will go to the supreme court for a new trial. The exceptions to the rulings of the lower court are as follows: "1st. For error in admitting the testimony of the Negro boy, William Henry Workman, aged about eight years, because the examination of said witness failed to show that he knew the nature of an oath. 2nd. Because the sentence of the court is defective in that it fails to state the year in which the execution is to take place.

On the 12th of May.

— Governor Tillman is making arrangements to have a special train run from Columbia to Rock Hill on May 12, on the occasion of the laying of the corner stone of the Girls' Industrial college. All the students of the Winthrop college will go, and it is expected that a number of others from the two female colleges and the South Carolina college, will also go. The students of Clemson college will go and give an exhibition drill. All of the York county bands have been invited to furnish music for the occasion. The corner stone will be laid with elaborate Masonic ceremonies, and the event will be one of great interest to the public generally.

Equilization of Taxes.

— The county board of equalization held its final meeting in the office of the county auditor last Friday, for the purpose of equalizing taxes between the townships. The books of the auditor showed that according to the returns, there was a slight reduction in the taxable values of real estate in all the townships except King's Mountain and Bethel. King's Mountain was about the same as last year, and Bethel a fraction above. After due consideration, the board made reductions as follows: York 18 cents an acre; Fort Mill 17; cents and Ebenezer 19 cents. There were no other changes, and unless overruled by the State board, the action of the county board will stand.

Three C's Excursions.

— Commencing today, the Three C's railroad offers the public daily excursions from Shelby and Camden to Yorkville and return, during the progress of the Pearson meetings. The fares for the round trip are as follows: From Camden, $1.00; Lancaster, 75 cents; Catawba Junction, 60 cents; Roddy's, Leslie's and Rock Hill, 50 cents; Newport, Tirzah and Sharon, 25 cents; Hickory Grove, 30 cents; Smyrna, 50 cents; Blacksburg, 75 cents; Earls, Patterson Springs and Shelby, $1.00. From Shelby to Yorkville and return, excursionists will be governed by the regular passenger schedule. South of Yorkville there will be a special train, and the schedule will be as follows: Leave Camden at 7.40 a. m.; Lancaster at 9.05; Catawba Junction, 9.35; Leslie's, 9.43; Rock Hill, 9.53; Newport, 10.13; Tirzah, 10.23; arrive at Yorkville, 10.35. Returning, the train will leave Yorkville at 3.00 p. m., and reach Camden at 6.00 p. m.

Special Train Over the C. & L.

— The Chester and Lenoir Railroad company will run a special train next Sunday, for the benefit of people living along the line who wish to attend the Pearson meeting in Yorkville. The schedule will be as follows: Leave Chester, at 6 a. m.; Lowrysville, at 6.27; McConnellsville, at 6.46; Guthriesville, at 6.55; arrive at Yorkville at 7.17. Leave Gastonia, at 8.45 a. m.; Crowder's Creek, at 9.10; Clover, at 9.34; Filbert, at 9.56; and arrive in Yorkville at 10.16. The fares for the round trip will be as follows: Chester, $1.00; Lowrysville, 75 cents; McConnellsville, 50 cents; Guthriesville, 35 cents; Philadelphia, 25 cents; Gastonia and Pleasant Ridge $1.00; Crowder's Creek, 75 cents; Bowling Green, 65 cents; Clover, 50 cents; Filbert, 25 cents. Going north, the train will leave Yorkville at 4 o'clock p. m., and arrive at Gastonia at 5.15. Returning, it will leave Gastonia at 5.30, and leave Yorkville, continuing south, at 10 o'clock, after the night sevice.

THE MYSTERY OF THE GUN.

"I know all about that gun spoken of in THE ENQUIRER last week as having been found in the old gas tank below the jail," said Mr. Henry Keller, last Saturday. "Just as soon as I read about it, I knew it was the very same gun, and there is nobody else that could tell you about it but me," he continued.

Here was the prospect for a good story, and the reporter was all ears as he listened for further developments. Mr. Keller proceeded:

"Do you remember when the soldiers were here during kuklux times? Well, one morning in July, about daylight, I saw two men coming up to my house. Who they were, at first I couldn't tell; but when they got closer I saw they were Yankee soldiers, and one of them I recognized as an acquaintance named Shelleberger. Both of them were Germans, and the first thing they told me was that they had deserted, and wanted me to hide them until dark. I told them to hide in the woods and I would not tell on them for anything. Then Shelleberger told me something like this:

"We have both been under guard in the jail. They had shackles on our feet, and a soldier kept watch over us with a double barrel shot-gun. Last night I jerked the gun out of the hands of the guard, and told him that if he did not take our shackles off, I would kill him. He took the shackles off as fast as he could. Then we told him not to open his mouth, and marched him down the hill below the jail. This was sufficient to give us a good start, and we told the fellow he could go back. Then we threw the gun in the gas tank.

"Shelleberger advised me," continued, Mr. Keller, "to go there and get the gun, and several times I had a notion to do it, but finally I gave it out; and if it had not been for what was printed in THE ENQUIRER I reckon I would have forgot all about it."

BLACKSBURG'S BUDGET.

Two Deaths in a Day—Sketches of the Lives of Mrs. Swann and Mr. M. L. Ross—Other Matters.

Correspondence of the Yorkville Enquirer.

BLACKSBURG, May 1.—Spring has come at last with gentle genial May, and we are enjoying strawberries and the early vegetables. On Sunday our hearts were gladened and vegetation revived and greatly benefitted, by a good rain.

Yesterday was a sad day to our citizens, because of the burial in a few hours of each other, of two of our most highly esteemed citizens, an occurrence which has never had a precedent in our town. The first was Mrs. Swann, who was laid to rest at 12 o'clock and the other that of Mr. M. L. Ross, over whose body the last sad rites were spoken about 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Each interment was attended by a large concourse of people, who thus manifested the high regard with which both of the deceased were held.

Mrs. Isabella Swann was born in Bennington, Vt., on the 14 day of January, 1830, and died in Blacksburg, Saturday, the 28th of April, 1894. Her maiden name was Holmes, and she spent most of her married life which was brief, in New York State. Early left a widow with one child, she exhibited, in the position in which she was placed, those sterling qualities of character, which characterize a true woman. She came to this place five years ago with her son-in-law, Mr. J. S. Phelps, an engineer on the Three C's railroad. She soon ceased to be a stranger in our midst, but by her bright, cheerful manner, her refinement, intelligence and energy and her kindly deeds, she won the respect and love of all with whom she came in contact, and departed leaving many true friends to mourn her loss. She was a devoted member of the Episcopal church, and was buried with its solemn and impressive service by her rector, Rev. J. H. McCollough.

Marcus Lafayette Ross was born a few miles from here, at the old family homestead, on Broad river, in Spartanburg county, March 30th, 1825. He has always lived near the place of his birth and among the people who knew him best. About forty years ago, he married Miss Elizabeth Wood, the daughter of a prominent citizen and farmer of York county. About the close of the war he purchased a valuable farm on Buffalo creek, where he lived until 1880, when he purchased property in our town, and built a comfortable dwelling, in which he resided until his death, which occurred on Sunday morning, April 29th, 1894.

Mr. Ross was a man of much physical force and great strength of character, and, therefore, wielded a notable influence in his immediate community. Honest and just in all his dealings, with kindly feelings toward all in trouble and distress, he was noted for his upright character, his sympathetic ministrations to the sick and afflicted, and especially for the tender love and care for those of his own household.

He was buried from the Baptist church, of which he had long been a member. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. T. M. Webb, of Shelby, N. C., and Rev. L. A. Johnson added some very appropriate remarks upon the life and character of the deceased. The crowd of people from both country and town was one of the largest which has ever assembled on such an occasion.

Dr. Wm. Jarvis left here Sunday afternoon on the Richmond and Danville vestibule train for his home in Claremont, N. H., after spending four months in our healthful climate.

Mr. Norcross is adding to and improving the building he recently purchased from Mrs. Goforth.

Mr. M. R. Reese is finishing up three handsome and convenient dwellings on Shelby and Lime street, and Andy Hudson, one of our prosperous colored citizens is building himself a large and comfortable home on Academy street.

The Messrs. McSwain and Dover, whose enterprise of a tobacco factory I mentioned in THE ENQUIRER several weeks ago, have their factory all completed and in fine working order. They have the services of an experienced and skilled manufacturer of the leaf, and have ready for the market some fine goods. They will manufacture three grades of tobacco, will employ five or six operatives, and want to supply their factory with their own raising as far as they can.

W. A.

VIEWS ON THE SITUATION.

Uncle Miles Thinks Politics in the State are in a Bad Mess.

EDITOR OF THE ENQUIRER: Thinking that you would not object to me giving my views on the political status of our State, as every one seems to have an opinion of their own and none of them seem to be right. I think if we would do more work and less talking we would get along better. What we need is more labor, more religion, more common sense and less politics. As it is I think we are in the position of the man who explained his religious theology by saying:

"You can and you can't;
You shall and you shant;
You will and you wont;
You'll be damned if you do and you'll be damned if you don't."

Now, where are we at?

LINES ON THE DISPENSARY.

Farewell to the dispensary, for a short while I trust,
Now the people, with free liquor, can get on a bust;
For the State will be flooded from one end to the other,
Till some are so full they won't know their brother;
And I think there will be crepe on the door.

I fear they will see they have made a mistake,
When they stabbed the dispensary; but it's too late—
For whisky is rolling all over our land,
And the judges supreme, say there is none to command;
And I think there will be crepe on some doors.

But I think in this dark hour there is light just ahead,
If people will only let sense rule their head.
Instead of this wrangling and quarreling and hate,
Let us all go to work for the good of the State;
And then there will be no crepe on the door.

M. J.

LETTER FROM HICKORY GROVE.

Runaway Accident—Revival in Gold Mining—Personal Mention.

Correspondence of The Yorkville Enquirer.

HICKORY GROVE, May 1.—Mr. Howard came near being killed at the depot last Wednesday. He was there after some freight, and was driving a horse belonging to C. M. Martin. The horse started to run. Mr. Howard was entangled in the lines, and was being dragged. Mr. B. K. Harding jerked the horse down, while little Moffatt Simpson quickly cut the lines, and released Mr. Howard. The horse ran about a mile but did no other damage.

Interest is being revived in gold mining in this community. Mr. Maxwell, of Knoxville, Tennessee, is re-opening the Magnolia mine formerly worked by Mr. Seacrest, of Blacksburg. The probabilities are that other mines will be opened soon.

Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Knox, Miss Emma McDill, and the Misses Simpson, will attend the Young Peoples' convention at Due West this week. Mr. and Mrs. Knox expect to be gone about three weeks.

A large number of Hickory Grove people expect to attend the Pearson meetings.

Mr. C. M. Martin leaves today on a business trip to North Carolina.

Miss Mary Whisonant is teaching a private school at Mr. E. Warth's.

Mrs. R. M. Whitesides has been quite sick for several days.

M.

ETTERS GETS FIFTEEN YEARS.

Judge Boykin Takes the Rope from the Neck of the Negro Giant and There Were Threats of Lynching.

Correspondence of the Yorkville Enquirer.

SHELBY, N. C., April 30.—W. C. Etters, who was recently convicted of manslaughter in the killing of Dr. David Hogue, has been sentenced to the penitentiary for the term of fifteen years.

Lawson Howard, the negro who was convicted of the murder of C. D. Jones, will not hang. Judge Boykin set aside the verdict of the jury, and upon re-arraignment, Howard was allowed to plead guilty of murder in the second degree, and his honor sentenced him to the penitentiary for twenty years.

The turn in the case of Howard created a great deal of dissatisfaction, and on account of the ominous mutterings that began to arise from different quarters, the sheriff hurried the prisoner off to the penitentiary within an hour after he was sentenced. Etters was taken along also, but only as a matter of convenience.

W. W. J.

LETTER FROM CLAY HILL.

A Good Rain—Two Ten Pound Carp—Serious Accident—Will Hear Mr. Pearson.

Correspondence of the Yorkville Enquirer.

CLAY HILL, April 30.—This section was visited yesterday by a much needed rain.

Mr. W. M. Biggers of this place, is rather ahead of the fishermen mentioned by your Cotton correspondent last week. He recently caught two tremendous carp. One weighed 10, and the other 10½ pounds.

Little Robbie Hoke met with a serious accident one day last week. A cow which he was driving from the pasture struck him in the face with her horn, and produced what came near being a fatal wound.

A number of our people will attend the Pearson meetings at Yorkville.

W.

SOUTH CAROLINA NEWS.

Succeeded Judge Kershaw.

— Mr. C. J. Shannon has been nominated to be postmaster at Camden, vice Judge J. B. Kershaw, deceased.

Collector for the Fourth District.

— Joseph Oatz, son of Sheriff Oatz, of Edgefield, has been appointed deputy collector for the Fourth district.

Attorney for a Railroad.

— Ex-Judge J. H. Hudson has accepted a position as attorney for the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley railroad, and at a salary of $2,000. It is said that the duties of the position will consume but a small portion of Judge Hudson's time.

The Wheelman Won.

— There was a remarkable race in Columbia last Thursday afternoon, in which John S. Prince, the English bicyclist, defeated three horses in a heat of twenty miles. According to the terms of the agreement, the horses were changed every three miles, and the bicyclist continued on the track from start to finish, without an interval of rest. The horses were well known racers with good records. Prince won the race by about twelve feet, in one hour one minute and two seconds.

A Jack the Ripper in Greenville.

— Greenville News, 27th: Earle Garrison, a well known colored man of this city, went into a fit of jealous rage Saturday night and proceeded to organize a general carving expedition. He cut two colored women in West Greenville, laying the face of one of them open from temple to chin. Then he went to the neighborhood of the Air Line depot, found a man he was looking for, and proceeded to slash him, being prevented from doing very serious damage. The police were informed of the facts and captured him without trouble.

For Prohibition.

— Mr. L. D. Childs, chairman of the State Prohibition Executive committee, on last Thursday, officially notified Mayor Sloan, of Columbia, that there were a number of saloons in operation in the city without molestation or restriction. He told the mayor that he was advised by eminent counsel that the decision of the supreme court means prohibition. The communication contained no threats, but it is understood to be a distinct warning that the prohibitionists mean war, and will fight the free system of saloons, or even the licensing of saloons, by the cities. Mr. Childs claims that the law is expressly against the licensing of saloons.

The News in Darlington.

— Darlington News: Nowhere in the State was the knockout of the dispensary received with more delight than in Darlington. The news of the decision reached here Thursday morning, and immediately it became the sole topic of conversation upon the streets. As soon as night came a jollification was held on the public square. Fireworks were sent off, the factory band played lively tunes, and the crowd gave vent to their enthusiasm by cheer after cheer. The jubilee was kept up until a late hour. Many of the prominent citizens were serenaded and the local dispensary was honored with "In the Sweet Bye and Bye" from the band.

Fire at the Penitentiary.

— The big hosiery mill within the walls of the South Carolina penitentiary, was destroyed by fire last Wednesday evening. The convicts had quit work for the day and left the building. About an hour later smoke was seen issuing from the roof. The penitentiary guards and a few trusty convicts did what they could to put out the fire, but already the flames had gotten beyond control. The destruction of the mill entails a loss of about $30,000, of which about $9,000 was covered by insurance. The building was owned by the State and the machinery by Mr. John Graham, of Columbia, and a company of Northern capitalists. The $9,000 of insurance was on the machinery. There was no insurance on the building for the reason that no company will take risks on prison buildings. The fire is supposed to have been started by a young white convict named Harry Short, who is in for life for rape, committed in Spartanburg county. Short was the last man to leave the building, and as he remained inside longer than was necessary, suspicion attaches to him.

Biggest in the Union.

— The turning of a small wheel in Columbia last Wednesday by Anetas Blood, of Massachusetts, set in motion the machinery of the largest mill under one roof in the United States. The mill, though less than half completed, is ready for work. It is five stories high, and one-fifteenth of a mile long, and will be devoted to the manufacture of cotton duck. In addition to its being the forerunner of numerous enterprises for Columbia, and bearing the distinction of being larger than the famous King-Philip mill, of Lowell, Mass., there is a feature about it that will revolutionize mill construction. This is the application of electricity to cotton manufacturing, the power being developed by power from the canal, and transmitted over wires to fifteen electric dynamos in the mill. The mill has, in all, 18,000 spindles, which are equal to 160,000 spindles of ordinary construction.

His Errand was Not Political.

— News and Courier, Saturday: Governor Tillman was in a jolly humor this morning during his interview with the newspaper men. He talked a little about his trip to Birmingham, and remarked that he did not care to take any notice of the lies that had been circulated about him, as he certainly had no excuse to make. He emphatically states that he did not go to Birmingham on a political mission, and that he did not talk politics while out there. As to his meeting Candidate Kolb, he said that as Kolb had met him at the depot and had been polite to him, that it was only one of the decencies of man to man that he should call on him, and that he did not talk politics. He did hear people talk about Coxey's army, and about his dismissal of the troops, but otherwise he did not have the time to talk silver or anything else.

No Prosecutions Will Be Allowed.

— On the 25th ultimo, the city council of Florence passed an ordinance providing for the sale of liquor. Next day W. B. Rollins, having complied with the ordinance, commenced retailing. On the following day Mr. John N. Heuckle swore out a warrant against Rollins, charging him with violating the dispensary law of 1893, and gave the names of a number of witnesses to prove the charge. Rollins was arrested by the sheriff and kept in custody. Mr. C. S. Nettles, as attorney for Rollins, at once left for Columbia for the purpose of applying to the supreme court for a writ of habeas corpus for Rollins. In the meantime, Trial Justice Loyd, who issued the warrant, informed Attorney General Buchanan of the state of affairs. Attorney General Buchanan immediately instructed Trial Justice Loyd to release Rollins, and the effort to get the case to the supreme court was thus killed.

— The treasury officials, while disclaiming any fears of trouble on account of the presence of the crowds incident to the coming of the Coxey army, have taken the precaution of adding fifty-five carbines and twenty revolvers to the treasury's supply of arms. The normal strength of the watch force of the treasury is seventy-five, divided into two reliefs, and in addition to two or three dozen revolvers there have always been thirty-five carbines in the racks in the office of the captain of the watch, sufficient to supply one to each watchman on duty. It has been thought best, however, to increase the supply in view of the crowd of hangers-on with Coxey. The "Treasury Guard," a local military organization composed entirely of clerks in the treasury department, has informed the captain of the watch force that in case of trouble at any hour of the day or night, he could have every man in his command at the treasury building inside of forty-five minutes. He stated that his men were well drilled in the use of arms, and hence could do much more effective work than civilians. He asked to be notified if there was at any time any apprehension of trouble.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

The following is a list of the letters remaining in the postoffice at Yorkville, S. C., for the week ending April 28th, 1894.

Lige Feemster, Jone Ralss, T. A. Faysoux, Charley Sleigh, A. M. Wilson.

Persons calling for any of the above letters are requested to mention that they are advertised in THE YORKVILLE ENQUIRER.

M. M. MOORE, P. M.

Market Reports.

YORKVILLE, May 2.—Cotton 6¾ to 7.
LIVERPOOL, April 30.—Cotton 4 3-16d.
NEW YORK, April 30.—Cotton 7⅞. Futures closed quiet and steady, with sales of 136,300 bales, as follows: May, 7.17; June, 7.23; July, 7.27; August, 7.32; September, 7.34; October, 7.37; November, 7.41; December, 7.48.

Special Notices.

Communion at the Chapel.

LENOIR, N. C. April 28.—Providence permitting, the communion services at the Chapel will begin on Saturday before the 1st Sabbath of May. Preaching at Bethel in the afternoon of 1st Sabbath.

D. S. MCALLISTER.
May 2 18 1t

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY,

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,
(SEAL.) Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, 75c.
April 25 17 4t

KUYKENDAL'S SPECIALS.

Nature's Laws.

It is one of the laws of nature that there is nothing lost. Matter that is apparently destroyed only assumes another form. You may not be able to recognize in the dust of the barn-yard or highway, all the harness, shoes, boots, bridles and buggy tops that have gone before; but they are there all the same—

Ye who chance these lines to read,
Be you clad in russet weed,
Be you clothed in silken stole,
Grave these counsels on thy soul.
All things earthly will decay.
Proofs lie thick along the way.
In leather alone this law you foil,
By using J. I. C. Harness Oil.
The best oil on earth for leather.

A Buggy Bobs Up.

Speaking of harness, a buggy naturally bobs up in the mind. Take the winter's mud from your buggy and give it a coat of Detroit Excelsior or Arundel Carriage Paint. It enhances the value of the vehicle, increases your respect for it, tightens up the taps and tires and makes it look as good as new. 50 and 75 cents per can.

JOHN C. KUYKENDAL.

Tip Top Teas.

We keep in stock the very finest Teas that can be bought in the markets. These teas are absolutely pure, have never been tampered with and are delightfully fragrant and refreshing.

JOHN C. KUYKENDAL.

This is No Fiction.

From many parts we hear of most wonderful cures effected by Campbell's Anti-Ferment. Infants suffering from flatulency or wind on the stomach, brought on by indigestion, and producing colic, are relieved by every dose of Anti-Ferment. Children teething, with constant derangement of the bowels, diarrhœa, dysentery, indigestion and loss of flesh, are cured. Adults who suffer with dyspepsia, sour stomach, distention of the stomach and distress after eating, palpitation of the heart, general oppression, with difficulty of breathing, disordered condition of the bowels, shooting pains in the chest and so on, all brought on by failure to properly digest and assimilate their food, say that every dose gives relief; that it is a boon, a blessing indispensible.

We, the Undersigned.

And moreover, we the undersigned, guarantee it to cure every case of colic in horses, unless the animal is in the last stages of dissolution, where the directions are carefully followed, or we will cheerfully refund the price paid for the bottle.

JOHN C. KUYKENDAL.

Special Notices.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

EVERYBODY SEEMS PLEASED

WITH THE STRIKE. All those who have tried our 5 and 6 cents STEW BEEF speak in the highest terms of it, such as: "It is splendid." "That stew was nice." "Send me another stew; that stew is the best beef we can get," etc. If you have not tried it yet, do so and be convinced that it is a good dish.

TWIN MARKET.

CLOAK LOST.

LOST, on THURSDAY, 26th ultimo, between the residence of Dr. Walker, in Yorkville, and Mr. Carroll's on the King's Mountain road, a lady's BROWN CLOAK, lined with red. The finder will please leave it at THE ENQUIRER office.

MRS. LIZZIE WALKER.
May 2 18 1t

FARM LOANS.

THE undersigned is prepared to negotiate LOANS UPON IMPROVED FARMING LANDS, lying in York county, to be repayable in convenient annual installments, extending over a period of five years. For further particulars apply to

C. E. SPENCER, Attorney at Law,
Yorkville, S. C.
February 21 8 tf

SALLIE ELDERS, ET AL., VS. SIMPSON STEWART.

NOTICE.

THE following persons, supposed to be heirs of ABNER STEWART, deceased, are notified that there is in my hands A SMALL SUM OF MONEY coming to each, from the proceeds of sale of real estate, which will be paid out to the other known heirs, by order of the court, unless called for by June 2nd, 1894; to wit: George Stewart, John Stewart, Polly Wells, Nancy Evans, Jincey Manning and David Stewart. W. BROWN WYLIE, C. C. C. Pls.

May 1st, 1894.
May 2 18 4t

A FIRE YESTERDAY.

YOU, no doubt, have heard that there was a small fire in town yesterday, and with our splendid water supply the house burned down—the fire could not be extinguished. There was no insurance. It would have as readily burned had it been insured. It was not the fault of our water supply or the efficiency of our fire companies. It was not discovered in time. The St. Charles hotel in New Orleans, caught fire night before last. The water supply and fire department of the city is supposed to be ADEQUATE and efficient, but today that famous hotel, which was worth over $300,000, is in ashes, and the insurance companies of America are minus about $210,000. The PENNSYLVANIA and DELAWARE insurance companies each had a $5,000 policy, and are satisfied with a reasonably small profit. Perhaps you know this already. Certainly you do if you deal with us. Here are a few of the latest arrivals at our establishment:

HAMS—Best quality sugar cured.
BREAKFAST STRIPS—Extra fine.
SPOTTED TONGUE—Yum, yum.
TEA—Put up in 5 cents packages.
PEPPER—Cheaper than anybody. We can supply brother merchants; at least we have been doing it.
FLOUR—As fine as the finest and way down in price. The present tendency of prices on this necessity is upward.
MEAL—Country ground. Details unnecessary.
LEMONS—Of finest quality and large size.
TINWARE—Too cheap to say much about.
Advertising space costs money.
COW CHAINS—Best quality at 65 cents.
In conclusion we will say that

SHE'S AN ODD GIRL

Who can taste our Candies without a feeling of affection for the young man who brings them. They just melt in the mouth, and then the girl's eyes melt with tenderness, and then the young man melts. Well, if you've been trying some other kind of candy, and things aren't going well—try ours; try ours. And may success be with you. It will. We have old fashioned lemon drops and have ordered some old fashioned gum drops.

FERGUSON BROS.

DOBSON'S RACKET.
DRY GOODS, MILLINERY AND SHOE STORE.

THE
OLD CHAP
IS STILL IN THE
RING WITH A SPLENDID LINE OF NICE NEW GOODS,
AT THE
VERY LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES. ALL WE ASK IS JUST TO CALL AND GET OUR PRICES.

Don't Buy Until You See My New Goods and Get My Low Prices.

THEN IF WE CAN'T SELL YOU, ITS ALL O. K.

OUR MILLINERY department has had a rush ever since our new goods arrived. Miss Palmer's artistic work has just swept the town and country like a cyclone. Our trade has been so good that it would have been impossible for us to have had a second opening, but we will soon catch up, and then the ladies will always find a nice assortment of trimmed Hats for inspection. Many thanks for your kind patronage.

DRESS GOODS.

Our Dress Goods and Trimmings are as pretty and as cheap as can be found in Yorkville. Our Oxford Ties are very pretty.

In fact our stock of all kinds of goods are new and our prices are as low as the lowest. All we ask is to call and see us, and we will treat you politely and sell you goods as cheap as you can buy them.

T. M. DOBSON & CO.

COFFINS AND CASKETS.

Our Stock is Equaled by None in the County and Surpassed by But Few in the State.

CASKETS IN METALIC, CLOTH—plain and draped—Velvet, Walnut, Oak and Gloss White. Imitation Walnut, Oak, Burl and Rosewood. Coffins in any style and at any price from a plain home-made—painted or covered—to the best raised O. G. lid with slide glass. Our stock of Caskets and Coffins FOR CHILDREN is elegant and complete.

BURIAL ROBES AND SLIPPERS,

For Ladies, Gentlemen and Children. They are much nicer, more easily adjusted and cheaper than anything kept in stores. HEARSE FURNISHED FREE in town, and at reasonable prices anywhere in the county.

WE SUPERINTEND ALL FUNERALS furnished by us and give prompt attention to all calls, day or night. Your patronage solicited.

S. T. FREW & CO.

Rock Hill, S. C.

LOUIS ROTH.

HAM; YES, SWEET HAM.

DID YOU KNOW THAT I SELL THE very best Canvas Hams, and that I have added a splendid stock of FANCY GROCERIES to my bakery and restaurant? Well I have, and there are few things that are good to eat that I can't furnish you. If you want a can of EAGLE CONDENSED MILK I can supply you. If you want a can of SYRUP PEACHES for 15 cents, come and get it. If you want a can of SALMON, DRIED BEEF, CORNED BEEF, TOMATOES OR BEANS, come to my place and get it. If you want IVORY or WHITE HOUSE LAUNDRY SOAP, you can get it from me. If you want a FANCY GRADE OF FLOUR, I can supply you. If you want steamed APRICOTS—something nice for pies—come to me.

LOUIS ROTH,
Baker and Fancy Grocer.

MONTVALE STOCK FARM.
Blacksburg, S. C.

REGISTERED JERSEYS, WELCH AND SHETLAND PONIES, (Imported stock.) ESSEX AND REGISTERED CHESHIRE PIGS. Bred and for sale.

OUR JERSEYS are all of the celebrated Victor and Stoke Rogis strains, which have attracted so much attention throughout the North. BULL CALVES FOR SALE AT FARMERS' PRICES. If you are thinking of starting a dairy herd don't overlook the Jerseys. They are the best dairy cows known to the world.

We guarantee our ponies to be perfectly safe for ladies and children to drive. CAN SELL SHETLAND PONIES AS CHEAP AS ANY BREEDERS IN THE SOUTH. Write for what you want.

Address, Dr. J. G. BLACK,
Blacksburg, S. C.

H. C. STRAUSS.

MY STORE WILL BE CLOSED EVERY MORNING FROM 11 TO 12 DURING THE PEARSON MEETING, EXCEPT SATURDAY.

CLOTHING!

MY THIRD SHIPMENT HAS ARRIVED.

Everybody is Pleased With Quality and Price.

LAST week I received my third shipment of Spring Clothing for Men, Youths and Boys. My stock of this line is now complete, and I am now able to fit any body from a boys of 4 years up. I can also suit anybody in quality and price. When you need anything in this line call and see me.

STRAW HATS.

I would be glad to have you call in my store sometime. Even if you don't want a hat, you can see what kind of quality I have and hear my prices. Then you will know where to come

WHEN YOU WANT A HAT.

I have them to suit everybody.

A Complete Line of Balbriggan Underwear for Men and Youths at Knockout Prices.
A Large Stock of White and Colored Shirts to Suit Everybody.
A Nice Line of Cuffs, Collars and Cravats to Suit Everybody.
I Have Low Quartered Shoes for Men.
I am Agent for Coats's Cotton.

H. C. STRAUSS.

THEN AND NOW.

AT the beginning of last year—or thereabouts—I called the attention of the public to the fact that I was agent for the MONARCH BICYCLES, and made the assertion that they were equal in EVERY particular to any wheels on the market, and that in some respects they were far ahead of all would-be competitors. I claimed that they were as handsome and durable as any, and when running qualities were taken into consideration, they were away ahead—that they run at least one-third lighter, and, therefore, it took one-third less power to propel them. My claims were correct; but at that time "the boys" did not know it, or believe it. They do now, and as a consequence I have sold four machines this year where I sold one last, and the season is young yet. Of course I do not expect to sell all the wheels this year, but do not expect to miss many sales when they are made on the merit of the respective machines offered. THE MONARCH IS KING OF BIKES!

READING BICYCLES.

I am also agent for the Reading Bicycles. They stand at the head of MEDIUM GRADE wheels. The 1894 patterns are very handsome They are fully warranted by the makers. They range in price from $70 to $80. They are not as fine wheels as the Monarch, because it's the best. Mr. CHURCH CARROLL is riding a 1893 READING, and if you want a good medium grade wheel at a low price, you should examine it.

SAM M. GRIST,
Agent for York and Chester Counties.
March 21 12 tf

JOHN J. HUNTER.

CAST IRON SUITS

WOULD sell fast if the price was low and they could be made in light weights. While you are waiting for these improvements, the next best thing is one of our

ALL-WOOL SERCE SUITS

Which will keep their shape, wear like iron, and outlast two suits of the ordinary clothing.

CHARACTER IN WALKING.

Tip-toe walking symbolizes curiosity; turned-in toes absent-mindedness; slow step—a thoughtful person; quick steps energy. There is a style of walking which indicates that a man's shoes hurt him, but that style is not common here, because so many men wear the

DORSCH SHOE.
It Never Pinches.

JOHN J. HUNTER.

W. E. FERGUSON. J. M. FERGUSON.
FERGUSON BROS.

A GROCER WITH "SAND"

WILL not put it in his sugar, but rather into business principles. Pure sugar is a good thing to be able to sell, but much of it is adulterated in these latter days. The watchful grocer is careful what he buys—then he knows what he is selling. This is the only way in which a reputation can be built up. As in Sugar, so with Tea, Coffee, Flour, Butter—everything we keep for public consumption. We BUY THE BEST, therefore SELL THE BEST, and are satisfied with a reasonably small profit. Perhaps you know this already. Certainly you do if you deal with us. Here are a few of the latest arrivals at our establishment:

HAMS—Best quality sugar cured.
BREAKFAST STRIPS—Extra fine.
POTTED TONGUE—Yum, yum.
TEA—Put up in 5 cents packages.
PEPPER—Cheaper than anybody. We can supply brother merchants; at least we have been doing it.
FLOUR—As fine as the finest and way down in price. The present tendency of prices on this necessity is upward.
MEAL—Country ground. Details unnecessary.
LEMONS—Of finest quality and large size.
TINWARE—Too cheap to say much about.
Advertising space costs money.
COW CHAINS—Best quality at 65 cents.
In conclusion we will say that

WE CAN SUPPLY THEM NOW.

WE have been handling for several years past what is acknowledged by the best farmers in this section to be the boss side-harrow for cultivating cotton, and in view of its undoubted superiority and great merit, we have determined to continue to handle it. We could buy a harrow that looks very much like this one for less money and sell it for the same price, but we know it would not give the satisfaction that this one does. We have just received a stock of these harrows and would advise those who expect to need anything of this kind, to call immediately and get one or more. We can supply them now and may not be able to do so later on.

J. H. RIDDLE,

WHISONANT & CASTLES,
HICKORY GROVE, S. C.

READY MADE CLOTHING.

OUR stock of Clothing for gentlemen and boys is now ready for inspection, and we are satisfied that we can supply and suit our trade in every respect. It is to your interest to see our goods before you buy, for our prices are as low as the lowest.

Ladies' Low Cut Shoes.

Our stock of low cut shoes for ladies, misses and gentlemen is full and complete, and you may rest assured that in this line you can get just what you want at the right price.

OUR STRAW HATS

For men and boys, consist of all of the latest styles and best quality. If you want a nice hat, be sure to see our stock before you buy. We won't be undersold.

We have an elegant line of ladies' dress goods at from 5 cents a yard up.

It is Fairly Booming.

Our Millinery department is fairly booming. We have the goods. We have the milliner, and our prices are right.

WHISONANT & CASTLES,
Hickory Grove, S. C.
April 25 14 2m

S. L. LOWRY. JAS. M. STARR.
LOWRY & STARR.

PAINT YOUR BUGGY.

WE have the PAINT and the BRUSH. Help yourself. Do not pay out money for what you can do. Our Paint is prepared ready for use. Produces the most brilliant gloss or enamel surface; superior to any other article introduced for either interior or exterior work. It dries hard with a handsome enamel gloss in 24 hours.

PAINT ONE DAY AND USE THE NEXT.

We received this week a new supply of different colors.

Bring us your Coco-Cola tickets.

LOWRY & STARR.

WHEN YOU NEED ANY

PATENT MEDICINES, you should go to LOWRY & STARR. They keep a first class stock of Drugs, Pills, Plasters, Chemicals, etc. If you cannot find what you want at their store, it is hardly necessary to hunt for it in York. Take your prescriptions to them and they will be accurately compounded and at live and let live prices. On patent medicines they often save you money. They sell household Ammonia at 10 cents a pint. You pay from 15 to 25 cents for it elsewhere. They sell Mrs. Person's Remdy and Wash, Hall's Catarrh Cure, Ayer's Medicines.

They want you to paint your buggy, and to aid you will sell you one quart of the BEST Paint for 75 cents, CASH.

LOWRY & STARR.
Leading Druggist.

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FINLEY & BRICE,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
Yorkville, S. C.

ALL business entrusted to us will be given prompt attention.

OFFICE IN THE BUILDING AT THE REAR OF H. C. STRAUSS'S STORE.

FOR ONE WEEK ONLY!

A Reckless Slaughter of Fine Millinery.

150 TRIMMED HATS

To be Placed on Exhibition at Latimer's Fashion Bazaar next Tuesday, at from Twenty-five Cents Upward.

ALL THE HANDIWORK OF MISS WEBB.

It will Be a Sight Worth Seeing, and its Dazzling Beauty will Cause the Wonder and Admiration of All.

REMEMBER THE WEEK!

A Grand Opportunity for the Short Pole to Get Its Persimmon, or a Small Amount of Money to Get a Very Fine Hat. A Pointer!

FROM next TUESDAY, MAY 1ST, LATIMER'S MILLINERY DEPARTMENT will be arrayed in regulation holiday attire, and will be decorated with a reckless profusion of handsomely trimmed hats for ladies, which will be scattered hither and thither about our salesroom at prices ranging from TWENTY-FIVE CENTS UP! Just think of it! Don't delay until the eleventh hour of the seventh day, for with our stock of goods, and Miss Webb's taste and art, and at the prices which they are to be sold, we cannot hold them back for a favored few. Oh, no; we can't do that. They must ride on the great tidal wave!

You have from today, April 25th, until next Tuesday, May 1st, in which to make up your mind and make other necessary arrangements incident to attending our grand slaughter sale of ladies' trimmed hats and millinery, and if you allow yourself to be tardy and miss the opportunity that others are bound to avail themselves of, you cannot lay the blame at our door.

Miss Webb extends a cordial invitation to all the ladies to come and examine her work, and we assure you that you will be well received and treated with the respectful consideration which you deserve.

W. C. LATIMER.

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