The Bamberg Herald

Thursday, Dec. 1, 1910.

SHORT LOCALS.

Brief Items of Interest Throughout the Town and County.

Rev. T. G. Herbert leaves next week to attend the annual conference in Charleston.

Winter weather we are having this week, and the coal and wood men are doing business all right.

The stores in town generally were closed Thanksgiving day, and most people went hunting, as usual on this day.

The graded school gave holiday last Thursday and Friday on account. of Thanksgiving. The Fitting School gave holiday also.

The cotton market here to-day is 14 5-8 cents the pound, this being for good cotton. The receipts are getting somewhat light now.

About twenty-five people went from Bamberg to Augusta last Fri day to witness "Ben Hur" at the theatre in that city Friday night.

Wilson Johns, of Baldoc, was the winner of first prize in the boys' corn contest in that county. He raised 167 bushels on one acre, and it seems he is well on the way to making as good a farmer as his father.

The Busy Bee class of the Methodist Sunday-school recently collected a box of clothing and money to the amount of \$11.00, which has been sent to the Epworth orphanage in Columbia.

The Herald was one of the few establishments which ran full time on ent, who seemed to take deep inter-Thanksgiving day, and the reason we lest in the movement to unite Colston had to work was that we have to and Cuffie Creek school districts and hustle for what we get. The demands establish a high school. A picnic of publishing a newspaper in Bam- dinner was served on the grounds, berg give little room for holidays.

Mr. Alonzo Gohagan, of the Olar section, and Miss Florence Cope were happily married last Sunday afternoon at four o'clock, the ceremony taking place at the home of the father of the bride, Mr. G. W. Cope. Rev. D. B. Groseclose, of Ehrhardt, was perintendent of education. Both adthe officiating minister.

The people of Bamberg are sorry that next year will finish the four years allowed by the church for a minister to remain at one charge, and as a consquence they will lose Rev. T. G. Herbert after next year. The following invitation Of course he will come back next received at this office: year which will be pleasing to not only his members but to our people ington request the honour of your

have had an analysis made of the Grigsby Counts Chandler, on the water from the well which supplies evening of Thursday, the fifteenth of the city water works, and it has December, at six o'clock, First Bapbeen pronounced pure and free from tist church, Florence, S. C." contamination. The analysis was made by State Chemist Parker, of much interest to the many friends Charleston. The board is now in position to supply water to parties on Main street.

Among those who went to Augusta last week to see "Ben Hur" were: Messrs. A. M. Brabham, E. H. Henderson, D. M. Eaves, Misses Franke Folk and Annie Lou Byrd, Mrs C. R. Brabham, Mrs. J. C. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Jones A. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. Aldrich Wyman, Mrs. W. P. Jones, Mrs. D. Dowling, Miss Mary Ellen Eaves, Mrs. Alma B. Hays, Mr. W. E. Spann, Mr. J. W. Barr, and

Quietly Married.

Last Thursday afternoon at five clock, at the home of Mr. R. L. Risher, uncle of the bride, in this city, Miss Flossie Murdaugh was quietly wedded to Mr. L. M. Glenn, of Anderson. Rev. T. G. Herbert, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, was the officiating minister. Shortly after the ceremony the happy pair took the train for Anderson, their future home.

young newspaper man. Since his Santa Claus and tell him what they ing him at the carnival grounds, so graduation from Furman University want, addressing their letters in care the chief disappeared but went direct he has been connected with the An- of The Herald. Now, children, we to the depot. He was there waiting derson Daily Mail, the Columbia Rec- can't promise that Santa will bring when Wright drove up in the wagon ord, and the Charleston News and you everything you ask for, but there Courier. Recently he resigned his po- is no harm in asking, so write to old sition on the News and Courier to go Santa care The Herald, and we will back to Anderson, taking his old posi- publish your letters and do our best tion with the Daily Mail. The bride to see that you get everything a good has been one of the most popular child should. Get your letters in as young ladies in Bamberg, and it is early as possible, so that the old felwith regret that her many friends low will have time to prepare for you. here give her up to Anderson. She Write as plainly as possible, for you is the youngest daughter of Mr. N. know Santa is getting old now and P. Murdaugh, but she has made her can't read as well as he once did. home with her uncle and aunt, Mr. Anyway, send in your letters and they and Mrs. R. L. Risher, since the will be printed, some every week, death of her mother several years until Christmas comes. ago. In common with their friends, The Herald extends congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy life to these young people.

competing lines by one company.

Baptist Church News and Notices. DIRECTORY.

Preaching service every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and evening at 7:30 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. O. J. Frier.

Sunday-school every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, J. A. Hunter, superintendent. B. Y. P. U. every Tuesday evening

at 7:30 o'clock, J. A. Hunter, president.

Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Woman's M. U. meets Wednesday afternoon after each 2nd Sunday.

Conference each fourth Sunday after preaching service. Observance of the Lord's Supper

the first Sunday in each quarter. NEWS AND NOTICES.

Regular services were held Sunday as usual. Pastor Frier preached a sermon to young men at night and announced another to follow.

The home mission program of the B. Y. P. U., Sunday afternoon was instructive and interesting.

The solos by Miss Pearl Counts and Miss Kate Renz deserve, special mention.

Mr. Frier and Dr. George Hair are attending the Baptist State convention at Laurens this week, and Mrs. Frier is paying a visit to Allendale. Pastor Frier expects to return in time to fill his pulpit Sunday.

The church and Sunday-school gave another lift Sunday toward relieving the debt of the State board of missions.

Educational Rally.

The educational rally at Colston Baptist church last Thursday was a decided success, as is everything our good friend, Thos. Clayton, gets behind. There was a large crowd presand of course it was a good one and there was plenty for everybody.

Mr. Thos. Clayton presided over the meeting, and the speakers of the day were Prof. Davis, of the University of South Carolina, Columbia, and Mr. Gunter, assistant State sudresses were on educational lines.

Petitions asking for an election are being circulated, and no doubt the election will be called soon.

Will be Married in Florence.

"Dr. and Mrs. Furman Payne Covpresence at the marriage of their The commissioners of public works daughter, Frances Townsend, to Mr.

This announcement will be of of Mr. Chandler in Bamberg. He was born and reared in Bamberg, and in his old home many, many sincere friends will wish for him the best that life holds. He is a fine young here. The seed belonged to Messrs. man, and is making a success in the business world.

Trinity Methodist Church.

Sunday night the closing service of the conference year will be held. There will be five short, earnest talks on "The Young Man."

The Young Man's Heritage-by Prof. D. S. Betts.

The Young Man Making Goodby Prof. E. Paul Allen.

The Young Man's Bible-by Mr. M. W. Brabham. The Young Man's Measure—by

Prof. J. C. Guilds. The Triumphant Young Man-by

Rev. Thos. G. Herbert.

The usual services will be held Sunday morning.

Write to Santa Claus.

Commencing with our next issue, Mr. Glenn is a bright and energetic the children are asked to write to open. He noticed the negro watch-

Where Lutherans are Few.

The population of the Ohio penitentiary is about 1,500, and accord-The celebrated merger suit against ing to a report of the chaplain, about the Southern Railway is being tried 600 are Roman Catholics, while only in Columbia this week. This suit 27 are Lutherans. The South Carowas brought to annul the lease of the lina penitentiary, with 915 convicts, South Carolina & Georgia Railway has two Lutherans among its popufrom Branchville to Augusta, it being lation, while the superintendent, one claimed that as the Southern also op- of the best the institution has ever College to Anderson, and if the conthe law forbidding the control of perhaps in any portion of the United are too close together to establish a ceived which led to Wendling's ar- Store. You should see our line of

Meetings for December 18th.

We notice from the Walterboro Press and Standard that the members of the legislature from Colleton and a number of the citizens of Walterboro were to have held a meeting at Berea church last Saturday to discuss the "secession of Warren and Broxton townships," but were prevented by the inclemency of the weather. Two meetings have been arranged for Tuesday, the 13th instant, one at Barea at eleven o'clock in the morning, and the other at Smoaks at three o'clock in the afternoon, when the proposed "secession' will be discussed. The Press and Standard asks the people of those townships to suspend judgment until after these meetings.

New Advertisements.

Denton Land Co.-South Georgia Lands.

Wesley Banks-Lost.

C. R. Brabham's Sons-Shop Early for Christmas.

W. S. Bamberg & Son.-For Sale.

A Visit to Bamberg.

A day and night recently in Bamberg was happily spent. It was a Sunday school convention, Supt Way chief spokesman and general infuser. We all recited our speeches and the Orangeburg elder exhorted and expounded strenuously. Dr. Gilmore, of Holly Hill, said the elder was at his best in an extempore speech. Very edifying and stimulating these Sunday school conventions are. Our Bamberg crowd is O. K. The parsonage is tiptop in its appointments: large, airy habitation, with waterworks and press-the-button electric lights. My! it will take a mighty persuasive power to move our Herbert stationed there. I spent the night in the hospitable home of my good friend C. R. ("Circuit Rider") Brabham. Evelyn, Vista, and the dear lady of the house were all hearty and happy.-E. A. W. in Southern Christian Advocate.

Death of Mrs. Hay.

Mrs. Sallie Odom Hay, the wife of Mr. Willie A. Hay, Sr., died at her home in Govan, at one o'clock Monday morning, November 15th, 1910, aged 62 years. An earnest Christian, a true friend, a devoted wife and mother has gone to her reward.

Married.

ber 23rd, in the presence of a few sec of several courses. lect witnesses. Rev. O. J. Frier performed the ceremony.

Bold Thief Captured.

Last Friday night between 8:30 and ten o'clock Chief of Police S. A. Hand captured Hobsie Wright, a negro, while stealing cotton seed from a car on the side track at the depot D. M. Eaves and D. Dowling and had been bought from various parties and were loaded for shipment. This was the boldest robbery we ever heard of, as the negro had driven his wagon up to the car and was loading it with seed when Chief Hand captured him. When it is remembered that there are several electric lights not much over one hundred feet away, it can be seen how daring was the theft. The chief took charge of Wright and put him in the guard house, leaving the wagon at the car and sending the horse to Smoak's stable. Bond was arranged for Wright on Saturday, the amount being fixed at \$500, and he will be tried at the March term of the court of general sessions. Mr. J. J. Jones, for whom Wright formerly worked, signed the bond.

Wright does not bear a good reputation, and Chief Hand had his eyes and went to loading seed. The chief says that Wright wanted a good load, for after throwing in a few forks full of seed, he got in the wagon and tramped them down thoroughly. While loading Mr. Hand walked up and presenting his pistol told him throw up his hands, the order being promptly complied with. He states that Wright did not talk much about getting caught, only remarking: "Well, Captain, you've got me." The charge against him is car breaking and larceny, and he will no doubt get a sentence of several years on the gang or in the penitentiary.

The city of Anderson, with commendable energy and enterprise, has raised \$100,000 for the establishment of a college for girls in that city. This fund will be offered to the State Baptist convention which meets in Laurens this week. There is some talk of moving the Greenville Female synod.—Lutheran Church Visitor. | college in each place.

Invited to Beres.

Mr. V. E. McCormack, of the Smoaks section, has written us stating that there will be a meeting at Berea church on Tuesday, December 13th, to discuss the annexation of Warren township to Bamberg county. He states that a delegation from Walterboro will be present and asks that a delegation from Bamberg be present to discuss the question.

Fitting School's Thanksgiving.

The Carlisle Fitting School was the scene of a gala occasion on Wednesday evening of last week in the shape of a Thanksgiving-eve reception. The school auditorium was tastefully decorated, and draped in the national colors, in fact the room was completely transformed into an ideal reception hall. Quite a number of the friends of the students were present and together they made merry until the close of the evening. During the course of the evening delightful refreshments were served, and from time to time the couples repaired to the punch bowl which was presided over by two attractive seniors, Misses Folk and Hodges.

On the following day rules were suspended and the young ladies dined at the boys' hall, where a bounteous Thanksgiving dinner was served by Mrs. Beach, the beloved matron. In the afternoon the boys and girls paired off and went for a stroll in the country.

At the close of the day all the students voted it a most enjoyable Thanksgiving.

Marriage Near Olar.

Miss Leda Mae Ritter and Bernard at present. Vance Kearse occurred at 11 o'clock Tuesday, November 22, at the home of the bride's father, Henry J. Ritter.

The bride was becomingly attired in a suit of brown, carrying a shower bouquet of chrysanthemums and

The bride and groom entered the parlor to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march rendered by Miss Annie Halford, of Blackville, and stood under an arch of smilax with a huge sentence. He entered a plea of guilty bell of white geraniums while the to the murder of his brother-in-law, ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Watson, of Ehrhardt. During the ceremony Miss Halford sang in the verdict would be murder with a a low, sweet voice, "Oh! Promise Me," accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Meyer, of Savannah.

Mr. Archie Zeigler, of Ehrhardt, dining room were thrown open and and Miss Corinne Cave, of Lees, were the guests were ushered in by Mrs. quietly married at the Baptist parson- G. W. Jenny, sister to the bride, and age on Wednesday evening, Novem- Miss Cressida Breeland to a dinner and had gone to the house to get his

> At 2 o'clock the bride and groom accompanied by a party of their have to be paid first, but refused and friends were taken to the station in automobiles, amid a shower of rice and old shoes.

Mr. and Mrs. Kearse are two of the most popular young people of Bamberg county.

A Question of Credit. At the credit men's dinner, which took place recently in this city, the New York Tribune, one of the veterans told this story: "In the reconstruction days a man from a Mississippi valley town came to our Western house one day. We had sold him before in a small way, and he always paid. He had enlarged his business he told us, and wanted a bigger line than usual, but before making his selections he wanted us to give him references. We expressed surprise at such an unheard of demand, but he said: 'My two brothers-in-law have gone in with me and they're very particular as to whom they do business with.' So we sent him to our bank and he came back sad, we were all right, picked out a big line of goods and in 60 days he 'busted.' We couldn't collect a dollar. Two years later I met the man in Cincinnati and told him we had become reconciled to our loss. 'But will you please tell me,' I asked, 'why did you want references to our credit?' 'Well, you see,' he answered, 'I wanted to know if you could stand it."

Wendling Trial Begun.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 28.—Five jurors were selected here to-day to try Joseph Wendling, charged with the murder of 8-year-old Alma Kellner on December 10, 1909. The venire was exhausted and court took a recess until 10 o'clock to-morrow

Wendling, who was janitor at the church where the Kellner child had gone to mass, is charged with having assaulted and murdered the girl and then hidden her body in the church basement. Portions of the child's body were found months later and Champ Clark will be elected Speaker, after Wendling had mysteriously disappeared.

Wendling was arrested in San Francisco after a chase of 11,000 man and Congressman Legare will

Two of the chief witnesses for the prosecution are Detective Burke, of erates the line from Augusta to Co- had, comes from the adjoining coun- vention accepts the offer of the An- San Francisco, who arrested Wendlumbia via Trenton that it is a com- ty of Lexington, a territory where derson people, it seems this is what ling, and Mrs. Cora Munea, of Hume, peting line and is therefore against Lutherans are more numerous than they will have to do, as the two cities Mo., from whom information was re- Xmas cards at The Herald Book rest.

MANY UNITE WITH CHURCH.

Class of 70 Received in Central Methodist at Spartanburg.

Spartanburg, Nov. 28.—The largest class that ever applied for membership in a church in this city at one time was received in Central Methodist church this morning. There were seventy applicans, all of was preached by the Rev. Mark L. trict. The Rev. R. S. Truesdale, pastor of the church, was assisted in receiving this great class by the Rev.

Illinois Ranks Third.

Marion Dargan.

17 per cent. as shown by the an-Union.

Only New York and Pennsylvania outrank her, while Ohio, which occupied fourth place falls almost a million below.

The increase in Illinois is somewhat greater than that of any of the Midso far have been announced.

merely emphasizes the fact the great gains are in the city. Of the 817,041 additions to the population of that State, 486,708 were in Chicago alone. Chicago is shown to possess about

two-fifths of the State's population. The State should gain at least four congressmen if the proposed new ap-Olar, Nov. 27.—The wedding of portionment law should be based as

Seek Pardon for Banks.

Parmellus Banks, the white man who was located by Governor Ansel in the State penitentiary, a few days ago, and given a government check for the money allowed Spanish-American war veterans, was sent up from Anderson county, and has now served about four years of his life an understanding having been had with then Solicitor J. E. Boggs that recommendation for mercy.

At the time of the killing, about ur years ago, Banks was making At noon the doors of the spacious his home with his brother-in-law, a man named Fortner, half way between Williamston and Pelzer. He was due Fortner money for board, trunk, saying he intended to leave. He was told that the money would started away with his luggage.

There was a tussle in the house over a gun, and later Banks got the trunk and dragging it to a buggy on the roadside, Fortner following him, when the shooting took place, Fortner being killed almost instantly. Banks was arrested by Chief of Police W. N. Scott, who was then deputy sheriff, and under whom as a lieutenant, he had served during the Spanish-American war, in Company

K, Second South Carolina regiment. The killing occurred a short time before the convening of the court of sessions, and when the case was called. Banks having no attorney, Messrs. E. W. Long and K. P. Smith were appointed to defend him. Later, however, the plea of guilty, as outlined above, was arranged between the prisoner, his attorneys and the solicitor, so that the case never came to trial—that is, no witnesses were

Banks is crippled, having suffered some injury to his ankle, and in addition is weak-minded. Mr. K. P. Smith who was one of his attorneys four years ago, says he expects shortly to make an effort to secure a pardon

ELLERBE FIRST ON SCENE.

Congressmn Expects Busy Session Says Clark Next Speaker.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Congress man Ellerbe, of Marion, is the first member of the South Carolina delegation in the House to reach Washington. He came in response to a request from Chairman Alexander, of the rivers and harbors committee, to attend the meeting in order that the bill to be framed, taking care of the rivers and harbors, may be quickly gotten into shape.

"I think this is going to be a busy session," Mr. Ellerbe said, "and though it will run only three months, have no doubt that it will be crowded with business.

"I haven't the least doubt that when the Democratic caucus meets I think it is pracnext December. tically settled.

It is understod that Senator Till reach Washington Friday and the LEY BANKS, Bamberg, S. C. other members of the delegation in time for the opening, on Monday.

Beautiful line holly boxes, Christmas post cards, seals, stamps, and Christmas novelties.

Double Wedding at Colston

There was a double wedding in the

Colston section of this county

Wednesday afternoon of last week, the contracting parties being Miss Essie Sandifer Chisolm and Mr. Emory Williams, and Miss Bertha All and Mr. Thomas Williams. As the hour of six was gliding by, at the home of Rev. S. P. Chisolm, the officiwhom were received. The sermon ating minister, Mrs. W. P. Pate played a beautiful wedding march. Carlisle, presiding elder for this dis- In a large hall-way Rev. S. P. Chisolm took position, followed by two lovely young ladies, Misses Edith Finn and Reba Williams, of Norway. They were handsomely gowned in cream challis, both carrying candles. Then followed the bridesmaids and groomsmen: Miss Kathleen Kirkland and Washington, Nov. 28.—With an ac- Mr. N. Davis; Miss Lucia Williams tual population of 5,638,591 and a and Mr. G. W. Beard, Jr.; Miss Mary gain in the last ten years of almost Blake and Mr. G. Garick; Miss Asiles Donald and Mr. H. D. Beard. Grace nouncement to-day of the result of itself marks the charming dresses the recent census, Illinois is assured the bridesmaids wore, made of cream continuance as the third State of the chiffon cloth, all of which were tastefully trimmed. Of course the young men made their best appearance on such an occasion. And last but not least, with all their charm and beauty and elegant dresses, came forth the two happy couples and stood under an arch of bamboo and chrysanthedle Western States, whose population mums, most artistically arranged and lighted with cathedral candles which The announcement for Illinois were arranged so as to form a pyramid. This made an elaborate display. Miss All in her rich gray sating trimmed in bands of pearls and the latest French drapery of pearls and opals with a yoke of ivory tinted net lace; Miss Sandifer in her elegant white satin with bands of pearls and chiffon which gave them both grace

> and beauty. After the ceremony then the congratulations and many happy greetings among the guests, which numbered about two hundred and twenty-five, from Denmark, Norway, Bamberg, Ehrhardt, Olar and the surrounding country.

Mrs. J. B. Varn, mistress of ceremonies, presided so gracefully in her lovely gown of nile green silk of changeable weave, with a yoke beautifully draped with chiffon, then ushered us into the large and spacious dining room, which was artistically decorated with bamboo and other lovely gatherings from the autumn woods. The large dining table was a perfect picture of grand eur decorated with cut glass and silwith large vases of chrysanthemuma Here the guests were received by Mrs. J. B. All and Mrs. S. P. Chisoim, mothers of the brides. These ladies with their big open hearts had the table spread bounteously with cookies, pies, cakes, and meats of all kinds and many other good things that the most delicate eater could not go away without enjoying a good supper, to say nothing of those who always enjoy eating. After all had feasted sumptuously they returned to the parlor and enjoyed some good. music given by a local string band: Messrs. C. M. Varn, H. J. McMillan B. W. Beard, and J. B. Varn, with

Miss Kathleen Kirkland, as planist. The many beautiful and handsome presents were received by Mrs. H. J. McMillan and Mrs. Phillip Padgett, who gracefully arranged them so that all might see and enjoy the goodly and useful gifts with the hap-

py young couples. Mrs. Fred McMillan, in her pretty gown of elegant black silk, in a most cordial manner, assisted by Mrs. J C. Beard, made all feel that their presence added much to the occasion.

Eleven Million Bales.

A FRIEND.

New Orleans, Nov. 27.—A total of 11,445,000 bales is the final estimate of The Times-Democrat for the cotton crop of 1910, as based on reports from correspondents through the cotton belt. This forecast relates to the actual growth of the year and is exclusive of linters, repacks, etc.

By States the crop is given as fol-

Alabama 1,165,000, Arkansas 700,000, Georgia and Florida 1,825;-000, Louisiana 255,000, Mississippi 1,200,000, North Carolina 700,000, Oklahoma 900,000, South Carolina 1,200,000, Tennessee 300,000, Texas 3,200,000.

Correspondents say that farmers. have hitherto sold freely as a rule, but are inclined to hold the remnant.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Advertisements Under This Head 25c. For 25 Words or Less. For Sale.-Three brood sows, half Berkshire and Essex. Will farrow

the latter part of January or first

of February. Apply to W. S. BAM-BERG & SON, Bamberg, S. C. Lost.—One Llewellyn setter, about ten months old, blunt nose, light red in color, tail cut off, answers to name of "Bob." Missing since Tuesday of last week. Reward for return or information leading to recovery. WES-

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