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The general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, yesterday at Dallas, Texas, elected Dr. A. Coke Smith, a Bishop. Dr. Smith is formerly from this State but is now residing in Virginia.

The State Democratic executive committee met in Columbia on Wednesday last. Kershaw county was represented by Messrs. J. T. Hay, J. G. Richards, Jr., L. W. Boykin, Alex Brown, W. A. Schrock and J. Walter Boyd. We were furnished a report of the meeting by Mr. Schrock, but owing to want of time, regret that we are unable to publish it.

On account of the unfinished drowning of three ladies at Hing's Mountain Military school recently there will be no commencement exercises this year and instead thereof the authorities have ordered a handsome memorial tablet to be placed on the wall to perpetuate to the ages the names of the three victims and it is contemplated that the unveiling of this tablet be made the occasion of appropriate public ceremonies on Wednesday, June 14th.

In a speech made by Rev. Sam Jones in Charlotte last Tuesday evening he said:

"Charlotte collects about $——— a year in license from its saloons. That sum, when divided amongst the people of the city, amounts to about 66 cents per head. Think of it! You people in Charlotte are selling yourselves for 66 cents per head, when I am worth $——— each. Don't you feel insulted now? But, then, 66 cents per head is about all you are worth. And you pretend to be honest and at the same time you are willing to sell your souls for 66 cents per head. The trouble with you people is that you like the stuff yourselves. You are the oldest, the most old-fashioned drunk I've ever met."

Thanks.

Our subscribers have responded most admirably to our delinquent notice of two weeks ago. Many of them have come forward and not one of them has gotten mad and said "stop my paper." They look at the matter (as we were sure they would) as sensible men usually do, and they seem to realize more than ever before that a newspaper cannot be run upon nothing and that its newspaper debtors are as much out to be paid as any other. We appreciate and thank them for it. We know that they only needed to be reminded of it. There are some from whom we have not yet heard but hope and trust that we will at their earliest convenience. Again we tender our thanks.

Misunderstandings.

You have heard it said that most of the difference between men come from misunderstandings, and no doubt it is true. At any rate, you have known it often to be the case. Imagination plays a large part when there is any difference between persons, and it brings into the case a great many things that never had any existence except in its own plastations. A little flattery sets the imagination to work, and a small matter soon grows to be a great one in fancy, and so wide gulfs come between those who should be the best of friends, and they live and die at enmity because they do not understand each other.

Phillip Brooks uttered those earnest words, which are direct and to the point: "Oh, my dear friends, you who are letting miserable misunderstandings run on from year to year; you who are keeping wretched quarrels alive because you cannot quite make up your mind that now is the day to sacrifice your pride and kill them; you who are passing men sullenly upon the street, not speaking to them out of some silly spite, and yet knowing that it would fill you with shame and remorse if you heard that one of those men were dead to-morrow morning; you who are letting your neighbor starve till you hear that he is dying of starvation, or letting your friend's heart ache for a word of appreciation or sympathy, which you mean to give some day—if you could know, and be told of a sudden, that the day is coming, how it would break the silence! How you would instantly forget all the thing, which you

ABOUT OUR COUNTY ROADS.

JOHN THOMAS PATE.

Interchangable Mileage Books

Now issued by the Seaboard Air Line Railway afford the most convenient and cheapest method of traveling. These new Mileage Books are sold by the Seaboard Air Line Railway at rate of $20.00 each and are good between New Orleans, Montgomery, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Louisville, Memphis, Nashville, Florida points, Atlanta, Richmond, Washington and Baltimore, in fact they are good over more than 1200 miles of railway and steamship lines, including the Seaboard Air Line, Atlantic Coast Line, Plant System, Louisville and Nashville, and the other principal railroads of the South. These books are now on sale at all S. A. L. coupon ticket office's. W. J. Pulley, Traveling Passenger and City Ticket agent, 1009 Main street, Columbia, S. C.

Death of Mr. Lemuel Boswell

Mr. L. M. Boswell who for many years was a resident of Camden, but for the past four or five years has been residing with his daughter Mrs. King at Essotver, Richland county, died last Monday afternoon at about 6 30 o'clock Mr. Boswell had he lived until the 15th of October next, would have been 84 years of age. His remains were brought to Camden and interred in the cemetary here on Tuesday afternoon at six o'clock.

D. G. ZEIGLER.

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$5 TO $10 PER DAY.

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New York and Florida, either via Lynchburg, Danville and Savannah, or via Richmond, Danville and Savannah.

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Excellent Service and Low Rates to Charleston account South Carolina Interstate and West Indian Exposition.

Winter Tourist Tickets to all Resorts now on sale at reduced rates.

For detailed information, literature, time tables, rates, etc., apply to nearest ticket agent, or address

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W. H. TAYLOR, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agent, Atlanta, Ga.

R. W. HUNT, Dis. Passenger Agent, Charleston, S. C.

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