

LOCAL ITEMS.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 7, 1879.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.—The following is the present schedule of arrivals, on the Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta Railroad:—

| DAY PASSENGER—GOING NORTH. | |
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| Columbia | 1.45 P. M. |
| Blythewood | 2.41 " |
| Ridgeway | 3.03 " |
| Wimmsboro | 3.35 " |
| Woodward's | 4.10 " |
| Blackstock | 4.15 " |
| Chester | 4.46 " |

| DAY PASSENGER—GOING SOUTH. | |
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| Chester | 12.47 P. M. |
| Blackstock | 1.16 " |
| Woodward's | 1.21 " |
| Wimmsboro | 1.56 " |
| Ridgeway | 2.26 " |
| Blythewood | 2.44 " |
| Columbia | 3.26 " |

New Advertisements.

Notice to Creditors—Cummings & Co.

For the Sewing Machine—W. H. Smith.

Great Reduction—John L. Minnaugh.

Cheese I Cheese!—W. H. Donly.

A neighbor informs us that his wife never knew a quiet night until the doctor prescribed Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup for her little one.

Remember that the plume drill of the Gordon Light Infantry takes place to-night at seven and a half o'clock, in the Thespian Hall. All the members of the company are expected to appear in full uniform. Admission, ten cents. Let everybody attend.

THE OLD SIXTH.—The regular semi-annual meeting of the Sixth Regiment Survivors' Association will be held at Winnsboro on Saturday next. A full attendance is requested, as business of much interest will be brought forward for consideration.

THE NEW DISTRICT AND TOWNSHIP.—The Legislature passed the act making a separate school district four miles square, having the court house as a centre, to be called District No. 14, and it also required the county commissioners to lay off the same as a separate township, known as Township No. 14. We hope the commissioners will have it surveyed at once, as the citizens of the district wish to have a meeting to levy a local tax, and they wish to know who live in the district and who do not.

MASONIC ELECTION.—At a meeting of Ridgeway Lodge, No. 30, A. F. M., held on the 18th of December, 1878, the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing Masonic year:

T. E. Cloud, W. M.
P. M. Spence, S. W.
W. W. McQuatters, J. W.
H. O. Duke, S. D.
F. M. L. Duke, J. D.
Dr. John Boyd, Treasurer.
J. A. Simpson, Secretary.
Samuel Lathon, Stewards.
Richard Matchett,
Thomas Arledge, Tiler.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.—Mr. Wm. Donly has just received a supply of Cheese of the best quality, which he offers at the low price of fifteen cents a pound.

Mr. Jno. L. Minnaugh, the proprietor of the Augusta store, has just returned to Winnsboro, from a purchasing trip, and partly sets forth in to-day's paper the many articles he has in stock, and the prices at which he offers them to his customers and buyers generally. People wanting anything in Mr. Minnaugh's line will do well to give him a call, with a view to examine his goods and prices.

THE LIEN LAW.—The following is the full text of the lien law enacted at the recent session of the Legislature: AN ACT to amend and continue of force an act entitled "An act to secure landlords and persons making advances."

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina, now met and sitting in General Assembly, and by the authority of the same:

SECTION 1. That all of said act be re-enacted and continued of force, except the seventh section, which is hereby stricken out.

SEC. 2. That with this amendment the said act remains in full force without limitation.

Approved December 30, 1878.

The "seventh section" referred to is that clause of the Act of 1877 which limits the operation of the lien law to the years 1877 and 1878. The Act above given places the lien law on the statute book with no limit as to the time of its operation.

A VALUABLE BOOK FOR ALL.—THE FOOTPRINTS OF TIME AND ANALYSIS OF OUR GOVERNMENT.—The delivering agent has been in our town during the last week, delivering this book to the subscribers. It is indeed a book of great value for reference, as well as for reading. Any fact one may wish know about the channel of historical events from the earliest times, can be readily found, while it gives a complete history of our country up to

May of last year, while a complete analysis of our government is clearly given. It is a work of merit, and we commend it to the patronage of our citizens.

THE COUNTY SCHOOLS.

Their Past and their Future—A Word for the School Officials.

The schools begin the New Year in some respects under better auspices than ever before. They have had a good beginning at least, and although not nearly reaching the proficiency they ought to have and will have in the future, they are at least doing some good. Every claim of last year has been paid, while only a small deficiency in one or two districts exists from former years. The law has been improved, and officials are at last beginning to perform their duties under it. The fund is still much too small. As has before been shown, most other States raise from ten to twenty dollars a child every year, while South Carolina raises little more than a dollar. This cannot be helped at present, for the State is poor; but the comparison is made to show the people that they should not be content to remain where they are. Much more money must be expended yearly before the goal can be reached.

It is but simple justice in this connection to say that the credit is chiefly due the retiring commissioner, Mr. Richardson, for the auspicious beginning the system has made in Fairfield. Mr. Richardson came to this county seven or eight years ago as a missionary and teacher for the colored people. Here he has quietly pursued the line of his duty, never prostituting his profession by making it a stepping stone to political preferment and knavery, thus illustrating the difference between a bona fide settler and a carpet-bagger. In 1876, unsolicited on his part, he was elected school commissioner, and was one of the very first officials in the State to recognize the decision of the Supreme Court declaring Hampton governor, because he saw in that alone rested the salvation of the State. His commission was issued while Governor Hampton and Colonel Seafin were running the State. The schools were in a state of chaos, and the claims all in confusion. By dint of earnest research and hard labor he straightened out the accounts of his office. He has devoted all his energies to improving the schools. When money was needed for fitting up the Winnsboro School he advanced it out of his own pocket, and he has privately done many acts of kindness. Although now no longer officially connected with the schools, Mr. Richardson is as much interested in them as ever. We would not have written thus at length, but when so many Northern men come South only to foment strife and revel in ill-gotten gains, we feel that where one has been an honorable exception to the rule, it due himself and the people of the South also, to show that his worth is appreciated, and to prove false the assertion that the South hates a Northern man simply because he comes from the North. She welcomes every citizen into her border.

The County Examiners still remain in office, as they were appointed in 1878 for two years. They will co-operate with Commissioner Boyd in endeavoring to perfect the system. Their position is not an easy one, involving a good deal of work and much responsibility, and bringing no pay. When people are disposed to find fault with them because it is impossible to please everybody, we hope they will remember that the Examiners are doing a good deal of work for nothing, and be patient with them.

Dr. Boyd, the newly elected commissioner, is a graduate of the South Carolina College, and has had experience in teaching. He is a gentleman of genial manners, and as soon as he gets fairly into harness will make things move along as smoothly as they have begun to do. He will make a popular and efficient officer, and will justify the flattering vote he received from the people.

Much depends upon the trustees. The best citizens of the county have been selected for this position, and we feel assured they will carefully guard the interests of the schools. We hope that the fathers and mothers throughout the county, when they see the schools opened for free tuition, will make their children attend regularly, and will, in every way, co-operate to make the schools a success.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ALL persons indebted to the undersigned or to H. L. Elliott & Co. must come forward and settle and save trouble. Jan 7-1m CUMMINGS & CO.

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