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Judge Cochran has not yet resigned his seat in Congress, and it is probable that he will not do so for some time, as the R. & D. R. authorities have concluded to hold the attorneyship open for him until he can see his way clear to accept it. When his resignation does take place, there will be no lack of candidates to succeed him. Maj. E. B. Murray, Capt. D. K. Norris, Col. R. W. Simpson, Maj. B. F. Whitner, and Col. E. M. Rucker, of Anderson, W. C. Benet, Esq., of Abbeville, and Geo. Johnston, of Newberry, have been suggested as probable candidates, and there are two other Counties yet to hear from.

Senator Butler's bill to provide for the emigration of persons of color from the Southern States provides that the head of any family, or for himself, if not married, may make application to the nearest United States Commissioner, under oath, setting forth the fact that he desires to emigrate to a foreign country for permanent residence and citizenship, and that he is too poor to pay the cost of transportation. A certificate of this statement shall be forwarded by the Commissioner to the Quartermaster General of the army, who shall thereupon furnish to said applicant the necessary transportation by the cheapest route. For this purpose the bill appropriates the sum of \$5,000,000.

GRAND LODGE OF A. F. M.

The above organization held its annual session in Charleston last week, and was one of the largest, as well as one of the most interesting, meetings of the fraternity since war.

The following officers were elected to serve the ensuing year:

R. F. Driver, Anderson, Grand Master.  
L. T. Izlar, Blackville, Deputy Grand Master.  
A. Doty, Charleston, Senior Grand Warden.  
W. T. Branch, Abbeville, Junior Grand Warden.  
Zimmerman Davis, Charleston, Grand Treasurer.  
Charles Inglesby, Charleston, Grand Secretary.  
Rev. David Hiett, Williamston, Grand Chaplain.

The following appointments of officers were made:

John R. Smith, Jr., Laurens, Wm. H. Arnold, Hodges, Senior Grand Deacons. J. F. Woodside, Reedy River Factory, J. E. Jarrigan, M. D., Oak Grove, Junior Grand Deacons.  
Marquis L. West, Marietta, Grand Marshal.  
George F. Tolly, Anderson, Grand Parliament.  
Samuel S. Buist, Charleston, R. L. Henderson, Mount Gallaher, Grand Stewards.  
Wm. A. Wilson, Charleston, Grand Tyler.

It was decided to hold the next annual session of the Grand Lodge in Anderson. The annual address of the Grand Master, Dr. R. F. Driver, was a most interesting and able one, and touched upon every conceivable matter of interest to the Masonic fraternity of the State.

The re-election of our townsmen, Dr. R. F. Driver, as Grand Master, is certainly a compliment to him, and in speaking of it, the Charleston World says:

Dr. Driver is a native of Charleston. He left this city when a boy about thirteen years of age, and attended several sessions of Furman University in Greenville. Subsequently he graduated as a physician, but after a successful practice of many years, his health compelled him to retire from the profession.

Dr. Driver is a practical master machinist and engineer, and has been employed by various railroads throughout the country, North and South, being at one time in charge of the shops of the Greenville & Columbia rail. He was at one time also the traveling agent of an extensive Southern manufacturing company. During the war he did his part for the lost cause as a Confederate soldier in Kerens's brigade.

For the past twenty years he has resided in Anderson, where he owns a large machine and finishing shop.

Dr. Driver became a Mason some time during the year 1853, entering Recovery Lodge, No. 31, and has since that time filled many of the important offices in this State within the gift of the Order, until he has finally attained the most exalted Masonic official position in the State, and filled it for the first time that he is called upon a second.

The Grand Master, in a pleasant conversation with a representative of the World yesterday, said that there were two things of which he was extremely proud outside of the honors conferred by his Masonic brethren. The first was that he had been born in Charleston, second that he was a "Quaker son," and third that he was a "Hand Shill Baptist."

**LOCAL NEWS.**

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The Great Leader of the Lost Cause Laid Away to Rest.

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The city is crowded with thousands of people, representing the promisees, wealth and aristocracy of the South. Six or seven Governors are here, attended by their staffs, and bringing with them great delegations of people.

The military parade was made on Monday a dozen companies from Georgia, Texas, Mississippi and Alabama are here, and the Louisiana State National Guard and the volunteer militia of New Orleans, participated in the funeral. The day was anything but a gala day, as it was officially or socially. In the last Congress he was a member of the commission on foreign relations, and his work on the commission is highly spoken of by the people.

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**CRIMES AND CASUALTIES.**

ST. LOUIS, December 14.—Half a dozen farmers who were returning to their homes from Dallas, Texas, yesterday after selling their cotton were robbed by highwaymen on the road near White Rock. Bloodhounds were put on their tracks, and report has reached Dallas that two of the robbers were captured and hanged by the enraged farmers.

BERMINGHAM, ALA., December 13.—W. B. Allen, a well known engineer of the Georgia Pacific Railroad, dropped dead on his locomotive at Leeds yesterday. He was well, but had been suffering from his duty, and went out as usual. He got to Leeds, where he reached for the air brake, and instead of grasping the handle fell in the fireman's arms, with the exclamation "Oh, my God!" He was Chief of Division 207, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers of Atlanta. He leaves a wife and children.

WASHINGTON, December 14.—When one of the fast New York and Washington express trains to the Baltimore and Potomac arrived here to-night the dead body of a man was found on the cowcatcher of the engine. It was subsequently learned that the train had run into a wagon filled with countrymen on the outskirts of the city. Four men were killed—two white and two colored—and one colored man died badly injured. The men were in a covered wagon and drove across the track without concern, as the guard gates were open. The watchman at the crossing, whose duty it was to close the gates at the approach of a train, was not night arrested on the charge of manslaughter.

WINNEPEG, MANITOBA, Dec. 12.—A Winnepig man has just arrived from the Pacific coast tells of a thrilling experience on the Coast Range. He made a trip to the mountains of the Coast Range. A rail gave away at a point on the mountain side above the Columbia River. The engine passed over safely, but the two coaches following it were about and toppled over. The bank was very perpendicular, and the cars would have tumbled several hundred feet below into the flowing river had it not been that the coupling twisted around and held the tremendous weight. There were two cars, one with its load of passengers, suspended between heaven and earth. The weight of the engine and the balance of the train made the suspended cars from dragging the whole train down. The suspense was said to be dreadful. The frightened passengers were compelled to remain in their perilous condition for some time. The hanging cars, enabling all to make their escape. The place where the accident occurred is considered the most dangerous in the mountains.

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**REPORT OF THE CONDITION**  
OF THE  
**National Bank of Anderson,**  
AT Anderson, in the State of South Carolina, at the close of business December 11, 1889.

Loans and Discounts	\$220,717 65
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,200 00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,000 00
Due from approved reserve agents	10,710 00
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	12,000 00
Due from State and National Banks	8,000 00
Current Accounts and Cash Items	2,512 12
Checks and other Cash Items	11,432 50
Fractional paper currency, tickets and cents	10,000 00
Real Estate	85 00
Expenses paid in advance	9,848 00
Legal Tender Notes	9,182 00
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer	1,350 00
U. S. Bonds on hand	6,210 25
Other Assets	500 00
Total	\$450,882 28

CAPITAL STOCK	\$100,000 00
Surplus Fund	50,000 00
Undivided Profits	11,572 70
National Bank notes outstanding	11,250 00
Dividends unpaid	84 00
Individual notes and bills	1,350 00
Demand Certificates of Deposit	6,210 25
Total	\$450,882 28

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, )  
COUNTY OF ANDERSON, )  
J. A. BROCK, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
J. A. BROCK, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of December, 1889.  
W. S. BROWN, Notary Public.  
Correct—Attest: )  
B. F. CRAYTON, )  
JOSEPH H. ANDREWS, ) Directors.  
GEO. W. FAUST, )

**INVITATION TO ALL.**  
The public are invited to call and see the beautiful assortment of—  
**CHRISTMAS GOODS**  
At the Book Store of  
**G. W. FANT & SON.**  
Miscellaneous BOOKS, including Poems, Family and Pocket Bibles, Chautau-Boxes, Toy and Children's Books,  
Gold Pens, Writing Desks,  
Lep. Tablets and Paperettes,  
Oil Paintings, Artos, Engravings,  
Cromos, Picture Frames,  
Wall Tockets, Scrap Books,  
Auto. and Photo. Albums,  
Work Boxes,  
Christmas Cards, a beautiful assortment.  
If you want a suitable Present for the season, this is the place to secure one that will be appropriate and at moderate cost.  
G. W. FANT & SON.  
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**DISSOLUTION.**  
The Firm of J. J. BAKER & CO. will dissolve by limitation January 1st, 1890, and notice is hereby served on every one who may be indebted to them that Cash Settlements must be made on or before that date, as we propose to square up with ourselves and the balance of mankind—pleasantly and without any friction if we can.  
Nevertheless, we propose to settle.  
From an overladen Stock of the Staff of Life, and Staple Merchandise generally, we propose also to make prices until that date that will both surprise and interest you.  
J. J. BAKER & CO.  
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**MASTER'S SALE.**  
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
ANDERSON COUNTY.  
In the Court of Common Pleas.  
W. C. Branyan vs. J. R. Kay, et al.—Partition.  
IN obedience to the Order of Sale in the above entitled action, I will sell at Anderson, S. C., on Saturday in January next, the Lands below described, to wit:  
ALL THAT TRACT OF LAND, Situate in Hones Path Township, on Barker's Creek, containing one hundred and one acres, more or less, adjoining lands of W. C. Branyan, J. M. Greer, and others.  
ALSO  
All that other Tract of Land, situate in Hones Path Township, on waters of Barker's Creek, containing forty-six acres, more or less, adjoining lands of N. A. J. Greer, Abbe Shirley, N. A. Shirley and others.  
Terms of Sale—One-third cash, and balance on a credit of twelve months, with interest from day of sale, secured by a bond and mortgage of the premises. Purchaser to pay extra for papers.  
W. W. HUMPHREYS, Master.  
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THAT HOUSE AND LOT, in Hones Path, containing one-half acre, more or less, bounded by Main Street on the East, C. E. Harper on the South, Mrs. Sallie Garrett on the West, and shop lot of J. L. Brock on the North.  
Terms of Sale—Cash. Purchaser to pay extra for papers.  
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IN obedience to the Order of Sale in the above entitled action, I will sell at Anderson, S. C., on Saturday in January next, the land below described, to wit:  
All that Tract of land situate in Anderson County, S. C., containing fifty-eight acres, more or less, adjoining lands of Leo Davis.  
Terms of Sale—One-half cash, balance on a credit of twelve months, with interest from day of sale, to be secured by bond and mortgage of the premises. Purchaser to pay extra for papers.  
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**NOTICE.**  
The remainder of subscriptions to Capital Stock of the Anderson Cotton Mills has been called for—35 per cent, payable on or before 1st December next, and 35 per cent, payable on or before 1st January next.  
Contracts for machinery have been made, which renders it absolutely necessary that these installments be promptly met.  
By order of the Board of Directors.  
J. J. BAKER, Pres. and Treas.  
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**A. C. STRICKLAND,**  
**DENTIST.**  
NITROUS OXIDE given at all times for the Painless Extraction of Teeth.  
Office on corner of Granite Row over Bleckley Mercantile Co.  
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**FINE LINE FIRE WORKS**  
—AND—  
All Kinds Groceries and Xmas Goodies,  
ARE BEING SOLD CHEAP AT  
E. W. TAYLOR & CO'S.

**HERE IS YOUR MULE!**  
  
**BLECKLEY & FRETWELL'S**  
Exposition Building is now open for the patronage of the Public—we refer to  
**Our Immense Sales Stable,**  
On Corner McDuffie and Benson Streets,  
**ANDERSON, S. C.**  
SINCE our opening we have received Three Car Loads of Fine young Kentucky MULES, and a lot of Fine HORSES. We assure our friends and customers of—  
**FAIR AND SQUARE DEALINGS,**  
As it is not our intention to misrepresent Stock, but to sell them just for what they are. If you need any Stock at any time, call at the Stables on MAJ. J. N. VANDIVER, who is in charge of them, and will be pleased to show you around.  
We have now a good large assortment of—  
**YOUNG MULES AND HORSES ON HAND,**  
And can sell you also—  
**BUGGIES, CARRIAGES, WAGONS, HARNESS, COLLARS, BRIDLES, &c.,**  
**CHEAP!**  
We do not propose to deal in old rips—we handle only clean, nice young animals, and excellent bargains can be had at our Stables every day.  
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**THE CO-OPERATIVE ALLIANCE STORE**  
Is too busy to write advertisements these days, and besides the People prove daily by their actions that they know where it is made to their interest to buy all their GOODS.  
We will say, however, that we did not forget in the rush of business to provide a nice line of—  
**CHRISTMAS PRESENTS,**  
both for the old and young. We find ourselves rather overstocked in the better grades of—  
**FLANNELS, BLANKETS and LADIES' WRAPS,**  
So we have marked down the prices on these, as well as some other winter articles, as we cannot spare room to carry over Goods. We have a few Cars of—  
**HIGH GRADE ACID PHOSPHATE,**  
Which we are selling at \$1.75 per Ton, though we can't guarantee this price but a few days, as we think it is sure to go higher.  
We also handle CRACKERS and CANDY by the package.  
We will be able now to wait on our trade more readily, as we have a force numbering Thirty-eight.  
**N. B.**  
My positive instructions from the Board of Directors of this Store is, and has always been, not to sell a cent's worth of goods on Credit to any one, but to sell only for Spot Cash. In some instances, in order to get around this, and to try and keep from giving offense until the people could learn the workings of the business, I have advanced the money individually, and made the charges on my old books. This, however, complicates matters, giving us extra work to do, and besides these requests are so frequently made, and some are so slow to pay that it works a hardship on me, so will in the future be obliged to turn down any such all orders, coming from any source, not accompanied with the cash. We would suggest to any one who prefers for convenience to run an account, to make a deposit with us, when we will be pleased to honor any orders for cash or purchases until the balance is exhausted. Nor do we allow goods taken out of the Store on trial without being paid for, as this creates confusion. Any goods not cut off will be taken back and money refunded, provided they are returned in a reasonable length of time, undamaged.  
Very respectfully,  
**R. S. HILL.**  
P. S.—I hereby give notice to all persons indebted to me in my former business, either by Note or Account, or the old Firm of Hill, Adams & Co., that they must pay up during the month of December, as I have not time now to look after my private business, and will put all those matters in the hands of George E. Prince, Esq., for immediate collection on the 1st day of January next.  
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