for power—we possess it. They are in a minority, and therefore are without responsibility. We are in a majority and have all responsibility resting upon us. The government of their States is in the hands of their adversaries. Our government is in our own hands. There is nothing to restrain us, but the danger of striking; they are powerless. It is in vain then to attempt to derive comfort for our voluntary submission from their voluntary acquiescence. We have promised much and much is expected.

Such, Mr. President, are the outlines of my views in relation to co-operation. I regret that *I* have not time to go more into detail. I have endeavored to be candid and explicit, because I am free to confess that *I* feel bound to consider maturely a measure which has such distinguished supporters before I reject it. I have done so, and I must declare in all sincerity that if South Carolina abandons all purpose of acting alone, and determine patiently and passively to wait, (as she must if she waits at all,) the developments of the future in the expectation of such hostile legislation on the part of the General Government as will unite the South in her overthrow of this Union, she will sacrifice the great cause which all her sons, with but few exceptions, profess to be nearest to their hearts, and give a death blow to disunion. Yes, I repeat—let South Carolina lay down her arms, let her say she will not secede, and a shout of triumph (shall I say of derision?) will go up all over the land, for we have enemies every where, and the advocates of the Compromise will underwrite the Union for the next generation. These may be unpalatable truths, but they must be told.

I come now to the consideration of the second proposition which I have supposed will be submitted to our convention when it assembles.

Having failed up to this time to obtain any pledge of co-operation from the Government of any other State, shall South Carolina secede alone? I approach the discussion of this question with a profound sense of its magnitude and importance. I never expected to be called upon to give my counsel on any question under a sense of higher responsibility. *I* have never entertained or expressed but one opinion on the character of this measure, as my constituents, with whom *I* have frequently and publicly conferred, can testify. *I* have told them that secession was a measure which would demand the exercise of all their wisdom and all their firmness. The overthrow of any government and the establishment of another is no holiday affair. It is no card house we desire to construct, which can be reared by the hand and destroyed by the breath of an infant.—No! It is a stern work which lies before us, and if we seek for new guards for our future security, we must expect to obtain them at the hazard of many sacrifices.

The questions in regard to secession, which appears to me will demand the careful consideration of the convention, are

First. Has the State a right to secede?

Second. Is she justified in the exercise of this right at this time?

The first question is one *I* presume the convention will have very little difficulty in deciding, as it may be considered a settled question in the judgment of the Southern States at this time, though I am aware it is seriously denied by some within their limits, and perhaps, if not brought to judgment at the present day, will in a few years become much controverted, if not ultimately repudiated. Resolutions affirming this right were laid on the table in one or both branches of the North Carolina Legislature at their last session. I am not fully informed of the circumstances under which this was done, but I point to it as a fact which deserves attention.

[To be Continued.]

Post Office Arrangement
AT SUMTERVILLE.

The Stateburg Mail which embraces the Northern and Western as well as the Charleston Columbia and Camden.

Due Daily at : : 6 1-2 P. M
Closes Daily at : : 5 P. M.

DARLINGTON MAIL, VIA MT. CLIO.

Due Thursday at : : 8 P. M.
Closes Tuesday at : 5 P. M.

KINGSTREE MAIL.

Due Saturday at : : 6 P. M
Closes Tuesday at : : 5 P. M.

VANCES FERRY MAIL.

Due Wednesdays & Sundays at 6 P. M.
Closes Friday and Monday at 5 P. M.

PLOWDENS MILL MAIL.

Due Monday at : : 8 P. M.
Closes Saturday at : 5 P. M.

FULTON MAIL VIA STATEBURG.

Due Monday Wednesday and Friday.
Closes Monday Wednesday and Friday.

BISHOPVILLE, MECHANICSVILLE, MILL GROVE, MT. ELON, PLEASANT VIEW, &C., VIA CAMDEN.

Due Wednesdays & Saturdays at 6 1-2 P. M.
Closes Tuesdays & Fridays at 5 P. M

OFFICE HOURS.

Will open every day at - 8 A. M.
Will close at - - 12 1-2 P. M.
Will open at - - 2 1-2 P. M
Will close at - - 7 P. M.

July 2, 1851. 36 tf

Segars and Tobacco,

A very fine lot of Spanish Segars; also fine chewing Tobacco, just received and for sale low by W. J. FRANCIS.

Spring and Summer Goods.

The Subscriber is now receiving his SPRING STOCK OF GOODS, which he offers to the public at reduced prices; consisting in part as follows:

Plain Eartston Ginghams,
Solid Colors "
Superfine China "
Solid Colors Organde Lawns,
Printed " " "
Embroidered " Muslins,
Solid " " "
Wove Thread Lace,
Jaconet Edging,
" Inserting,
Swiss Edging,
" Inserting,
Aphia Lace Capes,
Sup'rfine " " Ribbons Trimmed,
Ladies Balloon Sleeves,
" Needled worked Collars,
" " " Mourning;
" Carnation Braid
" Barige Trimmings,
" Ribbon "
" Silk Pendants Trimmings,
" Neck Ribbon "
" Black and colored Kid Gloves,
" Silk Parasols,
" Cotton "
Printed Muslins,
Figured "
Solid "
Chambray Ginghams,
Brown and Drab Linen Drills,
Blue Demins,
Cotton Ades,
Swiss and Mull Muslins,
Linen Cambrick Hankerchiefs,
Marion Plaid and Striped Homespun,
Marlboro " " " "
English Long Cloths,
Charleston 7-8 and 4-4 Shirtings,
Graniteville 7-8 and 4-4 "
DeKalb Cotton Osnaburgs,
Spragues Fancy Prints Colors warrented,
English " " " "
" Furniture Prints,
" Bordin, " "
Ladies Black and colored Gaiters,
" Seal Skin Slippers,
" " " Walking Shoes,
Gents Black and colored Gaiters,
" Fur and Silk Hats,
" Leghorn and Panama Hats.
" Palmetto Hats,
" Palmleaf Hats,

GROCERIES, HARDWARE AND CROCKERY, &c. &c.

—ALSO—

20 Barrels best Baltimore Flour,
5 Kegs best Goshen Butter,
12 Boxes fine English Cheese,

All of which he offers low for cash or to punctual customers.

T. J. DINKINS.

April 9, 1851 24 tf

JAMES E. SPEAR & CO.
Wholesale and Retail Dealers
IN
Watches, Jewelry, Silver Ware, Fancy Goods, Regalia, &c. No. 235 King Street, opposite Hasell
CHARLESTON, S. C.

The Subscribers would request Merchants and others visiting Charleston to call and examine their assortment, comprising one of the largest in the city. Confident that their prices will compare favorable with those of any other and the quality of every article is warranted.

Particular attention paid to orders. Every variety of Regalia for Masons, Odd Fellows, and Sons of Temperance.

Agents for Wilders Fire Proof Safes.

Oct. 20th, 1850 1 tf

South-Carolina--Sumter Dist.

Whereas I have this day taken possession (as Ordinary of said District) of the personal property as derelict of John Hanks late of Sumterville dec'd; and I avail myself of this method to notify all persons indebted to the dec'd to make immediate payment to Mr. L. B. Hanks, my Agent (in this particular,) and those having demands against dec'd will hand them in duly attested according to law.

W. LEWIS, o. s. d.

Aug. 2d 1850 41 tf

GIN MAKING, &C.

We are prepared to execute orders to any extent in the above line, both for new workand repairs. Our Gins are not surpassed by any made in the State, possessing all the advantages of the Falling Breast and Sliding Ribs, which saves a great deal in way of repairs. We also use the Steel Plate Saws, with teeth set in an angle that cannot possibly injure the finest staple, with an improvment to regulate the moting of the cotton; our brush is constructed on a plan, giving at once, the advantages of lightness, strength and force—all very material in the successful operation of a Gin. We would invite planters to call at our shop and examine for themselves, whilst we would assure the public generally, that they shall have no cause to complain either of our work or prices.

CABINET MAKING.

We are also prepared to do work in the Cabinet line—such as Bedsteads, Wardrobes Safes, Book cases, Stands, Tables, Cupboards, &c. &c. at short notice, on liberal terms.

HUDSON & BROTHER
Opposite the Presbyterian church.
Sumterville, April 22, 1847. 26

MARTIN & BRYAN,
FACTORS,
AND GENERAL
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Boyce & Co's Wharf,
CHARLESTON, S. C.

JAMES MARTIN. THOMAS A. BRYAN.

References:
Mr. ROBERT MARTIN, Charleston,
" R. O'NEAL, Columbia,
" C. J. SHANNON, Camden,
" JAMES WRIGHT, Cheraw,
" J. R. AIKEN, Winnsboro.

ADVANCES made on Cotton and other Produce shipped to them. ☞ Particular attention given to the purchase of Bagging, Rope, and Family Supplies.

April 9, 1851 2' 3m

NOTICE.

WM. C. GUERRY, M. D., will promptly attend to all professional calls. Residence one Mile South of Providence.

March. 12th, 1851. 20 tf

FLORA,

Pastry Cook and Baker of Cakes, &c &c

Offers her services to the citizens of Sumter and the adjoining Districts in the preparation of bridal feasts, party-suppers, &c. Her long experience and service in every department of her business, justifies her in engaging to give entire satisfaction to her employers.

She may be found by application at the Barber's Shop in this place.

Sumterville, Jan. 8th, 1851 11 tf

A. F. Allen,
PLASTERER AND BRICKLAYER,

Having had considerable experience in the above line of business, respectfully solicits a share of the patronage of the public. All jobs entrusted to him, will be executed with neatness and dispatch, and warranted to give satisfaction. Plastering finished in superior style.

June 12 33

THIRD ANNUAL FAIR,
OF THE
South Carolina Institute.

THE Third Annual Fair of the SOUTH CAROLINA INSTITUTE, for the promotion of Art, Mechanical Ingenuity and Industry, will be held in Charleston, S. C., opening on MONDAY, 17th November, and continuing during the week.

Specimens in every branch of Mechanism, Art and Industry; also of Cotton, Rice, Sugar, Tobacco and all other Agricultural Products, are solicited, for which *suitable premiums* will be awarded.

The following special Premiums are offered:—

For the six best specimens of Steel made from Spartanburg or other Iron, the product of a Southern State, and manufactured into Edged Tools of any kind—A Gold Medal.

N. B.—A specimen of the Steel in Bars to be sent with the Tools.

For the largest quantity of Cocoons raised on one plantation, not less than Ten Bushels—A Gold Medal or $50.

For the largest quantity of Spun Silk the produce of any one plantation, not less than Ten Pounds—A Gold Medal or Premium of $50.

For the best Sea Island Cotton Gin, on some new principle, superior to that now in general use; or for any real and important improvement on the present one—A Gold Medal.

For the invention of a suitable machine for Pulverising Red Pepper—A Gold Medal.

For the best Steam Engine—A Gold Medal.

For the best model Steam *Fire* Engine—A Gold Medal.

A large and commodious building has been selected for the Exhibition, and every care will be paid to the reception and care of Articles sent to the Fair. All Specimens must be in by the 13th November.

Contributors to the Fair are respectfully requested when they forward Specimens for Exhibitions, to send full descriptions of the Articles, and such information in general as may be of use, and proper for publication.

Address J. H. TAYLOR,
Chairman of Committee on Correspondence.

June 25th, 1851. 35 tf

ICE! ICE!!

THE Subscriber possesses a Receipt, to enable any person to make Ice, in any climate, with but little expense or trouble. The process is simple, and can be accomplished by the most limited understanding, so as to produce from even warm water, in the hottest climate, a pure ice, equal in every essential to that formed by natural causes. The luxury of always having at one's will, in the heat of summer, a pure and delicious ice, will readily be conceded; and its advantages, in cases of sickness, cannot be too greatly prized. By this same process warm water can be rendered delightfully cold in about 5 minutes, and ice cream, with many other luxuries, can be made in from 10 to 20 minutes.

The following notice of this great discovery is taken from the New York Sun:

"A REAL LUXURY.—Dr. James R. Wilmington produces, by an artificial process, pure and solid ice, from warm water, in the heat of summer, in less than half hour. And he can render a barrel of water as cold as ice in a very few minutes. This discovery must be of immense value to all living South.

TERMS.—This receipt, which contains full instructions for making ice and ice creams, cooling water, and numerous other useful matters will be forwarded to order for Two Dollars, by addressing

Dr. JAS. R. WILMINGTON,
122 Nassau st., N. Y.

One Agent only will be appointed in each county, and those desiring the agency must forward $50, for which they will receive 37 copies of the pamphlet, containing full instructions.

June 25th, 1851

A. ANDERSON,
DRAPER AND TAILOR
Sumterville, S. C.

Respectfully informs the people of Sumter District that he has just received and now offers for sale the best selected and most choice stock of

Spring and Summer Goods

That has ever been brought to this market.—He has received many new varieties of Spring and Summer Goods, which purchasers would do well to examine before buying elsewhere.

Drafs D'etes, Broadcloths, Cassimerets, Police Cloth, plain and fancy Cassimers, Damask Drillings, Tweed Linen Drillings, Satin, Marseilles and Fancy Vestings constantly on hand.

—ALSO—

A full and large supply of Hosiery, Gloves, Suspenders, Cravats, Handkerchiefs, &c. &c., all of which will be sold on the most liberal terms, and at prices to suit the times.

☞ Garments manufactured by the subscriber, and warranted to give satisfaction. Orders from a distance promptly attended to.

A. ANDERSON.

April 16th, 1851 25 tf

D. J. WINN,
MERCHANT TAILOR.

Would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally that he now has on hand and off's for sale on reasonable term a large and splendid assortment of Cloths, Cassimers and Vestings, with Hats, Caps, Suspenders, Cravats, Socks, fine linen and Merino Shirts, Drawers, Gloves, handkerchiefs, Umbrellas, &c.

Men and Boys Ready Made Clothing of every description and variety.

Complete Military Outfits, Uniforms, Swords, Epaulets, &c., furnished at short notice.

Uniforms for Sumter Riflemen furnished on reasonable terms.

☞ His vestings are peculiarly rich, consisting of far richer patterns than ever previously exhibited in this market.

Oct. 16 1850 51 tf

NOTICE.

The subscriber has Removed his FURNITURE WAREROOM to Mr. A. J. Moses' new building (upstairs) where he will keep constantly on hand, a general assortment of Furniture, consisting in part of Dressing Bureaus, Plain and Marble Top, Sofas and Divans, Foot Stools, Ottomans, Wardrobes, plain and Mahogany, Candle stands, Dining, Tea and Work Tables, Centre do.; Curled Maple high and low post Bedsteads, Mahogany do.; Office, Sitting, Nursing and Rocking Chairs of every description.

Furniture made and repaired at the shortest notice.

Plain and Mahogany Coffins furnished to order.

The subscriber is prepared to furnish Blinds, Sash and Doors at Charleston Prices.

He will continue his WORK-SHOP at the Old Stand, where all orders in his line will be punctually attended to.

DANL. S. SARGENT.

May 15

D. W. PRICE,
Merchant Tailor.

Respectfully informs his friends and the public generally that he has just received a New Stock of SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS consisting of Broad Cloths of various Kinds and colors, Fine Cassimeres, Black and Striped, selection of Vestings, Satin, Silk and White Marseilles, Linens of every kind, Handkerchefs, Cravats, Kid Gloves, Umbrellas. All persons wishing anything in his line will do well to call. Garments can be made at the shortest notice.

March 26th, 1851 22 tf

Negro Shoes.

The subscriber has made arrangements for the manufacture of from Four to Five Thousand pairs of the above article by the FALL. For reference as to quality, he would respectfully refer persons who may be disposed to purchase of him, to those who patronized him last year. As to price, he will guarantee them as low as can be afforded.

May 22 2 tf J. MORGAN.

ROBERT LATTA.
LATE THE FIRM OF DICKSON & LATTA

would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that he is now receiving a *variety* of Heavy and Fancy Groceries, which he will sell low for cash—Two doors above the Planters' Hotel, and immediately opposite James Dunlap's, esq.

Camden, S. C. Dec. 10th, 1850 9 tf

N. CRANE,
Manufacturer of Buggies,
LIGHT CARRIAGES, &c.

Returns his sincere thanks to the citizens of Sumter District for their liberal patronage hitherto bestowed and begs leave to inform them that he keeps constantly on hand the above articles of his own manufacture and warrants the same to be of the best material, workmanship, and of the latest style. His prices shall compete with the Charleston prices, and as to durability, no comparison; to be convinced, you will please call at his Carriage Repository on Broad Street, under the Town Hall and examine for yourselves.

With twenty years experience, and Liberty's aid,
He'll vie with the country and the arts of his trade.

May 14th, 1851 29 tf

LIVER COMPLAINT,

Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Chronic or Nervous Debility, Disease of the Kidneys, and all Diseases Arising from a Disordered Liver or Stomach, such as Constipation, inward Piles, Fullness, or blood to the Head, Acidity of the Stomach, Nausea, Heartburn, Disgust for Food, Fullness or weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations, Sinking or Fluttering at the Pit of the Stomach, Swimming of the Head, Hurried and difficult Breathing, fluttering at the Heart, Choking or Suffocating sensations when in a Lying Posture, Dimness of Vision, Dots or Webs before the Sight, Fever and dull pain in the Head, Deficiency of Perspiration Yellowness of the Skin and Eyes, Pain in the Side, Back, Chest, Limbs, &c., Sudden Flushes of Heat, Burning in the Flesh, Constant imaginings of Evil, and Great Depression of Spirits, can be

EFFECTUALLY CURED BY

DR. HOOFLAND'S
Celebrated German Bitters,
PREPARED BY
DR. C. M. JACKSON,
AT THE
GERMAN MEDICINE STORE,
No 120 Arch St., Philadelphia.

Their power over the above diseases is not excelled, if equalled, by any other preparation in the United States, as the cures attest, in many cases after skilful physicians had failed.

These Bitters are worthy the attention of invalids. Possessing great virtues in the rectification of diseases of the Liver and lesser glands, exercising the most rearediing powers in weakness and affection of the digestive organs, they are, withal, safe, certain and pleasant.

READ AND BE CONVINCED.

CHAS. ROBINSON, Esq., Easton, Md., in a letter to Dr. Jackson, Jan. 9, 1850, said—

"My wife and myself have received more benefit from your medicine than any other we have ever taken for the *Dyspepsia and Liver disease.*"

"THE TENTH LEGION," published at Woodstock, Va., January 10, 1850, said—

"A GREAT MEDICINE."

"We have uniformly refrained from recommending to the public any of the various Patent Medicines of the day, unless thoroughly convinced of their value. Among those we consider worthy of notice is the *German Bitters*, invented by *Dr. Hoofland*, and prepared by *Dr. Jackson*, in Philadelphia. One instance in particular, in which the superior virtues of this medicine have been tested, has fallen under our observation. During the last summer, a son of Mr. ABRAHAM CHARLES, of this county, was very seriously afflicted with Liver complaint, and after trying in vain various remedies, he purchased a bottle of the Bitters, and after using it, was so much relieved of his distressing malady, that he procured another bottle, and is restored entirely to health."

READ FURTHER A FEW FACTS

JUDGE M M NOAH, a gentleman with great scientific and literary attainments, said in his "NEW YORK WEEKLY MESSENGER," January 6, 1850.

"DR. HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS.—Here is a preparation which the leading presses in the Union appear to be unanimous in recommending and the reason is obvious. It is made after a prescription furnished by one of the most celebrated physicians of modern times, the late Dr Christopher Wilhelm Hoofland, Professor to the University of Jena, Private Physician to the King of Prussia, and one of the greatest medical writers Germany has ever produced. He was emphatically the enemy of *humbug*, and therefore a medicine of which he was the inventor and enforcer may be confidently relied on. He specially recommended it in Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Debility, Vertigo, Acidity of the Stomach, Constipation, and all complaints arising from a disordered condition of the stomach, the liver and the intestines. Nine Philadelphia papers express their conviction of its excellence, and several of the editors speak of its effects from their own individual experience. Under these circumstances, we feel warranted, not only in calling the attention of our readers to the present proprietor's (Dr. C. M. Jackson's) preparation, but in recommending the article to all afflicted."

MORE EVIDENCE.

The "PHILADELPHIA SATURDAY GAZETTE," the best family newspaper published in the United States, the editor says of

DR. HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS.

"It is seldom that we recommend what are termed Patent Medicines to the confidence and patronage of our readers; and, therefore, when we recommend Dr. Hoofland's German Bitters, we wish it to be distinctly understood that we are not speaking of the nostrums of the day, that are puffed about for a brief period and then forgotten after they have done their guilty race of mischief, but of a medicine long established, universally prized, and which has met the hearty approval of the Faculty itself."

Evidence upon evidence has been received (like the foregoing) from all sections of the Union, the last three years, *and the strongest testimony in its favor, is*, that there is more of it used in the practice of the regular Physicians of Philadelphia than all other nostrums combined, a fact that can easily be established, and fully proving that a scientific preparation will meet with their quiet approval when presented even in this form.

That this medicine will cure Liver Complaint and Dyspepsia, no one can doubt, after using it as directed. It acts specifically upon the stomach and liver, and it is preferable to calomel in *all* cases, where the effect is immediate. They can be administered to FEMALE or INFANT with safety and reliable benefit, at any time.

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS.

This medicine has attained that high character which is necessary for all medicines to attain to induce counterfeiters to put forth a spurious article at the risk of the lives of those who are innocently deceived.

LOOK WELL TO THE MARKS OF THE GENUINE.

They have the written signature of C. M. JACKSON upon the wrapper, and the name blown in the bottle, *without which they are spurious.*

For sale, wholesale and retail, at the GERMAN MEDICINE STORE, No. 120 ARCH Street, one door below Sixth, (late of 278 Race street,) Philadelphia, and by respectable dealers generally throughout the country.

Also, for sale in Sumterville by

R. S. MELLETT.

July 31st, 1850 10 tf

Candidates.

☞ **We are authorized to** announce T. J. DINKINS, Esq., a Candidate for Clerk of the Court, at the ensuing election.

MANY VOTERS.

April 16th 1841 25 tf

☞ **The Friends of W.** LEWIS announce him a Candidate for the office of Ordinary, at the ensuing election in January next.

MANY VOTERS.

Feb. 19th, 1851 17 tf

☞ **The Friends of Rev.** FREDERICK RUSH, announce him as a Candidate for the office of Ordinary, at the next election.

Nov. 13th, 1850 3 tf

☞ MESSRS. EDITORS: You will please announce Mr. AMOS A. NETTLES a candidate for Ordinary of Sumter District at the next election and oblige MANY VOTERS.

Jan. 29th, 1851 14 tf

FOR SHERIFF.

☞ **The friends of A. R. Bradham**, Esq., announce him as a candidate for the office of Sheriff at the next election.

March 29th, 1849, 24td

☞ **We are authorized to** announce MALLY BROGDON, Esq. a Candidate for the Office of Sheriff of Sumter District, at the next Election.

☞ **We are authorized to** announce Col. JOHN C. RHAME, a candidate for the office of Sheriff, at the ensuing Election.

The Friends of Richard B. BROWN, announce him as a Candidate for the Office of Sheriff of Sumter District at the ensuing Election.

☞ We are authorized to announce Maj. JOHN BALLARD, as a candidate fo Sheriff at the ensuing election.

The friends of William A. COLCLOUGH, Esq, announce him as a candidate for Sheriff at the next Election.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR.

☞ MESSRS. EDITORS: Please announce Mr. JOHN F. BALLARD, a candidate for Tax Collector, at the next election, and oblige

MANY VOTERS.

February 5th, 1851 15 tf

☞ **We are authorized to** announce JOHN W DARGAN, a candidate for Tax Collector, for Claremont County, at the next Election.

☞ We are authorized to announce ALEXANDER WATTS, Esq. as a Candidate for Tax Collector, of Claremont county at the ensuing Election,

MANY FRIENDS.

☞ **The Friends of Thos.** L. SMITH, announce him as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector, for the County of Claremont.

November 6, 1850 2

☞ **We are authorized** to announce Capt. J. W. STUCKEY as a candidate for Tax Collector for Salem County, at the next election.

Oct. 16th, 1850 51 tf

☞ **The Friends of John** G. WHITE, Esq. announce him as a Candidate for Tax Collector of Claremont county at the next Election,

Law Notices,

GEORGE W. MORGAN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
SUMTERVILLE, S. C.

☞ Office one door South of A. C. SPAIN's office.

Sumterville, June 5 32—tf

Law Notice.

The subscribers have this day formed a co-partnership in the practice of Law.

T. B. FRASER,
L. L. FRASER, Jr.
Office at Sumterville.

Jan 1, 1851. 1y

WILLIAM G. KENNEDY,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
SUMTERVILLE, S C.

Will practice in the Courts of Law, for Sumter, Richland, Kershaw and Darlington.

OFFICE AT SUMTERVILLE.

Jan. 1st, 1851 10 tf

ANY, AND EVERY THING.
A. J, & P. MOSES,

Having received their FALL AND WINTER STOCK, now offer at their commodious Ware Rooms

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

The largest and most varied assortment of Goods, Wares, and Merchandize, to be found in Sumterville, viz: Dry Goods. Groceries, Crockery, Hardware, Cutlery, and edged Tools, Hats, Caps, and Bonnets, Boots and Shoes, Saddery and Harness, Sole, Upper and Patent Leather, Carriage Trimmings, including Axles, Springs, and Malleable Castings.

100 Sacks Salt.
Sweeds and English Iron, broad and narrow bars, square and round do. Hoop, Band, and Boiler Iron,
5000 yards Bagging
Together with Rope, Twine, &c.

SCHOOL BOOKS AND STATIONARY.

The attention of Teachers is particularly requested to the above as from our immense stock any quantity or kind can be obtained.

We have the most complete assortment of

READY MADE CLOTHING

that has ever been brought to this market, together with Cloths, Cassimers, and Vestings. Come and see—

CARPETING, BAIZE AND RUGS,
1000 yards carpeting, Rugs to match, and stout Rocking Baize.
Paints, Glass, Oil, Putty Whiting &c &c.

We can supply any quantity, quality, or colour of paint and can recommend our Glass as to quality and at Charleston prices.

PATENT MEDICINES OF ALL KINDS

including Dr. Jayne's Family Medicines. One Bale Fresh Hops just opened.

Planters will find it to their advantage to examine our Blankets, and Negro Goods as we can sell them as low as any Charleston House.

December 4th, 1850 6 tf

CHAIRS! CHAIRS!!

Mahogany Rocking Cain seat Do.
Winsor Do.
12 dozen Cain Seat and Wire Setting Chairs for sale low. Apply to

A. J. & P. MOSES.

Dec. 18th, 1850 8 tf

Invitation.

The Friends and patrons of the subscriber will please come forward and settle up, as the article is much needed, to meet other demands.

R. S. MELLETT.

Charleston Advertisements.

E. B. CREWS,
Auctioneer and Commission
MERCHANT.
NO 19 VENDUE RANGE,
CHARLESTON, S. C.

Unreserved Sales of DRY GOODS twice a week at his Sales Rooms. Liberal advances made on all consignments.

November 6, 1850 2 tf

T. E. CLYDE,
Wholesale and Retail
Grocer,
Under Odd Fellow's Hall, Meeting Street
CHARLESTON, S. C.
DEALER IN

Sugar, Coffee, Molasses, Wines, Liquors, Salt, &c.

AGENT FOR
Canton Tea Company's Cebrated Black and Green Teas.

Oct. 2, 1050 49 tf

W. A. KENT & MITCHELL,
FASHIONABLE
Clothing and Out-Fitting
ESTABLISHMENT,
MASONIC HALL,
No. 268 King-street, corner of Wentworth, Charleston, S. C.

Purchasers will find at all times a full and complete stock of Gent's.

READY-MADE CLOTHING ARTICLES.

W. A. KENT. G. H. MITCHELL

Manufactory 113 Washington Stores N. Y.

May 1849. 30 tf

Trout & DeLange,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 112, EAST BAY,
Charleston, S. C.

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