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Saturday, October 27, 1906.

Col. James D. Blanding, of Sumter, the aged veteran of two wars—the Mexican and the Civil—died last Wednesday. He was in his 86th year. For many years he was prominent in the affairs of South Carolina. Col. Blanding was one of the promoters of the old Three C's railroad. He spent some days in Lancaster, years ago, working in the then proposed railroad enterprise.

The resolutions in relation to lawlessness adopted by the District Conference of the A. M. E. church recently held at Dixie, which were published in the last issue of The News, reflect great credit on that body of colored citizens. They evidence the fact that the better class of that race have some appreciation of what constitutes good citizenship, and that they have no sympathy for the law-breaker, whether he be black or white.

Chester is thinking of having a street railway system. A party of capitalists have made application for a franchise to construct and operate such a system in the town. The agitation of this matter in Chester recalls to mind the fact that our other enterprising neighbor, Rock Hill, at one time had something with a mule at one end and a nigger at the other that made a noise like a street car. Wonder what ever became of it. Is it still making hebdomadal trips to Oakland, Ebenezer or some other point up the road, or is it now doing duty as a street sprinkler?

TILLMAN AS A LECTURER.

Newspaper reports are conflicting as to how Senator Tillman is being received throughout the country as a lecturer, but whether his audiences relish what he has to say or not, there seems to be no doubt about the fact that he is proving to be a phenomenal success as a drawing card, so to speak, for he is being offered more engagements to lecture than he can possibly fill in the next twelve months. The Senator's refusal a day or

two ago, for lack of time, to accept an invitation to speak in Atlanta moves The Georgian, edited by Col. John Temple Graves, to make the following comment:

Senator Tillman has not always been a popular figure upon the lyceum, and the lecture platforms have not in the past years fallen over themselves in an anxiety to secure him. But Senator Tillman bore himself like a brave man and a statesman in the last session of American Senate. He bore the brunt of the people's fight for the regulation of the railroads, and he met all comers in that arena forcefully and fearlessly. Tillman grew to grand proportions out of that session of the Senate, and today in answer to an invitation of the South Carolina Society of Atlanta, his secretary informs the president of that society that every day of the Senator's time from now until the re-assembling of Congress on December 1, and that every day from the adjournment of the next Senate on March 4 to December of 1907, is already under contract with various lecture bureaus of the country.

Dwelling and Contents, Including \$300 in Cash, Burned.

Saluda special in the State: News of the destruction by fire on Friday night of the old William Stevens homestead near the town of Monetta, in this county, has just reached here. The property was owned by Mr. E. Jones of Batesburg and was occupied by Mr. J. W. Carver. The fire was discovered about midnight and Mr. Carver and family barely had time to escape from the burning building. Mr. Carver lost every piece of his household and kitchen furniture, family wearing apparel and family stores. He also lost \$300 in currency, which he had in his home. There was no insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Spartanburg Puts Prohibitory Tax on Cotton Exchanges.

Spartanburg special in News and Courier: The city council of Spartanburg has increased the license for operating cotton exchanges from two hundred per year to one thousand dollars, an increase of \$800. This is a hard blow to those engaged in the business and probably means that the Exchange here will close. It is stated by those who know that the expense of operating an exchange with private wires is heavy, and such business cannot be conducted in a town of this size at a profit and pay a license of \$1,000. It is understood that the license was increased for the purpose of driving out the business.

—Our former fellow citizen Mr. H. B. Pardue is now in the mercantile business in Fort Lawn, as will be seen by the following from Fort Lawn correspondence of the Chester Lantern: We have a new store under operation now by Mr. H. B. Pardue. He carries a nice lot of groceries. We wish him prosperity in his new undertaking.

—Attention is directed to Mr. B. C. Hough's announcement in today's paper.

The Ladies' Honor Roll.

Contributions to Confederate Monument Fund Since Recent Publication of Names.

We make a special appeal to the ladies of Lancaster county for their names and \$1.00 each for Honor Roll for monument—A gentleman from the county said to one of the committee, "Here is \$100 for my wife. I want her name on the Honor Roll; my father was a Confederate soldier and lies buried in West End cemetery." Her name heads this list:

Mrs. Orin Blackmon,	\$1.00
" J. F. Nesbit,	1.00
" Bon Welsh,	1.00
" J. E. Blackmon,	1.00
" W. J. Cunningham,	1.00
" Lewis P. Clyburn,	1.00
Miss Mayme Mackey,	1.00
M. E. Caithen,	
Treas. L. C. U. D. C.	

Read—The News.

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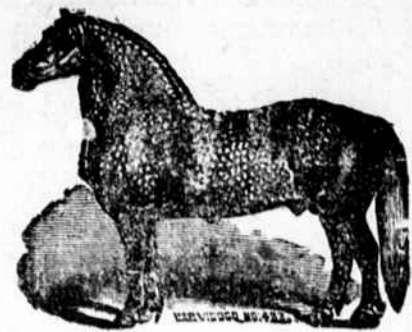
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Lancaster.
In the Common Pleas.

Arthur P. Horton et al, Plaintiffs,
against
Allee T. Horton, Defendant.

Pursuant to an order of court made in the above stated cause, by Judge Prince, dated Oct. 8, 1906, the undersigned will sell at Lancaster C. H., at public auction, on the first Monday in November, next, within the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, to-wit: All that piece, parcel or tract of land being, lying and situate in Pleasant Hill township, in Lancaster county, State of South Carolina, containing 125 acres, more or less, bounded on the north by lands of H. H. Horton, Jr., W. S. Horton and Lee Horton; east by lands of W. S. Horton and Robert Caston; south by estate lands of E. B. Cook, and west by lands of J. M. Neal and—Dye.

Terms of sale, Cash; purchaser or purchasers to pay for papers.
J. F. GREGORY,
C. C. C. P. L. C.
Lancaster, S. C., Oct. 9, 1906,
Green & Hines, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

HORSES, Mares,



MULES

Our Mr. Hood has just arrived from the markets with one of the nicest lots of



MULES, MARES AND HORSES

that has been on the market this season. They are all well broken and among them some extra nice matched teams of mules, mares and horses. Come one, come all. They are here and must be sold. We need the money and are going to sell for the high dollar.

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3,000 yards 10 cents Outing at 7 1-2 cents.
25 pieces Jeans at 12 1-2, 15, 18, 22 1-2, 33 1-3 cents, worth 25 per cent. more money.
25 pieces Canton Flannel at 7 1-2, 8 1-3, 10, 12 1-2 cents yard.
3,000 yards Honest Weight Shirting 15 yards for \$1.00.
5 pieces all wool 54 inch, Ladis Clath, 48 cents the yard.
10 pieces 54 inch Broad Cloth worth \$1.25, for only 95 cts the yd.
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