

Scraps and Facts.

The Populist national executive committee held a meeting in Chicago last Tuesday. All of the members were present except two or three.

Dugald Crawford, a big dry goods merchant of St. Louis, Mo., discharged 12 of his clerks last Saturday because they had signed their intention to vote for Bryan.

A special to the Chicago Tribune from Key West, Fla., tells the following story which is more or less imaginative: "Advices from Remedios, Cuba, tell of the gallant deeds of a band of Amazons headed by Senorita Martina Hernandez Perez.

The Indiana state board of elections has declined to allow the Palmer and Buckner people to sail under the national Democratic brand. The Palmer and Buckner crowd refused to select another name and the board settled the matter by calling them the "Gold Standard" party.

The gold bug papers throughout the north have been in transports of joy over the alleged fact that 1,000 Confederate veterans from Virginia recently made a pilgrimage to Canton.

The following extract is from a speech delivered by Mr. William McKinley of Ohio, in the house May 7, 1890. It will be found on page 4,255 in volume 21, Congressional Record, first session, Fifty-first congress: "When merchandise is the cheapest men are the poorest, and the most distressing experiences in the history of our country—aye, in all human history—have been when everything was the lowest and cheapest, measured by gold, for everything was the highest and the dearest measured by labor."

Our liberal minded Gaffney City contemporary, insinuates that the newspapers which fail to see any wisdom in its proposed new county scheme, are influenced solely through a fear of having their circulation cut down.

Walter M. Castle and wife, wealthy residents of San Francisco, are in serious trouble in London. They were arrested a few weeks ago on the charge of shoplifting. In their trunks were found hundreds of articles, such as watches, jewels, tortoise shell combs, and fine pieces of wearing apparel, all of which is claimed by London shopmen to have been stolen.

The Sultan's recent firm to the effect that the powers that were not parties to the treaty of Berlin, will not be allowed to send gunships into the Sea of Marmora won't go. So says a dispatch from Washington. The United States government, some weeks ago, decided to send the little cruiser Bancroft to Constantinople, and the understanding is that there will be no retreat from that decision.

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LOCAL AFFAIRS.

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J. W. Ferguson and S. W. Hafner, agents of the legation—in front of York courthouse door, on the first Monday of December, will sell at public auction two tracts of land belonging to the estate of Marcus and Mary Hafner, deceased. H. C. Strauss—Says that everybody is convinced that he is selling the best goods at the lowest prices, and calls special attention to his stock of corsets. Grist Cousins—Have mackerel in kits at retail, canned goods, household medicines, including Fellows' hypophosphites, Hood's Sarsaparilla, Tut's pills, and Alcock's porous plasters at 15 cents. D. C. Clark, Chairman, A. W. Gladden and J. M. Taylor, Commissioners of the state and county election will be held on Tuesday, 3rd day of November, and publish a list of the manager to conduct the elections. J. A. Shurley, School Commissioner—Requests persons interested in the Flint Ridge and Shannon schools, to meet him at the school house near Mr. J. C. McKnight's on next Thursday at 1 o'clock p. m.

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letter to Commander Hart, who extended the camp's invitation, among other things he says:

"I know of no soldiers of the war, from any quarter, whatever, more deserving of loving memories, monuments and honor, than those from the old historical counties of York and Lancaster—the White Rose and the Red; and with especial emphasis those who were members of the ever glorious old Twelfth regiment of volunteers. 'Soldiers they were, true and tried.' I greet them all most cordially, and I really believe they were not inferior to any body of volunteer soldiers ever organized. Indeed, they were not hired enlisted soldiers in the ordinary acceptance of the word; but citizens with friends and family and country to love, and property rights to defend."

Who will be selected in place of General McGowan to deliver the address has not yet developed; but the committee having the matter in charge may be depended upon to secure a speaker a distinguished veteran who will contribute in no small measure to the pleasure of the occasion.

As yet the details of the re-union program have not been arranged. It is contemplated, however, to have a big time of it and the people of Yorkville generally will be asked to assist in entertaining all the old soldier visitors who can be persuaded to remain over night.

LOCAL LAONICS.

Until January 1897. THE TWICE-A-WEEK ENQUIRER will be furnished from this date to January 1st, 1897, for 40 cents.

Typographical Error. It was \$2.50 instead of \$5 that was contributed by the McConnellville Democratic precinct to the New York Journal's campaign fund. A typographical error was the cause of the mis-statement.

Getting Better. Mr. Geo. L. Riddle of Zeno, whose condition on Wednesday was regarded as quite serious, is now much better. Dr. Wm. M. Walker of Yorkville, continues to improve.

Death of Mrs. Owen. An Orangeburg special to the Columbia State, announces the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Owen, wife of Mr. B. B. Owen, formerly a citizen of Yorkville. Mrs. Owen died on last Wednesday. She leaves two children.

Dr. Thornwell's Lecture. Dr. Thornwell's lecture last Tuesday night on his recent trip abroad, was well received by a large audience. The doctor delivered another lecture in the courthouse Wednesday night on "Pythianism."

To Be Married in Brunswick. Cards are out for the marriage of Miss Fannie Barnes to Mr. Warnock McCormick, at Brunswick, Ga., on October 19. Miss Barnes is a daughter of Mr. J. H. Barnes, who formerly conducted a jewelry establishment at this place.

Mr. R. M. Carroll of York, has been nominated for the position of state liquor commissioner made vacant by the resignation of Mr. F. M. Mixon. Mr. John T. Gaston of Aiken, has been appointed to the position temporarily.

Sale of a Railroad. For the information of casual shoppers who may have forgotten that there was such a luxury on the market, it might be well to repeat that the sale of the Chester & Lenoir Narrow Gauge railroad takes place from the steps of the Chester court house on salesday in November.

Herald, Wednesday: The matter of furnishing the chief of police and the chief of the fire department at Yorkville with wheels has been agitated by the town council at that place. Wouldn't it be the nice thing for our city council to provide a wheel for the force to be used in the discharge of their police duties?

Prospective New Buildings. Mr. Robert J. Herndon has purchased from Mr. W. R. Carroll the vacant lot opposite the Parish hotel and is contemplating the erection thereon of a handsome brick building. Though as yet nothing definite has been decided upon, Mr. Herndon is canvassing the idea of making an opera hall of the second story. Mr. G. H. O'Leary is also contemplating extensive additions to his already handsome brick store-room on Main street.

Gave Him Sixty-Nine Lashes. There was a lynching party out in the Smyrna neighborhood last Monday night. The little daughter of a well-to-do farmer had been insulted by a Negro named Tom Galloway. The story is that Galloway had kissed his hand at the little girl. His familiarity brought him to grief. He was visited by a party of white men, who gave him 69 lashes with a buggy trace and ordered him to leave the country. The understanding is that he has gone.

Preparing for the Election. The York county board of commissioners for the state and county election, met in Yorkville on Thursday and organized by the election of Mr. D. C. Clark as chairman and Mr. W. B. Williams as clerk. The board then proceeded to appoint managers of election at the various precincts. The names of the managers selected, together with instructions for holding the election, will be found in the official notice published in another column. The commissioners of the Federal election will probably not meet until Saturday.

How New Counties Are Made. Spartanburg Herald: As a condition precedent to the establishment of the proposed new county of Limestone, two-thirds of the voters voting at the election ordered by the governor to be held on 8th of November next, must vote for its adoption. Besides, it is essential that two-thirds of each section of the counties of Spartanburg, Union and York proposed to be cut off into the new county, vote in favor of it. Hence should two-thirds of the Spartanburg portion and two-thirds of the York part vote in favor of it and the requisite two-thirds be wanting in the Union section, then it will be defeated. And no election can be held again in four years.

Buried in the Mine. Bob Watts, a well-known colored laborer, had a narrow escape from death out at the "Wilson" mine, that is being worked by Messrs. Clarke Bros., on last Monday. According to Bob's story, he was down in a shaft about 50 feet deep, engaged in placing timbers as they would be let down to him. Suddenly the mine began to cave. Part of the earth and stone fell on him and the

balance around him. As the earth fell, he got on top of it, and worked his way upward. But there was too much of it for him. He claims that he was buried up to his eyes before the cave-in ceased, and it was three-quarters of an hour before his fellow laborers succeeded in digging him out. He sustained several painful, though not serious, injuries, and is now out on crutches.

Trouble at the Factory. There was a little trouble out at the factory last Tuesday; but it is all over now. The company officials intimated to Contractor Evans that the walls were not going up as rapidly as they should, and Contractor Evans secured some additional brickmasons, who happened to be colored. When the colored masons were put to work, the white masons threw down their trowels and quit. Sub-contractor Quigley, who has the contract to build the walls, insisted that he could push the work as fast as the supply of brick would admit, and the new men were not necessary. An agreement was reached whereby the colored masons were paid off and discharged, and at noon the regular force resumed work. This is the situation as it appears on the surface; but that the trouble was really due to the employment of colored bricklayers is not probable, for at least one colored bricklayer has been employed on the work since its commencement. However, since the trouble is settled to inquire fully into the merits of it, is hardly worth while.

PORT MILL MATTERS. Marriage—Personal Mention—The Play Was a Success. Correspondence of the Yorkville Enquirer.

FORT MILL, October 15.—Mr. John J. Carter of Leslie, S. C., and Miss Minnie Patterson of this place, were united in marriage Sunday, the 11th inst. Rev. J. E. Herring officiating.

Mrs. J. E. Bruce of Bennettsville, S. C., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Young.

Quite a large audience greeted the players of "Out in the Streets" on Tuesday night all of whom acquitted themselves very admirably. In addition to the play there were the following recitations:

"Miss Jones and the Burglar," and "You Put No Flowers on My Papa's Grave"—by Miss Essie Whitaker.

"Cabin Philosophy"—By Miss Gussy Hotchkiss.

Also the following songs: "Only Flirting"—By Mrs. J. E. Bruce and Miss Zula Young.

"Little Alabama Coon"—By Miss Gussy Hotchkiss. Receipts amounted to \$25.

Mrs. J. C. Clawson, is having her residence on Booth street remodeled, which adds much to its appearance.

BLACKSBURG BUDGET. Big Crowd at the Show and Everybody Delighted—Personal Mention. Correspondence of the Yorkville Enquirer.

BLACKSBURG, October 16.—About 2,000 people were here yesterday besides our own citizens to witness the great John Robinson and Franklin Bros. show and it was a day of real pleasure to the most of them. The weather was perfect. The show and performances are in first class order from the street parade all through to the tableaux of living pictures.

Among the most attractive features were the exhibition of fine horses, the skillful and graceful riding, the exciting races and the wonderful feats of the acrobats and tumblers. The most perfect order was kept. There was an almost entire absence of the rude and vulgar fakirs who usually accompany such exhibitions and make them rather repulsive than otherwise, and there was not a thing done or said to shock the senses of the most fastidious. The only disagreeable feature was the dust which was partially relieved by a sprinkler.

The biggest novelty in the parade was the steam piano which attracted much attention and the wonder of all who saw it. There were many speculations as to its use, and two of our ladies, both excellent cooks came to the conclusion that it was carried along to prepare the meals for the employees and as it stopped in front of the Iron City hotel to play a tune, they were to take their dinner there.

Mr. Jim Jackins, who has been with the American View company in Knoxville, Tenn., returned home a few days ago.

Miss Ella Crosby is visiting her sister, Mrs. Osborne.

Mrs. M. F. Anderson will go to Rock Hill tomorrow, to witness the ordination of Rev. Mr. Johnson.

LETTER FROM UNION COUNTY. Marriage of Popular Young People—Water Too Low for the Boat—After a Murderer—Possum Hunters Find a Ghost. Correspondence of the Yorkville Enquirer.

ETTA JANE, October 14.—Mr. H. W. Thomson of Spartanburg, and Miss Anna E. Howell of Hickory Grove, were married yesterday at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Howell. Rev. W. R. Owings of the Presbyterian church was the officiating minister. Mr. T. P. McDill and Miss Bessie Howe were the attendants. Both the bride and groom were splendidly dressed, and the whole affair was one of the most fashionable, yet free from ostentation. Quite a number of friends were present to witness the ceremony and extend to the youthful couple their congratulations. For the present, at least, Mr. Thomson expects to locate on his plantation and give personal supervision of his farming interests. He is a son of the late Colonel J. S. R. Thomson of Spartanburg, and has the ability to make of himself one of the leading citizens of his country as well as members of his church. We wish for him and his beautiful bride, a long, prosperous and happy life.

The boat has not attempted a trip to Lockhart Shoals for sometime on account of the low water in Broad river.

The ferryboat at Howell's ferry cannot run all the time on account of low water and the accumulation of sand. Old people tell me the river has been lower this summer than it was ever known before to be for the same length of time.

Great efforts are being made to ferret out the murderer of Giles Thompson, a colored man who was brutally murdered in the upper portion of this county about a month ago.

Cotton is mostly opened and the great-

er part of it picked out. The crop will be unusually short this year.

A revival meeting has been going on at Lockhart mill for the past week in which much spiritual interest is manifested.

We have no school at this place. A good teacher might get employment by applying with proper credentials.

Some possum hunters were scared up the other night by seeing something like a man with a white sheet around him, near an old graveyard in the plantation. Her roosts are safe so long as they have hobgoblins to protect them.

SOUTH CAROLINA NEWS. The Ticket Revised. The Webster faction of the Republican party has revised its state ticket. All of the nominees are said to have accepted. The revised ticket is as follows: Governor, R. M. Wallace; lieutenant governor, C. J. Pride; secretary of state, Abial Lathrop; state treasurer, George I. Cunningham; attorney general, E. F. Cochran; comptroller general, F. M. Butler; adjutant general, E. Brooks Sligh; superintendent of education, E. B. Burrows.

Three Burned to Death. A horrible accident occurred on the Florida Central and Peninsula railroad last Wednesday morning. There was a collision between two flying passenger trains. The engineers had been ordered to pass at Sweden. One of them mistook the name for Swansea. He passed Sweden and was on the way to the other station. The other train came at lightning speed. When the engineers came in sight of each other it was too late to avert a collision. Both reversed their engines, threw on the emergency brakes, and they and their firemen jumped for their lives. All escaped without fatal injuries. The engines came together with a terrific crash and the head of one was buried in the other. But this was not the worst of it. J. E. Ulmer, flagman, was crushed to death between two cars. William B. Limes, baggage master, and L. A. Thomas, mail clerk, were imprisoned in the wreck of their cars. The debris caught fire, and the flames crept toward the imprisoned men. Both plead for help and the other train men worked most desperately; but without success. The two men were slowly burned alive. One of Limes's arms was burned off before he expired. Besides the killed, several other train hands were more or less seriously injured. The passengers all escaped. The property loss is estimated at about \$75,000.

MERE-MENTION. Thomas Garfield, a brother of the late president, has written a letter in which he says he will vote for Bryan. Chairman an Jones's latest claim as to the result of the November election, gives Bryan 279, McKinley 81, and 87 doubtful. Tom Watson will make no more speeches during the present campaign. The alleged reason is throat trouble.

AT THE CHURCHES. EPISCOPAL. SUNDAY SERVICES. Lay services in the morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday school at 4.30 p. m.

TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL. SUNDAY SERVICES. Preaching Sunday morning at 11 and in the evening at 7.30 o'clock. Sunday school at 4 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN. SUNDAY SERVICES.—Preaching Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and in the evening at 7.30. Sunday school at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

BAPTIST. SUNDAY SERVICES.—YORKVILLE—Sunday school at 10 o'clock in the morning. Preaching at 11 o'clock a. m., and in the evening at 7.30.

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN. There will be preaching this (Saturday) morning at 11 o'clock.

SUNDAY SERVICES.—The ordinance of the Lord's supper will be observed at 11 o'clock a. m. The pastor will be assisted by Rev. A. S. Rogers of Rock Hill. Sunday school at 4 o'clock p. m.

Market Reports. YORKVILLE, October 17.—Cotton 64 to 7.

NEW YORK, October 16.—Cotton 715-16. Futures closed steady; October, 7.56 to 7.57; November, 7.58 to 7.59; December, 7.74 to 7.75; January, 7.80 to 7.81; February, 8.02; March, 8.03 to 8.04; May, 8.04 to 8.05; June, 8.07 to 8.08; sales, 165,000.

NOTICE To Citizens of Flint Ridge and Shannon Schools. School Commissioners Office of York County.

YORKVILLE, S. C., October 16, 1896. ALL persons interested in the above named schools, are requested to meet me at the SCHOOL HOUSE near Mr. J. C. McKnight's, on NEXT THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22ND, at 1 o'clock p. m. J. A. SHURLEY, School Commissioner.

SALE OF LAND. BY virtue of authority conferred upon by the legal representatives of MARCUS and MARY HAFNER, deceased. We will sell before the COURT HOUSE DOOR IN YORKVILLE, on SALESDAY IN DECEMBER next, the real estate of which the said Marcus and Mary Hafner died seized and possessed, to-wit: One tract containing THREE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-EIGHT ACRES, more or less, and known as the HOME PLACE. Another tract containing ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SIX ACRES, more or less, and known as the McKnight place, both of which tracts are lying in the county of York, on the waters of Turkey creek, about 11 miles southwest of Yorkville.

TERMS OF SALE—CASH. Parties may treat for the purchase of these lands at private sale. J. W. FERGUSON, S. M. HAFNER, Agents for Locators.

W. M. KENNEDY WILL furnish the high schools, the graded schools and the public schools, with their books at the lowest possible cash prices. Tragic Stationery. Arrangements with the publishers of standard books, enable us to supply any not on hands in a very few days. Lamm & Company's new sample book for FALL and WINTER clothing is on hand, and we ask all who want a GOOD FIT in CLOTHS to examine the styles and prices before buying.