

Your friends may smile
But that tired feeling
Means danger. It
Indicates impoverished
And impure blood.
This condition may
Lead to serious illness.
It should be promptly
Overcome by taking
Hood's Sarsaparilla,
Which purifies and
Enriches the blood,
Strengthens the nerves,
Tones the stomach,
Creates an appetite,
And builds up
Energizes and vitalizes
The whole system.
Be sure to get
Only Hood's.

Notice!

I keep constantly in stock a full line of Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes, Hats, Groceries, and all such goods as is usually found in a general store. Everything will be sold at rock bottom prices. I have just received a lot of the best Keen Clipper axes on the market, made to order of the best material. Call and see me at the Peeler Corner, three doors from Carroll & Carpenter.

I. M. PEELER.

For Rent

4-room cottage on Victoria Avenue.
3-room cottage on Gaines St.
6-room cottage near corporate limits with 2 1/2 acre lot.

Watch

the expiration of your Insurance Policy and when it expires call on me and have it renewed. My companies are strictly first-class.

For Sale

2 good farm mules.

F. G. Stacy.

Unclaimed Letters.
List of letters remaining in office unclaimed for to date:
Miss Eva Austelle.
R. C. Burgess.
Mrs. Norah Campbell.
Mrs. Sarah Cline.
John Fry.
Miss Lula Gaffney.
Mrs. M. E. Grubb.
Miss Nannie Harmon.
J. F. Helton.
David Hawkins.
W. P. Love.
Alis McAbee.
Macon Moore.
Jim Mills.
Miss Nancy Randolph.
Mrs. Harry Ross.
G. W. Randolph.
Mrs. Margaret Seif.
J. H. Sellers.
Mrs. Julia Tenney.
W. R. Walker.
Miss Lora Wofford.
Amos Wellford, care Bicy Corry.
Henry Young.
N. B.—Persons calling for the above letters please state that they were advertised in The Ledger of Nov. 24th. One cent due on all letters delivered after having been advertised.

T. H. LITTLEJOHN, P. M.

Mattress Factory.
John Rowland Tolleson is building a sheet iron house in the rear of his store which will be used by the Gaffney Mattress Company to make mattress in.

Cure a Cold in One Day.
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet. Cherokee Drug Co. Oct. 6-9m.

**QUICK CURE FOR
COUGHS AND COLDS,
PYN-PECTORAL**
The Canadian Remedy for all
THROAT AND LUNG AFFECTIONS.
LARGE BOTTLES, 25 CTS.
DAVIS & LAWRENCE CO., Lim.,
PROP'S PERRY DAVIS' PAIN-KILLER.
FOR SALE BY
All Chemists and Druggists.

Piedmont Saving and Investment Co.

Greenville, S. C.

LOANS.

The loan plan of this company will be found far more desirable in every way than the plans of Building & Loans Associations. Our plan is a definite contract at reasonable rates. Loans made on approved property.
J. C. JEFFERIES,
Local Attorney, Gaffney, S. C.

WRONG MAN FATALLY SHOT.

SUSPICIOUS ACTIONS LEADS TO A TRAGEDY.

Dock Jackson is Mistaken for Tom Ryan, the Slayer of Mr. Falls, and Killed by Mr. W. Stokes Shelor.

Last Saturday night policeman Williams, of Gastonia, N. C., accompanied by Mr. W. Stokes Shelor, of the same city, arrived in Gaffney on the midnight South bound train, in search of a negro named Fon Rhyne, who had fatally stabbed Mr. T. G. Falls, a prominent citizen of Pleasant Ridge, near Gastonia. As policeman Williams and Mr. Shelor alighted from the train Mr. Shelor saw a negro man start to get on the train which he took to be Rhyne. He told him to halt, when the negro started to run. Mr. Shelor again told him to stop and fired his pistol off in the ground to induce him to do so, but the negro continued to run, when Mr. Shelor fired the second time and hit the fleeing man in the back, inflicting what proved to be a fatal wound. Mr. Shelor went to the wounded man and found that instead of Rhyne he had shot Dock Jackson, who spends his time in both this city and Spartanburg.

Deputy Sheriff Ross soon arrived on the ground and found Mr. Shelor doing all he could for the unfortunate man. Mr. Shelor said he had done the shooting and asked some one to go for a doctor. He at once put himself in the hands of Deputy Ross and told him he would not attempt to escape. Deputy Ross placed him in jail to await the result of the unfortunate man's wounds.
Mr. Shelor regretted the affair more than any one else and took his imprisonment philosophically. He was visited Sunday by a large number of the most prominent people of Gastonia who are his devoted friends and were ready to render him any assistance possible. He is represented as being a most excellent young man.

Dock Jackson died of his wounds Tuesday morning about 2 o'clock after being most carefully treated by Dr. S. B. Crawley from the time he was wounded until he died.

Coroner McCraw was summoned early Tuesday and came to the city at once and empaneled a jury of inquest composed of nine white men and four colored men.

There was little evidence brought out beyond what is stated in the first part of this article. Chief Camp who was on the ground immediately after the shooting being one of the principle witnesses.

After the evidence was in the mother of the unfortunate man went before the jury and asked them not to prosecute Mr. Shelor, saying that it was an unfortunate mistake for which she had forgiven him, and that she felt sure that her dead boy would make the same request if he could.

The jury then retired and after mature deliberation returned the following verdict:

"We the jury at this inquest find that Dock Jackson came to his death from a gun shot wound in the hands of one W. S. Shelor through mistake, said shooting being justifiable: A. J. McCraw, Coroner; J. R. Beason, Foreman; A. W. Lotspeich, C. T. Price, A. J. Perry, T. B. Cole, J. T. Adkins, T. T. Green, John Smith, A. W. Chandler, Mose Goudelock, James Phillips, Johnson Oglesby and W. H. Perry."

This is a very unfortunate case, and one which our whole people regret, having sympathy alike for the dead and the living.

Jackson's body was placed in a fine coffin, and accompanied by his mother, was taken to Spartanburg for burial.
Butler and Osborne, who had been employed to represent Mr. Shelor, appeared in his behalf at the inquest.

Shallots.

"J. L. S." is very much mistaken when he construes what The Ledger said about his comment on its way of spelling shallots to be an "apology." The Ledger knows how to spell the word correctly, and does so.

**PISO'S CURE FOR
CROUPS WHERE ALL ELSE FAILS.**
Best Cough Syrup. Tastes Good. Use in time. Sold by druggists.
CONSUMPTION

Saturday.
After an unusually wet week for November in this section, the sun rose beautifully Saturday morning. Every thing took on a cheerful look and such work as could be done was taken hold of with energy. City drays were unusually active, country wagons rolled into the city rapidly, loaded with country produce and the yeomany of Cherokee. People came from every direction and not with downcast looks of disappointment but with the air of those who are conscious of having performed their part well.
The crowd was a representative one with the usual stir and hustle and "on business bent" appearance of our Cherokee people. Business in all departments was active and was pushed by our business men in the vigorous and straightforward manner for which they are famous.

Cellery.

We are indebted to Rev. I. J. Newberry, for a fine bunch of cellery which he grew in his garden in this city. It is as fine a bunch as we generally see, and shows that cellery can be successfully grown in this section, and that of as good quality as is shipped from other States. Why not some Cherokeean try it on a large scale.

Pension Board.

The chairman of township Pension boards in Cherokee county are requested to meet the county chairman I. G. Sarratt on next Saturday the 26th inst., to organize the county board. The presence of the chairman is absolutely necessary to look after the interests of the worthy pensioners.

Free Lecture.

Prof. H. N. Snyder, of Wofford College, will deliver a free lecture in the Graded school house tomorrow (Friday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup cures throat and lung trouble without fail. For grippe, influenza and a deep seated cough or cold, it is the best remedy offered to the public. The doses are small and a bottle costs only 25c.

A Wonderful Discovery.

The last quarter of a century records many wonderful discoveries in medicine, but none that have accomplished more for humanity than that sterling old household remedy, Brown's Iron Bitters. It seems to contain the very elements of good health, and neither man, woman or child can take it without deriving the greatest benefit. Brown's Iron Bitters is sold by all dealers.

SORE LUNGS

Sore lungs, pain in the chest and painful breathing are quickly relieved and cured by the old reliable specific, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. This remarkable remedy breaks up a cold in one night and is, without doubt, the very best medicine for all affections of the throat and lungs. It has cured thousands and will cure you. It never disappoints. Try it at once.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup

Will quickly heal Sore Lungs. Doses are small and pleasant to take. Doctors recommend it. Price 25 cents. At all druggists.

THOS. B. BUTLER. HENRY K. OSBORNE
BUTLER & OSBORNE,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW.
Gaffney, S. C.

Very careful and prompt attention given to all business entrusted to us.
237 Practice in all the courts.

The Pearl Steam Laundry

Is operating on full time and turning out first-class work. Remember us when you want work done. We will call for your package. We also have in operation

A First-Class Grist Mill.

We respectfully solicit your patronage and ask the people out of town to bring their corn along when they come in to do their shopping. Will make your meal while you are busy here and you will lose no time.

Richardson Bros.

Tortured By Rheumatism.

A Purely Vegetable Blood Remedy is the Only Cure.

If the people generally knew the true cause of Rheumatism, there would be no such thing as liniments and lotions for this painful and disabling disease. The fact is, Rheumatism is a disordered state of the blood—it can be reached, therefore, only through the blood. But all blood remedies can not cure Rheumatism, for it is an obstinate disease, one which requires a real blood remedy—something more than a mere tonic. Swift's Specific is the only real blood remedy, and it promptly goes to the very bottom of even the most obstinate case.

A few years ago I was taken with inflammatory Rheumatism, which, though mild at first, became gradually so intense that I was for weeks unable to walk. I tried several prominent physicians and took their treatment faithfully, but was unable to get the slightest relief. In fact, my condition seemed to grow worse, the pains spread over my entire body, and from November to March I suffered agony. I tried many patent medicines, but none relieved me. Upon the advice of a friend I decided to try S. S. S. Before allowing me to take it, however, my guardian, who was a chemist, analyzed the remedy, and pronounced it free of potash or mercury.

I felt so much better after taking two bottles, that I continued the remedy, and in two months I was cured completely. The cure was permanent, for I have never since had a touch of Rheumatism, though many times exposed to damp and cold weather.

ELEANOR M. TIPPELL,
3711 Powelton Avenue, Philadelphia.

Those who have had experience with Rheumatism know that it becomes more severe each year, and like all other blood diseases, the doctors are totally unable to cure it. In fact, the only remedies which they prescribe are potash and mercury, and though temporary relief may result, these remedies produce a stiffness of joints and only intensify the disease.

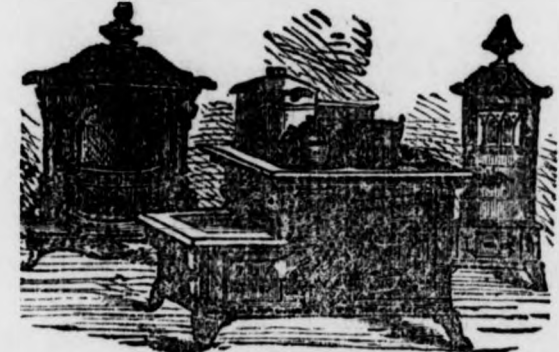
S. S. S. never disappoints, for it is made to cure these deep-rooted diseases which are beyond the reach of all other remedies. It cures permanently Rheumatism, Catarrh, Cancer, Scrofula, Eczema, and all other blood diseases. It is the only blood remedy guaranteed.

Purely Vegetable
Books mailed free by Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Ga.



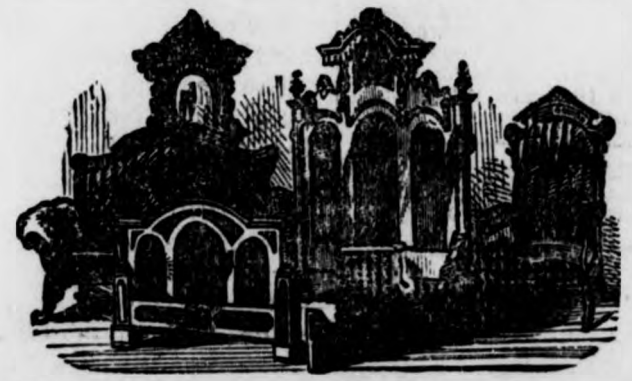
Had You Thought of This?

If needed, nothing would be more appreciated by your wife or mother than one of



"Our Leader" Cook Stoves

which we are selling so cheap; or something from our



Large and Well Selected Stock of Furniture,

sold at prices lower than ever before for a Xmas present. Come and see us when in need of anything, we have it, and any money spent with us will never be regretted.

Yours for business,

Carroll, Carpenter & Humphries.

The Bargains of the Boston Store.

Men's all wool \$5.00 overcoats at \$3.75 \$8.00 at \$5.75.
Men's all wool suits \$2.98 up to \$8.00. Mens all wool pants (all sizes) size 30 to 46 at 98c and up to \$3.75. Children's wool suits 98c and up to \$2.75. Men's Sunday shoes 98c and up. Men's hats and caps 25c and up to \$2.00. Ladie's shoes 75c and up. Children's shoe's in proportion. A full line of dressgoods. Ladie's and Gest's underwear. Ladie's capes. The best goods at the cheapest prices. Come and get some of the bargains at the Boston Bargains Store, Gaffney, S. C.

M. Poliakov.

THE CHEROKEE DRUG COMPANY,

Leading Druggists in



the Piedmont Section.

Buy Your Drugs from Us

because we have in our employ the only licensed Druggist in town, and the only druggist who can legally compound your medicines in the city.

Cherokee Drug Company.

Bring Your Prescriptions

to us because we have in charge of that department Mr. Wofford Humphries, a graduate of the Maryland College of Pharmacy, who has specially prepared himself for that work and knows just how to mix medicines to best get their physiological effect.

Cherokee Drug Company.

Buy Your Patent Medicines

and drugs sundries from us, because we try to carry in stock everything you want and if we haven't it on hand, will spare no pains in ordering it.

Cherokee Drug Company.

Buy Your Paints,

oils, varnishes, white lead, putty, window glass, colors for trimming, clover seeds, grass seeds and garden seeds from us, because you can get them all without going elsewhere.

Cherokee Drug Company.