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"Giveth His Beloved Sleep." How s'range, bumauly speak

ing, that one whose life is devoted to the further nce of the cause of Zion should be cut off in the very prime of usefulness and those who by sins of omission and commission retard the progress of Christianity are allowed to remain! In he death of Mrs. James Miller, of pneumonia on Tuesday evening. last, which cast a pall of indescri-bable g'on over Trenton and vicinity, one of the most faithful aberers in the Master's vineyard that heavenly home prepared for diamond ring. Who is it? hose who love and serve Him during their earthly probation. Mrs. Miller was universally beloved,

During childhood, girlhood and young womanhood, as Miss Lizzie h u n d r e d h o u r s Sease, Mrs. Miller was a social favorite and the honor and esteem in which she was held increased as years came and went. In her sad demise her church has lost one of dispenser during the Christmas Dog Lost: On Ethe streets of its most active and useful mem-Edgefield on Saturday the 28th of bers, the community a model and November a white setter with greatly beloved woman and her

brown spots, having a tail about 8 home has been deprived of its inches long. The dog responds to light and joy. As the grief-stricken the name of "Cliff," The finder busband, the three foud and effecwill be rewarded if the dog is re- tionate daughters and the two devoted sons gather around the hearth stone and miss her from her accustomed place they have the assurance that she awaits them over the river where they can be-When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill come a reunited band to dwell to-Tonic because the formula is plainly gether throughout all eternity.

The mortal, remains were in- creased their force of clerks. it is simply Iron and Quinine in a terred in Ebenezer cemetery on tasteless form. No cure no pay 50c. Wednesday last, the Revs. W. S. Martin and T. P. Burgess, conqueting the funeral.

Miss Mattie Lyon, the besutiful daughter of Mrs. M. D. Lyon, who county, has come to spend the Christmas vacation with the homewas twice in the hospital from a folks. Miss Mattie is accompasevere case of piles causing 24 nied by a pretty young friend,

Parkhill, commonly known as the quarry, has every appearance of being a hustling little town. is the busiest man in all South The crusher is now in operation, Carolina, went over to Columbia Beautiful patterns in Table day. This will increase the out-chipmedamask Bleached and Unbleaced. put of the quarry, as the very terial. day. This will increase the out- chipment of delayed building masmall stones as well as the large ones can now be utilized. There is a veritable army of laborers employed, all of whom receive good the former wants Christmas to

Messrs. B: L. Jones and son are time in 365 years. planning to run a large stable in Atlanta, commencing about January 1st. Mr. B. L. Jones will go to Kentucky and buy the stock in thing new and stylish in Ladies, ble in Atlanta, where Dr. W. parental roof. His home coming been quite sick, but the last dis-Luther Jones will be during the season. This will not interfere with their regular business here, W. Davis in the Edgefield circuit Misses Sallie Parker and Florrie We have good stock of second- for a competent man will be emwholesale business.

That Mr. D. A. Tompkins has definitely decided not to add the third story to his building has been Columbia is preparing to give a principal of the Baptist Associaa disappointment to our citizens very swell banquet on the evening tional school at Clyde, N. C., argenerally, to the uninitiated as of the 30th inst. in honor of the rived in Edgefield on Thursday well as the members of the several presidents of the business leagues last. Rev. Mr. White has come fraternal orders of the community. and commercial organization of to spend Christmas with the home It behooves the members of these the state. President B. E. Nich- folks. He is delighted with his orders to combine forces and pro- olson has been bonored with an work at Clyde. vide an up-to-date lodge room for invitation and will partake of the holding their meetings. Some feast (drinking nothing but Conof the leading members who are identified with several of the Edgefield league. orders are highly in favor of the erection of a building of their own. "One of Dr. King's New Life Pills each night for two weeks has take. Let the agitation be kept This would be the proper step to

church, Rev. Marvin Auld, will past, have gotten in the habit of arrive in Edgefield the latter part paying their taxes in the early of the week, filling the regular ap- spring instead of the fall. Not- \$100 fine upon every merchant pointment at Trenton on Sunday withstanding the fact that more morning next and will preach in money has been put in circulation Santa Claus has been reaking his our Methodist church in the even- by the high price of cotton this brains to find a substitute for these ing. Rev. Mr. Auld is a young fall than for many years, County unmarried man and will occupy Treasurer Williams has collected be parsonage with his mother. but little over \$10,000 of the \$50, During the past year he served the 000 taxes. We do not believe an Laurel street church of Rock Hill. extension should be granted, for On his arrival in Edgefield Rev. which doubtless many will wait. Mr. Auld will be cordially greeted, not only by the members of his church but by all of the Christian

nounce that the fire:, second, third, his lecture on Thursday evening or those in the collegiate department will resume work on the 11th of January. This delay will be caused by moving into the new building. The session for the

for the delay. It has been repeatedly demonstrated that Fruit growing for the maraet can be made very profitabie in this section. Certainly every home owner, chould he not wish to grow fruit for sale, ought to have au orchard of choice trees adjoining his home. This is the season on life. of the year in which to place your orders for trees for delivery in the early part of the new year. And the place to order from is a nursery that is conducted by honest men who are jealous of their good name, and who apply the golden rule to your house so often, and you don't their dealings with men. When have to use so much paint. Costs you make your purchases from less for the job, and you don't have such men you are not given this- to do the job so often. Accurately and prompt- tles when you ask for figs, nor are and variety that you order. We

************* LOCAL NEWS.

Coccoccoccocci Good morning, merry Christmas

Mrs. Wallace Sheppard spent several days in Augusta last week Have you paid your taxes yet? After one week the penalty will be

has been removed from earth to Edgefield girl is wearing a pretty little children.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Tompkins were among the visitors to Augusta on Saturday last.

Only one day till Coristmas and that to the little tot will be n i n e

There were nearly thirty applicants for the job of assisting the

Col. and Mrs. F. N. K. Bailey and children will spend Christmas at Bamberg with Mrs. Bailey's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Black.

Messrs. Joe Gordon Holland, Paul and Horace Cogburn will arrive to-day from Clemson college

to spend the Christmas vacation. A heavy Christmas business is confidently expected. Nearly all of the merchants have greatly in-

Maj. R. S. Anderson has returned from Washington to spend the holidays. He is being cordially greeted by his host of friends.

Mrs. S. M. Rice, one of the most beloved ladies in Edgefield, has rehas been teaching a very flourish- turned after spending a week very ing school at Bloombill, Sumter pleasantly with her sister in At-

> Mr. A. S. Gilliard, one of the leading insurance agents of Columbia spent several days in Edgefield last week visiting his uncle, Capt. D. S. DuBose.

Contractor C. W. Spencer, who having a capacity of ten cars a on Thursday to look after the

come 365 times in one year and Xmas day, Saturday following the latter wants it to come one and probably Sunday.

Prof. Wm. H. Nicholson who is

The last official act of Rev. Geo. on Thursday evening last.

The Chamber of Commerce of

EDGEFIELD MERCANTILE CO.

The majority of the people, on The new pastor of our Methodist account of the extensions in the

We have been requested to an- son, Rev. P. P. Blalock called off ble. fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh last and will deliver it as early grades of the public school will after Christmas as people can

One of the newly made bridecollege course will run one week las put some of the bachelors in longer in June in order to make up ten years of bachelorhood. This address by Rev. C. E. Burts. ing their heads. In fact, some of them have made themse ves nearly bald by their cogitations. And well they may, for if they would or could fall heels over head in love with some pretty maider it would put a new song in their mouths and give them a new lease

WHAT IT MEANS

We're tired of answering ques-

"Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer" means that you don't have to pain have to use so much paint. Costs

The new paint is not new at al ly day or night and use you given hickory nut treers for It's the biggest-selling paint in the

Devoe Lead and Zinc-fewer

Have you seen the beautiful chamois house slippers at The orner Store?

Mr. E. L. Stevens, the old reliaborse dealer, will be associated b Mr. James A. Thompson durthe coming season. "Uncle" 's cordially welcomed back to ield by his friends here.

3 Grace Tompkins will give he rapils of her school at the mill a Christmas tree this afterroon. This very pleasant occasion will be Another pretty hand of a pretty a bright spot in the lives of these

Mr. Berrien Walker, who has been on the road for several months representing large clothing manufacturers of Philadelphia has come in for a rest and to spend the festive season with his family.

The members of the Cotillion club will give their annual Christmas dance on the evening of the 28th. There will be many visiting young people in Edgefield and the occasion promises to be a very

Store and close their places of people. business on Friday and Saturday of this week. Mr. Turner anintended to close on both days.

sence of several months.

Buy Buggies, Wagons, Furniture and Coffins from

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that gave daily and nightly performances in a tent near our pub- kept up. ic square a short time ago, do not find a bonanza in Edgefield. The show in question lacked \$62 mak- at very close prices at ing expenses while here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Alber: Dozier and their bright little daughter spent several days last week visiting Mr. Dozier's sisters, Mrs. J. W. DeVore and Mrs. Dr. J. G. Tompkins. They left on Sunday afternoon for their home in Lumberton,

In appreciation of the faithful The difference between the aver- services rendered by my clerks age boy and the average man is, during the busy season THE CORNER STORE will close on

W. H. TURNER.

Miss Sophie Nicholson left on principal of the school at Boykin, Friday last for Boise City, Idaho, S. C., arrived on Saturday to spend to spend some time with her sister, his Christmas vacation under the Mrs. Wayne Darlington, who has always makes many hearts glad. patch from her stated that she was improving.

selling at greatly reduced prices. this business. The Atlanta stable Milbrea Faulkner in the holy Timmerman will reach home on will sell in car lots only, being a bonds of wedlock, at the home of to-morrow from the College for the bride's father near McKendree Women in Columbia to spend the holidays with the home folks. Rev. L. B. White who is now

A certain professor of the S.-C.

Car cut and wire nails just re- would rather be caned (Cained) eived. Basis price \$2.70 per keg. than to leave Edgefield, where resides the dearest, prettiest little girl in all the world.

Last year the number of deaths from paper cap pistols was alarmingly great and the legislature very wisely passed an act placing who sold or gave away toy pistols. pseudo harmless firearms. Nothing else on the e r h, beneath it, or above it, gives a little boy so much fun for the money as a cap pistol.

Presents. We have the largest and On account of the fact that the most b autiful assortment of CUT ime appointed was only a few GLASS, SILVERWARE, JEWchurch but by all of the Christian days before Christmas and people and the entire citizenship of this community.

| CHINA, Etc. ever brought to Edge-field. Our prices are very reasona-

RAMSEY & JONES

More than a half a hundred little resume regular work on Thursday, settle down at d again pursue the bearts will be made very happy over at the mill chapel on Friday is the earnest desire of Col. Bailey There are many in Edgefield who evening of this week. The officers that the parents see to it that their are anxious to hear this lecture and teachers of the Sunday school children attend promptly on the opening day. The higher classes for the announcement in January. for a Christmas tree for the scholars | mouldings and can frame your picwhich Mr. Elijah Timmerman is Can repair and reburnish old grooms has said that one day— the popular and very zealous frames so as to make them appear even a short December day—of superintendent. One feature of new. When in Augusta call upon married bliss is worth more than the evening's exercises will be an me at 822 Broad street.

The pastor and members or our Presbyteriau church have been exeedingly kind in throwing open tneir house of worship to the members of the Baptist church, while the latter building has been undergoing repairs. The perfect harmony and Christian fellowship that obtains among the members of the several churches of our town are very beautiful and it is earnestly boped that they will always fraternal relationship.

tabooed the telephone. The only business that cannot be transacted over the 'phone is that concerning the mails. The department has recently ruled that in postoffices in which 'phones are installonly the PUREST DRUGS. pecans, e'c. You always g tchoice, United States, and the firm that ed no information cur be furnishhealthy trees of the specific kind makes it is 149 years old. ed or inquiries answered over the wires. This relieves hundreds of heartily recommend the cursery of gallors than mixed paints, wears

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They have to answer enough questions. W. E. Lynch & Co | Mr. P. N. Lott of Johnston. Order twice as long as lead and oil. | They have to answer enough questions from him what you need and you will get what you order. | They have to answer enough questions for the EdgeField Mercantile Co. | Soll it. | They have to answer enough questions face to soll it.

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Mrs. Nannie King and Miss Sophie Gwaltney will not spend Geter street with nine acres of this Christmas vacation in Rome, land adjoining. For further in-Ga., with father and mother and formation apply to sisters. as they did last year, but Mrs. Emma Marsh. Let every merchant in Edgefield will remain here and enjoy the follow the example of the Corner festive season with the Edgefield

It affords us great pleasure to nonneed several weeks ago that he annaunce that some of the ladies of our town who are ever zealously Messrs. A. H. Corley, J. S. Byrd a very nice Christmas box for the from us that is not perfectly satisand J. A. Dobey are at home from inmates of the county home. factory you will do us a kindness the Atlanta Dental college to spend Steward Scurry says that they are to let us know, so we can make it well, fit nicely the holidays. The many friends expecting it and it would have right. of these popular young men are been a sore disappointment to rejoiced to see them after an ab- them had they been forgotten. There are twenty inmates -ten white persons and ten colored and smoking goods can always be give you Satisfaction all will have a nice Christman present sent out to them. We know that the good Dr. L. R. Gwaltney Cheap shows, such as the one will rejoice that this custom which he began some years ago is being

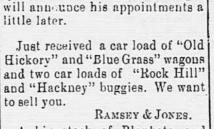
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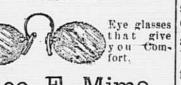
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