

Personal Mention. —Mr. Alf. Hays, of Greenwood, is in the city. —Mr. H. M. Graham, of Greenwood, is in the city. —Mr. W. G. Smith spent last Monday in Augusta. —Mrs. E. R. Walter is visiting relatives in the city. —Miss Annie Bruce is visiting relatives at Williston. —Supervisor J. B. Kearse was in the city Tuesday. —Mr. P. M. Kearse, of Kearse, was in the city yesterday. —Mr. T. D. Jones, of Ehrhardt, was in the city last Saturday. —Mr. A. D. Neal, of Branchville, was in the city last Friday. —Mr. Conrad Ehrhardt, of Ehrhardt, was in the city this week. —Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. H. F. Spann spent Tuesday in Augusta. —Mr. H. F. Priest, of Clear Pond, spent last Friday in the city. —Mrs. J. P. Matheny will return from Asheville, N. C., this afternoon. —Mr. A. C. Reynolds is on a visit to Rising Sun, Md., his old home. —Mr. J. Gordon Brabham, of Buford's Bridge, spent Friday in the city. —Mr. R. Bellinger, Esq., left yesterday for a trip to Abbeville and Union. —Mr. T. A. Green, of Spartanburg, was in the city for several days this week. —Capt. S. J. McCaughy, of Newberry, was in the city for a few days this week. —Miss Leila Black left yesterday for Walterboro, where she will teach in the graded school. —Miss Nell Evans, who is teaching at Denmark, spent last Saturday and Sunday in the city. —Mrs. M. M. Roach moved last week to Charleston, to live with her daughter, Miss Florence Roach. —Miss Dell Cleckley, of Cape, and Miss Ethel Rice, of Denmark, visited at Gen. F. M. Bamberg's this week. —Mrs. Laura Livingstone and daughters, who have been visiting relatives in Orangeburg, are at home again. —Miss Hattie Kittrell left last Saturday for Orangeburg, where she will accept a position in Kohn's millinery store. —Mr. N. R. Hays, now of Buckhorn, Fla., is on a visit to his father's family. His many friends here are delighted to shake his hand again. —Miss Louise Hooper, who has been spending her holiday at the Cape House, returned to Orangeburg Tuesday, much to the regret of her host of friends. Large line lamps, 25c. up, at Brooker's. Mr. J. B. Rice has rented out his house, and now resides in one formerly occupied by Mrs. Roach. Col. F. W. McMaster, a prominent citizen of Columbia, died last Sunday, near Asheville, N. C. New stock, swell line, up-to-date children's, boys', and men's clothing at Spann's. Eighty dealers in tobacco and cigars in Atlanta have been indicted for selling cigarettes to minors. Call and see Byrd's handsome new stock. It costs you nothing, and it is a pleasure to show goods. I have a few pair thoroughbred Berkshire pigs for sale. Apply to G. B. Clayton Ehrhardt, S. C. We return thanks to Miss George Emma Jordan for a box of delicious grapes, which were highly enjoyed by all the force. 10 and 12-piece chamber sets from \$2.50 to \$12.50. Lovely goods. Don't fail to see them. At Brooker's. It seems that Gov. McWeney and staff with several companies of State militia, will go to New York to attend the Dewey celebration. A big line of boys and children's shoes at A. Rice's. An appreciative subscriber writes us as follows: "I am better pleased with THE HERALD than ever before. I would not be without it for anything." Best Simpson's calico at 4c. yard, at J. A. Spann's. It might be these days, but the weather does not keep in and paying up. There is room for others. Beautiful line decorated parlor lamps, from \$1 to \$6.50, at Brooker's.

Huggins keeps what you want. Miss Pearl Counts's private school opened today. Percival remnants 4c cents to 8c cents per yard, at A. Rice's. The postoffice at Rantowles, in Colleton county, has been discontinued. The "Julia Marlowe" shoe—beautiful and well fitting—at J. A. Spann's. Bamberg continues to pay the highest prices for all grades of cotton. Try our market. Big line of trunks and valises, at A. Rice's. There was a large crowd in town last Saturday, and our merchants did a big business. Full line of men's, ladies', and boys' shoes at Spann's. All styles and prices. The one-half of the other lives isn't made up of women. Ladies lose 10 cents a pair or 3 for 25 cents, seamless and fast black, at A. Rice's. The cotton crop is being gathered very rapidly in this county, and a short crop will be made. The best line of shoes in town—anything from a kid infant's shoe to a shoe for old ladies, at J. A. Spann's. The farmers are busy getting out their cotton, and have no time just now for anything else. Ladies shoes 75 cents to \$3.00 per pair, at A. Rice's. The Carlisle Fitting School and the Bamberg Graded School open next Monday morning. Big line men's work shirts at 15c. to 35c., at J. A. Spann's. Every one should whoop up tobacco. This is the crop for our farmers to get out of debt on. Beautiful line of porcelain and china dinner sets at Brooker's. Prices low. Magistrate LaFitte sent three white tramps to the chain-gang yesterday afternoon, for vagrancy. Hats at the hatter's, J. A. Spann. WANTED—To buy cotton seed, at highest market price. Wagon scales at depot. HAYCOCK LEAVES. Men's suits \$3.00 up, at A. Rice's. Farmers, hold your cotton. The latest government report says the Texas crop is hopelessly short. That means a rise in price. It is too late for favorable seasons to do Texas cotton any good. Best cigars in the city at Huggins's. Lights by electricity. The excursion for colored people, run by J. A. Nimmans and John Roost to-day, carried a large crowd to Augusta this morning. Separate coaches were provided for their white friends, and many people took advantage of the cheap rate. Dress silks 35, 50, 65, and 75 cents per yard, at A. Rice's. Our merchants have received large shipments of goods for the fall and winter trade. All lines are coming in full, and notwithstanding short crops, a big business will be done. Look in THE HERALD and see in our advertising columns who wants you to trade with them. A nice cooking stove with ware for \$8.50 at Brooker's. Higher priced ones if you want 'em. The Bamberg Debating Society met last Tuesday night in the court house, and discussed the question of compulsory education. The meeting next Tuesday night will be in the office of J. P. Matheny, Esq. An interesting subject will be discussed, and a large attendance is looked for. Waist silks in 4 1/2 yds. pieces, from 40c. to \$2 per yard, at J. A. Spann's. We call attention once more to our rate respecting tributes of respect and obituaries. Remember, we charge one cent a word for them. Count your words and note the cost when notice is sent in. We are compelled to strictly enforce this rule to prevent our columns being filled with matter that is of interest to only a few. Farmers see Brooker for cane mills before buying. Ben Lofton escaped from the chain-gang last Saturday. He had escaped several times previously, and the guards put shackles on him, but as the shackles hurt his ankles, Supervisor Kearse took them off. In reward for this kindness Ben took advantage of the first opportunity to get away. He went to Norway, and induced a Mr. Phillips to pay his fine. We understand that Guard Hughes went to Norway Tuesday and received the fine, so the county now has no claim on Ben's person. Fine dress goods a specialty. Latest novelties. Call and see 'em. J. A. Spann. The Cotton Market. J. D. Quattlebaum last spring, and made many friends. Mrs. Langford, wife of Dr. A. F. Langford, died at her home in Prosperity, on Monday, 4th instant, after an illness of nearly three months, and during which time she was patient sufferer. Her age was about 65 years. Besides her husband she leaves several sons and daughters and grandchildren. Her remains were followed to the grave on Tuesday afternoon by a large concourse of sympathizing friends. —Newberry Observer. Mrs. Langford was the mother of Mrs. J. D. Quattlebaum, whose many friends here sympathize with her in this sad bereavement. Take Notice. Bills are being sent out to our subscribers this week, and we want every one who receives a bill to send us the money due at once. Don't delay, as we must have the money due us in order to publish a good paper. We don't want to lose a single subscriber, but we cannot afford to send the paper on credit, and those who do not pay will have their names stricken from our list. The amounts owing are all small, but in the aggregate they amount to a great deal, and it will help us materially if every one will pay up promptly. We want to add a lot of new material to our office, and it takes money to buy those things. A Hint to Live Merchants. The public has a great deal to remember and its memory is mighty short. It needs to be constantly reminded of your business. And the man who knew and bought of you yesterday may be dead to-morrow. Meanwhile a youngster who never heard of you is making his first purchase to-day. Don't depend on past prosperity, but keep your business before the public by advertising, if you wish to keep in the procession of live merchants. We sell five bars dandy soap for ten cents. The New Store. Farmers, have you seen that "new colar" that G. Frank Bamberg has? It fits in the "bottom." See?

Blind Tiger Caught. Prince Reed, an old negro, who ought to know better, was before Mayor Inglis last Monday morning to answer to the charge of running a blind tiger. His guilt was clearly proven, and the old fellow pleaded guilty. He was fined ten dollars, which some of his friends paid. He will now have to answer to the State and United States authorities for the same charge. It is hoped, on account of his age, that further proceedings against him will be stopped, if he will mend his ways. Constable McFarland worked up the case against him. A Model Ginnyery. We had the pleasure a few days ago of inspecting Col. J. F. Folk's new ginnyery, which opened up for business last Saturday. His gins have been steadily running since that time and lots of the fleecy staple has been ginned and packed. The outfit consists of a fifty horse power engine, three of the Daniel Pratt Co.'s latest and most improved gins (being the pneumatic system complete), a square bale press, and the Lowry round bale press. The cotton is not handled at all, being unloaded from the wagon by a suction pipe and carried direct to the gins. After it is ginned, the cotton is carried direct to the press by the same system of pipes. There is also a large cotton room, where parties can store cotton during a rush. This room has the pneumatic pipe running from it to the gin, so there is no handling of seed cotton at all, which is a saving of much time and labor. The gins have seventy sows each, and a man can drive his cotton under the suction pipe, and by the time it is unloaded he can drive his wagon around to the other side and get his bale of cotton and seed, as the cotton is distributed automatically to all three gins. This makes it possible for customers to be served much quicker, and as the capacity of the outfit is thirty-five to forty bales per day, one does not have to wait long. Takes Another Man's Wife. A few weeks ago a man named Kennedy came to Bamberg, selling lightning rods, being employed by a Mr. Etheredge. He stopped at the Cape House for several days, and told parties here that he had been stricken with typhoid fever while at North. From there he had gone to Columbia, and had boarded with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Price, and that Mrs. Price had been very kind in nursing him while sick. Mr. Price formerly lived at Bamberg, and has relatives here, being a brother of Mr. E. B. Price. About a week after Kennedy's arrival, Mr. and Mrs. Price, with their little son, came here to live, the reason for their coming being that Mr. Price had been promised a position. They went to board with Mr. M. B. Varn. Mrs. Price was agent for some silverware concern, and she and Kennedy traveled around the country several days together, in a buggy, he selling lightning rods, and she silverware. Last Friday night Kennedy drove up to Mr. Varn's and carried Mrs. Price and her little son to the depot, sent the horse and buggy (which was the property of Mr. Etheredge), back to Jones Bros.' stable by a negro, and they all left on the 8:20 train, going toward Augusta. He stated, before going away that there was nothing criminal in his relations with the woman, but that they were going to some point and open a grocery store. That Mrs. Price would furnish the money and he was going to clerk for her, and that he was doing this because her husband had taken his life when he was dangerously ill. Her father has created quite a sensation here, and much sympathy for the unfortunate woman and her family. A Session Expected. On Sept. 12.—Talk of a session of Congress has been revived recently, but Senator McLaurin of South Carolina, who was seen by the Post reporter, as he was leaving the White House to-day, does not believe there is any foundation for the rumors. "I do not expect any extra session," said he. "Nothing has come from an official source which would in any way indicate that the President contemplates such action." Senator McLaurin says, however, that Congress, when it does meet, ought to get to work as promptly as possible, because it will have an unusual number of important questions to consider. "If the war in the Philippines is still in progress," said he, "we will have to provide means for its prompt conclusion, and if it has ended we will have the future disposition of the islands to discuss. The people of my State are very much divided on the policy of the Administration regarding the islands, but the general consensus of opinion is that, as we have got into the situation, we have got to stay. We cannot afford to retreat now. Whatever may have been the propriety of getting into the Philippine war we must see it settled with honor to our country, and if we continue it will be a political issue, but if it ends I doubt whether the question of the permanent retention of the islands will figure so largely in the next campaign. The trouble with all of us is that we lack information. I confess that is the great trouble with me. "If our people are not talking much now about silver," added Senator McLaurin, "it is because we regard the position of the Democratic party on that matter as settled. The financial plank of the Chicago platform will be reaffirmed at the next National Convention, and South Carolina will send a Bryan delegation to the Convention. There is no opposition to him in the State." Don't you want to "strike"? If so, get one dozen boxes parlor matches for four cents at The New Store.

The Bamberg Graded School. To the People of Bamberg School District.—Having been suggested by you and appointed by the County Board of Education to control the public schools of this district, I take pleasure in stating that we have engaged the services of a corps of teachers eminently fitted to discharge the duties of the respective positions to which they have been assigned. Through the kindness of Gen. Bamberg in loaning us the money, and the liberality of Col. Counts in selling us the property at a very low figure, we have been enabled to secure titles to the building formerly used by the Bamberg Classical Institute, and the free school for white children will open there next Monday morning at 9 o'clock. Necessary repairs and improvements in the building and on the grounds have been made, or will be made within a few days, all the old school furniture contained in the building has been overhauled and repaired, and new desks for sixty additional pupils have been ordered and will probably arrive before the opening of the school. Great care has been exercised in establishing the grades so as to form easy steps from the lowest primary class to the college course, the successful completion of the eighth grade being sufficient to enter a pupil into the Freshman class of any college in the State. Only nine grades will be taught, thus advancing pupils to the college Sophomore class. Pupils desiring more advanced instruction can make arrangements with the teachers to take private lessons outside of regular school hours. It is the object of teachers and trustees to make this a graded school in every sense of the word, so they have decided to drop high sounding names and let it be known simply as the Bamberg Graded School—a school for the children of Bamberg school district, where the rich and the poor will receive equal attention, and where Baptist, Methodist, Presbyterian, nor any other denomination shall be known one above the other. The outlook, aside from lack of sufficient funds, is most encouraging, and we earnestly solicit the support and encouragement of every true citizen of Bamberg in making the school what it should be. Arrangements for the colored schools will be made in the near future. H. C. FOLK, J. R. BELLINGER, G. A. RICE, Trustees. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures dyspepsia because its ingredients are such that it can't help doing so. "The public can rely upon it as a master remedy for all disorders arising from imperfect digestion." James M. Thomas, M. D., in American Journal of Health, N. Y.—Bamberg Pharmacy. Buford's Bridge Breezes. The ball given at Kearse's school house on the night of the 8th instant was largely attended and very much enjoyed. The ball party was dressed in the latest styles, both ladies and gentlemen, and the house was decorated with about twenty-five of the prettiest girls I ever saw. Music was furnished by the Allendale band, and the committee carried out the program very nicely. Every one who speaks of it compliments the good people of that section, and I agree with them. I should have stated in my last week's article the result of the game of ball between Kearse and Olar, which resulted in a tie. They will try it over again next Friday at Olar. Messrs. H. M. Goethe and Roy Murdaugh went down to Hampton this week. Rev. E. O. Watson, of Orangeburg, and Principal W. E. Willis, of the Carlisle Fitting School, will deliver addresses at Mizpah Methodist Church on the third Monday. The subject will be education, which our community is very much in need of. Messrs. C. F. and Joe J. Brabham visited Barnwell this week. Little Miss Bessie Armstrong, of Bamberg, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. L. Kirkland. Mr. B. J. Brabham, of Barnwell, was here this week. Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Kirkland, of the Colston section, visited our community this week. Miss Kate Kirkland, of Millettville, is visiting in our neighborhood, the guest of her brother, Mr. H. C. Kirkland. B. J. G. "Our baby was sick for a month with severe cough and catarrhal fever. Although we tried many remedies she kept getting worse until we used One Minute Cough Cure—it relieved at once and cured her in a few days."—B. L. Nance, Prin. High School, Bluffdale, Texas.—Bamberg Pharmacy. Happenings in the Country. Messrs. Monnie Varn and Henry Beard, of Colston, were visitors in the vicinity Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Smoak were at the bed side Sunday of their father, Mr. William Bessinger, who is still sick. A very pleasant evening was passed at the home of Mr. P. W. Sander Friday. It was a sociable get-together to the young friends of Miss Anna, preparatory to her leaving for college. A large crowd was present. We regret very much to report the death of Mr. James Zeigler, of Clear Pond. His remains were laid to rest at Bethesda last Wednesday. He was just of age, leaves a young wife and little daughter to mourn his loss. To her and the bereaved parents we extend our sincerest sympathy. Protracted services at Springtown Saturday and Sunday; dinner on the grounds, both days. "DeWitt's Little Blue Pills did me more good than all blood medicines and other pills," writes Geo. H. Jacobs, of Thompson, Conn. Prompt, pleasant, never fails—cures constipation, cures the torpid liver, cures the bowels, cures the head, cures the brain and a healthy appetite.—Bamberg Pharmacy.

Frankie's Birthday. 'Tis your birthday, my precious, my darling. Or would be if you were on earth; I know it must still be your birthday. As these earthly roses I twine, Their love may be perfect, pure and complete. But never more perfect than mine. Are you glad in their gladness, my darling? Or are you sad in the brightness of heaven? In thinking of home and of me. Oh, how I long for your presence, Oh! my glorified darling most precious, Of all the sweet gifts that were mine, I have lent you—not lost you my darling, Only lent to the love that's divine. MOTHER. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure thoroughly digests its food without aid of the stomach, and at the same time heals and restores the diseased digestive organs. It is the only remedy that does both of these things, and can be relied upon to permanently cure dyspepsia.—Bamberg Pharmacy. Card of Thanks. EDITOR BAMBERG HERALD:—Please allow me space in your columns to extend my sincere thanks to all of my neighbors and friends for the many kindnesses tendered during my wife's last illness. They were very highly appreciated, and will ever be remembered. May the Lord reward them abundantly for their exceedingly kind services. Respectfully, T. A. DOMINICK, Ehrhardt, Sept. 11, 1899. The October Number of The Delineator is called the Autumn number, and consists in addition to an exhaustive analysis of the season's most approved modes in every department of fashionable arts, with special articles on allied topics and the usual potpourri of social and household hints, a variety of literary features of exceptional quality and interest. A weird, mystical tale of a faithful, lingering lover is The Blue Man, by Mary Hartwell Oatherwood, a tragic story of the region of the great lakes. Mrs. Louisa Chapman contributes to the number a classic, authoritative article on The Singing Voice. The romantically inclined will delight in the very devices and details prescribed in The Fatal Night of Halloween, by Elizabeth T. Wash. Of what the actors are actually paid; how a play is written and what the authors receive how a play is rehearsed; the first night of a play; how the actresses "make up" and what they use; and in a minute way the two last articles will show what goes on behind the scenes on the stage during the performance. It is a curious fact that this will be the first time that the theatre and the actor have ever been exhaustively treated in a magazine, and that there is no book on the subject in existence. The Ladies Home Journal, Philadelphia. A special to the News and Courier from Barnwell says: "The bondsmen and heirs-at-law of the late A. F. Free, treasurer, have reached a satisfactory adjustment by which all the property of his estate is turned over to cover the shortage, except a homestead for the widow, and \$1,000 of real estate and \$5.00 of personal property. It is said that this cuts the shortage down to about \$2,000, which, apportioned among the bondsmen, will be about \$400 or \$500 each." Hamilton Clark, of Chaucery, Ga., says he suffers from itching piles twenty years before trying DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, two boxes of which completely cured him. Beware of worthless and dangerous counterfeits.—Bamberg Pharmacy. Mr. Tillmanghast of Hampton, who was an applicant for the solicitorship to succeed Captain Sawyer, has written to the governor withdrawing his application. His letter was formal and no reasons were stated for his withdrawal. No successor to Captain Sawyer has yet been appointed, but in due season the governor will act.—Columbia Record. Experience and observation are our best teachers, hence the necessity to visit the next State Fair. Quickly cure constipation and rebuild and invigorate the entire system—never gripe or nauseate—DeWitt's Little Early Risers.—Bamberg Pharmacy. The demand for premium lists of the State Fair continues. Write soon for a copy to Thos. W. Holloway, secretary, Pomaria, S. C. Irritating stings, bites, scratches, wounds and cuts soothed and healed by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve—a sure and safe application for torture. Beware of counterfeits.—Bamberg Pharmacy. South Carolina's cotton crop of this past year aggregated 1,012,000 bales and she manufactured 620,000 bales more than any other Southern State. One Minute Cough Cure quickly cures obstinate summer coughs and colds. "I consider it a most wonderful medicine—quick and safe."—W. W. Merton, Mayhew, Wis.—Bamberg Pharmacy. The legislature will be asked at its next session for an appropriation of \$35,000 to build another dormitory at Winthrop College. President Johnson says he had 600 applications this year, and there is only room in the present dormitories for 250 students. The following tip is for those who are worried by those very troublesome creatures, mosquitoes. Throw a bit of alum about the size of a marble, into a small bowl of water, and wet the hands and face and any parts lightly with it. Not a mosquito will approach you. They hum about a little and disappear. As a result of the compromise between the two factions in the Baptist church Rev. J. D. Winchester left Orangeburg last week for Georgia. He has been pastor of the church here during the past two years, and goes to take charge of the second Baptist church at Rome, Ga. He carries with him the best wishes of all our people for his future prosperity and happiness.—Orangeburg Times and Democrat. Every farmer in the county should plant a few acres in wheat and oats this fall. They should not wait too long about preparing their land and putting the seed in the ground. Then, for a spring crop, we advise the planting of about five acres of tobacco, five in cotton, as much more in corn, peas, rice, potatoes, sugar cane, etc., as can be well cultivated. This is understood for a one-horse crop. There is no real reason why our people should continue to "har up." We fully appreciate the fact that "newspaper farming" is a humbug, and that is far easier to preach money into a crop than to work it out. Yet, we have faith in diversification to bring decided relief to many one-crop farmers.

New Advertisements. THE NEW STORE. This establishment has a new advertisement in another column that it will pay you to read. They keep goods of every kind, and at right prices. INGLIS AND MILEY. The law firm of Inglis & Graham has been dissolved, on account of Mr. Graham's removal to Greenwood, and Messrs. L. C. Inglis and W. B. Miley have formed a co-partnership. See their card in this issue. THE HERALD BOOK STORE. See the advertisement of the book store. A full line of school articles are carried, and the prices are very attractive. J. Dickinson, Treasurer—Tax Notice. Election in Orangeburg. ORANGEBURG, Sept. 12.—The city election passed off quietly here to-day and the following council was elected: Mayor, J. W. H. Dukes; aldermen, Dr. A. S. Hydrick, George Zeigler, Dr. Thos. C. Doyle, W. M. Sain, J. A. Salley and D. O. Herbert. All of the members of the former council were re-elected with one exception, Capt. Herbert being the new member. In the citizens' primary August Fischer has a clear majority over three competitors for re-election as chief of police. Frank Demars has a good plurality for city clerk and treasurer, with Lawton H. Wannamaker second in the race. The Theatre From the Inside. That there are five thousand theatres in America, and that one million and a half people attend them each week-day night, spending seventy millions dollars a year on theatre-going, are the surprising facts with which Mr. Frank Fyles, the dramatic editor of New York Sun, will open an important series in the next issue of The Ladies' Home Journal. The series will be called "The Theatre and Its People," and will run through seven numbers of the magazine, lavishly illustrated with pictures made by twelve different artists. The articles will treat of every phase of the theatre, the play and the actor, from the inside, and will tell how a theatre is managed; the actual money which plays have made; how an actor is trained; and what the actors are actually paid; how a play is written and what the authors receive; how a play is rehearsed; the first night of a play; how the actresses "make up" and what they use; and in a minute way the two last articles will show what goes on behind the scenes on the stage during the performance. It is a curious fact that this will be the first time that the theatre and the actor have ever been exhaustively treated in a magazine, and that there is no book on the subject in existence. The Ladies Home Journal, Philadelphia. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure Digests what you eat. Artificially digests the food and aids Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs. It is the latest discovered digestant and tonic. No other preparation can approach it in efficiency. It instantly relieves and permanently cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, Flatulence, Sour Stomach, Nausea, Sick Headache, Gastralgia, Cramps, and all other results of imperfect digestion. Prepared by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. Sold at Bamberg Pharmacy. DENTIST. Will be pleased to serve the people. Office up stairs in the building next to bank. F. F. JOHNSON. S. G. MAYFIELD, ATTORNEY AT LAW, DENMARK, S. C. J. Pinckney Matheny, ATTORNEY AT LAW, BAMBERG, S. C. Izlar Bros. & Rice, Attorneys and Counselors at Law, BAMBERG C. H., S. C. HOWELL, GROBER, & BOSTICK, Attorneys and Counselors, BAMBERG C. H., S. C. INGLIS & MILEY, Attorneys at Law, BAMBERG, S. C. RED CUBAN GAMES Eggs, \$1.00 per thirteen. Young fowls, to September 1st, \$3.00 per trio. September 1st to January 1st, \$5.00 per trio. L. A. BIKLE, Ehrhardt, S. C.

SMITH & RILEY, FIRE INSURANCE. Agents for the largest fire insurance company in America. They pay spot cash, without discount, for all losses. Do not insure in small, insignificant companies, when you can have the best for the same money. They make a specialty of gin houses, and have reasonable rates. \$50,000 PAID FOR LOSSES IN THREE YEARS. A BIG FIRE! These accidents often happen, and some times a great deal of valuable property is destroyed. But no matter how many fires we may have in Bamberg, prices will not be increased at Hays's Furniture Store. Our prices are always low, so low in fact that you wonder how we can sell so cheap. The reason is plain, however. We buy in large quantities for cash, taking advantage of all discounts, and this enables us to successfully compete with the largest dealers in our line. When you want Furniture, Carpets, Mattings, Rugs, Shades, Curtain Poles, etc., our store is the place to come. We want your trade, and if low prices and fair dealing count for anything, we will surely get it. Hammocks and Easy Chairs. We have a beautiful line of these goods, and now is the time to buy. The prices were never lower, the selection never better. Bed Room Suits and Wardrobes. We have some beautiful pieces of furniture in these, and they are sure to suit your taste and pocket-book. Baby Carriages, Enamelled Beds, Springs, Lounges. In fact, anything and everything to furnish a home complete, including a first-class line of STOVES AND RANGES. We can save you money, and it will pay you to see our stock. We also carry Trunks, and LIME in any quantity. COFFINS AND CASKETS. All styles and prices. No trouble to show goods. You are always welcome, whether you buy or not. Yours truly, E. C. HAYS. Engines! Boilers! The Blickensderfer Typewriter received the only gold medal awarded any writing machine at the Omaha Exposition. Low Price. Durable. Portable, weighing only six pounds. Writing always in sight. K. M. TURNER, General Southern Agent, 18 Wall Street, Atlanta. A. W. KNIGHT, Agent at Bamberg, S. C. LOST Your money, time, and appetite, if you fail to visit The New Store when you have some cash to spend for groceries of any kind, and we will say, while we are saying, that ITS the best place in Bamberg to buy Fruits, Vegetables, etc. The fall season has opened up, and we have opened up barrels of almost everything in our line, except money; that's what we want, is why we are selling so cheap. People who eat our groceries say this (and we'll wager two to one that you'll say the same thing), they are out of SIGHT. TAX NOTICE. OFFICE OF COUNTY TREASURER, } BAMBERG COUNTY. } BAMBERG, S. C., September 14, 1899. Notice is hereby given that the Treasurer's office of Bamberg county will be open from the 15th day of October, 1899, to the 31st day of December, 1899, inclusive, for the collection of State and county taxes. The office will be closed, however, from November 1st to November 11th, during which time I will attend at the following places, on the dates named, for the collection of taxes: Farrell's Store, Wednesday, Nov. 1st. Hunter's Chapel, Thursday, Nov. 2d. Ehrhardt, Friday, November 3rd. Kearse's Mill, Saturday, November 4th. Midway, Monday, November 6th. Lees, Tuesday, November 7th. Denmark, Wednesday, November 8th. Olar, Thursday, November 9th. Govan, Friday, November 10th. The total levy for this county is eleven mills, divided as follows: State purposes, five mills; constitutional school tax, three mills; county tax, three mills. The following school districts also have a special levy for school purposes, as follows: Denmark, No. 21, three mills. Oak Grove, No. 20, one mill. Clear Pond, No. 25, two mills. Barbary Branch, No. 48, 2 1/2 mills. Cuffie Creek, No. 55, two mills. Hunter's Chapel, No. 50, one mill. Govan, No. 36, three mills. Lees, No. 47, two mills. Persons owning property in these districts will have to pay this extra levy, in addition to the eleven mills tax. Taxpayers will please be prompt, as the books close December 31st, and I cannot receive taxes after that date. Don't wait until the last week, for at that time there is liable to be a rush. J. DICKINSON, Treasurer Bamberg County. Lands for Sale. Thousands of acres in Aiken, Barnwell, Bamberg Colleton, Edgefield, Hampton, and Orangeburg counties. J. T. O'NEAL, Real Estate Agent.