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OUR government is divided into three branches—the legislative, the executive, and the judicial.

THE constitution provides that there shall be no connection between one department and another.

THE legislative department is a part unto itself—so is the judicial and so is the executive.

A MEMBER of the legislative department can not also be a member of the judicial. Nor can an executive officer have a seat in the legislature or on the bench.

FAIRFIELD just now has a variation from these early principles of government as given by our fathers. Her sheriff has combined the judicial and the executive departments.

The legislature should have the first place in making the centennial of the South Carolina College a great time by giving to the college a liberal appropriation—and that without the usual bickerings.

OSCAR BOOZ was hazed upon his entrance to West Point. Two years later he died. An investigation is now being held to determine whether there was any connection between the hazing and the death. The college authorities admit that hazing is still practiced at West Point. They also claim that they can not stop it. The experience of hundreds of other institutions, both larger and smaller, shows that they could if they would. They surely [illegible]ould.

No[illegible]tion [illegible] be compact. Ours at p[illegible] anything else. There is no longer any danger from redistricting on a basis of contiguous territory. The present legislature would memorialize itself by the passage of a bill providing for the redistricting of the State.

CONGRESS has passed the Burleigh bill which provides that the [illegible]se shall be composed of 380 [illegible]bers instead of 357 as heretofore.

Under the bill no State loses a representative and the following make gains: Illinois, New York and Texas three each; Minnesota, New Jersey and Pennsylvania two each; Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Florida, Louisiana, Massachusetts, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, North Dakota, Washington, West Virginia and Wisconsin one each.

This ends the question of representation for the next ten years. South Carolina will retain her seven congressmen, though she would have been more willing to have had her number reduced than to have lost her white man's government.

We print in this issue "A Retrospect" from an old Confederate soldier, whose days are being rapidly numbered. Next Tuesday we shall print another most interesting piece of Confederate history from another gallant soldier whose days with us are almost numbered.

These two articles are highly appreciated and are highly valuable. They suggest to us how fast our true historians are passing away. How important therefore, that they make good use of the fleeting time by giving the treasures from their richly stored memories for the present and future generations. All such contributions will be most highly welcomed by us and we trust that our old soldiers whom we love so well to honor will take advantage of every opportunity to give us a higher appreciation of the greatness of their valor, the usefulness of their devotion, and the justness of their cause.

—Messrs. M. W. Doty & Co. are conducting a sales stable at Batesburg.

The three men charged with the murder of William Rosborough are, whatever may have been their past records, charged with a crime the enormity of which and the circumstances surrounding it demand that they be kept in the closest confinement until a jury of twelve of their peers shall determine whether they are or any one of them is guilty. Under the present conditions we seriously doubt whether any circuit judge would release any one of them on bail, even if a very large and safe bond could be secured. We are at a complete loss, therefore, to understand how it is that the sheriff of Fairfield County allows one of these criminals to act as a trusty at the jail and to have the freedom of the streets by day. The fact that the party in question is not thought to be guilty by the officer counts for naught in mitigation of punishment. The supposition of one man against the investigation of twelve men after days of persistent work is a very small item.

THE latest development in the Rosborough case that has already attracted so much attention is the petition that will be presented to the governor by a committee of colored citizens protesting against one of the accused being a trusty at the jail. We are not surprised at this natural outcome, for from the very time the murder was committed, the negroes—especially the leaders among them—have shown a determination that the guilty parties be brought to justice and have given every assistance possible in ferreting out the crime. Their indignation is a righteous one and highly commendable. The criminal in question has had no right under the sun to the privileges enjoyed. The circumstances demand as we have said before that all three be kept in the closest confinement. Public sentiment on the part of the whites as well as the negroes demands as much and will be satisfied with nothing less.

WE had previously intended mentioning it at a later time, but [illegible] time is so opportune in [illegible]h present circum- [illegible]ke the matter up [illegible] for two reasons [illegible]oo public a place [illegible] to be sufficiently [illegible]r confinement, for [illegible]ies to see all that [illegible] friends and re[illegible] relieves their punishment of [illegible] greatest bitterness. This publicity also oftentimes gives criminals the opportunity of finding out what steps are being taken in their case and enables them to prepare themselves for the facts to be brought out in their trial. Other counties have realized this fact and have taken the necessary steps to remove their jails to more private places. In fact, it is a matter of history that Fairfield once took the initiatory steps towards this greatly desired end. Second, it is a disgrace to a town to have the county jail at the most important junction of its two principal streets. Such an important location should be occupied by some other kind of building or go unoccupied. We well remember our complete surprise on finding such a state of affairs when we first arrived in town, and this is the impression made upon all visitors.

Still another reason is that the present jail is not sufficiently adapted to the county's unprecedented progress in criminality. We are told that at the present time there are not sufficient quarters to confine prisoners in separate cells far enough apart for them not to have communication with one another, if circumstances demand that they be so kept. This should not so be.

The cause of justice and the interests of town and county demand that the jail be removed.

The question is referred to the grand jury.

—Our Longtown correspondent records the death of Mrs. Martha Seigler, the mother of our fellow-townsman, Mr. J. W. Seigler, who in this hour of affliction has the sympathy of many friends.

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LEGISLATIVE NOTES.

Twenty young ladies want the easy job of State librarian.

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Col. Covington is the chief clerk in the engrossing department.

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A new 100-dollar robe has been ordered for Lieutenant Governor Tillman.

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Hon. John C. Sheppard succeeds himself as president protem of the Senate.

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Hon. W. F. Stevenson of Cheraw, was elected speaker of the House by a vote of 73.

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Two bills will be introduced providing for the extension of time for the payment of taxes.

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The pure and health-giving water of the Congaree will be the drinking water of the members.

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Col. Robt. H. Thompson of Ocoonee, now 73 years old, is the oldest member of the General Assembly.

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Governor McSweeney has vetoed the bill passed at the last session regulating the granting of charters.

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Rev. S. H. Zimmerman succeeds Rev. G. H. Waddell as chaplain of the Senate. The chaplain of the House is Rev. E. P. Hutson.

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Mr. Jno. P. Thomas has introduced a bill providing for the employment of a county attorney, who shall be an assistant to the circuit solicitor.

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Mr. T. C. Hamer of Marlboro, succeeds himself as clerk of the House and Hon. R. R. Hemphill of Abbeville, is his own successor as clerk of the Senate.

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Mr. J. F. Wilson of Lancaster, is the new sergeant-of-arms in the House. In the Senate Mr. J. F. Schumpert of Newberry, succeeds Col. Gaston of Columbia, as sergeant-of-arms.

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No changes were made in the reading clers in either body. Mr. John S. Withers of Chester, will continue to read the House bills and Mr. W. H. Stewart of Rock Hill, will read the Senato bills.

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Senator Ragsdale will serve on the following committees: Privileges and [illegible] judiciary, retrenchment, railroads and internal improvements, and in corporations, [illegible] of the latter.

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Hon. Jno. B. Morrison and Hon. Jno. G. Wolling both were present to answer their names on the first day. The former is serving his first term, the latter has before represented his county.

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Senator Marshall's child labor bill was the first to be introduced The bill provides that no child under 12 shall be employed in any factory, mine, or other manufacturing establishment of this State, that the authorities that employ such and the parents who hire them shall be fined not less than ten nor more than fifty dollars, or be imprisoned not more than thirty days, and that widows in needy circumstances shall be exempted from the provisions of the bill.

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The house employees are:

Assistant clerk, J. P. Richardson.
Bill clerk, Gill Hollis.
Journal clerk, W. E. Cook.
Inside doorkeeper, W. L. Gibson.
Outside doorkeeper, W. B Knight.
Gallery doorkeeper, R. L. Hagood.
Keeper of speaker's room, J N. Pearman.
Mail clerk, Jno. M. Sharp.
Pages, for this session only, William Wannamaker, William Prince, Frank Gault and Calhoun Cason.
Laborers, Fred Sones, Collie Robin, Archie Oliphant, Abram Foster.

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At the request of lieutenant governor elect, the retiring president of the Senate made the following appointments:

Journal Clerk—M. L. Clark.
Bill Clerk—E. S. Dingle.
Doorkeepers—downstairs, J. C. Ragan, C. F. Holmes; upstairs, J. A. White.
Pages—Halsey Fox, Willie League.
Mail Clerk—R. J. Parks.
Porter—H. D. Butler.
Keeper of president's room L. B. McCracken.
Assistant Clerk—R. M. McCown.
Laborers—Jack Pressler, Albert Nance.

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The new census makes a new reapportionment necessary and a bill has been introduced in the Senate providing for the following representation: Abbeville 3, Aiken 4, Anderson 5, Bamberg 2, Barnwell 3, Beaufort 3, Berkely 3, Charleston 8, Cherokee 2, Chester 3, Chesterfield 2, Clarendon 3, Colleton 3, Darlington 3, Dorchester 1, Edgefield 2, Fairfield 3, Florence 3, Georgetown 2, Greenville 5, Greenwood 3, Hampton 2, Horry 2, Kershaw 2, Lancaster 2, Laurens 3, Lexington 3, Marion 3, Marlboro 3, Newberry 3, Oconee 3, Orangeburg 5, Pickens 2, Richland 4, Saluda 2, Spartanburg 6, Sumter 5, Union 2, Williamsburg 3, York 4.

The counties which will each gain one member under this reapportionment will be Spartanburg, Lexington, Aiken and Greenwood.

The counties which lose a member each are Edgefield, Beaufort, Berkely and Charleston. There are no other changes.

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Final Discharge.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT on the 6th day of February, 1901, I will apply to the Judge of Probate for Fairfield County, at his office in the Court House at Winnsboro, S. C., for a final discharge as Guardian of the estate of Andrew Yongue and William Yongue.

MRS. M. M. YONGUE,
1-11-4t Guardian.

NOTICE OF Application for the Appointment of Guardian.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a petition has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for Fairfield County for the appointment of the Judge of Probate as guardian of the estates of the following minors, to wit: William Rosborough, Robert Rosborough and Alexander Rosborough; and the application for such appointment will be made to his Honor George W. Gage, Judge of the Sixth Circuit, at his Chambers, Chester, S. C., at 9 o'clock A. M. on Monday, the 21st day of January, 1901, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

The estates of said minors consist of undivided interests in a house and lot in the town of Winnsboro, and such interests as they may have in the personal estate of their father, William Rosborough, deceased, as may remain after the payment of his debts; and the said William Rosborough and Robert Rosborough jointly have an interest of five hundred dollars each in a policy of life insurance in their favor. The value of the estates of said minors, over and above said life insurance, will not amount to more than two hundred dollars each. The petition and application is made upon the ground that no fit, competent or responsible person can be found who is willing to assume the guardianship of said minors.

OLIVIA ROSBOROUGH,
Petitioner.

J. E. McDONALD,
Attorney for Petitioner.
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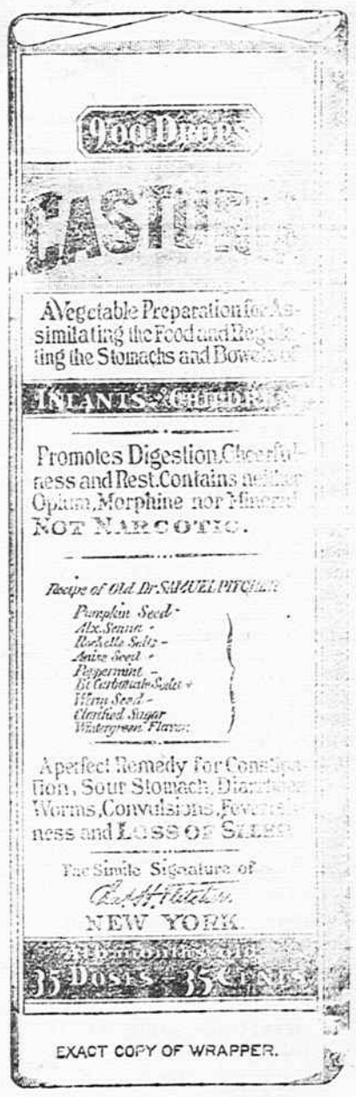

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" Barnwell	.....	4 08p	4 18a
" Blackville	.....	4 21p	4 28a
" Springfield	.....	4 44p	4 51a
" Sally	.....	4 52p	4 59a
Ar. Columbia	.....	6 05p	6 10a
Lv. Charleston, (So. Ry	.....	7 00a	11 00p
" Summerville	.....	7 41a	1200m
" Branchville	.....	8 55a	1 55a
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" Kingville	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
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Lv. Augusta	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lv. Graniteville	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lv. Edgefield	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lv. Aiken	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lv. Trenton	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
" Johnston	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ar. Columbia	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lv. Columbia	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
" Winnsboro	.....	7 05p	[illegible]
" Chester	.....	7 51p	[illegible]
" Rock Hill	.....	8 23p	[illegible]
Ar. Charlotte	.....	[illegible]	3 55a
Ar. Danville	.....	[illegible]10p	9 45a
Ar. Richmond	.....	12 51a	1 38p
Ar. Washington	.....	6 00a	6 25p
" Baltimore	.....	7 35a	8 50p
" Baltimore (Pa.RR)	.....	9 12a	11 25p
" Philadelphia	.....	11 35a	2 56a
" New York	.....	2 03p	6 12a
Lv. Columbia	.....	11 40a	6 30a
Ar. Spartanburg	.....	3 10p	9 50a
" Asheville	.....	7 15p	1 10p
Ar. Knoxville	.....	4 15a	7 20p
Ar. Cincinnati	.....	7 30p	7 45a
Ar. Louisville	.....	7 30p	7 40a

SOUTHBOUND.	No.43 Mixd ex Su	No.33 Daily	No.35 Daily
Lv. Louisville	.....	7 45a	7 45p
Lv. Cincinnati	.....	3 30a	8 00p
Lv. Knoxville	.....	1 20a	8 25a
" Asheville	.....	3 00a	3 05p
" Spartanburg	.....	11 45a	6 15p
Ar. Columbia	.....	3 30p	9 45p
Lv. New York (Pa.R.R)	.....	3 30p	12 15m
" Philadelphia	.....	6 05p	3 50a
" Baltimore	.....	8 27p	6 22a
Lv. Washi'gt'n (So.Ry)	.....	9 50p	11 15a
Lv. Richmond	.....	11 00p	1201m
Lv. Danville	.....	4 38a	5 48p
Lv. Charlotte	.....	8 10a	9 55p
" Rock Hill	.....	8 55a	10 45p
" Chester	.....	9 26a	11 20p
" Winnsboro	.....	10 18a	12 10a
Ar. Columbia, (Bldg St	6 30p	11 20a	1 15a
Lv. Columbia, (U. D.)	.....	11 45a	4 30a
" Johnston	10 30p	1 31p	6 32a
" Trenton	11 00p	1 43p	6 48a
Ar. Aiken	.....	2 20p	7 30a
Ar. Edgefield	.....	4 20p	11 30a
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Ar. Augusta	*1 00a	2 50p	8 00a
Lv. Columbia (So. Ry)	.....	4 00p	1 35a
" Kingville	.....	4 48p	2 32a
" Orangeburg	.....	5 33p	3 45a
" Branchville	.....	6 15p	4 25a
" Summerville	.....	7 28p	5 52a
Ar. Charleston	.....	8 15p	7 00a
Lv. Columbia (So. Ry.)	.....	11 25a	1 20a
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" Springfield	.....	12 45p	2 40a
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" Barnwell	.....	1 21p	3 15a
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