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THURSDAY MORNING, MAY 20, 1875.

Hon. Jefferson Davis delivered the annual address at the Texas State Fair on Thursday last, and in the evening addressed the veterans of the Mexican war. He entreated them to be as loyal now to the stars and stripes as they were zealous and brave in defence of their country on foreign soil.

Death of Gen. Breckenridge.

Gen. John C. Breckenridge, of Kentucky, departed this life on Monday last at his home in Lexington. A great and good man has fallen! He was one of nature's noblemen, and a true representative of the Southern statesman and cavalier-without blemish in his brilliant pub-Mc career.

The Southern Presbyterians.

The General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian Church meets in St. Louis to-day. The Nashville Union and American says it promises to be a notable event in the history of the church, and the most important feature of the Assembly will be the discussion of friendly relations between the Northern and Southern branches. This question has already excited considerable discussion, and vigorous efforts will be made to re-establish union between the sections.

Erskine College.

The students of this institution recently extended a most cordial and unanimous invitation to Gov. Chamberlain to deliver the annual address before the literary societies at the appreaching commencement on the 7th of July next. The Governor has been compelled reluctantly to decline the invitation, on account of a previous engagement to perform a similar service at Yale College, which occurs about the same time. It is understood that Gov. Chamberlain would have preferred to accept the invitation of Erskine College, but his engagement with Yale was made some months ago, and must be adhered to.

Sleanings from Correspondence.

An esteemed correspondent gives us a desixty feet in dimensions; a passage on the lower floor sufficiently large to drive a loaded wagon through, with stalls on either side, and a carriage house at one end-the upper story being a solid floor, well ventilated by large windows and doors. If some of our farmers could only see it, they would be surprised what a little energy and effort can do." Capt. Kidd was raised in East Tennessee, and no doubt believes that a capacious and well constructed barn is one of the prime necessities of a thriving farmer. We trust he is giving the country a good example in raising clover and other grasses, as our correspondent alludes to his advanced system of farming, and the use of improved implements of the husbandman.

Mr. W. J. Harbin is running a steam saw mill at Townville, and informs one of our correspondents that he saws from 4,000 to 6,000 feet of lumber per day. Mr. Stribling, who is connected with the mill, says that they cannot near supply the demand, which speaks well for the Fork and its improvement in building-The introduction of steam mills throughout the County is a great convenience to persons wishing lumber for building purposes, and we are told that every section where these mills are established shows at once the spirit of pro. gress among the people. The renovation of old buildings and erection of new ones is the surest indication of thrift and prosperity.

Travis County, near Austin, as follows: "I want to see one honest Radical officer. I hope | their efforts to fill the penitentiary with rogues | The probability is, after a while they will cease and believe Gov. Chamberlain is one, and am and plunderers. much pleased with him so far, but we would not exchange Gov. Coke for any Radical. Our politics are good, but we are working under a miserable Constitution. I am proud to see the prospect for a new cotton factory by the Grangers. This State has a great many Granges, but not in such working order as some of the older States. Our crop prospects are very good; corn is from half leg to knee high, and looking well; cotton looks badly, but we have good stands. We will commence thinning to-morrow morning. I had Irish potatoes the 28th of of April. Gardens are looking finely in many places, although we have had much north wind and frost, but no killing frost since the 17th of February. Wheat and oats are looking splendidly, and promise a good yield."

A correspondent in Tishomingo County, Miss., sends a remedy for chicken cholera, which has been tried by his neighbors with great success: "Take a sewing awl and pierce a hole under the skin on top of the head, just behind the comb; pull a feather out of the tail, and stick it in the awl-hole, which should be made across the head. Move the feather once each day for three days, and it is said the remedy will never fail." The plan is simple, and our correspondent assures us that it is a perfect cure. He says the recent mention of chicken cholera prevailing in this section induced him to forward the receipt for the benefit of his old friends in Anderson, particularly the Methodist preachers. This is a repetition of an old slander which we cannot endorse, for we are quite confident that the taste for "fried chicken" is not restricted to ministers of any persuasion, nor indeed to the clerical fraternity, for we know of more than one editor, for instrongly manifested on all occasions.

Gov. Chamberlain.

The recent prosecution of Ex-Treasurer

Niles G. Parker has elicited much comment

beyond the borders of South Carolina, and there seems a general tendency to predict disposed ground that Parker's disclosures must inevitably connect Gov. Chamberlain with the corrupt practices of the Scott administration. We are not certain in regard to the present status of the case against Parker, but it is hardly apparent that an early investigation unless an arrangement is made for a special sound throughout the country, and the cause of good government in South Carolina will become weakened and impaired just to the ex- through the earth to the seas. tent of their disproved circulation. We are disposed to accept the asseverations of Gov. economy are the watchwords of his administration, and the fruits of the last six months demonstrate their ability and purpose to end the shameful reign of public dishonesty and official peculation, which every one is bound to concede. Yet, in ascribing merit and capacity to the administration of Gov. Chamberlain, we cannot blindly pledge allegiance to his political fortunes, nor trammel ourselves with unbounded promises of support in the future. He is an able and earnest Republican, with much culture and shrewdness as a politician, whose motives cannot be less selfish than the generality of ambitious and aspiring men in name from merited infamy does not give us any tle of the timber was destroyed. peculiar satisfaction, for we have never belonged to that organization, or felt any sympato uphold his hands against the corrupt elements and we will never consent to ignore the fact that triumph and victory over thieves and scoundrels was made possible only through the strength and support of conservatives! But to have a clearer understanding of the battleground. The allegations to which we alluded in the beginning must exercise some weight in determining the sincerity of Gov. Chamberlain's efforts to make a thorough reformation. There must be no lukewarmness and indecisive who are represented in the person of Niles G. Parker at this time. Silence and inactivity scription of a new barn recently erected by of the result, and hence we direct attention to the clouds as they are drawn thither by the them, Mr. Jerry M. Browne was called upon Capt. J. M. Kidd, who lives on Tugalo River, these important facts, so that misunderstanding mountain woods, "We don't want your rain;" who favored the audience with some very some three or four miles below the flourishing will not arise when the conflict comes next and off they go as if in search of other timvillage of Fair Play: "It is located on a slight winter between the opposing factions of the bered belts, dropping a little shower on their is an old veteran in the cause, and judging eminence in sight of the Tugalo river, fifty by Republican party, when the conservatives will way as a person would spill some of the water from his countenance we believe he was as be expected to lend their assistance in favor of from the pail on the way from the spring to near perfect bliss as we mortals are ever per- County. Gov. Chamberlain's adherents. His innocence the house. of all taint as Attorney General in the dark trancactions of that period must be firmly esour confidence. The pressure of his official punishment, and this can be done most effectually through the unwavering assaults of Attorney General Melton, whose pledges in behalf of the present administration are not forgotten. with a sincere desire to create an atmosphere of healthier tone, which will not overlook past offences for the sake of meagre results at the against the thieves and plunderers, who made the name of the commonwealth synonymous throughout the civilized world. It is not the if for no other purpose? fashion just now to investigate the motives or assail the integrity of the present administration. But we believe that unmeasured praise and unbiased judgment, and we have an abiding | bad result of our folly. It is absolutely painof our duty is to make the authors, aiders and fence (?) made of pine poles. Another bad abettors of corrupt government in South Caro-A Texas correspondent writes May 1st from fied, and to-day the standard of rectitude must travel miles to get a board tree to cover a

The State Agricultural Fair.

We see that arrangements are made to hold the next Annual Fair of the State Agricultural Society in the city of Columbia, beginning on they themselves have wrought. Tuesday, 9th of November next, and continuing throughout the week. The Directors have decided to offer no awards for horse racing, as there appears to be a sentiment among influential patrons of these annual exhibitions opposed to trials of speed as repugnant to their ideas of propriety, and the managers are desirous of reconciling all the elements of success, in order to make the State Fair a worthy representative of the industrial progress of the commonwealth. This deference to public sentiment should ensure fresh interest among the farmers and planters, so many of whom objected most strenuously to the prominence given to horse racing at the State Fairs heretofore. Let an earnest and hearty co-operation be awakened throughout the State, which will result in a triumphant vindication of the policy now adopted, and bring permanent success to the State Agricultural Society.

Hon. J. K. Jillson, State Superintendent of Education, has apportioned the sum for deficiencies of school claims prior to November 1st, 1873, to the several counties of the State, and Anderson receives \$2,476.35. The attained a prominent position in his profession State Treasurer is ready to pay the money on He was a member of the Legislature from 1858 demand, and we have no doubt that Anderson's up to the close of the war, and was distinshare will be secured without delay, which will guished for his practical knowledge and sound be gratifying news to teachers and others who common sense. have waited so patiently for this money.

- The grand jury of Fairfield, in their report last week, presented Sheriff Duvall for neglect of duty, but declined to present him for refusal lain. With a good Governor, the prospect for tribe at a tender age is fully developed and tribe at a tender age is fully developed and strongly manifested on all occasions.

| The Anderson County a sure and gradual improvement in the State and gradual improvement in the State and gradual improvement in the State are ground of fine work—such as fluting, a mistake in preparing a prescription, and which caused the death of Mrs. McCubbin.

| A sure and gradual improvement in the State are gradual improvement in the State are ground of insufficient time to examine into the energy of all classes.

For the Anderson Intelligencer.

The Destruction of our Forests.

MR. EDITOR: Is it not astonishing that men will continue to literally ruin this country by cutting down the forest timber? Many of inst., given under the auspices of Storeville graceful failure in the prosecution, on the sup- these very men are said to possess sound judgment on many matters of public good, but in this they manifest a sad deficiency. It is a fact that the severe droughts which afflict this country these late years, and cause so many uneasy hearts, are the legitimate results of the vast tracts of cleared land stretching around will be made into the alleged frauds of the us, and especially in the low-country. Every Ex-Treasurer and his associates. The trial is green leaf is a pump, lifting moisture from the not likely to take place sooner than October, deepest roots and throwing it on the atmosphere. When only one such leaf is plucked, term, which is not yet announced. In the that much moisture is cut off. If a green tree meantime, these frequent imputations against is killed, the air is deprived of much more; the character of Gov. Chamberlain will re- but if the whole country is cleared, (as is al- In this procession there were at least two hunmost the case now,) then that mighty volume of water which the forest supplies is filtered

is the drying up of nearly every spring-branch around Storeville. In front of the speakers' Chamberlain and his friends that honesty and and stream in the opened land. While they stand an arch was erected, which was beautiremained, the air absorbed water from them fully adorned with cedar and bedecked with in connection with that thrown off by the wild honey suckle. After an earnest prayer leaves; hence, the air and clouds could soon from Rev. C. V. Barnes, the speakers were ingather water enough to empty themselves in troduced. They were Harry McDonald, Samrefreshing showers on the earth. As it now is, | uel Jackson, T. L. Clinkscales, Preston Carwe must wait till the narrow belts of timber wyle, G. F. Tolly, and Rev. C. V. Barnes. It and the few marshy places that are left can supply moisture enough to rain. While we an account of each one of the addresses. The wait, we can see and feel the effect of our folly first four were young men from the surround--the drought. Then unreasonable men will | ing country, who acquitted themselves handbegin to grumble at what they themselves have caused. Some persons will see nothing in this, but I will say to all such, that fifty years ago such a thing as we call a drought was almost | much credit upon themselves. The fifth speakpublic life. His redemption of the party unknown. And again, fifty years ago very lit-

was about to pass a law requiring the barren thy with its plans and purposes. We accept tracts of land to be sown in acorns to create a him as an instrument calculated to assist in forest by which to bring on rain. Why is it much good. Rev. C. V. Barnes concluded the ameliorating the frightful condition of affairs that Texas and other Western States are so in South Carolina, and so long as the Governor often scorched with the hot winds of a "long tive and eloquent appeal in behalf of the temadheres to a right line of policy, we are willing dry spell?" Simply because timber is so scarce. The fact is, that in every country on of his own party, for he has nothing to fear the earth where rain is scarce timber is scarce. from the opposition in this respect. Indeed, I have heard old men speak of the fine seasons the brief history of his administration clearly | that blessed their growing crops in their younger proves that political opponents saved him from days. Where are those seasons now? Alas, inglorious defeat on more than one occasion, they are gone with the forest timber, or nearly

There is enough cleared land in South Carolina to-day to support twenty times its present population. Yet, instead of improving the the fight is not yet ended, and it is well enough | land already cleared, men are rushing heedlessrays. This work of desolation has been gradually carried on for years from the sea-shore conduct in pursuing the host of plunderers, to the up-country; and at this time the vast damsel by his side, doubtless whispering into army of unthinking men, armed with axes, are her ears the old, old story. At two o'clock the invading the mountain forests, and recklessly will not convince any one that there is no fear | felling the trees. Their actions seem to say to | ineffectual attempts to get others to address

We are having in this country these late years more and severer storms than formerly. tablished, which will alone perfect his right to This I verily believe to be another result of the long we trust the cause in that country will be frightful destruction of the timber. Again, influence must aid in bringing the guilty to this beautiful land was once almost entirely exempt from chills and fever. Now, since there is so little timber left to take up the poisonous malaria, we shake with chills and burn with fever. And then amid it all ask, "What We are not writing in an unfriendly spirit, but | can be the cause of it?" We have caused it. Green leaves throw off oxygen, which supports animal life, and in turn feed on carbonic acid gas, which "is formed in the bodies of all anipresent time. The outraged people of South | mals." This gas, when respired, destroys ani-Carolina should demand vigorous measures mal life. We are told by chemists that each adult man exhales about 140 gallons of it per day. Now, is it not wisdom, as far as possible, with bribery and all manner of corrupt dealing to let the trees stand as guards of our health,

Fire-wood is getting to be very scarce and high in some places. Even now many must resort to the "old field pine" for fuel, not only is worse than criminal when duty requires calm for the stove, but for the fire place. Another faith that the highest and noblest performance ful to a thinking man to have to travel by a result. Wonder what the owners of such fenlina feel the weight and terror of the criminal ces will do when the poles give out. There laws. With nothing less will we become satis- are plenty of farmers in this country now who among public officers should be gauged by stable or corn-crib. Is this another result? to hunt, just because there will be none to find. If our people continue to butcher this land in this way, it will not be many years before the hot, dry winds of the simoon leave, in their track of desolation, men to mourn over what

COUNTRY.

Death of Valued Citizens.

The Lancaster Ledger announces the death of W. M. Connors, Esq., a prominent lawyer of that town, on the 10th inst. He was stricken down with paralysis, and lived only a few hours. Mr. Connors was an exemplary, hightoned citizen, and greatly esteemed by the people of Lancaster. He was for several years one of the editors and proprietors of the Ledger.

The Sumter Watchman records the death of Col. John B. Moore, one of the most public spirited and enterprising citizens of that County, and prominently identified with the agricultural interests of the State. He was an energetic and successful planter, a genial, wholesouled gentleman, and an ardent, devoted and unflinching patriot.

The Charleston News and Courier brings the painful intelligence that Col. Robert S. Duryea. of that city, departed this life on Saturday last, after a protracted illness. Col. Duryea was a sound and reliable lawyer, and had long since

- The Walhalla Courier says the press generally throughout the State express great confidence in the administration of Gov. ChamberFor the Anderson Intelligencer.

Temperance Pic Nic at Storeville.

MR. EDITOR: It was our great pleasure to attend a pic nic on last Saturday, the 15th Lodge of Good Templars. Though not in the habit of writing for newspapers, yet we would ings were we to let this occasion pass without giving some public account of it. We arrived at the place about 10 o'clock,

numbering from four to five hundred persons,

and among them a great many Sons of Tem-

in the festivities of the day. A procession was soon formed, consisting of both orders, and marched to the stand erected for the speakors. dred persons, which is proof conclusive that the cause is prospering in that community, and positive evidence that the Good Templars Another hurtful result of so much clearing and Sons are accomplishing a good work would be unnecessary for us to try to give you somely, and their noble efforts brought forth showers of bouquets from the fair sex. These young men exhibited great talent, and reflected er, G. F. Tolly, proved to his hearers that he man. was just as capable of making a temperance The French Government several years past speech as discussing the merits of a bedstead or bureau. His words were strong, forcible and to the point, and no doubt will result in exercises of the morning with an able, instrucperance cause. We believe that the seed sown that day will spring up and bring forth many recruits to the cold water army. Between each one of the addresses sweet music was dispersed by Mrs. G. and Mr. T. L. C., which tended greatly to heighten the enjoyment of the occasion. Dinner was announced, and under the large, spreading oaks a basket dinner was spread and served by the ladies; and here, Mr. Editor, our pen rebels from entire inability to do the subject justice. You well know that the ladies around Storeville are always prely into the few forest patches that are left, as if | pared in this respect, and you can rest assured they could not bear to see them. And soon that they fully sustained their reputation on the "reverberating crash of falling trees" is this occasion. After a hearty meal the crowd heard, and the land is left to parch in the sun's dispersed into little groups to engage in social conversation. Here and there we detected a young man seated in a buggy with a blushing crowd assembled at the stand, and after several mitted to approach on this earth. And well he might be, for we think his long cherished hopes are now being fully realized, and ere far above the possibility of a failure. We noticed in the procession an organization of very small boys who styled themselves "The Band of Hope." This is certainly quite praiseworthy, and should be encouraged. Had there been in the past more of such bands of cold water boys, there would have been at present fewer whiskey drinking men. We noticed one feature which struck us very forcibly, and that was the perfect order preserved all day. We never saw better behavior or more attention given to speakers before.

At three o'clock we were all dismissed, and soon all were on the road homeward bound, and every body perfectly sober. What a wide difference from the endings of a great many public meetings we have all attended in our lives. Is not this fact alone a great temper-

ance speech? In conclusion, Mr. Editor, we will say that we have spent many very pleasant days around old Storeville, but are free to say this was one of the most pleasant. We hope some day to meet just such an assemblage again. We trust that the Templars and Sons of Temperance in that country will go on in the good work they have commenced until every drunkard in their midst shall be reclaimed.

ITEMS-EDITORIAL AND OTHERWISE.

- The recent tornado carried a brick the distance of a mile in Newton County, Ga. -The grading on the Elberton Air Line Railroad will probably be completed this

- Ex-President Davis has been tendered the Presidency of the Bryan (Texas) Agricultural

College.

— Mr. H. T. Peake, the builder of the Laurens Railroad, expects to complete his work before the 1st of September next. - Since 1870 Greenville County has furnish-

ed seventy-one convicts for the penitentiary, and in the same time about forty-three luna-- Secretary Bristow has accepted an invitation to deliver an address at the decoration of

Kentucky. - A call for an Auditors and Treasurers Convention, to be held in Columbia, on the 19th instant, has been made by the Comptrol-

the graves of the Federal dead at Cave Hill,

ler-General. - The New York Herald deprecates the apathy of Republican leaders on the third term question, and says that President Grant should come frankly before the country upon this is-

- The New York Evening Post says it has received from an authoritative source a positive written denial that there is any ground whatever for the rumor of Secretary Fish's intended resignation.

- The election to permanently locate the county seat of Barnwell occurred on the 12th inst. Eight precincts give Blackville 1,024 of the lower bridge, near Mr. Tolly's, or else majority, and the other seven precincts will not change the result.

-The Masons are erecting a new Lodge room at Fair Play, in place of the building which was destroyed by fire last fall. Their hall is the addition of a second story to Mr. Jarrad's new store, which is now in process of erection.

- The Supreme Court of Louisiana has given judgment, with \$25,000 damages, against Samuel Hastings, a druggist, whose clerk made

- People in the vicinity of Waverly Hall, Harris County, Ga., are preparing for the next ready for use in the next tornado. This is the neighborhood where four or five cyclones visit-

ed during sixty days' time.

— "Col. Fred. Grant," says a Washington correspondent, "has become one of our youthprove recreant to the dictates of our own feel- ful landed proprietors. He has ordered the erection of a block of houses in the city, and expects to make Washington his home after he leaves the army in the coming autumn." Not many soldiers could have made their fortunes and found a large crowd already assembled,

so quick. James Maloney and James W. Heyward, who were indicted for personating revenue officers, have been found guilty in the United perance, who had been invited to participate States District Court. These men are notorious characters in Newberry and Laurens, and tage. are meeting with just punishment for their misdeeds. It is truly a bad year for thieves and scoundrels generally.

- The Harrisburg Patriot says: Grant has thrown away all chance of getting a third term indorsement in Pennsylvania. Taking another member of his cabinet from New York, and slighting the State which was carried for him by a most expensive and elaborate fraud in 1872, is a measure of ingratitude which the profoundest loyalty cannot overlook.

- A new cotton factory is to be built at Greenville at once, with a capitol stock of \$250,000. Sampson, Hall & Co., are the principal parties, and the capital will be chiefly from Boston. This firm has already in successful operation a cotton factory in the town of Greenville, which yields large profits, and which encourages them to make further in-

vestments. - Ex-Treasurer J. P. F. Camp, of Spartanburg, has been arrested on a charge of failure to turn over certain funds collected by him to his successor in office. He could not give the required bail of ten thousand dollars, and was committed to jail. It is stated that one of his bondsmen manipulated the funds of the Treasurer's office, and that Camp is only suffering the penalty of being made the tool of a shrewder

- An important surgical operation was per-formed upon Gen. John C. Breckenridge, at his home in Lexington, Ky., on Tuesday, by Dr. Gross, of Philadelphia, and Dr. Sayre, of New York. His chest was penetrated by tubes inserted between his ribs and some relief was afforded. The physicians are of the opinion that the General's liver was injured by a blow received during the war from a fragment of shell and that his present suffering is due entirely to that cause. The physicians entertain hopes that the operation will prove of permanent advantange to the patient.

- Col. James B. McCreary, the Democratic nominee for Governor of Kentucky, is thus described by the Louisville Courier-Journal 'He is a young man of irreproachable private character, whose experience of public life has been had in our State Legislature, over the lower house of which he has presided during two sessions. He was an officer in the Confederate service, and is a nephew of the Hon. Thomas C. McCreary, one of our United States Senators. A gentleman of excellent understanding and intelligence, thoroughly informed as to our domestic situation, Mr. McCreary cannot fail to make us a good Governor. There is also a liberal possibility of development in him, and, on the whole, his nomination will give general sat-

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

T. D. KENNEDY, LOCAL EDITOR.

BRIEF MENTION.

See advertisement Foster's second Texas Drawing psstponed for a few days.

Rev. Thos. H. Cunningham, of Charleston, is on a visit to his family and friends in this

Capt. T. P. Benson has the finest wheat in town, and will doubtless have a large yield from his "brag patch." The champion marble-player in this town is

one of our most promising young lawyers. He is an expert in the art of "fudging." There has been very little cotton brought to

market during the past week. Middling bring to-day (Wednesday) 147 cents. The County Commissioners are having new

matting put on the floor of the Court room, which will greatly add to its appearance. This has been much needed for a long time, and we are now glad to see that a good work is being accomplished. We were shown on Saturday last two bunch-

es of oats, containing one hundred and thirty stalks each, measuring four feet in length, with heads from five to six inches. These bunches were raised by Mr. Samuel Browne, on his plantation at Broadaway, from two grains.

The Town Council has adopted an ordinance to regulate the meat market in this town, which will go into immediate effect. Some regulation was badly needed, and we commend the efforts of our city fathers to improve the facilities and mend the ways of the butchers.

Monday morning last was very cool for the season, and frost was seen by many in the vicinity of Williamston. We hope that Aunt Betsy Duckett's prophecy about a heavy frost on the 20th instant will not be veriffed, as the gardens would again suffer, and vegetables be-

Mr. J. Earle Lewis writes to us that his beautiful heifer, Louise Waddy, weighed 318 lbs. when only three months old. Mr. Lewis intends visiting all the principal stock farms in Kentucky and Tennessee this summer, and siring to invest.

An interesting meeting has been in progress in the Presbyterian Church since Friday night. The pastor, Rev. D. E. Frierson, has been assisted by Rev. W. F. Pearson and Rev. John G. Law. About fifteen persons have connected themselves with the church, and the meeting still continues with unabated interest.

We are sorry to learn that our respected townsman, Mr. Andrew Osboine, met with a severe accident on Monday last, while attending the steam saw mill of Osborne & McCuliy. He was engaged in sawing a very heavy stock, when the fastening on its top gave way, and the stock fell on one of his legs, badly bruising

Mr. A. P. Hubbard, the enterprising "little man," has in process of crection a neat onestory dwelling, situated on Main Street, near Capt. Benson's. Mr. James Payne is also building a comfortable dwelling on the lot back of the residence of Mr. Samuel Crawford. This is the right way to build up the fortunes

The foot bridge over the railroad cut, near the residence of Mr. J. B. Watson, is in a dangerous condition, and should be at once repaired. The railroad officials are certainly not aware of the condition of this, as well as that they would take some steps to have them repaired.

By reference to the advertisement of Mrs. C. C. Pegg, it will be seen that she is the agent at this place for the celebrated smoothing. glossing, ruffling, crimping and fluting Iron. This iron should find its way into every household, as it will save considerable trouble and

A fine sample of wheat, measuring about four and a half feet in length, with well filled cyclone by digging pits in the earth. Some heads, was shown us on Monday last by Mr. nineteen or twenty holes in the ground are Stephen McCully. It came from the farm of Mr. S. H. Prevost, about four miles west of this place, who has a field containing five acres of the same kind. There are flattering prospects of a good wheat crop vet.

Charles Calhoun, a young colored man, who has been loafing about the streets for some time, was arrested last week on the charge of Vagrancy, and brought before Trial Justice G. W. Hammond, who, after hearing the testimony of many witnesses, ordered him to jail, and sent the case up to the Court of General Sessions, where Judge Cooke will no doubt dispose of the young man to the best advan-

A grand skating reception took place at the Skating Rink, (which has been removed to the University Chapel,) on Friday night last. A number of ladies and gentlemen participated in the skating, which continued until about 10 o'clock, after which the skates were removed, and the "light fantastic" tripped until a late hour, when the reception ended, and the parties repaired bomeward, much pleased with the pleasures of the entertainment.

According to announcement, the celebration and pic nic, given under the auspices of the Lodge of Good Templars at Storeville, came off on Saturday last, and was much enjoyed by all present. Addresses were delivered by Mr. G. F. Tolly, Rev. C. V. Barnes, Harry McDonald, Samuel Jackson, T. L. Clinkscales and Preston Carwile, all of which eloquently showed the rapid strides which temperance is making in this County, and the vast amount of good resulting from it. The pic nic which followed was well arranged, and greatly reiished by those in attendance.

Williford's Store is fast becoming one of the most prosperous and flourishing places in our County, and the inhabitants of that section have been working with a will for the past few months, in order to further the spirit of enterprise which seems to have taken complete possession of them. They have a Masonic Lodge, Grange, Temperance Division, with Mr. L. O. Williford as W. P; Debating and Singing Societies, and a fine Brass Band, under the leadership of Mr. J. P. Anderson. Surely our friends of the "Store" and vicinity deserve much credit for their labors.

A remarkable case of senile gangrene was operated upon by Dr. H. G. Scudday last week It seems that Mr. James Stewart, an aged and highly respectable citizen of this County, living about ten miles southwest of this place, was suffering for a long time from pains in the foot and leg, occasioned by the veins failing to convey the blood back through the proper channels. The foot became very hard, and last week dropped off at the ankle, leaving the main bone of the leg exposed for about four inches. It is thought that the leg will now have to be amputated at or above the knee in order to save his life. This might have been obviated if taken in time, but Mr. Stewart would not permit the foot to be amputated.

ANDERSON THEATRICAL COMPANY.

This organization of talented performers, who have won for themselves a lasting reputation by their late splendid rendition of Arthur's great drama of "Ten Nights in a Bar Room," have kindly consented to repeat this beautiful and touching play, for the benefit of Anderson Division, Sons of Temperance, on Saturday evening, the 29th inst. Vocal music of the irst order will be introduced between the acts. and the whole will conclude with a glorious farce, entitled "My Turn Next," in which many ludicrous characters and amusing incidents will be brought out. It is to be hoped that a large attendance will be present, to further the praiseworthy undertaking. Every preparation has been made by the stage and business managers to ensure success, and those who attend cannot fail to be well pleased. Admission, fifty cents.

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION.

The seventh anniversary of Anderson Division, No. 1, Sons of Temperance, will be celebrated by a Grand Pic Nic at Kev's Spring on Saturday, 29th inst., and appropriate addresses will be delivered on the occasion by Messrs. E. B. Murray and J. Baylis Lewis. All the Temperance organizations in the County are requested to be present in regalia, in order to assist in the ceremonies. The public generally, and the ladies especially, are invited to attend. As this is the gala season of the year, when both young and old desire recreation as a respite from study and labor, a more suitable time for a pic nic could not be selected, and it is the intention of the committee of arrangements to make the coming anniversary celebration as pleasant as possible.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.

The ladies of the Baptist congregation propose giving an entertainment in the Masonic Hall on to-morrow (Friday) evening, when strawberries, ice cream, cake, et cetera, will be provided abundantly to meet the expected demand for these luxuries. The object is to raise funds for church purposes, and we take pleasure in urging a general attendance upon this occasion. A small admission fee will be charged, and the most reasonable prices will govern the purchases of the evening. The inducements to respond liberally to this invitawill purchase blooded stock for any parties de- tion are quite numerous, and we shall expect to meet a full gathering of young men and maidens fair, not to mention a liberal sprinkling of the ancient and honored denizens of the

LIST OF JURORS.

The following is a list of the Petit Jurors drawn for the coming term of Court, which commences on Monday next, the 24th inst.: Dock Newell, col., Mark V. Barkley, J. Wesley Pickens, R. V. Acker, Thomas B. Lee, jr., Elbert Hall, colored, William A. Neal, James Davis, col., Philip Clinkscales, col., Henry W. Williford, David Crosby, William Mattison, col. David Crosby, Lewis M. McPhail, Lewis M. McPhail,
Cyrus Cunningham, col. John W. Poore,
C. P. Rodgers,
Boston Jenkins, col., C. P. Rodgers, W. Perry Childers, Alfred Hix, col., Wm. M. Archer, Levi Burriss, Hugh A. Ellison, W. Sherard, L. D. Stringer, Thomas W. Martin.

Thomas S. Crayton John B. Armstrong, Ransom Harrison, col. Mark Webb, col., James M. Hawkins J. Berry Lewis, Abram Earle, col., George W. King,

NEW GRANGE.

A Grange was organized at Honea Path on Saturday last, and the following officers elected:

> G. M. Mattison, W. M. A. T. Armstrong, O. J. H. Austin, Lec. G. M. Greor, Steward.

E. S. Gantt, A. S.

J. M. Shirley, Chap. A. P. Shirley, Treas.

J. J. Trussell, Sec. R. E. Moore, G. K. Miss J. A. Williams, Ceres. Miss S. M. Kay, Pomona.

Miss E. Maddox, Flora. Miss Lucie Moore, L. A. S.

This makes twenty-five Granges organized

much expense, since it can be adapted to al- in Anderson County. The Anderson County