Editors Intelligencer: In Septemberr, 1876, South Carolina lifted her manacled hands to Heaven, for the ery had gone forth that a deliverer had arisen to avenge her wrongs. For weary years oppression and robbery. like a fearful tidal wave, had surged upon the shores of our dear State, and, receding, had left behind it the scum of the humanity of other regions. These people of many colors, and of all degrees of rascality, had obtained possession of the highest places in our pround old legislative halls. And other dangers menaced us, for women's faces were blanched with fear, and, like the dark-skinned people of the Old Testament, their ories went up night and day for as trong arm to come to their relief. In such an extremis the whole land turned to one man, one name was on every lip, one love filled every heart. And who was our hero of "Table Round" who flashed the sword escalibor from mountain to sea? And who was our knight of the White Crusade who came to our rescue in that hour of midnight darkness? And who was the soldier that crossed the battlements of a forlorn hope and proclaimed peace instead of war? A man greater than Alexander. who was simply a boastful conqueror, and greater than Napoleon Bonaparte who was ever, and always, a selfish brute. And this was the name and the prayer that ascended from the fair land to Heaven; from the the lips of stern men, whose eyes glanced fire. and from the quivering throats of 'womeu: "Hampton! Dear God, send us Hampton!"

And where was the warrior whom we adored? Out from the banks of a beautiful mountain river on a rock, stood a carelessly dressed man engaged in fishing. Suddenly the sound of a horse's hoofs broke the intense quiet of the sleepy woods, from whence emerged a man mounted on a horse that seemed almost spent with fatigue. "Hello, General!" said the tired

"Hello!" said the man on the rock. "Gen ral, you're wanted."

"Wanted for what?" "You're wanted for Governor of

South Carolina." And then our hero came down from

Next came the first Red Shirt Regi-

ment, originated and organized by Colonel A. J. Sitton, and which marched one night to the sound of wartime yells, into the torch lit square of old Pendleton; and that same night the campaign cry, which afterwards

And now we will return to the Sentember day, when a long train of cars pulled out from Pendleton, filled with men who cheered from windows and platforms, while women waved their handkerchiefs, and smiled amid tears; for sometimes in life it is vouchsafed to us to cry for rapturous joy.

I sat in front of Hampton, and will draw a picture of him, as he then appeared. A superbly handsome man with very dark, almost black, ourly hair, sincere blue eyes, fine features, and the height and proportions of an careless, (true greatness can afford to be unconventional), and consisted of a coat, a checked shirt front, no collar or necktie, and a slouched hat a good deal the worse for wear. A mutual friend introduced us, and he bowed his head, saying: "This thing is very unexpected. I was in the mountains fishing, and they sent a courier after but when we get to Anderson I'll borrow some from Whitner." Then I became aware that the glorious soldier, who afterwards marched at the head of a band of infuriated mep, and saved a State that was on the brink of was also possessed of a most magnetic

Suddenly the rebel yells broke out again, and looking eastward I saw in the far distance, moving slowly against birth of our Saviour than the Southbackground of forest, a neverending line it seemed of men on horseback, all clad in the now historic "Red Shirts." Hampten looked east-

shington belongs to America, so impton belongs wholly and entirely South Carolina. Of course, a lendid monument is Columbia. Hampton belongs wholly and entirely plendid monument in Columbia is | one also in this city upreared where sleekley Avenue joins North Main treet, for about there it was that the matter to Evarts, knowing that he had ust hed Shirt yell was heard as they no influence in that direction."

This is work for us women, and a sperb bazaar held in Easter week, or lemorial weak in May, would, I am

MONUMENT TO HAMPTON. certain, be a grand beginning for this

Tradition tells us, dear friends, that during the Civil War, when the famous "Legion" was marching in Virginia, that Lee one night sent out a courier to find Hampton. The General, exhausted with fatigue, had dismounted, and, leaning against a pine tree slept; while beside him, on guard, stood his faithful war-horse. And so the soldier found Hampton.

I think I see a granite pedestal, and upon it in bronze, or marble, the hero, the pine tree, and the horse. And I think there might be carved upon the stone: To the memory of the men who sacrificed everything but honor for the South and who stepped into the breach, led a forlorn hope to victory, and saved his State: Our hero, Hamp-Kil Courtland.

### CHRISTMAS IN THE WEST.

Editors Intelligencer: While in Aspen, Colo., we spent a very pleasant Christmas and I want to tell your readers how Christmas is delebrated in a Colorado mining camp.

In preparing for Christmas for the small boy of the family, I went to a stere to get what the Southern boy thinks an indispensable article-firecrackers. Imagine my surprise to hear they had none. I asked where I could fine some? The clerk looked at me very much surprised and said: "I don't think you can find any in town." I went home and was telling an old resident of the town that I could not find a firecracker in town, and he asked: "What do you want with firecrackers for Christmas? We have them for 4th of July." I replied: "That is the way the boys celebrate it in the South." He said: "We have good dinners, give gifts and have a social celebration. I never heard of firecrackers for Christmas." Then the thought comes: "The cultivated enlightened South might learn a lesson from the "wild and woolly West."

Christmas has many mysteries for the children. The little Southern boy wanted to know how Santa Claus was coming down the stove chimney, as there were no fire-places, and he feared he would miss his visit, but the Sunday School at the Baptist Church the night before Christmas solved the problem for him. A large the mountains and the land was fairly Christmas Tree, well ladened with toys, books and many nice things to eat, stood in the church, and when all the children were seated admiring it, who should come in but Santa Claus, and he came in through the door, and was dressed in fur and had a long beard. He made them a speech and told them to come regularly to Sunday swept the State from the falls of the School and study the lessons and help White Water, to the stones of Fort the teachers to have a good Sunday Sumter, arose: "Hurrah for Hamp- School, and then the presents were delivered to the delight of the chil-

The Methodist Sunday School had a snow house filled with good things for the shildren.

Christmas day dawned bright and clear, and was so quiet and still, not a gun, firecracker, or any noise, save the jingling of the merry sleigh bells, was heard in town. The stores were beautifully decorated with the mountain pine-that being the only evergreen they have. Even the meat markets were elaborately decorated. One had a large pine tree in the centre of athlete. His costume was intensely the room, festooned with strings of popcorn and other ornaments. Dinner was first-class and much enjoyed. All seemed happy.

After dinner comes the sleigh riding, which is the chief .: nusement there in winter. A large sleigh, drawn by six white horses, filled with merry boys and girls, who carried a violin, mandolin and other musical me. I have on no collar or necktie, instruments, and they seemed to vie with the merry sleigh bells in making music, while the horses dashed over the beautiful snow.

Many young people go to the skating pond after supper. A large lot perfectly level is prepared by turning destruction without shedding blood, water on the snow, and it will freeze and make a smoothe icy surface to skate on-a beautiful amusement.

Altogether I think the Western way more appropriate to celebrate the

Wishing all the readers a merry Christmas and a happy New Year, I am very respectfully,

Clemson's Fine Textile School.

In his annual report to the board of trustees of Clemson College President | a hole? Mell incorporates the following information furnished him by Prof. J. H. M. Beaty, director of the textile department of the college, which was established a few years ago:

"For the past few years, the increase in the production of manufactured cotton goods, in the south, has been at an enormous rate, so that, at present, southern mills practically control the output of plain white fabrics. So long as there is a bale of cotton in the south to be manufactured, so long may we expect cotton mills to be erected in the south. But as the coarse goods supply is already up to the demands, the prospecting manufacturer must look into the production of . finer class of

It is the purpose of this school to prepare young men so that after they leave here, they may be competent to secure positions in mills making any class of goods whatever. This department has endeavored, and I think has succeeded, in keeping abreast of the needs of southern mills, yet all of the divisions of the work are more or less hampered for lack of proper equip-

"Several new machines, and also a considerable amount of apparatus for experimental purposes, have been added to the department, and some other equipment has been arranged for. But still the need for additional equipment is urgent. The supply of power looms is not adequate for the number of students using them. Sometimes there are several students working on the same loom or standing about waiting an opportunity to get a loom on which to demonstrate some design gotten out by them. This prevents one getting the very best work out of the students. As yet there is no machinery in the school for printing, mercerizing, etc., and as all this class of finishing is done north for southern mills, it is quite important that we should make arrangements in the near future for giving instruction along these lines. To add the machinery named above will require a considerable amount of money, for two reasons; first, these special machines are expensive, and second, the multiplication of textile schools throughout the country has produced such a drain on the generosity of machine builders that they have arrived at the point of not donating, but charging half price for machinery shipped these schools. So in the future we may expect to pay something like half value for all additional machine equipment."

President Mell adds: "Prof. Beaty also reports that the past year has been the most successful in the history of the schools. The scope and thoroughness of the instruc-. expeeded that of any former year. All the instructors have been deeply interested in their work, and have put the students through a broader and more systematic course of study. Several of the graduates are holding important positions with some of the mills of this section."

Not With Him Then.

While samples of President Lincoln's skill as a story teller are innumerable, instances of his personal humor are comparatively rare.

On one occasion Lincoln, then poor and obscure, was summoned as a witness in a contested will case, the plaintiffs alleged that the testator was of unsound mind.

Several of his neighbors testified that while in the company of the deceased they had never noticed anything strange in his actions of speech.

Lincoln's testimony was to the same effect, and he was interrupted by the opposing lawyer, a somewhat testy and overbearing person, with the remark: "Yes, yes; we have heard all about that. Now, the question is how did the deceased act when alone?"

After a moment's reflection Lincoln replied: "As far as I can recollect, I was never with him when he was alone."—Public Ledger.

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- Why doesn't some genius come to | - A mother asked a little boy on pockets in which money couldn't burn how he liked the teacher. He said:

one of her sex who would make an ideal wife.

- When a man gives a woman a jeweled garter it is a sign he ought not to than a man does in enjoying those unless she is his wife, when he won't. I that do.

the front with ireproof material for his return from his first day at school "Mamma, she is the funiest teacher I - The average girl knows at least ever saw. She didn't ask me a thing 'cept what I didn't know."

- A woman gets more fun out of planning things that never come off

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I will pass over that wonderful lay a Anderson, and the incidents of that great campaign; which could at any and by that sublime leader, have teen turned into a horrible fragedy, or I have a patition to make. As washington belongs wholly and entirely want to be an angell" I knew he were responsible for the first of the first of

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