## SOUTHRON. AND WATCHMAN THE

The Tol nichman and Southron. WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14.

Our State Contemporaries.

The Farmer's Convention. Prosperity Press.

dispatch.

failure to have their hopes realized has ready in his season, grateful to a robust said there was no hope as her skull had aforesaid occasion. carried confusion into the ranks of the appetite and a palate wholesome enough been fractured. This happened about I mused myself for an hour or more, opposition, and various reasons are be- to accept strength; the cooter is an ar- four o'clock on Friday afternoon and at watching them enter the grounds; they ing given for such failure. Some ar- istocratic bird, whose function it is to ten o'clock on Saturday this poor un- would begin picking their way very gue that Capt. Tillman has lost his awaken the languid stomach to yearn- fortunate lady was a corpse. grip, and that the "bottom has drop- ing, to give nutriment while passing Others, of a more fearful turn of mind, delicacy and delight of a gastronomic are of the opinion that "still water benediction. Let the two go upon the statute runs deep," and that the marked har-

Capital.

Edgefield Chronicie. '

SCMTER, S. C., Dec. 3, 1887.

mony which characterized the acts of books hand in hand as game; let us increased strength. The action of the Convention has put which offer happiness to men of all

public, and now is the time for the est taste and righteous ambition. County Organizers to actively carry out - their plans.

Anderson Intelligencer The Farmers' Convention wet in Columbia last week. Its effect upon legislation is not likely to be very great. of Agriculture by increasing it to ten Arthur S. Tompkins and your corres- ceeded with the brutal punishment of members, and permitting it to elect the pondent attended the State Baptist Con- bis wife. The son ran into the house probably, with some amendments, been Griffith, old acquaintances of the As- father to desist from choking his mothpassed by the Senate, and will become sociation, and saw the vencrable Dr. cr. A daughter was at the time also means of forecasting the result of the pulpit in this place will be filled by there is little hope of her recovery. Dr J. F. W. DeLorme's Drug Store. vote in either House on these issues.

An Important Bill.

as he is unable to climb a tree and bas the flank which caused him to come failed to develop speed even after a long down on the wheel, crushing it to the process of hunting and training. Ile ground. The noise occasioned by this has no wings at all and because of his collision frightened the mule drawing at the late fair but who did not take in natural infirmities and deficiencies rare- the buggy and it immediately started the situation described, received the

ly enjoys the happiness of getting there off-running about fifty yards-when it following spicy analysis from a gallant all the same. He can be trusted with- stopped and commenced kicking. Mr. young biped. She enjoyed the ridicuout dog, gun, pine torch or bait, and Jonnson was thrown out of the buggy, lous analysis of her sex very much, and

his conservative tendencies make him getting his arm broken and sustaining gave us a copy for publication : The second annual Convention of the leasy prey, as he usually lives at home injuries. The mule dragged the buggy I have heard it said that woman is a Farmers' Association of this State, and does business at the same old stand, some distance further, kicking as it compound being, made up equally of which convened in Agricultural Hall, The cooter stands on his own merits, went, until stopped by Mr. Jas. Kitch- the angel and mule. I have been dis-Columbia, S. C., December 1st, 1887, and may receive favorable considera- ing, who was at the mill and witnessed posed to accept the qualitative if not was one of the most pleasant meetings tion without derogation of the claims of the accident. When he got to the the quantitative statement. My mind ever held by the farmers. Harmony his fellow game bird the 'possum. Each buggy he found the mule standing with was never clear as to which predomiprevailed throughout the sessions, con- has and ably fills his own sphere; for, one foot through the dash, and Mrs. nated-the angelic or the mulic! Of sequently business was transacted with while the 'possum is the champion Johnson lying insensible in the road course I am now speaking of the averroaster and baker in the cheerful com- twenty yards behind, having been kick- age, and, as a general rule, I know

The unanimity of spirit which per- panionship of browned sweet potatoes, ed in the forehead. She was carefully there are many exceptions both ways. vaded this meeting was a genuine sur- the coster naturally runs to soup and is picked up and conveyed to the residence But since attending the fair, I am disprise to those opposers of the Farmers' at his best when absorbed by the aid of of Mrs. Kitching, Doctor A. L. Hutto posed to modify my opinion, by thinklooked forward to, a discordant time mingled with a dash of the best sherry. could be done for her relief was done. I never saw that fowl take more kindly when the Convention assembled. The The 'possum is a democrat, always The Doctor after examining her injuries to a mud puddle than she did on the

gingerly, from one tuft of grass to another; then balancing themselves

ped-out of the Farmers' Movement." over a sated tongue with the softness, Bloody Crime in Darlington. gracefully on a pebble or a chance bit of wood, (this would last for the space

News comes from Lydia, in this of five minutes,) when they would becounty of a bloody tragedy enacted gin tiptoeing through the firmest mud. near there, on the Nahein Galloway At the end of the next five minutes the members of the Convention betokens cherish them both as types of our coun- place, on Wednesday afternoon of last they would be walking flat-footed into week. Fred Edwards, colored, re- the deepest mud-hole, as coolly as any try, our climate and our institutions, siding on the premises mentioned, duck in the land-so my analysis stands the farmers in good shape before the classes and gratification for every hon- was punishing one of his children for about this:

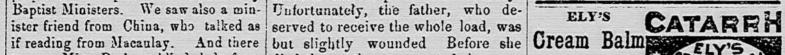
a trivial offence, when his wife re- In fair weather-angel 50 parts, CARRIAGES monstrated in the child's behalf. A mule 40, duck 10-100

An Edgefield Man Has Pleasant quarrel ensued, and Edwards knocked At state fair, raining-duck 75, parts, Experience in the Game Cock his wife down and beat her and chok- mule 20, angel a trace, earthly soluble ed her unmercifully. While doing so 5-100.

his son John, aged about 18 years of Under most favorable circumstances, age, interfered and begged his father I think about equal parts angel, duck Dear Chronicle : As delegates from to desist. Edwards threw an axe at and mule, would be the happy medium. The Bill to reorganize the Department the Edgefield Baptist Church, Mr. his son, barely missing him, and pro- - Prosperity Reporter.

O'Connor is headquarters for Santa Claus. "Commissioner of Agriculture, was, on vention in Sumter, the capital of the and grabbed a gun, loaded with slugs Call and see his stock of toys, vases, cups and station of Senator Murray, made the deservedly noble 'Game Cock County.' and pieces of iron for the purpose of saucers, fire works and every thing for the special order for Wednesday. It has, Here we met Dr. Bailey, and Dr. shooting hawks, and commanded his Christmas to make the little ones happy.

Renews Her Youth, Mrs Phoebe Chesley. Peterson, Clay Co. a law. The Bill to establish an Agri- Furman, and Dr. Tichencr, one of my interfering in behalf of her mother. Iowa, tells the following remarkable story cultural College will hardly pass this acquaintances of days gone by. Busi- Edwards paid no heed, and his son the trath of which is vouched for by the resisession. The trustees of the South Carolina University want to enlarge the amount of zcal and energy. Over fell, each having received a part of ness for many years; could not dress mysel with-University and give it an efficient agri- \$13,000 was pledged to Furman Uni- the contents of the gun in the region out help. Now I am free from all pain and sore cuitural department. It is very uncer-tain as to what will be the result of this educational conflict, as there are no formal ending to-morrow, when every the cuitural department. The conven-tain as to what will be the result of this educational conflict, as there are no formal ending to-morrow, when every ter is so dangerously wounded that the contents of the gain in the region of the bowels. The mother died in half an hour afterwards. The daugh-renewed my youth, and removed completely all disease and pain." Try a bottle. 50c. and \$1, at





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## A Duck of an Angel.

A young lady of Newberry who was

Edgefield Advertiser.

One of the most important bills in- Darlington, who sings sweetly and gives from all blame. troduced at this session of the Legislature, is one by Maj. Ernest Gary, mak- venerable preacher 82 years old. who eled a jury and held an inquest over Allays Pain and ing municipalities liable for damages, has been preaching in one church for the dead body of the woman. The INFLAMMATION. HAYFEVER arising from accidents by reason of de- fifty-seven years, was likewize present. verdict of the jury was in accordance Heals the Sores. fective bridges, streets, causeways, etc. People used to ride forty miles to hear with the above facts. Young Ed. Up to the present time, it seems there him preach. was no way of recovering money on a judgment for or against a town; except elegant drives and mellow moonlight . by special act of Legislature.

Pickens Sentinel.

fix that little business all right.

Sumter is beautifully situated, with lodged in jail. A letter from Lamar, received late walks. Its site is level, sandy and yesterday afterday, says : quaint, It has a fine hotel; and a lit-There was a serious difficulty near tle advertising would make known its this place on Tuesday afternoon. What is the use to investigate the superior inducements to tourists. It financial affairs of Clarendon county? has a fine trade, four times as great as tion of Mr. W. J. Windham between maintaining its stronghold in the head. From

too was Miss Pack, a blind lady from died the mother exonerated her som

What is the matter with the Grand twenty years ago. It has also estab-Jury? They can employ an expert and lisbed a new bank, and finance moves Pierce, who was living upon his into the stomach and through the digestive on apace. I see cotton bales tagged to place. It grew out of the negro dis- organs, corrupting the blood and producing Charleston; and the streets to-day pre- puting his account. A few words

An Important Case Settled.

The Columbia Register says : Years

ago the land on Main street, where

who sold it to the State with the

its title. The whole matter is now in

process of settlement by Mr. T. B.

standing that they will allow a ver-

the plaintiffs and the other defend-

Money.

Nearly everbody is moralizing on the sent a lively sight of black and white passed between them, when the negro is agreeable. Price 50 cents at Druggists; by picked up a piece of scantling and mail, registered, 60 cents. ELY BROS., struck Mr. Windham on the head 235 Greenwich Street, New York. recent Atlanta election , which promoted | -negroes and cotton bales. whisky, bat no one can find much, if The Sumter Spinning Mill is ably struck Mr. Windham on the head, any morality in it. Atlanta worked this managed by Mr. D. James Winn, its cutting a gash about two inches long basiness like she works every thing else, President, who has run this will night to the skall bone. The wounded man by rush and storm. Reason and right and day for two years, and to a profit. was brought here to Dr. J. A. Cole, had small show. The friends and foes Mr. Winn gives this mill his personal who dressed the wound. The doctor of prohibition were alike imprudent, supervision, which accounts for its suc-and whatever result would have been for cess. He converts into thread twenty- -Farmer Friend

the best interest of the community-all five hundred bales of cotton annually; went down before a reckless ambition | employs one hundred and twenty-five which strove above for victory. The bands, two sets, and plucks from the

final result was made sure by the foes of thistle of opportunity over twenty thouprohibition who persisted in violating sand dollars annually paid as wages, to and evacing it, and by the friends of be distributed in the town of Sumter. now stands the Agricultural building, prohibition who made nothing more The mill cost originally sixty thousand | was the property of the late James K than a sickly effort to enforce it. But dollars, and is run by steam. Mr. Friday, at one time a wealthy and one by whatever means an election is car- Winn is a very genial, kind gentle- of Columbia's most prominent grocery ried, the graceful and easy submission man, who courteously showed your merchants. In some way the properof the vanquished is commendable. correspondent and party the mill from ty passed out of his possession and There should be no appeal from elec- the seventy-five H. P. engine to the Niles G. Parker, of unsavory reputations, even if the contest is between last hanking machine. And I might tion, became the owner, and aftermoney and morality. The former has say: Why could not Edgefield go and wards Thomas B. Johnson, of Sumter, the sway in Atlanta, and it was entitled | do likewise? I visited Mr. Mason's workshop, and present building now occupied by the to the victory.

Resignation of Comptroller General Stoney. Columbia Register.

fifth interest in his machines for sixty suit some time ago to regain posses-Captain William E. Stoney has ten- thousand dollars, and receives a salary sion, and the State of South Carolina dered his resignation of the office of from his company of fifteen hundred likewise brought suit to make valid Comptroller General of South Carolina dollars acqually, as inventor. After many years of efficient and faithful service, and winning golden opinions ladies with one hundred and twenty- Johnson paying the sum of \$3,000 to from all sorts of people, Captain Stoney five pupils. It is in a flourishing con- the Friday heirs, with the underhas abdicated his State place to con- dition. sult his interests in another sphere of action. It gives us pleasure to bear social kindness, and the trouble with in the Courts when the cases are calltestimony to this citizen's private worth us was to find time to accept and fill all ed for trial, in one of which they are and his public virtues. A graduate invitations. with distinction of the South Carolina Military Academy, young Stoney en | pleasures of the home circle where he was

listed in the late war between the States; entertained, and also had the pleasure A Good Crop and Some rendered gallant service, and sought no of dining with Col. Graham, whose discharge antil Appomattox ended the lady is a cousin of our Dr. Sanders. drama with its tragie and pathetic I also met a sister of Mrs. Col. Graham The above caption is an expression close. Carried by the enterprise of a which made one feel quite at home. used by a large number of farmers iu military character to the distant shores The kind people who entertained me Georgia and South Carolina, upon be-

Your correspondent found all the ants.

There is an Institute here for young

of the Pacific, he sought to make his proved to be relations of a young lady ing interrogated as to their crops this Fortunes in the modern El Dorado. who thirty-five or more years ago was year. It is a reply full of encourage-Retarning to his native State, the exile Menter to 'J.' then a boy of twelve or ment. It is a delightful condition to found employment in the office of Comp- fourteen, at Montgomery, Ala. So find one's self in. It tells of good troller General Hagood, under whom you see our roses always bloom when farming and close, personal attention the had served in war, and whose confi-dence he had won by fidelity of service. Taking position as clerk in the year And now, little South Carolina lady. And now, little South Carolina lady. And now, little South Carolina lady. dence he had wou by fidelity of service. gone by. Taking position as clerk in the year And now, little South Carolina lady. which flow from diversification. It is a condition possible to every farmer in

saw the veritable Cotton Picker. Mr. Agricultural Department. The titles Mason has an elegant house and to this property being somewhat de-

grounds, and has sold. I am told, one fective, the Friday heirs commenced

The Sumter people are not behind in dict to be rendered adverse to them

Nasal Passages, concerts. The Rev. Mr. Mahony a Trial Justice D. G. DuBose impan-Restores the wards was sent to Darlington and SENSES OF TASTE CAS and Smell. TRY THE CURE. HAY-FEVER CATARR

Cleanses the

other troublesome and dangerous symptoms.

Overcoats!

1877, he served for five years with such you who so generously contributed those the South. All caunot reach it at the efficiency that he was promoted to the well appreciated little kindnesses, we same time, but the number can and office of Comptroller General in 1882. would gladly place a golden horse shoe must be annually increased. vigilance ; with mathematical accuracy ; | this life

partment; has made valuable sugges- into old Elgefield. dier leaves a well-fought field of victory. thing. The mature age of William E. Stoney answers to the promise of his young manbood. We knew him when he

aud civil achievements.

Another Game Bird. Charleston Sun.

The latest candidate for enlistment horse. Freddie attempted to get out of modeSt and don't I ke to Speak about among the game birds is the terrapin. the road, but the front wheel of Mr. it.' It might be called a matter of \$\$ His case is especially argent, inasmuch Johnson's baggy caught the horse in and sense.

From that period until the present, he about your heart, as a shield against all 'A good crop and some money' has been discharging the duties of his trouble. This is impossible but we do means reasonably paid labor-abundresponsible place with such acceptabil- honestly and earnestly wish you ali the ant in quantity and good in quality ; the ity as to have won the respect and ad- joy, all the happiness, and all the love expression signifies that the farmer's miration of the State. With soldierly which can be reascuably expected in barn is full to overflowing; that the farmer's factor has found him prompt;

with painstaking care, he has admin- I am told that the Three C's Road is that the farmer's home is becoming daily istered his office with an eye single to to run through Sumter. If so what a more attractive to the inmates and a the public interests. More may be precious link to connect us with the subject of complimentary remark by the said. He has mastered the subjects genial Samter people And perhaps it neighbors.

that came within the scope of his de- might inject a little Sumter enterprise . A good crop and some money' means that the old time latch string is on the tions as the basis of legislation and. Passed Aycock plantation at night outside; planty of home made hog and sbove all, he has impressed his fellow It is said he made eight bundred bales bominy, 'home made sausage-pork saucitizens with his incorruptible integrity. cotton on eight hundred acres ; and save -seasoned with sage and red pep-He will retire from his office as the sol- next year he expects to double every- per; plenty of home made syrup, etc., etc .- Augusta Chronicle,

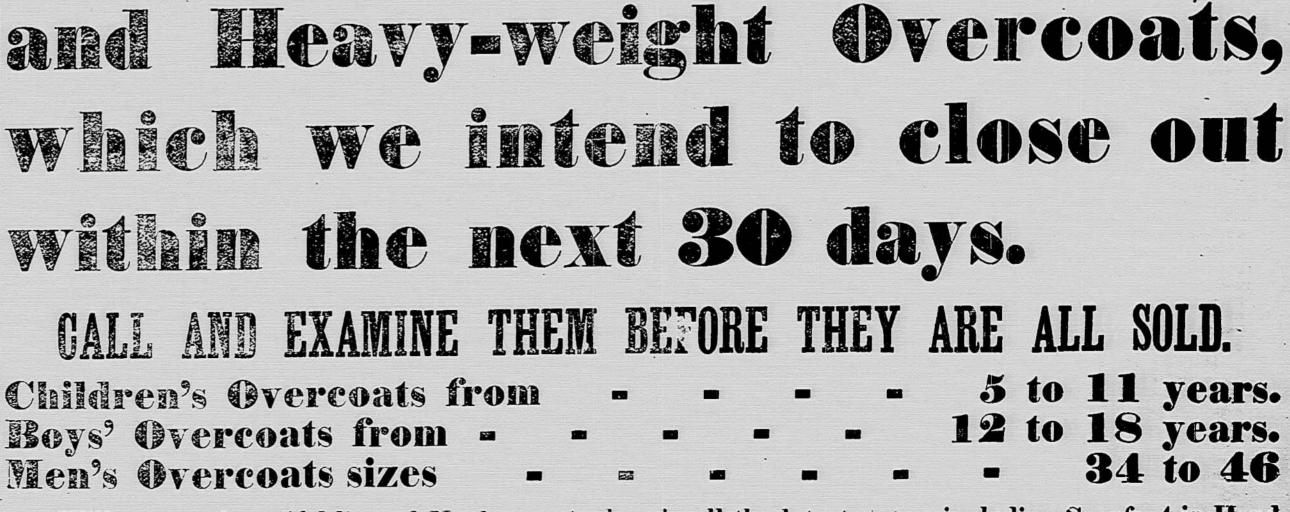
## A Shocking Accident.

The cashier, who has charge of Asken Review. our financial matters, wishes us to stood with modest bearing upon the On Friday last as Mr John Johnson, threshold of life. His aspirations were Sr., and his wife were returning from a insert the following from him to high and his ethics sound. He has not visit to their brother, Mr. Isaac John- those who have forgotten to reply to trodden upon the ideals of his youth. son, who has since died, they met with the notices sent out:

By open means he has risen to station a shocking accident that has since re- There is a little matter that Some of command and well may he retire sulted in the death of Mrs. Johnson, of our SubScribers have Seemingly npon his high won laurels of military The accident happened near Mrs. Har- forgotten entirely. Some of them riet Kitchings, in Tabernacle township. have made u\$ many promises, but

They had just passed her house when have not kept them. To us it is a they met Freddie Holmes, nephew of very important matter-it's necessa-Mr. Alfred Holmes, who was riding a ry in our business. We are very

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