

WILLIAMSTON

Mrs. Jas. S. Belk of Atlanta, Ga., is here visiting home folk for the Christmas holidays. Miss Lydia Sherard has returned home from an extended visit to friends in Greenville and Clemson.

IVA NOTES

The Woman's Missionary and Aid Society of the Presbyterian church was entertained by Mrs. J. A. McAllister at her home on last Wednesday afternoon. This was an interesting meeting as officers were elected for the next year.

Anderson to visit her sister, Mrs. S. B. Elrod. Miss Annie Halfacre leaves tomorrow for Blackville where she will spend the next two weeks with relatives.

ATTENDS FUNERAL OF HIS BROTHER

T. B. Kinney, of The Intelligencer Force, Summoned Home Account Brother's Death. The following report of the death of Paul Kinney is taken from a Shreveport (La.) paper.

ATLANTA LETTER

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 18.—The Atlanta grand jury is again in the midst of a sensational investigation of the city's fashionable clubs, to determine whether or not their sale of beverages to members violates the prohibition laws.

all of his life. Service as a senator was the thought and joy of his life. He brought to the service a devotion rarely equaled and never excelled.

The Atlanta police force, which has had its hands full with burglaries and hold-ups recently, has been increased by twenty-three men for the Christmas holidays, when street traffic is heaviest and when pickpockets and burglars are busiest.

EXCHANGE CHALLENGES TO PERSONAL COMBAT

Representative Ragsdale, of South Carolina, said that when the gentleman charged that there is railroad influence enough on the Democratic side of the house to defeat this legislation, I don't believe it and I repudiate it.

George Has It

—Everything a man or boy, woman or girl wears. —The largest, newest and best Stocks. —The real Christmas spirit.

Christmas Buying Is On With A Rush

Shoppers have thronged our store the past few days and from all indications we will surpass all previous efforts in gift selling—war or no war, rain or shine.

Therefore, don't forget—"George Has It" Don't wait until the hurried, tiresome last minute crowd is shopping—purchase early in the day and early in the week.

PRACTICAL GIFTS FOR MEN AND Women SENSIBLE GIFTS FOR BOYS AND Girls

The Bee Hive

Geo. H. Bales, Proprietor. Stetson Hats American Lady Corsets Blon. F. Reynolds' Shoes Lonsbury-Mathewson Shoes Shawknit Hosiery

EMPLOYEES WILL GO TO ANNUAL BANQUET

Local employees of the Southern Public Utilities Company and the Piedmont & Northern Railway are looking forward with anticipation of much pleasure to the annual banquet which employees of the Duke interests will enjoy in Charlotte next Saturday night.

TO BE GIVEN IN CHARLOTTE BY THE DUKE INTERESTS.

NEW PROGRAM

Understood There Will Be No Speech Making This Year. Motion Pictures.

The great gathering will be held in the auditorium at Charlotte next Saturday evening, and hundreds of employees of these three big companies will be present.

SENATOR P. L. HARDIN DIES IN HOSPITAL

President Pro Tempore of the South Carolina Senate Passes Away After Operation. CHESTER, Dec. 18.—Senator Peter Lawrence Hardin, president pro tempore of the upper house of the State general assembly, died last night at a hospital in Baltimore at the age of 68 years, following a grave operation Sunday for an intestinal malady.

ASK FOR REAPPOINTMENT.

Magistrates of Spartanburg Wish to Continue in Office. SPARTANBURG, Dec. 17.—Robert J. Gantt and Harrison Ferguson, magistrates in the city of Spartanburg, and a majority of the magistrates in the county will ask for reappointment at the coming session of the general assembly.

Horses For Allies

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Dec. 18.—Carrying approximately 1,000 head of horses to be used by the Allies in the European war zone, the British steamer Anglo-Saxon steamed from Newport News for Bordeaux, France, today.

PRODUCED CORN FOR 27 CENTS A BUSHEL

GOOD RECORD MADE BY ANDERSON COUNTY BOY FARMER

ACRE YIELD WAS 159 1-3 BU.

Frank Thompson of Pendleton Produced Some of the Cheapest Corn.

That corn can be produced on Anderson county rented land as cheaply as 27 cents per bushel, was demonstrated in the reports which were submitted by the members of the boys' corn club at the annual contest held last Saturday week at the chamber of commerce.

Some Cheap Corn

Frank Thompson, of route 2, Pendleton, produced corn at a cost of 27 cents per bushel. He planted his corn in 6-inch dark loam soil, with blue clay subsoil. Oats and peas had been grown on the land the year before, and oats and crimson clover were planted on it as a winter cover crop.

Holiday Suggestions

The Right Gifts for Men and Boys and the Right Place to Get Them

To give a man something that adds to his comfort or personal appearance, is to please him most of all! And for years at Christmas time, this store has been headquarters for useful gifts for men, young men and boys.



Clothing We have an Exceptionally Strong line of both Suits and Overcoats this season, and at prices which, taken together with their real intrinsic value makes them stand alone.

Suits from \$10 to \$25. An exceptional value at \$15. Overcoats from \$7.50 to \$18. Regal Shoes \$4, \$4.50, and \$5.00 and worth more.

Haberdashery

- SUIT OVERCOAT SHOES COLLARS NIGHTROBES PAJAMAS HOUSESLIPPERS SWEATER COATS COLLAR BAGS BELTS SHIRTS GLOVES BATHROBES NECKWEAR HOSIERY HATS CAPS CUFF BUTTONS GARTERS UNDERWEAR UMBRELLAS SUSPENDERS HANDKERCHIEFS COMBINATION SETS RAIN COATS MUFFLERS TIE PINS

R. W. TRIBBLE The Up-to-Date Clothier

Seven bishops of the northern and southern branches of the Methodist church are in session this week at a local hotel in an effort to reunite the two branches, which separated over the slavery question in 1844.

The movement is gaining interest in Atlanta church circles particularly at this time because the Eggleston Memorial, a Northern Methodist church local here, is planning a more pretentious edifice near Druid Hills, and it is believed that if the junction of the two branches is put through the new building will be of benefit to many more members than would otherwise be the case.

J. N. Doherty, an Atlanta Elk, is suffering from a rather severe cold contracted by yelling at 3 o'clock in the morning in the chilly 12 degree weather. It happened because he slumbered in a bath room in the new Elks club until long after the building was closed and the servants disappeared.

Another, and perhaps the final, effort to save the life of Leo M. Frank was made by his attorneys yesterday afternoon before Judge W. T. Newman of the United States district court. Judge Newman has the matter under advisement and an early decision is expected.

The lawyers filed a petition for a writ of habeas corpus, which was based on the ground that when Frank was absent from the courtroom as the verdict was read his constitutional rights were violated, and when this was done the state courts lost jurisdiction in the case.

In the event Judge Newman issues such an order the State will have its first opportunity or reason for an appeal. It can appeal from Judge Newman to the United States supreme court. Should he deny the writ, Frank can appeal, so it now appears that the condemned man has many months of life before him no matter which turn the case may take.

Should Judge Newman grant the writ, and should he be sustained by the high tribunal, Frank would be discharged from custody, a free man. His lawyers are making this move in the hope of getting the case before the United States supreme court on its merits.

Atlanta will have two big Sunday motion picture shows all next Sunday afternoon and evening, though no admission fee can be charged. Voluntary contributions will be taken for the Atlanta poor.

Jake Wells and Hugh Gardosa, managers, donated the use of the Forsyth and Grand theatres, and the local film houses give the use of the films and machinery. Vaudeville artists will contribute their services also.

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Senator Hoke Smith delivered an eloquent eulogy upon the former senator from Georgia, dwelling upon his devotion, and his ability. To say that, by his death the senate lost one of its ablest and most experienced members, is to say the truth, said Senator Smith. "He came to the senate splendidly equipped for his work. He gave to the duties of the senate all of his ability and