

THE SUMTER TEA AND COFFEE EMPORIUM.

Finest Variety Christmas Delicacies.

JUST RECEIVING: Maple Syrup, in cut... Lecasters, 65 cents. Godolot French Sardines, finest article, 20 cents.

Coffees, Coffees. We also lead on and keep every variety Rio, raw, per lb., 28 to 30c.

Flours. Curtis' Pastry, finest patent flour, all kinds of, with Graham, oat meal, oat flakes, &c., &c.

Confectionery. This department incomplete. We want no disappointed sweet hearts and have carefully considered their interest in our selections.

Crockery. We have now on hand novelties in this direction, remember we keep the best (W. K. T. B.)

T B CURTIS, Monaghan Block, Main Street, Sumter, S. C.

We have received our full stock of Dry Goods, Notions, Clothing, SHOES AND HATS,

and are prepared to offer special inducements to buyers.

Our line of DRY GOODS have never been as large and complete as this season.

ROCK BOTTOM PRICES. Let us show you before buying and we will sell you, that is, if prices and quality are any inducement.

UNDERVESTS, ranging in price from 20c. to \$1.25 each. Our shirts for men at 50c. will equal if not surpass anything on the market at 65c. In our

SHOE STOCK we have many bargains in men's women's and children's shoes. Our leader for ladies' at \$1.75, and men for \$2.00 can't be duplicated within 25 to 50c. per pair.

CLOTHING if you will give us the opportunity. All we ask is for you to look through our stock and get our prices. In

PLAIN AND FANCY GROCERIES we are the leaders. We sell nothing if not of the first quality and our prices are the lowest.

Kingman & Co. October 1

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS AT LESS THAN NEW YORK COST.

Having bought out Mr. D. J. Winn, we will sell the remainder of his stock, consisting of

Men's and Boys' Suits, Coats and Vests, Odd Coats, Odd Vests, Odd Pants, OVERCOATS, Etc., AT LESS THAN N. Y. COST.

All of the goods bought from Mr. Winn will be kept on separate tables and sold at a great sacrifice. Our new stock of Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing, Hats and Furnishing Goods will be ready for inspection within the next few days.

No house in the city will show better or cheaper goods. Respectfully, CHANDLER, SHAW & CO.

THE ALMIGHTY DOLLAR!

THE FEW HAVE TOO MANY AND THE MANY TOO FEW.

If you will deal with us we will do our part to aid you in somewhat modifying the above sentence.

JUST RECEIVED:

- 36 Plaid Outings of latest designs. 46-inch bleached and unbleached Pillow Case. Silk Velvet—black, garnet and cardinal \$1.00.

Several hundred tons Cotton Seed Meal, Ammoniated Fertilizers, Acid and Kainit at lowest cash prices.

Very Respectfully

BROWNS & PURDY.

February 4 LOW PRICES Will be made on

TALBOTT & SONS' ENGINES AND BOILERS.

Special estimates on machinery generally at bottom figures. Saw Mills, \$200 to \$500. Corn Mills, \$115 to \$375.

Planers and Matchers, \$200 to \$1,500. I sell the most complete line of wood-working machinery in the State.

V. C. BADHAM, General Agent, Columbia, S. C. Buy the Talbot Engine, it is the best. Sumter, S. C., December 26, 1890. N. B.—Fresh arrivals on every train.

Murderer Caught. Abram James, the negro who stabbed Boston Gilbert to death in Charleston about two weeks ago was arrested at this place this morning by Chief of Police Weeks.

Machine Shop and Iron Foundry. Mr. J. I. Brunson, who, for years conducted a blacksmith and horse-shoeing business here, but who has lately resided in Georgia, has returned to the city.

When you are constipated, have headache, or loss of appetite, take Dr. J. H. McLean's Liver and Kidney Pills; they are pleasant to take and will cure you.

For Over Fifty Years. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea.

She Held Beauty's Passport. No matter what the type, beauty and attractiveness of a certain kind can be secured by women through careful attention to details.

THE MARKETS. SUMTER, S. C., Feb. 11, 1891. COTTON.—Market downward; sales 225. Middling 8 1/2.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 10, 1891. SEWING MACHINES.—Sales at quotation. Market opened firm at 37 cts per gallon.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER. A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—U. S. Government Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

CUT PRICES! ON THE FOLLOWING GOODS, AT BROWN & CHANDLER'S

Men's full length 52-inch Night Shirt, at 60 cents. Men's genuine Wamsutta Muslin Night Shirts, at 90 cts.

The "Giant" unlaundried Shirt, the best in the city, at 50c. Negligee Shirts for Men and Boys, 30c., 50c., 75c., \$1, \$1.50, and \$2.00.

Genuine Linen Collars, all shapes and sizes, 10cts. A line of large-size hem-stitched Initial Silk Handkerchiefs, a beautiful quality, only \$1.00.

Men's and Boys' Windsor Ties at 5cts., 10c., 25c., and 50 cts. 15 or 20 Dozen fine 1-2 Hose, in Striped and Solid Colors; regular price 40 cts. and 50cts., selling now at 25 cents.

The prettiest shape Crush Hat for young men, on the market, at \$1.00. Respectfully, Brown & Chandler, Cor. Main and Liberty Sts., Sumter, S. C.

Death. Mrs. Mares, mother of the late Capt. J. Mares, died last night at the home of her son-in-law, Rev. C. W. Smith, near Mayesville.

Religious. The special Lenten services to be held in the Church of the Holy Comforter, Sumter, are, for this week, as follows: Ash Wednesday, 11 a. m., full service with sermon and Holy Communion.

Academy of Music. Miss Alberta Gallatin, the graceful, gifted and beautiful Virginia actress has decided to play here two nights. Thursday night she will appear in Shakespeare's matchless comedy, "As You Like It," and on Friday night in "Romeo and Juliet."

Fire. About half-past six o'clock yesterday evening, the alarm of fire was sounded, and the people and fire companies started in full career for Carr's lumber mill, whence the smoke proceeded.

Justice Delayed. In our last issue were published a few extracts from the press of the States which were disparaging to Mr. H. R. Thomas, the new appointee of Gov. Tillman as a member of the Railroad Commission.

Arrested for Forgery. Wm. P. Durant, formerly a postmaster at Manning, was arrested on 6th February, on a charge of forgery. Sometime ago E. H. Deas, deputy collector, signed a letter of credit to Smith & Company, a Philadelphia firm, for \$40 in favor of Durant who was then teaching in the free school at Concord, and wanting to buy books.

Water Works. Since our last issue the city Council has held a meeting and took under consideration, first, the water works contract. This has now been fully and finally agreed upon and the contract with H. O. Reed of New York confirmed.

Run Away on Main Street. On Monday afternoon police collected on Main Street were thrown into a fearful state of anxiety and consternation at the sight of a horse, maddened with fright, dashing up the street with a lady and baby in a buggy.

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Handsome Present. On Monday afternoon, as Maj. W. F. B. Haynsworth was quietly seated in his law office writing, a servant stepped in and presented him a note from Col. G. G. Manning, Esq., of this city.

McCaferly's Horse Sale. On Tuesday, February 17th, Charles McCaferly, the well known horse man will be in Sumter and have a sale of horses in his principal yard, with a good attendance of those who want stock.

Grippers, colds and bad weather are prevalent at Sumter. Nearly \$3,000 stock in the Masonic Temple Company has been subscribed.

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THE WATCHMAN AND SOUTHRON. WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11. NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Real Estate. Mrs. S. A. Lee—Notice. R. S. DeLoach—Notice. W. J. Dwyer—Fine Meats and Fish. W. L. Jove—Fine and Staple Groceries. Browns & Purdy—The Almighty Dollar.

Personal. Mr. Jno. K. Crosswell has gone to Woford College. Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Auld have returned to the city from New Orleans.

Mr. Louis Appelt, the Probate Judge at Manning, was in the city yesterday. Mr. S. B. Leatham, of the Latham House of Camden, was in the city on Monday.

Mr. H. Herndon Moore, of the Columbia bar, was in the city yesterday on legal business. Mr. A. F. Darby of Fort Motte was in the city on Monday visiting Mr. Goodwin Murray.

Miss H. H. Witkowski and L. E. Ledford, have left for Camden on a short visit. Mr. W. A. Pringle was called to Charleston Sunday by a telegram informing him of his father's illness.

Mr. T. S. Joye, of Joye & Sanders, Darlington, was in the city on Saturday and Sunday, accompanied by Mrs. Joye and the little boys.

Miss Jessie LeVed, daughter of Mr. N. S. McLeod, Swimming Pass, entered the Columbia Female College at the beginning of the second session last week.

Miss Amanda Thomas of Charleston, who has been visiting here, left for Charleston on Monday afternoon to visit friends at that place.

Capt. J. J. Wilcox, of Georgia, son-in-law of Mr. R. S. Bradford, is in the city, and will return in a few days, taking with him Mrs. W., who has been spending some time here.

Miss M. B. Bennett has returned from her visit to Georgetown accompanied by her friend, Miss Smith, whom many of our people met while on a visit to the family of Rev. R. F. Oliver, last year.

We are indebted to Mr. B. R. Nash for copies of several of the Memphis papers of February 5th. This indicates the safe arrival of our townsmen at that point.

The advance agent of the Alberts Gallatin Company has arrived in the city, and has engaged rooms for the company at Mrs. George Ross' residence. Miss Gallatin is said to be a cousin of Ex-President Buchanan.

Mr. H. G. Outen who has been on a visit to his home in this city for the past few weeks, returned on Saturday to Waynesboro, Ga., where he has been looking to remain and resume his position as Superintendent of the Hendricks Academy.

Mr. W. B. Gilliland, Senior partner in the new drug store of W. H. Gilliland & Co., arrived several days ago. Their store will soon be ready, and they are now preparing to open. Their prescription counter is the handsomest piece of work of the kind in the city. Like the medicines compounded there, counteracts the effects of indisposition. Look at it.

Mr. John M. Bradley, of Statesburg, who for some years past has been engaged in Railroad business in Marietta Ga., returned on Saturday for a visit of two weeks at his old home. He will be doubly welcomed this time as he brings with him Mrs. Bradley, who is very much missed on the hills where he was generally liked by all.

Mr. J. P. Coffin, of Florence, was in the city last week. He is one of the stockholders and incorporators of the Sumter Land and Improvement Company, and a leading spirit in the enterprise. Mr. Coffin paid us a pleasant visit and imparted to us some useful information. He is a man that has travelled a good deal and has had large experience in real estate matters. He says prospectively is not by any means too high on the contrary real estate is low.

Mr. J. W. Dargan, for several years past, Agent of the Atlantic Coast Line, at Florence, is in the city. He was formerly the assistant of Capt. Brand, at this point, and his advancement in the line of promotion in Bell Road business has been gradual but certain. Mr. Dargan's health has been quite indifferent and sometime ago the Company allowed him leave of absence for three months in the hope that he would recuperate, but Mr. Dargan has decided to resign his position and go to Dallas, Texas, where he has two brothers who have been successful in business.

LaGrippe. The gripe is now generally prevalent in the city. Several severe cases have been reported to us. Mr. Edwin P. Miller, of the Watchman and Southerner, is confined at home with a severe case of gripe, and two others of our force, W. J. McKee and John Miller, have just got out from a spell of the same.

Mrs. W. E. Mims is suffering from an attack of LaGrippe. N. G. Outen, Jr., is in the hands of the grip gripper. Dr. A. J. China is recovering a week's attack of the "grippe." He was on the streets today.

Mr. Benford Randall has been down for two weeks with LaGrippe. He was out today for the first time. Mr. John T. Green, Jr., has been trying for several days with varying success to get over a restriction from the Russian monster. Capt. T. B. Johnson has been quite ill, at his home near Mayesville, with gripe and pneumonia, but is now improving and out of danger.

Field's Minstrels. Al. Field's Minstrels were complimented by an unusually large house last Saturday evening. Their name and fame are too well known to need any comment at our hands. It is a splendid troupe and their disappointment about the show that it commenced too late and ended too soon.

A Warm Look Felt. A nice quiet place on a pleasant street where ladies from the country when they come to the city to shop, can rest and get a good lunch. There is a neat pretty little establishment next the W. & S. office on Liberty Street, just the place for a purchase. What some enterprising citizen take hold?

Tempted by a Trunk. Some time ago a drummer who held a N. E. R. R. check, No. 748, lost his trunk at the Coast Line depot in this city. It was supposed to have been stolen from the platform of the depot. The matter was put into the hands of Chief of Police Albert Weeks, and after working up the case, he found the trunk last night in the house of a colored man named Daniel Booth. Some of the things were also found in Angelina Nelson's house, a colored woman. Both of the parties live in the city.

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