

The News and Herald has opposed the cutting of wood on the street, but it is much more opposed to the hewing of telephone poles. If this work has to be done on the streets, why not get a saw-mill?

The editor of The News and Herald apologizes to Editor Hoyt of the Greenville Mountaineer for having associated his name with the wrong paper and to the editor of the Greenville News for having given the editor of The State such a fine opportunity for giving him a rasp.

If the man who sent the editor of the Rock Hill Journal a quarter to pay some one to get Tillman to resign unconditionally, thought he was obeying the biblical injunction to cast his bread upon the water, will find the promise fulfilled in its return before many days, for there will never be any one to call.

Just in order that the matter may not be forgotten attention is again called to the necessity of the removal of the jail. Nothing of course can be done till the next session of the legislature, but we want the members of the Fairfield delegation to know that not only the grand jury but a very large majority of all the other citizens of the county are heartily in favor of the proposed step.

One farmer has sent in a request that his name be put on the petition for the holding of a farmers' institute here this summer. Fifteen instead of thirty, is the number required to get the institute. Are there not fourteen others who will come forward voluntarily and sign the petition? With every section of the county represented here in town this week there should at least be that number who feel enough interest in this matter to come forward at once and sign voluntarily.

A Day in Spartanburg.

We spent Saturday in Spartanburg, one of the "hustlingest" places in South Carolina and one dear indeed to every old Wofford student or alumnus. We first visited it fourteen years ago and have returned every year with one possible exception. But every time there was an improvement to be noted, and so it was this time. Street car tracks we had seen in Spartanburg more than once, but this was the first time that we had ever seen an electric street car in the ever live Spartan city. The beauty of it is the line is not confined to the city, but goes out to several of Spartanburg's suburbs.

Another improvement is being effected. The streets in the heart of the city are to be paved. The macadam is being ploughed up preparatory to putting in the paving. It was rather a strange sight to see a team of ten horses hitched to a big plow, and tearing up the very street that had been built of stone, but a few years ago. Every progressive step of the city has been followed by an improvement in the streets. The city has recently voted bond for the further improvement of the same, and it is to the credit of the city that these were sold at a premium. The old wagon from the mountains were still to be seen. Without saying anything about what might have been in them, it is enough to say that a plenty of chickens were visible and that interested us much, for they were the first we had seen this season. Why it is that the people of Fairfield cannot raise enough chickens to supply the local market is a problem that we can not understand. It is not for the want of a suitable market, for to-day hundreds could be sold here in town at good prices. The demand for eggs is also good.

But with all of Spartanburg's material progress, only one phase of which has been barely touched upon, it is an educational center as the city has ever been known, and this is its proudest distinction to-day. During our stay at

Spartanburg at the State summer school we shall have more occasion to speak of this.

MOSSY DALE ITEMS.

Well, Mr. Editor, I will try again to reach your office with another communication as I signally failed two weeks ago to do so. I was in hopes my letter would have turned up by this time, but such seems not to be the case. It has been lost through the mail somewhere. In it I tried to give you my reunion trip to Columbia and join my praise with others who so graphically described our grand reception by the citizens of Columbia. It was the most pleasant meeting I have ever attended in the State, and I hope our executive committee may be able to secure our next reunion at the same place. I will not attempt at this late day to enter into details again for it is rather late to do so.

I am glad to see that the Governor so completely shut off the Tillman-McLaurin embroglio and gave the people of the State one year's rest. I cannot see any just reason for their action any way, and it is remarkably strange that after Tillman's recent election for six more years in the United States senate without any opposition that he should force that course on the junior senator just to show him up to the people. McLaurin was elected as a Democrat in a Democratic primary, and it would seem to be a better course to pursue for the State Democratic committee, if they consider that McLaurin has violated his pledges to the party and is in full harmony with the Republicans, to say so and request his resignation. No need for a primary this year, for judging from their first joint meeting it would not be of any special educational advantage to the State. We are not in a position to cast censure too quickly and to make grave charges before time has developed things. We may not agree with the junior senator in all things, but he claims that he will and can satisfy the voters as to his Democracy and explain his votes in Congress to our satisfaction. Let us hold judgment and see what will transpire. The Governor replies pretty tartly to the senior senator in answer to his charges against him as to his reasons for returning the resignations. "Now I think the episode is closed and we will have no more of the affair; I hope so at least.

Our farms are in a pretty blue fix at this time. It has been raining for several weeks past and farm work has been greatly retarded. There is considerable cotton to chop yet, and what has been chopped needs the plow badly, for it is very grassy, as the grass was cut out while wet and is growing in the middles. Corn needs work badly. The crop is materially injured now. The oat crop is not as good as expected. Wheat is tolerably fair. Gardens are very backward. It has been the worst year to get seeds up I ever saw. The melon crop is also very backward.

Mr. Jas. H. Disaker has been suffering for several weeks with a very severe abscess, but I am proud to report some improvement in his condition. Mrs. Laura Gibson is on a visit at Hyatt Park to nurse Mrs. F. K. Mann, who is sick. Mr. Mossy Mann returned from the shops in Columbia to recuperate his health. I received a letter from my son, J. A. McKinstry, Co. C, 29th Regiment. He has been appointed corporal, was well and getting along nicely and well pleased with army life. T. B. McK. June 10, 1901.

Mr. Thomas H. Daniel, a Wofford graduate of the class of 1901, who will receive his diploma Tuesday has been selected by Congressman Joseph T. Johnson as his private secretary. Mr. Daniel is a young gentleman of ability and strength of character, well qualified for his duties. Mr. Daniel's father was the teacher of the first school that Congressman Johnson attended.—The State.

White Man Turned Yellow

Great consternation was felt by the friends of M. A. Hogarty of Lexington, Ky., when they saw he was turning yellow. His skin slowly changed color, also his eyes, and he suffered terribly. His malady was yellow jaundice. He was treated by the best doctors, but without benefit. Then he was advised to try Electric Bitters, the wonderful stomach and liver remedy, and he writes: "After taking two bottles I was wholly cured." A trial proves its marvellous merit for all stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Only 50c. Sold by McMaster Co., druggist.

Court Proceedings

The court of General Sessions opened at 10 o'clock Monday morning with Judge G. W. Gage, of Chester, presiding. Solicitor J. K. Henry and Stenographer W. H. McCaw were both at their posts. The solicitor handed over a number of bills to the grand jury, who made the following returns:

The State vs. Robert Marshall and George Janny, housebreaking and larceny, true bill.

The State vs. Samuel Sterling, assault and battery with intent to kill—no bill.

The State vs. Henry Franklin, murder, true bill.

The State vs. James Gilmore, for selling whiskey, true bill.

The State vs. Adams People for selling whiskey, true bill.

The only case that the jury had disposed of as the paper went to press was that of Adams People who was found guilty.

The jury in the case of James Gilmore was still in the room, having been there several hours.

The case of Daisy Cicero was being tried.

The Rosborough case is set for to-day.

Mrs. Castles Dead.

Rev. J. S. Moffatt received a telephone message this morning saying that Mrs. Sarah Castles died yesterday evening or last night at the home of her son, Mr. Warren Castles, near Winnsboro. A few days ago she went home with her daughter-in-law, who had been here a few days. Yesterday afternoon, her daughter, Miss Janie, received a summons by wire to go to her at once as she was very sick. An hour later another telegram came saying she was sinking rapidly and could not last long.

The remains will be buried to-day at 1 o'clock at Hopewell, Rev. J. S. Moffatt conducting the funeral service.

Mrs. Castles' maiden name was Sterling, and we believe that her sister, Mrs. J. A. Marion, is the only member of the family now living. Mrs. Castles was well up in years and has been quite frail for some time. She and her daughter moved from their home in the country to town last winter.—Chester Lantern, June 7.

Two From Death

"Our daughter had an almost fatal case of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Hamilton, of Armonk, N. Y., "but, when all other remedies failed, we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. My niece, who had consumption in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful medicine and to-day she is perfectly well." Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as to no other medicine on earth. Infallible for coughs and colds. 50c and \$1.00 bottles guaranteed by McMaster Co. Trial bottles free.

VISITS WINNSBORO.

May the 18th Rev. H. K. Ezell wrote the following letter to the Baptist Courier:

I was in Winnsboro yesterday in the interest of the Sunday School Convention of the Fairfield Association to be held with the Winnsboro church, June 28-30. We are planning and hoping for a most interesting and helpful meeting at that time, and herewith extend to you a most cordial invitation to be present.

We were pleased to learn of the growth of the Winnsboro church under their consecrated and energetic pastor, the Rev. J. L. Freeman. The church has about doubled its membership during his short pastorate; and yet he has never had a series of meetings, but the growth has been steady and constant. This church has had a hard struggle in the past, but it looks now as if the tide had changed, and that the Baptists are to stand in the foremost rank among the denominations of the town. Those faithful few of the Lord's chosen that have stood resolutely by the cause they loved are now enabled to say with thankful hearts: "They that sow in tears shall reap in joy. He that goeth forth and weepeth, bearing precious seed, shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheaves with him."

We found the painter busy with his brush, giving the parsonage a fresh dressing, both within and without. And Pastor Freeman, and his good wife, had a broad smile on their faces. When done with the parsonage the painter is to give the church a fresh coat on the interior. We observed, too, that the church had just been newly covered with a neat shingle roof. These Winnsboro saints know how to make a thing go when they undertake it. So come to our Conser-

tion the last of June, and we are sure you will receive a cordial welcome as well as be helpful in our meeting.

H. K. Ezell.

Miss Flenniken's Recital.

The State, June 9

It is customary at the Presbyterian College for Women to have, at intervals during the month preceding the commencement, a series of recitals in the different departments, exhibiting the results of the year's work.

One of the most successful of these entertainments was given last Friday evening by Miss Janie Flenniken, the first young lady who has received a certificate in the department of voice culture. Seldom is a programme of such classic selections given at a college for young ladies. Miss Flenniken scored a triumph in every song she rendered, showing a voice well rounded, finished, and of sympathetic quality. She has the reputation of having been a remarkably industrious and thorough pupil, and her work was suggestive of the excellent taste and broad culture of her teacher, Miss Klebs.

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THE STATE BUILDING AT THE CHARLESTON EXPOSITION.

The Whole Affair Has Been Turned Over to Col. Averill and the Charleston Board.

The commissioners who have in charge the State exhibit at the Charleston exposition met here yesterday. There were present at the meeting Gov. McSweeney, Col. Thomas Wilson, Col. John B. Cleveland and Senator Louis Appelt. Mr. John H. Averill, director general of the exposition company, was present at the meeting in behalf of the exposition company.

The commission decided to ask the exposition directors to act as the agents for the South Carolina commission. The Charleston management has a fully organized force and all of the machinery in operation for quick work and getting the maximum results. The commission indicated the manner in which it desires to have the fund expended, and the distribution suggested by the commission was entirely acceptable to Col. Averill, representing the exposition management.

Three prizes were provided for the three counties having the best county exhibits. The first prize is to be \$1,000, the second \$500 and the third \$250. The prize money is to be used as the county commissioners of the various counties deem best and proper.

Mr. A. W. Love, the superintendent of the State fair, was elected superintendent for the South Carolina commission. He will visit all of the counties and give personal attention to the collection of the exhibits of the resources of the State. He will have charge of the State building, when it is completed, under the direction of the exposition management.

It was provided that a reasonable amount of floor space would be provided free of cost to all parties exhibiting the resources of the State in any department. This is to apply only to South Carolina crude or manufactured products, and no excessive amount of space is to be allowed free to any one exhibitor.

Clemson college and the South Carolina college each having made appropriations from their funds for an exhibit at Charleston, were voted \$500 each on condition that they expended that much or more, and \$250 was voted for a supplementary fund for the Citadel academy.

The sum of \$1,000 was set aside for the preparation of an exhibit of the mineral resources and forestry of the State. This department is to be in charge of State Geologist Earle Sloan, who is to work in this with the exposition.

The contract for the State building as made by a sub-committee was ratified and provision made for other expenditures in connection with the State building not provided for in the original contract.

Provision was made for the installation and care of the exhibits while in Charleston, for co-opera-

tion in securing the exhibits from all parts of the State, for the transportation of all exhibits to and from the exposition, and for such other matters as could be provided for.

The State of South Carolina has rich possibilities in the fish industry and a great many millions are made out of fish, oysters and the like in neighboring States. The commission hoped by making a first-class exhibit in this department to excite interest in this department, which would result in development. An appropriation of \$1,000 was made for a fishery exhibit.

The commission, after remaining in session for nearly four hours, adjourned to meet at the call of the chairman.

Mr. Love, the superintendent, will get out into the field at once to secure exhibits.

Col. Averill is much pleased with the disposition of the State commission and is satisfied that the State will have a creditable exhibit at the great exposition.

Appropriations were made to the Institute for the Deaf and Blind and the State Hospital for the Insane to make displays of their industrial departments and the work they are doing.

County Exhibits.

A meeting of the exposition commission has been called to meet in Columbia, June 9. It is expected then that arrangements to receive county exhibits will be made. It is likely that some one who is familiar with such things will be able to secure such exhibits.

J. B. Mabrey, who killed W. T. Darby over in Greenville county, was acquitted last week at Greenville. It was clearly established that Mabrey acted in self-defense.

Liet. Gov. James H. Tillman has been invited to deliver the literary address at the commencement of the State University of Kentucky this year.

Notice of Election in School District No. 22.

A petition having come before the County Board of Education of Fairfield bearing the signatures of one-third of the resident fee-holders and qualified electors of school district No. 22 and asking for the ordering of an election for the purpose of the repeal of the 2-mill tax in school district No. 22, therefore the County Board of Education orders an election to be held for the purpose set forth in the petition on June 21st, 1901, at or near the post office of Longtown, S. C., which election shall be conducted according to the requirements of the law governing such elections.

W. L. ROSBOROUGH, JR., Chairman. J. G. McCANTS, Mem. Bd.

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A. D. HOOD, Supervisor Fairfield County. JNO. M. SHUMPERT, Supervisor Newberry County. 6 5-2

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