The Watchman and Southron.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

G. Bradley—Land for Sale.
C. E. Stubbs—Farmers Listen.
H Harby—I Have Just Received.
T. M. Monaghan—Est. of F. J. O'Connor.

Personal.

Miss Mamie Edmunds has gone on a visit to Darlington.

Mrs. C. R. Harvin, of Manning, spent some days in the city last week.

Mr. W. H. Gilliland, of the State University, spent last Monday in the city.

Miss Minnie Young, of Rafton's Creek, has been in the city for the past week, visiting friends.

Prof. John McMahon and E. C. Haynsworth, Esq., of Columbia, were in the city last Sunday.

Miss Annie Furman, who has been a pupil at the Sumter Institute, has returned to her home in Greenville.

Mr. John Haynsworth, who was injured last week by being thrown and kicked by a Texas pony has recovered.

Mr. John Dargan, who is ticket agent at Florence, came over last week to see his father, Maj. J. W. Dargan.

Mr. E. D. White, of Baltimore, who has for some time been a salesman in the shoe house of Bultman & Bro., returned home last week.

Mr. Kirk King and Miss Mary Spain, of Darlington, were in the city last week. They came to attend the entertainment of the Irving Society.

Mr. B. R. Nash, the veteran tobacco drummer, has been at home since Saturday, but was called away by his house to New York yesterday, to do special business. He left last night.

The many friends of Mr. Milton Dargan, of Houston, Texas, will be pleased to learn that he is in the city, on a visit to his father, Maj. J. W. Dargan, who is ill. Mr. Dargan is in the insurance business and holds a high position in his adopted State.

Mrs. R. M. Wallace is in Washington and will be present at the fetes and ceremonies attending the inauguration of General Harrison. From papers which she has sent to Col. Wallace we find that the preparations for the inauguration are on the most magnificent scale.

Mr. B. Randall, who is a salesman in the store of Mr. F. Levi, has moved his family consisting of his mother and sister to the city, and taken the dwelling at the corner of Republican and Church street lately occupied by Mrs. Gillespie, who now lives on Calhoun Street next to Mr. Wm. Yeadon.

Mr. J. J. Crosswell, who has been express agent at Tampa, Fla., for a number of years has been appointed in charge of the office here. —*World, Columbia Cor.*

Mr. Crosswell is another Sumter man whose business talent has brought him success.

In consequence of the damp and changeable weather the sick list of the city is unusually large. Mrs. W. H. Cuttino has been ill for some time and is still in a critical condition. Mr. Willie Scaffe, who was quite ill with pneumonia is improving. Mr. Frank Beckham who was troubled with a stubborn case of measles is also improving. Mr. N. G. Osteen has a little daughter quite ill with pneumonia. Miss Lizzie McKagen has been sick for some time. Col. T. V. Walsh was taken sick at his office on Saturday and again on Monday, and had to be taken home in a buggy. Little Alston Stubbs, who has been sick for so long with measles and pneumonia, is much better.

Excursion tickets to Washington will be on sale to-morrow and for several days following. They will cost $16.50

The Bank of Sumter has moved into its elegant and roomy new quarters next door North of Mr. R. P. Monaghan.

The monthly dues of the People's B. & L. A. are payable on the first of each month and the money will be sold on the evening of the second.

We are in receipt of a combined chromo and calendar from the Perkins Manufacturing Company, of Augusta, Ga., dealers in sash, doors, blinds, &c., which is certainly the handsomest of the season.

Mr. R. P. Monaghan has moved his residence to the corner of Main and Caldwell Streets, generally known as the Witherspoon place. He distinguished the occasion by building around his back lot the highest fence in the South. Mr. Monaghan has lately doubled the area of his store floor and now has one of the largest rooms in the city.

A farmer of this county who last year made 40 bales of cotton on 50 acres, says: "I did not use Ashley Phosphate last year but am satisfied that it is the best fertilizer in the market. It is always dry, whereas other guanos are damp." The same man quoted one of our prominent merchants as saying, that he did not handle the Ashley because it was more costly than other phosphates, but that if he were buying for his own use he would buy it.

The Sumter Light Infantry

This historical company, after going out of public notice for a while, has demonstrated that a most appropriate motto for it is *Resurgam*. At the last two meetings, nine initiates have donned the well-known uniform. There is a scheme on foot for the formation of a stock company to build an armory, it being understood that the company shall be allowed to absorb the stock as rapidly as possible. At present the armory is located over the Planter's Ware House and is complete in every appointment. The company lately purchased the books of the Sumter Library Association, Numbering several hundred volumes and its reading room is quite a pleasant resort. The most interesting papers and magazines are to be found in this room. There is but one thing needed to place the S. L. I. on a thoroughly good footing and that is a new set of colors.

Job Work.

By job work, in a printing office, is meant all sorts of printing, not connected with regular publications. Few men know anything of the labor necessary to produce the beautiful designs in printing which ornament the letters, bills, &c., of those who advertise in that way. The juror or witness, when he receives his pay, presents a ticket which is in itself a work of art and was produced in the office of this paper.

The *Watchman and Southron* has just added fifteen fonts of new type to its already large assortment—type which is of the most costly kind—which is probably worth two-thirds its weight in silver. We claim now to have the best equipped job office in the State, outside of Charleston, and the best proof of it lies in the fact that our job department is never without work. We can furnish lithograph, steel engraving, photographic printing, blank books or anything else in our line as cheaply as the same work or goods can be had elsewhere.

The Irving Literary Society.

The entertainment given by this society on last Thursday evening was not attended generally, on account of the state of the weather. Many believed that no programe would be rendered and stayed away for that reason. Notwithstanding the snow and rain, however, the young ladies kept their promise, and those who were hardy enough to venture out, were treated to some delicious music and pretty theatricals. The programe was about as follows:

1. Instrumental solo—Miss Lily Fraser.
2. Tableau—Group of Classic Statuary.
3. Vocal Duet—Tuscan Folk-Song—Misses Lela Dick and Laura Fraser.
4. Vocal Solo—Caller Herrin—Miss Lela Dick.
5. Rebecca's Triumph—A play in three acts.

Between the acts were played: An instrumental duett by Misses Barron and Furman; and an instrumental solo by Miss Mattie Gregg.

The entertainment closed with the charade, Peak Sisters.

It is to be hoped that the ladies of the Irving Society will repeat their performance at an early day for the pleasure of their numerous friends who were compelled to remain at home on last Thursday. We have seen one of the new badges which have been made for the members of this society. It is gold, and consists of an octagonal Maltese cross, the three upper stems of which bear the letters I. L. S. and on the lower are the figures 1887. In the centre of the badge is an engraving of a vestal lamp burning.

The Irving Society, although not yet two years old, is recognized as an important part of the Sumter Institute.

Married.

The journalist has few more pleasant duties to perform than that of publishing the success of friends and neighbors who have taken up their residence in other states or countries. The following from the Columbus (Miss.) *Dispatch* will be of interest to many. Mr. Robert L. Burnes is a Sumter man, the son of Captain Burnes, now of this county, and all will unite in congratulating the latter upon the brilliant financial and matrimonial success of the former. The *Dispatch* says:

Very quietly and in the presence of only a few intimate friends of the family, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. M. E. Davis, Monday afternoon a 4 o'clock, Miss Clemmie Davis and Mr R. L. Burnes were united in bonds of holy matrimony by Rev. J. S. Oakley, of the M. E. Church South. There were no cards. Mr. Burnes has for three years been connected with the Davis Clock Company, with headquarters at Columbus. He is now manager of the Burnes Clock Company, of Texas, and immediately after the ceremony left for Texas with his beautiful wife, being accompanied by Mrs. Davis and Master Burt Davis. The bride whom Mr. Burnes has won, has been an acknowledged beauty in Columbus and is a lady of most admirable and womanly character. Mr. Burnes has by energy prudence, and economy worked his way to the head of his business and the twain begin married life under brightest auspices and with the wish of a large number of friends for a happy and prosperous continuation of the same to the years of ripe old age.

On the evening of the 14th, inst., at the residence of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Harriet Haynsworth, by Rev. J. Thos. Pate, Mr. W. C. Blount and Miss Anneta McCown. —*Florence Times.*

Death.

Mr. M. D. Jenkins, of Swimming Pens Township, died on the 18th inst., and was buried on the 20th. He had reached the ripe old age of 82 years.

Religious.

Prof. J. W. Wolling left Sumter on Monday night and will soon sail for Brazil. Mr. Wolling served the Methodist Church here for a short time only, but his kind and genial nature, and his ability as a preacher, endeared him to his congregation. Rev. E. T. Hodges, of California, is expected to take his place before long.

The monthly union meeting will be held at the Presbyterian Church next Sunday evening. It is hoped that the new pastor of the Methodist Church will be present and officiate.

Rev. N. B. Williams will preach at Tirzah Church on Sunday next, March 3rd, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Language of Stamps.

"Stamp Language" is used by lovers who are under close surveillance. Inverted position means "I doubt you;" horizontal (head to right,) "I love you truly;" horizontal (head to left,) "Do you reciprocate?" diagonally, "Meet me at usual time and place;" diagonally inverted, "How do the old folks regard me?" The left hand upper corner is used to answer in the affirmative or favorably the signals in the right by placing the stamp in a corresponding position. Secret messages are written under the the stamp placed horizontally, and with a 1-cent stamp additional to give greater space for writing and indicate that there is a message. Held by a bright light it can be easily read.

The Academy of Music.

The Mugg's Landing Comedy Company played at the Academy of Music last Monday evening to a good audience. The performance was a decided disappointment. It was very much like a Bowery show, which can be seen by paying for a glass of beer, and the better part of our community are becoming somewhat weary of paying 75 cents to see the antics of the lowest catchpenny companies whose members "count the ties in Spring." We hope that Mr. Schwerin, the present manager of our only theatre, will improve his taste, or borrow that of some other person. He has exhibited two companies, at this writing, and both of them have been dismal failures—except from a financial standpoint; and the people will be rather wary in future of accepting as true his representation of a troupe's worth.

Bills are up for a presentation of "Skipped by the Light of the Moon" on Monday night. This little drama, which relates the woes of a man broke in Saratoga, is very poor at its best, but when produced in a theatre like ours, where there is no chance for spectacular display, it amounts to nothing. There was a time within the past few years, when the stage here was occupied by the Madison Square Companies. When we had such plays as "The Two Orphans," "Hazel Kirk," &c. But that time appears to have passed and we must now listen to second class minstrels or admire the salient charms of Concert Hall girls or do without the theater altogether. There must be something wrong.

The Court.

The Court of General Sessions adjourned on yesterday afternoon, after the announcement of the sentences.

The following list embraces the cases which were tried since our last report—acquittals and convictions—together with the sentences in these cases as well as those heretofore reported:

State vs. William Nettles—Burglary and Larceny and House-breaking—Guilty.—5 years.

State vs. Chas. Williams—Selling Liquor without license—Guilty.—3 months or $200.

State vs. Thos. Wade—House-breaking—Guilty.—1 year.

State vs. Jessie Harris—Malicious Mischief to R. R. coach—Guilty.—6 months.

State vs. Duncan Pringle—Selling property under lien—Guilty.—1 month or $75.

State vs. Robt. Ivy—Murder—Guilty of manslaughter.—2 years and 3 months.

State vs Geo Ivy—Murder—Not guilty.

State vs. Isaac Allen—Murder—Not guilty.

State vs. Geo. D. Womble—Burglary—Not guilty.

State vs. W. I. Harby—Assault and Battery with intent to kill, aggravated assault and battery and carrying concealed weapons—Not guilty.

State vs. W. I. Harby—the same—Not guilty.

State vs. W. I. Harby—the same—Nol pros.

State vs. P. G. Bowman—the same—Guilty.—Sealed sentence

State vs. P. G. Bowman—Concealed Weapons.—Nol pros.

State vs. W. I. Harby—Concealed Weapons—Not guilty.

State vs. Hampton Gardener—House-breaking and Larceny—Plead guilty.—10 months.

State vs. Jas. Bracey—Larceny of Ox—Guilty.—2 years.

State vs. Jas. Gary—Grand Larceny—Guilty.—3 years.

State vs Jas. Gary—Carrying Concealed Weapons—Guilty.—1 month.

State vs. Jas. Davis—Larceny of Hog—Plead guilty.—1 year.

State vs. Henry Hamilton and Sam James—Grand Larceny—Guilty.—3 years each.

State vs Jake Mack—House-breaking and Larceny—Guilty and recommended to mercy.—5 years.

State vs. Jack Wilson—Grand Larceny—Guilty.—3 years.

We are indebted to Mr. R. S. Bradwell for our very complete report of the court proceedings. Mr. Bradwell has been deputy clerk for about forty years, and it is no flattery to him for us to say that he is the most complete master of the court routine in the State.

Clarendon News.

Manning Times.

SUMMERTON, Feb. 25.—Our village was shocked this morning by the blowing up of the Ingram & Ragin steam mill. Mr. J. C. Ingram was killed instantly. Mr. A P. Ragin was badly scalded, but not fatally. Isham Gaillard, colored, scalded Moses Jones, scalded badly. The mill is a complete wreck.

Mr. Ragin is painfully and perhaps seriously injured. It is feared that he will lose one of his eyes, besides his throat is badly scalded.

Mose Jones' injuries are very painful, and may be fatal. Isham Gaillard was slightly scalded, besides being badly cut over one eye and on one hand.

Although painfully injured and suffering a great deal, Mr. A. P. Ragin gave very intelligent account of the affair up to the beginning of the catastrophe. His attention had been directed by the engineer to a suspicious crack in the boiler, and upon Mr. Ingram's arrival he carried him to the place and began to show him the danger attending the firing of the engine in that condition. Mose Jones and Isham Gaillard, both colored, were standing near them. All at once the steam began to open, and boiling water and steam began violently to escape, and they all acting upon one impulse began to try to escape. Mr. Ragin and the negroes retreated, but Mr. Ingram dashed forward, which threw him between the boiler and the engine. The fragment of the boiler, to which was attached the dome, split from the off side and was hurled violently on against the engine carrying Mr. Ingram along with the whole.

Mr. J. C. Ingram had no insurance on his life. Mr. A. P. Ragin was insured in an accident insurance company, and will receive ten dollars a week while he is disabled.

John Conyers Ingram was one of the most prominent and popular men of Clarendon, and his sad and terrible death is a severe loss to the county. He was the eldest son of the late Dr John I. Ingram, and was about forty-four years of age. He was buried in this place yesterday, his funeral sermon being preached in the Presbyterian church, after which he was buried in the Manning Cemetery with Knights of Pythias honors.

[Messrs. C. E. Stubbs, D. J. Auld, and R. O. Purdy attended the funeral of Mr. Ingram yesterday. Mr. Ingram was the brother-in-law of John S Wilson, Esq., who is Solicitor of this Circuit, but could not leave on account of press of business.—ED.]

Mr. J. Rembert Harvin, who left this State five or six years ago for Texas, is getting into trouble out there. Some time ago while drinking in Galveston he boasted that he had killed a negro in South Carolina. The police at once arrested him and telegraphed to Charleston for particulars. He was set at liberty upon the information that he had been tried in Sumter for the offence and had been acquitted. In another carousal, in another place a few days ago, he boasted that he had stolen an election box in Sumter county. He was at once arrested for this offense, but there is no such charge against him, and the police will of course let him go again. Harvin is a brilliant young man, full of promise, and his friends regret to hear that whiskey is doing him so badly.

Saith the Coroner.

Mr. Editor: As I have been asked something less than 1,000 times, by actual count, about the Coroner being on the jury at the present term of the Court, it appears that it is a matter of public interest, and recognizing the right of the public to make the inquiry, and esteeming your columns a proper medium for the information of any who are not sufficiently informed, to have opinions of their own on the subject pro or con, the subscriber requests space in your paper for this communication.

The Statute exempts Coroners and a great many others among whom are doctors of medicine, ministers of the gospel, students, teachers, certain officers and employees of railroads and other incorporated institutions, and certain millers, and a number of others. Can anybody be so obtuse as to arrive at the opinion that the exempting act disqualifies or prohibits? His honor Judge Norton ruled that it does not. Does anyone suppose that if a person changes his occupation, he thereby becomes a better or worse juror?

That my name was in the jury-box before I was a Coroner there can be no doubt. Whether the Jury Commissioners have authority or are required to suppress the name of a person drawn under such circumstances and for no other reason, I do not know, never having inquired, but on general principles would suppose not. And if so how are they to know every time a man changes his occupation, and enters one of the exempt classes?

Be that as it may—I believe I was legally and regularly summoned, and I decided for reasons satisfactory to me to waive my privilege and accept service.

Now, if anybody is intelligent enough to suggest that I do this for the pay, will such an one please go one step further and name any other sufficient reason under the whole heaven for which honest men who have to make a living would strive. A Judge sits on the bench and tries cases; a Solicitor labors to convict—for the pay. If there was no pay connected with it, they would not do it long—they could not. If juries were not paid, we may be sure many who are now in the panel would not be there. And before such as might be there, who would care to try a case?

Well, what "if the Sheriff should die?" It is to be hoped the Coroner would not be held responsible. This is a free country, and if a man makes up his mind to die—well, he has the right to do it. And it will be time enough then for the Coroner to decide what he will do in such an emergency. And what "if somebody should die"—well—the Coroner interposes no objection, be it remembered.

And what "if the Coroner should be wanted while empanelled?" Well, it has been my observation in a limited experience that when sensible or insensible persons wanted anything they could not get they always waited till they could get it:—or went without, as this is a free country, and a man is never required to have what he can't get, before he can get it.

And if any Trial Justice in the County feels himself aggrieved and would complain of the hardship in holding an inquest because the Coroner was "caught on the jury," let him speak now or hereafter forever hold his peace, Saith THE CORONER.

A Word in Reply.

Mr. Editor: Allow me space for just a word in reply to your criticism upon my article on life insurance.

You say, "It is a mistake to assume, as our correspondent has done, that the element of risk or chance, which enters into all games as well as business transactions, is in itself evil." Here you misunderstand me. Please read again what I do say. "Insurance is wrong on principle, because it is investing money in what is purely a matter of chance." (Read conclusion 1.) Now, this sentence most nearly resembles your words, above quoted, of anything in my article. Yet, here two things are represented as combining to make insurance wrong, (1) "investing money," (2) "chance"—"purely a matter of chance."

1. In "throwing dice" the result is "purely a matter of chance." Now, if two persons sit down and throw dice to see who can "make a thousand" first, and call that "a game," I see no harm in it beyond the loss of time. It is a game of pure chance.

2. Farming requires that money be invested; so does merchandise, manufacturing, medicine, law—but these are not "purely matters of chance." But suppose the persons playing the game of dice stake a sum of money on the result of the dice-throwing. Then, we have the conditions of gambling fulfilled. Just in proportion as the money-element enters into games they are "wrong in principle."

When "the element of risk or chance, which enters into all games as well as business transactions," preponderates in any business—where we must substitute "luck" for faith—the business is not legitimate. To this class belong "wild cat" speculations, dealing in "futures," risking sums of money, the loss of which would ruin us financially, upon doubtful providences, with the hope of large returns. You say, "were such the case, all ambition, all desire to excel should be crushed." This would be the result, you say, of assuming what your correspondent does. Now, I have tried to show that your correspondent does not assume what you suppose he does. Still, if he should succeed, even in a small degree, in suppressing the "ambition"—the "desire to excel" in the rapid accumulation of wealth which is wrecking so many for time and eternity, I shall be glad.

We think Mr. Richardson is correct in his conclusion but wrong in his premises. (What I suppose you meant to say was, that I would be correct in my conclusions if I were not wrong in my premises.) What are my premises? "Insurance" is staking money (betting) on what is purely a matter of chance.

2. Staking money (betting) on what is purely a matter of chance is wrong. I understand you to admit my major but deny my minor premise—am I correct?

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E. W. D. Replies to "Qui Vive."

SALEM, BLACK RIVER, Feb 21, 1889.

Mr. Editor: The symptoms given by Qui Vive in yesterday's paper of the way horses in his community are affected, are very much like a disease which several horses here had last year. The Commissioner of Agriculture was communicated with; and he sent Dr. Benj. McInnes, of Charleston, who was then the Veterinarian of the Department, up here to examine them. Dr. McInnes pronounced the disease chronic catarrh; not contagious, but hard to cure. He gave a prescription which he said would greatly alleviate the disease. One of the horses has been cured, and the others are much better under the treatment prescribed. Dr. McInnes' report of his visit was published in the September Bulletin of the Department.

I would suggest that some one in Qui Vive's community having the worst cases, would write to Col. A. P. Butler, describing the symptoms; and he will probably send the Veterinarian of the Department, Prof. Niles of the University, to examine the sick horses.

The Department of Agriculture is for the benefit of the farmers, and the officers in charge will gladly assist the farmers in any way they can, whenever called on. This one thing of examining sick stock, and protecting against contagious diseases is worth a great deal; and if owners of sick stock would always notify the Department in time, often valuable animals might be saved.

The distemper broke out among the mules on the farm recently; and I had several gallons of tar burned which I smeared liberally on the feed troughs, applied a little to the animals nostrils and put a quantity in the water trough, with decidedly beneficial results. E. W. D.

The great majority of so-called cough cures do little more than impair the digestive functions and create bile. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, on the contrary, while it cures the cough does not interfere with the functions of either stomach or liver.

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Mr. J. S. Richardson, Jr., is selling a useful book for pocket use. It is called Ropp's Commercial Calculator, and is designed to simplify and expedite calculations of every description. It is about six inches long by four wide, neatly bound in leather, and contains in addition to a vast amount of information, a moveable memorandum book, which may be replaced when filled, with another of a similar style. The book is a manual in a compact form, of a new system of useful and convenient Commercial Tables. Also a practical arithmetic for practice purposes in which is embodied the shortest and simplest rules and methods known, with clear and comprehensive explanations. The third page of this little book is composed of a Perpetual Calendar, good for three centuries. By means of it any one can ascertain in a moment on what day of the week any particular day of any month in any year fell. This calendar is alone worth the price of the book. In Gold Cloth, beautifully embossed in colors, with Silicate Slate, 75cts. Nice Roan Leather, with Pocket, Slate and Renewable Account Book, $1.00; Fine Am. Morocco, gilt edge, Pocket, Slate and Renewable Account Book, $1.50. He will send these books to any address by mail upon receipt of price.

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St. Matthews—1st Sunday, 3.30 P. M.
Bethesda—1st Sunday, 7.30 P. M.
St. James—Saturday before 2d Sunday, 3.30 P. M.
Wedgefield—2d Sunday, 11 A. M.
Jordan—2d Sunday, 3.30 P. M.
Bethesda—3d Sunday, 11 A. M.
Providence—3d Sunday, 3.30 P. M.
St. Matthews—3d Sunday, 7.30 P. M.
Jordan—4th Sunday, 11 A. M.
St. James—4th Sunday, 3.30 P. M.
Wedgefield—4th Sunday, 7.30 P. M.

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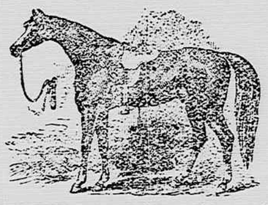

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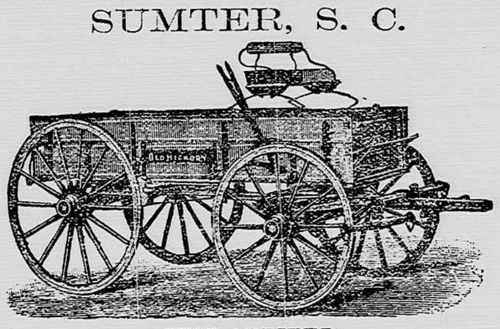

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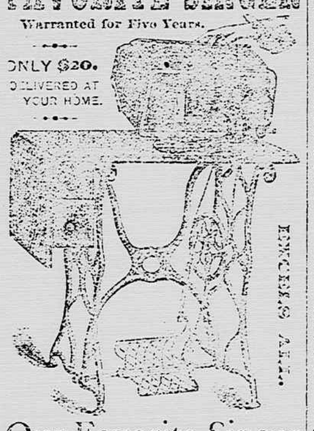

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State of South Carolina.

COUNTY OF SUMTER.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Otto F. Wieters, Plaintiff, against John P. Moran, Jr. and Annie Moran, Defendants.

SUMMONS FOR RELIEF.

TO THE DEFENDANTS above named.

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of said Court and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their office on Main Street in the City of Sumter, in said County and State, within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated January 7th, A. D. 1889.

EARLE & PURDY,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

To John P. Moran, Jr., one of the Defendants in the above entitled action:

Take notice that the complaint in the said action has this day been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for Sumter County in the State of South Carolina. Dated at the City of Sumter, S. C., this the 8th day of January, A. D. 1889.

EARLE & PURDY,
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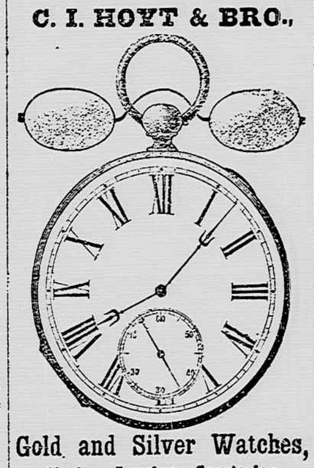

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COUNTY OF SUMTER,

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Max Mainthow, Ernest Weinman and Samuel M. Mainthow, copartners, as Weinman & Co., Plaintiffs, against John P. Moran, Jr., Defendant.

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TO THE DEFENDANT: John P. Moran, Jr.

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Dated January 7th, 1889.

EARLE & PURDY,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

To John P. Moran, Jr., the Defendant in the above entitled action:

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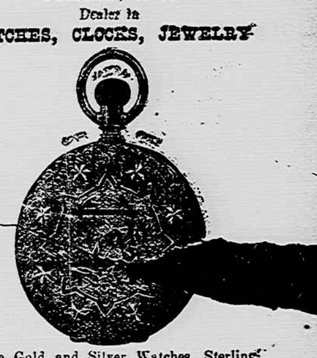

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