

**Obituary.**

With keen sadness and profound grief we submit to that Almighty decree and omnipotent fiat which in the termination of intellectual power and the efficacy of manhood has taken from his utility among men and women, our highly respected and esteemed brother, Dederick L. George, whose time ceased and whose eternity began at his home in Lexington county on Saturday morning, November 9th, 1901.

A man with unblemished shield and with sentiments of truth, liberality and brotherly love has passed over to that undiscovered country from whose bourn no traveler has ever returned.

During his painful, distressing and arduous sickness, which continued over three years, he bore his unceasing misery with that patience, forbearance and cheerfulness which so beautifully exemplifies the symmetry of the chief tenets of our mystic tie.

He was born June 13th, 1843, in Richland county, thus making his earthly sojourn 56 years, 4 months and 26 days.

In his youthful and jovial days he joined the First South Carolina cavalry, company I, and went to Charleston, S. C., staying there only a short time and then went to North Carolina, where Johnson's army surrendered. Then returning to his home he commenced life's battle over, and by untiring industry and economy he accumulated such a competency of worldly goods as to place him above want at all times and under adverse circumstances of life. Strict honesty and integrity marked all his dealings with his fellow men and secured for him the confidence and esteem of all who knew him. The virtues of charity and benevolence he possessed to such an extent as to lead him to respond freely and liberally to the calls of suffering humanity. He was baptised in infancy and power more than a quarter of a century ago. He died as he had lived honored and esteemed by all who knew him. He leaves a wife and twelve children—six boys and six girls, two of whom are married—two grandchildren, two brothers and two sisters.

His family mourn the loss of the kindest and most affectionate of parents, but what is to them a sore bereavement was to him an eternal gain. He died having no doubt of his happy exit from a world of trial, into a triumphal entrance in the land of immortal bliss, and was buried in the old burying ground near his brother's E. J. George.

"Tis not for thee the tears I shed,  
Thy sufferings now are over,  
The sea is calm—the tempest past,  
On that eternal shore,  
No more the storm that wracked thy peace,  
That tear thy gentle breast,  
Nor summer rays  
Nor winter's cold,  
Thy poor, poor frame molest."

**Deafness Cannot be Cured.**

By local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, fee.

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Sold by Druggists, 75c.  
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

**Setting a Good Example.**

That the Southern cotton mills are doing something for the moral uplifting of their operatives cannot be denied successfully. The Clifton and Glendale mills employ about 2,300, paying them annually \$300,000. The

management has expended large sums of money for the education of the young. Able teachers are employed, often at the expense of the mills, and the schools are opened nine months in the year. Churches have been erected where the operatives may worship as they see fit. Five stores are operated near the mills where the operatives may buy their goods actually in competition with cash stores, and they get them on credit the same as if they paid cash. The motto of the proprietors is "the greatest good to the greatest number." The operatives are encouraged to save their earnings and in every other way made to feel that they have something to live for.

The Gaffney Manufacturing Company is another illustration of what mill men are doing for their operatives. At Gaffney the tenement houses are neat and clean and well constructed, some of them of brick and scrupulously clean. The company stores are there for the convenience of the operatives, and no checks used whatever, and the operatives are not compelled to buy of them. A free school is operated nine months in the year for the children and the expenses paid by the mill owners.

The Courtenay Manufacturing Company at Newry has also erected neat cottages, all lathed and plastered, painted inside and of uniform color. Everything is being done for the comfort of the operatives. The mills are lighted with electric lights, steam heated, and in summer fresh air is forced all through every floor, thus insuring an agreeable temperature throughout the year. A free school is maintained nine months in the year at the company's expense.

Finally, the Pelzer Manufacturing Company is also doing a great work for the operatives in their immense mills. They have a \$10,000 school building, the teachers furnished free; beautiful churches of all denominations and a library building with 6,000 volumes in it, and a large number of papers and periodicals, furnished free by the company. Compulsory education obtains at these mills. The head of every family working in these mills sign an agreement before getting employment, the first clause of which says that all children, members of any family between the ages of five and twelve, shall enter the schools maintained by the company, and shall attend every school day during the year unless prevented by sickness, etc. As an additional inducement children who attend school every day, receives a reward of 10 cents at the end of each month. Lectures with stereopticon pictures are also provided, and are of the highest order of illustrative entertainment. There is no company store and operatives buy where they please. No liquors are sold in Pelzer, and the people have emphatically voted against dispensaries.

Piedmont is still another illustration, and there are many others scattered throughout the State. Let the reader remember that the story of the awful neglect and bad treatment of children of mill operatives is conjured up by the sentimentalists and labor agitators to work upon the sympathy of the credulous public. There are no doubt some abuses, but but mill owners are fast coming to realize that good treatment of their help pays, both in money and in the consciousness of helping to uplift the poor who leave the farm to the negroes and go down to where schools, and churches, free libraries, parks and pleasure grounds conduce to their pleasure and their educational advancement.

**A Good Recommendation.**

"I have noticed that the sale on Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets is almost invariably to those who have once used them," says Mr. J. H. Webea, a prominent druggist of Cascade, Iowa. What better recommendation could any medicine have than for people to call for it when again in need of such a remedy? Try them when you feel dull after eating, when you have a bad taste in your mouth, feel bilious, have no appetite or when troubled with constipation, and you are certain to be delighted with the prompt relief which they afford. For sale by J. E. Kaufmann.

**Some New Laws Suggested to be Adopted by the General Assembly.**

Columbia Afternoon Record.  
If the following bills—some of which are very important and others more so—will be introduced during the session, the probabilities are that the Legislature will not adjourn before "St. Patrick's day in the mornin'."

A bill to prohibit the cocks from crowing between certain hours between sunset and sunrise.  
A bill to prohibit South Carolina millionaires from going out to work by the day, and making it a misdemeanor for any person to employ one.  
A bill making it an offense against common decency to pull the cork out of a whisky bottle with the teeth; a corkscrew shall and must be used. [This seems as if the lawmakers were working for the benefit of a hard ware trust.]

A bill making it punishable by a sentence of six weeks on the county chain gang for any person to find fault with or abuse a newspaper to which he does subscribe or to which he owes a subscription.

A bill creating the office of barkologist. It shall be the duty of this officer to gather the barks of all "yeller" dogs, assort them according to the size of dog and strength of lung, to be used as a hydrophobia antidote, free of charge to any patient in the State. [This is a humane act.]

There may be other equally important bills proposed before the session is over; if discovered in time the readers of the Record will be duly informed.

**A Profitable Investment.**

"I was troubled for about seven years with my stomach and in bed half my time," says E. Demick, Somerville, Ind. "I spent about \$1,000 and never could get anything to help me until I tried Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. I have taken a few bottles and am entirely well." You don't live by what you eat, but by what you digest and assimilate. If your stomach doesn't digest your food you are really starving. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure does the stomach's work by digesting the food. You don't have to diet. Eat all you want. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures all stomach troubles. J. E. Kaufmann.

**Old Maids in Heaven.**

According to one of Miss Wilkins's characters in "The Portion of Labor," the punishment meted out to those who have been too much married is that they shall hereafter be doomed to celibacy. "I don't know what I should do," says Mrs. Norman Lloyd, "if I thought Norman would marry again if I died. I think one husband and one wife is enough for any man or woman if they believe in the resurrection. It has always seemed to me that the answer to that awful question in the New Testament, as to whose wife that woman who had so many husbands would be in the other world, meant that people who had so much marrying on earth would have to be old maids and old bachelors in Heaven."

**Children Especially Liable.**

Burns, bruises and cuts are extremely painful and if neglected often result in blood poisoning. Children are especially liable to such mishaps because not so careful. As a remedy DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is unequalled. Draws out the fire, stops the pain, soon heals the wound. Beware of counterfeits. Sure cure for piles. "DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured my baby of eczema after two physicians gave her up," writes James Mock, N. Webster, Ind. "The sores were so bad she soiled two to five dresses a day." J. E. Kaufmann.

**Troops for Manila.**

New York, January 21.—The transport Buford sailed for Manila today, carrying a large number of calvarymen from Fort Myer, Va., and infantry men from Plattsburg, N. Y.

**I Know One Sure Remedy for an obstinate cold. Its name is Pny-Balsam.**

Platonic friendship between the sexes is as likely as temperate dipsomania.

**ECZEMA'S ITCH IS TORTURE.**

Eczeema is caused by an acid humor in the blood coming in contact with the skin and producing great redness and inflammation; little pustular eruptions form and discharge a thin, sticky fluid, which dries and scales off; sometimes the skin is hard, dry and fissured. Eczeema in any form is a tormenting, stubborn disease, and the itching and burning at times are almost unbearable; the acid burning humor seems to ooze out and set the skin on fire. Salves, washes nor other external applications do any real good, for as long as the poison remains in the blood it will keep the skin irritated.

**BAD FORM OF TETTER.**

"For three years I had Tetter on my hands, which caused them to swell to twice their natural size. Part of the time the disease was in the form of running sores, very painful, and causing me much discomfort. Four doctors said the Tetter had progressed too far to be cured, and they could do nothing for me. I took only three bottles of S. S. S. and was completely cured. This was fifteen years ago, and I have never since seen any sign of my old trouble."—Mrs. L. B. JACKSON, 1414 McGee St., Kansas City, Mo.



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**COLUMBIA, NEWBERRY AND LAURENS RAILROAD.**

In Effect November 25th, 1900.

|          |                  |                 |
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| 7 45 am  | lv Atlanta (SAL) | 8 00 pm         |
| 10 11 am | lv Athens        | 5 28 pm         |
| 11 16 am | lv Elberton      | 4 18 pm         |
| 12 23 pm | lv Abbeville     | 3 15 pm         |
| 12 48 pm | lv Greenwood     | 2 48 pm         |
| 1 35 pm  | ar Clinton       | 2 00 pm         |
| 10 00 am | lv Glenn Springs | 4 00 pm         |
| 11 45 am | lv Spartanburg   | 3 10 pm         |
| 12 01 pm | lv Greenville    | 3 00 pm         |
| 12 52 pm | lv Waterloo      | 2 06 pm         |
| 1 16 pm  | ar Laurens       | 1 38 pm         |
| †Dinner. | †(c & w. c.)     | †Harris Springs |

  

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| No. 52                        | *No. 21        |             |
| 11 08 a m                     | lv Columbia    | lv 9 20 am  |
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| 11 27 a m                     | ar Irmo        | ar 10 15 am |
| 11 35 a m                     | ar Ballentine  | ar 10 40 am |
| 11 40 a m                     | ar White Rock  | ar 10 58 am |
| 11 43 a m                     | ar Hilton      | ar 11 15 am |
| 11 49 a m                     | ar Chapin      | ar 11 49 am |
| 12 03 a m                     | ar L. Mountain | ar 12 25 pm |
| 12 07 a m                     | ar Slighs      | ar 12 35 pm |
| 12 17 p m                     | ar Prosperity  | ar 1 10 pm  |
| 12 30 p m                     | ar Newberry    | ar 2 37 pm  |
| 12 43 p m                     | ar Jalapa      | ar 3 05 pm  |
| 12 48 p m                     | ar Gary        | ar 3 15 pm  |
| 12 55 p m                     | ar Kinard      | ar 3 30 pm  |
| 1 02 p m                      | ar Goldville   | ar 3 55 pm  |
| 1 16 p m                      | ar Clinton     | ar 5 00 pm  |
| 1 27 p m                      | ar Parks       | ar 5 20 pm  |
| 1 35 p m                      | ar Laurens     | ar 5 30 pm  |
| *Daily freight except Sunday. |                |             |

**RETURNING SCHEDULE.**

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| No. 53                       | *No. 22             |             |
| 1 35 p m                     | lv Laurens          | lv 7 30 am  |
| 1 41 p m                     | lv Parks            | lv 7 40 am  |
| 1 55 p m                     | lv Clinton          | lv 9 00 am  |
| 2 05 p m                     | lv Goldville        | lv 9 25 am  |
| 2 12 p m                     | lv Kinard           | lv 9 40 am  |
| 2 17 p m                     | lv Gary             | lv 9 50 am  |
| 2 22 p m                     | lv Jalapa           | lv 10 00 am |
| 2 37 p m                     | lv Newberry         | lv 10 50 am |
| 2 52 p m                     | lv Prosperity       | lv 11 20 am |
| 3 02 p m                     | lv Slighs           | lv 11 36 am |
| 3 06 p m                     | lv L. Mountain      | lv 12 25 pm |
| 3 20 p m                     | lv Chapin           | lv 1 00 pm  |
| 3 25 p m                     | lv Hilton           | lv 1 15 pm  |
| 3 29 p m                     | lv White Rock       | lv 1 30 pm  |
| 3 34 p m                     | lv Ballentine       | lv 2 00 pm  |
| 3 43 p m                     | lv Irmo             | lv 2 45 pm  |
| 3 49 p m                     | lv Leaphart         | lv 3 00 pm  |
| 05 p m                       | ar Columbia         | ar 3 25 pm  |
| Daily freight except Sunday. |                     |             |
| 4 15 pm                      | lv Columbia (a c l) | lv 11 00 am |
| 5 25 pm                      | lv Sumter           | ar 9 40 am  |
| 8 30 pm                      | ar Charleston       | lv 7 00 am  |

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Some people seem to nourish the serpent with the idea that it may come in handy to bite somebody else.

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February 29—17.

**TAX RETURNS.**

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAW in reference to the assessment and taxation of property, the Auditor, or his assistant, will be and attend the following named places for the purpose of receiving tax returns for the fiscal year 1902, and in order to meet the next appointment the hour will close at 11:30 in the morning and at 4 o'clock in the afternoon; taxpayers will, therefore, be prompt in meeting the appointments so as not to cause delay.  
Taxpayers will please come prepared to give the name of their township and number of school district wherein they reside: Lexington, C. H., from January 1st to the 13th, 1902.  
Cross Roads, morning, January 28.  
J. J. Mack's, afternoon, January 28.  
Swansea, all day, January 29.  
Red store, all day, January 30.  
Archie Wolfe's, morning, January 31.  
W. N. Martin's, afternoon, January 31.  
Brookland, all day, February 1.  
Pelion, February 3.  
L. L. Gantt's, morning, February 4.  
Jacob Williams, afternoon, February 4.  
Samaria, morning, February 5.  
Batesburg, all day, February 6.  
Leesville, all day, February 7.  
Summit, morning, February 8.  
Lewisdale, afternoon, February 8.  
Lexington, all other days not named above until February 20, 1902.

Section 270 of the law in reference to the assessment of taxes, (Revised Statutes,) reads as follows:  
All property shall be valued for taxation at its true value in money, which in all cases not specially provided for by law, shall be held to be as follows, to wit: For personal property the usual selling price on the usual terms of similar property at administrator's or executor's sales, at the place where the return is made; and for real property, the usual selling price on the usual terms of similar property at sales for partition under order of court, at the place where the return is made. If there is no usual selling price, then at what is honestly believed could be obtained for the same at a fair sale under the conditions above mentioned.

It shall be the duty of each owner of lands, and of any new structures thereon which shall not have been appraised for taxation, to list the same for taxation with the County Auditor of the county in which they may be situated on or before the 20th day of February next, after the same shall become subject to taxation.

Section 6. That from and after the passage of this act, there shall be assessed upon all taxable polls in this State a tax of one dollar on each poll, the proceeds of which tax shall be applied solely to educational purposes. Every male citizen between the ages of 21 and 60 years, except those incapable of earning a support, from being blinded or from other causes and except those who are made exempt by law, shall be deemed taxable polls.  
All returns for taxation must be filed with the Auditor not later than February 20, 1902, as after that date the law requires a return of 50 per cent. to the last year's return. All real estate to be assessed this year.

Township Board of Assessors will meet in some convenient place in their respective townships on Tuesday, March 4, 1902. County Board of Equalization will meet at the Auditor's office on Tuesday, March 18, 1902 at 10 o'clock a. m.  
G. A. DERRICK,  
Auditor Lexington County.

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