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A considerable reduction has been made in the list of pensioners. The new pension law only allows pensions to widows of soldiers actually killed in service, and widows who have reached the age of 60 years. In the State there are 6,138 this year against 7,706 last year. There are 111 in Kershaw county, only one of which is in class A. and 2 in class B. The remainder—108 are in class C.

John G. Capers.

John G. Capers, appointed district attorney, has given out an interview in Washington to the Chicago-Record Herald, in which he assumes that in future he will act with the Republican party, and giving his views as to political conditions in this state. The interview follows:

"I am not so vain as to suppose that my appointment as district attorney for South Carolina will make any great difference in the political affairs of that state," said John Capers this morning," but I am sure that it will be gratifying to a large class of young men, who, like myself, have become dissatisfied with the policy and the platform of the Democratic party, and are seeking more congenial political associations.

My family have always been Democrats, and I was more or less active as a member of that party until the Chicago convention of 1896. With many others of my state I could not endorse the platform or support the nominees, because we have no sympathy with the populistic ideas they represent. The Kansas city convention of 1900 having renominated the candidate for president and reaffirmed the platform of the previous campaign, we were again compelled to reject the ticket, and we decided to support the Republican candidate. I contributed all that I could to the election of President McKinley. I spent six weeks on the stump in the campaign, chiefly in Maryland and West Virginia, and I suppose that I am now reckoned as a Republican. At least I expect in the future to act with that party, because it represents progressive ideas and a patriotic policy.

The Merchants of Charleston.

A few years ago the merchants of Charleston took up with much concern an investigation of the conditions which made possible the tremendous mail order business that flourished in that city. The investigation developed that Charlestonians were sending off thousands of dollars for goods of identical class and quality with those to be found on sale in Charleston at less prices and free of postage. The local merchants' association studied the matter, appointed committees and adopted resolutions and got their complaints into the papers at length. The wherefore of the whole thing continued to be a mystery until one day there appeared in the Charleston Post a communication which in substance was as fellows: "Northern merchants have these goods and let the public know of the fact by advertising in the newspapers and magazines. Charleston merchants have the goods also and leave it largely to the public to find out about them as best they can. Through the advertisements the people learn of the goods North; they do not learn of the goods here except by accident." The sense and logic of this solution of the mystery was so convincing that the merchants' association dropped the subject at once, and since that time the mail order business in Charleston has decreased only in proportion to the extent that the local business men have taken steps to let the public know of the things they have for sale.—York-ville Enquirer.

Worthy of remembrance by all is this beautifully phrased tribute to truth, from the pen of Mr. Burritt Hamilton:

"He is loyal to his core
Who, lured by power or sword to place,
Makes compromise with wrong:
Upon the gibbet of his lie
His soul shall shrivel, rot, and die,
And immortality shall pass him by
Without the meanest of song.

"He is immortal only he
Who stands for right unchangingly;
On watch from dark till dawn
He God's celestial star discerns,
Nor stays for storms, nor fails for fears,
For truth, scarred in a hundred years
God's heroes march forever on."

Senator Tillman's Little Story Apropos of the Capture of Aguinaldo.

Now that we have Aguinaldo the question is what shall we do with him? Perhaps it would be as well to brand him and turn him loose. We must not end the war now. Senator Tillman tells this story which some of you have probably heard before: "At a small station on the Southern railway the entire population went down twice a day to see the limited pass. One morning when I happened to be there a typical clay eater stood apart from the throng, his companion being a lean, hungry yaller cur, sitting on his haunches half asleep. When the train whizzed past the dog lit out after it, yelping like mad, and followed it around the bend in the road. Sez my to the cayon limpin back on three legs and dropped down beside his master dead gone. I said to the old fellow: 'My friend, do you reckon that fool dog thought he could catch that train?' He squirts a leetle put of tobacco juice across the track, looked at the dog and at me and replied: 'Dunno, Cunnel, but the thought that was agitatin' my mind was what in the h—he would 'a done with it if he had caught it.'"—New York Press.

Graded School Notes.

OPPORTUNITIES.

There was once a Greek statue called Opportunity. It had long hair in the front of its head but bald back. It was said to be so. There was written on the statue did once suppose to have taken place between the statue and a traveller. The traveller asked the statue, who it had such long hair in front for? "So one can catch me by as I pass me." He then asked why it was bald behind? The statue answered, "Because when I have once passed I can never be seized."

If one has neglected their opportunities to improve themselves, they would be more glad to see some rich man, more happy to see some rich man, more [illegible]

There are "Golden Opportunities" for every one in every path of life. Take the life of the great men of the world and that will prove what I say.

Age 15 gr 8. Belton Kennedy.

THE STUDY OF A PICTURE.
"Glory and the Obscure Hero."

After the battle was over and the living men of the army had returned to their camp, the dying men and horses were left alone on this desolate and gloomy battlefield.

"One thought of his mother alone at home
Feeble and old and grey,
One of his sweetheart he left in town,
Happy and young and gay."

But the pains were so great that the groans of the dying men were awful to hear. They were lying there suffering and waiting, too sick to move, for the wagon to come take them to the hospital. But they were not as they thought, alone, for God had sent down an angel in the shape of "glory," to help them bear their suffering.

age 15—gr 6. Anne C. Johnson.

Saint Charles.

After knocking and petitioning a long time at the door of Winter, Spring at last has been admitted, and indeed is quite welcome.

Now is the time that the girls are studying more of white and dainty dress goods, and the man behind the counter is as usual very "pleasing" and anxious to please."

Crops and gardens in this section are very good. Oats especially are very fine. Some of our oldest men say that this out crop is the best, generally, that they have ever known in this country.

On April 11th at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. Ernest Smith of this place, and Miss Lulia Baker, of Sumter, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. We wish for them a pleasant journey through life, with only clouds enough to make a glorious sunset. Mrs. Smith is a sister of Mrs. F. W. Jones of this place.

Mrs. R. F. Wilson is still very sick. Owing to his ill health he has given up the charge of the St. Charles postoffice. Mr. Walter Green is ably filling that position now.

Mrs. H. A. Scarborough of this place, is visiting relatives at Marysville.

Messrs M. W. Scarborough and Miles Wheeler, of Lancaster, paid a visit to relatives in this section this week.

Owing to sickness, Rev. T. G. Phillips failed to fill his appointment at Bethany Church last Sunday.

The Pomona Grange which convened with the Palmetto Grange of Lynchburg yesterday, was a very interesting one and was very much enjoyed by all the members. Several members that tackled that dreaded goat are still feeling very drowsy in consequence. I think though that that goat feels a great deal worse. VAURIES.

COMFORT,

Contractor and Builder,
CAMDEN, S. C.

Estimates furnished on all kinds of work. Patronage solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.

Promiscuous Items.

A negro boy named Wm. Kelly was drowned last Monday afternoon near Mulberry while he and several others were hunting on the Geskell. The boat got into a swift current and was turned over. Kelly lived on the Mulberry plantation.

Messrs. C. B. King and W. L. Clyburn took the contract for repairing Marshall's bridge on Lynches creek and Kelly's bridge on Lynches river. Three days later the jobs were completed and ready for the traveling public.—Fidler's Ferry cor. to Bethune Enterprise.

Hemmocks at
Geisenheimer's.

Beautiful selection of Chairs at Geisenheimer's.

Refrigerators and Ice Cream Freezers at Geisenheimer's.

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Geisenheimer's.

We have some acid and ammoniated Guano on hand, will sell for cash or good security.
S. N. Sowell and Co

A nice line of ladies Shirt Waists from 25c up, at the Gilt Edge Store.

Get our prices on guano. Have about 20 tons on hand.
S. N. Sowell and Co.

All wool Albatross in white and colors at the Gilt Edge Store.

Call at once, at the Gilt Edge Store, and see what a beautiful line of Waistings they have in Mousline de Soie, Organzines, Taffatas, etc.

Spring Calicos, Ginghams, Madras, Percales, etc., in great abundance at the Gilt Edge Store.

Special bargains at Sowell's every day. Don't fail to call on them.

White goods in numerous styles and qualities, and at popular prices at the Gilt Edge Store.

Carpet samples to select from at Geisenheimer's.

Felt Mattresses at Geisenheimer's

Lounges and Bed Lounges, at Geisenheimer's.

New Home Sewing Machines, at Geisenheimer's.

Machine needles and oil.
Geisenheimer's.

Brass, Copper and Old Iron Wanted.

Will pay the highest price for same in cash.
H. L. SCHLOSBERG,
Proprietor N. Y. Racket Store.
One door north of Mr. A. D. Kennedy's.

A Successful Bargain Day.

Last Saturday was a most successful day for us in dry goods. Hirsch Bros. & Co. The bargains as announced in The Chronicle last Friday proved to be more tempting than the delighted buyers could withstand and we are told that from early morn 'till dewy eve" large crowds of customers thronged the store. They propose to keep up the sacrifices every Monday and the public may always expect some big bargains.

Meeting of the Veterans Called.

Camp Richard Kirkland, U. C. V., are hereby called to meet at the Opera House, Camden, S. C., on Saturday, April 20th, at 12 m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the State Reunion at Columbia, S. C., in May next, to collect dues to the State and General Confederation, and to transact any other business that may be brought before the order. A full attendance is requested. E. B. Cantey,
Joel Hough, Commandant.
Acting Adjutant.

DR. JOS. M. BRANNON,
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Cure to chancres and Gleet in 1 to 4 days. Its action is magical. Prevents stricture. All complete. To be carried in vest pocket. Sure preventative. Sent by mail in plain package, prepaid, on receipt of price, $1 per box. F. M. Zemp & DePass, sole agts, Camden, S. C.

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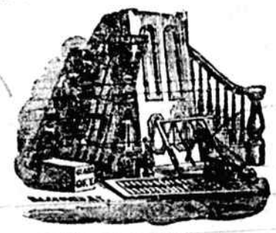

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Since the decline in the price of cotton, all kinds of goods haev taken a tumble. We got in on the ground floor as usual. Our New York buyer has scooped in some of the biggest bargains that have ever been known. Now in order to move them quick we will cut prices that will do our many customers good.

LOOK AT THE REMARKABLE LOW PRICES.

White Homespun at 3c per yard
Yard wide Sea Island at 4c per yard.
Shirting Prints at 4c per yard.
Fancy Dimity 5c, worth 10c.
Checked Homespun at 4c per yard.
Yard wide Bleaching 5c per yard.
Best Calicos at 5c yard.
Colored Lawns at 4c yard.
Cottonades at 8 1-3c.

DRESS GOODS.

The greatest selection of up-to-date Black Goods for Skirts and Suits we have ever shown. Everything new in popular Fabrics can be seen at our big store and our prices will be right as they invariably are. See them before buying. It will be money in your pocket. Silks are nowadays worn as formerly calico, and we are prepared to show you the largest and most up-to-date line ever shown this side of the Mason and Dixie Line.

Changeable Taffeta Silk at 15c per yard, cheap at 25c.
Solid Color Taffeta including black at 39c, worth 60c.
Foulard Silks, the Newest for Ladies Dresses, only one pattern of a kind 65 and 75c per yard worth 25 per cent more.
Black Satin Duches from 50c yard up. Do not fail to see our Fancy Silk with embroidered Appliques, all the new designs and colors, the thing for a fine silk waist at 75c and $1 pr yd.
Ladies and Misses Oxford Ties and Sandles which we buy direct from Manufactory. We retail at wholesale. Save the middle man's profit and give the benefit to our customers.
Childs Oxfords and Sandals 50c a pair worth 75c.
Childs Oxford Ties and Sandals, best Dongola 75c, worth $1.
Ladies Oxford Ties and Sandals at 50c, 75c, $1, 1.25, 1.50, all are worth 50 pr ct more.

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We can show you the most up-to-date Hats ever shown in Camden.

$2,500.00 Worth Clothing at 60 per cent on the $1

and are going to be sold the same way, that means $5 suits for $3, $7.50 suits for $4.50, $10 suits for $6, $12 suits for $7.50. When you want a suit that will fit and give service call at our store, as we are Leaders in Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Gents Furnishings and will not be undersold.

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GROCERIES,

Fruits, Vegetables, Canned Goods, Farm Supplies, Shoes, Buggy Whips, Tobacco, Etc. Stock all nice and fresh, and patronage will be greatly appreciated.

Respectfully,

R. B. WILLIAMS.
PHONE 88.

AT D. E. APPLEBY'S

You will find it a pleasure to buy clothing. You are not hurried or worried and you get just what you want. Don't forget the Boys Suits, they are going at 75c, $1, 1.25, 1.50, 2.00 to 3.50 here.

You cannot expect truly Elegant Hosiery at Two for a Quarter, yet they are truly good in every way. Better ones for more. This is our regular way of pricing shoes—nothing out of the ordinary about it—our Solid Leather Shoes at $1 are great Bargains.

98 CENTS Makes it easy for you to buy a pair of our Beautiful Oxford ties now. They will not last forever at that price. We are not only telling you about those Tennis Shoes at 50 cents, but we are selling them. Better come early.

The more particular you are the better pleased we will be to show you our line of Neckwear and Gent's Furnishing Goods.

Just a few more of those Oxford Ties at 65c, but they won't stay long at that price. One more item. Our Crimson and Cardinal Hats for Boys are the correct thing. We are selling them at 50 cents. Our line of Ladies' and Misses' Sailors and Dressed Hats is now on display. Call and see them. They are money savers for you. Here are the fine Bamboo "Helmet" for men. We are selling them at 50 cents. Our line of Men's Boys' and Youths' Straw Hats is the best the market affords from 25 cents to $2. There is nothing better than the Jefferson Hat. We carry a complete line of "Queen Bess" Shoes for Ladies at $2.50. You will find comfort and satisfaction. Goods delivered promptly to any part of the city.

Very Respectfully,

D. E. APPLEBY.

WEDDING PRESENTS!

When looking for Wedding Presents don't fail to give me a call. Everything you can think of in Sterling Silverware and Jewelry. Time and space prevents us from mentioning the many other articles we have. Suffice it to say that anything you want in this line we have. Be sure to give me a call. Respectfully,

S. LIBMAN.

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