

## NEWS OF WHITMIRE INTERESTINGLY TOLD

### MISS KATE HARGROVE RESIGNS AS POSTMISTRESS.

Mr. M. E. Abrams Bitten by Spider.  
Handsome New Carpet for Methodist Church—Personal.

Whitmire, June 29.—On Wednesday, June 21, a number of our patriotic friends met the 3 o'clock train to get a glimpse of Hon. Wm. J. Bryan. We shook hands with and heard a few pleasant words from him.

About a week ago Mr. and Mrs. Sims McDaniel and children, left here for Littleton, N. C. They will also visit relatives at several different places on the Virginia coast before returning home.

Miss Daisy Shannon, of Columbia, after a pleasant visit to relatives here, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cofield and son, Joseph, spent Saturday with Mr. Frank Maybin and family, and Sabbath night with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cofield.

Miss Sarah Halfacre and Master William Halfacre are spending some time with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maybin.

Messrs William and Thad Coleman and B. H. Herren went automobiling to Columbia yesterday.

Miss Ruby Herren is visiting friends in Chester.

Mrs. Layton Abrams spent today with her son, Mr. J. W. Hipp. Little Miss Mildred Hipp returned home with her grandmother.

Miss Kate Hargrove has resigned her position as postmistress here, and will take a rest of several weeks before entering into another line of work. Miss Hargrove has been a pleasant, obliging and efficient postmistress, and many will miss her in the office. Whenever a vacancy occurs in any walk of life there are those who are willing and anxious to fill it. There are several aspirants for this position.

Mr. Claude McDill, of Chester, spent two days in our town last week. Mr. McDill was working in the interest of a moving picture show, but did not succeed in locating one in our town. The small boys were disappointed.

Mrs. Jno. M. Suber and daughter, Miss Myrtle, visited Mr. Z. H. Suber and Mrs. J. S. McCauley last week.

Miss Winnie Henderson, of Maybinton, spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. M. E. Abrams.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church have just placed a handsome new carpet in their church. They deserve credit and praise for the pleasure this will give all who attend their services.

Mr. Bob Watkins, of Columbia, was summoned here by telegram last week to see his mother, Mrs. Lottie Watkins. Mrs. Watkins has been quite ill for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brock spent a day and night with Mrs. Lottie Watkins last week.

Miss Willie Rice, of Spartanburg, has been here several days visiting her sister, Miss Frances Rice. Mr. G. H. Leitner carried these young ladies and Mr. Henry Miller, in his auto, through to Union. They went to attend the marriage of their cousin, Miss Sarah Rice.

Mr. Marvin E. Abrams was bitten by a spider early Tuesday morning. He suffered intensely during the day and his friends and relatives were very uneasy about him.

The Whitmire German club have issued a large number of invitations to a dance to be given at the bank hall Friday evening, June 30.

Mrs. Will Lee died at a hospital in Columbia on Monday. The remains reached here on the 3 o'clock train and were laid to rest at O'Dells church. Rev. O. A. Jeffcoat conducted the funeral services. Mrs. Lee had been in failing health for some time.

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### INVITATIONS TO GOV. BLEASE.

Executive Unable to Visit Citadel and Cedar Springs.

Columbia, June 26.—Gov. Blease received several invitations Monday. He was invited by the superintendent of the Citadel to attend the commencement exercises Wednesday, to present two medals to students. On account of an engagement here Gov. Blease had to decline this invitation. He was also invited to attend the Cedar Springs Institute for the Deaf and Blind this week, but also declined for the same reason.

Governor Blease received an invitation from Governor Stubbs, of Kansas, to attend the State fair and speak on governors' day, September 5. Governor Blease stated that he would attend on

this occasion.

The Southern Travellers' association has asked Governor Blease to write an article on "What the World Owes to the South," for a souvenir, to be printed for the smoker to be given on August 8 at the Hotel Astor by this association.

### SHORT WEIGHTS IN COLUMBIA.

Government Experts Find Scales and Measures Inaccurate.

Columbia, June 26.—Weights and measures used in Columbia are generally incorrect, the errors favoring as a rule the dealer as against the consumer; and, upon a showing to this effect by federal experts, the city council has set for itself the task of remedying matters.

The situation is complicated and its proper readjustment will require some time. The promising feature is the cordial cooperation which the merchants themselves offer. It is realized, by city council as well as by the government agents, that the losses inflicted by short weights and measures upon the consumers are inflicted innocently and ignorantly by most of the dealers so offending, and these merchants say they will be very glad to have their standards corrected.

In April experts from the bureau of standards of the national department of commerce and labor quietly made an investigation into the weights and measures used in Columbia, under the direction of Mr. M. H. Stillman. Mayor Gibbs knew of the investigation, and, foreseeing the importance of its bearing, asked to be furnished with a copy of the report, embodying the findings of the experts. This report has just come to hand, from Director S. W. Stratton, of the bureau of standards.

### TWELVE CONSTABLES REMOVED.

Action in Accordance With Advice From County Officials.

Columbia, June 26.—Gov. Blease today, in accordance with letters received from sheriffs and supervisors, removed twelve dispensary constables in eleven dry counties.

The following are the counties in which the constabulary have been dismissed by the governor's letters mailed out this afternoon:

Dorchester, Lee, Sumter, Orangeburg, Fairfield, Darlington, Abbeville, Berkeley, Saluda, (two constables), Barnwell, Calhoun.

In each county, save Saluda, there was one dispensary constable.

In addition to the removal of the constables in the counties named above, Governor Blease indicated that he would retain constables, in accordance with supervisors' and sheriffs' reports in several dry counties.

Governor Blease wrote a letter to the dry counties where the constables had been appointed asking the supervisors and sheriff if the constables were desired to be retained. It was in accordance with the letters received that Gov. Blease acted today.

The six wet counties are not affected. Charleston, Richland, Beaufort, Florence and Georgetown retain all their constables. Aiken does not have whiskey constables because of the rural policemen that are employed in that county.

Gov. Blease today explained his position in the constabulary matter as follows:

"I am trying to give the people of the State an economic administration, and am paying more attention to this feature than to any other one thing. Where the local officers have given me the assurance that they will be able to enforce the laws, I do not wish to give the taxpayers any extra expense by the appointment or the retaining of constables. If, however, the local officers do not enforce the laws, constables will be appointed wherever requested."

The removal of the several constables given above goes into effect on July 1.

In Saluda it was pointed out that the enforcement of the law against the illicit sale of liquor being carried on by white people was not carried out as it should be. Two constables had been employed in that county, Messrs. Wertz and Williams.

### TO HOLD COURT AT SALUDA.

Judge Memminger Named in Place of Judge Klugh.

Lancaster, June 26.—Judge R. W. Memminger has been assigned by Chief Justice Jones to hold the court of general sessions for Saluda county, commencing next Monday, in place of Judge J. C. Klugh.

But has anybody yet found any sand in the sugar trust, or was that charge fastened on the retailer?—Atlanta Journal.

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O. A. Felker.

### BRIDGE TO LET.

Pursuant to an act of the general assembly approved February 18, 1911, notice is hereby given that the county board of commissioners for Newberry county will on the 1st day of July, 1911, at Newberry, S. C., at the hour of 4 o'clock p. m., let out to the lowest responsible bidder the building and erecting of a steel or iron bridge over Enoree river, at Brazelton's ferry. Plans and specifications may be seen on day of letting. The successful bidder will be required to enter into a sufficient bond with a surety company, the amount of the bond to be not less than the bid. All bids shall be sealed and delivered to the board not later than 3 o'clock of said day. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Fuller conditions and requirements will be announced on the day of bidding.

L. I. Feagle,  
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Examination will be held at the county seat July 14, 1911. Examination of students generally for admission to the university will be held at the same time.

Write for information to S. C. Mitchell, president, Columbia, S. C. 5-16-13t.

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