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WALHALLA, S. C. :

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11, 1903.

WM. J. BRYAN denies emphatically that he has ever said he would lead a bolt from the National Democratic Convention if the Chicago platform is not adopted. Bryan is quite a busy man. It must take a considerable part of his time to diotate his denials of statements attributed to him.

THE forty-eighth session of the Southern Baptist Convention, the largest deliberate body in the world, will be held in Savannah, Ga., this year, beginning May 8th, at 10 o'clock a. m. Its sessions will be held in the First Baptist church It is anticipated that between and 2,500 people will be in attend-

THERE will be two special commissit during the year to make reports back to the next Legislature. One has reference to improvements on the State House and the other has reference of taxation and ascertaining fro es more revenue may be obse latter is by far the most all the cost will be money well sp

THE South Carolina State dist last Friday placed orders with various distillers and brewers as follows: Rye and corn whiskey (1, 2 and 3-X) 1,337 barrels; higher grades, 4,355 cases; beer, 12 cars; and quantities of sundries, such as bottles, demijohns, corks, lead seals, etc. All of which may be taken as an indication that South Carolina does not expect a great temperance movement among her citizens for a month or so at any rate. Wouldn't it be a picnic for Mrs. Nation if she could get to use her hatchet promiscuously in this assortment of the Commonwealth's booze?

THE Wisconsin Legislature recently passed a resolution calling upon the Governors of the various States to appoint delegates to a convention to be held in Atlanta to discuss the race question. Governor Heyward has declined-and wisely, we think-to appoint delegates from this State. What possible good could come of such a convention? A much better course would be to persuade the wise-acres, who talk constantly and aggravate the race question, to give us a rest and hold their tongues. The negro is all right in his place, and if he is let alone will be pretty apt to keep it.

ENGLAND is said to be in the throes of an Irish language craze. Dispatches from London state that Irish plays are all the rage, the names of railway stations are being repainted and emblazoned in the Gaelic, and some enthusiasts insist up 'n their bankers honoring checks writtin Irish. "The craze appears to have practically the whole country in its grip, If you havy tears to shed for Ireland, pre pare to shed them now. About all she ever had that could be called her own was her brogue, and it seems that England is determined to take that, too.

REV. L. M. ROPER, of Spartanburg, has decided to decline the presidency of Furman University, which was recently tendered to him by the board of trustees of that institution. In declining the honor Rev. Mr. Roper took occasion to say, among other things: "I am deeply sensible of the distinction conferred upon me by your honorable body in electing me president of Furman University, and I thank you for this token of your confidence and esteem. I regret very much that I cannot accept the position of trust and usefulness to which you have called me; for I love Furman University, my alma mater, and I am willing, if it were right, to give my life to her service. I decline this call to be president for one, and only one, real. ferred upon me by your honorable be president for one, and only one, reason: I feel it to be my duty to continue my work as pastor of the First Baptist church of Spartanburg. I have been here only three years, and my work is in no sense complete. I have enthusiastic confidence in the future of Furman University. I believe heartily that versity. I believe heartily that the brightest day in her history is now dawning. While I decline the offer of the presidency with much regret, I pledge my heart and hand, as pastor, to this great work of Christian education."

Living at the Age of 116.

Mobile, Ala., March 7.—A special from Montgomery says that Mrs. Marsylla Keith, of that city, is to-day celebrating her 116th birthday with religious services at her home. Mrs. Keith was born in South Carolina, but has been living in Alabama since a child. She has lived in three centuries and has vivid recollections of incidents before the way of 1819. tions of incidents before the war of 1812. She has been bed-ridden for six years, but her faculties are not in the least impaired. She is the mother of thirteen children, but only two are living.

Jos. A. McCullough, Esq., of Green-ville bar, will preside at a special term of Court at Greenwood to be convened

Cadet Paul J. Steel, of Chester, died at Clemson Sunday morning. He had been ill with pneumonia for several weeks.

SEVERE ATTACK OF GRIP.

Cured by One Bottle of Chamberlain's Cough

Remedy. "When I had an attack of the grip last winter (the second one) I actually oured myself with one bottle of Ohap was a factor of the property of the second one) I actually oured myself with one bottle of Ohap was a factor of Ohap with the second one) I actually oured myself with one bottle of Ohap was a factor of Ohap was a "When I had an attack of the grip

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ife. Richardson & Gfenn gave an entertain-

ment at the school house last Wednesday night. They have a very good little

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was a terrible explosion. The flames communicated quickly with the other tank cars and a second and third explosion followed each other in rapid succession. Sheets of flame shot out in all discontinuous and the second and the secon

rections. Scores of persons were caught within the zone of the fire and enveloped in flames. Men and boys ran screaming down the tracks with their clothing a mass of flames. Others fell where they stood, overcome by the awful heat. Just how many were killed is not known as many were killed is not known, as many of the bodies were incinerated. Twenty-two bodies have been taken from the wreckage and 42 are injured. Some of them are burned beyond recognition, only the trunks and skulls remaining.

Another Shooting at Greenville.

West Fuller was shot and wounded last West Fuller was shot and wounded last Saturday night about 8 o'clock in a house near the Laurens depot by Earle Floyd. Both parties are white. The shooting is said to have taken place while the two men were engaged in playing cards. The police were at once notified of the occurrence. Chief Kennedy, Sergeant Hall and other men of the force hurried to the place where the shooting was reported to have occurred. They found Fuller in an unconscious condition, lying on the piazza of a house occupied by a colored woman. He was shot in three places, one ball passing through the leg inst above the knee, the second lodging in the leg about two inches above the in the leg about two inches above the knee, while the third took effect near the right groin. The wounds were not serious. Floyd is at large. The shooting took place in a short distance of where Tom Wilson was killed a week ago by Gillam Wilbanks.—Greenville News.

Later—Fuller died Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

NEWS IN AND AROUND WESTMINSTER.

Townville, March 9.—It continues to rain, and the farmers are not doing much towards farm work.

Small grain is advancing, and the once barren fields are looking green again.

Miss Daisy Brock, assistant teacher here, visited friends near Anderson Saturday and Sunday.

Prof. L. M. Mahaffey, of Starr, Anderson county, was a welcome visitor in our little hamtet last week.

Our school is still in a flourishing condition under the good management of Prof. J. E. Cheatham.

Prof. John G. Clinkscales, of Wofford College, will lecture in the academy next Saturday night for the benefit of the new M. E. Church. Townville should feel proud of securing such a fine lecturer, and we hope that our neighboring towns will take advantage of this opportunity to hear a good lecture.

Mr. L. O. Bruce has purchased another fine horse.

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J. L. Adams & Co., blacksmiths, are mow prepared to do all kinds of repair work on short notice. They temporarily suspended work last week while the shop building was being removed and remodeled.

Rev. R. P. Walker preached in the

Tokeena, March 9.—Our school is moving along nicely. We have one of the best teachers in Oconee. She had the mumps, but did not lose a day from the school room. That shows what a good teacher we have.

Married, Sunday, March 1, by Rev. T. C. Ligon, of Townyille, Mr. Paul Cleveland and Miss Lula Gibson. Their many friends wish for them a long and happy life.

Tuns over the Atlanta and Charlotte divisions use the same track into Dauville.

None of the farmers in our community have been able to market their cotton at 10 cents yet. Quite a number have been holding a few bales for that price. At one time it looked very much as though they would get it, but cotton took a big tumble last week and the chances are less hopeful now.

A. L. Gossett.

Danger of Colds and Grip.

The prayer meeting continues to be good. T. P. Singleton conducted the meeting last Wednesday evening. Mr. Alfred Prichard will conduct the next meeting.

Miss Maude Zachary has been quite sick for the past few days.

We will soon have a nice little town—We will soon have a nice little town—two stores, one blacksmith shop, two We will soon have a nice little town—
two stores, one blacksmith shop, two
ginneries, several nice dwelling houses,
one nice street, a good church, a good
school house, good people and everybody living at home.

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their work on account of the wet weather. Judging from the amount of guano that is being bought the farmers are preparing for another big crop of Cotton.

Plug Ugly.

Many Cremated by Oil Explosion.

Ernest Jones, the young Atlanta man who was accidentally shot in Augusta last week by a member of the State militia, while practicing at target shooting, died Saturday morning in the Augusta city hospital.

The End of Jeffeoats

me, and damned if you are going to hurt me."

So quick was the outlaw that he had the tree between him and the officers before they could recover from their astonishment. As he concluded his remarks he pulled the trigger and at the same instant both deputies did the same. Once more a bullet came from the outlaw's gun and again the officers fired. The officers were in the act of loading their guns when Jeffcoates toppled upon the ground dead.

As Deputy Dunson attempted to step forward, he too, dropped upon the ground. A bullet from the outlaw's pistol had passed entirely through the fleshy part of his left leg just above the knee. Both shotguns were loaded with buckshot and notwithstanding the tree, Jeffcoates's body was cut horribly by the leaden missies. The body is worth to the Sheriff in all \$1,550.

Jeffcoates was a horse thief and killed Deputy Flanders, who was trying to arrest him. He escaped into South Carolina, where he killed a Deputy Sheriff who was after him.

The State of Georgia offered \$300 for the outlaw, dead or alive, Flanders' family offered \$300 and Emanuel county \$150, the latter two rewards being now in bank in Swainsboro, and making in Georgia \$1,050. The State of South Carolina offered \$300 for the fugitive, dead or alive, and Aiken county gave \$200.

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COUNTY CLAIMS AUDITED.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Board of County Co.

n F	n Friday, March 6, 1903, the following claims were audited:		
Claim No.	In Whose Favor and Nature	ot .	
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9 36	*J B Alexander, work on roads in District 42 *R A Hudson, building new road in Keowee township J Vinson, work on Blackwell bridge and lumber J A McDonald, work on roads in District 19. J R McMahan, repairing wagons and tools.	41	

R J Vinson, work on Blackwell bridge and lumber.

J A McDonald, work on roads in District 19.

J A McMahan, repairing wagons and tools.

H G Langston, work with chain gang.

J R Bouncan, work with chain gang.

J C Barton, corn and fodder for county mules.

*The Newry Store, aiding old soldier.

E L Stone, work on bridge in Seneca township.

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R S Ratledge, work on roads in District 63.

B S Look, re-roofing wings of Court House.

James Eller, work with chain gang.

B R R Santledge, work on roads in Seneca district.

B R Moss, piping and fixtures for jail ram.

State Company, road tax receipts.

D F Lumkin, work on roads in Seneca district.

B H Rowland, lumber for County Commissioners' office.

"Grand Rapids School Furniture Works, seats for Court House Selberry Brown, work on bridge in Center township.

S Jacob Rothell, work on road in Pniaski township.

B R Moss, Sheriff, dieting account for February.

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B R Moss, Sheriff, conveying lunatic to asylum.

D A Smith, Judge of Probate, lunacy precedings.

J W Stringer, work on roads in District 72.

J L McCarley, running ferry for a month.

C L Craig, Supt. Ed., salary, stamps, etc., for February.

B R Sanders, work on roads in District 72.

J L McCarley, running ferry for a month.

M L W Vissage, putting box across sidewalk in District 27.

S C Biggerataff, work on roads in Seneca district.

J J Pickens, building arch for Horseshoe bridge.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

ROAD TO BUILD .- The Board of ROAD TO BUILD.—The Board of County Commissioners will let, on TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 1903, the contract to build a road in Keowee township, beginning at Burgain Reed place and leading to the new Steele's Ford iron bridge. Contracts will be let in 40 rod sections. Road to be made sixteen feet wide and free of all stumps, roots, rocks, etc. The Board will begin letting the contracts at the bridge end of the road and come through to Reed place. Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

D. F. McALISTER,

County Supervisor,

March 11, 1903.

Pay Your Street Tax.

NOTICE is hereby given that the street tax books are how open at the store of C. W. Pitchford Co. All paying on or before the first day of April will pay \$2, atter that date tax is \$4.

C. W. PITCHFORD, Clerk.

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Legal Advertisements.

MASTER'S SALE. STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF OCONEE. In the Court of Common Pleas. John D. Verner, Plaintiff,

Frances E. Pickens, Defendant. Prances E. Pickens, Defendant.

By virtue of Decretal Order in the above entitled action, signed by his Honor R. O. Purdy, Judge Presiding in the Eighth Judicial Circuit, on March 5th, 1903, I will sell, at public auction, in front of the Court House door, in Walhalla, South Carolina, on salesday in April, 1903, within the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, to-wit:

sale, the following described real estate, to-wit:

All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Oconee, of the State of South Carolina, on both sides of the middle prong of Snow Creek, waters of Conneross Creek, waters of Seneca River, adjoining lands of Frank Brown, Joseph Shirley, Robert Moore, John Graham, E. B. Haulbrooks, Clarissa E. Dickson, Sallie A. Reeder and others, containing one hundred and forty-seven and one-half acres, more or less, and having such metes and bounds as shown by a plat of same made by J. B. Sanders, surveyor, on the 18th dear of February 1907. same made by J. B. Sanders, surveyor, on the 18th day of February, 1897, and being the same tract of land conveyed to Frances E. Pickens by W. A. Lowery by deed bearing date the 23d day of April, 1896, and recorded in Office of Register of Mesne Conveyance of Oconee County, South Carolina, on the 16th day of November, 1897, in Book "T", Pages 560, 561 and 662.

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HUNTER, DENDY &

Seneca, S. C.

This is the season when all good house-keepers are planning for their spring 70 \$ 81 70 Clothes, and when they can take a day off and go to one store where they can get all they want and know they are getting value as well as right prices. Such a place we are doing our best to keep. 5 And then the landlord wants to place his business where he knows all his wishes can be gratified without having his business scattered; where he can get good Fertilizer, good Agricultural Implements, and tools of all kinds, and when he wants Flour he gets the good old-fashioned kind that is not sticky. The Coffee he buys of us carries him back to his happy boyhood days when it was "fit for a king." We make a study of these things, and if you will do yourself the justice to look through our stores before buying, we will promise to give you the best service possible and show you la stock of high-class goods second to none in the up-country.

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Swift's Plantation Acid with Potash 10-2.

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