## LOCAL NEWS.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 21, 1898.

## Honor Roll for December-Central

Graded School.

Tenth Grade—No. 1, Mary Chapman, 91 3-10. No. 2, Nina Burriss, 90 4-8. No. 3, Belle Beck, 90 2-10.

Ninth Grade—No. 1, Albert Johnstone, 94 3-9. No. 2, Louise Johnson, 93 6-9. No. 3, Daisy Riley, 91 6-9.

Eighth Grade—No. 1, Bessie Simpson, 96 3-10. No. 2, Eunice Russell, 94 9-10. No. 3, Mary Major, 94 1-10.

Seventh Grade—No. 1, Cora Mauldin, 95. No. 2, William Gordon, 94 8-10. No. 3, Annie Farmer, 93 8-10.

Second Section, Sixth Grade—No. 1, Mary Acker, 90 5-9. No. 2, none. No. 3, none.

Street Section, Sixth Grade—No. 1.
Sue Pinckney, 94 4-9. No. 2. Sallie Giles, 95 4-9. No. 3. Mattie Hill, 93 2-9.
First Section, Fifth Grade—No. 1.
Willett Sloan, 97 3-10. No. 2, Stacy
Russell, 97 1-10. No. 3, Lila Brownlee,
96 6-10.
Second Section Fifth Grade—No. 1.

96 6-10.
Second Section, Fifth Grade—No. 1,
Lydia Wilhite, 94 9-10. No. 2, Cecilia
O'Donnell, 94 8-10. No. 3, Blanche
Brown and Mary McCaulla, 94 4-10.
First Section, Fourth Grade—No 1,
Cora Wilhite, 96 1-4. No. 2, Mell Glenn,
96 0-0. No. 3, Bessie Major, 95 7-8.
Second Section, Fourth Grade—No. I.
Nina Sullivan, 9 70-0. No. 2, Robert
Sullivan, 95 1-20. No. 3, Ethel Gary,
95 0-0.

First Section, Third Grade—No. 1, Carrie Gray, 97 3-8. No. 2, Frank Mauldin 95 0-0. No. 2, Martha Bon-

ham, 94 4-8.

Second Section, Third Grade—No. 1,
Thomas Hill, 98 6-7. No. 2, Oze Van
Wyck, 97 0-0. No. 3. George Fant,
96 0-0.
Third Section

Third Section, Third Grade—No. 1, Charles Fant, 942-8. No. 2, Sam Trib-ble, 93. No. 3, Willie May and Claude Harris, 923-8.

Second Grade—No. 1, Frank Taylor, 915-7. No. 2, none. No. 3, none.

First Grade—No. 1, Donald Brown, 92. No. 2, Ruth Strickland 91. No. 3, Dolphus Divver, 91.

THOS. C. WALTON, Supt.

### The Colored Methedists.

The report of the proceeding of the South Carolina Conference of the M. E. Church was handed in so late we could not print it last week, a circumstance we regret very much, as we feel a keen interest in the advancement of our colored friends, and desire to be prompt in acquainting our readers with their progress.

Beginning where we left off in a former issue, the speakers Tuesday night were Drs. Mason and Spencer. The subject of Dr. Mason was "The Freedman's Aid and Southern Education," and that of Dr. Spencer was "Church Extension." These speeches were highly instructive and entertaining, and evidenced a thorough appreciation of the needs of the race.

Thursday night was devoted to Epworth League work. Upon giving the understood signal five chapters, each under its own banner, entered the Church and were greeted with delightful strains of music. Prof. I. G. Penn, General Assistant Secretary of the Epworth League, addressed the several Leagues and a very large and appreciative audience. The address was eloquent, indeed, thrilling and full of encouragement. There were many white citizens in the audience, all of whom speak in the highest terms of the address.

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Friday night Rev. C. R. Brown preached the annual sermon, and on Saturday night the appointments were read out by the Bishop, Rev. C. D. Foss. Very few changes were made.

On Sunday night the Missionary sermon was preached by Rev. G. W. White, and on Monday morning the Conference closed.

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We have seldom seen so large an assembly of highly intelligent and fine looking colored men, and they impress one at once with the idea that the negro race is making rapid strides toward higher education, higher civilization and a higher plain of religious advancement.

### Denyer Items.

Mr. Walter Pruitt and wife have moved from Denver to near Annie.
We regretted to see this excellent
young couple leave our neighborhood.
Mrs. J. A. Majors and Mrs. W. A. G. Mrs. J. A. Majors and Mrs. W. A. G. McWhorter went to Newberry last week to visit their sick sister, Mrs. J. A. Daniels, who died in a few hours after they reached there. Mrs. Daniels was an excellent lady and a devoted Christian, as all can testify who knew her well. We deeply sympathize with the bereaved family and relatives in

A few more days and Christmas will be here, the anniversary of that blessed night when slieppards watching their flocks on Judea's plains heard the angels sing, "Peace on earth and good will toward men, Christ the Saviour is born—glory to God in the highest." So while it is right to be glad and rejoice and make merry with our friends. joice and make merry with our friends, nothing wicked should mar the days with which we celebrate that great

event.

Marriages, or rumors of marriages are rife, and with the chimes of Christmas the wedding bells will mingle their sweet tones. With the New Year will begin the new lives of several couple, if madame rumor is correct. but we will wait till the happy event takes place before tendering congratulations.

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The young people of Denver are anticipating pleasant times Christmas—visiting and having visitors, socia-

-visiting and having visitors, sociables and so forth.

Our Clemson Cadets are expected home to help brighten the holidays.

None can enjoy Christmas more than the children. We can hear them talking every day of what they wish or expect Santa Claus to bring them. Bless the tots, we hope none of them will be disappointed. You who have much of this world's goods, give of your stores this world's goods, give of your stores to the poor at Christmas tide, and though it may make your purse lighter, so will your heart be also. Remember, "He that giveth to the poor, lendeth to the Lord."

May the Intelligencer and all its readers have a pleasant Christmas and a prosperous New Year is the wish of Incog.

AN ACCEPTABLE CHRISTMAS PRESENT FOR ONE DOLLAR .- One hundred en-FOR ONE DOLLAR.—One hundred engraved visiting cards in fashionable style is a most acceptable present for either ladies or gentlemen. We furnish these (name only) for one dollar and prepay postage Work done in our own factory here No delay. Send for samples of cards or wedding invitations. J. P. STEVENS & BRO., Jewelers and Eugravers. 47 Whitehall St., Atlants, Ga. vers, 47 Whitehall St., Atlants, Ga.

Have your Christmas Photos made now and avoid the rush. Collins' is the place to get fine work at low prices.

You must have a good Harrow. None You must have a good Harrow. None equal to those sold by Sullivan Hardware Co. Here is the list you can select from: Lean's Flexible Steel Smoothing, Acme, Osborne, Buffalo, Avery's Reversible Disc, Wiard Spading. Best selection ever shown in Anderson. Prices down to rock bottom. "Tyro" vs. "L. Essie."

Mr. EDITOR: We noticed a little article in the columns of your paper some two weeks ago from "L. Essie," of the hustling little town of Septus. This hustling little town of Septus. This article contained some very slanderous remarks and falsehoods against Hon. J. W. Ashley and myself. He is really beneath our notice, but as his peice was a misrepresentation of facts, we deem it our duty to inform this thought-to-be smart "Elick" a few things that will probably be of some service to him in his life.

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Now, "L. Essie," what you have said concerning Josh Ashley deceiving the people. I am glad to say that was the only truth that you wrote, as we will acknowledge ourselves that he has deceived us. We always knew that he was an honest, upright man, but we never had any idea that he would make such a strong Legislator as he has made, and the people have been deceived in that way, as every one knows that he is the strongest and most influential member from the upper part of the State. As for Josh Ashley ever endorsing the dispensary law, "L. Essie" you should not have said anything of the kind, for the editors of every paper, both State and County, know that he voted against it when it was enacted, and has voted against it every time he has had a chance to do so. Now, further, you charge Mr. Ashley as begging one of the members

was enacted, and has voted against it every time he has had a chance to do so. Now, further, you charge Mr. Ashley as begging one of the members of the Board of Control for liquor. Ah! my dear little "cricket," this is one of your manufactured lies. The idea of Josh Ashley ever begging a man for whiskey. Don't the good people of Anderson County know this is false, for he is plenty able to buy as much whiskey as he wants (even if he wanted any at all) and pay the cash for it, for he is not one of these little one-horse fellows when it comes to financial affairs. My dear little "cricket," don't you get into your pate that we have been hidden away in the hip pocket of J. W. Ashley ever since he entered the political arena, for if you have kept up with the papers and have enough sense to believe a thing when you see it, you will remember that Mr. Ashley and myself differed in the last. Senatorial race, but, of course, we are aware of the fact that you would not write the truth if you knew it.

"L. Essie" has said that every man that had ever been known to get drunk voted for prohibition. Yes, it seems to us from the tone of your peice that you did, and now writing against it. "Oh, consistency, thou art a jewel." "L. Essie" didyou want more liquor and better? Is that your reason for voting for it?

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As for Mr. Ashley being our "Boss Josh," I have never consulted him in that light, but I will say this much, that if we could fill the House and Senate with just such men as Josh Ashley, our government would have one-third less taxes to pay that we now have to pay. Oh. no, we would not object to a "boss" of that kind.

"L. Essie" reminds us very much of a story of long ago about the fox and the grapevines. Once upon a time, so the story goes, a farmer was very much annoyed by an old fox that kept getting his best grapes, and he hung up a bell, so that every time he would try to get the grapes the bell would ring and scare him away. That worked very well for awhile. But by and by the fox investigated the matter, and his musing ran thus, "a great big mouth, a great long tongue, a bell of fuss and nothing done."

Mr. Editor, indeed it was quite funny in this little "cricket" calling us a "courling headed fice." But as it was a "courling headed fice." But as a "courling headed fice." But

"L. Essie" we are sorry that you and "Don Lino" have strayed away from the rest of us, but in every lot of sheep there are several that wander far away from the Master's Kingdom, and their wandering is caused by one or two old "bills," who get stubborn and sullen, and we have come to the conclusion as it was not original and we have come to the conclusion that you and "Don Lino" think that you are the "bullies." Probably there will be a time, though, when these lost sheep will return to the house of Issheep will return to the house of 1srael, and at which place, if they get
down before God and weep bitterly,
they will be received back into the
fold. Now, "L. Essie," you say we
would not know the truth if we were
to meet it in the road. Well, we have
always been taught to tell the truth, and if we fail to do so, we are always willing to be corrected, for if we tell a falsehood we do not do it intentionally. But, as to you giving us advice, as to telling the truth, we know that you are not capable of giving advice, and, therefore, what we have said will not therefore, what we have said will not be left to you to be the judge, but we are willing to submit our peices to the dear people to be the judges as to who has done so much "lieing," as you seem so freely to term it. You said our peice was a "lie from beginning to end." Now, this is a nice way for one brother to speak to another, and we will say further to Mr. "L. Essie," that if he intends to carry on a controversy if he intends to carry on a controversy to bet.

Stove Elinkscales.

Gr. to the Emporium for Christmas Presents. Red Wagons and Velocipedes to children. Bicycles for the Boys and Girls. Everything going cheap, too.

We have just received another car load of Syracuse turn Plows. Keep you eye on the Syracuse Crimson Plow. They run to win, and they are winners, you bet. facts, and if he fails to do so, anything more from his pen like he has written heretofore, will be treated by us with the contempt that it will deserve. And f you can not do any better than you have already done, you had better, little "cricket," crawl into your chimney jam where you spend your winter quarters, for we think that we are quarters, for we think that we are going to have some very rough weather, and we would not have you frozen to death for anything in this world, for you think that you are the "King" of the insect race. But, in case we do have such fearful weather, we will no doubt make our fires a little hot for you have you just think about the false.

you, but you just think about the false reports that you have circulated on Josh Ashley, and say in your mind that you ought to be "scorched." After all, we hope that you may have a merry Christmas, and much success for a

happy new year. We are the same TYRO. Honea Path, S. C., Dec. 16, 1898.

Miss Ella Davidson lectured in the Presbyterian Church to a good, large congregation of ladies and children on China and their customs. Mr. Harry Duke, of Clemson, spent

Pendleton Items.

Saturday night and Sunday in Pendle-John Keys, who is enlisted in the 2nd S. C. Regiment, was placed in the guard house here. We hear that he had descried his command. His home was several miles below here. Pendle-

ton has no deserters.
Mr. John W. Simpson and son, Graham, were in the city of Anderson last Saturday.

Mr. S. L. Eskew went to Anderson on business Monday.

Tell Tale.

### Xmas Holiday Excursion Rates.

On account of the Christmas Holidays, the Charleston & Western Carolina Railway will sell round trip tickets to any point at one and one-third fares. Second class Excursion tickets to any point in South Carolina at four

cents per mile.

Tickets on sale Dec. 22nd to 26th, and 31st, also Jan. 1st and 2nd, final

limit January 4th, 1899. W. J. CRAIG, Belton Items.

Little Margaret Dean Wilson, the 5-year-old daughter of Mr. B. A. Wilson, died here this afternoon (Mon.lay) at 3,30 o'clock. She was sick only a short time with membranous croup, and though everything that skill and kindness was done for the little sufferer, the dreadful disease did its work swiftly and certainly. Little Margaret was a beautiful child, well grown, and of a sweet disposition. The blow falls heavy on the parents and loved ones. We can't understand why one so young and so innocent should be taken; but God's ways are ways beyond the reach

and so innocent should be taken; but God's ways are ways beyond the reach of these finite minds of ours. They are, however, ways of wisdom and love. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

Miss Mamie Latimer, who has been attending college in Atlanta, is at home for the holidays.

Mr. Huffman, of Asheville, N. C., recently moved with his family into town. He will have charge of Rice Bros', roller mills.

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Miss Retta Breazeale, who has had a long spell of fever, is rapidly convalescing, and it is hoped will soon be out

Mrs. O. K. Breazeale and son, Taylor, returned from Culpepper, Va., where they went to attend the burial of the former's father last Saturday.

Miss Jessie Geer, of the Greenville
Female College, is at home for Christ-

Hon. A. C. Latimer is at home from Washington for the holidays.

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### Trinity's Happenings.

A great deal of grain is being sowed in this community.

Messrs. Warren Hammond and Fred. Caudle, two of Anderson's dashing sports, were in our community last Sunday, They were up looking after a law "suit."

We hear that our friend, Mr. B. S. Ashley, will be with us no more. He is going to spend a while in Virginia in school. We wish him much success. Some of our neighbors got a serenade Saturday night. Say, wait, Christmas is not here yet. But we suppose some of our fair sex became so disgusted with the slow "coach boys" that they would try to get a move on them.

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Messrs. Fred Finley and Mordia Smith paid Anderson a flying visit Sunday. Some attraction for them on Sunday afternoons. Watch out!

Christmas is almost here and we think the young people in this community ought to try to have an enjoyable time, and we feel sure they will, for we heard one young lady say she intended to enjoy herself if she had to play with the little folks. But we hope she will not have to do that.

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If you want a good razor for your sweetheart or husband, call at Brock Bros. and buy one of their guaranteed. When they use it it will make them smile. If you want a good pocket knife, or a

beautiful pearl handle pen knife, call and examine the stock of Brock Bros., who are selling them cheap. Jno. T. Burriss will pay you highest cash price for dry and green hides. 23-4

For a c can shave and easy cutting get the Nimrod Razor and the Nimrod Axe. Sold only by Sullivan Bardware Co

Just received a big lot of best grade of R fl-Powder and other ammunition for the X dias trade at Sullivan Hardware Co.

The Sullivan Hardware Co. is now push ng its Plows and Harrows. Read the ad, in this paper. Have hot water pipes run from your stove to bath room. Try Osborne &

Tremendous stock of Guns, bought before the high tariff went into effect. Sullivan Ha dware Cc. will sell you a Gun cheaper than they can be bought today at wholesale from the factory. If you were about to go buy-to go buy—a Bicycle, don't do so until you first

know it were wise to give ours the "go-by." Why we sell so many Bicycles is no mystery. Our hearts are right, our Wheels are right, so are our prices. 25-3 Brock Bros. What about a plow that breaks 2 to 3 acres a day, 4 to 12 inches deep, resulting in one-third more con, cotton or other crops, with one-half the quantity of manure? This is what "ruitt, the great

Georgia farmer, says of the Hancock Plow sold by Sullivan Hardware Co. J J. Fretwell has just received two car loads of fine Wagons, which he is offer-ing at very low prices. 15—

To get the best results from your land and save every dollar in manure and lab r you must buy good implements. Sullivan Hardware Co. only offer the best and protect every customer against

Why pay \$5 00 per dozen for Photos when you can get the same work for \$3.50 at Collins'?

For light training and pleasant exercise, get a Hero Bicycle—it runs easy Fir hard work get some other bicycle and you'll not be disappointed.

Cabinet Photos at \$1.50 to \$3.50 per dozen at Collins'. One Cabinet Photo for 50 cents; one Card-Size Photo for 25 cents; four small Photos for 25 cents at Collins'.

There is an epidemic of dysentery and diarrhost prevalent now, and if you are afflicted you should try Evans Mixture, which can be purchased at the Evans Pharmacy for 25 cent- a bottle. It is highly recommended by every person who has

Nearly one thousand Oliver Plows put in Arderson County by Sullivan Hard-ware Co., and the good work has just FOR RENT-The offices recently occupied by Bonham & Watkins, in the In-TELLIGENCER building. Apply at this

Just received a car of Florence Wagons J. S. FOWLER. FOR RENT-A 4 room cottage, on lampton street. Apply at this office.

Have your Photos made at Collins'. - Mr. Pitt-"What do you think of the flour mill trust ?" Mr. Penn-General Passenger Agent, Augusta, Ga. "On, it's another grinding monopoly." C. F. JONES & CO.

# The Holidays Are On Us!

And by the time this reaches many of our patrons they will be in the midst of the Christmas Festivities, in which we wish you much joy and happiness. We take this opportunity of thanking our friends most cordially for the strong support and liberal patronage of 1898, and to say that we will endeavor to offer greater attractions and strive harder to please in '99, and make it the best business year we have ever enjoyed.

We have been thinking and planning, and will let you hear from us early in January.

With best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a bright, happy and prosperous New Year,

Yours very truly,

C. F. JONES & CO.

Our Collectors will be around to see you. Please make ready for them.

The time has arrived when all Accounts are due, and we want every one to be prompt and meet their obligations with us by 1st January.

This notice is for all. Don't delay.

C. F. J. & CO.

# Great Slaughter Sale.

\$15,000 worth of Staple Dry Goods, Shoes, Hats, Clothing sacrificing the Stock for appearance. and Gents' Furnishing Goods to be sold from now until January 1st regardless of Value.

OUR Stock entirely too large tor this season of the year, and in order to convert same into the Cash we will close out all Winter Goods at UN-HEARD OF PRICES by offering Special Inducements to Cash Buyers Below we give you prices we will make until January 1st: 500 yards good, heavy Outing Flannel, 30 inches wide, regular value

800 yards Staple Apron Ginghams, regular value 5c, for this sale...... 4c 2500 yards of Checked Homespun. regular price 5c, for this sale . . . . . 31c 3000 yards of French Flannels, beautiful designs, value 10c, for this sale. 85c 1000 yards of Hamilton Cashmeres, regular value 12½c, for this sale only 7½c only \$1.25. Good heavy Cotton Flannel, regular value 7c, to be slaughtered for only. 4½c All of our Jeans at..... New York Cost 100 11-4 Mentrose Blankets, good, heavy Blanket, regular value \$1.00,

100 Marseilles Fine White Quilts, always retailed at \$1.00, sale price. 58c 100 Featherbone Corsets, the 50c kind, for ...... 37c 300 Ladies' Handkerchiefs, value 5c, for this sale ...... 2c 100 Ladies' Felt Hats, elegantly trimmed, for this sale at only..... 25c

### SHOES.

\$1 25, sale price 89c. Ladies' Heavy Grain Button or Lace, regular price \$1 00, for this sale only 75c.

### CLOTHING.

All of our Clothing to be closed out at a sacrifice. This is your chance. See what bargains we offer. Can you beat these: 50 Men's No. 1 Suits, made of good, heavy Melton, regular price \$3.50, slaughter sale price \$1.65. 40 Men's Black Clay Worsted Suits, all wool, regular price \$6.50, slaughter sale price \$4.37. 35 Men's Black Worsted Suits, regular price \$5.00, slaughter sale price \$3.19. 60 Men's good, heavy Cheviot Odd Coats, worth \$3.00 and \$4.00, slaughter sale price \$1.69. Our entire line of Men's Overcoats to be slaughtered at 50c on the dollar. 100 Men's good Mackintoshes, worth \$200, for this sale only \$1.37. Children's Suits from 50c up to \$400 a Suit that you will buy at sight. 100 Youths' Saits, 14 to 19 years old, that we will slaughter at \$1.75 - worth double this money. 125 pairs of Children's Knee Pants, regular price 25c, sale price 18c. 500 pairs of Men's all wool Jeans Pants, worth \$1 25, for only 69c. Our entire line of Men's and Boys' Hats for 50c on the dollar.

Now, friends, this is no idle talk. We mean business. If you don't believe us just call in and we will convince you of the fact. Our Stock must be sold. We appreciate the kindness and liberal patronage extended to us in the past, and hope by close prices, first-class goods and strict attention to business to merit a continuance of your kind favors. Yours anxious to please,

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For the past month demonstrates the wisdom of our burning. We know the wants of the people, and we conform them in selecting our Goods. No better and more thoroughly reliable Stock can be found in Anderson.

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Men's Heavy Shoes \$1.00, \$1.15, and the best that can be

Heavy Seal Skin Bals. \$1.50.

A serviceable Shoe for dress, any style toe, worth \$1.50,

Vici Kid, Tans, Cordovan, Box Calf, 50c to \$1.50. Cheaper than anywhere else. Men's Heavy Oil Grain Shoes, button or lace, \$1.00.

Ladies' Nice Dress Shoe, lace or button, with or without

heel, \$1.00. And so on through the list. We are selling Shees cheap, and we give your money's worth when you buy from us.

Heavy Outing 4 1-2c to 8c.

Canton Flannel 4c up.

Wool Flannel 10, 12 1-2, 15 and 25c.

Heavy Fleeced Undershirts for men 25c. Sweet, Orr & Co's. Pants, guaranteed not to rip, all prices

Ladies' Capes, a nice, well-selected line, from 50c to \$3.50. All colors, weights and sizes. Men's Challenge Oak Kip Ties, all solid, value \$1.25, sale price 89c. Men's Nice Dress Shoes, all toes and sizes, value \$1.25, for this sale 97c. Ladies' India Goat Button Shoes, all solid, value ple ask for them.

Trunks, Valises, Satches, of all descriptions.

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