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The Legislature did the unexpected on Wednesday last when it elected Mr. J. P. Derham Comptroller General instead of Auditor Epton who was appointed by Gov. Ellerbe Comptroller General in General Norton's place. Mr. Derham was chief clerk in the Comptroller's office and was displaced soon after the appointment of Mr. Epton. Had it not been for the dismissal of Mr. Derham as chief clerk he would not have been in the race for Comptroller General.

### Educational Column.

The matter for this column is furnished by County Superintendent of Education L. L. Copeland, and all communications intended for this department should be addressed to him at Camden, S. C.

Pleasant conversationalists are the most welcome guests and most agreeable companions.  
Good talkers not only hold the best positions but command the best salaries.

Orators mould public opinion, elect officers, proclaim and enact laws—they are esteemed above either soldier or statesman.

It was our pleasure to visit the Antioch school, taught by Miss Alice McLeod, on last Monday. Miss McLeod has a large school which shows that the good people of Antioch are alive to the necessity of educating their children. They are fortunate in having secured one so well prepared to instruct the rising generation of that community. Antioch is one of the new schools of our county, and the large attendance is a sufficient justification, if any were needed, of the wisdom in establishing the school.

Gum Spring, taught by the Rev. C. D. Peterson, is moving along nicely, although the school house is in bad condition. We would suggest to the trustees of No. 2 that they erect a new school house at an early date. Many of our school houses are sadly in need of repairs, which are necessary to render them habitable.

We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to attend the closing exercises of Prof. J. F. Entzinger's school in No. 8, on the 27th inst. We will endeavor to be there. We understand that Prof. Entzinger will teach the Westville school. Jim is a good teacher and Westville is to be congratulated.

### From Our Correspondents.

**Smyrna.**  
Mr. Editor:—Pursuant to program the Wateree Township Sunday School association met with Pine Grove church on Saturday and Sunday, the 22nd and 23rd inst.

At the proper time the meeting was called to order by our efficient Pres., D. E. Spencer. Bro. Spencer is the proper man in the proper place and presided with ability. The meeting was a success in that the program was fully carried out. Speeches were made by Rev. B. M. Robertson, Rev. W. H. Joyner, R. W. Sutton, D. E. Spencer, Newton Kelly and others. At the close of the Saturday meeting the Executive committee announced the following program for the next meeting which will meet with Mt. Prospect church on Saturday and Sunday April the 23rd and 24th 1898: Saturday morning, 11 a. m. opening services by Rev. S. W. Watts. 11:30 enrollment of delegates. 12 Reports from schools. 1:30 Dinner on the grounds. 2:30 Devotions. What risks do you subject themselves to when they take a trip to the States? This is the subject of the address to be given by Rev. S. W. Watts at 4:30 p. m.

**Discourse.** What is the origin of discord in Sabbath Schools and churches, and how are we to remedy them. To be opened by Rev. B. M. Robertson, Mannus Rabon and Newton Kelly.  
Sunday morning, 10 a. m. Sunday School addressed by Bros. John A. Rabon and D. E. Spencer.  
11 Public services introduced by Rev. S. W. Watts and sermon preached by Rev. W. H. Joyner.  
The committee respectfully requests that all the schools in this association be well organized before our next meeting and send in a full delegation.  
R. W. Sutton,  
Executive Committee.

**Library Meeting.**  
At a meeting of citizens, called by the Chanting Lanyard and Scientific Circle, at the Grand School House on the evening of the 14th inst., a temporary organization was effected for the purpose of establishing a library in Camden. A committee was appointed to draft a constitution and a list of members.  
The committee has met with encouraging success, having enrolled seventy five names. The lists are open to all persons over fifteen years of age living in Kershaw County. The initiation fee has been fixed at one dollar payable in advance, and the annual dues one dollar to be paid quarterly.  
All interested in this Association are invited to attend the meeting to be held in the lobby of the opera house on Tuesday, February 1st at 5 p. m., when a permanent organization will be made and a Board of Directors chosen.

**Vick's Garden and Floral Guide.**  
The annual catalogue sent out by the old reliable seed establishment of James Vick's Sons, comes to hand in a dainty and tasty cover of blue, pink, yellow and orange. The Golden Lily, the Pink Daybreak Aster, a large of blue birds, and the artistic coloring in black, blue, green, crimson and gold. All in harmonious combinations, make a cover of exquisite design and appearance. Many of the illustrations are fine half-tones. Four handsome colored plates of begonias, dahlias, nasturtiums and sweet peas add to the attractions. The list of seeds and plants covers nearly every thing that can be desired for the garden, the lawn, the greenhouse. Valuable new varieties are offered as well as the thoroughly tried and proven standard sorts. Vick's novelties are noted for their uniform excellence.  
In vegetables the Grading pen is a great advance over all other "extra early" varieties. The James Wac Bonn is an essential gain in that line. Potato growers are offered the "White Beauty" as a new variety with moderate quantities, combining size, high quality and great productiveness. But it is impossible here to note the many valuable offerings of this firm in fruits, flowers and vegetables. If you are not a customer of this firm send for their catalogue. It is free for all applicants. Address James Vick's Sons, Rochester, N. Y.

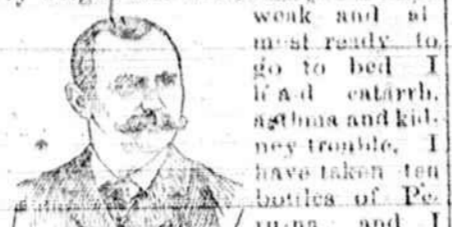
**Death.**  
Mr. J. W. Hyatt of Camden, Kershaw county, died on the 25th inst. of typhoid fever on the 25th and was buried on the 26th in the cemetery at Camden. He had a young wife and three little girls, one of whom is a host of friends to mourn his departure.  
He was born in South Carolina Nov. 18th 1852. He was united with the Baptist Church, a member of the same, and a member of the Methodist Church in Camden. He was a member of the church and a member of the society of the same in which he lived and labored.  
Two years ago he was married to Miss Hattie Love of Alabama.  
The sorrowful home wife, two young boys and three children rendered the bereavement of the community in which he lived and labored.  
His work is ended, he has gone to his reward.  
A Friend,  
Jan. 28, 1898.

**Dr. Miles' Heart Cure Restores Health**  
I began using Dr. Miles' Heart Cure on the fourth bottle restored me to health. Mrs. Duffey had suffered for eighteen years with heart disease. Had tried every remedy without avail until she took Dr. Miles' Heart Cure two years ago. For the past year she has been free from the trouble.  
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DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

**Sheriff's Sale.**  
South Carolina—Kershaw County.  
William H. Hedson  
vs.  
John A. Armstrong  
For closure.  
Under and by virtue of a decree for forced sale, rendered in the above stated case by the Hon. Jos. H. Earle, Presiding Judge, on the 30th of February, 1895, I will sell in front of the Court House in Camden, S. C., on the first Monday in February, 1898, within the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate: All that piece of parcel or tract of land, situated in the city of Camden, in the County of Kershaw, and State of South Carolina, known in the plan of said City as lot No. 1170, and bounded on the North by DeKalb street, East by lot No. 1171 and part of lot No. 1175, South by lot No. 1181, and West by lot No. 1169.  
Also all of the right, title and interest of the defendant, John A. Armstrong, (the name being on seven of the roof) in and to all that piece, parcel or tract of land, situated in the County of Kershaw and State of South Carolina, containing twenty two hundred and twelve (2212) acres more or less, and bounded on the North by lands formerly of W. J. Jones, and to all that piece, parcel or tract of lands of A. D. Jones, of J. S. Richards and the McWilling plantation, West and South by Beaver Creek, and West by Wateree River and lands formerly of W. J. Jones.  
Terms of Sale:—One-third cash, and balance in two equal annual installments from the date of sale, with interest from day of sale, to be secured by bond of purchaser, and mortgage of premises sold.  
It is WILLIAMS, S. E. C.  
Jan. 24, 1898.

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By writing for our new price list of Doors, Sash, Blinds, &c., or sending for special estimate on anything in our line that you may want.  
**THERE IS EVERYTHING TO GAIN**  
By dealing direct with the manufacturer when purchaser must be made. Our product is of high grade in every respect and low priced, but not cheap. Send for Price List.  
ALBUSTA LUMBER CO.,  
107 N. Third Street,  
Camden, S. C.

**SEVEN DOCTORS FAILED.**  
A Case of Systemic Catarrh in its Worst Form Cured.  
I would like you to read the following letter recently written to Dr. Hartman by Mr. A. B. Miller, of St. Louis, Mo. Not only read it, but ponder on it. Not only ponder on it, but put on it. It writes: "A world of praise to your medicines. I began taking Pe-ru on the 20th of February, 1897. I was all worn out. My weight was 131 pounds. I was weak and almost ready to go to bed. I had a catarrh, asthma and kidney trouble. I have taken ten bottles of Pe-ru and I weigh 141 pounds. I feel as if I could do as much work as any man on earth. I had tried seven doctors; some of them as good as those were in the state. But none of them did me any good. At last I saw Pe-ru advertised. Then I began taking it and it has cured me. So I recommended it to my neighbor and it is doing the work for him. He has gained four pounds from the use of three bottles."  
Send to The Pe-ru Drug Manufacturing Co., Columbus, O., for a free book on catarrh written by Dr. Hartman.  
Ask your druggist for a free Pe-ru Almanac for 1898.



**Program of Student Union**  
The Union will meet with the De Kalb Baptist Church on the 24th of Jan., 1898.  
Friday, 10 a. m.  
Devotional exercises by, Bro. P. P. Rodgers.  
1. How can we, as Baptist, be more interested in the Sunday School?  
Bro. A. C. Watts.  
7:30 p. m. Devotional exercises by Bro. H. A. Scarborough.  
2. Are the Baptist of the present manifesting a missionary spirit?  
Rev. S. D. Yates.  
Saturday 10 a. m.  
Devotional exercises by Bro. W. R. Kennington.  
3. Is the religious interest of the people on the decline or decline?  
Bro. J. E. Davis.  
7:30 p. m. Devotional exercises by Bro. Joel Hough.  
1. What constitutes a strong church?  
Bro. J. E. Du'ree.  
The introductory sermon by Rev. J. R. Smith, alternate, Rev. C. D. Peterson.  
The missionary sermon by Rev. A. T. Jamison, alternate, Rev. R. T. Marsh.

**Capt. Jas. A. Duffey,**  
OF TOLEDO, OHIO.  
The Great Railway Detective Tells What Dr. Miles' Remedies Have Done For Himself and Wife.

DETECTIVE work requires constant vigilance, steady nerves, a clear head and active brain. "A year ago," writes Capt. Duffey, of 410 Oakland St., Toledo, Ohio, "I overworked myself, was in such a condition sleep was impossible. I was unable to eat, my head ached, I lay in bed; my arms and limbs twitched and my system seemed completely exhausted. I began using Dr. Miles' Nervine and the fourth bottle restored me to health. Mrs. Duffey had suffered for eighteen years with heart disease. Had tried every remedy without avail until she took Dr. Miles' Heart Cure two years ago. For the past year she has been free from the trouble."  
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REGULATE THE LIVER  
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ABSOLUTELY GUARANTEED to cure any case of constipation. Catechets are the ideal laxative. This power grip or grip, but cause easy natural results. Sample and booklet free. AD. STEIBLING, PUBLISHER, Chicago, Ill.

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**NEW BOARDING HOUSE.**  
I wish to announce that I have taken charge of the boarding house on upper Main street lately conducted by Mr. E. M. Hendrix, and will in future conduct it upon a first-class plan. The house will be well furnished, and the table supplied with the best the market affords and prices will be moderate. A call is respectfully solicited and we guarantee satisfaction.  
Respectfully,  
J. R. CLOUD.

**Tax Returns for 1898.**  
Office of County Auditor,  
Kershaw County,  
Camden, S. C., Nov. 10, '97.  
Notice is hereby given that the County Auditor's office for receipt of state and county tax returns will be open from January 1st, 1898, to February 20th, 1898, (Sundays excepted).  
The dates of the appointments at which the Auditor or his deputy will visit the usual places in the county for receiving returns are given below:  
Turkey Creek church (school house) Monday, January 31st.  
Lyons's (W. S. Smith's) Tuesday, Feb. 1st.  
Raley's Mill, Wednesday Feb. 2nd.  
Buffalo (Kirkley's Store) Thursday, Feb. 3rd.  
Westville, Saturday, Feb. 5th.  
Cante Hill, Monday, Feb. 7th.  
Liberty Hill, Tuesday, Feb. 8th.  
Careton's Mill, Thursday, Feb. 10th.  
Babon's X Road, Friday, Feb. 11th.  
IMPORTANT.  
It is important that taxpayers in making their returns, be careful to state the school district in which they live, in which they are given as assessors, and in which they are liable to pay. Also to state if it is the same district as when last return was made.  
WHO SHOULD MAKE RETURNS.  
The law requires that all persons owning property or in anywise having charge of such property, whether as agent, husband, trustee, executor, administrator, &c., return the same under oath to the Auditor, who requests all persons to be prompt in making their returns and save the 50 per cent penalty, which will be added to the property value of each party who fails to make returns within the time prescribed by law.  
HOW AND WHAT TO RETURN.  
Assessors and taxpayers will enter the first given name of the taxpayer in full, also make a separate return for each party for the township the property is in and where the taxpayer owns realty to insert the postoffice as their place of residence, and those who only own personal property to give the party's name who owns the land they live on, and in each and every case to name the No. of School District the property is in.  
All personal and real property owned on the 1st day of January, 1898, must be returned for taxation and all changes or transfers of real estate in making returns should state number of acres of land owned at time of making last return in columns marked "Real Property." Any real estate acquired or transferred since last return, should be stated in columns for that purpose giving name of party or parties from whom bought or to whom sold.  
All new buildings should be returned as "Real Property" acquired since last return.  
THE PAID TAX.  
The new Constitution which went into full operation after the 31st of December, 1895, provides for a mill (one) tax on all property of this State between the ages of Twenty-One and Sixty years, excepting Confederate soldiers above the age of thirty years. Parties making returns for the fiscal year 1898 will bear in mind this Constitutional provision and give themselves accordingly.  
All returns must be made on or before the 20th day of February next. I appeal only returns after that date, the other returns of this office must go on. All returns made after the 20th of February are subject to the 50 per cent penalty.  
All returns sent by mail must be made out on proper blanks and sent to the Auditor by registered mail, to be admitted only by post office. Others will not be accepted at the office as returns.  
The law provides that insurance agents shall make returns for the business done by such company.  
The County Board of Equalization will meet at the Auditor's office on Wednesday, March 11th, 1898, for the purpose of equalizing property, hearing complaints, protests, etc.  
JNO. R. DEAKERFORD,  
Auditor Kershaw Co.

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Every woman whose health has failed, and such a sad condition should not go unnoted. There is a wonderful remedy which will restore your health, renew your vigor, and bring back the bloom and beauty of youth. It is truly woman's best friend, and gladdens more hearts than a multitude of other remedies. Boldly, women, married or single, who need a restorative and invigorating, regulating, beautifying and building up, take Bellamy's Gossypium. It is a good, faithful, safe, and reliable remedy.  
It is endorsed by thousands of the world's wisest and noblest minds. Dr. Parke's change of life will wonderfully adapt you to a speedy and happy old age. Do not delay, order today. Free trial or bottles for 10 cents. Write for address. If your druggist can not supply you, send to  
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North Carolina Express.	
Lv. 7:10 am	Charleston Ar. 8:00 pm
8:57	Branchville 5:55
10:25	Kingville 4:43
7:00 am	Columbia 10:10
6:20	Augusta 10:45
12:05 pm	Camden 8:00
1:03	Kershaw 2:00
1:45	Lancaster 1:00
2:30	Catawba Junction 1:15
3:15	Rock Hill 11:55 am
3:30	Yorkville 11:15
4:35	Blacksburg Lv. 10:10
4:40	Blacksburg Ar. 9:50
5:20	Shelby 9:20
6:15	Honrietta 8:35
6:57	Fort City 8:20
6:57	Rutherfordton 8:05
Ar. 7:30	Marion Lv. 7:00
Ar. 7:30	Blacksburg Ar. 7:25
Ar. 7:05	Gaffney Lv. 6:50

**Fast Through Freight.**

Lv. 10:00 pm	Charleston Ar. 7:35 am
1:50 am	Branchville 1:30
5:00	Kingville 10:00 pm
Lv. 2:00 pm	Columbia Ar. 7:05 am
7:00	Augusta 11:00
6:00 am	Camden 6:40 pm
11:10	Kershaw 5:31
1:00 pm	Lancaster 8:50
2:45	Catawba Junction 2:40
4:30	Rock Hill 12:40 am
Ar. 7:30	Yorkville Lv. 2:40 am
Ar. 7:30	Blacksburg Lv. 8:00
Lv. 7:40 am	Blacksburg Ar. 6:10 pm
9:20	Shelby 5:50
10:05	Honrietta 8:35
10:25	Forest City 8:35
Ar. 12:30 pm	Rutherfordton Lv. 1:30
Lv. 6:00 am	Blacksburg Ar. 7:50
Ar. 6:40	Gaffney Lv. 7:15

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This paper announces, in connection with The Atlanta Weekly Constitution, a new offer in which everyone may have a chance to supply the missing word in this sentence:  
"AT FIRST IT WAS CONSIDERED BY THE ' ' AS A GOOD OMEN."  
The sentence is taken from a well-known publication. The word is a familiar one, and it may readily suggest itself.  
Contest Began Jan. 1--Ends March 1, '98  
TO ENTER THIS CONTEST YOU MUST SUBSCRIBE FOR

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IN CONNECTION WITH  
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In connection with this Clubbing Rate, we will, if you send your guess with the subscription price, forward all for you and thus  
**GIVE YOU A CHANCE AT THE MISSING WORD FUND**  
At the end of period covered by this contest The Constitution will pay out to the successful party or parties the full prize amount that has accrued in the contest. The plan is simple and these contests have become so popular and have been conducted with such absolute fairness to all that they have been widely copied after, but none have become equal to The Constitution's great original series.  
IN ONE YEAR THE CONSTITUTION HAS PAID OUT **NEARLY \$6,000 IN CASH**  
In these missing word contests, it sets aside 10 per cent of the subscription fund received from subscribers guessing at the missing word, and the fund is distributed with absolute fairness, and for the fact that The Weekly Constitution has MORE THAN 130,000 subscribers and that it puts aside 10 per cent from all guesses, subscriptions for this distribution fund shows that the amount to be divided at each interval is large enough to be worth striving for. It is not a catch-penny or a default property, but the plan is open to all, and the fund is PAID OUT BY THE MAIL by the Post Office Department as a meritorious contest.  
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In one of these contests there was only one successful guesser, who received more than \$1,000, and in addition to this in one year \$5,000 has been distributed among successful guessers.  
Remember that, whether the missing word is supplied or not, it costs nothing to guess, and even though the guesser guesses the word, the greatest of ALL WEEKLY NEWSPAPERS FOR ONE YEAR  
Keep that in view and send your guess with your clubbing subscription for your home paper and The Weekly Constitution.

Should you already be a subscriber to your home paper, remit \$1 to this paper for The Weekly Constitution for one year, and it will be forwarded to The Constitution with your guess.  
The Constitution guarantees that the amount of the award will not be less than \$500 in cash, and it may be as much as \$2,000. THE WEEKLY CONSTITUTION IS THE GREATEST WEEKLY NEWSPAPER IN THE WORLD. It is a TWELVE-PAGE, SEVEN-COLUMNS TO THE PAGE NEWSPAPER, containing EIGHTY-FOUR COLUMNS every week. It has no equal as a Weekly Newspaper in America; its news reports cover the world, and its correspondents and agents are to be found in almost every halliclock of the South and Western States.  
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**THE FOLLOWING ARE THE CONDITIONS OF THE CONTEST**  
Ten Per Cent of the Guessers' Subscriptions goes to the "Missing Word Fund." In other words this Subscription Fund amounts to \$20,000 for this period. The fund is to go to the successful guesser. If more than one guesser guesses the word, the prize will be divided equally among all who guess the word.  
THE CONSTITUTION PAYS TO THE SUCCESSFUL GUESSER OR GUESSERS THE FULL PRIZE AMOUNT THAT HAS ACCRUED IN THE CONTEST. THE PLAN IS SIMPLE AND THESE CONTESTS HAVE BECOME SO POPULAR AND HAVE BEEN CONDUCTED WITH SUCH ABSOLUTE FAIRNESS TO ALL THAT THEY HAVE BEEN WIDELY COPIED AFTER, BUT NONE HAVE BECOME EQUAL TO THE CONSTITUTION'S GREAT ORIGINAL SERIES.  
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