

The Watchman and Southeron.

The Summer Watchman was founded in 1850 and the True Southeron in 1866.

Attention Advertisers.

The Watchman and Southeron will hereafter be published on Wednesday, and advertisements should be sent in not later than Tuesday afternoon.

The Sumter Watchman and Southeron prints a vigorous editorial attacking President Wallace, of the Sumter bank, charging that Bartlett's defalcation would have been impossible if Colonel Wallace had used the vigilance his trust demanded.

We were pleased to find the directors receiving their share of the censure. Col. Wallace's record as a Republican office-holder makes him liable to be jumped on by almost any newspaper.

We congratulate the Watchman and Southeron on its pluck, whatever the merits of this particular question may be.

We hope to see the day in this country when no man will have dollars enough, or a place high enough, to make him exempt from the punishment a newspaper can always give for wrongdoing.

We did not jump on Col. Wallace because he is or had been a republican. His arraignment before the bar of public opinion was for the reason of his gross negligence in the management of the affairs of the bank.

We agree with the Sun in the opinion that many of our papers are very weak-kneed, and that the sycophancy of the press generally is nauseating in the extreme.

"STAY AT HOME, MR. DAVIS."

In one of the dime museums at Boston there is a wooden figure labeled, 'The Scarlet Beast of Revolution.'

The News and Courier published on the 1st a review of the trade and progress of Charleston, which cannot but give great satisfaction to all the people of South Carolina, as they are thus assured by facts and figures of the recuperation of our metropolis from her great misfortunes, and of her sound business footing, and of the material advancement also of the whole State.

But now come the people of Macon, Ga., who propose to beat all previous exhibitions in the South by having Ex-President Davis, in a 'special bedroom car,' all the way from his quiet home on the banks of the Mississippi to make a Georgia holiday.

A more unbecoming and undignified editorial it has never been our misfortune to read. Such is not our idea of the editorial function.

Newspaper advertising, truthfully says an esteemed contemporary, has become an indispensable element of business success where legitimate trade seeks legitimate custom in the crowded channels of busy life.

The American Magazine is now published by the American Magazine Company. The frontispiece of the September number is a portrait of Lieutenant C. F. Winter, of the Governor-General's Foot Guards, Canada.

It is almost ridiculous to entertain the idea that the political blood hounds of the North will ever try to make game out of Mr. Davis' visit to Macon in October, although one of the most influential and leading of Southern journals has given the first yelp as the signal that the genuine trail of the bloody-shirt has been struck at last.

ROBBERY OF BANKS.

The New York Tribune: 'Let every Board of Directors employ an expert, able to take the place of president, cashier, bookkeeper and teller. Let him be empowered to say to

president or cashier: 'I will go over your assets to-day,' or to teller: 'I will settle your cash to-night,' or to the bookkeeper: 'I will write up your books and the customers' books for a week while you go fishing.' If they are honest they will be glad of a vacation any time, and if dishonest they ought to have gone long before.

YOUNG MEN.

The above may not be bad advice to give to all who may be interested in the establishment of another bank in Sumter.

WOOL HAT DEMOCRATS.

One of the features of the torchlight procession in Atlanta during the president's visit will be two companies of original 'wool hat democrats,' organized by Clark Howell Sr., brother of the editor of the Constitution.

The Rev. Samuel Small is a temperance man. If you don't believe it, just read what he has to say on the subject: 'When you go to Heaven and Christ asks you what about this liquor question—how did you vote on it while on earth, and you say, 'Well I have the Chicago platform here, I took it and stuck to it.' He will put you and the platform in hell together.'

A Short Study for Farmers.

It is time that the farmers had some friends in the Congress. They do not need protection, but they do need justice.

True and Reliable.

The old reliable clothing establishment of D. J. Winn has entered the commercial campaign this Fall and it means to beat the people's ticket so far as selling the greatest amount of clothing is concerned.

Perfect Square Shoulder.

In making this, our first announcement, we wish to say to our friends and the public generally that we have entered into the CLOTHING BUSINESS with the hope and determination, by fair and square dealing with all and selling our goods at the lowest prices.

Men's, Youths', Boys' and Children's Clothing.

IN THE HAT LINE we can show all the latest styles in Soft and Stiff Goods for Men, Boys and Children from 25 cts. up.

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BROWN & CHANDLER, Corner of Main and Liberty Streets, SUMTER, S. C. Sept 7

Sumter's Educational Advantages.

It is with proud satisfaction that we call the attention of the citizens of this State to the superior educational advantages afforded by our institutions of learning in Sumter.

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Ladies of the White House.

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Tribute of Respect.

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