## THE INTELLIGENCER.

## LOCAL MATTERS.

Y. M. C. A. Rev. D. E. Frierson has been elected to deliver the annual address before the Young Mens' Christian Association of this town. The annual meeting will be held in Temperance Hall on the second Wednesday evening in January. The occasion will be one of interest, and the ladies and gentlemen of Anderson are invited to attend.

## AN ALARM OF FIRE.

The citizens of Anderson were alarmed by the ringing of the fire ball and cry of fire on last Tuesday at about 1 o'clock p. m. The ringing of the Carolina Collegiate Institute bell soon attracted the attention of our people, and the smoke issuing from the northeast corner of the large boarding house showed plainly where the fire was located. There was great excitement, and every one who could leave the square went to the building carrying buckets, &c. Before the crowd arrived, however, the fire, which caught from a spark from a chimney on the end of the building. had been extinguished by Mr. John Broyles, who reached the building soon after the alarm was given, and immediately went to the roof, where he was able to tear off shingles enough to arrest the burning. A few minutes longer would have placed the building beyond control, and have destroyed it, with a possibility of the University building itself.

## DISASTROUS FIRES.

The splendid mills of Maj. George W. Anderson at Wilson's Bridge, on the Saluda River, were entirely destroyed by fire on last Friday afternoon. His loss is between \$000 and \$8,000, including a large amount of machinery and a three story building. There was no insurance upon the property, and it is not known how the fire originated. The machinery embraced a flouring and two grist mills, besides two cotton gins.

The town of Hones Path suffered a severe loss by fire on last Sunday night. McCullough's store was discovered to be on fire about half-past eight o'clock, and the building was entirely consumed, together with its contents, including a large stock of goods. The books were not saved, but we learn that the notes belonging to the firm were rescued. The loss is heavy, and the insurance is only \$5,000. The store of M. I. Brock, across the ized. street from McCullough's, was also destroyed. His stock was insured for \$1,750, which will probably cover the losses. The building occupied by Brock belonged to J. J. Cooley, and was not insured. The building occupied by Wm. Lee & Co. caught fire a great many times, but active work saved them from great loss, as their stock was only slightly damaged. The efforts of white and colored were directed to the preserva-"tion of property, and great credit is given to all who worked so faithfully. The origin of the fire is unknown, but it is supposed to be the work of an incerdiary.

The large frame building on the west side of the public square of Pendleton, known arthe Cherry Hote was consumed by fire on last Friday night. It was a still, cold night, and the fire was therefore more easily prevented from spreading. The work, however, to save the hotel just across the street was very severe and dangerous. It could not have been accomplished had there been any wind to waft the flames from the burning building. The conduct of the citizens of ndleton on this occasion was very courage

ous, and shows them to be excellent fire-

It is not strictly polite to practice the habit of smoking in the vestibule of a church

We have received some very fine turnips

from Rev. Jacob Burriss, who has been very

successful in raising this crop the present

When you sell your cotton do not forget

BRIEF MENTION.

Mr. J. A. Daniels requests us to say that | fire on the roof of the building in which I his stock of jewelry will not be so complete live in the University yard. after the 10th of January next.

STATE NEWS.

A CARD.

I hereby return my most sincere thanks

to all those neighbors and friends, both

- The press of the State generally favor a repeal of the lien law, as it works to the damage of both the giver and taker, thereby injuring the business of the coun

how glad the printer will be to receive a small portion of it upon your paper account. Every little helps.

season

Mr. A. B. Towers gives notice in this issue that he has on hand a nice stock of good things for Christmas. He will also insure your property in good companies.

We would call attention to the advertisement of Mr. A. P. Hubbard. Persons wishing to purchase confectioneries, &c., for Christmas, would do well to give him a call.

Mr. William Burriss sent us last week the finest average turnips we have seen this year. The turnip crop in Anderson County is better than it has been for several years. The Savannah Democratic Club will meet at Holland's Store on Saturday, 23rd inst., at 2 o'clock p. m. A full attendance is requested, as business of great importance will

be brought before the meeting. Rev. J. K. Mendenhall, District Secretary of the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, preached in the Baptist church on Sunday night. He will serve as

an Evangelist in this State next year. Our friends will oblige us by always shuting the doors when they come into or leave either the printing office or editorial rooms. By following this suggestion they will spare us much inconvenience without giving themselves much trouble.

Christmas is coming, and persons wishing to supply themselves with confectioneries, toys, &c., &c., for the holidays, can get their wants supplied upon reasonable terms at J. R. Fant's at his store in Masonic build-

ing. See advertisement elsewhere. The young ladies and gentlemen of Belton propose to give an entertainment on Christmas night, the proceeds of which will be given to the Baptist Church. Admittance fee, 50 cents; children, 25 cents. We trust

the entertainment will be liberally patron Senator Cochran voted on the first ballot for Gen. M. W. Gary for United States Sen-

ber, at one o'clock.

ator. On the second, third and fourth ballots he voted for D. T. Corbin. On the fifth ballot he voted for Gen. Gary, and then changed, so that he voted for Corbin on the last ballot.

The Garvin Democratic Club met on the 16th inst., and adopted a series of resolu-

tions, among them a recommendation of Col. T. J. Pickens for Treasurer of Anderson County. The Club adjourned to meet at M. clerk of Claiborne County, was assassin-Richardson's on Saturday, 30th of Decem-

The advertisement of Messrs. Gilreath & Peoples announces to the public that they Mr. Austin Peay, near Ridgeway, in Fairfield County, died from the effects of We would call attention to the prospectus

of the Leonard Scott publishing company, return. which appears on another page of this issue. This company reprint the excellent literary

white and colored, who so promptly lent their assistance in the extinguishment of the W. J. LIGON.

try. - Ed. Jackson, colored, was killed last Friday night while attempting to rob the hen house of Wm. Frederick, another colored man, near Timmonsville, S. C. Frederick shot him in the back while

running and killed him instantly. - The DeKalb monument in Camden is in need of repairs. The inscriptiou, "A German by birth, but in principle a citizen of the world," is becoming indis-

tinct. The ladies of the town are invited to have it retouched, to keep fresh the memory of the revolutionary hero. - The steamer Harvey Mills sailed from Port Royal, S. C., December 13, loaded with 6,464 bales of cotton for England. A tri-weekly line of steamers has been established from this place to New York, and it bids fair to become a port of

naval and commercial importance. - Seven of the negroes who are charged with the murder of Mr. A. J. Gregg, which occurred a few weeks ago, near Mars Bluff, have been arrested and lodged in the Marion jail. This is an-other of the diabolical murders perpetrated by the negroes upon white men

without any just cause. - The cemetery attached to the Me thodist church in Georgetown has been so completely filled with graves that no more interments will be permitted, except in lots which have been reserved and enclosed by families. Many of the graves are unmarked and cannot be dis-

inguished. A new cemetery has been opened to receive the future dead. - It is understood that as soon as it can be definitely ascertained which is the legal Legislature of South Carolina application will be made for a charter for canal from Santee River to Sampit Creek, and that already a large amount

has been subscribed by planters and merchants on the Wateree and Combahee Rivers to accomplish this great enterprise.

- The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore Sun says Hon. George Bancroft, the historian, has started a subscription list for a testimonial fund for Gov-

ernor Wade Hampton, of South Carolina, whose home was recently burned by incendiaries, contributing himself \$100. Mr. Bancroft is a Republican, but admires Governor Hampton's recent actions very much. Mr. Corcoran has subscribed \$1,000, and Mr. Columbus Alexander \$100. It is thought a very handsome sum

will be realized. - A despatch from Vicksburg to the New Orleans Picayune says John P. Briscoe, a prominent Democrat and chancery

ated Saturday last, while out hunting, two miles from Port Gibson. He was the only witness against the negroes who fired on a sheriff's posse October 21. — A colered child on the plantation of

have reduced the prices of their stoves, and have on hand a fine lot of tinware. They a burn received from the accidental igniare prepared to give satisfaction to their tion of her clothing. The affectionate customers, and solicit a trial from persons parent was on his way to town, and was overtaken and informed of the catastrowishing to purchase goods in their line. phe, but he did not think it necessary to

> - The residence and kitchen of Miss Maria Spann, near Providence, in Sumter County, with almost the entire contents,

# **PROCLAMATION.**

WHEREAS, the citizens of Anderson and adjoining Counties have patronized us most liberally ever since we opened business here; and whereas, our "CASH and LOWEST PRICE SYSTEM" is so favorably known now, that this patronage has been even more extensive during this Fall than ever before ; and whereas, we are not only thankful for this liberality towards us, but are desirous of expressing our thanks in a more substantial manner. Therefore, be it

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GIFT to each one of ten persons buying the ten largest

of ten thirty-six hour CLOCKS, of the Waterbury Clock Co.'s manufacture, and warranted to keep time. And be it further RESOLVED, That we are determined to give better BAR-GAINS during this month than ever before.

Anderson, S. C., Dec. 7, 1876.

# PREPARE FOR IT.

# BE SURE TO READ THIS.

RESOLVED, That we will give a handsome CHRISTMAS amounts of Goods between now and Christmas.

RESOLVED, That these ten Christmas Gifts shall consist

ARNSTEIN & ROSE, NEW YORK CASH STORE.

you would not PAY ME. Remember this, and do your duty, and as you would be done by. You have had the benefit of my Goods, and I now need the

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ONE should complain when I announce that hereafter I will sell no more Goods on

CREDIT

Those who are indebted to me by Notes

or Accounts of several years standing, are

COME

FORWARD LIKE MEN,

And redeem their words by paying what

they owe me. When you bought the Goods

you considered yourselves good for the debt,

AND

Wor'd have taken offence had I said that

earnestly requested to

money. Comply with your part of the contract, and we will all be better satisfied. I will continue to sell Goods to those customers who have accounts for 1876, and who can pay in 30 or 60 days. Give me a call, for I will sell Goods

# VERY CHEAP

I mean what I say. Come and examine the

# GOODS

Just arriving, and judge for yourselves. hand and to arrive, I have Groceries, Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Buggy Material, Hardware, Iron, Crockeryware, and everything else usually kept in a first-class store. At the



The Ladies will find everything which they may need. These Goods have been selected with great care, and will give satisfaction, as they are of the newest patterns and most fashionable shades. I will sell astoundingly cheap FOR THE CASH. The Millinery and Mantua-Making departments are under the charge of competent ladies, who guarantee satisfaction.

C. A. REED, Waverly House Corner.

N. B.-Special attention is invited to the BARGAIN COUNTER. Sept 21, 1876



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he was always devoted to its interests; liberal and enlarged in his views withal, he gave and Select Masters for the ensuing year : W. abundant evidence in his life that a broad, catholic faith actuated him in religious af-hite, Dep. M.; G. F. Tolly, P. C. W.; R. R. **CHING NEW ! IAVE MONEY.** and if o know themselves indebted of hers, containing 176 deres, more of tess. There is 22 acres of good, bottom land, well drained, in the tract, good dwelling-house and out-houses, all in good repair. There are some three acres of wheat sown, which NOTICE TO CREDITORS. All persons having demands against the Estate of Alexander Mattison, deceased, Also, two Mares, one Colt, (one year old,) one Ox Wagon, one Yoke of Oxen, one old Buggy, three Cows and five head of Hogs, fairs, and in his last illness that his sole re- Todd, C. G.; E. W. Byrum, Con.; S. M. liance was upon the Redeemer of mankind. Pegg, Steward ; J. H. Clarke, Recorder; J. Terms-From \$6.00 to Penmanship. undersigned, properly proven, within the s14.00 per term. Contingent Fee, 50 cents, time prescribed by law, and all indebted to Students will be received at any time, and will survive in the hearts of those who knew him and bonored his upright, consis-last, and about one hundred dollars' worth D. WHITE, Blacksmith. Dec 7, 1876 11de 13, 1876 Dec 14, 1876 Dec 14, 1876 of goods stolen. tent life.