WEDNESDAY, NOV. 20th, 1895.

There is a class of men in this State who may be called would-be political prophets. They have been predicting the down-fall of John L. McLaurin ever since he had the perve to differ with the great leaders and came out manfully to let the people know just what he thought of things in the politderhanded way, but while the leaders were in the zenith of their glory he pointed out bave a chance at the machine. what he conceived to be wrongs and dangerous pit-falls. For doing so, some of the him and their little henchmen have ever since been endeavoring to break the confidence of the people in him. Horry county is one of the places in which the little heelers have been trying to do their work, and the amount of their success can be imagined when they read in the newspapers the a good thing when they try it. warm and enthusiastic greeting McLaurin received at Conway last Wednesday at the hands of about 3,500 people. He was invited there to deliver un address to the survivors of the war, and he was met by the Wilsen, D. D., of Abbeville, is expected to strong, and a cavalry company, the Horry Hussars" in full uniform, also about 100 strong, altogether about 700 persons were in the procession to do honor to the man whom petty politicians would call a politiwhom petty politicians would call a politi-eal corpse. Hundreds of ladies and chil-use any substitute for Ayer's Sarsaparilla, dren were present and the day was made one that will remain in the minds of those people as long as they live. His speech is published elsewhere, and we are satisfied

school tax from two to three mills, which, with the one dollar poll tax, will give Clarendon a sufficient sum of money to run seventy schools for a term of six months. In our judgment there is no necessity for seventy schools in the county, and if we can manage to meet the requirements with less than seventy, the fewer the schools the longer the free term will be. It will be clearly seen that the members of the Convention desired to give the children of the poor man a better chance than they have Heretofore had without increasing the taxes of the porman. As it is, the property owner is the one who bears [the burden No poor man can complain at this. If any complaints at all, they will come from that class of citizens who believe it is unjust to tax their property for the education of another's children. There are some men opperce to taxation for education; they want every man to educate his own, and if without the ments, to do without education. Fortunately, such citizens are few; the majority are, willing to be taxed, but when taxed they want good schools and to be Pure Drugs within the reach of those for whom free schools are intended.

The Legislature will not meet until the second Tuesday in January. The Convention would save the people lots of money by postponing this session entirely.

The Constitutional Convention performed the grand salary-grab act last night, and voted themselves four dollars per day. Captain D. J. Bradham voted against inflicting this wrong upon his people, but Hon. J. W. Kennedy, although a member of the Legislature which fixed the salary at two dollars, is found among the salary-grabbers. Hon. J. S. Cantey's name does not appear among those voting. We regret but Mr. Kennedy has placed himself in such an inconsistent light Senator Tillman made speech in opposition to the salary-grab.

The recent election in Florence county for the unexpired senatorial term resulted in the election of J. E. Pettigrew over D. H. Traxler, both Reformers. The former, we are informed, belongs to what is known as a "McLaurinite," the other as "anti-Mc-Laurin." If this be correct, the ficey politicians of Florence court house must feel somewhat chagrined at their defeat, because it has been their boast for a long time that McLaurin nor his friends need apply public favor in that county. One of Mc-Laurin's friends, however, did apply, and the people gave him what he asked for in spite of the self assumed managers of the right of the people in Florence county, Joseph F. RHAME. and when the next election rolls around we expect to see a number of the now stiffnecks begging McLaurin for quarter.

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THE STATE'S COLLEGES.

The Convention Devotes a Day to Discussing Their Status.

COLUMBIA, Nov. 16.—Special.—This entire day of the Constitutional Convention was devoted to a discussion of the question whether the Legislature should be required, or simply authorized, to make proper provision for the different colleges.

The speech of the day was made by Senator Watson of Edgefield, his proposition being to substitute "may" for "shall" in the section relating to these institutions. Mr. Watson took the general position that the State cannot maintain a real university; it ought not to attempt anything in that line. He said the higher colleges must be supported by endowments. He thought they should receive just such support as the people, represented in the Legislature, should, from time to time be pleased to give. The Constitution should not tie the hands of the people's representatives by any mandate on this subject.

In the course of his speech Mr, Watson paid a handsome tribute to the denominational colleges of this State, citing them as examples of what private efforts, properly directed and united, may do.

It was stated, by some of the colored delegates, that Claffin University, at Orangeburg, is really under the control of the Northern Methodist church, though that body gives but \$1,500 out of the \$25,000 used for its support. This particular mat-ter was laid over for future inquiry and ac-The ordinance to postpone the next ses-

sion of the Legislature till the second Tuesday in January, 1896, received its third reading. The Governor will, in a few days, issue his proclamation formally announceing such postponement. The Convention adjourned to meet at noon on Monday.

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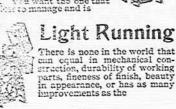
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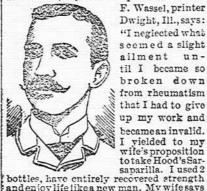
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