The Watchman and Southron.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 9.

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## EXAMINE YOUR DATES.

We request each of our subscribers to examine the address on his paper, and particularly to observe the date upon it. This date shows the time up to which the paper has been paid for. Many of our subscribers will thus see that they have paid in advance; but there are many others who will discover that they have not.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

D. J. Winn—Overcoats.
D. M. Ferry & Co.—Seeds.
A. F. M.—Annual Election.
Prof. Berger—Dancing School.
Marion Sanders—Sheriff's Sales.
J. S. Richardson—Master Sales.
Folsom Bros.—Christmas Presents,
J. A. Schwerin—A Merry Christmas.
Kingsland & Heath—Holiday Goods.
J. D. Wilder—Examination of Teachers.
J. Ryttenberg & Sons—Great Reduction.
Ducker & Bultman—Tickets to New Orleans.
G. H. Lewis—Picture Frames and Photographs
Cleveland and Hendricks—Charleston Demonstration.

## Personal.

Col. J. J. Dargan has gone to New York

Mrs. Cora Hewitt, of Darlington, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Brand.

Mr. F. G. Haynsworth is able to be on the street again, after a severe spell of illness.

Misses Rosine and Annie Jennings have been spending some days with Miss Mamie Hughson.

Revs. C. C. Brown and Theo Porter and Mr. W. H. Cuttino have gone to Black River and Georgetown on a duck hunt.

Mr. J. E. Physioc and family have moved to Charleston, he having taken a situation with the Langley Manufacturing Company.

We had a pleasant call yesterday from Mr. J. D. Evans, of Smithville, one of our rising young farmers.

Mr. T. M. DeLorme who has been under the weather from an attack of Rheumatism for some time is up again, though still suffering.

Capt. P. P. Gaillard and family have moved to town, and are occupying one of Col. Earle's cottages.

Charlie Croghan who has been for some time holding a position in the Pension Department at Washington, is home on furlough.

The School Commissioner elect, Mr. E. C. Rogers, has been quite ill for some time, but we are glad to learn is better. He is with friends in Bishopville.

Marion Sanders, Esq., is now holding forth as a full fledged Sheriff. As our friend is desirous of emulating Cleveland by hanging at least two criminals, we would advise lawbreakers to suspend their evil ways before they fall into his power.

Rev. H. F. Chreitzberg will, on next Sunday preach his last Sermon in Sumter previous to the meeting of Conference, which takes place in Charleston during the week following. The many friends of that gentleman, in Sumter, would deeply regret any action of Conference that would result in his being sent to another field.

J. Ryttenberg & Sons are selling off their large stock of readymade clothing very cheap, and have a brand new advertisement to-day about it.

Mr. W. F. Rhame has a remnant of a car load of first class, dressed, T. and G. six inch yellow pine flooring, which he would be glad to sell.

Our town readers will notice the call for town taxes in to-day's issue. The books close on the 15th. Don't forget it.

The devotees of Terpsichore will be pleased to know that Prof. Berger who has taught the last three generations in Sumter how to dance, is in town and purposes opening a dancing school. See advertisement.

Ducker & Bultman present the readers of the *Watchman and Southron* with some interesting reading matter to day. Read what they have to say on the subject of Cheap Excursion Tickets.

School Teachers and Trustees will notice the advertisement of the School Commissioner in to-day's issue. Their attention is also called to the fact that no other examination can be held without the consent of the State Superintendent of Education.

Mr. J. A. Schwerin's store is full to overflowing with Santa Claus. The boys and girls will all read his advertisement and remember that he will send up two balloons Christmas Eve night.

Mr. D. J. Winn gives notice of a large reduction in the prices of his overcoats. Too many of our readers have proven their good quality to make it necessary for us to say anything on the subject. Cold weather is coming, so prepare for it by investing in a good overcoat at bottom prices.

The *Naiad*, the Williamston College paper, put in an appearance last week, full of just such an assortment as one would imagine that Prof. Lander aided by a corps of talented ladies would make up. We clipped it very liberally this week.

The Congaree Nurseries near Columbia have a full line of fruit trees, grape vines, berries, &c, and we recommend our readers who want anything in that line, to write to Col. R. M. Sims, the proprietor instead of sending their orders to unknown parties abroad.

## Lost Bet.

We understand from some who attended, that the supper given by Mr. J. B. Johnston last Thursday (a lost bet on the election) was exceedingly tony. Everybody enjoyed it—except the giver.

## Birthday Party.

Our young friend, Mr. Henry Spann, attained his 21st birthday last week and celebrated that event with a supper and party Wednesday night, which is spoken of as one of the most delightful of the season.

## Railroad Accident.

Last Thursday evening the machinery on the engine of the train due here at 7 o'clock became disarranged in some way and in the general shake-up which followed the engineer was badly hurt.

## Burglary.

Mr. George Stokes, Section Master on the Central Road, met with a heavy loss yesterday. His house was broken open in his absence and robbed of $100 in cash and $100 worth of clothing. The burglar entered by digging under the hearth. Mr. Stokes better get a wife. She will not cost near as much as the burglars.

## A Potatoe.

Mr. Maxwell Jenkins gave us a potatoe last week which weighed at the time it was dug 7 lbs., and when given to us 6 lbs. 10 oz. This Jumbo of a root was raised by a colored man named Andrew Adams, who lives on Mr. Jenkins' place. Now, who can do better?

## Cleveland and Hendricks Celebration.

Charleston expects to astonish the natives Friday night by a Democratic jollification that will cast all former efforts in the shade. Rates have been reduced on the roads, and there will be a large attendance.

## Married.

Mr. Charles E. Bartlette of Sumter and Miss Sallie Green of San Antonia, Texas, were married the 27th November at the residence of the bride's parents by Rev. J. W. Neil, D. D.

Mr. John W. Harvin of Clarendon and Miss Leonora V. Seal of Sumter were married the 19th November at the residence of the bride's mother near Stateburg.

At Baltimore, on the 27th November, Mr. J. E. Schwerin, formerly of Sumter, to Miss Amelia Kaufman, of Baltimore, Md.

## Death.

Miss Mary Scarborough, daughter of Mr. Hardy Scarborough of Carter's Crossing, died on the 28th November.

## In Memoriam.

ELIJAH PRINGLE, aged about 84 years and 10 months, departed this life on Friday morning, Oct. 17, 1884. For ten years his health has been gradually failing, much of the time confining him to his house, and for a month past he has been unable to leave his bed. His end was quiet and peaceful, and among his last words he was able to say, "All is well."

Mr. Pringle was one of our representative men in true worth and integrity of character. In all his business relations with his fellow men, his word was his bond, and by a long life of truth and faithfulness, he had won an honorable name. No one living can charge aught against him or convict him of any wrong doing.

To his Church, of which he was a deacon for many years, he was a most generous and helpful member. The building in which the Baptists now worship in Sumter was, in great part, the result of his zeal, energy and beneficence. For many years and, in fact, until the beginning of the war, Mr. Pringle was repeatedly appointed as delegate from his Church to attend upon the meetings of the Charleston Association, his name appearing in the minutes of that body about 30 times, commencing with the year 1828.

Until failing health and the weakness of age overmastered him, his place as a worshipper in his own Church was never vacant, and for long periods, when the congregation happened to be pastorless, he maintained the prayer meeting, and stimulated his brethren to the service of God. He has now come to his grave in a ripe old age as a "shock of corn cometh in his season." Instead of deploring his death, devout thanks should be returned to God for his long, useful and exemplary life. *

## Religious.

The regular monthly union service was held last Sunday evening at the Presbyterian Church. Rev. C. C. Brown officiated in his usually interesting and instructive manner. Our Presbyterian friends can justly claim the most comfortable Church in town and judging from the sweet music, Sunday night, the choir stands equally high.

## Mail Irregularities.

If any of our readers on the Bishopville route failed to receive their papers last Wednesday, as we inferred they did from a postal, we can assure them the fault was not in this office. Every paper was put in the Post Office Tuesday evening.

## A. F. M.

The mystic brotherhood will read the call for a meeting on the 18th, and take due notice thereof. Every member should attend, pay his dues, and help elect officers for the coming year.

## An Event.

On last Friday evening, the Sumter Light Infantry and a few invited friends assembled at the store of Capt. Auld, and preceeded by Simon's string band marched around to the residence of the Rev. J. L. Bartlett, and serenaded Liet. C. E. Bartlett and his bride. Charlie was taken completely by surprise, but turned the tables on the boys by opening wide the hospitable doors of the aforesaid Bartlett mansion and inviting them in, and as each one of the boys entered he was met at the parlor door by the lovely and accomplished sister of the groom and presented to the bride. I venture to say that such a delightful impromptu reception has never taken place in our town before. After enjoying the hospitality of the house for a short time the boys withdrew, charmed with—well, everything. We wish the happy couple much happiness, and hope the Texas flower may bloom for many long years on South Carolina soil.

ONE OF THE BOYS.

## Wedding Bells.

We copy from the San Antonio (Texas) *Express* the following brief account of an interesting occasion:

"Yesterday morning at the residence of the bride's father, Col. N. O. Green, No. 517, Avenue C, at 6 o'clock, Miss Sallie Green, was united in the holy bonds of wedlock to Mr. Charles Edward Bartlett, of South Carolina, but formerly a resident of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. Neil, pastor of the North Flores Street Presbyterian church.

A large number of elegant and valuable presents were made to the bride, who is one of the most popular and charming ladies of our city, and has many warm friends who are unanimous in the wish that the lot of the newly wedded couple may be a bright, happy and prosperous one, but all regret that her society will be lost to them, as she goes to Sumter, S. C., where her future home is to be. Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett left on the morning train for home, where Mr. Bartlett is engaged as cashier of the National Bank. The *Express* unites with the friends of the groom and bride in the hope that their future may be as fair as the charming bride herself.

## Festival.

A fair and Festival will be given at the residence of Mr. J. McD. Law, on Friday evening, December 12, 1884, for the benefit of St. Luke's and Lynchburg parsonage. A Jacob's ladder, hot supper, and fire works, will embrace the features of the occasion.

The patronage of those friendly to the object is solicited.

## Important to School Officials and Teachers.

The following resolution, adopted by the State Board of Examiners September 3d, 1884, is published for the information and guidance of the School officers of the State:

*Resolved*, That examinations of Teachers by County Boards of Examiners shall be held throughout the State on the first Thursday and Friday in January and July of each year, or on such other days as the State Superintendent of Education, in his discretion, may direct. No examination shall be held except on such days without the permission of the State Superintendent of Education first had and obtained.

## Washington Monument Completed.

July 4th, 1848, while the Mexican War was being waged, the corner-stone of the monument completed last Saturday, was laid. We have not the space to give even a very brief outline of its progress during the thirty-six years it has been in process of construction but will do so in the future.

Saturday this immense obelisk was completed, and the cap-stone, weighing 3,300 pounds was put in position. The ceremonies were short and simple, but they will be re-enacted in a more elaborate manner during Inauguration week.

As our readers know, the height of the shaft is 550 feet, and reaches above every other structure in the world.

"I move," said a delegate in a Virginia convention, "that our chairman take a dose of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, he is so hoarse that I cannot understand him." That gentleman had no doubt tried this wonderful medicine.

## OUR DELEGATION.

We copy from the *News and Courier* a very brief biography of our Senator and Representatives:

COL. JOSEPH H. EARLE

was born in Greenville County, S. C., April 30, 1847. He was educated at the Furman University, taught school for a few years in Clarendon County and was, in 1868, appointed principal of the Chick Springs Academy, in Greenville County, where he remained for two years and discharged the responsible duties of that position with fidelity and ability. He was admitted to the Bar in 1870, and practiced law at Anderson Courthouse until 1875, at which time he removed to Sumter. He was the Democratic nominee for the House in 1876, but withdrew from the race a short time before the election. He was nominated again by the Democrats for the House, in 1878, and was elected. He served one term in the Legislature, and in 1882 was elected Senator, which position he now holds. Senator Earle was a delegate to the National Democratic Convention in 1880, and again in 1884, and was chosen to represent South Carolina in the committee which notified Cleveland of his nomination. Senator Earle is a lawyer of ability, a hard student, and enjoys a lucrative practice.

R. D. LEE, ESQ.

a member of the House from Sumter, was born in Sumter County, August 5, 1850. He was educated at the South Carolina University and was admitted to the Bar in 1872. Col. Lee was elected to the Legislature in 1882, and served for two years with credit to himself and honor to his county. His speech in the House upon the railroad commission question was clear and forcible. He was reelected to the House in 1884. He is a good speaker, an able lawyer, a clear thinker and a sound reasoner. As a member of the State Democratic executive committee he has done good service for the Democracy of his county and of the State, and will make a useful and efficient member of the House.

COL. J. R. MULDROW

was born in Sumter County, S. C., on May 6, 1840. He was educated at Hodges Institute in Greenwood, S. C. He was a member of the first company that volunteered from South Carolina, and served one year under Capt. John S. Richardson on the coast. He was after that elected lieutenant in Garden's Palmetto Battery, where he served as a brave and gallant officer until the close of the war. Col. Muldrow is a prosperous and successful farmer. He is a man of retiring disposition and has never sought public office. As a member of the House he will represent all the interests of his county, and especially the planting interests, with zeal, fidelty and ability.

CAPT. ELI M. COOPER

is a native of Sumter County. He is about thirty-five or thirty six years of age. He served as a private during the entire war, most of the time in Company I, 7th South Carolina cavalry. He is a prosperous farmer and well up with the times. He is a man of retiring habits. He is one of the efficient working Democrats in Sumter County, and was induced to accept office after the most urgent persuasions of his many friends. As a member of the House it is expected that Capt. Cooper will reflect credit upon himself and honor upon his county and State.

DR F. M. BECKHAM

is a native of Sumter County, and is about fifty years of age. He has never been in public life, and was nominated for the House in spite of himself, as he could not be induced to attend a single meeting nor make a single speech during the campaign, holding to the conviction that the office should seek the man. Dr. Beckham is much esteemed in his community, and is a man of more than ordinary intelligence and ability.

CLARENDON COUNTY.

The following is what is said of the Clarendon delegation:

COL. HENRY L. BENBOW

was born October 25, 1829, near the town of Summerton, Clarendon County. He received an academical education at Summerton, under the tuition of Felder, Norwood and others, closing his educational training at Cokesbury, Abbeville County, under Connor and Stokes. He lives on and runs the plantation in Clarendon County which he inherited from his father. He is a bachelor. He is inclined to the Presbyterian faith, but is not a church member. He has always inclined towards the military, having been, when quite young, a major of the militia, and afterwards colonel. He served in the Confederate army as follows: From April to September 17, 1861, as a private in Company C, Hampton Legion, at which time he was promoted to a lieutenancy in that company. Soon after this he resigned to accept the captaincy of the Sprott Guards, 23d regiment South Carolina Volunteers, Evan's Brigade. In 1862 he became colonel of this regiment. He was severely wounded at Second Manassas, and at Petersburg in 1864.

He was elected to the Legislature during the latter part of the war, and was a member of that body when the "new order of things" began in 1867. He was elected State Senator in 1878, over ex-Governor J. L. Manning, by the convention plan of nominating, and was again nominated in 1882, by the primary plan, his opponent being ex-Senator John I. Ingram. He makes no effort at oratory, but speaks with pleasing effect.

ARTHUR HARVIN

was born in the Fork of Black River, Clarendon County, September 12, 1842. He was taught at the home schools, Friendship Academy, Clarendon County; Whitney Academy, Calhoun County, Georgia; Sumter Academy and Wofford College. He did not complete his college course, but left Wofford in the "Junior year" to enter the Confederate service in the Trenholm Rifles, Capt. John A. Leland, Manigault's Battalion. In August, 1862, he joined Company K, Capt. John H. Evins, of the Palmetto Sharpshooters. In 1864 he joined Company C, Capt. W. T. Lesesne, Hampton Legion, and was a scout for Gen. M. W. Gary, on the north side of the James during the summer of 1864. He was captured at Darbytown in October and placed by Gen. B. F. Butler under fire at Dutch Gap. He was kept there seven days and nights. He spent the winter at Point Lookout Prison, and was returned to the Confederacy on parole in March, 1865. He was transferred to the staff of Gen. P. M. B. Young. He did not go, however, but got married. He lives on the farm inherited from his father. He has a wife and four childeren, and is a Methodist. He has been a contributor to various periodicals for seventeen years. He was nominated for the Legisisture on the first ballot at the recent primary election in Clarendon, and was returned to the House at the late election. He was trial justice a few months in 1878, and except in these offices has never been in public service.

JOHN GILBERT DINKINS, M. D.,

was born in the Fork of Black River, Clarendon County, June 1, 1832. He was educated almost entirely at the "old field schools" of his neighborhood. He was gratuated from Oglethorpe Medical College, Georgia, in 1856. He lives now at Manning, has a very large practice and is very popular in his profession as well as otherwise. He is a member of the Baptist Church. He was first married to Miss Skinner, of Clarendon County, who lived only a short time. He remarried, in 1864, to Miss M. J. Easterling, of Georgetown, S. C. He has never before held any official position. By pluck and hard work he has risen to competency and honor. He was not in the Confederate States Army.

## Christmas Presents.

The Jewelry Store of F. H. Folsom & Bro. will be found a desirable place for persons wishing Christmas Presents. Their stock is now complete, consisting of Watches, Clocks, Silver Ware, Bracelets, Chains, Necklaces, Lockets, Cuff and Collar Buttons, Scarf Pins, Brooches in Gold, Silver and Rolled Plate, Finger and Ear Rings in great variety, and at prices to suit all. A cordial invitation is extended to come and look, whether you buy or not.

## Holiday Goods.

Kingsland & Heath, at Columbia, are, as usual, again loaded up with all the fine things for a merry Christmas, the possession of which will help the purchaser to enter the New Year of 1885 more happy for having given and received. Their assortments are immense and prices astonishing. They purchase goods to sell, not to keep, and by long experience and much searching in business centers they are able to select such goods, in quality and prices, that always please the purchasers. Send inquiry or orders, all of which shall have prompt attention. Their fancy goods and toys are the largest assortment in the South, and all china and house furnishing goods in proportion. Don't fail to be benefitted.

As a raindrop foretells a storm, so does a pimple upon the human body indicate health-destroying virus in the blood, which can be neutralized and expelled only by Dr. Harter's Iron Tonic. dec 2

## Complimentary Notice.

Our government can no longer be said to be an experiment. One hundred years of successful existence have established it as a permanent institution. The magnificent conduct of the people during the late election proves their patriotism, and the wisdom of our Constitution. Our immense commercial interests also furnish convincing proof. We know of no better illustration of the success attending honorable and able business methods than the firm of D. M. Ferry & Co., Detroit, Mich., the leading seedsmen of this country. From small beginnings, thirty years ago, they have built up their mammoth business by strict adherence to their initial principle of furnishing only the best seeds obtainable. They offer to send their valuable "Annual" free to all who expect to buy seeds or bulbs.

## America's Pride.

True American men and women, by reason of their strong constitutions, beautiful forms, rich complexions and characteristic energy, are envied by all nations. It's the general use of Dr. Harter's Iron Tonic which brings about these results. dec 2

## Piano Tuning.

Prof. Wm. Baker of London, piano tuner and repairer, is daily expected in Sumter, and any one wishing his services either in town or country will be served if they will leave their orders with Dr. Auld.

## He Thanks His Paper.

Mr. Editor:—I was induced by reading your good paper to try Dr. Harter's Iron Tonic for debility, liver disorder and scrofula, and three bottles have cured me. Accept my thanks. Jos. C. Boggs.—Ex. dec 2

No child can be healthy if worms abound in its stomach. Send for Shriner's Indian Vermifuge, the reliable remedy.

## THE MARKETS.

SUMTER, S. C., Dec. 9, 1884.

COTTON.—About 625 bales have been sold during the week ending the 9th. The market closed firm. We quote: Ordinary 8⅛@8¼; Good Ordinary 8⅜@8½; Strict Good Ordinary 9@9⅛; Low Middling 9⅜@9½; Middling 9⅝@9¾; Good Middling 9⅞@10.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Dec. 8, 1884.

COTTON.—Market strong. Sales about 800 bales. Quotations are: Low Middling, 10⅛@10½; Middling 10⅜@10½; Good Middling, 10⅝@10¾.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Dec. 5, 1884.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market quoted firm at 28 cents.

ROSIN—The market firm at 95 cts. for Strained and $1.00 for Good Strained.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market was firm at $1.00 for Hard, $1.60 per bbl., for Virgin and Yellow Dip.

COTTON—Market firm. Sales 275 bales. The following are the official quotations: Low Middling 9⅝, Middling 10⅛, Good Middling 10⅝.

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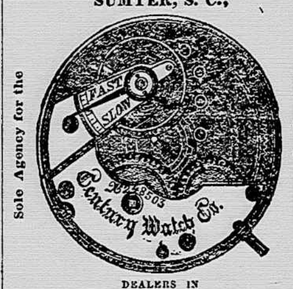


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## The State of South Carolina,

COUNTY OF SUMTER.

*By T. V. Walsh, Esq., Probate Judge.*

WHEREAS, PHILIP P. GAILLARD, of said County and State, made suit to me to grant him Letters of Administration of the Estate and effects of CHAS. HENRY MOODY, deceased.

These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said Charles Henry Moody, late of Sumter County in said State, dec'd, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Sumter C. H., on December 17th, 1884, after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand, this 2d day of December, A. D., 1884. T. V. WALSH,

Dec 2—2t* Judge of Probate.

## Estate of J. Timothy Jackson,

DECEASED.

ALL PERSONS holding claims against the said Estate will present the same duly attested, and all persons in any way indebted to said Estate will make immediate payment to JOHN M. JACKSON,

Dec 2-3t* Qualified Executor.

## FOR SALE,

5,000 bushels selected Rust Proof Seed Oats. A. BEQUEST,

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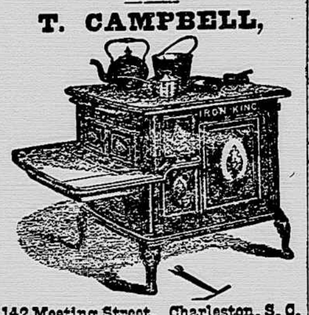


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## Estate of Mrs. Martha L. Brown,

DECEASED.

ALL PERSONS having claims against said Estate will present the same duly attested, and all persons in any way indebted to said Estate will make immediate payment to W. D. BLANDING,

Administrator (C. T. A.) De Bonis Non.

Nov 25 3t

## Estate of A. W. Brown, Dec'd.

ALL PERSONS holding claims against said Estate will present same duly attested, and all persons in any way indebted to said Estate, will make immediate payment to W. D. BLANDING,

Nov 25-3t Qualified Administrator.

## SITUATION WANTED.

A LADY wishes a situation in a good family as houskeeper, and is willing to make herself useful. References can be given. Address HOUSEKEEPER.

Care of the *Watchman and Southron*, Sumter, S. C. Nov 18

## FOR SALE OR RENT.

MY DWELLING and the land around it, about 5 acres, in the town of Sumter, known as the "Francis Farm."

ALSO 25 ACRES adjoining lands of Col. J. J. Dargan and J. N. Corbett.

ALSO MY PLANTATION known as "Rocky Pine," containing 520 acres, 100 of which are cleared, balance well timbered.

Above property will be sold reasonably and on 5 years time. Apply to

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Nov 18-1 Sumter, S. C.

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Ladies', Gents', Men's, Youths' and Children's Shoes from the leading manufacturers of this Country—from the lowest priced to best custom made.

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HARDWARE, CUTLERY, GUNS, &c.

A general stock always kept up. Special mention will only be made of fine line of Cutlery for table and pocket use. If you need a fine Breech-loading Shot Gun, your wants can here be supplied.

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My reputation in this respect renders it unnecessary for me to say anything, further than that it is up to its usual standard.

With long experience, ample facilities for buying and a large corps of polite and efficient salesmen, I hope to obtain a large share of your patronage.

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The stock of Sewing Machines—Royal St. John and Domestic—will be sold at bargains to close out.

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| DATED Nov. 2, 1884 | No. 42. Daily. | No. 48. Daily. | No. 50 Daily. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Leave Wilmington | 7 30 a m | 8 00 p m | 10 26 p m |
| Leave Waccamaw | 9 06 " | 9 19 " | 11 31 " |
| Leave Marion | 11 06 " | 11 00 " | 12 55 a m |
| Ar've Florence | 11 55 " | 11 40 " | 1 30 " |
| Ar've Sumter | | 4 34 a m | ..... |
| Ar've Columbia | | 6 40 " | ..... |

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

| | No. 45. Daily. | No. 43. Daily. | No. 47. Daily. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Leave Columbia | ..... | ..... | 9 55 p m |
| Ar've Sumter | ..... | ..... | 11 55 " |
| Leave Florence | 9 10 p m | 4 05 p m | 4 50 a m |
| Leave Marion | 8 57 " | 4 51 " | 5 32 " |
| Leave Waccamaw | 12 07 a m | 6 43 " | 7 17 " |
| Ar've Wilmington | 1 15 " | 8 05 " | 8 35 " |

Train No. 47 stops at all stations.

Trains No. 48 and 47 stop only at Brinkley's, Whiteville, Lake Waccamaw, Fair Bluff, Marion Florence, Timmonsville, Sumter, Camden Junction and Eastover.

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On and after this date the following Schedule will be run:

| Leave Charleston. | Arrive Florence. |
|---|---|
| No. 43—11 50 A. M. | 3 48 P. M. |
| No. 47—12 45 A. M. | 4 34 A. M. |
| No. 45— 5 00 P. M. | 8 50 P. M. |
| **Leave Florence.** | **Arrive Charleston.** |
| No. 40— 1 40 A. M. | 5 00 A. M. |
| No. 42—12 15 P. M. | 4 10 P. M. |
| No. 48—11 55 P. M. | 3 45 A. M. |

No 48 will stop at Lake City, Kingstree and Monck's Corner.

Nos. 42, 43 and 45 will stop at all Stations.

## CENTRAL RAILROAD SCHEDULE

DAILY.

| | |
|---|---|
| No. 53—Leave Charleston | 7 00 a m |
| " Lane's | 8 40 a m |
| Arrive Sumter | 9 45 a m |
| " Columbia | 11 00 a m |
| No. 52—Leave Columbia | 5 30 p m |
| " Sumter | 6 58 p m |
| " Lane's | 8 20 p m |
| Arrive Charleston | 9 45 p m |

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