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One Dollar Bill.
 Four pieces of the best sole leather, six pieces of heavy dongola, or navy calf, a few nails, several yards of silk thread, several yards of waxed thread, some heavy lining made up into the best School Shoe for a Child, and all for

A DOLLAR BILL.
 If you don't buy your children this kind you don't treat them right.

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 1603 Main Street, COLUMBIA, S. C.
 Feb. 6-1y.

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 STATE, CITY AND COUNTY DEPOSITORY
 COLUMBIA, S. C.
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 This Bank under special provision of its charter exercises the office of Executor, Administrator, Trustee or Guardian of Estates.

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 G. M. HERRY, Cashier.
 February 12-1y.
 When writing mention the Dispatch.

IN CONFIDENCE,
 Don't give me away, And I'll tell you the remedy of the day. Listen! It is L. L. and K. It makes the system clean and pure, Will health and strength to you secure. Strictly a vegetable preparation, Mild and pleasant in its operation. No need for nostrums just made to sell. Its Life for the Liver that makes you well. HILSON'S LIFE FOR THE LIVER AND KIDNEYS.
 Wholesale by the MURRAY DRUG CO., Columbia, S. C.
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 T. W. Wood & Sons Fall Catalogue, issued in August, tells all about GRASS and CLOVER SEEDS, Vetches, Crimson Clover, Seed Wheat, Oats, Rye, Barley, Rape, etc. Also Vegetable and Flower Seeds, Hyacinths, Tulips, and all Bulbs, Seeds and Plants for Fall planting.
 The information given in our Fall Catalogue about different crops is from our customers and our own practical experience. We are constantly in receipt of the most gratifying expressions as to the great value and the help that our Catalogue proves to Farmers and Gardeners everywhere. Catalogue mailed on request. Write for it and prices of any seeds desired.
T. W. WOOD & SONS,
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 LARGEST SEED HOUSE IN THE SOUTH.
 October 19, 1901. 6w50.

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 Office next door below post office. Always on hand. February 12.

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 Tanks, Stacks, Stand Pipes and Sheet-Iron Work: Shafting, Pulleys, Gearing, Boxes, Bearings, etc. Mill Castings.
 Cast every day; work 200 hands.
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 SEVEN HORSE POWER PORTABLE Engine and a complete well boring out fit. For further particulars, apply to or address, A. J. FOX, Lexington, S. C. Dec. 5-1y.

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 Business solicited.
 Sept. 30-6m

GLOBE DRY GOODS COMPANY,
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 Solicits a Share of Your Valued Patronage. Polite and Prompt Attention.



PLAIN FACTS
 WE HAVE PLACED ON OUR COUNTERS NOS. 1 AND 2 SOME SPECIAL BARGAINS FOR YOU IN
MEN'S FALL SUITS
 WHY ARE THESE SUITS SPECIAL BARGAINS? BECAUSE WE PROPOSE TO SELL AT PRICES
BELOW THEIR VALUES
 TO ADVERTISE OUR BUSINESS.
 We Invite You to Call and Inspect Them.
GIRARDEAU & MARSHALL,
 THE CLOTHIERS,
 NO. 191 MAIN STREET, CORNER TAYLOR, COLUMBIA, S. C.
 September 11, 1901.

Lattakoo Items.
 Cotton is very sorry, about two-fifths of a crop.
 Mr. Marion Stoudemire is a happy man—'tis a voter.
 Chapin is getting a hustle on. She has three new buildings under way of construction, two stores and a work shop.
 Hon. A. F. Lever, Congressman elect, made a good speech to a large and enthusiastic audience last Saturday night. The occasion was graced by some of Chapin's and the surrounding country's charming daughters who, after the speech was over, presented the speaker with a plate of rare cut flowers.
 This genuine October weather is bracing and invigorating and the fever will disappear.
 W. T. Shealy has a fine piece of stubble corn. He thinks that one and one-quarter acres will make him thirty bushels. Mr. Shealy has also some four pounds of rape and the same amount of clover as an experiment. Lone Star.
 Oct. 7, 1901.
 There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
 Address, F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.
 Sold by Druggists, 75c.
 Hall's Family Pills are the best.
 Lorena Sparks.
 To the Editor of the Dispatch:
 The health of the community is not very good.
 Peavines are being pulled and the yield is abundant.
 There wasn't any Sunday school at St. Paul's yesterday owing to the absence of the Superintendent.
 Mr. S. J. Sease and his brother

Crosson, visited their grand father, Mr. Daniel Shealy, last Sunday.
 Mr. Cephus Sease, visited at his brother's, Mr. J. L. Sease, yesterday. Sowing time is here and farmers should take advantage of the opportunity to put in a big crop.
 Prof. S. S. Lindler has accepted the principalship of the Pineville school for the winter session. He is one of our best and oldest teachers.
 Mr. J. C. Price is preparing a house for a cropper. Mr. Price is one of our go ahead men and property will be his.
 Miss Frances Lindler has returned to Leesville College for another session. She is the charming daughter of Professor S. S. Lindler. Mr. Ois Drafts has also placed himself under the tutelage of Prof. Hayne.
 Mr. E. H. Shealy is doing quite a flourishing business at his saw mill now. Mr. Shealy is quite a hustler in and around his mill.
 Mr. George Shealy, of near Cedar Grove, will move to Leesville in the near future.
 Mr. Willie Steele is doing a rushing business at his shop. He is a skilled mechanic.
 Tax paying time will soon be here, and you might as well have the money ready, as "old head" will have to be paid for as well as property.
 There will be services at Mount Pleasant on the third Sunday afternoon instead of the fourth Sunday as Synod embraces the latter Sunday.
 Mr. "H" recently asked us to tell him something more about the turkie fight and added that he would like to get in one himself. I have told all I know about the fight, but would like to tell Mr. "H" something else but time will not permit.
 Mr. Burt Keiser is doing a good business at his gin at present. He is one of our old time winning men and knows how to manage a gin.
 October 7. Blue Jay.
A Fireman's Close Call.
 "I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman, of Burlington, Iowa. "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters and, after taking it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak, sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed by J. E. Kaufmann. Price 50 cents.

CASH CARPET STORE.
 We are out for Business and bid for Lexington's Trade.
NEW GOODS! NEW STORE!
 Our new Fall and Winter Goods are here ready for inspection.
QUALITY AND PRICE GUARANTEED
 Carpets, Rugs, Cobena, and Napier. Art Squares, Shades, Lace Curtains, Mattings, Rubber and Wire Mats, Linoleum, Oil Cloths, Cornices, Poles, Feather Pillows, Screens, Table Covers, Piano Covers, and everything carried in a first class house. Write for sample and prices, they will be cheerfully given.
Mutual Carpet Co.,
 1517 MAIN ST., COLUMBIA, S. C.
 September 4.

A Typical South African Store.
 O. R. Larson, of Bay Villa, Sunday's River, Cape Colony, conducts a store typical of South Africa, at which can be purchased anything from the proverbial "needle to an aneohor." This store is situated in a valley nine miles from the nearest railway station and about twenty-five miles from the nearest town. Mr. Larson says: "I am favored with the custom of farmers within a radius of thirty miles, to many of whom I have supplied Chamberlain's remedies. All testify to their value in a household where a doctor's advice is almost out of the question. Within one mile of the store the population is perhaps sixty. Of these, within the past twelve months, no less than fourteen have been absolutely cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This must surely be a record." For sale by J. E. Kaufmann.

Sale of Malt Tonic.
 Mayor Jacobs, of Johnston, has protested to the Governor against the sale of malt tonic in that town. The Governor has ruled always that malt tonic could be sold as a medicine, and was not subject to seizure by the constables when so sold. But if it is used as a beverage the case is quite different and the sale is prohibited. In this special case the Governor has replied that there is nothing in the law to prevent the sale of malt tonic as a medicine, but that when it is sold as a beverage it is liable to seizure. The instructions have been issued to constables in this respect about a year ago. The constables ought to know their duty in this respect, but complaints are received by the Governor very often.

Says He Was Tortured.
 "I suffered such pain from corns I could hardly walk," writes H. Robinson, of Hillsboro, Ill., "but Bucklen's Arnica Salve completely cured them." Acts like magic on sprains, bruises, cuts, sores, scalds, burns, boils, ulcers. Perfect healer of skin diseases and piles. Cure guaranteed by J. E. Kaufmann, 25c.

Believes in Civil Service Reform.
 Darlingtown News.
 President Roosevelt has appointed ex-Governor Jones of Alabama, a Gold Democrat, United States District Judge for the Northern and Middle districts of Alabama. Mr. Roosevelt says he expects to appoint Republicans to office when he can find competent men, but when they cannot be found in his own

Stricken With Paralysis.
 Henderson Grimet, of this place, was stricken with partial paralysis and completely lost the use of one arm and side. After being treated by an eminent physician for quite a while without relief, his wife recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and after using two bottles of it he is almost entirely cured.—Geo. R. McDonald, Man, Logan county, W. Va. Several other very remarkable cures of partial paralysis have been effected by the use of this liniment. It is most widely known, however, as a cure for rheumatism, sprains and bruises. Sold by J. E. Kaufmann.

Case of Miss Stone.
 Columbia Evening Record, Oct. 9 h.
 It is sincerely to be hoped that Miss Stone, the American missionary, will be safely rescued from the Bulgarian bandits who have her in custody, awaiting the payment of a handsome ransom. President has taken the matter in charge so far as diplomacy is concerned, and it may be accepted as a fact that he will leave nothing undone to bring about her rescue. But he can only exercise moral influence, and cannot make a demand of either the Turkish or Bulgarian governments that she must be released. Neither of the governments was responsible directly for the outrage, and both seem to be doing all in their power to secure the safety and return of the missionary. The Bulgarian government, it is stated, has 3,000 troops scouring the country in the hope that they can capture the brigands and secure the freedom of the lady. That is all that government can do, and its action cannot be too highly commended. We are sorry to say that should a similar crime have occurred in this country, our government would not display one-half the zeal that the little principality of Bulgaria has to right a wrong. It may be recalled that during the past few years foreign workmen have been ruthlessly shot down and murdered and little effort was made to bring the perpetrators to justice. The protests of foreign governments have practically amounted to nothing, though in rare instances indemnities have been paid. It seems, also, to be a well-accepted principle, in many of the Western states at least, that a Chinaman has no rights which anybody is bound to respect. Under such circumstances, our government could hardly demand anything consistently from other governments when those governments are not at fault, and hence only moral suasion can be used. In the meantime, the amount demanded by the bandits is being raised by private subscription.
 New York, Oct. 11.—A cablegram received in New York this morning in answer to inquiries concerning measures taken in Bulgaria for the rescue of Miss Stone, says: Brigands are now in Turkish territory, but the Bulgarian government is taking energetic measures to arrest brigands in case there is an attempt to cross the borders, at the same time care is being taken not to endanger the life of the captive. The message was signed by Prince Bibravitch, prefect of the Bulgarian chancery.
 Constantinople, Oct. 11.—In compliance with a request from Washington the search by Ottoman troops for the abductors of Miss Stone, the American missionary, has been abandoned, it being feared that the brigands would kill her should they be closely pursued. Arrangements are now being made to pay the ransom \$100,000 demanded.

Old People Have Their Troubles.
 Mr. Francis Little, of Benton Harbor, Mich., is over eight years of age. Since 1865 he has been troubled more or less with indigestion and constipation and has tried almost everything in use for those ailments. Last August he began using Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and was soon feeling much better. In a recent letter he says, "I have used three boxes of the Tablets and now think I am well." These Tablets improve the appetite and invigorate the stomach, liver and bowels. For sale by J. E. Kaufmann.

Resigned to Study Law.
 Mr. W. C. Latimer, son of Congressman Latimer, has tendered his resignation as special agent of the Post Office Department, and will begin the study of law in the University of Virginia. Mr. Latimer has been in the employ of the Post Office Department for the past year, and had charge of the establishment of the rural mail delivery routes in this State. Some months ago he was transferred to Mississippi to establish some routes in that State.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
 Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

The Jury Law Unconstitutional.
 Judge Gary has decided that the jury law of this State is unconstitutional. The point was raised by Senator Graydon, of Abbeville, in defense of one Wilson for murder at

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COOK STOVE
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 Lots of Slightly Damaged Furniture at less than half what it cost to make it.
GOOD OAK CHAIRS FOR 25cts EACH.
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 Come and See Us Before You Buy.
Maxwell & Taylor,
 Post Office Block, Columbia, S. C.
 September 2.

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 Remember the place, 1550 Main St.
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 1550 Main St., Columbia, S. C.
 August 7-3m.

GENERAL WOOD'S REPORT
 As to Military and Sanitary Conditions in Cuba.
 Washington, Oct. 10.—The war department made public today the annual report of Major General Wood, commander of the department of Cuba, for the fiscal year. The report deals entirely with military affairs. General Wood says the conduct of American troops in Cuba continues excellent. The total deaths of officers and enlisted men for the year was sixty-seven. Yellow fever has almost been driven from the island, owing to the war upon mosquitoes and sanitary measures. Concerning artillery in fortifications left by the Spaniards, he says tests show that guns and carriages are rather better than expected.

Working 24 Hours a Day.
 There's no rest for those tireless little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always busy, curing Torpid Liver, Jaundice, Biliousness, Fever and Ague. They banish Sick Headache, drive out Malaria, Never gripe or weaken. Small, taste nice, work wonders. Try them. 25c at J. E. Kaufmann.

Important Tax Decision.
 The State Supreme Court has just rendered a most important decision relative to taxation. It holds that Boards of County Commissioners have the right to fix and collect taxes for county purposes or in other words it holds "That the power to collect taxes for the subdivision of the State is conferred by the Constitution upon the fiscal authorities of such subdivision whether the tax was created by any Act of the General Assembly or by the said corporate authorities under the Act of the General Assembly."

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth
 Be sure and use that old and well tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.
 It is the best of all.

A Utica, N. Y., man who recently died, left \$21,000 to be divided among his third cousins, then defined cousins as "children of those who are related to me as cousins." Thus far only 890 "third cousins" have put in a claim for a part of that \$21,000 and they are represented by only 48 lawyers.

The North Carolina Cotton Grower's Association has issued a formal call to the growers to hold their cotton seed for 25 cents a bushel at least, and for 1,633 pounds of meal for a ton of seed in exchange with mills; also urging the establishment of local or neighborhood mills, which can be built for \$8,000.

Hemphill is Undecided.
 John J. Hemphill while in Columbia recently said he had no statement to make relative to the Hampton suggestion and does not care to discuss the matter at all for publication. He says Lutimer and The News and Courier settles it any way.
 It is stated that Hampton has been so strongly pressed that he will make the race no matter who runs.

The Best Prescription for Malaria, Chills and Fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price 50 cents.

COHEN IS THE MAN.
 Is the man who will sell you Shoes cheap. Having bought the R. H. Edmunds Co's entire Stock of Fine Shoes at a great sacrifice, I will sell them at prices that will astonish you. Any shoe in my place will be sold for less than **FACTORY COST.** Don't fail to see my shoes before buying. It will pay you. Remember you get Solid Leather Shoes at less than it costs to make them.
NO 1636 MAIN STREET, COLUMBIA, S. C., IS THE PLACE.
COHEN IS THE MAN.
 July, 31.—3m.

CAROLINA NATIONAL BANK,
 COLUMBIA, S. C.
 STATE, CITY AND COUNTY DEPOSITORY
 Paid up Capital.....\$200,000
 Surplus Profits.....60,000
Savings Department.
 Deposits of \$5.00 and upwards received. Interest allowed at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum. W. A. CLARK, President.
 WILHELM JONES, Cashier.
 December 4-1y.