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Ever shown in Anderson, at Prices that DEFY COMPETITION, come to

The Racket Store.

Our Buyer has just returned from the Northern markets, and values in Goods are arriving daily that prove to be the most fastidious dressers the result of careful selections.

See our Stock of the Celebrated—

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Plant a Patch of Rutabagga Turnips.

We never fail to get a good stand of rutabagga turnips, nor do we fail to make a good crop any year.

Rutabaggas are good feed for cows, hogs, horses and people, and a fair grown most any year. We had our last feed of last year's turnips this year May 10th when our spring turnips were ready and full grown.

Commence now by ploughing and thoroughly pulverizing a good piece of stubble land. After you have the land in good condition put on all the manure or fertilizer intended for this crop and plough it in with small turn plow or disc harrow. It is very important to have the land well pulverized and smooth; pack it down well with roller or some kind of board or pool drag.

You should run a cultivator or disc over this every 10 days or less time, following it with roller or drag. This roller or drag brings the moisture up near the surface in dry weather and keeps it there.

About the 15th of August work off rows 18 to 20 inches wide, put in seed in this trench and cover by running a wheelbarrow in the trench. You can cultivate moisture into the land and not have to wait for rain to get a good stand of Rutabaggas.

Be Charitable.

Hold up there, all ye faithful that have held out to the end should now be charitable to those who have broke the faith and sold their cotton for 7 cents or even at 8 cents, for these misguided, unfaithful brethren appreciate their loss and are feeling bad enough about it. Do not abuse these weak brethren for not using better faith and judgment, when they really did not have any better faith or judgment to use. These unfortunate brethren did beyond doubt, the very best they could for themselves as they saw it, but the worst feature about it is that these fellows were too selfish. They did not take broad enough view about this matter; they never once took in consideration the fact that the counsel of a body of our wisest and best men are worth more than the counsel of one man, or that two heads is better than one, if one is a sheep's head. Some of these cotton growers were frightened into selling because they did not possess the grit and good judgment to resist the bluff and deceptive, lying schemes of the cotton bears, while another class of cotton growers were forced to take what was offered because they had no safe and cheap storehouses to place their cotton in that they might hold it off the market as a collateral until prices were profitable.

How long will it be until each and every cotton grower is cognizant of the fact that each and every cotton grower—both small and large alike—are interested in the welfare of each other as to the price of cotton? How long will it take the independent cotton grower to appreciate the fact that he suffers loss by the unbusiness-like methods of his less fortunate neighbors in selling their cotton? How long will it be until the truth of the situation comes home to the more independent business class of cotton growers that if ever these less fortunate, unthoughtful neighbors of theirs gain knowledge of how to do better for themselves that the men in possession of these facts must teach it to those who have it not? Remember, that unto those to whom much has been given much is expected. Use your talents for good and the good will grow in you. How long will it be until the truth in this matter can be driven into the minds of the prejudiced class of farmers, that their organized efforts among farmers does mean that we are all in it for the money and profits there is in it for each and every one of us? But we are not in it to make this money off of the farmer, but we are in it to make money by demanding an equitable profit for our labor and thus protect and retain that which by right already belongs to us. How long will it take our best men to recall the lessons of their youth that a fence is just so strong as its weakest place, and that if one-half the cotton growers act the fool in selling their cotton that all cotton growing in this matter can be driven into the hands of the few who are not fools? If you expect a man to cut wood for you and this man has no axe you will have to furnish the axe or the wood cannot be cut. So it is about selling cotton. If ever these unfortunate producers that are minus of good judgment and business qualifications become the possessors of this important information the farmers that have it must carry it to those that have it not.

Annual Meeting of Foreign Missionary Society.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the South Carolina conference of the M. E. Church, South, held its regular annual meeting in the beautiful little city of Chester, beginning on Wednesday, 21st inst.

The conference met there in 1886, just nineteen years ago. The Methodists have a beautiful new Church, situated on a very desirable and convenient lot.

The conference opened with devotional exercises conducted by Rev. M. W. Banks, pastor of the Church. After which Mrs. Wightman, president of the society, called the meeting to order. In behalf of the Chester Auxiliary, Mrs. J. L. Glenn extended a cordial and graceful welcome. This was warmly received by the conference.

At the request of Mrs. Wightman, Miss I. D. Martin responded for the conference. About one hundred delegates and all the officers responded to the roll call. Miss Mary Tarrant, the adopted daughter of the society who is at home from China for rest, was present and added much to the interest and instruction of the occasion.

The presence of Revs. S. A. Weber and J. W. Wightman at all meetings gave much pleasure to all. From the reports given the work is found to be advancing on all lines. There are 201 societies with a membership of 6,913. They raised for the cause in the past year \$9,901.88; an increase of \$393.22.

The Woman's Missionary Advocate has 1,003 subscribers, and the "Little Worker" 917. The South Carolina societies support five missionaries. Miss Nicholas and Miss Tarrant in China, Miss Della Wright in Brazil, Mein Holding and Miss Parks in Mexico.

Telegrams were received from Dr. J. F. Carlisle, the Orangeburg District conference then in session, and Mrs. Mary Allen, editor of the Missionary column in Southern Christian Advocate, who was prevented by sickness from being present.

Quite a number of visitors were present to the conference. On Sunday there was a regular "feast of good things" for all. In the morning at 10 o'clock the usual love feast was held. At 11 o'clock Rev. J. W. Daniels preached a masterful sermon from the text, "They took up of the fragments that remained twelve basketsful"—Matt. 14, 20.

A mass meeting for the children was held in the afternoon. The hour was occupied by Miss Tarrant and Mrs. Wightman. In the evening, Miss Tarrant gave some exceedingly interesting accounts of her work in China.

The delegates left for their homes on Monday morning. Every one reported a very pleasant and profitable meeting. The generous hospitality of the good people of Chester will long be remembered by all present.

Lillie Gray Ransom, Williamston, June 30.

—He who has no friends doesn't have to lend them money.

STATE NEWS.

Blacksburg is to have a new million dollar cotton mill.

Sumter bankers have organized to build a \$40,000 cotton warehouse.

Fire at Chester partially destroyed 600 bales of cotton. The damage was \$3,000.

Marion's new cotton mill is now completed. The whistle blew for the first time Thursday.

The body of a negro who had apparently been dead for several months was found in a swamp near Branchville.

Thornwell Haynes, of Spartanburg, consul at Rouen, France, has been appointed consul at Nanking, China.

The American Surety Co. will pay \$2,400 on the bond of Dispenser Buzzard, who was found short at Fort Motte.

J. J. Garner, the federal soldier who broke his neck while diving at Sullivan's Island, continues to live and may recover.

A paper pulp factory to employ \$100,000 capital will be located at Burkeport on Waccama River in Georgetown County.

The wheat crop in Pickens County this year is very near a failure. About two bushels to one of sowing is about the average yield.

Four or five young ladies on their way home without an escort from church in Rock Hill were attacked twice by a negro man.

R. H. Sontag, of Denmark, has been bound over to federal court charged with buying and reselling tobacco tags in violation of the federal statutes.

A young negro boy was instantly killed at a saw mill near Bowman by stepping backward and falling on the saw. He had been working around the mill for some time.

Caroline Gunter, a white woman, is serving a 30 days' sentence on the chain gang in Greenville County for pulling up her neighbor's corn and throwing rocks at them.

C. J. Hunt, a white mill operative, in Greenville, tried to cut his throat with a tin can while in the city prison. He is said to have been suffering from delirium tremens.

A. B. Martin, a white man 54 years old, drowned himself in a few inches of water in a small branch at Spartanburg. It is supposed that he committed the act in a fit of despondency.

C. W. Long and S. L. Fitzpatrick, traveling men, saved the life of C. M. Crews, a cotton mill man from Gaffney, who was about to drown in the lake at Chicks Springs. They swam out into the pond and rescued him as he was in a death struggle with the water.

Esau Brunson, a negro, was shot and killed from ambush in the Pine Grove section of Orangeburg County a few days ago. It is thought the deed was done by another negro through jealousy.

The board of visitors of the Citadel have decided to reorganize the entire faculty. All the places will be declared vacant at the end of next session and then new men will be put in some of the positions.

Sam Hudson, a negro, beat and robbed David Ballenger, an old and respected white citizen near Grocers. When the negro was captured by Mr. Ballenger's neighbors 50 lashes were given him. He was later taken to jail at Greenville. Mr. Ballenger will recover. The thief secured \$10 from him.

Stanyarne Little, second son of ex-Mayor J. Q. Little of Gaffney, was accidentally shot in the abdomen by a pistol on Wednesday in the hands of his friend Henry Smith. The young men were fooling with a pistol in a pool room when it went off. The young man is not expected to recover.

At Donalds last Thursday Mrs. W. J. Mattison fell from the ceiling of her dining room to the floor, a distance of about 10 feet. Her injuries are painful but not serious. The house had been recovered, and Mrs. Mattison was in the garret dusting, when the ceiling gave way, precipitating her to the floor below.

The suit brought by the State of South Carolina against McIlwaine, Unkefer and other contractors, who made the additions to the State capitol a few years ago, will come up early in the coming term of court. This is a suit for \$200,000, brought for alleged fraud in construction, and was postponed from the last term on account of the illness of one of the defendants. There have been a large number of witnesses summoned, and the case is expected to attract a great deal of attention. There is a special legislative committee appointed to direct the work of the attorneys employed.

John T. Kell, of Fort Mill, is not certain whether a snake eats grass or not but he does know that one devoured twelve of his small biddies the other night. The evidence against his snakeship is of a circumstantial nature, but the web is close and secure. The chickens disappeared between two suns and no trace of any varmint was to be found on the premises but when the sun came out, and shone brightly the next day, the old colored cook reported to Mr. Kell that she had seen a terrible big chicken snake lying basking in the sun near the house from where the chickens disappeared and she counted a round dozen swollen places, which she took to be impressions of the chickens, about the middle of the body.

JULY CLOTHING SALE!

On July 1st we began our Semi-Annual Clearance Sale. Twice a year—January and July—we have these Special Sales. Our only reason for these Sales is that we do not wish to carry Clothing from one season to another. We prefer making deep cuts in the prices so that we can clear our counters. Then we invest our money in New Clothing each season. This Sale includes all of our New Spring and Summer Clothing. This season's best and most popular Suits and Odd Trousers all go at these reductions. Nothing reserved.

1-4 Off on all Odd Trousers.

1.50 Odd Trousers.....	now \$1.15
2.00 Odd Trousers.....	now 1.50
2.50 Odd Trousers.....	now 1.90
3.00 Odd Trousers.....	now 2.25
3.50 Odd Trousers.....	now 2.65
4.00 Odd Trousers.....	now 3.00
5.00 Odd Trousers.....	now 3.75
6.00 Odd Trousers.....	now 4.50

Buy an extra pair of Trousers and give those you have a rest.

1-4 Off on all Boys' Knee Pants Suits.

\$2.00 Knee Pants Suits.....	now \$1.50
2.50 Knee Pants Suits.....	now 1.90
3.00 Knee Pants Suits.....	now 2.25
4.00 Knee Pants Suits.....	now 3.00
5.00 Knee Pants Suits.....	now 3.75
6.00 Knee Pants Suits.....	now 4.50

This is a chance for mothers to get that boy a new Suit that doesn't come often.

All Straw Hats Reduced.

50c Hats.....	now 35c
1.00 Hats.....	now 70c
1.25 Hats.....	now 85c
1.50 Hats.....	now \$1.00
2.00 Hats.....	now 1.35

At these prices you can replace that well worn Straw Hat without any inconvenience to your pocket book.

1-4 Off on all Men's and Young Men's Suits.

\$5.00 Suits now.....	\$3.75
7.50 Suits now.....	5 65
10.00 Suits now.....	7.50
12.50 Suits now.....	9.40
15.00 Suits now.....	11 25
18.00 Suits now.....	13 50
20.00 Suits now.....	15.00

A Chance for Men to Save Money on Shoes.

Our entire line of \$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes and Oxfords cut as follows:

\$3.50 Shoes now \$2.75	\$4.00 Shoes now \$3.00
\$3.50 Oxfords now \$2.75	\$4.00 Oxfords now \$3.00

At their former prices these \$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes and Oxfords were the best to be had for the money; at the reduction they are certainly exceptional values.

The cuts on these Goods are deep, but are genuine reductions. No fake business here. We have always stood square up to our ads in the past, and we will not at this late day misrepresent Goods to make sales; so you can come here knowing beforehand that what you see in this ad. will be more than substantiated when you see the Goods. You had better hurry, though, as the best things usually go first.

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