### RESTING ITEMS FROM OVER THE COUNTY

(Continued from Page One.) daughter of Superintendent W. C. Cobb and Mr. Jackson has a position

in the office. The tenderest sympathy of all of our people goes out to Mr. and Mrs. of rain, which greatly retarded all J. J. Dallas in their overwhelmingly farm cultivation and caused considersudden and exceedingly sad bereave- able damage to the crops. The lowment. Miss Dallas was a recent grad- land crop suffered most, as bottoms uate of the Woman's College of Due were overflowed nearly everywhere. West. She was a beautiful and accom- By reason of the continued rains the plished young lady and universally

recent death of our schoolmate and ameliorated to a great extent. friend, Mr. John Cunningham, of Wa-

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Dun Richey, of Texas, are visiting relatives and friends here. Mr. Richey was reared here but moved to Texas in 1887. His friends are glad to know that he has prospered in his new home.

The Ware Shoals Masonic Lodge re cently raised 3 candidates to the sublime degree of Master Mason and cele brated the occasion with a banquet. It was our fortune to be present and become the recipients of the unstinted hospitality of the Masonic fraternity of Ware Shoals. The lodge has a splendid set of officers and has a bright future in store for them.

Mrs. Spoon of Mt. Pleasant is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. R. McNinch. Mrs. Toccoa Cannon, of Abbeville, recently visited Mrs. Dr. Townes

Rev. Mr. Copeland, of Brewerton, preached a splendid sermon yester-

The following candidates have re-Faulkner, of Greenwood and Homer tanburg. Blackwell, of Laurens. Mr. Mills Pitts, of Poplar Spring, at-

tended preaching yesterday.

We are sorry to learn of the death of Mr. Bolt Young.

We are indebted to Messrs Wm. Henry Moore, John Dauber, John Wesley Gambrell, Mrs. Bonie Mrs. Reeves Ed Carter, Jeter Odell, Clifton Taylor Pratt Henderson, T. C. Jones, Townes Manley, Wade Jenkins, Charley Robertson, J. A. Jiles and a great many others for recent kind favors.

Senator Johnson, of Kirksey was here last week.

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Billousness and Stomach Trouble.

"Two years ago I suffered from frequent attacks of stomach trouble and times its cost when needed and is al biliousness," writes Miss Emma Verbryke. Iima, Ohio. "I could eat very little food that agreed with me and I

Dials, July 24.-The farmers here are experiencing some difficulty in recent storms and unprecedented fall with friends and relatives. fields are grassy. Given, however, a few days of warm dry weather, the We were very sorry to hear of the condition of the growing crops will be

> The Rev. H. Z. Nabors, of Columbia, was a visitor at the home of Mrs. I. S. Brooks Tuesday night.

The Rev. John Campbell, of Greenville, was the guest of Mr. Ben Campbell and family during the district conference which convened in the Methodist church at Gray Court Tuesday evening and closed Thursday.

Mr. Campbell is pleasantly remembered here, where he and his family resided before their removal to the Mountain City".

Dr. F. M. Routh, of the State board of health, was in our midst Tuesday. Magnolia Camp W. O. W. will hold ed relatives here Friday night. their annual picnic at Wham's lawn on July 28th. Prominent speakers will be on hand to add to the interest of the day. This occasion is always a gala one, and large crowds attend. This year it is expected, will be an exception to the general rule; candidates and the public at large are all invited

cently been in our midst: Sheppard from a pleasant visit with Mrs. Grier day morning at 7:30 o'clock, Col. But Yeldell, Auditor Caneld, Harling and Blakely and other relatives in Spar-ler will be buried in Arlington ceme-

> Mrs. Arthur Curry spent Tuesday with relatives in the Shiloh communi-

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Curry and children were the week-end guests of Mr. Z. N. Gray and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams Brooks visit

d relatives in Gray Court Saturday. Mr. Claud Armstrong, who has been holding a lucrative position in Baltimore, Md., is expected home Tuesday, where he will remain for some time on a visit with his parents.

Mr. James Roberson and Mr. Aberrombie, of Honea Path, motored over Sunday to be with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harris and chil dren were Sunday visitors of Mr. D. D. Harris and family.

Miss Blanch Stewart and brother. Wayne, spent Saturday with Mr. R. R. Owings and family, Miss Mand Owings accompanied them to their home near Fountain Inn, where she will visit for several days.

Mrs. Blackwell, and Miss Martha May and Master Dick, of Eufaula, Ala., are now on a visit to Mrs. Blackwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Curry.

Mr. Marvin Harris who has been attending the University of Oklahoma located at Norman, Okla., is spending several weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Harris, Mr. Harris graduated in pharmacy at the Chaleston Medical College before going to the University of Oklahoma, where he is now preparing himself for his doctor's degree.

### ROCK BRIDGE NEWS.

Rock Bridge, July 24.—The be much more farm work done.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Simpson visited of the Hopewell section, Sunday,

Several from this community at ended services at Holly Grove Sunday

The Rock Bridge Sanday school will give a picnic on August 19; everybody is cordially invited to come and bring well filled baskets.

Miss Lena Simpson spent the latter part of the week with her sister, Mrs. A. C. TODD J. H. W. Boyd, in the Hopewell com-

Little Miss Carolyn Boyd is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E.

Simpson Misses Mary and Fannie Copeland, of the Hurricane section, visited their sister, Mrs. E. M. Sligh, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. George M. Davis and family atended services at Clinton Sunday. Miss Ethyl Greer visited relatives in Clinton last week.

### Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Every family without exception should keep this preparation at hand luring the hot weather of the summer nonths. Chamberlain's Colic. Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is worth many most certain to be needed before the

Eden, July 24 .- Miss Sue Gray returned last week from Pennsylvania, "laying by" their crop, owing to the after spending several weeks there

> Miss Maude Pearson, of Woodruff, is the charming guest of Mrs. Cora Beason this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Martin were business visitors in Laurens Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Mahon visited

Mr. Billy Mahon and family Sunday. Mr. Sam Switzer and daughter, Anna, spent the week-end with Mrs. Fate Henderson, of Friendship.

Mr. and Mrs. John Abercrombie and son, Raymond, of Honea Path, motored over to this community one day dur-

ing the past week. Mr. Steward Mahon is spending several days in Woodruff, visiting Mr. Will

Coleman and family. Misses Virginia Gray and Dorothy Mahaffey returned home Monday, after a pleasant visit at Mrs. John

Mahon's, in Greenville. Miss Lola and Vena martin were Wednesday guests of Miss Jenovee Babb.

Mr. Charlie Brooks, of Laurens, and Mrs. Hattie Gray, of Gray Court, visit-

Mrs. Arthur Curry visited her sister, Mrs. Earl Gray, Monday. Mrs. Jim Armstrong and daughter,

Dewey, visited relatives Friday.

MAJ. M. C. BUTLER MEETS TRAGIC DEATH

(Continued from Page Onc.)

Miss Laura Hellams has returned ler's body, will reach Washington Montery with military honors.

The report received by the war department fom Lieut. Col. J. E. Machort, Fourth Texas Infantry, commanding officer at Alpine, regarding the death of Coi. Butler, is as follows:

"Answering your telegram request ing further details regarding the death of Col. Butler, will state Col. Butler was sitting with me and other officers and citizens in front of the hotel about 8:45 p. m., July 20, when Mr. and Mrs. Spannell drove up in their car, Mr. Spannell driving and Mrs. Spannell occupying the rear seat.

"Mr. Spannell called Col. Butler to the car, reached back and opened the rear door, asking Col. Butler to take the seat with Mrs. Spannell. Col. Butler did so and the car immediately drove off around the corner of the

"After the car had proceeded about 500 yards into the residential part of the town Mr. Spanneli shot and killed both Col. Butler and Mrs. Spannell firing several shots into each one. He then walked to the jail and surrendered to the sheriff. Just how the killing was done can not be positively stated, as there seems not to have been any witnesses present, Col. and Mrs. Butler lived at the Holland hotel here, and both associated freely with Mr. and Mrs. Spannell, proprietors of the

"Both couples took frequent drives in the auto of the Spannells in the evening.

"Mr. Spannell seems to have been of an extremely jealous disposition. It is stated that he had frequent disagree- draws a flat salary. ments with his wife, who was a great

"The general opinion here is that Mrs. Spannell has never given her husband any just cause for his jealousy, and the unanimous opinion is weather still continues; there will not that Col. Butler was absolutely innocent of any wrong. Whatever the cause, it appears like a cold bloded their daughter, Mrs. J. D. W. Boyd, premeditated murder committed by a man crazed by jealousy."

### Says Texas Fock Exonerate Butler.

"Common opinion exonerates Col, Butler of all blame". Col. Gaston, commanding the Sixth cavalry, wired yesterday to F. W. P. Butler, M. D., of Columbia, from Alpine, Texas.

Col. Gaston telegraphed Dr. Butler that the body of Lieut, Col. M. C. Butler of the Sixth cavalry, killed at Alpine Thursday by a civilian, H. J. Spannell, was being taken by Mrs. Butler to Washington for interment in Arlington cemetery.

Dr. Butler was relieved to have reassurances from his late brother's immediate superior that Col. Butler was public, may be explained in large part held blameless, though the informain Washington. The route which it was intended to take northward from New Orleans was via Spartanburg but this way is blocked by flood damage and the party will proceed from Atlanta to Washington via Bristol.

### A Hacking Cough Weakens the System

that has weakened your system-get a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, little food that agreed with me and I became so dizzy and sick at my stomach at times that I had to take hold of somehing to keep from falling. Seeing Chamberlain's Tablets advertised I decided to try them. I improved rapidly." Obtainable everywhere.

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# Last Call on Bargains

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In spite of the rain our annual summer clearance sale has been a big success and a huge amount of merchandise has been Moved. But the end must come. It will close Saturday. Do not be left out. Remember! Summer Goods only.

Just a Few Items

### Don't Miss Our 10c Table

Goods on this Table, worth up to 50e all going at	10c
Big lot Ladies' Vests, bleached. Tape Neck, special	05c
1 Lot Ladies' Wash Silk Waists, worth \$2.50, this week only	1.89
Big lot Ladies' Wash Waists, special	39c
Ladies' black and White Fiber Silk Hose, worth 35c, special	22c

All white Oxfords during this

sale, your choice only ..... \$1.00

### One-Half Price Sale

Every trimmed Hat to go at onehalf price.

6 pieces 40-inch Colored Lawns, worth 15c, big special .... 10c

1 lot of Children's and Misses' Oxfords, tan, button or lace; vici, kids and patent leather, any style you want, worth \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75, extra special, only ........

1 lot of Ladies' Oxfords, small sizes 21-2, 3, 31-2 only; good styles and shapes; too many small sizes, worth \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00, extra special .. .. \$1.75

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Take the matter of booze, for instance. The railroads and all big industrial corporations have frowned upon it. The booze-fighter goes begging for a job, while his sober brother takes a place of responsibility and

Even men who drink regularly in moderation are careful to select men who do not drink when they are choos ing men to look after their business affairs.

This same care that men exercise in hiring men to attend to their private businesses, should be exercised in selection may to look after the in selecting men to look after the public's business.

The man who gives a part of his time and a part of his energy and a part of his brain to courting the demon that lurks in alcohol, may be energetic and honorable when he is entirely so-ber, but since he cannot be fully trusted to keep his head and do the right thing in private business, does it look like good common sense to trust him with the affairs of the public in any

official capacity?

The race for Congress in this district is assuming the aspect of a moral test. Perhaps the candidates themselves have not desired that such a test be made, but the people are judg-ing and will judge to suit themselves. Dave Traxler, of Greenville, is in no

sense a milk-fed mollycoddle, indeed, he is every inch a man's man. But he is without vices, and the energy of him and the things he has been able to accomplish for himself and for the by this very fact.

Traxler has been able to do much

tion accorded with his expectations. In Y. M. C. A. work in Greenville sim-Dr. Butler will meet the funeral party ply because the young fellows know that he is consistently and decently clean. They know that he is dependaclean. They know that he is de ble, that he speaks the frank without an effort to curry favor, and that he will keep his word at any cost. And bear in mind that the judgment of young fellows is usually a clear and true judgment of character, for they judge by what a man really is and not by the amount of his possessions or by what he says of himself. If Traxler has an enemy it is one

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> Opera House "PIKE," Manager

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en the clogged air passages and in a It isn't necessary to have a stuffed short time you get relief and start on the road to recovery. Your nose stops The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTRILESS chill TONIC, drives out head off as it were. All you need do you are getting better. Get a bottle, Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

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