SECOND battle of bull ren. Panoramie Vitw at the Charleston $\mathrm{EX}_{\mathrm{x}}$ position.
Most visitors to the Charleston Exposition are enthusiastic over the panoramic scene of the sec ond battle of Bull Run.
The writer was only within hearing of this battle as the brigade did not get into action that day and he therefore car not rezognize the scene. To say the least, though, it is a most vivid picture of the horrors of war.
The whole arrangement is an occular illusion. 'It is a circular house or pavilion which you enter and a pair of steps leads you to a circular platforn from which you view the scene. This scene is partly painted on canvas and is partly a miniature of of tangible objects and the work is so adroitly done that the eye is unable to detect readily where real objects end and canvas pictures begin. The cauvas hangs from the top of the walls down to the floor. This floor is made of boards covered with earth or dust and little shrubbery and representations of men, arms horc s, etc. There are rail fences for instance that end with the floor and the line is taken up on canvas so neatly that you mus look strainingly in the dim light to see where the painting begins.
You seem to be in the very center of a small but terribly harl fought battle. There are the dead lying as they fell while doing their best. Wounded men are being helped off the field. One notably is leaning against the rail fence and supporting himself while his languid look indicates that his life blood is trickling down on the soil. There are horses that have fallen and the crimson spots show you where the balls entered, notably one has fallen on his rider's leg and he is struggling to free himself. You see the artillery horses dashing furiously to the fray and shells are bursting and mowing circles about them, the smoke and even the flash of fire being presented to the eye. Men stunned are scrambling away and horses are rearing back in nervous frigbt.
You see troops coming sud. denly upon the flanks and the combat is almost band to hand. In one instance a man is taking a rail from the fence to execute vengeance on the foeman near him. You seem to see a loug crecch of field, wity it Virginia scenery and all ateut are men
and hogses imbued with the presence of sharp conflict, a deadly struggle.
At one point yer see two of other and are duelling pistols. The Federal has got
in the first shot and the Confed rate is taking aim
There is an officeer amid group on horses that represents 'Stonewall", Jackson. He is clese to the hottest of the con test and peering into it with apparent intensity of zeal.
The light is dim and you look and pass around seeing somehing at every renewed glance that you had overlooked before. ou cannot realize that you are ooking at mere canvas but the eye feasts on natural scenery as the dim distance recedes into smoky ether and the vision ends.

## Public Aid Well Bestowed.

Mr. William H Blume left this morning for the Soldiers' Home at Raleigh.
It is hardly out of place, we hink, to give a little sketch of rocedure in this case. Mr. Blume was stricken a few years ago with an infirmity that rendered him unable to provide for himself.
A noble, self-sacrificing sister who provides for herself and an ther afflicted brother, with her eedle only, promptly sent and rought him under her roof from his western adopted home and as cared for him faithfully. It was easy to see however that it was too great a burden and he onged to take refuge in the Soliers' Home at Raleigh till the ullness of his time shall have me.
The writer's interests were so icited and freely extended. statement was made to the Board of Charities through the mails, Mr. J P Cook pleading in peron in the case, and while there were other applications and Ca . barrus kad just secured a place or a man, this case appealed too strongly to be turned down. The only condition imposed was he refunding of the $\$ 20$ that he rew as pension money
While his protege stood ready make the further sacrifice to produce the full amount, humanity forbade it and little trouble was experienced in securing the amount from friends and neigh bors, the Dodson Ramseur Chal ter Daughters of the Confederacy contributing the last sum of $\$ 2.80$.
The writer, in his own behalf and in behalf of the three cf the family, extend to those who readily responded in material asqistance, sincere thanks with the arnest hope that blpssings far abtyye these sacrifices will be re awarded to each. The sums con tributed would be published gladly but for expressed *ishes of donors to the contrary.

## Mr. Brady Perminter, who

NCORD, N. (1. TUESDAY, MAY 13

IT*IS MR. dixd MRS C. L. Chample Ussted tifter Years of Separation-
Lovely Danghter the Bindius Link. Asome what romantic marriage was celebrated on Monday night at Mr. J C Lippard's on Nortli Spring street, the ceremon" be Nairy
Mr. Charles L Champe, resi dent of Charlotte but here with Mr . Haas on the work of cement ing, was re-married to his consort of some 20 years ago. It seems that some disagreement rose and 'a divorce followed, but a daughter was born to thein and no tie is so binding as one through whose veins the blood of both courses its way and who is the centre and emboilyment of both lives. Conjugal affections with any other is a mockey and the normal condition of wedlock is demanded by every instinct of the soul. The time came for yrelding whatever was the idol of alienation and Annie L Harry arrived on the 12th and now again it is husband and wife, father, mother and daughter happy family trio. Wno can but extend to them the most heart congratulations?

Commencement at Mont Ameeua
Our thanks are tendered for an invitation to attend com mencement exercises at Mont Amoena Female Seminary o which the following is the pro gram.
Saior Class Exercise, May twenty ourth, eight p. m.
Art Exhibit. Saturday and Mondar, twenty-forrth and twenty-sixth.
Bacenlanate, Kev, C L T Fisher Charlotte, N. C. May twenty-fifth eleven a. m
Address Betore Missionary Society,
Rev, W H Hill twenty-fifth, eight $p$ m.
Meeting of Board of Trusteen, Mar twenty-sixth, nine a. m.
Elocution Contest, May twent-sixth
ten a. m.
Alumnae Exercise, Mav twenty-sixth
three p. m.
Graduate Exercise. May twenty-sixth
eight p. m. CLass or 1902.
Lotti9 Grace Bottisn, Ohina Grove
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Edna Belle Swink, Winston-Salem
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Hsitye Emeline Tiamarsh, Whitmire
Benlah Belle Vansant, Wards, s. C
May Bolle Wingard, Lone Star,
Mr . Jno. M Young, fâmiliarly
nown as "Colonel Youns", has

## UHEQUALEC YALLES H CIIMREDLAWIS WID WHIE BOOOS:

Now is the time when every one should prepare for the heat of the summer by laying in a sunply of cool, light wash fabrics. The beautiful light goods of which this store is full to overflowing gives the store a bright cool appearafte even on tbe hottest days. Such they wiil give you not only in appearance but also in reality.

Embroidered Dot Swiss in white, black and colors at
Lace strips white goods
Lawns in all colors, very pretty quality,
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Cotton Foulards
68 inch White Organdie, very sheer
Organdie in al! colors
Solid oolor Lawns
Solid colors in 40 inch Lawn remnants
Plain White Lawns
New sott finish Chambray 12je quality 2 inch Freach Organdie
Dotted Swiss at
Pure Linen for dresses
Persian Lawns, white and very sheer,
Very sheer 45 inch French Lawn, white, special value

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