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LAURENS, S.C., WEDNESDAY AUG. 23, 1905.

WOODMEN GIVE ANNUAL PICNIC

J. J. McSwain, Orator of the Day.

MEMORIAL EXERCISES.

Other Speeches Delivered by Messrs Goodwin and Irby of Laurens and Prof. Cork of Rock Hill.

ALMA, R. F. D., No. 2., August 22. Six hundred Woodmen and their friends attended the chird annual picnic last Friday given by Myrtle Camp, No. 206, W., located at Friendship Church. This is one of the strongest Camps in the county and its membership embraces the very flower of the entire community.

About a year ago a neat and comfortable Castle Hall was built-a most commendable example soon to be followed by other Camps in the county. Prof. L. D. Elledge as Consul Commander, S. H. Johnson, Adviser Lieutenant, Mr. Guy Elledge, Banker and Mr. Robt. M. Wasson, Clerk, constitute the principal officers of Myrtle Camp. There are, of course, other offices in the Lodge and these are filled by capable and enthusiastic "choppers." Myrtle Camp is the pride of the communit and it is doing a good work.

Friday's exercises were in charge o Mr. R. W. Nash, County Superintend ent of Education and a prominent Wood men of the county.

Promptly at 11 o'clock the members of Myrtle Camp, together with a number of visiting Woodmen, formed in line and marched from the hall to the cemetery, where appropriate and impressive memorial exercises were held over the grave of Sovereign John Lafayette Pitts, to whose memory a suita ble marble shaft was erected a year ago by Myrtle Camp. These ceremon ies were concluded with placing a bank of flowers on the grave of the departed

This over, the crowd was invited to repair to the speakers' stand, where the address of this feature of the day's celebration was delivered by John J. McSwain, Esq., of Greenville. He is an eloquent and charming speaker, who can hold the rapt attention of a crowd for an indefinite period, no matter what the subject is. But he had a good sub ject, one next the heart of his friends, the Woodmen, and he let himself out for an hour or more, greatly to the charmed delight and pleasure of all his auditors. When he finished a number of magnificent boquets were sent to the

At this hour a basket picnic was served and everyone fared sumptuously. In the afternoon the crowd reassem bled, where Messrs. O. P. Goodwin and W. C. Irby of Laurens and Prof. J. Coleman Cork of Rock Hill, who is visiting Capt. E. G. Mitchell, made addresses.

The speeches of Messrs. Goodwin and Irby were devoted to a defense of the dispensary and against the move ment to vote out the institution under the Brice Act.

Mr. Cork said as Rock Hill had no dispensary there was not much discussion of the subject in the city but he thinks the people are preparing to vote the thing out of the county. He is a teacher and his idea is to inculcate in the minds of the young proper ideals of government and in this way a sentiment will be built up that will drive from our borders corrupting influence of whatever nature.

A little life may be sacrificed to an hour's delay. Cholera infantum, dys-entery, diarrhea come suddenly. Only safe plan is to have Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry always on hand.

25-CENT COLUMN.

FOR SALE CHEAP:- Bran, sligthly damaged. Excellent feed for cows and pigs. Dixie Flour and Grain Co. 3-1t WANTED-Every body in Laurens to

see our fall and winter samples for fine tailor made suits. Cleaning and pressing done promptly. Phone 180. E. J. Dancy, Laurens, S. C. 3-1t

WANTED:-A few more girls wanted to run sewing machines in overall factory. All machines run by power, no peddling with foot, nice, clean work, and we'll pay you while learning. at once, as we expect to start up in a few days, to T. K. Hudgens, Sec'y and Treas., Crescent Company, Laurens,

WANTED:-You to list your property with me, either for sale, rent or ex-change. Quick results. J. N. Leak,

WANTED-At the Laurens Hotel, regular boarders, with or without rooms. Prices reasonable. For further infor-

2-2t J. J. Dallas, Proprietor.

WAGONS:-Have just received a car load each of the celebrated Studebake and Hackney wagons, one and two horse. T. N. Barksdale, Laurens, S. C.

FOR SALE:-My Mountain Creek FOR SALE:—My Mountain Creek plantation, about 200 acres, fine bottom land, original forest, splendid pastures, six room concrete residence, four tenant houses, barn, cotton house etc. splendid well-water. Terms to suit you G. A. Fuller, Laurens, S. C. R. F. D. No. 5.

FOR SALE-219 acre farm in Chestnut 1 dge neighbo. hood, seven miles West of Laurens. Dwelling, two tenant houses, well of goo water and plenty of running water. Ten acres in original nal oak forest, 50 acres in cultivation, balance in pines. Land slightly rolling.

52-3t (Rev.) Jos. A. Martin. Cross Hill, S. C. WANTED DETECTIVES, Responsible, Sharp, Daring Young Men everywhere. Experience unnecessary. Enclose stamp for particulars. Grandell's Detective Bureau, Philadelphia. Pa.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

Mr. W. W. Bryson of Mountville was n the city on Saturday on business. Miss Laura Burns, of Barksdale, was n the city shopping on Saturday.

Mr. J. J. Pluss is off to Ashville, N. . for this hot weather.

Mrs. Nannie Jordon of Anniston, Ala. s visiting Mrs. C. W. Tune. Mr. Connor Fuller is building on his

ot on East Main street. Mrs. Coque and children of Virginia,

are visiting at Dr. R, E. Hughes.

Mrs. Claude Fuller and Mr. L. D. Pitts have gone to Hendersonville. Mr. J. P. Saxon has gone on an out-

ing to Saluda, Ashville and Charlotte,

Messrs Earl Wilson, Will Richey and the mountain resorts of North Carolina. Misses Glennie Bolt and Hannah Tol-

Mr. F. M. Godbold of Marion is visitng his daughter, Mrs. Warren Bolt on West Main street.

Clinton boasts more automobiles than and town of its size in the state. Those of us whose coigne of vantage overlook Pick Hudgens' shop can say that we are never out of sight of an auto except for the crowd. Who can beat that?

Death of Mrs. Mary Chapman.

Mrs. Mary Hart Chapman died at the ome of her mother, Mrs. Margaret Hart at Maimi, Fla. a few days ago. Mrs. Chapman was a sister of Mrs. B. A. Wharton of Mountville and was widely connected in the city and county. Three children survive her, the eldest daughter, Miss Mary having just graduated at the Thornwell Orphanage.

Reunion of Laurens "Bees."

The reunion of Co. "F" 14th, S. C volunteers was held at Sandy Springs on last Saturday. There was a good gathering and the day was fine. Interesting speeches were made by Judge O. G. Thompson and Hon. F. P. Mc-Gowan. The social feature were looked after also and every body brought dinner and every had a good time. A full account of the reunion appear

elsewhere in this paper.

Miss Katherine Copeland Returns to Clinton.

Miss Katherine Copeland, of Statesville, N. C., will return to Clinton on sept. 13th, for the purpose of taking charge of her class in music. Miss Copeland is an accomplished musician and thorough teacher and her pupils are fortunate in having their first instructions at her hand.

John Grant Found Guilty.

John Grant, the white man who was arrested on Thursday evening Aug. 17th by policemen Bagwell and Jernagan, and charged with disordely conduct. reckless driving and various offences. the mayor and a jury.

\$50,00 on each. He will appeal to the Court of sessions.

Another feature of the case is that he swore out warrants for the policemen making the arrest, charging them with false imprisonment claiming that they had no right to follow beyond the city limit to make the arrest.

Oak Grove Burned.

Oak Grove School house, near Belview Church in the neighborhood of Leesville was burned on Monday night about 12 or 1 o'clock.

The origin of the fire is not known out it is thought that probably some one dropped a lighted match or stump of a gigar or cigarette as the W. O. W. had had a meeting there that night and had not adjourned until late. The school State can follow the exact boundaries furniture was of coarse all destroyed of their land without the assistance of and a lot of new paraphinalia belonging a surveyor. How can a man properly to the Woodmen, also,

We are unable to ascertain the loss n dollars but there was no insurance.

Yellow Fever Conditions.

The fever situation in New Orleans and other places has improved during the past week.

It was thought on Monday to be under full control as there were only 45 new cases on Sunday and the proprotion of deaths much smaller. Later advices show that Sundays good record was not held by Monday and 61 new cases were reported for that day. It is stated nowever that there is no cause for alarm as a serious epidemic is no longer feared but it is expected there will continue to

be some new cases until frost. CLEMSONS EXPENDETURES.

More Than \$150,000. a Year. Equivalent to \$4,000,000, Endowment.

Columbia, Aug. 18. - Acording to a abulated report filed with the state find that you have the old brass kettle superintendent of education, Clemson and don't care to part with it. The College has spent for the last scholas- Nebraska ranchman was a negatively tic . a more than \$155,212. This re- bad citizen.

was filed to-day and it is the first of the series of annual statements to be sent by the colleges of the state. The figures are most interesting. They are what education they can afford. Such given month by month and show that people, all of them, are good citizens Clemson is one of the richest colleges no matter where they came from no in the South, although practically every where they make their homes. I think cent of the income is expended on ac- the most worthy attribute of man is count of the enormous attendance and that desire for a home where he and the necessary expense attached thereto. Of the \$155,212 expended a great deal came in from the fertilizer tax which great majority of civilized mankind has was \$118,000 last year and has already gone nearly that high this year. The statement does not give the sources of revenue but this will be filed later.

HOW HOME SEEKERS MAY BE BROUGHT.

Interesting Paper Read Yesterday by Mr. I. H. Morris, Recently Moved Here From the West.

Mr. I. H. Norris, who recently came to South Carolina from Illinois, yesterday read the following paper before he South Carolina Industrial and Conmercial Association:

We are here to decide upon the best methods for giving the most attractive information regarding our State to the investor, the manufacturer, and the home seeker.

Now ! take it that what we are trying to do is to benefit not only communities, but our State in its entirety and to do this I believe we should a try to work out some method giving the greatest publicity to the various Guss Simmons have been on a trip to opportunities within our State for the investor, the manufacturer and the home seeker. As regards the investor, do not think we need worry very bert have returned from a visit to Gray much, for as a rule all he wants is to feel assured of dividends, and capital can be induced to follow good, honest and industrious people into almost any

The manufacturer I know very little about and it seems to me that all we need to try to interest is the home eeker; all the rest will follow as a matter of course.

I believe it to be a fact that there are only two ways of increasing wealth in the world. One is by manufacturing raw material into marketable commodities, the other is by production from the soil. Labor is the one essential of both these, so that we may say labor is the only way in which the world's wealth can be increased. The farmer is the greatest laborer in the world, hence he is the greatest producer of the weath of the world. The tilling of the soil by proper cultural methods produces the food stuff and the wearing apparel for the entire human race. Thus we find if we examin closely, that the greatest possession we have is the soil. It is the greatest en dowment of mankind. From it we are told we came, on it we live, move and work out our destiny, and to it we nust most certainly return. How do we regard it or treat it? Do we care for it and tend it as we should? We should always bear in mind that although the soil cannot go out of existence, yet the ability of the soil to produce plant life and support herds and flocks, may and does either increase or decrease, and that it is our ing our life time to leave conditions just a little better than we found them. If we do that it matters little about our religion or our polities. If we have been good citizens, the world is better

for our having lived in it. We should ever bear in mind that a town, a community, a State or a counry is a lesser or a greater number individuals and that the good or bad character of the individual affects the whole. The proportion of good or bad was tried on Saturday morning before citizens makes the State either good or bad; according to the proportion, is the The defendent was found guilty on character of the State. To be a bad two counts of the indictement and fined citlzen it is not necessary that one should be a criminal, he may be positively bad it is true, but he may also negatively bad, and of the two, the negatively bad is often the worse. A negatively bad farmer is that one who neglects to perform the duties of the trust imposed upon him as a custodian of the soil, and neglects to leave it better than he found it, or neglects to care for it as he should. If a man has a fine jewel he puts it in a costly setting; he grooms and gives especial care to a fine horse, and in so doing, he is not negligent, but the same man may be negligent of his lands, not fearing to lose them by lack of care. He just has them and lets it go at that.

I will venture the assertion that less than half of the land owners in this value something the very appearance of which he is so woefully ignorant of As a matter of pride the owner of land should try to put it in such shape and condition that it would attract and not repel visitors and then I believe many land owners would be like the Nebraska ranchman who sold his ranch stock, furniture and atensils of all kind. The purchaser demanded an inventory of everything be had purchased, and when it was made, in cluding all the personal property, chairs, pots, pans, forks spoons, dishes etc., the old ranchmar backed down and would not sell because he found an old brass kettle which he never before knew he had. The trade fell through the old brass kettle was cleaned and polished and was found to be of great value. It is always well to see your own property. To know what you got, to keep it in good shape and to realize as fully as possible what can be done with it. When this is done, you may

Good citizens are those who desire a home, a place to rear their children and train them up in industry, to give them his family may live in peace and comfort, and I am glad to believe that the that desire deeply implanted with it.

The settlers who have come here, ye those who are even now flocking to the United States, are in the main people

who seek to better their conditions, and the great northwest is today filled with men who were born in foreign lands or

who are the children of foreigners, and you find them in many cases forcing themselves up to the higher places not satisfied with a living only, but filled with a desire to put their children in a better position in life than they ever hope for where they came from. I believe that the newer parts of this country, the plains between Mississippi

best agents of publicity and immigra-The good, live, hustling passenger and traffic agents and real estate agents and the public press-all must work together and in absolute harmony with the communities in which and for which

proven beyond all argument what the

Let every man try to be a good citizen, do his best for his own and with his own, and not forget that absolute truth does more good than anything else in the long run and we will lay foundation to work on and to build up from that will bring lasting benefit to our State and one that we will be proud W. H. Washington, P. A. Simpson, W to have a hand in building. United, honest effort will work wonders. It may take a while to get the result, but not the less surely will it come. We must remember that when we plant our seed and set out our shrubs and trees some bear fruit the same season they are planted while others, not for years but we plant them just the same, know ing that some one, some time, will gather the fruits of our planting.

Lht all try to see the best in our ow community, let us work for the painted school house, road improvement, for education in the broadest sense and a few years of prosperity will do wonders for South Carolina.

Let every citizen lend his aid to the betterment of local conditions so that the evidence of thrift can be seen by all who look, and the result will be sat-

isfactory. We as individuals will have profited with the rest, and just so surely as one and one make two, will good citizenship and intelligent methods build up a State, bring in investore and establish factories. Let us throw wide the porals of our State, give the greatest publicity to opportunities as they exist and stand as good citizens should, and I have no doubt the railroads and real es tate men can do the rest, but we must all go together, they cannot do all, neither can we. The citizens of a State should be the ones to demand and enforce improvement on their own account first, last and all the time and in this movement we should remember State, 'August' 18th are is strangth '-

Unfortunately Correct. The Yorkville Inquirer recalls that Congressman D. E. Finley predicted when the dispensary system was originally debated in the State Senate, of belles and beaux who are not as yet on which he was at the time the member from York, would render corrupt any overnment upon which it should be engrafted. We are glad that the In mirer has directed attention to Mr Finley's course. He was a follower of Senator Tillman, but he was a Reformer who at all times made conspicuous his contemptuous disregard of factionalism. In those days of bitter conflict between the factions in Columbia when his own wing of the party was in overwhelming ascendancy. Mr. Finley refused to enter a caucus which drew the line against any of his fellow Democrats, Generally he voted for what were known as the "Reform measures," but never because he was told to do so. He was always fair to the minority and his freedom from partisan bias was a matter of daily illustration in the Legislature. Mr. Finley's position in those unhappy political times was one almost of isolation, and his manliness should not be forgotten in South Carolina.—News and Courier.

Historic and Romatic.

A very romatic place, from many points of view, is Musgrove Mill, just nine miles from the town of Clinton. lying upon the highway running directly from Clinton to Spartanburg.

It came into notice as a mill before the revolutionary war and has been running pretty steadily for something like 125 years. This is sufficient evidence of the fact that it is a good site for milling operations. Its chief notoriety in revolutionary times springs from the fact that a battle was fought at this mill in which the British and Tories were badly worsted. On a hill overlooking the Enoree River and the mill is a dwelling on the site of the cottage home of the celebrated Mary Musgrove, whose revolutionary fame has come down to our times.

This mill property had fallen into a very bad state of repair. But its presowners have taken the matter in hand, and have installed a new turbine wheel reconstructed the building, put in shaft ing and gear wheels, rebuilt the corr and wheat mills, and have it in good shape for doing good work.

Musgrove on the Enoree is a famous place in these parts. Clinton people ir great numbers visit the mill during the summer, and fish and camp out and picnic on the shores of the river.

Just beyond the bridge, and over in Spartanburg county, is the famous Horseshoe Falls, so named for "Horseshoe" Robinson whose exploits in all this section of country has added romance to the beautiful scenery. The time is coming when in addition

to the hum of machinery, Clinton people will have their summer cottages on the banks of the river, and its waters will be alive with their boats. - Our Monthly CASTORIA.

Bears the

WEEK IN SOCIETY.

The Fortnightly Social Club Delightfully

The Fortnightly Social Club, which on account of the absence from the city of a great many of its members has not been taking part in the social life of late, was called together on Tuesday afternoon by Miss Tallulah Caine at her beautiful home on South Harper out to-night very interesting statistics iver and the Rocky mountains have Street. The hostess was assisted in aeceiving by her sister Mrs. Dial Gray and the guests, on entering, were served with punch from the reception hall by Miss Toccoa Caine. The guests The persons killed numbered 10,046, vere forced to arrive between showers but quite a number braved the weath. and were fully repaid by a charming | afternoon. Progressive "Nations" in-

> came a beautiful course of refreshments, pink ice cream, chocolate and white cake. Those present: Misses Nannie Kate Hudgens, Annie Gilkerson, Maizie Little, Willie Jones, Josephine Minter. Mesdames, William Meng, A. D. Gray, H. Anderson, M. L. Copeland, J. H.

CHARMING PARTY GIVEN BY A CHARM-ING LITTLE GIRL.

AN ELEGANT RECEPTION IN HONOR OF

Mrs. D. A. Davis entertained Miss Bessie McMahan of Lexington, the Misses Fant of Union, Miss Dorcas Calmes, Messrs. James Davis of Clinton, Knox Simpson of Laurens and Roy Fant of Union at a house party last week in honor of Miss Josephine Fuller. On Friday evening, Misses Fuller and Calmes received over a hundred guests at Mrs. Davis' beautiful home in honor of the members of the house party .-The reception was not only one of the largest but one of the most beautiful entertainments given in Laurens recently. A color scheme of pink and green prevailed in decorations and refreshments and Misses Fuller and Calmes, the charming young hostesses, wore lovely costumes of pink. The parlors and later on the spacious lawn, which was brilliant with myriads of Japanese lanterns. The most delicious ices, pink chocolate and vanilla cream and cakes were served by some of the the carpet.

louse party this week, the guests being her grand-children, Master Douglas Featherstone, Master John D. Fuller and Misses Lucia and Phoebe Feather-Dr. Francis Marion Setzler.

The following resolutions were adopted by the Sunday School Association of Laurens County, S. C., which met at Friendship Presbyterian Church, August 3rd and 4th 1905, on the death of our beloved friend and comrade, Dr. F. M. Setzler.

Whereas, it has pleased God in His infinite wisdom to call from earthly la bors to the Heavenly rest, Dr. F. M. Setzler. Therefore be it Resolved-

diction. Faithful to every duty, his

grief over our loss, we sorrow not as others who have no hope. He has heard the call, "well done good and faithful servant, enter thou into the joy of the Lord.'

family our heartfelt sympathy in this time of sore bereavement and we commend them for consolation to the God of all comfort.

4th: We direct that a copy of this Memorial be sent to the bereaved family and that a page be set apart in our minutes to the memory of our departed brother and a copy sent to our county papers for publication. F. L. Bramlet,

F. E. Dibble, Committee.

J. P. Saxon,

Miss Fleming Entertains. A large number of the young people

dered her guests, Miss Olynthia Jones ters does it. was the game of the evening, and those every place. Jennings played a star ing the evening tempting fruit punch bon, 7. was served, and the evening closed with respondent to News and Courier.

Chat H. Fletchers Bears the

Entertained by Miss Caine.

On Wednesday afternoon little Miss Rebecca Clarke entertained fifty of her little friends in honor of her sixth For 1903 the figures show that 1,957, birth-day. The little folks spent a glorious afternoon in games and frolic of every description. The most delicious sweets and ices were served in an interval of play. The little hostess re- 528,147 for the year. The passenger ceived some lovely presents from her mileage, or the number of passengers little friends. She is the very pretty carried one mile, was 21,923,213,536, and attractive little daughter of Mr. having increased 1,007,449,565. and Mrs. C. M. Clarke.

A JOLLY HOUSE PARTY.

Mrs. J. D. Pitts is entertaining a

1st: V/e would place on record our appreciation of his labors, and bear sociation which was held at Columbia testimony to his unfaltering devotion to

him was to receive an inspiration to a nobler life. Unselfish and unostentatious, his pure, truthful life was a bene- year ago. memory will remain a precious herit-

2nd; While we are bowed down with

3rd: That we extend to his bereaved

were charmingly entertained by Miss Louise Fleming, Thursday evening, at her home near the city, when she tenof Laurens, at a card party. The house was beautifully decorated in evergreens and roses, and the guests were met at the door by Mrs. R. F. Fleming and Miss Louise Fleming with her guest of honor, Miss Jones. Progressive hearts present pronounced it one of the most enjoyable parties held recently. Dura delightful ice course. - Greenwood Cor-

Chart Heltchers

MILLIONS RIDE AND THOUSANDS KILLED.

What the Railroads Do for the People---Accidents on the In-

WASHINGTON, August 17th. - The In terstate Commerce Commission gave in reference to the railroads of the United States.

The casualties during the year ending June 30, 1904, numbered 94,201. and the injured 84,155. There wer 2,114 trainmen killed and 29,275 in jured; switch tenders, crossing tenders and watchmen, 229 killed, 35,722 inspired a merry, social hour after which jured; casualties to employes coupling and uncoupling cars are assigned as follows: Trainmen killed, 269; injured, 3,506; swinch tenders, crossing tenders and watchmen, 23 killed, 420 injured

other employes, 15 killed, 93 injured. Passengers killed in 1904, 441; in jured, 9,111. In the previous year 35 passengers were killed and 8,231 injured. Of these, 2,622 were killed an 4,968 injured because of collison and derailments. The number of persons other than employes and passengers killed, was 5,972, and injured 7,977.

In 1904 one passenger was killed for every 1,622,267 persons carried, and one injured for every 78,523 carried. 441 passengers were carried for on

killed and 84,424 for one injured. During the year 715,419,682 passen gers were carried, an increase of 20,

NEWS ITEMS FROM PRINCETON.

Children's Day to be Celebrated-Pro tracted Revival Services.

PRINCETON, S. C., Aug. 22.-It has been decided by the Sunday School of the Princeton Baptist Church to celebrate Childrens' Day on Saturday, Sept 9th. Quite an elaborate programme has been arranged for the occasion and the event is anticipated with much in

A revival meeting is in progress at the Princeton Church this week. The meeting was protracted from the regular services on Sunday. Rev. I. E. McDavid, Pastor of this church, is be ing ably assisted by Rev. Benj. S. H. Harris, of Greenville. Much interest is manifested and the meeting will be continued through the week. working on the Railroad. We look

have charge of the two convict squads of the county have recently done considerable work on the roads in this locality. It has been necessary in sum instances to grade sections of some of the roads and nearly all have been widened and otherwise improved. This the first time in many years that the improved road scrapes have been used on the roads hereabouts. Messrs Culbertson and Power appear to manage their squads well and their approved ideas of roadmaking are excellently ex-

ecuted. Mr. Jeremiah Stone and others are attending a holiness meeting in Green-

wood county this week. Mr. W. M. Bryson, of Ora, for several year principal of the Princeton School, was the guest of Dr. and Mrs C. Q. West a day or so last week.

derson are guests of friends and relatives in this community. Rev. Casper Donaldson, of Atlanta spent several days in this community lately, and attended the recent meeting of the Greenville County Baptist As Church, just across the line in Greenthe cause of Christ. To have known ville county. He is a native of this section and was ordained to preach the

> Miss Hattie Crane is spending a few weeks at Hendersonville, N. C.

Miss Minnie Kay, of Easley who has been visiting in the county for the past several weeks is spending sometime in this section. Congressman J. T. Johnson, of Spar-

Allen last week. Miss Sallie Bell McCuen, of Anderson, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. William Berry McCuen. Mr. J. C. Gambrell and family of

tanburg, visited his sister, Mrs. Lizzie

Miss Iris Machen, of Honea Path, is visiting relations here. Mrs. W. R. McCuen and Master Robert McCuen, of Laurens, are with

Greenwood are visiting relatives here.

relatives in this vicinity. Mr. Wade Dent and sister Miss Lima Dent, of Columbia, are spending some days here the guests of relatives.

Mr. J. F. McCuen, of Piedmont was

in town Sunday and Monday.

Mr. J. H. M. ... has returned from a brief visit to Laurens. What's the secret of happy, vigorous health? Simply keeping the bowels, the stomach, the liver and kidneys strong and active. Burdock Blood Bit-

A Game at Mountville.

MOUNTVILLE, Aug. 20. - Mountville defeated Lisbon is an exciting game of ball Friday afternoon by a score of 7 to The Lisbon boys were outplayed in game at second. Hits, Mountville, 12 Lisbon, 6. Errors, Mountville, 3; Lis-Batteries: Mountville, Bryson and

Irwin; Lisbon, Fuller and Moore.-The No such thing as "summer complaint

where Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is kept handy. Nature's remedy for every looseness of the

STATE AND GENERAL NEWS.

It is reported that the Chinese boycott is weakeng, and will fall through

Baron Komura, Japans peace envoy, has donated \$500.00 to the Japanes School of Seattle. The principal course of which is the Japanese language and literature

Enrico Hernandes of California claims to be 141 years of age. This would make him the oldest man in the world. His neighbors claim that that he does not grow any older in appearance but looks the same he did 50 years One of the Wholesale business houses

n Charleston, S. C., recently secured an order from Porto Rico for 29,000 pairs of shoes, ranging in price from the cheapest to the most expensive The bill was sold to one merchant and aggregated in dollars and cents a little more than \$21,000.

It is reported that an attempt was recently made to assassinate the Empress of China as she was passing through the northwest gate of the city to her Summer palace. Her assailant was dressed as a soldier and was promptly bayonnetted by the guard.

An excursion train on Atlantic Coast Line from Kinston, N. C., bound for Norfolk, Va., plunged through an open draw in a bridge over Elizabeth River near Bruce Station eight miles from Norfolk on Thursday afternoon. It is stated that about fifty persons, mostly negroes were drowned. The accident was caused by the failure of the air

Dr. Lyman Hall, President of the Georgia School of Technology at At anta, Ga., died at Dansville, N. Y., or from the United States Military Academy at West Point in 1881, and had been at the head of the Georgia Tech, for a number of years. He was regarded as one of the foremost educators of the South.

News From Lisbon.

LISBON, August 19th.-Mrs. R. T. Dunlap and her sister, Miss Liza Hudgens, have returned from Stomp Springs, much improved.

and other relatives at this place. Mrs. E. F. Teague and children of Columbia are on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Ella Hudgens

Mr. Rivers Milam of Spartanburg is

spending his vacation with his mother

some day not far in the future to see this young man pretty high up the lad-Misses Veda and Geraldine Belot of

Greenville are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Miss Bertha Martin of Clinton is vis ting Miss Lorie Teague this week.

have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. R Holmes. Mr. Lotes Holmes has gone to school

Mrs. McKinney and son of Abbeville

near Asheville, N. C. Mr. John Wright, Jr., is spending few days with his friend, Mr. Hugh Fuller, of Cross Hill.

Mr. J. N. Wright, Sr., reports grand time at Clemson during the meeting of the Farmers' Club. He Mr. R. W. Arnold and family, of Ansays every farmer ought to meet at Clemson every year and hear the views of every man that tills the soil, as something can be gained. Our friend, A. J. Smith, a man that has his hog and hominy at home, also has a kind word for this great Institution of learning. Outside of meeting the farmers and getting their views the social feature is worth something. So let us all go to Clemson next year at the an-Gospel at Columbia Church thirty-four nual meeting of the Farmers' Club.

Tyiersville News,

TYLERSVILLE, August 21. - The farm ers will be picking cotton soon. A delightful lawn party was given by

Start now and work to that end.

Mrs. G. M. Moseley Saturday night. Misses Ova and Gena Henry of Clinton visited Miss Emma Blakeley Satur day and Sunday.

Misses Fay and Mauree Simpson and Mr. Willie Simpson of Gray Court visiten their uncle, Mr. J. H. Powers, last week.

Miss Crystel Ray and mother visited

Mr. William Donnan's family Saturday

and Sunday. Miss Annie May Patterson of Woodruff is visiting Mrs. Willie Poole. Messrs. Charley and Oren Hollice of

Cross Keys visited the Messrs. Donnan Saturday and Sunday. Messrs. John Gore and Jim Carter of Cross Keys visited Mr. and Mrs. D. M

Sanders last week. Miss Nan Peterson of your city is visiting in this neighborhood.

Mr. Will Little is at home now.

Misses Mary and Jessie Dillard leave in a few days for Greenwood, where they will visit friends and relatives. Miss Pearl Sanders visited Misse Emma and Mattie Donnan Sunday,

Mrs. Bettie Grimes of Cross Hill visited Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Chancey last week.

Miss Mattie Donnan is visiting

your city this week.

Master Marion Sanders was in Laurens on Monday.

ROSE BUD. You are cordially invited to attend our exhibit any day this week. Come and have a cup of coffee and hot bis-cuits if you intend to buy or not.

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PEACE CONFERENCE HANGS FIRE.

Explosion Depends on the Czar's Reply.

EVENT UNCERTAIN.

he Whole World Anxious to do What it Can Toward Peace Consummation ... We Will Know Today.

Nothing has been doing in the peace onference since Saturday. The peace envoys have communicated the situations to their respective Governments and are now awaiting their further instructions. President Roosevelt is making a tremenous effort to bring the two countries together and it is understood that the whole of Europe is bringing what pressure it can to bear on the two governments towards the estab-

lishment of peace. Russia has practically acceded to all the demands of Japan except the cession of Sakhalin and the payment to Japan of the cost of the war.

President Roosevelt has transmitted o the Czar, through M. Witte, the Russian envoy, a proposition, which it s understood the Japanese will make, f they are assured that it will be accepted. On the reply of the Czar the event of the Conference will determine. The outcome is not encouraging, but it is not hopeless. The answer will pro-

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bably come today

a short vacation.

home Thursday

CLINTON, August 21st-Mrs. N. C. Jordan and daughter, Miss Mary Jordan, have been for the past two weeks, Thursday. Dr. Hall was graduated the delightful guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McCaslan.

> Miss Rosa Philson of Pittsburg, Pa., is visiting relatives here and in Lau-Miss Glasgow of Davidson, N. C.,

cousin, Miss Fronde Kennedy, in whose honor the latter entertained Friday night with a progressive "Up jinks party. Mr. L. W. Copeland of the Southern

Express, Richmond, Va., is at home on

spent several days last week with her

Mr. J. C. Copeland of Union spent several days last week with his pa-

Mrs. Frank Austell of Union after a

visit of several weeks to her parents,

Messrs. Larry Dillard and E. J. Adair left for Baltimore, New York and other Northern cities Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Katherine Bean is on an extended visit to Richmond, Va., and Among the Clintonians who have been summering in Hendersonville, N.C., the following have returned: Mrs. W.

B. Owens and daughter, Miss Mollie Manson, Miss Sarah Wright, Mamie Zee and Stephens Wright.

Mrs. H. I. Horton has returned from Williamston. Miss Mattie Martin of Yseplanti, Mich., is visiting her brolher, Prof. A. V. Martin.

Miss Mossie Bristow of Darlington, is isiting at Mrs. S. A. Philson's. Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Copeland have urned from Anderson, where the been visising Mrs. Copeland's

Miss Ellene McCaslan is / tended visit to Atlanta. Messrs W. E. Owels and J ertson are on a visit to their 1.

n Hendersonville.

his family.

Mrs. Howard Caldwell and little daughter Elizabeth of Columbia, S. C. are visiting relatives in Clinton.

Mr. Tom Robertson is in Henderson-

s the charming guest of Mrs. Walker Bailey. Miss Walker of Columbia a cousin of Dr Bailey is spending some time with

Miss Mabel Giles of Greenwood, S. C.

Miss Tululuh Neville and Mr. Wyatt Neville are visiting relatives in Abbe-Probably for the number of inhabitants we have more automobiles than any city in the State. Four have recenty chilled the air with their vibration and have caused something of a mania. The report is current that we are soon to see three others. These machines

has ever been famous. The horses and mules of the vicinity have not become accustomed to them yet but they too will quickly prove that this is an educational center.

are all handsome and indicate the com-

fortable prosperity for which Clinton

A Camping Party for the Mountains. A party consisting of Mr. and Mrs.

Adger Stoddard, Mrs. V. A. White, Mr. Will Power, Miss Ule Power, Mis-Carrie Stoddard and Master Clarance White, of Rapley, have gone for a ten day camping trip to the mountains of North and South Carolina. The party will take in Ceasars Head, Cedar Mountain, Brevard, Henderson-

ville, Ashville and other places of in-

terest. Buy it Now. Now is the time to buy Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

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