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FOR RENT—Four rooms up stairs with all conveniences. Apply to Mrs. R. C. Wilson, 19 Haigler street, phone 375-3. 1tc.

Wanted—To sell a milk cow giving four gallons a day. Will sell or trade for dry cattle. See R. S. McComb. 1tc.

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BUY KLIM—I am sole distributor for Klim in this county. Can furnish you fresh Klim in any size cans. See James Darricott at Co-operative Store. 6, 5.tf.

VITAL STATISTICS

During the month of May in Long Cane township there were four births, one white and three colored, and no deaths.

E. R. Miller, Registrar.

AUTO TIRES

30x3 1/2 Miller Tires \$9.85.
30x3 Miller Tires \$7.70.

There are no better tires, and these prices offer a substantial saving.

The Rosenberg Mercantile Co.

EXTRA COMMUNICATION

There will be an extra communication of Clinton Lodge No. 3 A. F. M. Thursday night, June 15, at 8 o'clock. Work in the first degree.

W. M. Langley, W. M.,
H. S. Howie, Secretary.

11TH HOUR APPEAL FOR CONDEMNED

Columbia, June 13.—A strong effort is being made, as is often the case in capital punishment cases, to have at least two of the trio sentenced to die Friday of this week for the murder of William Brazell, saved from the electric chair. However, Governor Harvey has indicated that he will stand against changing the sentence of death imposed in those cases.

A petition was presented to the Governor Monday, asking that Jesse Gappins' sentence be commuted to life imprisonment. Mrs. Gappins, mother of the boy, and a young woman who stated to the governor that she was engaged to marry the young prisoner, have both been to see the governor, asking that the boy be allowed to live. A prominent Columbia woman has also taken an interest in the young criminal, and has had much to do with the petition for executive clemency.

But Gappins is not the only one whose friends have been at work for him. Mrs. S. J. Kirby, wife of the leader of the murder trio, has called on the governor, with a prayer that her husband might be given an examination into his sanity. Mrs. Kirby told the governor that Kirby has a silver plate in his head and was subject to spells of insanity. She told remarkable stories of his period of mental weakness and the harm he worked. The governor ordered an investigation, but he will not change the decision of the court in Kirby's case.

The petition which was presented for Gappins was signed by twenty-seven people, eleven of them members of the jury that convicted the trio, and that heard the three men tell un-

RESIDENCE BURNS DURING FUNERAL

Home of Late Captain Humbert Lost—Crowd Rushes From Grave of Gallant Veteran

Laurens, June 13.—Today shortly after the noon hour as the funeral services of the late Capt. Joseph B. Humbert were being concluded at Mount Bethel church, the late home of Captain Humbert was totally destroyed by fire.

This singular and distressing incident took place just about the time the benediction at the graveside was being pronounced, and hundreds of people at the funeral hurried to the fire, two miles distant, and many of them assisted in removing the furniture from the dwelling. Miss Ludie Taylor a near neighbor who was not well enough to attend the funeral, hurried to the Humbert home upon seeing the volumes of black smoke issuing from the house and, finding the doors locked, she seized a farm tool with which she broke open the front door and directed several negro farm hands and servants who had assembled to begin the removal of the furniture.

The fire broke out, it seems in the kitchen on the east side of the dwelling and as the wind was blow-

ing from the east the rescue workers had time to save much of the household furnishings.

The home of Captain Humbert was one of the most substantial and commodious country residences in the county, and although it had been remodeled from time to time, it retained its old colonial effect and beauty.

J. B. HUMBERT DIES AT PRINCETON HOME

Laurens, June 11.—Captain Joseph B. Humbert, widely known as a leading citizen of the state, successful farmer and prominent layman in the Methodist church, died at his home this morning at 5 o'clock near Princeton, Laurens county.

Captain Humbert had been ill since September, 1920 when he was stricken with paralysis while on a business visit to Honea Path, eleven miles from his home. During the intervening months he has at short intervals shown some improvement only to be followed by a relapse or recurring paralytic symptoms. He suffered a sinking spell Saturday, though his condition for some days had been more critical than formerly apparently, and at dawn today his spirit passed out into the beyond.

The deceased was in the 85th year of his age, one of the oldest men of the county. Surviving him are his widow, two sons, H. B. Humbert, formerly supervisor of Laurens county, now county engineer for the Abbeville county highway commission, and John B. Humbert of Anderson, and by two daughters, Mrs. Frank Nash of Princeton and Mrs. J. A. Sullivan of Simpsonville. One sister, Mrs. Addie Watson of Greenville, also survives.

Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning at Mount Bethel church.



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JUNE SALE

OF SEASONABLE MERCHANDISE CLOSSES SATURDAY, JUNE 24th.

DRY GOODS.

- 36 inch Heavy Sheeting, sale price 9 1/2c
- Fancy Voiles from 15c to 35c per yd.
- Organdies in all colors from 25c to 50c yd.
- Cotton Scrim from 10c to 25c per yd.
- 75c 36 inch Serge at 48c per yd.
- \$1.00 36 inch All wool Serge at 75c per yd.
- \$2.50 Ladies House Dresses at \$1.98
- \$3.00 Ladies' House Dresses at \$2.48
- 35c Fancy Nansook at 25c per yd.
- 40 in. White Lawns from 10c to 25c per yd.
- Dress Ginghams from 15c to 25c per yd.

MEN'S ODD PANTS

- \$5.00 Men's and young men's Pants at \$4.00
- \$4.50 Men's and young men's Pants at \$3.75
- \$3.50 Men's and young men's Pants at \$2.98
- Men's Work Pants from \$1.25 to \$2.50
- Men's and Boys Dress shirts from 75c to \$1.50
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- Men's Hats from \$1.50 to \$3.50
- Men's and Boys' Summre Underwear per garment from.... 50c to \$1.00
- Men's and Boys' Caps from 25c to \$1.25
- Children's Hats from 25c to 65c

SHOES AND OXFORDS FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY.

- \$3.50 Men's Dress Shoes at \$3.00
- \$3.00 Men's Dress Shoes at \$2.45
- \$4.50 Men's Oxfords at \$3.85
- \$4.00 Men's Oxfords at \$3.50
- \$5.50 Men's Oxfords at \$4.85
- Men's Work Shoes from \$1.98 to \$3.00
- Ladies' Oxfords from \$2.50 to \$3.50
- \$2.50 Ladies' White Canvas Oxfords at \$1.98
- \$2 Ladies and Misses White canvas oxfords \$1.50
- Men's \$1.50 Overalls at \$1.25
- Mn's \$2.00 Overalls, best makes at \$1.50
- Boys' Overalls from 75c to \$1.00
- Bed Spreads from \$1.35 to \$2.50

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

- Men's \$35.00 Suits at \$25.00
- Men's \$25.00 Suits at \$19.00
- Men's \$15.00 Suits at \$12.50
- Men's \$15.00 Palm Beach Suits at \$12.00
- Men's \$12.00 Mohair Suits at \$10.00
- Boys' Suits, sizes from 6 to 19 from \$4 to \$10.00
- Boys' Knee Pants from 75c to \$2.00

CROP CONDITIONS TO JUNE FIRST

B. B. Hare, Agricultural Statistician in South Carolina for the Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates United States Department of Agriculture, has prepared estimates which show the condition of crops reported below on June 1 as follows:

Wheat 75 per cent of normal; oats 88 per cent; rye 85; hay 88; alfalfa 90; cowpeas 85; cabbages 87; onions 87; apples 66; peaches 77; pears 65; watermelons 80; and cantaloupes 78.

The indicated production of wheat in the State is reported at 1,218,000 bushels, production for the entire United States being reported at 855,000,000 bushels as against 785,000,000 bushels in 1921.

Total production of oats in the State is estimated at 9,327 bushels, or 1,137,000 bushels more than last year. The total production in the entire United States is reported at 1,305,000,000 bushels against 1,061,000,000 bushels.

Peaches in the western, central eastern counties will show a marked increase in production over last year. Condition of pears and apples fair to good.

Weather conditions for the past 60 days have been highly favorable for clover and alfalfa and excellent yields have been reported.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

FOR CONGRESS.

I am a candidate for re-election Congress from the Third Congressional District, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.

FRED H. DOMINICK.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVE.

I hereby announce myself as candidate for the House of Representatives subject to the action the Democratic Primary.

THOMAS A. PUTNAM.

Conditions of watermelons a cantaloupes fairly good, though there has been too much rain for both. The same is true of cabbages and other truck crops. Commercial crop of cucumbers larger than usual and prices have been very unsatisfactory. Blackville the principal shipping point.

Rainfall during the month of May was far above normal in many sections and farm work has been very much delayed, especially harvesting wheat and oats for re-son farmers have been unable to get into fields with reapers and binders. All growing crops have progressed slowly on account of excess moisture, lack of sunshine and pro-er cultivation.

D. POLIAKOFF Abbeville, S. C.