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ADVERTISEMENTS.

SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERY!

GUANO AIN'T ANYTHING COMPARED TO IT! SUBSOIL PLOWING IS NO USE!

Cotton Seed a Perfect Nuisance! CLOTHING THE ONLY REMEDY!

THE indefatigable District and Village Clothing Man, by close observation and hard study, has learned several new features in the art of improving and adorning the Masculine portion of the human family.

If it is food and raiment, he takes him in, covers, weather-boards and floors him, and then sends him over to his friend, H. S. Kerr, or down to Lomax & Cobb's, where in a few minutes, after the patient has realised the revivifying, healthful influence of the external application, they will commence the inside work.

There are now in the city of Abbeville, 3 Churches, 2 Academies, 1 Singing School, a great many Dry Goods Stores, 2 Printing Offices, 2 Wholesale Grocery Houses, 2 Jewellery Establishments, a Theatrical Corps, Masonic and Odd Fellows' Lodge, Dancing Class, Hippodrome, 2 Carriage and Buggy Manufacturers, 4 Hotels, several Boarding Houses, 1 Drug Store, Gun Factory, and a Steam Saw Mill, Harness, and several Boot and Shoe Shops, Tin Manufactory, 3 Tailors' Establishments, Cabinet, Carpenters and Blacksmiths' Shops, 3 Refracting Spectacles, and 2 Livery Stables, and it will not do for a gentleman to make a bad appearance at any of these places.

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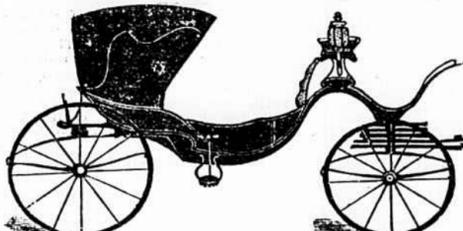
CHAMBERS & MARSHALL are now receiving their Spring and Summer Goods, which will be found complete, with every novelty of the Season in DRESS GOODS, SILKS, MANTILLAS, EMBROIDERIES, HOSIERY, GLOVES, GANCY, LEGHORN NEAPOLITAN AND CRAPE BONNETS.

A. C. SQUIER'S CHEAP CASH FURNITURE STORE, 173 Main Street, COLUMBIA, S. C.

Committed to the Jail at Abbeville Court House on Wednesday the 12th February, a Negro woman Daffney, who says she belongs to Sheppard Barakdale, of this District.

E. J. TAYLOR'S

CARRIAGE SHOP, AT ABBEVILLE C. H., S. C.



A Depot for Fine Carriages and Buggies.

AS I HAVE now a set of hands, in all the various branches of CARRIAGE MAKING, as good as ever struck a lick in this or any other town, I am able to build

Any Style of Vehicle, from a Crane-neck Coach to the running-gear of a Wheel-barrow.

These cases are extensively used, and possess valuable advantages over all other Coffins for transportation, depositing in vaults, or for ordinary interments.

Most Imperishable Materials; also Enamelled Inside and Out, to prevent rust or corrosion; and when properly enameled, they have the gratifying reflection that the bodies of our deceased loved ones, enclosed in them, are free from irritations of water, or depositions of vermin, and may, without oppressive odor, be kept—obviating the necessity of hasty burials; or, if desired, transported to a distant land.

Highly Polished Rosewood, and free from objections expressed by some concerning the shape and appearance of the former styles.

Black Walnut and Covered Coffins Made to Order, and delivered in the shortest possible time.

New Hotel and Livery Stables AT ABBEVILLE C. H.

MATHIS & SALE Respectfully inform their old friends and patrons, and the public generally, that they have opened a HOTEL, on Washington street, opposite Mr. Hughey's for the accommodation of permanent and transient boarders.

M. STRAUSS, COKEBURY, IS SO MUCH engaged in selling and boxing out his NEW STOCK OF SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS, purchased in New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Charleston, that he has not the time to specify and detail.

READY-MADE CLOTHING, Boots, Slippers, Gaiters, and Children's Shoes. HATS AND CAPS.

STATIONERY AND SCHOOL BOOKS. My stock is now complete in all its departments. Thankful for the patronage heretofore given to me, I hope that the present stock, selected with great care and under the best advantages, will be the strongest inducement to my old friends and customers.

FROM ABBEVILLE TO WASHINGTON. A FOUR HORSE STAGE leaves ABBEVILLE on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

FURNITURE WAREHOOMS! BENJAMIN & GOODRICH, Broad Street, Augusta, Georgia.

N. A. HOXIE, WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALER IN DRY GOODS, Main Street, COLUMBIA, S. C.

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CHEAP DRY GOODS For Spring.

BROOM & NORRELL, 238 Broad Street, Augusta, Ga.

I HAVE just opened their SPRING STOCK OF STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS, and would respectfully call the attention of the citizens of Abbeville and adjoining Districts to the assortment, which comprises almost every article in the Dry Goods line.

Among our Goods we invite particular attention to the following: "Printed ORGANDIES, MUSLINS and LAWNS."

Large assortment Worked EDGINGS and INSERTINGS, Embroidered COLLARS, SLEEVES, CHEMISES, CAPES and FLOUNCES, Rich Embroidered BASQUES, Lace and Silk MANTILLAS.

Sup. Ass. Hosiery, for Gents, Ladies, Misses, Boys and Children, of all kinds and prices. Together with many other Goods, not mentioned, and all which will be offered at prices that cannot be undersold in the way of fair and upright dealing by any house in the State.

DRY GOODS. SPRING IMPORTATIONS, 1856.

MILLER & WARREN, Opposite Globe Hotel, Augusta, Ga., are receiving their usual choice variety of SPRING DRESS FABRICS, embracing the best makers of French and English productions, among which are—Rich Printed French Jaconets and Organdies; Rich "Flounced Barages and Organdies; Rich "American and English Lawns; Rich "French Brillants and Canaries; Rich "Barages and Tissues; Bluff, Blue and Pink, Plain Brillants, new article.

Mourning Goods! Plain and Striped Grenadines and Barages; Black Flounced Grenadines and Barages; Superior Summer Bombazines and Organdies; Black Jaconets, Organdies and Marquise; Black Eng. Crapes, Love Veils and Handkerchiefs.

White and Striped Osamburgs, of various brands. Our friends and customers are respectfully invited to examine the largest stock of Spring and Summer GOODS that we have ever had.

REES & LINTON, WAREHOUSE AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, AUGUSTA, GA.

THE undersigned have formed a Copartnership for the transaction of a General Warehouse and Commission Business, and will, on the first of September next, take the new Fire Proof Warehouse on Jackson street, now occupied by Crocker & Rees.

ESTATE OF JOHN GIVENS, DECEASED SETTLEMENT. THE Kindred and Creditors, and all parties concerned are hereby notified that a final Settlement of said Estate will be made in the Ordinary's Office, Abbeville, on the 14th of October next.

Piano Fortes. THE Subscriber keeps on hand Nunn's & Clark's celebrated grand action PIANOS, also, other makers' MELODEONS, &c., which he warrants, and will sell at New York prices, delivered at the Depot.

FOR SALE. 5000 PIECES OF WALL PAPERING, 5000 Papers of Transparent Window Shades with Pictures to match.

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Hardware, Paints, Oils,

WINDOW GLASS, &c., At the Sign of the Golden Anvil, COLUMBIA, S. C.

THE Subscribers have now on hand an extensive assortment of Goods in their line, which they are selling at the lowest market prices for Cash, and to which they respectfully call the attention of purchasers.

Bar Iron, Hoop, Sheet, Band, Oval, Round and Square Iron; Cast, German and Blister Steel; Anvils, Bel-lows, Vices, &c.; Mill Irons, Nails, Wagon Boxes, Pot-Ware; Bench and Moulding Planes, Gouges, Augers, Files, Boring Machines; Mortice Machines, Lathes, Saws, Bench Screws, Hinges, Screws; Locks, Bolts, Latches, Axes, Hoop Plough Moulds, Adzes; Axles, Springs, Enamelled and Patent Leathers, Paints, Varnishes; Window Glass, Spirits Turpentine, Putty, Paint Brushes; Corn Shellers, Straw Cutters, Corn and Cob Mills, Leather Belting; Lime, Plaster, Cement, Gunpowder, Shot, Lead, &c., &c.

MULLER & SENN, Wholesale and Retail Grocers, COLUMBIA, S. C.

WOULD respectfully call the attention of the citizens of Abbeville District to their large and well assorted stock of

GROCERIES, which they offer at the lowest market prices. In addition to the heavier articles usually kept in a well-arranged Grocery, we keep a full stock of

"FANCY GROCERIES," including almost every article wanted in the family.

TANYARD AT LOWNESVILLE.

THE undersigned most respectfully call the attention of the public to our Stock of LEATHER we have, and will keep on hand a variety of as Good LEATHER as can be bought at any Tannery in the Country.

TO our Harness Shop. We will keep on hand a lot of good Ready Made Harness of our own make. Being professional Workmen, we can safely say, that we can put up as fine and as good Work as any establishment in the District, and as cheap as the cheapest.

STOVES FOR SALE! THE Subscribers will keep on hand at all times, at the Saddlery and Harness Store of E. Westfield, in this Village, an assortment of all kinds of STOVES, which they pledge themselves to sell on as favorable terms as Stoves of the same quality can be purchased in any other place.

HODGES' DEPOT. THE Firm of ROBERTS, ADAMS & SMITH was dissolved on the first of October, 1854.

ROBERTS & ADAMS. Still continue business at Hodges, and at Long Cane, and by the first of April will have a fine Spring Stock of Goods.

JEWELRY, AT NEW YORK PRICES, FOR CASH! MERCHANTS and Dealers will do well to call and examine the stock of WATCHES, CLOCKS and JEWELRY, at 249 King Street.

Watches, Clocks, and Jewellery, at 249 King Street.

ABBEVILLE C. H.

Cheap Cash Boot and Shoe Manufactory.

THE subscriber must respectfully call the attention of the public, and especially his old friends and customers, to his large and well-selected stock of

Gentlemen's and Ladies' Shoes. He has also a large stock of fine pump-soled and fine welted BOOTS, of the latest styles, of the finest French calf skin.

Water-Proof Boots, all of his own manufacture, warranted. All of which he will sell cheap for cash, or on a credit to prompt-paying customers.

Joiner and Cabinet Shop, NEXT DOOR TO THE PRESS OFFICE, ABBEVILLE COURT HOUSE, S. C.

THE undersigned, thankful for past favors, and ever ready to serve a generous public, may be at all times found at his Shop in the Eastern corner of Christian & Deale's Coach Factory, where he is prepared to make PANEL DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, MANTEL PIECES, &c., &c.

I will also make TABLES, DESKS, BOOK-CASES, PICTURE FRAMES, and repair furniture, &c.

I will keep constantly on hand ready made COFFINS of the best material and finest finish, either polished or covered, all of which I will deliver to any point in the district free of charge with hearse or upon railroad if desired in direction.

All work done warranted as good as the best and cheap according to price per cent off for cash on all work done by me.

For reference, apply to any gentleman in the Incorporation. G. C. BOWERS, June 22, 1855.



AYER'S PILLS,

A NEW and singularly successful remedy for the cure of all Bilious diseases—Costiveness, Indigestion, Jaundice, Dropsy, Rheumatism, Fevers, Colic, Humors, Headache, Neuralgia, Hysteria, Nervousness, Headache, Pains in the Breast, Side, Back, and Limbs, Female Complaints, &c. &c.

THESE PILLS, the result of long investigation and study, are offered to the public as the best and most complete which the present state of medical science can furnish.

As it is frequently expedient that my medicine should be taken under the counsel of an attending Physician, and as he could not properly judge of a remedy without knowing its composition, I have supplied the accurate Formula by which both my Pectoral and Pills are made to the whole body of Practitioners in the United States and British American Provinces.

DR. JAMES C. AYER, Practical and Analytical Chemist, Lowell, Mass.

WARDLAW & SON, Abbeville C. H.

HAVILAND, HARRIS & CO., Charleston, S. C.

ORIENT CHAPTER NO. 9, A. M., COMESBURY.

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