

Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent, falls this year on the 10th of February.

A poultry convention is to "set" in New Haven next month.

A marriage in Charleston recently—twenty-eight bride's maids in waiting.

Thirteen men have been lynched in Indiana during the past six months.

Mormonism is to be parceled out to the States adjacent thereto.

Low railroad fares are suggested as a means to increase travel.

There was a bal Masque Tuesday night last at the Waverly, Charleston.

It is proposed to change the County seat of Barnwell to Blackville.

The Spartan says: Incendiarism and robberies are frequent in that County.

The militia in Arkansas are laying the country waste. Arson, pillage, rape and assassination run riot.

The health of the Pope of Rome is good. Preparations are making for the great Ecumenical Council.

The ravages of war continue in the South American States. Cuba is also in an unhealthy condition.

Bill for the establishment of Aiken County, was postponed till December 1870.

The act to establish a State Orphan Asylum, was ratified and sent to the Governor.

The Marion Star says, that red headed babies are alarming on the increase in that town. Stop it.

A Zanesville young lady requested a photographer to make her picture look "as if it was written" in a poem.

The Esparto grass of commerce, the News suggests, should be cultivated in Carolina. The climate suits, and it is three times as valuable as hay.

The town of Sumter has an organized police and an established fire department. The streets are also lighted by lamps.

The Charleston News learns that a rich deposit of phosphate rock has been found in the neighborhood of Bluffton. More millions for South Carolina.

At what time of life may a man be said to belong to the vegetable kingdom?—When long experience has made him sage.

Now is the season to prune fruit trees and to be preparing for early vegetables. Plant potatoes, peas, lettuce, onions and spinach, and make ready the hot-bed.

Charles Dickens says he can always judge of the character of a hotel or restaurant by an inspection of the castor. The mustard pot and oil cruet are infallible tests.

The Mikado of Japan cuts off the head of every person whose house is destroyed by fire. This said that his plan of insurance has proved most successful.

The Newport (R. I.) News says there is a family in that city in which the father is seventeen years of age, the mother sixteen, and the baby three weeks old.

The N. Y. correspondent of the Charleston Courier says that Paris has been transformed into Gotham. That the Can-Can, a la Parisienne, is in vogue and that Mable is out done.

The Rev. Mr. Wakefield of the Universalist Church in Owatonna, Minn., was recently presented with a watch-glass in which every lady member of his congregation was represented by a hair.

A Washington telegram says that General Grant has selected his Cabinet, but will only announce such selections to those fortunate individuals when he shall have been officially notified of his selection, which will be early in February.

London is growing so rapidly that its population will soon be four millions. The Metropolitan police, of seven thousand eight hundred members, have to control and patrol a district of thirty miles in diameter.

The Japanese are imitable in their inventive genius. The Mikado has recently invented a fire extinguisher that is likely to work well. It consists of an edict that any person in whose house a conflagration shall originate, shall immediately lose his head, without appeal.

A Philadelphia surgeon, who was on his way to perform an operation on a patient, had his carriage robbed and lost his surgical instruments, while making a temporary stop, "whereby," added the reporter "the operation was prevented and the patient's life saved."

The bill to amend an act entitled "An Act to establish a State Police" gives the Governor power to increase the force at his discretion, and to lay a special tax on the County where an extra force is by him considered necessary for the preservation of the peace.

The South Carolina Republican—the Radical organ—speaking of the Legislature says: The time occupied in speaking by some members will cost the State probably \$50,000 while the worth of the speeches will probably be less than thirty cents. Our darkies never open their mouths.

Our Ex-Judges.—Chief Justice Dinkin has entered into a co-partnership with his son, A. H. Dinkin, Esq., of this city.

Judge Wardlaw, we learn, will open a law office at Edgefield Courthouse.

Judge Inglis has removed to Baltimore, where he is at present engaged in the practice of the law.

Judge Moses is the present Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of this State.

Judge Glover has formed a co-partnership with his son, Mortimer Glover, Esq., and is practicing law at Orangeburg Courthouse.

Judge Dawkins has resumed practice at Union Courthouse.

Judge Munroe has also resumed practice at Union with his son, William Munroe, Esq.

Judge Aldrich is practicing the profession at Barnwell Courthouse.

Chancellor Lesense has formed a co-partnership, and is now practicing law in this city with C. R. Miles, Esq.

Chancellor Johnson has resumed the practice of the profession.

Chancellor Carroll resides at Columbia, and has resumed the practice at that place, with the Messrs. Melton; he has also re-established the old law firm of Carroll & Bacon, at Edgefield.—Charleston Courier.

NEWBERRY, S. C.

Wednesday Morning, Feb. 3, 1869.

All persons indebted to this office for advertising, or Job work, either Assignees or others, are called upon to settle up before return day.

Cash and Cash Only. From this date we enforce rigidly the cash system, with all alike. Exceptions made during the past year, by special request and on promises strong and apparently truthful, have proven the fallacy of credit. We cannot indulge the expensive habit longer. Cash for job work, cash for subscriptions, cash for advertisements, hereafter is the rule. Remember it, bring your money in hand if you need anything in our line.

Assignees and Bankrupts. Will bear in mind that a final discharge in Bankruptcy is not granted until all fees are paid up. There are a few accounts on our books for advertising still unpaid, and we advise parties interested to call at once and settle.

Our Mark. Subscribers whose terms of subscription expired on or about the 1st January, and who do not renew at once, will receive the paper no longer. The inevitable X mark is made three times so as insure notice; it signifies three things, first the subscriber's time is about out, second that a renewal is desired, and third that the paper will stop unless the subscriber is heard from. Look out for the X mark, and be not offended if we are forced to discontinue because no word is received to the contrary.

Death of Ex-Governor Pickens. This distinguished citizen died after a protracted illness, at his residence in Edgefield, on the 25th ult. The best part of Mr. Pickens' life was devoted to public service, and the State he served so long and so honorably, may well mourn the death of her distinguished son. In the U. S. Congress, to which he was sent early in life, in the legislature of our own State, in her proud and palmy days, as minister to the Court at St. Petersburg, and during the late troublous times, as Governor, Mr. Pickens maintained the trusts confided to him with signal ability, and gained the utmost confidence of his fellow citizens. Holding such an high position, it would have been singular did he not become a mark for aspersion—more particularly in the last great and difficult role as Governor. Unswerving integrity and a high sense of honor marked his course, and if there was aught of error in his administration, it was the fault of the head and not of the heart. Let history do justice to his virtues and services, and the State reverse his memory.

The Legislature. The Legislature (so-called), is decidedly a slow coach. The days run to weeks, and the weeks merge into months, and still it drags its slow length along. The reps are indeed having a good time, consuming the public money. They meet about 12 M., and after a burlesque of about three hours, adjourn. On an average this is the daily programme. The Phenix gives a specimen of last Wednesday's proceedings, and says:

"The Senate bill to alter and amend the criminal law, after having been discussed for four days in Committee of the Whole, which reported by a decided majority in favor of the bill as it came from the Senate, was put upon its second reading. The first section of the bill, abolishing capital punishment, except in case of wilful murder, which was its destructive feature, passed to a third reading, by a vote of 58 to 38. Then commenced the filibustering of its opponents."

DeLarge moved to re-commit the remaining sections. Purvis moved to lay this motion on the table, on which were called the yeas and nays. DeLarge asked to explain and called for yeas and nays; while calling, Bishop begged to be excused voting, and Hyde called for yeas and nays, upon which Jenks asked leave for something. Dennis then moved to suspend rules, and the yeas and nays were called. Bishop moved to adjourn, then more yeas and nays, and when his name was called, asked to be excused, when DeLarge called yeas and nays. While this was in operation, DeMars declined voting, which called for a few more yeas and nays. Then DeLarge moved to adjourn—when up rises W. H. Jones asking to be excused from voting, yeas and nays again. Then came the call of yeas and nays on adjournment, when the yeas had it. Was there ever such a muddle?

GEORGIA ENTERPRISE.—With pride we insert the following paragraph from the Savannah Republican: Georgia manufacturing enterprise is presenting to the world something new. We were shown yesterday a specimen of cotton blankets, turned out by the Eagle Mills, Columbus, that do credit to the State. They are very thick, napped heavily on both sides, and beautiful in appearance. They are said to answer all the purposes of the woolen blanket, and are furnished at the low price of from \$5 to \$6.50 per pair. Besides their value as something new, if generally adopted they will add largely to the consumption of the staple, with a corresponding effect upon the price.

ACCIDENT FROM FIRE-ARMS.—Last Friday Dr. A. D. Hoke received a troublesome wound from the accidental discharge of a small pistol he had in his pocket. We are glad to learn, however, that he will be sufficiently recovered in a few days to enable him to prosecute his business.

Exchanges.

The Lady's Friend for February.—A beautiful steel engraving, "Yes or No?" illustrating a story by Miss Douglas, leads off the February number of this charming magazine. There follows the usual large and elegant Fashion Plate; and a graphic engraving of "Detective Butler; by Summing up the Points of the Case." This latter is an illustration of Mrs. Wood's new story, "Roland Yorke; or, Done in Passion," which is becoming intensely interesting. All the admirers of "East Lynne" should read this powerful story. Among the other literary matter of this number, we may note "The Unknown Guest," a fine story by Mrs. Harriet Prescott Spofford; "Warren's Ward," by Mrs. Hooper; and the continuation of Miss Elizabeth Prescott's sparkling and brilliant serial, "Between Two." There is also a sweet piece of music called "Beautiful Eyes," and the usual large number of engravings illustrative of the Fashions, dresses, ladies' work, &c. &c. Published by Deacon & Peterson, 319 Walnut-street, Philadelphia, at \$2.50 a year (which also includes a large steel engraving). Four copies, \$6. Eight and one gratis, \$12. "The Lady's Friend" and "The Saturday Evening Post," (and "one" engraving, \$4.00).

Every Month.—The February number of this monthly, published by C. H. Jones & Co., No. 168 Fulton-street, N. Y., with a choice table of contents is received. The Premiums offered to subscribers are liberal in the extreme, as will be seen by the following table:

Five Subscribers, \$1.25 each; for ten Subscribers, with \$10.00, we will send a complete set of Dickens' Novels, in 12 vols. Price \$4.50; for twenty Subscribers, with \$30.00, we will send the celebrated Dyer's Washing Machine. Price \$14.00. Ten Subscribers more will get the Universal Wringer, in addition? Price \$9.00; for sixty Sewing Machines in the market. We will send the best \$55 Sewing Machine in the market.

Now observe this.—For One Hundred Subscribers, and \$375 in cash, we will send one of Bradbury's Grand Plans, 71 Octave, Rosewood Case, four large round corners, finished all around, extra mouldings on rim, large serpentine mouldings on bottom, elegantly carved legs, tyre, and desk, 8 ft. 8 in. long, and 3 ft. 4 in. wide. Price \$80.00.

These Plans are in every respect equal to any in the market, and will be delivered brand-new from the warehouses of the manufacturer.

Demonstrator's Young America.—This sprightly little Magazine is entered prospectively upon the third year of its existence, and has become an indispensable visitor in all those households where it is known. There are many other juvenile periodicals, some older, some younger than this popular favorite, but there are none for the children like "daring" Young America, so we must, per se, believe it to be the best, and congratulate the publisher on the great success of his little undertaking. \$1.50 Yearly. Published at 383 Broadway, New York.

Our Schoolday Visitor for February, published by Daughday & Becker, 424 Walnut-street, Phila., comes to us brighter than ever, and seemingly more than ever encouraged by its New Year's success. We would urge our Young Folks to send for a sample number, and become acquainted at once with this cheerful Monthly. It offers a magnificent steel plate Premium Engraving for every subscriber, and has valuable prizes for clubs. Price of Magazine, \$1.25 a year. Magazine and Engraving, \$1.50.

Burke's Weekly for boys and girls, continues to refresh us with its regular visits. Parents should secure this paper for their children, as it is one of the best. Published at M. Con. Ga., by W. J. Burke & Co., at \$2.00 per annum.

Le Petit Messenger, for February is received. As usual, it is especially gotten up, and is an ornament for the parlor. No body should be without it. Terms, \$6.00 per annum. Published by S. F. Taylor, importer, 391 Canal-street, New York.

The Health & Home, for the Farm and Garden, is one of the handsomest weeklies on our exchange list. Pettinelli, Bates & Co., No. 27 Park Row, New York. Subscription—\$4.00.

Farm & Garden, by Jas. R. Jacobs & Co., Clinton, S. C., \$1.00 per annum, Jan. 1869. Contents varied and interesting. So cheap is the Farm & Garden, that any farmer can afford to subscribe for it.

Literary Journal of Art and Science, New Lebanon, N. Y., price only 25 cents per annum.

GLYMPHVILLE, Jan. 23d, 1869. MR. EDITOR.—I saw in the Herald of the 20th inst., that Solomon P. Hoge, has charged five of the boxes, as having given in four hundred illegal votes, and had driven off the same number that would have voted for him. One of which boxes is the Glymph box.

It is false as to the Glymph box. I acted as chairman at the registration, and also at the election.

No man was allowed to register, who was not entitled to do so. And no man was allowed to vote who had not registered.

No man, white, black or of any hue was driven off, deterred, or even influenced to vote against his will, to our knowledge.

Mr. Hoge can have the names of all his colored brethren, that were at the election if he wishes, that they may testify to his charges.

I challenge investigation. Yours, WILLIAM RUFF, Chairman.

WILLIAM R. HENTZ, D. F. SUBER.

From the Army Hospital; the bloody battle-field the mansion of the rich and humble abode of the poor—from the office and the sacred desk; from the mountain top, distant valley and far-off islands of the ocean—from every nook and corner of the civilized world, is pouring in the evidence of the astonishing effects of Drake's Plantation Bitters. Thousands upon thousands of letters like the following may be seen at our office:

"I have been in the Army Hospital for fourteen months, speechless and nearly dead. At Alton, Ill., they gave me a bottle of Plantation Bitters. They have made me a well man."

C. H. FLAUTE.

MAGNOLIA WATER.—Superior to the best imported German Cologne, and sold at half the price.

Index to New Advertisements. Carpentening—Henry Eisenhauer, at Mons. Schodairs.

In Bankruptcy.—For Final Discharge, B. R. Scott, J. P. Pool, J. P. Buzhardt, Thos. H. Chappell, and Wm. Sumner.

Sale—H. W. Dominick, and Wilson. Groceries.—Paysinger & Wilson.

School Notice.—Miss J. Jones. Legal Notice.—Martha A. Golden. Demorets Young America.

Monthly Magazine. Sale of real and personal property.—F. H. Dominick, Assignee. Universalist Herald—Notasulga, Alabama.

Fish, Shad and Black.—L. R. Marshall. Registration Notice.—J. E. Peterson. Bargains.—At A. Singleton's. Auditors Notice.—S. Montgomery. Magasin.—Meeting Signet Chapter. New Store.—D. P. Buzhardt. Assessors' Notices. Carolina National Bank—Columbia.

LOCAL ITEMS.

"Those Fish and those Oysters" have been tried and not found wanting in size, flavor, delicacy and cheapness. Laurence's fame as a vender of fish and oysters is becoming as great as Delmonico's as a restaurateur.

REGISTRAR IN BANKRUPTCY.—We are pleased to announce that Mr. J. C. Jaeger has been appointed Registrar in Bankruptcy for the 3rd Congressional District, and that his office will be at Newberry Court House.

PUBLIC MEETING.—Our citizens will bear in mind the meeting to be held in the Court House Thursday evening, the object of which is to consider the importance of a Telegraph and the means to be adopted to further that interest. A full meeting is requested.

INFANT SCHOOL.—By reference to card elsewhere, it will be seen that Miss Josephine Jones has opened a juvenile School in the session room of the Presbyterian Church, and we take great pleasure in recommending her to this community, as a young lady of great amiability of character, and as well qualified from previous experience, "to teach the young idea how to shoot." Send your little children to her, mothers. Her terms, too, are moderate, as we have been informed.

BEFORE THE PUBLIC.—The enterprising firm of Wilson & Wicker are before the public in an attractive advertisement, which we are confident will bring them an increase of material prosperity. Their stock of goods is as large and complete as it will can be, in fact, larger than it should be for their personal convenience at present, having just received their new invoices. In a few days, however, they look for a reduction, and for that purpose, will sell rapidly and cheap. Look in on them.

COMPROMISE.—Several of our exchanges have forcibly advanced the idea of a general compromising of anti-war and war debts. The principle is a sound one, and the display of a spirit of liberality and forbearance toward "brothers, neighbors and friends," would speedily pave the way to prosperity. We are told that the spirit is encouraged by the bar. This is a noble example, and from a source which renders it right worthy of emulation. All honor to the gentlemen of the legal profession. Let the work go on, and receive fresh momentum daily, and until the incubus that weighs so heavily upon those who suffer in mind and estate is fully removed.

THE CHALLENGE WASHING MACHINE.—One of the simplest washing machines now before us is the Challenge Washer, of which Messrs. Riser and Witt are the agents. Having had one in operation for some time, we cheerfully recommend it as fully coming up to all that is claimed for it. Its cheapness too is another recommendation, for one which adds greatly to its popularity. The agents above mentioned have disposed of a large number in this district, as well as elsewhere, and the testimonials received are all of the most favorable character. It will wash six shirts in seven minutes, four sheets or a bed quilt in four minutes, and sixteen pillow-cases in five minutes. It is light, easily adjusted and operated, cheap, durable, simple, and not liable to get out of order. The price of the washer is \$8, and the wringer from \$9 to \$10. The housewife wanting one, and no one should be without one, will address Messrs. J. Riser & M. H. Witt, at Pomaria, S. C.

SALE-DAY.—Everybody and the other man, with the exception of a few of their wives and children, were in town on Monday, and the streets presented a scene of animated nature not seen before for several preceding Saturday-days. Our local found it difficult to navigate successfully through the heterogeneous mass of bipeds, quadrupeds and darkies, and gave over in despair at twenty-five minutes after one, and as a compensation dined. His after dinner suggestion is that Sale-day hereafter be divided into two days, the first and third Mondays of the month, the present being too much of a good thing for one day.

The business of the day was active; cotton taking another rise, the spirits of the people rose in proportion, and the prices realized for the various property sold were a favorable indication of a people's prosperity. We noticed particularly the sale of one horse which brought \$40 more than the owner asked or dared hope to obtain.

The following tracts of land were sold as follows: 246 acres bringing \$1875.00; 228, \$1375.00; 75, \$650, and 66 acres \$420; horses and mules of which there were several, running, for good stock, as high as \$250.

TICKLE ME AND WE'LL TICKLE YOU.—This is one of the fairest games known under the sun; neither party will have advantage of the other in the game of "Tickle me and tickle you." It's a very nice game and quite innocent. Several of our merchants and friends have found it out lately, and have played very successfully, and of whom notice has been made. Our friend Mathew Albrinton, who keeps by the way an excellent stock of goods, just four miles beyond town, learned the trick some time back, and so well satisfied with it was he, that every now and then he is at it again. This time he played it with a jug of the best N. O. Syrup ever seen. Success to Mathew, may the sweets of life follow him to the end, and his business always be as good as now and better.

Some wizard, if there be one in this region, or a Ku-Klux man, must have informed Messrs. Paysinger & Wilson of the existence and prevalence of the aforesaid game, for scarce is the pen laid aside, and the ink dry used in writing the above, when lo and behold there came in another jug of Syrup. It is

marvellous, wonderful, startling, but none the less true. We can scarcely think that any supernatural agency was invoked by P. & W., but we confess to being perplexed. Last year our friends piled in on us potatoes, until there was no rest, so many in fact that tubers constituted the principal part of our meals; now we are being made the victims of syrup, inundated as it were, with the sweet trickling fluid. Is it a conspiracy, friends? "Methinks there be six Richmonds in the field," four have already met us, not in deadly tilt, but with jugs of N. O. Syrup. Pile it on friends, if this is your game. If you be not hurt, we will not be, ye, verily.

EXTRA COURT.—At the close of the recent January Term of the Circuit Court, His Honor Judge Orr issued an order for an Extra Term of the Court to be held on the fourth Monday in April next. This was rendered necessary from the fact that a large amount of business remained from the accumulations of previous years.—Greenville Mountaineer.

Bows, plenty of bows, all over bows is the last fashionable report from Paris.

COMMERCIAL. NEWBERRY, Feb. 2.—Cotton market quiet at 17 cents.

COLUMBIA, Feb. 1.—Monday is generally a dull day for cotton, but the market was quite animated to-day and some 52 bales were disposed of, at fair prices—27 for middlings.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—P. M.—Cotton unchanged—sales 1,600 bales at 29. Flour dull and declining—superfine 5.75 to 6.25; common to fair extra Southern 5.75 to 7.25. Gold weak at 29.

AUGUSTA, Feb. 1.—Cotton market quiet—sales 480 bales; receipts 480; middlings 27 a 27. CHARLESTON, Feb. 1.—Cotton quiet and unsettled; sales 250 bales—middlings commonly 28; sellers asking 28; receipts 1,415.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 1.—P. M.—Cotton opened active—uplands 11; Orleans 11.

PRICES CURRENT FOR NEWBERRY MARKET, CORRECTED WEEKLY.

BAGGING, per yd.	28
BALE ROPE, "	10 to 20
BUTTER, "	21 to 25
BACON, Hams	22 to 25
" Sides	20 to 21
" Shoulders	22 to 23
CANDLES, Adamant	22 to 25
" Tallow	15 to 18
COTTON YARN	2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100
COFFEE	20 to 25
FLOUR	11 to 12 1/2
GRAIN	1.10 to 1.20
" Oats	1.10
" Peas	1.10 to 1.15
" Wheat	1.20 to 1.30
INDIGO	1.50 to 2.00
IRON, Swedes	10 to 12
LEAD	22 to 25
LEATHER	40 to 45
" Upper	75 to 80
MOLASSES, Cuba	75 to 80
" Golden	100 to 110
NAILS	8 to 10
OIL, Kerosene	75 to 80
" Lard	40 to 45
" Sweet, per bus.	1.00
RICE	14 to 15
SHOOTING	25 to 30
SALT, Liverpool	10 to 12
SOAP	10 to 12
SPIRITS, Brandy	6 to 20, 00
" Gin	5 to 8, 00
" Rum	5 to 12, 00
" Scotch Whisky	4 to 5, 00
" Irish	10 to 12, 20
" Scotch	10 to 12, 00
SUGAR, Crushed	20 to 22
" Powdered	20
" Coffee C.	19
" Extra C.	19
" Brown	15
STARCHE	25
SODA	15 to 20
TOBACCO, Chewing and Smoking	4 to 20, 00
VINEGAR	75 to 1.00
MEATS, Beef, Mutton, Pork	8 to 15
" POULTRY, Turkeys	75 to 1.00
" Chickens	50 to 55
EGGS, per doz.	20 to 25

To the Assessors of Newberry County. MESSRS. KINARD, HOUSEAL, COATE, KINGMORE & KINARD.—GENTS.—You have been appointed assessors for Newberry County. As the provisions of the law are numerous, and somewhat complicated, while many of its features will appear novel to the tax payers of the County; it is of the first importance, therefore, that you study carefully the spirit and intent of the law, in order that you may execute it properly in detail. The spirit of the law, which is the life of the law, however, may be easily understood.

The law does not expect you to oppress, or grind, or deal rigorously in your assessments; but that you firmly and strictly carry out its provisions, exercising at all times sound discretion and forbearance in the performance of your duties, in order, not only that the State may secure its revenue, but that the people may feel that they have not been subjected to any other than an equitable and reasonable taxation.

I would particularly impress upon you, the propriety of being careful to avoid, as far as possible, any thing that may seem like an unnecessary inquisition into the private affairs of the taxpayer, they must, at the same time, use every proper means to satisfy themselves as to the correctness of the returns of property made. You will understand that the year for which this assessment is made terminates on the first of September, 1869, and that it is the property which has been held by the taxpayer, during the year preceding that date, and which is held by him on that date, that is to be assessed for taxation.

The attainment of these results, will, in a great measure, depend upon the manner in which you shall discharge your duties. Respectfully, S. MONTGOMERY, County Auditor.

Feb 3

IN THE PROBATE COURT. NEWBERRY COUNTY. Nancy Amick, Henry Amick and others, vs. John H. Sulton and wife, and others. Petition for Partition of the Real Estate of George D. Amick, deceased.

It appearing to my satisfaction that the defendants John H. Sulton and Mary A. his wife, reside beyond the limits of this State. It is therefore ordered, on motion of Garlington & Suber, Plaintiff's Attorneys, that they do plead, answer or demur to the petition filed in this case, on or before the 15th day of March next, or their consent will be taken pro confesso against them. Given under my hand this 2nd day of February A. D. 1869. JOHN T. PETERSON, J. P. N. C. Feb. 3 5 ft.

Assessor's Notice. We will attend at the following places for the purpose of assessing property, to-wit: At Sligh's store on Monday 8 Feb. At Caldwell's store Tuesday 9th Feb. At John Glymph's store Wednesday 10th Feb. At Mayhinton's balance of the week. At Whitmires on Monday 15th Feb. At Cromer's store Tuesday and Wednesday 16th and 17th Feb. At Oxner's store 18th Feb. At Ham's store 19th Feb. At Reeder's store 20th and 21st Feb. At Jalapa 22d Feb. At Longshore's 23rd and 24th Feb. At ChapPELL'S Depot 25th Feb. And at Deadfall 26th and 27th Feb. Every person must have a list of all his property, Real and Personal—including dogs, money at interest, or bonds. Every person between the ages of eighteen and fifty years, have a poll tax to pay—both white and black. All those that have no property to pay for will appear and give in their names. Township No. 3—Mayhinton—J. P. Kinard. " " 4—Cromer—Store. " " 5—Reeder's Store—Jno Coate. " " 6—Longshore's Store. " " 7—Chappell's Depot. The books will be kept open at my house every day for the assessing of property, from to-morrow. JOHN COATE, Assessors. Feb. 3 5 ft.

Infant School, BY Miss Josephine Jones, At the Presbyterian Church Session Room. Feb 3 5 ft

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