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FRIDAY, July 3rd, 1908.

Hurrah! for the fourth of July.

Did you see the eclipse on Sunday la it?

"Old Sol" and other things an warming up at Denver.

The pencil pushers are having : high old time at Gaffney this week.

How many Southerners will vote 1 Sherman? Don't all answer at one

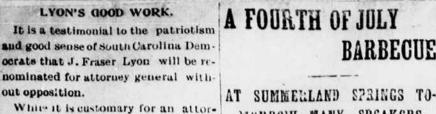
Don't get "wossy" and bet yo money on any team that has a She man hitched to it.

We will soon have a democrat nominee that will corrall the vote an walk into the White House on Marc fourth next.

Things are going along in a very uil way in campaign circles ably it is because the weather h garm for great exertions

le Georgia crackers and the fire fire crackers will get into a grand mix tomorrow. When a young American and powder are playfellows something is sure to happen.

The Roosevelt convention in Chicago bad "break," when it a very rose upon its hind legs and yelled "Marching through Georgia." when J. S. Sherman was placed in nomination. It is about time to throw that song into the trash-heap, both because of its bad music and worse sentiment. -Columbia State.



CAMPAIGN PARTY.

datted Batesburg last Tuesday night

and told the Batesburg people their

ows on the various questions so im-

artists to voters on August the 25th.

brass bant was in attendance and

ouse. The candidates were given a

and had the pleasure of listing to

helr views, but had their coming been

nown more than a few hours in ad-

rance the audience would have been

BATESBURG EDITION OF THE

COLUMBIA STATE.

The Columbia State on Wednesday

Many cuts are displayed and an ex-

ellent write up of the different

ranches of industry practiced here.

The neticle on Batesburg coversnearly

bree pages of the paper and Mr. J. E.

orment, the writer, carefully pre-

ad concise pen picture of what the

and what her advancement

is work and has given a true

during the past few years.

MINATION

faibled.

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WEST POINT

MORROW-MANY SPEAKERS WILL BE THERE.

To morrow the Alewine Brothers will give a barbecue as Summerland Springs. During the day there will nation would have caused no surprise be spraking by several candidates and amonghis friends., Had there appearas it is a legal hotiday a large crowd ed the slightest probability that he will be there. The spot picked out is

eting was held in the Opera and reared in this community and dur-

easty welcome and their speeches He was married twice. By his first

vere g nerally applauded. About 300 wife he had one son, Mr. J. Wm Mit-

sould be defeated, some lawyer would in ideal one for such allairs as there vators." nave been found to enter a contest will be an over abundance of the with him. But the people of South celebrated Gray Rock water and igan," said the Chicago man, "but Carolina know that Mr. Lyon has d . e shade to keep off the hot rays of a never knew whether they were the eastern shore elevated or the western All Copy sent in must be written for them incomparable service, and to July sun. Be sure and do not muss on one side only. sign did appear that they were unap- 1 this treat.

Mr. Jeter A. Mitchell who was the

dest resident of our town died at his

ome after a brief illness in the 82nd

year of his age. Mr. Mitchell was born

ing his entire life made this his home

chell, and three daughters. Mrs. Stro

Honest Graft.

Curiosity.

If you want to find out how busy

nen are, paint a red ring on your

door. Every man who passes will stop

BARBECUE

preclative of it. -- News & Courier. DEATH OF MR. J. A. MITCHELL. the state campaign party, minus Jov. Ansel and Hon. Cole L. Blease,

shore reflected." "There ain't no reflection down here. remarked the rancher. "What you se you see. I saw somepin oncet that changed the hull course of my life It wan't no reflection, you bet yer life." "How was that?" asked the Massa chusetts man.

THE BATESBURG ADVOCATE

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A Nice Sense of Honor.

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[Original.]

rancher, "we don't 'pear to git no

no whether the elyments has changed

or my eyesight is breakin' down, but I

don't see no more land liftin' with everything drawed as if it war a paintin'

under your nose such as I seen often

"What kind of mirages do you have

down here,"asked the gentleman from

Massachusetts, "those that elevate of

jects or those that show objects have

"Waal, I reckon you'd call 'em ele

"I've seen mirages on Lake Mich

ing no existence?"

when 1 fust come to the country."

such mirages as we used to git. Dun

"Speakin' o' mirages," said the old

young man I worked at cow punching for a man as lived on a ridge that looked over a like ridge fifteen mil away. The river run between eac ridge midway, and the ground on eac side the river war as like as two pea-Tanner lived on the east ridge-h war the man I worked for-and fiftee miles away on the other ridge hi brother-in-law, Brant, had built a house after the same plans. The same architect had planned 'em both, and lumber had been sawed for the two o

ther of Johnston, Mrs. Guess of Den-"Tanner had a daughter, Eunice mark and Mrs. Dial of Laurens, Mrs. that tuk a shine to me. I war an in Dial having since died. By his last nocent young feller in them days a hadn't no notion o' hookin' up with wife he only had one child Mrs. F.H. any one and tried to keep her off my Hendrix of Leesville. He also leaves scent, but she follered me like a blood an aged and bereaved wife. Mr. Mitchhound, and somehow, though I could ell was a progressive farmer and was git rid o' most things, I couldn't git rid " her, Whenever I'd try it she'd se one of Leesville's staunchest citizens. down beside me kind o' lovin' like, and norning issued a Batesburg edition Interment was made in the family that 'd be the end o' my tryin' to twing the growth of the town in the burying ground Monday at 11:00 a. m. shake her.

fust thing I knowed I had gone to the ole man and axed for his gal. He was o' rope, jist as though we was married

"What made it hard on me was that war a quiet little thing and didn't run of her 'cause Eunice regarded me a

wait until the next man comes along that he may tell about it .- Atchison There that the

on it .- "Leaves From a Life."

Long and Short.

Health Coffee" is really the the

losest Coffee Immitation ever yet

The annual meeting of the Stock

W. Westmoreland,

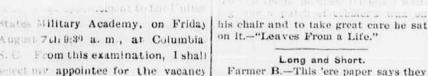
President.

Leesville News

money by grafting."

nore American.

eputation for honesty."



Farmer B .- This 'ere paper says they ain't nothin' f'r an appetite like a long ow existing. The following are the tramp. His Wife-Land! They don't tions of the candidates re know what they're talkin' about.

"Twas this a-way: When I war :

em at oncet. Each stood in the cen ter of a big ranch.

"Waal, at last she hived me, and the

Sally Brant, Eunice's cousin. Sally after nobody. I couldn't see very much her property and wouldn't let me off eveniu's to ride over to the Brant ranch, and daytimes I war lookin' afte

"Jones made the best part of his "Why, I thought he had such a high "So he has. He must graft, though, for he keeps a fruit nursery."-Balti-

willin', and so we was engaged, as they say in the towns. Eunice once havin' lassoed me gimme a good de:

and I couldn't git away nohow. I wanted another gal. That gal was

to find out what it is for and then the catile. "One mornin' I found myself lost.

WE WILL GIVE UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE One Fourth Off

On Our Men's, Boy's and Children's Clothing.

Everything Marked IN S Plain Figures.

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Thinkin' it would be a good chance to go and tell Sally Brant that 1 war goin' to be married, I role over. Sally was on the front veranda knittin socks. I j'ined her and as soon as I could git up spunk told her that I war settled to be 'broke' by Eunice Tanner.

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Much fun and alleged wit is expended on the merry wid ow hat, but taken from center to circumference, it is the most useful and sensible headgear that woman have been guilty of for several. generations. It is hat and parasol in one, leaving the fair hands of the wearer free for work or play.

SHERMAN THE UNKNOWN.

In every hamlet and on every city nation. street people are asking in various styles and degrees of elegance the shall have been an actual resident of question which in simplest and least this district one year prior to the date profane form is, "Who's Sherman?" With a few exceptions 'twas ever thus following a national convention. Adlal Stevenson was to the country as rules laid down by the War Depart though he had never been when the Democrats picked him up in 1892. Hobart and Sewell, the competing this examination if his physical con candidates in 1896, ranked equal for dition does not meet the requirements. the depths of the obscurity whence

they came. Henry Gassaway Daviswho was he, who is he now? The really astonishing thing about

Sherman's dimness is the fact that he is serving his tenth term in the national house of representatives, and on so important a committe as that on interstate commerce. His case makes a striking illustration as the extent to which the house has become a compaot machine, a milatary organization, in which the individual member, the private, the file closer, even the brigde comander is merged in the mass t's visible is the commandand all th ar in chief and his staff. You think you keep abreast of pub-

le affairs. There are 390 supposed statesmen in the "popular" branch of ongress. Disregraing your lown disrict representative try to name ten of ne 390. The chances are 390 to 10 you Nebraska State Journal, y the War Department: finder. undidate shall be admitted der 17 or over 22 years of age an 5 feet 5 inches in height e of 18 and upward, or who is produced. This clever Coffee Sul or afflicted with any disease y which would render him nilitary service, or who has e of presenting himself, any

Health Coffee is made from pure toas an infectious or immora ed grains, with mult, nuts, etc Candidates must be un Really it would fool an expert--who hight drink it for Coffee. No 20 or andidate must upon report

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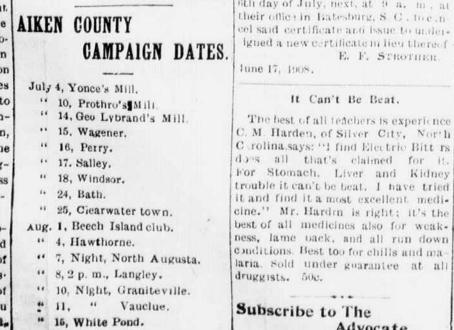
Those who desire to take this exolders of the Batesburg Telephone amination should write me for permis o, will be held in the office of E. F sion to do so, and also for further in Strether, in Batesburg S. C. Monformation with respect to the examilay the 6th day of July, next, at 10

clock a. m. A full attendance is It is requirfd that each applicant testred. June 17, 1908. STATE OF SOUTH CARCLINA, of this examination.

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Very truly, A. F. LEVER, Lexington, S. C.

value.



i, and I could see that she war short one c'n eat just ez much .- Pathervin'

"Of course thar war jist one thing to do. I set down on the bench beside her, put my arms around her, and"-"Kissed her?" asked the Chleage

She didn't say a word; she jist bent

s itute was recently produced by Dr. "Kissed her? No; I war hon'able. I war engaged. Shoop of Racine, Wis. Not a grain "Well, go on." of real Coffee in it either. Dr. Shoop's

"We war settin' facin' the valley, and suddent 1 lifted my eyes and that be fore me and lookin' hardly a stone's throw away war the Tanner rand house. And that on the varanda sat a feller and a gal in each other's arm Of course I don't mean to say that I ould recognize people fifteen miles

way, but I knowed the couple must' been Eunice and some feller. Alhough I would like to git rid of Eu

nice, it made me mad to see her in mother feller's arms. I jumps up and, drawin' my shootin' iron, plugs away it the man. What did he do but the ame to me

"I felt kind o' foolish as soon as it war over, thinkin' my weepon would arry so far, and I set down ag in. The feller must 'a' felt as I did, 'cause he set down ag'in, too, by his gal, just as I did by mine. We turned our backs to em, but we didn't like their lookin even at our backs, so we went into the

"I tole Sally that I loved her and vanted her to marry me. She reninded that I was pledged to Eunice, and I reminded her that, thanks to the mirage, I had found Eunice out. Sally then said, that bein' the case, it was right for me to shake Eunice, but if I went back to her she'd lasso me ag'in Recognizin' this as true, I proposed we be married before goin' back. And so

Notice is given that the undersigned will apply to the said company on t c W WAR "When I went back, a married man 6th day of July, next, at 9 a. m., at Eunice war mad enough to scalp me their office in Batesburg, S. C. toc.n. I charged her with goin' back on me cel said certificate and issue to underand she denied it. But me and Saily igned a new certificate in lieu thereof both saw her, and that was all then E. F. STROTHER. war about it. Anyway, my wife says

lune 17, 1908. It Can't Be Beat,

"Did it ever occur to you," asked the Massachusetis man, "that what you saw was the reflection of your-The best of all teachers is experience

bad woman by the mirage."

"Waal, now, I never thought o' that." AUSTIN A. KINGSLEY.

a noble, good man war saved from a

does all that's claimed for it Get my "Book No. 4 For Women." It For Stomach, Liver and Kidney trouble it can't be beat. I have tried will give weak women many valuable it and find it a most excellent medisuggestions of relief -and with strictly cine." Mr. Hardrn is right; it's the confidential medical advice is entire. best of all medicines also for weak-Simply write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. ness, lame back, and all run down short time, when a friend of min-The book No. 4 tells all about Dr. conditions. Best too for chills and marecommended Kodol. 1 consented to laria. Sold under guarantee at all Shoop's Night Cure and how these

soothing, healing, antiseptic supposi Advocate.

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I am prepared to do first class cleaning, pressing, reparing and altering on short notice.

My prices to suit the times.

Batesburg, S. Carolina.

Arthur Spann,

This is what Hon Jake Moore, State I may to benefitted. Yours very truly,

Warden of Georgia, says of Kodol. For Juch C. Moore, Atlanta, Bug 10, 1901 Dyspepsia: 'E C DeWitt & Co., Sold of F. B. Gunter,

Chicago, Ill - Dear Sirs -1 have suil ered more than twenty years from in ligestion. About eighteen months

cheure you unless you promise to go I had grown so much worse that I ould not digest a crust of corn bread and eduld not retain anything on my stomach. I long 25 lbst in fact I made

tonuise," "Cood' New, first of all, up my mind I could not live but a pay me my last year's bill Phila Press

try it to please him and was better inone day. I now weigh more than 1 acts gently upon the bowels and there just exactly right, "says Mr A ., Felton tories can be successfully applied to ever did in my life and am in better by drives the cold out of the system of Harrisville, NY. New Life Pills recorrect these weakness. Write for health than for mony years. Kodol and at the same time it aliays inflama Lave without the least discomfort. the book. The Night Cure is sold by did it. I keep a bottle constantly tion and stops irritation. Children Best remedy for constipation, billous and write this hoping that humanity like it. Sold by Dr. F. B. Gunter: In sea and met-

Dewitt's Witch Hazel Salve is good for cuts, burns, neuises and scratches It is especially good for piles. Recommended and sold by Dr. F. B. Gunter.

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"I heard him behind the door plead ing for just one. They must be engag

"Naw, they're married. It was a dollar he was pleading for.'

-Louisville Courier Journal

Just Exactly Right

"I have used Dr. King's New Life Kennedy's Inxalive Cough Syrup Pills for several years, and find them