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# THE LANTERN.

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CHESTER, S. C., FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1901.

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## CZOLGOCZ STATEMENT.

### How He Was Wrought up to His Villainous Deed

The following statement was made by Czolgoz to the Buffalo police:

"I was born in Detroit nearly 29 years ago. My parents were Russian Poles. They came here 42 years ago. I got my education in the public schools of Detroit and then went to Cleveland where I got work. In Cleveland I read books on socialism, and met a great many socialists. I was pretty well known as a socialist in the west. After being in Cleveland for several years I went to Chicago, where I remained for several months, after which I went to Newburg on the outskirts of Cleveland, and went to work in the Newburg wire mills.

"During the last five years here I had as friends anarchists in Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit and in more western cities, and I suppose I became more or less bitter. Yes, I know I was bitter. I never had much luck at anything and this preyed upon me. It made me morose and envious, but what started me to go to Newburg was a lecture I heard some little time ago. It was by Goldman. She was in Cleveland and I and other anarchists went to hear her. She set me on fire.

"Her doctrine that all rulers should be exterminated was what set me to thinking so that my head nearly split with the pain. Miss Goldman's words went right through me, and when I left the lecture I had made up my mind that I would do something heroic for the cause I loved.

"Eight days ago, while I was in Chicago, I read in a Chicago newspaper of President McKinley's visit to the Pan-American exposition. That day I bought a ticket for Buffalo and got there with a determination to do something, but I did not know just what. I thought of the assassination of President McKinley.

"I went to live at 1,078 Broadway, which is a saloon and a hotel. John Nowack, a Pole, a sort of politician, who has led his people here for years, owns it. I told Nowack that, I came to see the fair. He knew nothing about what was setting me crazy. I went to the exposition grounds a couple of times a day.

"Not until Tuesday morning did the resolution to shoot the president take hold of me. It was in my heart; there was no escape for me. I could not have conquered it had my life been at stake. There were thousands of people in town on Tuesday. I heard it was President Day. All these people seemed bowing to the great ruler. I went up my mind to kill that ruler. I bought a 32-calibre revolver and loaded it.

"On Tuesday night I went to the fair grounds and was near the railroad gate when the presidential party arrived. I tried to get near him, but the police forced me back. They forced everybody back, so that the great ruler could pass. I was close to the president when he got into the grounds, but was afraid to attempt the assassination because there was so many men in the bodyguard that watched him. I was not afraid of them or that I would get hurt, but afraid that I might be seized and that my chance would be gone forever.

"Well, he went away that time and I went home. On Wednesday I went up to the grounds and stood right near the president, right under him, near the stand from which he spoke.

"I thought half a dozen times of shooting him while he was speaking, but I could not get close enough. I was afraid I might miss him and then the crowd was always jostling, and I was afraid my shot might go wild until Thursday and the president got into his carriage again, and a lot of men were about him and formed a cordon that I could not get through. I was tossed about the crowd and my spirits were getting pretty low. I was almost hopeless that night as I went home.

"Yesterday morning I went again to the exposition grounds. Emma Goldman's speech was still burning

## A NEGRO WINS FAME.

### James B. Parker, Who Struck President McKinley's Assassin, and Prevented Another Shot—A Georgia Negro—His Story.

Special to The Newark Courier.

James B. Parker, the Georgia negro who knocked down Czolgoz the moment after he shot the president, was found today. He gave a graphic account of the tragic occurrence.

"I was next in line behind the Anarchist who shot the president," he said, "I tried to get in front of him several times, but he pushed me back with his elbow. A little girl had just shaken hands with the president when the assassin reached him. Czolgoz had the revolver concealed in a handkerchief, which was wrapped around the revolver and his hand. Czolgoz did not extend his left hand as some of the newspapers report. The president thought Czolgoz's right hand was sore and put up his hand to take the anarchist's left hand. As he did this the anarchist fired twice, bam, bam. I struck him in the nose with my right fist, and reached with my left hand to take the pistol from him. Several of the marines thought the officer was the man that did the shooting, but he pointed to where I had Czolgoz down on the floor and said: 'There is the man who shot him.' Czolgoz raised his pistol again to shoot either the president or myself, but at that time I choked him so hard that he couldn't shoot. I struck him so hard that the blood gushed from his nose.

We struggled some seconds before the secret service officers reached us. 'Then one of them, I think it was Foster, struck him and said: 'Get up, did you dare to shoot our president?' I wanted to cut his throat, but they took him from me. I believe that my striking Czolgoz kept him from shooting until he emptied his pistol and probably prevented the president from being wounded again."

Parker is a native of Georgia, his mother was a Savannah colored woman, and his father is a half Spaniard and half negro from John's Island, off Charleston. He has been living in Buffalo since last March, and had for several months been employed at the Plaza Restaurant, in the Exposition grounds. He got off from his work in order to shake hands with the president, and was the man immediately behind the assassin.

Parker considers Atlanta as his home, he having lived most of his life there, working in the north at intervals. He says he only did his duty, but does not resist the way in which the secret service men have attempted to create the impression that they overcame the assassin. He only regrets that he was not allowed to kill Czolgoz.

"The twenty thousand white people while there ought not to have expected a negro to do it all," he said. "Some of them ought to have helped me kill him; we would have fixed him quick in Georgia."

Parker is in deadly fear of the anarchists and says that he will leave Buffalo soon because he is afraid they will kill him.

From the Atlanta Journal.

James Parker, the negro who struck the anarchist just as he shot the president, was, as *The Journal* first stated, an Atlanta negro. Parker was for years one of the most prominent negroes in local republican circles. He was continually about the government building and knew all of the leading lights in both the democratic and republican parties.

Parker is very tall and is powerfully built. On election days he carries a big stick and herd the more timid and ignorant negroes up the steps, then to the polls. He was never given anything at the hands of the party that he served that was worth much, but he remained faithful and was ever ready to serve the leaders who were directing affairs.

Although he was an ardent republican and bent all of his energies in that direction, he was not offensive to the white people with whom he came in contact.

Parker has a decided military appearance and prides himself on his style. He usually wears a long Peacoat. About a wide brimmed felt hat and low cut vests with a white shirt. During the time that Atlanta was in a state bordering on terror thirteen years ago over the prohibition election Parker was one of the most ardent workers for the wet ticket. He wore red badges and worked night and day for the anti's.

When Harrison defeated Cleveland Parker headed a parade of negroes that kept up a constant jubilee for days. On the other hand, when Mr. Cleveland was first elected he gathered the crestfallen negroes about him and kept them opposite the custom house for two days.

As the reports would come in from the states that had gone for the republicans Parker would rush the negroes up to the steps and make them yell like mad.

One Parker made a mistake and went into the dining room of a hotel in Marietta and ordered a waiter to bring him his dinner. The waiter declined and reported the matter to the proprietor of the house. He told Parker that he could not eat in the room, but that he would provide a place for him. The negro refused to do this, and the hotel man became angry, forced him at the point of a gun to go to the kitchen. He made him eat there and then refused to allow him to pay for the meal.

Despite this break Parker has always been considered a negro who was friendly to the white people. When Mr. Jefferson Davis was in Atlanta years ago Parker walked up to him and handing him a bunch of flowers said:

"Mr. Davis, please take these from a nigger."

The flowers were accepted with thanks.

## DANISH WEST INDIES.

### Some Interesting Facts Concerning Their Purchase and Their Strategic and Commercial Value to the United States.

In view of the practical completion of the purchase of the Danish West Indies by the United States government, it will be interesting to recall the negotiations leading up to the sale and to know something of their value from a commercial and strategic point of view.

The sale to the United States of these islands, St. Thomas, St. Croix, and St. John, has been under consideration by the governments of Denmark and the United States for almost three years. In the earlier stages of the negotiations Denmark made tentative proposals at Washington through the Danish minister, Christian Brun, and Captain Christian Dirckfeldt, the latter being an agent clothed with only semi-official authority.

Denmark was anxious to sell and the United States to buy, but several considerations tended to delay the action. Denmark did not recover from the chagrin and mortification caused by the failure of the treaty of purchase negotiated by Secretary Seward after the civil war, and made it clear from the beginning of the renewal of the deal that assurance of this administration's ability to carry through the necessary treaty must be given before Denmark would commit herself to final terms. Again, the method of negotiating through Captain Dirckfeldt was not satisfactory.

Finally United States Minister Swenson, at Copenhagen, received authority to negotiate with the government of King Christian, Affairs were proceeding smoothly when a change of ministry was followed by Danish opposition to the sale. This adverse influence, however, was only temporary, and negotiations were resumed.

The price, 16,000,000 crowns, or about \$4,288,000, represents the actual accumulated deficit in the budget of this colony. Denmark has for many years received no revenue, but has had to contribute to the imperial treasury.

The islanders have not suffered business depression through the decline of the sugar industry caused by adverse tariffs, desire for nothing more than free trade with the United States. There has been some spasmodic demonstration of sentimental preference for King Christian's gentle rule, but the main current of feeling has been favorable to Americanization. The island population voted by a large majority for annexation in Seward's time.

The people in this colony have insisted this time that terms for their protection be imposed. The Copenhagen government has stipulated for full citizenship for them on annexation and for free trade between the islands and the States.

The strategic advantage of St. Thomas, which has a magnificent harbor, is the reason why the United States. Just at the beginning of the war with Spain their purchase for this reason was advocated strongly, and indeed the need then disclosed inspired the present negotiations.

A base commanding the approach to the Isthmus of Panama and the inter-oceanic canal is of the highest naval importance to the United States. Porto Rico furnishes such a base, but the probability that unless we bought the Danish Group some other power would try, made the purchase necessary. During the negotiations there were constant rumors that Germany was bidding for these islands. France was also

## STOOD DEATH OFF.

### E. B. Munday, a lawyer of Henrietta, Tex., once fooled a graverigger.

He says: "My brother was very low with malaria fever and jaundice. I persuaded him to try Electric Bitters, and he was soon feeling better, but continued to use until he was wholly cured. I am sure Electric Bitters saved his life. This remedy expels malaria, kills disease germs and purifies the blood; aids digestion, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, cures constipation, dyspepsia, nervous diseases, kidney troubles, female complaints; gives perfect health. Only 50c at Woods' Drug Co.

## Mail Carrier Dismissed.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—Second Assistant Postmaster General Shallenberger today summarily cancelled the contract of a mail carrier for expressing satisfaction over the shooting of President McKinley.

The name of the person who was dealt with is Charles F. Cortright, who had a contract for carrying the mail between Homer, Cortland county, N. Y., and Spaford, Onondaga county, same state. The information concerning his offense came to the postoffice department through the postmaster at Homer who inclosed affidavits from four citizens of the place confirming the report.

When Cortright first received the announcement of the news of the attempt upon the president's life he remarked with an oath that he was "glad of it," and added that the president should have been killed years ago. Gen. Shallenberger cancelled Cortright's contract upon the grounds that a person capable of such sentiments is not a fit custodian of the mails of the government.

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## Brutal Criticism.

Senator Tillman, not long since made a characteristically brutal criticism of Senator Mc Laurin, replete with sickness in a family in a manner which showed a great want of any delicacy of feeling. In this he was joined by several newspapers in the state. Senator Mc Laurin at this time was at the bedside of his step-father, Mr. Mowry, in New York. Mr. Mowry died last Sunday morning. It really seems that politics has reached a miserably low plane when a man cannot attend members of his family who are sick without capital being made of it. When Senator Mc Laurin's little daughter was exceedingly ill with typhoid fever this was done, and likewise when his wife was sick. It would seem that political persecution could go no further. According to his enemies Mr. Mc Laurin is vindictive enough along other lines without a resort to such methods as this. South Carolinians have never endorsed such warfare, and they will resent it at the proper time. Summer Times.

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## Startling Illusion.

What is described by Prof. R. W. Wood as the most startling illusion he has ever seen is produced with a lead pencil and a wire window screen in front of a sky background. The pencil is held point up an inch or two from the screen, and the eyes are focused upon the point where the wire gauze appears blurred and doubled, but with a little effort the images of the mesh are brought out distinctly and apparently in the same plane as the pencil. On moving the latter away, it appears to pass through the screen and become doubled, the image diverging until the point is stopped by the wire. If the pencil is now withdrawn the sharp image of the combined images of the gauze persists, and on moving the eyes to within six or eight inches and attempting to touch the wire, the surprising discovery is made that the wire is a mere illusion. It is a couple of inches farther away.

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**What Is a Coward?**

Is Czolgoz a coward? He is now frequently characterized as such, and his deed is spoken of as cowardly. The coward is said to be derived from one that meaps tail, perhaps signifying to turn the tail to flee, as a frightened dog. If we know what the word means it applies, properly, to one who is abnormally timid or destitute of courage. It seems to us that almost any other disgraceful epithet would be more appropriate in describing this man. His acquaintances had considered him timid, but acknowledged their surprise at the nerve and courage which he manifested. The stealthy manner in which he approached his victim was evidently not due to consideration for his own safety but to the fear that he might be detected and defeated in his purpose. He said himself, "I was in the case. When a man in cold blood goes so deliberately about a deed, the execution of which offers only the prospect of certain and probably immediate death, he can hardly be called a coward, without a looseness of expression that is unwarranted. The word has been used so much for the expression of reproach and of strong indignation that many employ it for such a purpose without regard to its meaning."

**The State's Editorial.**

As much has been said about the editorial of the Columbia State in last Saturday's issue relating to President McKinley, we think proper to give the editorial, so that everyone may judge from the editor's own words rather than from reports of them, possibly incorrect. One who holds the views that the editor of the State does can make objection only on the ground that it seems to have been out of place at that particular time. Probably there are not very many people who believe that the good name of the United States has suffered seriously in its eyes in the world, believing, as many do, that there never was a time before when this country was held in so profound respect. We do not say that President McKinley is to be credited with all of this.

Following is the whole of the editorial except one paragraph, which has reference only to the vice-president:

We add our voice to the common chorus of denunciation which follows the deed of an assassin in attempting the life of President McKinley, and we deplore the possibility that the wounds received by the chief executive may prove fatal. Yet we do this more from a constitutional abhorrence of cowardly and cruel deeds and of a normal human sympathy for the suffering than because we believe that the person of a president is more important than that of any other man or that the death of William McKinley would be an irreparable loss to his country.

As a journal of national convictions The State cannot now reverse, even in the presence of the calamity which has befallen him, the opinions it has expressed of the executive policy of William McKinley. It has believed, and still believes, that he has done more injury to the cause and good name of the republic than any of the men who preceded him in the presidential office. His very personal virtues have enabled him the more effectively to commit what we consider national crimes. His sweetness and suppleness of disposition have made possible the success of measures which cruelly destroy America's national pride, stamped upon weaker lands with blood and with fire. Under his administration the United States has become an unclean land, a republic a republic-empire, a Janus among nations, wearing two faces. We cannot forget this even in our indignation at the treacherous assassin which has prostrated him and our sympathy for a sorely stricken man.

It will be a gratification to the country to know that the attempted assassination was not the work of an American nor prompted by any difference as to governmental policy. That would have been a special calamity. The deed was done by an anarchist of foreign birth—one of those mad dogs of civilization who range two worlds with hell in their hearts, a blind, venomous rage against all rule, an insane aspiration to abolish government, and a destroying the heads of government. The later bulletins go to midnight hold out a fair prospect of President McKinley's recovery. There can

be no political enemy who will not, for reasons apart from questions of national policy and national destiny, hope that this expectation may be realized.

**Sympathy vs. Slop.**

It must be gratifying to every one of right feeling to see the sincere and cordial expressions of sympathy for President McKinley since the attempt was made on his life, coming as they do from all sections and from those who differ with him as well as those who agree with him in political views. Opponents can, and in most cases do, express appreciation of Mr. McKinley's noble qualities without any compromise of their own opinions. It is disgusting, however, to see some persons, of whom at least dignified moderation might be expected, slop over with a flood of adulation. The most extreme case of this kind is from the somewhat famous R. P. Hobson, of the navy, and a southern man. The Atlanta News told him at Buffalo for the expression of a southern view of President McKinley, and here is his reply:

"Your telegram only just received. I regard McKinley the staunchest, truest president friend the south has had since Grant. He stands with Washington and Lincoln, our great presidents, in the front rank of the world's great statesmen. In character, he resembles our glorious Robert E. Lee, fearless, strong, firm, yet gentle and considerate. Broadminded, without malice or passion, industrious, tireless, never weary, devoted to all that is devoted in private as in public life—an altogether beautiful and lovable character, the highest type of Christian manhood. May God spare his life to his countrymen and to the world."

"I am sending same telegram to the Constitution at their regular request. R. P. HOBSON."

Possibly this estimate was in no way influenced by the thought of prospective promotion; that may have been thought of. There is suggestion, however, in the fact that just a little while before the president was shot, he stepped out of the way to greet Lieut. Hobson, and showed him marked attention. May this not have appealed to inordinate vanity and given rise to the young officer's infatuation.

We have nothing to say as to his praise for Mr. McKinley, except that we should not have spread it on quite so thick, but his implied opinion of other presidential candidates, his ignorance of history, statesmanship and what constitutes friendship for the south. It is plainly implied that he regards Grant as pre-eminently a friend to the South, whereas no president has ever shown the south so little consideration, as is well known to every one who remembers his attitude toward this section during the period of reconstruction. A sufficient explanation of this may be that Lieut. Hobson was born about that time, and has given more attention to naval construction than to reconstruction.

Rear Admiral Howison has been excused from the Schley court of inquiry. It was shown by witnesses that he had expressed decided views as to the culpability of Schley in a very contemptuous manner. He was forced to admit that he had seen on the subject of inquiry. It was very soon decided by Dewey and Benham, the other members of the court that Howison was disqualified.

A long time ago a man committed a villainous crime for the avowed purpose of making himself famous and perpetuating his name in history. It was ordered that his name should never be used. This order, however failed of its purpose, and the school children of our day can tell the villain's name and what he did. We believe there was suggestion that the name of President Garfield's assassin should be suppressed, but the school children can tell that too. The name of President McKinley's assailant will likewise be preserved in history, thanks to a written language that he did not recognize. It himself at the river Styx, if the pro-nunciation depended upon tradition.

**Four-Legged Partridge.**

Mr. J. F. Goforth, of the Bethany neighborhood, exhibited a four-legged partridge at the Enquirer office Saturday. He found it in the public road in a covey of 25 or 30 small birds, flushed by his wagon. This particular bird attracted his attention by its inability to move so smartly as the others. On dissection showed the peculiarity mentioned.—Yorkville Enquirer.

**THE PRESIDENT.**  
A Turn for the Worse.—His Case Is Considered Critical.

President McKinley's symptoms yesterday gave some alarm. His pulse ran up very high and other symptoms were not favorable. It was thought that the trouble was caused by food that did not agree with him. There was improvement at midnight.

After 2 o'clock he had a sinking spell and the physicians were alarmed. At 3 o'clock the physicians were administering digitalis and the president was considered critical.

A dispatch at 6:30 this morning says physicians were worried, but extreme danger was over for the present.

**The Delinicator for October.**

The easiest and simplest way we can suggest for our readers to get a good idea of the style that will be popular this winter is to buy a copy of The October Delinicator, just on sale at every news stand. The Delinicator for October foreshadows, by means of its New York, Paris and London connections, those tendencies of fashion which will certainly prevail.

In addition to the fashion features and practical dressmaking advice that has made the Delinicator famous, the October number is full of good general reading, most tastefully illustrated under the immediate direction of the well-known artist, William Martin Johnson. Mr. Johnson's work is known to lovers of the beautiful, by reason of the Garfield edition of Ben Hur, as well as some other books of large sale. Mr. Johnson believes in illustrations that illustrate, rather than in pictures that only ornament a page. The Whole October number of the Delinicator is full of interest to men as well as to women.

**Why He Failed.**

A young man who had failed by only three points in an examination for admission to the marine corps, appealed to his representative in congress for assistance, and together they went to see the secretary of the navy in the hope of securing what is known as a "re-rating of his papers."

"How many more chances do you want?" asked Secretary Long. "This is your third time." And before the young man had a chance to answer, the secretary continued: "How do you get along in the world when you smoke so many cigarettes? Your clothes are saturated with their odor. Pull off your gloves and let me see your fingers! There, see how yellow they are!" pointing to the sides of the first and second fingers.

Before the young man could find his tongue to offer an explanation the secretary asked him if he drank.

"Only once in a while," was the reply.

Secretary Long then invited the congressman into his private office and while offering to do everything that he could consistently, added: "I am sick of trying to make anything of these boys that are loaded with cigarette smoke and drink once in a while." They are about hopeless."

When they left the department building the young man, half apologizing for his poor showing remarked: "Drinking, my father says, is the bane of the navy."

"I guess it is," replied the congressman, ironically, busy with his thoughts.—Exchange.

In view of Tillman's recent engagement in Texas oil speculation, that "light in the West" he has been looking for may be furnished by kerosene.—Charleston Post.

Postmaster W. V. Fair, of Newberry, has been arrested for embezzlement of public money. The arrest caused a great sensation. He indignantly denies the charge, and his bondsmen believe nothing is wrong unless it be some technical errors.

Sam Jones intimates that he will take the stump in the coming prohibition campaign and make it hot for some of the "red-nosed fellows." In the meantime he wants the Atlanta newspaper men to attend his Cafersville meetings and be converted.—Atlanta News.

Judge Gage held an adjourned term of court at Yorkville this week to dispose of equity cases.

**Opening Books of Subscription.**  
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Pursuant to a commission issued to the undersigned as copartners by Mr. R. Cooper, Secretary of the State, on the 30th day of September, 1901. Notice is hereby given that books of subscription to the capital stock of the CHESTER WILSON STATE COMPANY will be opened at the office of Jos. Wylie & Company, in the city of Chester, State and County aforesaid, on SEPT. 16th, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m. The said proposed corporation will have a capital stock of \$200,000 divided into 200 shares of the par value of \$100 each, with its principal place of business at Chester, South Carolina, and will be empowered to engage in the business of a general wholesale and trading business in articles of merchandise.  
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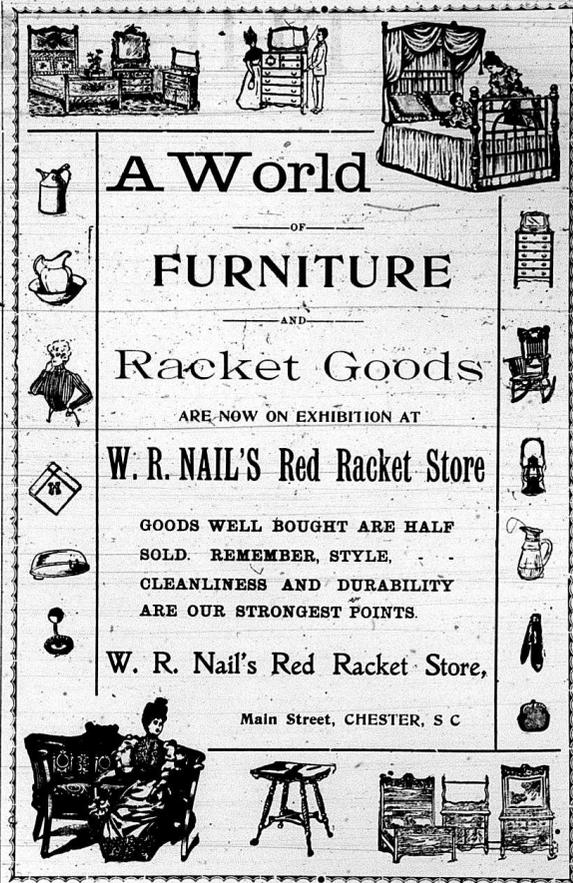
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FRIDAY, SEPT. 13, 1901.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Advertisements inserted under this head at ten cents a line. No advertisements inserted as reading matter. Job Printing—We have all the new type faces and can turn out up-to-date job work on very short notice. Our prices are very reasonable for first-class work. Try us.

LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Ethelard Goss returned to her home in Union to day. Miss Bessie Peatross came in from Virginia this morning. Mr. Geo. L. Kennedy, of Blackstock spent yesterday in the city. Miss Mary Smith left Wednesday for Hollins, Va., to attend school. Messrs. Cecil Alexander and Gill McClure left for Clemson on Wednesday. Misses Bessie and May Clinton, of Edgemoor are visiting the Misses Steinkuhler. Sam Klutz has gone to Charlottesville, Va., to enter "Pan Topp" school. Miss Annie Sanders, of Guthrieville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jos. A. Walker, Jr. Arrange your plans early to attend the 33rd Annual State Fair at Columbia, Oct. 28th to Nov. 1st. Mrs. J. L. Wood left yesterday morning on a two weeks visit to relatives at Yorkville and Rock Hill.

Mrs. R. B. Caldwell spent Wednesday and Thursday with her friend, Mrs. Ira B. Dunlap, in Rock Hill. Hon. J. E. McDonald, of Winnsboro, was here yesterday in the interest of some of his numerous clients. Mrs. S. E. Thompson and Mrs. W. M. Patrick and baby, of Woodward, are visiting Mrs. J. C. McClure. Mr. P. M. Barzone, who has been in Pickens, has returned to remain a while. He never looked better.

Mrs. T. C. Cunningham, proprietress of the Nicholson Hotel is spending a few days here.—Lancaster Enterprise.

Mrs. W. J. Cherry and little daughter, of Rock Hill, spent from Friday to Monday at Mrs. M. J. Boulware's.

Miss Dora R. Holst returned to Jones Seminary yesterday morning, where she will enter upon her duties as matron.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Lewis returned home yesterday morning after a brief trip to Washington and other northern points.

Mr. F. K. Spratt did not go to Davidson college Tuesday as he expected. He will be in Mr. A. M. Aiken's office for a while yet.

They are now laying track between this place and Ruby on the Chesterfield and Lancaster Railroad.—Chesterfield Advertiser.

Col. Jno. R. Culp went down to Columbia yesterday to attend a meeting of the state board of assessors of cotton mills, oil mills, etc.

Mr. F. W. Thieling was over at Abbeville a few days ago and sold the county fair association \$400 worth of goods to use as premiums at the fair.

Do you wish to see the progress the farmers of our State are making in diversified and intensified agriculture? If so, visit the State Fair, Oct. 28 to Nov. 1st.

Mrs. Chas. Magill, of Chester, and Mrs. Julia McNinch, of Charlotte, are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. W. K. Williams.—Kershaw Era.

Mrs. Rosa Strait and children, accompanied by her sister, Miss Lottie Gaston, is visiting her father, Newton Gaston, Esq., near Lando.—Rock Hill Journal.

Mr. J. L. Davidson, Master of Train of the two narrow gauge trains, with head quarters in Chester, was in town Monday.—Lancaster Enterprise.

For sale—We have left about 150 empty molasses barrels in good condition at 50 cents each. S. M. Jones & Co.

Mr. R. T. Morris is improving again. We are glad to report Mrs. Cotes decidedly better.

Capt. J. S. Withers is able to be out, after a protracted spell of fever.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barber and children left last night for their home in New York.

Miss Marie Carpenter is visiting friends at Newberry, and will spend some time at other places before returning.

Mr. Lawrence R. Craig, of Blackstock, is now with Mr. A. M. Aiken in his wholesale and commission business. We are glad to have young men of such character as citizens.

Capt. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson, of Lewis, spent Wednesday night at Mr. J. S. Walker's. Capt. Johnson attended the meeting of the stockholders of the C. & N. W. Ry. Co. yesterday.

Mr. Jos. A. Walker and Bennie spent last Monday in Lenoir, Miss Beatrice, who had been there some time, returned with them. Mr. Walker was very favorably impressed with that town and the county that he saw.

Mr. H. C. Grafton, of Midford, has roasting ears from corn planted July 9th. He proposes to submit substantial evidence of the corn's existence and quality. Can any farmer around Banks—or anywhere else—beat his?

"How to work out our salvation" will be the subject of Sunday morning's sermon at the Baptist church. At night the subject will be of evangelistic character, "Is it well with your soul?" The public is cordially invited.

Wm. Gaskins, the white man arrested here some time since by Sheriff Hunter for stealing a negro's cow near Westville, was tried at Camden last week and sentenced to the chain gang for one year and a fine of \$1.—Lancaster Ledger.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Aiken left yesterday evening for the Pan-American Exposition. They will spend only a few days at Buffalo, after which Mr. Aiken will return back home and Mrs. Aiken will spend a fortnight with friends in Philadelphia.

The editor of the News and Herald made a quick trip to Blackstock Wednesday morning and in the few minutes while there the hum of an aspiring political bee was distinctly heard. Blackstock will surely have a candidate for the vacancy caused by Mr. Ragsdale's resignation.—News and Herald.

Our buyer in northern markets. Watch for an advertisement. S. M. Jones & Co.

Brandt's Opening. Mr. R. Brandt is going to have an opening next Monday that will be an eye opener. It will surpass all previous efforts. There are to be some special attractions that are only hinted at.

That It Will. Mr. A. W. Gladden and family, of McConnellville, are arranging to move to Arkansas about January 1st, or possibly before. It is the result of Mr. Gladden's visit to the Memphis reunion last summer. He went across the river and spied out the land, and the result tempted him to move. He will take his family including two grown up sons—Messrs. William and John. This family is well thought of in all the McConnellville section, and Mr. Gladden's determination to leave the country will be sincerely regretted by a host of friends.

A Girl Drowned. On last Saturday, Miss Alina LeFevre, of Knox station, was drowned in a little lake along Catawog River. She was with friends near Fort Lawn, when she went in company with others to the river. While wading in the water, she got beyond her depth and there was no one present who could lend her aid. The body was brought home and buried at Union, A. R. P. church Sabbath afternoon, the Rev. Dr. Betts conducting funeral services.

Mr. F. LeFevre, the father of the deceased, was in Florida at the time of the distressing accident. Miss LeFevre was boarding at Mr. James Black's and going to school at Fort Lawn. It was her intention to go to France with her father's native country, to complete her education. She was about 16 years old, as we are informed.

Stockholders' Meeting. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Carolina and North-western Railway company was held yesterday in the offices of J. H. Marion, Esq. Much more stock was represented than usual—more than 5,800 shares.

President Barber presented his report, which was considered very satisfactory.

Preparation for widening the gauge and extending the road is going steadily forward.

Heavy steel rails, to be used later on the broad gauge, have been laid down on seven miles of the road, and an order has been placed for a large number of additional heavy rails.

Work is in progress on the new road at the town above Lincolnton, which will take the line by a number of cotton mills, instead of along the ridge a few miles distant.

W. A. Barber, Esq., was re-elected president. The old board of directors was also re-elected, viz: J. L. Agurs, T. H. White, J. H. Marion, J. F. Wallace, W. Holmes Harden, Geo. A. Gray, J. A. Martin.

Olive Leaves. OLIVE, September 10.—Our farmers are busily engaged curing fodder, the weather of the last week being suitable. I do not think cotton picking has commenced yet, although cotton is opening quite rapidly.

Prof. J. E. Brakefield left Monday for Orangeburg to take charge of the Ridge school, of that place. He was accompanied by his sister, Miss Hattie, and Mr. Willie Pressley. They go as pupils.

Messrs. J. L. Sanders and H. C. Gourley are absent from home. They are operating a saw mill in the New Hope neighborhood. Mr. Charles Gourley is with them, and I think that from the report that is wafted back to us, at least two of the party are well pleased with the community.

Miss Fan Sanders is visiting the family of Mr. W. E. Sanders, of Guthrie.

Mr. J. S. R. Alexander, of Union county, is visiting his many friends in York and Chester.

Mrs. W. A. Cranford and children, of Chester, have returned home, after an extended visit to relatives and friends around Olive and on Broad River. MATRON.

Landsford News. LANDSFORD, Sept. 10.—Our farmers have been busy for the past week mowing hay and pulling fodder, making use of the beautiful sun-shiny weather we are having. Some have also commenced picking cotton. Most of our farmers have right good crops.

The cotton growers' association met at the usual place last Saturday afternoon. The subject for discussion was how the farmers could improve their mode of farming under existing circumstances. The subject for the next meeting is, how to prepare the land for sowing grain.

The Jordan school, which is under the management of Prof. W. Jay Carthy will close Friday the 13th, and open again October the 28th. We wish the teacher a pleasant vacation.

Miss Clara Chapman, who has been spending awhile with her brother, was to return to her home at Halselville this week, but she has been detained on account of the sickness of her sister-in-law, Mrs. T. Chapman.

Mrs. W. H. Edwards, of Chester, spent last week with her son, Mr. Will Edwards, and is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Nunney.

Mrs. W. B. Cox and little sons, W. B. and Marion, who have been visiting relatives at Landsford, returned to their home in Chester yesterday.

Miss Mammie Coulter and brother, Mr. Clarence, of Ebenezer, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Avery recently.

Mr. Jones Ferguson, of Catawba, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. D. W. Allison.

Little Miss Marie Cross, who has been visiting relatives in our community, returned to her home in Chester last week.

Catawba Flower spent a day in our midst recently.

Ma. C. W. McFadden and family have moved from Chester back to their old home. The Major is looking better since he came back.

Winnsboro Letter. WINNSBORO, Sept. 11.—Most of our people who went off this summer for their health and for pleasure have returned. Mr. and Mrs. Bog, Mr. and Mrs. George Lauderdale and Mr. Jim Caldwell have returned from the northern markets, where they went to purchase their fall and winter goods. Messrs. Brown and Ketchen are still north. Miss Eloise Elliott stopped over in Baltimore to have her eyes treated.

Miss Besie McMaster is visiting friends at Davidson, N. C.

Miss Rachel McMaster, who graduated at Winthrop last June, has opened school at Liberty Hill.

The school at this place will open next Monday, 16th. The same teachers will be in charge that were here last session.

Court convenes here next Monday, Judge Gary presiding.

Mrs. M. E. Cook, of Pine Dale, is with her daughter, Mrs. Bryson.

Miss Beatrice Mills, who spent the summer with Mrs. Bryson, is visiting her uncle, Rev. J. C. Boyd, at Pressly, N. C.

Assaulted His Son. A white man by the name of Barr McLane is in jail here upon the charge of assault and battery of a high and aggravated nature, upon his 13 year old son. McLane's son had married against his father's wishes, and his father not only by force prevented him from leaving his home to join his wife, but it is alleged, chained him and beat him unmercifully with a buggy trace. Much indignation is expressed over the matter.—Anderson Correspondent The State.

Election in the Seventh. The congressional race in the 7th district was close between Lever, Brantley, and Howell. It is considered pretty certain that Lever and Brantley will be in the second race. E. D. Smith, of Sumter, and Judge Buchanan did not cut much of a figure in the race.

Miss Marie Hardin, of Blackstock, is visiting her cousins, Misses Josie and Jennie Atos.

There is excitement at Lake City, Williamsburg county, over the finding of what is believed to be coal and oil in boring an artesian well.

A Pekin cablegram says the protocol was signed on the 9th.

Some-one spoke of vegetation being so rank and weeds growing to the height of 30 feet. We have tomato vines down here to feet high, and weeds so high we never measure them.

I was glad to see in the LANTERN what you had to say about set and sit, lay and lie. I think almost everybody knows how to use the words set and sit, but I hear so many educated people misuse lay and lie. I am proud of you, Mr. Editor, and hope you will have more to say about lay and lie, and other grammatical errors.

Rev. J. A. White, of Blackstock, will assist Rev. C. E. McDonald with a communion meeting the 5th Sabbath of this month.

The county fair will be held here Oct. 23 and 24. The executive committee has decided not to make an exhibit at the Charleston exposition.

He Lowered the Pipe. Mr. A. Rose, as superintendent of the street working force, successfully performed a difficult piece of work in lowering the four-inch water main on East Liberty street.

The street grade is being considerably reduced, and in coming away the roadway the water main became exposed. "The sergeant" gave it out that he would proceed to lower the main about four feet at the highest place on the bend without breaking it and without springing a serious leak, and that he would do it without taking it apart.

Other smart folks smiled knowingly and shook their heads; but he did what he said he would. The work is there to show for itself, and it is a good job. The line of pipe is now actually shorter than it was before.

As iron is not elastic, the statement of the facts would afford a knotty problem for some of our readers to unravel, until told that there was a little play in all the joints, and Mr. Rose in letting down the line, forced one joint up a little on the other, slightly increasing the telescoped portion of each joint.—Yorkville Yeoman.

Youngest Mill Superintendent. J. Lander Gray is now superintendent of the Avon mill in place of C. M. Dunn, who is superintendent of the Lorry. Mr. Gray is the son of Geo. A. Gray and probably the youngest mill superintendent in the South. He has had several years experience in the mill business, beginning at the bottom and going up, and will make a successful mill man.—Gastonia News.

R. BRANDT'S Annual Opening Monday, Sept. 16th

This will be the Prettiest and most extensive display we have ever yet had. Everybody is invited. Store open until 10 o'clock p. m.

R. Brandt's Jewelry Store, Under Tower Clock, Chester, S. C.

OWEN'S BREAD AND ROLLS ARE UN-X-L'D.

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Is now in NEW YORK buying our Fall and Winter Stock of Dry Goods, Notions, Etc.

We have again engaged the services of MISS CHAPMAN, The Popular Designer and Milliner.

We will also have Miss BESSIE GRAHAM as her assistant. Our talent in this department shall be second to none in the State. Miss Chapman is now in the Northern Markets purchasing our FALL and WINTER STOCK of MILLINERY and Millinery Trimmings. Look out for her return.

Yours truly, Colvin & Co.

JOE PRINTING OF EVERY DESCRIPTION at The Lantern Office

OUR BUYERS Have just returned from the North with the latest Styles and best selection of Hats, Feathers, Silks, Velvets, Etc.

We have a splendid Stock of LADIES' and CHILDREN'S JACKETS and CLOAKS at prices that will interest you.

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Lots for Sale. The undersigned offer for sale Eight Desirable Building Lots, fronting on Dewey and Epworth streets. Apply to R. H. COUSAR, or T. J. MARTIN

The Palmetto Saturday's Cake Special Grand-Ma's Ginger Cake Raisin Cake Palmetto Pound Cake Mixed Cakes, All Kinds Look out for CANDY AUCTION Something New—Plenty of Fun—Historical-Guess.

Kluttz IS BACK FROM New York City He went to New York this time more determined than ever before to warp and twist and choke Yankees until he got more goods and better goods for less cash than ever before. You are invited to see how well Kluttz did his work. From now on it will be such a pleasure and too so profitable to you that you just can't keep from buying your FALL and WINTER GOODS in your cheapest friend's KLUTTZ New York Racket

Money in Poultry.

Mr. Editor: "Taxpayer" in a recent issue of the News and Herald says: "We notice that eggs and chickens are very high; but in such prices ordinary farmer could make a cent. It costs more to raise chickens and turkeys if a strict account is kept against them than they bring in." This is cold comfort for the farmer who is constantly told that he is kept poor by planting too much cotton and that his only hope of prosperity is in planting more grain and attending to the minor industries of the farm. I don't like blue talk. Let us make a little calculation on chickens. Suppose one hen raises 15 chickens at two sittings and during rest of year lays 4 dozen eggs. Fifteen chickens at 20 cents amount to \$3.00, 4 dozen eggs at 12 cents amounts to 50 cents. This will make \$3.50 for one hen. Twenty hens then will bring \$70.00 in a year. About two quarts of corn is as much as is given a day to twenty hens, about equal to 20 bushels in a year, at 75 cents makes \$15.00. This taken from \$70 leaves \$55 profit on a flock of 20 hens. There is another profit from the hen-house manure. An old friend who ran a two-horse farm told me that fertilizer will make \$3.00 for one hen. Twenty with rich earth gave him a fertilizer which served him in the place of guano. Many people make money and many grow rich from raising poultry in spite of the poor luck of Taxpayer. HOPE.

As to Wheat Raising.

The following conclusions have been sent out by the Kansas experiment station in regard to wheat raising:

- 1. Breaking the soil deeper than eight inches does not increase the yield of wheat, while below eight inches the yield decreases as the depth of breaking decreases.
2. Through disk plowing followed by rolling seems to be the best preparation for wheat just before it is sown.
3. Through preparation gave an increased yield of 50 per cent over poor preparation.
4. Through preparation of the seed bed diminishes winter killing.
5. Through preparation of the seed bed diminishes the bad effects of drought.
6. Five or six pecks of seed per acre gave the most profitable yield.
7. Growing such legumes as cow-pea, soja beans and beggar weeds on light sandy soil deficient in humus increased the yield of a following crop of wheat 56 1/2 per cent.
8. The stubble of legumes plowed under gave almost invariably a better field than the whole plowed under to the subsequent crop when the latter is planted a short time after legumes were plowed under.
9. Plowing under a large quantity of green material just before planting seemed to exert a directly injurious effect upon the subsequent crop.
10. Cowpeas sown after harvesting rye and Irish potatoes increased the subsequent crop of wheat thirty per cent, when compared with that sown after Irish potatoes and rye not followed by cow peas.
11. Wheat grown continuously on the same ground for three years and each crop preceded by a crop of cowpeas gave an increased yield of 46 1/2 per cent, as compared with breaking the wheat stubble and not sowing peas.
12. Fertilizing cowpeas with two hundred pounds of acid phosphate and one hundred pounds of muriate of potash, increased the yield of wheat that followed fifty-eight per cent.
13. Wheat sown upon cowpea stubble plowed under and fertilized with four hundred pounds of a complete fertilizer gave an average increased yield of 64 1/2 per cent, and 78 1/2 per cent, increased yield the second year, over soil treated only in the usual way. Cotton Plant.

I have been suffering from dyspepsia for the past twenty years and have been unable after trying all preparations and physicians to get any relief. After taking one bottle of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure I found relief and am now in better health than I have been for twenty years. I can not praise Kodol Dyspepsia Cure too highly. Thus writes Mrs. C. W. Roberts North Creek, Ark. Pryor-McKee Drug Co.

Sheep on the Farm.

A limited number of sheep should be kept on every arable farm in America, provided more or less of the land is enclosed with some kind of fencing. I am satisfied that from ten to twenty can be kept on every hundred acres of land without any cost to the owner for food except in the winter; says Prof. Shaw. They will sustain themselves, very largely at least, on what would otherwise be lost. They can be utilized in trimming up all by-places on the farm. They may be made to do the work of scavengers. There are those who ridicule the idea of keeping sheep as scavengers. Even so, they will trim up as though they were trying to prepare a lawn, if they are only given access to them at the proper season. Of course, they must be allowed to graze these places closely. Such a flock of sheep would more than pay their way by the weed seed that they destroy. And while being thus fed, they would keep in the pink of condition, since they are being furnished with just the kind of food suited to their needs. There are few plants which sheep will not eat when they are young and tender. But there will be certain times through the summer when they will have to be grazed with the cattle in the pasture. Even so, a small flock of sheep will do no harm. Cotton Plant.

Cured of Chronic Diarrhoea After 30 Years of Suffering. I suffered for 30 years with diarrhoea and thought I was past being cured, says John S. Holloway, of French Camp, Miss. I had spent so much time and money and suffered so much that I had given up all hopes of recovery. I was so feeble from the effects of diarrhoea that I could do no kind of labor, could not even travel, but by accident I was permitted to find a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and after taking several bottles I am entirely cured of the trouble. I am so pleased with the result that I am anxious that it be in reach of all who suffer as I have. For sale by all druggists.

Tricks of the Types. Long ago a man on the old Charlotte Observer wrote that "Prof. E. W. Scott, the writing master, is town." The compositor had it, "Prof. E. W. Scott the visiting rater." Only a few years ago a state news item, written for this paper, stated that "A High Point boy drops 12 miles' stakes in 15 minutes." The type man solemnly printed that "A High Point boy strikes 12 miles in 15 minutes." And it was in July. Banks says he wrote a piece of poetry one time which declares that "he kissed her under the silent stars," and he was shocked, not to say grieved that he "kicked her under the cellar

stairs." And there was another one. It was intended to say: Mrs. B. had on nothing that was remarkable, "being dressed simply; but beautifully. It went to the world." Mrs. B. had on nothing. That was remarkable. —Charlotte Observer.

Have you a sense of fullness in the region of your stomach after eating? If so you will be benefited by using Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They also cure belching and sour stomach. They regulate the bowels too. Price, 25 cents. Sold by all Druggists.

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The magnificent property of Judge Bawley, situate between York and Sealeda Streets, has been surveyed and platted into 24 desirable building lots, which are now for sale.

No Auction! No Chance! Every lot is a prize. The price is fixed. There is no cutting of prices and each purchaser can select the lot wanted and get value received for every dollar invested. Those wishing to buy for the purpose of building, can see the plat of the lots by calling upon the undersigned.

CALDWELL & GASTON, Attorneys.

Summer Rates Via S. A. L. S. A. L. will sell summer tourists tickets to Old Point Comfort Va., which has heretofore been applying via Norfolk only, but now will sell via Richmond, at same rate.

Attention to the public is called to the summer rates to Washington, D. C. via Portsmouth and Norfolk, rates to Washington, this route being lower than via all rail, and the water route from Portsmouth is much more attractive. In selecting your route to Buffalo, account of Pan-American exposition, do not fail to see agent S. A. L. Ry. before deciding on route.

Week End Rate via C. & N.W. Ry.

Commencing Saturday, June 26, and continuing until Saturday Sept. 23, the Carolina and North-Western will sell Week End Tickets at \$1.50 for the round trip to all stations north of point at which ticket is sold. These tickets to be sold each Saturday, good returning not later than the Monday following.

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Corn shredder—The Cyclone is the best machine a farmer can buy, for it is simple strong, durable, easily operated, runs light and will shed more per day per horse power than any machine sold. See it. Brice Bros.

Extension of Seaboard Air Line Railway Service.

Effective August 25th, train service was commenced on the Brunswick & Birmingham railroad, operating from Thimble, Ga., to the Seaboard Air Line to Brunswick, Ga.; on September 1st, through trains will be inaugurated between Brunswick and Savannah, Ga. This gives the Seaboard Air Line an entrance to Brunswick, St. Simons Island, Cumberland Island, Jekyll Island, and forms the short line between Savannah and Brunswick and between Brunswick and Jacksonville, Fla. Oct. 1.

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