### The Governor's Message.

In the main, Governor Simpson's first message is a sensible paper, containing proper and timely suggestions, but we think that in advocating the early reopening of the South Carolina Co lege he mistakes the needs of the times. He certainly does not know the poverty of The Senate adjourned after sending to the people and the leve that the various churches have for the colleges of their denominations. If the South Carolina College is re-opened as a pensioner upon the State Treasury the inevitable result of its rules amended, and the following will be the weakoning or extinction of denominational schools and the increase of taxation or the diversion of a part of application The Governor, however, Legislature, and in this we imitate him with the declaration that we will not approve any action on its part supporting his recommendation.

### The United States Court.

We sent an bour in the United States Court room in Columbia on the 26th ultimo. Judge Bryan's charge was generally commended for its fairness. The portion of the room assigned to witnessclaiming to have been intimidated and son." to have seen others treated in a like manner: Several Baruwell negroes were among them ready to swear and draw pay, while Barnwell's solitary white Radical, looking as lonely as an emaciated screech owl, was comfortably seated in the southwest corner, as far from his political brethren as he could get. It was understood that the parties from Sumter would be the first tried for alleged intimidation. If these test cases fail the dance ends. Robert Aldrich. Esq., and Colonel J. C. Davant are looking out for the Barnwell men.

#### Editorial Correspondence.

COLUMBIA. November 26, 1878.

In witnessing the organization of the House of Representatives to-day I felt that I was also attending the last funera rites over the corpse of Radicalism in South Carolina. The solerest of all the participators in the opening exer cises were the last three surviving members of that infamous party. As Miller. Gantt and Simmons looked around upon the hundred and twenty-one Democratic Brethren who represented the State they must have realized that the carnival of the carpet-bagger is at last over; that Othello's occupation as a statesman is gone, and that the bottom rail is once more in the right place.

In the Senate the contrast in color and political faith is not so striking, as five Senators, four of whom are colored hold over from the election of 1876, but they also seemed impressed with the conviction that the places which now know them will soon know them no more for

Comprising many of the best men in the State, representing all occupations and professions, this Legislature will, i is generally believed, do the State good service and adjourn before Christmas. There is no reason why an adjournment should not be reached by that time. The reports of the several bureau officers are now ready, and with these before then the various committees can go immediately and intelligently to work. From what I can gather it is the universal determination to make the session a short and busy one.

Among the earliest duties of the Legis. lature will be the election of a United States Senator as successor to Hones John J. Patterson. Governor Hampton, if he recovers, will undoubtedly be chosen, although it is whispered that he will have an opponent. Chicf Justice Willard will also soon step down and out, and General James Conner, of Charleston, is the decided favorite of a large majority. A soccessor to Judge Shaw, of the Third Circuit, must be chosen, and Hon. T. B. Fraser seems to lead the race. The names of Gen. John D. Kennedy, ex-Judge T. H. Cooke and Colonel C. H. Simonton are frequently mentioned in connection with the Code Commissionerships, also to be filled by election. The first day's work has been a good one. The legislators are spending the afternoon in hunting quarters and making acquaintances.

P. S .- It is said that the cause of ern Express Company, \$1,000. No inthe fifty per cent. advance in the price surance. of drinks in Columbia is to be found in the temperate habits of our law makers.

The Supreme Court has refused new trials to Smalls and Cardozo, and these worthies will have to go into Winter quarters—the former in the penitentiary and the latter in the Rich and jail.

#### Proceedings of the Legis'ature.

On Tuesday, the 26th ultimo, the Leg-

islature met, and both Houses organthe Senate by the election of Hon. P. B. Jeter, of Union, as President pro fem ; T. Stobo Farrow, of Sparfanburg, Clerk; R. A. Goodwyn, of Rich. land, Reading Clerk, and L. R., Mirshall, of Newberry, Sergeaut-at-Arms; and the House by the election of John C. Sheppard, of Edgefield, as Speaker; John T. Slean, Sr., of Richland, as Clerk; John D. Browne, of Barrowell, as Sergeant-at-Arms, and R. M. Anderson, of Abbeville, as Reading Clerk. the House notification of its organization and appointment of a committee to wait on the Governor. In the House, the Governor's message was read, several resolution, offered by Colonel Simonton, unanimously adopted :

" Resolved by the House of Representhe public school fund from its present tatives, the Senate concurring. That the present condition of the people of the very wisely leaves the matter with the State and of the public finances demands the most rigid economy in every branch of the government; that to this end it is expedient that the sessions of the General Assembly should be made as short as may be compatible with the public interest; that the committees of both Houses be, and they are hereby, instructed so to forward the matters referred to them that the usage, uninterrupted from the formation of the State government to the beginning of the war, may again prevail, and the General Assembly may es was literally packed with negroes adjourn before the Christmas holid ey sea-

> The House met at 10 a. m. Committees were announced and routine work commenced, a large number of bills being introluced. A concurrent resolution appointing the 3.1 December the day to clect a Julge for the Third Circuit was adopted and sent to the Senate. The Speaker of the House declared the e'ection of Governor Hampton and Lieutenant-Governor Simpson for the term of two years, the official vote being: For Governor-Hampton, 119,-

WEDNESDAY, 27TIF.

Governor-Simpson, 119,094; scatter. Thursday being Thanksgiving Day, there was no session of either House.

550; scattering, 213. For Lieutenant

A great many bills and joint resoluons have been presented. The tollow-

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ing are among the most important : To provide for the registration of the electors of this Stare : to continue the lien law in force for one year; to amend An act to secure landlords and persons making advances;" to abolish the office of County Auditor; to provide for the revision and consolidation of the statute laws of the State; to repeal "An act to regulate the granting of divorces;" to punish assault or assault and battery with any fire arm committed on streets. public thoroughfares and places of public resort; to reduce and fix the pay of members of the General Assembly; to protect the rights of mortgagees of personal property; to make jury tickets receivable for county taxes; to impose a tax on dogs, and to repeal the act creating the Bond Court.

#### THE HEALTH OF HAMPTON A Change for the Worse and its Consequences.

Columbia, November 30.-Governor Hampton's case is reported to have taken a very serions turn to-day. learn that his symptons are those of violent blood poisoning or pyæmia. Dr. Kinloch, and Dr. Campbell, of Augusta, have been telegraphed for in haste, and are coming on special trains. The Governor's friends are

December 1, 7:50 p. m.-The Governor had a good night's rest, and is declared considerably better this morning. Drs. Kinloch and Campbell visited him last night and this morning. and confirmed the treatment pursued and have left Columbia for home.

10 p. m .- Authoritative information received at 9 o'clock Sunday night is to the effect that the Governor's condition has improved since Saturday. The present condition of the leg gives promise of a favorable result and without the occurrence of some serious complication amputation will

## not be attempted.

Disastrons Fire in Port Royal. PORT ROYAL, November 30. - A large fire occurred here this evening. The losses are estimated as follows: Dwelling and bakery of the estate of J. C. Eberly, \$2,000; Port Royal cotton compressing building and wachinery, owned by Babcock & Wilcox, of New York \$12,000; dwelling, store and carpenter shop, belonging to D. O'Driscoll. \$3,000; office of R. P. Rundle, South-

his new paper, Progress, says: "And long been associated with the Doctor these elections make Grant the Repub- in the medical department of his celelican candidate for President in 1880. brated World's Dispensary and Inva-He is no longer the dark horse, but lide' Hotel. Besides, as the Fortythe assured winner, if he lives. And sixth Congress does not convene until it is on the cards that he will colidify December, 1879, Dr. Pierce's patients all the old free States, and divide the will not lose his personal attention for South in the electoral colleges." some months yet.

The Wilson-Sunders Duel.

(From the Rock Hill Herald.) An affair of bonor, known to have arisen between Mr. James L. Wilson, of Yorkville, and Mr. George M. Sanders, of Sumter, culminated in a duel near Pineville, N. C., in which both parties escaped uninjured.

During the recent fair at Columbia hese two gentlemen were together on the fair grounds, having been schoolmates a few years ago at Yorkville, and out of the discussion of some trivial matter grew a difference which resulted in Mr. Wilson addressing a note to Mr. Sanders juviting that gentleman to meet him in Augusta. Mr. Sanders replied accepting the invitation, but before he could get off to Augusta, whither Mr. Wilson with his second had gone, an officer stopped him and thus for a few days the matter was at a stand still. Finally it was arranged to meet at Pineville, N. C., and accordingly all parties passed up on Tucsday afternoon's train, and at about 10:30 o'clock Wednesday morning a meeting was affected about half a mile west of Pineville (Morrow's Turn Out) on the side of the public highway near Rea's Mill. Accompanying Mr. Wilson was his second, Dr. Wallace E. Bland, of Edgefield, and Dr. J. R. Bratton, of Yorkville, his surgeon, and one or two other friends. Mr. Sanders was accompanied only by bis second. Mr. Manigault James. of Dailington. The distance, twenty paces, being stepped off, the principals, cool and undaunted, each holding in his hand a regular duelling pistol, took positions, and, after the usual preliminaries. Dr. Bland gave the word, "Gentlemen, are you ready? Fire! one, two, three;" and all was over. At the word," one" Mr. Wilson fired; at the word "two" Mr. Sanders fired, the ball of each passing harmlessly by the breast of the other. Neither gentleman moved. At this functure the seconds held a conference. and (as was their right) decided that the affair had reached an honorable solution to both principals, and accordingly they, the principals, joined hands, and thus ended the matter.

#### A Woman's Logic.

"It is useless to take medicine. I shall feel better to-morrow. Besides, I need the money to get that lovely new hat. My old one is such a fright. and people will look more at my bonnet than they will at my, face. I will, wait till I feel worse before I spend any money for medicine." The new bonnet is purchased and fifty other feminine necessaries in the form of ribbons, laces, brooches, etc. Meanwhile the lady's face becomes every day pater and thinner, and her body weaker, until disease has gained so firm a foothold in her system that the most thorough, and ofttimes a long dies, attend to your health before you ever think of apparel. A fresh, blooming face in a plain bornet is much handsomer and far more attractive to your gentleman friends than a painworn, diseased face in the most elaborate and elegant hat your milliner could devise. Dr. Pierce's Favocite Prescripton is everywhere acknowledged to be the standard remedy for female complaints and weakness. It is sold by all druggists.

There are very few young men in the Legislature. Middle aged and old men compose the bedy,

Judge Pressley has appointed Gen, James Conner, of Charleston, receiver of the Greenville and Columbia Rail-

The annual meeting of the South Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South will begin its regular session at Newberry on the

Sampson Hall, colored, who lives but a few miles from Rock Hill. bought a plantation last week, for which he paid \$2,100, all cash but about \$300. It is needless to say that Sampson is a Democrat, and a good one at that.

The Rev. R. E. White, preaching at Kingstree, Mount Hope and Forreston, who was married not a month ago, while coming from Manning to Sumter in his buggy with his wife, was shot in the head and killed by some unknown person. He was carried to the nearest house, that of Spencer Davis, nine miles from Sumter. He lived only twenty minutes.

Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y. the proprietor of Dr. Pierce's Family Medicines, and also of the Invalids' and Tourists' Hotel, of that city, has recently been elected to Congress by the very flattering majority of nearly & Co. 8.000. He has already served his contituency as State Senator, and this renewed endorsement signifies that his services have been highly satisfactory. His extensive practice in the treatment of chronic diseases will not, we are informed, be neglected or suffer in the least when the time arrives for him to take his seat in Congress, it being entrusted to his brother and other expe-Grant in 1880.-John W. Forney, in rienced medical gentlemen who have

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one and one quarter acres, one hundred acres cleared. TRACT L. One hundred and fffy

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

COUNTY OF BARNWELL.

In the Court of Common Pleas. The Stone Phosphate Company, plaintiff

ngainst Alfred Kempsen, defendant .- Summons for Money Demand -Complaint

To Alfred Kempsen, defendant in this ac

to answer the complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Barnwell county, in the State of South Carolina, and to serve a copy of your answer on the subscriber at his office in W liston, Barnwell county, South Carolina, within wenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of service. It you fail to an swer the complaint within the time aforesaid the plaintiff will apply to the Court for judgment against you for the sum of one thou-sand five hundred and ninety three dollars, with interest; six hundred and ninety three dollars thereof at the rate of one and a half per cent. per month, from the first day of November, 4875; with interest on eight hundred and seventy seven 50-100 dollars hereof at the rate of one and a half per cent, per month from the first day of No rember, 1876; with interest on twenty-two lollars thereof at the rate of one per cent per month, from the first day of Novemb r. 876, and for costs.

Plaintiff's Attorney, williston, S. C.
Dated November 9, 1878.

othe Defendint, Alfred Kempsen: Take notice. That the complaint in this ne ion, together with the summons, of which the foregoing is a copy, was filed in the offic of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Barnwell county, at Barnwell Court House, in the State of South Carolina, or the 9th of November, 1878.

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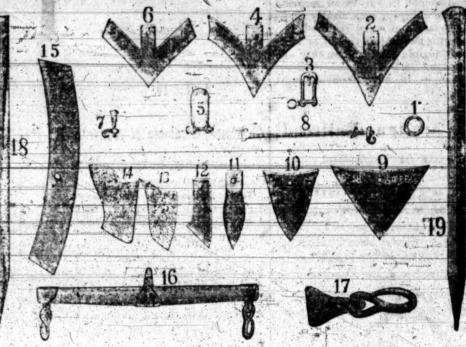
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