The Lexington Dispatch

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Maj. Harry Hammord Reviews the History of this Product.

## iken Journal and Reriew

While cotton-growers are complaining, often jastly, of the meny bardships and burdens imposed on them. there is one bright spot to which I wish to call attention
ave escaped notice
Iallude to the extraordinary rise in the value and price of cotton seed. It is a creation of these latter daye. Before the time of oil mills and con-
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grower gave his seed for ginning his grower gave his seed for ginning his
eotton and paid in addition for his eotton and piad in addition for his
bsgeing and tiref; now he bas his baggiog and tiree; now he has his
cotton ginned, (more) quickly and cotton ginned, (more) quicely and
better than formerly.) has bagging and ties furnisbed bim and receives from $\$ 3$ to $\$ 4$ for the seed from his bale.
Little seed wss sold in the old daye. Once there was an unusual demand for sereral thousand bushels to be
sent to Indis for planting. Twelve sent to Indis for planting. Twelve cents a busbel (less than from every quarter to supply the demand.
The wiser and wealthier cottongrowers of to-day (of course grown wealthier only througb increase in wisdom versus the lower price of cotton) are unwilling to part with their seed at twenty-seren cents a
bushel. They prefer as of old to put bushel. They prefer as of ola The oil mills have recently offered 1,500 pounds of meal for \& ton of
cotton seed with no takers. Now cotton seed with no takers. Now cotton seed meal is worth to-day in the markets of the world (say New York where corn is $69 \frac{1}{2}$ cents a basbel) $\$ 30$ a ton and upward for stock feed. The arerage amount of cotton seed used as a fertilizer is 25 bushels per acre, rather more than less. For this the mills offer as above shown 562 pounds of mes worth for stock feed 88.43 . Io con verted into corn at the New York market price it amounts to 12 bush snd worth today in the cotton field $\$ 12$.
It mas be asked why in this ses scarcity of corn with the worst prospect ever known for the cotton grow. ers, do noí feed this meal, equivalent in value to 12 busbels of corn to their starring stook and ssive the manure 80 to 90 per cent of the original
value) for fertilizing their cotton. Saw mill men and cattle raisers everywhere are feeding it and the bulls with good results and st greest saring. The cotton growers think they believe comes from the monop. oly enioged by the consolidated oil mills and ginneries. They propose mills and ginneries. They propose neighbors to fee lawyers to fight these corcerns. They feel sure that the money so expended will be refunded when cotton seed is protected from this ruinous conversion into oil or human food and into hulls for the The writer who has not an interest of five cents in ang oil mill or a ginnery does not pretend to advise. Harry Hammond.

## Mr. Wheelor Got Rid of Eis

 Rhoumatism"Dariog the winter of 1898 I was so lame in my joints, in fact all oren sround, when I bought a bottle o Chamberlain's Pain Balm. From the first application I began to get steadily all the year.-R. Wheeler. Northwood, N. Y. For sale by J. E Ksufmann.

## Obituary.

On the moraing of February 14 , 1902, at Edgefield, S. C., the pure sweet spirit of Mrs. Rebecca Fore Foreman, wioged its fight to the Foreman, wioged its eternal world. leaving a deroted hue.
bsand and one child ten days old: band and one cbild ten days old;
father, mother, brothers snd sisters and a host of kindred and friends to mourn for her. Their loss has be'I
to ber souls elernal gain. She mos every one around ber dying bed that heaven was to be ber eteroal home sbe was leaniog on tbe everlasting
arms of Jesus. Sbe was the affec tionate daughter of John Enlow late of Irene, S. C. She died in th $20: \mathrm{h}$ year of ber age. It was th privilege of the writer to be intimatc - acquaired with the deceased eariy childhocd. She was a derote flcient care of Bro. E. A. Wingard. She was a model cbild. Her dying request was that after death her re cins be carried to Red Bank church br funeral be preached by Rev. A. R. Taylor, and then her body laid to rest in the cemetery thereof by the
side of her dear decessed little brother. Her requests were carried out to the best of our ability

The Last Heard Of It.
My little boy took the croup one night and soon grew so bad you could bear him breathe all over the Souse, says F. D. Reynolde, but a few doses of One Minute Cough Care quieckly relieved him and he went to sleep. That's the last w beard of the croup. Now ier't
cough cure like that valuable?" On Minate Cough Cure is absolutely safe and acts immediately. For and all other throat and lung trou bles it is a certain cure. Very pleas ant to take. The little ones libe it J. E Kaufmang.

## Pebbles from Pond Branch.

 To the Editor of the Dispatcb We bave been basiog some disa reeable weather. Ice and snow hase been familiar if not welcomed Log rolling and nem ground fires are getting to be pretty numerous. That's right; prepare to make every thing that is used in the home.The health of our community is very good at this writing, with the esception of that contagious dis ease, the cold.
The horse of Mr. Willie Smith had is leg broken through an acciden on the 15 th inst.
The Scouter Creek school closed Lst Wednesday evening with a very interesting and entertaining exer cises which consisted of dialogues, declamations and songs. Then came the indispensable and ever evjogable cake walk. The teacher, Miss Minnie Sheal. gave the scholars a very nice treat and they all returned $h \mathrm{~h} \cdot \mathrm{n}$ nice tre
happ.
Miss
Miss Rosa Etheredge return to ber home at Dupont, S. C, last meek. Well, Mr. Editor, those orangs lossoms are still blooming. Some of them go through ice and snow
School Bor. and still survive.
February 21,1902 School Boy.
Night Was Fer Terrox.
"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate of Alexandris, Ind, "and could hardly get any sleep. I bad consump tion so bad that if $I$ walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but, when all other medicines failed, three $\$ 1.00$ bottles of Dr . King's Nem Discorery wholly cured me and I gaived 58 pounds." It' abeolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Cords, La Grippe, Bronchitis and all
Throat and Long Troubles. Price 50 cents and $\$ 100$. Trial bottles free at J. E. Ksufmann's drug store.

## Paper Stockings.

The latest with regard to paper is ack which we are apt to think sacred to be uses of the library. It is said hat paper can easily be made into a sort of strong twine; this is rough ered to give it a moolly look, and it
is then kritted as though it were the is then kritted as though it were the
real thing. This curious hosiery is to be retailed at a price averaging three-balf-pence 9 pair, which will go
far to lighten the labors of the patient (or impatient) work and wash er women, for who would darn stock-
ings with new ones at hand at that unheard of price?
Even the self made man is prefer able to the machine-made candidate

Our Gaston Letter. To the Editor of the Dispatch: We are till having cold weather.
Old witter has spresd his icy Old winter has spresd bis icy man tle over the earth and the prond pines bave bowed their head
humble submission to bis will. humble submission to his will.
Sly Capid seems to be absent jus now inferring from the absence orange blossoms. Guess be think the times are a little too hard, and til the appearance of the lovely au tumnal days.
We don't hear much talk of pur hasing ferilizers. Hope our farm rs may learn wisdom from last year xperience and buy less fertilizer and make more at home. We hear too much cry of hard times. The farmers as a rule bring it upon themselves. If they could be awaken to the great fect and truth of planting more bread stuffs for home consump tion they would realize that that there is a respecteble living in farm ing. This year the farmers shoul
plant just half the acreage they in tend to plapt in cotton and plant more corn, peas, hay. potatoes, etc. they will see that farming will pay better. We as farmers just can fford to raise 5 and 8 cents cotton nd pay 10 and 13 cents for
Mr. D B Sphaler has moved his mercantile business to Pelion an consolidated. We regret to hava him lesve us, but wish tim an abund ansiness.
Mr. W. A. Goodwin contemplate ncreasing bis business by building dwelling separate from his stor and taking the rear of the building now occupied by his family and fill ing it up with goods.
The work on the academy her progresses slowly but surely at will be ready for the next free term. The measles bave been raging and the happy Felix family did notescape Such another time Billy had getting up berbs, roots, spices, ginger, foilage, etc, to make teas, teas, teas-all the teas imaginable were made Billy ean sympathize with you, Mr ditor, in your semi-annual chas fter the root of all evil. For magine your trials and efforts ar xperiences are as varied as min ere in nursing the messles. But hen, it was a joy to Billy to aid n nursing the dear little ones in un sur this disease. They sre well now, isease. They are woll now, an heerful and as gay as a lark a ter a June bug and Billy and rejoicing that it is so.
Now is the time for the people by burning the accumulation of vegtable matter before the blustering inds of fussy old March and fickle pril are unharnessed to roam fill and where they plesse
When the time comes for parance of the candidate, we fee afe that we can and will furnish our quots of as good men as the county
Billy Felix. February 17, 1902.
Dots from Near Lewiedaie.
To the Editor of the Dispatch
The health of our community seems be improving.
The long spell of typhoid fever has passed away
Mrs. J. E. Oswalt and family bare had an attack of typhoid fever bot ill have recovered and are now hale misfortune of losing one of his sons. He was about twelve years of age. Mr. Miles J. Kyzer passes up the road every morning with a bright ace carrying the mail. W
Mr. Bysinger and family are visit $\operatorname{ing}_{\operatorname{man}} \mathrm{b}$.

Mr. J. E. Taylor is preparing to Mr. .
Mr. Jere Miller has moved in the
A gang of telegraph repairers passed through our community the ther week repairing the wires. They are doing a fine job. They were camped near Mr. Taylor's mill for a
week.
Take Life for the Liver and Kidneys


All Farmers Shorid Attend. At the rf quest of Congressman L. Depar Persor Spilman of the . Department of Agriculture, bas Represeta sonal District. Profesor Spillman wishes to meet as many as possible of the farmers of tbia District with view of interssting them and engaging their co-operatio
The farmers are earnestly urged to attend this meeting. Peofesser Spillman besides thorougbly discussiog this subject will have in and for dapted th soil and climate. His time being limited, we bave mede arrangements
following meetings:
St. George's C. H., Monday, March $10 \mathrm{fh}, 11$ oclock a m
Orangeburg C. H. Tuesday, March 11th, 11 oclock s. m .
Sumper C H. Thursas, March 3th, 11 oclock a. m.
Lexington C. H. Saturday, March 15th, 11 o'clock 8. m. A. Z Stroman,

Thos. G. McLeod,
D. F. Efird,
Com. of the 7th Cong. Dis.

## A Firioman's Close Call.

'I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain, writes Burlington, Iowa., "I was wesk and Burlington, Iowa., I was west
pale, without any appetite and all pale, without any appetite aive up,
run down. I was about to give run down. I was about to give ap,
I got a bottle of Electric Bitters and, after taking it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weab, sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their 18e. Try tbem. Satisfaction guaranteed by J. E. Kaufmann. Price

## Notice Townshiy Board of

 Assessors.The Township and Town Boards of Assessors will meet at some convenient place in their respectiv townsbips on Tueshay, the tha Marcb, 1902, or as soon thereatter as practical. The chairman of each board will cali at the Audtor's offies from the 1 st to the 4 th for returns,
instructions, etc. Aurrick,

## For Stomach Trozibles

"I have taken a great many different medicines for stomach trouble and conslipaio, says Mro. S. Geiger or had as good results from any as from C."

## Baccalanreate Sermon.

Rev. John W. Horine, pastor of St. John's Lutheran church, Charles. ton S. C., has accepted the invitation of the faculty of Newberry College to presch the baccalaureate sermon

Joints Like Rusty Finges among the consequescs of rheumatism. The sufferer can move makes him wince He rejoices when a good rubbing with Perry Davis' Painkiller drives the stiffaess out and brings the freedom of motion back. No wonder our grandfathers liniment rily in this or killer, Perry Davis?

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We thavk you very cordially for your patronage for be past year. and hope to grow more popular with you wh utfering values in order in increase our hafl Lesp we ate cifering values such as you have dever bad the $\$ 1060$ Suit made by the Best Tailors. $\$ 5$ bill buys a
Other higher

