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"For five years, I suffered untold misery from muscular rheumatism. I tried every known remedy, consulted the best physicians, visited Hot Springs, Ark., three times, spending $1000 there, besides doctors' bills; but could obtain only temporary relief. My flesh was wasted away so that I weighed only ninety-three pounds; my left arm and leg were drawn out of shape, the muscles

being twisted up in knots. I was unable to dress myself, except with assistance, and could only hobble about by using a cane. I had no appetite, and was assured, by the doctors, that I could not live. The pains, at times, were so awful, that I could procure relief only by means of hypodermic injections of morphine. I had my limbs bandaged in clay, in sulphur, in poultices; but these gave only temporary relief. After trying everything, and suffering the most awful tortures, I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Inside of two months, I was able to walk without a cane. In three months, my limbs began to strengthen, and in the course of a year, I was cured. My weight has increased to 165 pounds, and I am now able to do my full day's work as a railroad blacksmith."

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The Only World's Fair Sarsaparilla.
AYER'S PILLS cure Headache.

Newberry College Reunion.

Newberry College Reunion at St. John's, last Saturday, August 29, opened bright and clear and found a number of students and friends of Newberry College on their way to attend the reunion of students and exstudents of Newberry College at St. John's. A number of students thought this was the Edgefield reunion moved over the line but the "boys" from Edgefield (Saluda) seemed not to want to claim it as such, so we organized our reunion Lexington County Reunion.

Prof. Sidney J. Derrick presided through the organization. J. E. P. Kaiser was elected President; D. F. Ffird Vice President, and P. D. Risinger, Secretary. President Kaiser made a few appropriate remarks upon taking his seat, after which W. B. Shealy, delivered the address of welcome, which was responded to by Col. J. Brooks Wingard, both of which assured us that as students and friends of Newberry College we were welcomed among them, to mingle in their company, to enjoy the hospitality of their homes, to share the good things they had brought out there in their baskets, and last but not least, the one seeking a wife would find the Rocky Well belle second to none found any where. And judging from what we saw we believe the boys enjoyed the latter hugely and will not very soon forget the reunion at St. John's.

C. J. Ramage, Wyse's ferry, spoke on the value of college training. His speech was well delivered and showed beautifully the value of college training in any profession of life from the farmer to the "society dude and the shrewd politician.

At this time we were invited to share the good things brought out to satisfy the inner man. And only the one who has enjoyed the hospitality and good things which the ladies of the St. John's section are noted for, can fully appreciate the force of my remarks when I say, no section could have cared for us better. After dinner Col. J. Brooks Wingard, Lexington, showed how the "Education of today photographed the the future." He said "The colleges of a country photographed what that country was, referring to England, Germany as the mighty educational powers of the world, and our own country not behind."

Rev. O. B. Shearouse, Etheredge, ably showed us the duty of the church to the college, (Newberry college). He said, "When a man knows his duty it is his duty to do it. Your duty to Newberry College is a moral duty; Newberry College has a claim upon you; upon your sons, and upon your support. This duty is acknowledged by the professors of the institution, and aby some of the best young men of our State going there upon their own resources.

The last speaker announced was Prof. Geo. B. Cromer, President of the college. All who know President Cromer or his ability as a speaker, know that it is impossible for my pen to give anything like a full account of his speech, so I shall only attempt a few words. He said, we don't make boys in Newberry College, but we take them. We can't give or order for them capacity, but we give them the means by which your boys can improve their capacity which they already have been endowed with.

The different denominations have built their colleges because they have recognized the fact that they must have a whoesome college in which to educate their sons. One in which the bible and the religion of Jesus Christ has a place and a ruling influence. While Newberry College is a Lutheran school, it does not teach Theology, since ministers of other Christian denominations have been educated within its walls. We have a Seminary to teach Theology. Had Newberry College never done any other work than educate the fifty or sixty preachers sent out from its walls, it would have done a noble work. There are three ways of reaching the boys of our country. 1st, By educating preachers; 2d, By sending out Christian teachers to the denominational schools; 3rd, By sending out Christian young men, to mingle with our young people.

Newberry College has property estimated to be worth $60,000; the tuition has been reduced to $10, for the entire session. The college will open October 1st, and we hope to see your sons there. The school is yours; it has claims on you and you have a right to enjoy its advantages.

Benediction, by Rev. O. B. Shearouse. Excellent music was furnished by the St. John's choir. I am sure that no one who attended the reunion at St. John's is sorry that he was there, but hopes to enjoy many such occasions and would not object to returning to St. John's especially those who lingered long after the exercises were over enjoying the company of bewitching Rocky Well maidens. Student.

Sept. 2, 1896

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Address G. M. HARMAN, Editor.

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We Extend to You an Invitation to Visit Our Stores.

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IN THE SOUTH.

THIS WEEK WE WILL OFFER SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS IN FINE

DRESS GOODS,
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DOMESTICS, ETC.

10 Bales of Plaid Homepun 3c.
10 Bales Yellow Homespun, 3½c.
20 pieces of Jeans, 9 cents per yards
Our All Wool Jeans at 20 cents.

40 Pieces double width Cashmeres 40 inches wide, worth 35c. now 15c.
Fine quality Dress Goods, single width, 9 cents.
See our line of Silks, 40, 50, 60 and 75 cents.
Never in the history of the dry goods business had a dollar more purchasing power than now.

500 pairs Ladies' Fine Shoes, 75c.
300 pairs Ladies' Fine Shos, $100.
Goods worth $1.75 and $2 now $1.50
500 pairs Men's Dress Shoes 90c.
500 pairs Men's Dress Shoes $1 25.
300 pairs Men's Dress Shoes $1.50 worth $2.00.

All the best makes of Shoes at $3 00, $4 00 and $5.00.

CLOTHING.

The coming week we will offer some big values in Fine Clothing.

100 Men's Cassimere Suits at $2.90, worth $5 00.
100 Men's Cassimere Suits at $3.90, worth $7 00.
200 Men's Cassimere Suits, all wool, at $5.00, worth $8.00 and $9.00.

CLOTHING.

All the finest makes brought to this country. See our line before you buy.

300 Knee Pants Suits, $1 48, worth $3 00.
600 Knee Pants, the 50 cents kind, at 25 cents.

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TO THE WHOLESALE TRADE:

Visit our stores when you come to Columbia. We can save you money.

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BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure.

A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength. —Latest United States Government Food Report.
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The State Election.

VOTE FOR U. S. SENATOR.

	Evans.	Earle
Abbeville	1278	1825
Aiken	1465	1317
Anderson	2254	1886
Barnwell	1509	1342
Beaufort	171	400
Berkeley	512	561
Charleston	643	2747
Chester	969	746
Chesterfield	1006	716
Clarendon	700	880
Colleton	1672	1155
Darlington	1062	896
Edgefield	654	1163
Fairfield	632	748
Florence	933	979
Georgetown	360	156
Greenville	1778	3145
Hampton	745	471
Horry	979	1112
Kershaw	798	628
Lancaster	949	1034
Laurens	1328	1289
Lexington	1466	985
Marion	1375	1270
Marlboro	849	754
Newberry	1043	1003
Oconee	1009	1379
Orangeburg	1588	1341
Pickens	793	927
Richland	1414	713
Saluda	1048	613
Spartanburg	2845	3334
Sumter	1378	708
Union	1267	743
Williamsburg	854	1155
York	1314	1826
Total	42915	39567

Earle's majority 3,348.

SOLICITOR—FITH CIRCUIT.

	Thurmond	Nelson.
Edgefield	1149	704
Saluda	1265	357
Kershaw	740	730
Richland	735	1395
Lexington	1312	1139
Totals	6291	4691

Thurmond's majority 876.

SECOND PRIMARY FOR LEXINGTON COUNTY---SEPTEMBER 8, 1896.

PRECINCTS.	U. S. Senator. Joseph H. Earle	U. S. Senator. John Gary Evans	Solicitor. J. Wm. Thurmond	Solicitor. P. H. Nelson	Representative E. L. Asbill	Representative W. H. Sharpe	Sheriff. T. H. Caughman	Sheriff. George S. Drafts	Supervisor. W. H. Meetze	Supervisor. L. J. Langford	Treasurer J. S. Derrick	Treasurer E. L. Wingard	Auditor. Paul E. Hutto	Auditor. M. D. Harman	Total
Spring Hill	28	48	47	28	48	27	59	16	25	47	24	50	25	59	76
Hilton	19	70	67	21	21	66	74	14	24	60	24	53	62	26	89
Irmo	38	63	51	54	57	46	72	33	51	54	50	54	49	56	105
Nates' School House	2	33	22	14	2	15	30	6	20	16	10	26	30	6	36
Piney Woods Church	....	....	45	6	21	30	13	37	34	17	7	43	8	43	51
Folk's School House	9	17	4	22	14	12	6	20	4	22	25	1	11	15	26
Pine Ridge	4	56	51	10	20	39	38	22	48	12	9	51	3	57	60
Chapin	16	66	62	20	36	46	60	22	34	48	18	64	32	50	82
Peak	10	126	119	16	29	106	72	64	107	29	20	112	26	109	136
Lexington	130	213	204	137	161	177	198	145	190	155	87	258	207	140	348
Boylston Academy	41	25	37	30	49	18	43	24	12	55	29	38	56	11	67
Hollow Creek church	..	..	37	30	48	19	30	37	25	39	39	28	38	29	68
Cedar Grove	25	59	59	24	51	32	61	22	25	58	42	41	42	41	84
Lewiedale	57	35	42	50	43	49	49	44	35	59	58	34	56	37	93
Leesville	81	53	74	59	119	14	44	83	28	106	91	41	109	25	134
Batesburg	84	33	50	68	101	15	29	89	29	87	95	23	45	71	118
Samaria	25	16	16	25	30	11	8	33	16	25	33	8	21	20	42
Rishton	32	63	21	72	60	35	26	68	38	55	56	43	21	73	95
Boiling Springs, No. 1	18	63	30	51	51	30	18	63	39	40	22	58	17	64	83
Boiling Spring, No. 2, Red Bank	48	25	22	52	23	50	54	20	45	29	51	23	49	25	177
Brookland	113	64	54	121	101	68	109	63	95	75	92	79	76	96	74
Gaston	66	92	73	87	61	97	65	95	92	68	91	69	92	68	160
Swansea	46	64	66	46	72	38	47	64	53	58	65	46	79	37	116
Laird's Old Mill	23	68	41	52	29	64	32	61	46	49	66	27	24	69	93
Sandy Run	24	41	19	45	55	10	20	45	30	35	47	18	14	56	65
Total	985	1466	1312	1140	1321	1114	1257	1190	1145	1296	1143	1288	1192	1268	2178

PRECINCTS.	2d Judicial District—Lexington-Gilbert Hollow. Frank E Dreher.	2d Judicial District—Lexington-Gilbert Hollow. George Sawyer	3d Judicial District—Gilbert Hollow and Chinquapin. W. S. Hite	3d Judicial District—Gilbert Hollow and Chinquapin. O B. Addy	4th Judicial District—Boiling Springs and Black Creek. Isaiah Hallman	4th Judicial District—Boiling Springs and Black Creek. Drayton E. Clark	5th Judicial District—Congaree and Platt Springs. W. A. Goodwin	5th Judicial District—Congaree and Platt Springs. John W. Harsey
Spring Hill								
Hilton								
Irmo								
Nates' School House								
Piney Woods Church								
Folk's School House								
Pine Ridge								
Chapin								
Peak								
Lexington	142	154						
Boylston Academy	44	20						
Hollow Creek Church	19	44						
Cedar Grove			17	65				
Lewiedale			9	70				
Leesville			62	67				
Ratesburg			107	8				
Samaria			21	12				
Rishton					53	34		
Boiling Springs No. 1					49	30		
Red Bank					17	49		
Brookland							6	10
Gaston							78	82
Swansea								
Laird's Old Mill								
Sandy Run								
Total	205	218	216	222	119	113	84	92

Cannot be Without It.

Jamison, S. C., Sept. 2, '90.

Since the people know I keep St. Joseph's Quick Relief they have taken it all out but one bottle, and that one I cannot sell until I get in some more, for I cannot be without it myself. It is beyond doubt the best medicine for cramps, colic, and all kinds of pain on the market. Send me three dozen bottles per express.

R. D KITTRELL.

For further information call on J E. Kauffmann's drug store and get a copy of St. Joseph's Four Seasons Almanac. 46.

The peaceful Mennonites of Pennsylvania, who believe that Christains ought not to take oaths, hold public offices, or tender military service, have a curious way of electing their bishops. There were three candidates for a recent vacancy. Three Bibles, in one of which was a slip of paper, were placed on the pulpit of the "meeting house." Each would be Bishop took a Bible, and the one who secured the white slip was declared duly elected.

Rev. Mark Minser, a Dunkard minister of Deckers Point, Pa., says he can recommend Chamberlain's Pain Balm to any one in need of a good liniment, and that he considers it the best he has ever used. Pain Balm is especially valuable for rheumatism, lame back, sprains, swellings, cuts, bruises, burns and scalds. It is one of the most remarkable medicines in existence, and its effects will both surprise and delight you.

For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by

J. E. Kaugffman, Lexington.
F. W. Oswalt, Barre's,
Oswalt & Son, Irene.

It is not unusual for druggists to recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their customers. Many of them have used it themselves, or in their families and know from personal experience its great value in the treatment of coughs, colds and croup. They know too that their customers are their best friends and naturally wish to give them the most reliable medicine they have for those ailments. Messrs. Daugherty Bros., prominent druggists of Indiana, Pa, say, "We sell more of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy than of any other cough syrup, and always take pleasure in recommending it to our customers." Mr. H. M Urey, the popular druggist at Fredonia, Pa., who has sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for several years, says: 'I can truly say that it is the best cough medicine in the market."

For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by

J. E. Kaughman, Lexington
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Oswalt & Son, Irene

A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison of Worthington, Ind., "Sun," writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for Constipation and Sick Headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2625 Cottage Grove Ave, Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a backache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50 cents and $1.00. Get a Bottle at J. E. Kauffman's Drug Store.

Lemons, lemons, lemons, always to be found at the Bazaar.

"Bacherly, why don't you find some good woman and form a matrimonial alliance?" "What I want in that line is a silent partner, and I've been seeking in vain for the last ten years."

Dots from Rightwell.

To the Editor of the Dispatch.

The prevailing dry spell has played havoc with all crops. Corn, cotton and potatoes are off considerably and it is too dry to sow turnips.

Farmers are busy picking cotton which will be harvested now pretty soon, as it is all open and ready for the gin. Price ought to be good.

There is some sickness in this vicinity.

Miss Zenobia Taylor of Langley, has been visiting relatives and friends in Lexington.

Misses. Fannie DeWitt and Rosa King, two charming young ladies of Augusta, Ga., have been visiting friends and relatives in Newberry and Lexington county, and their visit was indeed agreeable. Many happy hours have been spent that will never be forgotten. They left many sad faces at their departure and likely some hearts go with them.

What young man called to see his best girl until her pet dog became familiar with him and went visiting with him one Sunday evening?

What young man stole that girl's heart the other night and ran away with it?

A certain young man borrowed a buggy to take his girl to a barbecue and could't stay fifteen minutes at one place when she was gone.

Girls make your calls quick and short, leap year will soon be out.

May the Dispatch ever prosper.

September 3, 1896. J. W.

The Ideal Panacea.

James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an Ideal Panacea for Coughs, Colds and Lung Complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physician's prescriptions or other preparations."

Rev. John Burgus, Keokuk, Iowa, writes: "I have been a Minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church for 50 years or more, and have never found anything so beneficial, or that gave me such speedy relief as Dr. King's New Discovery." Try this Ideal Cough Remedy now. Trial Bottles Free at J. E. Kauffman's Drug Store.

The opal, robbed today of ancient splendor, is called an unlucky stone. It was so valued at one time that Senator Nominus preferred to renounce his seat rather than give his opal to Mark Antony. It was valued at 20,000 sesterces, nearly half million of our money. The opal was said to raise the spirits, presesve cordial relations, and by its discoloration show whether he was in the presence of friend or foe.

Snatched From Death.

Cold Water, Ala., Mar. 11, 1892.

My little child had the dropsy for two years. We had tried various remedies and the most prominent physicians in the country but to no avail. We commenced the use of St. Joseph's Liver Regulator and she is now as healthy as any child.

T. P. W. BROOCS, M. D.

For further information call on J. E. Kauffmann's drug store and get a copy of St. Joseph's Four Seasons Almanac. 36.

The Object of his Curiosity.

"It beats me," he said as he laid down his newspaper thoughtfully. "I dunno's I ever thought of it afore, but that it does come ter my mind, it certainly beats me."

What are you talking about?" asked his wife anxiously.

"Literatoor," he answered "Course we've seen it showed up in the newspaper time and again how all an editor, does is ter set down weth a pot o'paste an a pair o' scissors an cut out things ter put inter his paper."

"Certainly. I don't see nothing so beating, about that.

"But this is the question: Some feller hez ter git them pieces up in the fust place. It never struck me afore, but I'm blessed ef I wouldn't like ter know who the feller is that start in an gits up them there things fur the editors ter cut out."