The city is full of visitors this week.

This is Commencement week in Green

Anderson must have a steam laundry. The laying of the piping for the water works is progressing finely.

Dr. Thomas Earle, of Greenville, and Mr. Baylis Earle, of Sumter, are in the

The weather is entirely too hot now to

Blackberry pie is plentiful now, and editors are as happy as they could expect Mr. Geo. E. Taylor and daughter, of Pendleton, are registered at the Hotel

are spending the week in the city with relatives.

Court convenes next Monday. Every juror and witness should be on hand Candidates are reminded that announce

ments are a cash article and must be paid for in advance. Mr. Eugene Milford has gone to Glenn Springs to spend a few weeks for the ben-efit of his health.

Mrs. M. M. Simpson, of Pendleton, is spending a few days in the city visiting relatives and friends. The cotton crop is good all over the State. The average being 103 against 76 at this time last year.

Rev. H. B. Fant will preach at Stone Church on the fifth Sabbath in this month, at four o'clock in the afternoon. Mrs. Kate Sadler and daughter, Miss Marie, of Cartersville, Ga., are in the city visiting Mr. R. S. Hill's family. The Due West Commencements take place next week, and, as usual, Ander-son will be well represented there. Candidates seem in no hurry to come out, thus far. A little later, no doubt, they will be straining themselves to make

un for lost time Starr Alliance will hold an important meeting next Saturday, 21st inst. at 3 p.m. The presence of every member is exprestly deserved.

The County Commissioners of Abbeville will let the contract for building a bridge near Lowndesville on July 8th.

Messra. E. Bock & Co., the clever bakers, are now running their delivery wagor, and will deliver bread, cakes, etc., every day to their customers.

Miss Florence Slough, who has been spending the past three years in the West, has returned to Anderson, and is warmly welcomed by her friends.

Miss Kate Cornish, of Pendleton, spent last week in the city taking subscriptions for the only true edition of Stanley's great book, "In Darkest Africa." Dr. J. Wm. Stokes has purchased the Cotton Plant, now published at Greenville by Hoyt & Keys, and will remove it to Orangeburg, about the first of July.

If you let the first Monday in next month pass by without securing your registration certificate, you will be prac-tically disfrauchised in this election.

Mr. J. M. Blackwell, of the Storeville section, has placed on our deak a cotton stalk that measures over two feet in height. He says his crop is very fine.

Married, on Sunday, June 15th, 1890, by S. N. Brown, Notary Public, at his resi-dence, Mr. J. Newton Hart and Miss Elvira E. Thacker, all of Anderson Coun-

We have been kindly remembered with an invitation to attend the Commencement exercises of the Due West Female College, which take place on Thursday, 26th

A householder, in filling up his census schedule, under the column, "where born?" described one of his children "born in the parlor," and the other "up

From what we can learn the census enumerators in this County are getting along very well with their work, and will easily complete it within the Clerk of Court Tribble has received the

second installment of pension checks for distribution in this County. The pension-ers are requested to call and get their checks at once.

State Lecturer for the Alliance, W. J. Talbert, will lecture at Pendleton to-day (Thursday) at 12 o'clock, at Williamston on Friday at 10 o'clock, and at Belton Friday night at 8 o'clock.

The Board of Trade will meet in the Court House Friday afternoon, at 6 o'clock, for the purpose of reorganizing. It is hoped that every business man in the city will attend the meeting. Mrs. P. C. Lorick and Miss Maggie Lorick, of Columbia, and Mrs. G. O. San-ders, of Hagood, S. C., are in the city attending the Commencement of the Patrick Military Institute.

Mr. J. L. Glenn has one of the best vegetable gardens in the city. He has pre-sented us with samples of his Irish pota-toes, which are the largest we have ever seen grown in this section.

Mr. L. E. Hall, of Iva, has sent us the first cotton bloom of the season. It bloomed on Tuesday. Cato Marcus, colored, who lives on the Sloan's Ferry place, also

Mr. W. L. Land, Master Carpenter on the C. & G. R. R., is now in charge of the work of building the new depot in this city. Mr. Land is a native of Anderson, and has many old friends here.

Miss Vinnie McFall and Miss Mattle Cater are attending the Commencements in Greenville this week. The former will extend her visit to Spartanburg, and will not return home for several weeks.

Mr. O. A. Bowen, proprietor of the Rivoli Stock Farm, has a number of Red Jersey pigs for sale, and his fine Spanish Jack 'Eweing' is now ready for duty. Read his advertisement in another column.

Rev. H. F. Chrietzberg, of Columbia, will preach in the Methodist Church next Sunday morning and evening. He will probably spend several days in Anderson, and his many old friends will be delighted

The last Legislature passed an Act changing the voting precinct in Martin Township from Craytonville to Clinkscales' Mill. The voters of that Township will be required to have their registration certificates changed, and they should attend to it at once

The Greenville News, of Saturday, says: "Vashti Keys, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Keys, fell from the steps of her home, on Thursday afternoon, and broke her right arm above the elbow. Medical attention was secured and the lit-

Mr. J. D. Kelly, of Greenville, was in the city Monday, and gave the INTELLI-GENCER a pleasant call. Mr. Kelly is an Anderson County boy, and we are glad to know that he is prospering in his adopted home. He has recently been appointed a Notary Public by Gov. Richardson.

Several of our local correspondents' contributions and the proceedings of three or four Democratic Clubs did not reach us this week until Wednesday morning, and this week until Wednesday morning, and J. M. Cox Secretary. Mr. A. C. Latand J. M. Cox Secretary. as our columns were very much crowded, we were forced to carry them over until next week, when they will be published.

Dr. Ralph W. Brown and bride, whose marriage in Hollins, Va., on the 10th inst., was noted in the INTELLIGENCER last week, reached Anderson last Friday, and that evening a most brilliant and interesting reception was tendered the young couple at the groom's home. Quite

a large party of ladies and gentlemen were present, and a most delightful evening was spent by every one. During the evening delicious refreshments were most daintily served, and the warmest evening delicious refreshments were most daintily served, and the warmest congratulations and best wishes of the merry party were showered upon the happy couple, who were also the recipients of many beautiful and useful presents. Dr. Brown is one of Anderson's ents. Dr. Brown is one of Anderson's

There will be a big railroad meeting and pic nic at Townville on next Saturday, the 21st instant, to which everybody in general, and the Fork people in particular, are cordially invited. Do not forget to bring along the usual "well-filled baskets." Several prominent men are expected to

Ora Belle, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gentry, of Hall Townsbip, died on Wednesday, 11th inst., aged six months. The little one's remains were interred at Cross Roads Church on Thursday, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. R. C. Ligon. The parents have many sympathizers in their bereavement. Anderson County had two representatives in the graduating class of Wofford College last week, Messrs. M. M. Lander and W. C. Pickens, both of whom are tal-

ented and excellent young men. The Ix to these young gentlemen, and wishes them The infant daughter of T. C. McCoy died at Craytonville on the 15th iust, gation was present to hear the eloque after an illness of twenty-four hours. The mother of the little one was buried

just three weeks ago. Mr. McCov has the sympathies of his community in his beven then many persons had to be turned away for want of room to accommodate cemetery adjoining Bethany

The Southern Normal Musical Institute for 1890 will be held at Donnalds, S. C. commencing Tuesday, August 12th, and continuing for a term of ten days. The Institute will be conducted by Prof. A. J. Showalter, of Dalton, Ga., who is well known throughout this section. Mr. M. M. Mattison, of Donnalds, is the Secretary of the Institute, and will give any information concerning it.

Cade's marched into the Church and occupied the seats which had been reserved for them immediately in front of the pulpit. Col. Patrick and the other members of the faculty took seats inside the altar. Dr. Frierson occupied aseat on the pulpit platform with Dr. Grier, and assisted in the services.

After the usual services preceding the services.

I Timothy, G:12—first clause of the verse:

Monday night by Mr. D. M. Drennan an-nouncing that his brother, Mr. John C. Drennan, formerly of Anderson, had been accidentally killed on a railroad at Knoxville, Tenn., on Sunday. Up to the hour of going to press we were unable to learn any of the particulars. Mr. Drennan was a brickmason, and well known in Ander-

Inst., at 12 o'clock m., in the 82nd year of his age. He had been in feeble health for more than a year. He was born and reared in Anderson County, and resided in the County most of his life. In his young manhood days he joined the Methdist Church, and throughout his life was a devoted, zealous christian. He was highly externed by his friends and neith highly esteemed by his friends and neigh-bors, and his death has brought sorrow to

owing to the fact that it is a busy season of the year, and Court will be in session at the time. The programme, briefly stated, will be as follows: The Grand Lodge will convene in the Lodge Room at 12 m, and in the meantime the public will assemble in the meantime the public will assemble in the Opera House. After the Grand Lodge has been opened the members will march down to the Opera House, the Grand officers going upon the stage, and the address will be delivered by Past Grand Master James A. Hoyt. The Grand Lodge will then return to the Lodge room, with as many of the public as the hall will hold, preference being given to ladies, and the new Lodge will be solemply dedicated by Grand Master R. F. Divver.

Mr. Samuel M. Pickens, who is well known in and around Anderson, was the victim of a very painful and serious accident last Saturday. He took two little boys and went down to Simpson's fish pond to spend the afternoon, carrying with him a rifle. During the afternoon the little boys were shooting the rifle and being tle boys were shooting the rifle, and being unaccustomed to handle a gun, in some way, which neither Mr. Pickens nor they can explain, it was discharged when they were not expecting it, and to the surprise and horror of Mr. Pickens he was shot.

wounded man. As soon as he arrived at the residence of his father-in-law, Col. J. W. Trowbridge, Doctor Nardin was sent for. They searched for the ball but were unable to find it. While it is a very serious and painful wound, it is not now considered dangerous. Mr. Pickens is doing very well and is able to walk about the house. We join his many friends in wishing him a speedy recovery.

That sin is a dreadful evil, and this world is under its awful curse; and as the groans of the dead and dying come up into your ears, "I beseeth you gird up the loins of your mind and light the good fight of faith."

Closing Exercises of the Anderson Female

are fraught with more real interest to the city and County than are her schools. They are all of the utmost importance, and especially is this true of the Anderson Female College, which has just ended the first year of its existence. The closing exercises of this institution were celebrated last Thursday night in the Chapel of the Patrick Military Institute. As the President, Rev. A. A. Marshall, had been too unwell to take any part in the conduct of the school for some months, it was not expected that the closing exercises would be of an elaborate order, but notwithstanding many and serious disadvantages under which the assistant teachers labored, they determined to get up an entertainment. which the assistant teachers labored, they determined to get up an entertainment, which, while not attempting to be very showy, yet such as would demonstrate to their patrons and friends the solid character of the work the College is doing. That this was accomplished, the following programme, which was faithfully carried out, gramme, which was faithfully carried out, will fully demonstrate to the most incredulous, especially when it is remembered that the great majority of those taking part appeared that evening for the first time in such capacity. The following is

Becitation, "Trouble in the Amen Corner"—Miss Emily Divver.

Musket Galop, Ballack—Misses Edna
Divver and Susie Whitfield.
Solo, Snowdrop Polka—Miss Mary Orr.
Duet—Misses Eileen Mauldin and Mittie

Tribble.
Duet, "William Tell," Rossini—Misses Fant and Evans.
Recitation, "The Mother's Dream"—Miss

Lizzie Keese.
Solo, "Sounds of Long Ago," Nocturne -Miss Daisy Barr.
Duet, Isadore Waltz-Misses Lizzie
Crayton and Edna Divver.
Solo, Willie Schottisch-Miss Mittie

Duet, May Dance—Miss Mary Orr and
Master Frank Cunningham.
"Harpe Eolienne," Sidney Smith—Miss
Zoe Bleckley.
Recitation, "Caleb's Courtship"—Miss
Nellie McGee.

Solo, "Annie Laurie," Grobe-Miss Eileen Mauldin.

Duet, "Erminie Airs"—Mrs. Laughlin
and Miss Zoe Bleckley.

At the conclusion of this programme

prizes were delivered to Missos Mittie Tribble, Mary Orr and Eileen Mauldin for proficiency in music. Miss Mittle Tribble received the medal awarded to the student making the best progress in music during the term. This was followed by an exhi-bition in calisthenics, after which the au-The programme throughout was a most enjoyable one, and the large audience present attested its appreciation of the entertainment by frequent and liberal ap-

The accomplished teachers in the College deserve all the praise that has been bestowed upon them for the success of the

TONEY CREEK, S. C., June 13th, 1890. timer, of Belton, was present and made a speech, setting forth the claims of Capt. B. R. Tillman for Governor. A resolution was passed endorsing the action of the March Convention—Capt. B. R. Tillman for Governor—and the persons on the State ticket who had placed themselves on the Tillman platform. On motion, the Secretary was requested to furnish the proceedings of the meeting to the County papers for publication.
J. M. Cox, Secretary.

most excellent young men, and has won as his bride a lady of many endearing qualities of both heart and mind. The Invertigences joins the many friends of the bride and groom in extending contact by the gratulations, and wishes them a long and has young men, and has won a long and both heart and mind. The gratulations, and wishes them a long and has well self-any pair in this lot at \$1.09.

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PATRICK MILITARY INSTITUTE. Rev. Wm. Grier, D. D.-Speeches by the Cadets-Address by Col. J. J. Dargan-

The Patrick Military Institute, an institution that Anderson is justly proud of,

has just closed another prosperou and the third annual Commence

gan last Sunday and was concluded Wednesday morning. The occasion has been looked forward to with the most pleasant anticipations by the cadets as well as the friends and patrons of the Institute, and a the right to vote, and he who asks me for large number of visitors have been here to my vote asks me for that I have not the enjoy the exercises with us.

One of the most interesting features of the exercises every year is, of course, the course, the series every year is, of course, the course, the series every year is, of course, the course, the series every year is, of course, the course is a duty to be performed for the benefit of the State, and I cannot Commencement Sermon, which was preached this time by Rev. Wm. M. Grier, D. D., the well known President of Erskine College, Due West, S. C., in the Methodist Church on Sunday morning at

Shortlly before the services began, the cade's marched into the Church and occu-pied the seats which had been reserved for them immediately in front of the pulpit.

sermon, Dr. Grier announced as his text, I Timothy, 6:12—first clause of the verse: "Fight the good fight of faith."
As an introduction to the sermon prop er, Dr. Grier said the combative elements in man is strong and universal. It is among the earliest manifestations. Our children fight while yet in their swadling clothes. Since the fall this combative element enters largely into human progress. It needs to be sanctified, consecrated to the cause of truth and righteousness, but without it there is no grand achievement.

Mr. M. R. Manning died at his home in Rock Mills Township on Tuesday, 17th is a good fight. What is there that makes it such? What is there in this principle which not only relieves conflict of its him. rors, but which even sanctifies it?

1. This principle recognizes and insists eternal over the temporal. Whatever high qualities may be displayed in the acquisition of wordly good and earthly success, he makes a fatal mistake who bounds his

highly esteemed by his friends and highly esteemed by his friends and his death has brought sorrow to many hearts. His remains were interred in the Providence Churchyard on Wednesday morning, Rev. J. Walter Dickson conducting the funeral services.

The committee appointed to make arrangements for the dedication of the Masonic Temple, on Tuesday, the 24th of this month, have determined to make the ceremonies as simple and brief as possible, owing to the fact that it is a busy season of the year, and Court will be in session at the time. The programme, briefly stated, will be as follows: The Grand Lodge will convene in the Lodge Room at 12 m, and in the name of the Lord of Hosts, the God of the armies whom thou hast defied.'
The Church has to deal with moral evil It cannot be dealt with on the principle of 3. It is a good fight because of the character of those engaged in it. A bad cause

may have good men in it, and a good cause may have bad men in it, but you can gen-erally judge of the character of a cause by the character of those who fight for it. Those enlisted in this cause are men and women of whom this world is not worthy. In times past they counted not their lives dear for him whom having not seen they loved. They did not seek conflict, but when it came they endured to the death. Is there no inspiration in standing with such a goodly company and fighting for the empire of Christianity. The Apostle thought so when he said: "Seeing, then, that we are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight and the sin which doth so easily

tian life with the utmost seriousness. The Scriptures are saturated with it—in its The bullet entered between the fourth and fifth ribs on the left side just over the heart. To add to the horribleness of the occasion the little fellows were not large enough to hitch up the horse and drive home, and this had to be done by the wounded man. As soon as he arrived at garded fit subjects for the humorist. The noblest qualities of our nature cannot thrive in an atmosphere like that; they wither and die for lack of nourishment. Let us go back to the old Apostolic idea, that sin is a dreadful evil, and this world

Of course, the above is only a brief sy Closing Exercises of the Anderson Female
College.

There are no enterprises connected with the growth and prosperity of our city that are fraught with more real interest to the city and County than are her schools.
They are all of the utmost importance, and especially is this true of the Anderson Female College, which has just ended the first year of its existence. The closing exercises of this institution were celebrated and in the constant of the specially and many persons standing around the doors and windows.

The restrum was tastefully and beautiful-

The rostrum was tastefully and beautifully decorated, the beautiful flowers and evergreens giving evidence that and evergreens giving evidence that fair hands had assisted the cadets. A large State flag covered the rear wall, and above it, in large gilt letters, were the words, "Truth, Duty and Honor." On the left of the flag was a large picture of Gen. Lee, and on the right one of Gen. Hampton. Several small United States Hampton. Several small United States flags were also arranged in the decorations. Seated on the rostrum were Mayor Tribble, J. J. Baker, J. E. Breazeale, Dr. W. H. Nardin, Rev. T. F. Gadsden, ropresentatives of the local press, Col. J. J. Dargan, of Sumter, Hon. W. J. Tolbert, of Edgefield, Capt. S. F. McCants, of Richmond, Va., Col. D. M. Johnston, of Barnwell, and the Young America Cornet Rand, which the Young America Cornet Band, which rendered some fine music at intervals dur-

Calisthenic exercises under the charge of Miss Olive Brown.
Prayer by Dr. D. E. Frierson.
Duet, "Yachter's March" Meyer—Miss Daisy Barr and Miss Evans.
Solo, "Fresh Life March,"—Miss Mirabell Fant.
Beoltation. "Trouble in the service at intervals durble exercises began promptly at 8 o'clock, and consisted of declamations and dialogues, the majority of those participating being members of the primary department of the Institute. The following is a list of the declaimers with their subjects:

ects:

B. S. Patrick—Party Spirit.

H. E. Gyles—Emmet's Defence.

C. P. Lorick—The Countersign.

H. S. Dowling—Society upon a stand-W. A. Hoffman—Posthumous Pame. F. W. Nardin—Little Gretchen. H. Tutt-True National Glory.

F. E. Taylor-The Banjo and the 'Pos W. G. Kernagham-New Orleans. W. S. Brown, jr.—Grumblers.
P. E. Ayer—Halfway Doings.
T. J. Bell—Pass O'Dee Mar.
Waller Nardin—The Soldier's Grave.

At this juncture in the programme sixteen picked Cadets, under command of Capt. D. M. Johnston, appeared on the rostrum and gave a very creditable exhibition drill in the manual of arms. The speaking was then resumed, as follows: H. D. Izlar—Betsy and I are Out.
L. A. O'Neal—Patriotism.
J. J. Burriss—Eloquence.
W. P. Nicholson—How St. Michael's

Eugene Fant—Influence of Great Events. Claude Dickson—A Murder. Fred. Maxwell-The Sword of Lee. Arthur Andrew—The Name of Mother.
Willie Andrew—The Avenging Angel.
George Garrett—Alexander Selkirk.
Willie Barr—King Henry of Navar.
Samuel Murphy—Candidate for Con-

F. E. Major—The Dangers of our Couny. J. O. Erskine—True Courage. Laban Chappel—What ∆re you Living

George Baker—Party Spirit.
J. B. Cassals—The Last Glass.
J. B. Weston—Betsy and I make Up.
Thomas Hoyt—Oratory.
Dialogue—Lochiel's Warning—II.
and J. M. Richardson. J. P. Lee-Music in the Camp.
J. N. Brown, jr-Military Education.
D. L. O. Moore-Posthumus Influence of the Good and Wise.
W. S. Lee-True Nobility.

Wm. Weston, jr-How Betsy and Dialogue—Going to the Legislature—N. Marrall, W. A. Hoffman and J. M. J. A. Riley-The Destiny of the Anglo

axon Race. H. H. Wardlaw—Fortunatus Flanders hows his Teeth. W. G. Watson—Stick to your Principles. R. L. McKie-Time. W. H. Shearer-Plenty Small's Procla-W. S. Richburg-The Georgia Volun-

W. F. Brunson—Behind Time. J. A. Sullivan—Asleep at the Switch. tory. The large audience enjoyed the ex- let us know how you stand.

last Saturday to reorganize. The next meeting will be on the second Saturday evening in July at Friendship School House. Let's all turn out. Now is the "Citizenship—its Privileges and Du-is." This was a practical and common sense discourse on the privileges and duties of an American citizen. The speaker said of an American citizen. The speaker said the reason why we did not appreciate and choose in more sacredly our privileges as citizens was because we did not remember the great price that was paid for them by our ancestors. If we would but recall the many hard fought battles and other struggles that they paid for the freedom of speech and liberty of the press, we would frown down any attempt to suppress that they paid to the press, we would frown down any attempt to suppress the press, we would from all classes of business. Beaverdam gles that they paid for the freedom of speech and liberty of the press, we would frown down any attempt to suppress either. In this country man only holds in trust for the benefit of the whole State from all classes of business. Beaverdam is a very uncomfortable church. Let us build a good, roomy one. Nothing speaks better for a community than good houses of worship.

It was our good fortune to hear Dr.
Lander and Mr. Prince address the young ladies of the Williamston College I Sunday night on "Christian Education." give it away. He also dwelt at some length on the government of this country, The office-seeker reminds us of the "boy at school." His mother sent him a cake. saying that the officers were not the own-ers of offices, but were trustees, holding the offices for the benefit of the costique After he had eaten enough to make himthe offices for the benefit of the cestique one, and, as all of the other Churches of the city were closed, an immense congregation was present to hear the eloquent and distinguished divine. Every nook and corner of the spacious Church was utilized, and the sisles were filled with chairs, but had a full house, who gave him good at-tention and applauded him.

At the conclusion of Col. Dargan's Mr. R. P. Wright, who was very painfully hurt by his mule running away a few weeks ago and overturning his buggy, has, we are glad to say, about recovered from his injuries. His daughter escaped with only a slight bruise on arm and shoulder. It was a very narrow escape. The storm of the 13th did no damage in this section. The wind blew very hard

The Piercetown Democratic Club met

when they deserve it.

We visited the Andersonville Sunday

School on the first Sunday and found it in a flourishing condition. Also on the same

day, at the same place, had an opportunity of listening to one of Rev. J. T. W. Vernon's fine, practical discourses, and in our opinion it was a grand sermon. Mr.

Vernon is an able speaker and a christian gentleman, and always presents his hear-

Mr. D. M. Tippens, the clever black-smith at Andersonville, is running an

Alliance shop. He will sharpen plows at two and a half cents each, although he is

The wheat is harvested, and is a very

The wheat is harvested, and is a very poor crop. Won't get much over the seed. The oats are very fine.

Blackberries are ripe, and a bountiful crop. What a fine time we have eating pie sweetened with 'lasses. We can divide pie with you, Mr. Editor, provided you will come and bring the lasses.

Health good in the "Fork"

The census taker is on the rounds. He put us down "single." Well, that is all right, as he knew no better and he didn't

ask us if we were a man of a famity. We will let him off this time. BLUE JAY.

The warm weather and gentle showers

have given cotton a fine start. Mr. Bay-lis Cooley has the finest we have noticed

Our farmers are progressing first rate. The most of them have their work before

The Democratic Club met at this place last Saturday and enrolled nearly one hundred names on its list.

Mrs. Anna Ford, of Marble Hill, Ga., has returned home after a two week's visit to her mother's family, Mrs. E.

Wakefield, in this community.

Rev. Mr. Thornton preached an excellent sermon at Shiloh on last second Sabbath on "Christian Watchfulness." His

ideas were clear cut, and sermon well de-

Mr. David A. Skelton, who got his arm broke some weeks ago, is improving. Capt. Wm. Jones and Mr. Preston B.

Hope Churches were constituted, and the members of each of these Churches propose to appropriately celebrate their anniversary by meeting several days and having a grand time. If we mistake not the certain and a several days and the certain several days and the certain several days and the certain several days.

the services will begin on Saturday or Friday before the first Sabbath in August.

Rev. J. R. Earle, on his return from the Southern Baptist Convention, was accom-

panied from Arkanasa home by two little boys, children of his deceased brother.

They are bright little fellows, and we trust that they may be pleased with their new home, and grow to make useful citizens.

The health of our community, generally

speaking, is good; no sickness of a serious nature that we know of. BURKE.

Quite a long time has clapsed, Mr. Hdi-tor, since this writer contributed anything from this section to your worthy paper, and as it affords much pleasure to do so, we desire in this issue to give you a few

tems in and around our town.

Lowndesville has been very quiet during

the past three weeks, having no trade of any consequence, and no gubernatorial meeting to prepare for in the near future. The merchants close their stores at six and gather around to discuss Tillman and re-

form, but the Edgefield candidate meets much opposition in this vicinity, and we

fear this will be the case in many districts

nome, and will enter the new school build-

ing when he returns next Fall. He has made many sincere friends during his

A contribution was made by the mer-

chants some time ago to erect a new post-

office, which is now in progress, opposite T. Baker & Son's store-room. This is near the centre of town, and will be convenient

main for some time.

Mr. J. B. LeRoy has been quite sick for some time, but we gladly report a change for the better, and hope soon to

Many accomplished young ladies are to

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Health good in the "Fork."

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speech, Rev. L. M. Ayer gave the audience the benefit of a lecture on evolution, which was able and scientific.

Mrs. J. D. Maxwell, Mr. J. H. Von-Hasseln and Col. J. W. Trowbridge furnished music for the occasion, which was this section. The wind blew very hard for a few seconds, and it looked as if we reatly enjoyed. were going to have a regular cyclone. Had a fine season. The farmer has to go early and late, or In the afternoon at aix o'clock there was a drill by the Battalion and also by the picked squad on the University grounds. This showed careful training, and that the Cadets are well drilled. A large crowd of ladies and gentlemen were present to wit-ness the drill.

On Tuesday night the Chapel was again

crowded to its full capacity by an appreciative audience. After music by the Band, the exercises were opened with prayer by Lieut. Nolan. Lieut. L. A. Lorick, President of the Polyhymnian Society medea short address of welcome. society, made a short address of welcome, and introduced as one of the declaimers, Lieut. L. L. Hatcher, whose subject was "Billy's Rose." He was followed by the other declaimer, Sergt. W. S. Richbourg, whose subject was "Parrhasius."

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The original speakers were next intro-duced, as follows: Sergt. P. J. Coleman, who spoke on "The Tendency of our Government," and Cadet T. P. Weston, who announced as his subject "Modern Manias." Then came the debate between members of the Polyhymnian and Calo-phenian Literary Societies, on the query: "Resolved, That the Negro should be Colonized." Lieut. A. S. Farmer and Capt. T. G. Talbert were the affirmative speak ers, and Sergt. A. H. Byrd and Sergt. D. M. Young the negative. If space permitted we would give a synopsis of the speeches, which were listened to with deep interest. The subject was ably handled, and showed that the debaters had given much study to the question. Wednesday morning the regular Com-mencement exercises began at 9 o'clock, in

the presence of a large audience. The graduating class occupied seats on the rostrum, and the members were, in turn, introduced by Col. Patrick, and delivered their orations as follows: TG Talbert Edgefield—Little things in Albert S Farmer, Townville-The Spec-Lee A Lorick, Columbia-What constiutes Success in Life.
Thomas O Sanders, Jr, Sumter—Civiliza-

E P Vandiver, Belton-That Easy Place. L L Hatcher, Townville—Faith, the dind's Resting Place. D M Young, Sumter—Better Beyond. DS Vandiver, Belton—Unknown Heroes. D M. Johnston, Jr., Barnwell-Progress

or Electricity.

The class is composed of very intelligent, fine looking young men, and their orations were very creditable. Each speaker was warmly applauded and the recipient of beautiful bouquets.

Cadet J P Lee, Jr., was awarded the gold medel, the prize which is offered every year to the book-keeping class.

The following cadets received certificates in book-keeping: J B Cassels, W F Brunson, L L Hatcher, J P Lee, Jr., D L O Moore, N G Morral and T O Sanders.

Col Patrick then, in a few appropriate remarks, presented the members of the graduating class with their diplomas and the exercises came to an end. The Commencement has been a m teresting one. The faculty have done their part well, and too much praise cannot be given them. Col Patrick is to be congratulated. The Institute has closed a most successful session, and its future is a

Mr. James Monroe Smith died at his home near Slabtown on Wednesday, June 11th, in the 72d year of his age, leaving behind him a wife and eight children. A good man and citizen he was, faithful and just in all the relations of life, and above all, a sincere and humble Christian, patiently waiting for "the coming of the bride-groom." For about a half century he had been a member of Carmel Church, and a large portion of that time one of its officers, until the organization of the Slab-town Church, near his home, when he re-moved his membership there. Descended from pious revolutionary stock, he was an ardent patriot, and loved his native State, and had ever been true to her ancient tra ditions and history, and has gone to the grave leaving behind him a momory which can ever be cherished by his loved ones as sweet and fragrant. The deceased had been greatly blessed in the rearing of his family, all of whom that have settled in life are useful and honored men and women, and all of whom, as well as the younger ones just coming upon the scene of action, have been endowed by nature and education for useful stations in life. One by one the old landmarks of Carmel and Slabtown are falling by the wayside, and the writer of this, who has known

to bow with humble resignation to the "Judge of all the earth," who "will do The Lowndesville Democratic Club No. 2 met on last Saturday afternoon and revised the roll, adding to their membership fifteen, which now makes the organiza in teen, which how makes are organiza-tion one hundred and thirty strong. Mr. A. V. Barnes, formerly of the City of Anderson, and who has lately been en-gaged in business with Baker, Mathews Honea Path Items We promised your correspondent that we would send in a few items this week, as he will be absent. We did not know how much we had promised until we

him for nearly a half century, will greatly

miss his familiar form and voice when re-

visiting the scenes of his boyhood. May the stricken widow and children be enabled

gaged in business with Baker, Mathews & Chambers, has gone to make his home in Charleston. Mr. Barnes is a business young man, and leaves many friends who wish him all the success possible with his new employers, McGhan, Brown & Evans.

Prof. Paul Petty, of Spartanburg, will close his school at this place on next Frider. It has leave been the desire of this undertook the job.
Crops are looking finely,
The campaign pot is boiling over,
I. W. Brock has as fine a Hamiltonian olt as we ever saw. The lawn tennis club has prepared a nice ground and ordered uniforms. When day. It has long been the desire of this people to build up a high school for their children, and securing the services of Prof. Petty they have made wonderful we practice a little more we will be ready to receive a challenge. Some of our members control the balls very nicely.

Mr. Bowen, of Due West, will spend the summer in the drug store with T. R. Finley, and then return to the Medical progress in that direction. He is a graduate of Wofford College, and fully competent to be master of a high school. He will spend the Summer months at his College this fall to wind up with.

Miss Mamie Wilson is visiting relatives stay among us, who would like very much to have him make his home in our

in town. She plays lawn tennis well.

J. B. Watkins now takes a vacation of three months. This is needed, for Bro. Watkins has filled in the time exceedingly well. He will have no trouble in getting re-elected. We have made up our mind as to who we shall vote for Congress, but we shall remain quiet. We don't propose to "tear our shirt" for any particular candidate this

The neat little cottage of Mr. D. L. Barnes is progressing, and when the workmen have ceased their hammers, will pro-George Bigby has an unconquerable mule. It carried him through town in a sent a fine appearance from Main Street.

Mrs. A. L. Latimer has gone to visit her parents at Kingstree, where she will redouble-quick gate, across gullies and cot-ton patches until it seemed that he would have to give up his seat, but George, being a man, came off conquerer.

Mr. Shumate, of Laurens, was visiting friends and parents last week.
We notice Miss Emma Meredith and Lessie Cummings are visiting Mrs. Brock.
The new seats for the Presbyterian
Church have arrived and will be placed
in position this week.

J. T. Penny succeeds Mr. Burts as rail-J. T. Penny succeeds Mr. Burts as railroad agent at this place.
Why can't people differ in politics without falling out with each other?
Dr. M. C. Parker and Dr. S. M. Orr were on a professional visit to Houea Path last Saturday.
Messrs. R. M. and J. F. Shirley are professional with the professional visit. gressing finely with their buildings. They employ a good force of workmen under the supervision of Mr. Jack Lipford.

The Misses Johnston, of Anderson, are visiting relatives in Honea Path.

M. G. Brock of Due West, was seen on

time of four months have purchased a hall, nicely furnished with necessary articles. This speaks well for the young men of Lowndesville and vicinity.

We desire to say in conclusion that Lowndesville is living and growing every day, her dilapidated lots are being built up with handsome residences, and new enterprises are agitated and placed into affect every month or two Stude trees. W. C. Brock, of Due West, was seen on our streets this morning.

The boys have built a bath "sort of a concern" below the first pond, which they propose to rent for the sum of 5 cents a both for those who are not stockholders.

Piercetown Chat.

Good growing season. Fine cotion and have been planted on all the streets, and rass.

Beula Richardson has returned our town than ever before. The mer-M. McCants—The Maniac.

The speeches had been carefully selected, and in delivering them the cadets acquitted themselves exceedingly well, many of them evincing considerable talent in oratory. The large audience enjoyed the ex-

Large lot of Flour from \$2.50 per barrel

A. G. MEANS, JI., ANDERSON'S

PUPULAK CLUTHIER!

MEN'S, YOUTHS', BOYS', and CHILDREN'S

We said in our last the upper hand.
We said in our last that the people were about through chopping cotton, but were mistaken, as there are some that have not yet finished.

We have a lady farming in this section, and we are proud to say she has the best crop we have seen. We mean no insinuation to the other farmers—the men—but we are bound to give the ladies their dues when they deserve it.

We visited the

HATS, CAPS,

Every Department Full of New Novelties, Rich in Quality and Style!

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS!

MY AIM:

TO KEEP THE BEST, FAIR DEALING,

TO PLEASE MY TRADE, AND PRICES THE LOWEST.

Gardens are doing well. Vegetables of various kinds are plentiful.

Mr. Baylis McConnell stands as the champion hawk killer. He went out re-MY Spring Stock is simply Grand! It is reasonable to any sensible cently and killed ten. His neighbors should feast him on chicken for months to man that we can give better value for the money than others, as we handle Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Gents' Furnishing Goods in larger quantities than any house in the City. This is not talk, but the plain truth. Seeing is bestalks of last year's growth putting out, and in a fair way to make a second crop. Our friend, Thos. W. Norris, deserves credit for the manner in which he fixed the road at the East end of Major's bridge. lieving, so come at once.

One Price to All!

Polite Attention!

R. C. WEBB.

A. G. MEANS, Jr.

Custom Made Goods a Specialty. Fits guaran-

Allen are erecting a large barn and stables.

The Roberts congregation are making preparations for the Centennial, which their Church will celebrate on the first Sunday in August. It has been a round hundred years since Roberts and Good Hear Churches were constituted and the C. F. JONES.

C. F. JONES & CO'S.

DOWN GO PRICES.

25 Pieces White Plaids now 10c, worth 121c,

200 Marsailles Quilts at 90c and \$1.00. These are extra large, 12x4, formerly old for \$1.50 to \$2 00. 50 Pieces Challies and Muslins-some beautiful patterns-all go now at five

25 dozen Ladies' Undervests only 121c.

1000 Handkerchiefs on our front table from 2c up. Come and secure some of

Fans and Parasols.

These goods must go-come and see the low prices.

Shirts, Shirts.

We have a splendid Shirt, New York Mills, at 50c. Colored Shirts from 35c up.

Crepelines and Novelty Suitings.

Big Bargain in Millinery.

We bought \$400 worth Hats and Flowers, which we can sell you at New York prices. This is a great opportunity for our Lady friends.

Slippers and Shoes. Big stock of all kinds for the hot weather at popular prices.

Miss Belle Titts, of Augusta, Ga., is now with hor parents in this place. Mr. Titts has decided to make this his future home, and we extend a cordial welcome to such

We have just bought at a closing out sale a large lot Men's and Boys' Hats, which we are offering very cheap. Straw Hats almost at your own visit friends and relatives in this place du- price. ring the Summer. The young men are preparing for this emergency "on time," and will no doubt have their share of fun.

Laces and Embroidery. The Young Men's Christian Association held their regular monthly business meeting on last Tuesday evening in the new hall. This association was organized about Our stock is very large, and we are offering beautiful Floun-

> Remnants We have a large lot remnants of various goods which we are

We find our stock too large, and say to all who have any money to spend that we will give them the greatest values we have ever offered-our Summer Goods

DULL TIMES ARE HERE.

C. F. JONES & CO.

Clothing Reduced to Suit All.

Booming with the Boom,

JUST THINK OF IT!

WORTH OF DRY GOODS, MILLINERY,

Glothing, Shoes, Etc.,

To be sold, and in order to do so we are determined that price shall be no Consideration.

NOTE SOME OF OUR REDUCTIONS:

THOSE beautiful ROBES that we have been selling at \$10.00, now you can get them at \$8.35. Robes in ANTIQUE EMBROIDERY that have always sold at \$8.00, now at only \$6.55. A limited quantity of those COMBINATION ROBES, which we have been selling so many of this season at \$8.00, you can have them NOW at \$6.65. We have a few left of the \$5.00 Robes in Antique Embroidery, which we have

Wool Dress Goods in the Piece. We will give you a CASH discount of 10 per cent on former prices, except in Black Goods. Try us and see if we don't.

arked down to \$4.55. Look at them. Now as to our

White Goods Department, Is our pet, and in this line of goods we don't hesitate to say that we can and do show the handsomest and most varied stock in the up country.

At 5c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 16½c, 19c, up to 35c per yard. Striped and Check ed Lawns at any price you want them; beautiful ones at 5c, 8c and 10c. Have New Goods---Mullhouse Organdies.

If not, look at them; we are selling them at 10c. 2500 yards of good new Patterns in MUSLINS-BEST BRANDS at only 32c per yard. Our stock of-Summer Cassimeres and Cottonades

Is acknowledged the best ever in Anderson, and in this department we have made MILLINERY. While it is ALMOST useless for US to speak of this department, yet we feel as if we should say something. We say useless. Why? Because if you will ask ALMOST any lady where she bought her Hat, (provided she has on a pretty one,) you will invariably be answered of

Jones, Seybt & Co.

Because you know their MISS PERCIVAL is decidedly the finest Trimmer that was ever in Anderson, and we would say you will find in this department great reductions as well. The new goods that is to arrive will be sold low. CLOTHING. CLOTHING.
Is still being sold by us at UNHEARD OF LOW PRICES.

Corset Department. Thomson's Patent Glove-Fitting Corset, French Woven Corsets, (300 bones,)

the Celebrated Juno Corset are our specialties, ard we can give you a beauty for Our Gents' Furnishing Department is Complete. Look at our line of Tourists Flannel Shirts. Shoes,

Shoes, Shoes, Shoes. Shoes,

From 10c per pair to \$5.00, made by and bought of the best Factories of the coun-The above sounds as if it was untrue, but WE will prove it to be TRUE if you

JONES, SEYBT & CO.

GRAND

Dry Goods Convention!

STUPENDOUS BREAK IN PRICES

SEASONABLE GOODS!

Prices Cut Down like Blades of Grass before a Farmer's

ONE month earlier than usual we inaugurate a GRAND CLEARANCE SALE.

TOO MANY! Of those Cable Cord White Goods-28 inches wide. Our price tells the remain-

der-only 4c. CONSOLIDATED! All of our beautiful White Check and

Striped Sheer White Goods, that we sold formerly at 15, 18, 20c, your can take your choice for 12½c. ALL WEARERS OF MUSLIN!

Every one knows what Pacific Organdies are, and every one knows that they are justly celebrated far and wide for We have determined to give the Ladies a rare bargain, and at the same time

From the recent auction sale 1200 yds. of Sheer Manilla White and Colored Lawns, that cost 12½c to import, we reduce to 93c.

We do not mean all pure Silk, but India Silk for making Ladies' Dresses. They wear forever, and look nice enough

THE BLACKEST BLACK. the trade has been our great sale of Black Check and Striped Lawn. It has their superior quality of color and durability. Never in the history of the dry goods trade have these goods been sold for less than 12½c, and in most cases 15c. Stirred up and shaken as the sale has

\$2.00

If our Shoe Department don't rival an old fashioned town meeting on Saturday then there is no virtue in printer's ink or use in slaughtering prices. All of our Zeigler \$3.00 Shoes, all our J. H. Lee \$3.00 Shoes, all of our Ed. Burt's \$3.00 Shoes, all of our Standard Shoe Co's. Shoes, you can buy from this date on at \$2.00—every pair warranted. Smoothe inner soles, no tacks, clean, fit perfect, all sizes. Strike while the iron is hot.

Our second stock just in. Prices just one half off. No humbug—we commence at 40c and quit at \$6.00.

A big lot of light weight Summer Clothing, bought at one half the original

cost. If we would give you the material you couldn't make them for half as much again. If you get a Suit you will tell all your neighbors-that will help us make

Remember the Place--on Brick Range. Polite attention to all, if purchaser or not.

LESSER & CO,

This is done in order to unload. This is a chance which many an economic Buyer has been waiting for!

SILK AT 10c.

to eat. This is hard to believe, but nevertheless it is so. A genuiue, old fashioned sensation to

progressed, and the people have come to understand the great alue they are getting. It is simply immense. Can you realize this? Indestructible Fast Black give our house a big send off by selling them at 8fc. "The early bird catches Lawn for 10c-every yard worth 15c.

Parasols and Umbrellas.

JUST IN!

During the months of June, July and August our place of business will close at 6 o'clock, so we advise our city friends to do their shopping in the mornings, in order to give our out town friends an opportunity to purchase at midday.

Next Door to Peoples & Burriss.