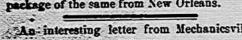
AND SOUTHRON. WATCHMAN THE





is unavoidably crowded out. The weather is had on wood haulers, too warm by half, but then the wood buyers can enjoy it.

We would call the attention of our readers | light upon the subject of farming join. I say to the new advertisement of the Messrs. Fol- to all farmers join at the next meeting of the som. Their stock is full and complete.

Folks who love oranges, and who dosen't, are referred to the advertisement of W. J. Andrews. He offers to sell at wholesale practical ideas upon farming. I would sug-

necessity of a street crossing between the oats, wheat, &c., whose duty shall be to devise Court House and Music Hall, and judging ways and means to raise money for the Low Middling 95, Middling 101, Good Midfrom the result we will have to speak several purpose of giving premiums to those who dling 103. more times before we get it. But we want it raise the most cotton, corn, oats or wheat on all the same, and expect to continue asking one, two or five acres of land, over and above for it.

know of their fine display of watches, clocks, jewelry, silverware and Christmas goods, and fertilizers used and how applied and the kind to that end give all a pressing invitation to of seed used or planted. MORE ANON. call and inspect. Go and see them.

Our readers will notice a change in the advertisement of the School Commissioner. It is Friday and Saturday instead of Thursday and Friday for the examinations. Teachers are again notified that no other ex- | Well, it was because the armistice. which had aminations will be held till July.

Our readers will notice the advertisement of real estate for sale by Mr. Tuomey. Those who wish to buy would do well to interview that gentleman or his agent, for the place is wide open. Our young surgeon, Dr. Corsvery desirable one.

, The attendance at the Grnber Family entertainment last Friday night was not as large as it might have been. The audience was well pleased with the musical skill evinced by Mr. Gruber. Mrs. Gruber charmed all with ber singing. Her voice is remarkably flexible and of unusual compass.

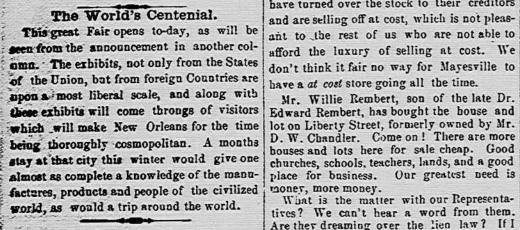
Thanks.

A nest little package superscribed, "Compliments of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCutchen." was handed us Friday. . We are much obliged paid the bill, which was the casus belli, and for the wedding cake it contained, and for he was released. I suppose whiskey was the the thoughtful kindness which made them main cause of the trouble, for Capt. Bland is remember us in the midst of their new found known far and wide as a quiet, unassuming happiness. The happy couple, notice of gentleman.

Sumter for a wedding tour Thursday even- as advertised. She had a full house and ing. May their brightest dreams of pleasure gave entire satisfaction. Miss Fannie de-serves much credit, in her blind condition. F. H. FOLSOM & BRO be realized.

Christmas is Coming. That is we judge so from the fine display of Christmas goods, toys, cups, vases, wagons, dolls, toy stoves, doll setts, &c., &c., &c., which T. C. Scaffe is receiving. Go and look et his pretty things and make all the little folks happy by a nice present all around.

School House Burned. The School House in Privateer situated work. near the Kanchester line was burned the night of the 10th. Some seem to think that it was burned by some of the children in and the Bar from Sumter in the person of revenge for a little pedagogic discipline, but Messrs. Moise, Bowman and Blanding were we dislike to think that youthful depravity here to see after Messrs. Chandler & Lemon. could be so strongly developed in our quiet, It was not a failure, but a mistake or misunconservative County.



An interesting letter from Mechanicsville who are succeeding by your mode of cultivation and management of the farm, join if you have not; thereby putting yourselves in the position to confer an inestimable boon upon

and the time for loose and reckless

your less fortunate brothers. All who want

club on the 13th of January. In the meantime devote some little time to the subject so that you will be prepared to give us some

We have spoken several times about the committees be appointed for cotton, corn, the cost of producing the same The success-Messrs. Host & Bro. want everybody to ful competitor shall be compelled to give a statement of his mode of culture, the kind of

Mayesville Items.

MAYESVILLE, S. C., December 13, 1884. Mr. Editor : Your readers may doubtless wish to know why I did not write last week. lasted 10 days, was broken, and hostilities renewed with a hot and heavy fire from every battery. Some of the boys were badly hurt as it was a hand to hand fight with knives FANCY ARTICLES bett, had his hands full dressing the wound-

buggy the other day, and badly braised, his horse kicking him on the head while down, and before he could recover himself. A troupe which stopped here to give a musical entertainment had a dispute with their landlord, Capt. Bland, and the row

grew to such dimensions that the Marshal arrested the leader but while on their way to the guard House, his wife overtook them and

serves much credit, in her blind condition.

for the energy she displays in making her support and for her effort to do something to Practical Watchmakers and Jewelers. recompense those who aid her. May God bless her in her darkened way through life, Mr. Dickson, the contractor of the Presbyterian Church, has returned to his home in Marion. Much credit is due him as well as Mr. Willie Wilson and Dr. F. J. Mayes for their untiring attention to every detail of the

Wednesday was a big day in Mayesville. Merchants from North, South, East and West derstanding or something of the kind. They

What is the matter with our Representa-

had Bill Arp's pen (or may be his brains) I

BUTTER!

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Good Cooking Butter at 25 cents.

Choice Gilt Edge Butter at 35 cents.

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Iron Tonic.

BUTTER!

have turned over the stock to their creditors and are selling off at cost, which is not pleasant to the rest of us who are not able to afford the luxury of selling at cost. We have a at cost store going all the time. Mr. Willie Rembert, son of the late Dr. bouses and lots here for sale cheap. Good Repairing of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry churches, schools, teachers, lands, and a good

mote . faming to succeed, has passed. You farmers who are succeeding by your mode of cultiva-tion and management of the farm, join if you

CHARLESTON, S. C., Dec. 15, 1884. Corron.-Market firm. Sales about 126 pales. Quotations are : Low Middling, 10; liddling 101; Good Middling, 101.

during the week ending the 16th. The mar-

WILMINGTON, N. C., Dec. 13, 1884. SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Market quoted firm t 28 cents.

Rosty-The market firm at 95 cts. for Strained and \$1.00 for Good Strained. CRUDE TURPENTINE-Market was firm at gest that at the next meeting of the club, \$1.00 for Hard, \$1.60 per bbl., for Virgin and Yellow Dip. Corron-Market firm. Sales 275 bales. The following are the official quotations:

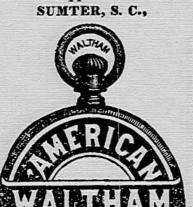
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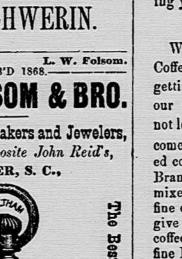
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SANTA CLAUS' HEADQUARTERS, J. A. SCHWERIN.

Dec 9

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AND VEGETABLES. As we only handle standard brands of canned goods we say again that this is the place to buy them and get full value for your money.

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COFFEES.

We sell a great deal of Roasted Coffee, and you can always rely on getting fresh Roasted Coffees at our store, because the people will not let it remain long enough to uecome stale. We offer now a roasted coffee in packages called "Stag Brand." It is a Java and Mocha mixed, and is without doubt a fine drink-try a pound. We can give you a fair article of roasted coffee at 15 cents, and an extra fine Rio at 20 cents per pound.

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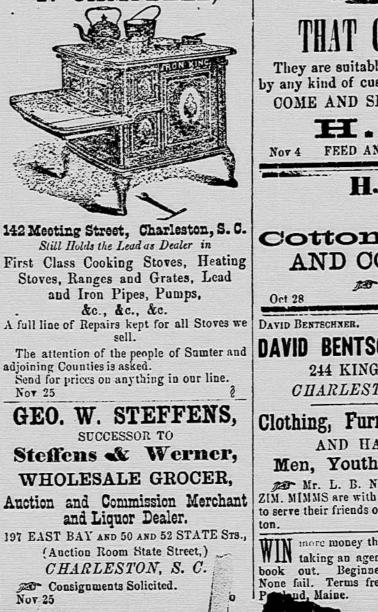
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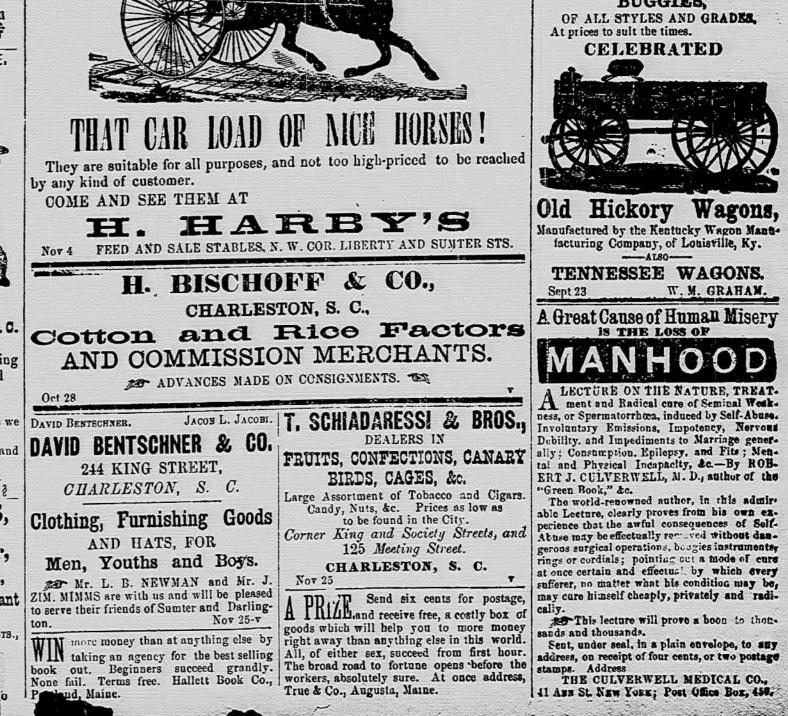
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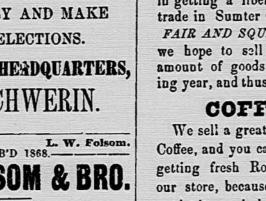
With long experience, ample facilities for buying and a large corps of polite and efficient salesmen, I hope to obtain a large share of your patronage.

SEWING MACHINES.

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







Amusement.

this subject. Prof. Wm. Baker and his brother, Mr. John

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good old gentleman ordered a supply of Dr. Jervey llouse. Dec 9

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