# Clemson Commencement.

The closing exercises of Clemson

as follows: "The Old in the New," his life-time, he secured the signs-by Thos. S. Stokes, Darlington; tures of twelve Presidents of the by Lawrence G. Southard, Union; as follows, together with the names "Contributions to Civilization by the of Presidents who signed it : Hebrews," by David Hugh Hill, | Being satisfied from observation Abbeville.

Prof. C. M. Furman, of the Depart- world. ment of English.

It is worthy of note that of the large class, twenty-one of the gradu ates took the electrical course, and that eight of these have signed contracts for positions in the General Electric Company's works, three to go to Westinghouse people, and the others all have positions equally as good. H. L. Jenkins, Barnwell, has a position with the Southern Power Company, N. C., and J. H. Reid has a job with an Anderson company.

There were 60 graduates.



lina as I believe, I will reduce the weight of storage batteries in antomobiles 50 per cent, and the cost of traffic in cities 55 per cent," says Thomas A. Edison.

Thomas A. Edison, the wizard of electrical inventions, arrived in this city Monday afternoon, after touring Western North Carolina in search of cobalt beds, and is thoroughly convinced that he has located knew that the valuable ore existed in

# A Famous Presidential Declaration.

Attention has been called to the Agricultural and Mechanical College famous temperance declaration retook place Tuesday, May 12, when a ferred to by Join G. Woolley in his large class of young men was gradu- recent address at the Oregon State ated. The exercises were rather Prohibition Convention, the particubrief, owing to the absence of Presi- lars of which have not been published dent Craighead, of Tulane Uni- in many years. It is the remarkable versity, formerly head of Clemson document, first drafted in the year College. Dr. Craighead was to 1884, at the instance of Edward Cormake the commencement address. velius Delevan, (founder of the New His enforced absence was regretted. York State Temperance Society in

mmon and American Manhood," United States. The document was

and experience, as well as from medi-

A number of medals were awarded. cal testimony, that ardent spirits as The first, that given by the trus a drink, is not only needless," but tees for excellence in debate, went to hurtful, and that the entire disuse of D. E. Purifoy, Saluda. The pre- it would tend to promote health, the sentation was made by W. E. G. virtue and happiness of the commu-Black, Spartanburg. Three medals nity, we hereby express our convicfor the best essay, story and poem, tion that should the citizens of the respectively were won by H. W. United States, and especially the Moore, Oconee; A. F. Cleveland, young men, discontinue entirely the Spartanburg, and F. B. McLaurin, use of it, they would not only pro-Marlboro. These medals were mote their own personal benefit, but handed the winners on Tuesday by the good of our country and the

> Andrew Jackson, James Madison, John Quincy Adams, Martin Van Buren, John Tyler, James K. Polk, Zachery Taylor, Millard Fillmore, Franklin Pierce, James Buchanan, Abraham Lincoln, Andrew Johnson.

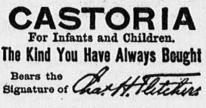
### FOLEYSHONEYANDTAR ures Golds; Prevents Pneu

Thousands Drown in Chinese Floods.

Victoria, B. C., June 14 .- Enormous loss of life has resulted from floods in Hunan province, China, by reason of floods, according to ad-

vices received here. The streams are out of their banks, an immense territory is under water, and many villages have been wiped out. The loss of life, it is said, will go away up in the thousands.

So far as heard from, all the missionaries in the flooded section are safe.



The Courier-\$1 per year-56th year.

The State Funeral Directors' Association will meet in Greenville on June 24-25.

Lucius Jones was shot through \$5,000. mough of the mineral to startle the heart and killed in Chester by electrical world. He say that he Gus Lee recently. Both are colored.

#### Cattle Raisers Mako Protest.

Washington, June 9 .- When the beef nspection hearing before the House committee on agriculture begun to day, Representative Garner, of Texas, made a plea for speedy action. "Since this matter came up," he said, "the people who have contracted to take our Texas steers have become alarmed and say they don't know whether or not they are going to take our cattle, and the result is we are in a state of uncertainty. I want to suggest that the committee get through with the matter as soon as possible. of votes as counted was in favor of There were three excellent essays, 1828), to which declaration, during Every day this thing is continued the no dispensary. A protest was filed stock man is losing money."

Representative Davis, of Minnesota, read a telegram from the South St. Paul Live Stock Exchange and Live Stock Board, voicing opposition to having the would inevitably come out of the former

stock raisers. Mr. Wilson, who represented the packers, corroborated this conclusion. Several te :grams were read from cat-

effect that the present agitation would bring about a heavy decline in the prices of cattle. Representative Haughen, of Iowa,

Texas, if he had read the President's message which estimated the cost of inspection at eight cents a head.

He had, he said, "but we do not want to pay it; that's our reason," replied cost on the cattle."

Mr. Haughen said that every member ot the committee, so far as he knew, was in favor of the government paying the cost. This cost has been estimated at the production of required registrafrom \$8,000,000 to \$20,000,000 annually. Dr. Melvin, chief of the bureau of ani mal industry, gave it as his opinion that canned ments kept under favorable conditions and air-tight would keep indefinitely.

said at this point : "The Japanese government sent a committee of officials who made an inspection of the plants

and methods, after which they bought many hundred thousands of cases of goods. Russia, during the war, was a large purchaser, but without inspection or examination. Occasionally other countries send a representative to make an examination of the plants and methods."

In reply to a gestion by Chairman here at Wadsworth, he said the only foreign complaint as to American meat he had The r ever received was as to three or four barrels of pigs' feet that went down to South America and were spoiled in transit.

A hundred years ago the best physi-cian would give you a medicine for your beart witho't stopping to consider what effect in might have on the liver. Even to this good day cough and cold medi-cines invariably bind the bowels. This is wrong. Bee's Laxative Cough Syrup with Honey and Tar acts on the bowels —drives out the cold—clears the head, re-lieves all coughs, cleanses and strength-ens the mucuous membranes of the throat, chest, lungs and bronchial tubes. Sold by Dr. J. W. Bell, Walhalla, and W. J. Lunney, Seneca.

#### What are Courts Coming to ?

Greenville, S. C., June 12 .- Because he was violently ejected from a trolley car for taking his seat beside a white woman, Hudson Johnson, a fifty-year-old negro of this city, was awarded in the Common Pleas Court here yesterday damages

against the Greenville Traction Company in the sum of \$500. He had asked for

Preacher Held for Deserting Navy.

## Court Finds Laurens Election Was Void.

Columbia, June 13 .- Judge Hydrick handed down his decision in L. E. Wright vs. Ed. L. Jones, in which he reversed the decision of the State Board of Canvassers.

This case was a proceeding growing out of the dispensary election in Laurens county, held on the 9th day of January, 1906, under the Brice law. In this election the majority before the county board by Mr. Wright and the county board held that as so many irregularities existed and no legal election had been expense placed on the packers because it held, declared the one held void and of no effect.

Both the dispensary and the antidispensary sides appealed to the State Board. The State Board tle raisers in Colorado and Texas to the found certain irregularities to have existed as a matter of fact in this election, but they held that as no fraud was charged or shown to exist, asked S. H. Cowan, of Fort Worth, the election should be held as valid and the decision of the county board was accordingly reversed and the dispensary must close.

A writ of certiorari was obtained Cowan. "But rather than do without from Judge Hydrick and argued bethe law we would be glad to levy the fore him on the 26th day of April in Columbia. He has sustained the ground of the petition, that inasmuch as this irregularity did exist, after tion certificates and proof of payment of taxes, no valid election was held, and consequently reversed the State Board and sustained the position taken by the county board. The

Mr. Wilson, representing the packers, dispensary consequently will still aid at this point: "The Japanese gov- continue to operate in Laurens county.

After Mose Hughes' Murderer.

Union, June 11 .- The atrocious murder of Mose Hughes, whose body, roped and weighted with rocks, was recently found in a river in the extreme Sou hern section of this county, will be thoroughly investigated, says Solicitor Sease, who is here at the regular June term of court

The matter is to be presented immediately to the Grand Jury, who are expected to reopen the case that has been

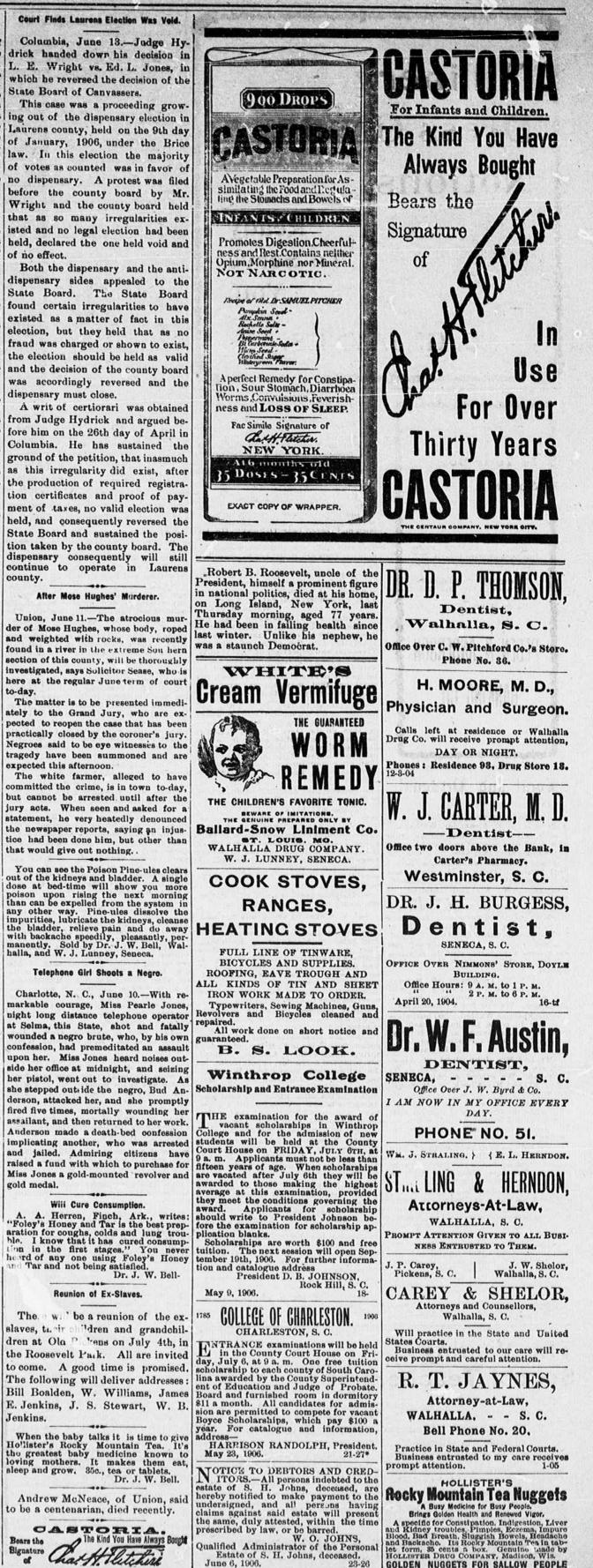
practically closed by the coroner's jury. Negroes said to be eye witnesses to the tragedy have been summoned and are expected this afternoon.

The white farmer, alleged to have committed the crime, is in town to-day, but cannot be arrested until after the jury acts. When seen and asked for a statement, he very heatedly denounced the newspaper reports, saying an injustice had been done him, but other than that would give out nothing. .

You can see the Poison Pine-ules clears out of the kidneys and bladder. A single dose at bed-time will show you more poison upon rising the next morning than can be expelled from the system in any other way. Pine-ules dissolve the than can be expelled from the system in any other way. Pine-ules dissolve the impurities, lubricate the kidneys, cleanse the bladder, relieve pain and do away with backache speedily, pleasantly, per-manently. Sold by Dr. J. W. Bell, Wal-halla, and W. J. Lunney, Seneca.

Telephone Girl Shoots a Negro.

Charlotte, N. C., June 10 .- With remarkable courage, Miss Pearle Jones, night long distance telephone operator Greenville, June 8.-Matthew Fortner, at Selma, this State, shot and fatally wounded a negro brute, who, by his own confession, had premeditated an assault upon her. Miss Jones heard noises outside her office at midnight, and seizing and has a child. He married Miss Ava her pistol, went out to investigate. As Gaines, of Gainesville, Ga. Fortner en- she stepped outside the negro, Bud Anderson, attacked her, and she promptly said to have deserted from the steam- fired five times, mortally wounding her



these mountains, but he did not ex pect to find it in such large quantitiet or so rich in quality.



Wanted Negress Buried by His Side.

Lexington, Ky., June 12 .- William K. Cowe, of Florence county, South Carovina Howe, have filed suits here to break the will of Major B. M. Thomas, the late noted breeder and turfman. The features of the will most bitterly attacked by the plaintiffs are the clauses wherein Major Thomas requested that his old family servant, "Aunt Marguerite Prior," be buried by his side in Lexington cemetery, and the one whereby he bequeathed practically all of his real estate to the negress. The petition filed by the plaintiffs alleges that it would be an everlasting disgrace to the character of Major Thomas and his relatives to have the will carried out. They allege that the negro woman used undue influence over the turfman during the last few years of his life, when his mind was weakened.

The cleansing, antiseptic and healing properties of Pinesalve make it superior to family salves. Sold by Dr. J. W. Bell, Walhalla, and W. J. Lunney, Seneca.

H. G. Miller, of Chicago, was tried in his absence at Columbia and convicted of attempting to bribe a juror. A sealed sentence has been left, and a bench warrant issued for Miller, who is out on \$1,500 bail.

For bloating, belching, sour stomach, bad breath, malassimilation of food, and all symptoms of indigestion, Ring's Dyspepsia Tablets are a prompt and efficient corrective. Sold by Dr. J. W. Bell, Wal-halla, and W. J. Lunney, Seneca.

Wm. Marcus, formerly of the United States Artillery, was convicted in Charleston last week of the murder of his wife.

> The Sans Souci Club, of Greenville, through its president, Capt. E. A. Smythe, has withdrawn its application for a charter, because the Secthat the club did not intend to operate a blind tiger.

A London cablegram says: The medical officer of Sculcoates, a suburb of Hull, announces thirty-five cases of sickness and six deaths in the local workhouse from eating frozen meat from the Argentine Republic. He has ordered a large quantity of the meat to be destroyed.

#### \$100 REWARD \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fra-ternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treat-ment. Hall's Catarrh is Cure taken inter-nally, acting directly upon the blood and mucuous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by build-up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have have so much faith in its curative pow-ers, that they offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggist, 76c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The railroad bridge, 1,000 feet long, which connects Galveston, Texas, with the mainland, was burned last week.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough

aged 28 years, a duly ordained Baptist minister and student at Furman University, was arrested here yesterday for descrting from the navy. He is married listed in the navy four years ago. He is ship Lancaster in Hampton Roads three months after he enlisted in the service retary of State required an affidavit and went direct to Gaincaville, where he married. He has been preaching and teaching ever since, and the past year supplied a church in a little village near here while pursuing his course of stridies at Furman. He bears an excellent reputtion

He bears an excellent reputation. Fortner says he was disappointed. If ein the navy and felt that he could not a main in it and serve God at the same time as he desired. He will be taken to Norfolk and court-martialed. Capt. E M. Blythe and several prominent citi-zens here have interested themselves in Fortner's case and will try to get a dis-charge for him through petition. Mrs. charge for him through petition. Mrs. Fortner and baby will go to the home of her father-in-law, in Pickens county.

Backache Any person having backache, to come. A good time is promised.

kidney pains or bladder trouble The following will deliver addresses : who will take two or three Bill Boalden, W. Williams, James Pine-ules upon retiring at night Jenkins. shall be relieved before morning.

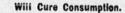
The medicinal virtues of the crude gums and resins ob-trined from the Native Pine have been recognized by the medical pro-fession for centuries. In Pine-ules we offer all of the virtues of the Native Pine that are of value in relieving all

Kidney and Bladder Troubles

Bears the

Bignature

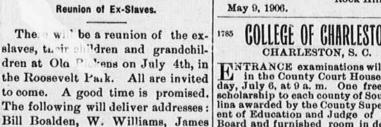
Prepared by PINE-ULE MEDICINE CO., CHICAGO SOLD BY DR. J. W. BELL.



A. A. Herren, Finch, Ark., writes: 'Foley's Honey and Tar is the best preparation for coughs, colds and lung trou-ble. I know that it has cured consumpion in the first stages." You never neurd of any one using Foley's Honey and Tar and not being satisfied. Dr. J. W. Bell-

**Reunion of Ex-Slaves.** 

Dr. J. W. Bell.



June 6, 1906. 23-26

**GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SALLOW PEOPLE**