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WEDNESDAY, MAY 19. 1897.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J Ryttenberg & Sons - At Last Wants-For Sale, Boarders Wanted H. Harby-Sewing Machines and Bicycles. The Sumter Dry Goods Co .- The Busy Corner. Retate of Mrs. Cynthia Hodge, deceased-

Executor's Notice.

ATTENTION.

In ordering your paper changed from one post office to another, always name both offices. Very often we know the post office at which a subscriber has been receiving the paper, but sometimes we do not; and when a request to change is dated and mailed at the new office and the former address is not named, it requires some guessing and searching through the mail list in order to find the name-it being necessary to take it off the former list as well as put it on the new.

The attention of subscribers of this paper is requested to the dates following their address on paper. The date indicates the time to which subscription is paid to. Sometimes errors occur in changing dates or in failare to change, in which case by calling attention thereto your date will be made right. But there are some dates that have not been changed for a considerable time and which need changing-the printer also needs the change necessary to make the change of date. Bills have been sent to some of the parties referred to, and those who responded promptly are hereby thanked There are some others that we are waiting on and hoping to thank very soon.

PERSONAL.

Maj Abs Levi, of Manning, is in the city Monday.

Mr. Wib. McLeod, of Lycchburg, was in the city Monday.

Mr. W. K. Crosswell, of Bishopville, speat and arrived in that city last night. The mem-Thursday to town. Mr J. N Brand, of Wilmington, spent lotte last night.

Sunday in the city.

Mr. J B Rian, of Wedgeleld, was in the city on business yesterday.

her sister, Miss Mag Graham Mr. Ly W. Dick has returned to Aiken greatly disappointed.

after a few days stay in the city Miss Fannie Davall, of Cheraw, is visiting

her sister, Miss'Beth Duvall.

Supt. H. B. Bloom, of the Sumter Water Company, has received notice from the head office in Philadelphia that a force of painters will be sent here during the month of June Mr. J. H. Madden died at his home on Liberty street at 1 o'clock Monday morning after to repaint the stand pipe, inside and outside. The interior will be thoroughly scraped and a brief illiness. Mr. Madden had heen a resident of Sumter since 1881 and was in the all iron rust removed before the painting is sixty-eighth year of his age. The fuceral commenced.

DEATHS.

lic church at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

J. H. Wilson, of Maysville. She is survived

MARRIED.

Mr Warren P. Dickson and Miss Cooper Darant were united in marriage on Wednes-

day afternoon, May 12th, at the residence of

Mrs. M. E. Durant, the bride's mother,

RELIGIOUS.

Ttere will be no grayer meeting in the

The usual Sunday service will he beld

Methodist Church Wednesday aftersoon, the

morning and evening, preaching by the pas-

sent from his charge in attendance on the

Baptist Convection in Pittsburg. There will

be no night service during Dr. Brown's ab-

Won the Case.

The United States Circuit Court of Appeals

the lower court was affirmed with costs.

Firemen Off For Charlotte.

bers of the two squads left for Char-

who go along to see the fun, will whoop

paster will be at District Conference.

Rev. James McDowell officiating.

by five sons and one daughter, all grown.

children

affliction.

services will be held at St. Lawrence's Catho-Mr. John Wolfe, who has until recently run the engine on the Sumter and Gibson passenger train and was then assigned to the Died in New Brooklyn, (Columbia,) S C., on May 14th, of pneumonia, Mr J. F. Wind-ham, formerly of Sumter Funeral services engine in the Sumter yard, is quite sick at Gibson. Engineer W. M. Cabin now has Mrs Emeline Capel had been found dead at by Rev. W. W. Daniel. Remains were

charge of the yard engine. shipped to Sumter, and buried at the Hoyt The promoters of Lee County, of which burial ground on Sunday. Mr. Windham Bishopville is to be the county seat, are comwas 38 years old and leaves a wife and four pleting their arrangements for the election which they believe will be ordered at an early date. The prospects for success are very en-The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. C L couraging and Lee county will meet with a Stubbe died last Wednesday night after an iliness of a week. The funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the resimore fortunate fate than did its predecessor, Salem county. It would be a good idea for the committee in charge of Lee county to dence. The many friends of the bereaved have a large map of the proposed county parents sympathize with them in their hour of made and file it in the Clerk of Court's office so that all persons interested may inspect it Mrs. Sallie E. Andrew, widow of Mr. G. and familiarize themselves with the boun-A. Andrew, died in Houston, Texas, on daries Unless this is done many who will April 25th. She was a daughter of the late be entitled to vote will not not know wheth-Robt B. Wilson, and the only sister of Col. ty. It would also conduce to the same end

if they would prepare and publish * concise statement of the lines and boundaries of the new county.

Sheriff Pierson returned Monday afternoon from Palatka, Fia, with Con modore Council, the murderer of Edmund Singleton. Council at first denied his identity, and claimed to know nothing of the crime of which he is guilty, but finally admitted that be was the Commodore Council wanted. He said that he had seen two men from Sumter, who recognized him, since hes been in Florida, and be knew that the white man was not mean enough to give him away, and the negro must have been the one to put the sheriff on his track. Conneil has had little to any about the crime, and it is difficult to predict what defeuse he will set up when he is brought to trial.

DRIVEN INSANE BY TERROR. Rev. E. Wells will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist Church while Dr. C. C. Brown is ab-

> A Sad Sequel to the Simon Cooper Murder.

Mrs. Jesse Baker, of the Lynchburg neigh borbood, has been declared insane, and was sent to the asylum Saturday. It will ne temembered that the Bakers were the next neighbors of the Wilson family who were has decided the case of the Union Casualty mardered by Simon Cooper, and they witand Surety Company. vs Cecile F. Schwerin nessed, from a distance, Cooper's fiendish acts. Cooper shot at both Mr. and Mrs. in favor of Mrs. Schwerin. The opinion of Baker, who were standing on their piszza, and terrified them exceedingly. Mrs. Baker has never recovered from the pervous condition into which she was thrown by the hor-The bose wagons, horses and drivers of rid tragedy, and has gradually lapsed into complete insanity. Recently her condition Monaghan and Deigar squads left for Charhas become such that there was no alternative lotte on the freight train Monday morning, be kept under proper restraint and receive the treatment that may possibly restorer he The Game Cock firemen and their friends, meotal health.

Mr Jesse Baker, whose wife is mentioned above as having been declared insane, and things up in Charlotte. Everybody will know that Sumter has representatives on the sent to Columbia for commitment to the Mrs W. D. Rice, of Denmark, is visiting ground, and even though the Sumter boys Asylum was brought to this city Monday, do not capture the prizes they will not be and after examination was sent to the Asylum. He is also violently insane and has

During the absence of the two squade the made sever i attempts to kill himself. city will not be without an ple protection The case is a peculiarly sau one, and against fire. Delgar Reel squad has put in a while some hope is entertained that time bold mountain spring could re developed in substitute team and wagon and s x men will and skillful treatment may restore their this level, long leaf pine region, even at any be on dury at the bouse every night. The minds, their conditon does not warrant the cost? The whole outfit necessary for drill-

TWO INQUESTS.

Coroner Moses Has a Busy Sabbath Day.

Coroner A. D Moses was notified Saturday night that George Green, colored, had been run over by a freight train at Elliotts and killed at 4 oclock that afternoon. Shortly afterwards he received another telegram conveying the information that her home near Spring Hill,

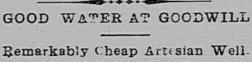
His work was cut out for him so he made his preparation and Sunday morning he made so early start for Elliotis. Arriving at Elliotts be proceeded at once to hold an icquest over the dead body of George Green. A number of witnesses were examined and the jury rendered the following verdict : "Said George Green came to his death from

being run over by some hox cars attached to engine No 75 on train No 21, Atlantic Coast Line, by carelessness on his own part. No b'sme attaches to any one but himself."

The facts elicited from the witnesses, were briefl , that Green was walking on the track in front of the cars which were being er they are within or without the new conn- switched from one track to another. Several persons called to him to get off the track, but he paid no attention to them, continuing to walk along abead of the approaching box cars until they were very close to him. Theo he started to get out of the way, but stumbled, falling across the rail, and the box cars passed across his hips. He lived several

hours, suffering the most borrible agony, and died at 6 30 o'clock. After the inquest at Elliotts Coroper Moses drove across the country to Spring Hill and

beld an inquest over Mrs. Capel She was found dead Saturday morning, and as no one was present at the tine of her death and she had not been sick previously, it was necessary to hold an icquest A post mortem examination disclosed satisfactory evidence that her death was due to organic heart disease The verdict of the jury was in eccordauce with the facts brought out by the p'est mortem



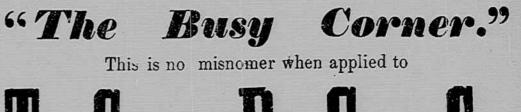
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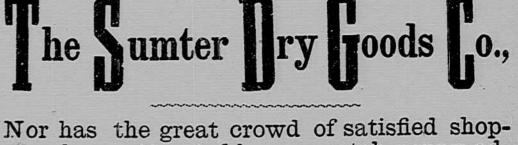
Special to The Daily Item.

Goodwill, P O, Sumter Co, May 15 .-The finest artesian well in the county and probably for its cost, in the State, was put down at Good will church (colored) yesterby Mr. Turner of Mayesville It flows 45 gallons per minute of fine drinking water, as clear as crystal, without any taste or smell of mineral. The water rises in a solid colume six inches above the two inch casing. Mr Turner's machinery was hauled to the place Thursday morning and it was 9 o'clock before he tegen boring Before night be bad 68 feet of casing in and the drill reached about 100 feet At 11 o'clock Friday the save to seed her to the asylum where she can drill had reached 195 feet and by 12 o'clock the machinery was all down and several thousand gallons of water was seeking the surface rout to old ocean.

Just think of it ! At a cost of \$24 and the labor of four hards one and one-half days, there is a flow of 45 gallons per minute What does this amount to ?-2.700 gallons per h ur; 64,800 gallons per day; 453,600 per week ; 23,587,250 per annum, and 64,-S00 more on wap years !

A few years ago who dreamed that such a





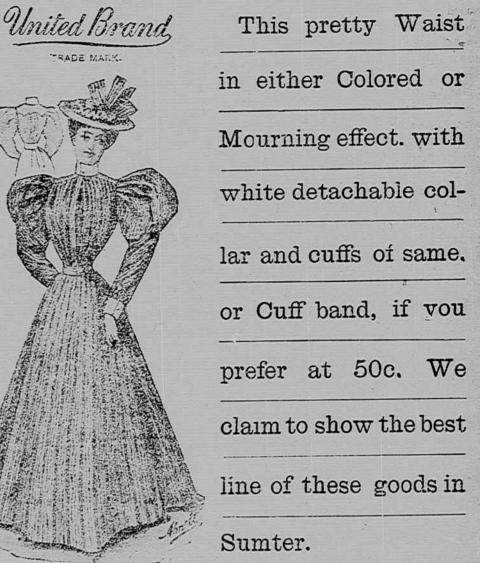
pers been attracted by any catch-penny advertising-we don't believe in it.

We have no goods worth \$1 per yard, but "being it is you" will be sold for 25c Neither can anyone else offer to perform these marvelous deeds of merchandising without deceiving you

As the season advances the beautiful things in White Goods grow in popularity, and to the sweet girl graduate, as well as to ber sister who will not graduate, we desire to say that our line in this department must be seen to be appreciated. Not only are the suit materials to be seen in great variety, but all of the accessories pertaining to a complete commencement outfit, such as Ribbons, Laces, Embroideries, Chiffons, Gloves, Mitts, Fans and fine Hosiery.

The season for laying your Mattings has arrived. Do you need any? We are showing a very good one for 11c. A cotton warp, reversible for 14c. or a jointless China, if you prefer at the same price. Large assortment of elegant Rugs, Art Equares, Window Shades, Lace Curtains, Tambour Swiss & Curtaining, Curtain Poles, Mosquito Canopies, Hammocks and House Furnishings of every description.

RADE MARK



Dr. and Mrs E. F. Darby, of Magnolia spent Friday and Saturday in the city. Col. J. G. Gibbes, of the Sicking Fond Commission, was in the city last week.

Friday afternoon, going via Charleston. Rev S. B Hillock attended the Dioce-

san Courcil which was in session in Anderson last week.

Mr. Kennie Anderson, of Stateburg, is in the city for a few days stay and is the guest of Mark Reynolds, Esq.

Miss Eva Nathans, after a pleasant visit to the family of Gen. E. W. Moise, has returned to her home in Charleston.

Mrs Ferd Levi returned home from Washington on Thursday last after several weeks stay with her parents in that city.

Mr and Mrs Charles E. Denniston left Monday afternoon for Washingtonville. N Y., where they will spend the summer.

Capt. A. C. Phelps left yesterday evening for Philadelphia to attend a meeting of geniral agents of the Penn Matual Life Insurance Company.

Hon. Altamont Moses, Col. D J. Acid, Mej. H. F. Wilson. Dr. H. M. S'uckey and Anderson to attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge K. of P.

Rev. C C. Brown left yesterday afternoon for Pitlsburg, Pa, where he will deliver an address on the work of the Baptist Publication Society before the Northern Baptist Convention. He will extend bis trip to Buffalo, N. Y., and Nisgara Falls, where he will spend several days.

a stay of several days in this city, has gone insurance order, with besdquesters in Baltito New York.

Dr. John H. Furman is visiting tis sister, side of his own State as a prominent secret Mrs Mary S Whitaker, the distinguished society man. writer of New Orleans. Mrs Whitaker's daughter, Miss Lily Whitaker, a leading educator of Louisians, has been invited by Dr. Curry of the Boston School of Oratory to take charge of the department of elequence nates L W. Folsom and F. B. Grier. Revs. at the Monteagle assembly next summer.

Brick are being hauled for the repairs to the Court Bonse.

The repairs on the Court House will be commenced as soon as the June term of court adiourns.

Mr. C G. Rowland's storage warehouse, near the A. C. L. freight depot, has been completed.

Chief of Police Bradford will be acting Chief of the Fire Department while Chief Bloom is in Charlotte.

Benlah Chapter, R. A. M., will meet on Thursday night. The Past Master and Most Excellent degrees will be cooferred.

Ber W. P. Hines, of Norfolk. Va., gifted both as a speaker and singer, will begin a meeting in the Baptist Church on May 30th.

A telegram was received from Charlotte yes-Delgar bose wagons and borses had arrived in | good condition.

R. O. Pordy, Esq , of this city has accepted an invitation to delivar the annual address artesian well on Gen. E. W. Moise's farm at the Columbia Female College during commencement week.

The machinery of the Peoples Ice Mfg, Co., is being installed and the present expectation and the flow is sufficient for all purposes. is that the plant will be in readiness to begin operations at th. end of this week.

Bayers of clothing can do themselves no better service than by a careful study of the advertising colugns of this paper. The bargins that are daily offered are ahead of any-

will be a sufficient number of firemen left in certain

the city to manage all of the reels in the Mr. M. G. Ryttenberg left for New York event of a fire. Chief Bloom has made every arrangement and taken every precaution to leave the department on an efficient footing to cope with any fire that may occur while the two squads are absent. There is no need for any useasiness, and there should be no objection to the firemen going to Charlotte. They have always performed their duty faithfully and promptly at all times and they are entitled to a vacation and an outing.

The dispensary catches its full share of the loose change that is floating around. The dull season has decreased the sales, but receipis averaging a bundred dollars a day cannot be considered a poor business.

with B. Barby as book keeper. Mr. Rhame Folk three times before Folk shot bim. is one of the most competent and efficient book keepers in the city and was for a putober of years with R. P. Monaghan.

The representatives of Game Cock Lodge, K. of P. left on the morning train for Anderson. There were a large number of Pythians, Mr. A. A. Strangs left on Monday for representing the Charleston lodges and lodges in the eastern section of the State, on the train en route to Anderson.

The Annual meeting of the Citizens Buildng and Loan Association will be held on Monday evening May 21th The meeting was advertised to be held on Saturday, but there was not a quorum present and in consequence iand's purchase at first, but nevertheless a postponement was unavoidable.

Mr E. I Reardon has been selected as "Deputy Supreme (ommander" of "The Mr. Kennie Anderson, of Stateburg, after Order of Colug,bus," a fraternal and life more. This is quite a compliment, and shows that Mr Reardon is well known out-

The district conference of Sumter District,

M. E. church, South, will meet in Kershaw omorrow morning and will be in session for several days. The delegates from this city are R. O. Purdy and F. A. Tradewell, alier-J. W. Daniel and T G. Hernert and Presiding Elder Clyde will aise attend.

The complaint is general from dispensers throughout the State that the State dispensary ships them brands of liquer that they do not order and for which they have ittle demand. The persistence with which this is done has China, H. M. Stuckey and C. W. King, memled some of the county dispensers to conclude | bers of the executive committee. that there must be a motive in it, and some advantage to those who have charge of filling the orders of the county dispensers.

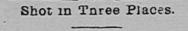
Writing paper 15 cents a pound at H. G. Osteen & Co's

The demand for corn is much greater now than it was last year, and the price is advancing daily. There is no trouble to sell corn, the only trouble is to get enough to supply the demand. The reduction of the corn screage last year is being felt, and it is very evident that the men who are buying corn are learning that it is not economy to terday morning saying that Monaghan and buy corn with cotton A big corn crop this year would mean more solid prosperity for Sumter County than a big crop of cotton.

Jackson and Arant have completed an near the brick yard that has a flow of fourteen gallons per minute. The well is only 110 feet deep, but the water is pure and clear They have also cleaned out the well at Ryttenberg's brick yard which has heretofore had a flow of between two and three ga lons per misute, and the flow was immediately increased to nearly fifteen gallons per minute. says: 'I have used Chamberlain's Colic,

They have been very successful in boring Cholem and Diarthous Remedy for ten years

band reels will te kept in readiness and there belief that their recovery is in any way



Magistrate W. H. Seales has heard from the man Williams who had the fracas with his constable, Mr. Folk, and by whom he was shot. Williams nade his escape at the time and it was not known, though it was thought, that he was wounded. Williams is said to be at the house of Stonewall Baliard, near Hagood, and wounded in three places-in the shoulder, thigh and leg. Williams sent word to Mr. Seal's that he is at Ballard's house and that it will "take a d-good man to take biru." Mr Seales says he will get him in a few days. The row between Williams and Mr Seales' constable began in the piazza of Mr E H Rhame has accepted a position Mr. Seales' house and Williams struck Mr.

The Best Remedy for Rheumatisn.

From the Fairbaven (N. Y.) Register. Mr James Rowland of this village, states that for twenty-five years his wife has been a sufferer from rheumatism. A tew nights ago she was in such pain that she was nearly crezy She sent Mr. Rowland for the doctor, but he had read of Chamberlain's Pain Baim acd instead of going for the physician be went to the store and secured a bottle of it. His wife did not approve of Mr. Rowapplied the Balm thoroughly and in an hour's time was able to go to sleep. She now applies it whenever she feels an ache or a pain and finds that it always gives relief He says that no medicine which she had used ever did her as much good: The 25 and 50 cents sizes for sale by Dr. A. J. China.

Medical Association Officers.

The Medical Association of Sumter County held the regular quarterly meeting in this city Friday. The usual number of members were present, and the session was devoted to the discussion of papers prepared by members and the transactica of routine business The annual election of a flicers was held.

Dr. F N. Dwight was made President; Dr. H. M. Stuckey, first vice president; Dr Clarendon Barion, second vice president; Dr. H. W. Cooper, Se retary and Treasurer, and Dr. Richard Forman, C P. Ostern, Archie

The subject selected for discussion at the next meeting was Cholers Infantum; discussion to be opened by Dr J. W Pringle. Dr. H. W. Cooper was appointed essayist.

The members of the Association dined to gether at the Jervey House after the adjournment of the busicess session, as customary, and the meeting was both pleasant and well attended.

It is the Best on Earth.

That is what Edwards & Parker, merch of Plains, Ga, say of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, for rheumatism, iame back, deep seated muscular pains. Sold by Dr. A. J. China.

Institute Alumnae.

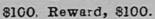
Members of the Alumnae Association desiring invitations can procure them from Miss Mary White.

The Westfield (Ind) News prints the following in regard to an old resident of that place: "Frank McAvoy, for many years in the employ of the L , N A. C. Ry. here,

ing such a well, even going one or two hundred feet deeper, can be bought for about \$75 The only cost for going deeper would be additional drill pipe fir Turner sava be has put down one well 525 feet with this outfit, with the addition of one hard to help work the lever which raises the drill.

la this section the depth of rasing necessary ranges from 50 feet to 120 feet, 60 to '80 feet being about the average.

This matter of good water at so little cost in an important one here where shallow wells have so much sufface water and deep ones are liable to be impregnated with mari, which underlies this whole section in beds ranging from 4 or 5 feet to 30 or 40 feet inick, about 30 or 40 feet below the surface E. W. D.



The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has teen able to core in all its stages, and that is Catarrh Hall's Catarrh Care is the only positive cure now known to the medicial fraternity. Catarib being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment Hall's Catarih Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the the blood and muccus surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength cuilding up the constitution and 65 assisting nature in doing its work The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for nov ense that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

AREDITORS OF JOSEPH COHEN WIL-/ SON, deceased, late of Sumter, South Garolins, are hereby notified to render an account of their demands, duiv attested, to the undersigned, the Administrators of his Estate : and persons indebted to him are noti-

THE SUMTER DRY GOODS COMPANY.

Regulators of prices for Sumter, S. C.



Sewing Machines.

As stated before, we are selling the justly celebrated New Home Sewing Machine. But we didn't bring them here to keep, and we wish every one to have a New Home, and we wish the machines to have New Homes also, so that everybody will be happy.



We are also selling a nice and varied line of bicycles, both ladies' and gents, and juveniles. Parties wishing to purchase will do well to examine our's as we try to make both prices and terms satisfactory. We are agents for

MONARCHS and IMPERIAL Bicycles.

Our present location is at Monaghan's store, Main Street.

