
Family Flour, Soap, Candles,
Sorgho, Pepper, Spice, Ginger, Soda
Crackers and Cheese, New Orleans Sugar
House and W. I. Malasses Canned Fruit, Oys-
ters, Early Rose, Goodrich, Pink Eye and Jack-
son White Planting Potatoes.

Crockery, Glassware &c., Saddles, Bridles,
Shoes, Hames &c. All of which will be sold
at the lowest price for cash, and we request
a call from all who wish to purchase.

A. D. KENNEDY & CO.

A. D. KENNEDY,
A. M. KENNEDY.
A. M. Kennedy will give his attention to the
purchase of cotton; is agent for the sale of Eti-
wano, Guano, Etiwan Crop Food and Etiwan Ground
Bone. Feb 15 ft

THE CELEBRATED EDGECOMBE

COTTON AND CORN

PLOUGH,

Manufactured by the

Edgecombe Agricultural Works,
TARBORO', N. C.

Took Four First Premiums in 1871.

HAS twelve different kinds of castings fitting
to same standard. Can be arranged to do
every variety of work needed in the cultivation
of cotton and corn. It is manufactured in
Edgecombe county, N. C., and almost univers-
ally used by the farmers of that county, who are
behind none in their readiness to examine into
the merits of all agricultural implements, and
who are among the most successful and prosper-
ous cotton growers of the South. Several plan-
ters in Kershaw and Sumter counties have used
them with entire satisfaction.

PRICES REDUCED.

For sale by
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Marengo Mills.

LUMBER!

50,000 ft. ROUGH EDGE LUMBER;

30,000 ft. REFUSE LUMBER;

30,000 ft. SQUARE EDGE LUMBER;

Seasoned and Unseasoned,

Now on hand and for sale by the undersigned
at the lowest possible prices.

FOR CASH.

All orders addressed to or left with Mr. C.
SOELKENS, or with the undersigned, will re-
ceive prompt attention.

A Lumber Yard

Has been established on the premises of the
above-named gentleman in the town of Camden,
where parties from the town or surrounding
country can be supplied at Camden prices by
calling on him.

S. R. ADAMS,

LAWS OF THE STATE.

Acts and Resolutions of the General
Assembly of South Carolina.

Published by Authority.

AN ACT to incorporate the town of Mid-
way.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate
and House of Representatives of the State of
South Carolina now met and sitting in Gen-
eral Assembly, and by the authority of the
same: That all persons, citizens of the
United States, who are now or may hereaf-
ter become inhabitants of the town of Mid-
way, shall be deemed and are hereby declar-
ed to be a body politic and corporate, and
that said town shall be known by the name
of Midway, and its limits shall be deemed
and held to extend four hundred and fifty
yards in each direction from the present rail-
road depot in said town.

SEC. 2. That the said town shall be governed
by an intendant and four wardens who shall
be elected on the fourth Monday in March
next, on which day, as well as on the fourth
Monday of March of each year thereafter,
an election shall be held for
an intendant and four wardens, who shall be
citizens of the United States, and shall have
been residents of said town for sixty days
immediately preceding said election, at such
places in said town as the intendant and war-
dens shall designate, ten days public notice
thereof being previously given, in writing,
and that all male inhabitants of said town of
the age of 21, who shall have resided therein
60 previous to said election, shall be entitled
to vote for said intendant and wardens, and
the election shall be held from nine o'clock
in the morning until three o'clock in the after-
noon, when the polls shall be closed, and the
managers shall count the votes and proclaim
the election, and give notice thereof to the
persons elected, and that the intendant and
wardens for the time being shall appoint the
managers of the ensuing election. That the
intendant and wardens, before entering up-
on the duties of their respective offices, shall
take the oath prescribed by the constitution
of this State, also the following oath, to-wit:
"As intendant (or warden) of the town of
Midway, I will equally and impartially, to
the best of my ability, exercise the trust re-
posed in me, and use my best endeavors to
preserve the peace, and carry into effect ac-
cording to law, the purposes of my appoint-
ment. So help me God."

SEC. 3. That in case a vacancy shall oc-
cur in the office of intendant or any of the
wardens, by death, resignation, removal from
the State, or from any other cause, an elec-
tion shall be held by the appointment of the
intendant and warden or wardens as the case
may be, ten days notice thereof, as aforesaid,
being given; and in case of sickness or tem-
porary absence of the intendant or any of
the wardens, the wardens forming a council
shall be empowered to elect one of themselves
to act as intendant during such sickness or
absence.

SEC. 4. That the intendant and wardens,
duly elected and qualified, shall, during
their term of service, severally and respect-
ively, be vested with all the powers of trial
justices or other inferior courts in this State,
in matters civil and criminal, within the
limits of said town. That the intendant
shall, as often as occasion may require, sum-
mons the wardens to meet him in council, a
majority of whom shall constitute a quorum
for the transaction of business, and shall be
known by the name of the "town council of
Midway," and they and their successors
shall have a common seal, and they shall
have power and authority to appoint, from
time to time, such and so many persons to
act as marshals and constables, as they shall
deem expedient and proper, which officers
shall have all the powers, privileges and
emoluments, be subject to all the duties, pen-
alties and regulations provided by the laws
of this State for the office of constables; and
the intendant and wardens in council shall
have power and authority under their corporate
seal, to ordain and establish all such
rules and bye-laws and ordinances respecting
the streets, ways, public wells and watering
places, market and police of said town, and
for preserving health, peace, order and good
government within the same, as they may
deem expedient and proper; and the said
council may affix fines for offenses against
such bye laws and ordinances, and appropri-
ate the same to the use of the corporation,
but no fine shall exceed fifty dollars. All
fines may be recovered by an action for debt
before a proper tribunal.

SEC. 5. That the said council shall have
power to abate and remove nuisances within
the limits of said town, and also to classify
and arrange the inhabitants liable to police
duty, and to require them to perform such
duty as occasion may require, and enforce
the performance thereof under the same
penalties as are now, or may hereafter be,
established by law: Provided, always, never-
theless, that the said town council shall have
power to compound with persons liable to
such duty, upon such terms as they shall by
ordinance establish.

SEC. 6. That it shall be the duty of the
intendant and wardens to keep all streets
and ways which may be necessary for public
use within the limits of said town open and
in good repairs; and for that purpose they
are hereby vested with all the powers, rights
and privileges, granted by law to county
commissioners, within the limits of said town,
and for any neglect of duty they shall be li-
able to the pains and penalties imposed by
law upon county commissioners for like neg-
lect, and they are hereby exempt from the
performance of road and police duty, and
the inhabitants of said town are hereby ex-
empt from road and police duty outside of
the limits of said corporation.

SEC. 7. That the said intendant and war-
dens shall have power to compound with
persons liable to work on said streets and
ways, and release such persons as may desire
it, upon the payment of such sum of money
as they may deem a fair equivalent there-
for, to be applied by them to the use of said
corporation.

SEC. 8. That the said town council shall
also be empowered to retain, possess and en-
joy all such property as they may now be
possessed of or entitled to, or which shall
hereafter be given, bequeathed to, or in any
manner acquired by them, and to sell, alien,
or in any manner transfer the same or any
part thereof. Provided, the amount of prop-
erty so held or the amount to stock so in-
vested shall in no case exceed the sum of
fifty thousand dollars.

SEC. 9. That the said town council of
Midway shall have full power to impose an
annual tax upon all real and personal prop-
erty within the corporate limits of said town:
Provided, said tax does not exceed ten cents
on the one hundred dollars.

SEC. 10. That the intendant and wardens
of the town of Midway shall have power to
regulate sales at auction, within the limits
of said town, and to grant licenses to auc-
tioneers: Provided, that nothing herein
contained shall extend to sales by sheriff,
clerk of court, judge of probate, coroner, ex-
ecutors, administrators, assignees, or by any
other person under the order of any court or
tribunal justice.

SEC. 11. That the intendant and wardens
of the town of Midway shall have power and
authority to require any person or persons
owning a lot or lots in said town of Midway,
to keep in repair the sidewalk adjacent to
their lots, respectively, and for default in
this matter, shall have power and authority
to have the work done at the expense of said
lot owner.

SEC. 12. That the power to grant or refuse
licenses to keep a tavern, sell intoxicating
drinks, and the same is hereby vested in
the town council of the town of Midway,
and that they also be vested with all nec-
essary power, by ordinance or resolutions, to
suppress or regulate the sale of intoxicating
drinks, to be drunk at the place where sold,
or in or upon any of its appendages, or in
or upon any of the highways, streets, lanes,
alleys, commons, kitchens, stores, shops, pub-
lic buildings, booths, stalls, or outhouses of
said town, or within one-fourth of a mile of
the present railroad depot in the town of
Midway, in the county of Barnwell. Provid-
ed that no rule or regulation shall be made
inconsistent with the constitution and laws
of the State.

SEC. 13. That this act shall be taken and
deemed as a public act in all courts of jus-
tice, and shall continue in force for the term
of fourteen years from its passage.
Approved Jany. 8th, 1872.

AN ACT to Empower the Judges of the Pro-
bate Court, in their respective Counties, to
issue Executions.

Whereas it is the duty of the
Judges of the Probate Court in this State are
authorized to issue executions to carry into
effect their sentences or decrees of such
courts: Therefore

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of
Representatives of the State of South Caro-
lina, now met and sitting in General Assem-
bly, and by the authority of the same:

SECTION 1. That from and after the pas-
sage of this act the judges of the Probate
Court, in the several counties in this State,
may, and they are hereby, fully authorized
and empowered to issue executions, when
that is the necessary and proper process to
carry into effect any order, sentence or de-
cree of such court.

SEC. 2. That all acts and parts of acts in-
consistent with this act, be, and the same
are hereby repealed.
Approved January 31, 1872.

AN ACT to Regulate the Granting of Di-
vorce.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate
and House of Representatives of the State of
South Carolina, now met and sitting in Gen-
eral Assembly, and by the authority of the
same:

When the validity of a marriage shall be
denied or doubted by either of the parties,
the other may institute a suit for affirming the
marriage; and upon due proof of the valid-
ity thereof, it shall be decreed to be valid,
and such decree shall be conclusive upon all
persons concerned.

SEC. 2. That a divorce from the ban
of matrimony may be decreed for the following
causes:
1st. Adultery.
2d. Where either party willfully abandons
or deserts the other for the period of two
years: Provided, That when the suit is insti-
tuted by the party deserting, it appears that
the desertion was caused by
the extreme cruelty of the other party, or
that the desertion by the wife was caused by
the gross or wanton and cruel neglect of the
husband to provide suitable maintenance for
her, he being of sufficient ability so to do.

SEC. 3. That the Circuit Courts of Com-
mon Pleas shall have original jurisdiction of
suits for annulling or affirming marriages or
for divorces. No such suit shall be maintained
unless the parties, or one of them, is a citi-
zen of this State, or shall have resided there-
in at least one whole year previous to insti-
tuting the same. The suit shall be brought in
the county in which the parties last cohabit-
ed, or (at the option of the plaintiff) in the
county in which the defendant resides, if a
resident of this State; but if not, then in the
county in which the plaintiff resides.

SEC. 4. That suits for divorce shall be
commenced by summons and complaint, in
the same manner as other actions; and,
whether the defendant answers or not, the
cause shall be heard, independently of the
admissions of either party in the pleading,
or otherwise. Costs may be awarded to
either party, as justice and equity may re-
quire.

SEC. 5. That the court, in term, or the
judge, in vacation, may, at any time pending
the suit, make any order that may be proper
to compel the man to pay any sums necessary
for the maintenance of the woman, and to
enable her to carry out the suit, or to prevent
him from imposing any restraint on her per-
sonal liberty, or to provide for the custody
and maintenance of the minor children of
the parties during the pendency of the suit.

or to preserve the estate of the minor, so
that it is forthcoming to meet any decree
which may be made in the suit, or to com-
pel him to give necessary security to abide
such decree.

SEC. 6. When the suit is for divorce
for adultery, the divorce shall not be granted
if it appears that the parties voluntarily cohabit-
ed after the knowledge of the fact of the
adultery, or that it occurred more than five
years before the institution of the suit, or
that it was committed by the procurement or
connivance of the plaintiff.

SEC. 7. Upon decreeing the dissolution of
a marriage, and also upon decreeing a divorce,
the court may make such further decree as it
shall deem expedient concerning the estates
and maintenance of the parties, or either of
them, and the care custody and maintenance
of the children, and make a new decree con-
cerning the same, as the circumstances of the
children may require.

SEC. 8. When a divorce is granted for
the cause of adultery or wilful desertion,
committed by the husband, the wife shall
be entitled to her dower in his lands, in the
same manner as if he were dead; but she
shall not be entitled to dower in the other
case of divorce from the bond of matrimony.

SEC. 9. Upon the dissolution of a mar-
riage by a decree of nullity or divorce for
any cause, except that of adultery, committed
by the wife, the wife shall be entitled to the
immediate possession of her real estate, in
like manner as if her husband were dead;
and the court may make a decree restoring
to the wife the whole or any part of the per-
sonal estate that may have come to the hus-
band by reason of the marriage, or awarding
to her the value thereof in money, to be paid
by the husband.

SEC. 10. When the court deems it proper
to award to the wife any personal estate, or
money in lieu thereof, it may require the
husband to disclose, on oath, what personal
estate has come to him by reason of the mar-
riage, and how it has been disposed of, and
what portion thereof remains in his hands.

SEC. 11. When a divorce is decreed for
any of the causes mentioned in Section 2 of
this act, the court granting it may decree
alimony to the wife, or any share of her
estate in the nature of alimony to the hus-
band.

SEC. 12. When alimony or other annual
allowance is decreed for the wife or chil-
dren, the court may require sufficient secu-
rity to be given for its payment, according to
the terms of the decree.

SEC. 13. Upon actions of divorce for the
cause mentioned in Section 2 of this act, in
order to secure a suitable support and main-
tenance for the wife and children, as may
be committed to her care and custody, an
attachment of the husband's real and per-
sonal estate may be made by the officer
serving the summons. The amount for
which the attachment may be made shall be
expressed in the warrant of attachment,
which must be obtained from a judge or a
clerk of the court in which, or before whom,
the action is brought.

SEC. 14. That all laws relating to attach-
ment of real or personal estate shall apply to
attachments herein provided for, so far as
the same are not inconsistent with this
act.

SEC. 15. When an inhabitant of this
State, whose marriage, has been consum-
mated therein, shall go into another State or
country solely to obtain a divorce, for any
cause occurring here, and whilst the parties
resided here, or for any cause which would
not authorize a divorce by the laws of this
State, a divorce so obtained shall be of no
force or effect in this State.
Approved January 31, A. D. 1872.

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "An Act
to incorporate the trustees of the Walter-
boro Male Academy."

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate
and House of Representatives of the State
of South Carolina, now met and sitting in
General Assembly, and by the authority of
the same:

That An Act entitled "An Act to incor-
porate the trustees of the Walterboro Male
Academy," be so amended, by striking out,
in the first section of the said act, the names
of the corporations, making null and void the
powers of their successors, and investing all
the rights, privileges and immunities in the
trustees of the School District wherein
the said academy is located.
Approved January 31, 1872.

AN ACT to incorporate the Young Men's Free
Enterprise Council, No. 1, of Georgetown,
South Carolina.

Whereas, George H. Powley, Moses Smalls
T. G. Rutledge, Anthony Jonding and Julius
C. Smalls have prayed that the Young Men's
Free Enterprise Council No. 1, of Georgetown,
South Carolina, may be incorporated;
therefore:

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate
and House of Representatives of the State of
South Carolina, now met and sitting in Gen-
eral Assembly, and by the authority of the
same:

That from, and immediately after the pas-
sage of this act, all those persons who are now
or who may hereafter become members of the
said council, shall be and the same are hereby
incorporated, and are hereby declared to be
a body politic and corporate in deed and
in law, by the name of the Young Men's
Free Enterprise Council, No. 1, of Georgetown,
South Carolina; and by the said name
shall have perpetual succession of officers
and members, and a common seal, with pow-
er to change, alter and make new the same
as often as the said corporation shall deem
expedient.

SEC. 2. That the said corporation shall be
capable in law to purchase, have, hold, receive
enjoy, possess and retain to itself in per-
petuity, or for any term of years, any lands,
tenements or hereditaments, or other prop-
erty, of what nature soever, not exceeding
ten thousand dollars, or to sell or to alien the
same, as the said corporation shall see fit, and
by its name, to sue and be sued, to plead and

be implicated, in any court of law or equity
in this State; and to make such rules and bye-
laws, not repugnant to the laws of the land,
as for the order, good government, and man-
agement thereof may be thought necessary
and expedient.
SEC. 3. This act shall be deemed a public
act, and continue in force until repealed.
Approved Jany 31, 1872.

AN ACT to incorporate the Walboo Wharf
Company.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate
and House of Representatives of the State
of South Carolina, now met and sitting in
General Assembly, and by the authority of the
same:

That George Avinger, Samuel Beetas
Thomas Davis, Daniel Anderson, Jacob Mc
Daniels, their associates and successors in
office, be, and they are hereby constituted a
body politic under the name and style of the
"Walboo Wharf Company," with a capital
stock not exceeding ten thousand dollars;
with the right to sue and be sued, to plead
and be implicated, in any court of competent
jurisdiction, to have and to use a common
seal, the same to alter at will and pleasure:
Provided, that said corporation shall have
all the privileges, and be subject to all the
liabilities and restrictions applicable thereto,
of the act to regulate the formation of corpo-
rations.

SEC. 2. This act shall be deemed a public
act, and shall remain in force for the term
of fourteen years.
Approved January 31, 1872.

JOINT RESOLUTION Authorizing the State
Treasurer to re-issue certificates of State
Stock to R. S. Porcher:

Be it resolved by the Senate and House
of Representatives of the State of South