

MISCELLANY

The London Spectator says that Sir Robert Napier, in his Abyssinian expedition, compelled "a lofty African desert to yield water by an American device not a twelvemonth old." "A half a dozen mules," it says, "are drawn up, loaded with thin steel tubes. Tap, tap, tap, goes a hammer, rigger up in five minutes, and in ten the curse of Africa has been conquered as if a new Moses had smitten the rock, and pure water for an army is spouting among the stones."

New York is enjoying a dish of scandal about the neglected wife of a nabob who is supporting herself by her needle, and who is described as a very elegant and accomplished lady. In answer to an infamous proposal on the part of the husband to obtain a divorce, the lady, who had been living in great seclusion, issued a neatly printed circular, stating who she was, and that she wanted to earn money to support her children. What the issue will be, remains to be seen.

The wife of a numismatologist has innocently brought discord into the family circle by giving away her husband's rarest coins to the organ-grinders.

An Indiana paper chronicles a divorce granted to a lady, who, it says, was the sixth wife of the defendant, and the third separated from him by divorce.

The Houston Telegraph was instituted thirty years ago to get Texas into the Union. The Boston Post notes that it is still at it.

THEOLOGY AND TOPOGRAPHY.—The Boston Transcript speaks of the Erie as the "broad-gauge road which leadeth to destruction."

Final Notice.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of WILLIAM DOUGHERTY, deceased, will present the same properly attested, and all persons indebted will make prompt payment to Mrs. MARY E. DOUGHERTY, Executrix, or CHARLES LOGAN, Agent, Columbia, S. C.

Richland--In Equity.

The Theological Seminary of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of South Carolina, and the adjacent State, vs. Mrs. Mary A. Blanding, Executrix, Shubel Blanding, et al.

Appearing to my satisfaction that Mrs. MARY A. BLANDING, Dr. JOHN W. POWELL, and Mrs. J. C. POWELL, his wife, three of the defendants in this case, reside beyond the limits of this State; it is, on motion of Messrs. Bachman & Waties, ordered, that they plead, answer or demur to this bill, within forty days from the publication of this order, or a decree pro confesso will be entered against them. D. B. DESSAUSSEUR, April 10th, C. E. R. D.

IMPORTANT TO PLANTERS.

We are prepared to furnish, at short notice, STANDARD AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS and MACHINES, at manufacturer's prices.

THRESHERS, Separators, Horse-Powers, Reapers, Mowers, Corn Planters, Wheat Fans, &c.

Sole agents for Middle and Western Carolina for J. W. Cardwell & Co.'s Agricultural Implements, Geisler's Threshing Machines, Harmon's Wheel-Horse Raker, and the celebrated Buck-Eye Mowing and Reaping Machines; and guarantee our machines to work well.

For a descriptive circular, please send us a card, and we will send you one at once. FISHER & LOWRANCE, Columbia, S. C.

The Quaker Liniment; the best liniment for family use; can be used internally and outwardly. It is a great pain destroyer. Kills pain and all kinds of aches. Sold by Fisher & Heinitch.

Smoking Tobacco. 100 LBS. Pure Spanish SMOKING TOBACCO. For sale low by E. & G. D. HOPE. March 10

SPECIAL.

RETAIL MERCHANTS, awake! Take notice! Save your thousands! This is to inform you of the organization of the UNITED MERCHANTS' CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION. You are cordially invited to accept of the benefits and advantages your participation will secure to you in your trade operations. Your membership will save for you thousands. By co-operation, the profits you are now being compelled to pay away to importers, jobbers and wholesale firms are saved, and the original cost of your goods is reduced to that of importers. We will save from twenty to thirty per cent. We call upon you to arise--count the cost! Awake! Such an opportunity has never been offered to you before. It should not be neglected a single day; it is of personal interest to all. Merchants of the South, we invite you to join us. It will save millions in your behalf, that you now pay to Northern firms. Be wise. Merchants visiting Baltimore should call at the office of the Association, before buying their stocks, and look to their interest. Send stamp and get our little pamphlet. Address NORRILL & CO., Agents U. M. C. A., 91 West Lombard st., Baltimore, Md. May 18

FRESH CRACKERS. MUSHROOM, Soda, Trenton Butter, Tea Crackers, Jumbles, &c., for sale by GEO. SYMMERS. March 10

PLANTS FOR SALE. I am prepared to furnish the lovers of PLANTS, such as Geraniums, Heliotropes, Fuchsias, and many other beautiful plants, cheaper than sold in any other market.

J. A. CRAWFORD, Corner of Bland and Bull sts., April 18 Columbia, S. C.

Old Newspapers FOR SALE at the PHENIX OFFICE.

AMERICAN HOUSE, BOSTON, MASS.

THE very important and extensive improvements which have recently been made in this POPULAR HOTEL, the largest in New England, enable the proprietors to offer to tourists, families and the traveling public accommodations and conveniences superior to any other hotel in the city. During the past summer, additions have been made of numerous suites of apartments, with bathing rooms, water closets, &c., attached; one of the most magnificent passenger elevators, the best ever constructed, conveys guests to the upper story of the house in one minute; the entries have been newly and richly carpeted, and the entire house thoroughly replenished and refurnished--making it in all its appointments, equal to any hotel in the country. Telephone Office, Billiard Hall and Cafe on first floor. LEWIS RICE & SON, Proprietors. May 6 18mo

CENTRAL HOTEL.

(FORMERLY DRIVER HOUSE.) PLAIN STREET, COLUMBIA, S. C. HAVING taken charge of this well known house, with a determination to render it attractive to the traveling public, the subscriber hopes, through the means of GOOD FARE, MODERATE CHARGES and assiduous efforts to make his guests comfortable, to obtain a liberal share of public patronage. Liberal arrangements made with persons desiring permanent board. Give me a trial. D. B. CLAYTON, March 14 3mo

SCREVEN HOUSE, SAVANNAH, GA.

THE above HOTEL, of modern construction, with all the conveniences of the best Northern Hotels, has recently changed hands, and is now conducted by T. S. NICKERSON, of the Planters' Hotel, Augusta; National Hotel, Atlanta, and Nickerson House, Columbia, S. C.

The furniture throughout is of the most elegant description, the rooms scrupulously clean and well ventilated, and the attendance is equalled by none in the South.

Travelers stopping at the above Hotel will find the comforts and conveniences of their own homes.

The Proprietor pledges himself that every delicacy afforded either by Northern or Southern markets, will be constantly supplied at the table.

SAVANNAH, GA., March 19, 1863. 1mo

MARRIAGE GUIDE.

ANOTHER EDITION just published, being the 38th of the POCKET ESCUPALUS, or Every One his own Doctor, including a Treatise on Diseases of Females, Irregularities, &c., with a hundred engravings, explaining those diseases in both sexes. By Wm. Young, M. D.

Every one may conduct any case of secret disease, self-abuse or those distressing diseases incidental to youth, manhood or old age, without resorting to the quacks of the present day. Let no man contemplating marriage be another hour without reading this wonderful book, as it discloses important secrets which should be known to them particularly. Let the weak and bashful youth who has ruined his constitution by the debasing habit of self-abuse read this book. It will be sent to all parts of the United States and Canada for 50 cents. Send for Pocket Escupalus.

Dr. WM. YOUNG, No. 416 Spruce st., Philadelphia, Penn. June 24 1y

To Builders, Contractors and Proprietors.

HAVING located conveniently near the principal manufacturing of New York, and vicinity, the subscriber will give prompt personal attention to procuring for orders all kinds of WOOD, IRON and MARBLE WORK, for buildings and machinery. Sash, Blinds, Doors, Carvings of every kind and material. From twelve years' professional experience in South Carolina, the subscriber will guarantee to suit the wishes of those building.

THOS. C. YEAL, Architect, Tonsy, New Jersey. March 26 3mo Late of Columbia, S. C.

JUST RECEIVED.

AT the Ladies' Industrial Association, Cheap CORSETS, of good shape; Corset Fronts, Ties and Spool Cotton, Working Materials of great variety, and New Patterns for ladies' and children's underclothing. Orders are solicited from ladies and gentlemen, and every effort will be made to have them promptly filled.

April 3

Spring and Summer Fashions.

JUST received, at the "Industrial Depository," Madame Demorest's Bulletin of Ladies' and Children's Fashions. This plate of fashion is elegantly colored, and has with it a book of description and valuable information, together with a full assortment of Patterns for ladies' and children's dresses, caps, saques and suits. Call, ladies, and assist the needy, by purchasing our patterns. All orders from the country promptly attended to.

April 17

The Industrial School.

THE above SCHOOL, on Arsenal Hill, resumed instructions on MONDAY, the 23d. The services of a competent Teacher being secured, all who desire an education, and instruction in Needle-work, &c., can do so by immediate application. Terms moderate. Those who are not able to pay will have the privilege of an education and allowed the use of books, slate, &c., as to give them every opportunity to attend the School. March 24

Clarified Sugars.

25 BBLs. Coffee and Extra C. SUGARS, just in and for sale by E. & G. D. HOPE. Feb 28

Don't Experiment

WITH new and untried medicines. If well tested remedy for COUGHS, COLDS and affections of the Throat, Breast and Lung Diseases.

Stanley's Cough Syrup will cure. Stanley's Cough Syrup has been tried. Stanley's Cough Syrup is for sale at FISHER & HEINTSH'S Drug Store. Feb 27

Fresh Biscuit and Crackers.

20 BBLs. FRESH CRACKERS, for sale low by E. & G. D. HOPE. March 27

The Life of all flesh is blood.

The health of all life is pure flesh. Pure blood keeps out all diseases. The Queen's Delight purifies the blood.

Self-Raising Flour.

10 BARRELS Hecker's Self-Raising FLOUR, for sale low by E. & G. D. HOPE. March 27

Scrophula, or King's Evil, is cured by using Heintsh's Queen's Delight.

THE POLLOCK HOUSE.

THE UNDERSIGNED has fitted up his establishment, and has received a large stock of the finest WINES, LIQUORS, and BRANDIES, and a large stock of CIGARS, TOBACCO, &c.; SYRUPS, CORDIALS and other articles.

JELLIES and BRANDY FRUITS of home production. In the rear of the wholesale store, he has a handsomely appointed SAMPLE ROOM.

WHERE the best of everything is dispensed.

REFRESHMENTS

OF all kinds--FISH, OYSTERS, GAME, MEATS, &c.--furnished at short notice, and in the very best styles, and in the very best SUPPER ROOMS.

ATTACHED to the establishment are commodious rooms, where private DINNERS and SUPPERS will be furnished for any number of persons from 12 to 150.

LUNCH every day, at 11 o'clock. The Proprietor pledges himself that he will continue, as heretofore, to use his utmost endeavors to give perfect satisfaction to his patrons and guests.

Jan 1 T. M. POLLOCK, Proprietor.

EXCHANGE RESTAURANT.

Camden Street, rear of Gregg's China Store.

J. CLENDINING, Proprietor.

HAVING thoroughly fitted up the above

establishment as a RESTAURANT, I am prepared to furnish visitors with the best of Eatables and DRINKABLES. OYSTERS, GAME, FISH, MEATS, &c., prepared in the very best style, by one of the finest cooks in the city. SUPPERS furnished at short notice. Families supplied with OYSTERS at reasonable prices. Choice WINES, LIQUORS and CIGARS constantly on hand. LUNCH every day at 11 o'clock. Dec 10

A Great Spring and Summer

INVIGORATOR AND RESTORER.

NOW IS THE TIME TO CLEANSE OUT those PERILOUS SLEETS, Pimples, corrupt sores, which POLLUTE the LIFE OF THE BLOOD, and render your body a loathsome thing. They are the precursors of a diseased blood, and will assume a much more formidable shape if allowed to go on unchecked. THE QUEEN'S DELIGHT, the only real blood purifier that has ever been invented, as thousands will to-day attest, is offered to the afflicted as a positive remedy for all diseases flowing from a vitiated condition of the system.

THE LIFE OF THE FLESH IS PURE BLOOD. Upon this theory alone the inventor of the Queen's Delight established the great hygienic law, WITHOUT PURE BLOOD NO FLESH IS FREE FROM DISEASE. The Pale and Stricken Forms, Yellow Faces, Weak Stomachs, Diseased Livers, Crippled Rheumatisms, Nervous Hypochondriacs, Dyspeptic Victims of Headache, so common in this country, is owing entirely to the impurities of the blood.

Very many other diseases may be traced to bad blood, Scrophula or King's Evil, Erysipelas, Exanthema, or Elevation, a rash or eruption on females, Blotches, Tetter, Goitre or Swelled Neck, Syphilis and Syphilitic Sores, Strumous Ulcers, &c. These cannot be cured without purifying the blood. Now as to the remedy. There is no other blood purifier that will accomplish such positive and extraordinary cures as Heintsh's Queen's Delight. You may take a barrel of extract Sarsaparilla, and still you will not be cured; and, as a proof of it, look around and you will observe the countenances throughout its length and breadth, its deeds and its words, claiming to be blood purifier, and yet we know of no more evidence of impurity of the blood than ever. Why is this? Simply because these extracts and Sarsaparilla are worthless medicines.

The Queen's Delight is a new compound, and is now the great blood medicine; sanctioned by the profession, patronized by the highest dignitaries of the land, endorsed by everybody.

In the brief period of twelve months, over 300 cases have been treated so successfully as to entitle it to be the wonder of the age.

For debility, prostration, nervousness, mental depression, impaired digestion, loss of appetite, restlessness, want of vital force. Low spirits; it is more invigorating and strengthening than all the compounds of bark or bitters. As a liver invigorator, it is of inestimable value. As a stimulant, it is safer and surer than all the rum and whiskey tonics of the day, and if you value your life and health a pinch of this great and true Queen's Delight, Ask for Heintsh's Queen's Delight. This is not the Extract of Scrophula or Queen's Delight, nor is it a Compound Syrup of Queen's Delight, or Sarsaparilla and Queen's Delight, but simply Heintsh's Queen's Delight is the trade mark. Ask for this if you want to be cured, and see that the name of E. H. Heintsh is on the wrapper. Prepared only by E. H. Heintsh. Wholesale agents, FISHER & HEINTSH, Columbia, S. C.

April 18 1y

A Good Spring Medicine for Horses.

HEINTSH'S GERMAN HORSE POWDER, for Indigestion, Distemper, Hide-bound, Drowsiness, Loss of Appetite, Inward Sprains, Debility, Wasting of Flesh, Sore Eyes, Swelled Legs, Grease, Mange, Surfeit, Old Coughs, for Exhaustion from Work. It carries off all foul humors, purifies and cools the blood, and prevents horses becoming stiff and foundered. It is a stimulant for weak stomachs, and renders the limbs and skin soft and fine, giving a smooth coat to the hair. These powders have been used in Columbia for the past twenty-five years, and hundreds of citizens attest their efficacy. For sale only by FISHER & HEINTSH, Druggists. March 6

M. W. BYTHEWOOD,

Auctioneer and General Commission Merchant

On Washington st., rear of A. Tolleson's, COLUMBIA, S. C.

THE above store having been rented, I am from this day prepared to receive consignments of Cotton, Corn, Flour, Bacon, Groceries and Provisions in general; also, Furniture, Dry Goods, Clothing, Tobacco, &c.

From my experience of twenty years in the auction and commission business, in this city, Charleston and Newberry, S. C., I hope to receive a liberal share of patronage from my old friends and the public generally. Dec 19

EATING HOUSE AT ALSTON.

PASSENGERS on the Greenville and Columbia Railroad, can get BREAKFAST and DINNER at Alston--ample time being allowed.

Dec 27 MARY A. ELKIN & SON.

Charleston Advertisements.

Dry Flint Hides Wanted.

WANTED, a lot of DRY FLINT HIDES, for which we will pay 15 cents per pound, if delivered at the South Carolina Railroad Depot, Charleston, S. C.

MOSES GOLDSMITH & SON. April 21 1m

Livery and Sale Stables.

CHALMERS STREET, Charleston, S. C. WM. A. BAKER, Proprietor. Carriages, Phaetons, Buggies and Saddle Horses to hire, at all hours. Mules and Horses for sale. Feb 27

CHARLESTON HOTEL,

CHARLESTON, S. C.

THE undersigned having taken charge of the above well-known HOTEL, his friends and the traveling public that it has been REFURNISHED, in all of its departments. The table will, at all times, be supplied with the best of the Market affords, including every delicacy in season, while the cuisine will be unexceptionable. The Bath Rooms attached to the Hotel are supplied with the celebrated Artesian Water, and Hot, Cold or Shower Baths can be obtained at any time. The same attention will be paid to the comfort of the guests as heretofore, and travelers can rely upon finding the Charleston Hotel equal to any in the United States. The patronage of the traveling public is respectfully solicited. J. P. HORBACH, Agent. Jan 11 3mo Proprietor.

New York Advertisements.

SOUTHERN BANK NOTES!

SOUTHERN SECURITIES!

Bought and sold on commission by LAWRENCE, BROS. & CO., BANKERS,

NO. 16 WALL STREET, NEW YORK.

MONEY received on deposit from banks, bankers, merchants and others. Orders in Gold, Government and other Securities executed at the regular Stock Exchange by a member of the firm. Oct 8 DeWITT C. LAWRENCE. JOHN R. CECIL. CRUIS J. LAWRENCE. Wm. A. HALSTED

REEVES' AMBROSIA

FOR THE HAIR.

IMPROVED:

IT is an elegant Dressing for the HAIR.

It causes the Hair to Curl beautifully.

It keeps the Scalp Clean and Healthy.

It invigorates the Roots of the Hair.

It forces the Hair and Beard to grow luxuriantly.

It immediately stops Hair Falling Out.

It keeps the Hair from Changing Color from Age.

It restores Grey Hair to its Original Color.

It brings out Hair on heads that have been bald for years.

It is composed entirely of simple and purely vegetable substances.

It has received over six thousand voluntary testimonials of its excellence, many of which are from physicians in high standing.

It is sold in half-pound bottles (the name blown in the glass) by Druggists and Dealers in Fancy Goods, everywhere, at One Dollar per Bottle. Wholesale by Demas Barnes & Co.; F. C. Wells & Co.; Schieffelin & Co., New York.

March 18 1y

JAMES CONNER'S SONS

United States Type Foundry

AND PRINTER'S WAREHOUSE.

NOS. 28, 30 and 32 Centre street, (corner of Reade street,) New York. The type on which this paper is printed is from the above Foundry. Nov 18

CONDENSED TIME TABLE

OF CHARLOTTE AND SOUTH CAROLINA RAILROAD COMPANY, AND ITS CONNECTIONS:

Going North Read Down.

VIA GREENSBORO AND DANVILLE.

ARRIVE. LEAVE. TERMINALS. ARRIVE. LEAVE.

11.05 P. M. 4.00 P. M. Columbia. 6.00 A. M. 11.35 P. M.

4.45 A. M. 5.30 A. M. Charlotte. 7.02 " 7.17 "

5.00 P. M. 8.50 P. M. Greensboro. 4.45 A. M. 8.15 A. M.

6.15 A. M. 7.45 A. M. Richmond. 5.50 P. M. 7.30 P. M.

9.10 " 9.45 " Washington. 3.45 " 4.15 "

1.32 P. M. 1.32 P. M. Baltimore. 12.00 M. 12.00 M.

5.08 " " Philadelphia. 9.35 A. M. 3.20 P. M.

" " New York. 8.05 P. M. 10.40 A. M.

" " " 7.30 " 6.30 "

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" " " 5.08 " 8.36 A. M.

VIA PORTSMOUTH AND BAY LINE.

9.31 A. M. 9.35 A. M. Raleigh. 3.15 P. M. 3.20 P. M.

8.05 P. M. 8.30 P. M. Weldon. 10.35 A. M. 10.40 A. M.

7.30 " 7.30 " Portsmouth. 6.00 " 6.30 "

8.30 A. M. 9.45 A. M. Baltimore. 3.45 P. M. 4.30 P. M.

1.32 P. M. 1.32 P. M. Philadelphia. 12.00 M. 12.00 M.

5.08 " " New York. 5.08 " 8.36 A. M.

VIA PORTSMOUTH AND ANNAHESSIC LINE.

7.30 P. M. 7.30 P. M. Portsmouth. 6.00 A. M. 6.30 A. M.

2.45 A. M. 2.45 A. M. Crisfield. 10.45 P. M. 10.45 P. M.

8.03 " 12.30 P. M. Wilmington, Delaware. 4.45 " 5.05 "

1.32 P. M. 1.32 " Philadelphia. 3.30 " 3.30 "

5.08 " " New York. 11.56 A. M.

OPTIONAL TICKETS to all points North, good over either route named above, can be had on application at the Ticket Office, foot of Bland street. BAGGAGE CHECKED THROUGH. April 29 C. BOUKNIGHT, Superintendent.

Greenville and Columbia R. R. Co.

ONE THOUSAND MILES FOR \$25.

THIS Company has now for sale, in lieu of "Season Tickets," a TICKET which entitles a person to travel over the road ONE THOUSAND MILES FOR \$25, within one year from date of purchase. The Tickets can be purchased from the Agents at Columbia, Newberry, Abbeville, Anderson and Greenville.

W. ALSTON GIBBES, General Ticket Agent G. & C. R. R. Co. 32 Papers in the country publishing by agreement will copy six times. May 12 36

South Carolina Railroad.

THIS Company has now for sale, for the accommodation of merchants throughout the country, "BUSINESS TICKETS" to travel over the road

ONE THOUSAND MILES FOR \$25. They can be procured at the Company's Ticket Offices in Augusta, Columbia and Camden; also in Charleston, from

L. C. HENDRICKS, General Ticket Agent, Office John street. April 10 fm

South Carolina Railroad.

GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, SOUTH CAROLINA RAILROAD, April 28, 1863.

THE FOLLOWING FREIGHT TARIFF

from Nashville and Chattanooga to Columbia will take effect from and after this date:

To Columbia. From Nashville. Chattanooga.

Bacon per 100 lbs.83 62

Ons per bushel.28 21