

**AROUND ABOUT TOWN**  
LOCAL PARAGRAPHS PICKED UP  
HERE, THERE AND EVERYWHERE

Mr. J. S. Thompson has returned from Saluda, N. C.

J. B. Richardson spent Sunday in Florence with relatives.

C. S. Dwight has returned from a week's stay with relatives in Columbia.

Miss Maud McDonald has returned from a visit to relatives in Columbia.

Ice Cream Supper at the Presbyterian Church Monday.

Dr. Heeler left Monday for relatives in Lawrenceville, Va.

Mr. Simeon Gibson, of Gibson, N. C., spent Monday with his son, J. B. Gibson, Esq.

Mrs. C. T. O'Ferral left last week for Richmond where she will spend some time with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeanie Baskins, of Timmons ville, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. D. Hargrove Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Willis are expected to return this week from a month's stay with relatives in Virginia.

Dr. C. R. Taber has returned from the hospital at Fayetteville where he had a small operation performed.

Thad. Hayes, of the A. C. L., with head quarters at Florence, is spending the week with his father, Mr. R. R. Hayes.

Mr. W. H. Hardin, Jr., of Chester, is spending a while with his father-in-law, Mr. R. P. Hamer, near Little Rock.

Isadore Blum, Morris Fass, W. L. Bethea and Wm. Brick have returned from their trip to Baltimore and New York.

M. R. Hamer, secretary to the faculty at Converse College, Spartanburg, has been spending a few days in this section with relatives.

Mr. W. S. Ivey took his eldest son, Douglass, down to Charleston Saturday to have his eyes treated by Dr. Parker, the well-known specialist.

An Ice Cream Supper will be given by the Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church Thursday night, Sept. 2nd. The public is cordially invited.

Blake McIntyre who has been connected with the Dillon Auto Garage left last week for Bennettsville where he has taken a position with another auto repair shop.

J. H. Ellen, a former Dillonite who is prospering in the hardware business at the thriving town of Bishopville, is spending the week with friends and relatives in this section.

Mrs. T. S. Richbourg and Master Lesesne left Saturday for a stay at Jackson Springs. Miss Marvin Lesesne left that afternoon for Kingstree to spend a while with relatives.

Sheriff W. E. Blue, Dr. D. F. Miles and Henry Mullins, Esq., of Marion, were here Monday on business connected with the appraisal of the property on Main street for the use of the railroad.

Capt. E. H. Carmichael, one of the most popular conductors on the A. C. L., whose run is between Savannah and Jacksonville, is spending the week with his mother, Mrs. Agnes Carmichael.

The new county surveying party returned to Dillon Monday afternoon and spent the night at the Price Court Inn. They left early next morning for some point in the upper end of the county.

Capt. and Mrs. R. L. Carmichael, who are visiting the latter's parents at Rowland, were in town for a short while Monday morning. Capt. and Mrs. Carmichael will leave in a few days for Ft. Moultrie to which place Capt. Carmichael has been assigned.

The opening attraction at Dillon Opera House will be "14 College Girls." This is the highest priced attraction ever in Dillon and deserves the patronage of all play lovers. Lyceum tickets will be good. Prices in order to cover the large guarantee will be 50cts. 75cts \$1.00.

B. H. Atkinson, of Latta, was in town Friday demonstrating a "Brush" runabout for which he is agent in this county. His advertisement appears in another

# "IT"

"14 COLLEGE GIRLS."  
OPERA HOUSE

## Sept. 21.

Prices 50-75-1.00

Lyceum Tickets Good.

column and if you contemplate the purchase of a machine it will pay you to read his ad.

Mr. G. R. Little has resigned his position as bookkeeper at the Dillon Wholesale Grocery to accept a similar position with J. L. Minnaugh & Co. at Columbia. During his stay here he made many friends who will regret to see him leave, but who wish him an abundance of prosperity in his new home.

Messrs. W. C. Tolar and Paul Wellington who have been operating saw mills under the firm name of Tolar & Wellington have dissolved co-partnership. Mr. Wellington having disposed of his interest in the firm to Mr. Tolar. Mr. Wellington will take a position with Mr. Tolar and continue to live here, much to the delight of his friends.

Miss Lillian Peterkin, who has been teaching at Mt. Calvary across New Bridge, closed her school last Friday with a picnic which was greatly enjoyed by the children, the patrons of the school and a few of her Dillon friends. Those who attended from here were Miss Leona Sellers, Mrs. A. B. Jordan, Troy and Eddie Peterkin and A. B. Jr., and Jord. Jordan.

Business has loosened up, money has begun to circulate freely again and we hope those of our subscribers still in arrears will not forget us when they begin to settle their accounts. We have been lenient with our readers on account of the scarcity of money and now we hope they will return the kindness by paying up their dues. We do not need money ourselves but the fellow we owe does.

Dr. A. G. Buckner, who succeeds Rev. J. A. Wilson as pastor of the Dillon Presbyterian church, will move to Dillon from Clio about the middle of the present month. Dr. Buckner and family will occupy the Presbyterian Manse. In addition to the Dillon church Dr. Buckner will serve Pee Dee and Kentyre churches. Dr. Buckner will receive a very cordial welcome to Dillon where he has many sincere friends and warm admirers.

The Herald is not at liberty to say anything definite at the present time, but it has found out from a reliable source that another railroad will soon be projected toward Dillon. We can't say where it is coming from or what direction it will take after leaving Dillon but there is a movement on foot, backed by strong men to bring another road through here and The Herald may have something interesting to say about it in the near future.

Mr. H. McRea has returned from Hot Springs, Ark., where he has been taking treatment for rheumatism. He was greatly benefited by the trip. Mr. McRae traveled through the cotton belt on his return home and he says the crops in Alabama, Mississippi, Georgia and Louisiana are very poor and that he sees no reason why cotton should not sell at a high price this fall. In many places, says Mr. McRae, cotton was not six inches high and was almost destitute of fruit.

Now is the time for merchants who contemplate a campaign of advertising this fall to select their spaces before the choicest places in the paper are taken. The abundant yield of cotton in this section promises a record-breaking cash trade this fall and the merchant who does not get his share during the next four months will be left out in the cold. Newspaper readers are learning every day that the merchant who has goods to sell is not afraid to advertise them and if you want your share of trade you must use printer's ink freely to get it.

Work on the new railroad is be-

ing pushed as rapidly as could be expected and the rail has been laid as far as Gallavon. The force lays on an average of half a mile of rail each day and at this rate they should reach Dillon by the middle of the month. They are shipping cotton from some points between here and Clio now and as fast as the track is laid cars are pushed out to the terminus and loaded with the fleecy staple. All cotton shipped this way is billed out from Clio. The railroad officials say they will be operating through passenger and freight trains on regular schedule by the 20th. of September.

### Hot After the Tigers.

Mayor Hargrove has been dishing out justice to the blind tigers in great big chunks during the past few days. Warrants were issued for 15 dealers in the "oh, be joyful" last week and several convictions have been secured. Jewitt McColl, Simeon Page and Bob Allen were convicted in the Mayor's court last week and each was given the alternative of paying \$200 or serving 60 days on the farm. The trio decided to try the days, but after serving a short while they decided to "come across" with the coin and they were released from custody. There were several other minor convictions for violations of the liquor laws, and each of the defendants paid their fines.

Dr. L. R. Craig entertained a few friends at a "Dutch Supper" Tuesday evening from 9 till 11. A delightful meat and salad course was served and at the conclusion of the repast cigars were passed around and the guests discussed a variety of subjects while they enjoyed the aroma of the fragrant Havana. When the guests entered the dining room and were assigned to their seats each plate contained a pretty carnation and the host announced that the guest holding the longest of the carnations would be expected to make a speech. The honor fell to Mayor Hargrove who announced that he would defer his speech-making until the guests had enjoyed themselves awhile. Those present were: Drs. J. P. Ewing, Wade Stackhouse and Joe Cabell Davis. Messrs. Wm. Murchison, W. C. Tolar, N. B. Hargrove, E. R. Hamer, E. L. Moore and A. B. Jordan.

### How a Monkey Pleaded.

In Barbados the monkeys frequently injure the sugar cane. As a general thing, however, they are inoffensive creatures and the average planter regards them with good-natured tolerance. Once in a while however, they commit a little too much damage on the growing cane, and an example has to be made of one poor culprit by shooting a member of any particular troop of monkeys that may be found near the scene of destruction. Exposing the dead body as a warning is usually sufficient, and the cane is no longer attacked.

On one occasion great damage had been perpetrated, and the planter—Clarence Agard, now residing on St. Lucy, Barbados—went out with his gun, to act as executioner. He succeeded in isolating one stray simian in a tree that was detached from all adjacent shrubbery. The poor animal, realizing that it was trapped, rushed up to the topmost branch, and then looked in the most appealing manner at the man below. The latter finally raised his gun, and was on the point of pressing the trigger while the monkey suddenly took a little infantile replica of itself from its back and held it out in the most supplicating way conceivable.

The planter, who is fond of animals, had his heart quite touched, and he promptly lowered his gun. A companion, however, in his endeavor to see what else the poor simian would do raised his gun and apparently once more its life was in danger. Then ensued a most striking exhibition of animal reasoning. The monkey at once grasped the fact that her first claim for consideration had apparently failed, and the only reason her intelligence could suggest for the failure was that the infant simian was not regarded as her own genuine offspring.

What was to be done? How could she convince these two human brutes that she really was a sad and distressed mother? A happy thought occurred to her. She plucked a leaf from the tree, held it close to her breast till a few drops of milk exuded. Then she dropped the leaf, and again held her baby to the gaze of the astounded men below. Needless to say, she escaped with her life.

The Dillon Herald \$1.50 a year.

# THE BEST

In Merchandise that the Fall season has to offer, we will show you at the lowest prices in

Dress Goods and Silks, White Goods and Wash Fabrics. Linings and Domestic, Ladies and Misses Cloaks and Suits. Mens and Boys Clothing, Hats, Shoes and Shirts, Hosiery, Underwear and Gloves. Embroidery, Fancy Notions and Laces,

## MILLINERY.

We are receiving daily large shipments of Millinery Goods and with an unlimited supply of goods and the services of two experienced Milliners we will be in a position to supply your every want in this line.

## LADIES COAT SUITS.

We have bought and to arrive in the next few days an immense stock of Ladies Coat Suits, all the newest styles made from the latest weaves, in up-to-date dress goods. See them before you buy.

WE represent Taylor Mfg. Co. and will pay top of the market for Cotton Seed and a liberal exchange on Meal. Don't fail to give us a chance at your Seed, our weigher will always be glad to smile at you and give you every pound of your seed.

# L. C. Braddy Company.

## PHOTOS.

For old or young, good looking or ugly, rich or poor. Work promptly executed. Satisfaction guaranteed.

R. B. McLean.

Next door to Post office.

## CHICAGO ...PRESSING CLUB...

CLEANING AND REPAIRING.

### RATES:

4 Suits per month, - - -	\$1.00
1 Suit pressing, - - -	.50
1 Suit cleaning, - - -	.75
1 pr. Pants pressing, - - -	.25
1 pr. Pants cleaning, - - -	.35
1 Coat pressing, - - -	.35
1 Coat cleaning, - - -	.50

Monthly Club rates in advance. Clothes called for and delivered to Club members.

JOHN H. BETHEA, PROPRIETOR DILLON, S. C.



## ASHCRAFT'S Condition Powders

A high-class remedy for horses and mules in poor condition and in need of a tonic. Builds solid muscle and fat; cleanses the system, thereby producing a smooth, glossy coat of hair. Packed in doses, 25c. box. Sold by BRUNSON'S DRUG STORE

## School Opens Sept. 13th.

Having paid particular attention to the line of school supplies for several years we know just what the school children need. Our stock this year is complete than ever and we handle everything in the line of school supplies. We buy in larger quantities than the dealer who makes school supplies only a "sideline" and can offer a better selection at lower prices. We carry a full line of school books and always have on hand a complete assortment of

- Pencil Tablets.
- Pencils and Pens.
- Ink Tablets and Ink.
- Crayons and Chalk.
- Pencil Boxes.
- Lunch Baskets.
- Book Sacks.
- Spelling Blanks.

And everything else usually found in a first-class Book Store. We carry the largest line of stationery in Marion county.

## Herald Book and Stationery Co.

Opposite Passenger Depot.