

The Sumter Watchman.

WEDNESDAY MAY 25. W. Y. FAXTON BUSINESS MANAGER

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Our Advertising friends are requested to send in their favors not later than Monday.

THE GRAVES OF OUR FALLEN HEROES.

"That man lives greatly, Whose life he fails, who greatly dies," Toose.

Last Saturday was chosen by the fair ones of our town, to decorate the graves of our departed heroes, and at no period since the war, has the painful pleasure been engaged in with the same enthusiasm.

We say pleasure, for it affords our oppressed and bereaved people a great, though melancholy pleasure, to show that these brave heroes of a noble cause still live—live in the memory, the affections and gratitude of those who survive them.

Their names are on the roll of fame, and we are the custodians of the sacred dust locked up in the grave.

The crowd of ladies present, trebled the number on any previous occasion. The ceremonies were few, solemn and impressive.

Rev. DONALD McQUEEN, of the Presbyterian Church, offered an earnest prayer, and then the ladies, in quiet, solemn order, covered the graves with garlands, wreaths, bouquets and evergreens—all was hushed, and only now and then a smothered sigh or groan was heard, as a father or mother dropped a tear on the grave of the departed loved one.

"Can that man be dead Whose spiritual influence is upon his kind? He lives in glory, and his speaking dust Has more of life than half its breathing moulds."

When we saw the graves all covered with their wealth of flowers, and their sweet perfumes reached us, we thought of the virtues of the dead, which shed a richer fragrance, and shown with a more captivating beauty.

The moment was a holy one, no passion swelled our breasts, and no reverential feelings intruded on the beautiful ceremonies of the hour—memory called up the waitings of David for his beloved Jonathan.

"How are the mighty fallen in the midst of the battle! O Jonathan, thou wast slain in thine own mountain-side."

Present had then been to me— How are the mighty fallen! And the weapons of war perished!

The weather still continues dry and intensely hot. Farms and gardens are suffering greatly in this section.

We refer our readers to the advertisement of J. S. Hughson in this issue. He has on hand a large and fresh stock of family and fancy groceries, which he offers on reasonable terms.

Our attention has been attracted by a beautiful specimen in the buggy line, built at the work shop of our enterprising townsmen, Jackson Moses, Esq. It is a light coal box buggy of most beautiful workmanship.

It is worth looking at. Go and see it. With two such workmen as Mr. W. J. Anderson and Mr. J. T. Bryant, Mr. Moses' shop produces the ornamental as well as the useful.

IT PAYS TO INSURE.

We learn that the "Richmond Banking and Insurance Company," of Richmond, Va., has through its agent here, Mr. ANTHONY WHITE, promptly settled the claims of Messrs. A. J. MOSES and JULIUS SCHWEIN, against it, for damages sustained by them in the late fire.

In one of these instances the company has been especially liberal, allowing compensation for an estimated loss from theft in the removal of the goods, although most insurance policies expressly stipulate that the Company shall not be held liable for such loss.

GEN. R. E. COLSTON.

We publish in this day paper, the Memorial Address of Gen. R. E. Colston, formerly of the Virginia Institute, delivered on the 10th instant, that being memorial day at Wilmington. Let all read it. It is eloquent, noble and lofty in sentiment, illustrating the tenacity with which the love and affection of the living still cling to the sleeping dust of our fallen heroes.

We are pleased to see in the Sumter Marble Yard some specimens of Sumter work which we consider as neat as can be gotten up in the State or elsewhere. They are very handsomely designed and taste fully executed.

Those desiring work in his line, would do well to call and see friend SMITH, the proprietor and principal workman, who is always ready with chisel and mallet in hand, to execute work upon short notice of any design which might be desired.

Our town was visited on Friday, the 20th inst, by two distinguished gentlemen, Hon. K. R. BRIDGES, president of the Wil. Col. and Aug. Rail Road, who arrived here in his private car, accompanied by his friend and guest, the Hon. W. JONES of Fayetteville Tennessee. The object of Mr. BRIDGES' visit was to inaugurate immediately the building of the road to Columbia, and if his plans are carried out the road to that point will be completed by the 1st December next.

SAVOR THE POWER.

We learn from the Columbia Guardian, of the 23rd inst. that this adroit scoundrel, released from custody on \$5,000 bail, has departed the State, and there is now but little prospect of his being brought to account for his great crime.

Our exchanges, throughout the State, are complaining of the distressingly dry weather, which has done great injury to the crops.

Corn sold from North Carolina wagons in Lancaster, S. C., last week, at \$1.60 per bushel.

An anonymous letter writer says there is a mystery about the effect of the weather on piety. Sabbath heat seems hotter, Sabbath cold colder, and Sabbath rain wetter, than that of any other day; for the same measure of heat, or cold, or rain, on a week day, will not keep a man from his usual business.

A New York exchange says: "Half a dozen negroes were arrested in this city for illegal voting on Tuesday. Some of those who attempted to vote had not been in the city a month."

DEMOCRATIC VICTORY.

New York, May 23. The Albany Argus of this morning makes the Democratic majority in the State of New York on the Judicial ticket 88,000.

In marrying a young white girl to a mulatto in the presence of a number of the dignitaries of a Western town, Justice Garrett said: "In the name of the Great Jehovah, the Continental Congress and the Fifteenth Amendment, I pronounce you husband and wife."

A negro was caught in a man's garden the other night, in close proximity to a lot of fine cabbage. When interrogated as to what he was doing, he replied: "Good Lord! dis nigger can't go no whar to pray, withot bein' troubled by sumpin'."

SIMPLE NATURE.

Harper's Bazar, treating of the effect of simplicity in the midst of elaborate and expensive artifice, says: "Let a young woman with no hair but her own and that simply dressed, enter a room filled with those whose heads are elaborately built up with a profusion of purchased locks, and see who will be most admired. It is a great advantage for a woman, in these days of artifice, to remain herself, and thus be unlike every one else. A simple dress, white or black, will produce the greatest effect when surrounded by the most gorgeous costumes. These serve, as it were, as frames for the former, and women are often forced to confess that they have draped themselves magnificently, at an immense expense, for no other purpose than to lighten by contrast the beauty of a rival. In fact they have been wearing a dress which is very becoming to—others."

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Prepared by Dr. J. L. Lawrence, the celebrated F. YERGAN and CHEMIST, Norfolk, Va., is a PLEASANT and RELIABLE REMEDY for ALL DISEASES CAUSED BY TOXICITY OF THE LIVER, IMPURITIES OF THE BLOOD, DISORDER OF THE URINARY ORGANS, DERANGEMENTS OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM.

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To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for its use, and also the name of the agent which they will find a sure Cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, etc. The object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and to present to all who need it, the receipt and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to purchase the Prescription will please address Rev. EDWARD A. WILSON, Williamsburg, Kings County, New York, June 2.

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Of these works the Bookstore's Guide for April, says that the sale is prodigiously large, amounting to nearly 50,000 copies of each.

Saturday Night, by "Dreik" Pomeroy. So Runs the World Away. Hammer & Roper, by Boston Cook. Hilda to Hilda. Hilda to Hilda. Hilda to Hilda.

Phemie's Temptation. Harper's & Leslie's illustrated papers. Every Saturday, an English reprint, in which is being published Dickens's New Novel, The Mystery of Edwin Drood.

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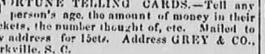
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