Local and Personal Mention.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Divver, of Anderson have been spending several days in the icty while Mr. Divver attended to business affairs.

Mrs. J. P. Marion, of Sumter, is visiting her father, Dr. W. C. Irby, and sister, Mrs. W. D. Ferguson.

Mr. P. L. Abrams and son, William, of the Poplar Springs section, and another son, M. B., of Gray Court, were visitors in the city Monday.

Mr. W. J. Anderson, of Waterloo, was a visitor in the city Monday.

Mr. W. P. Thomason went to Greenville this morning to attend a meeting of the Junior Order of Mechanics. Mr. Thomason will address the meeting on some topic of interest to the order.

Supt. and Mrs. B. L. Parkinson have taken rooms at the Jones residence on North Harper street where they will do light house-keeping.

Mrs. R. E. Sims, of Chester, arrived in the city yesterday and will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Burton for some time.

Miss Lizzie Switzer has been visiting friends and relatives in Greenville for several days.

Mr. J. A. Todd, of Barksdale, was in the city yesterday looking after business affairs.

Mr. W. C. Rasor and son and Mr. A. M. Hill, of Cross Hill, were in the city yesterday.

Mr. H. M. Bryson, of Mountville, was in the city Saturday.

Mrs. C. E. Parker left Friday for Cookville, Tenn., to join Mr. Parker, who has been there for several weeks.

Mr. A. D. L. Barksdale, of Greenville, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Sheriff J. C. McCain, of Richland county, was in the city on business yesterday.

Mr. R. F. Fleming has returned to the city after spending several weeks in Lancaster and Greenwood. Mrs. Fleming will return the latter part of the week.

Mr. W. C. Hipp, of Mountville, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. Edwin Lucas of Wofford College spent the week-end in Laurens.

Miss Lilla Todd has returned to Brenau College after spending several days here with homefolks.

Mr. W. E. Pitts of Gray Court Rt. 4, was a visitor in the city last Monday.

Do not fail to witness the first installment of "Runaway June" at The Idle Hour tonight.

TO SEGREGATE RACES.

Bill Passed by Recent Legislature Went into Effect Monday Morning.

The bill passed by the recent legislature compelling the segregation of races in the textile mills of the state has been signed by Gov. Manning and went into effect Monday morning. It is understood that the law affected negroes in the local mills employed in cleaning looms and sweeping the floors. These were given their discharge Monday. The law is as follows:

"Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of textile manufacturing in this state to allow or permit operatives, help and labor of different races to labor and work together within the same room, or to use the same doors of entrance and exit at the same time, or to use and occupy the same pay ticket windows or doors for paying off its operatives and laborers at the same time, or to use the same stairways and windows at the same time, or to use at any time the same lavatories, toilets, drinking water, buckets, pails, cups, dippers or glasses: Provided, Equal accommodations shall be supplied and furnished to all persons employed by said person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of textile manufacturing as aforesaid, without distinction to race, color or previous condition.

"Sec. 2. Any person, firm or corporation engaged in textile manufacturing violating the provisions of this act shall be liable to a penalty of not less than $100, nor more than $500 for each and every offense, to be recovered in suit by any citizen of the county in which the offense is committed, and to be paid to the school fund of the district in which such offending textile manufacturing establishment is located.

"Section. 3. This act shall not apply to employment of firemen as subordinates in boiler rooms or to floor scrubbers and those persons employed in keeping in proper condition lavatories and toilets, and carpenters, mechanics and others engaged in the repair or erection of buildings.

"Sec. 4. This act shall take effect immediately upon its approval by the governor."

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LANFORD NEWS.

Lanford, March 1.—The Woman's Missionary society of the Baptist church held a very interesting meeting Saturday afternoon, a number of helpful items being discussed and each proved beneficial to those of us who are trying to carry on this work.

One of the most delightful affairs of the week was a dinner given by Mrs. W. D. Patterson in honor of Mrs. J. B. Cooley who returns to her home in the Philippine Islands in April.

Mr. John W. Lanford and Mr. Boyd DeShields spent the week-end in Greenville.

Miss Fannie Harmon is the guest of Miss Minnie Lanford this week.

Miss Othella Johnson is in Spartanburg visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray Moore were guests of Mr. J. B. Franks last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fleming entertained at a dinner Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Patterson and Mrs. J. B. Cooley

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bomar were the enjoyable guests of Mr. L. M. Cannon's family for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. W. Lanford, Mrs. J. B. Cooley and Mr. John Cooper of Spartanburg leave today for a visit to Greenwood and Eldgefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ferguson of Laurens were visitors at the home of Mr. J. S. Higgins Sunday.

Mrs. M. G. Patterson of Spartanburg is visiting her children at her old home.

Mr. B. W. Johnson and family of Arcadia, were in our town for a few hours last Sunday, stopping with his mother who is not very well at this writing.

Mrs. Collier Cox was in Woodruff last week.

Miss Wil Lou Gray, president of the Rural School Improvement association of Lauerns county, was with this school Wednesday night and gave an interesting talk with the lantern slides on the school work of South Carolina and Yellowstone Park.

The "Old District School" will be given here by local talent Thursday night at the Lanford school building.

Misses Robin Patterson, Carrie Lou Higgins and Mr. Frank Drummond spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Josie Cox at Gray Court.

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Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.
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To Address Christian Endeavors.

W. Anderson Clarkson, a prominent Columbia attorney, has accepted the invitation of the Christian Endeavor society of the First Presbyterian church to address the society in the Sunday school room Sunday evening. Mr. Clarkson is one of the original members of the Christian Endeavor society in this state and still takes a great deal of interest in its work. He is a polished speaker and informed on this and other branches of church work and will doubtless bring an interesting message to those who go to hear him. The service will begin at 6:45 p. m., giving ample time to those who care to do so to attend the regular evening services. The public is cordially invited to hear him.

Biliousness and Constipation Cured.

If you are ever troubled with biliousness or constipation you will be interested in the statement of R. F. Erwin, Peru, Ind. "A year ago last winter I had an attack of indigestion followed by biliousness and constipation. Seeing Chamberlain's Tablets so highly recommended, I bought a bottle of them and they helped me right away." For sale by all dealers.

PASSES BOGUS CHECK.

Posing as Manning's Son, Man Gets Five Dollars.

A young man posing as the son of Gov. Manning passed a bogus check for $5 in Aiken a few days ago. The check was given on the First National bank of Sumter, misspelled "Sumpter". It was made out to "Cash" and was paid by John C. Hutson of Aiken.

Continuing the misrepresentation, the swindler claimed to be a member of the staff of The Manufacturers Record, and talked glibly of the increased optimism in business. When the check was turned down, it was forwarded by Mr. Hutson to Herbert A. Moses, private secretary to the governor, along with the interview in the Augusta paper.

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WHAT MAY HAPPEN IF GERMANY WINS

David Lloyd-George Says if England Loses Teuton Would be World Dictator.

Bangor, Wales, February 28.—The chancellor of the exchequer, David Lloyd-George, made a pointed reference to the United States in a speech here today.

"If Germany is triumphant over this country," he said, "she would be practically dictator of the world. And where," he said, "could we then look to a chivalrous country to protect us—to America?

"If countries like France an Russia, with huge armies, and we, with the most powerful navy in the world, could not face this terrible machine, how could America step in? It would be more than America could do to defend her interests in her own continent. America is more unready than we were."

The chanceloir then took up the liquor and industrial questions.

"The government has wide powers to deal with the drink question, and it means to use them," delared the chancellor of the exchequer. He said a small minority of the workmen in the armament factories had refused to work a full week because of the lure of drink.

The government would use its powers discreetly and in a spirit of moderation, Lloyd-George asserted, but "fearlessly." He was sure the public would support whatever action was taken and allowed no indulgence to interfere with the country's prospects in the war.

"The war," he said, "is to be won or lost by the engineers. We need men, but we need arms more than men, and every day of delay is full of peril to the country. For one reason or another we do not get the assistanec we have a right to expect from our workshops. Industrial differences are inevitable, but we cannot afford them now.

"It is intolerable that the lives of Britons should be imperilled for the sake of a farthing an hour. During war governments should have the power of settling difficulties so that work shall go on. If men are entitled to more money the government should give it. I do not believe the parties involved will refuse to comply with the urgent ommand of the government that there should be no delay."

Expressing confidence in the outcome of the war the chancellor said the people of the country hardly realized yet the importance of the struggle in which they were engaged and warned them that victory could not be won without a long struggle. He declared that while England had enrolled the largest volunteer army ever gathered in any country or in any century, it ought to be larger still.

Meeting of W. M. U.

Quarterly meeting of division No. 1 will convene with Warrior Creek church March 13th and 14th, 1915.

10:30—Devotional service, conducted by Mrs. Cora Robertson.
Welcome—Mrs. W. W. Yeargin.
Response—Mrs. Claudia Lomas.
Enrollment.
Methods of Bible Study. Mrs. C. E. Watson.
How an I Make My Society the Best? Miss Nora Simpson, Mrs. Fannie Garrett, Miss Anna Burdett, Mrs. Ethel Robertson, Miss Josie Cox, Miss aDisy Bauldwin, Mrs. J. T. Owings, Mrs. Toy Drummond, committees.
Noontide quiet hour, conducted by Mrs. W. N. Austin.
Lunch hour.
Devotional, Mrs. Fowler Burns.
Where should we as Christians Begin Economizing in View of the Financial Depression? Mrs. Jim Fleming, Mrs. J. B. Cook, Miss Eula Bramlett.
Practicing the Presence of Christ. Mrs. E. C. Watson.
Round Table, conducted by Mrs. E. C. Watson.
Report of committees.
Collection.
Adjournment.

Sunday Morning.

10:30—Devotional.
Importance of Co-operation of Mothers with the Leaders of Sunbeam and Young People's Work.
11:00—Address by Dr. W. E. Wilkins.
Miss Rebecca Baggott,
Mrs. W. W. Yeargin, President.
Secretary.

Dangers of a Cold.

Do you know that of all the minor ailments colds are by far the most dangerous? It is not the colds themselves that you need to fear, but the serious diseases that they so often lead to. For this reason every cold should be gotten rid of with the least possible delay. To accomplish this you will find Chamberlain's Cough Remedy of great help to you. It loosens a cold, relieves the lungs, aids expectoration and enables the system to throw off the cold. For sale by all dealers.

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SUMMONS FOR RELIEF.

Complaint not Served.
State of South Carolina,
County of Laurens.
In Court of Common Pleas.
Madora Fleming, Plaintiff,
against
Larry Fleming, Hatty Barksdale nee Fleming, William Fleming, Alfred Fleming, Bennie Lee Fleming, Doraceena Fleming, Douglass Fleming, Mattie Bell Fleming, Mamie Fleming, Lucile Fleming, Sallie Fleming, Nannie Fleming, Susie Fleming, Stobo Fleming and C. H. Duckett, Defendants.

To the Defendants above named:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action which was filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Laurens in said state, on the 25th day of February, 1915, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office at Laurens, S. C., within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated Feb. 25th, 1915.
Ferguson, Featherstone & Knight,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

To the Non-Resident Defendants, Larry Fleming, William Fleming, Alfred Fleming and Bennie Lee Fleming:

You will please take notice that the original Summons and Complaint in this action was filed with the Clerk of the Court for Laurens County, State of South Carolina, on the 25th day of Febraury, 1915, and is on file now in said office.

Laurens, S. C., Feb. 25, 1915.
Ferguson, Featherstone & Knight,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.
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Dr. T. L. Timmerman
Dentist
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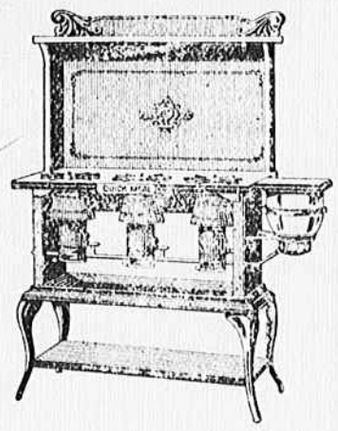

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March 1, 1915

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