The Advertiser,

LAURENS, February 23, 1887.

Local and Special, &c.

Lent begins to-day, 23rd.

Gen. J. W. Gray was registered at the Bondella on Thursday.

Read the "Sins of the Senate" by Senator Youmans, elsewhere in this issue.

Superintendent Rice, is winning golden opinion from the people on his rounds through the state.

Several new names have been added to the roll of the Laurensville Female College during the past week.

Julius H. Heyward, Esq, of Greenville, and T. S. Moorman, Esq., of Newberry, were in town professionally last week.

Three small residences on Laurens Street in this city with six Rooms to the house can accommodate 75 persons ,can Birmingham beat that.

A large lot of Guano just recived at Sullivan & Milams Ora S. C. Call on them, they will sell you at lowest possible prices. 2t

Congress has passed a bill to pay the claim of R. S. James for transporting U. S. Mail during the war on the Laurens Railroad.

The Valentine trade was a little off this season, but rumor says the matrimonial market will be lively for the next few months.

We acknowledge an invitation to the German at the Mansion House in Greenville last week, given in honor of the visiting young ladies.

The *Press and Banner*, one of the very best weeklies in this State, has purchased a Campbell press, and hereafter will also publish the Christian Neighbor at Abbeville.

It is stated that a two story house with eight rooms was built in nine hours and twenty minutes in Birmingham last week, and the key turned over by the contractor to the owner.

School Commissioner Bullock will make a tour of inspection, visiting the various school in the County immediatly after Court adjourns. He can be found in his office on Mondays and Saturdays.

The Chatauqua Literary and Scientific Circle, is now in successful operation at this place. The meetings are held on the second and fourth Monday nights at the Female College, to which the public are invited.

An election of Colonel of the 3rd Regiment, to which the Laurens Guards belong, will be held in a short time. We understand that Laurens will have a candidate in the field, but at present we are not authorized to give his name.

The Walterboro town council proposes to raise money for a fire engine by taxing dogs $1.00 each. This might prove a good scheme for Laurens. In towns where men, women and children are constantly exposed to the ravages of hydrophobic canines, a hundred lives might be saved by the abolition of dogs and the country at large would not be damaged.

Mr Garlington, the bachlor editor of the Laurens Advertiser, publishes this week some sage "Rules for courting," but neglects to state whether he has tested their merit. Will Brother Garlington vouch for their efficiency? If so he will merit the lasting gratitude of Brother Wilson and others.—*Spartanburg Herald.*

Mr Jones propounds a leading question, and it would afford us infinite pleasure to attest the efficiency of the rules, for the benefit of the "unfortunates" of the brotherhood, but alas! these and all other rules have failed in our case. We commend them, however on general principles and especially the first which is; "Select the girl."

Temperance lecture.

Mr. Edward Carswell, the distinguished temperance lecturer will deliver a lecture in our town on Thursday evening next. He is accompanied by C. M. Douglass of Columbia. A division of the Sons of Temperance will be organized during their stay.

Court.

The February Term of Court for Laurens County, convened at 10 o'clock on Monday morning. Judge Aldrich presiding. Solicitor Duncan brought terror to the law-breakers by his prompt appearance, and the courteous and efficient stenographer, W. A. Law was promptly at his post.

Deaths.

Little Loree, an interesting daughter of Dr. L. S. Fuller, died on Friday afternoon, 18th inst. She was a bright child, remarkable for her sweet face and winsome disposition. Age 4 years

Died on the 15th inst., from a relapse of the measles, Mr. J. Turner Owings This gentleman although in the prime of life, was among the most wealthy and influential men in the County. He did not hoard his wealth, but continually administered to the wants of those around him. His was a noble, generous nature, and his absence will long be felt in the community in which he lived. His remains were interred in the cemetery at Rabun Church amid a large concourse of friends and relatives.

The Ball.

The social event of the season was the ball, given by the Laurens Dancing Club on Monday evening, at Watts Hall. Bearden Bros., of Augusta, furnished music for the occasion and right well they sustained their reputation. By special request we have been spared the difficult task of delineating the rich and elaborate costumes worn by the young ladies, and we trust our readers will be content with a bare mention of the visitors who were in attendance. Among the ladies were Misses Brucie and Lulie White and Pinkey Wright of Greenville, who are guests of Mrs. Wilkes; Miss McFall of Hodges, visiting at J. H. Sullivan's; Miss Laurie Vance of Troy, guest of J. N. Wright; Miss Hall, of Ga.; Miss Mamie Wright visiting Miss Little; Miss Lazarus of Tex., at J. M. Visanska's; Misses Thompson of Walhalla, and Miss Carrie Boozer of Clinton, who are visiting the family of Geo. Boozer. We notice also the following visiting gentlemen; Messrs Hudson, Hellams and Dr. Norwood, Greenville; W. J. Woore, Cokesbury; J. D. Moore, Ninety Six. Messrs Chappell, Evans, Fant and Dr. Belcher, Newberry; E. F. Bates, Augusta; Mr. Green, Baltimore, Mr. Leake, Winston, N. C.; H. V. Vance and Lee Ferguson, Clinton; Claude Floyd; Jno. H. Barksdale, Greenwood; S. W. Gay, Atlanta.

Personal.

Mr. L. A. McCord has returned from Birmingham Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Young are spending a few days in town.

Mrs. Boyd, of Spartanburg, is visiting the family of Mr J. W. Jones.

Sergeant C. W Garrett, of the Maryland Military and Naval Academy is at home on a furlough.

W. R. Richey, Esq., represented the firm of Johnson & Richey at Abbeville during Court last week.

Mr L. P. Armstrong who was severely cut in an affray with Mr Babb a few weeks ago, paid The Advertiser a call on Wednesday last.

Mr. Jas. F. Todd, of Newberry, who visited the famous electric well in Georgia, hoping to be cured of rheumatism, but failed. Says he does not advise anyone to visit this well.

Mr J. Dunklin Watts, our popular cotton buyer, who has been handling the fleecy staple in the far West, has returned home. He is enthusiastic in praising the section he visited but is not ready to give up South Carolina yet.

Mrs. Julia F. McGowan of Spartanburg, and her sons Samuel and Pat, passed through this place last week enroute for Newberry, where they will attend the marriage of Miss Lucy Baxter to W. H. Hunt of Newberry, which will take place to-day.

County Correspondence

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EICLA.

The many friends of Mr. Turner Owings will be paired to learn of his death which occured at his home near Youmes Store on the 16th inst. Mr. Owings' death is lamented by all who know him, and the County loses a valuable citizen. We, with many others extend our heartfelt sympathy to the family in their great bereavement.

Mr. J. L. Barnett's family, including his wife and three children, are recovering from measles.

Miss Jessie P[illegible]dson, of Laurens, visited the family of Dr. J. P. Hunter last week.

Dr. B. F. Kilgore of Woodruffs, was in town a few days since.

Oh that clarionet, only hear it once and well, you'll hear it again.

Miss Carr o Todd of Woodruffs, visited the fa ily of Mr. A. Y. Thompson this week.

Pretty weather for farmers to sow oats. A great deal of grain is being planted in this vicinity and with suitable seasons there will be plenty for harvest.

One car load of corn for Fleming & Blakeley. One car load of flour and two car loads of guano for Sullivan & Milam, and one car load for J. S. Craig, were side-tracked for Ora this week. We learn that several car loads are yet to come. Ora is no doubt a good opening for the enterprising.

Mr. A. Y. Thompson has the contract to erect a pretty building for Rev. D. P. Hadden near the residence of Mrs. Eliza Thompson.

Mrs. and Mrs. R. T. McDonald left a few days ago to make their home in Georgia. Mr. McDonald is with the Central Railroad.

Capt. Ben Lanford of the "Tank" will soon build a neat residence near the depot. We learn that Messrs Fleming & Richey and Messrs Prior Bros., have lumber on the ground to erect two commodious store rooms and one for our neighbor.

Mr. J. D. Norman and Dave Alberson of Lanford Station, are recovering from the measles. Where was Wade boys?

The long wished for telegraph office has been established. We are now ready to do a lightening business. A. M. Moseley, operator. Express office in the near future.

WATERLOO

BILL.

Married, February 16, at the residence of the brides' mother, by Rev. R. W. Seymour, Mr. Augustus Huff and Miss Richardson. All of this County.

Miss Alpher Tribble, an estimable young lady of this place, left here on Friday last for Columbia, where she will take charge of one of the wards in the Asylum.

We notice that the schools all around have opened out and are in good running order, but the people who compose this town, seem to have forgotten the importance of educating their children, from the way they are neglecting the school interests of this place. Two months of the year have gone, and no one has been employed to take charge of the school. Not that there have been no applications, but simply from the present outlook there is little hopes of there being any school here this year. We think in order to build up a town one of the most important things for the people to do who compose that town is to first, see that they have a good school, and in order to accomplish that object, to get a good teacher. They need not think as some here do, that a first class teacher, can be employed for a mere song. They will have to put their hands deep in their pockets, if they ever expect to have a school worth sending to. Now in order to overcome this difficulty, we think the good people of this town should not let these little frivolous things be an obstacle in the way of a school, but come together as one and build up a school here, for there is plenty of material and as good as can be found in any town in the up country.

Dr. J. R. Culbertson has been spending some time here settling up his business. The Doctor has not decided yet where he will locate, but thinks that he will settle somewhere on the Laurens and Greenville R. R.

We noticed in the last issue of the Laurensville *Herald* that School Commissioner Bullock has made his appointments of Trustees sfor the County, and that one of the oldest members of the Board for this Township has been left out and a new one selected in his place. We are aware of the fact that he has a perfect right to make his own appointments, but would like for him to give his reasons for leaving out one who has held the position ever since the office has been in existence, and a man whom no one has ever found any fault against, and appoint one who lives entirely out of this section, leaving us entirely without any trustee at all to look after the school interests of the lower portion of the township.

CROSS HILL.

"K."

We are having delightfull weather for farming and garden operation.

Wheat lively, barley brisk, oats lively, and Guano dull. Home-made Fertilizer in great demand. Banks, Merchants and Farmers in harmony. The farmers, by carrying out the plan of operation he gun, may confidently expect an abundant harvest, if the season are favorable.

Pneumonia and Measles still prevailing in this community. Mr. R. C. Watts and little daughter "Sweet" have Pneumonia, and "Hall" of the Herald is the latest Measles case we have heard of.

Mrs Susan Simpson of Laurens is visiting the family of Dr Simpson.

Miss May Teague, one of Mountville's fair daughters is visiting Judge Cooke's family.

Since last week we have had the pleasure of seeing Mr Ed Simpson of Laurens, in our little town. We are always glad to see Ed now, a great deal more so than in former days, when his coming meant "Court House" business.

Quite an enjoyable Hogeat (modified little bran) on the night of the 14th ditto at Judge Cooks on the 15th.

We had the pleasure a few days since of grasping the hand of genial warm hearted "Ed."

One who always "looks on the sunny side" though life checkered be, who never attempts to cross a bridge until he reaches it always, wearing a cheerful look. I believe he says the only time he was ever real mad was in his school days when standing at the head of his class, Sary Ann Plunkit turned a line down in the word disappointed. From his general health, appearance, I think it is a long while since he took a dose of old Mrs Plunkit's "Bug juice."

FROM

HORACE TO.

Prohibition is being tried to some extent in this community, both men and con. The anti-prohibitionists are less in numbers and weak in arguments. No logical reasoning can be produced that will prove that the sale of intoxicating liquors in a community is not injurious to that community, in a greater or less degree. If it affects the moral, social, or financial status of any one, it is self evident that that one is injured, and he being a citizen of that community, it is furthermore evident that the community in which he resides is injured. As it is conceded by all moral and christian people that the sale and use of all intoxicants is an evil, and no honorable effort should be spared by them to secure the victory, I for, live within their reach. We have heard prohibitionists jected to on the ground that prohibition did not prevent the sale of whiskey in Laurens during the regime of the so called dry ticket. It is true that the sale of whiskey was not prohibited then, but why was it not? We answer simply because the "dirty fellows" of that town were not in sympathy with prohibition.

The Centreville Agricultural Club is requested by the President to meet at Centreville on Saturday before the 4th Sunday, at 2 o' Clock. A full attendance is desired.

Measles is prevailing in this community. It is not of a very malignant type.

Some of our wheat growers sometimes meet with such unexpected luck that they skip about in such a manner as would make old Terpsichorus ashamed.

Wheat is beginning to make some show on the ground.

Farmers are putting in their Spring oats. Fall oats are nearly all killed by the freezes.

The Boots of English Girls.

I am glad to find that I have warm supporters in my crusade against the English fashion of wearing ugly boots. A lady writes to me: "I cannot say how rejoiced I am that you are making an effort to improve the clumsiness of the English girl. The thick soled, low heeled, badly fitting messes of wrinkled too-bigness are ever with us a baneful horror that it would be a mercy to get rid of. The reason you give for their existence of so much unnecessary ugliness is laughable, the true one, and I agree with you as to its absurdity. There is just as good reason, every white, for making girls wear at all times and seasons thick woolen gloves about four sizes too large, instead of nice tight gloves.

"I do not for a moment say that girls may not, in the country, reasonably wear, as you say, stout, sensible boots; but what I do say is that such things are no more fitted for the dressy promenade than is the plow horse for drawing the smart victoria. * * * In my time croquet parties were at the fall, and short dresses compelled an attention to one's foot gear that is now too much assumed. At that time we invariably perched upon the tallest of Louis XV heels; but now, alas, I find my daughters the only wearers of them for half a mile round."—London World.

On the Rio di Somne, Brazil.

The soft tones of the dawn of a fine morning fell alike upon field and flood and tinged all creation with its rosy hues. The rich colored banks glowed with the warm light that made the dripping leaves of forest, the ferns and flowers of the shore all flash and sparkle like jewels. On the river, here and there, patches of rising vapor partly obscured its decks of gleaming gold, until a gentle breeze carried away the mist in the faintest clouds. The fish splashed in the smoking waters; gay blue-bronze kingfishers darted from their perches on the bleached skeleton trunks of stranded snags; white herons skimmed the waters with wide outstretched wing; clouds of noisy, chattering paroquets flew by, numerous small birds twittered and chirruped, and in the woods the roar of guaribas, or howling monkeys, echoed and re-echoed from cliff to cliff of the banks. It was a picture that even in the absence of personal comfort one could gaze upon with delight, and all nature seemed to welcome the rosy dawn and pure, fresh air after the boisterous, darksome night.—James W. Wells.

DIFFERENT STYLES OF ADVERTISING.

What a Brooklyn Advertiser Has to Say About Them.

"The style of advertising has greatly changed within the past few years," said a gentleman in charge of the advertising department of one of Brooklyn's largest dry goods establishments to a reporter. "An advertisement to command attention must be original. The public have tired of such 'ads.' as 'John Smith will receive his customers at his old stand,' or 'Blank & Blank sell dry goods cheaper than any other house in town.' The present generation is progressive, and to attract their attention one must be original. Old fashioned 'ads.' are played out. In former years, even in such big houses as Stewart's, in New York, the clerk at the button counter was delegated in his off moments to write the advertisements for the newspapers. Now all is changed. Every large business house has a separate advertising department. Some houses even employ as many as two and three men to look after their advertising.

"Since the pictorial craze has obtained such foothold many firms head their columns with pictures descriptive of the goods offered for sale. And then the ad. must be written so as to attract the eye of the reader. If a firm has a quantity of underwear to sell, it is folly to say so in the first line. First get your reader interested. Talk about the north pole; say that it is cold in that region, and incidentally mention that winter is coming and that underwear at this season is not an inappropriate subject. And then, in a confidential way, tell the reader that your firm has many cases of underwear, purchased at a bankrupt sale, perhaps, which will be sold at one-half its value. But express, if you like, a witty saying bewitched there, but unless you wish to kill your ad. in the first line give prices. Ten years ago prices were never given. Now a-nad. commands but little attention unless prices are attached."

"Do you believe in the value of advertising?"

"Certainly. Were it not for newspaper advertising and advertising by mail many Brooklyn firms would not be doing business. When one looks back and notes the difference between newspaper advertising twenty years ago and today, the changes which have taken place are marvelous. 'How many fortunes have been made by simply boosting an inferior patent medicine? Newspaper advertising is yet in its infancy and I look for great things in the future."—Brooklyn Eagle.

To Prevent Scale from Boilers.

About a couple of years ago Mr. George Downie, the proprietor of a flouring mill in Salmon Creek, Cal., was in the habit of filling water into old boilers in order to free it as far as possible from the mineral qualities that formed scale in his boilers. Chemical compounds supposed to prevent the formation of scale had been used without effect, and Mr. Downie resorted to the filtering of water as a partial preventive. His process was to run the water through the leaves and let it drip through straw. One day he happened to be out of straw, but as the leaves from omers the eucalyptus trees which stood near the mill were handy he employed them instead. To Mr. Downie's surprise the formation of scale in the boiler stopped and that which was already there began to be removed. He thought it well to continue his experiments with the eucalyptus leaves and on proving the result announced others what he had discovered. In a very short time the leaves of the eucalyptus trees fell from very special reasons the engineers on the Pacific to use for removing scale from all boilers and from preventing corrosion.—New York Mail and Express.

Unknown Islands in the Pacific.

The fact that two islands of considerable size have recently been discovered in the Pacific ocean shows that we have yet much to learn of the great watery expanse. The latest discovery is an island long and three miles wide from the northern coast of New Guinea. It has been named Allison Island, is nearly three miles long, rises from 100 to 150 feet above the sea, and has abundant timber, coconut palms of fertile and inhabited land, some of them much larger than Allison Island have been found within a few years at a distance of 100 to 500 or 600 miles from the New Guinea coast, and further discoveries are made once in a while in various parts of the Pacific.

Once in a while a Pacific trader finds some new or little known island, and opens trade with its inhabitants. If business thrives he keeps his secret as long as he can, so as to enjoy a monopoly. It was found a while ago, when the Western Islands were explored, that an American firm had carefully charted the islands several years before, and had been quietly trading there, all unknown to the other Pacific merchants.—New York Sun.

MEASLES!

This dreaded malady has claimed nearly every one as its victim.

The greatest danger to be apprehended is sickness, coughs, Bronchitis, Pneumonia, &c.

PELHAM'S PECTORAL SYRUP, Price 25c, is a sure preventive of this complication. Try it!

Success preserves it!

Children cry for it!

Call at

B. F. Posey & Bro.,

LAURENS, S. C.

Sole Agents.

MONKEY'S PENCHANT FOR MIMICRY.

They Are Not Imitators by Choice—The Popular Idea Said to Be Wrong.

It would hardly be an overestimate to say that 999 of a 1,000 men present in the belief that monkeys have a [illegible] for imitating the actions of their [illegible] kinsmen; that, for instance, [illegible] ing his master shave himself [illegible] the first opportunity to get [illegible] and scrape or cut his own [illegible] how could this idea ever [illegible] of zoological gardens? [illegible] genus surpassing that of the [illegible] great dog, a mazkey soulless or [illegible] mallish dogma of clothing, and, rather than imitate the demonstrations of the kindest instructor, he will show them, than humanity than Nast dares, and generally wind up by falling down in a sham fit of epileptic convulsions.

I have owned monkeys of at least twenty different species and have never been able to discover the slightest trace of that supposed penchant for mimicry. A boy may stand his coat and turn a thousand somersaults, Jacko will watch the pheonomenon only with a view to getting his fingers into the pockets of the unguarded coat. Let up your hand a hundred times, Jacko will witness the proceeding with calm indifference, unless a more complete repetition of the movement should make him duck his head to dodge an anticipated blow. He has no desire to follow any human precedents whatever, and the apparent exceptions from that rule are in fact wholly unintentional and merely a natural result of unintentional mimicry.

An angry lamentation follows, for instance, will cause the ground with his fist, not because my Christian visitors have ever set him that example, but because his forefathers have time & again vented their wrath on the backs of the Nubian lightning. A capuchin monkey will pick his dinner with Mr. Sugg's, not in deference to civilized custom, but because his fingers are slender and long, and his jaws very short. Yet, this same capuchin monkey, admitted to a seat at the breakfast table of a punctilious family, would longer to show his contempt of court by sticking his head in the pudding dish. The compulsive methods of professional trainers may modify that perversity, but during recess the reformed fourhander is sure to drop his mask and, unless a trained dog, will never volunteer the performance of a popular trick.—Popular Science Monthly.

The Drudgery of Authorship.

Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes is a poetic as we commonly use the word. He writes many poems of kentucky and easy composition, but they are only so in seeming. He expends upon them the most laborious and the longest work. He writes, rewrites, interlines, turns his sentences to catch every possible reflection of beauty, and whispers and polishes his work to the last moment before giving it to the world. It is this patient drudgery—this constant respect for the art he practices—that gives to his writings their brilliancy and their rippling flow.—Detroit Free Press.

Artificial Stone.

An artificial stone of excellent quality and adapted to various constructive purposes is now made by mixing in certain proportions Portland cement, powdered granite, blast furnace dust, and water containing nitrate of soda. The composition may be colored to suit the taste.—New York Sun.

To Dream of Eggs.

"To dream of eggs," it is said, "is a sign that the dreamer is going to get money." Here is a new avenue of wealth open to the working classes. Hereafter men will stand around on the corners complaining of hard times instead of going home and dreaming of eggs.

The Latest Courtesan.

"Yes, Mr. Gilley," she chirped, "I have on twenty-seven spring. Would you think it?"

"Well, yes, madam, I don't know but what I would, Mr. Gilley and I saw some of them spring goods and they have been very backward."—Harper's Bazar.

A Hinsdale [illegible] a wager that he would guess the sex for six hours. At the end of the [illegible] hour he fell down in a fit and died.

I have never heard yet of a committee asking for a preacher that is popular with God Almighty.—New York Judge.

R E M O V A L

I beg leave to inform my customers and the public generally, that I have removed my

Barber Shop

into the Bendella Hotel.

Respectfully

H. M. Stone.

NOTICE.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the Georgia Carolina and Northern Railroad Company will be held at Abbeville S. C. on Thursday March the 10th 1887, to consider the adoption of articles of consolidation between the Georgia, Carolina and Northern Companies in Georgia, South Carolina and North Carolina.

A. L. HULL,

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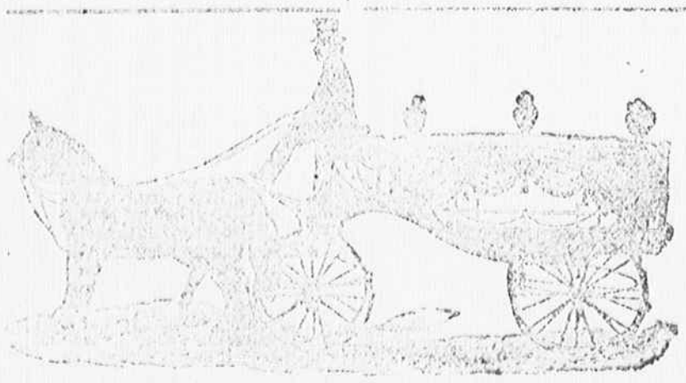

UNDERTAKER'S NOTICE

A largeand varied assortment of

COFFINS AND UNDERTAKERS GOODS.

Can always be found at my stand, over MARTIN & FULLER'S STORE, LAURENS, S. C. Hearse sent when desired. Night calls promptly attended to by calling at my residence in Jersey

G. W. CORBET,

Agent.

FARMER'S "CONVENTION."

At the last regular meeting, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

RESOLVED: That SULLIVAN & MILAM are the headquarters for Plantation Supplies, Guano, &c.

AT

ORA, S. C.

We have on hand a complete stock of Groceries, Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes, Drugs, Glass and Crockery, and we are selling cheap for cash and shall try and sell on a small profit to farmers, and will sell them low down for cash, or on the usual reasonable terms on credit. Give us a call and we will do you good. Respectfully,

23mo 87-2t. SULLIVAN & MILAM, Ora, S. C.

BEST & New Year DISTRIBUTION.

1ST. IS A BLACK SILK DRESS PATTERN, Value $20.00, to the one holding tickets aggregating the largest amount of goods bought during the year 1887.

2ND. IS AN OVERCOAT, Value $12.00, to the one holding tickets aggregating the next largest amount of goods bought during 1887.

3RD. IS A BOLT OF STANDARD BLEACHING, Valued at $7.00, to the one holding tickets aggregating the next largest amount goods bought during the year 1887.

4TH. A pair of LADIES or GENTS BOOTS, Value $5.00, to the one holding tickets aggregating the next largest amount of goods bought during the year 1887.

Tickets not issued for less than one dollar. This is a grand offer.

AT THE EMPORIUM

W. H. GILKERSON

A NEW DEPARTURE:

IN addition to our stock of heavy groceries and plantation supplies, we have received a CAR-LOAD of

WAGONS AND BUGGIES,

Which we propose to sell at FACTORY PRICES. Appreciating the demand for strong and durable farm wagons, we have been careful to select the very best in the market, the Celebrated

Old Hickory Wagon.

By purchasing in carload lots and selling at the shortest profits, we are enabled to offer superior advantages to our customers.

Hiram W Davis Buggy,

Is the best on earth for the money. Any vehicle guaranteed. Call and examine our stock and prices.

Respectfully,

MARTIN & FULLER,

LAURENS S.C.

FACTS

WORTH KNOWING

At Goodyear & Co's

You can purchase the only ROAD CART made that will not annoy you with a sore back horse, and are the easiest of access, quickest horse motion, cheap and reliable. Any ordinary buggy harness adapted to their use.

WE ARE THE SOLE AGENTS FOR

New York Belting and Packing Co.'s Standard Rubber Belting,

The best made, and carry in stock all sizes, 2 to 24 inches. Also, PURE OAK LEATHER BELTING, guaranteed to be AS GOOD AS CAN BE MADE.

Tanned and Raw Hide Lace Leather, superior in quality (recommends itself.)

Also, a full line of MANILLA ROPE, all sizes. Machine Oil, Rivets and Belt Hooks at Lowest Prices.

JUST RECEIVED—Seventy-five FOUBLE BARREL SHOT GUNS, of improved patterns and best makes of Muzzle and Breech Loaders.

One car load Stoves, [illegible] Tinware, Fishing Tackle, Cutlery, Guns, Powder, &c., which we will run off at Low Prices. Also in stock the most complete line of HARDWARE, Carpenters' Tools, Blacksmiths Tools, Bellows, Anvils, Vises, [illegible] Nails, Spikes, Locks, Hinges &c., which, having been bought at lower cash prices before the advance, enables us to offer them at STRICT BARGAINS.

In addition to the above, we will offer for the next sixty days, to close out consignments, at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES:

30 OPEN TOP BUGGIES,
25 TOP PHETONS and FONTY PHETONS,
10 Extension TOP CARRIAGES and SURRYS,
20 ONE HORSE WAGONS,
20 TWO, THREE and FOUR HORSE WAGONS.

These goods are ordered sold, and will go at a sacrifice. They are all Standard Work, and sold with the regular twelve months guarantee. An examination of these vehicles will convince any one that they are ABSOLUTE BARGAINS.

Our regular stock of EUROPEAN and TOP BUGGIES is larger than for many years, and to those wishing a strictly fine Buggy we can offer some extra inducements. This stock comprises the celebrated makes of Studebaker, Babcock and other Northern makes, and are in quality THE BEST.

During the same time we will offer many specialties in Single and Double Harness, Fine Track Harness, Light and Heavy Carriage Harness, Stock and Horse Wagon Harness.

Be sure that Goodyear's Celebrated Saddle Stirrups Leathers, Girths, Bridles, &c., goes in every horse offered. You can afford to throw away your old Harness and buy new at the prices these goods will go and for.

We can also offer cash buyers special inducements on a large consignment of LEATHER just received, comprising French Calf and Kip Skins, Sides, Linings and Bootings, Oak and Hemlock Sole Leather, Harness Leather, Upper Leather, Skivers.

Look out for the BARGAINS for the NEXT SIXTY DAYS at

GOODYEAR & CO'S.

At the Old Stand, opposite Georgia Railroad Bank, 704 Broad St.

THIS SPACE RESERVED FOR

J. R. COOPER & CO

LAURENS S. C.