

We publish the following circular, as it contains information of considerable interest at the present time.

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The South would authorize.

The accession of Georgia, the Empire State of the South, to the Constitutional amendment in regard to slavery renders the position of Alexander Johnson impracticable. He has offered his resignation to the Southern States, which will follow the lead of Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia, &c.

The New York Times had supported, until Thursday last, the supposed views of the President in favor of the admission of members from the States lately, but no longer, alienated, but that day its tone was changed—a fact which signified to the Virginia Education here the falling of any hope for their admission. The President's message, however, does not intend to pose for admission, but have little doubt of ultimate recognition.

The message shows that Jefferson Davis will certainly be brought to trial before a Civil Court, and a special law is prepared in relation to the holding of a Court in the United States, so as to obviate any obstacle to a trial. One objection to a trial, the message says, is to "settle the question judicially, finally and forever, that no State, of its own will, has the right to renounce its place in the Union."

It has been remarked, hereupon, in some quarters, that the fact being submitted that there was an insurrection in the State, and that the President is a constitutional question to be settled as to the right of States to secede, there is no treason in the case.

The President's Message is approved by all moderate and sensible men. Some persons expected him to fight "wildhills" on the Monroe Doctrine; some thought he would ally himself with the Fenians, in favor of the "Republic of Ireland"; and others that he would resign his office, in disapproval, unless the restoration of the South should be immediately completed by the admission of all Southern members elect.

Congress will not take up any leading measures for consideration and action till after the holidays. The business session will not commence till after the middle of January. The Senators Moore, Sherman, Wade project for reconstruction or mal-construction will not till then be matured and reported upon.

The resignation of Benjamin F. Butler, which was tendered to the War Department a few days since, was promptly accepted to-day. This announcement creates sensation here to-day.

In the Senate, Mr. Wilson presented a petition from the colored people of the District of Columbia, asking the right of suffrage. It was referred to the appropriate Committee.

Mr. Moses presented a petition from New York merchants, asking the restoration of certain rights, relative to the Florida coast, foreign banks and commerce.

Mr. Washburn was appointed Chairman of a Committee to report on the death of Mr. Lincoln.

A resolution was offered making an earnest declaration against monarchical despotism in Mexico, and instructing the Committee on Foreign Affairs as to what measure were necessary on the part of the United States to secure to the people of Mexico their rights as members of a Republican Government.

A resolution was passed allowing on the floor members of the States lately in rebellion.

THE WEEKLY HERALD.

NEWBERRY, S. C.

Wednesday Morning, December 29, 1865.

Mr. Thos. F. Harmon will accept our thanks for late copies of New York papers.

The length of the President's Message excited a great variety of other interesting matter.

The article "Visit to E. by a Voyageur," marvellously crowded out this week, will appear in the next issue.

Our thanks are due, and are hereby tendered the Greenville & Columbia Railroad Company, and its very efficient and courteous officers for complimentary favors.

The Newberry District Medical Association, met and organized on the 4th of December. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Dr. P. Ruf, President, Dr. J. McIntosh, Secretary, and Dr. S. Pope, Treasurer.

Intermission.

In accordance with long established usage the printers of this office claim a holiday for Christmas, therefore, there will be no paper issued next week. The next number will appear on the third of January.

A New Volume

Will commence with the next number of the Herald (3d of January), and no better time perhaps, than the commencement of a new volume is there for a subscription to begin. Commence with the new year and the new volume, you who are not already subscribers, and you will have a complete file that may be always referred to with interest. Subscribe at once, we do not keep back numbers.

Renew your Subscriptions.

Renew your subscriptions, clear off arrears, both for subscription and advertising, and commence with a clean balance sheet for the new year; advice, which, if followed, will afford the most intense satisfaction, the deepest joy, and the liveliest gratitude.

Chancellors and Law Judges.

The following is the result of the election by the Legislature:

Chancellors—Hon. W. Johnson, of Marlboro; Hon. Henry D. Lesene, of Charleston.

Law Judges—Hon. F. J. Moses, of Sumter; Hon. A. P. Africh, of Darwell; Hon. T. N. Dawkins, of Union.

The temper of the radical members of Congress is moderating. The leading Northern Journals too, are more or less in abeyance to the President's policy. However, foreign affairs are complicated, and it would not be surprising if the United States were to drift into war with France or England or both of those powers.

Cotton is advancing in the New York Market. Latest quotation 49 to 50.

AGRICULTURE, December 9.—The cotton market quiet, yesterday, no transactions of importance to note. Prices about the same. The demand for gold was moderate, and there are large lots on the market. Brokers buying at 17 and selling at 18. In the produce market, beef, 5c; butter, 25 a 40; chickens, 50 a 60 a pair; corn, 1.00 a ducks, 1.00 a pair; eggs, 50; fowls, 2.25 a 2.50; geese, 2.50 a pair; hay, 2.00; mutton, 2.25 a head; sweet potatoes, 75; pork, 12; peas, 1.20; pork sausage, 55; turkeys, 2.50 a pair. The market is well stocked, and the continued arrival of country produce must cause a downward tendency.

MILWAUKEE, December 11, 1865.

The Georgia State Senate passed a Bill relating to contracts between masters and servants. Contracts for over six months must be in writing. The bond to be from sunrise to sunset; the servants to be responsible for damage to the property of their employers; wages to be forfeited by leaving; the employer may discharge servants for disobedience, drunkenness, immorality, want of respect, leaving his service, enticing servants away; misdemeanor to be punishable by a fine of five hundred dollars or by imprisonment for four months.

Legislative.

By Mr. Townes—A Bill to protect the property of married women from debt, contracts and liabilities of the husband, and to secure their separate estates in the same.

Mr. J. H. Williams—A Bill to amend an Act entitled "An Act to lend the name and credit of the State to the Greenville and Columbia Railroad Company, in the re-adjustment of their debt," and to partially release the lien of the State on the property of the said company.

The special order—a Bill to regulate the collection of debts in this State, a bill to amend the law known as the stay law, and a bill to extend relief to debtors, and to prevent the sacrifice of property at public sales—were discussed, amended and made the special order for Monday.

EXTRAVAGANT.—The wife of Maximilian, of Mexico, recently reviewed the Mexican troops in a carriage that cost \$10,000. It was constructed entirely of glass and silver, and the inside was lined with white satin and gold lace.

It is believed that Col. Childs will purchase the Columbia Canal. He proposes to go into manufacturing on an extensive scale.

Randall Hunt is elected Senator from Louisiana.

G. W. Gale, who offered \$100,000 for the assassination of Mr. Lincoln, has given bonds to appear when called for.

To the Public.

The committee appointed to arrange a Fee bill for the observance of the members of the Newberry District Medical Association, beg leave to propose the following rates and estimates upon a gold and silver standard:

Mileage in day time, 50 cts per mile
at night, \$1 " "

Medicines charged for according to value,
Office Prescription, - - - \$1 00
Visit in town, - - - 1 00
Prescription, - - - 1 00
Obstetrics, - - - \$20 to \$50 00
Bleeding, - - - 50 " "
Cupping, - - - 50 " "
Leeching, - - - 50 " "
Blistering, - - - 1 00 " "
Gonorrhoea, } In advance, - 20 00
Syphilis, }
Extra patients—prescription, - 50 " "

The charges are to be paid in cash, or its equivalent at the expiration of the services. In relation to the Freedmen, the Physician will exercise his discretion, as well as in such other cases as will require a reduction of charges on account of poverty.

We, the undersigned Physicians of the Newberry District Medical Association, do hereby adopt the above rates of charges:

O. B. Todd, J. W. McCandys,
O. C. Myer, Wm. C. McCall,
Sampson Pope, A. B. Pitts,
B. F. Watkins, D. C. Glenn,
W. T. McCall, J. M. H. Ruff,
G. W. Garmann, T. B. Kernerly,
C. H. Soudley, James McIntosh.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

OVER THE WAY.—Look out children and folks generally. You will need many articles during the next week, all of which can be found by calling on Dr. G. W. Harmon. The attractions at his show window are variously beautiful and irresistible, and the dispenser of these favors—Jimmy—is as happy as a *hog* to see them, in that he is able to confer happiness on others.

A MESS.—It is our luck to be always getting into some kind of a mess, and sometimes an ugly little of it is the result, this time, however, "nobody is hurt," as the matter turns out, it is only a mess of curries, kindly deposited at this office one day last week, with the request that by no means must they be noticed, and neither will we. This is not intended as a notice, and if they were presented by our good friends, it is only between ourselves, and nobody need be the wiser.

CHRISTMAS IS COMING.—Yes, Christmas is coming! long looked for by the little folk; it is almost here. And little hearts are swelling with expectation of the delights which are in store for them. Stockings will be hung and bags too, all to be filled with goodies and pretties, for that kindest of all of all fathers, old Kris-kringle, not representative Chris—but old Kris Kringle, or Santa Claus. It is a pleasure to us to be able to tell the little ones that he is on the way, and that though the roads are awfully muddy and heavy, he will be here all in good time. Bad roads cannot stop his wagon, although it is loaded with him with the kindest assortment, pretties of things, some of which not being able to go in the wagon he has crammed into his very large pockets. The jingle of his bells has been heard, merrily sounding in the distance. So look out little folk. Go to sleep early on Christmas eve, hang up your stockings before going to sleep, and wake up soon in the morning, and the first thing you do, look into your bag, and what fun and wonder you will have.

While out this A. M. we were stopped by our friend and pitcher B. after a very cordial shake of hands, he, we understand, we asked him how this country could be saved. He replied with some spirit, "why go to Risser or Packer's store, and buy tickets for the 'grand old enterprise,'" the best thing of the season. Attention is called to the card of Messrs. Archibald Getty & Co., wholesale dealers, shipping, commission and forwarding merchants, Charleston. This is a responsible firm, and its interest and value to the business community, is much enhanced by the influence of Mr. W. F. Nance, who represents the house.

Mr. T. F. Harmon has just returned from the North with a handsome stock of dry and fancy goods, groceries, &c. He offers them for sale at reduced prices at his place, one mile and a half west of Bush River Church, Newberry Dist.—see advertisement.

Our old friends, W. J. Duffie and John A. Chapman, it will be seen by an advertisement in another column, will open a new Book Store in this place, on or about the first of January. We wish them success.

We invite attention to Messrs. Miller & Thompson's advertisement. It will be seen that they have just received a very large and fresh stock of boots, shoes, valises, umbrellas, &c.

Messrs. Wiskeman & Ring have on hand a choice stock of family groceries, of every description, also salt in abundance. Give them a call.

The Spring term of the Greenville Female College will begin first February, '66, under favorable auspices. C. H. Judson, President.

Lands for rent, on 1st Monday in January. A portion of the house place, of the late Hon. J. B. O'Neill. On the same is a good mill.

Amly Wicker is prepared for Christmas, and will entertain Santa Claus, Kris Kringle or "any other man."

McMette, with I. M. Suber & Co., advertise their stock of boots, shoes, hats, &c., as now complete.

Auction Sale—personal property of the late Dr. T. B. Rutherford, second December, inst. Cot. torn, corn, &c.

Capital investment—steam saw and grist mill on C. & G. R. R., 12 miles west of Newberry. T. & J. F. Parker.

Merchants and others will perceive that A. L. Solomon is the agent for the tobacco line between Columbia and Charleston.

See Webb & Lovelace's cards—"outfits" for gentlemen, ready made clothing, &c. Also Liverpool call.

King's Mountain Military School, at Yorkville. Excercises commence January 16th, 1866. Its distinguished character is its best reference.

Mad. Sosnowski's justly celebrated Institute for young ladies commences on the 15th of January.

J. S. Bird, Jr., & Co., com. merchants and dealers in grain, hay, &c., Charleston, S. C.

Clas. L. Guilleaume, Charleston, dealer in groceries, haggling, rope, dry goods, &c.

Clas. L. Guilleaume, Charleston, factor, shipbroker, and general merchant.

Webb & Lovelace will purchase any quantity of dried peaches.

Mr. Matthew Hall has 5000 choice peach trees for sale. Now is the time to transplant.

Fine brood mare to be sold or exchanged for a mule. Apply to H. Lovelace.

Mrs. Foot has a fine stock of goods suitable for Christmas.

Guitar and violin strings—at Miller & Thompson.

Guitar and violin strings, hair for fiddle, bows, bridges and other appendages for Guitars and violins, to be had at Dec. 29-30-31. MILLER & THOMPSON'S.

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YORKVILLE, S. C.

THE exercises of the ELEVENTH YEAR of this well known Institution will begin on the 15th of JANUARY, 1866. The usual instruction in TACTICS AND DRILL will be omitted until the State is definitely restored to her political status.

Terms—For First Session of five (5) months—Tuition, Board, Fuel, Lights, Washing and Books, \$125.00, in advance.

Pupils are required to furnish their own Towels, Pillow Cases, Sheets and Blankets, for Cot Mattress.

For further information apply to Surviving Principal and Proprietor. Dec 29, 30, 31

MAD' ME SOPHIA SOSNOWSKI'S

INSTITUTE for Young Ladies, opposite Charleston Railroad Depot, Columbia, S. C.

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A. GETTY, E. A. SOUDER, S. T. SOUDER.

Archibald Getty & Co.,

WHOLESALE DEALERS, SHIPPING, COMMISSION, AND FORWARDING MERCHANTS, 126 AND 128 MEETING STREET, WASHINGTON, 53 AND 55 HASEL STREET, Charleston, S. C.

REPRESENTED BY MR. W. F. NANCE. Dec 29, 30, 31

Peaches Wanted.

ANY quantity of BRINED PEACHES will be purchased by WEBB & LOVELACE. Dec 29, 30, 31

THE ASSORTMENT OF Boots, Shoes, HATS, & C., AT THE STORE OF I. M. SUBER & CO., Is Now Full and Complete!

To which particular attention is requested. We are satisfied that an examination will be satisfactory. I. M. SUBER & CO.

TO MY OLD FRIENDS & CUSTOMERS.

Being connected with the above establishment, I take this opportunity to return thanks for a liberal past patronage, and extend an invitation to my many friends to renew and cultivate their business acquaintance with me. From a long experience in the shoe business, I feel confident in being able to give satisfaction. Dec. 29-30-31. McD. METTS.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS. THE STOCK OF DRY GOODS, Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps, AND FANCY ARTICLES, IS OF THE FULLEST DESCRIPTION, ADDITIONS TO WHICH ARE BEING CONSTANTLY MADE. Besides which the line of GROCERIES, Is quite large and full.

Which will be disposed of at most reasonable rates.

Jobbers and country merchants will find it to their advantage to call on me and examine my stock. Dec 29 30 M. FOOT.

WISKEMAN & RING, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCERS,

KEEP constantly on hand every thing usually found in a first class Family Grocery. We are prepared to supply the citizens of the town, the district and the up-country with choice fresh goods at satisfactory prices. Our stock consists in part of sugars, tea, coffee, cheese, crackers, spices, mackerel, sardines, lard, soap, soda, candles, matches, tobacco, cigars, salt, apples, cabbage, &c. Indeed, we cannot enumerate the articles. Just give us a call for whatever you want in the grocery line. Dec. 29-30-31.

BOOK STORE.

THE Subscribers propose shortly to resume their old business in this place, and about the first of January will open up a select stock of BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

From a considerable experience in the above business, they believe they can give satisfaction. Teachers are particularly requested to give them a trial in the purchase of School Books and School Stationery. JOHN A. CHAPMAN, Newberry C. H., Dec. 29, '65. 52 2

Grand Gift Enterprise! FOR CHRISTMAS! A Prize for Every Chance! 50 Chances at Four Dollars Each!

Prizes to be Drawn by Lottery!

THIS Raffle will come off at the store of C. W. Parker, on Christmas Day, at 11 o'clock. To be managed by disinterested parties. Tickets for sale at the store of A. M. Risser and C. W. Parker. Newberry C. H., S. C.

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Who are expected to make a RUSH on this establishment for

Nice Things, Good Things, Sweet Things, Fancy Things, And Elegant Things,

Santa Claus,

THE CHILDREN'S FRIEND,

And great grand uncle of A. M. WICKER, will open the choicest assortment of

Christmas Fancies,

Ever seen before, for Little children, big children, mothers, fathers, uncles and aunts, who are all cordially invited to attend the

GREAT CHRISTMAS SALES!

Decidedly the most attractive in many years; which will commence with this day, and close only when the articles are all disposed of. Dec 29 30 A. M. WICKER.

NEW GOODS.

The undersigned having just returned from New York with a very large and complete and handsome Stock of Goods, which he selected with great care, and purchased at reasonable rates, offers them for sale, at his place, 2 miles west of Bush River Church, at prices as low as they can be purchased anywhere. A trial is all that is asked, to prove that the Goods and Prices will suit everybody:

The stock consists in part of a

SELECT QUALITY

of

Calicoes, Merinos, Delaines, Muslins, Alpaca, Long-cloth, Velvet, Sheeting, Shawls, Broad-cloth, Blankets, French Corsets, Dalmoras, Hoisery and Cravats, Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs, Hats and Caps, Silk and Kid Gloves, Combs and Brushes, Hoop Skirts and Flannels, Bombazine, Jaconet, Gingham, Worsted Goods, Ladies' Cloth Cloaks, Leather and Silk Belts, Ladies' Collars and Cuffs, Paper Collars, Shirt Fronts, spool cotton, needles, hair-pins, &c.

Perfumery, Cutlery, Crockery, Shoes and Boots, Hardware, Tin-ware, Groceries, Toys and Confectionary.

We will buy all country produce, and pay cash or exchange goods for the same. We will also buy and pay the highest market price for cotton. Any one wishing to ship their cotton to Charleston, New York or Liverpool, can do so by application to us. We will make advancements on shipments from Charleston.

T. F. Harmon,

Near Bush River Church. December 29 30 31

TO OWNERS AND SHIPPERS OF COTTON, NAVAL STORES, YARNS, ETC.

Charles L. Guilleaume, FACTOR, SHIPPING AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,

Office 143 Meeting-Street, Directly Opposite Hayne-Street, CHARLESTON, S. C.

WILL MAKE LIBERAL ADVANCES ON Consignments through his friends.

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His facilities for insurance cover Cotton, &c., all the way through, by land and sea, from any point at lower rates by floating policies than can be effected here.

PRODUCE bought and sold here to fill orders; at market rates, giving owners the opportunity of selling here or shipping.

Consignments solicited, to which I will give my personal attention, and returns made in currency, gold or foreign exchange. Dec 29, 30-31.

GROCERIES,

BAGGING & ROPE, DRY & FANCY GOODS, MILLINERY GOODS, YANKEE NOTIONS &c.

Full and large assortment now in store, and constantly receiving. For sale at Lowest Market Prices, at wholesale.

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DEALERS IN GRAIN, HAY AND OTHER PRODUCE, CORNER CHURCH AND TRADD STS. CHARLESTON, S. C.

Country Produce received and returns made in Merchandise or Money. Dec 29 30

SLEYS! SLEYS!

LOOK OUT Weavers and secure a supply of Good Sleys, while you can, if you want to make Good Cloth. You can get a wide or narrow, coarse or fine Sley, of the following numbers, 700, 800, 500, 400, and also a 500 for weaving carpets, &c. Come soon as this is a rare chance to get Sleys. A. M. RISER. Dec. 29