

## Another Year

Has been given us to demonstrate that we lead in Furniture and that others follow. Another year will give still more forcible demonstrations of how well we are pleased and how much it pleases us to have your trade.

**R. W. Phillips,**

The Old Reliable.

## Money Free!

Every dollar you save by trading here is a free gift of money to you. During 1906 we have given away many dollars to satisfied customers. Let us give you a little money during 1907. We have appreciated every opportunity of making them free gifts through the trading of our customers and we shall be glad to make you similar gifts on a like basis the coming year. The more we can give you the better we will like it.

**M. W. DOTY.**

**J. O. BOAG | J. O. BOAG.**

"If you cannot find it at Boag's then it is Not to be Had."

This one little sentence tells how complete is our stock and how the wants of our customers are studied.

Nothing but trading here will tell you how we appreciate every dollar spent with us.

**J. O. BOAG | J. O. BOAG.**

## ONLY 1 YEAR

IN THE FURNITURE BUSINESS.

But in that time it has been our pleasure to brighten many homes by putting in beautiful furniture at small cost. We shall show our appreciation of past patronage by starting on the very first day of the new year With Very Attractive Offerings

Always Yours To Please,

**H. E. Ketchin.**

### Some Editorial Farming.

The remunerative power of land is simply wonderful. By a process of alternating crops and taking care of the weak places even the most worn out lands may be rapidly brought up. For instance in the northern part of town about four years ago there was a field of 12 acres almost too poor to sprout peas and so badly washed that there were many places in the field where you could not drive a wagon across. By small amount of terracing and filling up some of the worst washed places and then sowing in grain and peas and later allowing it to lay out for a year, that same field for years known as the old red field, has just recently been put in grain, and, though always heretofore greatly dreaded because the ground was so hard on stock, there was so much vegetable matter on the land that it greatly interfered with the ploughing, and the soil was good mellow. That whole field now has scarcely a wash in it and presents the appearance for the most part of being a piece of land that has been well cared for. Unless you really knew its condition a few years ago, you would never think of it as having been so nearly gone at any time. From an agricultural standpoint, this land is worth at least double what it was when it changed hands four years ago. The improvement in the land along would have made it a good investment. Just through this gradual process of improvement this hitherto washed field has been put in such shape as to make it available for town lots. It is a part of Fortune Park Heights and some of the most desirable lots in the same is right where were some of the worst of these washes. Editorial farming has proven such a good thing for this old red field that we do not know but it would be a right good thing for it to be tried on some other fields that are now going so rapidly to waste and that with a little attention could soon be reclaimed. Really we are not very much ashamed of this little experiment that has been carried on under very great disadvantages. We are rather proud of having made such a change that washouts and gullies are now available for agricultural purposes or for town lots.

But even now this field lacks a good deal of being what it was less than a quarter of a century ago, when it is said that it made the finest yield of wheat ever made in the county. It took only a few years of renting to let it go so completely to pieces as it was four years ago. It will take some time yet to fully restore it to its former productivity. The moral is first not to let land be washed away, which is one of the necessary attendant evils of renting. Second, if you have a piece of land that has been permitted to be washed, go about it at once to reclaim it. The best dividends to a farmer are those that come from the improvement of his lands.

### New Cure of Epilepsy.

J. B. Waterman, of Watertown, O., Rural free delivery, writes: "My daughter, afflicted for years with epilepsy, was cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills. She has not had an attack for over two years." Best body cleansers and life giving tonic pills on earth, 25c at Jno. H. McMaster & Co.'s drug store.

### Monthly vs Yearly Credits.

Suggestions cost nothing and are sometimes helpful. Here is one that has the merit of helpfulness, as proven by actual experience in other towns. For many years Winnsboro has been run on the yearly basis. It is time to get it down to the monthly basis. The merchant who holds his bill back till the end of the year does his customer a gross injustice. The customer who does not arrange his accounts at the end of the month is taking from his merchant a part of the profits that belong to him. It would be better for the merchant if he would send his customer at the end of the month a statement of his account. It would be better for the customer too, as it would help him to know where he is at. All the larger houses practice this rule strictly of sending all customers statements of what is due at the end of the month. The merchants in smaller towns can well follow this example of the wholesale and larger business houses. It is a matter of fact that there are merchants in Winnsboro, who rarely ever render a statement

till the end of the year and there is no wonder that they have rather a tight time of making their collections. While they might not always collect all that is due them, the chances are ninety-nine to one that they would collect more by making monthly collections. It is no reflections upon a man's credit to make him a statement of what is due. If his credit is good, he will in all probability take it as a kindness, as he can better maintain his credit by keeping up with his expenses.

A few years ago one of Winnsboro's most successful business men adopted the practice of rendering a statement at the end of each month to every person on his books, whether their accounts were secured or whether they were just open accounts. This was good and there should be others to follow his good example. It may require just a little larger force to do business on this strictly business basis, but the gains that will accrue will more than justify the additional cost. It will be a decided step in getting the business of the town on a cash basis. No merchant has anything to lose by doing business on a business basis. No customer will suffer from knowing whom he owes and how much. It will prove a blessing to the whole community to change from the yearly to the monthly basis. Begin with 1907.

### No Opium in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

There is not the least danger in giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to small children as it contains no opium or other harmful drug. It has an established reputation of more than thirty years as the most successful medicine in use for colds, croup and whooping cough. It always cures and is pleasant to take. Children like it. Sold by Obeur Drug Co. and all medicine dealers.

### An Explanation.

This issue of the News and Herald was printed Saturday Dec. 22 and put in the office Monday. This earliest printing was to allow our printers to have just a little more time for the Christmas holiday. They deserve it and we are sure our readers will be perfectly willing to excuse any shortcomings through the earlier and more hurried publication.

One thing, however. We were able to get almost all our advertisements changed. So we present our readers with a full number of thanks for past patronage and solicitation for a continuance of the same on the part of the Winnsboro merchants.

The News and Herald Office will be closed till to-morrow Thursday morning, at which time it will open again and be ready for any job work or advertising and also for receiving your subscription money.

The next issue will be Wednesday, Jan. 3, the regular time.

### In Praise of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

There is no other medicine manufactured that has received so much praise and so many expressions of gratitude as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is effective, and prompt relief follows its use. Grateful parents everywhere do not hesitate to testify to its merits for the benefit of others. It is a certain cure for croup and will prevent the attack if given at the first appearance of the disease. It is especially adapted to children as it is pleasant to take and contains nothing injurious. Mr. E. A. Humphreys, a well known resident and clerk in the store of Mr. E. Lock, of Alice, Cape Colony, South Africa, says: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to ward off croup and colds in my family. I found it to be very satisfactory and it gives me pleasure to recommend it." For sale by Obeur Drug Co. and all medicine dealers.

### Notice of Sale of Land.

By virtue of authority to me given by a power of attorney executed by George H. Timms, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder on the FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY, 1907, before the Court House door in Winnsboro, between the legal hours of sale, the following tract of land, to wit:

All that certain tract of land, containing Ninety-three Acres, more or less, lying and situate in the County of Fairfield and State of South Carolina, bounded on the east by land of George Robertson, on the south by other land of George H. Timms, on the west by land of Samuel Timms, and on the north by the Kincaid Bridge road, reserving a right of way through said tract of land for the use of said George H. Timms, his heirs and assigns forever, to the adjoining tract of land now belonging to the said George H. Timms.

Terms of Sale—One-third cash, the balance of purchase money on a credit of one and two years, in equal annual instalments, with interest from day of sale at eight per cent per annum, payable annually, to be secured by bond of purchaser and mortgage of the premises, and the purchaser to pay for all necessary papers and recording the same. T. K. ELLIOTT, Attorney in Fact.

**Kodol Dyspepsia Cure**  
Digests what you eat.

# 1906

HAS witnessed some decided improvements in our business in every department. We are planning for still greater things in :: :: :: ::

# 1907.

IF you have traded with US, we thank you. If not we will thank you to start right away.

**D. V. WALKER & CO.**

## Lexington County FARM For Sale

We are offering for sale at a reasonable price 91 acres in the Lower Fork of Lexington County, not far from Columbia; 45 acres in timber, balance open. Fine land. For further particulars and price, address,

**Walker, Ravenel & Co.**  
1323 Main Street, Columbia, S. C.

### Trespass Notice.

All persons are warned not to hunt or enter upon my lands for deer, turkeys and Strother. The law is null and void, but I wish to prevent possible misunderstanding by neighbors. I am providing an area where the gun is not to be used and where game may retreat and multiply. The practice of the country has been too destructive. Squirrels had become almost extinct in my neighborhood. Now I forbid even rabbit hunting. A sufficient reason for my rule would be that deer and hogs are a danger to sheep, cattle and hogs. I can make no exceptions in favor of certain persons; others would presume to hunt and expect to be excused from prosecution. Hence this full warning. Trespass of stock is also forbidden. 11-1407 JOHN J. McMAHAN.

### WANTED.

The people to know that I am now using Eureka, the best of all preparations, in my Clothes Cleaning and that my work is of the very highest order. Bring me your work and you will be pleased. Brighten up for Christmas. ISAAH BENSON, MERCHANT TAILOR, Thespian Hall, Winnsboro, S. C.

A cold is much more easily cured when the bowels are open. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar opens the bowels and drives the cold out of the system in young or old. Sold by all druggists.

## AS MUCH

As it pleases us to have a new customer and there is always great pleasure in this, there is nothing that pleases us more than to have our former customers to continue coming. We make it a rule to PLEASE OUR CUSTOMERS. That accounts for the old ones holding on and new ones coming in. We are grateful for the opportunities afforded for dispensing pleasure during the year now ending.

**W. C. BEATY CO.**

## SANTA CLAUS

Was mighty well pleased with the Attractive display of Christmas Goods made here at his old headquarters. You will be no less pleased to come here during 1907 for GROCERIES. Remember your coming pleases us. So come.

## G. A. WHITE.

Broker and Confectioner.

## H. W. HANAHAN & CO.

Machinists, Blacksmiths and Wood-Workers.

Engines, Boilers, Gins, Grist Mills and Farming Machinery overhauled.

Wagon, Buggy and General Repair Work.

Agents for Witte Gasoline Engines. Engines carried in stock.