and I have been on more than half a dozen." Work was continued on up through yesterday morning, and the other riders were no less enthusiastic in their praise. Before the races commenced, the universal verdict was: "Depend upon it; if anybody falls, or for any other reason fails to do his best, he can't throw it off on the track."

The work of the committee on publicity and promotion was also done in a thorough manner. Messrs. W. B. Moore and S. L. Hobbs had the principal direction of this work; but all the members of the association gave all the assistance in their power. Lithographs and small bills were distributed everywhere, the newspapers in adjourning towns gave pleasant notices, and different members made trips up and down the railroads. All the wheelmen all about were interested, and they were here with their friends and acquaintances from everywhere. York county was particularly well represented. The people first commenced coming in from the country during yesterday morning by private conveyance. All the incoming trains brought big crowds, and by noon the streets, stores and hotels presented the appearance of a circus day, with the exception that the visitors generally, ladies and gentlemen, constituted a thoroughly genteel aggregation—one calculated to excite admiration and pride.

The day's programme opened with a fireman's parade and a contest between the Queen City, Rose Hunter and Arlington (colored) reels. Two heats were run. Distances were not measured in either case. The three companies stationed themselves at approximately even distance from hydrants, and at the sound of the fire alarm ran for it. A bystander got mixed up in the hose of the Rose Hunter company and the boys were knocked out. The work of the Queen City's and Arlington was admirable. No effort was made to secure absolutely accurate observation, and opinions differ as to which threw water first. They were very close together, but the weight of testimony was in favor of the Arlingtons. In the second contest the Rose Hunters got there first with water; but it was without a nozzle. The Queen Citys and Arlingtons were again close together. It looked like a tie and probably was.

The next interesting feature of the programme was the military parade on bicycles. The company was composed of about 30 boys and girls, in costume, with elaborately decorated wheels and under command of Mr. W. B. Moore. The parade passed through the streets to the grounds, executing in fine style military movements, such as forming twos, fours, etc. The parade ended at the racing park with a circuit of the track, and the really meritorious work of the riders won considerable applause.

In the programme, of course, could only be published the list of riders in accordance with applications. Those who presented themselves at the tape during the day were as follows:

Fred Schade,.....Herndon, Va.
Pitman,.....Georgetown, D. C.
Lee Counselman,.....Georgetown, D. C.
R. V. Connerat,.....Savannah, Ga.
O. Barringer,.....Charlotte, N. C.
Harry Butt,.....Charlotte, N. C.
C. H. Shuford,.....Charlotte, N. C.
George Fitzsimmons,.....Charlotte, N. C.
R. D. Lewis,.....Rocky Mount, N. C.
Marlin Roberts,.....Atanta, Ga.
John Whitesides,.....King's Mountain, N. C.
John E. Ardrey,.....Fort Mill, S. C.
S. R. Goza,.....Rock Hill, S. C.
S. L. Meacham,.....Fort Mill, S. C.
McMurray,.....Fort Mill, S. C.
Oscar Neill,.....Clover, S. C.
John M. Smith,.....Clover, S. C.
Harry Neill,.....Clover, S. C.
Hope Bryson,.....Clover, S. C.
Jas. L. Gardner,.....Yorkville, S. C.
Lindsay Hunter,.....Yorkville, S. C.
J. Felix Walker,.....Yorkville, S. C.

The first race was a one mile novice, amateur. The entries were Goza, Smith, Gardner, Shuford, Lewis. Won by Shuford in 2.51 1-5. Lewis, second; Goza, third. Prize, diamond scarf pin, valued at $20.

Second race—One mile, open. This race was run in two heats. The entries were: Schade, Pitman, Counselman, Barringer, Ross, Butts, Roberts, Whitesides, Swift. Won by Schade in 2.34 3-10. Pitman, second; Counselman, third. First prize, diamond stud, valued at $35. Second prize, silver soap box, valued at $10; third, umbrella, valued at $3.

Third race—One mile, championship for York county riders only—Entries, Ardrey, Goza, Meacham, Oscar Neill. Ardrey won in 2.55. Goza, second; Meacham, third. Prize, medal valued at $20.

Fourth race—One-fourth of a mile, open. Entries—Schade, Pitman, Connerat, Barringer, Roberts, Butts, Shuford, Whitesides, Lewis, Swift. Won by Schade in 33; Butts, second; Whitesides, third.

Fifth race—One-fourth mile for boys. Entries—Walker, Harry Neil, Bryson, Hunter. Won by Bryson in 37; Harry Neill, second; Walker, third.

Six race—Two mile handicap. Entires, Schade, Pitman, Connerat, Lewis, Butts and others. Shade won in 5.42; Butts, second; Connerat, third.

Seventh race—Pursuit. Entries two teams—Shade, Pitman and Counselman against Butts, Ross and Shuford. Under the terms of the race, the teams were to start at opposite sides of the track and continue until one overtook the other. The North Carolina team gave it up on the 3d lap leaving the District of Columbia team the winner.

The riding of the visting amateurs, especially those from the north and several from Charlotte, was capital; but there was nothing in the faster races that was of especial interest. Schade is a flyer, and won in every race except the handicap, which he allowed to go by default. Counselman is another unusually swift rider, and pretty nearly, if not quite, a match for Schade. His wheel is geared at 96, something unusually high, and he has a record of 25 miles in 52 minutes.

The greatest interest, of course, centered in the county championship race. On account of the incident at Clover last fall, it was believed that Neil and Ardrey were evenly matched, and each had his partizans. There was considerable betting during the day; but the Ardrey money was rather too bold, and the bets were for small amounts. Ardrey took the lead from the start, Neill following. The distance varied from 5 to 25 feet, Ardrey keeping the lead all the while. Both riders seemed to be doing their best. On the homestretch of the last quarter, Goza and Meacham sprinted to the front, leaving Neill fourth. The time of the race was not creditably fast, and it is but fair to both Neill and Ardrey to say that neither was in good condition physically.

The most exciting race of the evening was the one-fourth mile for boys. Young Bryson of Clover left his competitors easily, and at the finish looked as if he was only getting fairly started. The time 37 seconds compared favorably with Schade's quarter of a mile in 33.

Just what the gate receipts were the reporter was unable to learn definitely; but the understanding was that they amounted no nearly $4,00, indicating an attendance of about 1,000 people.

Messrs. E. E. Poag, Frost Torrence and M. L. Smith served as judges, and A. M. Aiken, Dr. W. B. Dupre and Charles Dilling as time-keepers.

The Bethel band dispensed splendid music during the day and especially during the races. The grand stand was decorated with the national colors, and "Dixie" was greeted with unusual applause.

NEWS OF TUESDAY.

Telegraphic Summary of More Recent Developments.

By Telegraph to The Yorkville Enquirer.

From a Spanish Source.

LONDON, May 17.—A Havana dispatch to Madrid asserts that an American vessel, employed in removing torpedoes at Cardenas, was blown up this morning and completely destroyed together with the crew. The probable number of the crew is not stated.

Not an American Ship.

KEY WEST, May 13.—The American ship, reported by a Havana dispatch to London to have been blown up at Cardenas, proves to be a Spanish ship which was sunk by the gunboat Wilmington.

Spanish Gunboat Crippled.

A courier with a message from Gomez, who was leaving Cuba in an open boat, was fired on by a Spanish gunboat. The Wilmington came up and crippled the gunboat with one shot.

Derelict Sunk.

The Montgomery today sunk a derelict that had been loaded by the Spaniards with scrap iron and turned loose to drift amongst the fleet off Havana.

A Trojan Horse.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—The Cuban provisional government has instructed sympathizers not to resist General Blanco's conscription order forcing all males between the ages of 18 and 45 years into the Spanish army. They are directed to accept arms and await an opportune moment to rise in rebellion.

Another Call For Voluntees.

Congress has authorized a second called for volunteers, which only awaits the president's signature. Neither the number or the length of service is indicated.

Won't Give Out the News.

Even senators are not permitted to see the dispatches which are being received today. The indications are that important events are occurring which the administration wishes to keep secret.

SOUTH CAROLINA NEWS.

Off Charleston.

Schley's flying squadron arrived off Charleston last Sunday morning, and left in the evening for Key West.

By Friday.

Governor Ellerbe has ordered that all volunteer companies which fail to fill up their quotas by next Friday, must go back to their homes.

Will Be Courtmartialed.

Shehan, a private from Union, who deserted from the Johnson Rifles, at Columbia, has been arrested and will be courtmartialed.

Spanish Prize at Charleston.

The Spanish steamship Rita, captured by the Yale on May 8th, off Cubulabro islands, arrived at Charleston last Saturday afternoon in charge of a prize crew, commanded by W. B. Porter, 22d officer of the Yale. The Rita has been turned over to the district attorney, and the navy department notified. The Rita is of 1,300 tons and is loaded with coal. She was bound for Porto Rico.

Evans Gets a Commission.

Washington correspondence of the News and Courier: Ex-Governor Jno. Gary Evans has "pulled off" a commission in the army. With the aid of Senator Tillman the ex-governor has been appointed an assistant adjutant general, with the rank of captain. His appointment was sent to the senate last Thursday, but there was a mistake in the printing of his name, hence his South Carolina friends did not recognize him in his new military title. He arrived here today and was in consultation with Senator Tillman. The ex-governor comes from a military family and he will remain here until he receives his commission.

Our State Troops.

The record at the war department at Washington on Sunday morning showed that 633 men had been mustered into the service, and that 31 officers had been sworn in. This included the following commands: The Abbeville Volunteers, the Newberry Guards, the Lee Light Infantry, the Catawba Rifles, the Greenville Guards, the Johnson Rifles, of Union, the Anderson Volunteers, and the Darlington Guards. This does not include the Butler Guards, of Greenville, sworn in Sunday, and this company will run the list up to 700 privates, just one-half of the number called for. The companies which have not yet gotten up their full quotas are Edisto Rifles, of Orangeburg; the Bamberg Guards; the Governor's Gurds, of Columbia; the Manning Guards; the Richland Volunteers, of Columbia; the Sumter Light Infantry, the Palmetto Rifles, of Aiken, and the Charleston Battery. The Edisto Rifles, the Sumter Light Infantry, the Richland Volunteers and the Charleston Battery have more nearly reached their quotas than the other commands. All of the companies which are short of men have recruiting officers in all parts of the state, and if there are any volunteers in the state who want to get into the service, there is no reason in the world why they should not get a place in the front, there is room for all who apply; the examining physician has the application blanks.

— The Associated Press dispatches published Monday morning, tell of an exciting incident that occurred off Havana harbor last Saturday afternoon. All the heavier American warships being away, the harbor is only guarded by light armed vessels. Suddenly from the harbor entrance came puffing two warships, one of which was recognized as the Alfonso XII, and the other as the gunboat Legazpi, both of which were known to be bottled up in the harbor. The two ships made out as if they contemplated a dash for the open sea. The American vessels immediately gave chase. The Spaniards continued on, hugging the shore for a distance of about five miles. Then they turned back and opened on the Americans. Some hot fighting followed, and several shells burst about the Alfonso XII, carrying away a part of her rigging. The American vessels were not injured, all the Spanish shots going wide. It turned out that the Spaniards were only trying to inveigle the light American ships under the heavy guns of Morro; but the Americans had been caught in that trap once, and declined to bite again.

BLACKSBURG BUDGET.

Condition of the Crops—The Bazaar a Success—To Visit the Soldier Boys.

Correspondence of the Yorkville Enquirer.

BLACKSBURG, May 16.—The condition of the crops in this section is about as follows: A great deal of cotton has been planted, and there is generally a very good "stand." Early planted corn did not come up so well on account of cool weather and a beating rain; but that planted later makes a very good showing. The oats crop looks fairly well, but is needing rain badly. Wheat never looked better, and if nothing happens to it, an unusually large crop will be harvested in our township, which will, of course, be a welcome relief to the farmers, considering the present high price of that important cereal.

The bazaar given by the Ladies' Guild of the Episcopal church, in Cherokee Inn hall, on the 6th instant, notice of which was given in THE ENQUIRER of the 4th, was a very gratifying success, both for its social and financial features. The hall, which was tastefully decorated with festal and national colors, was well filled with an excellent and animated company, there was an intelligent instrumental music, a fish pond which delighted the children, elegant refreshments for all, and the sum realized was nearly $50.

Superintendent A. Tripp, of the O. R. & C. road, with his family, consisting of Mrs. Tripp, her mother, Mrs. Weir, and Miss Annie Weir, will go to the soldiers camp at Columbia on Wednesday for the purpose of visiting his son, Mr. John Tripp, who is a member of the Catawba Rifles. Mrs. M. E. Deal will accompany them, and she will go to visit her son, Agustus M. Deal, who is also a member of the company. They will carry with them good wishes from the many friends of both families to the boys for their good health and safe return home.

Thursday last, the members of the Baptist Sunday school, took for a picnic day. They went to that cool, delightful retreat on Broad river, near the O. R. & C. branch road to Gaffney, known as Goat Island. It is needless to say that the day, which was fine, was largely enjoyed by all. W. A.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

Said That Europe Is Looking For Universal War.

Just what it means we confess we do not know. There is something behind it all that is not clear to the uninitiated. Many of the newspapers, at home and abroad, insist that France is rather too friendly with Spain. The state department, through the Associated Press, is seeking to make a different impression. There are occuring numerous circumstances which are calculated to raise grave doubts as to just how matters stand. Other articles in this issue are calculated to give an idea of the uncertainty of the situation, and the following Washington dispatch to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, purporting to be an interview with a European diplomat, may be taken for what it is worth:

"It may be safe to predict that we are near a universal war, unless diplomacy prevents it. You see, Europe has been looking for it for a long while, and every power has been preparing to meet it. Russia is always ready, and we may say the same thing of England. The latter would have provoked war over the Turkish troubles had she won the United States for an ally. Now, in my opinion, as an individual, the time for this war is very near, and it may come sooner than you think.

"It will come by an attempt to stop the American-Spanish war, as soon as the latter's great fleet meets the American squadrons. England, of course, will not join the other powers in their attempt further than, I may say, the expression of her sympathy, which will amount to nothing. England wants the opportunity to be on the side of the United States, so that when disputes shall arise she will engage in a war for which she has been preparing for a long while.

"The war will surely come, because the United States will not give up fighting Spain until the resolutions of congress are carried through. The powers don't intend to allow the war now on to continue, and even if the United States should consent to declare a truce, there will be a disagreement about the terms for peace.

"You may rely upon what I say, that universal war will come in this way. Austria, France and Italy will, for a while, remain on the fence, until England openly sides with the United States, in which instance Russia will join Austria and Germany the the United States.

"You can rest assured that these plans are now under consideration by the cabinets, and that the United States administration knows it as well as England does; and that is one of the reasons the Lafayette was set free, and why you will hear nothing about the French official holding dispatches at St. Pierre, Martinique, intended for the government here, while the Spanish ships were coaling there."

— Later advices are to the effect that the attempt to land two companies of the First infantry, under Captain Dorst, from the Gussie, at Havana, last Friday, proved a failure. One company of infantry waded ashore and had a sharp fight with the Spaniards, putting them to flight. But there were only a few insurgents at the rendezvous, and the Spaniards were afterward reinforced in such large numbers that Captain Dorst deemed it advisable to re-embark and go back to Key West. He reached there Sunday morning. He and his men were thoroughly disgusted. Had they been assisted by a warship, there would have been very little trouble in effecting a landing; but now Captain Dorst seems to think that a successful landing with a small force will be a difficult undertaking.

— The navy department gave out another report from Dewy last Sunday. It was dated at Cavite, May 13, and read as follows: "Maintaining a strict blockade; reason to believe that rebels are hemming in city by land, but have made no demonstration. Scarcely provisions in Manila; probable that the Spanish government will be obliged to surrender soon. Can take Manila at any moment. Climate hot and moist. On May 12th captured gunboat Callao, attempting to run blockade. Have plenty of a coal. One British, one French, two German one Japanese vessel here observing."

— Dewey's dispatch boat, McCullough, arrived at Hong Kong, on Sunday, and among other things told of the recent capture of the Spanish gunboat Callao, just arrived from the Caroline islands. The Callao had not heard of the commencement of the war. When she appeared off Manila, one of the American warships fired a shot across her bow and signalled a demand for her surrender. She refused. Then a shot was sent directly at her, and she hauled down her flag. This leaves only one Spanish gunboat at large in Philippine waters.

MERE-MENTION.

It is reported that the Spanish killed at Cienfuegos the other day numbered 400. .....Reports from Havana, by way of Key West, are to the effect that the reconcentrados in the city are dying by the hundreds.....Ensign Bagley was buried at Raleigh last Wednesday. The whole town turned out to the funeral.....Thirty-five car loads of supplies, including hundreds of 1,300 pound shells have arrived at Key West during the past few days.

First Death In Camp.

Wade Hampton Parker, of the Butler Guards, Greenville, died in Columbia of pneumonia on Monday morning. He had not yet been mustered into service.

AT THE CHURCHES.

BAPTIST.

Rev. Edward S. Reaves, Pastor. Prayer-meeting tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

SUNDAY SERVICES.—YORKVILLE.—Preaching in the morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday night at 8.00 o'clock. Sunday school at 4.00 p. m.

ASSOCIATE REFORMED.

Rev. Boyce H. Grier, pastor. Prayer-meeting this evening at 5.30.

SUNDAY SERVICES.—YORKVILLE—Sunday school at 4 o'clock. TIRZAH—Preaching Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. A. N. Brunson, Pastor. Prayer-meeting this evening at 8.00 o'clock.

SUNDAY SERVICES.—There will be services next Sunday in this church. Sunday school at 4 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Rev. W. G. Neville, pastor. Prayer-meeting this evening at 8.15 o'clock.

SUNDAY SERVICES.—There will be preaching in the morning at 10.30 o'clock, and at night at 8.15. Sunday school at 4 p. m.

EPISCOPAL.

SUNDAY SERVICES.—Sunday morning at 10.30 o'clock, and in the evening at 8.15 o'clock. Sunday school at 4.30 p. m.

YORK CIRCUIT.

Rev. J. W. Humbert, pastor. Preaching at Philadelphia next Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m.

Special Notices.

The Baptist Union Meeting.

Delegates to the York Baptist Union meeting which is to be held with the Yorkville Baptist church on May 27th, 28th and 29th, are earnestly requsted to forward their name to me without delay. This is important. Delegates who know that they will be unable to attend, or those who will not remain over night, need not notify.

W. J. WATERS,
Chairman Com. on Hospitality.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE, IN YORKVILLE AND IN THE COUNTRY.

FOR list of tracts and lots, location, area, etc., see Wednesday's issue of THE ENQUIRER from March 9th to May 11th 1898. Prudence Brown and Bishop Sandifer tracts sold.

All the farms offered on terms to suit the purchaser, but subject to leases noted.

For further particulars apply to
C. E. SPENCER, Attorney at Law.
May 18 w tf

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, York County.

By W. H. McCorkle, Esquire, Probate Judge of York County.

WHEREAS PELHAM MORROW has applied to me for Letters of Administration on all and singular, the goods and chattels, rights and credits of LEROY MORROW, late of the county aforesaid, deceased:

These are, therefore, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased, to be and appear before me, at our next Probate Court for the said county, to be holden at York Court House on the 1st day of JUNE, 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m., to shew cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand and seal, this 16th day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and in the 122nd year of American Independence.

W. H. McCORKLE,
Probate Judge of York County.
May 18 w w2t

GLENN & ALLISON.

TO ARRIVE THIS WEEK.

A Carload of the celebrated Olds Farm Wagons that must be sold and sold at once, either for cash or good paper.

BUGGIES AND HARNESS.

That we are the leaders in this line is undisputed. A large line always on hands.

MULES AND HORSES.

A few fancy Driving and Saddle Horses and two Mules on hands. Remember everything we sell is stamped with our guarantee and that we want you inspect our lines before buying.

GLENN & ALLISON.

ONE EYE ON THIS, PLEASE.

A List of Useful Articles That Will Be Well to Keep In Mind For the Present.

100 Bottles of Machine Oil at 5 cents.
500 boxes of Blueing at 1 cent.
100 boxes of Blueing at 5 cents.
100 Ladies' Hats at 10 cents.
100 Ladies' Hats at 15 cents.
100 Ladies' Hats at 25 cents.
50 Decks of Cards at 10 cents.
10,000 Balls of Thread at 10 for 5 cents.
100 Gents' Laundried Shirts at 50 cents.
100 Unlaundried Shirts at 25 cents.
50 Boxes Buttermilk Soap at 8 cents.
600 Cakes of Soap at 1 cent.
50 Pairs of Suspenders at 10 cents.
100 School Tablets at 3 cents.
25 Brass Lamps at 15 cents.
100 Pairs of Ladies' Hose at 5 cents.
50 Pairs of Child's Slippers at 35 cents.
25 Pairs of Men's Drawers at 20 cents.
25 Albums, at 10 cents.
50 Albums at 75 cents.
25 Albums at $1.
25 Albums at $1.50.
300 pieces of Glassware at 5 cents.
50 Buggy Whips at 10 cents.
1000 Boxes of Blacking at 1 cent.
50 Work Shirts at 20 cents.
50 Broad Brim Men's Hats at 45 cents.
25 Pairs of Spectacles at 10 cents.
25 Pairs of Spectacles at 25 cents.
100 Slates at 5 cents.
25 Check Boads at 15 cents.
12 Bottles of Ammonia at 10 cents.
100 Sets of Tea Spoons at 5 cents.
50 Sets of Tablespoons at 9 cents.
25 Sets of Nickle Tablespoons, at 35 cts.

Our Millinery department is away ahead of all other seasons. Nicer stock, lower prices and the most artistic work. Don't be decoyed away from your personal interest; but see our stock in all its loveliness before you buy your headwear.

Mrs. T. M. DOBSON.

THE EARLY BIRD GOT THE WORMS.

EARLY last August, the MONARCH CYCLE COMPANY manufacturers of the **Monarch and Defiance Bicycles** made an estimate as to how many "Defiance" wheels would be necessary to meet the demands for the best medium price on the market and concluded that 24,000, basing their calculations on the demand for the season then drawing to a close, would be sufficient, and laid in the necessary material for making them and started to work. The series included six models—three for gentlemen and three for ladies as follows: A gents and ladies' Defiance at $50, another pair at $40 and a third pair at $35. As soon as the trade—riders—saw the wheels it went wild, and by May 1, the whole output had been sold. We only succeeded in placing six of these wheels and our customers are all delighted. No more can now be made for the '98 trade.

THE MONARCH PEOPLE,

We believe, are the most enterprising and liberal in the bicycle trade, and have determined to give those who failed to get a Defiance wheel something equally as good, if not better, for the same money, and, therefore, have notified us that they still have in stock a limited number of 1897 $75 Monarchs which they will fit with 1898 tires and saddles and authorize us to sell them at the low price of $29.50. There is no better value on the market than these wheels. Every one of them is backed by a liberal guarantee. These wheels will be furnished in 22, 24 and and 26-inch frame, for men, and 20 and 22 for ladies. You can't do better unless you buy a 1898 Monarch and they are absolutely the best on the market with every up-to-date feature.

RIDE A MONARCH AND KEEP IN FRONT.

If a Monarch rider does not keep in front it is not the fault of the wheel as it is the staunchest, most durable and lightest running wheel made. No rider ever fails on account of a break down at a critical moment—or any other. Monarchs stand up and keep out of the repair shop.

GRIST COUSINS,
Under the Old Masonic Hall.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, County of York.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

J. K. Allison and J. B. Martin, as administrators of the estate of J. W. Allison, deceased, Plaintiffs, against Laura B. Allison, John K. Allison, Mary J. Martin, Ella B. Allison, Reola N. Allison, Sallie Allison, Anna Lyle Allison, Jennie Lynn Allison, The British and American Mortgage company, (Limited), W. Brown Wylie, Clerk of Court of Common Pleas, J. R. Dover and Wm. L. Gilbert Clock Company, Defendants.—Summons for Relief—Complaint not Served.

To the Defendants above named:

YOU are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the clerk of the court of common pleas for the said county, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office at Yorkville, South Carolina, within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated at Yorkville, S. C., April 6th, 1898.

FINLEY & BRICE,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

NOTICE.

To the absent defendants: The British and American Mortgage company, (Limited), J. R. Dover and Wm. L. Gilbert Clock Company: Please take notice that the summons, of which the foregoing is a copy, together with the complaint in this action were filed in the office of the clerk of court of common pleas for York county, South Carolina, at Yorkville, South Carolina on the 6th day of April A. D. 1898. FINLEY & BRICE,
Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

Yorkville, S. C., April, 6th, 1898.
May 4 w 6t

ANY OLD THING.

"YOUR BROTHER BILL" is prepared to do upholstering in a way that will please the most fastidious. He guarantees satisfaction. Anything upholstered from the back and seat of an ordinary road cart to the finest mahogany sofa. Don't fail also to recollect me when you want any repairs done on any kind of vehicles you may have, from a wheelbarrow to an omnibus, or any implement from a hoe handle to a threshing machine. WM. A. MOORE,
In rear of Will Ferguson's store.

SIDE HARROWS.

WE have on hand Side Harrows. Call and see them. You may be pleased with the price as well as the harrow. The Spring and Summer samples of Lamm & Co., showing the latest novelties in all the various grades of fine woolens are on hands. They guarantee to fit and please. We solicit an inspection.

W. M. KENNEDY, Agt.

H. C. STRAUSS.

Men's Straw Hats
At from 5 Cents
Up to 50 Cents.
A Nice Linen Helmet
For Only 25 Cents.
Children's Hats
In all Shapes
At any Price.
My Stock of Men's
Clothing is the Nicest
On this Market and I
Have sold more up
To this time
Than any season
For years,
And my prices are
Below all
Competitors.
My Stock of Ladies'
Fine Shoes
Is the Daintiest
On this Market.
Gents' Collars and
Neckwear in Endless
Variety.
You Should examine
My line of Wool Hats
Before you purchase.
For all kinds of Shirts
and Underwear
I am Headquarters.
I will not be
Undersold.

My Corsets sell themselves. They need no words from me.

H. C. STRAUSS.

J. H. RIDDLE.

COTTON HARROWS.

I HAVE COTTON HARROWS without number, and if the farmers in this section ever expect to need an implement of this kind, the season is at hand and my prices are right.

Cow Peas, and Plenty of Them.

I have just plenty of Cow Peas. I have enough for everybody, and I am going to sell them right away, so come along at once and get your supply. I also have a good quantity of Clay Peas.

CORN AND HAY.

I have also large quantities of the best Timothy Hay and good Corn, and will be pleased to mention prices to those in the market for goods of this class.

EXTRA FANCY GROCERIES.

My Fancy Grocery stock is, by far, larger than I have ever carried before and is composed of the choicest and most select Canned Fruits, Fish and Meats on the market, including the choicest brand of ROASTED MOCHA AND JAVA COFFEE—blended—which it has ever been my pleasure to offer to your aristocratic epicurean taste, and of course cannot be sold in competition with the "popular brands"; but in buying my coffee, you get coffee, and in the case of other brands you get silver spoons, signatures, and a conglomeration of other things beyond the descriptive powers of a chemist or pawnbroker.

SNUFF AND TOBACCO.

My stock of Lorillard Snuff and Chewing Tobaccos is very large, and I can save both consumers and dealers money.

I have the finest quality of Porto Rico Molasses.

AS USUAL MY FLOUR

Stands at the head of the list for quality and always gives satisfaction.

Remember that I always have Lime, Cement and Shingles, and that we lead competition. J. H. RIDDLE.

D. W. HICKS. R. B. RIDDLE.

GRIST COUSINS.

BICYCLES TO RENT.

WE have decided to increase our bicycle livery business, and in addition to our Monarch Tandem—the finest double machine in the country—have this day added a Lady's 1898 Monarch and a Monarch 1898 Road Racer, a pair of as fine machines as can be found on the continent, and will rent them by the hour or for the afternoon or forenoon to LADIES and GENTLEMEN who know how to ride and are careful riders.

Running Low.

Our supply of 3-pound Tomatoes at 3 cans for 25 cents is running low, as also is our canned Corn at the same price. If you want it at that price, come quick.

Queen Olives.

Those who like Olives and have tried our latest arrival, say that they are the finest they have ever tasted. We bought them for the best, and it seems that we got what we bought.

Spoon Soap--Spoon Soda.

We give a Teaspoon with every package of Hoe Cake Soda. The package contains 10 ounces of as good soda as is to be found and the spoon is all right. Spoon Soap is all right, and a spoon goes free with every cake at 5 cents.

Spanish Root Soap

Has been before the people of this section long enough for its merits to be appreciated, and they are. Persons who want a superior article at a moderate price should give it a trial. The soap is purely vegetable, being free from animal fat.

GRIST COUSINS.

"MONEY TO BURN!"

WHEN you want FIRE INSURANCE see me. L. GEO. GRIST.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

ELECTION, TUESDAY, AUGUST 23, 1898.

FOR COUNTY AUDITOR.

WE are authorized to announce W. W. BOYCE, of Fort Mill township, as a candidate for recommendation for appointment as COUNTY AUDITOR for York county, subject to the result of the Democratic primary election.
May 18 w te

WE are authorized to announce W. J. WATERS, of Yorkville, as a candidate for recommendation for appointment as COUNTY AUDITOR for York county, subject to the result of the Democratic primary election.
May 7 s te

WE are authorized to announce CALVIN G. PARISH, of Yorkville, as a candidate for recommendation for appointment as COUNTY AUDITOR for York county, subject to the result of the next Democratic primary election.
April 16 ss te

WE are authorized to announce JOHN A. SHURLEY, of Ebenezer township, as a candidate for recommendation for appointment as COUNTY AUDITOR for York county, subject to the result of the Democratic primary election.
April 20 te

SUPT. OF EDUCATION.

SUBJECT to the result of the Democratic primary election, I announce myself as a candidate for SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION for York county. If elected, I may be found in Yorkville at all times, ready to give attention to the duties of the office, except when absent on official business. When so absent, I will have an arrangement whereby persons who desire to buy school books, can do so as readily as if I were present in person.

JOHN E. CARROLL.
May 18 w te*

FOR COUNTY SUPERVISOR.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN D. CORNWELL, of Catawba township, as a candidate for COUNTY SUPERVISOR of York county, subject to the result of next Democratic primary election.
May 4 w te

WE are authorized to announce T. GIB CULP, of Fort Mill township, as a candidate for COUNTY SUPERVISOR, subject to the result of the Democratic primary election.
May 4 w te

WE are authorized to announce J. ED. LEECH, of Broad River township, as a candidate for COUNTY SUPERVISOR, subject to the result of the Democratic primary election.
April 23 s te

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

WE are authorized to announce S. P. BLANKENSHIP, of Fort Mill township, as a candidate for recommendation for appointment as COUNTY TREASURER, subject to the result of the Democratic primary election.
April 27 w te

WE are authorized to announce H. A. D. NEELY, of Yorkville, as a candidate for recommendation for re-appointment as COUNTY TREASURER, subject to the result of the Democratic primary election.
April 27 w te

G. H. O'LEARY.

FURNITURE! FURNITURE!

PARLOR, Bedroom, Diningroom and Kitchen Furniture. We are receiving the largest stock ever offered on this market. Just in—a carload of

OAK BEDSTEADS,

bought right, which means they are selling.

Carpets, Rugs, Window Shades, Pictures, Mattings, Easels, etc., and all lines full.

VAPOR STOVES.

We have added to our stove department Gasoline Vapor Cooking Stoves. We are still selling the well-known Noble Stoves of Philadelphia, Pa. Also a large line of cheaper grade of cooking and heating stoves.

SADDLES, HARNESS AND BUGGIES.

A full line of Saddles and Harness and a few Western Buggies.

G. H. O'LEARY.

YORK DRUG STORE.

We Desire to Volunteer

THE information that this is the season of the year when everybody needs a BLOOD PURIFIER. You feel languid, lazy, no energy, no appetite, etc., and these symptoms show the need of a first class blood medicine. We have all the different kinds—

Ayer's Sarsaparilla, Hood's Sarsaparilla, B. B. B., P. P. P., S. S. S., Mrs. Joe Pearson's Remedy, Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, Paine's Celery Compound, Cuticura Resolvent. Any of the above medicines at

85 Cents a Bottle;

but we desire especially to call your attention to **Sharp & Dome's Sarsaparilla.** This is the greatest Blood Medicine we have. The FORMULA is on EVERY BOTTLE, and you can ask your doctor about it. It is recommended by the doctors in place of the patent medicines, as you know just what you are taking.

The price of this medicine is

Only 50 Cents a Bottle,

and is BETTER THAN THE BEST.

Anti-Ferment.

Is the greatest medicine in all the world for indigestion in all its forms, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, etc. Manufactured and sold by.

CLARENCE M. KUYKENDAL.

R. J. HERNDON.

IT IS MY AIM

AND purpose to carry a full and complete stock of goods this year in various lines, and I shall always try to meet fair competition on any article. Along with a general line of the best of goods I will continue to handle THREE MAKES of PIANOS.

The Knabe,
The Chase, and
Weser Brothers,

And two celebrated makes of Organs—

The Farrand & Votey,
and Bridgeport.

I am "AT HOME" at all times when it comes to the point on a FINE Piano or Organ.

R. J. HERNDON.

JOURNAL AND STATE.

I HAVE recently taken the agency for the COLUMBIA STATE, in addition to the NEW YORK JOURNAL and will be pleased to furnish the public with either at **20 cents** per week—6 STATES or 7 JOURNALS. Single copies of the JOURNAL may be had at **3 cents** for the daily and **7 cents** for the Sunday editions. Single copies of the STATE, **5 cents.** OLIVER E. GRIST.

Yorkville, S. C., April 21.