The Matchman and Southron,

C., as Second Class Matter.

Columbia.

Mr. J. K. Scott went to Camden Friday morning to spend the day. Officer T. P. Ward spent Friday in

Mr. J. E. Gervey, of Charleston has returned home, after spending a week with Mr. Sam Hopkins.

Mrs. Louis Lyons and children month in the mountains of North

Mr. T. B. Jenkins has returned home from Hendersonville, where he has been staying for some time.

Miss May Ball, of Charleston, is visiting Miss Frances Herbert on Church street.

Miss Rebe Anderson, of Georgetown, is the attractive guest of Mrs. Eugene Stansill on West Liberty street for a few days.

Mr. D. E. Tarbeville, of Turbeville, was a visitor to the city Friday.

Mr. S. M. Pringle returned Sunday morring after a delightful trip to Hendersonville, N. C.

Mr. C. S. McKagen, a former Sumter boy, and son, C. S. Jr., spent Thursday in the city with relatives, returning to his home at Camden Friday. Mr .McKagen has just recovered from an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. L. D. Jennings has gone to North Carolina through the country

Mr. W. B. Boyle has returned to the city after a stay at Glenn Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Moses, Jr., and children have gone to Virginia for a stay of some time.

Mr. D. L. Shaw, of St. Charles, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Louis Darr and sons, Zach and Horace, have returned home from a pleasant visit to friends in Florence. Miss Julia Gruber of Savannah, is

Mr. Sanders Ellis passed through the city Friday night en route to Florence, after a stay at Charleston a trip to Winnepeg, Canada, where and other points of interest.

Miss Annie Hughes, Mrs. Edwards and Mr. Hosea W. Woodward, of Bishopville, were in the city Saturday, coming over from that place in a car and returning after spending several hours in town.

: Little Miss Loulie Folsom has returned from a pleasant visit to relatives in Savannah.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Monroe, of Marion, are visiting Mrs. Monroe's mother, Mrs. Jessie Bradford.

Miss Agnes Williams, of Charleston, who has been the attractive guest of Mrs. E. P. DuRant during the past week, left Saturday for St. George, More she will be one of the guests True a house party.

Little Miss Hazel Epps, of Kingsfree, is visiting relatives in the city. Mrs. J. L. Nunnamaker has returnd to the city after a delightful visit to Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Epps of Kings-

Miss Annie Moran has gone to Spartanburg and Hendersonville to spend

the rest of the summer. Rev and Mrs. V. R. Gaston are visit- spend several weeks.

ing relatives in the city.

daughter have gone to Rock Hill to Green, has returned to her home. visit relatives.

Mrs. W. B. Costin, of Allen, S. C., the city Sunday, after a pleasant visit is spending a few days in the city with into the mountain regions of Western

Mr. and Mrs. John N. Jackson, after spending a few days with Mr. and a trip to Asheville, Atlanta and the

to their home near Elloree. have returned to the city after a few left Sunday for her home in Atlanta. play, ending quite a happy afternoon days visit to relatives at Clio, S. C. Miss Ila Mae Evans, of Rembert, is end at Hendersonville, N. C., where

Lemmon on Liberty Street.

Mr. Carl A. Witherspoon is back in the city after at ending the World's known as "Bob," came over from for the session of 1913-1914. Mr. Mc-Sunday School Convention at Zurich, Sumter Wednesday to spend the day Bride is a graduate of St. John's Swisterland. Mr. Witherspoon looks in his old home town .- Orangeburg College, a branch of the University of well and reports a fine trip.

Mrs. F. A. Wood left the city Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. T. L. Graham, N.C., to spend some time. Hodges and little child, Edward, for Augusta, Ga., and a few days at Wrightsville Beach, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bossard Britton Carolina. have gone to Fort Lawn to visit relatives for several days.

A party consisting of Messrs. G. E. Haynsworth, E. Carson, L. H. Deas, Barnes of Florence, are visiting their 1913-1914 will continue to serve as and Arthur Haynsworth left Saturday uncle, Mr. R. F. Haynsworth, on War- director of music, will be principal night for Hendersonville where they ren street.

will spend some time. Kate Furman and Mrs. Andrena live on a salary of \$12,000 a year. The public schools of the city will Moses have returned to the city after Wilmington Star.

TARIFF BILL DEBATE.

PASSAGE NOT TO COME BEFORE GOVERNMENT BUREAU REPORT MID-SEPTEMBER.

Majority Leaders of Senate Have Nation's Greatest Farm Product Has About Given Up Hope of Speedy Conclusion of Struggle-Republicans Have Some Chance of Making Trouble, They Claim.

Mr. J. K. Scott has been elected su- tions of an early passage of the Dem- from the great damage wrought by ter which he thought was deep at perintendent of the Williston School ocratic tariff bill by the senate have drought and other conditions since this point. Instead of being deep, at Williston, Fla., for which place he gone glimmering. Majority leaders July 1, it was estimated today by the however, it was only little over two will leave the first of September. Mr. realize that notwithstanding the fact government agricultural experts in feet deep and the boy was seriously Scott will have six teachers under that they have set a new record in their August crop report. A total pro- injured, his spinal column being afhim and his election as superintendent pushing consideration of this meas- duction of 2,672,000,000 bushels of fected. The whole body is reported ure only a beginning has been made corn was predicted. This is 452,000,- to be paralyzed from the waist down, and the earliest any one now will 000 bushels less than last year's crop. including one arm and side, and the promise completion of the task is Sep-

returned home after spending the finance committee said he thought 1. Kansas was hit hardest, the condithe senate would pass the bill by Au- tion there having been reduced from gust 30, there were some who thought 81 per cent in July to 30 on August 1. it might be possible, but that date is Oklahoma came next with a condition less than two weeks away and but of 44, against 87 in July, and Nefour schedules have been considered braska reported 67, against 91 July 1. and 36 paragraphs in these schedules These three States have almost 19 passed over for future consideration. per cent of the total area planted a handsome pointer belonging to Mr. Now even those who suggest Septem- in corn this year. ber 15 as the date for final action A bright spot in the monthly grain Street in front of the Toumey Hosare guided principally by hopes and report, however, was in the prelimi- pital by Officer H. G. McKagen. The do not scorn the view of others that nary statistics showing a production dog was supposed to be infected with it will be a later date before the final, of 511,000,000 bushels winter rabies and had bitten a number of vote.

Death.

the residence of its parents. The fun- ment in July. eral services were held from the residence to the cemetery at 9.30 o'clock Saturday morning.

Death.

Mr. Barwick was a native of Clarter the war, where he made his home for many years. He at one time was a large property holder in and around Sumter. Later he soid out his interests here and moved to Privateer, where he farmed until advancing age caused his retirement from active business affairs. He has been living at Pinewood for a number of years. his third wife surviving him. He also these new quarters within the week, torn off and carried to some distance, leaves a large number of children.

they attended the national convention of real estate Dealers.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Waterman left Sunday night for their new home in Baton Rogue, La.

Mr. J. K. Bradford, Jr., better known to his many Sumter friends as "Reb," is in the city visiting his father, Sheriff J. K. Bradford. "Reb" is working in Richmond, Va., where he made good and is now holding a responsible position.

Miss Lucy Johnson, of Manning, is visiting Mrs. J. H. Johnson on Broad

Elliott, where he went in behalf of night. the erection of a new school building.

Messrs. R. A. Burgess and Willie Bultman left Sunday night for a visit to New York city.

the city after a visit to relatives at Allen, S. C.

Mrs. M. Green and Miss Ethel Green have gone to Saluda, N. C., to

Miss Bertha Rich, of Blackville, Mrs. J. D. Braidford and little who has been visiting Miss Ethel

Mr. Lucian Ira Strauss returned to

North Carolina . Mr. Isaac Strauss left Sunday for

Mr. Horace Harby spent the weekthe attractive guest of Mrs. John D. Mrs. Harby is spending the summer

> Mr. I. Nelson Brunson, otherwise Sun .

Miss Minnie Chandler has gone to

Mr. S. M. McLeod is spending his vacation in the mountains of North

to Pawley's Island to spend some time. boys of the 3rd year High School. Misses Pauline Blunt and Evelyn Mr. L. C. Moise for the session of

1. 11 11 1 1 1 1 1 Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Belser, Miss Neither can a man who gets too gay School.

CORN CROP SHORT.

VERY DISCOURAGING.

be 300,000,000 Bushels Short.

Washington, Aug. 8 .-- All prediction's greatest farm crop, has resulted young Newman dived off into the wa-

placed at 75.8 per cent of a normal, is a brother of Mrs. S. M. Nabers of Ten days ago, when a member of compared with 86.9 per cent on July this city.

wheat. This is the greatest harvest dogs before it was shot. of wheat ever gathered in the United | The animal began its work at home States, exceeding the record crop of where it bit another dog belonging to The two-year-old daughter of Mr. 1902 by 19,000,000 bushels. Today's Mr. Moses. Leaving there it bit dogs, and Mrs. H. D. Beach, No. 11 Levi figures exceeded by 28,000,000 bush- wherever it met them on the streets Street, died early Friday morning at els; the estimate made by the depart- and is said in some places to have

creased estimate of 6 per cent., it sons were bitten by the dog. Steps are being 15,000,000 bushels more than being taken to find all of the dogs the july estimate, the total being which were bitten by the supposed placed at 233,000,000 bushels. Produc- mad dog to have them killed or kept L. Newton Barwick, a well known tion of all wheat is estimated at 744,- confined until it is ascertained whethcitizen of Pinewood, died at his home 000,000 bushels, a crop which would er they are infected. The head of the at that place Sunday night, after an place the year's production second dog was not sent to Columbia to be illness of several months, aged 78 only to the record crop of 1901, when examined, as it was shot up so badly,

The harvest of white potatoes, it is positive that it was mad. endon county, but came to Sumter af- estimated, will be smaller by 82,000, 000 bushels than the crop of 1912.

FIRMS OCCUPY SKYSCRAPER. er Club Takes Up Quarters on

Seventh Floor-Light on Roof.

gradualy being taken up by incomers, For the third time within three weeks The deceased was married three times, several of whom have moved into the roof of one of the brick kilns was Messrs. Purdy and Bland being the but this time the roof was in no way occupants report the fact that the which held it down were pulied loose. skyspyaper is decidedly cooler and .The frame of a large harn on Dr. the City National Bank, the owner of be continued. the property, which occupies the first floor; Sumter Insurance Agency, J. WILL TEACH BETHEL SCHOOL, F. Glenn, Harby Architectual Com-Company, Folley Lumber Company, Forrester Lumber Company, McNeal and McKnight and the John Clack

Realty Company.

For Miss Epps.

Miss Lois Ballough has returned to party Friday afternoon from four to first experiment of this kind in this six o'clock, given by her hostess, Lit- section of the State. tle Miss Meddie Mae Nunnamaker.

After a number of games were played all were invited into the spacious dining room which was beautifully decorated for the occasion in green and white, with a profusion of cut flowers, and were served a sweet course with ice cream. Each child was given a spool with a string tied to it and told to mind. This led them from room to room where the balls of cord had been passed around numerous articles of furniture and at the end of which, each child re-Mrs. C. W. McGrew, have returned West. He will be gone several weeks. ceived a package of choice candies as Miss Mildred Levy, who has been her reward. At six o'clock all left Mr. and Mrs. John D. Lemmon visiting hr uncle, Mr. Isaac Strauss, for "the green" to hear the band for the little ones.

Notes of City Schools.

Mr. C. A. McBride has been elected as principal of the Calhoun School Maryland and is well equipped in every way for the position to which he has been elected. He is a teacher of experience and maturity.

Mr. Merrimon, an honor graduate of the Citadel and last year Commandant of Orangeburg College, will be the commandant of cadets at the Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Moise have gone Calhoun school and teacher of the

> of the Hampton school, and will teach the girls of the 4th year High

HAZEL NEWMAN INJURED.

Brother of Mrs. S. M. Nabers of This City Hurt While in Swimming.

Hazel Newman, a son of Capt. C. H. Newman, of Florence, a former resi-Been Damaged by Drought-Will dent of Sumter, was seriously injured a few days ago while in swimming in a creeek near Florence. It seems that Washington, Aug. 8.-A loss of a number of boys went to the creek 300,000,000 bushels of corn, the na- expecting to go in swimming and that The general condition of corn was doctors give little hope. Mr. Newman

MAD DOG KILLED.

Handsome Pointer Belonging to W. G. Moses Supposed to Have Rabies.

Saturday morning about 8 o'clock W. G. Moses was killed on Calhoun

gone into the yards to get at the oth-Spring wheat, too, was given an in- er dogs. So far as known no per-748,000,000 bushels were produced. and those who saw the dog seemed

THIRD VISIT OF WIND.

Sumter Brick Works Suffers Damage in Same Place Three Times.

The Sumter Brick Works was sufferer for the third time this week The rooms in the skyscraper are from the depredations of the wind, latest comers to the new building. The damaged, except where the chains

that more refreshing breezes can be China's place, which was in course had there than in other places in the of erection, was blown down, but was city. Occupants of the skyscraper are afterwads righted so that work could

pany, Dr. Weinberg, Jackson Lumber S. D. Cain Elected Principal for Coming Year.

A matter of general interest in the county is the announcement some The Sumter Club has taken posses- time ago that Mr. S. D. Cain of Privsion of the seventh floor and the roof, ateer, a former county superintendent which they have furnished up in ex- of education, had been elected princi-Prof. W. K. Tate stopped over in cellent taste. A bright light has been pal of the Bethel school and was to the city Saturday evening for a couple placed on the roof, or above it rather, have charge of it during the coming of hours on his way to Columbia from and has attracted much attention at year. The Bethel School is a rural consolidated school and is one of the best in the county. Connected with it is a demonstration farm on which Little Miss Hazel Epps, of Kings- a number of variety corn and cotton tree, was the guest of honor at a tests are being made, this being the

A Birthday.

tained about thirty of her little that W. W. Long, State demonstrafriends at her beautiful home on tion agent of Clemson college, had Harby avenue yesterday afternoon in briefly mentioned the matter to them. honor, of her seventh birthday. Nu- None of these were sufficiently conmerous games were played out on the versant with the proposition to disspacious lawn until the happy crowd cuss it in detail with the farmers was called in to partake of a feast present at the conference, but a genof goodies from a table on which the eral idea of the scheme was given. py little "seven year old."

SUMTER COTTON MARKET.

Corrected Daily By Ernest Field Cotten Buyer,

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Toumey Trustees Take Over Sumter Hospital

Toumey Hospital Now Takes Place of Former Institution-Will Be Able to Care for Average of Six Charity Patients at Time From City of Sumter and Bell's Mill Plantation-No Changes at Present From Former Management-Plans to Make Additions in Future.

equipment to the trustees of the Toumey Hospital was completed, the transfer to take effect as of date August 1st, and the hospital will hereafter be known as the Toumey Hos-

and the good will of the old institu- the city of Sumter and to tenants uption. The consideration is \$20,000.

arangements for the management of the new institu- trustees to make considerable adtion were not completed, but for the ditions and improvements to the prespresent the old employees of the ent hospital building as soon as the Sumter Hospital will be in charge in necessary investigations can be made so far at least as applies to the su- and suitable plans prepared. The perintendent, housekeeper and corps members of the board of trustees will of nurses. Final arrangements will consider this matter during the next be made after the several members of few months and it is hoped that about the board shall have come back from January 1st, 1914, they will be able their summer vacations. A staff of to begin work on the new building. hpysicians and surgeons was selected There will be at that time available who shall have the care of the char- a fund of about \$30,000 to carry this

On August 5th the transfer of the this staff consisting of all the white Sumter Hospital building and its physicians and surgeons was selected

from the endowment fund, which can be applied to the maintenance of The property as transferred con- charity patients in the hospital, is essists of the lot at the southeast cor- timated at about \$6,000, which sum ner of Sumter and Calhoun streets, will probably maintain an average of fronting 144 feet on Calhoun street about eight or ten charity patients in and extending back to the line of the the hospital at a time. For the prescounty property, an average depth ent, however, it has been deemed wise of 220 feet, together with an ad- not to allow the number to exceed jacent lot on the east of 104 feet six or eight. The charity feature is fronting on Calhoun street purchased available to the poor and deserving from Dr. S. C. Baker, in all 248 citizens of the city of Sumter, and to feet frontage on Calhoun street, and the tenants residing on the Bell's the artificial stone building situated Mill Plantation. There seems to have on the lot with its entire furniture been a general idea that any citizen and equipment. In addition to this of Sumter county not able to pay hosthe directors of the Sumter Hospital pital charges would be admitted for turned over to the Toumey trustees treatment in the charity department, their complete training school or- but such were not the instructions laid ganization, which will greatly reduce down in the will of Mr. Toumey; the cost of operating the hospital, the charity only applies to residents of on the Bell's Mill plantation.

It is the intention of the board of ity patients admitted to the hospital, project into effect.

SCHOOL FARMS PROPOSED.

DEMONSTRATION WORK TO BE TRIED IN GREENVILLE.

Government Experts Expect to The only condition which the Five Selected Schools.

terest on the part of the rising generation of the rural districts in matters agricultural and to afford them as well as grown-up farmers of the county the great benefits of ocular demonstrations in the cultivation of winter cover crops-now conceded to be the geratest soil builder known and the salvation of deteriorating farms-a plan has been set on foot by government agents to establish in Greenville county, near five school houses, this number of five-acre or three-acre demonstration farms.

That such a scheme has been on foot in Grenville county for some time was not known to a great many people. At the farmers' conference, held at the plantation of John D. Harris on the Augusta road last Saturday, the matter was informally mentioned by J. B. Bruce, temporary chairman of the department of agriculture of the Chamber of Commerce, Miss Susie Marian Osteen enter- John D. Harris and others, who stated

attractive color scheme of green and It appears that the United States white was tastefully caried out. A department of agriculture, through its feature of the fun of the little folks co-operation with Clemson college, was the cutting of a "money cake" wishes to encourage the cultivation of which created much fun. Many beau- winter cover crops throughout Greentiful presents were presented the hap- ville county. It is presumed, however, that efforts will be made to but the plan in force throughout other counties of this and other States. Realizing that the planting of these new crops on any great scale must be brought by evolutionary rather than revolutionary methods, and that the proper place to begin such an evolutionary movement is among the rising generation now attending school rather than among the "old heads" of the farm, it has been decided to didate for president of the United establish these demonstration farms States on the prohibition ticket, will throughout the county, in conjunction be in Sumter on August 16th and with several of the schools.

farms should be established in Green- be announced later. ville county, adjacent to as many school houses, where ocular demonstrations in the cultivation of winter cover crops could be given by government experts during the school term | About twenty-three acres located ing of the cross. This demonstration continuation of Calhoun street. whole school community. Here farm- S. C .- Advt.

ter cover crops will grow on Greenville county soil, and how they will build up and conserve the arrength of the lands.

Place Experimental Farms Near establishment of one of these demonstration farms hinges, it is understood, is that the school desiring to Greenville, Aug. 5.-To promote in- have one of these farms shall set aside five or not less than three acres of land near the school house, whereupon the demonstrations will be made, The land, it is understood, is to be in the care of the trustees of that particular school, but the demonstrating will be done by the government agents

One prosperous school of the lower section-the W. A. Pepper high school -has already made application for one of the demonstration farms and has met the conditions attached to the offer. From the interest taken in the matter at the farmers' conference Saturday, the government will have no trouble in getting four other

LIGHTNING STRIKES HOTEL SUM-TER.

schools of the county to do'likewise.

Part of Chimney Knocked Off but Little Damage Done.

Thursday afternoon during the electric and rain storm which visited the city the Hotel Sumter was struck and damaged to a small extent. lightning stroke took effect in the chimney, part of the top of which was knocked down. Great quantities of soot and dust were thrown down the chimney and covered the floors of four rooms which were connected

No one was injured, but an occupant of one of the rooms, was greatly startled. Across the street the razor was knocked out of the hand of a barber, who was engaged in shaving a customer, much to the consternation of both the barber and the

WILL SPEAK IN SUMTER.

Former Prohibitionist Candidate for Presidency to Visit City.

Mr. Eugene W. Chafin, once a canwill make an address at the opera It has been decided that five such house on that night. The time will

FOR SALE.

and where the school children them- about one-half mile east of Sumter selves could take a hand in the plant- at northeast corner of Moses road and

farm will serve as a model for that Apply to Davis D. Moise, Sumter,