#### Promotion and Development of Educational Interests.

Mr. Editor: Within the past few years there has been organized what is known as the Southern Education Board; an organization which is proving itself a very strong agency in the promotion and development of educational interests. Realizing, as did Themistocles of old when he made the seats of the amphitheater to face the ocean in order to interest the Greeks in maritime affairs, that one's character is formed largely by his environment, this Board has turned its attention to the improvement and beautifying of the school houses and grounds. the school houses and grounds. Throughout the universe everything accommodates itself to its surround-

accommodates itself to its surroundings.

The leaves on the plants of a hot dry climate become thick and tough, hence we find in such localities the cactus family and plants whose leaves have become spines in their determined warfare against the elements. If this is true in the physical world, much more is it true in the world of mind and spirit and spirit.

The Southern Education Board has come to a full realization of the in-fluence of environment in the develop-ment of character and is working for ment of character and is working for better conditions through the execu-tive committee appointed to manage a campaign in this State having as its object the improvement of the sur-roundings of the child while in the school room. Here he spends five days in the week during the school term, and surely his surroundings here should be as pleasant and attractive as at his home, even more so if possible. at his home, even more so if possible. Our aspirations should always be toward something better. Emerson, I believe, says, "Hitch your wagon to a stern"

believe, says, "Hitch your wagon to a star."

The committee appointed to manage the campaign in this State is composed of Governor Heyward, Superintendant of Education Martin, and President D. B. Johnson, of Winthrop Normal and Industrial College. This committee has asked me to take charge of Anderson County, spending six weeks in the work. It will be impossible for me to visit all the schools in this length of time, but I shall strive to reach every one that I can and organize associaone that I can and organize associations of ladies who will agree to see that the surroundings of the child while at school are made as attractive

As one means of obtaining the funds meeting to do this I propose to show an avantages of what is known as rural consolidation.

Let me urge the co-operation of all those interested in the educational welfare of the future citizens of Anderson County.

Through the local columns of the papers I hope to keep the rural communities posted as to when I shall be with them in the interest of this movement.

ment.
On Monday afternoon, June 29, I will be at the Denver school house.
Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock I shall be with the people of the Lebanon, Melton and Iola schools at the Lebanon school house.
From here I shall go to the Bishop's Branch school where I hope to meet the patrons of this school and of the Martin school on Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock.

Martin school on Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock.

Wednesday morning, July 1, at 10 o'clock, I shall be at the Walker Mc-Elmoyle school house to talk with the patrons of this school and those of Bethany.

That afternoon I shall go to Slabtown school house where I wish to meet with the patrons of this school and of Bethlehem.

Thursday morning at 10 o'clock I shall be at White Plains and that afternoon at 4 o'clock I go to Viola.

Friday morning, July 3d, at 10 o'clock, I shall be at Central school house, near Williamston, and that afternoon at 4 o'clock at Union Grove.

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Monday afternoon, July 6, at 4 o'clock at Eureka.

Tuesday morning, July 7, at 10 o'clock at Triangle.

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Tuesday afternoon, July 7, 4 o'clock at Neal's Creek.

In these meetings at the various school houses I hope to meet the ladies of the community especially, but the men may attend. It is hoped that the trustees will do so.

Leila A. Russell.

## Townville Notes.

Miss Etta Giles visited her brother, W. E. Giles, of Seneca, quite recently. Mrs. W. E. Fant attended the commencement at Cedar Springs Institute, near Spartanburg. She was accompanied home by her little sons, Joe and Louie, who have been attending school there the past session.

Miss Flura Boggs is spending awhile with her brother, Clyde Boggs, in Atlanta, Ga.

lanta, Ga.
Mrs. W. W. Brace, of Oakway, visited relatives in this vicinity quite re-

cently.

Messrs. Hill and Stott, of Alabama, are spending awhile in this locality.

H. W. Speares made a business trip

H. W. Speares made a business trip to Anderson Saturday.
Mrs. L. O. Bruce is on the sick list this week.
Messrs. J. R. Bruce and Kit Speares, spent Sunday with W. W. Bruce, at Oakway.
Miss Leila Russell, of Anderson, visited friends at this place quite recently.

J. R. Milford, who has been visiting friends and relatives at Barnes, has

returned home.

M. Abbott, of Seneca, spent Sunday with J. C. Boggs.

Pansy. June 29.

## Shiloh News.

Crops are looking well now in this section. The farmers have had a hard battle with "General Green," but with their persistent fighting they are about to kill him out around here.

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Misses Ida and Etta Fleming and
Miss Maud Moore were the guests of
Miss Rhoda King last Sunday.

Gulliver Moore was the guest of Miss
May Fleming last Sunday.

Mrs. E. R. Perry, who has been sick
a long time, we are sorry to say is but
very little better. We wish for her a
speedy recovery.

Mrs. Rogers had the misfortune of
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Died, Friday morning about 9 o'clock, Western Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Moore, aged 17 years. He was buried the following day at Mt. Pisgah, Rev. D. I. Spearman conducted the funeral services.

A form we loved to see is gone, A voice we loved to hear is stilled.

But weep not, dear loved ones, for we cannot bring him back, but can some time in the future go to him.

Our loss is Heaven's gain.

Jun. 29.

A Friend.

Two Bottles Cured Him. "I was troubled with kidney complaint for about two pears," writes A. H. Davis, of Mt. Stering, Ia., "but two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure effected a permanent tire."—Evans Pharmacy.

Saturday afternoon and Sunday morning Denver was blest with good rains, without wind or storms, for which we are duly thankful. We were needing the rain, and it came in

were needing the rain, and it came in good time. The farmers, by working early and late, had got their crops worked over and had Gen. Green subdued. Now everything is growing so fast you can almost see it "getting up in the world." The cotton plant is small and our experts say 20 days late, but if this favorable weather continues it will make rapid progress and soon eatch up with itself.

J. R. Garrison, N.P., was kept busy Sunday tying the hymeneal knot. In the morning he was called to the residence of Mr. D. C. Ellis to marry Mrs. Maggie Fowler and Mr. B. L. Barnett, of Millville. This is the second time with each of this happy pair. In the afternoon, at the residence of Mr. Ben. Moore, Miss Lula Moore, of Hopewell, was married to Mr. George Fortner, of Millville, J. R. Garrison, N. P., officiating. This couple is quite young, and, of course, think that "nothing is half so sweet in life as love's young dream." It is one of the compensations of life that nearly every one is allowed to live for a time in "a fool's paradise."

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allowed to live for a time in "a fool's paradise."

Mr. Joe Bowden left two weeks ago for his fruit farm in Colusa County, California, and reached there safely, despite the floods and washouts which delayed the trains. His family did not accompany him as his parents are so feeble they needed the company of Mrs. Bowden and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Waddie Bowden, of Anderson, came up Saturday on a visit to his parents.

Mr. P. F. S. Bruce, of Elberton, Ga., was the guest of Mr. A. B. Bowden and family a few days last week.

Mrs. Ernect Fant and little son, of Anderson, visited Mr. Gilmer Todd's family last Wednesday.

Mr. C. A. Webb, of Anderson, was in Denver on business Monday.

Miss Fannie Harper, of Honea Path, and Mrs. Annie Osborne and children, of Anderson, were the guests of Miss Blanche Browne last Thursday.

Mr. Weyman Caldwell and sister, Miss Cinda, from the Neal's Creek section, visited the family of Mr. Gilmer Todd Saturday.

Mr. B. A. Daly, of Seneca, made a flying trip to Denver recently.

Mr. Sam Buchanan and cousin, Miss Alice Casey, were in Denver Saturday to meet Mr. Ephriam Buchanan on his return from Walhalla. Mr. Buchanan is building some houses for the Blue Ridge Railroad at West Union.

Mr. Marshall Blackman is one of the Jurors at Court thus week.

Miss Mary Blackman is home for vacation. Miss Blackman has been attending Williamston Female College during its last session and was one of its brightest pupils.

Miss May McWhorter is in Belton visiting hors intended the Saturday of the Satu

during its last session and was one of its brightest pupils.

Miss May McWhorter is in Belton visiting her sister, Mrs. Sam Harris.

Miss Hattie McWhorter has closed her school at Riverside Mills and is at home for the summer.

Miss Leila Russell gave a very interesting lecture at the Denver School House Monday p. m. Her theme was the adornment of school houses and grounds, and the idea was heartily endorsed by her appreciative audience. Miss Russell is a lady well qualified to fill the position to which she has been appointed by the State committee of the Southern Education Board.

Incognita.

## Rock Mills News.

The pleasant memory of the second quarterly conference occasion, which was held at Providence Methodist Church last Friday, will remain with those that were present after many days. The preacher in charge, Rev. Merritt, and Rev. R. A. Child, presiding elder, were promptly on hand in due time. The following visiting ministers were also present: Rev. M. B. Kelly, of Anderson, Rev. J. W. Bailey, of Starr, and Rev. Mr. Grogan, of Douglassville, Ga. The opening prayer was offered by Rev. Grogan, after which Rev. Mr. Child preached a fine sermon from a text found in 1st Kings, nineteenth chapter and the latter part of the 12th verse: "And after the five a still small voice." At the conclusion of the sermon Rev. Mr. Kelly led in prayer. Dinner was then served, after which the session of the quarterly conference was held, thus ending a pleasant and profitable occasion.

Rev. Mr. Grogan preached at Providence Church yesterday. Ho leaves today for his home. Hope he will visit this community again.

Rev. Mr. Baker filled his regular appointment at Shiloh Church yesterday and dined with our neighbor, J. L. Harris.

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All Andrews All Andrews All Andrews All Andrews All Andrews Andrews Anderson, spent a few days on the river at Andersonville fishing last week.

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The health of the community, with a few exceptions, is good.

## Ray Items.

The farmers have worked hard for the last two weeks and their crops are

Most of the farmers have had their grain thrashed in this section.
We had a nice cotton shower yesterday morning.
A camp of Woodmen of the World

A camp of Woodmen of the World was instituted at Antreville on 26th inst. It will be moved to this place in the near future. They are ready to receive new members at any time.

The health of this community is good at this writing.

Some of the young people are expecting a nice time at the picnic at Sunny Slope on July 4th.

Some of the people around here are going to Charleston on the excursion on the 1st of July. We hope they will have a pleasant trip.

Messrs. Newton Bowen and Bert Fisher seems to have some attraction up about Big Springs. They go up there every two weeks.

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there every two weeks.

One of our young men, went to see his girl near Abbeville some few weeks ago. As he was about to leave one of the girls brothers went out to help hitch up. After hitching up the young man went to look in the buggy for his gloves and found a hen which he had brought from home. To keep the girl's brother from thinking he had stole the chicken he threw it out and left it with his girl. She says the hen is doing fine.

June 29,

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## A Family Reunion.

The Smith reunion will be celebrated The Smith reunion will be celebrated on July 23rd at the Nimrod Smith place, one mile west of Lebanon Church, now owned by Joseph N. Smith. The neighbors and friends are cordially invited to be present and bring well-filled dinner baskets, and don't forget the fruit and melons. Let that day be one of much pleasure and happiness. Let it be a day long to be remembered by all whose good fortune it will be to be present. Now, don't forget the day, July 23. the chickens are fried.

### Death of Capt. Kay

The Westminster correspondent of the Keowee Courier, writing under date of Juno 24th, says: "The death of Capt. G. W. Kay, an honored citizen of Oconee, occurred at his home on Colonel's Fork creek, two miles from Westminster, last Thursday morning just as the sun was peeping over the eastern hills. After burial services, conducted at the grave by his pastor, Rev. R. M. DuBose, assisted by Rev. R. L. Duffie, his body was laid to rest in the town cemetery at noon on Friday with Masonic honors, members of the Walhalla and Seneca lodges joining in the ceremonies. Capt. Kay was born in Laurens County, March 16, 1833, and had lived the allotted three score years and ten. He grew up to young manhood in Laurens and then moved to Anderson County, where he met and married Miss Mary Dickson in 1856. Mrs. Kay died nine years ago. Mr. Kay came to Oconee the first time in 1860. After serving through the Civil War he moved to Pickens County and resided on Twelve Mile River. He removed to Oconee in 1874, where he has since resided. Three children, Mrs. Lala Herndon, of Pelzer, W. M. and G. W. Kay, of Westminster, survive. Captain Kay united with the Methodist Church twenty-eight years ago and took an active part in the Church work until his health failed. He was a man of great influence in this section and had many warm friends. In fact, a man of great influence in this section and had many warm friends. In fact, if he had a single enemy, we never heard of it."

### The Baby Show.

Under the auspices of the R. E. Lee Chapter, U. D. C., a baby show was held on the beautiful lawn at the home of W. F. Cox last Wednesday afternoon, and was a most enjoyable and successful occasion. The Citizen's Band rendered some fine music, and refreshments were served for the benefit of the Hampton monument fund. About \$30 was realized. Clarice, the little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Ben. Townsend, was awarded the prize for being the prettiest girl baby under 2 years of age, and Julian, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Webb, the prize for the prettiest boy baby. Rubic Jones was given the prize for the prettiest girl between 2 and 5 years of age, and Frank Wilhite the prize for the prettiest boy between 2 and 5 years of age. The prize for the best decorated carriage was given Mrs. R. C. Laughlin.

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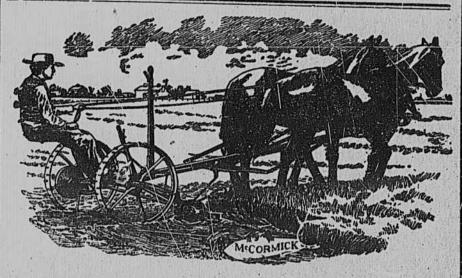
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