

Backing the Farmers

Fertilizer Companies, Manufacturers and Others—Subscribing Liberally to the Support of the Movement.

Special to News and Courier.

Columbia, Feb 24.—One thousand dollars was pledged tonight to the Cotton Growers' Association...

Mr Smith, in addition to being president of the South Carolina Association...

Mr F H Hyatt, treasurer of the association, said that this morning the committee decided that it was necessary to have at least \$5,000 at once...

A TOUCHING STORY

is the saving from death, of the baby girl of Geo. A. Eyles, Cumberland, Md. He writes: "At the age of 11 months, our little girl was in declining health..."

Rumors of Great Events in Progress at the Front.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 24, 3 30 a. m.—A second day has passed without dispatches having been given out from Gen. Kuropatkin...

The Associated Press dispatch from Mukden yesterday made no mention of a battle and retirement of Russians.

A Night Alarm

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the brassy cough of croup, which sounds like the children's death knell...

Murray's Horehound Mullein and Tar will cure your cough large bottle for 26c.

Urges Farmers to Hold.

President Smith Advises that Arrangements be Made with Local Bankers for Necessary Advances—What the Movement Has Accomplished.

Columbia, Feb 24.—President E D Smith, of the South Carolina Cotton Growers' Association...

To the People of the State Who Are Interested in the Southern Cotton Association: In view of the numerous inquiries that have come to me by those who are holding spot cotton...

The three cardinal principles in our fight are as follows: The reduction of acreage, reduction of fertilizer and holding spot cotton.

Already the price of cotton has advanced \$7.50 per bale, since the New Orleans Convention. Had it not been for this organization and the hope that it inspired...

I would like to state further that if no arrangements can be made locally, that the banks and ware houses of Columbia can take care of every bale of cotton sent them and advance 80 per cent of its value at the rate of 6 per cent.

Anyone wanting further information as to shipping to Columbia may communicate with Messrs F H Weston and F H Hyatt.

We, the president, secretary and treasurer, who were elected at your convention to take charge of this matter, and see that you succeed, cannot hope to do our work efficiently without having facilities for doing it.

We need an office, we need stationery, we need a stenographer we need a typewriter and we need postage, the incidental expenses to such a great undertaking.

Winter coughs are apt to result in consumption if neglected. They can be soon broken up by using Foley's Honey and Tar. Sold by Funderburk Pharmacy.

Will Reopen Dispensary.

Special to News and Courier. Columbia, Feb. 24.—Dispensary officials here have received notice that the county board of control of Anderson has decided to reopen the dispensary at Pendleton which was destroyed by fire a few weeks ago.

There was some opposition from the people residing in the neighborhood of Clemson College, who claimed that the students from that College obtained supplies there, but the authorities deny this, and the people of Pendleton desired the dispensary because the revenue therefrom does away absolutely with any town tax making Pendleton the only town in the State where there are no town taxes.

Bridges Authorized.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The House today passed the following bill:

Authorizing the construction of two bridges across the Ashley River, in Charleston and Dorchester counties, S. C.

PECULIAR DISAPPEARANCE

J. D. Runyan, of Butlerville, O., laid the peculiar disappearance of his painful symptoms, of indigestion and biliousness, to Dr. King's New Life Pills. He says: "They are a perfect remedy, for dizziness, over stomach, headache, constipation, etc."

Dr R G Elliott,

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With brand new vehicles and good fresh horses we are prepared to give the best Satisfaction in the livery business.

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Moore & Sowell
Dec. 1, 1904.

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Stir in Republican Ranks.

Charleston, Feb. 23.—There is some uneasiness among the numerous Republican officeholders in Charleston and elsewhere in South Carolina on account of the latest order of President Roosevelt notifying the officeholders that they cannot retain their federal commissions if they occupy political positions.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Notice to the Public. I will hold all inquests in the county. Phone to my residence at Pleasant Hill for me when needed.

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\$1.50 PER THOUSAND. I am prepared to fill any and all orders with the best varieties of Cabbage Plants. Orders filled for any amount and varieties. Write for prices on lots of 3000 and over. Address orders to W T Carr, Megget & S. C.

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MONEY TO LOAN

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Strictly vegetable, perfectly harmless, sure to accomplish DESIRED RESULTS. Greatest known female remedy. Price, \$1.50 per bottle.

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