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Death of Col. David Prounce

Col. David Prounce died of pneumonia near Stralters, Fairfield County, on 24th inst.

Col. Prounce was a native of Kentucky, but identified himself with South Carolina many years ago. Previous to the war he moved to Arkansas, where he was made colonel of a regiment. During the siege of Fort Hudson he commanded the picket line for weeks, refusing to be relieved. After the surrender he returned to Fairfield County and resumed the occupation of farming. He had been in feeble health for years, but his indomitable spirit bore him up. Last week he was ~~in~~ in winnowing on the mill.