### WEDNESDAY, OCT., 4, 1854.

EST W. W. WALKER, Jun., Esqr., is our duly appointed agent in Columbia, S. C., to receive and receipt for all sums due the Sumter Banner.

227" Persons wishing to see us upon business connected with the Paper or Law. tan find us at any liour dufing the day, except from four to five in the afternoon, at our office; just back of Sonosides' New Store. All business connected with the paper must be transacted with William LEWIS, JOHN S. RICHARDSON, ir., or R. C. LOGAN. Mr. R. C. LOGAN, the Foreman of Banner Office, is our only authorised Agent to receive money and give receipts for the same, and may always be found at the Banner Office. All letters addressed to the Banner must be pre-paid to insure attention.

#### COTTON MARKET.

CHARLESTON, Sept., 30. The sales to-day were limited to 260 ba'es at extremes ranging from 63-4 to 9 1-2 cents.

#### Court.

Court sits at Sumterville on Monday the 6th day of November next. His Honor Judge WHITNER is to pres de: Return day is Saturday 21st inst.

#### Sale-day.

Monday last was sale day but very little public business was done of any kind, if we except some pretty strong electioneering by the candidates.

#### Homieide.

On Sunday night last, BILLY a slave of Col. F. M. MELLETT killed Donas one of his fellow servants. At the time of in diting this his trial had not been had and of course we cannot say whether it was justifiable homicide or not. The following is the finding of the Jury of Inquest: "Dohas was killed, or came to his death, at the plantation of F. M. MELLETT by an instrument in the form of a slab or piece of plank in the hands of BILLY slave of the said F. M. MELLETT on the first of October 1854 from the effect of which the said Donas died the second day of October 1854."

### The Yellow Fever.

The fever, we are happy to be able to say, seems to be on the decrease. In Charleston there were six deaths on Fri day from it. On Saturday and Sunday (48 hours) 15, and on Monday 2. In Au gusta, on Friday six deaths, and on Saturday 2. In Savannah on Wednesday last, 5 deaths, on Thursday 3, and on Friday 4.

#### Election Day.

We hardly need remind the friends of the different candidates that Mon day next is the day, appointed for all free white men in South Carolina who are otherwise qualified, to exercise the great and distinguishing right of voting according to their free choice for their Representatives and in Sumter District with some of the other Districts, for their Senator too, but as there may be some, who care very little about the candidates or such rights, to them we say-dont forget.

### To the Managers.

We publish in another column, an extract from the election laws, to which we invite your attention. We would also remind you of a suggestion which has been made and published sometime ago in the Banner, to wit: that you have at each election precinct a box, appropriately labeled to re ceive contributions from all who may be disposed, to contribute towards completing the Monument now in contemplation of being erected in honor of John C. Calhoun.

### "Consistency."

We give place to an article in this weeks issue signed "Consistency," which calls upon the voters of Claremont "to vote for gentlemen" who would scorn to treat for votes. We would infer from the tenor of this piece that there are some among the candidates who are stooping to this detestable practice which is fast demoralizing our people and destroying the purity of the ballot box. Of the truth or falsity of the inference we know nothing, for we have but just returned to our post after some weeks absence. nor have we any knowledge to which of the candidates, if any, it may allude, but if it is true that some or any of the candidates are demoralizing themselves and the people by such a practice we unite in earnestly urging upon our people to reflect well before they cast their votes for those who must have the true good of their country and of their neighbors so little at heart.

A planter in North Carolina, writing from Educcomb county, says the crops in that region are twenty-five per cent. better than in 1853. Corn crop fine. The eats crep was uncommonly good. Sweet potatees look fine, and will no doubt yield well. The hog crop will be fully an average one, and there is the greatest abundance of peas and pumpkins, in addition to the corn already mentioned, to fatten them in good time.

#### To the steaders of the Banner.

After an absence of some weeks the have returned to our editorial duties. Since last we labored for your edification and amusement we have rambled over a good deal of country, seen many things and enjoyed much which we wish you could have participated in we have returned to our post with renewed spirits and energy and with a determination to spare neither pains. nor time nor labor, in making the Banner an acceptable companion at the fireside of all who will permit its weekly visits. You shall all be well posted up in the current news of the day, notified of your true interest and advantage so far as we can discern. and edified and amused as much as the means at our disposal will permit. In return for this we ask that you will assist us in improving our paper. This you can do in several ways. By increasing our subscription list. By giving us as much advertising and jobwork as you can, and principally by sending us frequently communications on interesting subjects. This last we especially invite to the columns of the Banner.

## The Western Mails.

The Carotinian of the 29th ult...

"We received no Augusta papers last evening.

We have received no papers west of Augusta for hearly two weeks .--This is inexplicable to us, as we perceive the New Orleans papers are received in Charleston, and at points north of us. There is a screw loose

Yes, there is indeed a screw loose somewhere on this line. We know from personal knowledge, of letters being mailed in Georgia over a week ago and directed to persons in this place, which have not reached us yet. Now, we would be much disposed to make allowances for our afflicted brethren in Augusta if the failure originated with them, but does it?-We opine not. There is a regular distributing office attached to each mail car and it is the distributing offi cer's duty to see that the mail is forwarded to the proper places and at the proper time. If this is not done it ought to be looked after by the proper authority. While speaking of the Western Mailwe would remark that much time and inconvenience to the public might be saved, if there was not such an unnecessary delay and not the mail be forwarded immediately? And why detain passengers at Augusta, as we are informed they are, from two to four hours? These are great inconveniences to say the least to the country at large, and a general willingness was manifest to that ought to be put a stop to at once,

### Election Laws.

We copy from the Carolinian certain extracts from the election laws, for the information of the managers. We commend them to their attention and hope that they will see that they are strictly enforced at the ensuing election. The purity of the ballot box-that great safeguard of our liberty is in a great measure intrusted in the hands of the managers of elections. With firm Conscien ious and impartial managers our district will be saved from many of the abuses and immeralities which we are sorry to have to say are prevailing in some of our

"1. The names of the voters to be regularly written as they vote, and the list preserved -- A. A. 1716, 2d Statutes p.

+2. If two or more tickets, in counting the votes, be found rolled up together, or more names be found written on any ticket than ought to be voted for, all such tickets are not to be counted .- A. A. 1716, 2d Statutes, p. 684, and A. A. 1721, 3d Stat. 136.

"No voter shall be allowed to put in more than a single ballot or piece of paper in the same box or vessel; but a ticket is to be counted though it contains fewer

names than are to be voted for. "3. If any manager shall knowingly receive an illegal vote, or shall refuse to rece ive a legal one, or shall neglect or refuse to attend to the election, or shall count the ballots before the proper time, or at any other than the proper place, he shall be liable to penalties .- A. A. 1716, 2d Stat. 689, and A. A. 1721, 3d Stat 138, and A. A. 1759, 4 Stat. 100.

"4. Managers are authorized to administer oaths and examine wilnesses, to maintain order and regularity at the polls; and by order in writing (directed to the sheriff, constable or special deputy) to commit to jail, for one day, any person who refuses to obey the lawful commands of the managers, or shall disturb their proceedings .-- A. A. 1831, 6 Stat. 442.

"5. If any person refuses to make proper oaths, or if the managers be otherwise satisfied that he is not qualified, his vote shall be rejected.—A.A. 1831, 6 Stat. 4613. "The managers or any other person entitled to vo'e may challenge any person Britain and Cuba' offering to vote.—A. A. 1831. Statutes

"6. Managers are authorized to swear each other .- A. A. 1818. 6 Stat. 94. "Or they may be sworn by any authorized to administer ouths."

Good Crops.

"The New York Herald sometime since sent circulars throughout the country in order to obtain from reliable sources statements of the condition of the crops in the different States of the Union. The result has been that the prospect of a plentiful year is far more favorable than has been generally supposed. Indeed, we have long since ceased to place much confidence in the reports which are circulated almost every year of a failure in the crops .-The interest of the producer is calculated to induce him to misrepresent the facts in order that the price of his produce may be thereby proportionately increased. And even if there be an honest intention to represent the truth fairly, there is a tendency on the part of every agriculturist to depreciate his crops whenever he has been par-The Herald announces that the

tially disappointed. wheat crop in Upper Canada has been unprecedented, and that the supplies for exportation to the United States will be unusually large. From many sources too, we learn that the grain crop in England has been immense .-Large tracts of country have yielded an average of thirty bush is to the acre, and in some cases the enormous yield of sixty bushels has been real ized."

The above, which we copy from the

Carolinian, must be gratifying to our country, at large, and we do not mean by what, we are about to say, to detect from the merit of the article, yet we would not have our people lulled into fancied ease and security or our favored community cozened out of their advantages by statements which though true in the main, yet do not apply strictly and directly to us .-The large crops made in England and at the North (if true) must lesson the demand for grain in those countries vail in the community, and I fear the cold which have hitherto done a larger exporting business and must too to some extent effect the price of food all over our country; but it cannot effect us much. The crops throughout Tennessee and Kentucky and the greater portion of Georgia and North Carolina -our neighbors and the great grain markets of our Southern countryhave almost been a total failure. We speak knowingly, for we have recently passed through these States with the exception of Kentucky, and our inquiries concerning the crops in that State were particular and made to those who had the best opportunities of knowing, and the unanimous testimony was that there had not been more than a half crop made. In fact so little corn has been made throughout Tennessee and in portions of Kentucky that in loss of time at Augusta. Why can some places, it could not be had at any price. And as an evidence too of its scarcity we noticed that the majority of the farmers were not fatning their hogs-the great staple of these countries-for market; but on the contrary ought to be remedied. If it is a dispose of their stock at from 2 to 212 mere pretext by which to benefit the cents per pound. These evidences are fruit. And though we in common with people of Augusta it is an outrage not to be mistaken. Whatever then may be the truth of these newspaper and we hope the Post Master Gene. reports as to the large crops in Eng. land and at the North it can but be wise in us to hold on to our grain and pork until we are better satisfied that they are not to reach a higher price than for years past. Sumter District has to a great extent been blessed with a bountiful grain crop and now that an opportunity of reaping a rich reward is held out ahead it would be folly in our people to rush into the market and destroy their chances when so many evidences of coming scarcity

#### are all around them. Mr. Gamewell's Inven-

tion.

We see from the Camden Journal, that the Invention of Mr. J. N. GAMEWELL, which was noticed some weeks since, in the Banner, is likely to prove successful. We congratulate Mr. GAMEWELL upon his discovery. The Journal speaking of

"Our worthy postmaster and telegraph operator at this place, John N. Gamewell, esq., has recently returned from New York and Washington city, where he has been for the purpose of obtaining a patent for his valuable invention, which, properly arranged in connection with the telegraph wires, serves admirably to attract the atmospheric electricity from the same, and renders the office and station of the telegraph operator perfectly safe during the prevalence of the heaviest thunder storut. The principles which Mr. Gamewell claims for his instrument have been thoroughly examined and approved by scientific men of the first order, and a practical application of the same was made previously by Mr. Gamewell, with complete success, during a heavy storm of thunder and lightning, illustrating by matter of fact the words of the poet, where

The bolt passed the suppliant harmlessly by.
And left the freed captive to wonder.'

"The matter is no longer one of doubt and uncertainty, for seeing is believing, and when such men as Professor Morse-the inventor of the telegraph--and Professor Ellett pronounce favorably, and give cer-tificates to that effect, Mr. Gamewell and his friends may well have cause to calculate largely upon complete success.

"Arrangements have been made to secure a patent for the United States, Great

Advices from China state that owing to the unsettled condition of affairs trade was completely stagnant. The threatened attack on Canton was still held in abeyNews of the Week.

The Newberry Sentinel says: On the 19th Inst. as Capt. Jesse Scurry and his boy were riding along the road in this disrict, in a buggy, Dr. E. L. Gunter fired a doubled barreled shot gun at them, which resulted in the death of both. Capt. Scurry died immediately; the boy lived three or four hours. Edward Gunter, the brother who was present at the time has been arrested and lodged in jail at this place.

The Fairfield Register says, Dr. Gunter passed up the Charlotte road, and that two persons were close upon him when last heard from .

He has since been arrested in North Carolina.

A secturian riot took place in Cincinnati on the evening of the 25th. Some Protestants having attempted to organize a Sabbath school, a mob of German Catholies attacked the house rented for the purpose, and threatened death in case of persistence in the undertaking. Three porsons were wounded by pistol shots.

The expedition against Schastopol, numbering 700 vessels and over 70,000 disciplined troops, stood before Sebastopol on the 10th instant. News of the landing of the troops was expected at Varna on

Austria has officially notified the Wesern powers of the Czar's refusal to treat on the cond tions proposed, and at the same time states that she prefers still to maintain an armed neutrality.

It was reported that the Baltic fleet was to return to England, and that Sir Charles Napier would resign his command.

The Anderson Southern Rights Advo cate, of the 27th inst., contains a letter from Laurens C. II; from which we make

the subjoined extract: "Since my last, nothing of interest has transpired. Sickness and deaths still preweather which we have had for a few days, will not abate it. We have had a cold north-easter, which rendered fire quite agreeable. To-day the notorious Dr. Kinman suffered the extreme penalty of the law. He was hanged in the presence of a large crowed, and although, apparently, he led to believe his indifference assumed .and also attempted to break prison; failing in that, he offered a large sum to the Sheriff if he would aid him in escaping. But he is hanged now; the law has been vindicated, and a fearful warning to all who are disposed to walk in his footsteps. Kimman made no confession that we have

Correspondence Sumte: Banner. September Days-Our Weather-City tieme - Amel Gabriel - Philics and the Pulpit-Miscellaneous.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 30th, 1854. Messrs. Editors: Intervening between the sultry summer season and the cold October days, the month of september has ever been a favorite with the denizens of our fair city. The " country folks " too, hail its advent with joy; for it comes rich in golden grain and abounding in lucious " the many " have complained of summer heat and burning suns, vet on this the last day of Autumn we look back to those days with a feeling of regret. Henceforth, aught but ice, sleet and snow will greet our eyes for many days. Thus Times plastic hand changes all things.

The health of Philadelphia is very good at present. Some few cases of Cholera occurred this week, but among such a large and " medley " population such diseases will always prevail to a greater or less extent. Fortunately, the pestilence which smote Charleston and desolated Savannah scarcely touched our city. It was reserved for those cities of the sunny South to be visited by that epidemic which hurried off so many of their best citizens. With no ordinary degree of pleasure we state that Philadelphia did her duty in extending aid and relief to Georgia's Emporium of Commerce and trade .--Charleston made no appeal to our generosity and cherity; or a helping hand

would have immediately been extended. A few days ago, it became necessary to open a water pipe connected with the bar of a fashionable hotel in this city, to find out what obstructed the free passage of water. On opening it, a large fine ell and two small fishes were discovered, the whole party doing as well as could be expected under such circumstances .-Some of your subscribers may doubt the correctness of this statement; but it is

said by knowing ones to be true. You may have seen in several of your Northern Exchanges that a law suit was pending between the Catholic Bishop and Trustees of Trinity Church of Philadelphia. Last week the case came on and the Bishop was successful. On Thursday, an election for Trustees was held and the Anti-Bishop crowd-as the " Ledger " terms them--were defeated by a majority of 131 votes.

The "Know Nothings," in whose defence we wrote the first article published in any Southern Journal and which originally appeared in the Sumter Bannerhave spread like wild-fire all over this and the adjoining States. We have good reasons for knowing that several Lodges are in existence in South Carolina. So long as that Order is based on, and dependent upon the principles it was originally founded, it will flourish and presper, despite the prophecies of its opponents.

The far-famed Angel Gabriel alias Orr

Catholicism have provoked so many, and caused several riots, was arrested and taken before Mayor Conrad on a charge of disturbing the public peace. Mayor Con rad committed him to prison in default of trial, promising however to liberate him if he would leave the City. Orr has now hundreds of friends and apologists and thousands will rise up in his place to assert the right of speech in America-the right to expose and denounce the principles of Roman Catholicism! No doubt but that his Highness Bishop Hughes was greatly pleased at hearing that a poor, weak-minded, but zealous opponent had beeen thus silenced. We are no apologist for street-preaching further than this; public exposition of any doctrine or public denunciation of any false or erroneous belief is no crime. If those differing from Orr had ceased to attend his harrangues,

no difficulty would have ever occurred. By the way, we see in several Northern papers that the Episcopal Church, by far the most moderate and Catcholic in its political opinions of all the different denommations-that is at the North-has recently received large accessions to its memhership, from one cause alone. Hundreds who became sick and tired of hearing political tirades from the pulpit "went over" to a church, within whose portals politics are never mentioned.

Our city papers are discussing the propriety of uniting with the Gothamites in erecting a monument to the memory of the late A. J. Dowing. Every farmer, planter and architect in the Union should join willingly and cheerfully in this enduring tribute of respect to one of the most useful men, our country ever produced,

Governor Bigler in a long and well written letter has "come down" on the "Know Nothings" and Whig party in gen-

> Yours Ever. QUAKER CITY

For the Banner.

#### Shameful.

Fellow Citizens to the Rescue! It was hoped and indeed it was understood that all the Candidates, of Claremont District at least would refrain from having recourse to ardent spirits to secure met his death firmly, yet from his pallid vores. But alas! for poor humanity that countenance and trembling limbs, we were this Hellish subterfuge should been resorted to to gratify the unprincipled ambition of He entertained hopes of pardon to the last any aspirant for the Honors of this intel ligent and moral District.

Will you, fellow citizens, barter your sacred and inestimable privilege for a swig of soul and body destroying Whiskey?

Heaven corbid that any Christian or gentleman would so far compromise the dignity of his profession as to lend his influence to sustain any man, who would attempt to gain popularity, by introducing that Arch-fiend of destruction among our Fathers, our Brothers and our Sons.

Let the voters of Claremont repudsate he unholy attempt to demoral ze their Brothers, by casting their votes for gentlemen who would scorn to purchase Honors at the sacrifice of moral principle, or at the cost of the bitter tears of Heart broken Methers, Wives, Sisters, and Daughters CONSISTENCY.

## The Tail of the Comet

Is forty degrees in length, but so thin n substance that stars are visible through it. The marvelous tales of some nostrummonders are nearly as long, and quite as easily seen through.

The proprietor of Dr. Guysoli's Extract of Yellow Dock and Savs parilla, however, has no occasion to resort to such tales in order to attract public attention.

The actual cures performed by the article, wherever it is introduced, is the basis upon which the reputation of this remedy is founded, as the hundreds of certificates of renewed hopes, health and life, that are continually flowing in upon him, will, will prove.

IT Humbugs may flourish for a time, but a remedy must possess rare medicinal virtues, to establish the reputation that Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla has established wherever it has been

17 See advertisement.

### OBITUARY.

Died on 27th inst., at his residence near Stateburg, after a lingering illness which he bore with christian patience and fortitude, JOHN SINGLETON BRADFORD aged 37 years and 5 days.

The subject of this notice requires in aid from fulsome panegyric, but a friend may be permitted to pay a last tribute to the memory of departed worth.

With fewer faults than usually fall to the lot of frail humanity, the deceased possessed many sterling qualities. Candor, truthfulness, honesty, and uncalculating devotion to his friends pre-emmently distinguished him. The unwearied attention of numerous friends around his dying bed, sufficiently attested their appreciation of his many social virtues and his bereaved family will derive much consolation from the knowledge that he died " having the testimony of a good conscience; in the communion of the catholic church; in the confidence of a certain faith; in the comfort of a reasonable, religious and holy hope; in favor (as we humbly trust) with his God and in perfect charity with the world "

I would not live alway-no, welcome the Immortality's lamp burns there bright mid the gloom; There, too, is the pillow where Christ

bowed His head; O! soft be my slumbers on that holy And then the glad morn shall soon follow

that night; When the sunrise of glory shall burst or my sight;
And the full matin song, as the sleepers

arise To shout in the morning, shall peal through the skies." Died at his residence in Clarendon coun-

ty, Sumter District, on Friday the 29th September, 1854, JAMES R. BROCK. The deceased was sixty-three years of S. C., age .- was one of the most respected eitiwhose violent denunciations of Roman zens of his county and had been for several

years a member of the Methodist Church. He has left a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn his loss.

Holloway's Ointment and Pills, the most Effectual Remedies ever known, for Gout and Rheumatism .- Extract of a letter from Mr. Thomas Wybern, druggist, Eton, dated April 26, 1853. "To Professor Holloway.—Sir,—A case lately came under my notice, which I think should be publicly known. It is that of a poor min who suffered so dreadfully from chronic rheumatism that he lost the use of one side o his body, and endured incessant pain. He was under different medical treatment, and at Westminster Hospital the faculty pronounced him incurable: however, by the use of your Ointment and Pills, he has been restored to health and strength."

### Sumter Agricultural Association.

The anniversary of the Sumter Agricultural Association will be held at Sumter-ville on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 24th

and 25th inst.

An address will be delivered by HENRY PINKNEY Jr., Anniversary orator.
JAMES D. BLANDING, Sec'y. Oct. 4, 1854

49 Watchman copy.

### PALMETTO GLOTHING STORE, SUMTERVILLE, S. C.

E. Sommers

Offers for sale at the store formerly occupied by B. Greenvaild, next door to the office of Capt. F. Sumter, a LARGE and well selected stock of FALL AND WIN-TER Ready Made Clothing of all qualities and sizes, which he will dispose of at least twenty five per cent lower than any other house in town. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine for hemselves.

J. SCHEWRIN, Superintendant.

Oct. 4th, 1851

NEW GOODS AND NEW FIRM

THE subscribers having purchased the interest of J. S. Tindal in the firm of Tindal, Watson & Co., give notice to their friends and the public that they will carry on their business, at the old stand, under the name of Watson & Gardner. They have just received and are daily receiving a large, complete and handsome assort-ment of FALL AND WINTER GOODS. of all describtion. Qualities and Stylesto which they invite the attention of the

WATSON & GARDNER. Oct, 4, 1851

#### To the Planters of Sumter District.

We have just received a large STOCK OF KERSEYS, Plains, Linseys, Blankers, Shoes, &c. &., to all of which we especially invite your attention. We

offer Bargains in these goods.
WATSON & GARDNER. Oct. 4, 1854

#### HENRY NUTT. Factor and Forwarding MERCHANT, WILMINGTON, N. C.

Will give prompt personal attention to the sale, or forwarding of Cotton, Naval-stores, or any other produce, or to the purchase and forwarding of Merchandise.

REFERENCE : E. P. Hall, Pre't Br'h B'k. Dr. Thos. H. Wright, O. G. Parsley, Pre't C'l B'k ton. N. C. Gen. W. W. HARLLEE, Marion, McDonald & Chawford, G. I. W. McCall, Maj. WM. HAYNSWORTH, Sumter. JOHN J. MOORE. Oct. 4, 1851

OFFICE OF THE

### Wil. & Man. R. R. Co. 響等國際自己

WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 2, 1851. On and after Thursday 5th inst., the day bassenger trains on this Road will be disontinued until further notice.

By order of the President ROBERT ORR Gen'l Agent Transportation. Oct. 4, 1851

#### ELISHA CARSON & SON, FACTORS and

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, CHARLESTON, S. C. ELISHA CARSON, Office, Boyce & Co's JAMES M. CARSO Wharf.

Liberal advances made Consigned to their care. October 4, 1554

#### So. Carolina---Sumter Dist. By W. LEWIS, Esq., Ordinary for said District. Whereas, E. B. Davis bath applied to

me for Letters of Administration, on all and singular the goods and chattles, rights and creditors of the late W. S. Wilder, of the said District, deceased.

These are, therefore, to cite and admonish all and singular, the kindred and creditors of the said deceased, to be and appear before me at our next Ordinary's Court for the said District, to be holden at Sumter Court House on Friday the 13th day of October inst., to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand and seal, the 4th day of October, in the year [L. s.] our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and in the 79th year of American Independence. W. LEWIS, o. s. D. October 4, 1854 49

### Southern Quarterly Review.

Persons having business relations with the "Southern Quarterly Review," will for the present please address their contnumeations to the publisher in Columbia,

C. MORTIMER.

Fashionable Dancing Academy at Town Hall.

Mr. P. D. COOLICAN, (late of New Orleans,) respectfully announces to the Ladies and Gentlemen of Sumterville and

vicinity, that his Academy will be open at Monday, October 9th, 1854.

During the session, Mr. C. will introduce all the Fashionable Dances of the day and

gether with the following late Dances but the season, viz: La Sicilienae, Leinarali, and La Versovia.

Mr. C. will doem it his duty at the contraction. o identify himself in all that appear a correct and graceful deportment from

especially to the juvenile pupils vho be cotrusted to his charge. HOURS OF ATTENDANCE

For Ladies and Children - Us Mondays; Tuesdays, and Wednesdays, from 3 p. in.; For Gentlemen.—The same evenings,

from 7 to 9 p. m. . Terms, for a course of Fourteen Lessons, 810. Practising Soirces will be given during

Oct. 4, 1854

Sec y and Treas't.

Board Meeting. The next regular meeting of the Salem Board of Commissioners of Roads will be held at James Lowry's on the third Tuesday in October inst., it being the 17th of the month.

J. W. STUCKEY,

Oct. 4, 1854

#### A. ANDERSON, DRAFER AND TAILOR Sumterville, S. C.

Respectfully informs the people of Sum-ter District that he has just received and now offers for sale the best selected and Fall and Winter

# Goods,

That cannot be surpassed by anything in this market. He has received many new styles which purchasers would do well to examine be-BROADCLOTHS, CASSIMERES AND

VESTINGS. A full and large supply of Hosiery, Shirts, rawers, Gloves, Suspenders, Cravats, Hand-Drawers, Gloves, S kerchiefs, &c. &c.,

large assortment of READY MADE CLO-THING, which will be sold low.

Garments mannfactured by the subscriber, and warranted to give satisfaction. Or

lers from a distance promptly attended to.

A. ANDERSON. Sept. 4th, 1851.

### Mules! Mules! Mules!

THE subscribers notify the citizens of Sumter and the adjoining Districts, that they will be in Sumterville on the 10th of October proximo, at which time they will offer for sale as fine, or the finest lot of Mules ever offered in this market.

They will be glad to lrave all those who may be in want of mules or horses, who are fond of boking at fine stock, to call upon them at China's Hotel. Their old customers especially.
ELLIS & SANDERS.

Sept. 13, 1954

IXECRITUALLA IXA COLORIA By Rev. Dr. CHAMING, of London. AMERICANS, will you read this masterly exposure of the Mysteries of Rome? Price \$1.
JOHN P. JEWETT & COMPANY,

Publishers, Boston. Sept. 20, 1854 47 BUY DR. DADD'S MODERN HORSE DOCTOR.

THE BEST WORK ON THE HORSE EVER PUBLISHED IN AMERICA. PRICE \$1.25. JOHN P. JEWETT & COMPANY

Publishers, Boston. Sept. 20, 1854 47

Notice-Application will be made at the next

ession of the Legislature for an Act of Incorporation of Calhoun Lodge, No 1, Knights of Jericho, located at Sumterville Sept. 6, 1854

PROSPECTUS

THE EDISTO CLARION. The undersigned will publish in the Village of Orangeburg, on or before the first Wednesday in October next, a week-

ly newspaper, to be called THE EDISTO CLARION. A Prospectus will not admit of a minute delineation of all the objects of the con-templated Journal. The Clarion will be the herald of every description of news, local or general, that may be interesing or nstructive to its readers at large. It will faithfully disseminate all the important political intelligence of the day. In questions of Federal policy, the political doc-trines taught by Calhoun and Jefferson shall be the beacon lights of the Clarion. It will firmly uphold the peculiar institusection or party which denies the true and legitimate application of the State Rights principles under a Republicon form of god

The Clarion will be strictly conservative on questions of State policy. It will watch with a "jealous eye" the advocates of changes in the fundamental law, and administration of the State. "No measure of reform will be advocated because it is new, and no error in policy will be sustained, though it may have the sauction of

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