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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Lee & Moise-Money to Lend. W. E Dick-Valuable Land For Sale. J. Rittenberg & Sons-Sale of Bankrupt

Stock State of South Carolina-Proclamaticn by the Governor.

A G. Warren, Election Commissioner-Notice of New County Election

PERSONAL.

Col. J. A. Rhame spent Monday in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McLeod are in the city.

Mr Bert B. Beckham is in the city to spend a few days.

urday in town

Mr. H. Drane Tindal went to Columbia yesterday morning.

Dr. N. Y. Alford, of Wisacky, spent Saturday in this city.

Joesph F. Rhame, Esq, of Manning, spent Thursday in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B Ryan, of Wedgefield, spent Monday in the city.

Mr. Robert H. Jennings, of Orangeburg, spent Sunday in this city.

Miss Carrie Blumberg, of Pittsburg, Pa., is visiting ber consin, Miss Hattie Ryttenberg. Mrs E R. Moses, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. S C. Baker, has returned to Washington.

Mr. J C. Scott, of Charleston spent Monday in the city and went to his place near Wisacky last night.

Misses Fannie China and Caro Belser left Keels Rembert marriage.

Mr. Abe Byttenberg went over to Columbia yesterday morning to remain during the contingance of the Fair.

Mr. Edward Haynsworth left yesterday morning for Columbia, where he will spend the remainder of the week.

Mr. H. D. Moise bas returned from Savannah, Ga., where he has been on a business trip for a month or'six weeks.

Gen. W. E. James and Mr. Robert James, of Darlington, came over to attend the marrisge of Mr. D M. Young and Miss Mamie Fraser.

Mr. W. B. Peebles went over to Columbia yesterday morning. He will have charge of the telephone exhibit of the Mason Electrical Company.

Mr. R. M. Cooper, of Wisacky, one of the leading spirits in the movement to . make that place the county seat of Salem county, was in the city Saturday.

Mr. O B. Davis, of Darlington, spent Sunday in this city. He left on the morning train for Tuka, Miss , where he will be warried on Thursday evening

Mr. and Mrs John T Green and Mrs. N. G Osteen went to Wisaky to attend the nie Scott, which occurred yesterday afternoon 10 o'clock train this morning for his bedside, beld out by Bishopville and Lucknow. They

Mr W. A. Green and Miss Minnie, daughter of Mr. H. W. Scott, of Wisacky, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, at the residence of the bride's parents The marriage ceremony was performed in the parlor, where the guests assembling the entire school in the Assembly were assembled and was, though a simple and | Hall, where appropriate exercises were held. quiet affair, both pretty and impressive ?. The attendants were: Mr. L. W. DesChamps and Miss Lizzie Tillman, of Lancaster; Mr. E. D. Law and Miss Hattie McLeod; Mr. Edgar Scott and Miss Bessie Law; Mr. H. P. Scott and Miss Japie Green, of Lancaster. The gentlemen were dressed in conventional black cutaways and the bridesmaids in street costumes. The bride was becomingly attired in a stylish traveling dress of light grey cloth. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. S. Porter in accordance with the beautiful and impressive service of the Methodist Church, and when the happy groom and his winsome bride had Mr. H. H. Evans, of Spring Hill, spent Sat- plighted their troth their numerous friends crowded around to wish God speed on a long, happy and prosperous joining of life. A short time after the ceremony the bridal party bade a brief adieu to the friends and left for Lynchburg where they took the train for Columbia, where they will spend the week. The wedding gifts were numerous and costly, there

MARRIED.

being a magnificent display of sterling silver articles, both useful and ornamental.

Mr. D. M Young and Miss Mamie Fraser, daughter of ex-Judge Tdomas B. Fraser, were married at 7.30 o'clock Thursday evening. The ceremony was performed at the residence of Judge Fraser by Rev. N. W. Edmunds, and was witnessed by only a few members of the ceremony supper was served, and then the bridal couble left on the 9 o'clock train for vesterday morning for Rembert's to attend the the up country, where the honeymoon will be spent.

> The Winnsboro correspondent of the News and Courier says, under date of Nov. 4: Last night, at the residence of Mr. W. B. Creight, the bride's father, Ar H. G. Muldrow and Mrs. Mamie C. Leavell were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. The bridal party left on the night train for Wisacky, Sumter County, the home of the groom Our people are sorry to part with Mrs. Muldrow, and all of us wish her much happiness in her new home. The groom may well be proud of Grier. the prize he has drawn.

The sbocking intelligence of the sad death of our esteemed young friend, Mr. Robert Aycock reached here, his home, at 7 o'clock this p m. Robert was a student at Maj. Bingham's school in North Carolina, and it was not known by his family that he was seriously sick till a telegram was received 94 5.6). this a m. at 9 o'clock saying he was danger-

Public Exercises at the Graded School.

The second quarter of the session of 1896-97 of the Graded Schools began Monday, and, in accordance with the custom established by Supt. Edmunds, the occasion was marked by

The programme was as follows : Morning Invitation-Opening Song Devotional Exercis-s-Rev. S B. Hillock. Angry Words-Song by School. Short Address by Mr. Hillock.

Poetical Selectious by the Grades. Reading of Roll of Honor for First Quarter. Vocal March-Song by School The general invitation extended by Super-

intendent Edmunds was accepted by the friends and patrons of the school in such large numbers that the seating capacity of the school was overtaxed, and the central ballway had to be brought into requisition. Mr. Hillock spoke for about ten minutes,

succeeding admirably in interesting his hearers. He emphasized his remarks with drawings on a blackboard, a feature that appealed directly to the understanding of the children and that appeared to excite a greater degree of interest and a livelier attention than usual. There has been a very decided improvement in the singing since last year. The children not only keep better time and throw more life into the songs, but the music that they now so successfully render is more difficult than heretofore attempted. Mr. Rampo has accomplished much since he undertook the training of the children in this department, and the singing was highly praised by those who were present this morning. Mr. Rambo's present success should encourage him to greater exertions in the future, and he can go forward with the assurance that his work will be appreciated by all who are interested in the growth and proven develop-

ment of the school. For a pupil to attain the distinction of mention in the quarterly roll of honor it is necessary that an average of 95 per cent. the families of the contracting parties After shall have been maintained in daily recitations, examinations and deportment.

The roll of honor as read by Supt. Edmunds is as follows :

Frat Grade-1st Division-Marguerite Mc-Leod, Ollie Delgar, Richard Monaghao, Essie Murray, Fred Nash. Special Mention-Edna Grier, Arthur Briggs, Joe Richardson. First Grade-2d Division-Edna Stack, Charles Richardson, Edgar Unynsworth, Helen Best, Roland Bradwell. Special Me -tion-Willie Brunson, Etta Cuttino, Bertha Bultman.

Second Grade-Bartow Walsh, Louise Murray, John Lee, Edwin Brunson, Alfred

Third Grade-Leila Sontberland, Margie Monaghan, Florence Keels, Maud Stuckey,

Katie Ligner. Fourth Grade-Guignard Jones, Edward McCutchen, Essie Carter

Seventh Grade-Hattie Dove, Cecil Wil-son, Octavia Hill, David McCallum, Seima

Ninth Grade-Special Mention-Miss Nita Harby (average 94%).

Tenth Grade-Misses Emmie Whittemore, Mary Brunson, Clemmie Fuller. Special Mention-Miss Hessie Richardson (average

The people of Wisacky entered that place as a caudidate for the county seat of Salem marriage of Mr. W. A. Green and Miss Min- eldest brother, Mr. W. T. Aycock, left on the an offer that far surpasses the inducements Dr.A. J. China's Drug Store, Sumter. S. C

Jim Wright, colored, has been sent to the chain gang for thirty days by Magistrate Wells for beating his child. He is also charged with beating his wife, but he was not brought to trial under this indictment.

The regular meetings of the Nondescript and Shakespeare Clubs have been postponed until next week on account of the State Fair. So many of the members of these clubs are going to the Fair that it will be impossible to obtain a quorum

Wissek; and Lucknow are both aspiring rivals of Bishopville for the county seat of Salem County. From recent information it seems that Bishopville has not the dead cinch on the court house that heretofore she has appeared to have. The advocates of another place are playing a waiting game and when the county is a certainty will get in their work. It is said that the biggest sort of inducements will be offered and nothing will be left undone to secure the county seat. This may all be rumor, but it is current nevertheless, and it lead : outsiders to anticipate lively times in Salem County before the matter is finally settled.

The line of Salem county will be approxi mately as follows: Starting at Sanders' Bridge, on Lynche's River, a straight line is drawn to Scape O'er swamp to a point onehalf mile south of Swimming Pens crossing; thence it follows the run of Scape O'er to the mouth of McGirt's Branch ; thence a straight line will be drawn to Pisgah Church, and thence to the Kershaw line. It has been impossible to ascertain the exact outlines of the new county, although several parties interested in the matter have endeavored to do so. As a matter of justice to all parties concerned, it should be required by law that the exact lines be published in advance of the election, so that those entitled to vote on the question should have timely information.

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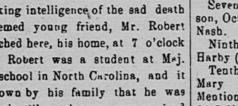
BECAUSE Quality Counts, Price Tells.

121c Dress Ducks, for 8c.

5c Calicos for 4c.

6c Calicos for 5c.

DEATHS.



ously ill. At 2 o'clock another saying he was sinking His grief-stricken mother and County late in the day, but they have made

at 5 o'clock

The Spartanburg Herald says : Mrs. A. G Rembert and Mr. George Rembert left for Rembert, S. C , yesterday morning to attend the marriage of their sister, Miss Helen Rembert, to Mr. Ezekiel Keels.

Miss Nina Moise after a stay of several weeks in Charleston, returned home yesterday morning, but left almost immediately for Rembert to attend the wedding of Mr. Ezekiel Keels and Miss Helen Rembert.

The People's Ice Co. will be ready to supply ice when warm weather comes again.

The morning train for Columbia left the depot yesterday with four extra coaches attached

pale faces in large numbers. Several were taken into the tribe last Friday night.

The State and Federal commissioners of election met in the Court House yesterday and commenced tubulating the election returns.

The sportsmen are killing a great many partridges now, but the pot hunters wre said to be bagging birds in even greater numbers.

The street bands have recently been at work on Main street and the portion between Bartlett street and the depot has been temporarily improved.

Mr. B. K. DeLorme, of Bennettsville, is an extremely sick man and his condition causes serious apprehensions in the minds of his many friends in this city.

there is very little more in the country, except | tion is extended to the public to be present. what the large planters and country merchants are holding.

Horace Jackson, colored, was tried by Megistrate Wells Friday for disposing of property under mortgage. He was convicted and sentenced to pay a fine of fifteen dollars or serve forty days on the chain gang.

The fines turned into the city treasury from the Mayor's court aggregate nearly as much as in the palmiest days of the barroom system. The model moral institution is doing a rushing drunk and disorderly business.

The Charleston Post says that Col. R. M. Wallace will be a candidate for appointment as Collector of Customs at that port The same paper says that Capt. T. B. Johnston is reported to be a candidate for U. S. Marshal or Collector of the port; that is, he will take either of the two that he can get.

Mr. E. W. A. Bultman has given Delgar Reel Squad the use of his hall for the Bazar to be held on the evening of the 25 instant. The members of the squad appreciate the liberality of Mr. Bultman, as it was a voluntary contribution on his part toward the succees of the Bazar.

Delgar Reel Squad has, as yet, taken no action on the challenge of the Florence reel ignored entirely. Delgar Squad will, however, always be represented in all contests held in this State, and Florence will be afforded an opportunity of making good some of the big talk now being indulged in.

The Sumter Cotton Oil Mill Co., has been buying seed ever since the opening of the cotton season and now has a large stock on band As soon as the remainder of the plaot has been put in place the machi ery will be set in motion and oil making will be commenced

two little negro boys on the public road flue. about a mile from this city, and drawing a pistol on them, compelled them to give him a dollar and a half. Nance has been in the courts before, and has an unsavory reputatiop.

A large banging lamp fell in one of the

but alss, ere they reached it death had claimed bim as its own. Bob, as we all called him, we all had every reason to believe, as promising and bright a future as any one we knew. We have often heard him spoken of hy his teacher, when he was quite a small boy, who would say what a pleasure it was to teach one so bright and pleasant as he was

Bob was about seventeen years of age, His remains will be brought on here for interment.

The most prefound sympathy of the whole community go out to the family and the Pocabontas Tribe, I. O. R. M., is adopting writer's heart is running over with grief and Since then he has been in a critical condition sympathy for hi 'voted mother especially. and this morning it was reported that he had May we have the strength to say Thy Will be done.

Wedgefield, S. C., Nov. 10, 1896.

Mrs. Hunnah McLeod died at her home n ar Bossard P. O, on Monday, Nov. 10, after a protracted illness. She was quite old and had been twice married. Her first husband was the late N. S. Punch.

Oyster Supper.

An Oyster Supper will be given at Jordan Cotton receipts are falling off every week Church on the night of November 20th for and it is the opinion of cotton buyers that, the benefit of the church A cordial invita-

Directors Elected.

The meeting of the Stockholders of the Peoples Ice Manufacturing Co., which was held in the Ducker and Bultman h-"! lest ntght, was attended by a large majority of those who had taken stock. Mr. W. H. logram seted as chairman and Mr. J. A Renno as Secretary. A poll of the Stock was taken and majority of the stock was found to be represented in person or by proxy.

The only business before the meeting was the election of a board of directors, and this was taken up at once. The board elected is se follows : A. N. Freeland, H. Ryttenburg, W. F. Rhame, R. O. Purdy, H. J. McLaurin, J. S Hughson, R. P. Monaghan.

The directors will meet at the Bank of Sumter this evening to elect officers.



The Daughters in Israel, (Circle No. 1.) beg to extend their sincere th. ks to the parents of the one hundred and five children. who were so kindly allowed to assist in the production of the "Mystic Midgets," and they team, but it is probable that it will be hope that the parents feel rewarded for their trouble by the success of the entertainment.

FIRE.

Mrs. R. M. Mikell's kitchen was found to be on fire Thursday night at 10.30 o'clock and the fire department responded promptly to the alarm. Delgar Squad arrived first and in a few minutes had the flames under control by the use of fire extinguishers. A line of hose was stretched and the roof given a thorough wetting as a precaution against a Magistrate Wells committed a negro named recurrence of the fire from sparks that may Nance to jail last Thursday under an indict- have been left between the ceiling and roof. ment for highway robbery. Nance held up The fire originated in the vicinity of the stove

> Many people, when a little constipated, make the mistake of using saline or other drastic purgatives. All that is needed is a mild dose of Ayer's Pills to restore the regular movement of the bowels, and nature will

offer to give \$5,100 in cash, 105,000 brick and 150 acres of land on which to build the town. The land has been valued at \$25.821 was an especially promising boy and had, as and it is estimated that the money to be obtained from the sale of the land will pay off be entire indebtedness that will be inherited from the counties of Sumter, Darlington and Kershaw. The men backing Wisacky are able to do exactly what they promise and Bishopville will have to look to her laurels or she will lose the greatly desired court house

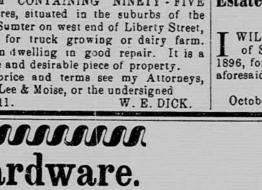
Eugene Gaillard and Charlie Bynum both colored, had a scrap at the depot on Sunday afternoon and Gaillard was badly used up. He was laid out by a lick on the head with a heavy stick and had to be removed from the scene of conflict by his sympathizing friends. died from the effects of the blow. Later it was learned that he was still alive, but is considered in danger.

The County Board of Control has elected a dispenser for Biscopville, but has not made public the name of the successful applicant. The reason for closing the Mayesville dispensary has not been made public, either. Mr K. E. Wells, the dispenser at Mayesville, was in town during the meeting of the Board of Control, but nothing definite could be ascertained concerning the closing of the dispensary at that place. No mention has been made of the trouble in the Mayesville dispensary in anticipation that the facts would bave been obtainable before this time.

Just received, a fine assortment Window Shades, various grades and prices Bought at low prices, and will be sold correspondingly low. The J. D. Craig Furniture Co. Nov 4-2t



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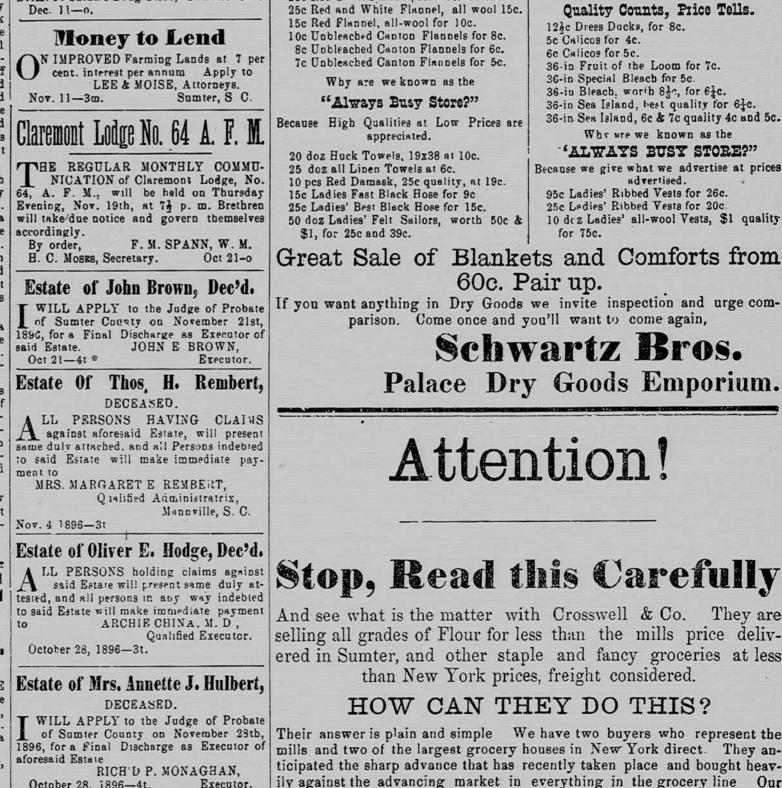
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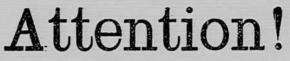


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60c. Pair up. If you want anything in Dry Goods we invite inspection and urge com-

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Their answer is plain and simple We have two buyers who represent the mills and two of the largest grocery houses in New York direct. They anticipated the sharp advance that has recently taken place and bought heavily against the advancing market in everything in the grocery line Our goods were bought in large lots for cash and in this way we save both the Inn name. quantity and CASH discount. If you trade with us you will surely save

money. So if you lose, it is your own fault, for we propose to give our customers the benefit of our special drives that cannot be duplicated elsewhere. We guarantee our goods and prices and assure buyers of prompt and courteous attention. Our terms are cash and all mail orders shall have special attention

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rooms of the Sumter Club Thursday night and do the rest. They keep the system in perfect in a moment the floor was covered with blazing order. oil. Mr. L. S. Carson picked up the lamp on Pianos, Organs and Sewing Machines sold the end of a billiard cue and threw it out of on easy terms, and exchanged for old ones a the window, and the burning oil was ezthe Sumter Music House, in Masonic Temple. tinguished before any damage was done. The accident created some excitement in the club A very large stock of Furriture, all grades and prices. Special prices on bed-room suits rooms, but it was all over so quick that no The J. D. Craig Furniture Co. Nov 4 - 2: alarm was given.

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Oct. 21.