ON THE WING.

Letter from Mr. C. T. Dowling Des scriptive of his Journey.

1692 Miles out on the Atlantic Ocean Monday, March 14, 1904. Dear Times and Democrat, and ing gathered, roses, lillies, japonicas you to my friends in the etc in bloom. Oranges, through county. I am at sea-how do I know growing and ripe, a paradise of flowwhat to say? I want to give you my ers and saleable truck. trip from the time I left home so I will begin at Norway, S. C. I left are out for Gibraltar where I will mail home on Monday, Feb. 29, taking my wife and little girl, with me as far as Saturday morning, March 19. It is Columbia. Now the hard time comes now 4 o'clock with me, but it is only to tell them goodbye for three months. | dinner time in Orangeburg. This done, and after a few hours more in Columbia I boarded the Seaboard Florida Limited at 9.25 o'clock Tues-

day night, arriving at Washington at 11 o'clock Wednesday. I passed the rest of Wednesday in the two houses at the residence of her brother, Mr. of Congress and the Congressional Dennis W. Gilmore, at Holly Hill, on Library. Of the things in Wasing- last Thursday afternoon, after an illton which attracted my attention most was a marble statue of Roger withstanding her long sickness, her Williams, the man who did the most death was unexpected and a great good among the Indians when this shock to her relatives and friends, by country was being settled and the whom she was greatly beloved. Miss great advocate of soul liberty.

Thursday. Here is where occurred all who came in contact with her. the great fire of which we have read | She was a member of the Methodist so much about lately. That portion church, and was zealous in all good known as the fire district is certainly works. She leaves two brothers, Mr. a vast mass of ruins. High brick D. W. Gilmore and Dr. J. L. B. Gilwalls are being thrown down and in more, to mourn her death. In the one ten or twelve story building there death of this most excellent lady the were men in the top story knocking community in which she lived has lost the brick out of the steel frame in one of its best members. To the beorder to rebuild it. But you hardly reaved members of her family we exmiss what has been swept away by tend our heartfelt condolence. Having the flames for the city is thoroughly had the pleasure of knowing intimately awake, active and progressive. Balti- their sainted dead we can fully apchief city, in its physical appearance, narrow crooked streets paved mostly that in the upper and better world, with stone.

more to Philadelphia. I called at the fever is over with them. American Baptist Publishing House and saw Bibles, papers, Teachers, and quarterlies being made. The Teacher, for example, is printed on which is put on by hand.

was horse cars. I got on one and went rush and the policemen seemed to be outer guard. After the installation a I know about this street, that street, or three days I became more accustomed to the rush and found out that it is not the knock down and drag out city that I had it pictured and as other folks had said. One other thing I was surprised to know in wicked New York; I asked one of the maids in the hotel Sunday morning if I could get one of them to sew some buttons on my overcoat to which she replied: "tomorrow I guess the maid in your part of the building will do so. We try to keep Sunday as best we can." I did not want the work done on Sunday, but was glad I asked for I found out the attitude toward Sunday in a very busy section of New York. The pool parler and bar were closed also. Now in our Southern city where our great Theological Institution is located, pool rooms and bar rooms are wide, open all day Sunday. New York is not so bad after all.

As soon as I got up (which is never soon) on Tuesday, March 8, the day of sailing, after breakfast I went to the pier in Hoboken where our floating palace was ready for us to come in. We are sailing by the North German vessel Grosser Kurfurst. This palace is a little town out in the ocean. A on this ship than live in most of the towns in our county. There are 804 passengers and 410 crew, making the total population of our little sea village 1214. I have a house in this vilage known by number and when I ing a play full of heart interest, thrilsquares (Norway blocks) before 1 get to breakfast. After breakfast I usually thread of the intricate plot and novel go to the up town cigar store and get a good cigar then I loaf down street story. All of the scenes are laid in a good cigar then I loaf down street story. All of the scenes are laid in 9th, in Webster's grove. Baskets our vilage.

and a very suggestive picture on that animous in pronouncing this a truly I saw yesterday: A man was leaning wonderful play, inasmuch that while over the rail paying tribute, but the it is sensational to the extreme there picture was described as looking for is nothing suggestive or immoral in land. I then, was looking for land the entire production. The attention for several days or casting bread upon of the audience is held throughout the water where I hadn't oughto. I am convalescent now. To describe from the serious interest of the play, the sea is beyond the pen. While in sufficient comedy situations are the Gulf stream the waves were very high and the white caps crowned every wave, but with a few days sailing Lovers of sensational drama should we are in peaceful waters and to look not fail to see this magnificent proout upon the ocean it appears as smooth and harmless as any ordinary pond, but our little village is rocked

But a new scene is appearing in the distance-Madeira is showing up on the horizon as a cloud. The cloud ship did not go to a dock but anchord ers took us to the most world. Funched is a good introduction to the criental customs, ways of Michael, W. V. Oliver, Jefsion Palin, was held. The old incumbents were is a good introducliving, etc. But to describe this place is beyond my ability.

We had, up to the time we set sail from Nev. York, been on water eight Mrs. Leila Shuler, Julius Upgrow, W. Herlong, C. F. Feigler and B. days till we reached the Madeiras. Dan Wadkin, Miss Maggle Westbury, Our schedule was, arrive at Funchal 12 m. March 16, and just to the for the above letters will sav they are protection and furtherance of the play as it is filled with genuine pathminute of that hour the mighty en- advertised. A. D. Webster, postmas- town's interests more satisfactory offigines of our vessel were turned off.

It was my pleasure to go up the mountain side 2,000 feet and take the famous slide of two mi. .. down the mountain. The slide in nothing more than the streets of the city but it is so steep that a sled like basket will slide very rapidly down. We could see on our slide down, cane be-

After one days staty at Madeira we this letter. We are due there early C. T. DOWLING.

Death of Miss Minnie Gilmore. Miss Minnie Gilmore, eldest daughter of the late Dr. J. L. B. Gilmore, died ness of two months or more. Not-Gilmore was a lady of charming per-From Washington to Baltimore on sonality, and was very popular with they have the consolation of knowing where she awaits them, there will be I went the same day from Balti- a happy reunion when life's fitful

Knights of Pythias.

A New lodge, Knights of Pythias, has been installed at Cameron. The both sides of a long sheet of paper grand lodge officers present and partiand then is put into a folding machine cipating in the installation of the which folds it into its pages, and out lodge were Grand Chancellor J. M. comes the book except the cover Knight of Sumter, Grand Master at Arms J. A. Berry of Orangeburg and Leaving Philadelphia the next day Grand Inner Guard Geo. W. Reeves after arriving there I came to New of Branchville. The officers of the York on Friday. There was plenty new lodge are: C. J. Rast, chancellor of heavy ice in the Hudson when we commander; S. J. Summers, vice chancrossed, from the railroad station in cellors; M. R. Evans, prelate; C. D. Jersy City. I almost froze before I Bull, master of work; F. I. Culler, found where I wanted to go. The master of exchequer; W. A. Rast. first thing to greet me in New York keeper of records and seal; H. L. Taylor, master of finance; A. O. Rickensomewhere-every thing in an awful baker, inner guard; H. A. Ulmer, in the same fix-rushed, and when splendid supper was served and the directions were given they were occasion enjoyed by all. There was a evidently not intended for a man who lodge of Enights of Pythias at Camwas lost. They seemed like, German eron several year but it disbanded and or some other language for what did the members went to the Elloree of the Lutheran Church. lodge, but came back to the Cameron Park Avenue, and the like. I was in lodge with the reorganization. This search of the Broadway Central Hotel makes the tenth lodge Grand Chanand after going into a store and buying cellor Knight has installed in the ten a pair of gloves, for my hands were months of his administration and nearly frozen, I had time to get good speaks well for him. The gain in memdirections, so at last I found myself. bership for the grand domain of South ladies of the Baptist Church on last And after staying in New York two Carolina as far this Pythian year has Friday afternoon was very much enbeen over 1,000.

A Treat in Store.

Amusement, brisk, breezy and true. Capt. Charles H. Stanley expects to be in Orangeburg two evenings with his magnificent moving pictures. (Edison's latest and best) illustrated original songs ect, ect. He has traveled in England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales scoring successes both at and Wales scoring successes both at home and abroad. He comes with the best of credentials, and, moreover is truly "a man with a mission."

Rev. G. P. Watson and Rev. W. I.

Andrews, John McNamara and W. C.

Andrews, John McNamara and W. C. Herbert endorse the work he has done in Chester and Columbia Wolfe. done in Chester and Columbia. One reporter says: "We could but addresses on Naaman the Leper. the signed. Prodigal Son and his Life Story are abounding good humor." We be- man of the world. Yet the story is tnings by halves. speak for him a hearty welcome and pure, there is not an immoral or suga full attendance at the court house gestive line in it, and the whole leaves on Monday and Tuesday evenings, a good moral impression on the April the 11th and 12th. Admission mind."

A Drama of Heart Interest.

In "Why Women Sin," the author, Will C. Murphey, succeeded in writget up I have to walk about two ling incidents, sensational climaxes squares (Norway blocks) before I get and good comedy, without losing a a good cigar then I loaf down street New York City, and the audience is and lunch boxes will be brought to (deck) talking with one here and one given an opportunity to witness some the Methodist church at 10 o'clock there and meeting strangers almost of the greatest dramatic situations of the greatest dramatic situations its recent production in the metrop-I have been sea sick for several days, olis, the press and public were unthe entire performance, and aside Florence, who is making a name for al months yet. thrown in to keep the audience well balanced between laughter and tears. duction at Academy of Music on Thursday, April 7.

List of Letters.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in the post office at Orangeburg, S. C., for the week ending April 4, 1904: Gilbert Johnes, Peter Jackson, Wil- Episcopal church. it must be) of all the ham Marvin, J. H. Moore, Elax Moye, H. D. Rowe, W. E. Rowe, Miss Mirer re-elected without opposition. Dr. W. Robinson, I. G. Stroman, Mrs. Sallie T. C. Bates, intendent, and as war-Sanders, Geo. Stewart, Walter Scott, dens Messrs. J. S. Wannamaker, D. Miss Etener Zeigler. Persons calling would be difficult to secure for the part of "Mazie" is not an easy one to ter.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Gathered from Town and Country Condensed for Busy Readers.

Sunday was a bad day for Easter There was a heavy white frost yes-

terday morning. How does your garden look after

the recent cold spell? Last Friday being Good Friday the

graded-school gave holiday. For the last few days the weather has been decidedly winterish.

Don't fail to see the great drama Best play ever given by Amateurs. 'My Friend from India." 'April 21. Mr. H. VonOshen has just received

carload of the High Grade Goldsboro buggies. The Easter services at the different churches on Sunday morning were

largely attended. "My Friend from India" will be presented at the opera house on April 21, by local talent.

Mr. Fred N. Rickenbaker announces himself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Coronor. P. T. Hildebrand announces him-

self as a candidate for re-election as Solicitor of the First Circuit. The date, April 21, attraction,

Orangeburg Dramatic Association. County Treasurer A. D. Fair announces himself as a candidate for re-election to the office he now holds. Mr. S. R. Mellichamp announces more reminds one of Charleston, our preciate their irreparable loss. But himself in this issue as a candidate be accepted. It is the universal wish captain and chaplain; Dr. M. G. Salfor the office of County Superinten-

> Mr. D. M. Westbury makes his announcement in this issue as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner.

dent of Education.

Superintendent of Education E. H Houser, announces himself in this issue as a candidate for re-election to the office he now holds.

A South Carolina girl takes a proto-morrow (Thursday) night.

Mr. Olin M. Dantzler, County Supervisor announces himself in this issue as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Supervisor. Mrs. Stone, Messes Madge Edwards,

and Pearl Thomas both of Eutawville, paid our city a visit last week, being the guests of Mrs. D. C. Havden. Mr. W. W. Lumpkin of Columbia

will deliver an address at the Court house on Friday evening April 15, for the benefit of the Ladies Aid Society The lecture delivered by Miss

Matilda Fletcher was enjoyed by quite a large crowd on Monday night. The lecture was given for the benefit of the Daughters of the Confederacy. The Easter egg hunt given by the

joyed by a large number of children and grown folks. A nice little sum was realized.

Mr. A. C. VanOrsdel surprised his Columbia he and Miss Sallie Stanley D'The Orangeburg Automobile com-

ton and Mr. Harvy F. Williams were happily married. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. A Clifton. Only a few intimate friends witnessed the happy event.

and carried from there to the grounds. giving the young folks a happy outing.

"Why Women Sin" will be the herself on the stage.

On Sunday morning at the resito Washington and other points.

On last Friday the election for \$300 insurance. Jacobson; than whom as a whole it cers.

Called to Another Field. Rev. E. M. Lightfoot, pastor of the

Baptist church here, returned home a few days ago after a ten days' visit to Newark, N. J. The trip was made at the request of a strong church there and while there they urged him to accept the pastorate of their church. He could or would not accept companies, were inspected by Col. J at the time and they left the matter M. Patrick, and Inspector General of open giving him some time to make the State, and Capt. Gilmore, of the his decision in the matter. The United States Army on last Wednes-Newark church is the second in size day. The Tillman Volunteers were and strength in the city, is one of the inspected on the court house square in ten Baptist churches there, and the the afternoon in the presence of quite call is a well deserved compliment to a large crowd, while the Edisto Rifles Mr. Lightfoot's ability. Mr. Lightfoot has not spoken to his church here on the subject nor has he referred to it except to a few of his close Why Women Sin" to-morrow night. friends. It is said that the salary would be at least twice that received so far this season by these officers. here besides other tempting inducements. Mr. Lightfoot is a native of Pennsylvania and lived at the north denounces all crime and evil as he sees 'My Friend from India," by the bership of the church considerably increased. Both Mr. and Mrs. Light-He has many friends here in all battalion. denominations who would regret to see him leave

A Panic Party.

At St. Matthews on last Tuesday week Miss Etta Huggins entertained a few young people with a very enjoyable panic party. She was assisted minent part in "Why Women Sin," in receiving and intertaining her which appears at Academy of Music guests by Mrs. W. Welch. The reception hall and parlors were rendered bright and beautiful by bamboo vines and spiral wreaths. The quiet beauty of the rooms was in marked contrast to the confusion of voices calling corners on different stocks. Finally when excitement had reached its height members of the exchange were suddenly reminded of the fact that there are better things in life than the mere acquisition of wealth-for then it was that a tempting fruit course was served. After music and chatter goodbyes were said and the gay party hied home with pleasant memories to keep them company. Those present were: Misses Ida Jacobson, Mack, Harley, Able, Lucia Bee Able, and Murray: Messrs. W. C. Tucker, J. M. Hutto Clarence Zeigler, H. Kellar, Albert

Able, W. Fair and H. Paulling. Church Corner Stone Laying. Under the energetic and enthusiastic leadership of Rev. S. A. Nettles, the Methodist congregation of Branchville is going right ahead with the work of erecting their new brick many friends by "taking unto himself church. They are losing no time in wife." On Sunday afternoon in the matter, for work on the building has already been commenced, and the were married by Rev. W. I. Herbert laying of the corner stone is to take at the home of the brides' parents. place on Friday, April 15th. They propose to make this day memorable in the history of the town, and it is and lay the stone. He will no doubt also deliver an address. A great oc-Mr. E. A. Zeigler, who has been casion is being prepared for, and the notice how he captivates his audience | Clerk in the dispensary for several program of exercises will be very inat the beginning and holds attention years, was elected at the recent meet- teresting. The ladies will furnish to the close. His illustrated songs are ing of the County Board of Control as dinner at some convenient place, and as original as his addresses and touch Dispenser, Mr. Zeigler takes the place all who can go will be cared for. The many that nothing else could. His of Capt. J. H. Claffy, who recently re- presence of Bishop Duncan and his address will no doubt be sufficient to An Exchange says: "Why Women draw a large crowd, and a pleasant unique as he attacks the follies of the Sin" tells of the efforts of a occasion generally is to be expected, day and drives the truth home with good woman to master a passion for a for those Branchville folks never, do

The Order of Elks.

The Orangeburg lodge, B. P. O. E. at their last meeting elected the folon last Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. B. P. Pennington on coler; W. G. Smith, grand leading and passed inspection. Hampton Street Miss Grace Penning- | knight: Thos. F. Brantlev, grand lecturing knight: Dr. J. M. Oliver, esteemed loyal knight: W. L. Glover. secretary, and H. C. Wannamaker treasurer. Exalted Ruler Wannamaker was elected to represent the lodge at the coming session of the grand lodge in Cincinnati in June. The Orangeburg lodge was installed in February with 28 members. Since then 12 applications have been passed on and every day. We are not crowded in ever attempted on the stage. Upon Let all parents and teachers unite in the committees. The lodge has secured the hall on the third floor of the Dibble building, corner of Russell and week's attraction at the Academy of Market streets. This is a fine loca-Music and will be produced on Thurs- tion and admirably suited for the day night. The press criticisms indi- Elks, as there are other rooms on this cate quite a strong attraction and it floor convenient for club purposes. has been termed a sermon in drama. The lodge does not, however, contem-One of the cast is Miss Kuker, of plate establishing the club for sever-

A Small Fire. On Sunday morning at 4:30 o'clock dence of the bride's parents, Mr. and an alarm from Box 46 aroused our Mrs. John H. Robinson. Miss Mary sleeping firemen. The fire was on Julia, and Mr. George Thomas were Glover street, orginating in a small quietly married by Rev. J. A. Clifton. four room frame building owned by Only a few intimate friends of both Mr. Barney W. Williams and occupied parties being present. The bridal by two young men who were sleeping party left at ten o'clock for a trip there to take care of the property. The whole building was ablaze when Don't forget the fancy work sale one of the young men discovered and concert at the residence of Mrs. the fire and by the time alarm had like appearance comes nearer and near- Lisbon Baker, J. W. Baxter, Miss John Cart. The sale will take place been sounded our firemen arrived, the er until we can see the houses appear- Lavinia Barnes, Mrs. R. P. Bell, Wil- in the alternoon, after which ice cream stame had communicated to the dwelling as tin cans on the hillsides of a liam Burkhard, Mrs. Ella Carmichael, and cake will be sold. The concert ing of Mrs. Otis Meyers, next door. dump; and soon we were in the calm Miss Sophie Crawford, John Dickson, will be given in the evening by some Mr. Williams' house was entirely conwaters of the harbor of Funchal. Our Darling Dykes, Jim Dandy, Martin of the best talent in the city and will sumed and Mrs. Meyers' had the roof Edwins, Mrs. Beler Felder, Herbert no doubt be largely attended. The burned off. Everything in the house half mile probably from the shore and Felkel, Miss Tillie Harris, C. S. Jones, entertainment is for the benefit of the was saved. We understand that Mr. Williams had \$250 and Mrs. Meyers

Little Helen, who plays the child part, "Mazie," in "Why Women Sin," M. W. Taylor's big production of Will C. Murphy's sensational society drama, is one of the best child actresses on the American stage. The os, but little Helen wins the hearts of the audience at every performance.

OUR COMPANIES INSPECTED.

The Splendid Military Organization of Orangeburg and Their History.

The Edisto Rifles and the Tillman Volunteers, our two local military were inspected at their armory in the evening. The Tillman Volunteers passed muster with 45 rank and file, while the Edisto Rifles passed with 61, being the largest company inspected The Edisto Rifles are a historic com-

pany, their organization dating back prior to the Confederacy and the men until attaining manhood, so that he is now on its roll are the sons and grandthoroughly familiar with that section sons of those who wore the gray and which sings in mouraful cadence in of the country, but is now in love were part of the incomparable infanwith our fair soutbland. He has just try of Lee and Jackson. The Edisto with new astonishment, and over the was last seen a short while before the completed his second year's work here, Rifles also served in the Spanish war. having come here from Waynesville, The Tillman Volunteers were organ- in silence and amazement. As the brother-in-law, recently of this sec-N. C., over the protest of that church, ized ten years ago and Capt. J. H. years pass like Summer Clouds, one tion, but now of the Blackville secit being loath to give him up. Mr. Clasfy deserves much credit for the after another of those whom we have tion, where he lives on Mr. Simon Lightfoot is a young man, full of fine company he has, he having been known and esteemed, enter the dark Brown's place. The negroes who energy and zeal, a tireless worker, a in command ever since the organiza- valley of the shadow of death and de- heard the shot saw a large man standdeep thinker, fluent speaker and a tion. A great many members of this part to that undiscovered Country ing by the body with a mule and bugman who never shirks his duty but company served in the Spanish war. In addition to the inspection of the it. The two years of his ministry companies, Col. D. O. Herbert and thirty-four years of age, and a Consis- and Lucas in a buggy just after they

here have been most successful, per- several of his staff and field officers of tent member of the Methodist church, crossed the railroad track, in about fect harmony prevailing and the mem- the Second regiment were present and were also mustered and inspected. The officers with the colonel were: foot are much admired here and in O. B. Resenger, captain and adjutant; turn have many dear friends, so that J. W. Fairey, Jr., captain and quarthey are loath to leave and it is prob- termaster; A. C. Doyle, captain and was a stundent in the College of Pnar- empanuelled a jury and will hold an able that the flattering call will not commissary; Rev. E. M. Lightfoot, macy in Charleston, 1901 and 1902, and injuest at five o'clock Monday afterin this community that Mr. Light-ley, major and surgeon; Frank M. foot will see his way clear to decline DeMars, quartermaster sergeant, and tracted the fatal malady, consumpthe call to Newark and remain here. J. W. Culler, major commanding first tion, and was compelled to return to the investigation and verdict of the

Edisto Rifles who were present and calmness that is born of Christian forpassed inspection:

J. A. Berry, Captain.

J. P. Moseley, First Lieuteuant. F. L. DeMars, Second Lieutenant. R. R. Ayers, First Sergeant. A. W. Hoffman, Second Sergeant.

W. D. Berry, Third Sergeant. W. E. Atkinson, Fourth Sergeant. C H. Glaze, Fifth Sergeant. A. A. Scott, Q. M. Sergeant.

W. M. Richardson, First Corporal. II. M. Fairey, Second Corporal. J. K. Stoudenmire, Third Corporal. W. W. Dukes, Fourth Corporal.

C. Sorentrue, Fifth Corporal. J. L. Ayers, Sixth Corporal. H. M. Hesseman, Artificer. A. T. Wannamaker, Musican.

J. M. McMichael Musician. F. F. Vogt, Chief Cook. Privates.

J. M. Albergotti. A. N. Avinger. H. O. Ayers.

Clifford Berry. L. O. Berry. B. O. Berry.

J. S. Bellinger. J. S. Blanche. F. B. Brantly. W. P. Brunson, Jr.,

Norman Bull. J. C. Covar. H. E Copes. W. W. Crum.

G. K. Dickert. E. M. Grady. D. J. Hydrick

W. L. Harley. W. G. Haigler. E. W. Houser.

W. G. Inabinet. E. A. Inabinet. W. R. Izlar. H. O. S. Jackson.

Geo. D. Kortjohn. S. W. Levendahl. Joe Marcus.

E. H. Mixon. Hubert Reeves.

C. A. Rennicker. A. E. Rickenbaker. Henry Riggs.

G. E. Shirer. G. E. Salley. M. L. Sitley.

W. D. Sturgeon, L. C. Wannamaker. L. H. Wannamaker, Jr.,

T. F. Weeks. M. N. Wolfe.

J. H. Whetsell. W. M. Perreyclear.

J. H. Claffey, Captain. S. R. Boone, First Lieutenant.

H. W. Lathrop, Second Lieutenant. H. H. Westberry, First Sergeant. w. Kimerine, Second Sergeant. II. S. Zeigler, Third Sergeant.

E. E. Culler, Fourth Sergeant. C. J. Inabinet, Fifth Sergeant.

J. M. Antley, Q. M. Sergeant. W. L. Palmer, First Corporal. K. O. Smoak, Second Corporal.

J. G. Smith, Third Corporal. P. T. Shuler, Fourth Corporal. W. B. Palmer, Fifth Corporal.

Privates. C. B. Albright. N. R. Antley. Geo Barsh. Benton Bell.

Allen Bochette. A. J. Bollen. Jake Bozard.

C. F. Browning.

E. D. Culler. O. B. Carter. J. M. Dantzler. C. H. Dickson.

McQueen Forrest. L. P. Fogle. J. C. Holman. M. Jennings. W. K. Jones.

J. M. Edwins.

D. H. Judy. Frank Kimy. M. L. Lane. W. Norman. J. B. Owens.

J. M. Owens. J. R. O'Cain. M. Rickenbaker. E. M. Rickenbaker. J. A. Robinson.

J. P. Ruple. Geo. Riley. S. R. Smoak T. R. Smith. P. T. Shuler. P. F. Shuler.

T. C. Shuler.

M. W. Shuler.

C. P. Shuler. A. Shuler. A. A. Syfrett. A. Weeks.

Z. M. Wolfe. T. C. Williamson.

C. S. Williams. D. A. Williamson.

E. A. Zeigler. J. A. Smoak. N. B. Gardner.

J. M. Rice. M. I. Bennerker. Dick Hilderbrand

J. M. Miller. Death of Mr. A. C. Bruce.

die, and the wisest of us know not how soon. Nearing the meridian of to Mr. C. H. Hutto, who, upon inlife, with the promise of a long and vestigation, found it to be the dead useful career before him, and enjoying the confidence and respect of loyal friends, and a confiding family, A. of town. Upon further investigation Clinton Bruce, was called hence to a | it was learned that Mr. Lucas had higher and nobler sphere. The uni- been murdered by some person unversality of death does not lessen its known. He was shot in the right terrors. The living know that they breast, the ball going through the shall die, is the voice of revelation every ear. Into every grave we gaze lifeless form of every friend we stand killing with Mr. John Love, his from whose bourne no traveler returns. | gy, and it is reported that there is The subject of this notice was about and he died as he had lived-a good two hundred yard of where Lucas was man, and his greatest mounment killed. The evidence against Mr. will be the heritage he has left his Love is very strong, and his statefamily in the example of a faithful ments as to his whereabouts are very Christian life. Our esteemed friend conflicting. Magistrate S. G. Ray has would have graduated in March 1903, noon, as Coroner Bessinger is sick and but while attending Coilege, he con- unable to attend to the matter. Mr. his home in Branchville, where he jury of inquest. The following are the names of the died on last Wednesday. With a titude he faced the ordeal of his dissolution, and his spirit laid off its mortal coil and passed over the river, giving us the assurance that was rendered throughout the evening. the bright star of earthly existence The old and the young gave themselves had only sunk into the more brilliant over to the highest order of innocent dawn of a new and better life. J. M. B.

Shibboleth Lodge.

On Tuesday evening of last week Shibboleth lodge, No. 28, A. F. M., this city, met in special communication for the purpose of raising three fellowcraft to the sublime degree of master Mason. The lodges at St. Matthews and Branchville had been invited to be present and at least 40 members of these two lodges accepted the invitation. Shibboleth lodge enjoys quite a reputation for the thoroughness with which it confers the degrees and work was much enjoyed by all. Worshipful Master R. H. Jennings raised the fellowcraft to master Masons after which Hon. John R. Bellinger, grand master, who was present, delivered a most appropriate address. After the degrees were conferred all adjourned to the banquet hall where an elegant course supper was served by the ladies of the Episcopal church. After the supper, Grand Master Bellinger was called on but owing to the lateness of the hour responded briefly. Shibboleth Lodge is one of the most flourishing lodges in the State. In the last two or three young men of this city and surround-

Granted Bail.

The Columbia State says R. W. Mc-Daniel, who killed Lee Neese, the town marshal of Swansea Christmas eve, 1902, has been granted bail in the sum of \$5,000 by Judge Ernest Gary. The case was beard Monday in the court house in this city. The argument in favor of ball was that the jury had indeed found McDaniel guilty of murder but had recommended the convicted man to the mercy of the court and thus had put itself on record as believing the crime not to he deserving of capital punishment. The case has attracted attention because the defendant is of good family and connected with some of the best families in the State. He had gone the supreme court. His case in the supreme court was handled with skill and the petition for a new trial was ganted. McDaniel will have no trouble to secure bail. Court meets in Lexington within a few weeks. when no doubt, Mr. McDaniel will promptly secure an acquittal.

Death of Mrs. M. A. Hughes.

On March 29, our mother Mary A. Hughes, wife of Morgan L. Hughes of Livingston, answered to deaths call in a manner pleasing to her God and friends. She was nearing her 72nd year of which about 58 of these found her a member of the Methodist church. Amidst her weakness, suffering and pains, she would sweetly smile and exclaim "Sweet Heaven" with jesticulations indexing some beautiful sceane of which no eye but hers could behold and pressingly requesting all her children, relatives and friends to 'Meet her in Heaven." And at that sad moment when her light was fadthe glories of Heaven. She showed us how a Christian mother could die. which satisfies me more then the wealth of this world. May we ever cheerish her memory and obey her fare-well words as she sweetly, gently, passed the gait-way to eternal life. Jesus can make a dying bed

as soft as downy pillows are. Her Son. On account of various conditions

the entertainment to be given, for tit of the organ fund of the chare's has to be changed daesday 6th to Monday 11th, Ice cream, cake and fancy articles will be sold in the afternoon. At night during the intermission ice great and cake will be sold and fancy thanks to their kind friends and and less auctioned. An excellent neighbors for their numerous acts of pusical treat will be furnished at kindness shown them during the illnight. At that time 25 cents admis- ness and death of their loved one. sion will be charged. Tickets now on

A DENMARK TRAGEDY.

Rody of Mr. W. M. Lucas Found with a Gunshot Wound in Breast.

Denmark had quite a sensation last

week, an account of which will be found below, which we take from the Bamberg Herald. It seems that on last Friday night two negroes going into Denmark, between the Peterson cottage and water tank, on the Seaboard Air Line, discovered some one The young may die, the old must lying in the road, apparently drunk or dead, and reported the matter body of Mr. Willie Lucas, who lived on Mr. J. D. Turner's place, just out hody and lodging in the skin on the opposite side. The coat which he wore was burned with powder. Lucas another party who saw Messrs. Love Love is in the guard house, awaiting

News from North.

The bazaar held at the high school building last Friday night was a great success and an occasion of rare pleasure and enjoyment. Delightful music fun and the refreshments were such as to satisfy the most fastidious. The ladies deserve much credit for giving such a pleasant entertainment, the net proceeds of which were about \$65.00, which will go towards building a Bap tist parsonage here.
Miss Emma Harley, who has been on

a visit of several weeks to relatives in Orangeburg, returned home last Friday.
The Misses Livingston and Leyseth

came home from the Columbia Female College to spend Easter. Our clever depot agent, M. E. Sisk, went to Ashville last week on busi-

Many of our citizens attended Easter picnics at nearby points last Saturday. The farmers in this section are now busy on their farms, which makes our town a little quiet.

here. Our town is in need of a bank, and we hope to see one here at an early day. A new barber shop will soon be opened here in a brick building that is now being built for the purpose.

North, S. C. G. W. R.

Some of our business men are agita-

ing the matter of establishing a bank

Family Mileage Tickets.

North, S. C.

Commencing March 25, the Seaboard Air Line railway, in compliance years a large number of excellent with the new law, have on sale 1,000 mile family tickets, good for the use ing country have been "raised", in this of the immediate members of one family, between stations, within the state of South Carolina, on the line of the Seaboard Air Line railway. T tickets are sold at \$25 and are limited to one year from date of issue. The popular interchangeable book, good over twenty-three different lines, will continue on sale under same conditions as heretofore. For further in-

> passenger agent, Columbia, S. C. Pneumonia May Be Prevented.

formation apply to Seaboard agents or address Jos. W. Stewart, traveling

If a cold lingers, there is danger of pneumonia. If LaGrippe leaves the lungs in an inflamed condition, there is great danger of pneumonia. Pre-vent this fatal disease by using Ry-dale's Elixir; it cures colds quickly and leaves the throat and lungs sound to the penitentiary to serve his term. It is the best remedy for that peculiar when mainly through the efforts of inflamed condition of the lungs that so The following are the names of the Mr. Leroy F. Youmans he secured a frequently follows LaGrippe. This modern scientific throat and lung remedy is a safe remedy for young and old, in all throat and lung diseases.

A. C. Dukes, druggist. To Have and to Hold.

To have aid to hold a beautiful complexion is desired by every woman. young or o'd. Few women are blessed with nature's most desired gift-a good complexion; but every woman can improve her complexion by the judicious use of Rydale's Liver Tablets. These Tablets prevent the blood be-coming ladened with bile which deposits in the skin layers, causing that muddy appearance called a bad com-plexion. They make the skin clear and white, the eyes bright, the step bouyant. They are pleasant to take, pleasant in effects. Fifty Chocolate coated Tablets in each box. Price 25c per box. A. C. Dukes, druggist.

The Best Family Salve.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel gives instant relief from Burns, cures Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Eczema, Tetter and all abra-sions of the skin. In buying Witch Hazel Salve it is only necessary to see that you get the genuine DeWitt's ing her cheerful expressions impressed and a cure is certain. There are many us that she would occationally catch cheap counterfeits on the market, all a glimmer of a Convoy of Angles or of which are worthless, and quite a few are dangerous, while DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salves is perfectly harmless and cures. Sold by Dr. J. G. Wannamaker.

Easter Elections.

The following were elected to serve the Church of the Redemer for one year beginning May 1st. Wardens-James F. Izlar, T. O. S. Dibble.

Vestrymen-E. R. Walter, W. V. Izlar, W. S. Linning. Deputics to Council-Jas. F. Izlar. Thos. M. Raysor.

Card of Thanks.

Mrs. W. Yancy Sherrad and children desire to return their heartfelt

Respectfully,

The program has already been Mrs. W. Y. Sherrad and Children. Ninety Six, S. C.