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THE REPORTER

ATHENS, MARCH 6, 1894.

COUNTY NEWS.

INTERESTING LETTERS FROM OUR STAFF OF CORRESPONDENTS.

A Budget of News and Gossip. Personal Intelligence. A Little of Everything Well Mixed up.

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W. Courtice attended prayer meeting at Jas. Cain's.

SOPERTON.

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The population of Soperton is increasing. A young daughter at P. Jarvis.

Some say—"Spring must be here, because Jacob has been sighted."

The proof of that prophecy is yet to be seen, however.

Fred Flood has returned home.

We are sorry to lose one of our young men in the person of Mr. W. L. Stafford, who has left home to work for A. James, blacksmith, Athens.

FAIRFAX.

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