Mr. A. W. Sims declines to run for Supervisor and his card of thanks will appear in our next issue.

Capt. Otts, the soldierly captain of the Pea Ridge Guards honored our sanctum on yesterday.

This is the time to get your tickets printed oh ye candidates—all job work is done promptly at this office.

The State Fair.

Get ready for the great Fair at Co-lumbia this fall. We have received the premium list which is rich and royal. The Fair embraces November 9th to 13th. Columbia, that great city which is coming to be, will make the occasion notable. For premium list send to Col. T. W. Holloway, Pomaria,

The Fruits of the Season. Some magnificent Bradford water-melons have been on the market from the neighborhood of Clinton, the Goshen of Laurens,. There have been some very fair peaches, but the grapes we have seen were indifferent. Those were right royal sent to our fair Junior editor from Saluda Heights and brought by our friend, Ashmore Davis.

A Surprise.

A seven pound cabbage and a little ver was laid at our door on Tuesday last. It came from the gardens of our good farmer friend, Mr. R. C. Davis.— It was pleasant to be remembered and pleasanter to be satisfied that Buncombe is not the only county that can produce a plump juicy royal cabbage. We can raise every thing good in Laurens and be independent and Mr. Davis' enterprising and intelligent methods show how these things can be done.—

The Boys are Marching.

At this writing we note the arrival on the Northern trains yesterday of the Pea Ridge Rifles of Union, who were immediately marched to Irby Hill and took up their quarters. Capt. J. C. Otts is in command with 1st, 2d and 3d Lieutenants W. H. L. Kelly, II. C. Little and J. O. Harris, 36 men in all. The Gary Watts Guards of Maddens, Capt. J. M. Dean 3d strong and the Laurens Guards Dean, 34 strong and the Laurens Guards 30 men are also in the tented field.— With the noon incoming trains, we expect a full batallion and a successful encampment. Lieutenant Stokes, of the United States Army is here. The prospect is good for a brilliant encamp-ment. Col. J. G. Wardlaw, of Clifton,

NOTICE. Lisbon Alliance will meet next Fri-

day afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Business of importance.

J. D. SULLIVAN,

75 cents slippers for 50 cents at Jam-

We cordially invite our friends and customers to make our store headquarters while attending the Encampment. We will furnish you with all the cool W. A. JAMIESON.

The annual meeting of the Stock-holders of the People's Loan and Ex-change Bank will be held in the office of said Bank on August 18, 1896. W. A. WATTS,

Stockholders Meeting.

Laurens, S. C. July 20th 1896.

Business Notices. We work for your interest and are determined to please you. Burns Co. For the next 30 days we will offer our entire stock of Mason Fruit Jars, put up one dozen in a case, Mart's 55 and one-half gallon Jars at 75 cents per dozen. S. M. & E. H. Wilkes & Co.

Mason Fruit Jars 50 cents per dozen quarts. Golly! Where? at Burns Co.

Late styles in correspondence and invitation stationery just arrived at The Laurens Drug Co. "Armoside Corset"-(never brakes down on the sides) \$1.00 a pair at Burns

The dry heated term is successfully discounted by the temperature of Po

Furniture! Furniture!! The largest stock carried by any one house in the State and prices the cheapest on same quality of goods. All bills of ten dollars delivered free at your depot.

S. M. & E. H. WILKES & CO.

Dr. Posey has a fresh supply of Turnip seed in bulk—can sell any quantity and you can see what you are buying. Will please you in price.

New crop Turnip Seed, cheap in

The Laurens Drug Co. Big lot Gents collars at 5 cts. also at

8 and 10 cts. Closing out. Davis & Roper. A great line of neck wear. Prices

Davis & Roper. Just opened-a nice line of Ladies

Purses and card cases. Call and see them at Laurens Drug Co.

Buy the Mason Fruit Jar for they are the best from Dr. B. F. Posey's. Shoes! Shoes!! Now is the time to

Davis & Roper. We guarantee one bottle of Johnsons Tonic to cure any case of chills and

fever and prevent return, on seventh, fourteenth, and twenty-eighth day. Price 50 cents at Laurens Drug Co.

We are the people for the Negligee Shirts. Our stock and prices right. Davis & Roper.

Ice-cold Soda Water, all the popular flavors, at Dr. Posey's Soda Fountain.

See the twenty-mule team hauling Borax in our store window.

The Laurens Drug Co. A splendid Summer Corset for only

50 cents at Jamieson's. We invite comparison with anybody's line Stationery. If our assortment and prices are not best don't buy of us. THE LAURENS DRUG CO.

Beautiful assortment of ladies' pocket books and card cases just opened at The Laurens Drug Co.

Get our prices on new crop of Turnip Seed. The Laurens Drug Co.

Tom Watson accepts the nomination by the Populists as Vice President on the Bryan ticket.

Capt. John J. McGowan.

The subject of this notice, whose death s annouced in another place was no ordinary man. He was the son of William McGowan who emigrated to this country from Ireland about the beginning of this century and a brother of General Samuel McGowan of Abbeville. There were other sons and daughters who have strongly impressed themselves in the State and throughout the South. We regret that the announcement of Capt. McGowan's death gives us time nor space to speak as we would like of the lessons illustrated by his strong personality and marked traits. His natural powers were superior; in public questions he was alwas interested giving to them careful investigation; arrived at a conclusion he was steadfast in his consistency and unflinching in his convictions. No man who ever lived in Lau rens had sounder views on public questions. The writer knew him well and knew him to be a man. Love of his State was a passion. He has been gathered to his fathers and there is only to bow to the dispensation. He leaves sons and daughters, among them F. P. Mc-Gowan, Esq., of our city.

Death of Young Joseph G. Humbert. The death of young Joseph G. Humbert, son of Capt. J. B. Humbert at his home in this county on the 28th of July is a peculiarly sad affliction. He was just verging to man's estate and in the midst of his college career, giving the highest promise of a bright and useful manhood. The blow is peculiarly severe in that but a short period past Capt. and Mrs. Humbert lost another splendid young son. It will be consolation to the afflicted parents to know that they have the deepest sympathy of their very many friends.

Plenie at Wham's Lawn.

The meeting at Wham's Lawn on Fri day last was a great success. The entertainment consisted of a de

bate by young men: "Should the North and South have separate governments. The young men did handsomely. The politicians then had the day. Senator Irby was the leading speaker-

then candidates for county representatives and county offices. A splendid picnic was enjoyed.

The weather has been unusually tropical for ten days—the mercury ranging high up in the nineties, breaking the re-

cord for the length of the spell.

The Spartanburg District Conference, at Landrum, which closed its session on the 27th ult., was largely attended. Among the attendant clergy who preached was Rev. A. J. Stoke of this city. He is also a member of the District Board of Education. R L. Coleman, W. P. Harris, P. P. Ham-ilton and T. L. Hames were elected as delegates to the annual Conference with C. C. Featherstone and S. M Rice, Jr., as alternates.

The ladies around Shiloh will give an Ice Cream Festival at Shiloh church on the 13th of August, beginning at 8 o' clock for repairs to the church.-There will be other refreshments, mu-sic, speeches and other amusements suited to such occasions. Everybody

LADIES.

President Craighead, of Clemson College, has consented to deliver a lecture in the Opera House of this city, on the evening of the 14th proximo. The proceeds will go to the benefit of the Ep-worth League, of this city. President Craigbead is a distinguished orator, and a rare literary treat may be expected.

Cross Hill Notes.

Our community was shocked to learn that Capt. John J. McGowan had died at his home on the 31st ultimo of appoplexy. Capt. McGowan was a life-long valuable and public spirited citizen, a devoted father, (having lost the partner of his life a few years ago) a kind neighbor and highly respected by all who knew him. In early manhood he served in a campaign with a Laurens company against the Seminoles in Florida, and though advanced in life promptly in '61 was among the first to offer his services in defence of his State and her honor .-Hostilities ended he resumed the peaceful avocation of a farmer, in which he delighted, devoting himself to his family, his neighbors and every good and

noble cause. In the fulness of years, having nearly completed four score, like a shock of wheat fully ripe he was gathered into the garner. He leaves a large family and many

riends to mourn their loss,

Jamieson's is the place to buy a good shoe or slipper cheap. Don't fail to drop in at Jamieson's while attending the Encampment and secure some special bargains at his closing out sale of summer goods.

Union Meeting. The Union of the Fourth and Fifth sections of the Reedy River Associa-ion will meet with the Cross Hill Bap-ist Church on Saturday before the 5th

day in August. PROGRAMME.

0.30—Devotional Exercises conducted

J. P. May. Alternate, C. K. Hale. ery-What are our obligations to Orphanage work at Greenwood?-. Culbertson, Rev. J. W. Blanton,

Riser and Rev. H. Fowler. ery-Is Baptism, by immersion, es-al to obedience? Or, is there any scriptural mode?—M. B. Crisp, D. A. Swindler, Frank Ramage,

3. F. Corley.

Query—Are we, as Baptists, laboring as we should for the dissemination of Baptist doctrine?—J. B. Whitmire, W. P. Turner, J. R. Boyd, W. P. Brown.

Queries. ay, 10.30—Sunday School Ad-J. M. Culbertson, Rev. B. F. Sun

11 A. M .- Sermon-Rev. D. A. Swin-R. C. WALLACE, Clerk.

attending the encampment be sure and drop in Jamieson's. He has some goods and prices that will interest

Go to Jamieson's for summer corsets cheap.

Mr. J. A. Rogers made a narrow escape by a perilous accident on Friday morning last. He was engaged in sawing lumber four miles North of the city and had sawed a few planks when an explosion occurred, throwing the engine forty yards over the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons, the only persons present. Mr. A ogers and his two sons, the only persons present. Mr. A ogers and his two sons, the only persons present. Mr. A ogers and his two sons the only persons present. Mr. A ogers made a narrow escape by a perilous accident on Friday morning last. He was engaged in sawing lumber four miles North of the city and had sawed a few planks when an explosion occurred, throwing the engine forty yards over the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons, the only persons present. Mr. A ogers and his two sons, the only persons present. Mr. A ogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons, the only persons present. Mr. A ogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons, the only persons present. Mr. A ogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons, the only persons present. Mr. A ogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the heads of Mr. Rogers and his two sons is the

HIGH JINKS.

THE SOLDIERS ARRIVE-GALA WEEK IS ON AND EVERY-THING SUGGESTS A LIVELY TIME-SALESDAY DOINGS.

Bemember the Bicycle races to-mor row and Friday.

Base Ball this evening between Lau ens and Newberry. Mrs. J. H. Bowen has gone to Sum-

Attorney F. P. McGowan was in Greenville on Friday last.

Miss Janie Vance, of Clinton, has peen in town for several days.

Mr. W. W. Ball is expected to spend Mrs. H. K. Aiken has returned from visit to her mother Mrs. Thames, o

Mr. Dick Coats will serve a Barbe-cue at Cross Hill on Friday, August 14th.

Mr. Reid Miller, always warmly wel-comed by hosts of friends here, is in the city from Anderson.

Mr. O. G. Thompson will not be candidate for Congress from this Dis-

Miss Elizabeth, the charming little daughter of Mr. T. F. Simpson, has re-turned from a visit to Greenville.

Messrs L. W. Simkins and Edward lathews drove up to Enorce on Satur day afternoon staying over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hunt, of Newberry passed through the city on Saturday en route to Harris Lithia Springs. President W. E. Lucas, of the Cotton Mills, spent Sunday with Mrs. Lucas at

The Spartanburg Herald chronicled the presence of Dr. T. E. Todd within the city of Spartanburg last week.

Don't fail to see the Bicycle races on Wednesday and Friday. Some of the best riders in the State will be here.

Mr. J. C. Burns, of this city, visited relatives and friends at Burnsville last week. John Henderson and Dick Owens will serve the Barbecue on next Satur-

Mr. Henry Hammond and family, of Sumter, are visiting relatives friends in the city.

Mr. Joseph Crews, of Atlanta, came over on his wheel a few days ago and is visiting relatives in the city.

The bicycling this week is going to be something worth braving even this weather to see. Mrs. David Strother, of Johnson's,

and Miss Dempie Scurrie, of Chappell's visited their uncle, Col. Ball, las Riders from Anderson, Greenwood, Greenville and Union will participate in the Bicycle races here Wednesday

and Friday.

Mr. J. R. Nolan, General Manager of the Columbia, Newberry and Lau-rens R. R. went to New York last On the 11th instant one week from

this day our county campaign will open at Langston church. Campaign ora-tors, hide your diminished heads! Lietenant M. B. Stokes, of the United

States Army is in town for the Encamp ment. General Watts and Col. Bruce are expected to come up for it. Col. Farley, candidate for Congress from this District, was in the city shak-ing hands with his greatly desired con-

The enterprising firm of S. M. & E. H. Wilkes & Co., will give prizes to those riding wheels bought from them by the rider. First prize valued at \$5.00.

econd prize valued at \$1.50. Hon. Stanyarne Wilson, M. C. this District, sends us a copy of his speech on Foreign Immigration, delivered in he House of Representatives, May 20

The Clemson Cadets are off for another year's work. They carry with them as a recruit Pierce Caine, the promising son of Dr. E. M. Caine, of

this city. Mr. Eugene Wilkes has purchase the lot fronting Main Street to the right of the Baptist Church and is

erecting what promises to be quite a handsome residence. Mr. John Y. Garlington is spending his summer vacation with his parents here. Mr. Garlington besides being a rising young lawyer has recently em-barked in literature as editor of the Alkahest, a thoroughly up to date and

oright publication. As the Dog Star gains ascendancy the board of health of our city should keep a vigilant lookout to back premi-ses and stale vegetables around and upon the streets. Cleanliness is assuredly next to Godliness and let the

city furnish a No. 1. object lesson. Watt McCoy, a farmer on the plantation of Mr. W. D. Sullivan left with us fully developed open bolls of cotton on the 31st of July. There is one element in this thing—the fleecy—although a little depressed now—it invariably finds a maket and fetches.

variably finds a market and fetches he stuff. It was our good friend Murk Sander who remembered us so that we could not forget him—a basket of delightful clear stone peachers. The sunny side of a good round one reminded us of the mixed roses and lilies in the cheek of--

Song service.
Devotional exercises conducted by Rev. James A. Martin.
Normal Lesson, limited to twenty minutes, by Rev. J. W. Shell.
Discussion of queries:
1st. The possibility of the teacher to develop character in the pupil.—Lee Rogers, B. F. Roper, W. C. Curry, C. C. Featherstone. Featherstone.

2d. Importance of good music in the Sunday School.—R. L. Henry, R. Abercrombie, H. H. Mahon, C. R. Wallace. Clerk of the Court, Col. J. H. Wharton has been busy for several days paying off the pensioners, in Class "B" and "C," Class "A" having been previously paid. Clerk Wharton is anxious to get the money out of his hands and and hopes all will call at once and relieve him of this duty.

Mr. W. P. Hudgens, one of the progressive young farmers, of Laurens, farming on the old Capt. James Hudgens farm, has a fine crop of early "King" cotton. Had open cotton on 24th of July. Has fifteen acres to plow this week, will then turn round and go to picking.

There will be a refreshment stand in the grove near the bicycle track this week which the public is invited to patronize. The proceeds go towards building the Methodist Church here, as all sorts of cooling and refreshing drinks will be served it will be wise to investigate them. Mr. J. A. Rogers made a narrow es

Appointments for North Trinity, First Sunday, 11 A. M.: Shiloh, 4 P. M. Dial's, Second Sunday. 11 A. M. Graycourt, 4 P. M. Shiloh, Third Sunday, 11 A. M.: Trinity, 4 P. M. Graycourt, Fourth Sunday, 11 A. M.: Dials, 4 1 M. Prayer Meeting at Graycourt Thurs-day noble

Managers Appointed for the Primary.

Pursuant to order the County Executive Committee met this the 3d of August. The following managers were appointed to conduct the primary election on the 25th of August and any subsequent elections required to be held under the rules of the party:

Langston's Church—M A Summerel, J M Clark, Walter Harmon.

Hopewell—A C Workman, J L Crawford, George Hopkins.

ford, George Hopkins.

Mountville—M B Crisp, R T Dunlap,

B H Pasley.
Cross Hill--R D Nance, W S Turner,

John Hollingsworth. Laurens C. H. Box—T D Lake, Waddy

Thompson, P B Lockwood.
Cotton Factory Box, Laurens C H—M
Lukewire, J M Bishop, R B King.
Mount Gallagher—J E Goddard, J C

Martin, W L Cooper.

Tip Top—S A Taylor, J C Sims, W A

Mt. Pleasant—J M Pearce, Jr., J D

Hunter, J B Wharton. Ekom—W J Box, J G Cooper, Jr., Jno R Boyd.

Brewerton-W I Freeman, E E Simp-

son, J A Balentine Jr.
Tumbling Shoals—M B McCuen, W L
Taylor, W A Baldwin.

Princeton—R B Gilkerson, Jno Carter, C O Moore.

Young Store-W T Dorroh, W Coleman, J B Higgins.

Parsons' Store—W P Coker, Baylis Parsons, E L Edwards. Dials' Church—P M Hellams, A J White, G P Woods.

Grav Court-WR Cheek, WH Barks-dale, ET Shell.

Power-A S Owings, V A White, W

Shiloh-H S Wallace, L S Bolt, B F

Woodville-W F Medlock, S O Babb,

One of the managers can have boxes

y applying to the Secretery or Clerk of

It was resolved that an assessment of

\$1.00 be placed on each candidate for a

county office, \$1.00 on each candidate for Solicitor and \$2.00 on each candidate for

Congress to be paid by the 8th of Aug-

It was further resolved that any town-

ship desiring to nominate a Magistrate

may hold an election at the general pri-mary by the same managers keeping a

special box, the managers to tabulate the vote and declare the result. G. P. SMITH,

Whereas, we the undersigned citizens of the town of Waterloo, S. C.

hearing that reports are being circulated throughout the county of Laurens, that

the citizens of this place are the authors

of certain reports concerning Mr. John H. Wharton and that we started said reports and are circulating them for the purpose of injuring Mr. John H. Wharton politically in his race for Clerk of Court for this country.

Court for this county. We emphatically deny that we are the authors of the said

report or that they were manufactured

J. Q. Wilber,

Jno. Cuningham.

L. D. Henderson,

Benj. D. Guningham, D. C. Smith, L. M. Henderson, D. W. Auderson,

. C. Anderson, . E. McCullough

J. Q. Pyles, R. J. Boyd, T. B. Anderson, J. J. Dendy' J. E. Henderson.

NOTICE.

The Laurens County Alliance is here-

by called to meet in extra session at the Court House on Monday next, 10th inst.

at 10 o'clock A. M. for the purpose o

taking active measures to resist the

cotton tie trust which has advanced the price of their goods ninety-five per

DUNCAN'S CREEK, - The old

stone edifice has been thoroughly

overhauled this summer and the

roof repaired and repainted; the

woodwork of the church repaired,

new sash put in the windows, and the building whitewashed inside.—

The exercises commemorating the

130th anniversary will be held in

August, on Friday before the fourth

Sabbath. A full programme will be published as soon as the details

are completed,-Southern Presby-

Sunday School Convention.

Program of the Laurens County In-

Convention, which meets with the

Green Pond Methodist Church on Thursday and Friday, August 6th and

FIRST DAY-MORNING.

Convention called to order by the President at 10 o'clock a. m.—sun time.

Song service. Devotional exercises conducted by

Rev. T. B. Craig.
Organization. Appointment of committees, President's speech.

AFTERNOON—FIRST DAY.

Song service. Report of committees. Verbal reports from each school as to

their work and spiritual interest, by delegates. Reports limited to five min-

SECOND DAY-MORNING.

AFTERNOON-SECOND DAY.

3d query: The chief end of the Sunday School work: the conversion of souls.—W. S. Knight, Dr. A. C. Fuller, J. O. Templeton, Col. J. II. Wharton.

Speaker limited to fifteen or twenty minutes.

Miscellaneous business. Adjourn. Each school is entitled to two dele

gates and a Superintendent. School sending delegates please notify Mr

R. Abercrombie, Fountain Inn, S. C. R. Abercrombie,

Laurens Circuit.

J. H. WHARTON, W. L. GRAY,

W. C. CURRY, C. H. ROPER, Executive Committee.

Song service.

Song service.

are requested to publish this notice.
M. A. SUMEREL,

promptly in this matter.

Aug 3, 1896.

Sub-alliances are requested to act

County paper

County President.

B. A. Anderson

[Signed]

B. W. BALL, Secretary.

Chairman Executive Committee.

E H Moore, J E Patterson.

P Armstrong.

Pleasant Mound-W H Drummond

FREE COINAGE.

What is meant by free coinage of silver at the ratio of sixteen to one? The question has often been asked and answered, but there are many who do not know. "Free coinage" means the coinage, by the government, of bullion into money free of charge. Our nation now has free coinage of gold; and one may take gold to the mint and one may take gold to the mint and tion now has free coinage of gold; and one may take gold to the mint and have it coined into gold dollars, the only charge being made for the alloy (copper) put in the dollar to make it hard. "The ratio of sixteen to one" means that there shall be sixteen times as much silver in a silver dollar as there is gold in a gold dollar. The ratio is based upon the presumption ratio is based upon the presumption that gold is sixteen times more valua-ble than silver; or would be if the na-tion adopted free coinage of silver, thus giving it an equal chance with

The Biblical Recorder, from Which

the above paragraph is taken, says: We have given more thought to this question in the last three years than to any other." If this is so, our contempory ought to be able to give a more intelligent account of free coinage than is contained in this extract. The editor quoted confounds free and gratuitous coinage. "Free coinage exists where any owner of bullion has the right to have it coined on the same terms as the government, whether with or without a seigniorage charge." Hence there may be free collage where there is a seigniorage, or charge for coinage. Gratuitous coinage means that no seigniorage is charged for the work of coining, i. e., the mint value and the bullion value of the coins are the same. Hence also there may be gratuitous coinage where free coinage does not exist, that is, only a limited amount of bullion may be admitted to the mint and coined gratuitously. Free coinage of silver might mean, therefore, any one of several things, gratuitous limited coinage, free and unlimited coinage, or gratuitous and unlimited coinage. As a matter of fact, in present discussions on the subject, it signifies the latter, i.e., there is to be no seigniorage charge and the profits arising brush, because you use a toothfrom converting bullion into money are to belong to the owner of the bu lion, and on the other hand, no limit is to be fixed to the amount of bullion admitted to the mints; the mint's mechanical capacity being the only limit to the volume oi silver coin. This is the doctrine of "free coinage of silver" as advocated at present

by a great many people. The other point as to the ratio sixteen to one, does not mean that gold is sixteen times as valuable as silver, or that silver is one-sixteeth as valuable as gold, but that governmental flat cap establish this ratio of value and maintain it This is really the gist of the question in dispute. Those who believe in the omnipotence of government settle it in one way; those who believe that governments do not create economic laws, but are rigidly subject to them, settle it in another way. The question is before the people of the United States, and before they venture to cast their votes they should study the question. If the voter does not study the subject he is not morally competent to vote. For this is, to some extent, a moral issue. Let the people seek light on this subject and that not from demagogues. but from those who have studied the subject. There are some who have studied it for more than "three years."-The Baptist Cou-

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the car. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. Wnen this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous sur-

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send

for circulars, free. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toicdo, O.

Sold by druggists. A big lot of Men's suits at reduced prices. Now is your time.

Davis & Roper.

List of Letters

Remaining in the Post Office at Laurens, S. C., unclaimed, for the we

ending Aug. 3, 1896.

A-Adaias, C B. B-Boman, J H; Benson, Will.

C-Cunningham, N S. F-Fisher, N A. G-Gardner, W S. L-Long, Rev. H. -Hamonds, Mrs. Eller. -Keitt, Miss Emma.

L-Lilliwood, M J; Lay, Miss Marthia. R-Rountree, Thomas; Mrs. Maggie; Russell, R. L. W-Watkins, Warren. FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 27.

B-Butler, Miss Lilla; Bradford. Miss Flora; Bedingfield; B F; Boyd, Wiliam; Brunnell, PH. C-Cannon, Wess; Claania, William.

D-Dobbins, B J. E-Edwards, Ben C. G-G. St. Gervris. H-Hill, Joseph.

H—Hill, Joseph.
M—Miller, Miss Martha.
P—Philips, Arthur.
R—Reeves, J Lyon.
S—Smith, E H. Sharids, Miss Metter Stoddard John; Snider, D'B. W--Woods, Lever; Wilson, Miss Daisy: Williams, Mrs. Janes,

Persons calling for any of above let ters will please say, "They are adver-T. B. CREWS, P. M. ROCKY SPRIGNS .- The congrega-

tion has been at work during the summer and the church has been much improved internally. A new pitpit platform has been built, nicely carpeted, and cocoa matting has been laid in the aisles. The communion will be held next Sabbath and a protracted meeting held the week after. Both these churches are regularly supplied by Rev. W. S. Bean.—Southern Presbyterian.

Are You Tired All the time? This condition is a

sure indication that your blood is not rich and nourishing as it ought to be and as it may be if you will take a few bottles of the great blood purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla. Thousands write that Hood's Sar-LAURENS, SOUTH CAROLIN. Candidates' Column.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE. I announce myself as a candidate for the House of Representatives. Will be govered by the rules of the Democratic party. Respectfully

J. R. SMITH. I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the House of Re-presentatives and pledge myself to abide by the result of the Democratic Primary.

N. B. DIAL.

I want to be a member of the South Carolina Legislature for one term, and announce myself as a candidate for said position, as a free silver candidate, subject to the action of the primary election. I. H. ABERCROMBIE.

This is written with the object of

making you a convert to the best

Pooth-brush in the World. Full in-

structions are sent with each

brush. Every night before retiring

adopt the habit illustrated in this

scene. Let father, mother, and chil-

dren all join in giving the mouth

and teeth a healthy and refreshing

THIS IS THE

PROPHYLACTIC.

Yes, "Prophylactic" is a peculiar

word, and hard to remember, but it

is a Splendid Name for a Tooth-

brush to prevent your teeth from

decaying, and Prophylactic means

a "preventive of disease." With

every brush comes a neat little

hook secured to the brush, and

there is a hole in the end of the

handle which enables you to hang

it up. The head will not touch the

wall. Ask your dentist about the

"Prophylactic Tooth-brush," and

see if he will not recommend it.

Laurens Drug Co.,

The Campaign Meetings.

Winnsboro, Tuesday, August 4.

Columbia, Wednesday, August 5.

Orangeburg, Thursday, August 6.

Spartanburg, Tuesday, August 11.

Greenville, Wednesday, August 12.

Abbeville, Wednesday, August 19.

The Democrats of Dials Club will

eet Tuesday morning at Dials church

at 9 o'clock to make arrangements for a new enrollment, as the old list which

wa in the possession of Mr. Yeargin,

deceased, cannot be found.

J.S. Wolff,

Townsh'b Chairman.

Schedule C. N. & L. Railroad.

The new schedule on the Columbia,

Newberry & Laurens Road went into

lows:

effect last Thursday and runs as fol-

No. 52. Passenger from Columbia,

arrives at Laurens, 1:15 p. m.
No. 53. Passenger, leaves Laurens
for Columbia, 2:10 p. m.
No. 2. Mixed, from Columbia to

Laurens, arrives 9:30 p. m. No. 1. Mixed, leaves Laurens for

Columbia, 7:15 a. m.
No. 3. Local freight (Monday, Wednesday and Friday) from Laurens to

No. 4. Local freight from Columbia

(Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday) ar-

P. R. & W. C. Railway.

J. B. CLEVELAND, Receiver.

Schedule in effect July 7, 1896.

Glenn Spr'gs 4 05 p m Spartanburg 3 00 p m Saluda 4 38 p m

Asheville 8 20 a m Spartanburg 11 45 a m

Glenn Spr'gs 10 00 a m Greenville 11 55 a m

Anderson 10 25 a m

Greenwood 12 17 pm 11 30 pm

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6 45 pm

2 28 p m 5 05 p m

5 55 a m

Close connection at Greenwood for

all points on S. A. L. and C. & G. Rail-

ways, and Spartanburg with Southern

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ATTICUS H. DAGNALL.

ets, rates, schedule, etc., address W. J. CRAIG, Gen. Pass. Agt.

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Augusta, Ga.

Augusta and Asheville Short Line.'

Columbia, leaves 7:30 a. m.

rives 6 p. m.

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Newberry, Friday, August 7.

Laurens, Saturday, August, 8.

Pickens, Thursday, August 13.

Anderson, Monday, August 17.

Union, Monday, August 10.

Oconee, Friday, August 14.

meetings yet to be held:

The following are the campaign

The Price is 35 cents at

The friends of O. P. Goodwin knowing his loyalty and zeal for Tillman-Reform principles, and recognizing his fitness, suggest his name for the Lower House of the General Assembly, subject to the primary election. *
TILLMAN DEMOCRATS.

FOR SOLICITOR.

I hereby announce that I am candidate for re-election as Solici tor of this Circuit, and pledge myself to abide the result of the Democratic primary.

O. L. Schumpert.

Thos. S. Sease, Esq., of Newberry is hereby announced as a candidate for Solicitor of the 7th Judicial Cir. cuit and is pledged to abide the re sult of the Democratic Primary Elections.

C. P. Sanders, Esq., of Spartanburg, S. C., is hereby announced as a candidate for Solicitor of the Seventh Judicial Circuit, subject to nomination by the Democratic elec-

I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for Solicitor of the Seventh Judicial Circuit, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. H. Y. SIMPSON.

I want to be Solicitor of the Seventh Circuit. I pledge myself to

abide the result of the Democratic Primary election. C. C. FEATHERSTONE. FOR CLERK OF COURT.

of Laurens County that I am a candidate for Clerk of Court, and promise to submit to the action of the Democratic primary. W. P. TURNER.

I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for Clerk of Court for Laurens County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. J. H. WHARTON.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Clerk of Court for Laurens county, subject to the Democratic Primary. JOHN F. BOLT.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of Court for Laurens county at the

ensuing primary election and pledge myself to abide the result of said election. J. H. COPELAND.

FOR SHERIFF. At the solicitation of many

friends, I announce myself a can-didate for Sheriff, and will abide the result of the Democratic primary election. G. PET SMITH.

I am a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff for Laurens

Democratic primary and I want all the votes I can get. Respectfully, G. S. McCRAVY,

county subject to the action of the

FOR TREASURER.

The friends of Capt. A. E. Nance announce his name to the voters of Laurens county as a candidate for the office of Treasurer fully aware that his competency for the position could not fail to give sat isfaction to the whole people of the FRIENDS. county.

I want the Treasurer's Office; Will abide the Primary. B. W. LANFORD.

The friends of T. S. Langston respectfully announce him to the Democratic Voters of Laurens county, as a candidate for Treasurer, knowing him to be fully competent for said position. Subject to the Democratic Primary.

To the voters of Laurens County:
I announce myself as a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Laurens County, and pledge myself to rens County, and pledge myself to abide the result of the Democratic primary.

JAMES W. HENDERSON.

Youngs Township, knowing him to be a man of good moral character and fully qualified to discharge the duties of county Treasurer, would respectfully nominate him a candidate for said office at the next election, subject to a Democratic Primary.

The many friends of W. E. Cook, of

FOR AUDITOR.

I respectfully announce myself to the voters of Laurens county as a candidate for the office of Auditor. To all those who will give me their support I pledge myself to labor for the best interests of all the people. I further pledge my-self to abide the result of the primary. W. SANFORD KNIGHT.

I respectfully announce that I will be a candidate for the office of County Auditor, subject to the choice of the Democratic voters in the ensuing primary. Jno. R. Winley.

The friends of R. W. Nichols, feeling confident of his competeicy, nominate him as a candidate for county

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L. T. H. DANIEL.

FOR SUPERVISOR. This is to inform my friends and the voters of Laurens County generally that I am a Candidate for Supervisor, subject to result of Democratic Primary.

* A. F. COLEMAN.

The friends of Capt. James Dowley respectfully submit his name to the voters of Laurens county as a candidate for the office of Supervisor, and pledge him to acquiesce in the result of the primary. FRIENDS.

I announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of county Supervisor, and respectfully ask the people of Laurens County for reelection in order that I may carry out my plans and the public work of the county, believing that in so doing the voters will enable me to leave a record for the public good for which the entire county, irres-

FOR THE SENATE.

for the Senate and I will abide the decision of the people at the Democratic primary. ALEX. J. SMITH.

many friends, I hereby consent to

become a candidate for re-election to the Senate, subject to the rules of the primary election. A. C. FULLER.

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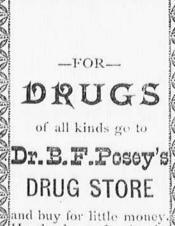
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I announce myself as a candidate

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