

# TIME-WORN PAPER DISPLAYED HERE

Newspaper Issued in City  
97 Years Ago Contains  
Interesting Items

An interesting, time-worn copy of The Spartanburg Journal published 97 years ago is at present in the possession of Howard B. Carlisle, Sr., Spartanburg attorney.

The newspaper antedates even The Carolina Spartan, the first issue of which was published the following year. Although it bears the same name, the present Spartanburg Journal has no connection with The Journal of 1843, as the present-day Journal was first published only 40 years ago.

Mr. Carlisle has temporary possession of the newspaper, which is the property of Mrs. Bernard Hale of Rome, Ga. It contains a two-column memorial in tribute to Sarah Ann E. Bobo, eldest child of Simpson Bobo. Sarah Ann was the aunt of Mr. Carlisle, and Mr. Bobo was his grandfather.

### Misfortunes Described

Perhaps one of the most amusing bits in the old paper describes the misfortunes of members of Congress in 1842.

"The late Congress has been a most unfortunate. Of its members, thirteen have lost their wives by death during this Congress and twelve have married since the election; twelve or more have lost their children by death during that time; seven senators and twelve representatives have resigned; one had his leg broken, one had his ear bit off in a fight."

Asa J. Muir was editor of the paper, and in this old issue he announces appointment of Maj. William Trimmier, who afterwards operated the Carolina Spartan, to take charge in his absence of several weeks. "Be Just and Fear Not" was the motto of the newspaper, printed under the mast head.

### Academy Notices

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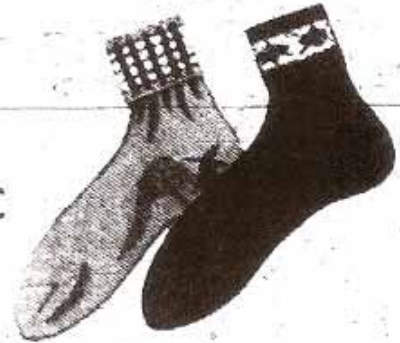
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Miss Phoebe Paine, one of the outstanding educators in the country during her time, was in charge of the female academy. Several years ago Mr. Carlisle visited her grave in Pennsylvania.

An account of the formation of a Temperance society appears in the paper. Officers were: James Foster, president; Aaron M. Smith, first vice-president; A. J. Daniel, second vice-president; E. M. Cooper, third vice-president; John Strobel, corresponding secretary, and T. Tinsley, recording secretary. The meeting was held at "the Bethlehem meeting house." Speakers included Simpson Bobo, Maj. H. J. Dean and Col. E. C. Lightner.

## HOME MISSIONS PRAYER SEASON NOTED AT INMAN

Inman, March 9 — A season of prayer for home missions was observed this week by the Woman's Missionary society of the Inman First Baptist church. Mrs. A. D. Clement was the leader at a service Monday and Miss Elmina Wagner directed the meeting Tuesday, both services being held at the church. An offering for home missions was taken at each meeting.

### INMAN PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Shealy of Clinton were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Horton have returned from a visit in Lancaster where they were guests of Mrs. H. W. Horton.

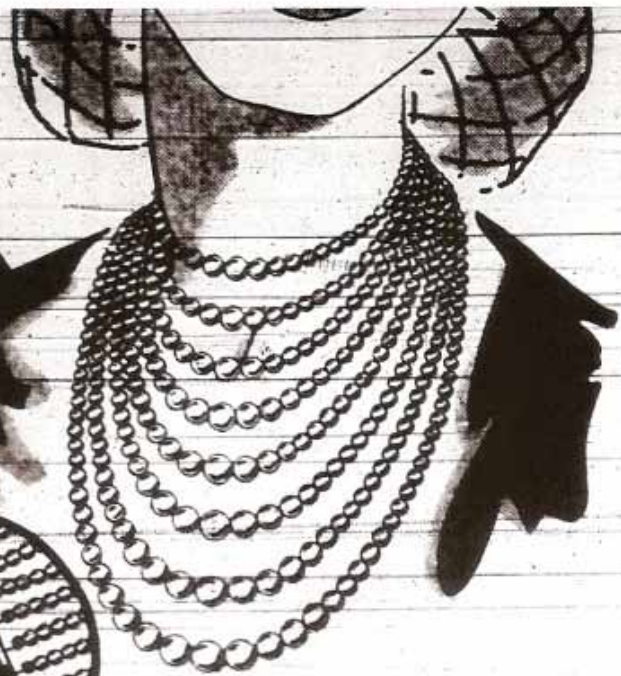
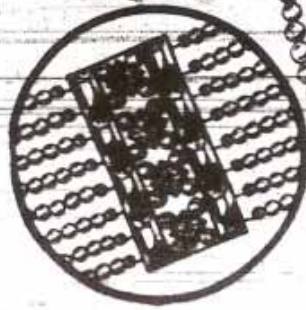
Miss Helen Hammett of Lander college and Miss Louise Hammett of Duncan spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Hammett on Gosnell avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Trimmier had as their guests last week Mr. and Mrs. Will Trimmier of Augusta, Hal Trimmier of Spartanburg and Ellis Collins of Tucson, Ariz.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Hutto and daughter, Rose Ellen, have returned to their home in Columbia after visiting Mrs. Hutto's mother, Mrs. E. M. Anderson on Main street.

Mrs. Harold Hammett and daughter, Mary Carroll, spent the past week as guests of Mrs. Hammett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. McCutchen at their home in Bishopville.

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