

The happy season of angling and plucking will soon arrive.
Boi Fishermen. Headquarters for Fishing Tackle at W. A. Gyles.
Wanted—A newspaper man that can run a paper to please everybody.
A choice stock of Hardware and Glassware at W. A. Gyles.
The ladies of the Baptist Church will give a dime reading at Capt. J. W. Woodward's residence, this evening.
Peach and other fruit trees are nearly a month later than usual in budding, owing to the continued early morning frosts.
Williston—The entertainment for the benefit of the Baptist Church on Thursday evening was a pronounced success. It attracted and entertained a large audience and realized a handsome sum for the benevolent purpose for which it was given.
W. A. Gyles has just received from Northern and Southern markets a well selected stock of General Merchandise and is offering bargains for cash that will make a close buyer smile. Come and see.
A great variety of Gent's and children's shoes, also a dainty lot for the Ladies for sale at W. A. Gyles.
Choice hams 11 cents, coffee 11 cents, granulated sugar 7 1/2 cents, and the place to get a barrel of flour that will make your household happy at meal time is at W. A. Gyles.
Ladies in search of white and colored lawn, check cambrics, dress goods, laces, &c., can have them shown to them by good looking gentlemen; Oh where! at W. A. Gyles.
SHERIFF'S APRIL SALES.—Bank of Charleston on W. P. Calhoun; 400 acres, bounded by lands of John and Tom Steel, R. Bennett, J. Y. Calhoun, Mrs. Warren and Mrs. L. H. L. Also, 65 acres bounded by lands of W. A. Blount, J. H. Bennett, John Steel and Wilson Steel.
Also, A. W. Smoke vs. John D. Fairry; 150 acres a belonging to A. W. Smoke, bounded by lands of Jacob Bentz, Mrs. Linder and N. D. Rhoad.
It will be a good time, court week, to call at this office and attend to that little affair, you know.
The Buddhists of Ceylon believe that if a woman behaves herself properly she will eventually become a man.
It is stated that of the 10,000 bar rooms in New York, 9,999 were open to all comers last Saturday.
The still unsuccessful effort of the Illinois Legislature to elect a Senator has thus far cost the State \$104,000.
The Methodist churches of Chicago will make next Sunday a special day of prayer for General Grant's recovery.
It is given out that Mr. Manning will remain in the Cabinet but two months and then a Western man will succeed him.
Mr. A. J. Evans publishes a card in the Orangeburg Times and Democrat, denying that he was killed recently or at any other time by being thrown from a buggy.
Bartrum, the showman, is but a little over 70. From his long connection with itinerant show life he is generally supposed to be much older. Of the twenty millions he has made, he has managed to save three.
The stewards of the Spartanburg Methodist Church have determined to build a new church. They think they can erect one for \$10,000 that will be an ornament to the town.
Under the stock law portions of Berkeley and Charleston Counties have voted to exempt themselves from the operation of the law, two-thirds of the voters of the township having voted that way.
George town evidently gets away with a prodigious quantity of the ardent, in evidence of which it is stated that one retail dealer turned out twenty one empty whiskey barrels of the street last Saturday.
Mr. D. P. Patterson, general merchandise merchant of Adams Run, has made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors. Mr. W. C. DeTreville is the assignee. No statement has as yet been filed.
Ex-Sheriff P. F. Spofford of Chesterfield, whose failure to arrest the Cashers caused all the trouble which followed, has gone to Florida for his health.
Several days ago a son of Mr. Miller Green, of Cartersville, Darlington County, was sitting on a fence when the top rail turned and threw him on a cotton stalk, which stuck through the main artery of the neck killing him instantly.
In the Court of Sessions for Chester County, Judge Wallace on Monday evening committed a number of witnesses to the custody of the Sheriff until the following day, and in addition fined them an amount equal to their fees for one day's attendance on Court. The witnesses had neglected to put in their appearance at Court as provided in their bonds.
Charles Auerbach was examined by Drs. Mabry & Hill last week and declared a lunatic. He was sent to the Asylum on Saturday as a patient. Mr. Auerbach has been merchandizing at this place for several years and conducted a successful business. His misfortune found him with a good stock on hand and clear of debt. He was related to Benedict who was slain in his store last December where he was a clerk. Auerbach witnessed the tragedy and being of a nervous temperament his mind was unbalanced. His condition became so serious that his friends thought it best to send him off for awhile hoping that he may recover when removed from the scene of the homicide.—Abbeville Medium.

COURT CALLED.—The Court of General Sessions convened on Monday morning. On account of sickness and under advice of his physician Col. Gantt announced himself unable to discharge the duties of Solicitor and Major L. T. Idler was appointed in his stead. The Grand Jury was organized as follows:
J. D. Brown, Foreman; A. H. Froelich, L. F. Sande, C. B. Reeves, M. W. Evers, W. T. Kay, D. B. Rhoad, E. J. Gunnsell, J. W. All, H. W. Abelman, J. E. Byrd, J. W. Kennedy, Cheatham Cave, W. A. F. man.
After the usual routine business the Court proceeded to the trial of John Terry, indicted for murder and accessory after the fact. The co-defendant, K. A. Wood, was tried for the same offense last November term, resulting in a verdict of accessory after the fact, with a recommendation to mercy. He appealed from the order overruling his demurrer and moved an arrest of judgment. Wood was sentenced to nine months imprisonment in the State penitentiary at hard labor. He gave bail for \$1,000 and was liberated. He is now awaiting the decision of the Supreme Court.
Major L. T. Idler, acting Solicitor, was assisted by James E. Davis, Esq., Hon. Robert Aldrich and Chas. Carroll Sims, Esq., for the defense.
After 11 challenges by the defense and 3 by the State the following jury was empanelled for its trial:
J. S. Halford, Foreman; R. F. Drummond, R. M. Bostick, O. B. Warren, J. M. Allen, J. W. Hill, J. S. Oswald, W. H. Harrison, Lee Hagood, L. M. Fender, J. H. P. Drychee and J. M. Gantt.
The circumstances surrounding this case being identical with Wood's case the evidence was in substance the same, which was published in full in THE PEOPLE on the former trial and with which our readers are already familiar.
At the hour of going to press on Wednesday the jury had not brought in its verdict.
Dr. Mary Walker now announces herself as a Democrat.
The pricking of a pin is said to be the proper test of a nutmeg. If it is good the oil will instantly spread around the puncture.
Paragraphs are floating about to the effect that diseases are frequently communicated by kissing. We supposed every one knew that the most dangerous and swift of all diseases was communicated in that way—heart disease.
It is said that people eat too much. Perhaps they do, but it is a fact that great eaters are strong, plump, rosy and good-looking, while small eaters are weak, scrawny and sickly. It is natural that well-to-do Englishmen should be the fishy and robust. The average Englishman eats about five good meals a day. He rises at seven o'clock and eats a breakfast of bacon, bread and butter and two big rounds of toast. At half past ten or eleven he is again hungry and takes a lunch of bread and cheese, washing it down with two or three glasses of strong ale. At one o'clock he spends an hour at dinner. This is a generous meal. During the afternoon two or three glasses of ale are taken. At six o'clock comes tea, and a good solid meal is made of tea cakes, molasses, bread, butter, cake and potted meats. At nine o'clock the Englishman eats supper. Is it any wonder that people who live this way and take plenty of exercise should be stout and rosy?
GEN. CORSE'S WOUND.
It was at Atlanta that a rifle ball took Corse alongside of the head. Gen Sherman received word from Corse that his ear and portion of his cheekbone were gone, but that he was still able to hold the position and fight it out.
As soon as possible Sherman got over to see him, full of anxiety for him. He found Corse with his head swathed in bandages, and in his anxiety to know the nature of the injuries, impatiently ordered the surgeon to remove the clothes. This was done slowly and with great formality, and there was revealed a slight scratch of the cheek and a hole in the ear.
Sherman looked intently at it, and calmly remarked: "Why, Corse, they came damned near missing you, didn't they?"
Out of the 136 counties in Georgia there are now 101 that have total or partial prohibition, and 92 that have total prohibition. This result has been reached by elections in each county under the local option law. In 105 county elections the prohibitionists have lost but 4—Washington, Decatur (two heavy negro counties), and Floyd and Gordon. The work will go on steadily until 132 counties out of the 138 will be prohibitory. A general local option law will be passed this summer which will test the matter in every county in which whisky is still sold.
It seems to be a pity to spoil the pretty "diversified" picture drawn by our good Brother Holmes, but the real facts in the case are more truthfully illustrated by a reference to the old adage of "too many irons in the fire." But what a pity Brother Holmes cannot be induced to diversify a little, and not rely, on a single source, and that a very uncertain one, for both his bread and his happiness. He is altogether too good and good looking a man to be possessed of a devil, with no angel about to counteract the imp's influence: Before our meeting the other day we were disposed to exonerate him from all blame in the matter, believing that he would if he could, and if he couldn't how could he? but our mind has changed and we are now inclined to think that the late cold winter was sent for his special benefit—a sort of divine retribution for his celestially incorrigibility. We know our friend cannot leave The People to go into Cleveland's Cabinet, but he should lose no time in placing himself at the head of some worthy lady's cabinet.—Edgedale Monitor.

Barwell Railroad. On and after Monday, March 2nd, 1885, trains will run as follows till further notice. (Daily—Except Sundays.)

Green B. Rich. Jeweler and Photographer. BLACKVILLE. Dealer in and Repairer of Diamonds, Watches, Clocks, Rings and all kinds of Jewelry and Gold Silver and Plated wares. Fine watch work, diamond mounted. My stock is select and very fine and I cordially invite public inspection. dec1

Hertz & Renkl. DEALERS IN—Wines, Liquors, Cigars and Tobacco. Fresh Oysters Received Daily. No. 610 Broad Street, Opposite Augusta Hotel, Augusta, Ga. Orders promptly attended to. Bar and Bowling Alley attached. dec11

Blairville. Prepares students for business or for the best Colleges. We are accompanied in the State for convenience, stand up with modern the latest improvements, with teachers of thorough scholarship and the Academy is now prepared to receive students in any grade. Following Terms of Tuition: LOWER ENGLISH BRANCHES... \$100 PER TERM. HIGHER... \$150 PER TERM. LANGUAGES, SCIENCES AND HIGHER MATHEMATICS... \$200 PER TERM. MUSIC, DRAWING, &c., EXTRA. L. N. PUTNEY, A. M., President, SARAH B. FAUNCE, B. S., Treasurer. mar12

South Carolina Railway. Commencing March 2nd, 1885, train will run as follows: AUGUSTA DIVISION. WEST. (Daily) (Daily, except Sundays.)

S. L. OSBORNE, Sole Proprietor. Augusta, Ga., Library Building. One of the finest Institutions in the United States. Best Business transacted with Real Estate, Currency, orders from the North for the special benefit of the College. BOARD IN CITY CHEAP. TIME REQUIRED, 2 1/2 to 4 MONTHS. Beautiful Diplomas Awarded on Completing Course in Satisfactory Manner. SEND FOR CIRCULARS. Jan1

TAYLOR MFG. CO. Edward Booker. WILLISTON, S. C. Is now prepared to furnish, on short notice and accommodating terms, the following briefly described outturns of one of the largest and best Manufacturers in the Union: 1. Dry Steam Portable Engines, all sizes. 2. Climax Engines, all sizes, Portable or Detached, as desired, with Locomotive or Return Tubular Boilers. 3. Tiger Engines, all sizes, Portable or Detached, as desired, with Locomotive or Return Tubular Boilers. 4. The Taylor Saw Mill Iron Frame, superb and substantial, for heavy or plantation work, as desired. Jan15

To Farmers and Mill Men. We handle a line of IMPROVED AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY and SAW MILL MACHINERY, carefully selected and anted to please. The famous DEERING TWINE BINDERS, Reapers and Mowers, the Celebrated Corbi Disc Harrow, Iron Age Cultivators, CREEK and HUNTER GRIST MILLS, Chattanooga Leader Boy and Watt Turn Plows and Castings. SAW MILLS AND ENGINES. We make Saw Mills and Engines a specialty and defy competition. We are General Agents for the Peterkin Cotton Seed, guaranteed give 40 per cent. of lint, and to equal the yield in Seed Cotton of other variety. Price \$1.50 per bushel—try it. McMaster & Gibbs. COLUMBIA, S. C. feb26 1y

Blackville Bakery RESTAURANT AND Family Grocery. J. H. BORGER, Proprietor. Fresh Bread every day. Meals at all hours. All the delicacies of the season. The choicest confectioneries, cakes, candies, canned goods, fruits, vegetables. All at the lowest prices and warranted to be the best. CALL AND BE WELCOME. J. H. BORGER. Railroad Avenue. apr 4

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AUGUSTA HOTEL. BROAD ST. AUGUSTA, GA. NEAR RAILROAD CROSSING. Bar and Billiard Rooms in the Rear. Choice Wines and Liquors always on hand. Table supplied in Best Style on European Plan. Attentive Servants, Large and well Ventilated Rooms. ELECTRIC BELLS. LEWIS & DOOLITTLE, PROPRIETORS. NOTICE. The undersigned, seeing the need of such a business in our midst, begs to inform the public that from this date he will keep in the Town of Allendale a full line of Collins and Caskeys, and will guarantee to make it to the interest of those who may need one to order from him. Mr. J. A. Middleton will be in attendance and ready to serve you at all times, day or night. Should you need a Case not kept in stock, will get it for you by first train from Augusta. Will endeavor to keep constantly on hand all sizes by replenishing as fast as sold. W. V. GILL. Allendale, S. C., Jan. 23, 1885. Jan29 6m

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE. We have this day formed a copartnership under the firm name of FLEMING & BOWLES, as successors to the late Firm of J. L. BOWLES & CO. continue the FURNITURE business at the old stand, 840 Broad street. We solicit a share of the public patronage. JAS. L. FLEMING. J. L. BOWLES.

M. J. DODDS & CO. Blacksmiths and Wheelwrights, Pascahis Street, near Whaley's Gin, Blackville, S. C., do better and cheaper work than any other mechanics in the county, and don't you forget it. dec18

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PLEASANT ROOMS, FIRST CLASS TABLE AT THE HOTEL WINDSOR, 211 King Street, Charleston, S. C. (Four Doors South Academy of Music.) This well appointed Hotel will be opened for reception of Guests March 1, 1885, by G. T. ALFORD, recently Proprietor New Brighton Hotel, Sullivan's Island. The Windsor is newly furnished throughout, having half mattresses and woven wire springs on all beds. To make this a strictly family Hotel no liquors will be sold on the premises. Having many years experience, I promise to all favoring me with their patronage a pleasant home while in Charleston. Rates: \$1.50 to \$2 per day. Liberal rates by week or month. feb26

Always Active. George E. Steadman. Respectfully informs his friends in Barwell and adjacent counties that he is prepared to offer better bargains to Buyers of Machinery than ever before. Persons who contemplate buying Corn Mills, Steam Engines, Boilers, Cotton Gins, Presses, kind of Machinery will save money by consulting him. feb12 GEORGE E. STEADMAN, Cashier.

Geo. R. Lombard & Co. Foundry, Machine and BOILER WORKS. JUST ABOVE DEPOT, Augusta, Georgia. Buy, Sell, Exchange, Rent or Repair on best manner and terms. ENGINES, BOILERS, SAW AND GRIST MILLS AND MACHINERY, CHEAP AND GOOD. Have on hand a Large Stock of SHAFTS, PULLEYS, WHEELS. Upwards of 50 Engines and Boilers, also Steam and Water Pipe at reduced prices. KORTING INJECTORS, Vanduzee Jet Pumps, Bolts, Nuts, Washers, Circular Saws, Files, &c. Write for prices. Promptness and good work. Cheap will be our aim. feb24

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Insurance Notice. To my Patrons in Barwell County: I beg to call your attention to the fact that I am still in the Insurance business office at Williston, S. C., and that I represent the following old and reliable Companies: The Insurance Company of North America, Assets \$9,071,000 The Home Insurance Company of New York, " 10,000,000 Springfield Fire and Marine " 2,550,000 Factors and Traders Insurance Company " 2,000,000 Crescent Insurance Company " 1,500,000 Ibernia Insurance Company " 1,000,000 Total Assets Represented \$27,121,000 All kinds of Insurance taken at the lowest current rates. I beg to call attention to the fact that P. H. Loud, Jr., is not connected with me in any manner authorized either to cancel any of my policies nor do any other business in my name. Thanking my friends for their liberal patronage in the past and soliciting a share of the same I am very truly yours. R. M. MIXSON.

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