

ides of having this road which certainly will enhance their property and be of inestimable value to the community through which it passes. Let the land owners throw no obstacles, unnecessarily, in the way as to its construction, but aid in every way possible.

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The conference of prominent prohibitionist held in Columbia last week is said to have had no politics in it, but was purely an effort to deal with the liquor question from a scientific point of view, and the movement promises goud.

It has always been our opinion that it is best to eliminate the liquor question entirely from politics. If we are to have the question settled by the people of the State, let the executive committee furnish boxes at the primary election in every county and allow the people to express themselves on the question of liquor or no liquor." Mixing men with this question will likely not give us the most efficient officere.

Capt. Charles Inglesby, a gallant Confederate veteran, distinguished lawyer and for thirty-five years secretary of the grand lodge of Masons of this State, died in the 68th year of his age, at the residence of his sonin-law, Dr. E. M. Whaley, in Columbia, March 26th. He had been in declining health for about two years, and the end, though sudden, was not unexpected. His remains were buried in Charleston.

Gen. Carwile has accepted the invitation to hold the reunion of Confederate veterans in Columbia some time in May, and the citizens are going to entertain the old soldiers in grand style.

Samuel Wingard Dead.

We have just learned of the death of Mr. Samuel Wingard, who moved from this county to Orangeburg county about twenty years ago, and died there on the 26th February, 1906, in the 78th year of his age. He will be remembered by the members of company K, 20th Regiment, S. C. V., and was a jovial and faithful soldier, but he has answered the last

paper, this being the 35th year he has subscribed for and read the Ditpatch. He is one of our war comrades and a warm friend. There is not many such men as Jake.

Rav. C. J. Sox has resigned the Willis-Gladesboro pastorate in Virginis, and has accepted a call from Mt. Pleasant pastorste, Saluda, S C, and will take charge of the work about the 2d Sunday in April. On his return he will stop over to visit his relatives in this section.

The case of Elliott Gunter and wife vs. Burt Fallow and wife, to test title to land, before F. E. Dreher as referee, brought to town today a number of citizens from the Edisto sec tion, as witnesses. Asbill and Sharpe are attorneys for the plaintiffs, and Graham and Martin are for the defendants.

Ex-Senator Sharpe was in town yesterday on legal business and still believes that there is more in law for him than in politics, but we doubt his friends allowing him to stay out of the political arena this summer when the rest of mankind are seeking office and they are on the hustings.

Jake Barr and George Wright, colored, whom Sheriff Corly arrested in Orangeburg county last week, charged with stealing clothing, &?. from hands on the place of Mr. J E B. McCartha, were convicted before Judge Mack, at Leesville, last Saturday, and fined, which they paid and was released.





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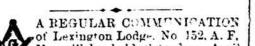
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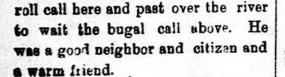
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M., will be beld Saturday, April 7, 1906 at 7 p m. Ther- will be work in the third decree and other important business to transact. By order of the W. M. Godfrey M. Harman, Secretary.