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ocal News.

Death of Mr. W. F. Cook.

Mr. W. F. Cank, clerk and treasur er of the town of Kershaw, died last Sunday night. His death occurred in the hospital at Rock Hill. -

Protracted Meeting.

held at the Lyttleton Street Methadist church. Two services are held daily-at 5 o'clock in the afternoon and 830 at night.

Pension Money Arrives.

A check was received last Monday by Gierk of Court Joel Hough for the pensioners of this county and they can get their money by calling on Mr. Hough at the Court

Communion Service.

We are requested to announce Camden Presbyterian church, and Hough. the neual preparatory services will be held on Saturday afternoon, the J. Shannon, Jr., W. R. Hough, W

Sumter To Have A New Court House.

Supervisor Seale, Commissioners Brogdon and Thomas, Senator Manning and Representatives Mo. erab "has crossed over the River grass. The little stream running in see, Fraser and Clifton, composing and is resting under the shade of and out among the grass is very pic the county commissioners and leg- the trees" with his beloved leaders turesque. One of the pretriest scenes special meeting today and it was Lee and the innumerable throng of decided to sell the court house square and building and to purchase the entire property known as the Solomon property, on north Kershaw county and was always The mocking bird can be heard sing special to The State, May 6th.

Memorial exercises at the cemetery very pleasing manner by Mr. B. B. Clarke. Dr. McConnell's address was a most excellent one, and held the closest attention of the entire audience. The ladies of the Memorial Association deserve the bighest praise for their untiring efforts in keeping green the memory of our dead heroes.

Screen Door Paint makes(old doors Smith & Beattie.

A Deserving Colored Man

our community, but one whose mad most valued and sterling citizens. eaty prevents him from parading his attainments, is James Chesnut. 11 is not generally known, but he is a Kain, whose family has always been competent architect and is well qualified to make detail drawings and specification of almost any kind of work. After about two years of close application and much hard study he has completed a mail course from the International Corre spondence School of Scranton, Penn., and we take pleasure in saying that anyone having building of any kind for do will make no mistake in consutting him.

The large new posts in front of the High School building were made from plans drawn by him, and the heautiful concrete work which Mayor Carrison has recently had done in front of his handsome residence is a practical demonstration of Jim's ability and proves him to be an adept in his profession.

Letter to Capt. J A. Benson. Dear Sir: Here's a 15-year yaru,

you like yarns, don't you? It comes from Odell Hardware Co, Greensbore, N. C. Mr R G Glenn's house in that

Jears ago, and next, this year. A house, next-door, was painted about the same time with another paint, supposed to be good. This house was painted again bout 5 wars ago with still aboth-

peral, that professes to be extradipary. Glenn's houses before it was

stated just now, was in as good endition as that one. Devos 15. ears; the other 5 years guess bat's about how to put it. But this extraordinary paint is a luff; Devoc is the paint.

Yours truly, F. W. Davoe & Co. P. S. Springs & Shannon cell Death of Capt James I. Villepigue

Brief mention was made in The bronicle last week of the serious luess of Capt. James I. Villapigue. the end came at six o'clock on Sunday afternoon.

The funeral services were held on Tuesday morning at 10 30 o'clock many friends at the Episcopal church and were most largely attended by the many friends of the decessed, by a large number of Masons who conducted the impressive burial services also at the ocmetery, and by a number returned to their home in St. Panis. of veterans of Camp Kirkland and a the John D. Kennedy Chapter U. 1) of a long life stood firmly and faith- | 8 o'clock. fully to the caure to which he devoted four of the best years of his life. His distinguished brother, Avenue. Col. John Villepigue, a full gradu ate of West Point, gave up his life for that cause and was burried in Camden with magnifficent military ionora in 1863.

Capt. Villepigue was the oldest citizen of our town, being in bis whole life here. 'A few years after Charleston. the war he with his family resided for a short while on their Mississippi plantation. He was a genial, large hearted friend, a devoted and A protracted meeting is being staunch citizen and has left a devoted wife and a family to whom the sympathy of the community is extended in their great bereavement. His children-Mr. and Mrs James Villepigue of Sheephead's Bay, Mr. Frank Villepigue of Texas, Mr. Walter 1. Villepigue of Washington, Mr. Eugene Villeof Clemson-all gathered around him in his last illness.

The following gentlemen acted as pall bearers:

Honorary-Messrs E. B. Canter, A. M. Brailsford, W. D. Trantham, that next Sunday, the 14th, will be W. A. Ancrum, Thos. Whitaker, S the regular communion day at the M. C. Moore, Jas. L. Haile, and Joel

Active-Meases B. B. Clarke, C. L. DePase, C. H. Yates and W. M.

Death of Maj & E. Sill.

Another gallant Confederate vetislative delegation, held a joint Stonewall Jackson and Robt. E. brave men who gave their all to their cause.

Major E. E. Sill was a native of Main street, between Hampton ar. identified with its progress. Born ing. The sparrows begin to chirp in caue and Canal street. Samter on the 22nd of June, 1830, he had a merry fone. Mankind is also in passed his three score and ten. He fused with new vigor. Everybody was Sheriff of the county prior to feels like a new poragn. the war and just after its close. He When we can see these beautiful Notwithstanding the wind and S. C. Volunteers, was Adjutant of cannot wonder that Wordsworth rain storm which passed over Cam-den on Wednesday afternoon just tinguished for his courage and galbefore the bour appointed for the lantry, was always. "to the fore," when duty called his prompt reply there was a good crowd present and was "Here." He was twice woundthe exercises were very interesting. ed in battle but nothing quenched lbr. T. M. McConvell, the erator of his arder and he did not lay down the occasion, was introduced in a his arms until after Lee apprenden his arms until after Lee surrender. ed and then his love of his principles and adherance to the cause for which he fought and suffered came conspicaously forward.

He was as true, staunch and brave a man as ever wore the garbs of a soldier, and proved his strong characteristics to the close of his life. Taking up the burdens of a conquered people" he bravely did his duty us county Auditor for many years and served his country with faithfulness and efficiency Camden and indeed the whole of A most deserving colored man in Kersbaw county loses one of her

> He is survived by his devoted wife who was Miss Henrietta Mcidentified with Camden's history.

> The funeral took place yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock and the buri al was at the cemetery where his old "comrades in the tented field" acted as escort to his re mains and as honorary pall bear ers. The active pail bearers were sons of his old friends who looked up to him as their ideal of the gallant soldier and brave Confederate

Have you seen the modern cook ing wonder at Burns & Barrett's? Come in any day next week.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Joel Hough is on a visit in Columbia to her son Mr. Sam Hough Mrs. Simmons, of North Carolina, s on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. W. D. Trantham of our town.

Dr. E. McF. Dennison, of New York, who has been associated with Mr R. G Glenn's house in that Dr. Alexander for several months re-town was painted Devce about 15 turned home on Wednesday night

celebrated Upland Long Staple Cot-800 per bushel.

Also a few bushels of good, sound, clean Sced Peas which I will dispose of at \$1 per bushel. Call at Mr. Joel Hough's resid

Miss Betsy bookin who has been or the last two years at college in Charleston has returned to her home here much to the delight of her

Misses Brady and Wooten, of Georgia are guests of Mr. and Mrs Nooten on Fair street

Mr. and Mrs. John D Miller and their daughter Betty Calhoun tieve Mrs. W. D Trautham President of

representative body of United C. has issued invitations to a social Daughters of the Confederacy who and business meeting of the members assembled to do honor to a gallant of the Chapter to her home on Litsoldier who through all the changes tiston street on Thursday evening at

> Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Burnet have moved to their home on LaFayette

Mies Emmie Hamlin after a de lightful visit of several weeks to friends in Camden has returned to her home at James' Island.

Among the many distinguished guests of Camden last week were Miss Charlotte Kershaw, the Rev. 84th year, and has spent nearly his and Mrs. John Kershaw, now of

> Make yourself comfortable these hot evenings .- Hammocks all prices. Smith & Beattie.

Compositions From the Camder

Graded Mchool. THE BEAUTIES OF NATURE. (Our Woods In Spring)

Now as Spring is approaching nature is getting green and beautiful The trees are no longer dead but are alive again and burst forth with

conquered a hard and cruel winter. Our trees and vines are very beautiful and green. The sweet-smelling crab apple blossoms adorn our roadsides. The wild plum trees are very beautiful. Even the oak, "the mon arch of trees" takes a sigh of relief tory, and puts forth his leaves. The tall stately pine also holds its head aloft. The smilax vine is green and flower can also be noticed. They cling on to the trees like children cling to their parents for fear of be ing lost or hart. The springs are surrounded by benutiful bads of to witness is a brook or stream whose banks are covered with weep-

ing willows and other trees.

Even the birds feel that the winter is gone. Those that have fled before Jack Frost, some back to us.

And 'tis my faith that every flower

Enjoys the air it breathes." The world's greatest poets have een inspired by nature. Among on, Tennyson, Keats, Scott and many others. J. Stewart Charts. Ago 16, Third Year, High School.

Dental Card.

The undersigned respectfully informs his friends and patrons that he has re sumed his practice. H. Alexander, D. D. S. Office hours from 9 s. m. to 8 p. m.

Stolen, at Latta, S. C., Wednesday night, April 26th. One light gray mare mule about ten years old, large size, tall and slender, in fair order, and a little awkward or stiff when being turned around short. Also one open, Bahoock buggy. A liberal reward will be given for

information leading to the recovery. W. M. Hamer. Dillon, S. C., May 2, 1905.

Executions,

Under and by virtue of sundry tax xecutions to me directed, I will proceed sell, before the Court House door in the City of Camden, on the first Monday in June, 1908, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate

One lot in the city of Camden, S. and bounded on the east by property of colored Free Masons, west by lands of C. C. Haile, north by Rev. J. B. Thomas and south by Rutledge street. Levied up-on and to be sold as the property of Sip

J. S. TRANTHAM, May 5th, 1905

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and in this assortment something to suit every farmer, PLOWS. Vulcan one and two horse steel beam, Chattanooga one and we horse steel beam. Both of these do beautiful work. Farmers Friend, Boy Carbon, Boy Dixie Farqubar, Commine and Imitation.

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Auburn Wagons, the lightest running wagon on the market, every sale guaranteed no matter what the load. Harness and Sale Leather. Stock of Saddlery, Harness, Collars, Bri

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