

WILL TRY NEW PLAN

PLANTATION NEAR COLUMBIA TO BE LIKELY USED.

The Government to Conduct Some Important Demonstrations in Balancing and Marketing Cotton.

A dispatch from Washington says cotton by an improvement in the an effort to secure higher prices for methods of handling, grading and marketing the crop is to be made by the government this year in co-operation with prominent cotton growers.

The plan is designed to bring to the cotton raiser the full benefit of the increase in value that can be secured by a careful grading of the crop to correspond with the new government standards.

Officials of the agriculture department will use the most approved methods of grading, handling, baling and selling and will make accurate returns on each operation for the benefit of the cotton growers.

It is believed that if the cotton raiser can be trained to grade the crop carefully in its initial handling, its value can be greatly increased by putting the cotton into grades that command higher prices.

COMING OF THE CIRCUS.

All Should See the Parade of the "Mighty Haag Show."

There are three great epochs in the life of a child; the coming of its birthday, the opening of school, and the coming of a circus or the Big Show.

The coming of the Haag Shows to Orangeburg and the announcement that they would show here on Tuesday, October 17, is indeed pleasant and satisfactory evidence that the people of this city will once more have the pleasure of seeing a real Southern Circus.

People's Bank of Elloree.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the People's Bank, of Elloree, held Thursday morning, it was decided to dispose of the outstanding stock of the bank between the amount paid in and the charter limit.

A Doughty Thomas.

The Greenwood Journal says "The Orangeburg Times and Democrat is jubilant over the announcement by the new mayor of Orangeburg that he would put the loafers out of business. Tut, tut, contemporary, we have heard that kind of talk before, and it never amounted to anything.

Accidentally Shot Himself.

The Branchville Journal says Verdy Berry, the young son of Mrs. Henry Smoak, who lives about eight miles from Branchville, was accidentally shot through the left thigh on Saturday morning of last week, just as he was starting to leave his home to accompany his mother and other members of the family to the camp-meeting.

Hookworm Dispensaries.

At the quarterly meeting of the board of township commissioners held at the office of the county supervisor Wednesday an appropriation was made for the establishment of six hookworm medicine dispensaries in this county.

Arm Crushed by Train.

In an attempt to board a Southern Railway train at Taylor, eight miles north of Greenville, Edmond C. Bingham, fell beneath the wheels and had his left arm ground off.

THE TRIAL WAS PUT OFF.

Fletcher Varn, Cut by a Negro, is in a Serious Condition.

The Branchville Journal says because of the serious condition of Fletcher Varn, the young white man who was so severely cut by Bill Shuler, a negro, in a brawl near Six Sunday apt. 24, the preliminary trial of the case that was to have been heard by Magistrate A. S. Dukes Tuesday has been postponed.

Bill Shuler, who cut Varn, has not been arrested. Very little has been learned of the causes leading up to the difficulty. A warrant has been issued for Shuler, charging him with assault and battery with intent to kill.

Leaven and Williams were arrested and released under bonds of \$200 each. Williams has since become crazed, and ran all the way to Bowman a few nights ago and told a wild story of being chased by a mob from Branchville.

"THE CLANSMAN" COMING.

Big Revival of Dixon Play for Special Southern Tour.

An elaborate revival of Thomas Dixon's sensational success, "The Clansman", has been made by the Southern Amusement Company, of which George H. Brennan is manager, for a tour of the South this season.

Now sets are scenery have been constructed from the original models and the coming engagement of "The Clansman" will be marked by the usual lavish staging that has distinguished this spectacular performance on its tours.

"The Clansman" has enjoyed unstinted popularity for the past six years throughout the United States and local theatregoers will be glad to see this remarkable drama of the Ku Klux Klan, and the stirring events that transpired in the South during the memorable Reconstruction Period.

They Were Heavily Fined.

For the whipping of young Columbia Spradley when he went to Montetta several weeks ago to claim Miss Gussie May Holstein as his bride, A. L. Sidney, Albert, Richard and Grover Holstein and Dock Cokerel late Thursday afternoon pleaded guilty to assault and battery of a high and aggravated nature in the court at Aiken and were each fined \$75.

Five Alleged Blind Tigers.

The St. Matthews correspondent of The State says Magistrate Prickett had a busy day Wednesday giving preliminary hearing to alleged "blind tigers." Five cases were heard and four defendants, all negroes were bound over to the circuit court.

Charleston Presbytery Adjourns.

The Charleston Presbytery, which convened here on Tuesday evening, concluded its work on Thursday afternoon and adjourned sine die at two o'clock. Most of the delegates left for their homes the same evening.

About Voting Contests.

The Times and Democrat is not putting on a voting contest so much to get subscribers as to divide some of its surplus wealth with its patrons. The Times and Democrat now, before the voting begins, has nearly three thousand subscribers, which will be increased at least four thousand.

Dwelling House Destroyed.

About one o'clock Thursday the dwelling house of Mrs. A. M. Kinard, four miles northwest of Cope, was destroyed by fire. We did not learn whether there was any insurance on the house or not. If there was not it was a complete loss.

New York Cotton Report.

Table with columns: Open, Close, January, February, March, April, May, June, July, August, September, October, November, December. Spots—9 1/2.

THE HOME CIRCLE

PLEASANT EVENING SERVICES FOR OLD AND YOUNG.

Dedicated to the Mothers of the County Upon Whom Its Future Welfare Depends.

Philosopher and poet are alike in the verdict that the safety and perpetuity of any nation lies in the homes of its people.

Tell me, ye winged winds that around my pathway roar, do ye not know some quiet spot where wives clean house no more.

The girl with a sweet little voice need not feel discouraged because she has no opportunity to sing in grand opera. She can give great pleasure by being a songbird in the home nest.

The real business life is the making of a happy home. When you come to shift the whole chaff of existence, everything goes to the wind but the happiness we have had at home.

There are six secular nights in each week. Out of the six some men spend one at home and five at lodge, while others spend five at home and one at lodge.

A woman who fails in her home fails in all. Home is woman's realm given into her hands to regulate, govern and beautify.

Many of us miss the joys that might be ours by keeping our eyes fixed on those of other people. No one can enjoy his own opportunities for happiness while he is envious of another's.

The world is full of women who can amuse the ordinary man. Can sing, dance or recite for him; can paint, write or decorate in a manner most pleasing, but the poor man often goes begging for a woman who can sew on buttons or mend his clothes.

The children whose horizon is a brick walk, who must play on cobble stones and go swimming in the canal and be chased by the police, if they do not grow up to be ideal citizens, shall we of holier memories sit in judgment upon them?

To make a boy into a pure man, a mother must do more than pray. She must live with him in the sense of a comrade and closest friend. She must stand by him in time of temptation as the pilot sticks to the wheel when rapids are around.

A man who has made a happy home for his wife and children, no matter what he has not done in the way of achieving wealth and honor; if he has done that he is a grand success.

Little arms encircling the neck will make the heart light, over which no diamonds sparkle. All the grand pictures and splendid works of art one can possess will never adorn a room as do the smiling faces of those dearest to us.

The truest, best and sweetest type of the girl of today does not come from the home of wealth, she steps out from the house where is comfort rather than luxury. She belongs to the great middle class—that class which has given us the best wifehood, which has given helpmates to the foremost men of our time.

Heaven help the man who imagines he can dodge enemies by trying to please everybody. If such an individual ever succeeds pass him over this way that we may have one look at his mortal remains ere he vanishes away for surely this earth cannot be his abiding place.

U. D. C. MEETING.

Paul McMichael Chapter Met on Wednesday Afternoon.

There was a very enthusiastic meeting of Paul McMichael Chapter, U. D. C., on Wednesday afternoon. The chapter had the pleasure of having at this meeting the State President, U. D. C., Mrs. August Kohn, whose presence added much to the interest of the occasion.

An order has been given for 122 iron crosses to be made, which will be placed at the graves of Confederate soldiers in the cemeteries throughout the county.

Delegates were elected to attend the General Convention, U. D. C., to be held in Richmond, Va., on Nov. 7th, and also to the State Conference to be held in Greenville on Nov. 21st. The delegates to Richmond are Mrs. John Cart, Miss Adeline Kohn, Miss Mary McMichael, Mrs. J. G. Wannamaker and Mrs. Fletcher Fairley.

BALLOONISTS FATAL PLUNGE.

Parachute Fails to Work and He Falls 700 Feet.

While engaged in a balloon race at the South Georgia Exposition at Tifton, Ga., Thursday afternoon, Capt. John Broder fell 700 feet from his balloon and was instantly killed. Broder had just finished a high diving act, and Prof. Gowdy, an aeronaut, was preparing to ascend when Broder volunteered to take another balloon and race.

CHOKES MAD DOG TO DEATH.

Saved Some School Children But He Was Badly Bitten.

At Atlantic City, N. J., Daniel Bond, twenty-four, choked a mad dog to death with his bare hands Wednesday afternoon. He was severely bitten about the arms and wrists and was taken to the City Hospital, where physicians quickly cauterized his wounds and then put him in the observation ward to make a fight for his life should hydrophobia develop.

Death of Mrs. Judge Hydrick.

The sad intelligence reached this city yesterday of the death of Mrs. Rosa Lee Hydrick, wife of Associate Justice D. E. Hydrick at their home in Spartanburg. The deepest sympathy of many friends go out to Judge Hydrick and his children in the sad affliction that has befallen them.

Harleyville Graded School.

The Harleyville correspondent of the Dorchester Eagle says the graded school at Harleyville opened Tuesday morning under Prof. W. L. Glaze, Jr., and Mrs. W. L. Glaze, Jr., with a goodly number of pupils. There will be several pupils to enroll later.

Postmaster Turns Over Money.

The Edisto Savings Bank, having qualified to become the depository of the local postal bank, Postmaster Webster has turned over all of the funds which have accumulated from this source to this institution.

Convicted of Manslaughter.

The jury in the case of Lawrence Wise tried in the Aiken Court for the killing of John Duncan at Langley a few months ago brought in a verdict Thursday night of guilty of manslaughter. Many thought that Wise should have been convicted of murder, as the killing was a cold-blooded one.

turning your coat every day, to match the color of theirs.

The home that possesses a cheerful wife and mother is not only a veritable haven of rest, but the safe harbor whose beacon light will guide her bread winners safely past all rocks and shoals with unfailing certainty.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

PICKED UP ALL OVER TOWN BY OUR REPORTERS.

What Is Happening Here and There.

Local Items of Personal Interest to Our Readers.

Mrs. J. G. Wannamaker has gone to Barnwell to visit her daughter, Mrs. R. C. Holman.

The State Fair will open this year on October 30, and it is hoped to have the best one ever held.

An auto from New York City with a party of men and women passed through the city a few days ago.

Miss Minnie Herbert Glaze spent several days recently with Prof. and Mrs. W. L. Glaze, Jr., at Harleyville.

The Times and Democrat has 2906 subscribers now. Any advertiser can verify this statement by an inspection of our mailing list.

The much dreaded cotton caterpillar or army worm has reached this county and is stripping the cotton stalks and grass in cotton patches.

Mr. Otto E. Inabinet has been elected assistant cashier of the Farmers Union Bank of this city to succeed Mr. Frank Seignious, who resigned to enter other business.

Thursday was one of the most distressing days of this queer summer. It is simply outrageous to have such warm weather in October, which is supposed to be a cool month.

The State says "it is a plain old caterpillar, but whether or not he travels under the newfangled name of army worm, a sprinkling of Paris green will end his march."

The members of Mount Lebanon Lutheran Church have decided to erect a handsome church building on their lot in Cameron, the cost of which will be about \$10,000.

A dispatch from Bamberg says the cotton worm or caterpillar is doing much damage to the young cotton in that section, boll after boll being eaten up and some of the stalks bare of leaves.

Mrs. E. R. Pauling and little son Edward will join Mr. Pauling in Houston, Texas, where the family will make their future home. We regret to see such folks leave us, but we wish them well.

The Dorchester Eagle says the Indian Fields camp meeting which closed on Monday was one of the largest attended and most orderly meetings ever known. We are glad that the usual disorder was not seen.

It has been ten or twelve years since the army worm visited this section before. Then they ate even the leaves from the trees. If this pest starts early it is said to be more destructive than the boll weevil.

Mr. Marcus E. Baldwin and Miss Maggie N. C. Fogle were married at the residence of Rev. D. D. Dantzler at five o'clock on Wednesday afternoon. Relatives and friends witnessed the ceremony. Rev. D. D. Dantzler officiated.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Mr. Harrison Osborn Dawson to Miss Ruth Elizabeth Holman. The happy event will take place at five o'clock Wednesday afternoon, October 18th, at St. Paul's Methodist Church.

Is it not against the law to sell cap pistols and caps? The police ought to look up the law on the subject and enforce it whatever it is. It seems to us that there is a State law prohibiting the sale of either pistols or caps.

A gentleman asked us the other day if we thought the County Fair would be a success this year. We answered yes, of course. If every one puts his shoulder to the wheel and help a little the Fair will be a grand success.

A dispatch from Aiken says the army worm has arrived in that county by the millions, but the damage will be small, as the cotton is beyond injury, except for the fact that it injures the staple of open cotton, making it trashy.

Don't forget the Dixie Club Carnival on Friday, October 13th. Fun for little folks in the afternoon and amusement and good times in store for big folks at night. Oysters and other refreshments served during afternoon and evening.

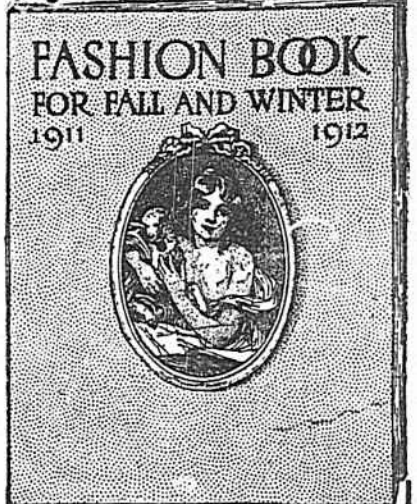
Work on the new stable of Mr. U. G. Bryant is being pushed, and will be ready for occupancy the first part of November. He wants his old friends to bear in mind that he will be ready about that time to furnish them with all the horses and mules they want.

Mrs. James L. Sims and Master Geizer Sims left for Greenwood Friday morning for a ten days visit to relatives at that place. While there Mrs. Sims will represent the Home Mission Society of St. Paul Methodist Church in the State Conference of that society.

In the northwestern sky in appearance like unto a star of the fourth magnitude, is Brook's comet, now making its second appearance since its discovery in 1893. Until nine o'clock in the evening this comet is visible. It is situated at the extreme tip of the "Big Dipper."

The Branchville Journal says "Mr. George W. Reeves is erecting a summer home at Hendersonville, N. C. Mr. Reeves and his family have been spending their summers in the famous mountain resort for several years. It is understood that Mr. Reeves is also planning to build a new residence here."

Mrs. W. E. Dunwoody and little daughter, of Arcadia, Fla., and Mrs. Lee Connor and little daughter, of Charleston, who have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams, at Branchville, left Monday night for Charleston where Mr. Dunwoody will visit her sister for sometime before returning to Florida.



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George V. Zeigler, Orangeburg, S. C.



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when you are in a hurry for things for dinner.

Your friend, JACOB:

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