Look upon advertisements as mere schemes to pull money out of the public.

It is the general impression that ads. are not printed to tell the exact truth-a certain amount of exaggeration, it seems, is expected, and the public has been educated in this way of thinking, we are sorry to say, by some otherwise good merchants.

\*\*Experiencing great difficulty in obtaining and retaining farm laborers. The negro farm hands are leaving the farm and flocking to the towns. Many large farmers are without a hand.

Not so in this Store's ads. We print the exact facts about our Goods and our business without any exaggeration.

What we print in this space we stand back of. Every word is put here to tell you the exact truth. If at times you think we are talking too strong it's because we have good

Sometimes nothing but very strong talk will represent the value of some special bargains, but you can depend upon it being just as advertised.

We have a reputation that we are proud of. A reputation for selling reliable Goods that has taken us a good while to build up. Do you think we would jeopardize it by not printing the exact truth in our ads?

der will be required to put up a bond amounting to one-third of his bid. The building will cost in the neighborhood of \$15,000.

As good CLOTHES, SHOES, HATS and FURNISHINGS as money and brains can buy, with prices as low as Goods

# B.O. Evans & Co.

ANDERSON, S. C.

The Spot Cash Clothiers from the body, which was in a decayed condition, having been exposed for fully a week. The negro's death is a

# Fertilizers for 1903.

We are selling the old reliable-

### Wando Fertilizers.

There is nothing made that gives so universal satisfacion as goods manufactured by this Company. We carry in tock at all times a complete line of these goods.

Wando Soluble Guano 8-3.3.

Wando Soluble Guano 8 1-2-2, 2 1-10. Wando Dissolved Bone 13 per cent.

Wando Dissoved Bone 12 per cent.

Wando Bone and Potash 10-4.

Wando Bone and Potash 10-2.

German Kainit, Muriate of Potash, Nitrate of Soda, &c.

Our prices are always as low as the lowest.

Why not buy the BEST. You will have to pay no more

## D.C.BROWN&BRO.

#### TRUTHS ABOUT COFFEES.

HAVING trouble with your Coffee, are you? Can't find the sort to your to? Can't get it uniformly good? Try BOLT and your Coffee trouble ould cease. Once I know the kind your palate approves I can give you just

C. FRANK BOLT, The Cash Grocer.

#### STATE NEWS.

- Three new cotton seed oil mills are to be built at once in Spartanburg

- Charters have been applied for for two new cotton mills near Dillon, each of \$100,000 capital.

— A chicken thief lately arrested in Newberry had been in the habit of stealing chickens from one house and selling them to the next.

— James Hinson, aged 37, was shot and killed on one of the principal streets of Greenville on Thuesday, 10th inst. by John Goodwin a young man

- Dr. Frank G. Fuller, an aged physician of Mountville, Laurens county, was attacked by two negroes on Wednesday evening while returning home from visiting his patients and robbed of \$25.

- Farmers in Laurens county are experiencing great difficulty in obtain-

Rev. Mr. Wade, of Gastonia, N. C., has been elected paster of the Presbyterian churches at Pickens and Easley. Since the departure of Mr. Medd several months ago for his northern home these two parishes have been without a preacher.

Last Friday night at 10 o'clock in Midway, near the corporate limits of Walhalla, Christopher Hunsinger, white, was fatally shot by Bud Priestly, colored. The pistol ball, 38 calibre, entered the centre of the forehead and penetrated the brain. Priestly made his escape.

College in Spartanburg will be let within ten days. The successful bid-

- The annual report of the Attorney-General contains interesting tabuney-General contains interesting tabulations of the criminal statistics of the State for the year 1902. A comprehensive table at the end of the report shows by counties the number of crimes against the peace, property, morality and dispensary, for different ages and races and sex.

— Jabus Frick was shot in the abdomen in his yeard pear. Chapin by a

domen in his yard near Chapin by a negro named Ben Caughman, who was trying to break in the smokehouse when Mr. Frick came upon him. The negro used a shotgun and small shot, and the wound is not considered dangerous. gerous. Caughman has been lodged in Lexington jail.

The dead body of an unknown negro was found about three miles from Greenville, on the Chick Springs road. The clothes had been burned from the body, which was in a decaymystery and investigation by the coroner has not revealed any facts as to how or by what means he came to

— The people in the community of Effic, in Edgefield county, are greatly perplexed over the strange and sudden appearance of moving lights at night. It is said that many of the most reliable citizens have seen and reported the mysterious lights which sappear in a few yards of the spectator and then disappear. The strange lights resemble a star, and must be the jacko'-lantern variety.

- A gasoline tank exploded in Charleston, burning and injuring two negroes slightly. A negro was under a shed where the gasoline was stored, pumping the gasoline into a lamp when another came up and struck a match to light his pipe. No sooner had the match been struck than the vapor took fire, eausing the explosion which might have resulted very seriously.

- The governor has been fairly flooded with letters from various parties throughout the State reporting cases needing the assistance of veteri-Dary surgeons, particularly as applied to diseases of cattle and live stock. The governor asks that in the future all such notifications be sent direct to Dr. G. E. Nesom at Clemson College, who is the State veterinarian.

- At Bamberg Chief of Police J. B. King was shot und killed by Joe Davis at the latter's home. King, it is said, went to Davis' house at the instance of Davis' wife. The latter had quarreled with her husband and desired him to be placed under a peace bond. As King entered Davis order-ed him to stop. King advanced and tapped on the door when Davis shot him from a window with a shot-gun,

him from a window with a shot-gun, killing him.

— Is a wreek at Bonhams, a station on the Spartanburg divit'... of the Southern Railway, Freight Conductor E. R. Acker, and his flagman, D. T. Ohiek, both of Columbia, were injured. The two men were riding in the cabeess of their train when it suddently broke loss and rolled down the ly broke loose and rolled down the embankment. Mr. Acker was painfully bruised and received a severe out on the top of his head. Mr. Chick was seriously bruised about the thighs

- A number of the Sheriff's from different counties in the State met in convention in Columbia recently to make an effort to revive the Sheriff's association of the State, which has died out in recent years. An organization was effected by the election of

#### GENERAL NEWS

- The national capitol is to be completed, at a cost of \$3,100,000. - The Bulgarians are mobilizing

their forces to fight the Turks. - A western syndicate is establishing a 170,000-acre sheep and cattle

ranch in South Georgia. -The town of Greensland, N. C. was practically wiped out by fire last Friday, the loss was \$25,000.

— Augusta, Ga., is having a hot discussion over the acceptance of Audrew Carnegie's offer of \$50,000 for a

— Ithaca, N. Y., has over four hundred cases of typhoid fever, many of them among the students of Cornell university.

- Dr. J. I. Thorp was shot and killed at Washington, Ga., by Frank Bucket, who claimed that Thorp insulted his wife. - Robbers forced an entrance into

the City Bank at Somerton, Ohio, and blew open the safe. They secured \$6000 and escaped. - News has reached San Francisco

that one thousand persons on the South Sea islands lost their lives last month by a tidal wave. - In an engagement between the Insurgents and constables, near Ma-nila, Inspector Harris was killed. His

home was in Atlanta, Ga. — At the end of the last year the total length of railroads in Europe was 180,653 miles, as against 198,787 miles in the United States.

- Congress has passed through both houses the bill to erect a million

The contract for building the and a half building in Washington for new Cleveland Science Hall at Wofford | — The body of Samuel W. found Thursday in his home near Athens, Gs. It is believed that he was killed for his pension money.

— In his report Adjutant General Corbin, United States Army, puts the number of men in this country, fit for fighting, at upwards of ten millions.

— Representative Bristow, of New York, has introduced a bill to increase the salary of the president from \$50,000 to \$100,000 to take effect, March, 4, 1905.

— Camp Hardee of Confederate Veterans of Birmingham, Ala., has passed unanimous resolutions endorsing Senators Hanna's bill to pension ex-slaves. - The total business of all kinds,

including money orders sent and received, transacted by the New York postoffice last year was more than \$223,000,000.

- Governor Davis, of Arkansas, among his holiday season pardons, freed every boy under 18 years of age from the penitentiary, and will fight for a separate prison for youths.

- The grave of Mrs. Chas. I. Stengle in Onancock cemetery, Virginia, was robbed one night last week, the object being to secure a valuable diamond ring that was buried with her. - If the Southern railway buys the

'Frisco system, it will then have about 15,000 miles of trackage, and its line will extend from the Atlantic coast to points in western Texas and Kansas.

- Mrs. Lafayette Taylor, of Centerville, Sullivan county, N. Y., has confessed having killed her husband, Lafeyette Taylor, and burned the body on January 26 to escape detection, for which a festival has been ar-

- The House of Representatives, at | sion." Washington has passed the Agricultural Appropriation bill, with only one

and out off the top of his head.

loss of a human life is on trial at White Plains, N. Y. The heirs of Alfred E. Perria are suing the New York Central railroad for \$250,000 damages for killing him in a collision.

The gift was solicited by Mrs. W.

- In a hospital at Tomak, Russis, there is a man 200 years old. The newspapers say the patient has re-

— It is reported that \$3,000,000 of the \$10,000,000 to be paid by the United States to Colombia for the sanal route, will go to the rebels under an agreement between the latter and American naval officers. Senator Mor-gan has demanded an investigation.

War fever is high in the West. More than a thousand Missourians have volunteered to help Venesuela fight her European enemies, and applications for a place in the picture are pouring in from all parts of the United States and Canada. They ex-pect to get large land grants from Venezuela.

- James Valentine Wagner, cashier of the National Marine bank of Baltimore, Md., who died on Saturday, left his accounts in bad shape, and it has since been ascertained that he was a defaulter to a large amount. He had been with the bank 27 years. It is supposed he speculated with the bank's money.

- Some missionaries lately return-

#### Brushy Creek News.

We are having plenty rain and mud.
Very little work has been done in
preparing for another crop.
O. P. Smith was the happy guest of
Miss Malissa Edens Sunday afternoon.
Miss T. Davis, of Greenville County,
was in our community Saturday night.
Some of the Piedmont young folks
visited here Sunday.
There will be services at Siloam
Church next Saturday afternoon and
Sunday, conducted by the pastor, Rev.
D. I. Spearman.
Tenderfoot.
Feb. 16.

#### Shiloh News.

There has been so much rainy, muddy weather that there has been very little fertilizers hauled as y. Some of the roads in this community are in an almost impassable condition.

Messrs. Long and Perry have moved their saw mill into our midst and are now ready to serve the people.

Dr. N. T. Richardson is having a dwelling house built on his farm at this place, and is going to move into it as soon as it is finished. His numerous friends at Piedmont regret his leaving, while his many friends of the country are glad to welcome him into their midst.

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Rev. J. M. Rogers filled his regular appointment at this place Sunday morning and preached a very interesting sermon.

There are several cases of smallpox reported at Piedmont.

Ashmore Pehuff, accompanied by his charming sister, Miss Lena, of Easley, visited relatives in this community Saturday night and Sunday.

The young people of this community enjoyed themselves at the home of the Misses Browning on Saturday night with a sociable.

Sloan Miller, of Easley, was visiting friends and loved ones in this community on Sunday.

Willie Strickland and Miss Mary Reid attended the Singing Convention at Mt. Airy Sunday. They report some fine music.

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fine music.

Gulliver Moore and Miss May Fleming attended church at this place Sun-

The health of our people is very good.

When will the farmers ever get any farming done? Just rains, rains every day, and the roads are so bad they can hardly haul their fertilizers. Mr. Editor, I think the road officers need to see after the roads and have them fixed

see after the roads and have them fixed so people can travel them.

J. S. Miller was visiting A. C. Williams Saturday and Sunday and attended the Valentine party at H. R. Jones' Saturday night, given in honor of Miss Lillie Murphy.

There was a quilting at G. W. Browning's Saturday afternoon, given in honor of Walter Browning.

There was a pound party at Walter Tollison's Friday night. The young people all report a pleasant time at all the parties.

Miss Roda King was the guest of the Misses Fleming last Sunday.

With best wishes for the dear old Intelligencer and its many readers.

Feb. 16.

White Rose.

Mrs. Rossevelt is Scored as Stingy.

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 10.—Mrs. Roosevelt, wife of the president of the United States, was talked about most discourteously by society women assembled in the Elk's Club room at Dallas today, because of what they regarded as an evidence of "stinginess," 'closeness," and "cheapness."

It was all because of the quality of ranged called the "Columbia recep-

At a mass meeting here today there was much indignation expressed at amendment of moment, an increase of the appropriation for free seeds the gift, and remarks were made in from \$270,000 to \$300,000. regard to Mrs. Roosevelt's handker-— Charles Daniels, a volunteer during the Spanish War, and since that time a policeman at Cassopolis, Mich.. was killed by a huge icicle which fell upon him as he was making his rounds said by ladies who are competentajud-- The largest suit on record for the | ges that it could be duplicated in any

A. Callaway, who conducted the women's and children's departmen tof the Dallas Morning News. Mrs. Callaway cords to support the statement. He has been a widower 123 years and remembers seeing Peter the Great. He is bedridden but mentally sound.

recently wrote Mrs. Roosevelt asking that she give something that could be sold, the proceeds to go to the kindergarten fund. At the same time she wrote Mrs. Jefferson Davis, and received from her a costly handkerchief, beautifully handiworked by Mrs. Davis, and contained her monagram exquisitely stitched. Mrs. Davis' gift was enthusiastically and unanimously accepted at a meeting held on Saturday last.

At today's meeting after much spir ited discussion, it was moved and seconded that "the piece of cotton" should be returned to Mrs. Roosevelt after it had been exhibited at so much

Mrs. Henry Coke was one of the few women present who appealed to the women to be conservative!in their actions, requesting that the matter be dropped. The motion was passed, however, and unless the women vote to reconsider their action the handker-

# We Treat You Square

# Whole Year Round.

GREAT CHANCE!

Where else can you get such Bargains at SUCH; LOW PRICES?

10 pairs Men's English Ties, solid, were \$1.25, our price to close now 10 pairs Men's Oil Grain Creoles, were \$1.25, to close now 98c. pair.

6 pairs Men's Oak Kip Brogans, regular mud splashers, were 31.25 8 pairs Men's Congress Cap Toes, value \$1.25, to close our price now

75c. pair. These knock the shine out of all competition. A few pairs Ladies' Dongola Shoes, small sizes only, to finish them up

109 pairs Misses' and Boys' Grain Button, sizes 9 to 12's, were 65c, our

48 pairs Misses' and Boys' Pebbled Grain Button Shoes, sizes 12 to 2's, were 35c, our price to close 51c.

Please don't let the little fellows go barefooted-no excuse for it.

A World Beater in Comforts-Good and Heavy. Only three of the \$1.25 kind now 95c.

Only seven of the \$1.50 kind now \$1.10.

Two pieces of bolts Red Twilled Flannel, worth 25c. yard, our price to

close 19c yard. Three pieces of boits Plain Red Flannel, worth 18c. yard, our price to

close 12c. yard. Two bolts Heavy Twilled White Flannel, sold at 18c and 35c yard, we

now offer it 12c. and 23c. yard. One lot Boys' and Men's 25c. Caps, your choice now 15c. each. Still selling Men's and Boys' Wool and Felt Hats at hammered prices. Now is the time you can find out how much we can save you on your

Boys' and Misses' heavy-

## Very Heavy Ribbed Bicycle Hose,

Sold everywhere at 25c. pair—to show you that these are monster Bargains we make the price-

12 1-2C. PAIR.

Yours always truly,

## JOHN A. AUSTIN AND THE MAGNET.

Is what the majority of People want, especially so when "My Lady" does the buying.

The gift was solicited by Mrs. W. Just now we are showing a pretty line of-

### New Shirt Waist Goods.

And when "My Lady" looks through this Stock she will find that we have "Something Different."

Figured Lansdowne. Spotted Mohair, White Wash Broadcloth, Wool Crepe De Chene, Silk Crepe De Chene, Welt All Wool Flannels, Etc.

There's no charge for looking, neither do we make wry faces if you don't buy, but we are always ready to help you in any way possible.

Your orders will be promptly filled.

Samples sent on request.

McCall Bazar Patterns and Fashion Sheets.

- Some missionaries lately returned a president, vice president, and secretary, and the matter of having the general assembly provide a salary for deputy sheriffs was discussed, also the matter of having the law forbidding sheriffs to ride on free passes repealed. A foommittee jwas appointed to draft resolutions to be presented to the general assembly.

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- The more glasses a man looks through the more queer things he sees.

- If a woman is short on beauty she always imagines she is long on tact.