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THE ADVERTISER, Edgefield, S. C. WEDNESDAY, NOV. 25, 1903.

Give thanks on to-morrow to the Great Giver of all good and perfect gifts.

The shibboleth of the Democratic party for 1904 will be : "Anything or anybody to beat Roosevelt."

been decided upon.

Saluda county had her usu- it. al weekly homicide on Thursday last. Lark Glover, colored, killed his brother about the ta Chronicle consumed more foreclosure of a mortgage on than a column felicitating ita cow.



found.

The Calhoun county advocates had ill luck because they counted their chickens before

unanswerable facts and fig- \$15,085.00. ures. If you will read and

able property of the Lew county is ponder them, and can exercise \$2,555,300.00 and the rate of tax the right of suffrage in the ation would be practically: election on December the

State tax ......5 mills. 

There will be a jail, court house

and county offices to build. From

new county, which is largely Total ..... 14. a scheme of the North Augusta Land and Improvement

The only thing we like or pay dearly for the luxury of seced-the county of Hammond takes her place as one of the brightest stars in that appeals to us about the ing from Edgefield and Aiken.

county, of which it is proposed to make North Augus-ta the county seat, is the name, "Hammond." This is pany 18 trying to convince every oosed to make North Augus-

a name that has always stood one that its three thousand dollar for whatsoever things are school house and vacant lots to the value of five thousand five hundred pure, whatsoever things are dollars will supply every possible honorable, whatsoever things need for the purposes named. I are ennobling and whatsoever give the people credit for better things are of good report. A sense than to believe any such shoe string strip of land bor- uousense. If they are credulous dered on the south by the enough to believe any such thing, muddy waters of the Savan- high as they will be if they vote

The next annual reunion of nah and on the north by the for the new county. remnants of Edgefield and My information is to the effect

> A few days ago the Augusself upon the fact that it has a Han wood county except to in-

subscriber who has been tak- crease the valu- of the stock. off-r A Georgia town required ing the paper for fifty years, a school house and five thousand Amt from beer Disp, the Standard Oil company to and expressed a doubt as to five hundred dollars worth of usepay \$10 for a lisence to sell its whether any other paper of erecting buildings worth \$25,-products. The trust planked could say as much. The AD-000.00. That would leave about down the cash and raised the VERTISER has a subscriber seventeen thousand dollars for the price of oil two cents per gal- who has been taking the paper tax payers who will derive absofor sixty-three (63) consecutive lutely no benefit from the estab-

years. Only a few days ago Where is the citizen of we received a letter from a quire a levy of about seven mills. L G Beil, Edgefield who, as he stands gentleman who has been a and gazes upon the beautiful subscriber to the ADVERTISER chain gang ou fit to purchase, costand imposing college building, for forty odd years, in which ing several thousand dollars, or a does not experience a thrill of he enclosed five dollars for delight and pardonable pride ? subscription account, paying Edgefield is about \$8,000.00 Ham-Such an individual is not to be considerably in advance. mond would have to assume her Wonder what our friends share, which would be about one

foregoing?

Mrs. Carrie Nation called they were hatched-named at the "White House" a few benefit that he is to receive. the baby county before it was days ago and "raised the na-

Hon. Wm. P. Calhoun, in 000.00; Magistrates courts, \$1,000. certain, they will not be any higher thence in an easterly direction his second of a series of letters 00; Post mortems, \$250.00; Court than we are paying now, awithout a house, and jail. \$400.00; Board of row his second of a series of letters on the new county question; which we publish to-day, pre-sents an invincible array of unanswerable facts and fig-

One other point, and I am done, as the preachers say; we serve notice in time that around the new court house The estimated value of the taxwill be a mighty poor place for speculators in county claims to get rich at hat business as they have at some of

he older court houses. Aside from all other questions, we

But that is not all. Hammoud has virtually endorsed this principle in the past when advocated by that far-seeing statesman, George D. Till-man. So now, I'll shut up until after Now, therefore, I, D. C. Heyward, county will have other heavy expenses to meet that will run her tax rate away up and make her

> the State's constellation. GEO. W. MEDLOCK.

Report of the Grand Jury.

Fo His Honor, Joseph A. McCullough, Presiding at Novomber Term of Court, 1903.

We the Grand Jury beg to make the following report and embody the reports of our Special Committees as follows: The Committee to examine Coun-

ty offices and books, consisting of J. B. Adams, E. J. Norris and N M Jones, report to the Grand Jury as follows: At the August Term of Court we reported on all County offices except that of County Treas. From voucuers and figures giver us by the Treasurer, we make the following report: For the 12 months

ending Oct. 15, 1903, the Treasurer is charg d as follows: Total Tax Levy for 1902, \$50,534 96 214471 1901,

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13,000 00

2,394 30

2,895 78

259 75

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344 20

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27 70

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4 93

Collection of Commutareached the sum of about twei ty-2,792 50 tation tax,

Amt. collected not on As stated, the North Augusta tax books Land Company composed of Geor-Amt, borrowed from g.a and northern people princiba .ks,

pally, who have no interest in Amt. from State D's pensary Amt. from County Disp.,

> Amt. licenses collected tions by Magistrates, Collections and fines by Magistrates-

P. H. Clark, J. E. Dobey. N. L. Brunson,

lishment of the new county, to pay. T. E. Miller, To raise that amount wou d re- P. B. waters,

P. W. Cheatham, Then there would be the county J. R. Timmerman, John Brunson,

Disbursements: Amt. on Error Sheet, \$758 25, Audi-

Then, as the floating lebt of tors total i-vy corrected: Paul Jury and Witnesses, Paul Roads, Paid Past Indebtedne-s,

across the river think of the thousand dollars, all a burden on Pair School Expenses, the tax payer. At every turn we meet with cx- Pata Ordin ry County pense to the tax payer and in no Drarquents, instance do we run across any Part on R. R. Bonds,

School Bl'dg. Bonds, It stands out as bright as day, Reid med l'as Payers,

Loss of Flesh Barnwell Cointy, seven and onehalf miles; thence along said Four Mile Creek to Savannah River about seven miles; thence up the Savannah River to Scott's Ferry, Edgefield County, the point of be-cinning, have been filed with me in fast, take Scott's Emulsion.

secondance with law, asking that aid portions of these counties be permitted to vote on the estab ishment of a new county.

Emulsion. When you have And whereas the boundaries of the proposed new county, the probeen living on a milk diet and posed name, the number of inhabi want something a little more would, from princ ple, still advocate fants, the area, the taxable prop-new counties wherever they could be erty; as shown by the last tax renourishing, take Scott's formed. This congressional district turns, and that the prop sed lines Emulsion. To get fat you must eat

Now, therefore, I, D. C. Heyward, Governor of the State of South fat. Scott's Emulsion is a Carolina, in compliance with the great fattener, a great requirements of Section 575 of Volume One, Code of Laws of South strength giver. Carolina, 1902, do hereby order an Those who have lost flesh election in the territory to be cut off for the new county, on the fif teenth day of December, 1903, to be want to increase all body

held in accordance with the requirements of law, at which elec-tion the electors shall vote "yes" or "no" upon the question of creating a new county and upon the name and county seat of the proposed county

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the [SEAL.]State to be affixed at Co lumbia, this 2nd day of No vember, 1903, and in the

who need flesh, Scott's 128th year of the Indepen-dence of the United States. D. C. HEYWARD, Emulsion is a rich and comfortable food, and a natural Governor.

bone,

nerve.

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By the Governor: J.T. GANTT, Secretary of State.

Edgefield, S. C., Nov. 13, 1903. Pursuant to the foregoing Proc flesh, blood and nerve. lamation of his Excellency, Gov-

ernor Heyward, there will be an election on the question of a new county within the territory designated in the foregoing Proclama-tion on the 15th day of December, 1903 Collier's .... J L Miller, Henry Mc Kie, CT Hammond, J B Alams

Clerk. Meriwether Hall- -J P DeLaughter, John Shaw, G F Townes, H L Bunch, Clerk.

Modoc -- W S Middleton, P W Waits, W H Nixon, R H Scott, 127 80 45 00 Clerk.

J. R. BLOCKER, 42 00 J. A. LOTT, 20 00

H. C. SANDERS, ing of 1st division of Edgefield As-1000 Com. State Election Edgefield Co. sociation, which meets with the The Managers at each precinct Berea Baptist Church Saturday beare requested to delegate one of fore the 5th Sunday in November at 10 o'clock.

their number to provide boxes and blanks for the election to be held fu aday, Dec. 15th, 1903. D. C. HEY WARD, Gov. 1st QUERY-Explain the preaching of Christ to the Spirits in pri-J. T. GANTT, Sec. State. son. Speakers-Rev. C E. Burts. R-v. W. E. Johnson, Rev. G. H

JOIINSTON.

16, 08 49 JOHNSTON, S. C., 10, ... 57 Nov. 24, 1903. 27,428 m, Correspondence to the ADVERTISER. Messrs. J. D. Watson and W. D. 6.63. 2,460 00 Ready received each, a car load of 90.1 00

cattle during the past week. The lumber, plant of Mr. James

born—and there is every rea-son to believe that the North Augustans will meet the same fate. It is announced that ground It is announced that ground Cultural hall at Clemson. Teddy's ire up Mrs Nation

Burton.

11 O'CLOCK A. M. SUNDAY

Union Meeting 2nd Division.

The Union Meeting of the 2nd di-

QUERIES.

Speakers---P. H. Busey, H. W. Dobey, Rev. J. P. Mealing.

3rd. What is the duty of the church to her young members? Speakers---J. D 'Timmerman, L. F. Dorn, Marshall Morgan.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

W. H. Nixon.

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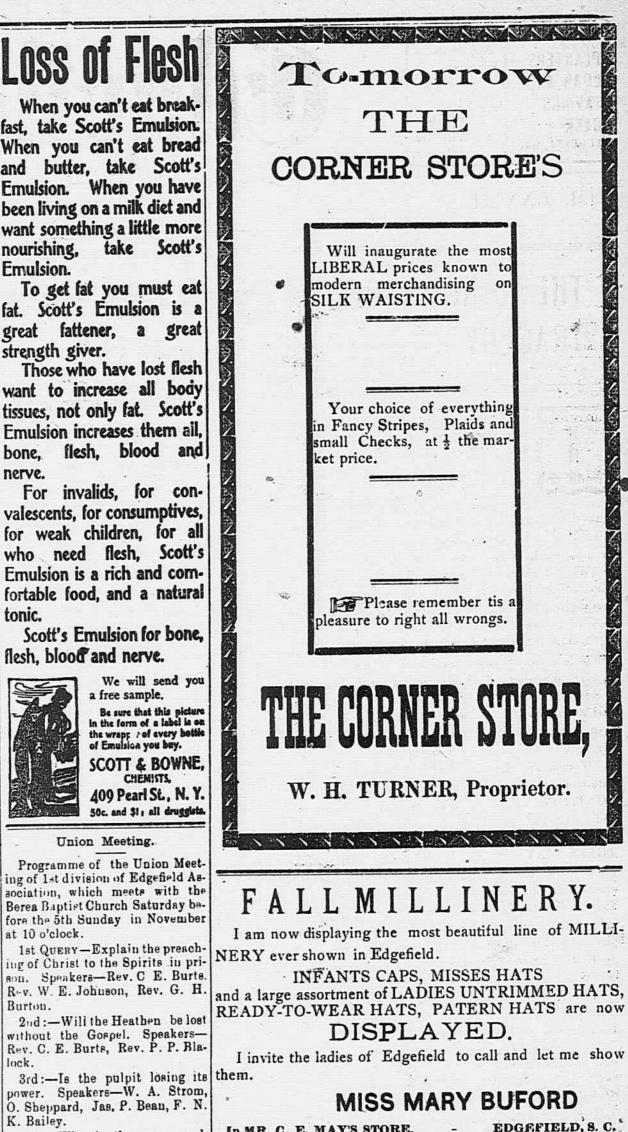
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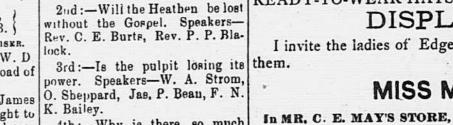
For Committee,

the Union .

M. B. HAMILTON,

Church Clerk.





When you can't eat break-

When you can't eat bread

and butter, take Scott's

For invalids, for con-

valescents, for consumptives,

for weak children, for all

a free sample.

Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on

the wraps ? of every bettle of Emulsica you buy.

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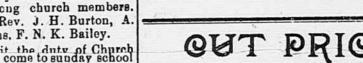
CHEMISTS,

409 Pearl St., N. Y.

50c. and \$1 , all druggists

Union Meeting.

Programme of the Union Meet-



erans will be held at Nash-ville. The time has not yet be unworthy of the name. be unworthy of the name, and the like and so far as I can re- Amt. brought over from Hammond. Let's not have call the expense of so doing has

five thousand dollars.

cultural hall at Clemson. Teddy's ire up. Mrs. Nation Wonder if the new building is should have exercised a little agricultural college than it has Booker Washington, and then been heretofore. It is to be the august President himself hoped so .--- Winnsboro Herald.

Hon. John Bell Towill, a member of the House of Representatives from Lexington sive Roosevelt met face to and associate editor of the Batesburg Advocate, is an avowed candidate for a position on the board of dispensary directors. Is going from the legislature to the dispen- Concerning Hammond County, sary board real promotion?

Since arriving in London, in speaking of the next presidential election, Bryan said negroes when speaking of settlehe thought he would not again ments between his race and the be a candidate. The why and wherefore of this decision is quite evident-because nobody has asked him to become a candidate, and it is not likely that he will be asked.

"Uncle Sam" has stood godfather for the young republic, Panama, and agrees to main- will be incorporated in that new tain its permanent indepen- county. dence. Should not this baby nation present that benevolent old gentleman with a panama ments intelligent. hat next spring so he can dis-

gracefully just as you expect those to do who wear cotton goods.

Lost her fortune and com- ports, \$60.00. mitted suicide : The wife of . The expenses of Edgefield couna wealthy Chicagoan took her own life because her once very \$3,300.00; County commissioners beautiful face had, through &c., \$8,000.00, making about \$16,blood poisoning, been made 000.00. permanently very ugly. A conservative estimate of the Should all ugly women com- expenses, of Hammoud sounty has mit suicide, as did the one above mentioned, the next sures, \$400.00; Clerk of court, tors wit census would show a con- \$500.00; Corouer. \$250.00; Sup-rof course.

Mrs. Nation and the impulper cent. \$1020 annually.

Then say it will require \$3000 .face they would have had a 00 for chain gaug equipment. That "parrot-and-monkey?' time of amount would have to be borrowed.

have now to ride.

FACTS AND FIGURES.

EDGEFIELD, S. C.,

Nov. 20, 1903. EDITOR THE ADVERTISER : There is a well known saying among the

white race which runs as follows: "A nought is a nought, and a figer is a figer."

"All for the white man and none for the nigger." That is the way our good friends

and neighbors across the Savannah river seem to be figuring on Hammond county. That is, all for the none for the the tax-payers who

average, Texas and Louisiana and bridges \$4,000.00; Magistrates dians or counsellors in the matter. We being 1,000,000 bags short of courts, \$2,000.00; Court house and are a people down here who do some what like the mountain maid said to jail, \$450.00; Sneriff, \$2,000.00; what the crop was at first es- Auditor, \$400.00; Treasurer, \$400.timated. Should the price of 00; Clerk of Court, \$500.00; Corothis favorite article of food ner, \$250.00; Superintendent of advance in price, submit Education, \$600.00; County Com-business." missioners and Clerks, \$1025.00; ty l'hysician, \$200.00; legal adviser, \$200.00; Books and Stationery.

\$475.00; Contengent, \$600:00; Re-

siderable decrease in the num- intendent of education. \$600.00; when we want any "tiggering" done 

white and 10 colored. There were From my stand point the foregoing to prove a stimulus in forethought and sent in a card going is the only benefit to any this year. We also find there abou

making Clemson more of an bearing the name of Mrs. citizens of the proposed new coun- 500 bus. corn, 10,000 lbs folder. 4,000 lbs. hay, 800 lbs. cotton seed Now to go back again to the tax hulls, 2,000 lbs. cotton seed meal, by a traction engine. rate and expenses. Say that the 137 bus. Potatoes, 1 horse and 2 would have ushered her into county issues bond to the extent of rake, 26 hogs, 13 to kill, 1 cow and stop the holy of holies. Suffice it seventeen thousand dollars to help 2 heifers, 25 acres outs sown. The to say that had the erratic build the court house, jail &c., the County Steward furnished Chain interest on that would be at six Gang \$100.00 worth roughage. Gen-

eral expenses for the year \$768.00. Expenses next year will be considerably less. We are pleased to repirt all in good order. We commend the County Steward for aid at six per cent. making \$180.00. to the County in keeping up bridges Add that to the \$1020.00 and we in that vicinity. He has hauled 21 have \$1200.00 to be usued annual- cords of wood to the jail yard for pounds of meat. county purposes.

ly running the levy still higher. It is safe to say that if my figures are correct Hammond county will have to start life with a tax levy of about seventeen mills. Think they found that Gang No. 1, in over that before you cast your vote charge of Sergeant Sawyer, was in will make a most successful far-

sets harness,

road machine

8 mules,

	We find one 4 horse wagon,	\$50.00
	One 34 wagon,	50 00
	4 sets narness,	20 00
TION	1 road machine,	125 00
	8 mules,	1000 00
of the New	2 tents in good condition, 3	3 State

convicts at \$4.00 per month, 5 county convicts, 1 Sergeant at 30.00 per month, I guard at \$20 per month, Nov. 21st, 1903.

sometimes in its changing develops some rather remarkable things, to say North Augusta Land Company and the least of it; for instance, some time

for the new county.

Wм. P.

A VINDICA'

county. In the short space of this article I cannot give every detail, but I will give enough to make my state- deavor to form a new county, in full

Now, it seems that we make a very

the dude, who asked her if all the girls around there went bare-foct as she did Her reply was that "part of 'em did and part of 'em minded their own

I am glad to see so many loving friends are solicitors for our welfare and are so strenuously exerting themselves to save us from the destructive paws of Mr. Jackson, in spite of our-

If Mr. Calboun is correct, that Mr. Jackson lives in Georgia we will have to own up to the implied charge of in competency to manage our own affair and will have to yield to some of ou self-constituted advisers. We wer laboring under the impression that al this side of the Savannah river was in

South Carolina. Now, if we were mis-staken in this we will own up, like good boys, if Mr. Calhoun will spare us that threatened mundation of

I suspect we have as good calculators within the bounds of the proposed new county as are to be found in some other places I might mention. So

Poor Houseand find 20 inmates, 10 dence for Mr. Henry Miller who ers-R. T. Strom, J. J. Griffis. lives near Treuton. 6th :- What qualifications should

Messrs. J. F. Payne and William the Superintendent of the Sunday Logue passed through east John-Logue passed through east John-ston with a grain separator, drawn N. K. Bailey, S. N. Timmerman, F. P. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Posey of Missionary sermon-Rev. C. E Eurts, alternate Rev. G. H. Bur-

Mr. J. W. Sawyer is visiting his daughter Mrs. Tom Willis of Elko. Mr. Sawyer is a successful farmer as is evinced by the recent pur-

chase of a new carriage, the number of bales of cotton at his front door, and three large hogs which netted about fifteen hundred

ounds of meat. Mr. Luther Oxner has the nicest vision of the Edgefield Association will convene with the Rehoboth Bap-tist church of Christ on Saturday be-The Special Committee on Chain Gang, J. D. Cornett, J. J. Garnett and T. P. Morgan, have visited the a mile from Johnston, and if the fore the 5th Sunday in November A garden in town. He has recently D., 1903. 10 a.m. a mile from Johnston, and if the garden is a specimen of his ability, mult make a most speciesful for Speakers-J. C. Morgan, P. R. Waits, Dr. D. A. J. Bell.

Mr. J. S. Richardson is at Red Springs North Carolina helping put up machinery for an oil mill, for the D. A. Tompkins Company. The Johnston oil mill can't supply the demand for hulls. In digging a well near the mill, at a depth of thirty feet were found pieces of rock that appeared to be petrified

wood Arbor day was not observed in our town, or by the school. A golden opportunity has been lost. Mr. Wallace Tompkins of Edge-\$85 00

40 00 field spent Thursday night in John-175 00 ston 1200 00 Mrs. James White is in Orange-

3 new tents, 7 State prisoners at burg attending the convention of 400 per mouth, 1 county prisoner, the Christian churches. 1 Sergeant at \$2500 per month, 1 Much interest is manifested in

the Methodist meeting conducted derful cure. "He writes, "a patient driver at \$10.00 per month, cost of prisoners and feed \$115.00 per by Rev. Leitch. PROCLAMATION.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA EXECUTIVE CHAMBER.

WHEREAS information has peen received at this Department Respectfully Submitted, N. M. JONES, Foreman that on the 22nd day of October A. D. 1903. The barn, corn, fod-

der and other produce with three mules and one horse belonging to Mrs. E. N. Blocker, in the County of Edgefield, ver : burned, and there being reason to believe that the

ourning was an act of incendiar-NOW, THEREFORE, I, D. C. Heyward Governor of the State of South Carolina, in order that justice may be done and the majesty of the law vindicated, do hereby I offer a reward of One Hundred Dollars for the app.ehension and conviction of the person or persons who committed said act of incenliarism.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, have bereunto set my hand and saused the Great Seal of the State be affixed, at Columbia, this wenty-third day of November A. 1903, and in the 128th year of e Independence of the United a'es of America.

D. C. HAYWARD, Governor. T. GANTT, Secretary of State.

OUT PRICE SALE --AT--YORK RACKEY For the next ten days we will offer the greatest bargains ever given in Edgefield. Our entire STOCK of CLOTHING, SHOES, HATS, UNDERWEAR, DRESS GOODS, and full line of Dry Goods and No

tions will be put upon the Bargain Counter at greatly reduced prices.

7 Bales of Homespun

200 Dozen Hose,

dervests,

300 Pair of Pants,

3000 Pairs Shoes, 300 Boy's aud Men's Suits,

200 Ladies' Skirts and Jackets,

100 Dozen Ladies' Gents' and Childrens Un-

2nd, When anyone becomes a Christian what ought they earnestly to seek 150 Pieces Outings and Flanneletts. A large assortment of the latest Weaves and Patterns of fine Dress Goods, Waistings, Laces, Embroideries and Trimmings can be found in our Stock.

ed in this Bargain Sale

J. W. PEAK, Proprietor.

Missionary sermon at 11:20 o'clock by Rev. P. B. Lanham. Afternoon servicesto be provided by DIXIE BLANKETS To save a life, Dr. T. G. Mercitt **Our November Shipment** of No. Mehoopany, Pa., made a startling test resulting is a wonof Elkin Blankets is here. was attacked with violent hemorrhages, caused by ulceration of the s'omach. I had often found Elec-They are made in the tric Bitters excellent for acute stomach and liver troubles so 1 prescribed them. The patient gain South, of Southern Wool ed from the first, and has not had an attack in 14 months." Electric by honorable Southern men Bitters are positively guaranteed for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Con-stipation and Kidney troubles. for SOUTHERN PEOPLE. THE PENN DRUG STORE. They are good for Rich People better for Poor People and best for our Edgefield People. Come to see them. We are opening NEW GOODS in all lines this week.



Of the Advocates of the New County. POVERBY HILL, S. C., 1 machine operator at \$15,00 per month, cost of provisions and feed per month, \$110.00. Road worked MR. EDITOR: Times change and in month of October about 30 miles. Gang No. 2, Gang in good condition, Ser'gt. Lem Corley in charge.

since several of the representative 2 four horse wagons, citizens living along the Savannah 4 sets harness. Valley held a mass meeting at North

accordance with the law regulating guard at \$15 per month, 1 machine the formation of new counties. guard at \$10.00 per month, cost of

First; let us see what the situa-

card the old stove-pipe hat he has been wearing so long? Cotton is not the only one of the south's staple crops that is short. The yield of rice this year is far below the average Texas and Louisiana

Board of Assessors, \$400.00; Coun-

