THE WEATHER AND THE CROPS—The recent heavy winds from the north-east that have prevailed for the last four or five days without intermission, have done much to injure the prospects of the rice crops on the rivers adjacent to the sea. The natural current of the freshet has been thus retarded, and the water kept back that might ere this have been relieved through the natural outlets. A gentleman from Georgia, with whom we recently conversed, estimated the loss at fully one-third of 30,000 acres of tide land planted in in that State. A gale, which has been anticipated as the result of this almost unprecedented spell of close weather, by the planters in our neighborhood, would also materially damage the cotton crops, and depreciate their value in almost a corresponding ratio. We hope, however, that the blow, though comparatively moderate and little felt here, may grant us immunity for the future.—*Southern Standard.*

GEORGETOWN, S. C., SEPTEMBER 8.—*The Weather and the Crops.*—The rainy weather which we announced as commencing in June last has continued up to the present time with some short intervals; and early much annoyed the labour in hoeing and killing grass, and during the last month was greatly detrimental to the curing of blades.

The great fall of rain on the 27th and 28th of August, and which spread vast injury from Mobile to New-York, on the various rivers, is to-day with us on the Santee and Pee Dee rivers, and is likely to do much damage to the rice crop, and especially to those who plant the most fruitful tide lands highest up. All the lands in the neighborhood of Lynch's causeway on Santee was under water yesterday.—From Pee Dee we heard yesterday and the water was not then over the banks; but it is feared to-day, the freshet is upon all the rice. The wind is now high at N. E., and has been so for several days, preventing the freshet from going to sea.—*Winyah Observer.*

THE CROPS.—The Selma (Ala.) Reporter of the 27th ult., says. "The boll worm is making destructive ravages among the cotton crop in this section of country. The present cool weather, almost cool enough for October will enable the worms to do their work speedy and effectually. We notice complaints in our exchanges from most of the Southern States about the ravages of the boll worm, and the cotton caterpillar, with the exception of Texas, where it is said the crops will be made the present season."

THE FISHING QUESTON SETTLED.—New York Morning Express states on the best authority that the Fishery question has already been satisfactorily settled.

ARREST OF A MONK OF LA TRAPPE ON A CHARGE OF MURDER.—We learn, says the Baltimore Sun of Saturday, from the Madison (Wis.) *Argus*, of the 27th ult., that LEAHEY, well known as the 'Monk of La Trappe,' recently murdered Edward J. Manley at Portsville, Columbia county, in that State, by shooting. He also shot at Esquire Morton twice; one shot slightly wounding. He was finally arrested, examined, and committed to jail to await his trial for murder. The cause of the murder was jealously of MANLEY and his (LEAHEY's) wife.

ISSANE ASYLUM IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.—The sum of $100,000 has been inserted in the civil appropriation bill passed by Congress, for the purchase of a site containing not less than ten, nor more than fifteen acres of land, in the neighborhood of Washington, and for the erection, furnishing, and fitting up an asylum for the insane of the District of Columbia, and of the Army and Navy of the United States

DISTRESSING CASUALITY.—We learn (says the Newberry Sentinel, of the 7th instant,) that the dwelling house of Mrs. Goulding was overthrown by the storm, which passed over the northwestern portion of this District on Friday last. Two young women, by the name of Grey, who were in the house at the time, were instantly killed by its fall; a Mr. Pitts was also seriously injured. Mrs. Goulding escaped with slight injury.

THE CROPS.—The following is an extract of a letter received by a merchant of this city dated

MARION, Twiggs Co., (Ga.) Aug. 31.

The cotton crop here up to about the 10th of this month never was more promising. The excessive rains which we have had since then, has and will materially injure the crops. All low and level lands have rusted and shed off everything except the grown bolls. From present appearances, the early crop is nearly all that will be made. Corn and provision crops generally are very good.—*Mobile Tribune.*

LARGE STURGEON.—On the subsidence of the freshet last week, Mr. A. Acnton visited his corn-field in the swamp, about a mile below this city, where he found a sturgeon had taken up his quarters in a shallow lagoon.—He was safely landed, dressed and brought up to the city, and was found then to weigh one hundred and ninety three pounds. It was about ten feet in length, and before it was dressed, it would probably have weighed two hundred and fifty pounds.

Near the same place he also found a very rare and singular specimen of the Lizard genus, known in natural history as the siren. It is twenty-five inches long, has a pair of legs near its head, and over each a fin, or something much resembling a small wing. Its skin is black, without scales, similar in shape to an eel, but somewhat stouter. It is, altogether a very ugly looking customer, and may be seen alive at Mr. B's house by any one who has the curiosity to call.—*Macon Jour.*

THE JAPAN EXPEDITION.—The Staats Courant the official organ of the Dutch government, publishes an interesting communication from the colonial department, explanatory of the present and past relations of Holland with the empire of Japan but with especial reference to the rumors which have been afloat respecting the naval expedition proposed in the United States, to compel the emperor of that great territory to open his ports to foreign traffic, under the cover of certain alleged maltreatment of shipwrecked American sailors, on the Japanese territory. It results from this official statement, that the reports of Dutch interference to prevent the sailing of the American expedition, and of the government of the United States having consented to forego their purpose in consideration of the authorised intermission of the Dutch authorities in Java to arrange the points in dispute with Japan have no foundation in fact.

All that the Dutch government has proposed in the case, is the address of a friendly despatch to that of Japan smoothing the way for an amicable reception of the squadron of Com. Perry, and suggesting the expediency and advantage, under circumstances, of the opening of the Japanese ports to foreign trade, as in 1842 had been the case with his neighbors of the Chinese empire. It will thus be seen that there is some probability of success in the object in view, and that Commodore Perry, on his arrival off the coast, may meet with no difficulties in communication direct with the imperial court at Nangasaki, the capital of the empire. It is only due, in justice to the Dutch authorities, to state that their efforts appear to have been unceasing since 1844, to induce the imperial government to relax the stringency of their exclusive system, as the passage of various despatches, which are cited with dates, would seem to testify, so far as their contents are referred to. And, in fact, although their efforts in the politico commercial sense have produced no tangible result, yet it is not without importance that they have elicited autograph replies from the Emperor, couched in courteous and conciliatory terms, in which, whilst declining to depart from the ancient policy of the empire, it has been signified that orders have been given to all the subordinate officials of the coasts, that the strict prohibition of the entry or approach of foreign vessels, either suffering from stress of weather, or a condition of wreck, should not be enforced, but, that under certain regulations they should be afforded succor; and the crews, who might be cast ashore, treated with humanity and kindness; but that they could only be reconducted into their own country by Dutch and Chinese vessels as the laws of the empire would not admit of that office being performed by the vessels of Japan.—*London Advertiser, August* 18.

WORTHY OF A BANNER.—One of the precints in Madison county, (Ala.,) says the Chambers Tribune, at the recent election, polled 74 votes. A box for dime-contributions to the Washington Monument was kept at the polls, and it contained 74 dimes when the election closed. Just from this fact, we'll venture to say that the people of that precint are a moral, enlightened and thrifty community.

POSTMISTRESSES.—There are in the United States eighty-one women holding the office of post master (!) thirty-one of whom are in Pennsylvania.—Some of these are important offices.

A report is in circulation that the Hon. Thos. H. Benton is lying seriously ill at Frankfort, Ky.

PRESENT FROM MRS. CLAY.—The Rev. Edward F. Berkley, of Lexington, Ky., who received Mr. Clay into the church by baptism, and whose ministrations he constantly attended, has been presented by Mrs. Clay with a massive gold seal ring, set with a large and very precious stone. It was a favorite ring of Mr. Clay, and worn by him during the last five or six years of his life.

SINGULAR SHIPMENT BY EXPRESS.—On Thursday last, the editor of the Cincinnati Gazette saw at the office of the Express Company in that city, a little girl about ten years of age, who had been shipped by express from Washington City to her father Mr. Perryman, at Dayton, Ohio. The cost of transportation—including boarding and extra fare was only $18.

For the Sumter Banner.

Enigma.

I am composed of fourteen letters.
My 11, 2, 10, 14, is a town in Pennsylvania.
My 9, 7, 5, 11, is a county in Georgia.
My 1, 3, 6, 5, 10, 12, 5, is a town in Scotland.
My 3, 12, 3, 6, is a sea in Asia.
My 1, 14, 3, 12, is a cape on the eastern coast of the United States.
My 8, 10, 4, 14, is a number.
My 12, 7, 13, 11, is a grain of cultivation.
My 9, 14, 5, 7, 4, is a town in Asia.
My 6, 3, 5, 11, is a lake in Illinois.
My 3, 13, 2, 14, is a town in Palestine.
My whole is the name of a distinguished General.

Answer next week. HESICAH.

Administrator's Notice.

HAVE appointed Mr. W. M. Green, my Agent, to settle all the matters of the Estate of John McDonald, late of this District. MARY E. McDONALD.

ALL Persons having demands against the Estate of John McDonald, will present them duly attested. Those indebted will make immediate payment to
W. M. GREEN, *Agent.*
February 14, 1852. 17-tf

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Poisoning.

Thousands of parents who use Vermifuge, composed of Castor Oil, Calomel, &c., are not aware, that while they appear to benefit the patient, they are actually laying the foundation for a series of diseases, such as salivation, loss of sight, weakness of limbs, &c.

In another column will be found the advertisement of Hobensack's Medicines, to which we ask the attention of all directly interested in their own as well as their Children's health. In Liver Complaints and all disorders arising from those of a bilious type, should make use of the only genuine medicine, Hobensack's Liver Pills.

☞ "*Be not deceived,*" but ask for Hobensack's Worm Syrup and Liver Pills, and observe that each has the signature of the Proprietor, J. N. HOBENSACK, as none else are genuine
Agust. 10. 42-1y.

Hoofland's German Bitters.

Hundreds of our citizens complain of debility and langour of the system, derangement of the liver and stomach, want of appetite, &c.; they are frequently the result of too close application, and a thousand other causes we cannot here name; but we would say to all afflicted, do as we have done—get a bottle or two of Dr. Hoofland's German Bitters, prepared by Dr. Jackson, and our word for it you will be cured. We recommend this medicine, knowing from experience that it is much superior to the generality of patent medicines. We would say to our readers, purchased none unless prepared by Dr. C. M. Jackson, Philadelphia. July 1

Another Scientific Wonder!

IMPORTANT TO DYSPEPTICS.

Dr. J. S. Houghton's *Pepsin*, the true Digestive Fluid, or *Gastric Juice*, preppared from Rennet, or the Fourth Stomach of the Ox, after directions of Baron Liebig, the great Physiological Chemist, by J. S. Houghton, *M. D.*, Philadelphia. This is truly a wonderful remedy for Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Liver Complaint, Constipation and Debility, curing after Nature's Own Method, by Nature's Own Agent, the *Gastric Juice*. Pamphlets, containing Scientific evidence of its value, furnished by agents, gratis. See notice among the medical advertisements. 8-1y.

HYMENEAL.

Married, in this District, on the evening of the 2d instant, by the Rev. Mr. OWENS, Mr. W. J. McCALL, of Camden, to Miss EMILY S. BERRY, of Sumter.

OBITUARY.

Died, in this village, on Saturday, the 4th instant, JOHN CHERRY, only son of R. J. and S. W. Scarborough, aged 2 years, 6 months and a few days.—*Marion Star.*

Died, in this place on the morning of the 31st of August, MARTHA ELLA, youngest child of Richard F. and Ann Coles, aged one year and two months.—*Tuscaloosa (Ala.) Palladium.*

To the Voters of Claremont Election County.

Fellow Citizens: Since I became a Candidate to represent you in your next Legislature I have entered into a heavy contract with the Wilmington & Manchester Rail Road Company, under penalty to complete thirty miles of their Road within a given time and under certain stipulations. I find that the faithful performance of this contract will require my constant personal supervision. Thus situated it is utterly out of my power to attend the public meetings of my fellow citizens—a course of conduct expected from every candidate. In view of the above statement I feel myself compelled to retire from the canvass and I do so less reluctantly—knowing that I leave in the field, those who are wiser and more experienced than myself. I take this occasion to return my sincere thanks to those who brought my name forward and to express my gratitude to those who generously proffered me their support.

LAWRENCE H. BELSER.
September 11, 1852.

Executive Department, S. C.

WHEREAS information has been received at this Department, that an atrocious outrage was committed by a Negro fellow, on the person of a lady of Anderson District, on the 28th of July last, and that said negro has made his escape. Now be it known that in order that the said negro fellow may be brought to trial, I, JOHN H. MEANS, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the State of South Carolina, do issue this, my Proclamation, offering a reward of TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS for his delivery to the Jail of Anderson District.

The said Negro is a young fellow, not exceeding 28 or 29 years of age, five feet six or eight inches high, well built, of rather yellowish complexion, converses briskly and sensibly, was well dressed at the time with dark coat and pants, checked shirt, and wore a cap and slippers. He was a stranger in the neighborhood, and represented himself as a Brick Mason from a distance, hunting work. He is believed by certain persons who saw him to be a fellow by the name of PAT, or PATTERSON, who was taken from Anderson District to Alabama some eight years ago, by one William N. Wyatt, who afterwards sold him to a trader near Columbus, Geo. Given under my hand and seal of the State this, the 14th day of August, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two.

JOHN H. MEANS.
BENJAMIN PERRY, Sec'ry of State.
Sept 14. 47-tt.

NOTICE.

IS hereby given that application will be made, at the next sesssion of the State Legislature, to close the road known as "the Middleton road," leading from Ramsays Depot. WILLIS RAMSAY.
September 1, 1852. 46-3m

So. Carolina—Sumter Dist.

Exparte.
EDW'D. ANDERSON, HOSEA WILSON, et al. } In Equity. Petition for sale of Land, &c.

BY Order of the Court of Equity, I will sell on Sale-day in October next, the Tract of Land known as the Anderson Tract, containing 796 acres, more or less, lying in Middle Salem, situated on Taylor Swamp, about one mile from the Black River road, and lying directly on the Rail Road.

The said Land cannot be sold for less than $1.00 per acre.

TERMS—One-half payable on the 1st January next, and balance on 1st January 1854, with interest payable annually till fully paid. Purchaser to give Bond and personal security, and a mortgage of the premises.

W. F. B. HAYNSWORTH,
Com'r in Equity
August 17, 1852. 43-7t.

Head Quarters.

BUCK HEAD, August 24, 1852.

THE BRIGADIER GENERALS are hereby required to make returns as directed by the Act of 1841, (see Section 14th.) Upon a non-compliance the law will be enforced against all defaulters.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief.
J. W. CANTEY,
Adjutant and Inspector General.
Sept. 7. 46-

Parasols! Parasols!!

Our whole assortment of Parasols and Umbrellas are now offering at Reduced Prices, to close out. W. J. JACOBI & SON
221 King-st., (bend,) opp. the Big Boot.
June 29, 1852. 36-tf

THE PEE DEE.

IN consequence of a rumor, to the effect that the steamer PEE DEE had been sold, to run upon another river, Captain GEO. L. EASTON takes this method of informing his friends that such a report is incorrect, and that the "PEE DEE" will resume her trips on or about the 1st October
August 24, 1852. 44-5t

$500 CHALLENGES.

Whatever concerns the health and happiness of a people is at all times of the most valuable importance. I take it for granted that every person will do all in their power, to save the lives of their children, and that every person will endeavor to promote their own health at all sacrifices. I feel it to be my duty to solemnly assure you that WORMS, according to the opinion of the most celebrated Physicians, are the primary causes of a large majority of diseases to which children and adults are liable; if you have an appetite continually changeable from one kind of food to another, Bad Breath, Pain in the Stomach, Picking at the Nose, Hardness and Fullness of the Belly, Dry Cough, Slow Fever, Pulse Irregular—remember that all these denote Worms, & you should at once apply the remedy.

Hobensack's Worm Syrup.

An article founded upon Scientific Principles, compounded with purely vegetable substances, whose positive powers when taken, and can be given to the most tender infant with decided beneficial effect, where *Bowel Complaints and Diarrhea* have made them weak and debilitated the Tonic properties of my Worm Syrup are such, that it stands without an equal in the catalogue of medicines, in giving tone and strength to the Stomach, which makes it an Infallable remedy for those afflicted with *Dyspepsia*, the astonishing cures performed by this Syrup after Physicians have failed, is the best evidence of its superior efficacy over all others.

THE TAPE WORM!

This is the most difficult Worm to destroy of all that infest the human system, it grows to an almost indefinite length becoming so coiled and fastened to the Intestines and Stomach effecting the health so sadly as to cause St. Vitus Dance, Fits, &c., that those afflicted seldom if ever suspect that it is *Tape Worm* hastening them to an early grave. In order to destroy this Worm, a very energetic treatment must be pursued, it would therefore be proper to take 6 to 8 of my Liver Pills so as to remove all obstructions, that the Worm Syrup may act direct upon the Worm, which must be taken in doses of 2 Tablespoonfuls 3 times a day, these directions followed have never been known to fail in curing the most obstinate case of *Tape Worm.*

Hobensack's Liver Pills.

No part of the system is more liable to disease than the LIVER, it serving as a filterer to purify the blood, or giving the proper secretion to the bile; so that any wrong action of the Liver effects the other important parts of the system, and results variously, in Liver Complaint, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, &c. We should therefore watch every symptom that might indicate a wrong action of the Liver. These Pills being composed of ROOTS and PLANTS furnished by nature to heal the sick: Namely, 1st, An EXPECTORANT, which augments the secretion from the Pulmonary mucus membrane, or promotes the discharge of secreted matter. 2nd, An ALTERNATIVE, which changes in some inexplicable and insensible manner the certain morbid action of the system. 3rd, A TONIC, which gives tone and strength to the nervous system, renewing health and vigor to all parts of the body. 4th, A CATHARTIC, which acts in perfect harmony with the other ingredients, and operating on the Bowels, and expelling the whole mass of corrupt and vitiated matter, and purifying the Blood, which destroys disease and restores health.

To Females.

You will find these Pills an invaluable medicine in many complaints to which you are subject. In obstructions either total or partial, they have been found of inestimable benefit, restoring their functional arrangements to a healthy action, purifying the blood and other fluids so effectually to put to flight all complaints which may arise from female irregularities, as head ache, giddiness, dimness of sight, pain in the side, back, &c.

None genuine unless signed J. N. HOBENSACK, all others being base Imitation.

PRICE—EACH 25 CTS.

☞ Agents wishing new supplies, and Store Keepers desirous of becoming Agents must address the Proprietor, J. N. HOBENSACK, Philadelphia, Pa.

For sale by all Druggists and Merchants in the U. S.

P. M. COHEN, Charleston, Wholesale Agent for the State.
August 10, 1852. 42-1y.

Improved Cotton Gins.

Thankful for past favours the subscriber wishes to inform the public that he still manufactures Cotton Gins at his establishment in Statesburg, on the most improved and approved plan, which he thinks that the cotton ginned on one of those gins of the late improvement is worth at least a quarter of a cent more than the cotton ginned on the ordinary gin. He also manufactures them on the most simple construction, of the finest finish and of the best materials; to wit, Steel Saws and Steel Plated Ribs Case hardened which he will sell for $2 per Saw.—He also repairs old gins and puts them in complete order at the shortest notice. All orders for Gins will be promptly and punctually attended to. WILLIAM ELLISON.
Statesburg, Sumter Dist, S. C., Feb 17, 26-1

Money Wanted.

THE Subscriber respectfully announces to those indebted to him for last year and year before, that he is very much in need of *funds*: "A word to the wise is sufficient." W. J. FRANCIS.
August, 1852. 42-tf

House and Lot for Sale.

A House and Lot pleasantly situated in the North-western part of the town Sumterville. For any further information apply to J. H. VAUGHAN.
☞ Watchman copy twice.
Sumterville, August 16, 1852. 43-tf

FISK'S METALLIC COFFINS of all sizes, constantly on hand and for sale by HUDSON & BROTHER,
Opp. Temperance Hall Sumterville.
June 15th, 1852 34—tf

No Mistake.

The subscriber having made arrangements with one of the best established houses in New York to supply him with Gold or Silver Watches by the single one at the lowest wholesale prices, and having a friend there who will take an interest in selecting for me—offers to furnish to order, fine watches within ten days from date of order, much lower than they can be obtained in any other way. Also, Gold Chains or any other fine Jewelry.

For particulars enquire of
FREEMAN HOYT.
Aug. 17th, 1852 43—5t

Carriages.

AT THE OLD STAND OF S. & J. GILBERT.

S. & E. M. GILBERT continue the *CARRIAGE-BUSINESS* at the above stand—No. 35 and 40 Wentworth-street, Charleston—where they will be pleased to exhibit to their old friends and customers a very extensive Stock of Vehicles, comprising those of their own manufacture, together with various other styles usually found in this market. Their long acquaintance with this market as manufacturers and dealers will enable them to offer great inducements to purchasers both in styles and prices.
August 24, 1852. 44-tf

For Sale.

A Tract of Land containing nine hundred and thirty (930) acres, situated on the Salem Road, one mile below Midway Church, with a Dwelling House, and other necessary out-buildings thereon, at one dollar ($1) per acre. Also, an interest in another tract of twenty-six acres in the Estate of H. McIntosh's lands, which lies adjoining, which I will sell at four dollars ($4) per acre. For further information apply to the subscriber, at Salem P. O., Sumter District.
July 3, 1852. WM. M. McINTOSH. 37-tf

Salt.

20 SACKS OF SALT for sale low for cash by JOHN O'CONNOR.
June 7, 1852. 33-tf

The First of the Season.

THE Subscriber would inform the citizens of Sumterville and vicinity, that he is now receiving a large, fine, and well selected stock of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, AND VESTINGS, both plain and fancy.

ALSO—a very large and superior assortment of READY MADE CLOTHING, embracing every quality, variety and style, both for men and boys. Call and see at
D. J. WINN'S.
April 13, 1852. 25-tf

Soda Fountain.

THE Subscriber has just opened a SODA FOUNT at his well known stand where he keeps constantly for sale the best of SODA WATER, ICE-CREAM and GINGER-POP. Also: ICE every day, by the pound or otherwise. All sold low for cash by JOHN O'CONNOR.
June 7, 1852. 33-tf

Notice

IS hereby given that application will be made at the next Session of the Legislature for a Charter for a Bank in the Town of Sumterville.
July 20, 1852. 39-td.

PAVILION HOTEL,

BY H. L. BUTTERFIELD,
Meeting-St., Charleston, S. C.
September 16, 1851 47-tf

SUMTER HOUSE.

F. MYERS, would respectfully inform the citizens of Sumterville and the surrounding country that he has just returned from Charleston, and has made arrangements to receive ICE and SODA WATER, of every variety, weekly.

He has on hand, and will continue to receive throughout the season, a choice assortment of Wines and Cordials, Confectionaries, Fruit, &c., all of which will be disposed of cheaper than was ever offered before in this place.
May 29, 1852.

Webb Clark's Hotel,

SUMTERVILLE, S. C.,

This Hotel is situated in the most pleasant part of the town. The Proprietor will be pleased to see his friends and the travelling public; promising to spare no exertions on his part to render them comfortable. *Charges reasonable.*

WEBB CLARK,
Proprietor
Jan 23 13 tf

Notice.

Persons having demands against the Estate of R. Richardson, Dec'd. are requested to present them duly attested, and those indebted to make payment to
C. M. RICHARDSON,
Admr.
Nov. 6, 1850. 2 tf

Butter.

Fresh Goshen Butter,
" Virginia and Mountain Butter
For sale by ROBERT LATTA.
Camden, Nov 25, 1851. 1-tf

Notice.

Application will be made to the next Session of the State Legislature for a re-charter of my Bridge across Lynches Creek.
Aug. 2, 1852 M. DuBOSE. 41—3m

THOMAS J. WORKMAN, M. D.

DRUGGIST AND CHEMIST,
CAMDEN, S. C.

OFFERS for sale, for cash, or an approved credit, AT THE LOWEST MARKET PRICES, a large and WELL SELECTED assortment of EAST INDIA MEDITERRANEAN and EUROPEAN

Drugs and Medicines.

FRENCH, ENGLISH AND AMERICAN CHEMICALS OF ALL KINDS.

SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS, TRUSSES, (ALL KINDS) PESSARIES, " " DRUGGISTS LABELS, " GLASS WARE, PATENT MEDICINES, THOMPSONIAN MEDICINES, SHAKERS' HERBS & ROOTS, GARDEN SEEDS,
PAINTS AND OILS, VARNISHES, DYE STUFFS, BRONZES, BRUSHES, WINDOW GLASS, LAMP AND WICKS, SOLAR, LARD AND SPERM OILS, SPIRIT GAS AND CAMPHINE, &c. &c.
SPICES, GELATINE, FLAVORING EXTRACTS, PERFUMERY, HAIR DYE, NAIL AND TOOTH-BRUSHES, COMBS AND HAIR BRUSHES, FANCY SOAPS,

Genuine Cod Liver Oil.

Together with every article
COMPRISING THE STOCK OF A DRUGGIST OR PHYSICIAN.

—ALSO—

Agent for the most approved
PATENT AND FAMILY MEDICINES.
April 6th, 1852. 21—tf

South Carolina--Sumter Dist.

Louisa Belser,
vs.
Lawrence H. Belser, Robert C. Myers, John McCullough, J. C. Rhame. } *IN EQUITY.*

It appearing to my satisfaction that Robert C. Myers, one of the defendants in the above stated case is absent from and without the limits of the State of South-Carolina. It is ordered that said Robert C. Myers, do plead, answer or demur to the complainants bill of complaint within three months from the date of the implication of this order, or an order *pro confesso* will be taken against him.

W. F. B. HAYNSWORTH.
Com'r Eq'r S. D.
May 15, 1852. 30 tf

TO PLANTERS;

The subscriber has just received a large stock of goods for SPRING AND SUMMER, which he offers at Charleston prices, less expenses.
10 Bales heavy Osnaburgs,
" " Shirting and Sheetings,
" " Blue Denims and Marlboro' Stripes,
10 Hhds Bacon Sides and Shoulders,
25 Bbls Baltimore Flour,
25000 fine Spanish Segars,
Sugars, Coffees, Teas, &c. &c.
Molasses, Soap, Starch, &c.
L. B. HANKS.
April 6th, 1852 21—tf

Notice to Pedlars.

PEDLARS of all descriptions, whether on foot, horse back, or with a wagon, are hereby notified that should they be found TRADING IN THIS DISTRICT after this date, without the necessary License, the law will be enforced against them. A CITIZEN.
June 22, 1852. 35-tf

Land for Sale.

THE Subscriber offers his Plantation in Clarendon for sale, containing 750 acres of Land; 150 acres cleared; the place is well settled. On the premises are a good Gin and Screw, Horse-Mill and Wheat Thrasher. Any person wishing to buy, may apply to the subscriber on the place, one mile above Calvary Church, on the main road to Camden. J. C. WEEKS.
uly 6, 1852. 37-tf

Notice.

All persons indebted to me individually, or as Ordinary, will please make immediate payment, as it is absolutely necessary that I close up my business, some part of which has been of long standing unsettled, and which I am determined shall remain so no longer. I hope my friends will attend to this at once, and give me and themselves as little trouble as may be.

W. LEWIS.
Feb. 9th, 1852 17—tf

NOTICE.

WHEREAS the law requires the Ordinary of Sumter District to be in his Office, *Monday* and *Friday* in each week, persons therefore having business in said Office will please attend on those days.
W. LEWIS.
March 9, 1852. 20-tf

Valuable Woodland Near THE TOWN FOR SALE.

Between 17 and 18 acres of land lying at Turkey Creek near Sumterville, will be sold on accommodating terms to an approved purchaser. Apply at this office.
Jan. 27th, 1852 14—tf

For Sale,

My HOUSE AND LOT, in the village of Sumterville, where I now live. There are FIFTY-FIVE ACRES OF LAND in the lot. Terms made easy to the purchasers.
Jan. 15, 1852. 13-tf W. LEWIS.

AMERICAN HOTEL,

CORNER OF KING AND GEORGE STREETS
Charleston, S. C.

THE SUBSCRIBER, having disposed of his interest in the AMERICAN HOTEL to Messrs. G. F. KENNEDY & J. M. HURST, solicits for them the patronage of his friends.

GEO. W. KING.

The undersigned would respectfully inform their friends and the travelling public that they have least that elegant establishment the American Hotel, corner of King and George Streets, where they are ready for the reception of those who may favor them with a call.

KENNEDY & HURST.
May 25, 1852 31—6m

Black Crape at 25 Cents PER YARD.

And superior qualities at 31 1-4 and 37 1-2 cents a yard. These will be found remarkably low. W. J. JACOBI & SON,
221 King st., (bend,) opp. the Big Boot.
June 29, 1852. 36 tf

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 tf 9

Improved Endless Chain Water Elevators.

All persons wishing the above Elevators can be supplied by the subscriber, who is the Agent for the District of Sumter, S. C.
R. F. LIGON.
Sumterville, December 2, 1851. 6-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.

CABINET WAREROOM.

F. M. ANDREWS

TAKES this method of informing the citizens of Sumterville and vicinity that he has opened in Sumterville, opposite the new Presbyterian Church, a CABINET WAREROOM, where he will keep for sale, cheap, all such furniture as comes under this department of his trade, which he will warrant of good material; and will furnish for cash, at Charleston prices, all descriptions of Furniture made. Repairing executed at the shortest notice.

Mahogany and plain Coffins furnished without delay.

Having procured the services of Mr. C. W. DAVIS, he is prepared to furnish Metallic Plates engraved in any style.

All the subscriber asks is a fair trial, and hopes by punctual attention to business and easy terms, to merit public patronage.
February 17, 1852. 17-1y

CLOCKS, WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

The Subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Sumter and adjacent Di tricts, that he has just opened in Sumterville a beautiful assortment of

Clocks and Watches,

Brooches, Finger Rings, Cuff Pins, Ear-Rings, Buckels, Slides, Fob, Vest, Guard Chains, of Steel, Silver and Gold—Gold and Silver Pens and Pencil Cases; Spectacles of various kinds; White and Coral Beads, Bracelets, &c. &c. All of which will be sold at Charleston prices for *Cash*,
by C. T. MASON,
One store south of
Mrs. Hulbert's Millenery.

P. S.—Repairing of every description done in the very best manner and at the shortest notice. ☞ All work done by me, warranted to give satisfaction.

C. T. M.
December 3 6 tf

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 styles of Spring and Summer Goods, which purchasers would do well to examine before buying elsewhere.

Black, Blue, Green and mixed Broad-Cloths, Plain and fancy Cassimeres, Satin, Velvet and Silk Vestings, *Boys and Mens Caps, &c.*

—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.

He may be found at the stand formerly occupied by A Conway, and more recently by D. W. Price.

A. ANDERSON.
April 27, 1852 25 tf

D. J. WINN,

MERCHANT TAILOR.

Would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally that he now has on hand and offers for sale on reasonable terms 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, Epaulettes, &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, 1851 51 tf

Encourage Home Manufactures.

THE Subscriber, grateful for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon him, takes this method of informing the people of Sumter and the adjoining Districts, that he still continues to carry on the CARRIAGE and HARNESS MAKING business in all its various branches, at his stand in Bishopville, S. C.

He is making large additions to his Establishment, so as to enable him to manufacture every thing wanted, in his line, at the shortest notice, and in a style of workmanship equal to any in the Southern States. He has in his employ experienced workmen, and is well supplied with the best seasoned timber; also with Trimmings and Mountings of the latest style.

All new work done in his line will be warranted 12 months and repaired without charge if it fail in that time. He will do repairing at the shortest notice, and in case any person living at a distance should want repairing done, if they will write to that effect, he will send for the job, and return it when done.

JAS. W. AMBROSE.

N.B.—His TERMS are as reasonable as any person could expect.
Bishopville, S. C., March 9, 1852. 20-1y
☞ Black River Watchman will copy Six months. J. W. A.

So. Carolina.—Sumter Dist.

C. D. VAUGHAN, who is in the Custody of the Sheriff of Sumter District, by virtue of certain Writs of Capias ad Satisfaciendum, at the suit of Thomas McGee, having filed in my office, together with a Schedule on oath, of his Estate and effects, his petition to the Court of Common Pleas, praying that he may be admitted to the benefits of the Acts of the General Assembly made for the relief of insolvent debtors. It is ordered that the said Thomas McGee, and all others, the Creditors to whom the said C. D. Vaughan, is any wise indebted, he, and they aare hereby summoned, and have notice to appear, before the said Court at Sumter Court House, on the Eighth day of November next to shew cause, if any they can why the prayer of the petition aforesaid, should not be granted.

W. J. SINGLETON, *C. C. P.*
July 20, 1852. 39-3m

Situation Wanted

In a Dry Goods Store by a young gentleman who has had several years experience in the business. Application for information may be made at this office.
June 28, 1852. 36-tf