Personal Mention. -Hon. H. C. Folk has been sick for

-Mr. N. R. Hays left last night for his home in Florida. -Mr. C. C. Ellzey, of Denmark, was strong wind which was blowing at the in to see us Tuesday.

day in Barnwell.

Tuesday in town. -Mr. T. W. Dannelly, of Ehrhardt, was in town Tuesday. -Mr. W. H. Kearse, of Denmark, was The barns of Messrs. Jones Williams and in to see us last Monday.

-Col. T. J. Counts has been sick for some days, but is better now. -Messrs. D. H. and M. N. Rice, of

Olar, spent Tuesday in Columbia. -Mr. A. Drawdy, of the Farrell's Store section, was in to see us last Monday.

several days, and is confined to his bed. Store section, was in town last Monday. -Miss Mattie Leach, of Denmark, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives

-Misses Hattie and Fannie Leach, of

-Mr. J. A. Peters and son, of the Ehr--Mr. F. Padgett, of Smoaks, was in

Thursday.

dropped in to see us. Miss Hattie Risher and little nephew, -Miss Hattle Risner and little nepliew,
F. B. Moore, of St. Georges, are visiting only wooden store on Main street except two. He expects to rebuild as soon as her brother's family, Mr. Ben Risher. -Dr. J. B. Black and H. S. Dowling, Esq., our representatives in legislature, of his lot, next to D. H. Counts & Co. left Monday to attend the session of the

And the new subscribers continue to

general assembly.

his time to farming.

on them if you want stock. A farmer over in Williamsburg county made nineteen bales of cotton on thirteen acres. Pretty good farming this is. I will pay the highest cash price for

beef cattle delivered at my home, G. B. CLAYTON, Ehrhardt, S. C.

this year is out. The State dispensary recently paid into enmity against Mr. Padgett. the general school fund \$60,000. This will be distributed to the various schools Sewing Machines at Sacrifice Prices. throughout the State.

Governor McSweeney's last message to the legislature, which was published in the daily papers yesterday, was possibly the best he has ever sent out.

WOOD TO BURN !- For stove or fire place. Leave orders at J. A. Byrd's. OTIS BRABHAM. Mr. D. R. Matheny, of Blackville, has moved down, and is now a citizen of

Bamberg. He is occupying Mr. Geo. P. Harmon's house on his plantation near What's the matter with some of our correspondents? We have not heard from a few in some time. Take a fresh

start for 1903, and write us the news We have had considerable wintery weather in the last few weeks, and those overly timid folks who were worried for fear we would have no cold weather can

now be contented. Last week the Orangeburg Bar Association met and adopted resolutions endorsing Gen. Jas. F. Izlar for the position of Associate Justice. The resolutions will

be forwarded to the legislature. The election on the question of erecting a new graded school building takes place to-day (Thursday.) Let every vote polled be in favor of the building, and every one who favors it should turn out and

lot of fine animals. He can suit you in

On account of not being able to get a boarding place in Bamberg for his family, Mr. J. D. Quattlebaum could not move

Experiments have recently been made in the manufacture of writing paper from are the purchasers of the mill: F. M. cotton seed hulls, and so far the experi- Bamberg, H. J. Brabham, E. R. Hays, W.

more king than ever. As I have quit the jewelry business, my entire stock of watches, clocks, jewelry, spectacles, tools and material is

jewelry, spectacies, to-being sold at a sacrifice. T. C. Rouis,

Railroad Avenue, Bamberg, S. C. cotton crop of the United States for the prices. year 1902-03, put the total crop at about eleven million bales, or to be exact 10,369,596. The total crop for South Carolina is estimated at 881,743 bales,

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet at the residence of Mrs. G. Frank Bamberg next Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. It will meet hereafter on Tuesday instead

of Wednesday afternoon as heretofore. We are certainly getting the new subscribers these days, but there is room for more. Start the new year right by taking burial took place Thursday afternoon at is to administer the law governing this your county paper. We hope to enlarge and improve it in a short time. If busi-

buried Tuesday afternoon at St. David's family have the sympathy of all in their make it respected. Episcopal church in that town. South Carolina has lost one of her purest and

G. Frank Bamberg has just returned from Tennessee with a fine load of mules.

or that city arrested four white men who are thought to be the fellows who have been blowing open and robbing safes in various charging him with according to the Confeder.

Warrant charging him with according to the Confeder. various parts of the State this winter. The police found considerable money in their son's wife and Bennett was bound over plantation near Bamberg. Capt. Stokes Miss Annie Kittrell is the guest

animal in New Orleans sixteen years ago, and it was one year old when he bought it. It was a great pet in his family, and all are cordially invited to attend.

The Methodist is a liable to removal. Gov. McSweeney has bered men, each bearing his burden of received a complaint as to the conduct of sorrow," pass thro' Denmark. Trains and had attracted much attention since he is a local resource in the liable to removal. Gov. McSweeney has bered men, each bearing his burden of sorrow, are continually coming and going day and had attracted much attention since he is a local resource in the liable to removal. Gov. McSweeney has bered men, each bearing his burden of sorrow, are continually coming and going day and had attracted much attention since he is a local resource in the liable to removal. Gov. McSweeney has bered men, each bearing his burden of sorrow, are continually coming and going day and all are cordially invited to attend.

has been living in Bamberg.

We regret to learn that Mr. Weldon Bamberg, who has been telegraph operator at the depot for some months past, is seriously ill at the home of his parents, Capt. and Mrs. W. S. Bamberg, a few miles from town. He is said to be suffering from acute Bright's disease, and his condition is critical. He is an exemplary young man, and we hope for a favorable turn to his illness.

He will and particular the day of the Mrs. Dr. Steel is one of the Southern the most cloquent men of the Southern the most cloquent the the notary was pretty much in the church sands pretty much in

FIRES LAST WEEK.

Some Destructive Conflagrations in

Wednesday night or rather Thursday morning of last week the large wooden store of S. W. Pearlstine on Main street was destroyed by fire. The alarm was given about 3.30 o'clock by the engineer of passing train blowing the whistle of his engine long and loud. A large number of people turned out, but the fire had gained too great headway, assisted by the time, and nothing could be done towards -Jno. R. Bellinger, Esq., spent Tues- saving the building or contents. The barn of Mr. Pearlstine, just in rear of his -Mr. B. C. Folk, of Folk's Store, spent store, was also burned, and his residence was saved with great difficulty. The wind carried sparks over a good portion of the town, and many buildings some distance from the fire were in danger. W. M. Brabham caught fire on the roofs from flying sparks, but were put out. On the south side of Pearlstine's store was situated a small brick store, occupied by J. S. Grant, a colored man, as a sort of store and restaurant. Nothing in this place was saved. Next to this building was a small store occupied by James -Mr. T. C. Rouis has been sick for Redford, also colored, which was a wooden building covered with corrugated sheet -Mr. N. P. Smoak, of the Farrell's iron. This was also burned, but Redford saved his entire stock of goods, with some damage. There are also two other small buildings of this character next to Redford, used as beef markets, but they were not burned.

The fire is thought to be accidental i Greenville, are visiting relatives in the its origin, and started in the rear end of Pearlstine's store. There was insurance -Mr. I. D. Copeland, of Ehrhardt, was on Pearlstine's stock of goods and build in town Tuesday, and paid us a pleasant ing amounting to \$4,275, and his loss is about \$6,000, he having lost his entire stock of goods, which was a large one hardt section, paid us a pleasant call last his storehouse and barn. Grant had no Redford had no insurance either, and his loss by damage in moving is about \$25 the city last Monday, and paid us a pleas- Redford had \$500 worth of goods in his store, having taken stock a day or so pre -Messrs. G. B. Clayton and W. M. vious to the fire. The insurance adjusters Walker, of Ehrhardt, were in town last are daily expected here to adjust Mr Pearlstine's loss, he having his insurance -Mr. M. A. Kinard, of the Ehrhardt in the agencies of W. P. Rile section, was in town last Monday and Folk, and G. Moye Dickinson. in the agencies of W. P. Riley, Jno. F

Mr. Pearlstine's store was the oldest building of the kind in town and was the possible, and will no doubt crect a handsome brick structure on the North corner

Thursday morning about ten o'clock while the Pearlstine fire was still smouldering, another fire occurred in a small wooden building in rear of Col. Jno. F Mr. J. C. Moye has resigned his position Folk's store. It is used as a negro barber with D. H. Counts & Co. and will devote shop, and the fire caught in the roof from the stove flue. It was soon put out Jones Bros. received a fine lot of mules with slight damage. The building is last week, and they are going fast. Call owned by Col. Folk, and the loss is covered by insurance.

Saturday morning about five o'clock the barn of Mr. Noel Padgett was burned with all its contents except his horse and buggy, which were saved. He lost a lot of corn, fodder, hay, etc., as well as har-ness. The building was a new one, and The recent fires in Bamberg only forci- was insured for \$125. The loss is about bly illustrate the need of water works. \$200. It not known how the fire origi-We should have a water system before nated, but there is a strong suspicion that it was set on fire by parties who had

> On account of discontinuing the hand ing of sewing machines, E. C. Hays i offering big bargains for spot cash in the famous ball-bearing rotary motion Wheeler & Wilson sewing machines. He for \$22.50; one with five drawers for \$23.50, or a drop head for \$25.00. Call before they are all gone.

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Read Burton Felder's new advertise groceries. He delivers all goods free in L. A. KLAUBER.

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J. P. Thompson-For Sale. Mrs. S. P. Folk-Trespass Notice.

Bamberg Cotton Mills.

etter to all the stockholders of the Bamberg Cotton Mills, advising them of the sale and informing them that they can come into the reorganization on the same basis with the purchasers. The indebted ness of the mills is about \$70,000, and present stockholders will have to pay about fifty per cent of their present holdings in cash in order to come in. The The load of Tennessee mules just relings in cash in order to come in. The ceived at G. Frank Bamberg's stables is a purchasers have also done a very magnanimous thing. They agree for all small stock of any kind. Don't fail to see him stockholders, holding less than five shares, to come into the reorganization by paying half the cash amount at present, provided they are unable to pay all cash, the balance to be carried by the purchasers for a reasonable time, the length of which to Prosperity, and left for that place last to be agreed on at the reorganization 4th, at the mills office. The circular is signed by the following gentlemen, who ments have proved satisfactory. If it M. Brabham, W. G. Smith, Chas. H. Tilghturns out to be a success, cotton will be man, C. R. Brabham, E. C. Hays, H. C. Folk, Jno. H. Cope. After the above proposition, no one can say it was a game of "freeze out."

G. Frank Bamberg has just received load of fine Tennessee mules. They came from Tennessee, for he bought them The government estimates for the in that State. They are for sale at right

A Sad Death. Miss Gertrude Price, who was burned a good, but it can advertise but little. few weeks ago, died of her injuries. It was thought for a while that her injuries stones upon which we must stand to would not prove fatal, but blood poisoning set in and she grew rapidly worse clamor is a great force which, not always until her death occurred. Miss Gertrude right, sweeps into its mighty flood the was about seventeen years old, and was the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Price. The story of the accident has just cause has maintained a loss. The already been told in these columns. The greatest service we can render our people the old cemetery, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. M. W. Hook. Chief Justice Henry McIver died at his home in Cheraw last Monday afternoon, after an illness of some months, and was buried Thesday afternoon at St. Davids family have the compacting of all in the pair ocarcis were; messrs. N. Z. disgrace upon an hondrappe charge.

Felder, C. R. Brabham, J. B. Black, Thos. Black, Thos. Black, G. Moye Dickinson, and W. M. Brabham. The bereaved parents and fruitful, Without demagogy we can buried Thesday afternoon at St. Davids family have the compacting of all in the pair ocarcis were; messrs. N. Z. disgrace upon an hondrappe charge.

Felder, C. R. Brabham, J. B. Black, Thos. Black, Thos. Black, Thos. Black, Thos. Black and with your assistance, we can make it fruitful, Without demagogy we can buried Thesday afternoon at St. Davids and the compacting of the compacting of the pair of the pair ocarcis were; messrs. N. Z. disgrace upon an hondrappe charge.

The Midway Row.

The Midway row, burning and shooting, of which mention was made in this paper last week, was aired in Magistrate possession, as well as burglars' tools, etc.

Bamberg lodge, Knights of Pythias, held a regular meeting last Monday evenhas not been brought uncertified to Kin on Dave Johnto court. The charge of resisting an officer and shooting at the other parties has not been brought uncertified to Kin on Dave Johnto court. The charge of resisting an officer and shooting at the other parties of Madison Co. Mr. J. R. Stokes of Ram.

W. Stokes of Hampton, Dr. J. L. Stokes Mr. John H. Holms held a regular meeting last Monday evening, at which most of the officers for the ensuing year were installed by District Deputy Grand Chancellor W. D. Rhoad. A small number of the bretheren were present and it is bounded by the bretheren were of the bretheren were present and it is bounded by District at Court.

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Frank Bamberg

Dr. Steel to Lecture.

berg before, and who is one of the forewill sell you a machine with three drawers most orators of the country, will lecture at the Carlisle Fitting School chapel here next Monday evening, the 19th. The lecture will begin at 8 o'clock, and there will no doubt be a large crowd present. The prices of admission are 15c., 25c., and 35c., and tickets are for sale by W. D. Rhoad at the store of Rhoad & Bamberg. The lecture is under the auspices of the Epworth League of the Methodist church, and all the profits will go for

charitable purposes.

Dr. Steel is a wonderfully magnetic speaker, and we regard him as one of the most eloquent men of our time. Several years ago we heard his lecture entitled "Home Life in Dixie During the War," and we have never listened to a lecture with more genuine pleasure. His lecture for Monday evening is said to be even better, and we can assure our people that they will miss a treat if they fail to hear Mr. Jno. H. Cope has sent out a circular him. Dr. Steel is at present the presi-dent of Logan Female College at Russell-

It is Chairman Garris.

Last week the board of railroad commissioners was reorganized. Mr. J. C. Wilborn retired and Mr. B. L. Caughman took his place. Mr. Wilborn was presented with a handsome gold-headed cane by his associates on the board, the presentation being made in a neat speech by Hon. C. W. Garris. The new board the same day organized by electing Mr. Garris chairman, an honor to which he is fully entitled. In accepting he made the followng remarks: Gentlemen: I accept with gratitude the

in electing me your chairman. I am please our masters; we must therefore them. ook to that highest and most ample reward of a public official-self-consciousness of right, to sustain our conduct in the pursuit of our official duties. The greatest harmony is necessary among us. We must maintain the utmost liberality litical opportunity other than along the lines indicated in my opening words, would be unpardonable, as it would be Wednesday afternoon of last week disastrous. The commission can do much Justice and reason are the foundation command respect and obedience. Public set on right. Every time this happens a triot. disgrace upon an honorable charge.

> Death of Capt. Jefferson Stokes. The remains of Capt. Jefferson Stokes,

and had attracted much attention since he has been living in Bamberg.

He will also preach or lecture in the church Sunday night. Dr. Steel is one of man being drunk. The complaint alleges

Special Bargains at Klauber's.

Dr. S. A. Steel, who has visited Bammake January one of the busiest months in the year, we have reduced prices on all lines. Below we offer some prices: figures ever heard of in Bamberg. \$2.75 to \$4.00. "Cling Peach," our leader, at \$3.50 per caddy, 1 lot ladies' kid gloves reduced to 50c per pair. Value \$1.00.

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Fire in Denmark.

Naturally, we had some excitement.

parties are trying for the Denmark postoffice. Bad luck to them. We have the high compliment you have just paid me deeply sensible, too, of the high charge no change could improve on it. Maybe you have committed to my hands. My ex- these office seekers think otherwise, still perience teaches me that we cannot fully have heard no outsider agreeing with

President Smith Caned.

their president, Capt. W. G. Smith, very substantially on the morning of the first towards each other and for each other's of the new year. Their superintendent, views. Any attempt on our part to use Mr. W. H. Lynch, in very appropriate our official position to foster future polanguage, representing those present, litical opportunity other than along the gave him a gold-headed cane. This is a very fitting expression of the high esteem in which Capt. Smith is held by his em-

Denmark Doings.

Musical Dramatic Company will hold fourth at the school house to-night. Mrs. J. B. Guess is visiting her daughter Mrs. Ida May Haynesworth, of Darling ton, S. C. Miss Maude Barber, of Fairfax, re-

a day to visit friends in Denmark. who died in Charleston Wednesday were lose his soda water establishment on Fribrought here Thursday morning and day. The fire burned so rapidly that it taken out to Zion Methodist church about was impossible to save the building. The six miles west of the city for burial. The bucket brigade had hard work to keep they are all gone.

Last Saturday in Columbia the police of that city arrested four white men who are thought to be the follows who have the charge of burning Andrew of the project of the project of the project of the charge of burning Andrew of the charge of the ch warrant charging him with assault and the exception of service in the Confeder Miss Inez Williams, of Allendale, is

Mr. John H. Holman is clerking for F position in Columbia.

streets every day.

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Real Estate Agent, Bamberg, S. C.

DENMARK, Jan. 9.—The cry of fire was heard in Denmark at the noon hour today and promptly did the town turn out to find the Denmark Bottling Works, owned by W. E. Osteen, going up in smoke. The building was only a small one and with the contents was covered by insurance. The Ellzey hotel just opposite caught from flying sparks several times, and had it not promptly been extinguished nothing could have saved some eight or ten other buildings.

It is rumored that several different best postmaster in the State as it is and

The employees of the Orangeburg

The president was taken by surprise, but he was equal to the occasion, and responded in words that told how much he appreciated the spirit which prompted the giving of this token. The whole right, sweeps into its mighty flood the highest ideals of men whose hearts are the pleasing incident.—Orangeburg Pa-

DENMARK, January 12.-The Boston

turned to the Hartsville Institute last week. While enroute she stopped over Mr. W. E. Osteen had the misfortune to

The first quarterly conference for this year will be held at the Methodist church

not yet fully defined his plans, but he will In order to reduce our fall stock and return to his home in Hampton for the present. It is said strong pressure is being brought to bear upon him to become a citizen of Columbia, where he has busi-

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