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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 1891.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Brown & Chandler—Hesitation.

Funeral Invitation.

Personal.

Mr. B. R. Nash is in the city.

Mr. E. M. Dick, returned yesterday from a two weeks visit to Camden.

Mr. J. K. Blackman of the News and Courier was in the city yesterday.

Captain P. P. Gaillard will leave for a visit to his brother in Clarendon to-morrow.

Mr. Lewis L. Culett, of Baltimore, Md., is on a short visit to his sister, Mrs. Chas. W. Kingman.

Miss Mary M. DuBois, of Ridge Spring, Edgefield Co., spent last week in the city visiting friends.

Miss Rosa McCown who has been visiting friends in the city returned to her home in Darlington yesterday.

Mr. R. R. Williams, a nephew of Mrs. J. B. Carr, left on Monday evening for Poughkeepsie, New York, where he will take a course at the Poughkeepsie Business College.

Rev. Mr. Lester, pastor in charge at Carterville, was in town yesterday, on his way to attend the District Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Georgetown.

Capt. T. J. Whifton, of Florence, S. C., who is connected with the Atlantic Coast Line as Roadmaster, was in the city last week visiting his daughter, Mrs. Horatio D. Long.

Mr. J. R. Randall of Baltimore, the talented author of "New South," is in the city, under the name of "New South" in the Catholic Mirror a paper published in that city, which is in Sumter, last week.

The Lancaster public school, at which Miss R. E. Raffield has been teaching, having been closed, she returned to her home in Blomington, Williamsburg County, and is now teaching there.

Mr. Victor Pringle who has been teaching school at Doverville, Darlington County, has been obliged to leave for a while on account of ill health. Mr. Pringle has many warm friends here who regret to hear of his indisposition, and hope that he may be benefited by his vacation.

Mr. McDonald Furman is reported to have been successful in his attempt to secure the citizenship of Columbia could extend to him on the occasion of their Centennial week to accord him a seat near General Hampton and the privilege of hearing the old hero speak.

Hon. T. B. Fraser closed up the business of the Fourth Circuit at Marion last Friday, and returned home the next day for the usual vacation. The Judge's next work will be on the Fifth Circuit. He will leave about the 1st of June to hold Court at Camden.

Mr. A. H. Howlett, James A. Moore and C. M. Warren, of the News and Courier, were registered at the Jersey House last week. It is very gratifying to have gentlemen of such prominence and standing come among us, and so many kind words for Sumter.

Mr. W. J. Roddy, of Rock Hill, S. C., the General Agent of the Equitable Life Assurance Society for North and South Carolina, paid our city a flying visit last week. He is re-arranging his business for the new year. Mr. Roddy has appointed Mr. T. E. Richardson, sole agent for Sumter County. Mr. T. H. Dick, Jr., one of Mr. Roddy's champion agents, will however remain with us as a few days longer and assist Mr. Richardson in the noble work of organizing all persons the necessity of providing for the future welfare of their loved ones.

See Tim, 5th chapter 8th verse.

The following dated Dallas, February 14th, is from "Texas Notes" in the Insurance Herald, for March. The many friends of Milton do not doubt be glad to see this evidence of his success and popularity.

Milton Dargan, special agent of the Queen, gave a birthday party to a number of his friends in his home on Browder Street, the 21st inst. The dinner and its appointments were very elaborate and Mr. Dargan was the recipient of many costly presents. Among those present were: Mr. Post and Geo. W. Saffler, of the Niagara Street, Mr. A. M. Duffie, of the North Street; Geo. W. Jalonick, of the Continental; J. L. Wood, of the Home; Geo. J. Dexter, of the Western; Vernon Dargan, of the Home Mutual; J. T. Murphy, of the Phoenix; E. H. McInnis, of the Fireman's Fund, and Chas. L. Dexter.

Married.

Married on the 9th of April, 1891, by Rev. Wm. W. Wood, Clarence L. Tisdale and Annie J. McKinley, all of Sumter County, S. C.

Death.

Miss Maria Haysworth, sister of Maj. W. F. B. Haysworth, died at twelve o'clock last night after a brief illness, in about the 54th year of her age.

Mr. J. B. Carr has been given the contract to build the new residence of Messrs. Schwartz Bros., on the site of their former house, on Washington Street.

Mr. E. W. A. Bultman at an early day will commence the construction of his residence on the lot which he purchased last month from the Presbyterian Church.

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Those Brick Stores.

Mr. Isaac Schwark, acting for Mrs. Schwartz and her sister, Miss Lena Schwark, has commenced the work on two brick stores on their property at the corner of Main and Republic streets.

Mr. T. F. Morse, formerly of Foreston, and now of New York, died at his residence on Harris street about 2 o'clock last Sunday morning.

Mr. Thos. D. Durant, Jr., son of Mr. T. D. Durant, of Lynchburg, Va., died at his residence, last Saturday at the 20th year of his age.

One That Will Be Missed.

Old Mose Harrison is dead. That face and figure which has been a landmark in Sumter for about forty years will be sorely missed.

"A MISTAKE."

The account of the appointment of Col. Averill, General Manager, of the C. S. & N. R. R., published in the News and Courier and in the Watchman of last week, was not a mistake as our E. C. the Sumter Advertiser gratuitously asserts it. We obtained our information from Mr. Averill's own mouth.

Murderer Arrested.

Last Thursday afternoon LaFayette James, a tall one-eyed mulatto negro, was arrested at or near Wedgefield under a warrant of Criminal Justice Wilson, charging him with the murder of Adrianna Gadsden, at Sessions, Ga., on 28th of March.

Make Returns.

The Judge of Probate hereby makes use of printer's ink, and the hospitable columns of the W & S. for "a word to the wise."

New Dental Parlors.

Dr. E. Alva Solomon has had the large hall, over Brown's & Purdy's store transformed into three handsome dental parlors.

Job Lot Parasols and Ladies' Umbrellas at Ducker & Bultman.

Tennis.

The match game of tennis between the Sumter Institute Club and the Sumter Lawn Tennis Club, was played Monday afternoon on the grounds of the latter club.

Your Name in Stencil.

Prof. Powell has been doing a lively business in his art of stenciling. He works on the street, on Saturdays, and on business other days and does the work at the Mansion House.

Religious.

The religious meetings at the Baptist Church, mentioned in our last issue, are attracting much interest, and are well attended.

New Houses.

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TO CLOSE AT SIX.

WE THE UNDERSIGNED MERCHANTS agree to close our stores on and after MAY 1st, until SEPTEMBER 1st, at 6 o'clock, P. M., Saturdays excepted.

RYTTENBERG & SONS. BROWN & PURDY. ALTA MONT MOSS. LEVI BROS. DURANT & BELTZER. R. P. MORGAN. R. W. DURANT & SON. W. M. LENOIR. CHANDLER, SHAW & CO. DUCKER & BULTMAN. W. H. YATES. JOHN REID. SCHWERIN & CO. L. W. FOLSOM. BULTMAN & BRO. L. E. LEGRAND. B. J. BARNETT. BROWN & CHANDLER. O'DONNELL & CO. J. McRHOSE. CROSSWELL & CO. W. M. JASON. T. C. SCAFFE. J. FRANK PATE. L. W. JOYE. MISS CORLEEN MILLER, April 15.

IONIA, S. C., April 10, 1891.

We have had so much rain, that we could not compose our mind, and can't do much at it yet, never could. But this has been the spring for long-faced farmers, and we could not well help it either, seeing our relations being consumed, and the land so wet that we could not plough, and it still getting wetter.

It is enough, to make our faces long, for whether we are honest or not, we have to try and pay our debts, to keep our credit good.

Notwithstanding the gloom that we are all so well as usual. We have had them of all kinds. We will not all kinds for I expect that we will drive some more hard almost as hard as I do wish that they would go somewhere else, unless they were of the right kind.

We have been troubled more by life insurance agents than any other, for they would leave our houses, and almost as hard as I do wish that they would go somewhere else, unless they were of the right kind.

We are in hopes of making good crops this year, but I think it impossible, from the fact that very few farmers have been able to prepare their land as it should have been.

The land has been so water-soaked, that when it dries it will be hard almost as hard as I do wish that it broken it will be in clods.

Miss Rosa Besley is teaching a private school for us, which will continue until the middle of May.

Our Farmer is so well-known I will change to.

The Boston Musical Herald is one of the few musical journals of the country, edited by a writer of experience, which maintains a constantly dignified attitude in all its departments.

It is a critical and a trade paper. Editorially the Herald deals honestly and outspokenly with topics of the day, devoting space to subjects which attract the investigator in musical literature, science and aesthetics.

Its editors are Louis C. Elson, well known as lecturer, critic and correspondent, and George H. Wilson, the editor of "The Musical Year Book of the United States," and writer of the descriptive and analytical programs for the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

Mr. Elson is the critic of the "Boston Herald," and Wilson is the critic of the "Boston Herald" for some time made a specialty of recording all important happenings in music in the country, not merely as news items, but with a critical and artistic eye.

Articles by Edward Hanckel, the first in Europe and the wittiest. Hanckel's articles have never been translated into English with any regularity, and the Herald has gone to considerable expense to secure them.

Another department of the paper is the Review of New Music. The Herald is published monthly at the low price of one dollar, at Franklin Square, Boston, Mass.

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MASTER'S SALE.

State of South Carolina, COUNTY OF SUMTER, IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Sammel J. McFaddin, Assignee, Plaintiff, against Henry W. Mackey, William H. Mackey and others, Defendants.

BY VIRTUE of a Decreeal Order made in the above entitled cause and dated March 10th, 1891, I will sell at public auction in front of the Court House in the City of Sumter in said State, on Monday, 4th of May, 1891,—being Saturday,—between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, the following premises to wit:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the town (now city) of Sumter, in the County and State aforesaid, bounded on the North by lot of Sarah Durant; East by Manning Avenue or Road; South by lots of James Sharpe and M. Moise.

Terms of Sale—Cash. Purchaser to pay for titles. JOHN S. RICHARDSON, Master for Sumter Co., April 6, 1891.

MASTER'S SALE, State of South Carolina, COUNTY OF SUMTER, IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Gilbert Caney, Assignee, Plaintiff, against Joshua Cantey Defendant.

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That piece, parcel or lot of land, lying Southeast of the city of Sumter, in the County and State aforesaid, on the North side of a new cut road, leading from said city to Mrs. Sarah Jane Young's land in Sumter Township, containing one-fourth (1/4) of an acre, more or less, and bounded on the North by land now or formerly of Mrs. Susan E. McIlwain; on the East by land now or formerly of J. R. Tarleton; on the South by land now or formerly of J. Singleton; and on the Southwest by land sold to L. Shannon, being more particularly represented by a plat of the same made by J. D. McIlwain, D. S., dated 24th, of February, 1887 and attached to the deed of said land, made by Susan E. McIlwain, to Joshua E. Caney, dated 8th March and recorded in the office of the Register of Meuse Conveyances for Sumter County in the said State, in Book Z, at page 523, the said plat being recorded in said office in Book Z, at page 728.

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All our Calicoes, in fancy dress styles, Shirtings and Mournings at 5 cents, elsewhere at 6c. and 7 cents.

1 Case Fruit of the Loom Bleach, 36 inch, at 8 1/2 cents.

1 Case (Our own Brand) Bleach, 36 inch, at 8 cents worth 10 cents.

Another Lot Toille Du Nord Gingham, at 10 cents, sold elsewhere at 12 1/2 cents.

Zephyr Worsteds, at 6 cents Ounce.

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Also Plain White Lawns, from 5 cents up, Great Values.

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\$2.60.

Suit - - - - - \$1.35

Hat - - - - - .35

Flannel Shirt - - - - - .30

Windsor Tie - - - - - .10

Undershirt - - - - - .25

Half hose - - - - - .10

Suspenders - - - - - .15

Total \$2.60.

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