

## COL. WILLIAM ELLIOTT PASSES AWAY SUDDENLY.

Served His State Gallantly in Time of War and Creditably in Time of Peace.

BEAUFORT, December 5.—Col. William Elliott died at midnight while out on a duck hunting trip. He went Tuesday to the quarantine station, on Saint Helena sound, and after a successful day's hunting yesterday spent Wednesday evening with the quarantine official, sitting before an open fire. Shortly before retiring he was attacked with acute indigestion and after a few moments died. The body was brought to Beaufort this afternoon. The funeral services will be held at Saint Helena church, though no definite arrangements have been made. Col. Elliott came down from Washington Friday and has been hunting in the vicinity since, apparently in good health and in good spirits.

William Elliot was born in Beaufort in 1837, the son of the Rev. Stephen Elliott. After preparation at Beaufort college he went to Harvard university, and afterwards to the University of Virginia. In 1861 he was admitted to the bar in Charleston. At the breaking out of the war he was appointed on Governor Pickens' staff, and soon after enlisted as 1st lieutenant under Capt. Burnet Rhett in the Brooks' artillery. After considerable service in the Virginia campaigns he was made assistant adjutant general on the staff of General Stephen D. Lee and served in Vicksburg during the siege. At the close of the war he had risen to the rank of brigadier general.

During the last year of the war he married Miss Isabel Barnwell of Beaufort. She died four years later, leaving one daughter, who married Mr. W. B. Smith Whaley, of Charleston.

At the close of the war he began the practice of law in Beaufort and entered upon those political activities that made up so large a part of his career. In 1866 he was elected intendant of Beaufort and member of the legislature. In 1876 and 1888 he served as delegate to the national Democratic convention. During these years the Democratic party in Beaufort county and in the 1st Congressional district was having a stormy time. Mr. Elliott directed, the contest in this county, acting as chairman of the county executive committee, for many years and until his election to the 50th Congress. He was re-elected to the 52nd Congress and received the certificate of election to the 53d Congress, but was unseated by the house. He was given the certificate of election to the 54th Congress, but was unseated June 4, 1896, and the seat was given to the Republican opponent. He was elected to the 55th, 56th and 57th Congresses. In 1902 he ran for the senate and was defeated in a closely fought contest, after which he practiced law in Columbia.

Three years ago he was appointed by the president to locate and number the graves of the Confederate dead, and was engaged in this work up to the time of his death, having just returned from a trip to the Mississippi Valley. While in congress he was successful in furthering the harbor improvements at Georgetown and Charleston, and was chiefly instrumental in having the government establish the naval station at Port Royal.

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## TENDRILS.

Moving Parts Which Are the "Brains of Plant Life."

There are two classes of plants which are incited by man's presence to describe certain definite movements. One class, the sensitive plants, retract their leaflets as we approach them, as if they resented any attempt at closer intimacy, while the other class, comprising all those vines which develop climbing organs called tendrils, will reach out toward us if we place our hands in contact with them and will even use a finger as a support to climb upon. We know that these tendrils will wind just as readily about a twig or a grass stem, but as one feels these sensitive strands multiply their encircling coils about one's fingers there almost seems to be established between us and the vegetable world a more intimate relationship than has ever existed before.

Tendrils are indeed capable of exhibiting faculties and going through evolutions more wonderful perhaps than many of us realize. It is only after we have seen them at work, testing with their sensitive tips the objects they come in contact with, apparently considering their suitability as a support and then accepting or rejecting them, as the case may be—it is only then that we realize how justly they have been called the "brains of plant life."

The thoroughness with which these wandering tips explore their surroundings is illustrated by an instance I observed in a grapevine tendril. A cherry branch whose leaves had been variously punctured and scalloped by insects hung near the tendril, and a particular leaf had just one small hole in its blade, not over three-sixteenths of an inch in diameter. So careful had been the exploration of the leaf's surface that this one small hole had been discovered by the tendril, which had thrust itself nearly three inches through the opening. — Harper's Magazine.

### A Tart Old Lady.

In Indiana a good many years ago a certain old lady, summoned as a witness, came into court wearing a large poke bonnet, such as was then much affected by rural folks. Her answers to the questions put to her being rather indistinct, the court requested her to speak louder, though without much success.

"The court cannot hear a word you say, my good woman," said the judge. "Please to take off that huge bonnet of yours."

"Sir," she said composedly and distinctly enough this time, "the court has a perfect right to bid a gentleman take off his hat, but it has no right to make a lady remove her bonnet."

"Madam," replied the judge, "you seem so well acquainted with the law that I think you had better come up and take a seat with us on the bench."

"I thank your honor kindly," she responded, dropping a low courtesy to the court, "but there are old women enough there already." — Law Notes.

### Don't Speak to Your Horse.

Caress must promptly reward performance and the voice be never used—the horse does not understand your words, and if you are angry your tones will only further disconcert him—while if you are eternally talking to him you simply render him careless and inattentive. Caress the spot you have just addressed nor think that he understands a pat on the neck as reward for something he has just done with his hind quarters. Go direct to the spot, and where two parts have been addressed caress them both, as in backing, the hind quarters and the sides where the legs came, etc.—and do the same thing in biting. Do not pat the neck if you asked him to yield his jaw. "Don't reward your daughter for your son's successful geography lesson"—that is the idea in a nutshell.—From "Directing the Saddle Horse," by F. M. Ware, in Outing Magazine.

### Corruption of Names.

The name of Applecross, the old Ross-shire seat of the Mackenzies, is a modern corruption of Abercrosan, meaning "at the mouth of the Crosan," the little river which there flows into the Atlantic. The names of many places in Scotland have undergone changes as curious and confusing. The thousands of travelers who weekly alight at the fine station of St. Enoch, in Glasgow (called after the neighboring church), no doubt identify the name in some vague way with the patriarch Enoch, mentioned in an early chapter of Genesis. It is really a corrupted form of St. Thenog, or Thenaw, who was the mother of Kentigern, Glasgow's first bishop and patron saint and who is the subject of as quaint a legend as any to be found in mediaeval sacred history. — Modern Society.

## UNION GRADED SCHOOL.

Pleasant Entertainment to Be Given on December 20.

RHEMS, December 6.—At the last meeting of the Francis Marion Literary Society the members thought that it would be best to close the society until after the holidays because the week following would embrace examinations and the following Friday would be needed to practice for the approaching entertainment.

A remarkable pupil entered our school last Monday morning. He is a man very near middle age and after preaching for fifteen years has decided to try and obtain an education, so for the first time in life he sat in the school-room last Monday. He entered the sixth grade, having studied at home for all the education he has obtained. We honor and respect a man of such noble purpose and determination.

We are in the midst of our examinations this week and without a doubt shall be glad when the last one is finished Friday.

On Monday Mr. J. L. Cook, recently returned from his studies in New York, and Mr. Kirkland Cockfield, a member of the Senior class of Johnsonville Graded school, visited our school. Also Hon. Josiah Doar, superintendent of education from Georgetown, was with us Tuesday and Wednesday. Mr. Doar is a frequent visitor and one we always welcome with intense pleasure. On this occasion he gave us a delightful address replete with humor, as only he can give. All visitors are cordially welcome at all times by teachers and pupils.

For the night of December 20, there has been planned one of the most notable entertainments ever held in the history of our school. The programme as has been arranged is varied and elaborate throughout. Those who come will be made acquainted with the effect of "Woman's Suffrage" by means of one of the plays. "Under the Greenwood Tree," a play for the Christmas times will also be given. Besides instrumental solos, duets and trios, there will also be two vocal quartettes and two dialogue-duets similar in spirit to the one so popular last commencement. A very happy, entertaining and elevating evening is promised to all. An admission fee of 25 cents will be charged. Reserved seats 35 cents, the proceeds for the benefit of the school. Light refreshments will be served at the close. Remember the date Friday, the 20th, at 8:30 o'clock. Everybody is invited.

EDITA LITTERAE.

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County of Williamsburg.

By P. M. Brockinton, Esquire, Probate Judge.

Whereas L. O. Holloway made suit to me, to grant him letters of Administration of the Estate of and effects of W. S. Moore:

These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said W. S. Moore, deceased, that they be and appear before me in the Court of Probate, to be held at Kingstree, S. C., on the 23rd day of December next after publication thereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand, this 7th day of December, Anno Domini, 1907. Published on the 12th day of December 1907 in the COUNTY RECORD.

P. M. BROCKINTON,  
Probate Judge.

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### Notice to Teachers.

There will be a Teachers' association in Williamsburg county. The places of meeting will be in different sections on invitations, with the understanding that the teachers attending be entertained free. This is to notify you that I will consider your attendance on these meetings, and interest therein, in cases of application for renewal of certificates, and that no certificate will be renewed except for those who show a proper interest in the work.

J. G. McCULLOUGH,  
Co. Supt. Education.  
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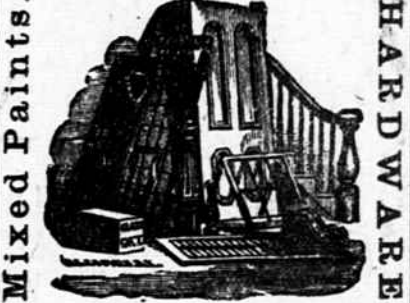
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