this state.

object.

ard of speech-making.

But there are other offices which

must be filled by men whose fitness

must be determined largely from

their public utterances. These men

have a right to be heard, and to be

given such time as shall be necessary

to discuss the issues in which the

people are interested, and the meas-

ures which they propose. Just now

one of the questions which must be

determined by the people is whether

or not the state shall go into the

warehouse business. We must con-

fess that we have little sympathy

with the state entering any kind of

business, yet many able men are ad-

vocating this measure as the only

means of taking care of the princi-

pal crop of the south, and saving the

farmers. In this state we have an

able champion of the measure in

Commissioner McLaurin. It is stated

that he may be a candidate for Gov-

ernor on this issue. If he shall be,

what information will he be able to

give the people as to the measure in

the space of the twenty minutes

which shall be assigned him at the

CAMPAIGN MEETINGS.

## ABBEVILLE PRESS AND BANNER



### The State of South Carolina, SAM ADAMS ATTORNEY-AT-LAW COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

**Office Second Floor City Hall** 

State of South Carolina

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

Court of Common Pleas.

pany, Plaintiff,

against McKinney, G. C. McIntosh. The

corporated, Stephen Putney

F. S. Royster Guano Company, Ken-

nier-Montgomery & · ompany. In

Company, Carroll Adams & Com-

pany. Gershon Brothers Company

King Hardware Company, Hix-Pal

mer Company, Incorporated, David

son-Dietrich Plow Company, Bell

Overall Company. Gramling-Spald-ing Company, John B. Daniel, Standard Trunk & Bag Company.

Southern States Phosphate and Fer-tilizer Company, Jos. Rosenheim Shoe Company, W. B. Brigham, Sr.

and W. B. Brigham, Jr., partners doing business as W. B. Brigham &

Son; Simon Michael and M. G. Mi-

chael, partners, doing business as

Michael Brothers, Defendants.

Summons for Relief.

You are hereby summoned and re

quired to answer the complaint in this

action, which is filed in the office of the

Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas,

for the said county, and to serve a copy

of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office at Abbeville

Court House, South Carolina, within

twenty days after the service hereof,

exclusive of the day of such service;

within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff

in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the com-

Dated the 26th day of June, 1915.

NOTICE.

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

ministration.

and in the 139th year of Ameri-

D. H. HILL.

Plaintiff's Attorney.

Plaintifi's Attorney.

Shoe

Court of Common Pleas.

C. L. Wideman, J. H. Wideman, S. W. Wideman, Minnie L. Chandler, Margaret W. Jackson, and Leonora Gray, Plaintiffs, against Mrs. Mary C. Kimball. Mrs. Fannie

Reynolds, J. A. Wideman, R. H. Wideman, Richard Harris, Mrs. Lily Harris Seiler, Mrs. Marie H. Seiler and Mrs. Mary C. Dozier, Defendants.

Summons. For Relief. (Complaint Served.)

To the Defendants above named: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the Complaint in this action. of which a copy is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said Complaint the subscriber at his office at Abbeville Court House, South Carolina, within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service : and if you fail to answer the Complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

Dated Fifteenth day of June, 1915. Wm. P. Greene.

Grier, Park & Nicholson,

Plaintiffs' Attorneys. To Mrs. Mary C. Kimball, Richard Harris. Mrs. Lily Harris Seiler, and Mrs. Marie Harris Seiler:

Please Take Notice, That the Com-plaint in the above stated action, together with the Summons, of which the foregoing is a copy, was on the 17th day of June. A. D. 1915, filed in the office of the Clerk of Court of Common Pleas for Abbeville County, South Carolina, at Abbeville Court House, South Carolina, where the same is now on file.

Wm. P. Greene, Grier, Park & Nicholson, Plaintiffs' Attorneys. June 17, 1915.

# **Registration** Notice !

Notice is hereby given that the Supervisors of Registration for Abbeville County will be at the following precincts on the day and dates named for the purpose of issuing new registration certificates or renewing old certificates, for the special election to be held on

Due West-Tuesday, Aug. 3rd Donalds-Wednesday, Aug. 4th. McCormick-Thursday, Aug. 5th. Lowndesville-Friday, Aug. 6th. 14 Calhoun Falls-Monday, Aug. 9th. We will be on duty at the Court House, in the Coroner's office, on Salesday in July and August, and on Tues-day, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th of August.

You will be required to produce your registration certificate and tax receipt to be able to vote in the election on Sept. 14th.

A. F. CALVERT, Chr, JOE J. LINK, W. E. ELLIS.

# University of South Carolina

## Scholarship Examination.

ville Court House, on Wednesday, the 14th day of July. 1915, after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Ad-ministration should not be granted. Given under my hand and seal of the Court, this 28th day of June, in the year of our Lord one thou-(Seal) sand nine hundred and fifteen and in the 139th year of Ameri-The University of South Carolina offers a Teacher's Scholarship to one young man from each county. The scholarship is worth \$100 in money and exemption from all fees, amounting to \$158

The examination will be held at the county seat FRIDAY, JULY the 9th. Published on the 30th day of June. 1915, 1915. General entrance examinations will be held at the same time for all

The Press and Banner against candidates. ABBEVILLE, S.C. It is always objected that a change on this walk.

cannot be made in this or the other Published Every Wednesday by year for the reason that it will work THE PRESS AND BANNER CO. WM. P. GREENE, Editor Wed. July 7, 1915 with the chances of this or the other street. candidate. We can always find

men fit for public office. We be-We fully agree with the editor of lieve that the voters should demand to see and hear every man who ofthe Columbia Record that the time fers for office, especially for imhas come when joint political debates should end in campaigns in portant offices, but the people will These joint debates hear better when each man shall make his own campaign, speaking in were arranged for the puurpose of such places as he may elect, visiting giving the people of each county an the people, and promulgating his opportunity to see each and every candidate offering for office in the views by the force of reason and state, and of hearing his views on logic, and not by his ability to abuse some other man. The people will all public questions, an object praisenot elect a man who attacks another worthy enough in itself. But the joint debates have failed of their in a personal way behind his back, and any so inclined will be discour-

In the first place, the fitness of aged in the use of such tactics. Next year we should have a camcandidates for most of the state paign of political education. We offices cannot be judged by listening can have it if those in control of to a speech of five minutes, or ten, the time generally allowed to candithe party machinery will put an end dates other than for Governor, nor to joint debates, and give the people by the ability of a candidate to tell a chance to hear issues discussed a threadbare joke, to the discomfort rather than to witness political wrangles. We hope the Record will of the audience many times. At least some of the offices of the state | push the fight along the line of its recent editorial, and that all men demand men of business ability, coupled with proved integrity, and who love good government and a men who will attend to business. fair discussion will join in with Brother Banks in his efforts looking How shall the people be able to judge of the fitness of men for such to this end. As the Record says, the time to think about such regulaoffices from a five minutes speech. tions is in the off years when we are It is a reflection on the people of all free from excitement and when the state that we try to judge men the way is open to a just underfor every position by the one standstanding.

## THE ALBERT TALBERT CASE.

This case is now before Governor Manning on a petition for commutation of sentence. The officers in charge of the condemned man have reached the conclusion, which we reached from reading the testimony, that Talbert is not of sound mind, or that he is so mentally deficient that he should not be executed. Governor Manning will make 'a great mistake if he allows a poor devil like Talbert to be electrocuted. A boy who in school was so dull that his teacher did not regard him as bright, who has had no opportunity in life, who has been oppressed by the burden of ignorance all his days, and who has had scarcely and training even in right, itself, should not die at the hands of the state.

People generally who have discussed the case agree with us. This is not a case where people are being the roads in good shape. I am comurged by the powers that be in an effort to save a man who is guilty;

charge and counter-charge pelled to report uncle Jim if he does not keep his cow from grazing

Perhaps Col. Kerr could "vudoragainst the chances of this or the ize" the situation in the matter of lina, has distributed the official reother candidate. But the Demo- Editor Horton's failure to advocate cords of the proceedings of the Grand cratic Convention has nothing to do a new side-walk for Greenville Lodge meeting held in Orangeburg.

> Does Editor Horton realize that usual accuracy of Capt. Brown and we "got action" in the matter of the in addition to the record of the pro-Southern Schedule, and that it is ceedings of the twenty-ninth annual not a matter of "claiming" that we Convention contains a photograph did? For the information of our of Grand Chancellor Herbert E. brother, we would advise that the Gyles, and in the appendix is emnew side-walk is now ready to be bodied a roster of the officers and of opened up to a point from which you the subordinate lodges and their sitcan see the Baptist church. Chief ting officials and data in connection Justice Gary for whom our brother with the insurance department of the was so solicitous sometime ago, says Order, the price list of the Pythian that the side-walk should be con- supplies, a list of all of the Past structed, and that he was willing to Chancellors of all of the lodges in give the city the necessary space. the state and many other interesting Mrs. Perrin is of like mind. Again and almost invaluable data for Pyquoting from our friend Capt. Shaw, thians. The entire matter is ad-'a word to the wise is sufficient."

Mr. Bradley's butler, Abram zation has any better official in any Brown, was our authority for stating capacity than Charlie Brown, of Abin a recent issue that the former was beville, and the Journal of Proceedspending the week at "Crimson Col- ings just issued would seem to bear ege."

much faster next summer than they the Press and Banner Company. are now running, they may find Last year the records were delivered themselves face to face with the in the month of October, this year charge of violating the ordinance in the month of June, within twenty forbidding self-propelled vehicles to days after the final copy was furrun more than forty miles an hour. nished the printers.

We are requested by the Speed liends' Association to state that brother Horton is creating more disturbance than the eighty cut-outs for this ad. Press and Banner office. now residents of this city.

## WHY NOT HAVE DECENT ROADS IN ABBEVILLE COUNTY? Mr. Editor:

Your timely remarks on working the roads of the county should be read carefully by every citizen of our good old county. There is much good sense in your suggestions and especially with regard to the money to be raised for working the coads, the split-log drags and widenng the roads. That "flying squadron" proposition is one that should be adopted by the Supervisor certain and without delay. That, with plenty of split-log drags, would keep the roads of the county in good condition at a very small cost and without so much work. There is little sense in working a ten mile stretch of road when there are only a few holes in it to be filled. Being an automobilist I am willing to pay any special tax called for if we can get

periods of excitement, when there Greenville street, we will be com- GRAND LODGE PROCEEDINGS Capt. C. D. Brown, the Grand

Keeper of the Records and Seal of the Knights of Pythias of South Caro-May 24-26.

The Union Central Life Insurance Com-The Journal is compiled with the Perry mirably indexed. To the Defendants above named:

The Pythians boast that no organiout this claim .- News and Courier. The records were gotten out under If some of the candidates run the supervision of Capt. Brown by and if you fail to answer the complaint

## Found.

possibly \$25. Prove ownership and pay

## NOTICE.

NOTICE. We wish to inform the public we are now ready—day and night—to grind, and will give your grinding prompt and careful attention.

**Burnett's Flavorings** A. M. HILL & CO have a full stock of Burnett's and Eddy's Flavorings. They are the highest grade manufactured and excellent for ICE CREAM and Desserts.

## **Burnett's Pastes**

ings. We have all the colors, Pink, Blue, Yel-

Attest: J. L. Perrin, C. C. C. P. A. C. (Seal.) One Shriner's Pin. Worth \$5 or \$10, To the defendants named in the above entitled action: Please take notice that the summons and complaint in the above stated case, were filed in the of-fice of the Clerk of the Court of Com-

plaint.

The very best for color-

Calhoun Roller Mills, E. H. Wood, Mgr., Mt. Carmel, S. C.

# The State of South Carolina, Probate Court-Citation for Letters of Ad-

By J. F. Miller, Esq., Judge of Probate. Whereas, Mrs. Rosa B. Johnston and Mrs. Gertrude B. Agnew hath made suit to me, to grant A. Selden Kennedy Letters of Administration de bonis non of the Es-tate and effects of J. Donald Brownlee, late of Abbeville County, deceased. These are therefore, to cite and admon-ich all and singular the kindred and credi-

is hall and singular the kindred and credi-tors of the said J. Donald Brownlee, de-ceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Abbe-ville Court House, on Wednesday, the 14th

campaign meeting. Mr. McLaurin is an able debater. He is a man of thought, and can make his views known on any subject, with a proper exposition of his reasons; but he will have no opportunity to educate the people of the state on this issue, or proposed measure, if he is allowed to speak in every county in the state only twenty minutes. And if he is required to make the circuit with the other candidates he will have no opportunity to speak at other times and in other places.

For the reasons stated the joint debates by candidates have developed into nothing short of un'awfu! assemblages in which the principal thing to do is to sling mud, and in most cases one side has been as much to blame as the other. We had a sickening spectacle last summer. We had four men of recognized ability running for the United States Senate. Either had the ability to make a senator, and either could have discussed with inteligence the principles enunciated by o o o the two great parties of the country, and could have given the people o light on the tariff, currency, and o other questions which we all need to know about. But the time of the candidates, on account of the abuses which have crept into these meetings, was taken up in ridicule of each other, in attacks on each other, with no discussion of merit for the enlightenment of the people. Nobody was wiser after the speeches were made than before. So that it has grown to be a fact that

the joint campaign meetings furnish nothing but a forum for the demagogue, a means to deceive rather than enlighten the people. If the people are to rule, the issues in legislation and the fitness of men for office, should be determined in calmness and with deliberation, with all the information possible, and not in

it is a case in which the voice of humanity is speaking in behalf of one who should be punished, but one who should be too an object of pity and mercy. The great state of South Carolina does not need to take the life of this neglected and abandoned wretch. Let him live.

## A GOOD PAPER.

One of the newsiest and best of news service, and the paper has been otherwise improved. It is road. That ruins a road. read by a good many Abbeville people who greatly enjoy its columns, and we could hope that it might receive more support from people here as well as in its home town. The editorials are always good and always on the right side. We appreciate the editor.

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EDITORIAL BREVITIES.

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We notice from the Greenwood papers that a copy of the Declaration of Independence has reached that town, and that it was read to the citizens thereof in mass meeting assembled on last Saturday. We hope that the contents were of interest to the people of Greenwood.

It is now thought that the old schedule on the Abbeville branch of the time to put all reads in good the Southern must be re-established. Capt. Syfan, our polite conductor, and the parson do not have sufficient thing else. How many of these time to discuss the subject of raising | cheap and valuable drags are in the beans as the train now runs.

Speaking of the new side-walk on

in different parts of the State and I have been impressed with the fact where split-log drags are used frequently and freely and where splitlog drag clubs exist, the roads are the best to be found anywhere.

pelled to travel over many counties

Most of the counties that have widened their roads have re-located them in places so as to improve the grade wonderfully and people are not allowed to plow into them. Too many people in Abbeville county

the afternoon exchanges which cultivate part of the public roads and reach this office is the Greenwood this should be stopped. Another Daily Journal. Editor Gardner thing that should be stopped is the has greatly improved his telegraphic piling of mud and sand from the side ditches into the middle of the

> Every county I go through has better roads than Abbeville, except Newberry and Edgefield, and they are about on a par with ours. Why is it "the authorities cannot work some of the main leading roads, at least, as they should be worked, and not have our people always apolo-

gizing for the disgraceful roads we have put up with since the county was formed. The roads in Abbeville county can be kept in as good shape as in any other county in the State and if more energy and intelligence should be employed by the people who work them we would, have good roads. How many miles of road have been dragged by the split-log

drag in this county this year? The roads are worse near Abbeville than farther away and it behooves the business men of the town to get a move on them and sce that something is done NOW, and not wait till fall and writer Now is shape and the split log drag will do it better and cheaper than anycounty? I suspect the authorities would be ashamed to answer. Traveler. e contra de la

