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## On The Home Stretch!

I've led the race for the past six years and now there is only three more weeks 'till Christmas. We are all geared up, well trained and in good trim, to serve you better the next few weeks than we have in the past.

Our stock has been renewed and is now jam full of bran new things, bought late in the season, and at closing out prices—less than the goods cost the makers. Like father like son, like I sell to you. You can buy goods at my store as cheap as most merchants buy them to sell again. You are all invited to witness the end of the race for this year. I buy for cash and sell for cash, is why I am doing the biggest Dry Goods and Shoe business in this section. You are cordially invited to look, and won't be bored to buy. If what you buy don't suit you, your money back without a word.

### DRESS GOODS!

These are only a few prices, but I sell everything to wear cheaper than other stores. Our entire stock of Dress Goods at ACTUAL FIRST COST. Now is your time to buy a dress cheap. 100 Pieces Figured and Plain Dress Goods 18c., just as good as Mr. Anybody's 25 cents. Ask to see them. 100 Pieces Androsceggin Cloth, one yard or a thousand yards, 5 1/2 cents per yard. 10 Pieces Red Flannel, regular price 15c., our price 11 1/2 cents. 10 Pieces Amoskeag Tick, others ask you 15c., our price 10c. 10 Pieces Unbleached Canton Flannel, regular price 8 1/2c., now 6 1/2c. 50 Pieces Outing, others ask 9 and 10c., our price 6 1/2c.

You can't afford to buy your Dress Goods at any other store this time.

54 Inch Repelant at 35c. The sheep spent a whole day with it when making.

### BED SPREADS!

100 White Bed Spreads 95c., worth \$1.50. You can't buy them elsewhere. Try it! 100 dozen Towels, extra large size, worth 15c., now 11c.

Damasks and Doilies. White Quilts and Blankets Always the Lowest.

### CAPES! CAPES and JACKETS!

50 Plush Capes, your choice for \$1.50 worth \$2.00. 50 Plush Capes, your choice for \$1.38 worth \$2.50. 25 Plush Capes, your choice for \$3.25 worth \$4.00. 100 Beaver Cloth Capes, long sweep, at 90c., worth \$1.25. 100 Beaver Cloth Capes, long sweep, at \$1.25 worth \$1.75. 100 Beaver Cloth Capes, long sweep, at \$1.49 worth \$2.00. 100 Beaver Cloth Capes, long sweep, at \$2.00 worth \$2.75.

**SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!**  
5 cases Men's high cut Brogans worth \$1 and \$1.25, your choice for 95 cents. We need room for our big spring stock. If you want good, honest Shoes cheap, come to headquarters.

**DOLLS! DOLLS! DOLLS!**  
Dolls for the little ones. I can show you more dolls than all the other stores put together. Blow your bugle and all the company will march. Sound the bottom price and everybody will join the procession.

50 Dozen Men's Alpine Hats, Black, Brown and Grey, 50c. You can't match this in Newberry for less than one dollar.

## Cheap Store!

## MIMNAUGH'S

## Cheap Store!

### LEFT THE TRACK NEAR LEAPHEART

A MIXED TRAIN WRECKED SEVEN MILES FROM COLUMBIA.

Two Trainhands Badly Hurt—Nine Box Cars Demolished—A Car of Empty Bottles Almost Entirely Destroyed—Traffic Resumed Today.

(The State, 2nd.)

Yesterday morning at 11 o'clock a freight train on the Columbia, Newberry and Laurens road was badly wrecked at Leapheart, about seven miles west of Columbia. It was combination train No. 1, in charge of Conductor McManus and Engineer Land.

Nine box cars were derailed and piled upon each other, their contents being badly broken and scattered. The accident occurred on a down grade and the train had considerable momentum.

The first car to leave the track was loaded with pyrites for the phosphate works in this city. As the track was in first class condition, Conductor McManus' theory as to the cause of the wreck is probably correct. He thinks that the floor of the car broke through, stopping it and causing eight other cars to be derailed and piled upon each other. The engine and first cars in front stuck to the track, as did the passenger coach and two box cars immediately in the rear.

Among the cars wrecked was one loaded with horses. Strange to say but one of the animals was hurt, its leg was broken. The others were driven through the country to Columbia, their destination.

A car loaded with empty bottles for the State dispensary was also badly wrecked, but the damage to the glass was remarkably slight. The other cars were loaded with an assortment of dry goods, shoes, crackers, cotton seed, etc., and the contents were mixed up in great confusion.

The news of the accident was first brought to the city by passengers on the outgoing passenger train which left Columbia almost simultaneously with the occurrence of the wreck. The train was brought back to Columbia. Traffic was to a great extent suspended on the road yesterday, although the afternoon train from Laurens was able to transfer its passengers and baggage to an extra which went out to the wreck at 3:30 yesterday afternoon.

The wrecking train of the Coast Line was not at Florence at the time the wreck occurred, having been summoned to South Edisto, where there was a bad mix up of freight cars at the trestle on the night before. Consequently, it was necessary to wire to Wilmington for a wrecking train, which left there about 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The track was torn up for a distance of about 100

yards, but the authorities of the road hope to have the debris removed and trains running regularly by tomorrow at noon.

The passenger coach was not derailed and none of the six passengers were hurt, although they were considerably shaken up. Two negro train hands were very badly injured. Dan Campbell, who was on the car next to the passenger coach, jumped, and in doing so received severe internal and spinal injuries. Dr. J. J. Watson examined him and thinks his condition very serious. Capt. McManus says that had Campbell not jumped he would not have been hurt.

Allen Churchill was on a box car, just in the rear of which was a car loaded with telegraph poles. Churchill, while endeavoring to climb down the ladder at the rear of the car, was caught in the jam of the logs and was very painfully bruised. His right arm was seriously mashed. His condition is not as critical as that of Campbell, who may die.

Both of the injured men were taken to the negro hospital.

Yesterday was the twenty-third anniversary of Capt. McManus' service as a railroad conductor, and it is a coincidence that the accident occurred on that day. He has been connected with the C. N. & L. for three years and has never before had an accident on that line, nor does he remember of their having been a wreck on the road during that time. The C. N. & L. is noted for its careful management, and this wreck is really not the fault of the road.

### SAVANNAH TO HAVANA.

Whole Force, Under Orders of Gen. Lee, Prepared to go to Cuba as soon as the Government Can Provide Vessels.

[By Telegraph to The Daily News.]

Savannah, Ga., December 2.—The Second division of the Seventh army corps, the Second division hospital corps and the Signal corps battalion of the Seventh army corps have been ordered to move as soon as possible from Savannah to Havana.

General Lee issued an order to this effect today. The men will go as soon as possible. It will take about fifteen transports to carry them. That is more than the government has in service at this time. The regiments in the 2d division are the 161st Indiana, the 2d Illinois, 1st New York, 4th Virginia, 49th Iowa and 9th Missouri.

### CLAUDE SAWYER APPOINTED.

Solicitor of the Third Circuit to Succeed Mr. Hollings.

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 1.—Capt. Claude Sawyer, recently of the 1st South Carolina regiment, applied for the position of solicitor of the Third circuit, made vacant by the resignation of Mr. Hollings, elected attorney general. Governor Ellerbe appointed Mr. Sawyer to the position today.

### Ladies Denounce Tolbert.

WOULD HAVE BURNED HIM IN EFFIGY BUT FOR RAIN.

Both a Means Certain Death—Arrest of Citizens of the Town Has Thoroughly Aroused Them and Tolbert Will Never Be Allowed To Live There.

(Augusta Chronicle.)

McCormick, S. C., Dec. 2.—All of the parties that were charged with conspiracy in the Tolbert affair have returned and seem to be in the best of spirits, and speak freely of their arrest, as though it were only a joke. Upon their arrival at Columbia any one knowing any of the parties would have been at a loss to tell who was the arresting officer, as both officer and prisoner shared alike both on the train and in the city.

No doubt Tolbert will regret his rash act in regard to the arrest of Major L. Tucker, who is 86 years of age, and was never known to be arrested on any charge before, and who, in his feeble condition, was compelled to submit to a charge that was placed upon him when he knew nothing at all about the affair.

Tolbert claims in his indictment, that the people of McCormick would not allow him to vote the Republican ticket, but it can be proved by a dozen or more people, who were present at the time of the election that they saw him when his name was registered on the books.

The Ladies' Democratic club met this afternoon, the meeting lasting about an hour. Mrs. J. W. Jennings acting as chairman of the club.

They said they thought they were duty bound, as true Democratic ladies, that they should meet and pass resolutions that they would in the future, never condescend to speak of any of the ladies that were connected with the Tolbert affair and, furthermore, that they thought the men who were indicted, did exactly right for insisting on Tolbert to leave the town and never more to come back again, and proud to say that the men of McCormick are not the kind to be run over by negro rule or their Republican leaders.

They would have burnt Tolbert in effigy tonight, but on account of the steady pour down of rain. It was postponed until a more acceptable time.

If Tolbert had dropped this matter at first and had not had those warrants sworn out against some of the most prominent business men of this town, there is not a shadow of doubt that, in the course of three or four months, the citizens of McCormick would have let him come back and live in peace, but it is all over with him now and should he attempt to come back, they would kill him on first sight.

The Chronicle's correspondent in an interview with Mrs. M. Palmer of this place, who it has been reported

ed was in sympathy with Tolbert, and testified to same, said:

"I don't care anything about Tolbert, but was in the parlor of my house when the gentleman called and read the resolutions to Mr. Tolbert, therefore, I was summoned as a witness for the United States and to tell all I know concerning the matter. When I received a letter telling me to come to Columbia at once and my suitcase would be handed me on my arrival in that city, I thought it best that I should go, as I did not, as a lady, like the idea of being accompanied by an officer of the law, and I only told what was the truth."

I think the ladies of McCormick were a little hasty in passing their resolutions, and that they will withdraw them when they realize the true state of affairs.

### HAVE ALL GIVEN BOND.

CITIZENS OF MCCORMICK RELEASED UNDER \$1,000 BAIL FOR APPEARANCE AT NEXT TERM OF COURT.

Columbia, Dec. 2.—Messrs. Sturkey, Jennings, Reynolds, Martin, Dunlap and Cothran of McCormick, who were arrested at that place Wednesday by United States Marshall Melton, on the charge of conspiracy against James W. Tolbert, gave bond this morning, for their appearance at the next term of the United States district court.

Each of the defendants were admitted to bail in the sum of \$1,000, and left for their home immediately afterwards.

J. Q. Stilwell, another of those indicted, but who was absent from McCormick at the time of the arrest of the others, came to Columbia today and was also admitted to bail in the sum of \$1,000. This case is exciting a great deal of interest throughout the State, and especially in Columbia, but it is the general opinion that each of the defendants will be acquitted.

The grounds upon which the grand jury returned indictments against the defendants are familiar to the Chronicle's readers. All the gentlemen indicted are among the most influential in Abbeville county, and had no trouble in giving bond.

Many people here believe Tolbert is pushing the case simply to gain the sympathy and support of the McKinley administration with a view to securing some remunerative position in Washington.

### TRANSPORT STUCK IN MUD.

Has 1,300 Troops Aboard on Their Way to Cuba.

Savannah, Nov. 28.—To avoid collision with the United States' transport Manitoba, the transport Chester, having on board the fifteenth United States' infantry and bound for Neuvas, Cuba, turned out of her course while going to sea today and she is now stuck in the mud four miles below this city.

The troops are all on board. While there are more than 1,300 troops on board the ship, they be have admirably.

### A DANGER TO DEMOCRACY

THE LACK OF INTEREST IN THE GENERAL ELECTIONS.

The Official Canvass of the Vote at the Recent State Election Shows that not one-fourth of the White vote of the State was Pollled—There was no Organized Opposition to the Incumbent Democratic Candidates at Some Day There May be Secret Organization and the Democracy Taken by Surprise.

Columbia, December 1.—There was something of a scare about tabulating and canvassing the vote for State officers. This was the last day for canvassing the returns, and for fear there would be no quorum of the board Secretary of State Tompkins wired Mr. Magill chairman of the committee on privileges and elections, and Lieutenant Governor McSweeney to come here to attend a meeting of the board, so at to day's session all of the members of the board were present, except Attorney General Barber, who is in New York. The vote was reviewed and tabulated, and the regular Democratic nominees declared elected. The only contests in the State, outside of the Congressional candidates, were in Berkeley, where there was a fight for sheriff between Morrison and Sanders, and in Beaufort County, where a full Republican ticket was run and defeated.

"Something is going to fall" some of these days if there is not more interest taken in the general election. The vote by counties is as follows:

### FOR ELLERBE.

Abbeville.....	829
Aiken.....	700
Anderson.....	899
Bamberg.....	419
Barrow.....	805
Beaufort.....	416
Berkeley.....	486
Charleston.....	1,142
Chester.....	508
Chesterfield.....	810
Clarendon.....	705
Colleton.....	590
Darlington.....	544
Dorchester.....	414
Edgefield.....	627
Fairfield.....	370
Florence.....	592
Georgetown.....	456
Greenville.....	674
Greenwood.....	774
Hampton.....	709
Horry.....	508
Kershaw.....	403
Lancaster.....	941
Laurens.....	339
Lee.....	718
Lexington.....	718
Marion.....	1,141
Marlboro.....	561
Newberry.....	700
Oconee.....	525
Orangeburg.....	1,379
Pickens.....	349
Richland.....	352
Spartanburg.....	1,475
Sumter.....	470
Union.....	628
Williamsburg.....	590
York.....	984
Total.....	28,225

This is just about a fourth of the white vote of the State, and if only 28,000 Democratic voters turn out there is liable to be a slip-up at some time.

The votes for all the State officers were about 28,000—none above the 28,000 mark and none below that figure.

### A NEW INAUGURATION DAY.

It is said that Governor Ellerbe will suggest to members of the Legislature that the newly-elected State officials be inaugurated on January 18, and that the precedent be established by installing them on this day hereafter. The confusion created by the change in our fiscal year will be thereby to a certain extent obviated, and the term of the Governor and State officials be exactly two years hereafter, instead of approximating as has been the custom in the past.

Following is the congressional vote, the Democratic candidates being the first named:

### FIRST DISTRICT.

Colleton.....	Ellerbe	Murray
Charleston.....	75	71
Georgetown.....	1,612	240
Beaufort.....	310	488
Williamsburg.....	395	331
Berkeley.....	613	392
Total.....	25	4
Total.....	3,000	1,250

### SECOND DISTRICT.

Aiken.....	Talbert	Chatfield
Barwell.....	804	39
Edgefield.....	846	41
Hampton.....	681	7
Bamberg.....	589	50
Saluda.....	459	10
Total.....	634	10
Total.....	4,012	122

### THIRD DISTRICT.

Abbeville.....	Lattimer	Tolbert
Anderson.....	779	112
Newberry.....	881	60
Oconee.....	706	29
Pickens.....	591	30
Greenwood.....	559	28
Total.....	592	73
Total.....	4,029	372

### FOURTH DISTRICT.

Greenville.....	Wilson	Suber
Laurens.....	708	22
Spartanburg.....	928	53
Union.....	1,620	19
Richland.....	571	51
Fairfield.....	295	11
Total.....	364	6
Total.....	4,167	165

### FIFTH DISTRICT.

York.....	923
Chester.....	569
Lancaster.....	934
Chesterfield.....	812
Kershaw.....	419
Cherokee.....	576
Total.....	4,231

### SIXTH DISTRICT.

Clarendon.....	Norton	Evans
Darlington.....	723	1
Marlboro.....	520	33
Marlboro.....	526	—
Oconee.....	1,157	63
Florence.....	634	11
Horry.....	830	43
Williamsburg.....	355	—
Total.....	4,765	151

### SEVENTH DISTRICT.

Stokes.....	Weston	
Lexington.....	755	9
Orangeburg.....	456	81
Sumter.....	459	81
Colleton.....	541	94
Berkeley.....	426	125

Richland.....	53	65
Dorchester.....	326	26
Dorchester.....	417	53
Total.....	4,133	505

The following are the State officers to be inaugurated on January 12th: Governor—W. H. Ellerbe.

Lt. Governor—M. B. McSweeney. Secretary of State—M. R. Cooper. Attorney General—G. Duncan Ballinger.

Treasurer—W. H. Timmerman. Comptroller—J. P. Dorhan.

Adjutant General—J. W. Floyd. Superintendent of Education—J. J. McMahon.

Railroad Commissioner—C. W. Garris.

Cost of the Merriam Re-fuses \$50,000 OFF.

Naval Constructor Hobson has just refused \$50,000 from a New York bureau to lecture this season.

Explaining the reason for his refusal to a friend today while on his way from Annapolis to Washington, Mr. Hobson said:

"It would be idle for me to say that I did not consider the proposition carefully. I did. My people are all in moderate circumstances, but my reflections led me to this conclusion:

"Before the sinking of the Merrimack my lectures would have been worth probably not more than 50 cents; the sinking of the Merrimack seems to have made them worth \$50,000. The work which so suddenly raised my stock in literary trade was done in simple execution of my duty as an officer in the American navy.

"I did not feel that I had a right to use the performance of that duty for my financial betterment. I therefore declined the offer of \$50,000. I have however, agreed to contribute some articles to one of the magazines, but this is different, and, I might add, carries no independent fortune with it."

Another offer of \$200 was made to Mr. Hobson Saturday at Annapolis for a twenty minute talk at Norfolk, and in refusing this offer he spoke of having refused the \$50,000 offer.

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good digestion; sound sleep; a fine appetite and a ripe old age, are some of the results of the use of **Tutt's Liver Pills.** A single dose will convince you of their wonderful effects and virtue.

**A Known Fact.**  
An absolute cure for sick headache, dyspepsia, malaria, sour stomach, dizziness, constipation, bilious fever, piles, torpid liver and all kindred diseases.

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