

# THE LEXINGTON DISPATCH.

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## GLOBE DRY GOODS COMPANY,

W. H. MONCKTON, JR., MANAGER,

1820 MAIN STREET, COLUMBIA, S. C.

Solicits a Share of Your Valued Patronage. Polite and Prompt Attention.



### TRUTH IN POETRY.

We have Shoes for everybody,  
The big man and the tall—  
For those who wear them very large.  
And those who wear them small.  
We have Shoes for the merchant  
prince,  
The Banker and the Farmer too,  
For the Parson and the lawyer  
And a pair or so for you.  
We have Shoes for the hoary sage,  
Or the infant on mother's knees;  
Ours are the kind that wear the best  
And are always sure to please.  
We have Shoes for the school boy.  
To run and tag his mate,  
Or Shoes for the blushing lover  
Hanging o'er the gate.  
We have shoes for the cowboy  
Of the wild and wooly West,  
And Shoes for the sporty dude  
Who always buys the best.

### LEVER, THE SHOE MAN.

COLUMBIA, S. C.

### Men's

### Fall Furnishings

MY STOCK IS NEW AND COMPLETE  
— IN —

Neckwear, Gloves, Underwear, Half Hose,  
Handkerchiefs, Shirts, Knox & Stet-  
son's Soft and Stiff Hats, Suit  
Cases, and Hand Bags, White  
and Fancy Vests.

### SUITS MADE TO ORDER.

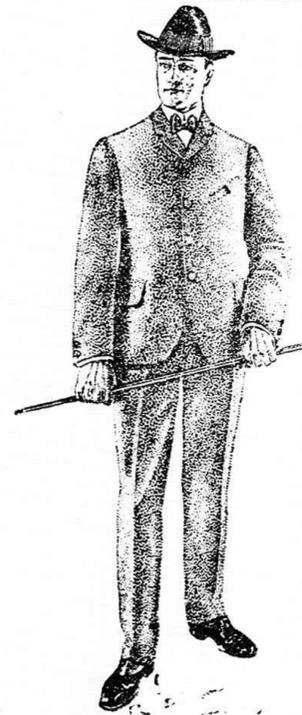
A FIT GUARANTEED.

### J. H. Eleazer,

HABERDASHER.

1814 MAIN STREET COLUMBIA, S. C.

### GIRARDEAU & MARSHALL THE CLOTHIERS.



**WANT YOUR TRADE.**  
WE OFFER YOU THE BEST MAKES  
OF  
**CLOTHING**  
at the most moderate prices.  
*Your Editor says if you  
will call on us and see*  
**THE BARGAINS**  
We offer that we will double our business  
with the people of Lexington.  
**OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT**  
*The Same to All.*

For line of Goods marked  
**GENTS' FURNISHINGS.** in plain figures  
MEN AND YOUTHS SUITS from \$5.00  
to \$25.00.  
BOYS' SUITS from \$2.00 to \$5.00.

**Girardeau  
&  
Marshall,**  
1601 Main St., COLUMBIA, S. C.

The Fair grounds at Lexington will be opened one week before the Fair for all who desire to use the arena. Apply to Wade Caughman near the grounds for admittance.

Whitten, the Racket man of Batesburg, is making a loud noise to sell goods at such low prices. Go there and you will be awfully astonished.

Wanted—50 to 100 acres of good longleaf pine timber for saw milling. Give location and distance from railroad, with lowest cash price. Address, "Timber," care the Dispatch.

See the Big Value stationery package containing 12 sheets superfine note paper and 12 extra heavy envelopes. Price 5 cents, at the Bazaar.

There will be "Rally Day" exercises at Pond Branch church on Saturday before the first Sunday in November, a basket picnic will be given and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mr. Jos. A. Derrick, formerly of Brookland, this county, now at Grendel mill, Greenwood, S. C., visited his brother, Mr. Frank Derrick, here on Friday. He seems well pleased with Greenwood.

The Brookland Light Infantry will give an exhibition drill in the arena at the Lexington Fair on Wednesday at 3 p. m. Be sure and see them. This company has lately returned from the scene of actual service in Virginia.

Messrs. James and John Fox have been given the contract for erecting the poles and stringing the wires for the local telephone company, and commenced work this morning. Poles are being put up along Depot street.

Girardeau & Marshall, The Clothiers, Columbia, want your trade and will make it to your interest to call on them. They carry an elegant line of goods and are pleasant gentlemen to deal with. Read their advertisement and be sure to call and see them.

On account of the intolerable dust the business men have chipped in to have Main street sprinkled. We have a well 120 feet deep of never failing pure water, clear as a crystal and sparkling as a diamond which our people use for domestic purposes. It is far ahead of Broad river soup.

The clothing exhibit for fair week visitors inaugurated by P. C. Price & Co. of Columbia, promises to be the feature during that festive occasion. If you want a nobby suit or a stylish pair of shoes, fried bosom shirt or a dandy, tie see them. They are Lexington boys and deserve a portion of your trade. See what they say in their advertisement.

## We are Not Boasting

but we want you to know that the

### MATTHEWS - BOUKNIGHT CO.,

have the biggest General Store between Columbia and Augusta. We keep everything. We have just unloaded three solid cars of Furniture. We can suit you in anything in this line at prices that you will appreciate. More and better and cheaper clothing than ever offered before. Shoes, Hats, Dry Goods and Notions to no end. If you see them you will buy. A special and complete line of Fancy Dry Goods. Everything new. Staple and Fancy Groceries to supply everybody. Hardware and Farmers' Supplies to please the most critical buyer.

### WE KNOW YOUR WANTS

Our previous years of successful service to our customers has given us the experience which has enabled us to select the immense stock that we are now opening. We bought at prices that mean money to you. Come and call for what you want. We will see that the prices are all right. Bring anything what you have to sell from your Cotton to your Eggs.

We have the very kind of Buggy you have been looking for. The Old Hickory Wagon runs the easiest and last the longest.

Yours for a prosperous year.

### Matthews-Bouknight Company,

LEESVILLE, S. C.

### Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic

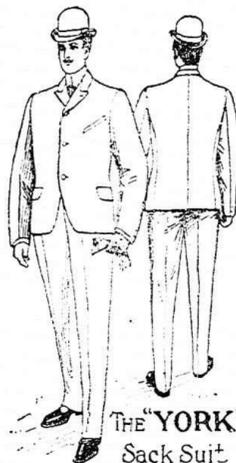
has stood the test 25 years. Average Annual Sales over One and a Half Million bottles. Does this record of merit appeal to you? No Cure, No Pay. 50c. Enclosed with every bottle is a Ten Cent package of Grove's Black Root Liver Pills.

### DECIDED ELEGANCE IN MEN'S CLOTHING

What the artists have accomplished in their production of clothing this season, proves that we have the most reliable and fashionable goods that New York makers have ever sent out. Young, middle-aged or old men will do well to look into the merits of our many styles and prices. It is a noble

### BUSINESS SUIT AT \$8.50

that you want we have it. Then at \$10.00 and \$15.00 we have the top notch of style for any occasion. Trousers, fancy vests, New Hats, Shirts, Neckwear, Underwear, Night Shirts, Fancy Hosiery, and these and more to be seen at



THE "YORK" Sack Suit "EFF-EFF"

### M. L. KINARD, The Clothier.

1523 Main Street, COLUMBIA, S. C.

### Return to the Old Law.

Forty dollars is all that is left of the many thousands appropriated by the last Legislature for the expenses of special courts in the counties of the State, and there are still several Judges to pay. The trouble with the machinery is that we have too many lawyers who have to be supported at the public expense. And it is a known fact that our courts is the most expensive of our machinery of government that the taxpayers have to bear. There are various reasons why this is so. Without going into detail we mention that there is too much leniency on the part of Circuit Judges towards attorneys and litigants in the disposition of cases. In other words, there is too much waste of time, chief among which we mention that in many instances, the business of the Sessions Courts is finished in a short time—a day or two, say. Yet under the present law the Court of Common Pleas adjourns and the jury panel is dismissed. This is a hardship upon the jurors for as a rule, they make arrangements to stay away from home for a week and to do so they have gone to considerable expense, in besides the country and State is put to expense of paying salaries between the adjournment of the Court of Sessions and the convening of the Common Pleas Court. The law should be so amended that the Common Pleas Court can be called immediately after the adjournment of the Court of Sessions as under the old law. Then the same jurors can proceed with the business without any loss of time. Considerable time will be saved by this change, back to the old rule, which would expedite the business and lighten the burden of taxation.

### Unclaimed Mail.

List of unclaimed letters for the month of September, 1904:

- Males  
Cally, Amerson.  
Edison, Toney.  
Gainers, J. F.  
Hicks, Cincloy.  
Johnson, A. J.  
Long & Son.  
Little, Jilson  
Murphy, J. Y.  
Potterfield, Hardy.  
Powers, F. B.  
Smith, D. T.  
Stevenson, R. M. care F. M. Brown.  
Tisdall, R. B.  
Williams, Henry.  
Females  
Craig, Mrs. Win  
Furtick, Mrs. Daisy Malean.  
Golman, Miss Hattie.  
Rice, Mrs. R. P.  
S. J. Leaphart,  
Postmaster.

### Shingle Mill

Complete outfit for sale at a bargain—including engine, boiler and shingle mill; two large mules and wagon. For terms, etc., apply to Chas. E. Corley, Lexington, S. C.

Miss Ethel Campsty, of Columbia, is the teacher of the primary department of the Swansea Graded school.

### 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.

THE PRICES TELL.

THE QUALITY SELLS.

### J. B. FRIDAY & CO.,

Wholesale and Retail

### GROCERS, FLOUR, FEED AND GRAIN, SEED RUST PROOF OATS.

We Want the Merchants, Planters and Farmers of Lexington County to Call and See Us Before They Make Their Purchases. We Can Fill Your Wants and Save You Money.

1823 and 1825 Main Street, COLUMBIA, S. C.



### Some Other Things

You will see without cost and will save money. CHIEF among the latter is the

### STOCK OF CLOTHING, SHOES, HATS AND MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

For sale at the store at

### P. C. PRICE & CO.,

1001 GERVAIS ST., COLUMBIA, S. C.

EXHIBITED SPECIAL KUPPERHEIMER'S CLOTHING, HUMANIC SHOES.