THE WATCHMAN AND SOUTHRON, NOVEMBER 6, 1895.

James H. Aycock, Dead.

A telegram was reverved Monday from Asheville, N. C. c. ve ing the sad intelligence of the death of Mr. James H. Avrock, who passed away in tost city ost night. He had been in bad heatth for several months, and spent the summer in the mountains of North Carolin+ in hop- that he would regain and regret, but will join with us in wishing his health. Several days ago he became critically ill at Asheville, and his family were summoned to his redside, it being apparent that his end was near at hand. The funeral services were held at Wedgefield yesterday morning at 11 o'clock

Mr. Aycoca was a native of North Carolina, but had been a resident of Sumter Comfortor, at the office of the Secretary, on county almost continuously since 1853. He November 4, 1895, the following preamble was the pioneer in the turpentine business in and resolution were unanimously adopted this section of the State, and in this business and forwarded to Mr. Kershaw in the form of he accumulated considerale property. In a letter: late years be has been engaged in farming and mercantile business on a large scale at John Kershaw, has received a cail to a wider Wedgefield, where he owned one of the finest farms in the State. He was a business man of unusual ability and foresight, and sucto refuse the summons to a higher responsiceed in all of his business ventures. His farm at Wedgefield was a model of its kind bility in the service of the church; and, who kept up with the progress of scientific ance of such call, he has sent in his resignaand was known all over the State by farmers agriculture.

Mr. Aycock was twice married. He first Mr. Aycock was twice married. He first warried Miss Elizabeth Fullwood, a sister to married Miss Elizabeth Fullwood, a sister to James A. Fullwood, formerly of this county, but now of Texas, with whom Mr. Aycock was in business. By this marriage three chil-faithfully served this church, with profound dren were born. His second wife, who survives him, was Miss Brogdon, a daugher of man, friend and pastor, and who is so emithe late Dr. W. T Brogdon, of Concord Township, who bore him four children, three sons and a daugater.

Murder Near Bishopville.

Jobn Arrants, a well-known white man of Carters' Crossing Township was brought to town Sunday and committed to jail for the killing of Dick Wilson, colored, on Saturday night. The accounts of the circumstances leading to the homicide are conflicting, and it is impossible to ascertain which is the true story of the unfortunate occurrence that cost the life of one man and caused another to occupy a cell in the county jul.

Arrants was setting as a constable for the collection of poll tax, and went to Wilson's house for the purpose of collecting the tax James McDowell, assisted by Rev. John he owed the consty Wilson refused to pay Kershaw. the tax to Arrants, but, it is said told him to get Mr. Frank McCutchen to come with him and sign the receipt and he would pay the tax. Arrante went to Mr. McCutchen's house and asked him to go to Wilson's house. Mr. McCutchen consented to do so and they proceed to Wilson's house. Arrants says that Wilson drew a pistol and snapped it at sympathy for his bereaved family. him; he then drew his pistol and fired at Rev. John Kershaw having se Wilson, killing him.

The other accounts differ from that given by Arrants, in that it is said that Wilson had no pistol and made no attempt to attack Arrants, and that Arrants shot him down as soon as he caught sight of him as he approached the house. The latter account was given by a negro who came down for a coffin for Wilson.

Arrants is reported to have been under the affiliations. Charleston's gain is truly Suminfluence of liqour Saturday afternoon a short time prior to the killing and was therefore probably in the same condition when he shot Wilson

The true account of the homicide will not be obtainable until the preliminary 13 held.

Coroner Commander on Monday held an inquest over the body of Dick Wilson, who

Nervous Prostration

Rev. John Kershaw Accepts the

Call to St. Michaels.

Rev. John Kershaw has notified the vestry

of St. Michael s of his acceptance of the call

Resolutions by the Vestry.

At a meeting of the Vestry of the Holy

"WHEREAS, our esteemed Rector, Rev.

field of usefulness in the Vineyard of the

Master, and has recognized it as his duty not

"WHEREAS, in consequence of his accept-

tion as Rector of the Church of the Holy

Comfortor hereby accepts the resignation of

regret at parting with one who has so ea-

deared himself to his congregation as gentle-

nently qualified to instruct them in the ways

of righteousness and truth, but with a

cheerful resignation in the fact that his learn-

ing, eloquence and piety will find a wider

scope and more extensive field for their earn-

Wedgefield Letter.

the Presbyterian Churchyard before a very

crowd of negroes were at the grave. Ser-

conditions. The community has the deepest

News From Ionia.

They called Dick Wilson out and asked for

not in. Arrants said he believed Wilson had

slipped Young off. After some other words Arrants snapped his pistol at Wilson and

then pulled a second time and fired, the ball

entering the left side and passed through the

heart, as was shown by the post mortem per-

The verdict of the jury, of which Mr.

Levander Elmore was the foreman, was in

accordance with the foregoing facts. Arrants

The farmers are about through gathering

crops, and although the cotton yield is short,

all are delighted at the price. Corn and peas

ardson, of Sumter, in the community again

The marriage bells are ringing. Besides

the two marriages at Smithville, cards are

out for the marriage of Mr. Johnnie Murchi-

The Salem County people are not per-mitting the grass to grow under their feet,

but are up and doing. Mr. J. L. Parrott, of

ing more than the required two million dol-

lars worth of taxable property, he is well pleased with the outlook. Bishopville is for

the new county to a man, and that town

proposes, we believe, to erect all necessary

public buildings without expense to the re-

mainder of the territory. Salem County will

include the following territory now in Sum-

ter County : Bishepville township, Mt. Clio township, Carters Crossing township, one-

half of Lynchburg township, one-third of

Swimming Pens township, and two-thirds of

Spring Hill township. The remainder of thp territory will be cut off from Dar ington ane

LITTLE FARMER.

We are glad to welcome Miss Agnes Rich-

was committed to jail.

as a teacher.

by the sea.

WEDGEFILD, Nov. 5, 1895.

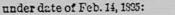
est and devoted employment."

to that church .- Charleston Post

labor.

Cured by Dr. Miles' Nervine.

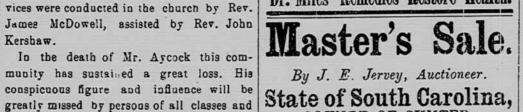
Prolonged derangement of the nervous system not only affects the brain and men-Charleston's gain is Sumter's loss. The tal powers, but develops disease in some of host of friends of Rev. Kershaw will read the vital organs. The most dangerous of the above paragraph with feelings of sorrow these indirect results is when the heart is affected. This was the case of the Rev. N. our friend God speed in his new field of F. Surface, Fawn River, Mich., who writes





"Fourteen years ago I had a slight stroke of paralysis. Overwork brought on nervous prostration. I was exceedingly nervous and the exertion of public speaking caused heart palpitation that threatened my life. I used two bottles of Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure for my heart trouble, and two of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine for my nervousness and feel better than I ever expected to feel again. I can speak for hours without tiring or having my heart flutter as it formerly did, and I have you to thank that I am alive today."

Mr. James H. Avcock was buried to-day in On sale by all druggists. Dr. Miles' Book on Heart and Nervous Disorders FREE by large concourse of friends. A very large mail. Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind. Dr. Miles' Remedies Restore Health.



COUNTY OF SUMTER.

PURSUANT, to the judgments and orders Rev. John Kershaw having sent in his of the Court aforesaid, severally made in the resignation, the vestry of the Holy Cross, following entitled cases I will offer for sale at Public Auction, before the Court House Stateburg, accepted the same with much in the City of Sumter, County and State aforesaid, on the First Monday in December, regret on last Sunday. Mr. Kershaw has labored earoestly in this parish for nearly next 1895, (being the 2d day of said month.) eleven years, and his labors have borne much between the hours of eleven o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in afternoon of fruit. Mr. Kershaw is liked by all who said day, the real estate in each case deknow him, irrespective of creed or church cribed, on the terms in each case specified: In the case of Pauline S Heyward, Plaintiff, ter's great loss. Mr. Kershaw has our best against Calvin W. Chandler, A. S. Brown, Marion Moise, Richard D. Lee and Marion wishes, and we feel sure that the bright Moise, co-partners, as Lee & Moise; William B Whaley and John M Rivers, co-partners, as Whaley & Rivers; Caroline E. Winn, as Executize of the last will and testament of D J Winn light of his eloquence and Christian spirit and influence will be better seen in the city D J. Winn, deceased; R. F. Jackson, Moultrie R. Wilson, as assignee of Albertus S.



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A GRAND, GLORIOUS AND NOVEL FREE STREET PARADE Moving through principal streets at 10 a m. Great Free Outside Exhibition on arrival of the parade at the Park.

Doors Open at 1 and 7 p. m.-Performances Begin One Hour Later. partners as A. S. & W. A. Brown; and The Largest Tents would be too small for this vast Exhibition, it is given in a canvas-enclosed Park. 6000 water-proof awning covered seats. Walter E. Lea, Defendants ADMISSION 25 Center Waking it of control to the seater of the se

Excursions on all lines of Rail Roads.

was killed an Saturday night by John Arrants. The verdict of the jury was that Richard Wilson came to his death from a gunshot wound inflicted by a weapon in the hands of John Arrants. All of the witnesses examined were negroes and their testimony was strongly against Arrants. Mr. Frank McCutchen, who was present when the homicide occurred, was not examined, as he was not in the neighborhood, having not re-the killing with a tax execution against turned from this city, where he had come with Arrants on Sunday. There were but few additional facts brought out at the inquest. The most important fact devel-oped was that Dick Wilson had ntoh-ing to do with the poll tax matter, but that it was his son-in-law, who had had Young told Arrants that he would pay him if he would give him a tax receipt. Arrants replied : "I will go for Ed Stuckey and words with Arrants concerning the tax war-Frank McCutchen and my guo, and I will rants which Arrants had against him. When carry you or the money, one." He then left Armats returned to the house with Mr Mcand returned with McCatchen about 10 Cutchen, as previously related, he became involved in a dispute with Wilson as to the o'clock. whereabouts of his sou-in-law. The termination of the dispute was the killing of Wil-Young, to which Wilson replied that he was

A Sunday Fire.

The McGuinnis Block, on Main street, was discovered to be on fire Sunday about 12 o'clock and the alarm of fire was immediately given. The reel squads turned out with the usual promptness and commenced the formed by Dr. E. S. Booth. work the fire was extinguished and a disastrous fire prevented-all attributable to the efficiency of the fire department and the abundant water supply. The roof and ceiling of three stores in the block were badly damaged, but his was the extent of the fire.

The fire originated from the stove used to heat water for J. T. Edwards' hath room, in the rear of the barber shop. The stove was situated in a small frame shed adjoining the are good and hogs ditto. rear of the stores, and had the rear wall of the stores been brick, it is not probable that the stores would have been damaged at all. But the walls being a frame work of boards, covered with corrugated iron, afforded no protection against the flames from the outside. The fire spread rapidly between the roof and ceiling, there being no stop walls anywhere in the block to check them, and at. son, of Gum Spring and Miss Dora Smith, of first there seemed but little hope of checking Ionia, on the 7th. the fire. The firemen, however, promptly cut boles through the roof and poured a flood of water down on the flames, while others broke through the ceiling and turned several streams on the fire from below.

The damage to the building is estimated at \$2,000. The building was insured with the A. C. Phelps Co Agency for \$1,200. The stock of goods of J. A. Forworth, who occupied one of the stores, was damaged by water and removal. J. T. Edwards suffered some loss by the damage to his barber ble to complete the arrangements for doing and C. W. Kingman, who occepied stores at the other end of the block, suffered no loss, as it was not necessary to remove their goods. Mr. Forworth had \$400 insurance on his stock. J. T Edwards had no insurance on his barber shop fixtures.

Whiskey Seizures

Since Constable Brown has returned to Sumter he has made several seizures of liquor, some of which have been previously mentioned. A few days ago he seized two kegs in the express office-one coosigned to Mr. Geo. F. Epperson, the other to Mr. Robt. Wingate.

Wednesday he seized at the A.C. L depot two jugs consigned to Charles DuRant

A five gallon keg consigned to Mr. C. A Broughton was also seized at the A. C. L. depot Wednesday.

All of the above have been forwarded to Columbia under orders from the State Dispen-

Dizziness and Liver Trouble

IONIA, S. S., November 4, 1895.

All of that parcel conveyed by Calvin On last Saturday night about 10 o'clock, W. Chandler to Albertus S. Brown, containing five hundred and seventy-eight and one-fourth (5781) acres, bounded on the north by John Arrants, white, shot and killed Dick lands now, or formerly, of L. L. Jennings day it was testified that Arrants went to and N Bradford; east, by lands of N. Brad-Wilson's house about 8 o'clock the night of ford and Gen. E W. Moise; south, by lands of H. A. Raffield; and west, by lands of Gen. the killing with a tax execution against E. W. Moise and by the Sumter and Provi-Wesley Young, son-in-law of Wilson, and dence rond. who lived in the house with Dick Wilson.

2. The remainder of the mortgaged premises, containing ninety-four and threefourths (943) acres, more or less, claimed by Calvin W. Chandler, bounded by the public road leading from Sumter to Providence and adjoining lands of A. White, occupied by Andrew Adams, lands formerly of Ardis, lately of Pate, and lands of others.

Terms of Sale-One-balf cash; the balance on a credit of one year from December 1, 1895, the deferred portion to be evidenced by the bond or bonds of the purchaser or purchasers, and a mortgage or mortgages of the premises sold, the same to bear interest from the day of sale, and the papers taken to pro-vide for the payment of attorneys' fees in case of default of payment, with the option to the purchaser or purchasers to pay all cash. Purchaser to pay for papers.

In the case of Charles B. Smith, Plaintiff, vs. D. J. McLeod, John A. McLeod and W. J. McLeod, Defendants.

All that tract of land situated, lying and being in Shiloh Township, County and State aforesaid (Sumter County, South Carolina), containing two hundred and eleven acres, more or less, bounded as follows : North, by W. J. McLeod and Ben Cooper's land ; south, by Jacob Keels's land; west, by T. L. Kilpatrick's land and Pudding Swamp road; and east, by D. W Gibb's land.

Terms of Sale-Cash

Purchaser to pay for papers. W. H. INGRAM, Master for Sumter County. Nov 6.

State of South Carolina, COUNTY OF SUMTER.

By T. V Walsh, Esq., Probate Judge. WHEREAS, ISAIAH WATSON made

suit to me to grant him Letters of Administration of the Estate of and effects Bishopviile, who has been and is one of the of FRIDAY WATSON, deceased.

These are therefore to cite and admonish all most active workers in the interest of Salem and singular the kindred and creditors of the County, was in town Friday, and told the said FRIDAY WATSGN, late of said County and writer that they propose to proceed at once State, deceased, that they be and appear to get up the necessary petition, and will before me, in the Court of Probate, to be bold the election for the new county before held at Sumter Court House on November the General Assembly convenes, if it is possi-13th, 1895, next after publication thereof, at so. He is confident that the vote will be 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if strongly in favor of the new county, and as any they have, why the said Administration there is no question about the territory havshould not be granted.

Given under my hand, this thirtieth day of October, A. D., 1895. THUS. V. WALSH,

Judge of Probate. Oct 30-21.

Estate of Mrs. Mary M. E. Pitts, DECEASED

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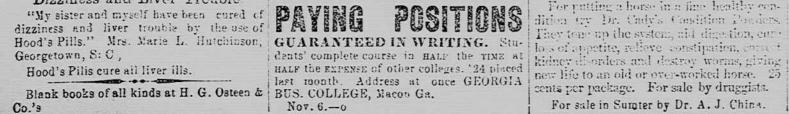
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