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Local Intelligence.

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Miss Pauline Dick, of Sumter, is at Rev. James McDowell's.

Our columns are filled this week with Capt. Tillman's speech before the Agricultural Society, which is published by request.

On December 28th, Mr. J. J. Barfield, the keeper of the Poor House, left home telling his wife that he was going to visit a neighbor near by...

A NARROW ESCAPE FOR AIKEN. (Special Dispatch to The News and Courier.) AIKEN, January 10.—A serious fire took place here to-day on Main street.

The Aiken Steam Engine was out soon after the alarm of fire, but in consequence of the extreme severity of the weather was all frozen up...

Poison Oak. 1878, I was poisoned by contact with poison oak. I put myself under the treatment of a homeopathic physician in Mobile...

bear. It seemed no matter what I did, as if it were impossible to rid myself of the poison. In 1884, in October, when in desperation, but having very little faith in it, I commenced using Swift's Specific.

For sale by all druggists. Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free.

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SUMMERTON HIGH SCHOOL. The next session of the Summerton High School will begin on Monday, the 4th day of January, 1886.

Manning High School. Select and Limited. REV. L. D. BASS, Principals. Miss MATTIE E. RUTLEDGE.

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