

# Local Items.

**RAILROAD SCHEDULES.**—The following are the hours at which the trains the C. C. and A. R. R. pass Winnsboro:

**REGULAR PASSENGER—NIGHT.**  
 Charlotte, 1.25, A. M.  
 Augusta, 11.07, P. M.

**ACCOMMODATION FREIGHT—DAY.**  
 Columbia, 7.36, P. M.  
 Charlotte, 10.45, A. M.

**Advertisements.**  
 Fence Law Elections—County Commissioners.  
 Tax Returns—I. N. Withers, County Auditor.  
 Knights of Honor—E. S. Chandler, Reporter.

The auditor is distributing blank returns. Come up, taxpayers, and list your property.

Messrs. McMaster & Brice have a fine stock of Linen Lawns, Pacific Lawns, Organdies, Brilliants, Piques and other white goods, which they offer at greatly reduced prices. Also, a fine lot of ready-made shirts, of excellent quality and at very low figures. Their advertisement will appear in our next issue.

**THE ERSKINE COMMENCEMENT.**—The *News and Courier* contains a full account of the commencement exercises of Erskine College. Throughout they were very interesting, and were very creditable to the students. The following-named young gentlemen from Fairfield delivered addresses: John C. S. Brice—"Shall Our Laurels Wither?"; Wm. B. Douglass—"Popery on a Pottering Throne"; James E. McDonald—"A Plea for National Virtue"; Charles E. McDonald—"Liberty, the Child of Oppression"; Robert M. Stevenson—"Be Humble To-Day, and Cast your Pride Away." These orations were, without exception, fine productions, and did credit alike to the graduates and to their *alma mater*. Judge Mackey's address, having for its subject "The Anglo-Saxons, their Language and Civilization," is pronounced "a capital production, exhibiting great depth of thought and vast research." Altogether, the commencement was a most brilliant success.

**RESOLUTIONS.**—The following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted by the Democratic Club of township no. 1, at a meeting held last week:

Whereas, The Democratic County Executive Committee has published a set of resolutions in which it crops out that they entertain fears of demoralization in the Democratic ranks; and whereas we wish to define our position at this crisis with clearness; therefore, be it resolved:

1. That we, the members of the Feasterville Democratic Club, pledge ourselves to heartily support the nominee of the County Convention, laying aside all sectional preferences and personal prejudices.

2. That we disapprove and condemn the spirit of office-seeking displayed by so many of our citizens, and sincerely desire the promotion of the idea that the office should seek the man.

3. That we enter into this contest with the same zeal that has heretofore characterized us, being entirely persuaded that unity is the watchword of success.

4. That we pledge every man in our precinct to stand up for the Democratic nominee, and we beseech every white in the county to be a man, a white man and a Democrat.

5. That we deplore the apparent intention of members of the Democratic party to nominate a man outside of our ranks, as we consider such action the death-stroke of our party.

6. That these resolutions be published in THE NEWS and HERALD.  
 D. R. FEASTER,  
 President.

J. HENDRIX MCLANE,  
 Secretary.

**Transfers of Real Estate.**  
 Since our last report, the following transfers of real estate have been recorded in the office of the county auditor:—

John Wylie to H. L. Elliott, 32 acres in township no. 4, consideration, \$300.

H. L. Elliott to John Wylie, 90 acres in township no. 4, consideration, \$300.

Jno. J. Neil to B. F. Boulware, 160 acres in township no. 5; consideration, \$1,000.

S. W. Ruff, sheriff, to R. S. Desportes, 560 acres in township no. 5; consideration, \$750.

Jos. H. Kennedy to H. L. Elliott, 120 acres in township no. 12; consideration not stated.

Wm. H. Taylor to Nancy Barrett, 195 acres in township no. 1; consideration, \$1,280.

Thomas W. Clawson, assignee of Jacob A. Caldwell, bankrupt, to Catharine E. Mobley, 510 acres, in township no. 3; consideration not stated.

William Aiken to James D. Aiken, 125 acres in township no. 13; consideration, \$525.

Robert A. Herron to Adalbert Evans, 247 acres in township no. 13; consideration, \$1.

Wm. B. Woodward, trustee of Eliza B. Woodward, to R. W. Brice & Co., 7 acres in township no. 3; consideration, \$245.

D. H. and S. M. Robertson to John Bratton, 50 acres in township no. 3; consideration, \$300.

Joel Copes, trustee, to Saml. B. Clowry, 44 acres in township no. 12; consideration, \$4,000.

H. L. Elliott to D. R. Flenniken, 23 acres in township no. 4; consideration, \$180.

U. W. Erwin to J. G. Patrick, 133 acres in township no. 3; consideration, \$2,300.

G. H. and Mary Miller to John McLarkjn, 86 acres in township no. 2; consideration, \$92.

### James R. Aiken.

James R. Aiken, Esq., died at his residence in Winnsboro, on the morning of the 10th instant, after a lingering illness, from affection of the lungs. The deceased was a son of the late David Aiken, Esq., was born on the fifteenth of November, A. D. 1812, and was the eldest of a family of seven brothers and two sisters, all of whom, with the exception of Col. H. K. Aiken, who was killed in a gallant charge during the war, still survive. After careful preparation he entered the South Carolina College, from which he graduated in the class of 1832. Returning to Winnsboro he entered into mercantile pursuits, in which he was engaged for the greater portion of his life. The Seminole war in Florida gave rise to a call for volunteers. A splendid company, under command of Capt. Derrill Smith, left Fairfield for the Florida campaign, and was engaged in active service. Of this company Mr. Aiken was orderly sergeant, and during the campaign proved an efficient officer.

Entering into public life, Mr. Aiken was elected to the House of Representatives in 1844 by a most flattering vote. He was re-elected and served a second term, after which, although still taking an active interest in politics, he did not come again before the people until 1866, when, under the Andrew Johnson reconstruction, he was elected a member of the Orr Legislature.

When the Planters' Bank of Fairfield was organized, in 1854, Mr. Aiken was chosen president, a position held by him for a number of years.

The deceased was possessed largely of public spirit, and contributed liberally to charitable and benevolent purposes; while his genial bearing and affability gained him many warm friends both at home and abroad. The strong constitution and great vitality of the deceased for a long period resisted the inroads of a treacherous malady, and to the very last he displayed remarkable vigor.

The remains of the deceased were laid with those of a son, Clarence, who died years ago, in the family plot in the Presbyterian cemetery, of which church he was an elder for many years. The services were held at the Presbyterian church by the Rev. C. E. Chichester, the pall bearers being Messrs. Jas. B. McCants, A. S. Douglass, O. B. Thompson, F. Gerig, H. J. Elliott and James Beaty.

Mr. Aiken leaves a son and three daughters, all grown. He was married but once. His wife, a daughter of the late Dr. Cloud, of Chester, preceded him to the grave in 1860.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

**CURE YOURSELVES.**—The 8th Wonder of the World has been found in Georgia. The discoverer is a physician of long experience, extensive observation and profound judgment, and his discovery has proven such a blessing to woman, that it is already known throughout the country as "Woman's Best Friend." With remarkable quickness and certainty it cures all cases of suppressed menstruation, acute or chronic, and restores health in every instance. Dr. J. Bradfield's Female Regulator supplies a remedy long needed in the treatment of diseases peculiar to woman. This the Medical Faculty knows and admits, while many of the best physicians are using it in daily practice. The medicine is prepared with great care by Dr. J. Bradfield, Atlanta, Ga., and sold at \$1.50 per bottle by Dr. W. E. Aiken, June 30-1x2w

## COUNTY CONVENTION.

THE Democratic County Club of Fairfield is hereby called to meet at the court-house in Winnsboro, on Saturday, the fourteenth day of July, 1877, at eleven o'clock, a. m. Each subordinate Club is entitled to send five delegates. The presidents of the different Clubs are required to communicate this notice to their several Clubs without delay. By order of the Democratic County Executive Committee.

JNO. BRATTON,  
 Chairman.  
 JNO. S. REYNOLDS,  
 Secretary.  
 June 28-1x2w

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 Dried Hides bought.  
 oct 12 J. CLENDINING.

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ALSO,  
 Bananas, of the finest kind, which cannot fail to be tempting to all and get some.

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 A new lot of groceries in great varieties which are offered at my usual low figures. Call and see.  
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AMERICAN TURBINE WATER WHEEL.

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Send for Catalogue.  
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 June 12 F. W. HABENICHT.

## Merchant Tailoring.

THE undersigned informs the citizens of Winnsboro and the county generally, that he has opened a Tailoring Establishment in the store next to Mr. J. Clendinning's. He is prepared to do all kinds of work in his line at short notice and on reasonable terms. A full line of samples kept constantly on hand, from which customers may make selections. Special attention given to CUTTING.  
 feb 24-1x6m W. G. ROGHE.

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WE intend to gradually change our Stock to Groceries, Heavy Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes, and all goods needed on plantations.

We therefore offer all fancy goods, such as

Edgings, Veilings, Ribbons, Jaconet and Swiss, Alpaca, Lace Handkerchiefs, Cassimeres, Fine Gloves, Collars, Cuffs, Scarfs,

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BELOW COST.

If you want any kind of Fancy Notions, give us a call. The price shall suit you for the

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## LADD BROS.

June 19

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NEW GOODS!!

WE have just received a stock of SPRING AND SUMMER

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 4-4 Cambrics at 10 cents.  
 Centennial Stripes at 12½ cents.

ALSO,

A full Stock of Shirtings, Sheetings and Drilling at low figures.

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We have just received a large and complete stock of Spring and Summer Clothing which we will sell as cheap as any one.

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Gents' and Youths' Felt and Straw Hats of all kinds and at any price.

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