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### Happenings in The State.

As Chronicled by the Alert Correspondents of The Columbia State.

MR. J. C. EDWARDS.

Saluda, Oct. 24. - Mr. J. C. Edwards, a member-elect for the house of representatives from this county, died at his home near here this morning. He has been ill for more than six weeks.

CLARENCE THRAILEUL GUILTY.

Saluda, Oct. 24.-At midnight Saturday night the jury in the cast against Clarence Thrailkill, charged with the murder of Benjamen B. Burton, returned a verdict of manslaughter. The trial was begun on Friday morning and the case was given to the jury Saturday afternoon at 5.30. As soon as the verdict was rendered notice of motion for a new trial was given. This motion will be argued Monday morning at the pening of court.

It is perhaps upparalleled in he history of criminal prosecution that conviction has been obtained in every case tried, but such is the record made this week at Sa-

OLD TIME DARKEY DEAD.

Rock Hill, Oct. 24. - Dick Williams, an old time darkey, known sometimes as Dick Latta and Dick Hackett, dropped dead this morning. Williams was a type of the before the war body servant and delighted to tell of events and people of his younger days. He was for years noted for his musical talent and no dance was complete without Williams and his violin. He also taught learned under him. When the FULET'S Guaranteed Remedy several years ago Williams deearthquake visited this section clared it to be a warning and laid down his fiddle. No amount of nent physicians as the best for persuasion could induce him to take it up again.

> DR. W. G NEVILLE WILL ACCEPT PRESIDENCY OF CLINTON COL-LEGE.

morning service at the First Pres- her face. When the doctor rebyterian church yesterday, Rev. W. G. Neville, the pastor, an- shot himself. Some think that it nounced that he had accepted the presidency of the Presbyterian college at Clinton. He did not temper when aroused and it was state when he would leave for his new home, but the probability is madness. that it will be in the near future. Dr. Neville has been pastor of or ten years and is highly esteemed here and it is with regret that his congregation gives him up. He has the best wishes of the community for success and happi- SAVES TWO FROM DEATHness in his new home and field of

The many friends of The State rejoice at the escape it had from a disastrous fire on Saturday night and sincerely trust that the damto the owners, but to Columbia and the State generally. York ville sends congratulations and best wishes for a long existence of The State, which is a welcome and valuable visitor here.

#### Physician Suicides

Tragic End To Domestic Quarrels Over Religion .- Sad Af-Fair In Sumter.

Special to The State.

Sumter, Oct. 24.-Dr. Telburg Hofman committed suicide this morning about 9 o'clock at his residence, 124 south Main street by shooting the left side and top of his head off with a breachloading shotgun.

He did the deed while standing, placing the muzzle of the gun near the corner of the left eye and pulling the trigger with his right thumb. He was found on his back, his head near the wall and the gan lying across his body. Brains were spattered against the wall and ceiling and pieces of skull were found on the floor.

Coroner Flowers beld an inquest at 10.30 o'clock and the jury rendered a verdict that the deceased came to his death by a gunshot wound inflicted by his own hand.

of the suicide was a quarrel with ning. The couple had not lived peaceably togethet since their mar riage. On one occasion, several monthe ago, he beat hi, wife unmercifully-so much so that she call ed in another phycian who went to Hofman and told him that the next time such a thing occurred he would be exposed and punished.

It is believed that when he repeated the act thie morning he preferred death rather than ex-

not been on peaceable terms for the parlor, stating that she would pack up and leave on the next train. He followed her to the parlor, and a moment later grabbed her by the shoulders and beat her head against the wall and door facing. He then went outside and locked her inside, but she escaped through a window opening on the piazza to a neigh. bors house a few feet away, scream Yorkville, Oct. 24.—After the ing and blood streaming down turned and found her gone he was his purpose to first kill her.

He was a man of very violent all done in a moment of insane

Many rumors are in circulation as to why they disagreed, religion the church at this place for nire being given by some, but the whole trouble seems to have been uncongeniality, different temperaments and tastes.

most fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes edies failed, we saved her life failure on Sunday, October 23, with Dr. King's New Discovery. after a painful illness of two age that was done will not amount Our niece, who had consumption to much. Had the establishment in an advanced stage, also used been destroyed it would have this wonderful medicine and today been a very serious loss not only she is pertectly well." Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. Kings New Discovery as to no other medicine on earth. Infallible for Coughs and Colds. 50c and \$1.00 bottles guaranteed by Crawford Bros., J. F. Mackey & Co., and Funderburk Pharmacy.

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### Negro Politician Lynched Iu Virginia.

Jail Guard Overpowered By Mob of Six Men. - Trouble Was Near Norfolk.

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 24 .-George W. Blount a negro propolice station, where he was conshot to death, while two other masked men kept the policemen in charge on the station and members of the town fire department who were in the station office covlighted lamp, burning him. The Officer had gone to Blourt's place to arrest another negro and Blount refused the officer permission to enter.

The attack on the station was It is stated that the direct cause made when but one officer was on duty and he was compelled to give his wife, whom he beat this mor. up the keys at the point of a pistol. The mob seized Blount and carried him into Hardy's field, a short distance away, where he was beaten to death with some blunt instrument and then snot The meb dispersed and the authorities declare they know none of the participants. Blount had been for many years w negro republican leader, and at one time held a position in the Norfolk navy yard.

W. W. Robertson, a lumber dealer and a resident of Berkley The servants state that they had told Mayer Allen of that place today that he witnessed the killseveral days; that they quarreled ing from his bed room window dancing and boasted of the num- yesterday, and it was renewed at and that Blounts screams awakened bers of "white folks" who had the breakfast table this morning him. Four masked men, he said Mrs. Hofman left the table for had Blunt in the middle of the street and were clubbing his head. Three of the men became frightened at their victim's cries and fled, but the other, whom Robertson believes was white, drew a pistol and shot Blount through the back of his head.

Confessions of a Priest.

Rev. Jno. S. Cox, of Wake, Ark., writes, "For 12 years I suffered from Yellow Jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicine, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters and teel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for twelve years." If you want a reliable medicine for Liver and Kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. guaranteed by Crawford Bros., J. F. Mackey & Co. and Funderburk Pharmacy.

Loss to Winthrop College.

Withrop College Rock Hill, Oct. "Our little daughter had an al- 25. -- Winthrop college has sustain-Mrs. W. K. Haviland, of Armonk Anna Teresa Lichtenwangen of N. Y., "but, when all other rem- Knoxville, wno died of heart

TO CURE A COUGH

The coughs so prevalent these days

#### The Huntsville Lynching

The United States Grand Jury Indicts Several Persons.

Huntsville Ala., Oct. 24. -The UnitedStates grand Jury has made a report to Judge Jones covering the lynching of HoraceMaples, and expressed opinion that if Maples prietor of a fish and oyster shop had not been a negro he would not ia the suburbs of Berkley, was have been taken from jail and taken early this morning from the lynched. The grand jury indicted several alleged members of the fined, by four masked men and mob. The report says that somethingmust be done to put a stop to lynching in the south and that all good citizens should welcome anything that may have that effect whether from the State or federal ered with revolvers. Blount had court. Judge Jones thanked the been arrested Saturday night for jury and says he is willing to striking T. D. Holloman, a Berk- have 85,000,000 of people pass ley policeman, in the face with a on the righteousnessof the grand

#### AN OLD TIME REMEDY.

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Summary of Cotton Ginned.

Washington Oct. 25. - A buletin issued today by the census bureau gives a summary of the report on cotton ginned in the United States in the present year up to October 18. The report covers 996 counties, and shows the total of 426.883 running bales, as against 292,669 running bales reported from the same counties for the same period last year. The countis covered are in the States of Alabama, Arkansas, J. Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas and Virginia. Georgia makes the largest showing with 34 counties and 196,744 bales, as against 117,139 bales last year. The number of ginneries from which reports were received is 2, 411, as against 2,342 for 1903. A comparative statement for 1903 shows that up to October 18 of that year a total of 3,839,627 bales had been ginned. The total number of counties from which ginning was reported in 1903 was 812, and the number of ginneries 27,723.

#### DANGER OF A COUGH.

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Two Shot Near Aiken By Unkgo vn Parties.

Aiken Oct. 25 .- On Saturday night about 8 o'clock some one shot into the store of Mr. C. H. Woodward at Montmorenci. Three shots were fired with a pistol and as a result, the ten year old daughter of Mary Roof, colored, is said to be dying with a bullet through her abdomen, and a colored man named Jim Knight is shot through the calf of the

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