

Interesting Foreign Intelligence.

BRUSSELS, December 12.—The Independence Belge says at midnight on the 6th, a letter from Moltke arrived at Paris, announcing the capture of Orleans and summoning Paris to surrender. Trochu summoned his colleagues. Picaid was inclined to treat for honorable terms. Trochu said overtures disclosed the enemy's apprehensions. He represented that France had everything to gain by prolonging the struggle, and Paris could hold out for a long time yet. The committee unanimously resolved to continue the war, and to reject the proposal for surrender.

LONDON, December 12.—Pfalzburg has fallen. Bismarck is averse to recognizing the representatives of Les Hommes Du Pans. He prefers Napoleon. King William wants to go home. Von Moltke laments the suffering of the German troops from cold.

Despatches from Cuba indicate that all the insurgent chiefs will be executed as soon as captured. The Russians are rapidly concentrating near the Turkish frontier.

LONDON, December 13.—Clubs are excited by the report of an important despatch from Bismarck, declaring that Prussia would no longer respect the neutrality of Luxemburg, and would annex that State to the Empire. Another despatch states that the bombardment of Paris had commenced. The French are retreating before Frederick Charles at Beaungency.

Private despatches from Meung state that a letter from an English officer with Deohanzy makes it certain that the Germans have greatly misrepresented the result of actions near Beaungency. The German losses were 10,000. The Bavarians refused to continue the struggle and were allowed to return to Orleans. Thus weakened, Frederick Charles abandoned the advance on Blois.

BERLIN, December 13.—The Queen has received the following telegram from the King: "General Headquarters, Tuesday, 13th.—After four days' fighting around Beaungency, the French retired to Blois and Tours. Their loss was severe. Many deserters came in our lines here and at Ronen."

LONDON, December 14.—The Times editorially protests against the proceedings of Prussia against Luxemburg, and Russia against Turkey, saying the attitude of both is indefensible, but it is not the duty of England to interpose.

Paris advices to the 10th say the Prussians send fictitious messages into the city by carrier pigeons, which they captured from a balloon. There is no anxiety with regard to provisions. Trochu sent out four Prussian officers for exchange, hoping the prisoners would inform the besiegers of the favorable moral state of the city. The sharpshooters of Belleville have been disbanded, from desertion when placed in front.

Alexander Damas is dead—aged sixty-seven. BORDEAUX, December 14.—The following is official: No serious engagement since the 10th. The evacuation of the triangle formed by Veriel, Berzoles and Dreux is confirmed. The enemy seems withdrawing. Dieppe has been free since the 10th. Evereux and Zergnigny are occupied by the Germans. The Government has announced that the harbors of Havre and Dieppe are not open to neutral vessels. The German losses in each of the combats with Chanccy were not less than 20,000. The country and villages are full of Prussian wounded. It is reported that the Prussians have bombarded Blois and occupy the four-bourgs of Tours. Gambetta was there when the Prussians demanded a surrender. He ordered a defence. The bridge over the Loire was destroyed. The defence of Tours is needed to secure the safety of Chanccy, who is moving towards the West, where he will be strongly reinforced, and will resume the offensive. Bourbaki is ready to resume the offensive. Gambetta re-asserts that Bourbaki's forces are in good condition.

LONDON, December 14.—Despatches from Havre report that affairs at Havre and Honfleurs are quiet. 30,000 men were thrown out to confront the Prussians. Havre is full of war materials.

LONDON, December 15.—The Independence Belge laments that Prussian war reports have lost character for veracity—the first time ascribed to them.

AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE. CHARLESTON, December 15.—Arrived—steamship Falcon, Baltimore; schooner Emma Green, New York.

WASHINGTON, December 15.—Howard, Commissioner of the Freedmen's Bureau, says: "The educational work is closing. The appropriations being nearly exhausted, I have been compelled to announce that no further aid can be granted in support of schools, and to discharge all the superintendents of education in the several States and close their offices."

The Republicans of the House held an adjourned caucus to-night. Not more than fifty members were present. Among the speakers were Sheldon and Morey, of Louisiana, who advocated general amnesty, stating that the people of that State, in the recent elections, had repudiated the provisions of their Constitution imposing disabilities.

New York, December 14.—It was reported this afternoon, that the custom authorities had raided on a German importing firm, suspected of defrauding the revenue. There were indications of having been irregularities in the classification of imported sugar, the penalty for which is confiscation. If the Government can prove the fact, the seizure will be one of the largest on record.

The St. Pierre sailed for Havre, with a cargo of arms and 150 men for the French army.

New York, December 15.—There was a terrible gale to-day. A piano factory was prostrated and several persons buried.

Robert W. Maitland, of Maitland County, died of paralysis, aged 53.

WASHINGTON, December 15.—Rainey, the colored Representative from South Carolina, has been appointed a member of the Committee on Freedmen's Affairs. Secretary Boutwell and Grant play at cross purposes. San Domingo affairs and the Pleasanton appointment, and the general proposition to have the present generation pay the debt, are among the points at issue. Delano is prominent as Boutwell's successor.

In the House, a bill appropriating \$300,000 for revenue cutters, passed. A bill was introduced, directing the Secretary of the Treasury to refund all penalties and taxes illegally issued under the direct tax law. Amnesty was resumed.

In the Senate, Revels introduced a resolution regarding the Mississippi River levees, upon which he will address the Senate. The resignation of Boutwell is the theme at the capital.

The Senate confirmed Hosse as Collector at Vicksburg; Hiram Springfield as Marshal of Northern District of Alabama; and Mason as postmaster at Newbern.

It is learned at the White House that Boutwell has not resigned. The relations between the Secretary and the President are cordial.

Pleasanton's nomination received no dissenting vote in the Cabinet. Revels' bill aiding the Mississippi levees is for all levees between the Mississippi and Yazoo Rivers. It appropriates \$2,000,000 and 5,000,000 acres.

In the Senate, several bills removing political disabilities were passed. A bill incorporating the Southern Express Company was reported back with amendments. A bill was introduced selling certain lands in South Carolina, belonging to the Government. Schurz delivered an address of unusual length, which was listened to with marked attention, reviewing the history of the party division in Missouri.

In the House, Farnsworth made a powerful speech in favor of clean amnesty. Lawrence opposed any amnesty till those excluded gave evidence of repentance. Wood said the bill was in no sense an amnesty bill. Its exceptions involved many who suffered no disabilities under the fifteenth amendment. Instead of amnesty, it was a property-granting bill. Instead of being a measure of grace, it was a bill to defeat justice—a bill to deny the rights of men to recover property. It was a measure the effect of which he would not say. The design of it was to do injustice—to deprive litigants of their proper redress, and to grant a boon and relief to those who were least entitled thereto.

Maynard argued against the principle of universal amnesty. Sargeant will vote for Farnsworth's substitute removing all disabilities, for the following reasons: 1st. That the pledge of the Republican party to remove all disabilities as soon as the public safety would allow, meant what it said, and that it is unnecessary for the public safety that these disabilities should be continued. 2d. Because the political power of the ex-rebels is not diminished by their incapacity to hold office, as every one of them can vote at any election, and any man elected by such men is as dangerous to good government as he as fully represents their principles and purposes as either of the disqualified individuals could. 3d. Because their exclusion from office is a badge of distinction, from a rebel standpoint, and is persecution, not punishment, and enhances their influence for evil, if they so fit to exercise it. 4th. Because, as a mere party measure, it is not bad policy to add a few thousand to the number of Democratic office-seekers, while adding nothing to the number of Democratic voters. 5th. Because the men under disabilities are not invariably, or even generally, the worst of the late rebels, or hence, as a matter of precaution, or even of justice, their exclusion does not answer their avowed purposes. 6th. Because the people, North and South, will better appreciate the purposes of the Democratic party, if they are allowed to bring forward as their exponents the leading rebels, as they naturally will. 7th. Because it is un-republican to hold any class of people under political disabilities. 8th. Because the Republican party is great, and noble, and liberal enough to extend mercy to all classes of citizens, and should add this crowning act to the great and successful war and reconstruction policy. If the substitute fails, I will vote for the measure that makes fewest exceptions and comes nearest to complete amnesty. The discussion continued at great length, and will be resumed Tuesday. Lawrence, of Ohio, regretted, during the debate, that 100 first-class funerals had not followed the rebellion.

RICHMOND, December 15.—The Republican State Central Committee last night adopted a resolution praying Congress to pass a general amnesty bill, with only two dissenting votes. The question of the State debt was up in the Senate this morning. The tenor of the speeches was in favor of carrying the matter of West Virginia's share of the debt before the United States Supreme Court. And if payment was not compelled there, then Virginia will settle the whole debt. All opposed any idea of repudiating it.

NEW ORLEANS, December 15.—Judge Durrell granted writs of habeas corpus for David Fisher, John C. and Celestine Oliver, colored, charged with killing Mayor Schenberg, at Donaldsonville. They were released, and were re-arrested at the instance of the State.

RALEIGH, December 15.—To-day, the House sent a committee of three to the bar of the Senate, impeaching Governor Holden, demanding that they take order in the matter, and informing the Senate that articles of impeachment would soon be produced. The Senate replied that it would consider the matter, and take order therein. Articles of impeachment, it is believed, will shortly be submitted, and the high court of impeachment organized—the Chief Justice of the State presiding.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

COLUMBIA, S. C. December 16.—Sales of cotton, yesterday, 121 bales—middling 13 1/2c.

LONDON, December 14.—Noon.—Consols 91 1/2. Bonds 88. LIVERPOOL, December 13.—Evening.—Cotton flat and regular—uplands 8 1/2; Orleans 8 3/4@8 1/2.

LIVERPOOL, December 14.—Noon.—Cotton dull—uplands 8 1/2; Orleans 8 3/4@8 1/2. LIVERPOOL, December 15.—Evening.—Cotton closed dull—uplands 8 1/2; Orleans 8 3/4@8 1/2; sales 12,000 bales; speculation and export 3,000.

NEW YORK, December 15.—Noon.—Flour and wheat quiet and unchanged. Corn dull and drooping. Pork quiet—old mess 22.00. Lard weak, at 12 1/2@12 3/4. Cotton dull and easier—uplands 15; Orleans 15 1/2. Freights steady. Stocks steady. Gold 11 1/2. Money 6@7. Exchange—long 9; short 9 1/2. Bonds 7 3/4.

7 P. M.—The stringency of the money market is felt in all departments. Speculation has produced a general depreciation of values. Early transactions were at 7 in currency, and later in gold; and at 3 o'clock, it was worth 1 1/4@1 1/2 per cent. per day, and 7 per annum. Sterling 9@9 1/2. Gold 10 3/4@10 7/8. Governments dull. Southern very dull. Tennessee's strong—old 61 1/2; new 61. North Carolina's weak—old 45; new 21. Cotton weak and quiet—sales 3,800 bales, at 15. Flour—Southern inactive and unchanged. Whiskey 93 3/4@94. Wheat inactive and easier—93 3/4@94.1.48; white State 1.70. Corn closed quiet—old 50; new 73@76. Pork nominal—old 21.00; new 19.50. Beef quiet. Lard heavy—kettle 12 3/4@13. Freights a shade firmer.

BALTIMORE, December 15.—Cotton dull and heavy—middlings 14 1/2; sales 550 bales; stock 10,935.

CINCINNATI, December 15.—Flour and wheat quiet. Corn advancing. Pork drooping—18.75 asked. Sides 13 1/2@13 3/4 packed. Whiskey drooping, at 87. LOUISVILLE, December 15.—Bagging steady. Flour quiet. Corn—sacked 65. Mess pork 19.25. Shoulders 11 1/2; clear sides 14 1/2. Whiskey 88. Lard 12.

ST. LOUIS, December 15.—Flour scarce—winter superfine 4.15@4.30. Corn dull, at 44. Whiskey higher at 87. Pork 18.75@19.00. Clear sides 13 1/2. SAVANNAH, December 15.—Cotton quiet—middling 14 1/2; receipts 3,900 bales; sales 16,000; stock 16,336.

GALVESTON, December 15.—Cotton not quotably lower—good ordinary 12 1/2; receipts 722 bales; sales 1,675; stock 42,375.

AUGUSTA, December 15.—Cotton active and prices unchanged—sales 1,500 bales; receipts 1,700; middlings 13 1/4@13 3/4.

WILMINGTON, December 15.—Cotton dull—middlings 14; receipts 289; stock 1,393; sales 100.

CHARLESTON, December 15.—Cotton dull—receipts 209 bales; sales 500; stock 29,597; middlings 14 1/4@14 3/4.

NEW ORLEANS, December 15.—Cotton steady and in fair demand—middlings 14 1/2@14 3/4; sales 8,700; stock 140,314. Flour easier—superfine 5.20; double 5.62 1/2@5.65; treble 5.75@6.00. Pork 22.00. Bacon 14 1/2@15. Sugar 9 3/4@10 1/4. Whiskey 97 1/2.

New Books.

THE MEMOIRS OF FIFTY YEARS, containing notices and anecdotes of distinguished Americans and remarkable men, &c., by W. H. Sparks. Price \$2.50.

TENT LIFE IN SIBERIA AND ADVENTURES IN KAMCHATKA AND NORTHERN ASIA, by Kennan. Ginger Snaps, by Fanny Fern. 1.50. Old Songs and New, by the authoress of Beechbrook. \$2.

PARIS IN DECEMBER, 1851; or, Coup d'Etat of Napoleon III, by Perr T, from the thirteenth French edition. \$2.50. Lecke's Rationalism in Europe, two volumes. The Life of General Nathaniel Green. The Court and Times of Queen Elizabeth. Also, a number of new novels, by Trollope and other popular authors.

Also, new juvenile books from London, new Chromos, Paintings, &c. For sale at BRYAN & McCARTER'S Bookstore.

Downer's Mineral Sperm Oil. A NEW OIL, which will not light under 300 degrees Fahrenheit; never gums; is almost as clean and as safe as Sperm or Lard Oil for family use, and is equal to the best MINERAL LAMP, the light is equal to the best Kerosene, at a cost not exceeding one-half a cent per hour. It requires but little attention, no trimming, and the chimney never breaks from heat.

A supply of this safety oil, and a small assortment of Lamps, just received and for sale by J. & T. R. AGNEW.

Gold and Silver Coin. THE CITIZEN'S SAVINGS BANK buy and sell GOLD and SILVER at a small margin. A. G. BRENNER, Cashier.

Grand Toy Emporium. M'KENZIE'S, Main Street, Columbia, S. C.

WHERE is offered the largest and best selected stock of TOYS ever brought to this market. Dealers and others can be accommodated, Wholesale or Retail.

Old and young, grave and gay can be suited from this varied collection. CANDIES of Pure Sugar manufactured daily. Also, CAKES AND PIES. A fine assortment of CANNED GOODS just received from the best manufacturers.

Fresh DATES, New Crop RAISINS, CITRUS and CURRANTS, ALMONDS, and a full line of ASSORTED NUTS. London Biscuits and Prince Albert Crackers (imported articles), pure and of great benefit to the sick and convalescent. JELLIES of pure fruit manufactured and sold at reasonable prices. JOHN McKENZIE.

NEW GROCERY! We have just opened a GROCERY STORE on Assembly Street, nearly opposite the Market, where we will keep constantly on hand a full line of GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, WINES and LIQUORS, at the lowest cash prices, and where we would be pleased to have our friends and the public generally give us a call, feeling confident that in quality, quantity and price, we shall be fully able to meet their demands.

All kinds of Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods in our line, and the highest cash prices allowed. Dec 16 A. H. MONTEITH & CO.

Triumphs of Science.

THE first bottle of Stanley's celebrated COUGH SYRUP was prepared by Mr. Hoinisch, in 1848, for our distinguished fellow-citizen, Captain W. B. Stanley, then on his way to Mexico. In curing a troublesome cough, with weakness of the lungs, has also marked it as a preparation worth having, for the cure of all affections of the lungs. Thousands now attest its worth, and to-day "Stanley's Cough Syrup" enjoys a higher reputation than any other cough medicine known. Prepared only by E. H. HEINITSH, Dec 14 f Drugist.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS!

EVERY variety of FANCY and USEFUL GOODS, from 10 cents to \$50.00, now opened. Just received, a lot of GOOD CLOAKS, bought at half price. Will be sold as bought. ALSO, A lot of FURS, to be sold without regard to cost. It will be to your interest to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

C. F. JACKSON.

Preparations for the Skin. POMADE DIVINE, for Chapped Skin, Burns, &c. Glycerine Cream, for softening the Skin, allaying Irritation, Roughness, &c. Cucumher Cream—an Emollient Pomade, prepared from the juice of Cucumbers, combined with bland oils, for healing all Cutaneous Irritations, Chapped Lips, Hands, &c. Glycerine Lotion, for the skin; after washing or shaving, renders the skin soft and fair. Camphor Ice, for Chapped Skin, Burns, Chilblain, Irritations of the Skin. For sale at HEINITSH'S Drug Store. Dec 14 f

For the Holidays! ENTIRE NEW STOCK OF DRY GOODS! OUR buyer has just returned, and the cheapest lot of DRY GOODS. Ever opened in Columbia, is now offered. Buyers will please remember the STARTLING PRICES. At which we sold Goods bought about this time last year, and be assured that we are now in position to do the same this season. Look to your interest, and save enough money in buying your Dry Goods from the right place to keep your house one month out of the year. We claim ours to be the place—the right place. R. C. SHIVER. Dec 15

California Seed Oats. 500 BUSHELS PRIME CALIFORNIA SEED OATS, for sale by EDWARD HOPE. OYSTERS! OYSTERS! I AM selling the best NORFOLK OYSTERS offered in this market, and get them fresh every day from Norfolk. I have also reduced the price to \$1.75 per gallon, and smaller quantities in proportion. Families can have them delivered at their residences, by leaving their orders at the Ice House. Nov 28 JOHN D. BATEMAN. 2mo

M. H. BERRY'S Furniture Ware-room. Plain Street, near Main. NOW on hand and daily receiving from the manufacturers of New York, Boston, Cincinnati and Louisville, the largest assortment of FURNITURE ever kept in this market, consisting in part of Walnut Parlor, Chamber and Dining-Room Suits; 200 Bedsteads of different patterns, in Walnut and Imitation; also, the celebrated Georgia Split-bottom Chairs. All kinds of MATTRESSES made to order. UPHOLSTERING and REPAIRING done at shortest notice and in the best manner. Terms cash and Goods cheap. Oct 30

New Livery Stable. THE undersigned would announce to the citizens of Columbia, that they have just opened a LIVERY STABLE, to be kept temporarily at Stable of Mr. LOGAN, and that they will be pleased to accommodate the public with fine HORSES, CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, &c. W. H. BOYCE, C. H. PETTENHILL. Dec 10

New Orleans Syrup. 10 BBS. choice new crop New Orleans SYRUP, just received and for sale by J. & T. R. AGNEW. Ho for the Race! THE subscriber respectfully invites his friends and public in general to call and see his stock of home-made SADDLES and HARNESSES, which I can sell twenty-five per cent. cheaper than any Northern made goods, and will challenge any merchant in the South for \$1,000 to compare with me in home-made work. Nov 6 3mo B. HANNAN, Main street.

Oream Candies,

AT E. POLLARD'S. JUST received, 50 boxes of Mailard's celebrated FRENCH OREAM CANDY, of assorted and delicate flavors. Also, 20 boxes OREAM FRUITS, something very delicious, and at low prices. Dec 14 f

Special Notice No. 2.

THE Entire Stock of CLOTHING, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, HATS, CAPS, VALISES, CARPET-BAGS, SHAWLS, ROBES, ETC., with a full line of Water-Proof CIRCULARS, CAPES, OVER-COATS, LEGGINGS, and CAPS, will be sold from THIS DAY, AT COST FOR CASH. The Stock must be sold to close up the business. All wishing great bargains, will find it to their advantage to call at the Store of the late W. J. HOKE. M. HOKE. Newberry Herald, Greenville Enterprise, Yorkville Enquirer and Winnsboro News copy three times weekly, and send bills to this office. Dec 10

Richland County--In Common Pleas. Elias Gradick, vs. D. B. DeSaussure, Administrator, et al. THE creditors of the late firm of E. C. Smith & Bro. are required to establish their claims before me, on or before the first day of January, 1871. By order of Court, D. B. MILLER, Nov 4 f C. C. C. and Special Referee.

Carolina Manufacturing Company. HAVING opened a Branch House in the city of Columbia, offer for sale the latest patented and best made STOVES; the most improved patterns and regular sizes of all kinds of TIN-WARE, with everything in these particular lines, with confidence of their merit. GUTTERING, ROOFING and all kinds of job work done with despatch, by superior workmen. Plumbing, in all its branches, executed. If you want Water carried to all convenient points about your premises, we will do your work at such prices as will enable all to afford it. The public are invited to call. Store in Ehrlich's Building, four doors below Bryce's corner. Aug 19 f

NORTH CAROLINA BENEFICIAL ASSOCIATION! CLASS B--SINGLE NUMBER SCHEME. TO be drawn in the Theatre, at Wilmington, N. C., Monday, January 16, 1871. E. J. KNEAS, Manager. 10,000 Numbers put in the Wheel—110 Prizes drawn. Capital Prize, \$5,000!

WHAT THE CITY PRESS SAY. Prize Drawing.—Quite a crowd assembled at the Theatre, yesterday noon, to witness the Grand Drawing of the North Carolina Beneficial Association. There were 100 prizes in all, and little rolls of paper separating these were placed in a wheel on one side, while the tickets were in another wheel opposite to the former. Between the two was a table, at which sat the Judges and Mr. John London, Commissioner. The wheels were made with glass sides, so that everything within them could be seen, and were securely locked, until the drawing began. This was done by means of two little boys, who were securely blindfolded, one drawing a number from one of the wheels and the other the prize to correspond with it. There is no question but that the drawing was done in a perfectly fair and un-biassed manner.—Wilmington Daily Journal, Dec. 2

THE GRAND DRAWING YESTERDAY.—The grand single number distribution of the North Carolina Beneficial Association, which took place at the Theatre yesterday, at 1 o'clock, was the all-absorbing theme during the day. The drawing took place in public, a committee having been selected from the audience to act with the Commissioner in keeping an account of the same, and to see that it was conducted fairly. Quite a respectable crowd was present to witness the drawing. The following numbers draw the principal prizes: No. 3310, \$5,000; No. 6005, \$2,500; No. 5776, \$2,500; No. 2842, \$2,000; No. 1107, \$2,000; No. 412, \$1,000; No. 1385, \$500. The Certificate No. 1107 was sold to a citizen of Wilmington, N. C.—Wilmington Morning Star, Dec. 2.

IN THIS SCHEME, 110 PRIZES WILL BE DRAWN: Capital Prize, \$5,000. Two Prizes, \$2,500 each. Two " " " 2,000 " " Two " " " 1,000 " " Ten " " " 500 " " Ten " " " 200 " " Fifteen " " " 100 " " Fifty-six " " " 50 " " Eleven " " " 20 " " Whole Tickets, \$5.00; Halves, \$2.50; Quarters, \$1.25.

Send money by Post Office Order or Registered Letter. For information and orders, address W. H. GERKEN, General Agent, P. O. Box 50. Principal Office, 11 Second street. JOHN LONDON, Commissioner. Dec 13 1mo

DRY GOODS AND HOLIDAY GOODS. NOW OPENING A SPLENDID STOCK, bought from every source where money and energy can procure them, and sold at "LOWEST PRICES" City currency taken in exchange for goods. W. D. LOVE & CO., Columbia Hotel Building. W. D. LOVE, B. B. McCHEERY. Dec 4

Guns, Pistols, Etc. INFORM my friends and public in general that I have just received an entire new stock of Double and Single Barrel GUNS, REPEATERS, Flasks, Pouches, Pistol-Belts, Caps, Buck-Shot, Cartridges, Cartridges for all kinds of Pistols, Powder and Shot. ALSO, REPAIRING done at short notice. P. W. KRAFT, Main street. Oct 8

City Currency will be Taken IN payment for Goods at Nov 11 HARDY SOLOMON'S.

Auction Sales.

Sheriff's Sales. Robert Gates, Assignee, vs. Joshua King. BY virtue of a warrant to levy on and sell the crop of the defendant in the above stated case, directed to me by D. B. Miller, Esq., Clerk of the Circuit Court for Richland County, and in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of South Carolina, entitled "An Act to secure advances for agricultural purposes," I will sell, on the first MONDAY in January next, in front of the Court House in Columbia, within the legal hours, Two bales of COTTON. Terms cash. P. F. FRAZEE, S. R. C. Dec 16 1mo

Sale to Foreclose Mortgage. Porter & Steele vs. W. H. McCaw & Co. BY virtue of a certain Mortgage executed on the 30th day of August, A. D. 1870, and by authority to me given by the said Porter & Steele, I will sell, on the first TUESDAY in January next, at the Southern Guardian office, in the building lately occupied as the Post Office, on Lady street, East of W. K. Greenfield's Carriage Repository. All the PRESSES, TYPES and PRINTING MATERIALS used in the publication of the Southern Guardian newspaper. Terms cash. P. F. FRAZEE, S. R. C. Dec 16 1mo

Sheriff's Sale. BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed, I will sell, on the first MONDAY in January next, in front of the Court House in Columbia, within the legal hours, 50 bales of COTTON, levied on as the property of Joseph E. Reese, at the suit of Andrew Patterson, Assignee, vs. Jos. E. Reese. Terms cash. P. F. FRAZEE, S. R. C. Dec 16 1mo

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Lexington--In Equity. Mary Leaphart and Polly Leaphart vs. Geo. S. Leaphart et al. IN obedience to the order of Samuel W. Melton, Judge of the Fifth Circuit, in the above stated case, I will sell, on the first MONDAY in January next, within the legal hours, before the Court room door in Lexington County, the following property, to wit: Tract No. 2, known as the River Tract, on Saluda River, containing 60 acres, more or less, bounded by Saluda River, estate lands of John Buff, Daniel Fry and others. No. 3, an island in Saluda River, containing 10 acres, more or less, lying between Klockly's land on the South and John Loric's land on the North.

And on the same day, within the legal hours, before the Court House door, in the city of Columbia, I will sell a certain lot, as described in the bill as containing one-half acre, more or less, on Pendleton street. CREDITORS of SAID estate of this said and expenses of sale, the balance on a credit of one year, with interest thereon from day of sale; purchase money to be secured by bond and personal security, and a mortgage of the premises sold. Purchasers to pay papers and stamps. S. M. ROOF, S. L. C. Sheriff's Office, Lexington C. H., December 9, 1870. Dec 16 1mo

Iacon, Pickled Pork, Goshen Butter, Superior Cheese, Liquors, Wines, &c., &c. BY JACOB LEVIN. ON TUESDAY MORNING next, 20th instant, weather permitting, I will sell, at my store, at 10 o'clock, BACON SIDES, SHOULDERS and HAMS, — bbls. Pickled Pork, Pickled Hams, — bbls. Pickled Heads, — kegs prime Goshen Butter, — tubs prime Goshen Butter, — boxes prime large Cheese, for retailing, — bbls. Northern Potatoes, — bbls. Onions, — boxes Soap, Candles, Starch, — boxes fine CUT CIGARS, — bbls. Crockery-ware. ALSO, The contents of a Grocery Store, closing business, consisting of a general variety of Groceries, fine Liquors, Wines and Cigars. As usual, this sale will be positive, as no limited Goods will be offered. Dec 14 4

Notice. WILL be sold at auction, on the ground, at 2 o'clock P. M., December 23, the LIBRARY, consisting of 328 volumes and BUILDING; also, one CLOCK and fifteen assorted SCHOOL BOOKS—the property of the 8th Regiment United States Infantry. Terms cash on day of sale. ROBERT F. BATES, Lieutenant 18th Infantry, in charge. Dec 14

Announcement! WE are now in receipt of our fourth instalment of DRY GOODS this fall, complete in all departments, at the LOWEST PRICES OF THE DAY. Special attention is called to our charming variety of FURS, SHAWLS AND CLOAKS. Careful inspection and comparison desired. N. B.—We have on hand a few more of those Ladies' SUITS, very natty. We have marked them down within the reach of all buyers. Call and look at them. We are also Agents for the best Cotton Yarn and Batting. Merchants supplied at factory prices. Dec 2 PORTER & STEELE, Main street.

Foreign Exchange. THE CITIZEN'S SAVINGS BANK is now prepared to draw directly on all the prominent places in England, Scotland and Ireland, Germany, France, Holland, Belgium, Italy, and the Orient, and will furnish drafts at New York rates. A. G. BRENNER, Cashier. Oct 23

Seltzer Water on draft, at POLLOCK'S,