

NEWSPAPER ABSTRACTS FROM
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NEWSPAPER Issue of Friday, AUGUST 2, 1867

HORRIBLE MURDER

We learn that on Tuesday of last week, Mr. Franklin A. Ragsdale, living in the eastern portion of the district, was found within three hundred yards of his own house, shot through the right wrist, and with his left arm shattered above and below the elbow joint. He had been in bad health for some time and was unable to give any account of the occurrence and no satisfactory clue was obtained by the Coroner's inquest. We have not heard how long Mr. Ragsdale survived the injuries. He was a quiet, inoffensive citizen and highly esteemed.

On Friday morning, a negro was brought to jail on suspicion of being implicated in the murder, but there is no definite evidence of such complicity, so far as we can ascertain. The Anderson Intelligencer

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LIST OF ALUMNI OF ERSKINE COLLEGE WHO HAVE DIED FROM DISEASE IN THE
ORDINARY
DISPENSATION OF PROVIDENCE

CLASS of 1842

Enoch Agnew, Physician, Abbeville, S.C.

Class of 1843

Washington Agnew, Physician, Pontotoc, Miss.

J.W. Clinkscales, Merchant, Abbeville, S.C.

David McCrery, Alabama

Class of 1844

A.E. Ellis, Minister, DeKalb, Ga.

Andrew Paul, Physician, Abbeville, S.C.

C.S. Simonton, Physician, Micanopy, Fla.

J.H. Stewart, Professor, Nashville, Tenn.

P.K. Thompson, Anderson, S.C.

Class of 1845

A.A. Nash, Physician, Attala, Miss.

Class of 1846

A. Herbemont, Lawyer, Columbia, S.C.

L.T. Lindsay, Merchant, Due West, S.C.

J.N. Moore, Forts, Ala.

A.F. Quay, Minister, N.C.

S.W. Blain, Physician, Fairfield, S.C.

Class of 1847

J.N. Cowan, Minister, Newberry, S.C.

J.Y. Fair, Student of Medicine, Abbeville, S.C.

W.A. Williams, Planter, Abbeville, S.C.

Class of 1848

W. Brownlee, Student of Medicine, Abbeville, S.C.

H.L. Golding, Laurens, S.C.

W.H.M. Hay, Student of Law, Charleston, S.C.

Class of 1849

D.J. Jordan, Physician, Arkansas

G.W. McClelland, Newton, Ga.

Class of 1851

W.A. Thomson, Physician, Montgomery, Ala.

W.A. Tribble, Physician, Abbeville, S.C.

Class of 1852

D.L. Saxon, Laurens, S.C.

J.H. Wideman, Merchant, Abbeville, S.C.

Class of 1853

J.B. Chisolm, Student of Theology, Fairfield, S.C.

J.H. Mills, Chester, S.C.

Class of 1854

J.Y. Weed, Miss.

Class of 1855

R.P. Brice, Lawyer, Monticello, Ark.

R.A. Drennon, Lawyer, Pine Bluff, Ark.

Class of 1859

W.B. Grier, Sharon, N.C.

Josiah Moffatt, Minister, Chester, S.C.

A.B. Pasley, Laurens, S.C.

LIST OF ALUMNI OF ERSKINE COLLEGE WHO FELL IN BATTLE OR DIED FROM WOUNDS
OR
FROM DISEASE CONTRACTED IN THE SERVICE OF THE LATE WAR

CLASS of 1845

A. Grier, Port Caddo, Texas, Killed

Class of 1848

Capt. C.D. Barksdale, Merchant, Charleston; Killed

Class of 1849

J.H. Morris, Teacher, Abbeville, S.C., died of wounds, Lynchburg, Va.

Col. A.K. Patton, Lawyer, Ark., Killed at Shiloh

Class of 1850

Capt. Z.C. Pulliam, Lawyer, Pickens, S.C., Killed at Second Manassas

Class of 1851

A.P. Lindsay, Planter, Due West, S.C.; killed at Gaines' Mill

Class of 1852

Ephraim Williams, Teacher, Laurens, S.C., killed in Virginia

Class of 1854

Capt. W.I. Kerr, Lawyer, Charlotte, N.C., killed at Chancellorsville

Class of 1855

J.W. Baird, Teacher, Chester, S.C., died of wounds

J.T. Clatsworthy, Lawyer, Starkville, Ga., died of fever at Richmond, Va.

Class of 1856

F. Clinkscales, Physician, Abbeville, S.C., killed at Gaines Mill, Va.

W.L. Hudgens, Lawyer, Laurens, S.C. , died of fever at Charleston, S.C.

J.H. Young, Teacher, Carroll, Miss., killed at battles around Richmond

Class of 1857

J.P. Price, Lawyer, Washington, Ark.

T.A. Downtin, Lawyer, Cass Co. Ga., killed at Seven Pines

Class of 1858

C.B. Boyce, Fairfield, S.C., died of camp fever

T.M. Chiles, Abbeville, S.C., killed at Sharspburg

W.W. East, Lawyer, Yorkville, S.C., died of wounds

H.G.G. Gallman, Newberry, S.C., killed

J.N. Hemphill, Fairfield; killed at Atlanta, Ga.

J.C. Nelson, Troy, Tenn., killed at Belmont, Tenn.

F.R. Pinkerton, Ark., killed at Shiloh, Tenn.

Capt. T.N. Polhill, Lawyer, Louisville, Ga., killed at Gettysburg

Capt. J.G. Witherspoon, Coddle Creek, N.C., killed at Kelly's Ford, Va.

T.W. McElwee, York, S.C., killed at Island No. 10

Class of 1859

E.J. McDaniel, Editor, Chester, S.C., killed at Fort Harrison

Capt. J.H. McDill, Chester, S.C., killed by mine explosion, Petersburg

W.B. Simonton, Fairfield, S.C., died at Fortress Monroe

Frank Mathews, Maury, Tenn., killed at Reseca, Ga.

Class of 1860

J.M. Brice, Fairfield, S.C., killed at entrenchment before Richmond

J.C. Bell, Pickens, Ala., died in service

T.C. Bradley, Abbeville, S.C., killed at Trevillian Station, Va.

J.L. Grier, Due West, S.C., killed at Gaines Mill, Va.

R.B. Hemphill, Fairfield, S.C., killed at Seven Pines, Va.

W.W. Lindsay, Due West, S.C., killed at Snicker's Gap, Va.

W.R. McClelland, Henry, Ga., killed

W.W. Reid, Newberry, S.C., killed

H.W. Story, Pickens, Ala., killed at Seven Pines, Va.

W.C. Winn, Laurens, S.C., killed

W.H. Thomson, Newberry, S.C., killed at Seven Pines, Va.

The friends of our esteemed Ordinary, Wm. Hill, will be pleased to learn that he has returned home again from his recent trip to the land of his birth, Green Erin. We have not yet had the pleasure of seeing him, but learn that he is in excellent health and spirits and trust to be able to induce him to give our readers the benefit of his recent experiences.

The friends of Mr. F. IVES, lately of this village, will regret to hear of his death recently at Sardis, Miss. of Cholera.

NEWSPAPER Issue of Friday, AUGUST 16, 1867

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District

Court of Ordinary

Whereas, application has been made by Jas. Kincaid VANCE for Letters of Administration on the goods, chattels, rights and credits of Mrs. Nancy McNees FURMAN, late of said district, deceased. This is therefore to cite all kindred and creditors of said deceased to appear at the Court of Ordinary for Abbeville district, to be held at the Abbeville courthouse on Friday the 30th of August, to show cause, if any, why the said Letters should not be granted. This 13th day of Aug. 1857. Wm. Hill, O.A.D.

NEWSPAPER Issue of Friday, SEPTEMBER 6, 1867

DEATH OF MRS. W.C. NORWOOD

We regret to announce the death of this estimable lady, the wife of Dr. W.C. Norwood, the well known physician, at her residence at Cokesbury after a lingering illness, on Tuesday morning last. The funeral services were performed at Cokesbury and the remains were brought by train to this place to be interred in the cemetery of the Upper Long Cane church, in the presence of sorrowing relatives and friends. Mrs. Norwood was a consistent member of the Presbyterian church and exemplified through her life all of the christian graces. She leaves a husband and children and other relatives to mourn her death.

NEWSPAPER Issue of Friday, SEPTEMBER 13, 1867

DEATH OF MR. HARPER SHILLITO

We regret to learn that intelligence received by his relatives here, announce the death of Mr. Harper Shillito, late of this place, at Memphis, Tenn. on the 29th ult. He had been residing in the latter city for a few months past, and died suddenly. He was the son of Mr. James Shillito of this place and leaves a young wife and many relatives and friends to mourn his

early death.

NEWSPAPER Issue of Friday, OCTOBER 4, 1867

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District

Court of Ordinary

Whereas, application has been made by James A. CRAWFORD for Letters of Administration on the goods, chattels, rights and credits of Robert A. CRAWFORD, late of Abbeville district, deceased. This is therefore to cite all kindred and creditors of said deceased to appear before the Court of Ordinary for Abbeville district, to be held at the Abbeville courthouse on Monday the 11th day of Oct. next, to show cause, if any, why said Letters should not be granted. This 24th day of Sept. 1867. Wm. Hill, O.A.D.

NEWSPAPER Issue of Friday, OCTOBER 11, 1867

MARRIAGES

Married on Sunday morning, Oct. 6, 1867 by Rev. Geo. Allen at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J.E. PARKERSON to Miss Sallie M.L., the youngest daughter of T.L. RANSOM, all of this village.

NEWSPAPER Issue of Friday, OCTOBER 18, 1867

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District

Court of Ordinary

Whereas, application has been made by Johnson SALE, for Letters of Administration on the goods, chattels, rights and credits of Hugh PORTER, late of Abbeville district, deceased. This is therefore to cite all kindred and creditors of said deceased to appear before the Court of Ordinary for Abbeville district, to be held at the Abbeville courthouse on the 25th day of Oct. next, to show cause, if any, why said Letters should not be granted. This 7th day of Oct. 1867. Wm. Hill, O.A.D.

The Anderson District Court of Sessions and Common Pleas has been sitting during the present week with juries organized under Gen. Canby's recent orders. We learn that there is a heavy criminal docket. In the trial of

Elbert BROWNLEE, freedman, indicted for the murder of John H. McGILL, the jury returned a verdict of guilty.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District

Court of Ordinary

Whereas, application has been made by Daniel HOLDER, for Letters of Administration on the goods, chattels, rights and credits of Uriah COLVIN, late of Abbeville district, deceased. This is therefore to cite all kindred and creditors of said deceased to appear before the Court of Ordinary for Abbeville district, to be held at the Abbeville courthouse on the 1st day of March next, to show cause, if any, why said Letters should not be granted. This 16th day of Sept. 1867. Wm. Hill, O.A.D.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District

Court of Ordinary

Whereas, application has been made by Margaret E. RAMPEY, for Letters of Administration with the Will annexed, on the goods, chattels, rights and credits of William H. RAMPEY, late of Abbeville district, deceased. This is therefore to cite all kindred and creditors of said deceased to appear before the Court of Ordinary for Abbeville district, to be held at the Abbeville courthouse on the 28th day of October next, to show cause, if any, why said Letters should not be granted. This 14th day of Oct. 1867. Wm. Hill, O.A.D.

NEWSPAPER Issue of Friday, OCTOBER 25, 1867

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Abbeville District

Court of Ordinary

Whereas, application has been made by Eliza RUSSELL and Jas. A. McCORD, for Letters of Administration on the goods, chattels, rights and credits of W.W. RUSSELL, late of Abbeville district, deceased. This is therefore to cite all kindred and creditors of said deceased to appear before the Court of Ordinary for Abbeville district, to be held at the Abbeville courthouse on the 4th day of Nov. next, to show cause, if any, why said Letters should not be granted. This 21st day of Oct. 1867. Wm. Hill, O.A.D.
