## LOCAL NEWS

WEDNESDAY APRIL 27, 1898.

### The Black Diamond R. R.

MR. EDITOR: To the friends of the Black Diamond Railroad in Anderson, let me say that the war that is now upon us may suspend work for awhile, but as soon as the war clouds roll by the enterprise will be pushed with renewed energy to the finish. The war that is impending shows what a great necessity this road is to the country, and if in operation Port Royal and Charleston would be the great coaling stations for our fleet From recent letters and reports the outlook for the road is very encouraging. Practically all the preliminary work in Ohio, Indians, Kentucky and Tennessee is completed, and as soon as the conditions are favorable the promoters will take up the work in South Carolina and push the Road to completion. We may rest assured that Col. Boone and President Kirkby are not idle, and they purpose to build this road, war J. L TRIBBLE

Since writing the above, I have received a letter from Hon. Wm. Kirkby, Presi dent, informing me that the surveys have been completed to Columbus, Ohio, and that the expert from England has arrived to go on the line.

He does not think the war trouble will interfere with the enterprise, and it is his purpose to take up the work here as soon as he has fully recovered from his recent J. L. T.

### Early Closing Movement.

EDITORS INTELLIGENCER: Spring is now here, and as it has been the custom of a majority of merchants here to close their respective places of business at such an early hour in the afternoons as will enable their employes to exercise themselves awheeling or to seek such recreation and pleasure as may suit their tastes, do you not think it fitting to call the matter up for considera tion, in order that those merchants who have not heretofore observed the general custom may arrive at some agreement as to closing. The writer is sure that if the matter is taken into thoughtful considera tion by employers, they will not hesitate to get on the band wagon. Besides, if the humane ladies of Anderson will do all their shopping before 6 o'clock, we believe those merchants will promptly withdraw all objections to the movement.

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I would suggest, then, that a paper be circulated for the signatures of the ladies of Anderson, committing them to the proposed scheme by a promise that they will not shop after the hour sgreed upon for general closing. Then have the several merchants sign the usual paper, indicating their willingness to close their places of business at 6 o'clock, and when six o'clock is agreed on as the closing hour. o'clock is agreed on as the closing hour, let it mean six and not half past. MERCHANT

### Belton Items.

has lived here all her life, and while the ed the guilty parties will be caught and writer has not known her more than four severely punished. writer has not known her more than four or five years, yet he can say with those who have known her longer, she is a woman of more than usual intellect and ed of many graces. Dr. Bowen, the prospective groom, who has been in Belton several years, has been unusually successful as a physician, and made many warm and lasting friends. These young people have our best wishes as they set out on life's journey together.

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The commencement exercises of the high school here will take place on the evening of the 19th and 20th of May. There will be a basket picnic on the 20th at the school house grounds, for the pleasure of the students, patrons and friends of the school. Be sure to come; we will extend you a hearty welcom; give up your work for this one day, and come and join your children, neighbors and friends in social intercourse and we believe you will return to your work refreshed and feeling more like it

Hon. M. L. Donaldson, of Greenville, has been invited to deliver the annual address, and it is hoped he will accept.

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Mr. Donaldson is known all over the State and is everywhere held in highest esteem. He is a practical business man and a most excellent speaker. He has a and a most excellent speaker. He has a vein of humor in his nature and he has the faculty of employing this gift to illustrate and illuminate the good common sense and practical truths he wishes to give his audience. We predict there will be a large audience to hear him on the evening of the 20th of May.

Commencing with the 1st Monday in May the stores here will close at 6 o'clock, Saturday excepted. This custom will be held in force till the 1st of sept.

Miss Carrie Miller, who has been teach-

Miss Carrie Miller, who has been teaching at Septus, Anderson County, stopped here Saturday and Sunday with Miss Brown, on her way to her home in

Greenville city.

Miss Rena Rice leaves to-morrow to attend the Converse Musical Festival

Dr. Eddie Poore, and T. Y. Williams, Raq., son and son-in law respectively of Mr. J. W. Poore, are here to attend the marriage of their sister.

Dr. Holcombe's new house on North Main street is being pushed along rapidly, and when completed will be one of the most unique and attractive homes in Belton.

Walter West, of Greenville, and J. T. West, of Pelzer, spent Sunday in Belton Misses Bessie and Ora Smith, who came home a week ago on the sad mission of attending their mother's funeral, re-turned to their duties at Winthron Fri-

## Democratic Club Meetings.

Anderson Democratic Club. No. 2, will meet at 5 o'clock Friday afternoon, April 29th, in the office of Tribble & Prince for the purpose of reorganization under the rules of the Party, and to elect delegates to the County Convention. The members are earnestly urged to attend.

T. F. Hill, President.

The Five Forks Democratic Ciub will meet next Saturday afternoon, the 30 h inst, at 3 o'clock for the purpose of reorganizing and electing delegates to the County Convention. All the members

are urged to attend promptly.

T. T. WAKEFIELD, Pres.

The Flat Rock Democratic Club will meet at the Flat Rock School House Sat urday, 30th inst. at 4 o'clock, to elect delegates to the County Convention which gates to the County Convention which will be held on Salesday in May.

J. A. HALL, Pres.

The Broadway Democratic club is called to meet at 4 o'clock p. m., Saunday next, 30th instant.

On account of rain last Saturday and failure to meet, dunter's Spring Club will

meet next Saturday at 4 p. m.

The Sandy Springs Democratic Club is called to meet at 4 o'clock p. m., on Satur-

day next the 30 h instant.

## Bucklens Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Erup- branches of a tree are so alike in their tions and positively cures Piles, or no nature that if a tree be up coted and pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Prise 25 cents per box. For sale by Hill-Orr Drug Co.

hattre that it a tree be up obted and turned upside down the underground branches will take unto themselves the functions of roots, and the exposed roots will in time bud and become veritable by Hill-Orr Drug Co.

Are offering some special bargains in Pianos and Organs at this time. It will branches will take unto themselves the functions of roots, and the exposed roots an instrument, even in the remote future to see and investigate their magnificent stock.

Zarline Criss-Crosses.

Bilmy spring is here with all its galetise, and "the very earth the steamy air. Saturday. Wheat a looking very promised with fragrance rife; and grace and ising and no doubt there will be a large peenty everywhere are flushing into life."

War! war! war! It seems that the gen tie breeze whispers war, and the brooks and streams sing war. Several of our young patriotic men are willing to fight for the cause of their country.

Rev. L. Carlyle Branyon, Professor of the John Gibson Institute, is spending a few days at his father's.

Misses Clayton and Ella Dean, two charming young ladies of Deans Station, came over Friday for the closing exercises of Miss Robinson's school and returned Sunday afternoon.

A tew from this vicinity went over to Due West Sunday p. m. to hear the lecture by Dr. Montague, of Furman University Dr. J. C. Chatham and his friend, Mr. Fleming, of Ninety Six, visited Zarline last week and made quite an impression

on some of our young ladies.

We have at last succeeded in establishing the postoffice at Zarline. Hurrah! hurrah! We can get the war naws every day and hear from our sweethearts to-Misses Cora and Ethel Shirley, two ot

our accomplished young ladies, spent last week with relatives at Neva. Dr. John A. Robinson and daughter, Miss Berta, attended the medical associa-

tion at Harris Lithia Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. U. A. Callabam, of Level
Land, spent Sunday in Zarline School Commissioner Milford visited the Z withe Academy recently, and was very

much pleased with its progress.

Miss Rozella Bowen, who had charge of a flourishing school near Lowndesville, is now at home for vacation.

Mr J. A Pruitt and wife, of Aunie, vis-

ited Z riline Friday.

Dr. R. L. Branyon, of Hones Path, was in this vicinity Monday doing dental

Hurrah for Zirline's gri!! One volunteer to spill his blood for his country.

Miss Julia Greer, a charming brunette

of Honea Path, spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Darby.

Don't torget the annual picnic at Zarline Island on the 4th Saturday in May.
Our pastor, Rev. P. G. Hopper, was called to the becside of his brother at Blacks.

burg last week. One of our young men visits near Abbeville very frequently. Hold up, old sport, let your track get cold.

Quite a number from this community win attend the Sunday School Institute this week which meets at First Creek

this week, which meets at First Creek Church. The Woman's Mission Society met at

the home of Mr. R. O Branyon Sunday afternoon, and was highly enjoyed by all present.
The closing exercises of Miss Crayton Robinson's school at Little River took place Friday evening, and quite an interesting programme was rendered, and a

very large audience present. BROWN EYES.

## Alice Items.

Well, it was smallpox for awhile, and

now it is war, war!

A Mr. Heart had his dwelling house and smoke house burned on the 10th met. at 4 o'clock a. m. He had been to town the day preceding and laid in about \$30 worth of rations. It was all lost except a few sacks of flour. The fire started in the smoke house, and it is supposed to have To-morrow afternoon, at half past 5 few things were saved from the dwelling house. Mr. L. Patterson also lost his house by fire H= and his wife were house by fire H= and his wife were o'clcck, Miss Rosa Poore, deagness to the state of the st

> We hear the wedding bells will soon ring in this community. Let the good work go on. Mr. Earle Rampey, of Elberton, Ga., is

visiting in this section.

E. G. McAdams and Prof. Chandler have purchased bicycles. Look out, girls, they Mr Ocar Anderson, of Abbeville, for-

merly of this place, is up visiting friends and relatives. It is time the candidates were coming out of their shell. Don't be afraid, gentle-men. Let us know who you are, so we

will know how many meions to plant and how many chickens to raise.
We have one of the best string bands at this place that you will find in the County.

So if you want to hear some good music, Mr Editor, come down. Nearly all the fruit has been killed in

Mr. Ben Kay, of Lowndesville, was on a business visit to this section recently.

Mr. J J. Gally has sold his gin and and will retire from the ginning business. Mr. Brydes had his dwelling house burned on the 15th inst. The family were in the field at work and lost everything they had They believe it was set afire, as delense of King Cotton with Sullivan all the fire had been carefully watered out Hardware Co's great grass killing imple-

when they left the house. Prof. G M. Coandler, who has been teaching school at the Carswell Institute the past six months, will return to his home in Madison County, Ga., next Thursday. Mr. Chandler is an expert teacher and we regret to give him up. Mr. E. G. McAdams will go to Atheus.

Ga., this week to see his first love. It is possible that he will bring some one back with him to cook for him J. B. McAdams and James rice went to Piedmont last Friday on a business trip

It is reported that all of the single boys will have to go to the war. No count they will all try to get macried now. Miss Nellie Hall has been spending a while with her sister, Mrs. Meggie, Gray,

## More News from Trinity.

near Moscow.

Well, Mr. Editor, the rains have descended and the little cotton is coming. It won't be long before you can see the big white bate and hear the merry whistle of the boys as they pull their hoes back and

Watch out, "Mr. Green," we boys are Wheat and oats are looking fine, and if

that Corner Creek fellow will come up here we will show him some of the finest wheat in upper Carolina. Miss Pet Finley, one of our most enter

prising young ladies, is visiting her grand parents near your city; we wish her much Miss Ada Vandiver, accompanied by her friends, Misses Corrine King and Jessie Jolly, spent the night with our friend, Mr. R. H. Jolly Friday night. Just ask Char-

ie how much he had to pay for cigarettes?

He was over there.

Master David Cartee is very low with pneumonia. We wish him a speedy recov-

ery.
Sad was the parting Monday afternoon when our teacher, Mr. Geo. T. Baker, told his pupils that he was unable to teach any longer, his health having failed him. Mr. Baker is an excellent teacher, and we had learned to love nim after five months of hard studying and toiling. We had been looking forward though, for one day of pleasure, the last day of school. We were noping to have a picnic on that day and al-o to see the successful ones receive their prizes, of which there were a number ofered. Many of us have been toiling hard no medal won. But we hope soon to see benefit and Soon teacher well and probably we can en-

Hoping that that Septus "Domlo," of | van Hardware Co. you will get the best at the Advocate, will not have to go to war but stay with his mama and pick up chips

The Crescent Bieyele outsell any wheel to boil poke, we are the same

School Boy.

- It is a curious fact that the roots and

## Ripples From Corner Creek.

The farmers in this section are about through planting cotion and we notice; that some is coming up. The heavy rain Saturday has caused the ground to bake and some are using top harrows which leosens the ground and kills the young

grass just coming through.

Mr. J. T Gassaway is building a large barn. Mr. John Ragsdale has the contract and began the work last Monday. When completed, it will be a good one, second to none in this section.

The political campaign is not far off

and we presume that there will be a lively time, as we learn there will be a good "crop of 'em' -candidates-especially for the House. There has been some talk of Hon, Joshua W. Ashley running for the position of S ate Senator, but he tel's us he is undecided. It will be remembered that he has served in the House for three terms, and has done some noble work. His record is before the people, and it is a good one—as good as any man of the Anderson delegation can show. Mr. Asbley is not in favor of such high taxes on the farmers, and the high appropriatios, etc We learn that there has been a caucus held in Anderson against Mr. Ashley, and that it he enters the race men will be put in the field against him. The reason is they can't manage him down there when they go to voting these high taxes and high salaries, of which he is not

I will just say to you that if Josh en-ters the race for the House of Representatives, (which we trust he will) you will have to hustle around to beat him. for he is not a crank to be turned by any schem ing politician, but a man with plenty of good common sense.

### Death of Mrs. Black.

Mrs. Charlotte Back, aged about 80 years, died at the name of her son, Wuliam Black, in Pendicton Township, on Monday, April 11th, of heart failure, and was buried the day following at Sandy Springs. The funeral services were conducted by Mr. Thomas King. A large number of friends and relatives were present to pay a last tribute to her memo-

Mrs. Black had long been a consistent and faithful member of the Methodist church, and for two years past she had had a bright Chri-tian experience, and the summons found her ready and waiting for the end She leaves six children living to A FRIEND. mourn her la-e. Denver S C.

### Pendleton Items.

Three wound cadets from Clemson Colege joined the Baptist Church here last

Miss Lana Gaillard, who has been visiting triends and relatives in Anderson, re-

nroes home last week. R E Sman and J. J. Hunter went to Columbia last week to attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge of the Knights of Honor. They will spend this week in Charles ton, attending the Reunion of Confederate Vererans and Sons of Veterans. News is scarce this week.

## Mr. Ashley Endorsed.

At a meeting of the Honea Path Democratic Club held last Saturday the following resulution was offered by Mr. W. R. Jonuston and adopted:

Realizing the efficient services rendered the people by Hon. Joshua W. Ashley as a member of the General Assembly of South Carolina, be it Resolved, By the Democratic Club of Honea Path Township, that in appreciation of his past services, we unanimous-ly re-nominate him for the Legislature.

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rell and Roman Harrows sold by Sullivan Hardware Co. Sullivan Hardware Co. has reduced the prices on Terrell, Roman and Eureka

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not adopted until they have been thor oughly tested and the manufacturers do fered. Many of us have been tomag many of us have been tomag many boping to win the gold special. But alas! oughly tested and the manufacturers do the experimenting. The puotic gets the benefit and Sallivan Hardware Co. sell best trowel steel, riveted to a good, Smooth handle, every one guaranteed. ov a picala this summer as well as now. If you buy a Crescent Bievele of Sulli

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## In Dress Goods, Silks, Wash Goods, Oxford Ties,

And all other lines we will have Specials.

We have decided to use every fair and honorable means-

## TO REDUCE OUR STOCK OF CLOTHING.

Cash will cut a very interesting figure to us as well as benefit you. It is hard to do everything right. We made a mistake and bought too many-

## Men's Hats.

Our customers will reap the benefit of our mistake. Every man and boy who wants a Fur or Straw Hat will find it to their interest to see what we can offer.

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Though it is hardly necessary to make this statement, we allow no one to supersede us regarding Quality, Price or Terms, and every representation that we have ever made regarding our goods have proven correct. The many unsolicited testimonials we receive corroborate this fact. We can certainly make it to the interest of prospective purchasers to call and examine our Stock, or write us for catalogues and prices.

C. A. REED.

## STOVES, STOVES, STOVES.



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