fing to leeward considerably as she of his instrumentality in the matter advanced, still I felt sure if she kept with great gratification on account of on the same tack she would undoubtedly see our signals before passing beyond. My larger signal, too, continued to drift me nearer to her track, and took me almost out of sight | gale on the Atlantic. of my two companions. When within about two or three miles of us, and about an hour and a half after she first hove in sight, we were relieved by her backing her sails, altering he course, and laying to for a while, then hoisting a signal on her spanger gaff she put about and bore away, on and on far in the distance on the opposite tack until my heart began to fail again doubting, whether she was beat-Ing to windward for us, or bad gone on her way rejoiceing in the discovery and rescue of only a portion of the unfortunate wretches withing range of her. But again, how light and buoy. ant was the joy as she at last put about and standing directly for us; on and on she advanced like a saving angel, until we could see her noble looking hull distinctly rise and fall within lit tle over a mile distant from us, when she backed her sails again, and waited for some time in prosecution of her mission of mercy, no doubt, relieving some of our scattering companions from a like precarious state. Soon she filled away again, and at

last laying to close by the two firemen, I saw her boat lowered with five men in it, who, picking up the two firenien in their course, came dashing along direct for my raft, and soon bouncing alongside, I allowed myself to tumble aboard of them, unable physically to adopt anything of a graceful action, and morally overpowered with gratitude to. God and to those his instruments. I'remained speechless until I got on board the ship. Pefore getting on board, however, the boat went away for some distance to windward. and picked up the three other firemen, who I had seen leave the Aretic, but who had been ever since out of view. We all got huddled upon the deck somehow, although rather awkwardly, and making my way down to her neat little cabin, as well as my stiff feet and legs would allow, I had the pleas ure of paying my respects to Captain John Russell, and found myself on board the ship Cambria, of Greenock, bound from Glascow to Quebec. Capt. Russell, Rev. Mr. Walker, of the Free Church of Scotland, and his very kind and attentive lady, Mr. Suther land, of Caithnesshire in Scotland, Mr. John McNaught, and several of the passengers of the steerage, paid every attention that I could have desired; Capt. Russell giving me up the berth which he had been using himself, and putting everything on board in requisition that might tend in the least to relieve and make us comfortable. I was surprised to learn that the old

Frenchman, whom we had picked up from the Vesta, was our good genius on this occasion. Being directly in the track of the approaching Cambria, he was picked up by the second mate of the Cambria. Mr. Ross, jumping overboard with a line, and seizing hold of the man, they were both pulled on board, and the rescued Frenchman, in the best English he could muster, made Capt. Russell aware that others were near, who then went to the masthead and with his glass made out the other four pieces of wreck, which we were all on, and making his long tack to windward, came back in the midst of us, picking up first, from that half round piece of wreck that I saw burst above the surface at the time of the ship going under, Capt. Luce, Mr. George F. Allen, of the Novelty Works, and a young German, a passenger on the Arctic, by the name of Ferdinand Kaye. They, along with eight others of those who went down with the ship, had gained this piece of wreck, which turned out to be a segment of one of the pade 1: boxes, and, singular as it seems, Capt. Luce, who had stuck by his sinking ship to the last minute, was thus saved at last on the very boards which as commander were his post of duty practically his post of duty saved him. The same thing, however, had caused the death of an interesting son, by striking or falling on him as it burst

The eight others, who had gained it with them, had from time to time perished on it, and Mr. Kaye was on the point of making the ninth; when the Cambria hove in sight he had become almost a lunatic from extreme thirst, from eating biscuit soaking in sea water, and attempted to quench it by blood sucked from veins of his arm opened with his penknife, and attempt that such will be the case. The ing to drown himself several times, he had been prevented by Capt. Luce and Mr. Allen, until longer endurance seemed impossible with him when the Cambria appeared. Mr. Allen too, although saved himself, had too much reason to fear the loss of his wife and several other relatives, who were on board with him and whom he saw placed on the raft of spars before the ship went under. I found those three my companions in the cabin of the Cambria, and being attended to like myself. The old Frenchman and the five firemen were comfortably quarter ed away in the forecastle, all suffering much, and the old man having lost his "compagon de voyage," the mess boy who held out long as he could, but finally rolled overboard.

In the course of a few days we all began to get round and feel pretty well with the exception of the severe pains in our feet, which continue with very little intermission, and at the same time it is most congenial to our feelings that through the leadership of Mr. Walker, we have the daily opportunity of rendering praises and thanksgive ing to a gracious God for his mercy and goodness towards us.

Capt. Russel feels the circumstance

Capt. Nye, of the Collins steamer Pacific, having some years ago run great risk in saving him and his crew off the sinking Jessie Stevens in a severe

JAMES SMITH.

# THE SUNTER BANNER SUMTERVILLE, S. C.

J. S. RICHARDSON, JR. | EDITORS. JOHN R. LOGAN,

### WEDNESDAY, NOV. 1, 1854.

Agents for the Banner. The following persons have been ap pointed Agents and are authorized to receive, and receipt for, all sums due the Sumter Banner. Any person wishing to become a subscriber to the Banner, by handing them their name and address will have the paper forwarded promptly.

They will also see to forwarding all advertising business connected with the

W. W. WALKER JR., . . Columbia S. C. S. W. WHITAKER, .. Wilmington, N. C. WILLIAM HYDE,...."...." R. C. Logan, ..... Sumterville S. C. No other person is authorized to receipt for the Banner.

Persons wishing to see us upon business connected with the Paper or Law, can find us at any hour during the day, at our office, just back of Solomons' New Store. BT All letters addressed to the Banner must be pre-paid to insure atten-

#### COTTON MARKET.

CHARLESTON Oct. 28. COTTON .- The transactions to-day were limited to 700 bales, at extremes ranging from 7 1-2 to 9 7-8.

#### Miss Brennan.

Our readers will be pleased to learn that Miss BRENNAN has determined to fulfil the promise made us last summer, and will give a Concert in Sumterville on Saturday the 11th inst. The place and other particulars will be made known next week. We deem this simple notice quite sufficient. Miss BRENNAN has some warm admirers in this place, and the only difficulty will be in obtaining a room large enough to accommodate all, who desire to hear her.

#### Rev. F. A. Mood.

超We had the pleasure on Sunday last of hearing this gentleman preach his farethe Methodist Episcopal Church in this place. Mr. Moon has now been stationed in Sumterville for two years and leaves with the regrets of the whole community, to whom his earnest and zealous preaching of the gospel and strict attention to the arduous duties of his profession, have strongly attached him. We wish him a long continuation of a life of usefulness. devoted to the service of his God.

## Death of Gov. Burt.

A telegraphic despatch, dated St. Louis, October 25, states that the Hon. F. Bunt, recently appointed Governor of Nebraska, had died in the Territory on the 18th instant.

It is but a few days since Governor Burr left his home in Pendleton District to assume the official duties to which he had been appointed by the President; his death was unexpected and will be universally regretted .-Governor Burt was comparitively a young but from the ability he had already displayed, gave promise of a brilliant future,

## The Mails.

The absorbing topic with the Charles ton and Columbia papers, at this time, is the dispute between the Postmaster General and the President of the South Carolina Railroad, in relation to the transportation of the mails. This is the day on which the mail is to be discontinued on the South Carolina President of that road are not complied serious disarrangement of the mails will take place, but we cannot think Charleston chamber of commerce have sent a delegate to Washington to confer with the Postmaster General upon the subject: the matters in dispute will doubtless be thoroughly the rise in paper, wages, rents, fuel, investigated and which ever party is in the wrong, public opinion will force to

Sir John Franklin. The information, which we published in our last issue relative to the discovery of the remains of a portion of Sir John Franklin's party, has been confirmed by further reports. The Indians who brought the intelligence, had in their possession a number of articles, that have been identified as belonging pers is not to be effected likewise; but to the expedition, and which have been purchased from them to be sent to yet to be reached; whether the expen-Europe. Sir John Franklin's expedi- do not say that the price of papers tion left England in 1845, since which should fluctuate as with the turn of time, until now, nothing had been the market; but we do say, that when heard of it. It is estimated that the various expeditions sent out upon its search costs over four millions of

#### Our New Volume.

With this number the Bunner commen ces its 9th volume and presents a favorable opportunity for those who feel disposed to patronize their District papers, to subscribe and thus place it in the power of the Proprietors to improve and add to the present publication. Of the importance of a free, onest, and independent Press to any comnunity, there can be no question, and to support such is a duty every man owes to himself and society. To those who wish to advertise, the Banner presents a happy opportunity; our rates are low and our subscription list larger than at any former period; the importance too of advertising and making ones business known is new universally acknowledged, and without it no man can hope to succeed, if he depends upon the public for support. The people of this section of the State are every day becoming more enlightened, better educated and more alive to their true interests. With this advancement the circulation of the paper extends and with it the reputation, credit and acquaintance of the advertiser. We hope our friends will not be slow to perceive and take hold of the advantages thus offered. To our Subscribers.

We have heard, within the last few weeks, so much complaint from subscribers about not receiving their papers, that we are compelled, in justice to ourselves, to say the fault is not with

us. In several instances, lately, where persons have come to our office with the usual "what's the matter we have not got our Banner this week," they have been taken to the Post office and had it proved to their satisfaction, that the Banner had been mailed for them and our duty in the premises faithfully discharged. This is all we can do. After the paper is mailed our duty is done, and if it is not received then, it is because some Post-Master, through whose hands it has to pass, neglects to do his duty in forwarding or delivering

it. We hold ourselves ready and able to show that we always mail every subscriber's paper, and we hope if any of our friends fail to get their paper hereafter, they will notify us of it and we promise to use every exertion to let the blame rost where it should, and to remedy the evil. We charge no particular individual we wish it understood, with neglect of duty, but we speak in justice to ourselves and must be excused in saying we are determwell sermon before the congregation of ined, if possible, to have justice done to ourselves.

#### Southern Quarterly Review.

We have neglected, through inadvertance to notice until now the Oc tober of the Southern Quarterly Review, which was received in due course. The Review is now published in Columbia and sustains a reputation second to no similar publication in the United States. In recommending it to strong-minded female conventions at the the warm and hearty support of our Broadway tabernacle was married on renders, we consider ourselves only performing a duty, which we owe to Southern interests.

The following are the contents of the present number :

- 1. On the unity of the Human Race. 2. East Florida: her Lands and Agricultural Productions.
- 3. Marriage and Divorce,
- 4. Essay on American Society, as seen through Southern Spectacles, 5. Political Elements.
- 6. The Respects and Policy of the
- 7. Petrarch's Lanea.
- 8. Political Philosophy of South
- 9. Northern Periodicals versus the South.

10 Critical notices.

## Every Word True.

We clip the following from an ex. change and pronounce every word true. Railroad, if the terms proposed by the We are a poorly paid class of the community and it is impossible for Newswith. Should this event take place a paper publishers to keep up at the present rates of subscription unless by increased numbers and large advertising business. The Editors of the New York Tri-

bune and Sun, reduced some time since, the size of their respective papers, in consequence of the increased expenses incurred in their publication, and provisions: and now, we notice that the proprietors of four daily journals of Cincinnati, have agreed, not to a reduction in size, but what is equivalent thereto, to an advance in the price of their papers. As has been well remarked, the publication of newspapers is less profitable than any other business requiring a similar outlay of capital, talent, and labor; and a very er roneous idea seems to prevail, that while there may be an advance in the prosecution of every department of business, that the publication of news that their ! swest rate of cheapness is ses are doubled or quadrupled. We the expenses are increased fifty or thirty per cent, that an advance on the

rates should be demanded by publish-

## News of the Week.

The citizens of Savannah, who had fled from the yellow fever, on their return home have found their houses, in many instances completely despoiled of plate and furniture. Some villians in their absence having committed these robberies with impunity.

Mr. A. S. Willington of the Charleston Courief, was arrested in New York on Saturday last for libel, at the instance of Rufus W. Griswold. The alleged libel was contained in a letter from New York touching Mr. G.'s domestic af-

We learn says the Darlington Flag that Wise and Johnson, convicted of the murder of Shadrach Johnson in this dis rict, on the 21st of August, 1853, have been pardoned by the Governor on condition of their leaving the State.

The proprietors of the Chicago newspapers held a meeting last week, and advanced their advertising rates 20 per cent. Their rates are now one dollar par square for the first insertion.

The plan of building houses with a mixture of lime, stone, and gravel, is exciting considerable attention, under the presen high price of lumber and brick.

We perceive that the Hon. R. F. W Allstor has been nominated in the Pee Dee Times as a gentleman well qualified o fill the gubernatorial chair.

R. Chapman, of Norwich, England, a Miller, has obtained a patent for applying he centrifufiall bail governor to the hopper which supplies the grain to millstones. n the same manner that it is applied to the throttle valve of a steam engine, so that the valve is made to regulate the feed

It has been discovered that for the generality of flowers, and more especially fogeraniums, and the most delicate specimens of the lily tribe, common glue, diluted with a sufficient portion of water, forms a richer manure than guano or any other

Col. Orr has accepted an invitation to leliver an address in Charleston on the occasion of the great Southern Central Agricultural Fair, to come off in that city on 20th of November next.

The Charleston Courier says:

"We invite the attention of the mem pers of the Legislature of this State to the practice, now very common amongst us, of parties getting up bills, very similar in ppegrance to those emanating from banks. for the purpose of advertising thereon their goods. We have now one before us, with 5 in the corner, which was passed on a negro in the market a day or two since by some white person, and for which \$1 worth of eggs and \$4 in money were given. The practice should at once be discontinued and the Legislature should declare it il-

The Rev. Edwin T. Winkler has accepted the unanamous call of the First Bap. tist Church in Charleston to become

Antoinette Brown, the woman in breech es, that used to be the big gun of the Thursday last, at Carmal, N. Y. to a Dr. James H. Merrett.

Lynch Law originated in what is now known as the Piedmont county of Virginia, which was at the time, the frontier. Practically, the inhabitants of the Piedmont country had no law and were forced to be a law unto themselves. Misdemeanors and crimes of every sort were of frequent occurrence, and yet the apprehension and delivery of a criminal involved an arduous journey of hundreds of miles, mostly through a wilderness, which occupied months. Prominent among the inhabitants was a man named Lynch, well known for his justice, judgement and impartiality, and called throughout the country, Judge Lynch. In the course of time, criminals were brought before him, and he awarded such punish ment as he thought was just and proper

The American lady, Mrs. Putnam. Baptist, has perhaps no equal in the world for critical knowledge of languages, for she converses readily in French. Italian, German, Polish, Swedish, and Hungarian, and is familiar with twenty modern dialects, besides Greek, Latin, Hebrew, Persian, and Arabic. The extent of this linquistic acquirement is paralleled only by Cardinal Mezzofan, Elihu Burritt, and some half dozen other great names of both worlds.

An Irish editor, in speaking of the miseries of Ireland, says : "Her cup of misery has been for ages overflowing and is not

Mr. Larey, of the Edisto Clarian, says, there are three things now wanted in his village-a Livery Stable, a Restaurant and a Barber-shop,

Six majestic elim-trees, in front of a dwelling in Marlborough, Mass., have been insured by their owners in the sum of five hundred dollars, against loss by lightning or fire.

II. W. Conner, Esqr., has opened his new Banking House in Charleston. It is intended to operate after the manner of private banking, which prevails so extensively and favorable in Europe.

A despatch from Selma, Alabama, says that the Howard College at Marion, in that State, was burned down on the night of the 15th. No lives were lost, but eighteen or tweenty students were injured, two or three dangerously.

ers, and cheerfully submitted to by A writer in the Southern Patriot wisely suggests the propriety of all our Rail Road

companies reducing the fair of passengers to the great Southern Fair, one half, and allowing articles for exhibition to go

free of charge. In Winchester, Va., John Wysong in forms the public that he has associated with him, in the mercantile business, his daughter Virginia, and that hereafter the business will be conducted under the manne; style and firm of J. Wysong & Daughter.

aughter. . Bank of England Notes are now signed by machinery, by which a saving of £10,-000 a year is effected.

The next annual meeting of the Charleston Baptist Association, will be held with the Calvary Church in Sumter Dist , commencing on Saturday before the first Sabbath in Nov

The town of Daroca, in Spain, has been completely destroyed by a waterspout, which arose from a neighboring lake and bursting, overwhelmed the town; several lives were lost.

Correspondence of the Banner.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Oct. 30, 1854. Messrs. Editors: Yesterday evening about 8 o'clock an alarm of fire was given and shortly after flames were seen issuing from the main build ing of the Columbia Gas Works-a large brick building in which gas was manufactured previous to being conveyed into the gasometer. Many apprehensive of an "explosion" would not venture near until it was known that all communication between the works and gasometer was cut offwhich was fortunately done in a few minutes after the fire was discovered. The building in which the fire originated and a small one adjoining were speedily consumed-others near by being saved only by the active exertions of the Firemen. In the buildings saved, large quantities of Rosin, Turpentine and other inflammable articles were stored.

How the fire originated and whether the buildings were insured or not we are unable to find out.

The gas having been cut off when he alarm of fire was first given, sever al of the Churches where services were being held, were left in the dark, much to the astonishment of all present.

The Independent Fire Engine Com. pany deserve credit for the zent and activity with which they worked .-The Hook and Ladder Company did essential service while the Engine Company No. 2 .- composed of "colored persons" labored to the best of their ability. Candles, Camphene, and other

light-giving" materials will probably be at a premium to-day and for some time to come. Like Ajax we will have to call for " more light."

Still another new Volunteer Company has been formed in our city, under the title of the "Emmet Guard." As its name indicates, it will be com posed chiefly of Irishmen and descend ents of Irishmen. Our brother of the Nawspaper Corps, Mr. W. B. Johnson he bore with christian fortitude and resig-(of the Carolinian and Banner) will, nation. The subject of this notice lived ve understand, be an officer.

This morning the rain is pouring down merrily and the weather is quite warm. We hope for a change before

We had the pleasure of greeting one of your firm, the Senior Editor we believe, a day or two ago. He looks like an Editor whose subscribers all pay up promptly, if you ever saw one who had such good luck; and was, en route for Camden. It is said on the street that the

Times" will shortly be "resurrected" -and placed under control of Messrs. J. H. Giles, its former Editor, and E. H. Britton Esq. late of the Charleston Standard and more recently connected with the Spartan burg Express. We will see in a "few days" whether this be correct or not. We have no further intelligence to communicate at present.

> Yours Truly. COLUMBIANA,

#### For the Banner. Tribute of Respect.

At a meeting of the Black River Troop on Saturday the 7th inst., Capt. E. B. Davis, was called to the chair and G. D. Rhodus acted as Segretery. Capt. E. B. Davis rose and explain-

ed the object of the meeting, and addressed the Troop in a feeling and elequent manner upon the death of our lamented fellow citizen and bsother trooper, Sergeant Henry D. Bethune, after which Lieut. J. H. Colclough offered the following preamble and resolutions, which were unanimously adopted ;

Our esteemed brother-soldier the late Sergeant Henry D. Bethune, departed this life on the 23rd September, On no occasion have we assembled to discharge a more painful duty than that which devolves upon us at this time. The shock caused by his brief illness and unexpected death is too recent and our hearts too full of sorrow to permit us in expressing our feeling

his memory.

He has been for many years connected with the Cavalry and his devotion to its interest demands from us more than the simple record of his death, He was gifted with a most Groceries, in all their numerous varieties. amiable disposition, a high sense of honor, a warm heart and generous feelings. It will be long ere the void created by his death can be filled.

Resolved, That this Troop deeply feels and sincerely laments the loss it has sustained in the death of Henry D. Bethune

Resolved, That as a badge of mourning the members wear crape on their left arm and sword hilts at their next six parades.

Resolved, That we deeply sympathise and condole with the family of

the deceased in their sad affliction Resolved, Timt in token of our es teemed admiration of the deceased a monument be creeted by this corps to his memory.

Resolved, That a copy of these proecedings be forwarded to his afflicted family, and published in the District papers.

W. T. Lesesne moved that a committée of five be appointed whose du tp it should be to prepare a suitable Epitaph for, and purchase said monument, which was seconded by C. F. Lesesne, and agreed by the Troop .-The following were appointed that committee : Capt. E. B. Davis, Lieut, J. H. Colelough, Cornet W. J. R. Can tey, Privates W. S. Lesesne and G. D.

On motion of J. Sidney McFaddin' it was unanimously

Resolved, That when said monument s purchased the Black River Troop will parade at Rev. II. W. Mahoney's and put said monument up themselves. For the Banner.

#### Tribute of Respect.

At a meeting of the Sumter Riflemen held on the 14th inst., the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That in the death of James Windham, in August last, the Sumter Company has lost one of its most efficient and prompt soldiers. Resolved, That said Company wear

the usual badge of mourning for thirty Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be published in the papers of

the town, and furnished to the family of the decensed. W. J. N. HAMMET, Com't.

O. P. McROY, HYMENERLY.

MARRIED,-On Thursday the 26th ulti, by the Rev. Mr. MENDENHALL, Dr. C. H RICHARDSON to Miss MARGARET E. NET-TLES, daughter of JOHN NETTLES, Sr., all of this District.

# OBITUARY.

DIED,-At his residence, near Bethe Church, on the 7th ult., THEODORE DANtel Brunson, aged 31 years 5 months while on this earth as an honest, industrious and good citizen, a dutiful and affectionate son and kind brother, and ded in the full hope of a blessed immortality.-He has left an aged and infirm mother with numerous relatives and friends to mourn his loss.

Departed this life, at his residence, in Walterboro,' on the 12th of October, Dr. ALEXANDER FRASER, a long known and highly respected citizen, in the 69th year

Dien,-In Sumterville, October 26th, Mr. Thomas D. China, in the 29th year

# Agricultural Association.

The members of the Sumter Agricultural Association, are requested to meet in Sumterville on WEDNESDAY next, the 8th inst. A full attendence is earnestly requested as business of great importance will be brought before the Association. J. D. BLANDING, Sec'y. J. M. PITTS, Pres't.

Nov. 1, 1954

## Dissolution

The Copartnership heretofore existing under the firm of BUTLER & NEWBERY, is this day dissolved by limitation and mutu-al consent. All the Notes and Accounts of the firm have been placed in the hands of Y. N. BUTLER for collection, who is the only authorized agent to liquidate the debts of the concern. All persons indebted by note or account, will please come forward and make immediate settlements.

Y. N. BUTLER. A. McCAIN NEWBERY.

Having sold my interest in the Stock in trade to Mr. A. M. NEWBERY, I would recommend him to the customers who so liberally patronized the late fifm. Y N. BUTLER.

Having Bought the interest in the Stock in trade from Mr. Y. N. BUTLER of the late firm of BUTLER & NEWBERY. will from this date cutry on the inercaptile ousiness upon my own responsibility. I teturn my thanks to the customers of the late firm, and earnestly solicit a continu-

ance of their patronnge,

A. McCAIN NEWBERY,

Oct. 26, 1854.

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#### EDWARD SOLOMONS. SURGEON DENTIST.

SUMTERVILLE S. C. Office three doors north of the C. II. June 21, 1854

## to pay the tribute we would wish to New Goods! New Goods! SMALL PROFITS.

The undersigned is now in receipt of an enlargod and varied general stock goods. and is determined to carry out the principle of quick sales and small profits.

Has stock comprises Dry Goods, and

A heavy stock of Ready made Clothing, just from Philadelphia, which will be sold thirty per cent. under any thing in town. HATS, CAPS, ROOTS & SHOES.

A variety of Confectionary. Crockery, common and Granite. In short, he keeps almost every thing which may be called for, at prices which cannot fail to please. Come and see for yourselves.

MOSES LEVI. At Frierson's Old Stand Nov. 1, 1854

# Head Quarters.

44TH REGIMENT, S. C. M., OLD FORD, Oct. 27, 1854. ORDER NO .-

D. E. HODGE having been appointed Quartermaster of the 44th Regiment, South Carolina Militia, with the rank of let Licutenant, will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

By order of Col. F. M. MELLETT. M. G. RAMSEY, Adjt. Nov. 1, 1854

## ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

THE SOUTH CAROLINA COLLEGE.

OCTOBER 20, 1954. The Officers and Committee of Afrangenents of the Alumni Argiciation, formed last winter in Columbia, have determined to celebrate, on the part of the Alumni, the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the College, on the first Morday in December next. They have re olved upon' the following order of exercise:

1. An Oration will be delivered in the

new College Hall by the Hon. ox-Gov. Floyd, of Virginia.
The Alumni will join with the Board in that part of its arrangements which has

reference to the procession.

3. The exercises will be closed with a banquet, to which it is proposed that distinguished visitors be invited. W. C. PRESTON, President. Nov. 1, 1854.

South Carolina Institute.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 25th instant, the following resolutions were adopted, viz : Resolved, That the contractors having failed to complete the hall by the 1st of July, in accordance with their contract,

and the same not now being ready, the annual Fair is necessarily postponed.

Resolved, That a Fair be held on the first Tuesday in April next. In conformity with the foregoing resolutions, the Fair will by postponed from

November to the first Tuesday in April'next. L. M. HATCH. Chart. Com. on Publication and Printing New Goods.

#### THE subscriber has just returned from' the North, and is now opening a splendid Ladies' Dress Goods,

all kinds, viz: A beautiful lot of Rich Plaid and Striped Silks; Plain Colored do. Black Striped and

Plain du. Cashineres, Merinos, Persian Cloths; Ladjes' Corsets, Metalic Corset Boards, Laces; &c. Rigulets, assorted colors, French work-

ed Collars, Bands, &c. Ladies' Kid Gloves, Ladies' Gauntlets Long Black Mitts for I adies and Misses;

Shoes of all Descriptions, Traveling Trunks, Carpet Bags, Ladies' Work Boxes, &c. &c.

For Planters.

A full stock of Negro Kerseys, Blankets, Negro Shoes, Groceries, of all kinds .-- Ready made Clothing, Saddlery, Harware, Cooking Stoves, Air-tight Parlor Stoves, Farmers Boilers, &c., at lower prices than usual. Call and get bargains. L. B. HANKS.

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HENRY BURKHIMER, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL Tobacco, Smuff and Segar මෙරකාලා

SIGN OF THE INDIAN CHIEF." MARKET STREET, One door above Water, WILMINGTON, N. C.

D' N. B .- All orders filled with desatch. Oct. 18, 185s

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Will make liberal cash advances on Cotton, Naval Stores, or other produce consigned to him or to BERY BLOSSOM & Son, New York. Oct. 18, 1854 51

JAMES T. PETTEWAY. GEB: E: PRITCHETT; Petteway & Pritchett. GENERAL COMMISSION AND

FORWARDING MERCHANTS, NORTH WATER STREET, Wilmington, N. C.

Liberal advances made on consignment.

Oct. 18, 1854 51 Land For Sale.

THE Subscriber offers for sale a valuable tract of Land containing 516 acres, alf in one body, situated two miles above Calvary Church, and fourteen miles below Sumterville, and half a mile from the road eading fron Cajh's Savannah. Also, a piece of 8th acres lying in Santee Swamp, convenient to said tragt, for stock range.—
This land is well fixed with a good dwelling house and all necessary out buildings. Also, all plantation tools, Blacksmith's tools, and a very fine Handmill; all the stock belowging to the place, including Hogs, Cattle Sheep and Goats. This land will be delivered to the purchaser next

THOMAS WEEKS. N. H-The land will either be sold seperate or with the stock, &c., to suit the 40 T. W. purchaser. August 2, 1854