

HERE AND THERE.

It is expected that \$300,000 will be appropriated by Congress to instruct a fine granite public building for Charleston.

Mr. R. H. Davis, of Clarendon county, killed a penitentiary convict two weeks ago. An account of it is published elsewhere.

Mrs. Mary O'Hara, widow of the late John O'Hara, of Manning, died in Columbia, at the residence of her brothers, Feb. 23rd.

W. I. Bass, of Kingstree, is said to have invented a type writer that will be superior to those in use, and can be constructed at about one third the cost.

Chester, S. C., is ahead of every other town in the State in one respect, by having a barber shop run by a colored woman, which is patronized by the best citizens of the place.—Florence Times.

The Kershaw Gazette says:—One day last week four widows of Confederate soldiers applied at the Auditor's office to have pensions in order to draw pensions from the State. Their names were Black-Berry-Pye and Honie.

Hom. C. G. Menninger, who until his resignation a year ago, had been chairman of the Board of Education of Charleston for a third of a century, was honored last week, by having a marble bust of himself placed in the city Council Chamber.

Melvin Youngblood, white, was buried alive on Capt. D. S. Hair's plantation at Blackville, last Friday, whilst cleaning out a well. The earth caved in upon him thirty feet. The body was recovered about 4 o'clock that afternoon, standing erect in one corner under about eight feet of earth.

The examination of applicants for the vacant cadetship at West Point was held in Florence Friday. Seven candidates appeared, and Mr. Chas. D. Miller, of Florence, made the highest record, and he has been notified that he will be recommended for the place. His marks were 14 1/2 above those made by the highest applicant, which speaks well for Charlie and the Florence Graded School, where he was educated.—Florence Times.

Philip Brunson, who at the Feb. (1887) term of court in this county, was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years, for arson, had his sentence commuted to one year, and on Feb. 21st was released from imprisonment. His commutation of sentence was recommended by the foreman of the jury, and by Judge Witherspoon, before whom Brunson was tried. Brunson is a mere child, only ten or twelve years old.

Western Republicans are working to have the business of their party for the Presidency to come from their section. Judge Greham and Robert Lincoln, both from Illinois, are leading in popular favor though neither of them is an aggressive candidate. Their plan is to run in as dark horses. Senator Harrison, of Indiana, is turning every stone in his State that will help him to secure a solid delegation to the Convention. Senator Culom, of Illinois, and Senator Allison, of Iowa, are said to be carefully feeling their way.

According to Judge Wallace, one of the greatest causes of the miscarriage of justice in our courts is false swearing from the witness stand. This is undoubtedly true. Any one familiar with court room scenes knows how prevalent among the lower classes of people is the idea that to stand by a friend who is in trouble means to go upon the witness stand and deliberately perjure himself in his friend's behalf. The teaching of the church and the school is not sufficient to eradicate this evil. A few well-directed indictments for perjury will do much to clear the moral atmosphere of the court room.—Columbia Register.

A FEW BARGAINS AT F. LEVI'S.

- Sumter, S. C. Fruit of Loom at 9 cents. Ladies' Kid Gloves at \$1.00, guaranteed best make. Ladies' ready made dresses a specialty. Ladies' Kid Gloves at 69c.—good value 75c. Dr. Warners' Health Corset for \$1.25. Ladies' and Children's Hose at 5c., good value 10c. Ladies' all silk gloves sold at 35c. in all colors—good value 50c. Handkerchiefs—a great slaughter—from 2 1/2 cents up. Just arrived, a nice lot of zephyr Gingham. Best Hams at 10 cents.

A FEW BARGAINS AT F. LEVI'S.

Shooting a Convict.

COLUMBIA, February 24.—Special: The body of Joe Berry, a negro desperado, thief, and escaped convict, was brought to the penitentiary this morning by Mr. R. H. Davis, the manager of the State farm on Seeger's Big Lake Plantation. About 10 o'clock last Wednesday night, while on his way from Mr. Lyke's place to Big Lake, Mr. Davis came face to face with Berry walking on the track of the South Carolina Railway in the direction of Columbia. Mr. Davis says that he recognized him at once, but asked him his name and ordered him to halt. This Berry refused to do and started off on a run. Mr. Davis by this time had dismounted and as Berry started he fired at him. The shot seeming to have no effect he fired again. Berry, having reached the top of the little cut, in which they were, ran down through a cotton patch, and Mr. Davis following sent a third bullet at him. He fell, but before he could be reached got up and ran off again. Mr. Davis fired at him the fourth time, and although he made diligent search for him could not find him. He then went to Mr. Welsh, who lived near by, and told him that he had shot Joe Berry, and asked him to have search made for him in the morning and let him know the result. The body was discovered in the morning within thirty steps of the place where Davis had last seen him.

A jury was empaneled by Trial Justice Lykes, and an inquest was held on the body last night. The verdict of the jury was that the shooting was justifiable.

As Joe Berry, he was sent to the Penitentiary for three years, in March, 1875, for burglary and larceny committed in Marion County. As Henry Johnson, he was sentenced to two years imprisonment in September, 1882, for burglary and larceny committed in Lexington County, and as John Williams he was sentenced to nine years imprisonment in April 1886 for burglary and larceny, grand and petit larceny of live stock, (three cases), committed in Richland County. He escaped from the Columbia Canal October 20, 1886, and was recaptured by Policeman Hartin near Rabb's row in this city, on the 21st of December, 1886. He escaped from the Blackville and Newberry Railroad on the 27th of August, 1887, and since that time has terrorized the colored people in almost the whole of the lower part of this county. He was recognized by them all as a desperate fellow. When the body was found there was an open knife clenched in his right hand, showing that he had determined to defend himself if his pursuer came to close quarters.

Mr. Davis said that all the colored people in the neighborhood were rejoiced to hear of his death, and while assisting to put the body in a wagon this morning, some of them remarked that they were shipping him out of that section with a great deal of pleasure.

Lynch Law Near Columbia.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Feb. 24.—An attempt was made in this county Wednesday night by a gang of unknown men to cremate a family alive. A white man, William Myers, had been living with a colored woman and had several children. A party, to punish this conduct, surrounded the house, barred up all doors and windows on the outside, and set the building on fire in several places. An axe was in the house, and with this Myers cut a hole in the door in time to save himself and the other inmates from a terrible death, but they were severely burned.

"Only a Little Hillock."

The Columbia Register says, The Register was at first disposed to regard the Charleston World's advocacy of D. B. Hill for President as somewhat on a par with the Register's advocacy of the great and good George W. Childs. But the World actually seems to be in earnest, such being the case, it will permit an older if not wiser journal to suggest that South Carolina is very poor missionary ground either for protection or the candidacy of David B. Hill against Grover Cleveland.

The Register believes that it will have the practically solid South Carolina behind its work for Cleveland. Tariff Reform, Civil Service Reform, and Victory Hill make a good Governor of New York, but ganged by the Presidential standard, he is only a little hillock. We can't see him.

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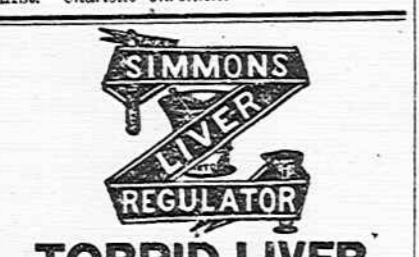
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Was There Sufficient Reason?

The cases against the Bowmans and Keelses have all been continued on the ground of non-attendance of material witnesses for the defense. The Attorney General objected that the affidavits do not state that due diligence has been exercised, that the motion was not to secure delay. But the Judge said that he assumed that the declaration had been made in good faith, and under the present practice of courts he could not force the case to trial. The diligence used by the defense does not seem to be very exhaustive. The report of the News and Courier states that when Mr. Moore read the name of Mr. G. C. Baco, as a material witness who could not be found, the Solicitor remarked that he had just met Mr. Baco at the hotel. Again, it was alleged that Capt. Dawson, as editor of the News and Courier, was a most important witness, and could not be found; and yet on the same day Capt. Dawson was reported by the News and Courier as being in Charleston and making a speech. If it be the custom to grant a continuance for a term, of course, then no affidavits are necessary; but if diligent search be a prerequisite for continuance, the public may judge to what extent it was complied with in the present instance. The Register does not desire to prejudice the case. It merely wishes to call attention to it.—Columbia Register.

A Sensation of the First Water.

The Chronicle a few days ago briefly mentioned the marriage at Gaffney City, on the Air Line Road, of Dr. Atkinson, a druggist of Chester, S. C., to Miss Florence Little, the belle of Gaffney. They were married at Black's Station, about 1 o'clock on the night of February 12th, and it was thought at the time that there was something peculiar about the marriage, and so there was. Dr. Atkinson's bride had been married a few days before to another man. It seems that February 5th was the day set for the marriage of Dr. Atkinson and Miss Little. He reached Gaffney on the evening of the 4th, and found that his intended had gone buggy riding with a young man named Mintz, who was one of her former sweethearts. The pair did not return until next morning, and Dr. Atkinson, incensed at the conduct of the young lady, returned to his home. She began a correspondence with him and mutual explanations and a reconciliation followed. It was arranged that they should meet at Black's station and be united in the bonds of matrimony. The ceremony was performed as already mentioned, and Dr. Atkinson and his bride returned to their home in Chester. It has since transpired that the young lady was married to Mintz on the occasion of the buggy ride. It is said that they went to the residence of Rev. J. G. Carter and were married by him, the minister agreeing to a pledge of secrecy for a term of two years. Groom No. 1, it is said, is under age, but claims that Miss Little belongs to him, as she married him first.—Charlotte Chronicle.



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Land Tax.

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR, MANNING, S. C., February 4, 1888.

The following act is published in accordance with Section 3:

An Act to Allow Unimproved Lands which have not been on the Tax Books since 1875 to be Listed without penalty.

SECTION 1.—Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina, now met and sitting in General Assembly, and by the authority of the same, That in all cases where unimproved land which has not been upon the tax books since the fiscal year commencing November 1, 1875, and which are not on the forfeited list, shall at any time before the 1st day of October, 1888, be returned to the County Auditor for taxation, the said Auditor, or he is hereby instructed, to assess the same and to enter it upon the duplicate of the fiscal year commencing November 1, 1887, with the simple taxes of that year.

SECTION 2.—That all such lands as may be returned to the Auditor for taxation between the first day of October, 1888, and the 1st day of October, 1889, shall be assessed and charged with the simple taxes of the two fiscal years commencing, respectively, on the first day of November, 1887, and the first day of November, 1888.

SECTION 3.—That as soon as practicable after the passage of this Act, the Comptroller General is directed to furnish a copy of the same to each Auditor in the State, and the Auditors are required to publish the same in each of their County papers, once a week for three months during the year 1888, and for the same period of time during the year 1889; and the cost of such publication shall be paid by the County Treasurer, upon the order of the County Commissioners, out of the ordinary county tax last collected.

Approved December 19, 1887. D. J. BRADHAM, Auditor Clarendon County.

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