

The Barnwell People.

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CHEROKEE COUNTY CIRCULATION

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RECOLLECTIONS.

On September 7th, 1877, just 34 years ago, The People was added to the newspaper family of South Carolina.

Of those contributing to the contents of this first issue and the contentment of its sponsors the writer had pencilled the salutatory, which was long since eaten up by rats reckless of health and happiness.

The People was indeed fortunate in having the directing hand and controlling mind of Col. Leroy Molair in superintending and making so perfect with limited equipment its mechanical execution.

Then Barnwell was a village of silence and memories. Nine miles of grinding sand lay between it and the nearest railroad station and one back and a day kept it from forgetting, and being forgotten by the world.

But it was a good town, the capital of a great county, for its broad map had not been narrowed by the secession of Barnwell County. Memory lives to revert to those years of struggle and success, when there was better acquaintance between town and country than in these bustling latter days when the town is a railroad crossing having a dozen fast passenger or easy going accommodation trains thrilling its life.

Time has taken the good and the great, the high and the humble, one by one to the rest of the churchyard and of all the adult population of Barnwell at the time of the coming of Tax Payers only four men and as many ladies remain as connecting the old years and the new days.

(To be continued.)

WHY LANDS ARE HIGH.

Why are farm lands so high priced in the South? City people and politicians who are rich in self opinion and poor in practical knowledge assume, without thinking or inquiring, that they are so because farming is so greatly profitable.

CONDITION OF THE COUNTRY.

The following, taken from a report of a census recently made at Darlington by A. G. Smith of the Department of Agriculture, deserves a double reading by every owner of live stock in the 57th district of this State.

A LITTLE NEWS.

Two cartloads of wheat (the finest of Eastern North Carolina Saturday night.

The Farmers Union of Lee County has borrowed \$200,000 to enable its members to hold their cotton for 15 cents.

The finding of other corpses related to the number of persons who lost their lives in Charleston and vicinity by the August storm.

THEY MEAN BUSINESS. The national convention of the Farmers' Union met on Tuesday at Shawnee in the new State of Oklahoma.

THE COMMON LINK.

Whether the face be young or old, Or whether in smiles, or calm, or cold. On every brow I trace some line That links the stranger's heart to mine.

HULLO!

When you see a man in woe, Walk straight up and say, "Hullo!" Say, "Hullo!" and "How d'ye do?"

WHY BOOTH SHOT LINCOLN.

Father Thomas S. Major, a Catholic priest who was recently buried in Frankfort, Kentucky, before his death told a brother priest these facts that he had learned from a Confederate who had decided to kidnap President Lincoln.

FOR FAIRER COTTON PRICES.

To the Press of South Carolina: The fight has begun. In fact we think that so far it has been skirmishing and picket duty.

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The cotton mills in the upper part of this State are in trouble. For several years they have been importing from 250,000 to 500,000 bales of long staple cotton from the Mississippi valley.

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NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS.

All persons indebted to the estate of E. M. Cope, deceased, are requested to make prompt payment of such indebtedness to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said estate will please present the same properly attested to us.

APPLICATION FOR CHARTER.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have filed with the Secretary of State an application and petition for a charter for a company to be known as the Healing Springs Water and Manufacturing Company.

NOTICE OF FINAL DISCHARGE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will on Monday, September 11, 1911, file with Hon. K. S. Snell, Judge of Probate for Barnwell County, his final return as Administrator of the estate of Leonard Baughman, deceased, and apply for Letters Dismissory.

MONEY TO LEND.

Money to lend on first mortgage on real estate, 5 per cent interest on amounts under \$1000.00, 7 per cent on amounts over \$1,000.00.

Wheelwright and Blacksmith Work Done Here.

Horse-shoeing a Specialty; also repairing rubber tired buggies. M. W. HITT, -At Johnson's Old Stand, - Blackville, S. C.

Southern Teachers' Agency.

Secures positions for teachers, sells school furniture and supplies, and publishes Southern School News. Send for our school supply catalogue, our magazine catalogue and our entertainment book catalogue.

Wm. McNAB,

Insurance - all kinds Life, Live Stock, Accident and Health Office in Harrison Block, Main St. BARNWELL, S. C.

The Best Goods

and The Lowest Prices can be found at Stringfellow's Select Store, Elko, S. C.

STOCK OF GENERAL MERCHANDISE

that is guaranteed to please the best tastes and to satisfy the most careful purchasers. They were bought right and will be sold right, and I pledge myself to make the Fall and Winter business campaign on that sound platform.

Dry and Dress Goods,

Notions, Hosiery that the good ladies of our county so naturally desire and so richly deserve. Nothing regulates for their use for any purpose of occasion has been omitted from my purchase.

Bennett Stringfellow,

Elko, South Carolina. Lime and cement. Best grades. Lowest prices. Molair's.

LOW CUT SALE

SHOES STARTS Sept. 21st, 1911



AT AND BELOW COST

We must have the room for Fall. This will be strictly a cash sale. One, come all. Come early before they all gone.

Yours to serve, BLACKVILLE - SHOE - STORE BLACKVILLE, S. C.

Home Bank of Barnwell

Organized by the People for the People. Identified with the Farmers' Union. Deposit your Money and receive 4 per cent in Savings Department.

OFFICERS:

Harry D. Calhoun, President; William L. Cave, Vice-President; N. G. W. Walker, Cashier; R. C. Carroll, Asst. Cashier; G. Miller Greene, Attorney.

FACTS FOR THE FALL

Acclimated Mules for finishing crop gathering and best wagons in America for hauling the yields of the fields. All right horses for driving purposes and unequalled buggies and surreys, the easiest riding and longest lasting in the world.

Charlie Brown

Barnwell, S. C. Just received direct from the leading Northern markets, a fully complete, carefully chosen stock of general merchandise.

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Bamberg, South Carolina. Let us give your Boy and Girl the training they need - honest, thorough work under positive Christian influences. Why take chances? Our school is owned and controlled by Woodford College and is NOT A SHAM.

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Dunbarto. MANUFACTURED YELLOW PINE ROUGH & DRESSED Flooring, Ceiling, Lings, Lath. Can furnish complete Saw Mills, Dry Planting.

DR. J. H. E. M.

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DR. W. C. M.

DENTIST. Barnwell, S. C. OFFICE HOURS 8.30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Persons living away from town will please make appointments by sending the amount of immediate service at appointments.

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