

The Dispatch is now located below the court house, where it will hereafter be published regularly, and where we will be pleased to have our friends call and see us.

The remnant stock of goods of the Bazaar can be found at the store of W. E. & A. F. Harman, and offered at unusually low prices.

Our attention will hereafter be devoted entirely to the newspaper business, and we propose, if possible, to improve the Dispatch.

It is said that the Ice men are forming a trust.

Eight negroes were lynched in Madison Parish, La., for atrocious murders during last week.

It is said that heavy drinks are being sold openly in Columbia. The United States Revenue officer has issued a number of licenses recently.

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Attorney General Buchanan informs all Trial Justices throughout the State by circulars that he will appear for the prosecution in any indictments which may be brought before such officers against whiskey sellers.

A military company, 150 strong, has been organized at Darlington. A good many of this company are old Confederate veterans.

Maj. B. B. McCreery, of the firm of McCreery Bro., Columbia, died in that city on the 27th. Maj. McCreery was one of the most energetic, clever and respected citizens of that city, and many of our citizens will be shocked to hear of his death.

A Columbia man has been North on a business trip. He says that he was struck with the admiration displayed by Northern people for Governor Tillman.

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Collector of Revenue Townes has appointed Joseph Ouzts of Edgefield as deputy collector of the fourth division of this State.

The unemployed in all sections of the United States, especially north, east, west, are in sympathy with the Coxe movement.

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money power is using all efforts to control everything in their favor and refuse to yield to any measure giving the needed relief to the various enterprises, thereby throwing laborers out of employment and clogging general operation.

Items from Wessinger's.

News is rather scarce, but we will endeavor to pencil a few dots from our section anyway.

The small grain crop, especially oats, has been greatly damaged by the recent cold. In some places the oats are dying and people, who have examined them, say that the roots are killed.

As a general thing the wheat is not injured as bad as the oats although it is hurt considerably.

We are glad to see the warm weather begin and think perhaps it will help the injured grain.

Some of the farmers of our section are nearly done planting cotton, while others are not more than half done.

The 30th of March marked the closing exercises of Newburg Academy, of which Prof. J. E. R. Kyzer was principal.

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Mrs. W. A. Wessinger has been very sick for the past few days, but we are glad to say that she is improving.

Shaking Greece.

365 Earthquake Shocks in 8 Hours—Hundreds Killed.

Athens, April 29.—The latest reports from Atalanti, say that Friday, 365 shocks of earthquake were felt there in eight hours.

Dispatches from all parts of the kingdom indicate that former reports of death and damage to property have underestimated the losses.

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Devastated by a Cyclone.

West Plains, Mo., April 23.—Late reports from Summerville, the scene of the recent cyclone, say that the town is not much injured but in the county the damage is great.

When you get up to pray for the conversion of the heathen, don't expect the missionary to go at his own expense.

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OUR CURRENCY.

To the Editor of the Dispatch:

I mentioned in my last something about those bonds which the Government issue, and now I shall try to go back a little and see if I cannot give you a pointer or two on bonds and National banks generally.

In order to further strengthen this point, I know of no more forcible argument than a repetition of the Hazard circular, which was issued by the English Bankers, and referred to the American bankers in 1862 for consideration and adoption into our financial system.

The great debt that capitalists will see to being made out of the war, must be used as a means to control the volume of money.

We find now from a careful perusal of the above circular that the capitalists urged upon our Government to issue bonds so that they could buy them as a banking basis, thereby controlling the money of this country.

The Government makes an issue of bonds presumably for the purpose of borrowing money. These bonds are to bear interest at 3 or 4 per cent.

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in your power to sustain such daily and prominent weekly papers, especially the agricultural and religious press, as will oppose the issuing of greenbacks.

"To repeal the law creating bank notes, and to restore to circulation the Government issue of money, will be to provide the people with money and will seriously affect your individual profits as bankers and lenders.

Probably the people thought then that the papers were honest in advocating the national banking system while all the time they were the hirelings of the banks to keep the people quiet while being skinned.

So now we have the tale in a nutshell, according to my way of looking at it, viz: The Government and the money sharks are working in unison to oppress the country by a serious controlling and contracting our currency through the issue of these bonds and the fostering these national banks!

How are we to remove this evil, did you say? Well, one of the ways will be to repeal the tax on State bank issue, according to the plank in our platform, which says: "We recommend that the prohibitory 10 per cent. tax on State bank issue be repealed."

This plank strikes a blow at the existence of National Banks and will do much good toward giving us a currency such as we need.

I shall try to say something about the above plank in a succeeding article.

W. H. H. Caughmans, S. C., April 21, 1894. Edgefield papers may copy.

Illicit whiskey selling ought not to be tolerated, and the town or locality that permit it to go on will suffer greatly sooner or later.

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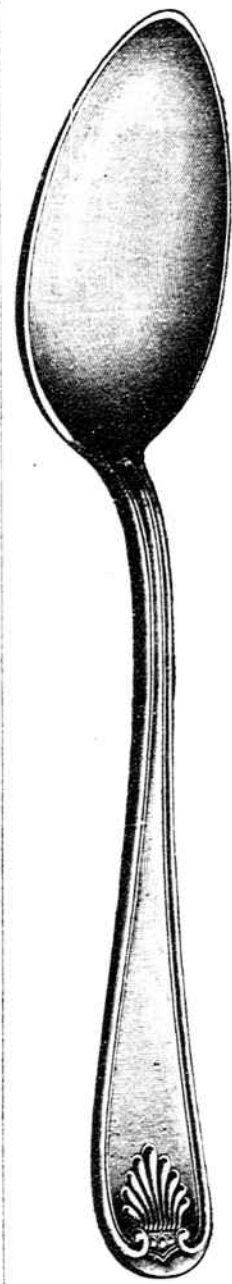
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This spoon is made of the finest metal, silver, and heavily plated, 5 oz plate. That is nearly equal to triple plate, which is 6 oz. While they last we will sell them at one dollar per set of six.

This is a great bargain, and if you need any spoons it will pay you to get them now.

Nothing but tea spoons in this lot. If by mail add 8 cents for postage. P. H. Lechico & Co., Jewelers, Columbia, S. C.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF LEXINGTON.

By J. Walter Mitchell, Probate Judge. WHEREAS, H. A. SPANN, C. C. C. P., hath made suit to me, to grant him Letters of Administration of the Estate of and effects of David B. Culler, deceased.

These are, therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said David B. Culler, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate to be held at Lexington, S. C., on the 28th of May at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand, this 12th day of April Anno Domini, 1894. J. WALTER MITCHELL, Probate Judge L. C. Published on the 18th day of April, 1894, in the Lexington Dispatch. 6w27

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF LEXINGTON.

By J. Walter Mitchell, Probate Judge. WHEREAS, H. A. SPANN, C. C. C. P., hath made suit to me to grant him Letters of Administration of the Estate of and effects of Aaron Taylor, deceased.

These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said Aaron Taylor, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Lexington Court House, S. C., on the 7th day of May, 1894, after the publication thereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand, this 26th day of March, Anno Domini, 1894. J. WALTER MITCHELL, [L. S.] Probate Judge Lex. Co. Published on the 28th of March, 1894, in the Lexington Dispatch. 6w24.

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Be sure to call and see us before selling, it will be to your advantage to do so. A. T. McCANTS, Next to Union Passenger Depot, COLUMBIA, S. C. April 26-tf.

FINAL DISCHARGE.

ALL PERSONS INTERESTED WILL please take notice that I will apply to the Probate Court for Lexington county, S. C., on the 4th day of May, 1894, at 11 o'clock a. m., for a final discharge as Guardian of Estate of W. A. Corley and W. F. Corley.

EMANUEL L. CORLEY, Guardian. April 3. 1894. 4w24.

Final Discharge.

ALL PERSONS INTERESTED WILL take notice that I will apply to the Probate Court for Lexington county, S. C., on the 25th day of May, 1894, at 11 o'clock a. m. for a final discharge as Guardian of estate of Minnie L. Langford and others distributees of estate of M. L. Harman. J. C. HARMAN. April 24, 1894. 4w26.

Notice.

EXECUTORS ADMINISTRATORS, &C

IN OBEDIENCE TO THE LAW, notice is hereby given to the Executors, Administrators, Guardians and other Fiduciaries who have not filed their annual returns in the office of the Judge of Probate for the year of 1894 to do so by the first of June, 1894.

The court will refer those Executors, Administrators, Guardians, and other Fiduciaries who have not filed their Annual Returns to the General Statutes, Sections 1942, 1943, and 2041.

J. WALTER MITCHELL, Judge of Probate Court. Lexington, S. C., April 25th, 1894.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF LEXINGTON, In Court of Common Pleas.

Hampton L. Laird, Plaintiff, against John I. Laird and others, Defendants. PURSUANT TO THE ORDER OF THE COURT in this case, I will sell before the court house door within the legal hours of sale on the first Monday in May next, at the risk of the former purchaser, the following described lands, being part of the estate of Jacob Laird, deceased, to wit:

- Tract 1, containing 97 acres, more or less. Tract 3, containing 94 acres, more or less. Tract 4, containing 104 acres, more or less. Tract 5, containing 51 acres, more or less. Tract 7, containing 105 acres, more or less. Tract 9, containing 55 1/2 acres, more or less. Plats of these lands are in the office of the Sheriff, and will also be exhibited on day of sale. TERMS OF SALE—Cash. Purchaser to pay for papers. GEORGE S. DRAFTS, S. L. C. Sheriff's Office, April 14, 1894. 3w24

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF LEXINGTON, Court of Common Pleas.

George W. Lorick, Plaintiff, vs. The Piedmont Improvement and Investment Company, Defendants. IN OBEDIENCE TO THE ORDER of Court in this case, I will sell at the town of Irmo, in said county and State, on the Columbia, Newberry and Laurens Railroad, on Monday, the 7th day of May, 1894, at 11 o'clock a. m., at the risk of the former purchasers, the following described tracts or lots of land, near the town of Irmo, to wit:

- Tract 2, containing 37 1-2 acres, more or less. Tract 3, containing 39 acres, more or less. Tract 5, containing 43 acres, more or less. Tract 6, containing 47 acres, more or less. Tract 7, containing 43 acres, more or less. Tract 8, containing 46 acres, more or less. Tract 10, containing 45 acres, more or less. Tract 11, containing 52 acres, more or less. Tract 12, containing 58 acres, more or less. Tract 13, containing 60 acres, more or less. Tract 16, containing 69 acres, more or less. Tract 18, containing 36 1-2 acres, more or less. Tract 19, containing 37 acres, more or less. Tract 26, containing 84 acres, more or less. Tract 27, containing 50 acres, more or less. Tract 28, containing 70 acres, more or less. Tract 29, containing 33 acres, more or less.

Said tracts being part of the lands belonging to the Piedmont Land and Investment Company, bought of G. W. Lorick.

Plats of same may be seen by calling on J. H. Counts at Irmo, or C. M. Eird, at Lexington.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third cash; balance in two equal annual installments, with interest from day of sale, the credit portion to be secured by bond of purchaser and mortgage of premises sold. Purchaser to pay for papers. GEORGE S. DRAFTS, S. L. C. Sheriff's Office, Lexington, S. C., April 14, 1894. 3w24

NEW PRECINCTS.

AT LAST SESSION OF THE LEGISLATURE a new precinct for General Election was established at Swausca, Bull Swamp Township, and for the purpose of insuring Certificates of Registration, I will be at Swausca on the 3d of May, 1894.

Also Red Bank, Boiling Springs Township was made a voting precinct for such elections, at which place I will be, for the purpose of making such changes as may be desired, on Saturday, the 5th of May, 1894.

Persons holding certificates for other precincts are desirous of voting at either of the new ones, will be required to surrender their old certificates. W. H. MEETZE, Supervisor of Registration L. C. 2w23.