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THE MORNING INTELLIGENCER

Realizing the greatness of the section of which Anderson is the geographical and logical center, and with a purpose to be of service to the upbuilding of this section and the promotion of every undertaking that tends to uplift, to promote and to solidify the splendid people who make it great, the friends and financial backers of The Anderson Intelligencer have yielded to the suggestion and persuasion of numerous friends and have launched this paper as a daily representative of the progressive thought of the most independent and most ambitious city of the south.

We feel that nothing but success is in store for us. Our policy will be to follow the golden rule as nearly as human can do, and at the same time to stand for the right and for the things which will refine, strengthen and exalt our citizenship.

It shall not be our purpose unduly to belittle those with whom we may not agree, nor will we seek to give too much praise to the undeserving. The men who make this paper love Anderson, they love great its history and they are filled with emotion over the wonderful possibilities and prospects of this matchless country. The policy of this paper will be Onward and Forward and Upward. With that in view, we beg the consideration and support of the people. As to our qualifications, we point with pride to the words of commendation of our friends, of all political factions in this State.

JOHN SNOWDEN WILSON, JUDGE

John Snowden Wilson, who is presiding over this term of Court in Anderson county, was elected judge in the Third Circuit on January 23, 1907.

He read law with his kinsman, B. Pressley Barron, Esq., and was admitted to the bar by examination before the Supreme Court in 1880, beginning the practice of his profession at Manning, where he was in partnership with Joseph F. Rhame of that bar and later with Col. B. Pressley Barron of the Manning bar. He was a trial justice at Manning and filled this position in a manner to reflect credit upon himself and with decided satisfaction to the entire county. He resigned and practiced law alone until 1890 when he offered for the position of Solicitor and was elected. As Solicitor for ten years, Mr. Wilson was in partnership with Charlton DuRant at Manning under the firm name of Wilson & DuRant. This partnership was dissolved in 1906 and Mr. Wilson formed a partnership with S. Oliver O'Brien.

As Solicitor Mr. Wilson was careful and painstaking, always striving to find the truth and always endeavoring to serve the State. He has changed not one whit in this respect since he was elevated to the high office which he now holds. He is careful and deliberate, yet quick to seize the smallest detail and grasp its full import.

Judge Wilson is a credit to the bench of the State and this opinion is shared in alike by both the people of the State and the bar of South Carolina.

One of the greatest pages in his life history was the incident of his staying a mob that would have lynched a negro who had murdered in a most brutal manner Judge Wilson's own uncle, who was near and dear to him. As Solicitor he pleaded with the mob and they spared the negro to meet a just fate at the hands of the law.

THE GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

By special courtesy of the governor's office, extended through his executive secretary, Col. Jno. K. Aull, The Daily Intelligencer is permitted to publish the annual message to the general assembly. This paper has announced that it is not interfering in politics, but wishes to give all men a fair deal and that it is glad to get political news. We find the message of the governor very interesting reading and with much of it we agree, but in some things we cannot express concurrence.

Some of our readers may not be inclined to read that section of the paper containing the message, but we advise them to read it carefully and they will find it interesting, whether they assent to it or not. We infer that this is not the only message from the governor, as he is not touched upon the military, state finances, woman's rights and some other matters. We are unable to print the message in full, in account of regrettable limitations, but in giving the salient features we endeavor to omit nothing and to change nothing in the expression. The feature of the message referring to the prosperity of the State we consider a very fine portion of the message. There are some other parts of it that we wish the governor had not written.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

With the first issue of The Daily Intelligencer as a morning daily, the readers of Anderson and vicinity will be treated to a full report of the leased wire service of the Associated Press, which is the greatest news gathering organization in the world.

The Associated Press has representatives in every part of the world and whenever anything of general interest occurs it is almost immediately flashed to the four corners of the globe over their leased wires.

With this full leased wire service, The Intelligencer will put into the homes of all Anderson citizens, as well as the residents of the surrounding territory, the important happenings of the world every morning except Monday, so that they will know exactly what has taken place by the time they go to their business.

The Associated Press is above all accurate and impartial in the dissemination of its news, and the readers of these columns can rely on what they find therein as being as near absolutely correct as careful, efficient and widely experienced newspaper men can make them.

RICHMOND IS THE PLACE

We favor Richmond for a regional bank. We naturally incline to Columbia, but fear that our own state has no chance in this big affair. We have little sympathy, for while Atlanta is our near neighbor, that city has done nothing for South Carolina. Atlanta has been lukewarm to Anderson in the matter of the proposed extension of the Interurban, as the Chamber of Commerce of Atlanta is dominated by the steam railway lines. Atlanta has done nothing for South Carolina in times of stress, while Richmond and Baltimore have. Months ago we predicted that the democrats would give Richmond an opportunity to become the financial center of the Southeastern states, and we hope that the prediction will come true.

The king is dead; long live the king. Wall Street has lost its hold on the South. Long may Richmond be our financial well spring.

OUR ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

We acknowledge with thanks the great many letters and telegrams of congratulation which have come to this office in the past few days. We regret that some came too late for this issue and we will publish them Wednesday.

In view of the fact that so much of our space is given to congratulatory messages we have had to cut down the Associated Press dispatches in our first issue, and we ask our subscribers not to judge of the service by this our first issue.

"EVERYBODY HAPPY" IS A GOOD SLOGAN

Mr. Fred H. Dominick Sends His Good Wishes to The Morning Intelligencer

Editor The Intelligencer: To the many good people who will receive as a pleasant New Year's surprise, a daily visit from the old friend, The Intelligencer, I wish all happiness and prosperity during the coming year.

Ours is a country singularly blessed by nature. We have just passed through a year of abundance and prosperity, and are now on the threshold of the greatest of the many great years that have played their parts in the material development, happiness and prosperity of our people and country. The South with the products of its sunny fields can clothe and feed the nations of the earth; it is a leader in the progress and development of this great country; it is once more coming into its own.

Anderson county and the Piedmont are doing and will do their share in this great work which means so much for our people.

Let us not only take advantage of our opportunities, but make opportunities to be taken advantage of and all pull and work together for the upbuilding and development of our respective communities and our beloved State.

Let our Anderson friends continue to sing "Anderson is My Town," but at the same time let us all join in the glad acclaim, "South Carolina is My State," and then it will be useless to say, "Is Everybody Happy?"

Success, happiness and prosperity to The Intelligencer and all its readers. Sincerely, FRED H. DOMINICK, Columbia, Jan. 12, 1914.

CONGRESSMAN AIKEN SENDS HIS GREETINGS

To The Daily Intelligencer—Compliments the Great County of Anderson

Editor of Daily Anderson Intelligencer: Anderson, S. C.

It is with genuine pleasure I learn that the Intelligencer will be launched out into the broader field of daily journalism.

Anderson was the first county in the State to successfully maintain a daily newspaper, almost entirely on local support. In a city so loyal, so full of public enterprise and all the essentials of progress, growth and development, it would seem that the success of the Intelligencer in the daily field is assured.

My earliest impressions of the people of Anderson were that her citizenship was composed of more good men than make up the ordinary vicinity.

This citizenship is compact, working even for the upbuilding of the city and county and working effectively because they realize that in the growth and prosperity of their city and county they themselves found prosperity.

The splendid circulation, about 5,000, with which you will greet the good people of Anderson county assures success in the beginning. With your experience and ability in newspaper work, it is certain that the Daily Intelligencer will grow stronger with each day of its existence. It has my heartiest good will and account of its management, as well as an account of its patrons for whom I have feelings of deepest gratitude.

Yours very sincerely, WYATT N. AIKEN, Washington, D. C., Jan. 12, 1914.

ANDERSON IS GREAT SAYS MAJ. RICHARDS

Comments the Morning Intelligencer to the People of This Section

Editor The Intelligencer: Some years ago in one of his campaigns for the United States senate, S. R. Tillman stated that Anderson was the best county in the State. Without wishing to make invidious comparisons, I will say that Senator Tillman was always considered a man of wisdom and discernment. Anderson is a great and a grand county. It is so because of the fact that so many of its people are white men who own their small farms and are becoming independent.

The fact that you have produced this year something like 75,000 bales of cotton shows that you are great; the fact that the cotton crop is no greater in proportion than the splendid harvest of small grain; all of these things assure me that Anderson is the greatest county in the State from an agricultural standpoint.

I am impressed furthermore, with the greatness of the soul and spirit of the citizens of Anderson when they launch a morning paper, taking the complete Associated Press service. This is a great undertaking and I am sure that the people of your splendid little city will appreciate it. You have my best wishes and heartiest congratulations. JOHN C. RICHARDS, Liberty Hill, S. C., Jan. 12, 1914.

WE'RE HAVING SOME MIGHTY INTERESTING SALES HERE THESE DAYS

"Economy and Efficiency" are the two big words today. Here are efficient Overcoats at economical prices. Warm, big, generous overcoats—man's best friend during the storms of life. Here are also some short, snappy, swagger overcoats with just the right kink. Everything in overcoats that you will be interested in—and they are all reduced.



- \$25.00 Overcoats reduced to \$20.00
20.00 Overcoats reduced to 16.00
18.00 Overcoats reduced to 14.50
15.00 Overcoats reduced to 12.00
12.50 Overcoats reduced to 10.00
10.00 Overcoats reduced to 8.00

HERE'S THE REAL SHOE OPPORTUNITY

We have begun to clear every pair of shoes in our stock. It is indeed a wonderful stock of fine shoes that we have to offer at these big price reductions. Small wonder that we are so busy—men who know shoe values when they see them need no second invitation to a sale like this. Whatever your choice in leathers, they're here.

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\$5.00 Howard & Foster in all leathers \$3.75
\$4.00 Howard & Foster in all leathers \$3.25
\$3.50 Snow Shoes in all leathers \$2.75



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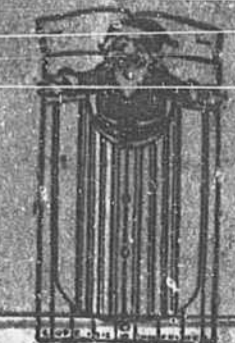


Mighty useful thing—a bath robe or a house coat if you want to chase a burglar or let in one of the family who has lost his latch key. They are mighty fine just to have to put on to make you feel at home.

- \$10.00 Bath Robes and House Coats \$7.75
9.00 Bath Robes and House Coats 7.00
7.50 Bath Robes and House Coats 5.75
6.50 Bath Robes and House Coats 4.50
5.00 Bath Robes and House Coats 3.75
3.50 Bath Robes and House Coats 2.75

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These colored stiff bosom shirts are decidedly the most desirable shirts for men today, and we've reduced them now when your supply is sure to need replenishing. Stiff bosoms in all the new colors, with and without plaits. You know they are correct in every detail when we say they're Manhattan.



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\$1.50 Colored Manhattan Shirts with stiff bosoms now 1.15
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