The Watchman and Southron.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 22.

The *Sumter Watchman* was founded in 1850 and the *True Southron* in 1866. The *Watchman and Southron* now has the combined circulation and influence of both of the old papers, and is manifestly the best advertising medium in Sumter.

EDITORIAL ITEMS.

They say that crime is on the increase since B. F. Butler has quit being Governor in Massachusetts. Is it possible that the Beast kept down wrong-doing more successfully than his pious successor can?

We have noticed lately, several accounts of "gander pullings" and cock fighting in various places in the State. We think these brutal pastimes should be frowned upon by our people. They are altogether bad in their influence and can do nothing but harm to those who witness them.

Limonico, the world-renowned restaurateur was found dead a few days ago among the Jersey hills. He had wandered away from home in a dazed condition, and finally succumbed to cold and starvation. What a miserable death for a millionaire, and especially one who has done more to feast the animal senses than any man living.

A wholesome inclination on the part of municipal authorities, in our incorporated towns, to raise liquor licenses, is manifest. In some towns it has been placed at such a high figure as to make it equivalent to prohibition; in others it has been materially increased, and the revenue from that source will be very large the coming year.

Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, seems to be on the wane. Mr. Beecher says that his death will be the signal for disintegration, and the organization which has been the pride of his life will soon be a thing of the past. At the annual sale of pews last week, the receipts were $4,000 less than usual, only bringing $34,000 against $38,000 last year.

It looks as if war will soon begin in earnest between France and China. There has already been some skirmishing in Congress, which is likely to be the seat of war for some time, and from the movements of troops, hot work may soon be expected. Strange to say, war is not yet declared between the two powers, and though diplomatic relations are very shaky," the Chinese Minister is still at Paris.

The wives of prominent officials at Washington are squabbling over the question of precedence on State occasions, and some bad blood is being engendered. What difference can it make to a sensible woman whether she stands on the right or left of the President, or as to that matter, whether she stands near him at all. It is bad enough for men to quarrel over such trifles, women ought to know better.

Some of the State papers are talking about Mr. W. H. Perry, as a suitable candidate for Governor, next fall. We have nothing but words of praise for Mr Perry. He is the son of one of the noblest men in the State, and is himself an honest, capable gentleman, but we have a Governor that so completely fulfils our idea of what that official should be that a change would cause much regret.

The Republican Senators at Washington have been sorely exercised over the Presidency of the Senate. Mr. Anthony of Rhode Island had some claims to the office, but his health is bad and if he were to die in office, and some lunatic should assassinate Arthur, Mr. Carlisle would stand next in the order of succession, the bare contemplation of which gave them the night-mare. So Mr. Anthony was elected, with the understanding that he was to resign, which he did like a gentleman, and Mr. Edmunds was duly put in his place. The Government is safe, at least until next year.

The Lexington *Dispatch* has a long letter from Representative Brooker of that County, giving among other things, a brief account of the legislation of last December, in which Lexington was especially interested. We think the idea is a good one, and would have been glad for *our* members to have come face to face, with their constituents through the columns of the *Watchman and Southron*. Lexington is fortunate in having such a Representative as Brooker. The writer of this knew him well in college and still better in the army. Mess No. 8, Co. K. 2nd. Regt. of S. C. Cavalry had no better soldier than W. T. Brooker.

There was much suffering, especially in the large cities and towns, among the destitute poor, during the late cold weather. In Atlanta, the organization of the benevolent citizens into a committee of help, was greatly aided by the active leadership of the *Constitution*, and in 24 hours after the first call was made, over $1,000 had been collected and distributed among the sufferers. Hacks and drays were busy all of Sunday, carrying around supplies, and, when drivers would have to give up from cold and fatigue, their places would be taken by merchants, bankers and other leading men.

At the recent Session of the Legislature, there were in all something over 500 bills introduced, 285 of which passed, 284 becoming laws and one being vetoed by the Governor. Charters were granted to 20 building and loan associations; 24 bills relating to railroads and transportation companies were passed; 22 acts of incorporations of cities and towns and amendments to the charters of municipalities already incorporated, were enacted; the same number of bills (22) were passed relating to schools, colleges and School Commissioners; 14 bills in relation to county and 2 in relation to city affairs; 2 relating to legal costs; 7 in regard to courts; 4 relating to drainage in certain counties; 7 in regard to prohibition; 21 in relation to roads, bridges and ferries; 10 in reference to trial justices and constables; 7 amendments to the general law; 6 in regard to duties of County Commissioners; 3 relating to certain crimes; 3 in relation to fences; 7 in regard to taxes; 3 relating to juries.

SCHOOL HOUSES.

Some of the Counties in the State are showing commendable interest in building comfortable school rooms; and the subject is sufficiently important for our careful consideration. We think a single day spent by any parent in the County, visiting the hovels where our children spend a large portion of their time, would be well spent, and he would return home convinced that a radical change was necessary, in school architecture. The mind cannot work to advantage while the body is uncomfortable, and it is impossible for children to be anything else than extremely uncomfortable, in the average country school house. Generally it is a log shanty, with clay chimney, unceiled, cracks, leaky roof, slab seats without backs, and windows without glass. How many teachers there are in the County, who will say, on reading this, that the description is a fac-simile of his or her school house! Is it any wonder that children become idle and mischievous with such forbidding surroundings? Would it not be the greatest of wonders' if any improvement could be made in a child's mental or moral character under such circumstances. And parents seem to be utterly indifferent to the matter. The State runs the schools and the State must provide school houses, seems to be the sentiment of many of our people. It may be best for the State to do this work, and if so, the sooner it is done the better. Stop every school where there is need of a comfortable house. Take the money intended for the school and put it into a building, weatherboarded and ceiled, with windows well glazed, good brick chimney, and suitable furniture, and see if your child does not learn more in one year with pleasant surroundings than he did in two years in a tumble-down log shanty. The inclement weather of the past few weeks has made this question one of much importance. For the sake of common humanity the little boys and girls should not be sent to shiver and suffer in the so-called school houses so many of us use. No more practical subject can be brought to the attention of Trustees and Patrons than that of providing comfortable houses for our schools.

The Public Schools.

Editor of the Enquirer:

While in nearly every prominent town in the State a lively interest is taken in the public schools, the town of Georgetown seems to be far behind her sisters. Very little concern is manifested about the comfort of the children who attend these schools here—certainly so far as respects the white children. For while the colored scholars are enjoying the conveniences and comforts of a well-appointed school house, the whites are crowded into two small rooms in an old dilapidated building, and in one or two instances children have fainted from the effects of the impure atmosphere in the school room. By a little effort the Trustees could procure a better house for the purpose or have one built at a small outlay. A small extra tax would soon pay the expenses if the funds are not now available. As at present conducted, it is prejudicial to the health of both teacher and pupils.

OBSERVER.

It seems from the above that Georgetown needs stirring up as well as Sumter on the school question.

Neighboring Counties.

Clarendon Enterprise: Married by Rev. James McDowell, at the residence of Mr. Robert Strange, on the 3rd instant, Mr. William Thomas Tobias and Miss Sallie, daughter of the late John Cole, Esq., all of this county. ——The public schools will remain open for ten weeks this year against four last year. A decided improvement, but when the poll tax is raised to $5 the schools will remain open for a much longer period. ——It is estimated that the oat crop in this county has been damaged to the amount of $100,000. The oats planted in October will not be seriously damaged, but the December planting is killed. The next best thing is to make a spring sowing, but this crop is never as good as the fall sowing. ——Rev. J. W. Perry and family left last week for his new work in Statesville, N. C. Manning regrets to lose so valued a citizen, for he had won the love and esteem not only of his own congregation, but of all with whom he came in contact. He has our best wishes for his usefulness and success in his new field of labor. ——Mr. M. Furstenburg and family left last week for Augusta, where he will engage in business. Mr. Furstenburg was a valued addition to our town, and he will be missed in business circles ——Major Carraway, book keeper of M Furstenburg, has gone on a visit to Florida, where he will spend some time. The Major had made many friends here and it was no pleasure to him to leave.

Darlington News: The Darlington National Bank has declared a semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent. ——On A. Weinberg's place, on Jan. 7, Enoch James, aged 16, died of hydrophobia caused by the bite of a dog, two months before. ——At the town Election held at Timmonsville on Tuesday, January 8, two tickets were run; one in favor of license, the other against. The 'no license' ticket was elected, Intendant—W. G. Reynolds. Wardens—H. L. Morris, Jno. McSween, J. O Byrd and W. J. Pond.

Camden Journal: Whooping cough is very prevalent in Camden at this time, and we learn of several small colored children who have died from its effects. ——The lien business is getting pretty active already. Many farmers who gave liens last year are too lean to get one now, and will have to go it alone or break.

Kershaw Gazette: On the first of June next, a tri-weekly mail route will be opened from Hagood, on the Camden Branch, to Smithville, which will be a great convenience to the people along the route. ——Rev. A A. Gilbert, the new preacher on the Hanging Rock circuit, has arrived. He was at his post at Damascus on the first Sunday in this month; but, owing to the intensely cold weather, there was no congregation. He will preach here on the 4th Sunday in this month. ——On the 6th inst., Mrs. Angus McGougan presented her husband with a daughter; she becoming a mother at the age of 13 years, 3 months and 12 days. The father is about 17 years old. The physician in attendance reports her doing well, and says she is the youngest mother he ever attended. ——On last Friday afternoon, while Mrs Hardin, of the Antioch section, had gone to the spring for water, she heard a scream from her little three-year-old daughter. Rushing back to the house, she found the clothes on the child in a blaze. She immediately tore off what clothing was left on the child, but it had been so severely burned that death come to its relief that night. ——On last Friday, while some children were playing on the hillside near the home of Mr. W. S. McDonald, in the lower Rossville section of the county, a log lying on the side of the hill was moved, in sport, by some of the children, and rolling rapidly down the hill passed rapidly over the body of a five-year-old son of Mr. McDonald, causing the death of the child almost instantly. The young parents have the kindest sympathy of their friends in this heart-rending bereavement.

[For the Watchman and Southron.]

Smithville News Items.

Rev. J. J. Myers, in crossing Rafter Creek, on the 5th instant, found the ice so thick and strong that he had great difficulty in crossing. Fortunately he did not get hurt; his horse, though, was slightly cut on the leg.

Mr. H. H. Evans killed a hog that weighed over 500 lbs.

Some of the people, around Smithville, have been trying to see the comet but have not succeeded. Probably their eyesight is not good.

The severe cold has injured the advanced oats, and the late ones, we are afraid, are all killed.

The first part of the Lien and Mortgage crop, in this section, came over the Columbia road, a few days ago. From accounts, the crop will be a heavy one this year.

King Cotton, as usual, is beginning to stir up his people wonderfully about here. The best lands, manure, and attention, will pay homage to his Kingship, by his dutiful down-trodden subjects.

The dusky citizens are asking too much for their labor. D.

[For the Watchman and Southron.]

Bishopville Items.

Around about Bishopville times are hard, money scarce, and prospects anything else but cheering.

Cotton nearly or quite all marketed, money in somebody's else pockets, but little corn in our cribs, or meat in our smoke houses. Order of the day—earnest communications with factors and others, soliciting advances to enable us to make another crop of king cotton.

While the above truths are not applicable to all, they are, alas, too true as regards a large majority of us

The prospects for an oat crop (so promising ten days ago) is gloomy enough to-day, owing to the recent freeze of ten days duration, which for severity was unprecedented in the memory of the oldest citizens. Nothing done as yet toward commencing preparations for another crop. About all we have been able to do, was to make fires and stay near them to keep from freezing. There is some complaint as to scarcity of laborers—several of our farmers, not having been able up to date to contract with more than half the hands they wish to employ.

I believe the inclination of the farmers is to plant as much cotton as ever—even if the prospects do point to low prices next fall. Better be sure to plant so as to secure full barns with reasonable seasons, and then, all the cotton we can cultivate properly.

Land rent in this neighborhood is quite remunerative to those who have much to rent, the usual price being from three to five dollars per acre. Messrs. J. N. & R. E. Carnes rented a hundred acres a few days since, for which they are to pay five hundred and twenty five dollars; however, it is a choice piece of cotton land.

Mr. A. Brooks Stuckey, the efficient teacher of the Bishopville free school, has quite a flourishing school at this time. Right man in the right place—So we think.

Miss Elida James, the teacher of the school at Piedmont Baptist Church, has been quite sick for several weeks, but we are glad to hear she is convalescing, and will soon be able to take charge of her school again.

We are about to lose one of our useful young men, in the person of Mr. Lewis Husbands, who has made up his mind to try Florida for awhile. Our best wishes attend him.

The health of the neighborhood is generally good, and although somewhat cast down in spirits when we look back at the failures of the past year, and at the doubtful future before us, methinks I can see underlying it all, a disposition to forget the failures of the past and a determination to grapple with the stringency of the times; use more economy in the future, and strive harder (if possible) than ever before to bring about a better state of affairs; looking unto Him from whom cometh our help, to send us the early and latter rains and bless our efforts with an abundant harvest. So mote it be. SOMETIMES.

Four Lives Saved.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup relieved four of my children of a most alarming attack of Whooping Cough, from which their throats and necks became so swollen as to prevent them from swallowing. Nothing would give them even temporary relief, until this Syrup was tried. One bottle, in one night, saved their lives, I verily believe.

GEO. W. EARHART,
Captain of Police, Baltimore, Md.

Parched and swollen lips indicate worms. Shriner's Indian Vermifuge will destroy and eject these detestable creatures from the intestines, thus restoring the child to health and beauty.

Earthquake at Wilmington.

The following from the *Star* gives an account of an earthquake at Wilmington last Friday morning.

'What is generally conceded to have been the shock of an earthquake was distinctly felt in this city yesterday morning, about 8 o'clock, and was the theme of conversation during the day. Many dwellings were shaken very perceptibly, and in some instances to an extent to create alarm. We heard of one gentleman who became impressed with the idea that the foundations of his house were giving away. Another party states that he was in a close room at the time, and that the concussion was sufficient to agitate articles of clothing hanging in the room. In some instances crockery and glassware were made to rattle by the force of the shock, which was not confined to any particular part of the city. Some of the older people say they have heard and felt earthquake shocks before, but none so perceptibly as this. Some persons say the shock was accompanied by a rumbling sound, and one or two declare that they felt two or three distinct shocks. The main shock lasted from eight to ten seconds.'

Salaries of Supervisors.

Until March 1st the salaries of Supervisors will be at the rate of $100 per annum. After that time and until October 31st, when the appropriation expires, all supervisors, except the supervisor of Charleston County, will receive pay at the rate of $500 per annum.

Orangeburg has had another fire. A frame building occupied as a store by Messrs. Lendo, Ransdale & Co., was burned. Loss on the building $1 000 on the goods $2,000. The latter was insured for $1,500.

News of another terrible disaster comes, namely, the wreck of the steamer City of Columbus, plying between Boston and Savannah, entailing the loss of over one hundred lives. The vessel struck on a reef near Martha's Vineyard on the east coast of Massachusetts, about 3 o'clock Friday morning. A heavy gale was blowing at the time and but 23 persons out of the 147 on board were saved.

Following close upon the accident to the Steamship Celtic comes the news that the Germanic, of the same line, has broken her shaft on the voyage from Liverpool to New York and has been compelled to return to port. Certain prearranged routes across the Atlantic which steamers ought to follow would aid largely in bringing relief to them when they are overdue and allaying the anxiety of those who may have friends on board.

Rev. Dr. Newman, formerly inspector of consulates under President Grant and the discoverer of the garden of Eden, is again in trouble. Although a follower of John Wesley, he accepted the pastorate of a Congregational church in New York city, and at the annual meeting of the church on Wednesday night one of the deacons asserted that the reverend gentleman was not a Congregationalist, and reported his work to the Methodist conference, as if the church in question was a Methodist mission Mr. Newman retorted angrily, but was stopped by the presiding officer, who said. 'Don't call our beloved deacon a liar; he won't stand it.' A new commandment might well be added to the decalogue believed in by that church.

"Our Women in the War."

The *News and Courier*, Charleston, S. C., desires to obtain fifty or more sketches of the experiences, grave or gay, lively or severe, of the Southern women during the war. Little has been published hitherto concerning their sufferings, anxieties and privations, and the *News and Courier* wishes to make the record of the war complete, by giving the American public a just idea of what the Southern women endured during the struggle for the Lost Cause. There was comedy as well as tragedy in their daily life, and the object is to obtain descriptions of every side and phase of a Southern woman's trials and triumphs, at home or as a refugee, during the Confederate struggle. The sketches in question will be published in the *Weekly News*, Charleston, S. C., under the general title of "Our Women in the War." The conditions are as follows:

1. The sketches must be written by Southern women who were in the South during the war, and shall be confined to a description of events and circumstances of which the writers have personal knowledge, and with which they or their families were connected.

2. Each sketch shall fill not less than fifteen nor more than thirty pages of foolscap written on one side.

3. The sketches shall be sent, with real name of the writer to the *News and Courier*, Charleston, S. C., not later than March 1st, 1884.

4. Every sketch that is accepted will be promptly paid for, and any Southern woman who desires to do so can send in two or more sketches.

The object in view is certainly an excellent one, and it is hoped that Southern women everywhere will do their part in making the undertaking successful, "in order," as the *News and Courier* says, "that tardy justice may be rendered to the women who encouraged the soldiers by their patient fortitude and solaced them with words of cheer, and who, through all manner of hardship, of anguish, of misery, were faithful and true to the very end—and after!"

Best Book for Everybody.

The new illustrated edition of Webster's Dictionary, containing three thousand engravings, is the *best book for everybody* that the press has produced in the present century, and should be regarded as indispensable to the well-regulated home, reading-room, library, and place of business.—*Golden Era.*

Norman's Neutralizing Cordial.

In another column you will find an advertisement of Norman's Neutralizing Cordial. This excellent medicine is a sovereign remedy for all disorders of the stomach and bowels It is as pleasant and harmless as blackberry wine, contains no opium and will not constipate.

Our national paper currency is said to be poisonous from being colored with arsenic. That's where the poor editor's revenge comes in. He doesn't have to handle the stuff.

It Will Cost You Nothing.

To get from Drs. Starkey & Palen, 1109 Girard Street, Philadelphia, an honest opinion in your case, if you are suffering from any chronic disease, as Consumption, Catarrh, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, or nervous irritability and weakness. They are making wonderful cures with their new Compound Oxygen Treatment. Write to them and give a clear statement of your case. They will answer promptly as to the chances of a cure. *They make no charge for consultations.* If, however, you do not wish to consult them at present, drop a postal-dard, asking for their Treatise on Compound Oxygen, in which you will find a history of its discovery, nature, and action, and a large number of reports of difficult and desperate cases which they have treated successfully. It will be sent free.

'If a man empties his purse into his head,' says a writer, 'no man can take it away from him.' That's the toper's doctrine to a T.

Many physicians are using Gilder's Liver Pills in their practice.

State of South Carolina.

SUMTER COUNTY.

To his Honor, the Presiding Judge of the Court of General Sessions to be held for said County on Monday, February 4th, 1884.

As School Commissioner of Sumter County, I have the honor respectfully to submit the following report of the number, claimants, and amount of such claims, for the fiscal year ending October 31st, 1883, as have been audited, allowed, and ordered paid through this office:

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1.—SUMTER.

No. of Certificate.	To Whom.	Amount.
2	W R Delgar, insurance,	$ 20 00
10	Lymus Carter, work on stoves,	2 43
18	Mrs L E Steinmeyer, teacher's salary,	35 00
22	Mrs M E Jennings, teacher's salary,	5 00
45	Watchman and Southron, advertising,	2 00
82	T C Scaffe, work on stoves,	2 05
96	Miss M L Wilder, teacher's salary,	25 00
165	Tyson Nelson, fences,	25 00
260	Miss Etta Blanding, teacher's salary,	30 00
261	Miss Etta Blanding, teacher's salary,	30 00
268	Miss E A McCants, teacher's salary,	25 00
269	Miss M L Wilder, salary,	25 00
272	E S Bracey, teacher's salary,	20 00
273	Miss M J Cooper, teacher's salary,	20 00
274	Miss C R Stewart, teacher's salary,	30 00
275	Miss M A Savage, salary,	40 00
276	Miss Margaret Cling, salary,	25 00
294	W S Durham, salary,	75 00
295	W S Durham, salary,	75 00
296	W S Durham, salary,	75 00
297	W S Durham, salary,	75 00
298	Miss E O Blanding, salary,	30 00
299	Miss E O Blanding, salary,	30 00
302	Miss M. L. Wilder, salary,	25 00
303	Miss M. L. Wilder, salary,	25 00
304	Miss E. A. McCants, salary,	25 00
305	E. A. Andrews, salary,	25 00
306	E. A. Andrews, salary,	25 00
307	Mrs. L. E. Steinmeyer, salary,	35 00
308	Mrs. L. E. Steinmeyer, salary,	35 00
309	Mrs. L. E. Steinmeyer, salary,	35 00
310	Miss M. J. Cooper, salary,	20 00
311	Miss M. J. Cooper, salary,	40 00
312	Miss Margaret Cling, salary,	25 00
313	Miss Margaret Cling, salary,	25 00
314	Miss Margaret Cling, salary,	25 00
315	Miss M. A. Savage, salary,	40 00
316	Miss M. A. Savage, salary,	40 00
317	Miss M. A. Savage, salary,	40 00
318	Miss C. R. Stewart, salary,	30 00
319	Miss C. R. Stewart, salary,	30 00
320	Miss C. R. Stewart, salary,	30 00
321	E. S. Bracey, salary,	20 00
322	E. S. Bracey, salary,	20 00
323	E. S. Bracey, salary,	20 00
325	Mrs. M. E. Jennings, salary,	5 00
326	Mrs. M. E. Jennings, salary,	5 00
327	Mrs. M. E. Jennings, salary,	5 00
328	Robert Gayle, salary,	20 00
329	Robert Gayle, salary,	20 00
330	Robert Gayle, salary,	20 00
331	D. H. Tines, rent of school house,	15 00
385	Watchman and Southron, advertising,	2 50
464	W. W. D. Chandler, work on school house,	20 20

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2.—CONCORD.

17	Miss Ulrica Dinkins, salary,	30 00
73	R. B. Burgess, salary,	22 00
84	J. M. N. Wilder, desks,	5 00
85	J. C. Moultrie, salary,	20 00
86	J. C. Moultrie, salary,	20 00
112	R. B. Burgess, salary,	18 00
113	N. A. Osburn, salary,	20 00
114	N. A. Osburn, salary,	20 00
115	Mrs. T. B. Mahoney, salary,	20 00
133	J. C. Moultrie, salary,	20 00
134	Miss N. A. Osburn, salary,	20 00
135	Miss Ulrica Dinkins, salary,	30 00
136	Mrs. T. B. Mahoney, salary,	20 00
137	Mrs. T. B. Mahoney, salary,	20 00
175	R. B. Burgess, salary,	18 00
226	Miss N. A. Osburn, salary,	20 00
232	Mrs. T. B. Mahoney, salary,	20 00
248	Miss A. H. Pringle, salary,	15 00
278	Miss A. H. Pringle, salary,	15 00
410	Mrs. Addie E. Brogdon, salary,	30 00
411	Mrs. Addie E. Brogdon, salary,	30 00
412	Mrs. Addie E. Brogdon, salary,	30 00
413	Mrs. Addie E. Brogdon, salary,	30 00
414	Mrs. Addie E. Brogdon, salary,	30 00
415	R. B. Burgess, salary,	18 00
416	Miss A. H. Pringle, salary,	15 00
417	Miss N. A. Osburn, salary,	20 00
440	Miss Ulrica Dinkins, salary,	30 00
466	R. B. Burgess, salary,	14 00
467	J. C. Moultrie, salary,	20 00
468	J. C. Moultrie, salary,	20 00
469	Mrs. T. B. Mahoney, salary,	20 00
470	Miss Ulrica Dinkins, salary,	30 00
491	Miss Ulrica Dinkins, salary,	30 00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 3.—PRIVATEER.

92	Miss M. M. Mason, salary,	25 00
93	Miss M. M. Mason, salary,	25 00
207	Laura F. Perrin, salary,	25 00
208	Laura F. Perrin, salary,	25 00
209	Laura F. Perrin, salary,	37 50
210	W. T. Andrews, salary,	25 00
211	W. T. Andrews, salary,	25 00
212	W. T. Andrews, salary,	12 50
213	Miss Adele Osteen, salary,	25 00
214	Miss Adele Osteen, salary,	25 00
215	Miss Adele Osteen, salary,	25 00
216	M. E. Glover, salary,	25 00
217	M. E. Glover, salary,	25 00
218	M. E. Glover, salary,	12 50
219	Miss M. M. Mason, salary,	25 00
220	Miss M. M. Mason, salary,	37 50
221	Silas Mellett, salary,	25 00
222	Silas Mellett, salary,	25 00
223	Silas Mellett, salary,	25 00
224	Silas Mellett, salary,	12 50
366	M. E. Glover, salary,	25 00
441	M. E. Glover, salary,	25 00
442	W. T. Andrews, salary,	25 00
443	W. T. Andrews, salary,	25 00
444	James Trouthman, work on school house,	30 00
458	Miss Adele Osteen, salary,	25 00
460	Silas Mellett, salary,	25 00
471	Caleb Neil, furniture,	3 60
497	Laura F. Perrin, salary, (unpaid)	25 00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 4.—MANCHESTER.

11	Silas Mellett, salary,	12 50
20	Silas Mellett, salary,	12 50
94	Silas Mellett, salary,	12 50
117	G. J. Davis, salary,	30 00
118	G. J. Davis, salary,	30 00
119	G J. Davis, salary,	30 00
162	Silas Mellett, salary,	12 50
179	Silas Mellett, salary,	6 25
263	G. J. Davis, salary,	30 00
264	G. J. Davis, salary,	30 00
265	G. J. Davis, salary,	30 00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 5.—MIDDLETON.

33	E. J. Douglass, salary,	25 00
54	D. H. Bowen, salary,	25 00
55	D. H. Bowen, salary,	25 00
57	Miss C. L. McLaurin, salary,	30 00
78	E. J. Douglass, salary,	25 00
79	E. J. Douglass, salary,	25 00
110	D. H. Bowen, salary,	25 00
160	E. J. Douglass, salary,	25 00
180	D. H. Bowen, salary,	25 00
182	Miss C. L. McLaurin, salary,	30 00
183	Miss C. L. McLaurin, salary,	30 00
184	Miss C. L. McLaurin, salary,	30 00
225	Oscar Richardson, rent of school house,	20 00
266	J. Evans, fuel,	8 00
270	E. J. Douglass, salary,	25 00
367	Oscar Richardson, rent,	20 00
380	Sandy Cantey, rent,	7 00
382	W. W. Moore, rent,	20 00
383	Miss C. L. McLaurin, salary,	30 00
384	D. H. Bowen, salary,	25 00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 6.—STATEBURG.

3	J. R. Ballard, salary,	30 00
9	Geo. H. Patterson, salary,	25 00
26	J. M. Harrison, salary,	15 00
27	Wm. Cohen, salary,	25 00
28	Miss E. G. McLeod, salary,	15 00
29	Miss Susan Lang, salary,	25 00
59	Geo. H. Patterson, salary,	25 00
72	Miss Susan Lang, salary,	25 00
77	J. R. Ballard, salary,	25 00
90	Miss Mary E. Ballard, salary,	25 00
106	J. M. Harrison, salary,	15 00
109	T. C. Scaffe, stoves,	11 25
158	Miss E. G. McLeod, salary,	25 00
159	Miss E. G. McLeod, salary,	25 00
171	Geo. H. Patterson, salary,	25 00
172	Geo. H. Patterson, salary,	25 00
173	J. M. Harrison, salary,	15 00
174	J. M. Harrison, salary,	15 00
178	Charles Sanders, rent,	4 00
238	J. M. Harrison, salary,	15 00
239	Miss M. A. Savage, salary,	20 00
241	Miss M. E. Ballard, salary,	25 00
242	Miss Susan Lang, salary,	25 00
243	Miss Susan Lang, salary,	25 00
244	Kennedy Lewis, order on Treasurer,	5 00
245	C. E. Moody, salary,	25 00
246	C. E. Moody, salary,	25 00
249	Miss E. G. McLeod, salary,	25 00
341	Miss M. A. Savage, salary,	20 00
342	Miss Susan Lang, salary,	25 00
343	Miss M. E. Ballard, salary,	25 00
377	Miss E. G. McLeod, salary,	25 00
445	Miss M. E. Ballard, salary,	25 00
446	G. H. Patterson, salary,	25 00
472	Miss M. A. Savage, salary,	20 00
473	J. R. Ballard, salary,	25 00
474	C. E. Moody, salary,	25 00
475	J. R. Ballard, salary,	25 00
476	Miss M. A. Savage, salary,	20 00
477	J. R. Ballard, salary,	25 00
478	C. E. Moody, salary,	25 00
479	Miss M. A. Savage, salary,	20 00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 7.—PROVIDENCE.

74	J. H. Witherspoon, salary,	25 00
75	J. H. Witherspoon, salary,	25 00
91	C. F. Chappell, salary,	25 00
100	Miss E. G. McLeod, salary,	8 00
101	C. F. Chapell, salary,	25 00
102	Miss R. E. Raffield, salary,	25 00
103	Miss R. E. Raffield, salary,	25 00
104	Mrs. M. E. Jennings, salary,	15 00
105	Mrs. M. E. Jennings, salary	15 00
256	T. C. Scaffe, stove pipe,	1 40
368	W. T. Taylor, salary,	25 00
386	W. T. Taylor, salary,	25 00
387	W. T. Taylor, salary,	25 00
388	W. T. Taylor, salary,	25 00
389	W. T. Taylor, salary,	25 00
390	J. H. Witherspoon, salary,	17 50
391	J. H. Witherspoon, salary,	25 00
392	J. H. Witherspoon, salary,	25 00
393	C. F. Chapell, salary,	25 00
394	C. F. Chappell, salary,	13 75
395	C. F Chappell, salary,	25 00
396	Miss S. E. Bryan, salary,	20 00
397	Miss S. E. Bryan, salary,	20 00
398	Miss S. E. Bryan, salary,	11 00
399	Miss E. G. McLeod, salary	8 00
400	Miss E. G. McLeod, salary,	8 00
401	Miss E. G. McLeod, salary,	8 00
402	Mrs. M. E. Jennings, salary,	15 00
403	Mrs. M. E. Jennings, salary,	15 00
404	Miss R. E. Raffield, salary,	18 75
405	Miss R. E. Raffield, salary,	25 00
406	Miss R. E. Raffield, salary,	25 00
407	Mrs. M. E. Jennings, salary,	9 75

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 8—RAFTON CREEK.

3	A. L. Boyd, salary,	25 00
12	Jno. N. Cato, repairs,	10 75
14	Mrs. Sarah A. Ives, salary,	15 00
21	W. J. Hatfield, salary,	20 00
23	Miss J. H. Sanders, salary,	20 00
24	Miss J. H. Sanders, salary,	20 00
30	G. W. Murray, salary,	25 00
31	G. W. Murray, salary,	25 00
76	Mrs. S. A. Ives, salary,	15 00
80	W. J. Hatfield, salary,	20 00
81	T. C. Scaffe, stove and pipe,	9 25
95	E. W. N. Ryan, salary,	25 00
110	Anna L. Boyd, salary,	20 00
111	G. W. Murray, salary,	25 00
122	Mrs. C. A. Weinges, salary,	25 00
146	Mrs. S. A Ives, salary,	15 00
176	A. L. Boyd, salary,	20 00
181	Mrs. S. A. Ives, salary,	20 00
187	G. W. Murray, salary,	25 00
230	G. W. Murray, salary,	25 00
231	A. L. Boyd, salary,	20 00
233	E. W. N. Ryan, salary,	25 00
234	Mrs. C. A. Weinges, salary,	25 00
251	Mrs. S. A. Ives, salary,	20 00
257	E. W. N. Ryan, salary,	25 00
258	E. W. N. Ryan, salary,	25 00
262	A. L. Boyd, salary,	20 00
280	W. J. Hatfield, salary,	10 00
344	Mrs. C. A. Weinges, salary,	25 00
345	Mrs. C. A. Weinges, salary,	25 00
246	Mrs. C. A. Weinges, salary.	25 00
421	Miss J H Sanders, salary,	25 00
422	Miss J. H. Sanders, salary,	25 00
324	Miss J. H. Sanders, salary,	20 00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 9—SPRING HILL.

34	Thadeus A. Ford, salary,	40 00
36	R. E Brockington, salary,	50 00
41	Miss Emma Coleclough, salary,	25 00
50	E. P Shedd, salary,	15 00
53	Miss Emma Coleclough, salary,	25 00
58	E. P. Shedd, salary,	15 00
62	A. G. Frierson, salary,	20 00
142	Miss L. A Peebles, salary,	25 00
145	E. P. Shedd, salary,	22 50
282	Miss W. Dinkins, salary,	40 00
283	Miss W Dinkins, salary,	20 00
143	A. G. Frierson, salary,	20 00
144	Miss L. A. Peebles, salary,	25 00
284	A. G. Frierson, salary,	20 00
285	A. G. Frierson, salary,	20 00
286	R. E. Brockington, salary,	50 00
287	Miss Emma Coleclough, salary,	25 00
288	Miss Emma Coleclough, salary,	25 00
289	Miss L. A. Peebles, salary,	25 00
290	Miss L. A. Peebles, salary,	25 00
291	E. C. Frierson, salary,	20 00
292	E. C. Frierson, salary,	20 00
293	B. Caughman, rent,	7 00
438	A. Moseley, building school house,	75 00
461	James Grant, rent,	8 00

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 10.—CAR