ONE YEAR his bouse, which improves its SIX MONTHS

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 22, 1905

The gross sales of the dispen saries in the state aggregated last year \$3.300,000, of which ameunt the twelve counties that have voted on; the dispensary sole \$1,017,024. These figures shev that nearly one-third of the dispensary has been abolished al-

Of the many large gathering-Carolina, two of the most important-the Methodist conference and the Baptist conventionwill convene in less than ten days Columbia.

The Advertiser is not upposed to the dispensary per se but is opposed to the sale of liquor in any and every form. The dispensers and assistant dispensers in Edgi field have always been hon- than has been for many years. The est, honorable men-far above the average-but just because intoxi- money to buy the wheat and oats cants are bottled by the state and and has given them good weather sold by honest men does not make them any less harmful and bur: another year.

ceive his canual Thanksgiving S. C C. I., visited home folks present in the form of a \$20,000, 000 check, this being Mr. Rockefeiler's dividend on his oil stock. Wonder if he will be half as thankful for this mun ficent sum as the average newspaper man would be for a Thanksgiving gob-

Everybody who has had any experience with them at all, knows that negroes who loaf around the towns make undesirable farm thirty eight dollars. hands, even when they can be induced to work. The supervisor of Spartanburg county has discovered that the professional loafer is too worthless to make even a good convict, and for that reason bas refused to work convicted city loafers upon the county roads. As a result Spartanburg has established a municipal chain-gang

is now seen in Cherokee county 7th, 1905, on the question of "dispen-sary" or "no dispensary" in said State among other things has the following to say: "Problem in at 4 o'clock p. m. Cherokee, the first to vote out the dispensary and the one who is proud of setting the example to her sister counties, works well indeed and few if any citizens of Gaffney and Cherokee would have the dispensary return."

The farm is not only the proper place to rear boys but it is also the - place to develop men. The following from the Greenville News are fitly spoken words:

"The two greatest institutions of learning are the college and the farm, and it is a question which does the best work. The graduates of the farm is holding the evens in about as many cases as the graduate of the college. George Washington was not a college man, but he was a good farmer. I education could be brought to have equal training on the farm Brown, P M Quarles, W T Brown, P M Quarles, R M Johnand in the college, then would we have the ideal education".

The president of one of the largest life insurance companies, whose salary for some years has been \$150,000, has voluntarily requested that it be reduced to half that amount. The office of president of such a company is a sinecure, and, with an army of subordinate officials and clerks at his beck and call to do the work, we see no reason why he should be paid \$75,000, which is fifty per cent more than the President of the United States receives. Were the home offices of large life insurance companies located in the south scores of capable men could be found to fill such places at much smaller salaries.

Two representative citizens who reside some distance from the county seat were in cur office a few days ago and expressed the belief that the residents of the roral districts were more anxious to vote out the dispensary than the residents of the towns, because the present mode of selling liquor has wrought greater demoralization in the country that in the towns. The young men in some quarts or a demijohn and have neighborhood sprees, often carrying it to church on Sunday. Said boxes, instructions, tickets and also the gentlemen above alluded to: "If the towns will vote against the dispensary there need be no apprehension about the result of Commissioners of election in Edgethe election on December the 7th." field County.

COLD SPRING

Yesterday was a real spring day and all our people turned out to church. A great congregation attended Red Hill. Mr. J. H. Bussey has added to

looks and makes it more com-Mr. Tom Brown has built a new

arriage house. Mr. Wallace Prescott, of Edgefield, attended church here yes- he was a very active man-active terday. Wallace has many friends in his private interests, active in

and Sunday.

Mrs. W. J. Talbert Mrs. Dr. that annually convene in South Annie Hammond last Saturday ing a decline in health, Capi and Sunday.

Mr. John West has purchased a fine young mule.

wear that new buggy out.

ought to have three teachers.

Dr. W. E. Prescott, one of the largest planters and merchants in the county, says that more grain is being planted this season Lord has blessed the people with He will give us all a great harvest

Mr. John Quarles has bought a fine young horse.

The Standard Oil King will re- Miss Mary Cheatham, of the

Saturday and Sunday. Mr. C. E. Quarles has kil ed logs at his bouse and he is look-

ug fat and saucy. Mr. Flaves Graves and Claude Parks, of Parksville, attended

church here yesterday. Mrs. Emma Wash, of Rehoboth has been quite sick but is much better at this writing.

The ladies of Rehoboth gave a unch party last Friday evening at Mr. Butler Strom's. It was a great success, they having realized

ROSE COTTAGE.

NOTICE OF ELECTION On the Question of "Dispensary" or "No Dispensary" in Edgefield County.

State of South Carolina, } County of Edgefield. Notice is hereby given that an elec-In commenting upon the very cincts established by law in Edgefield small amount of drunkenness that County on the law December the

Polls at each voting ping closed

The following named persons have

Timmerman-J L Scott. Silas Yonce, Lewis Holmes, George Scott, clerk.

Johnston-P C Stevens, W Lee Coleman, A J Mobley, Jack Lott, Trenton-B S Holland, F M Lep-

pard, J D Mathis, W W Wise, clerk.
Pickens—W S Cogburn, W H Bee,
W S Covar, W G Ouzts, clerk.
Wise—E J Norris, L E Jackson, H Reel, R E Morgan, clerk. Meeting Street-J C Buzhardt,

M Shaffer, W S Logue, J M Bell, Pleasant Lane-W H Harling, C H B Williams, Mouzon Dorn, W A

Modoc-PR Wates, WR Parks, Winchester McDaniel, WH Nix-

Cheatham's Store—C M Williams, W F Vance, W E Eubanks, Tom

Williams, clerk.
Mathis-L R Hammond, H W
McKie, James Miller, Wiley Wells, Liberty Hill-J M Gable, S A Coleman, Geo Mayson, A G Cheat-

Meriwether Hall-Walter Cheat-ham, John Hudson, Rob't Morgan, Philip Markert, clerk.
Landrum's Store—J C Whitlock,

Walter Carpenter, James Carpen ter, Walter Harris, clerk. Gregg-P B Carpenter, George Walker, John Curry, J G Horde,

Elmwood-G T Asbell, W T Kin-niard, W W Norris, J R Blocker,

Roper's-J W Mundy, John At kins, D E Lanham, Ben Timmerman, clerk.

On the day of the election the managers must organize by the election of a chairman and clerk if necessary, cine Dealers. The chairman elected is empowered to administer oaths to the other managers and to the voters.

The managers have the power to fill any vacancy and if none of the managers attend the citizens can appoint from among the qualified voters three managers who after being sworn can conduct the election.

At the close of the election the

managers and the clerk must proceed publicly to open the ballot boxes and to count the ballots therein to con-tinue without adjournment until the same is completed, make a statement of the result and sign the same. Within three days thereafter the chairman of the board or some one designated by the board must deliver at the auditor's office the boxes comaining the ballots and poll lists and written statement of the result of the election signed by the managers. The boxes to be locked and sealed .mmediately

after counting the votes.

Dated November the 7th, 1905. C. E. QUARLES,

ELLERY SHEPPARD, D. T. MATHIS.

Died on Seventy-Seventh Anniver-

On Tuesday, November the 14th-the day on which the last issue of the Advertiser was pub lished-Capt. Clinton Ward died at his stately ancestral home in the prosperous town which he founded and which bears his name. His remains were interred in the cemetery within a stone's throw of his earthly home.

During the major portion of Capt. Ward's long life of 77 years here who are always glad to see state's affairs. In the troublous times of '76 ce donned the red Mr. J. F. Waits and Mr. Ed shirt and rendered valuable ser-Turner, of Mayson's, S. C. visited vice in that trying exigency. Late friends in our town last Saturday he served his county for two terms in the legislature, having also been a director of the state peni Blackwell and Miss Celia Black- tentiary. As the weight of years well, of Parksville, visited Mrs. pressed heavily upon him, caus-Ward was forced to remain closat home, yet he never forgot thoswho needed a helping hand. His large heart was ever warm and Mr. George Mathis has bought tender, dispensing numberless The former meets this year in a new top buggy. Mr. Mathis charities among the poor and Spartanburg and the latter in ought not to let his son Tommie needy. The death of this splendid citizen-a representative of the Our school roll is going up near good old days-is generally de one hundred. The Red Hill school plored. Very deeply deplored by those smong whom he lived and

who knew him best. 10,000 churches painted with L. & M. Paint in 1904. L. & M. costs \$1.20 gallon. Sold by G. L.

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All the blood in your body passes through your kidneys once every three minutes.

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Your Kidneys,

If they are sick or out of order, they fail to do their work. Pains, aches and rheumatism come from excess of uric acid in the blood, due to neglected

cidney trouble. Kidney trouble causes quick or unsteady neart beats, and makes one feel as though they had heart trouble, because the heart is over-working in pumping thick, kidney-poisoned blood through veins and arteries. It used to be considered that only urinary roubles were to be traced to the kidneys but now modern science proves that nearly all constitutional diseases have their beginning in kidney trouble.

If you are sick you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and the extraord nary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy is oon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures if the most distressing cases and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dol ar sizes. You may have a sample bottle b; mail Home of Bwamp-Root free, also pample let telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble.

Mention this paper when writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-

Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root,

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In Time of Peace.

In the first months of the Russia-Japan war we had a striking example of the necessity for preparation and the early advanage of those who, so to speak, Rehoboth—C Strom, Rob't Moultie, John Stone, D I Morgan, clerk.

Plum Branch—J W Blackwell, W C Holley, J C Dorn, J W Miller, to us our greatest men. The indi-"have shingled their roofs in dry vidual as well as the nation should be prepared for any emergency. Are you prepared to successfully combat the first cold you take? A become settled in the system. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its cures of colds and it should be kept at hand ready for instant use. For sale by G. L. Penn & Son and all Medicine

> See our beautifully decorated Toilet Sets before you buy. RAMSEY & JONES.

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Wash your hands with warm water, dry with a towel and apply Chamberlain's Salve just before going to bed, and a speedy cure is certain. This salve is also unequaled for skin disease. For sale by G. L. Penn & Son and all Medi-

Croup.

A reliable medicine and one that should always be kept in the home for immediate use is Chamberlaiu's Cough Remedy. It will prevent the attack if given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears. For sale by G. L. Penn & Son, and all Medicine Dealers.

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When the body is cleared for action, by Dr. King's New Life Pills, you can tell it by the bloom of hea'th on the cheeks; the brightness of the eyes; the firmness of the flesh and muscles; the buoyancy of the mind. Try them. 25c at W. E. Lynch & Co, and G L. Penn & Son.

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Leggett's Mince Meat, Buckwheat, Maile Syrup, Spaghetti Cream Cheese, Chocolate, Flavoring Extracts etc.

W. E. LYNCH & CO.

Master's Sale.

TATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF EDGEFIELD. Court of Common Pleas, Mary Lee Strom,

against

Malcomb Strom, Tilla A. Durland,

Pursuant to the decree in this cause, I will offer for sale at public outcry to the highest bidder before the court house, town of Edgefield and State of South Carolina, on saiesday in December, 1905, (the same being the 4th day

aforesaid month, between the legal

hours of said sale, the following described realty to wit:
All that tract of land, in Edgefield County, South Carolina, known as the Samuel C. Strom home place at Gilgal church, containing two hundred and forty seven (247) acres more or less, bounded on the north by lands of Ed Reynolds; and on the south by lands of J. R. Williams; east by lands of the estate of J. H. Strom; west by lands of E. B. Williams and Tom Holloway. TERMS OF SALE: chitis and La Grippe. Price 50 and

One third cash, and the balance on a credit of one and two years, with in-terest from the day of sale. Purchaser to give bond and mortgage of the premises sold to secure the payment of the credit portion, mortgage to en-clude ten per cent for Attorney's fees if brought to suit for collection or all cash at the purchasers option. Terms must be complied with or Master authorized to resell at risk of former

Purchaser to pay for papers. W F ROATH. Master for Edgefield County Nov. 8th. .905

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Valuab e tract of land for sale. Notice is hereby given, that I wi combat the first cold you take? A House door, at Edgefield, S. C., on cold can be cured much more saleday in December next at 11 o'clock quickly when treated as it has a m., that valuable and well improved tract of land, known as the "Devore" or "Adams" tract, situated in Elm wood Township in Edgefield County, and about seven miles from the Court House, containing two hundred and forty acres more or less, and bounded by lands of Jas T Ouzts, Mrs Alice Norris, Mrs JF Daniel, the McGee place, and others—reserving the right to sell at private sale.

TERMS OF SALE :- One-half cash, and the balance on credit of twelve months, with interest from day of sale at 8% per annum, or all cash at the option of the purchaser; the credit portion to be secured by the bond of the purchaser with a mortgage of the premises-the bond to provide for 10% attorneys' fees if the bond shall be placed in the hands of attorneys for collection after maturity.

W L CANIEL, Ex'or of the estate of Mrs Adeline Notice.

On the 28th day of November 1808, the undersigned will make applica-tion unto the Propate Court at Edgefield, South Carolina, for a final discharge from his trust as administrator of the estate of Mrs M. C. Norris,

deceased. T. B. LANIER.

Saved by Dynamite. Sometimes, a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes, a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing but dynamite would cure it. Z. T. Gray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggravated cough, which kept her twake nights. Two physicians could not help her; so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bron-

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Land for Sale. The heirs of W S. Doolittle, deceased, will offer for sale at public outcry to the highest bidder, at Edgefield H., S. C., on salesday in December 1905, the tract of land belonging to the estate of said deceased, being 154 acres. chester McDaniel, Eugene Thurmond and others. On this farm is two

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CINCINNATI. OHIO. Treasurer's Notice.

The Treasurer's Office will be open for the collection of taxes levied for 1965, from the 15th day of October to 15th day of March, 1906, inclusive. From the 1st to the 31st day of January, 1906, a penalty of one per cent. will be added to all taxes paid in Jan-

ruary, 1906, a penalty of two per cent. will be added to all taxes paid in February. From the 1st to the 15th day of March, 1906, a penalty of seven per cent. will be added to all unpaid taxes.

"Constitunal School 3"
"Ordinary County
purposes Levy for State purposes purposes
" Past indebtedness

" Special tax Total " School bonds Town of Edgefield " Railroad bonds Town of Edgefield 13/

" School special Edgefield & D. " Special Johnston S. Railroad bonds Pickens township " Railroad bonds

Wise "Railroad bonds

Shaw One dollar poll tax on all male citizons between the ages of 21 and 60 more or less, adjoining lands of Win- years except those exempt by law. 50 cents per capita on all dogs. J.T PATTISON,

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