

# THE BATESBURG ADVOCATE

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## COLORED STATE FAIR AT BATESBURG ALL NEXT WEEK

### "LOOK--Who's Here"--

**A "\$12.00 MIRROR," Size 18x40 Inches.**  
**ABSOLUTELY FREE to CONTESTANTS.**

The Fair is not over yet, for we have the fairest Contest that ever fared so well in this fair community, that will be fareing until fair Thanksgiving day.

This beautiful mirror will be given away to the first lady turning in \$25.00 in subscriptions to the Batesburg Advocate contest after Friday the 20th inst. Now ladies this beautiful mirror is the clearest mirror that ever was purchased from any furniture store for \$12.00. This mirror was purchased from the well known furniture store of Hon. W. N. Fallaw (successor to) L. D. Cullum Co., right here in Batesburg. You can call by the said store and see this beautiful mirror sitting right there in the window. It is waiting to soon be carried to some cozy little room of some smart contestant to stay as a beautiful and serviceable mirror for ages. Here is the best opportunity for some young lady to make her time in the contest work pay her well as the subscription's counts on the beautiful \$400.00 piano just the same.

I looked the town over for almost half a day trying to select some neat valuable prize that would put some contest spirit in to our contestant's. After looking over the entire new line of furniture that Mr. W. H. Fallaw carries, such as rocking chairs, rugs, mattresses, stoves, ranges, parlor suits, bed room suits, and mirrors, I concluded that this mirror would appeal to the contestant's more than anything else, and once you see this beautiful mirror you will agree with me.

Who will be the first to compete for this prize as well as the piano? Miss Irene Bomar was first to turn \$25.00 to the contest manager last week, and receive the beautiful \$5.00 prize. Will she be the winner this week?, or some one far off, if so I will be only too glad to ship this mirror to any contestant at my expense.

Don't forget the piano. Several contestants have worked hard this week though none of them are so far ahead that you can't walk a way ahead this week if you should "TRY". The contest is most half over, so you see that you will not have long to fight for the beautiful piano and other beautiful prizes, that will be given away thanksgiving day; not long off, so you had better get busy and lay every thing else aside and fight for a victory that you and your friends can feel proud of.

The contest is virtually just beginning. The preliminary work has been successful to a marked degree. It is well advertised throughout the territory wherein you will find your best field of endeavors. Partnership is bound to arrive and with it, new and vital forces will flock to your standard. Friends will put their shoulders to the wheel and away you will go faster and faster to the goal.

Just need a few more loyal contestants and then in next issue of the paper the contestants name will appear in each issue showing how she stands. Get in the firing line today and make it warmer and warmer.

Subscriptions are easy to get, or when the flag of victory is waved over the winners the last day they can go with her friends (shouting) back to her cozy home with something that she can be proud of.

glad to go with you at any day to coach you in a way that you will find that subscriptions are easy to get.

Don't ever let the word "SUBSCRIPTION" get out of your mind.

Now that the fair is over and the good citizens have returned to their respective homes, and we were glad indeed to have them come and see our small city. Now if you want to keep in touch with Batesburg and the surrounding towns and country give your subscription to some lady contestant for a year or more to the Batesburg Advocate and we assure you we will keep you posted all O. K.

Address all communications relative to the contest to  
**J. B. MANOR,**  
Contest Manager,  
Batesburg, S. C.  
Representing the American Mercantile Co., of Jacksonville, Fla.

**Rules of Kontest.**  
Rules for contest will be as follows:

**Rule 1.** Subscribers are cautioned to demand a receipt for money paid to contestants and so return same to contest management to be dated by book showing date of expiration.

2. All money for subscriptions must be paid to J. B. Manor, who will have entire control of the contest.

3. Contest manager's signature must be affixed to votes before same are of value in contest.

4. Ballots cannot be bought. The contest will be run same basis—fair to all. Votes can only be obtained by securing subscriptions, either prepaid or renewals or by cutting free voting coupon out of each issue.

5. No employe of the Advocate or member of any family connected with the paper will be permitted to participate in the contest.

6. Contestants or nominators can secure as many free voting certificates as possible and vote them each week.

7. Only one nominating coupon entitling each contestant to 1,000 votes will be allowed.

8. All votes must be in the Advocate office by Tuesday noon of each week.

9. Votes once issued cannot be transferred to another contestant.

10. The right is reserved to reject any name for cause, also to alter these rules should occasion demand.

11. Any question that may arise between the contestants will be determined by the contest manager, and this decision will be final.

12. To all who enter this contest we guarantee fair treatment. No partiality will be shown to any contestant.

13. For any information call on or address the Contest Manager, and any information will be gladly given.

The next I prizes are as follows:

One \$200 Certificate rebate on piano.  
One \$175 Certificate rebate on piano.  
One \$150 Certificate rebate on

piano.  
One \$125 Certificate rebate on piano.  
One \$100 Certificate rebate on piano.  
Any of these certificates are transferable.  
The names of contestants already nominated are as follows:  
Yours respectfully,  
**J. B. Manor,**  
Contest Manager for American Music Co., Jacksonville, Fla.

**Schedule of Votes.**

	New and Renewal	1500 votes
1 year	\$1.00	5000
2 "	2.00	10000
5 "	5.00	30000
10 "	10.00	45000
12 "	12.00	50000
15 "	15.00	60000
20 "	20.00	70000
25 "	25.00	

### RARE ANIMALS.

#### With the Sangers Combined Shows.

The Sangers Combined Shows exhibit the greatest blue-faced, ribboned baboon in captivity. He is a giant in size, and is possessed of the strength of a hundred men. Decked with rare tents, with gorgeous colors and with indescribable hues, he grins at the startled thousands, and degenerate man or a reformed brute—which is he? Scientists have not answered the question. He has passed through training school for animals and has thrown aside many antics and notions of the brute creation, and taken on many antic idiosyncrasies of finite man. He is at once a wonder and a mystery, and his queer grimaces and wise expressions provoke smiles and serious reflections from the simple minded and the philosophical. To see this rare freak of nature is never to forget it.

Sangers Combined Shows, according to the general verdict, is the greatest Circus Alliance the world has ever known, will be in Leesville Thursday, Oct. 26th.

### Colored State Fair

COLUMBIA, S. C.  
November, 7-10, 1911.

#### Very Low Round Trip Fares Via SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

This includes one admission coupon to fair grounds where trip is inter-state.

Augusta, Ga.	\$2.75
Abbeville, S. C.	3.65
Aiken, S. C.	2.90
Anderson, S. C.	4.40
Batesburg, S. C.	1.70
Donalds, S. C.	3.75
Edgefield, S. C.	2.60
Greenwood, S. C.	3.20
Honea Path, S. C.	3.90
Johnston, S. C.	2.20
Newberry, S. C.	2.05

Proportionately reduced fares from other points. Tickets sold November 6 to 10, 1911, inclusive good returning November 11th, 1911. Excellent schedules, ample accommodations, Horse Races, Balloon Ascensions, Football Game, Newest Midway Attractions.

For detailed information, call on nearest ticket agent or,  
**Jno. L. Meek, A. G. P. A.**  
Atlanta, Ga.  
**Frank L. Jenkins, T. P. A.**  
Augusta, Ga.

#### TRI-COUNTY FAIR

The fifth Tri-County Fair opened here Tuesday and in many respects it was the most successful fair held since its organization. The poultry exhibits were exceptionally fine as were the field crops. The live stock exhibit was hardly as good as former years owing possibly to the heavy rains Tuesday which prevented a large number of animals from being entered. The attendance on Wednesday and Thursday was exceptionally good and the best of or-

### COTTON MARKET

BATESBURG SPOT 8 1/4c.

#### Local and Personal.

L. D. Cullum Jr., returned Tuesday from Columbia.  
Miss Hattie Rogers arrived Tuesday from an extended trip to Bennettsville.  
Mrs. J. E. Hart of Edgefield was a visitor to Mrs. D. P. Bodie this week.

Mrs. F. E. Cullum and Miss Fredrika and Eldridge Cullum arrived Wednesday from a visit to Mrs. Cullum's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Neal in Atlanta.  
Miss Hattie Nowell has returned to Charleston after a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. P. Clement.  
Miss Mabel Mims of Blackville, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Fannie Hartley.

Mrs. A. C. Mitchell has returned has returned from a visit to relatives at Johnston. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. D. R. Strother.

Milwee Cook returned to Columbia Sunday.  
Miss Azilee Lybrand, of Swansea is visiting relatives in town.

Miss Eva Hite came up from Wagener and spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hite.  
Mrs. L. D. Honea and Mrs. Allison Kirby of Columbia are spending sometime with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rawl.

Mrs. L. G. Wheeler and daughter of the St. Mark section were in town shopping Monday.  
W. S. Wightman of Saluda was in town a few days ago.  
J. W. Rankin of Columbia was a recent visitor to our city.

Mrs. F. B. Gunter of Ridge Spring spent Monday in town.  
Mrs. M. S. Rutland returned Sunday from a brief visit to relatives at Monet.

Mrs. E. S. Rawl arrived Monday from Greenwood where she attended the Woman's Home Missionary Society.

Mrs. G. W. Rikard has returned from a visit to relatives in Columbia.

Col. E. H. Folk of Edgefield, was a pleasant visitor to our city a few days ago.

Miss Ethel Rhodes is at home from Columbia to attend the Fair.  
Col. and Mrs. E. F. Strother spent today in Augusta.

M. L. Woodward of Barnwell, was here for a few days this week.  
Colson Glenn of Augusta, is spending sometime in town.

Mrs. Thornton Jones of Jones X Roads was in town Wednesday.  
Mr. S. P. Cumbee, of the Ridge Spring section was in town yesterday on business.

Mrs. John Scott of Ridge Spring was the guest of Mrs. Alice Corder during the Fair.  
Mr. Joe Plunkett of North, spent Wednesday night and Thursday in town.

Mr. H. P. Cato of Ridge Spring was in town yesterday.

#### TRESPASS NOTICE.

All parties are warned not to hunt or trespass on lands of the undersigned, day or night. The law will be enforced against all violators.  
S. Pickens Derrick, J. A. Watson, J. Frank Kneece, J. Wm. Mitchell, E. F. Strother, Mrs. Pauline Spann, W. T. Bedenbaugh, W. K. Shealy.

5 or 6 doses "666" will cure any case of Chills and Fever. Price 25c. 9-29-8w.

### HONOR ROLL

#### Batesburg Graded and High School.

The names of all pupils making a general average of 90 and over are placed on the honor roll. In the high school department, those making an average of 95 and above are placed in class A, those below in class B.

**FIRST GRADE.**  
Nell Perry, Beulah Sills, Pliney Timmerman, Ben Anderson, William Anderson, Angus Boatwright, Joseph Canty, Thelma Ridgell, Maggie Ridgell, Flossie Hite, Wye Vetta Hall, Amos Moore, Dresser Quinn, Arthur S. Rikard, James Ridgell, W. P. Rikard, Charles Steadman, Dewette Wise, Thomas Johnson.

**ADVANCED FIRST GRADE.**  
Zilla Bodie, Helen Edwards, Luke Bouknight, Carrol Bruce, Eugene Hughes, Edgar Glover, Sammy Rawl.

**SECOND GRADE.**  
Lawrence Rikard, Virginia Cullum, Essie Howard, Mannie Ridgell, Mary Alice Mitchell.

**THIRD GRADE.**  
Derward Brabham, Elwyn Moore, W. F. Rhodes, Edwin Rawl, Fredrika Cullum, Isabel Canty, Annie Howard.

**FOURTH GRADE.**  
Walter Edwards, B. J. Bouknight, Addie Bouknight, Elma Altman, Willie May Carr, Matilda Cook, Lester Fink, Eloise Hite, Mabel Fallaw, Ruby Rikard, Wraying Wise, Leonard Boatwright.

**FIFTH GRADE.**  
Capers Alexander, Julia Malpass, Lorena Miller, Mary Timmerman, Pearl Fallaw, Ellen Rawl, Frank Hite.

**SIXTH GRADE.**  
Thelma Proctor, Leta Wise, Julian Wise, Martha Watson, Kimmie Stokes, Lottie Sills, Leona Oswald, Julia Miller, Pearl Bedenbaugh, Frank B. Edwards.

**SEVENTH GRADE.**  
Ethel Cullum, Robert Brabham, Moses Alexander, Callie Wright, Louise Ridgell, Eunice Smith, Fannie Clement, Teddy Lee Harmon, Oberia Bouknight, Mattie Lou Bouknight, Ethel Cockroft, Edgar Watson.

**HIGH SCHOOL CLASS A.**  
Cora Hall, Kathieen Tarrant, Cleo Wise.

**CLASS B.**  
Caro Lee Cullum, Eugenia Aldridge, Gladys Smith, Saidee Timmerman, J. Lou Hallman.

### GEORGIA-CAROLINA FAIR

Augusta, Ga., November 6-11, 1911

#### Very Low Round Trip Fares Via SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Abbeville, S. C.	\$2.70
Aiken, S. C.	.75
Batesburg, S. C.	1.75
Edgefield, S. C.	1.20
Johnston, S. C.	1.25
Newberry, S. C.	3.40

Proportionately reduced fares from other points.  
Tickets sold November 5 to 10, 1911, inclusive good returning November 12, 1911.

Aeroplane flights and horse racing every day--Magnificent Corn Show--Largest and best Poultry Show in the South; Unsurpassed Agricultural Display--Newest Midway and numerous free attractions every day.

Annual Foot-Ball Game--Clemson College vs University of Georgia, Thursday October 9.  
For further detailed information call on nearest ticket agent, or—  
**J. L. Meek, A. G. P. A.,**  
Atlanta, Ga.  
**F. L. Jenkins, T. P. A.,**  
Augusta, Ga.

**DR. E. P. TAYLOR,**  
—DENTIST—  
OFFICE IN TELEPHONE BLD'G.

### Out of the Ordinary

#### Is the Sangers Combined Shows

"Something out of the ordinary" is a remark that can properly be made of Sangers Combined Shows which will exhibit in Leesville Thursday October 26th.

The big circus has a reputation for producing remarkable surprises in its arena until the public has learned that it can attend an exhibition of the Sangers Combined Shows expecting to see something new and different.

There is an unusual number of features with this show this season. It is different to pick the best. Some will like the trained wild beasts exhibition or horse wonders. Others will prefer the Kirby Family, Meredith Troupe, the Riding Walleets, the Glasgow Royal Horses, the Ellite Troupe, while some will spend most of the time laughing at the host of clowns, listening to the Julius Winslow famous band enjoying the races, admiring the animals or petting the beautiful Dublin Prize Horses.

No matter which way one looks while under any one of the Sangers Combined Shows tent's, he is sure to see something out of the ordinary.

### STATE FAIR COLUMBIA, S. C.

OCT. 30 TO NOV. 4, 1911.

#### Special Train Service and Round Trip Excursion Fares Announced by The

#### SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Special Train	Round Trip Excursion fare	Including one admission to Fair Grounds
Lv. Trenton Nov. 1 and 2nd	7:30 a. m.	\$2.45
Johnston	7:45	2.20
Ward	7:55	2.10
Ridge Spring	8:05	2.00
Monetta	8:12	1.85
Batesburg	8:25	1.70
Sumnerland	8:28	
Leesville	8:33	1.65
Summit	8:46	
Gilbert	8:51	1.40
Lexington	9:15	1.10
Ar. Columbia	9:45 a. m.	

Special train to be operated November 1st and 2nd and returning will leave Columbia 8:00 p. m. on these dates, arriving Trenton 10:15 p. m.

All tickets will be on sale Oct 28 to Nov. 3, good returning Nov. 5, 1911. Ample equipment will be provided on all regular trains during Fair week. For any additional information, call on nearest ticket agent or,

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### The State Fair

M. W. Twichell, the state geologist is preparing a mineral exhibit which will be placed on exhibition at the State Fair to be held in Columbia on October 30 to Nov. 3rd.

A food stuffs exhibit from the state department of agriculture will also be shown. Some of the rotten corn that has been seized by inspectors of the department will be shown.

Appreciating the importance and general desire of the people to visit the State Fair, the railroads of the state, in addition to the regular schedule, will run special trains for Wednesday and Thursday, which are considered the big days.

Most horses can hear well, and yet you would think from the sound of some men's voices when at work that the animals were deaf than posts.

### Business Booming Again

New York.—Convinced that the pendulum of business is ready to swing back to good times, representatives of the great manufacturing enterprises of the country with headquarters in this city, have ordered the wheels of industry, silent now for many months, to again hum with the song of work.

A canvas of the situation at home and abroad, they say shows that conditions are steadily improving and that all business, both big and little, has reached the end of the period of depression, which made necessary the heavy retrenchments in expenses and curtailment of production that marked the spring and summer months.

Failures are steadily declining in number and aggregate losses in all sections of the country and a firmer tone is noticeable everywhere.

In New England, sixty mills giving employment to more than 100,000 men and women, which have been shut down from two to ten weeks, resumed operation on full time on Monday and the balance of those that have been idle, have arranged to start the first of the coming week. From the South and the West the news is equally cheery.

In the former twenty mills that have taken hold again and in the latter 35 large manufacturing plants which have been closed or operating on a minimum basis, encouraged by the signal improvement in new orders, are once more in full swing.

President William M. Wood of the American Woolen Company which controls thirty mills in New England and New York, having 30,000 employees, who are now working on full time; says that the outlook is for a permanent and long continued change for the better.

In support of this conviction, in which all manufacturers here now generally share, the Greenwood-Cotton Duck mills at New Hartford, Barkhempstead and Canton, Conn., which have been closed for ten years have been reopened and giving work to 2,000 operatives, with the promise that the force will be substantially increased in a few weeks.

At North Brookfield, Mass., the Oxford Linen Mills which have orders in hand to keep them going at their maximum efficiency until well into the winter intend to double their force, with the installation on January 1st of new machinery ordered recently to enable them to supply the demand for American made linen goods.

With the general revival in trade which these signs augur, business is looking forward to a year of increased activity and nation wide prosperity in which every industry and every community will get its proportionate share. Coincident with this, a marked lowering of the cost of living, especially in the everyday staples of life, is predicted.

### Negro Fair AUGUSTA, GA.

November 14-17, 1911

#### Very Low Round Trip Fares VIA SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Tickets on sale	November 13 to 16, 1911, and for trains scheduled to arrive Augusta before noon Nov. 17, good returning Nov. 20.
Aiken, S. C.	.75
Batesburg, S. C.	1.75
Edgefield, S. C.	1.20
Johnston, S. C.	1.25
Newberry, S. C.	3.40

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### \$1.00

Per year for this paper. It's worth more but we don't ask it. A dollar will do.