

Gen. Sickles vs. Whiskey.

The distillation or manufacture of Whiskey or other spirits from grain, by the timely order of Gen. Sickles, is prohibited in this Military District...

Public Meeting at Camden.

The Camden Journal contains a notice of a public meeting held at Camden, on Saturday, the 18th inst., by invitation of a portion of the colored people of that town.

These gentlemen were followed by several colored speakers, amongst them, Rev. Ben. Lawson, whose speech the Journal says, was "characterized by strong sense, excellent feeling, good taste and judgment, and great originality and humor."

A Suggestion—Help your Neighbors.

It has been suggested to us that we make a public appeal to the citizens of this district, and urge upon them the necessity of a regular and systematic administering of contributions of food to the suffering ones in this district...

Gen. Wagener's Address.

Delivered at Darlington, upon the subject of Immigration, is a terse and comprehensive paper, and contains some interesting statements on the subject of manufacturing.

The initial steps in the scheme of immigration are the most difficult. Our people must not be too anxious to realize immediate profits and personal interests, but rather work for general and ultimate good, by offering inducements for immigration...

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reminds us of the song of the man who, fed upon "bitter milk and whey, fainted all day." But give him "bacon and eggs, then look out for your legs," as he wields the scythe blade.

The State must foster immigration and the industrial pursuits, and supply herself with manufactured goods; also horses, sheep, swine, provisions, &c.

Houston (Texas) Journal—Daily and Weekly.

We have received copies of the above fine papers—published by Diamond, Jones & Co., Editors and Proprietors. We are glad to learn that crop prospects are flattering.

The Galaxy for June.

Contains three full-page illustrations and the following articles: The German Cotton, by George D. Budd; Bismarck (with a portrait), by Charles W. Elliott; Solitude and Democracy, by Eugene Benson; a sketch of Dejazet, the French Soubrette; A Norse Love Story, by Richard Grant White; The Legend of Amansuet, by W. L. Alden; Torturing Words, by George Wakeman; American Painters, by Russell Sturgis, Jr.; Nebulae, by the Editor, and other articles; besides fresh instalments of Waiting for the Verdict and Steven Lawrence, Yeoman.

The price of the Galaxy is \$3.50 a year; two copies for \$6. Single copies 30 cents. For \$4 the Galaxy will be sent for one year, together with a copy each of Archie Lovell, by Mrs. Edwards, and The Claverings, by Anthony Trollope, both books illustrated. Address W. C. & F. P. Church, No. 29 Park Row, New York.

Phrenological Journal.

Renan, author of the "Life of Christ," Hon. E. C. Seranton; Miss Mubiback author of "Josephus II. and his Court," Madame Pfeiffer, author of Fanchon, the Cricket; Phrenological Theory of Man's Organization—Metaphysical Absurdities; Shakespeare's Supernatural Characters; How to talk to Ladies; Plain Words with Big Boys; Aboriginal Legends of America; the Gospel Among Animals, by Rev. Dr. Osgood; Health at Home; Whom to Elect; Our next President; Our National Military System—The Navy; Pope's Essay on Man, given in the Phrenological Journal for June; now ready. A New Volume begins with the next number. Three dollars a year; single copies thirty cents. Address S.R. Wells, 389 Broadway, N. Y.

The Sumter News.

This valuable State exchange will be published hereafter every Saturday, instead of on Tuesday. We compliment Messrs. Darr & Osteen on the fine appearance of their paper. They have won merited success.

Richmond Type Foundry.

We have received a specimen copy of the type cast at the above foundry, by Messrs. H. L. Polozne and Co. They are of beautiful design and finish.

AN UNFORTUNATE AFFAIR.—We regret to state that a very melancholy and unfortunate affair occurred in the neighborhood of Clinton, at the residence of the deceased, on last Saturday evening, which resulted in the death of Elias Compton. It seems that some family difficulty had occurred, creating a rencounter between the deceased and his wife's brother, John M. Thompson, a youth, who was living with them, in which the deceased was stabbed several times with a pocket knife by his brother-in-law, from the effects of which he died on Sunday evening. The affair is deeply regretted on all sides. Young Thompson gave himself up to the Sheriff. A motion was made before Judge Davis, on Tuesday last, for bail, and was granted, on a bond of \$10,000. The deceased leaves a widow and several small children.—Laurensville Herald.

RAILROAD FACILITIES.—We are enabled to state authoritatively, that the trains of the Greenville Company will be run over the Blue Ridge road in a few days. This arrangement will inaugurate a wholesome reduction in the passenger fare and rates of freight—the effect of which is to be favorably felt throughout our District, and portions of Georgia and North Carolina. We also congratulate Walhalla on the opportunity offered her of securing a large and profitable trade.—Pickens Courier.

Alabama is taking her stand in the rank of gold producing States. The Philadelphia mint, the other day, assayed and tested gold of a very fine quality, sent from Autauga County, about in the middle of the State. This is in direct South-west range with the gold belt extending through Northern Georgia, South Carolina, Virginia and Maryland.

PERSEVERES IN WELL DOING.—Bonner has recommended his old style of Ledger advertising. The New York Tribune of the 9th contains a page of what the press says of Bonner and his enterprise. At that date Bonner claimed to have sold 350,000 copies of the Ledger containing the first chapters of Beecher's story.—Press.

LOCAL ITEMS.

We learn that the entertainment, given last week in aid of Aveligh (Presbyterian) Church, was an elegant affair, and proved quite a success. The gross amount realized was three hundred and fifty dollars.

Wox's Do.—Our correspondent, "H," is respectfully requested to send his "machine" to the Helena workshops that it may be put in good order before undertaking another job of rhythm. The "string" sent us this week is declined, as loose and rickety in the extreme.

TEMPERANCE MEETINGS.—The reader will bear in mind that the regular monthly meeting of the Newberry T. A. Society will be held in the Court House, on Friday evening the 31st. Interesting addresses may be expected, and a large attendance requested.

The meeting advertised for Mount Pleasant Church will take place on Saturday morning, the 1st of June, and will be addressed by the Rev. W. S. Black, Judge J. Y. Pope, and others. The public are requested to attend.

NOISY BUT ALL RIGHT AT LAST.—The quiet of this locality was much stirred on last Saturday by an unusually hoarse and terrible roaring or rather blowing. Some supposed that a whale had been driven by the last storm up our little Bush river and from thence to Scott's creek, where it runs through the railroad embankment, and was there spouting its last, but on rushing to the spot it was ascertained to be the engine of the Laurens railroad, which had at last made a run through. Its terrible whistling was excusable therefore, after so long a silence. We trust however that it will use more moderation in future, as the fact of its safe passage through is already known and recognized, and the hope entertained that regular trips will now be made between this town and Laurens. The travelling public will be rejoiced to hear of the completion of the repairs on this road.

PERSONAL.—We had the pleasure of a visit last week from Capt. Jas. Hoyt, editor of the Anderson Intelligencer, who was en route to the paternal roof at Laurens. The Captain we found in good health, and the proprietor of a charming companion, and also a very excellent miniature edition of himself and lady, in the shape of a 'fat tuck' about six months old. We compliment him on his valuable acquisitions, and wish the happy pair a shower of similar blessings occasionally. His paper, or papers rather, the Intelligencer and Carolina Baptist, deserve the large patronage bestowed upon them; they are ably conducted and sustained.

The 'Plain Colonel', Mr. T. P. Sluder, Esq., formerly connected with the Press of this place, is a visitor here from Charleston, and a representative of the interests of the Press of that city. We never saw him looking better, and account for it on the ground of his high living, and the hope of reconstruction. The ravages made on his person by the six years' Confederate ordeal have entirely disappeared, and he stands to-day, 'by the gods,' a fresher and better looking man than ever. We regret that the blind pianist, whom many of our readers will remember, as having shed bitter tears at not being able to see him, in the old lang syne, is not with us, for he could, were he here now, weep, by St. Jago, with better reason and propriety, for the wonderful improvement in the Colonel's figure and style, which time has effected. May his shadow increase, and his favorite 'golds' take care of him to the end.

THANKS.—"The man who hath not music in his soul is fit for treason, stratagems and spoils," but he who lacks gratitude, or a proper appreciation of the little amenities, sweet courtesies, and small favors, such as for instance, invitations to weddings, pic nics, and frolics, or messes of early beans, big potatoes, ditto beets, strawberries, May cherries, and other garden productions, is fit for crimes of greater magnitude, that is if he be of that much favored class—an editor! For, "If there be a crime Of deeper die than all the guilty train, Of human vices, 'tis ingratitude." "Lives there a man with soul so dead," who feels no knocking at his ribs, nor swelling beneath his vest, when made the recipient of a friendly favor, a gift with "the compliments of the season?" No! twenty times no! and again no, scarcely; that is, we are unacquainted with such an one, he lives not here. We are not, and would rather he dead, or never have been born. Small favors invariably from us elicit large thanks. For instance the last favor received, this Spring one year ago, in the shape of a Strawberry, was noticed very becomingly, and will ever be remembered. True it was not a mess, but perhaps it was the only one left, and though we thought it a pity to send it singly and alone, yet the kindness was felt. It was the widow's mite, perhaps. Since that period we have not had occasion to go into ecstasies, but nevertheless feel that should the occasion offer full justice shall be done; it is in us, and will come out. As a public character our position is defined, and we believe that gratitude is one of our virtues.

P. S.—We regret having forgotten a mess of kroust, received in the interim. It was capital, and had the regulation odor. Thanks.

FORGOT TO PAY HIS BILL.

An individual, hailing from the buckleberry State, about the region of Fayetteville, and registering as J. D. Williams, in a fit of absent mindedness, left his bed and board at the hotel on Tuesday morning, after a sojourn of four days, without settling his bill. The proprietor would have given chase, but that the gentleman left so early in the morning, and before the worthy proprietor had chased the slumber from his eyes. He recommends his brother hotel keepers to be on the qui vive for him, and as a public benefactor, feeling an interest in his welfare, and fearing some mishap may befall him, offers a reward of \$5 for his apprehension. He is described as a small man, dark skinned, black eyes, iron grey mustache and wearing dark clothes, taken all together, and in connection with his conduct, a dark individual. Had very little to say, and carries with him two school satchels, made of jeans, as baggage, contents unknown. His conduct while at the hotel was mysterious and gave rise to the suspicion that he may be one of those 'philanthropic' lecturers on the situation.

MORE SPICE.—"Oft in the stilly night," "When stars are in the quiet sky," and the "Silver Moon" is rolling majestically along, we think of the many who are "Sitting on a Stile," perhaps "Waiting for the Wagon" to convey them to a "Cottage by the Sea," or plaintively sighing they have "No one to Love none to Care," or in despair wishing they could land on "The other side of Jordan." We pity their sad condition, and would console them, hence another dish of spice; 'twill do for both sexes. Laugh and grow fat, and "don't be foolish Joe," the same advice will do for "Gentle Annie," "Rosa Lee," or the "Widow Mc Cree."

BLACK EYES. Oh, give me the dark black eye, The eye that sparkles and flashes For a thousand witcheries that lie In the shade of its raven lashes. The languishing eye of blue Is all too slow in its wooing. For an angel it may do, But not for a man's undoing. The glance of a dark, black eye, Like a sunbeam, warm and glowing From your head to your heart will fly, And you're gone ere you think you are going. Then, hush! for the dark black eye! That carries the heart by storming. The blue one may waken a sigh, But the heart gets tired while it's warming. The poet here only saw through eyes darkly, and is not so much to blame. He was a "goner" early in the fight, and fell a victim to love at first sight, poor fellow. To this local there's witchery in 'em all, no matter the color, black, blue, grey or hazel, all are equal to a man's undoing.

Since butter has become so very dear, a receipt has been prepared for an admirable substitute: Marry a nice, good girl, and when she presides at table you will not require any butter.

A young lady recently married was taken home by her lord to nurse his sick mother. Mother died; and the dutiful, sympathizing daughter thus expressed her grief, at a small tea party, a few evenings after: "Oh dear!" said she, "how much I miss my poor, dear mother! Why it seems to me I can see her now, just as she used to sit at the breakfast table, reaching out her fork for the best potato!" "Why don't you get married?" said a young lady the other day to a bachelor friend. "I have been trying for the last ten years to find some one who would be silly enough to have me," was the reply. "I guess you haven't been up our way," she smilingly said.

Just so, we stick to it that the girls are all right on the gender question.

The Evansville Journal says that a man came very near being killed in that city, recently, by breaking the button off his shirt collar. He crossed the street near by to ask a woman for a pin to fasten the collar, and she, thinking he meant to insult her, alarmed her husband, who rushed out with a load pistol, hot for vengeance.

Save us from buttonless shirts. Make a note of it ladies, and by all means keep your husbands well buttoned.

A traveller, we won't say who, stopped at a country hotel, we won't say where, and passed a night, leaving an under garment behind him. Writing to the landlady to return him the missing garment, he received the following reply: "My gentle sir, pray don't feel hurt; I'll frankly tell you all about it, I've made a shift of your old shirt, and you may make a shift without it."

"If you ever marry," said a Roman Consul to his son, "let it be one who has sense enough to superintend the setting of a meal of victuals, taste enough to dress herself, pride enough to wash before breakfast, and sense to hold her tongue when she has nothing to say."

An old curmudgeon. The Count of Flanders gave his wife \$300,000 worth of diamonds as a marriage present. He is what the ladies call a "brilliant" man. A gem of the first water. Thirteen old maids recently assembled at a tea-party whose combined ages were nearly a thousand years.

Bachelors should be taxed for this and either driven to matrimony or suicide.

The last case of jealousy is that of a lady who discarded her lover, a sea captain, because he hugged the shore.

It was Jane Shore she hugged we think her perfectly right.

The following is the pay for local reporting on some of the New York papers: The Tribune employs fifteen reporters at an average salary of \$23 per week; the Herald twenty-three at an average of \$17; the Times a bitter opponent of the interests of working men, ten reporters at \$23 per week average; the Sun (a rampant advocate of the labor movement) five men at an average of twelve dollars; the Post four, at \$23 average; the World eight at an average of \$13; and the Express six, at an average of nine dollars.

ENTERPRISING.

We learn that one of our most enterprising merchants designs driving a "two in hand" and for that purpose has rented the new store next to Dr. Gouin's establishment, and will open about Monday next a large and elegant assortment of Gents and Youths clothing. We merely give a hint that the public may be prepared for the opening, as the proprietor will, in a few days, blow a blast through the Herald which will convince the most skeptical of his ability to clothe the people.

LOOK.—We direct the vision of our readers to the new advertisements of Mr. and Mrs. Mower, who have in their new and commodious store room a large and varied assortment of goods, such as Millinery, dry goods, groceries, &c., and all of late and fresh importation. Their stock is certainly of the completest character. Wend your way therefore reader to the corner, and make an examination, it will cost you nothing to do so.

LEE—not Gen. Lee, but barber Lee, under auspices of Mr. Chase, the popular proprietor of the Newberry Hotel, has opened a shop for tonsorial and barber purposes in the above building and solicits a call from gentlemen. Lee is said to be a capital hand at a shave and at his profession generally. Look in at him.

TOY SMILES.—The hotel bar-room will from this date dispense to the thirsty for a small pecuniary consideration in cash, all characters of food beverages. The attentive bar-keeper will "smash" you and should the operation not be satisfactory, call for a "cooler." Advice gratis.

Latest Items. LONDON, May 27.—There is question whether the death sentences of the Fenian convicts will be carried out or not. It engrosses public attention, and the press of England and Ireland generally urge that the sentences be commuted to imprisonment for life. It is said that Minister Adams will interpose to save McClure from the scaffold.

DUBLIN, May 25.—If the Fenians are to be hung, the authorities expect reprisals on the part of the Fenians. The houses of the Judges and the Crown Counsel are guarded day and night, by armed policemen in citizen's dress.

COPENHAGEN, May 26.—The Danish Government, it is said, has informed the foreign powers that the Prussian Government continues to disregard the obligations of the treaty of 1815, with regard to Schleswig.

Sarat was brought into Court at Washington, on the 27th. The defence was ready for the trial, but the prosecution was not. Charge—"Murder and conspiracy to kill President Lincoln."

It is stated that Queretaro had fallen on the morning of the 15th, by force of arms; and that Maximilian, Mejia, Castillo and Miramon are prisoners.

Judge Reeves of the 9th District of Texas, decides that negroes are not competent witnesses in the trial of white men.

The income of Mr. Bonner, of the New York Ledger last year, was over \$200,000. He was formerly a journeyman printer on the Hartford Courant.

Being a good practical printer, and knowing the benefit of advertising, he advertised the Ledger extensively. Hence his splendid income.

THE BENSINGTON JOURNAL.—Mr. C. P. Townsend has retired from the editorial management of the above paper, and is succeeded by Mr. Wm. Little, a young lawyer of fine legal and literary attainments. Mr. L. is also a practical printer.

PLANT COKE.—If the present condition of the cotton markets, at home and abroad, will not break the spell that has long lain in fatigued our people with the fleecy staple, there is no rod of divination, says the August Press, but absolute starvation, that will do it.

The Union Pacific Railroad has been completed 200 miles west of Omaha. The work is going on at an unprecedented rate. The contractors are finishing nearly two miles a day.

A French chemist has discovered a new preparation of Greek fire, which will envelop an army of 100,000 men in flames from a distance of 1000 yards. It must be fire from the bottomless pit.

The Winsted (Connecticut) Herald, has added to its "standing heads" that of "Divorces" which comes between the marriages and deaths. Is this progress?

Stonewall Jackson's colored nurse died lately in Madison County, Tenn., at the advanced age of 118 years, and 6 months. The general set her free twenty-five years ago.

The use of tobacco has been proscribed by the Vermont Methodist Conference. Hereafter no person addicted to the habit will be admitted to membership.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—Idaho City has been destroyed by fire. Main street was burned from Bear Run to Moore's Creek.

MARRIED.

On the 2d instant at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. W. D. Mayfield, Mr. Wm. P. Garrett to Miss Sue P. Tribble, all of Laurens.

On the 9th instant by the Rev. D. F. Hadson, Mr. John D. Woodruff, of Spartanburg, to Miss Harriet Bryson, of Laurens.

On the 9th inst., by the Rev. David Humphreys, Mr. John McClinton and Miss M. Richey, at the house of her brother-in-law, Mr. James Harkness.

On the 10th inst., by the same, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. James S. Beatty and Miss Mary Williford, all of Anderson District.

On the 14th of May, 1867, by Rev. J. J. Workman, Lieut. P. A. McDavid and Miss Fannie M., daughter of Dr. J. M. Sullivan, all of Greenville District.

On Sunday the 5th inst., by Rev. Dr. Broadus, Mr. Landrum Padgett, of North Carolina, to Miss Matilda Jones, of Laurens, S. C.

On Thursday, 16th instant, by Rev. J. Kendrick, Mr. John A. M. Estes, of Union District, and Miss Laura T. Smith, of York District.

COMMERCIAL.

Newberry, May 28.—Cotton market closed quiet with prices ranging from middling to good at 15 to 20c.

COLUMBIA, May 28.—Cotton 23, flour 12 to 15, corn \$1.55 to 1.70, gold \$1.25.

NEW YORK, May 27.—P. M.—Cotton firm; sales 1,000 bales, at 27. Flour dull and declined 1/2c. Wheat declined 2/3c. Corn steady, with good demand. Provisions quiet and unchanged. Gold closed at 95 3/4.

CINCINNATI, May 27.—Flour unchanged. Corn dull. Cotton steady, 24 for middlings.

CHARLESTON, May 27.—Cotton is quiet; sales 35 bales—middling 24 1/2. Receipts 200.

SAVANNAH, May 27.—Cotton firm—middlings 24 1/2. Sales 225 bales. Receipts 500.

AUGUSTA, May 27.—Cotton market quiet, but firm; sales 102 bales—strict middlings 24. Receipts 50 bales.

LIVERPOOL, May 27.—Bremen—Cotton closed quiet—uplands 11d.; Orleans 11 1/2. Sales 12,900.

HENRY MEDKEE, a hopeful youth of Cincinnati, aged 20 years, made with a knife, a murderous onslaught on his father, on Wednesday, because the latter refused the young hopeful to go on an errand for his mother.

New Advertisements.

JUST RECEIVED! A NEW SUPPLY OF MILLINERY, At the New Store on THE CORNER, And for sale by MRS. D. MOWER.

I AM RECEIVING A Good Assortment of DRY & FANCY GOODS, Which were bought FOR CASH, And will be SOLD LOW, At my New Store on the Corner. D. MOWER.

A Good Assortment of GROCERIES, and CROCKERY WARE, For Sale by D. MOWER.

MOLASSES AND BACON, For Sale by D. MOWER.

A Nice Lot Of POT WARE, For Sale by D. MOWER.

LIME, A Few Barrels For Sale by D. MOWER.

KEROSENE OIL, For Sale by D. MOWER.

COTTON YARNS, Of Best Quality, For Sale by D. MOWER.

Hotel Barber Shop. "LEX" respectfully notifies his friends and the public that he has opened in style in a room under the Newberry Hotel, and solicits the privilege of Shaving, Cutting Hair, Dressing Hair, and Dyeing.

To the Thirsty. Iced Juices, Smashes, Sherry Coblers, Sangries, Alcees, Fresh Ale on Draft, &c., &c., can be had at the Bar of the Newberry Hotel. May 29 1867.