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State Democratic Executive Committee Meeting Called.
 Senator J. L. M. Irby, State Chairman, has issued the following:
 "Pursuant to the call of the Democratic National Executive Committee directing the selection of delegates from each of the several states to assemble in Chicago on July 7th, next, for the purpose of nominating candidates for President and Vice President of the United States, the Democratic State Executive Committee is hereby requested to meet in the city of Columbia on Tuesday, the 7th day of April, 1896, at the hour of 8 p. m., for the purpose of taking the necessary steps looking to the reorganization of the Democratic party, and to the assembling of the State convention to elect delegates to the National convention, as provided for by article 4 of the constitution of the party."

Alliance Meeting.
 The Kershaw County Farmers' Alliance will hold its quarterly meeting in the Court House at Camden on Thursday the 9th day of April proximo. State President Joseph L. Kritt and State Lecturer J. C. Wilbour will be present and deliver addresses. Every Alliance man in the county should attend said meeting to hear the addresses of these distinguished speakers. The opportunity may never be presented again to many of us. Each Sub-Alliance should send delegates to this meeting. Our State officers will doubtless suggest measures requiring prompt consideration. The farmers have never been in greater need of thorough organization. Political parties are divided among themselves on economic questions. Classes that are not organized will have no protection against class legislation adverse to their interests. Let us one and all turn out on the 9th to hear our State President and Lecturer. Let us counsel together for the advancement of our interests as farmers, and for our improvement morally, socially and financially. Surely we can spare one day from routine work and spend it profitably in so worthy a cause, and at such an important crisis in the industrial world.
JAMES R. MAGILL,
 First K. C. F. A.

New Pension Law.
 \$100,000 to be distributed by the State in June.
 Comptroller General Norton has been receiving a number of communications of late in reference to the new pension law. This law as recently passed creates a new board, composed of the County Auditor, the County Treasurer, two old soldiers to be selected by the Confederate survivors of each county, and one reputable physician. The survivors will meet on salesday in April to elect representatives. The provisions of the law give the old soldiers \$3, \$6 and \$1 per month. The State Board of Pensioners provides the methods for ascertaining who are entitled to eight dollars per month. Soldiers who are absolutely helpless get this amount each month. After they have been paid the balance of the

\$100,000 appropriated by the State is pro rated among the widows and other soldiers who do not come in the above list. At present there are 2,300 pensioners on the Comptroller General's roll, but this will be increased under the new law. The proper blanks will be sent to the County Auditors in a few days so they can be filled out, but no money can be paid until the 15th of June.—Columbia Register.

From Our Correspondents.
 Pisgah.
 Editor Chronicle:—The epidemic of measles and mumps fingers loyvingly with us. Every now and then a case appears, which shows a loving desire to linger here. We have some sickness of various sorts.

Mr. John Morris' wife and son are sick and they have the sympathy of the community in their sore affliction.
 Farm work is progressing as well as could be expected. Oats are small for the season of the year.
 I hear of some people having parties yet and some ugly doings on the part of some young men who attend them, such as getting drunk, cursing and other things. It is bad to make a display of oneself by getting drunk, but a man should be a gentleman on all occasions. I hear of a good deal of visiting the young ladies by the young men, a most commendable act on their part. For young men to keep the society of pure girls will always be strong safeguards for them against going astray unless there is a strong tendency that way, and the sweet, pure society of a young lady (and old ones too) cannot overcome it. I don't think we have any sporting or slang down here among the young folks, the Prince of Wales don't seem to have any disciples in this part of our commonwealth.

Pisgah church has purchased some new purlin furniture, this is the beginning I hope for further improvements on and in the church. Rev. J. R. Smith the pastor, preached a good sermon Sunday. He announced on the 5th Sunday evening he would lecture in the church on "Hypnotism." I will give you more information about it soon. Miss Minnie E. Evans presided at the organ and the church hopes she will continue to do so, she is one of our best and most popular young ladies, universally liked and loved by all who know her.
 Before closing this, allow me to say that I see with regret a large number of female writers of the press use the common slang of the day in their communications. Habits thus formed are as hard to break as the drunkard from his cups. The mouth of a fair, sweet girl was never intended to utter slang.

Two Sad Deaths From Pneumonia.
 Mr. Editor:—Sickness is broad-cast in this section. A son of Mr. John Morris who resided some distance from his father's home contracted pneumonia, and his father and mother Mr. and Mrs. Morris went to nurse him. He has recovered, but his father and mother contracted the same sickness. Their son had, the father being taken down before he left his son's house, the mother returning to her own home before she was taken. They both gradually grew worse when on Sunday night Mrs. Morris died and on Monday evening Mr. Morris also died and their remains will meet at Pisgah church this evening where they will be interred. These are two of the saddest and most quiet deaths we have ever witnessed. Mr. and Mrs. Morris leave two sons, one daughter and many friends to whom they extend our heartfelt sympathy.
J. L. G.
 Kershaw.
 March 10.

Mr. Editor:—After a few weeks silence, I come again knocking for admittance in your valuable columns although we haven't much news.
 Mr. A. P. Truesdale is in charge of the dispensary, during the illness of dispenser Hough, who with his entire family is undergoing a siege by the measles.
 The measles seem to be getting a good hold in town. We have heard of several new cases recently.
 Col. J. R. Ashe informs us that a factory at Yorkville is now an assured fact. This we regret to note, will, for a time at least, have a blighting effect upon the prospects for one at this place.
 The boy who beat his way on the excursion to Rock Hill and return, are known by those who were in charge of the train.
 About one hundred went on the excursion to Rock Hill, to hear Sam Jones lecture. We had a fine time and pleasant trip. His lecture was full of logic and humor.
 Mr. Will Vincent and Miss Annie Barfield, daughter of Mr. J. S. Barfield were married on the 3rd inst. Trial Justice Hamel officiating.
 The inevitable small boy and girl are still in evidence. We have it on good authority that a certain young lady kissed a certain young



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Boards of Assessors.
 To canvass the returns of Personal Property of Kershaw county.
 The following Boards of Township Assessors will meet on the respective dates given below at the County Auditor's office in Columbia:
 Buffalo Township—J. W. Hammond, J. E. Raley and J. A. West. Board will meet Thursday, February 27th.
 Flat Rock Township—J. C. Hinton, A. C. Watts and A. P. Jones. Board will meet Friday, February 28th.
 Kershaw Township—J. A. Rabon, C. P. Bowen and J. W. Butler. Board will meet Saturday, February 29th.
 D. K. D. Township—John E. Nettles, C. Stokes and A. D. McLeod. Board will meet Monday, March 2nd.
 The Boards will take note of the changes in the pollage, which is from 21 to 60, except Confederate soldiers over 50, and will add polls to those who have made no returns, and who are liable to a poll tax.
 In every instance where there is a material change in the return of an individual, the party will be notified so that he can appeal to the County Board. The County Board of Equalization will hold its annual meeting in the Auditor's office on Tuesday, March 10th, as required by law.
 Where new buildings have been erected since last return, the Township Board of Assessors will value same.
 The Township Board of Supervisors, as now organized, are required by law to act as Township Board of Assessors; and the chairman elected at their first meeting will serve as a member of the County Board of Equalization.
D. C. KIRKLEY,
 Auditor K. C.

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 Big bottle of machine oil for 5 cts.
 Big assortment glassware 5c.
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 1 doz steel pens for 5c.
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 See us this week.

NOTICE.
 All persons are hereby notified to respond upon the lands of Elias Williams, deceased, for any purpose whatever. Anyone disregarding this notice will be dealt with according to law.
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