The Watchman and Southron.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 11.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Hennies Art Gallery.
W. A. Reckling—Artist.
R. W. Durant—Sheriff sales.
W. C. Broughton—Mule stolen.
J. S. Richardson, Master—Sales.
T. V. Walsh—Estate Betsy Gibson.
T. V. Walsh—Estate Hester M. Josey.
Bradfield Regulator Co.—Mother's Friend.
P. H. Lachicotte & Co.—Presents, Presents.
J. C. Stanley & Bro., Columbia—China Hall.
Ducker & Bultman—Cleveland and Hendricks.

Personal.

Miss May Furman, of Shreveport, L., is visiting Mrs. T. B. Jenkins and family.

Miss Nellie Broughton, of Clarendon, is visiting Mrs. J. E. Jervey.

R. P. Barron, Esq., of Manning, was in town yesterday.

Miss Annie Boyd, of Lancaster, S. C., is visiting Capt. J. D. McIlwain's family

Two young ladies from Berkeley, the Misses Kirk, are visiting Mrs. Guignard Richardson.

Col. J. J. Dargan was in Sumter yesterday. The Colonel looks quite hearty.

Mr. Abe Ryttenberg, who is a member of the firm of Ryttenberg Bros., of Winston, N. C., is in town on a short visit.

Mr. Willie Dick, representing the firm of Wulbern & Pieper, was on our streets yesterday.

Col. and Mrs. D. P. Duncan were in town yesterday. Mrs. Duncan has been here for several days visiting her parents and friends.

Misses Mary Darr and Minnie White have both left Sumter for Williamsburg, the former to take a school at Salters and the other near Brockington's X Roads a few miles from Kingstree.

We had a pleasant call this morning from an old and esteemed subscriber, Mr. R. A. Pool, of Salem, who in addition to other pleasant things, left us some fine pomegranates.

Col. J. J. Dargan asks us to say that he did not know of his appointment to speak at the Sumter Democratic Club Meeting of the 30th October, until the day after. He regretted it very much for he would have been delighted to have filled the appointment. We can assure him the regret was mutual.

Married.

On Wednesday night, the 5th instant, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. Brown Cosbett to Miss Viola DuBose, daughter of Mr. E. G. DuBose, all of Clarendon County.

Death.

Mr. Edwin J. Scott, author of "Reminiscences of a Long Life" died at Columbia, the 6th instant, in the eighty-second year of his age.

Tax Books

Closed yesterday. There are about the usual number of defaulters. The Treasurer cannot give us any figures as we go to press.

Fire.

A spark from the chimney ignited the roof of Mrs. Mikell's house Sunday night. It was soon discovered, however, and extinguished, having done but little damage.

Trial Justice Appointed.

W. J. Beard, Esq., has been appointed Trial Justice, vice Marion Sanders, resigned.

The Fair.

The State Fair opens to-day under most favorable auspices, and a large attendance is anticipated. The price of a round trip ticket from Sumter has been fixed at the low rate of $1.30.

Bad Bridges.

Some of our friends report bad bridges at Carters Crossing. The rise to the bridge is so steep that a gentleman crossing there yesterday morning broke his buggy. As a new broom sweeps clean, we shall expect the new Board to have all the bridges in apple pie order very soon.

The S. L. I. Flag.

Last Saturday the patriotic ladies at the Sumter Institute borrowed the S. L. I. flag and hoisted it over their School. That flag ought to have been very proud of such distinguished honor at the hands of such lovely patriots.

Whales.

Mrs. T. B. Jenkins must have a patent on raising fine vegetables. She sent us last Summer the finest beets we ever saw outside of a State Fair, and other vegetables to match, and she has continued the good work by giving us a basket of fine yams. They are fine, very fine, or at least they *were*. They are *non est* at this writing.

Fine Stock.

Mr. W. M. Graham is always on hand when fine stock are to be shown. At the Darlington Fair, he received the first premium for the best match draft horses, for the fastest pair of trotting horses, and for the fastest single trotting horse.

Mr. B. G. Pierson received first premium for best saddle horse, and second premium for draft horses.

Badly Burned.

We omitted to mention in our account of the loss of Col. Smith's gin at Smithville last week that Mr. W. S. Smith, who had charge of the business at the time, was badly burned about the face and hands in his endeavor to extinguish the flames. The burns are not serious, but they are severe and cause him much pain, his sides and arms being so badly burned that he had to lie on his back continually.

Newspaper Change.

W. J. Beard, Esq., has decided to abandon the printing business and confine himself to his profession. We hear that the outfit of *The Spirit of the Times* has been sold to B. Pressley Barron, Esq., of Manning, who intends to begin the publication of a journal in that town.

A Tramp Flogged.

Last Wednesday morning, a tramp named McMally, who had been loafing around town several days, met a young lady on Republican Street, and used some impertinent language, which frightened her very much. He was arrested by the police and put in the Guard House, but afterwards released and ordered to leave town. He was met outside the town limits by some friends of the young lady, and after some necessary details were arranged received a good thrashing, and was sent on his way with the admonition to curb his gallant propensities in future and be very careful never again to return to Sumter.

Marshal Tuomey

Spent Sunday night and Monday in town. He looks well, considering the rough campaign he has been leading. When questioned as to the onslaught made upon him by the *News and Courier* he laughed and said nothing. We suppose he knew it was all true, and therefore thought it useless to protest.

The Democrats of Sumter could have informed the *News and Courier* years ago that T. J. Tuomey was the best Republican manipulator and organizer in the State, for they have had considerable experience with that gentleman and we are very glad to know that the election has resulted in such a manner that he will scarcely ever again have the opportunity of leading a Republican attack upon the Democrats.

However, barring politics, Mr. Tuomey is quite popular in Sumter, where he has many personal friends, and he met a cordial greeting yesterday, having to shake hands with nearly every one on the Street, both white and colored.

Visitors to the State Fair

Will note that J. C. Stanley & Bro. have added to their stock the largest and choicest line of China and Glass goods handled by them for years. Many specialties at prices lower than ever offered in Columbia.

Supper.

An Oyster Supper, with other refreshments will be given Thursday evening, 13th instant, by the Ladies' Aid Society, for the benefit of the "New Church Building Fund" of the Methodist Church. A good supper and pleasant time are anticipated—at Mason's Hall.

The election to decide the issue of Bonds for a water supply for the town will be held next Tuesday.

The Election

In Sumter County was the most quiet on record. In the Town a monkey show on Barrett's corner was surrounded by a far more enthusiastic audience than were the polls. For two or three hours in the morning there was a slight rush of voters at both boxes, but by twelve o'clock the polls were cleared, and not more than one dozen votes an hour were polled the remainder of the day. We did not see an angry man during the day and but one drunken one, and he was a Republican. When the polls were opened in the morning a Deputy Marshal was on hand and claimed admission, but took a refusal good naturedly. We understand that about 300 negroes were at the polls without certificates, but very few asked to vote. Most of them would merely pass through the room, give their name to the Republican Supervisor, and pass out without making any request whatever. They did not seem to regret not voting, being apparently perfectly satisfied at giving their names to the Supervisor.

As there was no scratching, the ballots were easily counted and the managers had closed up everything by eight o'clock and were ready to hear the news from the North as to the Presidency. But little interest was felt in the news from the rest of the County, for the negroes had shown their indifference so completely during the canvass, and especially at the two meetings in town Friday and Saturday, that everybody knew that no effort would be made by them to carry the election. The two factions were anxious to out-vote each other, and nine-tenths of the votes they cast were done so with the intention of strengthening their faction at the expense of the other. And what is said of the town, is true of the entire County. The most diligent enquiry has failed to find out a single act of violence or even an attempt at one.

We congratulate our County on its victory for Democracy from Presidential Electors on down to Coroner, and we think that our victory in the vote for Congressman entitles us to release from the Black District. We are not proud of our Representative and would be glad to trade him off for a monkey or anything we could get for him. The vote has not yet been counted by the commissioners but from unofficial sources we think the total vote for President and Congressman will be about 2,600 of which Cleveland received a majority of 750 and Elliott 540.

Last Week in Sumter.

Tuesday night, the Democrats of Sumter County were in the best of humor. They had assurances of victory in the County and State, for favorable telegrams had announced decided majorities in every County outside of two or three in the Black District; and all were ready to hear good news from the North, and particularly New York.

A bulletin stand was improvised in the Court House Portico, and an enthusiastic crowd collected in the street below, prepared to cheer at every dispatch. The news was for the most part favorable, and the crowd went home about midnight feeling sure that Cleveland was elected. Wednesday morning, the news was not so favorable, Cleveland's majority in New York, which was given the night previous at figures varying from thirty to sixty thousand, was fading rapidly away. Work was almost entirely suspended, and New York's election returns was the only topic of conversation. The bulletin boards were crowded and the fortunate receiver of a telegram was instantly surrounded by a crowd of eager politicians. Thursday favorable news was received, and the boys made a rush for the cannon and fired a salute. Contradictory telegrams, however, soon followed, and much suspense ensued. Friday passed with the news slightly improving and Saturday morning brought an address from the Democratic National Committee, positively asserting the election of Cleveland, and requesting every town to fire a national salute in honor of the victory. Capt. Rosendorf, Lieut. Chandler and others in command of the Sumter Artillery soon had the cannon booming from Monumental Square. Main street was as if by magic dressed out in fluttering flags, which were floating from house tops, windows, doors, store-fronts, and wherever else they could be placed. At night Monumental Square was ablaze with bon-fires. The small boy, for once, was both useful and ornamental, he attended to the bon-fires, fired off crackers, sent up rockets, screamed and yelled till his lungs must have been raw; and he then made up a large part of the enthusiasm and noise of the torch light procession which marched through the principal streets. When the crowd returned to the Monument after parading through town, stirring speeches were made by Col. Blanding, R. D. Lee, H. F. Wilson, Marion Moise, Marion Sanders, D. J. Auld and P. G. Bowman to the crowd, among whom were found many ladies. Col. Blanding in his patriotic little speech spoke somewhat as follows:

"This was not the occasion for *one* man to speak but for every body to hurrah. Standing around this, the Monument of over 400 men of Sumter who died for the cause lost in war, this was the time for all to rejoice because the principles of that cause have been re-established in peace by the election of Cleveland. The representative of North, South, East and West, of an Economical Government, honestly administered for all the people and not for political cliques or monopolists' rings, with the rights of home rule preserved to all States.

Your earnest faces prove that if Cleveland is elected by *one* vote, you will do your part in seating him as President at the Capitol."

We have not space to publish extracts from all the speeches. They were, as a whole, well-timed and overflowing with patriotism, and the welkin was made to ring with the rounds of applause they called forth. Mr. Lee made some pointed predictions as to the future of some of our Federal officials, which gave abundant satisfaction, and was greeted with cheers and laughter.

A large number of houses were beautifully illuminated, among which we recall Sumter Institute, Capt. Edgar, Dr. China, Mrs. E. A. Brunson, Gen. Moise, C. M. Hurst, Jr. and Capt. Green. The Institute was especially beautiful, the long piazzas being a blaze of light with the young ladies standing in the back ground, waving enormous handkerchiefs.

Col. D. Graham, the Chief Marshall, was indefatigable in his efforts to have a fine torch light procession, and succeeded.

Capt. Auld prepared the mottoes and his skill and taste had full exercise, and brought forth an admirable assortment. The committee in charge of the torches put in some good work, and the whole affair was a pronounced success.

Short Weights in Cotton.

A gentleman from Manville, not connected with the controversy in reference to short weights, sends us the following complaint:

MANVILLE, S. C., November 8, 1884.

Mr. Editor: Noticing the correspondence between "H" and "X Z," and as I am one who lost by a cotton buyer of Sumter, I would like to give a few facts: My cotton was weighed at a public gin *one mile from Manville, after being pressed*, and was carried to Sumter the next day. It lost a good deal in weight. E.

The Fair Postponed.

We learn that the Directors of the Sumter Park and Agricultural Association have decided that it is not practicable to hold a Fair this year. We are sorry that a prosperous Fair can not be had in Sumter. We dont know the reason why.

P. H. Lachicotte & Co., have an elegant assortment of jewelry, silver ware and Christmas presents on hand. Look over their advertisement in this issue and then write them at Columbia, for what you need.

Look out for the notice in another column, of "Mule Stolen," and then look out for mule.

Messrs. Ducker & Bultman have an advertisement in this issue that reads as nice as a love letter, and it tells about things still nicer.

Many who go to the Fair this week would like to bring back a nice photograph. Go to Hennies' and he will accommodate you in that line with a picture taken by the new instantaneous process.

Manville Items.

MANVILLE, S. C., Nov. 7, 1884.

Mr. Editor: I regret to see that "H" seems to have been somewhat nettled at what I had to say about "fogyism," &c. The writer really did not intend to underrate his mental ability or to do him any injustice. "H" admonishes me against making "sweeping statements," and just here I must say "pot is calling kettle black;" for to say there is no sharp practice in *any town* with as many buyers as Sumter has, is a very broad assertion to be made by a man who lives eighteen miles from town. If I were mistaken about each gin being supplied with scales, no one is more ready to admit it than I, but I do say most emphatically, that I know of a number, *and each of them is* supplied. I too, am done with the subject.

Mr. Joe Corbett was assaulted in a dastardly manner last week, by a negro who went into his store pretending to buy bacon. As Mr. Corbett stooped over the box to cut the bacon, the negro pushed or knocked him into the box, seized the bacon and some tobacco and made his escape, leaving his hat behind.

Smalls was announced to speak here last Thursday evening week, and about half dozen negroes assembled to hear him, but he did not appear. X. Z.

Smithville Items.

SMITHVILLE, S. C., October 27, 1884.

The Election here to-day, passed off quietly, About a half vote was polled by both parties.

The Johnston faction beat the Hewson faction here. The rads voted at the Federal boxes accurately, but at the State boxes, the way the votes got in the wrong boxes was amusing. The man who invented the present election law ought to be remembered to all eternity. Was it McCrady of Charleston, or a Yankee? But above all, we wager our $10 that that Blaine is elected and that he carried Indiana.

Col. H. E. L. Peebles was the first man who voted at the Federal boxes, one minute past 7 A. M., and Calvin Missouri, a good colored Democrat, was the next voter. He was the only colored Democrat who voted at the Federal boxes during the day. Smithville went Democratic as usual with a large majority.

Some of the rads tried to vote on receipts, cotton sales, accounts, &c.; some came without their registration certificates, and walked back home as far as 8 and 10 miles, got them, came back and voted. Here is a good lesson to the Democrat who takes no interest in the welfare of his country.

Col. W. J. Reynolds, who has been in feeble health this year, was out at the polls and voted. Several Democrats were on the ground but did not vote. What was the cause of their apathy? Hamp Vaughn, colored, losing his ticket tried to vote; went home and searched nearly all day until he found it. He got back in time.

Hurrah for Blaine! for the plucky defence he has made of his rotten record, after receiving the most terrible arraignment a presidential candidate ever got. Who will compose his cabinet? This scribe would not object to be made Secretary of the Treasury. D.

[For the Watchman and Southron.]

I. O. G. T.

The following are the officers elect of Carolina Lodge, I. O. G. T.

W. C. T., Thos B. Owen.
L. H. S., Mrs. Elizabeth A. Owen.
R. H. S., Mrs. Eunice A. C. Graham.
W. V. T., Mrs. Nannie J. Owen.
W. S., Jesse M. Brown.
W. A. S., Miss Mary E. Kolb.
W. F. S., Robt. J. Kolb.
W. T., Miss Laura J. Pack.
W. M., James H. Geddings.
W. D. M., Miss Liela E. Connors.
W. C., Francis J. Graham.
W. I. G., Wm. N. Barckley.
W. O. G., W. Hughson Kolb.
P. W. C. T., Thos. H. Osteen.
L. D., John Owen.

The following are delegates to the County Convention:

Wm. J. Ardis, J. M. Kolb, R. L. Geddings, Miss E. M. Kolb, Mrs. E. A. C Graham, Mrs. N. J. Owen. Alternates, R. N Owen, J. H. Geddings and Mrs. E. A. Owen.

This Lodge is located at Calvary Grange Hall, Calvary Township, Clarendon County. A.

[For the Watchman and Southron.]

The "Mayfield" Masquerade Ball.

Upon the evening of the 27th a delightful party of ladies and gentlemen in grotesque and in exquisite disguise met at the above named plantation, the old homestead of the late Col. R. L. Heriot, situated near Mechanicsville, and enjoyed a round of gaiety with admirable pleasantry and rare refinement. Among the bevy of charming ladies we noticed an inimitable "Mother Hubbard," an elegant "Duchess;" a fresh and joyous expression of "Sweet Sixteen—a wilful April in her ways; a bewitching "Red-riding Hood"—a "Mother Goose," which put to shame that quaint old lady of the past. Nor was "Autumn" out of season, with her fond attendant, the arch and piquant "Swiss Peasant," although "Night" in her sable garb, yet clad in a thousand stars and with the crescent moon decking her regal brow, in majesty looked down upon the motley throng. The pure and eloquent "Jeannie Deans" too graced the scene, side by side with the sprightly "Fille de Regiment" and mysterious fascinating "Gypsey Maids;" and all amid bewildering groups of houris in their varied beauty, moved. Here too were seen of the sterner sex as complex and artistic an array. The "Wild-war Indian," fierce as from his native wilds, shouting his war-whoop sprang towering among those of more peaceful climes—the plethoric citizen of "Hamburg" puffed and wheezed, horror-stricken to find himself in so strange a crew, totters, falls, and labors to carry his bulky form to some far retreat, while "Sambo" a matchless caricature sends a double terror to the soul of "Hamburg" as his ebon visage o'ershadows him. Then "Sister Sue," in feminine guise, rollicked among the boys; while in striking contrast moved the "Knight of Palestine" or he of some "royal dome;" the "Gentleman of the Olden Time," "Turks," "King Cotton" decked in the fleecy fold; the "Gambler" without a blush, stood arrayed with an open pack; the "Mail-boy," welcome messenger of delicious billet-doux; while many gowned and masked incognitos with "Kuklux" are moved in measured pace. But, Mr. Editor, time will not permit to even hint at each excellent figure of this ever to be remembered eve. It is enough to say, that we do not expect to see a blither, nor a more graceful scene in this your gallant county. Some of the Maskers too, with a rapid surprise would doff one disguise to don rider us in another. Thus the "plethoric Hamburger," did delight us at another stage of the evening in the picturesque garb of an "Italian Troubador," in costume true to his nationality, with gay and buoyant air, his soft black eyes and bright merry smile stealing every heart. And so the rollicking "Sister Sue," put on the "Devil's own dress, and leaped and careered with Satanic glee inspiring almost an uneasy fear. These weird, lovely, severe, and gorgeous guests, were to be seen under the light of brilliant chandeliers, while your own famous "Sumter Band" discoursed in sonorous bursts from brass and string. This neighborhood Mr. Editor, for the past year has been regaled with many a delightful dance and lovely soiree, but perhaps!

The very crown of all
Is the Mayfield masquerade ball.

While much has been due in the past to the kindly efforts of some genial spirits in our midst to contribute to the general pleasure, yet to one of our elegant citizens have we been specially indebted for many a happy pastime.

To him, whose German name we would translate as "Peace!" is this "Mayfield masquerade" to be ascribed:—it is *his grand success.*

Never try to raise a family without a good newspaper, provided it contains the advertisement of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup; for this valuable medicine is necessary to keep your children in good health.

Delightful Information.

That any of you can go to Kingsland & Heath, of Columbia, and see the finest assortment of House Furnishing Goods in the State. Their line of Baby Carriages cannot be surpassed for beauty and cheapness. They keep Crockery, China, Tin and Wood-ware, Chromos, Lamps, and a thousand other things. Write them for anything you may want.

W. A. Recklin, 110½ Main street, Columbia, can give you a nice portrait or photograph. Call and see what a nice likeness he can give you. He uses the instantaneous process, and will make a picture so quick that you will be astonished. Don't fail to look at his fine display at the Fair.

Debility in adults is often caused by worms. The change from childhood to manhood is not sufficient to rid the system of this awful plague. Shriner's Indian Vermifuge will expell them and restore health and a bright complexion.

Brewer's Lung Restorer, the great lung and throat remedy, is for sale by Dr. D. J. Auld, Agent

FOR SALE,

5,000 bushels selected Rust Proof Seed Oats. A BEQUEST,
No 4-v 23 Queen St., Charleston, S. C.

CHINA HALL.

COLUMBIA, S. C.,
J. C. STANLEY & BRO.,
China, Glass, Crockery, House-Furnishing Goods, &c,
Larger Stock than for many years.

Master's Sale.

The State of South Carolina,
SUMTER COUNTY.
IN THE COURT COMMON PLEAS.
Mrs. Placidia Duncan, Plaintiffs vs. Ravenel S. Bradwell, Defendant.

BY VIRTUE of a decretal order made in the above stated case and dated Feb. 16 1884, I will sell at public auction in front of the Court House in the town of Sumter, in said State, on Monday, December 1st 1884, (or day following,) between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, the following premises:

All that lot or parcel of land, situate in the Town of Sumter, County and State aforesaid, containing one acre, and bounded as follows: North by lot of Mrs. Anna Wilson and by lot of Julius T. Edwards; East by Washington street, West by lot of Selina B. Walker, and South by lot formerly of H. W. Gardner."

Terms of Sale—Cash. Purchaser to pay for necessary papers.

JOHN S. RICHARDSON,
Nov. 4, 1884. Master.

Master's Sale.

State of South Carolina.
SUMTER COUNTY.
IN THE COMMON PLEAS.
Joseph E. Wilson, Assignee, Plaintiff, vs. Emma B. Fullwood, et al Defendants.

BY VIRTUE of a Decretal order made in the above entitled cause, and dated October 18th 1884, I will sell at public Auction in front of the Court House in the Town of Sumter in said State, on Monday, December 1st, 1884, (or day following,) between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, the following premises:

"All that tract of land situate in said County and State, containing five hundred acres, more or less, bounded on the North by lands of Mack Frierson, East by lands of Player, South by lands of Josephine Cloud and West by lands formerly of R. H. Fullwood."

Terms of Sale—Cash. Purchaser to pay for necessary papers.

JOHN S. RICHARDSON,
Nov. 4, 1884. Master.

Master's Sale.

The State of South Carolina.
SUMTER COUNTY.
IN THE COMMON PLEAS.
Harriet R. Sanders, Assignee, Plaintiff, vs. Esther Allston and others, Defendant.

BY VIRTUE of a decretal order made in the above stated case and dated October 18, 1884, I will sell at public auction in front of the Court House in the Town of Sumter in said State, on Monday, December 1 (or day following,) between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, the following premises:

"All that tract of land situate in said County and State, containing thirty acres more or less, bounded North by lands of Anderson Nunnery, East by lands of Taft Allston, South by lands of Laboo Sanders and West by lands of Dr. E. J. Rembert."

Terms of Sale—Cash. Purchaser to pay for necessary papers.

JOHN S. RICHARDSON.
Nov. 4, 1884, Master.

Master's Sale.

The State of South Carolina.
SUMTER COUNTY.
IN THE COMMON PLEAS.
J. B. Lanier, Plaintiff, vs. Mary A. Epperson, Defendant.

BY VIRTUE of a Decretal order made in the above stated case and dated October 18, 1884, I will sell at public auction in front of the Court House in the Town of Sumter in said State, on Monday, December 1, 1884, (or day following,) between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, the following premises:

"All that lot of land, situate in the Town of Sumter, in the County and State aforesaid, containing one acre, more or less, bounded North by a street of said Town, known as Liberty street, on the East by other lands of the defendant, on the South by lands of J. S. Bozzard and on the West by lands now or formerly of Susan S. Tindall."

Terms of Sale—Cash. Purchaser to pay for necessary papers.

JOHN S. RICHARDSON,
Nov. 4, 1884. Master.

MASTER'S SALE.

State of South Carolina.
SUMTER COUNTY.
IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.
J. B. Lanrier, Assignee, Plaintiff, vs. Isabella Ross, Defendant.

BY VIRTUE of a decretal order made in the above stated case and dated October 18, 1884, I will sell at public auction in front of the Court House in the Town of Sumter in said State, on Monday, December 1, 1884, (or day following,) between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, the following premises:

"All that lot of land with the buildings thereon, situate in the Town of Sumter in said County and State, North of the Wilmington, Columbia and Augusta Rail Road, the same being its Southern boundary, bounded West by lot of Abe Morris and lying on the left hand side of road leading to residence of W. H. Phillips, said lot having been formerly owned by Samuel Witherspoon."

Terms of Sale—Cash. Purchaser to pay for necessary papers.

JOHN S. RICHARDSON,
Nov. 4, 1884. Master.

MASTER'S SALE.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
SUMTER COUNTY.
IN THE COMMON PLEAS.
William Bogin, Assignee, Plaintiff, vs. Jane Conyers, Defendant.

BY VIRTUE of a decretal order made in the above entitled cause and dated May 29th, 1884, I will sell at public auction in front of the Court House in the Town of Sumter in said State, on Monday, December 1st, 1884, (or day following,) between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, the following premises:

"All that piece, parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in Sumter County in the State aforesaid, containing Sixty Acres, more or less, bounded on the North by lands of James Webb, on the East by land of D. J. Winn, on the South by lands of Carolina Brown and on the West by lands of the Estate of Cornelius London, being the land purchased by Jane Conyers from Cornelius London."

Terms of Sale—Cash on day of sale.

Purchasers to pay for necessary papers.

JOHN S. RICHARDSON,
Nov 4 Master.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

BY virtue of Sundry Executions, to me directed, will be sold at Sumter C. H., on the first MONDAY and day following in December next, 1884, and as many days thereafter as may be necessary, within the legal hours of sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following property:

Lot of Land with Store-house thereon, on the North side of and fronting on Liberty street, in the Town of Sumter, in Sumter County, said lot measuring 24 feet, 10 inches front, and 62 feet deep, both of said dimensions a little more or less, adjoining lands now of Mary Adeline Brunson and others and lands of Mrs. Mary Harney, levied upon as the property of James P. Brennan, under execution of J. D. Sampson & Co., against the said James P. Brennan.

106 and 2-10 Acres of Land, more or less, in Sumter County and bounded as follows: on the North, East and South by lands of James Booth, on the West by lands of F. G. Jenkins, R. W. Jenkins and lands of the Estate of G. W. Lee.

ALSO,

2 Dark Bay Mules, 2 Mouse Colored Mules, 1 Bay Mare, 2 Bay Mare Colts, 1 Bay Horse Mule, 1 Sett Double Harness, 3 Wagons, Plow Gear, 1 Saddle, 1 Sulky, 1 Cow and Calf, 7 Head Hogs, 1 Buggy and Harness, 10 Bushels Corn, 1500 Lbs. Fodder, 1,000 Bushels Cotton Seed, 400 Lbs. Seed Cotton, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Plantation Tools, Plantation Gear, Lot of General Merchandise, both levied upon as the property R. Maxwell Jenkins, under Executions of Wm. Neely & Co., H. Cone & Sons and Tabb Bros., Maslin & Co., against the said R. Maxwell Jenkins.

600 Lbs. Seed Cotton, 2400 Lbs. Fodder and Rice Straw, 75 Bushels Corn, 30 Bushels Cotton Seed, all more or less, seized and to be sold as the property of H. W. Baker, under Warrant of Attachment of M. C. Wallace vs H. W. Baker.

15 Bbls. Crude Turpentine, 25 Bbls Scrape, 26 Bbls. Rosin, Lot Staves and Headings, contents of 100,000, Turpentine Boxes ungathered, levied upon as the property of Jesse E. Pierce, under Execution of C. N. Humphries, against the said Jesse E. Pierce.

R. W. DURANT, S. S. C.
Sheriff's Office, Nov. 7, 1884.

MASTER'S SALE.

The State of South Carolina
COUNTY OF SUMTER.
IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.
Pelzer Rodgers & Co., Assignees, Plaintiffs. vs Arthur McDaniel.

BY VIRTUE of a decretal order made in the above entitled cause, and dated May 29th, 1884, I will sell at public auction in front of the Court House in the Town of Sumter in said State, on Monday, December 1st 1884, (or day following,) between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, the following premises:

"All that tract of land in Spring Hill Township in Sumter County in the State aforesaid containing thirty-five and one half (35½) acres more or less, bounded on the North by lands now or formerly of the Estate of Robert L. Heriot, on the South by lands now or lately of A. C. H. Kopff, on the East by the public road from Providence to Bishopville, and West by lands of J. W. Wesberry."

Terms of Sale—Cash. Purchaser to pay for necessary papers.

JOHN S. RICHARDSON,
Nov 3 Master.

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
SUMTER COUNTY.
IN THE COMMON PLEAS.
Augustus A. Solomons, Plaintiff, vs. Ormsby Blanding and James D. Blanding, Defendants

BY VIRTUE of a decretal order made in the above stated cause and dated May 31st, 1884. I will sell at public auction in front of the Court House in the Town of Sumter in said State, on Monday, December 1, 1884, (or day following,) between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, the following premises:

"All that parcel of land in the County and State aforesaid containing eighty-five (85) acres more or less, bounded on the North by lands of J. M. Pitts, North-east by the track of the Wilmington, Columbia and Augusta Rail Road, East by a parcel of twenty-five acres of L. D. Moun, South by lands of D Robinson and on the West by lands now or lately of J. S. Richardson and Dr. A. J. China."

—ALSO—

Two brown Mare Mules named Molly and Dolly and a two horse wagon,

Terms of Sale—Cash. Purchaser to pay for necessary papers.

JOHN S. RICHARDSON,
Nov 3 Master.

MASTER'S SALE.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
SUMTER COUNTY.
IN THE COMMON PLEAS.
Robt. Hough & Sons, Plaintiffs, vs. James L. Epperson, Defendant.

BY VIRTUE of a decretal order made in the above entitled cause and dated October 16th, 1884, I will sell at public auction in front of the Court House in the Town of Sumter in said State, on Monday, December 1st, 1884, (or day following,) between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, the following premises:

"All that certain piece, parcel or lot of land situate, lying and being in the Town and County of Sumter in the State aforesaid, which is bounded on the North and West by lands of Louisa Harrison, on the East by Council Street, and measuring thereon fifty feet, and on the South by lands now or lately of Julius Edwards and measuring thereon one hundred and forty feet—the said Northern and Western lines being parallel respectively to the said Southern and Eastern lines."

Terms of sale cash. Purchaser to pay for necessary papers.

JOHN S. RICHARDSON,
Nov 4 Master.

MASTER'S SALE.

State of South Carolina,
SUMTER COUNTY.
COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
Robert C. McFaddin, Executory Trustee, under order of the Court and the Last Will and Testament of Henry Spann, Deceased, Plaintiff, vs. Sarah A. Mellett, Martha M. Moore, E. Bland Mellett and Jos. Ryttenberg & Sons, Defendants.

BY VIRTUE of a decretal order made in the above entitled cause and dated Oct. 13th, 1883, I will sell at public auction in front of the Court House in the Town of Sumter in said State, on Monday, December 1st, 1884, (or day following,) between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon,

The life Estate of Sarah A. Mellett in and to the following tracts of land, to wit: The life Estate of the said Sarah A. Mellet "of, in or to that certain piece, parcel, tract or plantation of land, situate, lying and being in the County and State aforesaid, containing two hundred and thirty acres, more or less, bounded on the North by lands of Estate of Dinkins, on the East by lands of Wash Allen and lands of Elizabeth Thompson and of Thomas Richardson, on the South by lands of Murray and of Estate of Burrell Moody, and on the West by lands of the Estate of Burrell Moody and of the Estate of Moore; also the life Estate of the said Sarah A. Mellett of, in and to all that other tract, or parcel of land, situate in said County and State, containing eighty-four acres, more or less, and bounded on the North by lands of the Estates of Moore and of Moody, on the East by lands of the Estates of Moore and of Moody, on the South by lands of the Estate of James A. Moody, and on the West by lands of the Estate of Dr. W. W. Anderson—the said two tracts being the same devised under the will of William Wheeler."

Also the interest in remainder belonging to the Defendant, Martha M. Moore of, in and to the two said described tracts of land.

Also the interest in remainder, belonging to the Defendant, E. Bland Mellett of, in and to the two said described tracts of land

Terms of sale—Cash.

Purchasers to pay for necessary papers.

JOHN S RICHARDSON,
Nov 4, 1884—4t Master.

FALL AND WINTER 1884.

I TAKE PLEASURE IN ANNOUNCING TO MY FRIENDS AND THE PUBLIC generally that I have returned from New York, having bought the *largest and finest assortment* of MEN'S, YOUTHS', BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING ever offered by me in this market, and have *marked them down low for cash*, consisting of **FINE ENGLISH AND FRENCH WORSTEDS, CORKSCREW AND DIAGONALS** in Blue, Black and Dahlia, all of which we warrant in fit and make to be the equal of any tailor's goods made to order. Also a fine lot of BUSINESS SUITS ranging in price from $6 to $25.

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