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COUNTRY NEWS LETTERS

SOME INTERESTING HAPPENINGS IN VARIOUS SECTIONS.

News Items Gathered All Around the they slept Sunday night, the bodies County and Elsewhere. Ehrhardt Etchings.

Ehrhardt, Oct. 16 .- Mrs. Jennie McMillan died Sunday about noon, after a short illness. She will be buried to-morrow at the McMillan family grave yard.

Mr. R. C. Kirkland died Sunday afternoon at about 5 o'clock, at his son, J. M. Kirkland's, residence. Will be buried to-morrow afternoon at the family cemetery. He was only a short while.

Booze played a prominent part in raising the brute enough in some of the country folks to the fighting pitch. Coca Cola bottles commenced to fly around in Mr. Ben Shaw's store Mr. Shaw says that he went out of the back door and gave them the building, so they would have plenty of room. Knife wounds were seen on Mr. Lee Brown when he was taken away from his opponents, one in the head and one in the left shoulder. Both were struck from behind, and the bone stopped the knife in each instance. Mr. Brown's wounds are not considered dangerous but pain-

"John, what's the slowest piece of work you know of?" "The building of the railroad from Bamberg to Ehrhardt." "Oh, pshaw! you're no guesser. The Ehrhardt 'phone system beats that two in the game.' Think they will have to put up new posts before the first message can be sent over the line.

Cotton still coming in, but not as much as at first. Farmers say they a thousand witnesses have been can't get it gathered from the fields. summoned to appear before the fed-

Fairfax Fancies.

Platts, an accomplished young lady, is living here with her aunt, Mrs. Julia Harter, and is assistant bookkeeper for F. M. Young Co.

The young infant of Mr. and Mrs Newton Loadholt was buried at Bethlehem grave yard Sunday morn-

Mrs. Julia Harter, with Sadie and Wm. and Miss Platts, enjoyed a trip to Hickory Grove last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Talley had a pleasant visit to Columbia recently. The young folks, with Mrs. Audrey Sanders as chaperone, enjoyed

a fox hunt last week. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blankenship entertained a number of young folks last week. It was the birthday of their son, Henry. Cream and cake was served, and the children enjoyed the games, etc., immensely.

Ruth Wilson also gave a party to her school mates. Refreshments were served, games played, then the young folks gathered around the piano and sung sweet glee club songs. Our young folks are quite musical. Ruth is very popular with her set, and of course they enjoyed her hos-

Mr. Thos. Hickson, of Kline, and Mrs. Robt. Mixon, of Barnwell, are guests at the Barber home.

Mrs. James Preacher and children have gone to Estill to visit relatives. tives.

Miss Annye Moye left for Bambers Monday to spend some time with relatives and friends. She is always so active in all that pertains to the welfare of our town, that she is

much missed. Mr. Thos. Lawton, of Savannah, was the guest yesterday of G. D. San-

Mr. Clarence Compton, an aged citizen of near Fairfax, had been ill Copeland. The consolation, a lovely recently and went to the hospital in fern dish, was cut by Mrs. Addie Columbia for an operation. He died, Hartz. During the afternoon delightand his body was brought here to- fu! refreshments were served. day and he was buried at Hickory Grove cemetery. He leaves a wife guest of the Rev. E. A. McDowell and several children, besides many gave the community quite a treat in other relatives, to mourn his loss.

Ehrhardt Social Affairs.

the First Baptist church last Tues- ered an interesting address. day evening, was a decided success. ized and a pleasant evening given in Adams, of Walterboro.

ings of the Matron's Whist Club was her sister, Mrs. Max Walker. on Wednesday afternoon. The detry hand bag, was won by Mrs. J. L. welcomed diversion.

FAMILY SLAIN IN BED.

Bodies of Husbard, Wife and Children Discovered.

Ellsworth, Kas., Oct. 16.-Slain as of Will Showman, a chauffeur, his wife and three small children, were discovered to-night in the Showman home by a neighbor.

The victims are William Showman, 33 years old; his wife, Lester Showman, 25 years old; Fern Showman, 4 years old, and Senton, 1 year old. The Showmans lived in a small cottage, three or four hundred yards from any other place. The five victims were found in one rom. The father, mother and baby were in one about 81 years old, and was sick bed and the two other children in a second bed.

Real Mountain Dew Seized.

Anderson, Oct. 16 .- About ten gallons of whiskey, of the real "mountain dew" variety, along with a pair of good mules and a covered wagon, were seized in a patch of woods near this city last night by Sheriff King, Deputy Sheriff Martin and Constables Stuart and Davis. The sheriff had received information of the whiskey load and was in wait for it. The transporter jumped and ran when he saw the officers. His name is known, however, and an arrest will likely be made later. The team is now in the custody of the sheriff, and one person has come up to claim it. The sheriff refused to turn the team over to this man. It is said that the blockader had disposed of about 50 gallons of whiskey before the cap-

A Thousand Witnesses Summoned.

Biloxi, Miss., Oct. 15.-More than eral court for the southern district of Mississippi, which will be convened at Biloxi to-morrow to testify in 20 suits brought by the government Fairfax, Oct. 16.-Miss Edna alleging timber depredations. Damages aggregating three and a half million dollars are asked.

CHARGED WITH WIFE MURDER.

Abbeville County Sheriff on Trail of Asbury Jones.

Anderson, Oct. 16 .- Officers of the county are searching for a negro named Asbury Jones, alias Asbury Mariney, who is wanted by Sheriff Lyon, of Abbeville county, charged with the murder of his wife, which occurred last night. Mariney, it is stated, used a razor, cutting her throat from ear to ear, death resulting instantly. The negro was in Anderson this morning, but left before the officers were notified that he was the man wanted. A clew as to his whereabouts has been discovered and is being followed up.

MARINE PRIVATE A SUICIDE.

Edward Montgomery Kills Himself at Port Royal.

Beaufort, Oct. 16.-A private marine, by the name of Edward Montgomery, committed suicide at the naval station last night, about 10 o'clock. It seems that he had been dissipating for the past few weeks and was despondent, and this probably caused his act.

Montgomery shot himself with a Springfield service rifle, holding it in his right hand and pulling the trigger with his left hand. The right side of his head was completely blown away. His home is in Indiana and he had been in the service for over four years, re-enlisting only about four months ago. Montgomery's father has ordered his body shipped home.

Dr. Derieux, of Greenville, the his lecture at the Baptist church.

Last Thursday morning, the students of the Ehrhardt high school received quite a beneficial lecture Ehrhardt, Oct. 15.-From a fi- from Congressman Byrnes, who was nancial and social standpoint, the in town on an official visit to the K. oyster supper given by the ladies of of P. lodge, to which he also deliv-

Mrs. W. M. Walker has returned Quite a large sum of money was real- from a short visit to Mrs. C. D. C.

Miss Kathleen Kearse, of Olar, One of the most enjoyable meet- spent several days of last week with

The Weeks Company entertained lightful home of Mrs. Jack Smith Tuesday evening. Although the was thrown open to the members. numbers were light, still they were Several hours were quickly spent at amusing. Being the first of the sewhist. The prize, a handsome tapes- ries of the lyceum numbers, it was a

IN THE PALMETTO STATE

SOME OCCURRENCES OF VARIOUS KINDS IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

Reading-Paragraphs About

Work will soon commence on the new postoffice at Union, to cost \$50;-

Walter Cobb was shot and mortally wounded by Jim Howard, both colored, at a hot supper three miles

A negro named Still was shot and killed by another named Daniel four miles from Johnston on Monday, the top of his head being shot off with

In a gambling game at Troy, Greenwood county, on Sunday, Alex Williams shot and mortally wounded Same Moore. The shooter fled, and the sheriff offers a reward of \$25 for him.

day, November 7th. President J. H.

The body of an unknown white man, with the name of "W. E. Hosey" on a paper in his pocket, was found by the track of the C. & W. C. railroad at Salak, near Greenwood, on Friday. He had been dead a week or more, and was probably killed by

industrial courts is very slight. Parties must usually, if physically able, this section. The following is a list appear in person, and as a rule they of the wells owned by towns, vilargue their own cases. Lawayers, in- lages and private parties. These deed, are entirely excluded from wells have a pressure of from 18 to practicing in the industrial courts of 63 pounds, variation due to eleva-Germany, and rarely appear, except tion of locality. Total of gallons per as the representatives of large em- minute 3,435; per hour 206,100; ployers or companies in France. In per day of twenty-four hours 4,946,no case is a party obliged to hire a 400. These figures go to show that lawyer. Court fees, too, are reduced Hampton county is second to none in to a minimum. None whatever are re- high pressure wells and pure drinkquired in Basel, Switzerland, and in ing water. The following list will France none are paid if the amount show that our farmers as well as our in dispute is less than 20 francs, or towns are taking advantage of this about \$4. No fees are demanded in natural resource. Some of these Germany if the parties reach a vol- wells are operating dining room fans untary agreement, and judgments in and sewing machines. dispute which do not exceed in value 100 marks, or less than \$25, cost only from one to three marks, or 25 Varnville 832 to 75 cents. In all cases the fees Luray 845 are graded according to the amount Estill 880 in dispute.

Close Call for Boy.

not pay to lose your head was proven yesterday when Franklin Yeager, a young boy 13 years of age, saved his life by presence of mind and grit. Special dispatches received here say Yeager, while riding up Main street that Troy and Elias Hatfield, two on a bicycle, was struck by an auto- of the Hatfield family of feudists, truck. He and his bicycle were drag- living near Fayetteville, W. Va., were ged in front of the truck for 50 killed to-day, and another man, Geyards. By presence of mind and grit romie, an Italian, is believed to have he hung on to the front of the truck | been killed, as the result of a shootwith one hand and thus kept himself ing. from being drawn under the car and crushed to death.

least frightened.

machine, says he became frighten-lying in the road. Elias was dead ing to run over the boy and lost his head. He said he forgot about the use of the emergency brake. The negro was fined in the police court this morning for reckless driving and body of Geromie, which has not yet driving on the left side of the street. been found.

ONE DEAD, ANOTHER DYING.

iana Feud.

State News Boiled Down for Quick Men and Happenings.

from Aiken on Saturday night.

The Lutheran synod of South Car-

olina will meet at Pine Grove church, Lone Star, Calhoun county, on Tues-Harms, of Newberry college, is down for a speech on Christian Education.

Courts Without Lawyers. The expense of appeal to European

As a result of this cheapness and Hampton 4... 820 rapidity of action no complaint is too | Hampton, No. 2 832 petty to be brought before an indus- Brunson 875 trial court. Disputes have been set- Furman 965 tled in Germany which involved as August Belmont 980 little as 20 pfennigs, or about 5 R. P. Huntington 980 cents. Only about 7.5 per cent., in- J. K. Maner 968 deed, of all the complaints brought A. M. Martin 845 in the German Empire in 1908 were W. W. Smith 1000 for more than 100 marks, or under G. M. Riley 1000 \$25. In France, two years earlier, J. L. Morrison 914 less than 2.5 per cent. of all the S. M. Clark 880 cases were far over 300 francs, or Jessie Chisolm 1023 less than \$60. It is safe to say that Ben Peeples 900 wherever these courts have been es- E. B. Lawton 865 tablished the great majority of suits J. W. Peeples 890 have been for less than \$10. To P. H. Allen 900 some Americans such cases may seem Robt. Winthrop 880 trivial. But many a European work- Perry Lightsey 780 man has doubtless ben prevented, by Billy Lightsey 780 having at hand the means of obtain- J. A. Lightsey 785 ing his rights cheaply and quickly, C. R. Peeples 900 from being embittered by a sense of A. W. Lawton 900 powerlessness against injustice.-American Review of Reviews.

Greenville, Oct. 14.—That it does

as possible and when the boy was ritory that they thought belonged to picked up it was found that he had them. Geromie denied the allegasuffered only a bruise on his side tions of the brothers by firing four where the truck had struck him and shots and wounding both. The Hatthat he was as cool and not in the fields replied to the fire and a run-

-Mr. H. M. Bishop, of the Ehrhardt section, was in the city yester- of the Confederate monument next

Tragedy at Dance May Revive Louis-

Amite City, La., Oct. 16.-Tangihahoa Parish has been stirred up by the knife duel, at Roberts Station Saturday night, between Alfred Robertson and Oscar Joiner, which resulted in the death of Robertson and the probable fatal injury of Joiner, because it promises to revive the bloody feud which resulted in the asassination, three years ago, of the Breeland family.

On information furnished by Robertson. Joiner was recently tried on a perjury charge based on testimony which he gave in the Breeland case. A mistrial resulted. As a result of the bad blood between the two, the tragedy of Saturday night has long been expected. Joiner and Robertson met at a dance and after words passed between them went out of the house to fight it out. Half an hour later Joiner crawled back and exclaimed:

"When I die, you will know Ali Robertson killed me."

The dancers went out and found Robertson's body with the jugular vein severed. Joiner was taken to Hammond for treatment. Ha is not expected to live.

Flowing Wells in Hampton County.

Through the courtesy of our young friend, G. H. Jennings, we are able to publish a list of the flowing wells in Hampton county, with the depth and capacity of each. Twenty-six of these wells were bored by Mr. Jennings or his father, the late J. M. Jennings, the pioneer well borer of

Feet Flow

gals.

deep. 125 Scotia 964 75 150 125 100 100 90 100 90 200 150 140 H. H. Peeples 900 200

B. S. Lawton 968 HATFIELD BROTHERS KILLED.

Feudists Meet End in Fight with Italian Peddler.

Columbus, Ohio, October 17 .--

The Hatfields are alleged to have begun the fight by charging the Ital-The machine was stopped as quick ian with peddling whiskey in the terning fight ensued.

The negro who was driving the Passersby found the two brothers to say before he died:

"You don't need to hunt for the man who did this; he is dead, too.' A search is being made for the

Come to the unveiling exercises Thursday.

UNVEILING OF MONUMENT.

INTERESTING EVENT TO TAKE PLACE THURSDAY.

Senator E. D. Smith Will Deliver Address-Daughters will Entertain Old Veterans.

The beautiful Confederate monument, erected through the efforts of the Daughters of the Confederacy, will be unveiled next Thursday, October 26th. A most interesting program has been arranged, and the day will be full of interest to all who at tend. The fact that Senator E. D Smith will be the principal speaker will no doubt draw a large crowd, but our own C. W. Garris will deliver the introductory address, and all who have ever heard him will want to hear him again. The Daughters could not have selected two more attractive speakers.

The old veterans of the county will be the guests of the Daughters at dinner, which will be served upstairs in the court house, and a large crowd is expected, not only from Bamberg but adjoining counties as well. Everybody is invited to Bamberg for the exercises, and all will be made to feel at home. We publish the program and other information below.

Program of Exercises.

Following is the program of exer cises for the unveiling of the Confederate monument in this city on Thursday, the 26th instant: Music.

Announcements by Prof. J. Caldell Guilds. Introductory Speaker-Hon. C. W

Garris. Music. Oration-Senator E. D. Smith. Veil falls from monument while band plays Dixie, Bamberg Guards

fire salute and veterans give "Rebel Presentation of monument to the

city by Chapter member. Reception of monument by mayor.

Dinner in court house auditorium.

Invitation to Confederate Veterans. The Confederate veterans of Bamberg county are invited by the Francis Marion Bamberg Chapter, No. 1,263, U. D. C., to be their guests at dinner on the 26th instant after the unveiling exercises of the Confederate monument, and soft drinks will be given the veterans by the Bamberg Pharmacy and the Peoples Drug

Co. on the same day. The Chapter desires the honor of the presence of all who are able to

Notice to the Public.

Residents of the county wishing 9 to contribute any dish to the dinner that the Daughters of the Confeder- 3 acy will give on the 26th instant, the proceeds of which will go to the Confederate monument fund, will either notify Mrs. J. B. Hunter or Mrs. W. P. Jones of the committee by dropping them a card or just bring or send the contribution to the court house on the morning of the day of the unveiling of the monument. The committee will be glad to receive

anything that you may see fit to give.

Confederate Monument Fund.
H. W. Herndon \$2.50
H. F. Rice, Aiken 5.00
W. S. Eaves 1.00
Cash25
O. F. Hunter, Washington, D. C. 1.00
I. N. Dunn 1.00
J. Buist Brickle
Joe J. Brabham 5.00
W. W. Steedley50
Michel Bronson 2.00
A. P. Beard50
Herbert G. Delk 2.00
George A. Ducker 1.50
G. A. Jennings 1.00
H. W. Beard 2.50
W. D. Rhoad 10.00
Henry F. Bamberg, Jr 1.00
Tillman Zeigler 2.00

Warrant Sworn Out.

Laurens, Oct. 14.-Charged with assault and battery of a high and aggravated nature, John G. Wham, of Clinton, was this afternoon allowed bond in the sum of \$1,000 for his appearance at the next term of ed when he saw that he was go- but Troy was still alive and managed criminal court for this county. The warrant, which was issued by Magistrate Hudgens, of this city, alleges that Wham yesterday assaulted W. E. Nash on the streets of Clinton, using a buggy whip for the purpose. To-day Mr. Nash swore out a warrant against Wham, and later application for bond was made and granted. Both men live at Clinton and are prominently known.

ANOTHER HUSBAND

Turns Up in the Midst of a Blissful Honeymoon.

Finding that his bride of only & few days was not a divorced woman and that she had deceived him into marrying her, young E. C. Howard, a prescription clerk in the local drug store at Hendersonville, N. C., was placed in a very peculiar predicament when the first husband, W. V. Henry, of Jacksonville, arrived in Hendersonville in search of his wandering wife.

A bit of romance is attached to the affair in spite of the evil wrought and the young man is not so much to blame as it looks. Several months ago, about the first of the summer season, Mrs. Annie L. Henry, as she called herself, went to Hendersonville for a visit.

Young Howard, who is said to be for ma well-to-do family in the eastern part of this State, met Mrs. Henry and a close friendship resulted. Later in the summer Mrs. Henry, admitting she was married at that time, stated to young Howard that she would return to Jacksonville and seek a divorce from her husband.

Last Tuesday Mrs. Henry returned to the city and informed the youthful lover that all was well, that she had succeeded in getting a divorce, and that their future happiness would be shadowed no longer. Young Howard proceeded to get out license papers and summoned a local magistrate, who, before several prominent local witnesses, performed the cere-

All went well until last Sunday morning, when W. V. Henry, the first husband arrived in the city and registered at the same hotel in which his wife and her new husband were boarding. Mr. Henry at first would not believe that his wife had married another, but when shown the papers he was convinced.

Realizing that his wife had change ed her love for another, Henry decided that with the exchange of all the valuables each had given the other he would not push the matter, but would leave his wife in the hands of one who, though at first deceived, was now willing to take the consequences of the blunder he

had made. Mr. and Mrs. Howard left the city last Monday for parts unknown and Mr. Henry returned to Jacksonville.

Piano Contest.

Following is the standing of the contestants in the contest for the piano now being given away by The Bamberg Herald and Hoover's drug store. No names of contestants are published, each contestant having number. Get in the game early and

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21			226,376	90		210,10
23			6,140	112		2,38
35				119		
41				14		65,84
42			2,035			2,04
43						42,28
49			2,030			42,00
50			2,050	179		62,00
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.. .. 2,785 198 69,105 GIRL CHARGED WITH CRIME.

Held for Alleged Attempt to Wreck Passenger Train.

Knoxville, Tenn., Oct. 17.-Essie Mathewson, an 18-year-old girl living at Whaley's Bluff, Johnson county, was arrested to-day by officers in the employ of the Virginia and Southern Railway, on the charge of attempting to wreck a passenger

The girl is charged with having put a log on the tracks at Whaley's Bluff, which was struck by a passenger train, but fortunately hurled aside. She was bound over to court on preliminary hearing.

Over Thirty Passengers Hurt.

Macon, Ga., Oct. 16 .- Thirty odd people were more or less severely. shaken up to-night on Southern passenger train No. 8, bound for Hawkinsville, when, with a switch engine looming up ahead of him, the engineer threw on the emergency brakes. The train came to an abrupt stop and people pitched forward on to the seats all through the train. Only two were seriously enough hurt to be taken from the train. J. W. Morlean, of Hazelhurst, and W. A. King, of Bullard, were removed to the Macon Hospital. They are pain-

fully bruised. The switch engine was on the main line on the time of the passenger train. It was uninjured. The passenger engine sustained a broken sill.

-Mr. W. Max Walker, of Ehrhardt, was in the city yesterday af-