

The Watchman and Southerner

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Sunny South—Sample Copies Free. Browns & Purdy—Buggy Lap Robes. A. C. Phelps & Co.—Insurance Agents. T. E. Richardson, Agent—Actual Results. Browns & Chandler—Coming to the Point. C. Phelps—Agent—Gen Mutual Life Insurance Company. E. W. Dabbs, Sec.—Change of Date for Alliance Meeting.

Personal.

Gen. W. E. James, of Darlington was in the city last week. Mrs. Sanford Brand, of Augusta, is visiting Mrs. Ross Brand. Mr. Julian Jones, of Georgetown, was in the city last Monday. Miss Edna Krels, of Yorkline, is visiting Miss Annie Gailard. Miss Jessie Cooper, of Indianopolis, is the guest of the Misses McLaurin. Mr. J. C. Dove, of Doverville, spent Sunday in the city with Dr. DeLorme. Miss Maria and Irene Pierson returned yesterday from a visit to Darlington. Mrs. J. W. Walter Allen, of Spartanburg, S. C., is on a visit to her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. Frank Pate. Mrs. Jas. H. Porter, of Conway, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. M. A. Flowers for the past few days.

Miss Annie Frazer left for Darlington yesterday. She was accompanied by her brother, T. B. Frazer, Esq. Mrs. Marion Sanders, is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. A. Ramsey, of Wedgefield, who is at present quite ill. Miss Eunice Earle, of Charleston, Fla., who has been visiting the family of Col. J. H. Earle, has returned home. Mrs. H. M. Wood has been with Mrs. Isaac Ingram during the illness of her little girl, is now, herself considered very ill.

We are pleased to see the familiar form and face of our Probate Judge on the streets again after his attack of rheumatism is weak. Col. John H. Allen, of Spartanburg, S. C., was on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. J. Frank Pate, who has been very ill for several weeks. Misses Jennie Deane and Harry Dozier, of Atlanta, Ga., are in the city visiting their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Shore, Calhoun Street. Sumter's popular and progressive young druggist, Dr. W. H. Gilliland, is absent on a visit to his old home, in Beasley, Pickens County.

Miss J. E. Epperson and Miss Bettie Epperson left a day or two ago for Danville, Va., where they will spend the Summer with their friends. Miss Jennie L. Rodgers, of Beaufort, daughter of S. H. Rodgers, of the Port Royal Post is visiting Col. T. V. Walsh's family. Rev. C. C. Brown, D. D., left Monday morning for Greenville, S. C., where he will attend the commencement exercises of Furman University.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hayworth and children of Columbia, arrived in the city last night, for a visit to the family of Maj. W. F. B. Hayworth.

Ex-Governor J. P. Richardson was in the city last week. The Governor has finished the new house and is now possessed of an ideal country home.

Miss Mary Andrews, daughter of Mr. W. Edwards, of Orange, Sumter County, returned home last Monday from Williamston Female College.

Mr. H. G. Ouseon who spent Commencement week at his home here, returned to Shelby, Ga., to finish up his term as Principal of the Hendrick's Academy.

Mr. Dennis O'Donnell is in the city on business, connected with the purchase of the McGinnis store and lot on Liberty Street, in the rear of Crosswell's building.

Mr. A. Sydney Taylor, agent for the clothing house of Faulkner & Bentner, of Charleston, spent a few days in the city with Mr. C. S. Mathiessen, this and last week.

Rev. William Hayworth, has completed his theological course at the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville, Ky., and is on his way home for a visit of several weeks.

Mrs. Charles Langman, accompanied by her husband, returned to the city last Thursday. The result of their beautiful little daughter, Margaret, had been embalmed and were brought on here for interment.

Mr. Geo. Sumner, one of the accomplished teachers of the Sumter Graded School, left for Greenville, N. C., where he will spend a summer in modern language under Dr. DeLong, of Geneva.

Mr. W. Taylor Murray, of the W. & S. is visiting the family of Dr. W. V. Anderson, Jr., of Charleston. He will spend sometime with his friends in the hills and recreation before returning to the city.

Mr. Oscar O. Biddle, of Edgefield, who recently visited friends here, has written to the Editor a very interesting letter regarding the progress of our city. We regret that we have no copy of it at this time, but hope to be able to do so in our next issue. Mr. Biddle has made an engagement with Messrs. Schwartz Bros. and will return in the fall to his plantation in their store.

Miss Elsie Wilson, a daughter of Mr. R. Moultrie Wilson, and a former graduate of the Sumter Institute, whom it will be remembered was one of the successful competitors for the "Whitman" Scholarship School scholarships, was graduated at that institution last Thursday evening. Miss Wilson is an accomplished young lady of extensive attainments and whatever place she selects for her life's work it will be to the influence of her mind and character.

The residence of Mr. J. O. DuRoi at Bishopville was accidentally destroyed by fire last Friday night. There was no insurance.

The town looked quite deserted yesterday morning, nearly every body having adjourned to Eutaw Springs for the Game Cock Pythian Picnic.

The person who stole a heavy plated fork on yesterday, at the picnic at Eutaw Springs, can be traced by applying at this office and proving property.

Attention is directed to the new advertisement of Messrs. A. C. Phelps & Co., Insurance Agents. They are added to the list of Companies for which they are agents, the London and Lancashire, of London, one of the strongest Companies in the world, and can write policies for all kinds of insurance.

Is your mill out of order? Does your engine need repairing? Is there any work in the machine line which you want done? If so, call on Edgar Skinner, practical machinist, and proprietor Sumter machine shop, Sumter, S. C.

All persons interested in life insurance should read the actual results of the "Free Positive Policies" of the Equitable Life Insurance Society—maturing during the year 1890—published in another column, and call upon Mr. T. E. Richardson before insuring their lives elsewhere.

Dr. Beattie's Address. We direct the attention of our readers to the changed office and telephone address of Dr. Beattie before the graduating class of the Medical Institute. It is published in full in another column of this issue.

Band Concert. The Fourth Regiment Band will give their weekly concert at Monumental Square on Thursday afternoon hereafter, instead of Wednesday afternoon.

Sink Culture. Mrs. Z. P. Moore, of this city, who has been engaged in sink raising for about eight years, has shown us some specimens of cocoon from the May and June hatching. They are handsome specimens and well adapted for sink raising. We are glad to hear that you are so profitable, and about which so many of us know so little.

Thanks. We return thanks for invitations to the Commencement exercises, of St. Joseph's Academy of this city, which took place last Monday, July 22d, and the South Carolina Military Academy, of Charleston.

We also wish to acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to the Game Cock Pythian Picnic.

Married.

Married, at Bethel Church, Privateer, on Sunday, June 14th, by the officiating minister, Miss Louisa Seeb, daughter of Mr. A. Seeb, of Sumter, and Mr. Warren Wells. The bride is under 15 years and the groom over 60.

Death.

For the third time within the past two weeks, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Epperson have had to bear a most severe affliction. Last Friday their little boy, James Herbert, was taken from them. He was a bright and interesting child, only three years of age. The heartfelt sympathies of the people of Sumter go out to the grief stricken parents in their now almost deserted home. Out of a group of four happy children, death has only left them one, a boy of eleven.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peebles, of Spring Hill, lost their eldest daughter Bessie, about four years old, by death on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mannerly lost their infant on Sunday, 1 day old.

An infant of Mr. and Mrs. Joel E. Brunson, died at the residence of Dr. J. A. Mayes, of Mayeville, last Sunday.

The infant of Sumter, S. C., on the 15th of June, 1891, Margaret Conyers, aged nine months and sixteen days, daughter of Isaac C. and Lulu M. Ingram, and granddaughter of Rev. H. M. Wood. Her remains were interred in the Manning Cemetery.

Dr. W. Hamilton Burgess, after a lingering illness from heart disease, died at his home, Beaufort, near Stateburg, Saturday afternoon last. He had just preached at a friend's funeral, he felt those premonitions, which his skill as a physician told him were serious. Leaving his friends to the bedside of his wife, and telling her of his approaching end, he sank quietly to the floor and expired.

Dr. Burgess was graduated at the Charleston Medical College, and afterwards served on the staff of hospital physicians where he acquired his valuable experience. He loved his profession and pursued his practice at Stateburg and throughout the county for the past ten years with marked success. He was engaged in visiting the family of Col. J. H. Earle, and the charm of his social intercourse. At the early age of 38 with a future of promise before him, his death is one of the saddest episodes in the annals of the community.

He and four children (the last but a few days old) survive him, who have the deep and heartfelt sympathy of their friends.

Dr. Burgess' funeral was held from the church of the Holy Cross (Stateburg) last Monday in the presence of an unusually large number of the friends of his early youth and acquaintances of later years. His remains were laid to rest in the church yard near those of his ancestors.

Religions.

Bishop Howe, of the Episcopal Church, will make his annual visitation to St. Phillip's Church, at Bradford Springs on Tuesday, June 30th.

Rev. Mr. G. R. Richards, Evangelist of Harmony Presbytery, is expected to occupy the pulpit of Tirzah Church on next Sunday, 21st inst.

Dr. Edmunds will preach at Summerton next Sabbath, commencing no service will be held in his church here on that day.

Four additional deacons were elected at the meeting of the congregation of the Presbyterian Church last Sunday. The names of Messrs. E. A. Brand, H. A. Brand, H. F. Wilson, A. White, Jr., and J. L. Hayworth.

Children of Israel.

Last Friday was the occasion of the annual convocation services at the Beth Elhohi Synagogue in Charleston. Amid the surroundings of the historic old temple these sacred ceremonies were held in a most impressive manner. A number of the candidates for confirmation including their friends went down to attend the services. The children of Sumter, it is observed in the News and Courier, perhaps deserve greater credit for their excellent work considering the lack of early training in Sabbath Schools. Those who took special honors are:

First Rank, First Grade—Misses Kate Moses and Nettie Eversberg. Second Rank, First Grade—Miss Nina Moise, Herman Scherwin, Herbert Moses and Ansel Harby.

First Rank, Second Grade—Miss Esther Strausz. Second Rank, Second Grade—Miss Carrie Solomon, Jessie Moise, Nettie Weisberg and Fannie Koppel.

Following is the class from this city: Ansel Harby, Fannie Koppel, Kate Moses, Herbert Moses, Octavia Moses, Malke Manheim, Nina Moise, Jessie Moise, Etta Rosendorf, Hattie Ryttenberg, Rosa Sittenfeld, Herman Scherwin, Lennie Solomon, Bertha Strausz, Estelle Strausz, Tillie Walkovskii, Nettie Weisberg.

County S. S. Convention.

The Sumter County Sunday School Convention will be held at Mayeville, on Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 16-17. Brethren are being requested to make addresses as follows:

1. Needed improvements in the average country Sunday School. By E. E. Ayers.

2. Are there any objections to the International System of lessons. By W. J. McKay.

3. On whom rests most heavily the responsibility of maintaining the Sunday School—the Superintendent or the teachers? By A. J. Stokes.

4. What good did your Sunday School life raise in your mind? By H. O. Rogers and W. W. Wood.

5. Is a Bible class a possible thing in each Church and how is it to be organized and maintained? By N. W. Edmunds.

6. Sunday School Missions Bonds and how to maintain them. By E. D. Wells.

7. How to have an evergreen Sunday School. By W. C. Smith.

8. Who ought to attend the Sunday School? By— to be appointed.

Each Sunday School in the County is entitled to two delegates. J. C. Scott, Secretary. J. C. Scott, President. June 1891.

The Keel's Case.

A few months ago we were informed by a well known young gentleman of this city, that one of his customers had shown him a letter received from one of the officials of Sumter County. Copies similar to the one received by him had been sent out generally over the county to the friends of Mr. Keel, calling upon them to gather here and consult together as to the best course for him to pursue in the criminal case against him.

Speaking for himself he did not regard the case as one of any political significance, whatsoever, and as far as he was concerned he would have nothing to do with it.

We have seen the gentleman who wrote these letters. So far from denying the fact he showed them to us, but denies that they were written with any view to create the impression that it was a case of political persecution on the part of the Keel's. He said he did not regard the criminal case as such, inasmuch, as he thought the Grand Jury, composed partially of Tillman men must have had sufficient evidence before them to find true bills, but he offered 25 cents apiece for the use of one of his improvements only. When we consider the number of electric lights over the whole of the United States, it is not hard to imagine at 50 cents apiece or even 25 cents that it will not be long before we will have a millionaires in Sumter. Besides Mr. Cardarelli only receives this amount from the factory for the privilege of using his machinery and has nothing to do with the selling price. We have seen the printed plan from the patent office, and Mr. Cardarelli's model, and it is very complete and simple. By a lamp in the most convenient manner, and while it is a great labor saving device, it will form a far more important office in preventing the frequent sacrifice of human life involved in the manipulation of gas in the manner we do now. Our fellow townsmen in our good luck. His fortune now seems almost assured.

Mr. Cardarelli's Crane.

Mr. E. Cardarelli, of Sumter has made a name for himself, and perhaps a large fortune by his brilliant invention—a crane by which the electric brightness of the light by which means it is intended more freely to dispense gas, and to be used in the most convenient manner. North where he has made a contract with a large factory to manufacture the cranes. This company has contracted to pay him 50 cents royalty on every crane they make. Mr. Cardarelli has also been offered 25 cents apiece for the use of one of his improvements only. When we consider the number of electric lights over the whole of the United States, it is not hard to imagine at 50 cents apiece or even 25 cents that it will not be long before we will have a millionaires in Sumter. Besides Mr. Cardarelli only receives this amount from the factory for the privilege of using his machinery and has nothing to do with the selling price. We have seen the printed plan from the patent office, and Mr. Cardarelli's model, and it is very complete and simple. By a lamp in the most convenient manner, and while it is a great labor saving device, it will form a far more important office in preventing the frequent sacrifice of human life involved in the manipulation of gas in the manner we do now. Our fellow townsmen in our good luck. His fortune now seems almost assured.

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GRAT BARGAINS.

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Barle Gained by Scarborough and Others.

Sometime ago Joe Albright, the German laborer, on Capt. Macy's place, who testified in the recent murder trial, was arrested for complicity in the murder, and in default of bond was lodged in jail. A great many citizens of the neighborhood were satisfied of his innocence, and were indignant at his imprisonment. Col. Barle volunteered his services to defend him free of charge. He appeared before Judge Fraser, at Chambers, and upon the showing made before him, His Honor granted an order discharging him immediately from custody.

Appreciating the kindness and magnanimity of Col. W. D. Scarborough, Capt. E. F. Burroughs and Mr. John Kingman, in behalf of themselves and other citizens, purchased of Mr. H. A. Hoyt, of this city, a beautiful gold-headed chain, and presented it to the presence of a small number of friends, Col. Scarborough presented the case in a neat little speech, as follows:

REMARKS. It is one of the characteristics of all civilized people, and especially is it a characteristic of the people of our country to be possessed of a high sense of justice, and also a deep and genuine spirit of sympathy for the afflicted and the helpless. This characteristic is commendable and praiseworthy when tempered with reason, and should be encouraged and inculcated by all who are interested in the civilization and moral elevation of the present and future generations of our people.

A very recent demonstration of this characteristic of our people, and in which, it is remarkable and gratifying, to see men of all colors and political parties and factions, getting even the recent and bitter political campaign, united in a common sentiment of justice, and moved by the spirit of sympathy, has called us together at this time, and impelled upon me the pleasant duty of expressing, not in the spirit of mere worship, nor undue laudation of man, for that favors of industry, and is therefore wrong, but in the spirit of just appreciation of an act of nobility and of a patriotic duty performed by a distinguished citizen.

In behalf of his numerous fellow-citizens, whose names I have on record, and will hand him to be presented to Col. Joseph H. Earle, this emblematic, plain, straight, but handsome case, as a souvenir of their appreciation of his act of mercy in rescuing from personal and political persecution, without fear of consequence, or loss of position or reward, as it is believed, the poor and friendless stranger, Joe Albright. And it is presented with the request, Col. Earle, that it be handed down to the generation of your posterity, that they may learn from the inscription thereon something of the character and virtues of their ancestor and his generation.

Col. Barle replied in a fitting speech, thanking them for the compliment paid him. He said he regarded what he had done as nothing more than a simple duty that any one who had a proper conception of the requirements of the high position to which he is appointed, would have done. That the case would always be prized by him and handed down by the family from generation to generation.

The case is quite a handsome one, and bears the inscription: "To Joseph H. Earle, From friends of Justice. A Souvenir for the charitable defense of a poor German, 1891."

Oil Mill For Sumter.

Mr. Jas. M. Ormes, of New York city, was here last Monday. Mr. Ormes is the owner of the Columbia Oil Mills of Chicago, one of the wealthiest companies in the country. While in Charleston last week, one of Sumter's Centennial pamphlets, containing a history of its industries and advantages fell into his hands, and being impressed with what was therein set forth, at the suggestion of Mr. Simeon Hyde, he visited the city, with the intention of in accordance with the views of the people—of locating a Cotton Seed Oil Mill here. Mr. Ormes has a good deal of experience in the organization of enterprises of this character. His company already has several large mills in successful operation in different parts of the country. He thinks from what he has learned of Sumter, that such a mill would pay handsomely. The capital stock will vary in respect to the size of the plant, from \$25,000 to \$50,000. Mr. Ormes' people offer to subscribe for one half of the capital stock and guarantee to purchase all the oil manufactured at the rolling mill price. They further propose, if the people here approve to build the mill and send on a competent man of large experience to manage and direct its workings.

An informal meeting of citizens who came to consult with Mr. Ormes in the matter, was held in the law office of Messrs. Hyde & Reynolds, and from the present outlook the mill will be built without a doubt. Owing to the absence of several prominent gentlemen the meeting was adjourned until a day next Monday, to discuss the matter in detail. The points will have time to consider them fully, and be prepared to say how much stock they will take.

The establishment of such an industry here will be the means at once of introducing a large amount of foreign capital into Sumter, and of attracting more. It will give employment to a large number of people, who will spend their earnings in the city.

Every gentleman present at the meeting, and after its adjournment several others, stated their intention of taking stock. Mr. Ormes returned to Charleston the same night much pleased with Sumter. He says he has a great deal of confidence in the mill matter, and he will return any day that the gentlemen interested may indicate.

Sumter's Machinery Depot.

Mr. H. B. Bloom, manager of the Sumter Branch of the Cheraw Machine Works has moved into the store formerly rented by Mr. T. B. Curtis as a grocery, and has located his machinery, engines, gins, mills, shafting, and other machinery, and is now open for business. He is well pleased with Sumter, and thinks its railroad facilities are the best in the state for a city of its size.

The Sumter Machine Works, of which Mr. J. W. McKay is President; W. T. McKay, Sec. & Treasurer and W. J. Hinchaw, Superintendent, was established a few years ago at Cheraw, S. C., and has been unusually successful. The trade has increased very rapidly, reaching into all the Southern States, and the company have found it to their interest to establish a branch house here. It pays them better to forward their machinery to this point, which is in every way central and re-ship to their customers. Mr. Bloom who has had considerable experience in machine shops in the North and West, says the shops of the Cheraw Machine Works are well established and are among the best in the country.

This is a magnificent farming section of the State, and the Sumter Branch of the works are as yet undeveloped, and there will undoubtedly be a great demand for new and improved machinery. We feel sure the Cheraw company can supply the demand in this respect, and we believe for them a liberal patronage. Mr. Bloom will reside in Sumter and give his entire attention to the management of the company's business here.

Distribution Hop. We have received a very neatly printed invitation to attend the annual Distribution Hop, to be given at Armory Hall, Monday evening, June 22d.

Chaperones—Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Mathiessen, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. May, Mr. and Mrs. Ferd. Levi, Committee—J. J. Hagby, L. L. Kennedy, I. H. Moses, Jr., and S. W. Stubbs.

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Sumter Cemetery Association.

Pursuant to a published call the Sumter Cemetery lot-owners held their annual meeting last week at the City Council Hall. The following gentlemen were present:

Rev. Dr. Edmunds, Wm. Yeaton, W. A. Brown, J. D. Craig, John Reid, R. D. Lee, J. H. Haysworth, J. D. Blanding, J. B. Roach and W. H. Yates.

The President of the Association Mr. J. B. Roach, made the following report:

Gentlemen: Since our last annual meeting very little has been done in the way of improvements, or in keeping the grounds in order. It has been the wish of the Trustees to accumulate funds for the purpose of erecting a Porter's Lodge, hence the reason for so little having been done. I am pleased to inform the Association that we have in our treasury, as will be seen by report of Secretary and Treasurer, about \$500.00 and hope to see a suitable building for a Porter's Lodge erected in the near future. It has been my pleasure to serve this Association as President for over 20 years, and I am pleased to say that our Association is financially in better condition now than at any time in the past.

Respectfully submitted, J. B. ROACH, President.

The Secretary and Treasurer's report was then read, the following is a summary of the same:

To Cash on hand last meeting \$ 259 41
" received from old assessments, 6 00
" received from burial fees, 63 00
" received from sale of lots, 165 00
Interest on Deposits, 5 13
\$498 54

By Cash from Secretary and Treasurer 5 per cent on \$239 13, 11 96
\$486 58

The Finance Committee instructed the Secretary and Treasurer to transfer all money now on open account deposit to Savings Bank in Simonds National Bank.

It was decided by the meeting to expend the \$500 on hand in building a Porter's Lodge and as the amount of course, would not be sufficient, the Sec. and Treas. was authorized to circulate a subscription list to obtain the balance necessary for that object, and also for other improvements that may be necessary. It was also ordered to employ a porter.

On motion of R. D. Lee Esq., the Secretary was requested to ask City Council to replace the missing trees on the avenue leading to the grounds.

The matter of the neglected condition of the cemetery grounds has now for sometime been agitating our people. Constant depredations are being committed, fences are injured, graves defaced, flowers stolen and the grounds deserted in other ways. We feel that it is our duty to see that the cemetery in the treasury, in building of a Lodge for, and in the employment of a keeper and in other necessary improvements upon the cemetery property, decidedly the best disposition to make of the funds.

Skirmish With a Squirrel. Mr. W. W. McKagen had acquired his house, corner of Washington and Republican Streets, a tame fox squirrel, which kept in a cage, and one of the largest of its kind and had been pampered to a considerable degree. It became enraged yesterday from some cause and escaped from the cage. Mr. Spann and one of the boys were hunting for it, when all of a sudden they heard a scream from Mrs. Jones who lives in one of Dr. China's cottages adjoining the lot. The squirrel had run along the dividing fence, and pounced upon Mrs. Jones who was standing in the fence at the time. She was severely scratched about the face and badly bitten on the wrist. The sharp teeth of the mad creature must have struck a vein or artery, as the blood came to her feet. Mr. Hughson was called in for medical attention. At this writing Mrs. Jones is better and the squirrel has been shot. Those who saw the squirrel say it was in a perfect frenzy of rage.

ADVICE TO WOMEN

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CANTONVILLE, April 23, 1890. This will certify that two members of my immediate family, after having suffered for some time with irregular menstruation, being treated without benefit by physicians, were at length completely cured by the use of Bradfield's Female Regulator. Its effect is truly wonderful. J. W. STRANGE.

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Are you suffering with any of the following symptoms: Loss of, or irregular appetite, loss of flesh, a feeling of fullness or weight in the stomach, acidity, flatulence, a dull pain with a sensation of burning in the head, giddiness, constipation, derangement of kidneys, heart trouble, nervousness, sleeplessness, etc. Dr. Holt's Dyspeptic Elixir will cure you.

A. C. Wright, the Comptroller General of Georgia, says, three bottles cured him after having tried almost everything else.

Judge R. F. Izlar, Macon, Ga., says, Holt's Elixir accomplished all, all other remedies failed to do a perfect cure.

J. E. Paulin, Ft. Gaines, Ga., writes: "I have no hesitancy in recommending it, as it cured me of dyspepsia."

For full information inquire of your druggist. For sale by all druggists.

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W. F. B. HAYNSWORTH, President. L. S. Cassow, Aug. 1, Cashier.

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W. F. B. HAYNSWORTH, President. A. WHITE, Aug. 1, Cashier.

DR. E. ALVA SOLOMONS, DENTIST.

Office Over Browns & Purdy's Store. Entrance on Main Street, Between Browns & Purdy and Durant & Son. OFFICE HOURS: 9 to 1.30; 2 to 5 o'clock. Sumter, S. C., April 29.

G. W. DICK, D. D. S.

Office over Bogin's New Store, ENTRANCE ON MAIN STREET, SUMTER, S. C. Office Hours—9 to 1.30; 2.30 to 5. Sent 8.

Dr. T. W. BOOKHART, DENTAL SURGEON.

Office over Bultman & Bro's Shoe Store. ENTRANCE ON MAIN STREET, SUMTER, S. C. Office Hours—9 to 1.30; 2.30 to 5. April 17—o.

COMING TO THE POINT.

Sometimes it is a good deal better to evade the point than to come to it. That altogether depends on the kind