

# 'THE DUNLAP'

A shoe of quality. New line just received.

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Clothes always on hand.  
**Batesburg Shoe & Clo. Co.,**  
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Batesburg South Carolina.

Try one can of Argo Red Salmon, and you will use no other.

## MISTRIAL OF TWIN BROTHERS

Juries in Hunter Cases at Laurens Couldn't Agree.

Laurens, May 15.—A mistrial was ordered this morning in the cases of the State against G. West Hunter, charged with the murder of Elbert F. Copeland last July, and the State against R. Lee Hunter, charged on four counts with violating the dispensary law.

The juries in both cases remained out, locked in the jury rooms, all night and this morning after Court was opened stated that it would be impossible for them to agree. There upon his Honor, Judge Watts, ordered a mistrial.

## MRS. LEILA E. KNOTTS DEAD.

Passed Away in This City Yesterday Morning.

Swansea, May 16.—Mrs. Leila E. Knotts, wife of Col. D. J. Knotts, died at the Columbia hospital this morning and was brought home on the train.

The body will be buried at the Swansea cemetery tomorrow.

Mrs. Knotts has been in declining health for some time and had gone to the hospital in Columbia in hopes of improvement.

She was a consistent member of Swansea Baptist church.

Mrs. Knotts was composed to the last and spoke of death calmly.

She was 48 years old and leave a host of friends.

Watch for the transparencies of Argo Red Salmon in your grocer's window.

## SPECIAL DELIVERY STAMPS NO LONGER NECESSARY

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT BY POSTOFFICE DEPARTMENT-BECOMES EFFECTIVE JULY 1.

Washington, May 14.—No special delivery postage stamps will be needed after the 1st of next July, to insure immediate delivery of a letter. Pursuant to an act of the last session of congress, Postmaster General Meyer today issued an order, that on and after July 1, next, if there is attached to any letter or package of mail matter 10 cents worth of stamps, of any denomination, with the words "Special Delivery" written or printed on the envelope or covering, in addition to the postage required for ordinary delivery, the article will be handled as if it bore a regulation special delivery stamp.

## EGG HATCHED BY NEGROES.

Probably no more curious incident has ever been published than the fact that an egg has been hatched by a woman. That is what has been reported in Orangeburg. It has caused no little amusement there, and the old negro woman who is responsible for the feat has been termed a human incubator.

It is stated that a very elderly negro woman, who lives in Orangeburg, placed an egg in her bosom, and kept there for a period of three weeks after which time the egg was hatched. The chicken is now about a week old and is kept as a pet in the family.

There was no difficulty experienced in hatching the egg.—Aiken Journal and Review.

# Residents of Lexington County

When Visiting Columbia, don't fail to call at either of our stores and inspect our line of Refrigerators, Stoves and Ranges. We carry the largest stock of such goods of any one concern in the South and our prices are as low as the quality of our goods will permit. We have many valuable costumers already, across the Congaree and our desire is to double the number. Come in and see us whether you wish to buy or not. We will be more than pleased to have you make our stores your headquarters while in the City. If you make a purchase of us we promise you honest goods at lowest prices and whether you buy anything or not you will receive the same prompt and courteous treatment. Try us once, we will be pleased and you will never regret it. If you can't come to see us, write for Catalog and prices. We do business by mail.

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COLUMBIA, S. C.

## AN AVALANCHE OF BARGAINS FOR OUR RECORD BREAKING MAY SALE.

24 pair lace curtains, cheap at 50c, sale price 39c.  
85c. lace curtains, special at 69c.  
12c. scrim 10c.  
Window shades, special at 19 98c.  
Whitewash belts at 10, 15, 19c.  
Ladies fancy collars, special, 5, 9, 19, 39, 48c.  
Ladies' all linen handkerchiefs 5c.  
25c cashmere bouquet toilet soap 19c.  
25c Colgates' talcum and dental powder 19c.  
Eastman's violet talcum powder 10c.  
25c bottle which hazel 10c guaze hose 10 to 75c  
Infants' colored hose, list finish 10c  
soap, box 15c  
10c size vasaline 5c

Our great May bargain sale is now in full sway. Embrace opportunity while it knocks, or like the hand-writing on the wall its gone. If you neglect to get your share of the many bargains we are offering this month you loose money.

Black Panama 36in. 25c. value	16 2-3c.
25c., Black Cashmere	15c.
36in. Black Jacquard	19c.
22in. Wool Serge	12 1-2c.
28in. Black Jacquard	12 1-2c.
36in. Wool and Silk Black Cashmere	75c.
3 1/2 all Wool Black Serge	39c.
4 1/2. Voile worth \$1.00	85c.
3 1/2. blk peau de soie silk extra heavy, the kind at	\$1 25 98c.

HOSIERY:  
1 Doz. Solid Piece Gold lined Collar Buttons 15c  
1 Doz. Gold filled New style cuff buttons and Broaches worth \$1.00 to \$1.50 39c  
Solid Gold baby rings 39c  
Solid Gold rings 69c  
New Solid Gold Signet rings 69c  
Solid Gold ladies Waltham watches \$19.50  
Solid Gold Beauty Pins 29c  
3 Piece Pearl waist set 68c  
Gold filled latest design scarf pins worth \$1.00 and 75c only 2 9c

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Solid Gold Beauty Pins 29c  
3 Piece Pearl waist set 68c  
Gold filled latest design scarf pins worth \$1.00 and 75c only 2 9c

## CROSSTON STETSON AND QUEEN QUALITY SHOES.

The kind that "Makes Lives Walk Easy" and carries the assurance of correct fashion and fit. We have them in great variety, high and low cuts. Graceful conceptions in Patent Leather, Gun Metal and Kid. Every taste can be pleased and every foot fitted. A great many new styles that having been delayed in shipping are now here. May we have the pleasure of showing these while the assortments are complete. For special bargains see our Bargain tables at 98c, \$1.29 and \$1.49.

## Millinery.

In this department we are doing fully a third more business than any preceding season. There's a reason for it. Come and see these beautiful hats, so wonderfully low in prices.

## CROCKERY FINE GLASSWARE AND TINWARE DEPARTMENT.

This department is keeping pace with the other departments and you will find almost anything you wish.

Big assortment of light colored prints and muslins, worth 6 1-2c. May sale price 5c.  
10c Zepherettes and Gingham 8 1-2c.  
8 1-2c. figured muslins 6 1-2c.  
12 1-2c. white waisting 10c.

506 yards Persian and India Lawns, special at 12 1-2 sale price 11c.  
15c. Dotted Swiss, white and figured 12 1-2c.  
20c. linen suiting 16 1-2c.  
30c. all linen suitings 24c  
8 1/2 in. linen sheeting worth 85c. at 69c.  
36in. habutai silk worth 69c. 50c.  
27in. China silk, white and colored, 53c.  
25c 5x Kelley's glycerine Ladies' lace striped and hose 10 to 75c

## Clothing and Pants.

In this department we have no Competition hereabouts, either in Style, Workmanship or Patterns. Whatever wrinkle fashion says is so, is here. Whatever worth that fabric and workmanship can give is here. We suit the most Critical taste we satisfy the most practical sense with a stock by far larger than our best past showing.

For our May Sale we offering fully half our stock at Cut to the core prices. A collection of the New styles in sack suits, in worsteds, serges and thin bits superebly tailored by Blumenhal Bros. of Philada at prices ranging from \$9.50 to \$16.50, and not a suit in the lot that isn't worth from \$2. to \$2.50 more. Our lower grades of suits are the equal in style. Make-up and patterns to a great many high grade lines. Prices range from \$3.50 to \$8.50.

The Alaska Packers Association give the heartiest support to the Pure Food Law, and guarantee their products to meet all the requirements.

## STATE BONDS ADVERTISED.

## NOTICE GIVEN THAT NO INTEREST WILL BE PAID ON THOSE STOLEN

State Treasurer Jennings has issued notice that no interest will be paid on certain State bonds which were stolen from the State treasury about two years ago. The notice was issued as the result of an opinion obtained from the attorney general after several of the bonds had been presented to the office for redemption. The action of the State Treasurer will be advertised extensively as follows:

To Whom It May Concern:  
Notice is hereby given that interest will not be paid on July 1 next on bonds below described, which were stolen from the State treasury to wit: Brown consol bonds of the denomination of \$500—Nos. 143, 231, 371, 783, 599 and 1477.  
Brown consol bonds of the denomination of \$1000—Nos. 507, 1178, 1899, 2525 and 3778.  
Persons who purchase said bonds or the coupons thereof will do so at their own risk.  
R. H. Jennings,  
State Treasurer.

## Geo Mabus in Jail

Magistrate G. A. Derrick, by order of Solicitor Timmerman, issued a warrant Monday for the arrest of George Mabus, who is charged with having cut Lee Fallaw at Batesburg a couple of weeks ago, at which time he was wised himself out by Fallaw.

## Winthrop College Scholarship and Entrance Examination.

The examination for the award of vacant Scholarships in Winthrop College and for the admission of new students will be held at the County Court House on Friday, July 5, at 9 a. m. Applicants must be not less than fifteen years of age. When Scholarships are vacated after July 5, they will be awarded to those making the highest average at this examination provided they meet the conditions governing the award. Applicants for Scholarships should write to President Johnson before the examination for Scholarship examination blanks. Scholarships are worth \$100 and free tuition. The next session will open September 18, 1907. For further information and catalogue, address Pres. D. B. Johnson, Rock Hill, S. C.

## Fallow Very Ill

It is reported that Mr. Lee Fallow is critically ill.

## MONTMORENCI CITIZEN DEAD.

Mr. Martin Eubanks Passes Away Sunday Morning.

Aiken, May 14.—Mr. Martin Eubanks, an aged and respected citizen of Montmorenci, died very suddenly Sunday morning at his home, near that place. He was ill only a few hours, having been as well as usual on Saturday afternoon. He had been married twice, as is survived by his last wife. He was about 60 years old and was an excellent citizen. He leaves several children.

The funeral services were held yesterday, after which interment took place at Montmorenci.

## TRAGEDY NEAR SPARTANBURG.

Spartanburg, May 15.—Sims Gilmore, a farmer, was shot and probably fatally wounded and his neighbor James W. Gilman, had his skull fractured by Gilmore, who struck him with a hammer, following a quarrel between them in a store at Jonesville, eighteen miles from here, tonight. Gilman has only a slight chance of recovery. The tragedy grew out of the burning of two barns on Gilmore's farm, of which crime Gilmore suspected Gilman.

## GAMBLERS ROUNDED UP.

Saluda Officers Make "Big Haul" of Negroes.

Saluda, May 16.—Constable Tom Perry and Sheriff Sample made a big haul yesterday on Saluda river in the Higgins Ferry section, when they rounded up 20 odd gamblers and three or more Mind tigers. All of the parties are negroes and they will have to answer at the August term to court.

There is no article of food more nutritious or healthful than Argo Red Salmon. As a brain and muscle builder it is far ahead of beef or other meats.

## Announcement.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for Mayor, subject to the approval of the citizens Democratic Primary. Platform: No promises or pledges to redeem. Justice to all regardless of commercial, financial or social standing. Am under obligations to no one.

W. C. Bates.

## Announcement.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for mayor of the town of Batesburg and pledge myself to abide the results of the Democratic Primary to be held June, 23th 1907.

J. Bacon Youngblood.

## To The Voters of Batesburg.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for mayor, will appreciate the votes of my friends and if elected will do my best to improve the town and enforce the law. I pledge myself to abide the result of the Primary election and support the nominees of same.

E. R. Steadman

## FOR CITY COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENT

I announce my candidacy as Alderman for the coming election and pledge myself to abide by the Democratic Primary.

W. C. FARBER,  
Batesburg, S. C., May 14, 1907.

I announce my candidacy as Alderman for the coming election and pledge myself to abide by the Democratic Primary.

D. P. HARTLEY,  
Batesburg, S. C., May 14, 1907.

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W. A. Crouch,  
Batesburg, S. C., May 14, 1907.

## DEAD AT THE AGE 127

Adam Frost, colored, Passes Away at Home Near Spartanburg.

Spartanburg, May 15.—Adam Frost, colored, who was born in Charleston in 1780, died this morning at his home near Cedar Springs in this county.

He was probably the oldest man in the United States.

He came here during the war between the States with the Frost family, who fled in this section.



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Kalamazoo Corset Co. Sole Makers

The American Beauty Corset

stand without a rival for perfect fit and comfort. Made in all the new styles and money refunded in four weeks if not satisfactory. \$2.50 down to 50c.

## Commencement Requisite

Your every want has been anticipated. Our stock represents your every requirement and that at prices that defy the big city stores.

## Great Sale of Straw Hats Summer Hats.

Saturday morning we begin our Clearance Sale of straw and Trimmed hats. Its rather early but we've made up our mind to unload before its too late. This stock represents hundreds of dollars of the newest and best that money and experience could buy. If you are going to wear a hat this season come here and effect the saving this opportunity presents.

