

State Items.

Marion reports the crops in good prospect. Abbeville county reports the fruit crop very fine. Horse thieves are operating in Abbeville county. A hail storm passed over the lower part of Marion county last week.

The Sumter Watchman says: William James, younger brother of Rev. Burrell James, colored, said to have been of good character and habits, was killed at Wedgefield, on Wednesday last, in attempting to get aboard the train while in motion.

The bridge across Twelve Mile Creek, on the old State road, near this place, and the bridge across the same stream, at Leaphart's old mill, on the old Cambridge road, have been thoroughly repaired and put in good order, and the traveling public who may have occasion to travel over these roads will find no inconvenience.—Lexington Dispatch.

Deputy United States Marshal Mount and Williams arrived in Columbia on Monday from Oconee County with Rev. John S. Ezell, Baptist preacher, and J. J. Ezell, his son, who had fled from Sparthburg to escape arrest; also, W. B. Ward and R. L. Lebanon, from Unson County. These prisoners, arrested for violations of the Ku-Klux act, were arrested on the Severn River, in Oconee County. They were lodged in the county jail.

At a meeting of the bar and officers of the court for the county of Chesterfield, last week, complimentary resolutions, expressive of their feelings and sentiments of regard for Judge Rutland as a man and their approval of his course as an officer, and their appreciation of his services in the fair and impartial administration of justice of the times and the county, were unanimously adopted.

They were presented to his Honor by the Solicitor, Major A. J. Shaw, who, in an able and eloquent speech, expressed the sentiments of the people of Chesterfield at the loss of Judge Rutland as a judicial officer, to which his Honor responded in a feeling and impressive manner.—Marion Star.

The News.

New York, May 14. In the Methodist Conference to day, the Rev. Dr. Wild, delegate from Canada addressed the conference, saying the Canadian Methodist Episcopal Church would perform a union with the Methodist Episcopal Church of the United States rather than with other Methodist bodies in Canada, under their present relation with England. He said the Methodist Episcopal Church in Canada is growing more and more favorable to the independence of church and state, for the non-interference of Europe with this continent, and was politically and religiously growing tired of the interference of England. [Applause.] The address of Dr. Wild and his colleague, Dr. Bennett, were on motion of Dr. Haven, referred to a committee of nine.

WASHINGTON, May 13. In the House to-day Butler, of Massachusetts, reported a bill removing political disabilities from all persons who aided the rebellion, except senators and representatives in the Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh Congress, officers in the judicial military and naval service of the United States, and heads of departments and foreign ministers of the U. S. The bill was passed. Clarke, of Texas, was elected and Geddings sworn in in his place.

The conference committee have adopted the House substitute to Morrill's amendment to the deficiency bill, with some restrictions in regard to payments from the treasury. The court of claims has adjourned to November. All the important cases have been adjudicated. Several cases go over at the option of the claimants because the proof is incomplete. The Havana students imprisoned for desecrating Castanon's grave have been placed on the iron-clad Saragossa to be taken to Spain. They have full liberty and are visited by friends.

A Missouri editor considers that the care of his political opponents "would do for steeples to meeting-houses." Mutum in parvo is the motto of a very small Jersey paper printed in very large type. Richmond boasts a society of "Abraham Supporters of the Vineyard." Colored? As we predicted, DeLong found DeLougat way round the shortest way home to Japan. The Cincinnati people took Greeley's advice, and "went west for a Vice President."

Chicago bill posters ply their vocation on the poles of the boots of men who are helping in the hands of a barber. Five hundred thousand affiliated Masons are in the United States.

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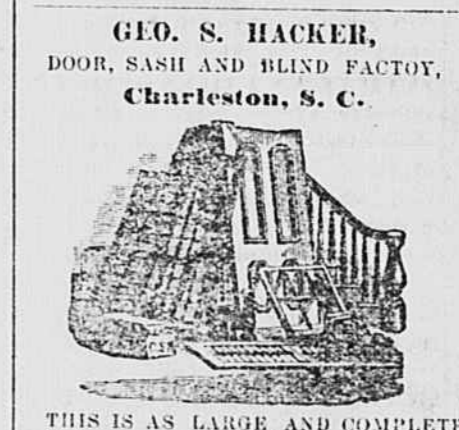
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