Anderson Intelligencer.

LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, JAN. 14, 1892.

If you have turned over a new leaf, keep it clean.

Burn out your chimneys during this wet weather.

Turnip greens are a luxury with our people just now.

Since the holidays local news has been as scarce as dollars.

On Wednesday morning cotton was quoted at from 5¾ to 6¾.

In January, 1845, cotton was worth 4½ to 5 cents in Charleston.

Drummers report business at a standstill all over the country.

Court convenes in Abbeville next Monday, Judge Hudson presiding.

Mrs. D. J. Simpson, of Toccoa, Ga., is in Anderson visiting her parents.

Every office in the County is to be filled this year except Judge of Probate.

The victims of the grip seem to be on the increase throughout this section.

School Commissioner Wardlaw made a business trip to Charleston last week.

Several handsome dwellings will be erected in the city in the early Spring.

Dr. P. A. Wilhite, after spending several weeks in Florida, has returned home.

Karl, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. White, died in Westminster on Tuesday, 5th inst.

Mr. A. W. Anderson, of Greenville, has been spending a day or two in the city on business.

The new postal cards are about one-third larger than the old ones, and are cheap looking.

Mr. Bolin Allen, of Lowndesville, gave the INTELLIGENCER a pleasant call Wednesday morning.

The firm of Mattison & Mattison, at Donalds, has made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors.

Bill collectors have been numerous since the 1st, and all of them report cold receptions and poor collections.

Our venerable townsman, Mr. J. B. Skelton, has been quite sick with the grip, but is now mending.

It seems that the business men generally all over the country will do a very light credit business this year.

The Anderson Cotton Mills continue to work day and night, and its goods are shipped as fast as manufactured.

On our first page this week we publish an interesting article about the cultivation of tobacco. Read it, farmers.

W. R. McAdams, Jr., one of Abbeville County's excellent young citizens, gave the INTELLIGENCER a pleasant call last Saturday.

During the year 1892 Anderson must make greater strides forward in the line of progress than she has ever done in any year past.

Messrs. G. W. Fant, J. M. Sullivan and C. W. Webb have been appointed by the City Council to serve as a Board of City Assessors this year.

Rev. E. S. Joyner, of Columbia has been called to the rectorship of Grace (Episcopal) Church of this city, but has declined to accept the call.

Mr. T. A. Archer has rented the room recently occupied by Mr. A. L. Welch's butcher shop, and will shortly open up a stock of tin ware, stoves, etc.

Anderson must have a telephone exchange. The Bell monopoly expires this year, and the cost of establishing exchanges will cost very little then.

The venerable Rev. J. B. Adger, D. D., of Pendleton, has been very ill for several weeks with bronchial pneumonia. We hope soon to hear of his recovery.

The free School term in Pendleton District No. 2 began on the 1st Monday in January. First grade teachers will draw $20 per month from the public funds.

Our old friend, Capt. B. F. Dickson, of the Fork, has gone down to Orangeburg, and will in the future make his home with his son, Rev. J. Walter Dickson.

The Y. M. C. A. meeting will be conducted next Sunday afternoon by Mr. Wm. R. Osborne. Subject: "Sure result of disobedience"—1st Kings 11: 1 to 14.

The County Board of Pensioners will meet next Monday, 18th inst., at 11 o'clock a. m. to receive new applications for pensions and to attend to other business.

Mr. Miles M. Hunter, of Pendleton, spent Tuesday in the city, and gave the INTELLIGENCER a call. He reported Pendleton very quiet but the grip very prevalent.

Miss Lizzie Williams, of the Ladies' Store, is reducing prices on all winter goods, and her customers would do well to call at once and see the bargains offered.

Married, on Wednesday, December 23, 1891, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. G. M. Rogers, Mr. W. T. Burriss and Miss J. L. Cann, all of Anderson County.

Married, on Thursday, December 24, 1891, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. G. M. Rogers, Mr. W. J. Hunter and Miss M. P. Walker, all of Anderson County.

Married, on Sunday, January 10, 1891, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. G. M. Rogers, Mr. J. H. Davenport and Miss S. O. Collins, all of Anderson County.

We are indebted to our friend, Paul Sharpe, of Nashville, Tenn., for late Nashville papers. The house that Mr. Sharpe is connected with was destroyed by fire a few nights ago.

If all the energy that will be spent on politics this year could be devoted to the advancement of the industrial interests of the country, what a grand sweep forward we would make.

Mr. John T. Gossett died at his home near Essley last Saturday morning. He was eighty-four years of age, and one of the most prominent and successful farmers of Pickens County.

On Wednesday night, 6th inst., a wreck occurred on the P. R. & W. C. R. R., near Augusta, and J. R. Walker, of Anderson, was among the passengers injured. No person was seriously hurt.

The stockholders of the Anderson Shoe Factory should not forget the annual meeting to be held next Tuesday night. It is important that every stockholder be be present or represented.

Jones, Seybt & Co. have a new advertisement in this paper. These gentlemen are cutting prices on winter goods, and just now are offering bargains in remnant carpets. Read what they say.

The second annual exhibition of the South Carolina Poultry and Pet Stock Association is being held in Columbia this week. Among the exhibitors is Mr. T. B. Lee, Jr., of Anderson County.

Married, at the residence of Mr. James M. Payne, in this city, on Thursday, December 31, 1891, by Rev. T. C. Ligon, Mr. C. L. Scott, of Hartwell, Ga., and Miss Agnes Crawford, of Anderson.

Married, on Sunday, January 3, 1892, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. P. N. Bell, in Abbeville County, by Rev. W. H. King, Mr. E. E. Henderson, of this city, and Miss Minnie Lee Bell, of Abbeville County.

Our clever old friend, Mr. Kenon Breazeale, was in the city last Friday for the first time since his accident last November. His friends were glad to greet him. We hope he will never have the misfortune of another accident.

Dr. Joseph Quattlebaum, father of our townsman, J. W. Quattlebaum, Esq., died at his home at Ridge Spring, S. C., on the 6th inst., aged seventy years. He was a most estimable Christian gentleman, and his friends in all parts of the State regretted to hear of his death.

On the 20th inst. the time expires in which you can make your returns to the City Clerk without the penalty. The Clerk may be found in the Council Chamber every day from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Make your returns before the 20th, thereby incurring no penalty for failure to do so. The collection of taxes begins on February 1st and continues [illegible] March

It would keep a man busy for eleven years, counting eight hours per day and 200 dollar pieces a minute, to count the silver money in the United States Treasury. Our Devil says he would undertake the job if "Uncle Sam" would agree to divide the pile with him.

Easly correspondent of the *State* says: "Mrs. Col. W. S. Pickens was stricken with paralysis a few days ago and her life is despaired of. The Colonel himself, who is one of the most prominent citizens of the upper part of Anderson County, is quite ill with the grip."

There will be a special meeting of Honea Path Alliance at Barker's Creek next Saturday, 16th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m. to elect delegates to the County Alliance on the 22nd inst., and to attend to other business of importance. The members are urged to atend promptly.

Rev. W. H. Ry. of Piedmont, has Brushy Creek and Williamston Townships and Grove Township, in Greenville County, as territory assigned him for the sale of Dr. T. A. Lofton's book, "Character Sketches." 40,000 copies of this book have already been sold by the publishers.

Augusta, Ga., is making extensive preparations to entertain her friends and visitors the last week of this month. It is her Carnival Week. The celebration begins on the 26th and continues through the 28th. Excursion tickets will be on sale at very low rates at all railroad stations, and a large crowd will no doubt visit the grand old city.

The County Alliance met in the Court House on Friday, 8th inst., but on account of the cold weather the meeting was not largely attended and no business of importance was transacted. The resignation of Mr. J. W. Bowdin as Secretary was accepted, and Mr. J. C. Watkins elected his successor. The body adjourned to meet again on Friday, 22nd inst.

An Anderson County man told his wife that other day that a friend would dine with them. "What in the world can I have for dinner?" she asked. Said he: "Why, you have plenty of sweet potatoes. Bake some potatoes, fry some potatoes, dress some potatoes, have some potato biscuits, make some potato pudding and cook some potato pies. If our friend is not satisfied with that variety he is hard to please.

A young farmer from the upper section of the County called in and subscribed for the INTELLIGENCER a few days ago. He said he intended getting married and go to housekeeping in a few weeks, and that the last time he visited his loved one, she named over a number of things they would have to get to begin housekeeping and the INTELLIGENCER was the first thing mentioned. Sensible girl. We venture she will make a most excellent wife.

Mrs. Mary A. Wright relict of the late W. C. Wright, and mother of our townsman, Mr. R. M. Wright died near Townville on Saturday, 9th inst. Mrs. Wright was about 81 years of age, and an excellent Christian woman, whose death is deeply deplored by numerous friends and relatives. She was a member of the Townville Baptist Church, and her remains were interred there on Sunday. The bereaved family have many sympathizers in their sorrow.

We are not in the habit of telling our subscribers publicly to pay what is due us; still we can hardly be expected in time of need, gently to remind them that like many other folks we need all the money due us. Your debt to us possibly amounts to very little when considered as an individual debt, but if you had full possession of all the facts you might be convinced that the small amounts due us, in the aggregate, is a big item. Please call and settle.

We ask the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the Williamston Female College. The Spring session will open on Monday, 25th inst. On Friday, 22nd inst., three young ladies will graduate from this excellent institution, and, in connection with that interesting event, Prof. E. B. Craighead, of Wofford College, will deliver an appropriate address in the College Chapel at 7 o'clock that evening. The friends of Christian education are respectfully invited to attend.

Easley *Messenger*: "Mr. C. T. Martin has returned from a two week's visit to his father, living near Seal, Ala. His brother, Mr. Jacob H. Martin, returned with him, and he may make this County his future home. Mr. Martin's father is William N. Martin, who will be remembered as a citizen of the Slabtown settlement in Anderson County thirty years back. Mr. Martin reports that there is not such a cry of hard times out in Alabama as there is in this country."

A few days ago, by some unknown means, the report became current that our genial friend, Col. Dick. Robinson, of Annie, was dead. Of course, this announcement brought sorrow to those of his friends who had heard it, and many kind words were uttered about him. On Tuesday the Colonel came to the city, and was as fat, jolly and healthful as ever. He said he knew the report was a falsehood as soon as he heard it; that he was not anxious to leave this world, and hoped he would not be forced to leave it for years to come.

While in Honea Path recently we visited the new dental office of our clever young friend, Dr. J. F. Wilson. It is on the second floor of the new building erected by Mr. R. M. Shirley, and is a model of convenience and comfort, and would be creditable to a large city. The Doctor is not only an expert in dentistry, but a most excellent gentleman in every respect. He needs a wife, and, but for his modesty, no doubt would secure one. As this is leap year, we suggest that some one of the fair sex approach him on the subject of matrimony.

Mr. Robert C. Smith died at his home in Burnett County, Texas, on Sunday, 3rd inst., after a short illness of typhoid fever. Mr. Smith was about 38 years of age, and was a son of Mr. Samuel D. Smith, who moved from Anderson County to Texas a number of years ago. A few years ago the deceased came back to this County and resided two years with his grandmother. He was a young man of many excellent traits of character, and has a host of friends and relatives in our midst who will receive the news of his death with sorrow.

Mr. Milton H. Deal died at his home in Honea Path last Saturday, after an illness of about ten days with pneumonia. Mr. Deal was in the 64th year of his age, and for a number of years was a resident of Anderson. For a long number of years he was an exemplary member of the Baptist Church, and goes down to his grave with the esteem and good will of his friends and acquaintances. He leaves a bereaved widow and two sons to cherish his memory. His remains were interred at Honea Path on Sunday, Rev. A. C. Stepp conducting the funeral services.

Married, on Wednesday evening, December 23, 1891, at the residence of the bride's father, W. P. Wright, by Rev. L. A. Lance, Mr. James F. Griffin and Miss Alpha E. Wright. The following were the attendants: Mr. J. Ed. Griffin and Miss L. Selma Wright, Mr. W. A. Breazeale and Miss May Griffin, Mr. M. M. Shirley and Miss Essie Clinkscales, Mr. Joe Parker and Miss Anna E. Grubbs. While Miss Rosa Tribble played a pretty wedding march, the attendants marched into the beautifully decorated parlor and took their positions. Then came the handsome groom and lovely bride, who stood under the "marriage bell" while the solemn ceremony that pronounced them husband and wife was performed. After the usual congratulations, the wedding party and guests were ushered into the spacious dining-room, where a most sumptuous feast was enjoyed by all. The happy couple received many useful and handsome presents, and start out on life's journey with bright prospects. The INTELLIGENCER joins their friends in wishing them all the happiness attainable in this life.

The Athens (Ga.) *Banner*, of Tuesday, says: "He had escaped from the South Carolina Penitentiary, but he will go back there in all human probability. Messrs. John and Arthur Arnold, of this city, learned the other day that a certain negro about twenty-one years old, and named Will Porter, had escaped from the South Carolina Penitentiary, and was in Georgia. A reward had also been offered for him. Now, the Messrs. Arnold had seen this boy around Athens for quite a while, but had supposed he had worked out his time. As soon as they learned he was an escaped convict they at once tracked him down, and yesterday ran across him near the Paper Mill bridge. They stopped him, talked pleasantly to him, and then Mr. Arthur Arnold laid his hand on him and told him his purpose. The negro shot away from him like a rocket. Several bullets were sent after him as he flew on down the road, and suddenly the negro keeled over. They thought they had killed him, but found he had simply exhausted himself in running and was ready to give up. Porter is now in jail and will be turned over to the proper authorities of South Carolina, when called for in the proper manner. Messrs. Arnold will get the reward for capturing the escaped convict." Porter, it will be remembered, was sent to the Penitentiary from this city for shooting his wife and escaped several months ago.

The average man usually finds himself at sea when he undertakes a description of a lady's dress. An old farmer, returning from the wedding of a niece in a distant city, was eagerly questioned by his family as to the bride's costume. "Well," said he, "she had on some kind of a dress, with a lot of flub-dubbery of some sort or 'nother down the front of it, and a thing-a-ma-jig on the back of it, with a long tail of some stuff—I don't know what it was—dragging out behind, and a lot of flip flap flounces over the whole thing. There wasn't no arms to it, and she had a lot of white truck, soft and floppy-like, on her head, and that's just all I know about;" all of which must have been very unsatisfactory to the ladies of his household.

An exchange says January is so called from Janus, a Roman deity supposed to be the gate-keeper of Heaven. He was always figured with two faces one looking back and the other forward. One face is old and wrinkled, emblematic of time past, the other round and smooth, the type of time present and future. The German-speaking countries formerly called January Lauw-maand or "Frosty month;" the old Saxons called it Wulfmonath, because wolves were very troublesome at that time on account of scarcity of food. With the introduction of Christianity into Britain came a change of the name of January, which for 400 years thereafter was called After-Youla, meaning "after Christmas." With the opening of the Tenth Century the Saxon name for January was again changed, the new name being Fermamonath or "first month." In the French Republican calendar it was called Nivose.

Last Monday a sad and fatal accident occurred in Corner Township, the victim being Mr. Joseph Watt, one of the oldest citizens of that section. On the day mentioned Mr. Watt left his home to walk over to the home of his niece, who lived near by. He was quite feeble, and not having returned home in due time, search was instituted for him and he was found dead in a gully not far from his niece's home. It is presumed, in attempting to cross the gully, he fell in and was drowned, as a good flow of water was running through the gully at the time. Trial Justice Scudday held an inquest over the remains on Tuesday and the verdict was in accordance with these facts, we are informed. Mr. Watt was about 80 years of age and lived with a widowed sister, he being a bachelor. He was familiarly known as "Little Joe" Watt, and was one of the most upright, inoffensive citizens of Anderson County. He was highly esteemed by his friends and acquaintances, and this announcement of his death will be read with sorrow by them.

Anderson County has lost another good citizen in the death of Dr. John Wilson, which occurred at his home in Williamston on Tuesday, 5th inst. Dr. Wilson was a native of Laurens County, but in his young manhood he graduated from the South Carolina Medical College, and soon thereafter settled at Honea Path to practice his profession. From there he moved to Williamston, where he has ever since resided. Until old age and bad health caused him to abandon the practice of medicine, he was one of the most prominent physicians in the County. He was a man of good, sound practical judgment, and in every relation of life discharged his duties fearlessly and faithfully. He was well known throughout this section, and had served this County three terms in the Legislature. He served through the Mexican war in the Palmetto Regiment under Col. Pierce Butler, and was a gallant soldier. He had long been a most zealous member of the Presbyterian Church, and in his latter years was an elder of his Church. He was truly a Christian, and was ever willing and ready to comfort the suffering and assist the needy. He had the confidence of his fellow-man, and by his kind, gentle disposition made a friend of every acquaintance. He has gone to his eternal home to reap the rewards of a well spent life. Dr. Wilson was twice married. He leaves a widow and four children to mourn his death, and in their bereavement they have many sympathizers. Dr. Wilson had been in feeble health for two or three years. Two weeks preceding his death he was attacked with a severe cold, which terminated in pneumonia, causing his death. His remains were laid to rest in the Big Creek Churchyard, near Williamston, after appropriate funeral services conducted by his pastor, Rev. C. L. Stewart.

Townville Items.

Mr. Pick Harbin, of Waxahachie, Texas, is visiting relatives and friends here and in Oconee. Mr. Harbin emigrated from here, where he made a good record as a teacher, to Texas twenty-one years ago, and this is his first visit to his native heath. His old friends will be glad to know that time has dealt gently with him and that he is prospering.

Our farmers have sowed more wheat than they did last year. They will make more home-made manure and raise less cotton.

Mrs. Ertzberger, of Franklin County, Georgia, is visiting relatives here and throughout the Fork.

The school here in charge of Mr. Rice is having great success. The enrollment has nearly reached a hundred, and the attendance is exceptionally good. Miss Kate Holleman has charge of the Primary department.

Miss McClain is teaching acceptably a school at Tugaloo.

Mr. Baylis Bagwell has bought land between Seneca and Walhalla and removed there.

New Hope Items.

With the exception of bad colds, the health of our community is good.

Mr. J. R. Jackson, who has been confined to his room with the measles, is able to be out again.

A certain bachelor of this section visited his best girl recently and his horse slipped the bridle and left him. He would not stay all night, but hitched himself to the buggy and trotted home. He says he has the worst luck trying to get him a wife of any other man in the State. This was the second time his horse had gone off and left him while he was on a courting visit.

We are sorry to note that Mr. W. L. Glenn has moved from our midst to Hart County, Ga., where he will make his future home. South Carolina loses a good citizen and Georgia gains one. We wish Mr. Glenn and his family much happiness and prosperity in their new home.

We are glad to see the face of one of our playmates again after so long an absence from his native County. William is looking as if Arkansas was agreeing with him.

Misses Emma and Bertha and Mr. J. O. Chamblee spent last week in Hart County, Ga., visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Grier and son, of Fort Worth, Texas, are visiting relatives and friends in this section.

Mr. R. T. Chamblee and daughter, Miss Mallie, are very ill at present with la grippe.

We hope our farmers, in making their new year resolutions, will resolve to stop planting so much cotton and make more corn, meat, etc. If this is done, better times will dawn upon us.

Our pastor, Rev. Mr. Crout, will preach his first sermon at this place on the next fourth Sunday, at 11 o'clock a. m.

MAM.

Attention, Baptists!

The Union Meeting of the Third Union will meet at Salem on Saturday before the fifth Lord's Day in January.

PROGRAMME.

1. Introductory Sermon 11 a. m., by Rev. O. M. Martin.
2. After intermission, organization, election of Moderator and Secretary for the year, and miscellaneous business.
3. First question: "The importance of knowing what the Bible teaches and how to find it out." To be opened by Revs. L. M. Ayer and W. B. Hawkins.
4. Second question: "How can we best develop a more general interest in Missions?" To be opened by Rev. W. M. Pinson and Prof. J. M. Hamlin.
5. Missionary Sermon on Sunday by Rev. H. M. Allen.

The Sunday School Union will meet at Salem on Sunday morning at 9 o'clock.

PROGRAMME.

1. Organization, election of Superintendent and a Secretary for the year, and miscellaneous business.
2. Written reports from the schools, stating the number of scholars enrolled, numbers of officers and teachers, and average attendance.
3. Reading the International Lesson for the day by the Superintendent.
4. General discussion of the lesson, to be opened by Prof. J. B. Patrick and Hon. E. B. Murray.

The Sunday School Union will occupy the whole of the forenoon. After intermission, the Missionary Sermon and closing exercises of the Union Meeting.

It is hoped that all the Churches will send representatives, and that the delegates will come prepared to remain for the closing exercises of the Union Meeting on Sunday afternoon.

A. A. DEAN,
JOHN ESKEW,
Committee.

The weakness and debility which result from illness may be speedily overcome by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This is a safe, but powerful tonic, assists digestion, regulates the liver and kidneys, and cleanses the blood of all germs of disease.

Tribute of Respect.

Whereas, The messenger of death has been among us and has left a bitter token of his visit. An honored brother has gone to rest. On the 13th day of October, 1891, our worthy brother, Zachariah Taylor Hardeman, was stricken down in the prime of manhood. Brother Hardeman was born in Oglethorpe County, Ga., on the 5th day of May, 1851. He was a man of large heart and generous nature, of firm but kind disposition. His friendship was strong and enduring, and among the young men under his charge in the mill no man had more or truer friends. He was a good man, and always interested in the public welfare, and especially in the cause of religion and masonry. His services were always at command in any good work, and in his social and domestic relations his life was one of great usefulness. In the various places in the Lodge which he had been called upon to fill he filled with credit to himself and honor to the fraternity. Our brother was greatly beloved and honored, and his memory will be long preserved and cherished by his brethren. The craft, though stricken with grief, yet find in the sublime symbols of our order, which he himself so often portrayed in his every day life, the beams of consolation bursting forth from the dark clouds that envelop them. They know that though the dust has returned to the earth as it was, yet the spirit has returned to the God who gave it. Our brother is not dead but sleepeth, and he and we will hereafter meet in that celestial Lodge, of which this earthly one is but a type. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons bow with profound sorrow at the bereavement sustained in the death of its worthy brother, Z. T. Hardeman, and has lost one of its most useful and honored members.

Resolved, That it extends its sympathy to his family in their deep afflictions and tender to them this loving tribute to his memory. Faithful, honest and just, he has a bright spot in our remembrance.

Resolved, That a page in our records be inscribed to his memory, and that a copy of this preamble and these resolutions be sent to his family, and to the Greenville and Anderson papers for publication.

Fraternally submitted,
WM. F. LEE,
W. G. HUMPHREYS,
S. F. TROWBRIDGE,
Committee.

Obituary.

Fell asleep, November 25th, 1891, at Pendleton, S. C., of congestion of the lungs, Willie Eliza, only child of E. and L. Terrie, aged 8 months and 12 days. God in His Allwise Providence has seen fit to take the little one He lent us for a few short months. Little Willie, who made our hearts and homes happy, has left us. How we miss the many endearings ways and bright smiles she gave us, and though we will never see her in this life again, we know she is happy and free from pain in the life beyond, and "safe in the arms of Jesus" for eternity.

— The average size of an American farm is 610 acres.

— There are one hundred and sixty-nine Confederate flags in the collection of war relics at Washington.

— The cost per family of food in the United States is $243.65 a year against $222.52 in Europe.

— Kentucky is boasting of seven one-pound ears of corn growing on one stalk. The great question now is their yield in quarts and pints.

— The entire population of the town of Buttsville, Warren county, N. J., are said to be down with the grip, there not being a well person in the town.

— The use of the bridal veil originated in the custom of performing the nuptial ceremony under a square piece of cloth held between the bride and bridegroom to conceal the blushes of the former.

— In Vienna there is a club of rich men pledged to marry poor girls. If a member marries a rich girl he is fined $2,000, the money being presented to some worthy impecunious couple engaged to be married.

— Damon Stewart, of Chicago, claims that he has a wonderful liquid which, when taken internally, will turn the skin of the blackest negro as white as that of a pure-blooded Caucasian. He says that it has been tried in Chicago with complete success.

— There was almost as much betting in Washington on the race for Speakership as there is on an ordinary horse race. The largest winner was W. T. Blackwell of North Carolina, who is reported to have won $10,000 in sums from $500 on down.

— The Rev. J. Addison Smith, of Baltimore, says that after careful examination it has been discovered that there are 30,000,000 persons in this country who never darken a church door. Of these 600,000 are in Chicago and 850,000 in New York. Last year it has been estimated that there were 90,000 young men in this country who have died without being prepared. In Baltimore there are 347,000 persons who never go to the church

— A snake moves by means of the ribs and the scales on the abdomen to which each rib is attached by a set of short muscles. These scales take hold of the surface over which the serpent may be passing, and in that manner aid the creature to glide, often very rapidly, around the trunks of trees and along the smaller branches. Some species climb trees with wonderful agility, gliding up the straight trunks with as much ease as if they were moving along on the level ground.

— A few days ago at Buena Vista, Ark., James Brooks fired two bullets in the head of Frank Robinson, his father-in law. The bullets made four holes, from each of which the brain oozed out. The shooting occurred a week ago and Robinson still lives, his physicians are confident of his recovery. He is resting easy and talks as intelligently as he did before the shooting. The row was the result of a family feud. Brooks is in jail awaiting the result of his father-in-law's injuries.

— The Masonic *Chronicle* of London, Eng., says: Rev. H. M. Wharton has received a Masonic apron from South Carolina, which he is to present to the Master of the Lodge at Jerusalem, the birthplace of Masonry. Some time ago the Jerusalem Lodge sent a gavel, made of olive wood, to the South Carolina Masons, who now send the apron in return. The square and compasses and the all-seeing eye, are stamped in gold on the apron.

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For Sleeplessness, Nervousness and Heartfailure take Lemon Elixir.
For Fevers, Chills and Debility, take Lemon Elixir.
Ladies, for natural and thorough organic regulation, take Lemon Elixir.
Dr. Mozley's Lemon Elixir will not fail you in any of the above named diseases, all of which arise from a torpid liver, stomach, kidneys or bowels.
Prepared only by Dr. H. Mozley, Atlanta, Ga. 50c. and $1 bottles at druggists.

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Cures all Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Pneumonia, Hemorrhage and all throat and lung diseases.
An elegant and reliable preparation.
Twenty-five cents at druggists. Prepared only by Dr. H. Mozley, Atlanta, Ga.

The best anodyne and expectorant for the cure of colds and coughs and all throat, lung, and bronchial troubles, is, undoubtedly, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Ask your druggist for it, and, at the same time, for Ayer's Almanac, which is free to all.

Ask your Grocer for White Rose Leaf Lard and Buffalo Hams. tf

To Sportsmen.

It is certainly a pleasing privilege to inspect the superb line of Breech and Muzzle Loading Shot Guns, and other fire-arms now being offered by the Sullivan Hardware Company. They are certainly up with all the modern improvements in this line of goods, and notwithstanding the additional tariff duties recently imposed upon all imported fire-arms, their prices are remarkably low. This firm has taken out a license for the sale of pistols and pistol cartridges, and are giving special attention to the selection of these goods. Their stock of ammunition will astonish you.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
[illegible] she cried for Castoria,
When she had C[illegible]

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Gents' All Wool Underwear from $1.00 to $5.00 per Suit.

Fine line of Umbrellas, something nice for a Christmas Present.

Our entire Stock must be sold.

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P. S.---All Accounts must be Settled at once.

Special CLOTHING Sale!

BOYS' SUITS REDUCED IN PRICE.

MEN'S SUITS REDUCED IN PRICE.

OVERCOATS REDUCED IN PRICE.

PANTS REDUCED IN PRICE.

COME, if you want Clothing. A Big Stock we must close out before Christmas. These prices mean business—we are going to sell and SAVE YOU MONEY: Think of it—

Nice Boys' Suits from $1.25 up.
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Don't pay big prices at other places, but come to us.

Shoes, Shoes! Shoes!

Douglass Shoes, best in the World.
Shoes for Children.
Shoes for Grown People.
Shoes for Everybody.

WE HAVE A BIG STOCK OF

GOOD SOLID SHOES.

Children's Shoes from 25c. up.
Ladies' Good Solid Button Shoes only $1.00.
We have thousands of Shoes, and mean to sell. Come, see for yourselves.

From now until Christmas is the time to buy Shoes cheap at

C. F. JONES & CO.

CARPET Remnants!

We have just received a big lot of

All Wool Carpet Remnants.

ALL PRETTY PATTERNS,

WHICH WE ARE SELLING CHEAP,

AS WELL AS

ALL OTHER GOODS.

We will begin taking stock soon, and we are very anxious to close out all the Winter Goods before then that we can possibly dispose of.

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DURING THE NEXT 60 DAYS

We will sell our Entire Stock of

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At Prices to correspond with the Low Price of Cotton and the scarcity of Money.

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Occupying Both Stores,

UNDER MASONIC TEMPLE,

ANDERSON, S. C.

Two Fine Farms for Sale

THE undersigned will sell at public outcry in front of the Court House in the City of Anderson, on Salesday in February next, the following described Tracts of Land, viz:

That most excellent Farm, well known as "Tip Top," situated on the edge of the Town of Pendleton, containing one hundred and nineteen (119) acres, more or less, 90 acres of which are in cultivation. There are 30 acres of fine bottom land and 60 acres of upland, and 30 acres of fresh pasture, and 20 acres well set in Bermuda grass. One mile of new wire fencing has just been put up. The place has a good two-story dwelling house with seven rooms, and kitchen attached, three tenant houses, new cattle barn, horse barn, crib, spring-house and a splendid well of water.

Also, the "VanWyck Tract," in front of Mrs. Holmes' residence, on Greenville road, in Town of Pendleton, containing twenty-nine and six-tenths (29 6-10) acres more or less. Three acres are in cultivation and balance in good pine timber suitable for cord wood. The Land lies well.

Terms of Sale—One-half cash, and balance within twelve months, to be secured by mortgage of premises. Purchasers to pay for necessary papers.

MILES M. HUNTER, Trustee.

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STUART'S GIN — AND — BUCHU!

THE great specific for all Kidney, Bladder and Urinary Troubles: Being a true tonic it also relieves Debility, General Lassitude, Nervousness, Loss of Appetite, Rheumatic Pains, Lame Back, etc., etc.

Read the Testimonials and be convinced.

Atlanta, Ga.—I take pleasure in certifying that STUART'S GIN AND BUCHU has made a cure of me. I find it the best kidney remedy I have ever used.

P. W. MERRETT.

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J. J. McCANTS,
Representative Taylor Co., Ga.

W. A. Culver, West End, says:

"I have given STUART'S GIN AND BUCHU a thorough trial, and consider it the grandest kidney, urinary and stomach remedy in the world."

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

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BELTON, S. C.

J. T. SMITH, Principal.
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RATES OF TUITION.

Primary Department—Spelling, Reading, Writing and Oral Arithmetic on Chart, $1.00 a month.

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Incidental expenses for each pupil, 10c. a month.

Pupils prepared for the higher classes in College.

Board obtained in the best families at reasonable rates.

For additional information address the Principal.

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COLLINS' BOOK STORE — AND — ART STUDIO!

I WISH to say to my friends that I have just received a beautiful line of—

CHRISTMAS GOODS

Such as Dressing Cases, Jewelry Cases, Manicure Sets, Photograph Albums, Pictures and Picture Frames, and Books of all descriptions. Call and see, and be convinced that I have the finest line in town at the lowest prices. I am

Still in the Photograph Business

And doing finer work than ever.

Respectfully,
J. H. COLLINS.

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SOMETHING NEW

FOR THE LAUNDRY

WHAT is it? Well, they have adopted a new system of Washing, and that is the "Pound System." This is the fairest way of washing that has ever been offered to the people. The prices we offer to families in our "Pound System" any one can afford to pay; in fact, in our opinion it is the thing we have been wanting. Here are our prices: We will rough dry your clothes at 3½c. per pound. We will wash and iron or finish all plain clothes at 5c. per lb. We will finish all starched goods at 10c. per lb. The above prices are when we take family work through and through. These are the lowest prices that have ever been offered by a Laundry. Try it and be convinced. Stop the wagon as it passes and give us your work.

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Supt. and Treas. Anderson Steam Laundry.
W. W. HUMPHREYS, President.

Notice of Final Settlement

THE undersigned, Executors of the Will and Testament of Robert Parker, deceased, and also by order of Court charged with the settlement of the Estate of Mrs. Mary Parker, deceased, hereby give notice that they will apply to the Judge of Probate for Anderson County, on the eighteenth day of January, 1892, for Final Settlement of said Estates and discharge from their duties and trusts of the same.

NEWTON W. PARKER,
R. E. PARKER,
Executors.

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DO NOT DELAY,

As delays are dangerous. I am still in the Insurance Business. Call on me and have your property insured before it is too late, and your house and furniture is in ashes.

Assets represented $12,760,890.

A. B. TOWERS,
Insurance Agent.

LAW CARD.

I AM now prepared to give prompt special attention to all Law business intrusted to my care as an Attorney Counsellor at Law, not being otherwise engaged.

COLUMBUS WARDLAW.

JOHN K. HOOD

ATTORNEY AT LAW

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