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#### Thursday, July 9, 1908

"Political appendicitis" is the latest disease in political circles in this State.

The National Democratic Convention is in session in Denver this week. Of course Bryan will be nominated for president, but there can be no safe prediction as to the nom- the gun and started toward the two pulled the boy's teeth with blackinee for vice president.

bet that he will be elected governor. him coming and turned to run when He ought to find plenty of takers, Johnson fired, the load striking but you may be certain Coley is only trying to work a bluff. He stands no reloaded and fired again, the second in the Arkwright Mill village and one more chance than a snow ball in a shot lodging in the abdomen, produc- was totally destroyed. Rain was comwarm climate.

votes for governor as he did when he he was going, a distance of about ment the houses burst into flames. ran for lieutenant governor some years ago. In that race he didn't carry Newberry county, and we un-burg and gave himself up. It seems that Walker had been in derstand he will not carry it this year. His campaign is looked on as a joke in the up-country.

done well in recommending the pardon of J. J. Hughes, and he will be has been a terrible one, but we believe it will result in good to him.

The Reptiet Advence save: "The limit wednesday, July 1, and since cer University and Bar then the mill has been closed while man recently married.

Stock is being taken. doubt learn him to leave it alone.

We had intended to write up for Press Association at Gaffney last week, but to tell the truth we have not yet recovered from the handsome ly, Central as well as Ouachita) entertainment given the press party, there come expressions of confidence so it will have to go over 'till next and esteem that omens good things. week. There is so much to be said that considerable space will necessarily be devoted to it. No town They warmed up toward him and for or city has ever attempted to do things on the scale of Gaffney, in the way of entertaining the Association, and they succeeded admirably. If we could put the Gaffney spirit into Ga., fell from a trestle on the Talluthe people of Bamberg, we'd soon have a city of 5,000 inhabitants, water works, sewerage and an all round good town.

## Great Western Busted.

Master has been advised by Insur- track and soon brought his train to farewell, sought the street. Missouri, that the Great Western gine he ran to her assistance. When Life Insurance Company, of Kansas, almost in reach of her she turned dimes, quarters and half dollars be-Mo., has been found to be insolvent loose and fell to the chasm below, and that proceedings will be insti- which was over 100 feet. Soon aftertuted to wind up the affairs of the company.

It will be remembered that the latter part of May Commissioner Mc-Master, becoming suspicious of this company, ruled it to show cause why its license should not be revoked, giving notice in the papers of his purpose. The company failing to make the proper showing at the end of the thirty days required by law, Commissioner McMaster revoked the license of this company. He is now informed by the insurance commissioner of Missouri that it is insolvent. It seems likely, however, that the policy holders of this company will be reinsured in another company. cent cat would suffer, so printed the to turn the grindstone, he expended stock in the company will get a re- the trap: turn on their stock remains to be

Commissioner McMaster suggests that all parties interested write to Mr. W. D. Vandiver, superintendent of insurance, Jefferson City, Mo.

## Goes Back to Chain Gang.

Lexington, July 7.-John Jacobs, a young white man, who was convicted of gambling along with several others from New Brookland in the early part of 1907, and who was sentenced to serve six months on the county chain gang, escaping after gave himself up to Sheriff Corley in Columbia on Saturday. The sheriff received several letters from Jacobs recently and in answer to these letrender. This he agreed to do, and, according to appointment Deputy Sheriff Miller met Jacobs in Columhia and brought him over on SaturWHITE MAN KILLS NEGRO.

Crimal Intent.

July 4.—Another Orangeburg, homicide has been recorded in Orangeburg county. Between 8 and 9 o'clock Friday morning J. L. Johnson, white, shot and killed a negro named Lige Walker, about two and a half miles from the town of Neece's, in this county. The cause tempt on the part of the negro to assault the wife of Mr. Johnson. Nothing was known here of the affair until this morning, when Mr. Johnson came to the city and surrendered Cannon was pitching for the opposing to Sheriff Dukes.

Mr. Johnson and family live on the place of J. M. Stephenson, by whom the former is employed, their residences being about half a mile apart. About 11 o'clock Thursday morning Mrs. Johnson was in the cotton field right by Stephenson's house, near which the negro was sharpening some farm implements. Mrs. Johnson started toward her home, and when about 150 yards from Stephenson's house the negro suddenly quit his work and began High School last year. running in the direction taken by Mrs. Johnson, who was accompanied by her seven-year-old son. They became alarmed and also commenced to run, the negro gaining on them all the time. When very near the house Walker stopped running, evidently becoming frightened at the screams of the lady and child, and disappeared. The husband reached home about 12 o'clock and found his cuit Court at Independence, Va., towife in a highly nervous state, and day the jury in the case of Lewis was informed about the occurrence. He had no shells in the house at the his ten-year-old son, returned a vertime but procured some that after- dict of murder in the second degree noon. He was unable to locate the and fixed his punishment at eighteen negro at the time so took his gun to years in the penitentiary. Wingate the field Friday morning with the in- collapsed when the verdict was read. tention of shooting Walker on sight. sation with the latter, he picked up tion. It was charged that the father men. When within hearing distance smith's tongs to keep him from eathe found that Stephenson had dis- ing. charged Walker and was ordering Cole Blease says he has \$8,000 to him off the place. The negro saw Walker in the back. The negro rains and electrical storms this afterfell on his back, when Johnson noon lightning struck three houses ing instant death. Johnson then left ing down in perfect torrents and the the scene of the trouble with the in- occupants of the houses were thrown tention of remaining away until after into a state of excitement by a vivid

the neighborhood only about a month and told conflicting stories concernalso made himself objectionable on cigar factory in this city has been this morning. Abe and Barney Con-No doubt the board of pardons has several previous occasions, and altoa suspicious character.

The Baptist Advance says: "The Jeff Hughes was all right when so- Baptist Advance has been gratified this morning that the capacity of the ber, and whiskey is to blame for his at the increasing tokens of populari- factory would be greatly increased rash act. This experience will no ty of Dr. H. S. Hartzog, president of and that strictly first class cigars Ouachita College. Last week he delivered addresses before schools and institutes at Pine Bluff and Clarendon and as is usual there came ex- are known all over the United States this issue the meeting of the State pressions of appreciation of his scholarship and ability as a speaker. quality of goods. Then from trustees and friends of our schools (we say schools purposemencement address for Christian education set ablaze many hearts him. We look for a great year both at Ouachita and Central."

## Girl Falls One Hundred Feet.

Miss Rossie Bradley, of Hagan, lah Falls Railway last week. Miss her futile attempt to hold on until Gates's mother before leaving on an the train had passed. The train was automobile tour of Europe. stopped before it reached the centre of the trestle from which Miss Brad-Commissioner Vandiver, of a standstill. Leaping from his enwards she was picked up and carried bought for \$25,000 a farm stocked aboard the train. When Tullulah Falls were reached the unconscious girl was removed to the Cliff House. It was found that three ribs were broken and her collar bone was fractured. Unless complications arise, it is thought she will recover.

## For Jones's Cat.

A cat belonging to Mrs. Jones had caused great annoyance to the small boys of the neighborhood by killing who, through pity, took a new hansome of their pets, so they decided to set a trap for it. Dwight, a little justed it to the axe. The farmer intendent at the Citadel by August boy of seven, with a very tender heart, was much afraid some inno-Whether or not persons holding following notice and pinned it on

"This is for Jones's cat only."-The August Delineator.

## Says Blease Offered to Bet.

Columbia, July 3 .- Mr. W. H. Mc-Caw, the Columbia correspondent of the Charlotte Observer and the Augusta Chronicle, in which newspapers was printed the alleged assertion of Mr. Cole L. Blease that he was willing to bet \$1,000 to \$500 that he would be the next governor of South Carolina, and that he had \$8,000 on deposit at Newberry to bet the same way, to-day sent to the newspapers serving only one month of his time, which he represents a very vigorous statement in regard to Mr. Blease's denial of the interview at Edgefield turkey from a colored man, who warvesterday. Mr. McCaw asserts positively that Mr. Blease made the stateters the sheriff advised Jacobs to sur- ments attributed to him, while walk- he came back and said: "You told ing between the Carolina Bank and me that turkey was domestic and the Western Union Telegraph office. corn fed; but, when I was eating it I Mr. Blease, he says further, would not have been quoted had he not darkey, "it was domestic and corn

KILLED IN A BALL GAME.

Negro Chased White Man's Wife With Orangeburg County Lad, Hit Over Heart bp Base Ball, Drops Dead.

Springfield, July 5 .- Paul Morgan, about 21 years old, was killed by being hit with a pitched ball in a base ball game at Morgantown, a place about two miles from here, yesterday afternoon. Young Morgan was batting at the time and was struck just over the heart, falling unconscious. of the shooting was the alleged at- He died almost instantly. Grover Cannon, the boy who pitched the ball, is prostrated with grief.

When the accident occurred, a game was in progress, and young team, with Morgan at the bat. Morgan misjudged the ball, evidently, and it struck over his heart. He made one step in the direction of first base, but turned around fell, dead. He did not say a word. Friends rushed to his assistance, and tried to revive him with cold water, but failed.

Paul Morgan was the youngest son of Mr. Morgan, a prosperous farmer, living in the Morgantown settlement. He was well known here, having gone to the Springfield

Grover Cannon is a young boy about 16 years old, and is a player on the Springfield base ball team. This accident is deplored by every one. It is the first of its kind that ever happened in this place.

#### Starved Son to Death.

Roanoake, Va., July 4.-In the Cir-Wingate, charged with the murder of

The boy's body was exhumed short-Between 8 and 9 o'clock, seeing the ly after death and there were evinegro at Stephenson's gate in conver- dences of cruel treatment and starva-

#### Lightning Strikes Houses.

Spartanburg, July 4.—During heavy Cole Blease won't get get as many the inquest, telling Stephenson where flash of lightning, and the next motwo miles. H returned home before The fire department was called out night and remained there until this and two houses were saved from total morning, when he came to Orange- destructon. No one was injured by the flash.

#### Cigar Factory Sold

the management of this company riously hurt. on Wednesday, July 8.

Superintendent F. T. Wise stated would be manufactured.

Seidenberg & Co. has purchased several factories in the South and as manufacturers of the very best

The building of the American cigar factory, which is situated on east Court street, was erected five years ago by the Greenville Improvement company, under which management it has been operated until the first of this month.

## \$10 FOR A SHAVE.

Gates Visits Home Town, Scattering Money Right and Left.

Aurora, Ill., June 29.-John W Gates visited his old home, in St. Charles, yesterday. He and Mrs. Bradley was caught on the trestle by Gates arrived from New York una train and grasped a cross beam in heralded to bid farewell to Mr. Mr. Gates strolled into the barber

shop of a friend, E. T. Cassidy. Afley was suspended. Engineer Jones ter being shaved he threw down a Insurance Commissioner F. H. Mc- had seen the young woman on the \$10 gold piece, and, with a laughing Urchins playing on the walks ex-

cited more generosity, a shower of ing scattered among them.

From David Wilson Mr. Gates with blooded cattle. A friend, E. J. Baker, coveted the property. Mr. Gates then said to Baker: "Ed, take this deed to that chunk

of land I've just bought. It's yours."

#### Wanted His Dues. A reservation Indian was discon-

handle. He laid his misfortune be- C. fore the "farmer" of the reservation, dle from his private stock and adthen noticed that the ax was shock- 1st, 1908. ingly dull. So motioning the owner a half hour's time in sharpening the blade. When the rehabilated ax was given to the Indian he was childishly gleeful, but still lingered about, indicating by his actions that some feature of the transaction had not been adjusted. The farmer was a little annoyed

and called to an interpreter. "Ask the old fellow what he wants now," he directed. After an exchange of grunts and

gestures the interpreter announced 'He wants 25 cents.' "Twenty-five cents! What for?" "For turning the grindstone."-

A man in Norfolk, Va., bought a ranted it to be domestic and corn fed. After the man had eaten the turkey found shot in it." "Well," said the He has five months yet to "expressly invited publication of his fed, but boss, I'll be honest with you. That shot was intended for me.'

IS 62 STORIES HIGH.

Tallest Office Structure Will be Built in New York and Will Rear 909 Feet in the Air

New York, July 1 .- Plans for a gigantic building, to be the loftiest in the world, overtopping by over 200 feet the Metropolitan tower, were filed recently with Building Superintendent Murphy by D H Burnham & Co., architects, of Chicago acting for the Equitable Life Assurance Society.

The new building will be the new home of the society, taking the place of the present edifice, and occupying the same site on the block bounded by Broadway and Nassau, Pine, and myself a candidate for re-election to Cedar streets. With this tower, the Congress from the Second Congress new Equitable building will have 62 ional District of South Carolina, substories and will be 909 feet above ject to the rules and regulations of the curb, 209 feet higher than the the Democratic primary election, and Metropolitan tower, with its forty-six I hereby pledge myself to abide the stories. This will be exclusive of the result of the same and to support flagpole, which will run up 150 feet the nominees thereof. higher.

It was said to-night that the construction would be begun within a short time.

#### A Grateful Son-in-Law.

H. H. Rogers, on his return voyage from Bermuda last month, said one evening in the smoking room of his traveling companion Mark Twain: "He is an incorrigible humorist. Even in his most emotional mo-

ments he can't help being funny. "When he married in Elmira in 1870 his father-in-law made him a present of a fine, well-furnished house in Buffalo.

'The present came as a surprise Mark Twain knew nothing of it till amid a party of relatives and friends, he was shown over the luxurious place. Then, when they told him it was his tears filled his eyes.

"But he was still the humorist and turning to his father-in-law he said, though in a voice that trembled a little:

'Mr. Langdon, whenever you're in Buffalo, if it's as much as twice a year, you are to come right up here and take tea. You can stay all night, too, if you want to, and it shan't cost you a cent." -- Washington Star.

#### ALL-DAY SINGERS IN FIGHT.

Feud Between Georgia Families Culminates in Clash at Church.

Moultrie, Ga., July 6 .- A family feud of a year or two between the families of Abe Conger and Jim Taylor, Sr., culminated in a clash Sunday at Salem Church, in Tift county, where the parties were attending an all-day singing, in which the elder Taylor and four sons were pitted against Conger and his sons, Abe and Barney. The elder Conger was shot Greenville, July 3.—The American four times and was reported dying gether was considered something of tensive tobacco dealers of New Jer- tally wounded. The Taylors, who sey, and will begin operations under were the aggressors, were not se-

Abe Conger is a wealthy farmer. released from the penitentiary in September. The lesson he has had We congratulate Dr. Henry S. Harton last Wednesday, July 1, and since cer University and Barney is a young

### A Usurer.

A story is told by a lawyer of Little Rock, Ark., about the sad case of a native of that town who sought justice by reason of the theft of a horse belonging to him. As, however, the man who took the animal returned it to the owner, the lawyer advised the aggrieved one to let the matter drop.

"Can't I have him arrested for usury, then?" demanded the man, in- lic for their support. Respectfully, dignantly.

What on earth do you mean?" "Daggone it, mister, he used the hoss, didn't he? Yes, sir, he used him mighty hard by the looks of him."-Philadelphia Ledger.

#### Notice of Opening Books of Subscription.

By virtue of a commission issued by R. M. McCown, Secretary of State, to J. R. McCormack, M. D., E Kirkland, M. D., and Jno. F. Coleman, M. D., books of subscription to the capital stock of the Olar Drug Company will be opened at the office of said corporation in the town of Olar, S. C., on Tuesday, July 14th, between the hours of 9 a m. and 2 p. m.

J. R. McCORMACK, M. D., E. KIRKLAND, M. D., JNO. F. COLEMAN, M. D., Board of Corporators. Olar. S. C., July 7th, 1908.

## Citadel Scholarship.

One (1) vacancy in the South Carolina Military Academy, to be filled by competitive examination, exists in Bamberg county.

Application blanks may be obtained by applying to the County Superintendent of Education, or to the Susolate over the breaking of his axe perintendent, Citadel, Charleston, S.

> These applications carefully filled out, must be received by the Super-

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## Candidates' Cards

FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR.

I beg to announce my candidacy for the United States Senate in the approaching Democratic primary and I respectfully solicit the support of the Democratic voters of this R. G. RHETT.

#### FOR CONGRESS.

I am a candidate for Congress for the Second Congressional District subject to the rules of the Demo-W. S. SMITH. cratic primary. Hampton, S. C.

I hereby respectfully announce J. O. PATTERSON.

#### FOR SOLICITOR

I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the position of Solicitor of the Second Judicial Circuit, subject to the rules of the Democratic primary. I will abide the result and support the nominees thereof. H. M. GRAHAM.

I am a candidate for re-election to the office of Solicitor of the Second Judicial Circuit, subject to the will of the Democrats of the circuit, as expressed at the primary election, pledging myself to support the nominees thereof. JAMES E. DAVIS.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Solicitor of the Second Judicial Circuit, pledging myself to abide by the rules and regulations of the Democratic party and to support the nominees thereof. JAMES F. BYRNES.

#### FOR STATE SENATOR

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the State Senate, subject to the rules and regulations of the Democratic party. J. B. BLACK.

#### FOR HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the House of Representatives subject to the rules and regulations of the Democratic party

I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the House of Representatives from Bamberg several weeks by the irregular action County, pledging myself to abide the result of the Democratic primary and support the nominees. C. W. GARRIS.

I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the House of Representatives from Bamberg County, subject to the rules and regula-tions of the Democratic primary. B. W. MILEY.

## FOR CLERK OF COURT.

Heartily thanking the Democrats of this county for their support in the past, cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo respectfully announce that I am a New York, sole agents for the andidate for re-election as Clerk of United States. Court. Will continue to give you the best service of which I am capable. C. B. FREE.

## FOR SHERIFF

To the Democratic voters: I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Bamberg county, subject to the rules and regulations of the Democratic primary. If elected I promise faithful service. I will thank the pub-

I take this method of announcing to the voters of Bamberg county that I am a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff, subject to the rules of the Democratic primary. I desire to thank the voters and friends for their support and patronage in the past, and promise to conduct myself and the affairs of the office as to merit the confidence of the people in the future. Respectfully, J. B. HUNTER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Bamberg county, subject to rules and regulations of the Democratic primary. If elected promise faithful service. I will thank the public for their support.

#### Respectfully, J. C. FOLK, JR. FOR COUNTY TREASURER

To the Democrats of Bamberg county: I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject of course to your will as expressed at the primary election. I solicit your support on merit, and will appreciate your endorsement. A. L. KIRKLAND.

I am a candidate for renomination for appointment as County Treasurer of Bamberg county, pledging myself to abide the result of the primary election. I respectfully solicit the support of the voters.

JNO. F. FOLK.

## MAGISTRATE AT EHRHARDT.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for magistrate of Three Mile Township. I will abide the result of the Democratic primary and support the nominees. JACOB C. HIERS, JR.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of Magistrate in Three Mile Township, pledging myself to abide the result of the Democratic primary and support the J. H. KINARD. nominees.

We announce L. A. Brabham as will abide by the rules governing for letters dismissory on said estate.

the Democratic primaries.

J. M. McKENZIE, the Democratic primaries. VOTERS.

## FOR MAGISTRATE AT BAMBERG

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Magistrate at Bamberg, subject to the rules and regulations of the Democratic party. H. D. FREE.

## MAGISTRATE AT DENMARK.

L hereby announce myself a candi-L hereby announced date for re-election to the onice of the date for re-election to the date for r cratic party.

#### FOR COUNTY SUPERVISOR

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of County Supervisor, subject to the rules and regulations of the Democratic primary and pledge myself to support the nominees of the party. J. B. KEARSE. nees of the party.

#### FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Commissioner of Bamberg County, subject to the result of the Democratic primary. D. W. PHILLIPS.

I hereby announce my candidacy for eappointment as County Commissi subject to will of the voters as expressed at the Democratic primary. I will abide the result and support the H. J. BELLINGER.

#### PROBATE JUDGE

I am a candidate for Probate Judge of Bamberg County. I will abide the result of the Democratic primary and support the nominees. I respect-fully solicit the support of all the G. W. GARLAND.

I am a candidate for re-election to the office of Judge of Probate of Bamberg county in the Democratic primary. I will abide the result and support the nominees. G. P. HARMON.

#### FOR CORONER

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Coroner of Bamberg county, subject to the rules and regulations of the Democratic J. H. ZEIGLER. primary.

### EVER WATCHFUL

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Watch the kidney secretions. See that they have the amber hue f health; The discharges not excessive or

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or you.

They watch the kidneys and cure them when they're sick. G. E. Rhodes, 55 Ellis Ave., Orangeburg, S. C., says: "I was troubled for of my kidneys and felt that I should take some kidney remedy and check

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friends had used Doan's Kidney Pilis with good results, I procured a box. "The use of one box regulated the action of my kidneys and also banished the pain in my back from which I had suffered. I heartily recommend Doan's Kidney Pills in return for the

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I will file my final account as administrator on the estate of J. C. McKenzie a candidate for magistrate for Three with Geo. P. Harmon, Judge of Pro-Mile Township, and pledge that he bate, on Friday, July 24th, and will ask Administrator.

Bamberg, S. C., June 21st, 1908,

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