

Anderson Leads State

In many ways Anderson county leads the state and one of the most important of these is an educational way. That Anderson is right up at the front in matters pertaining to education is a matter of common knowledge throughout South Carolina and additional proof of this fact is contained in the statement made yesterday from the office of the county superintendent of education. J. B. Felton, the superintendent, announced that he had just received a check for \$6,460 for the 26 rural graded schools of Anderson county. This is a larger amount than is paid to any other county in the state and is slightly more than one-tenth of the entire amount appropriated by the general assembly for this purpose—\$60,000.

Table with columns: Name, District, Number, Amount. Lists school names like Dancer, Roberts, Centerville, Hopewell, Barnes, West Pelzer, Long Branch, Mountain View, Concrete, Union, Bishop Branch, Three and Twenty, Long Branch, Friendship, Cleveland, White Plains, Walker-McElmoye, McLess, Melton, Broyles, Welcome, Zion, Central, Airy Springs, Double Springs, Green Pond.

Anderson is the banner school in the state, but Supt. Felton will not let up and will endeavor to county in the state, but Supt. Felton push the work even further.

DESCRIBES TYPE OF ANDERSON CATTLE

BLOODED STOCK FOR THIS SECTION ARRIVING BREEDER WRITES

Overton Harris of Missouri Tells Local People of Qualities of the Stock

The Hereford cattle purchased by Paul V. Moore, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, and J. J. Watt, state livestock expert of the government, connected with Clemson College, has arrived in Anderson from Greenville. The cattle were bought after Messrs. Moore and Watt had made a tour of the middle west. They were procured from the large stock farms of Overton Harris & Sons, Harris, Mo. Mr. Harris is probably the best known breeder of Hereford cattle in the United States, and he has received many trophies for his blooded stock. Some of his bulls are priced at \$10,000 a head.

Reasons for Purchase. This breed of cattle was brought for Spartanburg, Greenville and Anderson counties in order that they might be the nucleus of an extensive stock-raising industry in the Piedmont section. The farmers in this territory are slowly coming to the realization that the best beef is due to reach this state in five years and a one-crop system will mean financial disaster. The solution is the diversification of crops, and livestock raising is one of its main features. In compliance with a request made by Mr. Moore, Overton Harris has written a short history of the Hereford cattle on his farm and he shows their blood strain. In order that the farmers of this county may know the class of cattle they have bought, the full text of Mr. Harris' article follows:

"It is with pleasure that we give you a few brief remarks relative to the starting and upholding of the herd of Model Herefords, as well as relative to a few of the most important winnings.

"It was over a quarter of a century ago that we started into the registered Hereford cattle business. Our policy was to get the best at as low a cost as possible. We selected our matrons carefully and then bought the bull, Benjamin Wilson No. 63,523. The result of the cross of this bull on our cows brought results beyond our fondest expectations. It produced a class of cattle that anyone might well be proud of. After this we went to the F. A. Nave closing out sale and bought a goodly number of the best things he offered. Several of these animals were bought at high prices, but it was, as is now, our motto to buy quality and let the price be a secondary matter. Not long after this we started into the above sale. Our record was unsurpassed by any American breeder. But I will not dwell with the past so much as I will the present. As

it was during the years previous to our selling our show herd that we bred and developed the wonderful cow 'Bella 2'. This cow was sold in the Chicago International Association sale for \$4,100. This is one of the highest priced Hereford cows ever sold at public auction. During 1908 we were at it again. As usual, our policy was to get the best. We bought the best and Mr. Harris' champion bull at America's greatest

Hereford show, the American Royal, at Kansas City. This bull was 'Grand 31'. We afterwards sold him to Mr. Cudahy. However not until we had finished some of his championship blood into our herd.

"Several years prior to this we found it necessary to add another bull to our herd. We wanted a bull that would cross well with our Benjamin Wilson matrons. We selected the bull 'Beal Donald 5', No. 86142. This cross worked wonders and it was with them that we made our successful winnings before selling our show herd. It might be added that this bull was a grand champion in several of the leading shows.

"Our herd was increasing all the time and 1909 found us in need of more bulls. (Of course you understand that I am giving you the names of the most prominent bulls which we have used.) We wanted something to cross onto the blood of the Benjamin Wilson-Beal Donald fusion. Our selection was 'Repeater'. This bull was the undisputed grand champion throughout the entire year of 1909. It is needless to say that our entire show herd were at the top all through the year.

"It will be noted that we have now used three grand champion bulls at the head of our herd within the last ten years. The use of these champions on the cows we selected brought results that the entire Hereford kingdom were compelled to acknowledge as being of the superior sort.

"Our next bull was 'Gay Lad'. This bull was 'Repeater' had quite a time in the show rings during 1910. 'Gay Lad' was shown as a two-year old. First one and then the other was made grand champion. However, 'Gay Lad' succeeded in winning five times out of eight shows.

"Our herd during 1910 again acquired the habit of winning more than all our competitors combined. During 1911 'Gay Lad 6' was the undisputed grand champion bull and the herd again won more than all competitors. In fact out of a possible 24 herd prizes we won 20 firsts, two seconds and two thirds. Never has this record been equalled by any other exhibitor of Herefords.

"During the year 1912 we exhibited the junior champion bull and junior champion female throughout the year and our herd prizewinners were just as extensive as during 1911.

"It is the same story for 1913. Grand champion bull throughout the entire year and in most every show the grand champion cow. At the American royal, our bull, Prince Perfection, was the senior champion bull and 'Repeater' was the junior champion as well as grand champion. This bull has his first defeat to receive. He has been a winner since a calf. He was grand champion everywhere his first year and last year he was the junior and grand champion at every show. He is pronounced by many competent judges as being the greatest living Hereford bull.

"Please bear in mind that the 'Model Farms' have shown five grand champion bulls during the last six years at the great American royal. Think what this means. No other herd can say as much.

"The Class of Females. The class of our females can best be explained by saying that we have shown over 50 per cent of the first prizes in the herd prize rings during the past three years and in many instances, with a single exception never have shown below third.

"It is no easy thing to raise a grand champion bull in the present day. It is no easy thing to raise a grand champion cow. Last year we had to have one grand champion bull and one grand champion cow. We have a grand champion bull in service it is something remarkable. In fact, we enjoy being the only Hereford herd in the entire world that can say as much. Not only our matrons, champions, but they are producing champions. You might expect when you manage a herd of champions in such a manner as is done at the 'Model Farms' you would like to have your look over the records of the past five or six years. I would like for you to see for yourself where the Model Herefords stand. I want you to know that it was with a pressure to have you and Mr. Harris' champion bull at America's greatest

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Condensed statement of the financial condition of The Bank of Anderson, Anderson, S. C., at the close of business, March 4, 1914, as shown by statement made to the State Bank Examiner.

Table with columns: RESOURCES, LIABILITIES. Lists items like Loans and Discounts, Overdrafts, Bonds and Stocks, Real Estate, Due from Banks and Bankers, Cash and Cash Items, Capital Stock Paid In, Surplus Fund, Undivided Profits, Dividends Unpaid, Deposits, Bank.

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have our cattle passed on by such able judges. We like to have our opinions verified, we like to show our tier because it represents a life's work. I want to congratulate you on the selections you made from our herd. They were an excellent bunch. I know that they will give good account of themselves. I am glad to see the month take hold of registered Herefords such as they are. A few members of cattle such as selected by you will soon get the country started. It is to be regretted that you were limited with your funds. However, am sure that you realize that you got full dollar for dollar value. When you and your people have become thoroughly convinced as to what the Herefords will do, come back and buy of the better quality and reap the rewards that are in store there for you.

LaFayette Won Series. Columbia, March 25.—The LaFayette college baseball team of Eaton,

Pa., today won from the University of South Carolina here by a score of 4 to 3. The eastern collegians won two of their games in the series, which closed today.

DEFENSE OF BILLY SUNDAY. Some incidents related by a Reporter Detailed on the Work.

Raleigh News and Observer. "I notice that Mr. W. W. Orr of Charlotte has a long article in the defense of Rev. 'Billy' Sunday's pulpit methods in Sunday's edition of The Charlotte Observer," said Mr. S. M. Scroggs, a newspaper man now residing in this city, yesterday. "I reported Mr. Sunday's sermons and other addresses in 'Pittsburg' Pa. a short time ago, for a number of weeks, for the Pittsburg Press. I usually had to display my reporter's badge to gain access to Sunday

tabernacle which comfortably seated 16,000 people. "The four afternoon papers and the three morning papers of Pittsburg had a regular press gallery on each side of the Sunday pulpit. At some services as many as 10,000 were turned away from the tabernacle for lack of room. This sort of thing was especially true near the close of the eight week's campaign of the evangelist and his corps of evangelistic workers. To be sure there were hundreds of people who criticized Rev. Mr. Sunday, but such men as Governor Tener and leading banking and business men of Pittsburg enthusiastically endorsed the evangelist in addresses at the great tabernacle. One of Governor Tener's brothers, a prominent lawyer of Pittsburg, 'hit the saw-dust trail' during the meeting.

"More than twenty thousand professed conversions during the Sunday campaign and the people contributed

about one hundred thousand dollars to the evangelist for expenses and for his own use. Mrs. Sunday, or 'Nel', as Mr. Sunday calls her, is his right bower, and she sticks closely to the evangelist's side wherever he goes. The newspapers carried photographs of the evangelist and his assistants every day during the Pittsburg campaign, and at no time did the Sunday party fail to have first page position. This is accounted for by the fact that the Sunday sermons and addresses were usually first page stuff.

The Mother's Favorite. A cough medicine for children should be harmless. It should be pleasant to take. It should be effective. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is all of this and is the mother's favorite everywhere. For sale by Evans' Pharmacy. (Adv.)

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The foremost list of theatres classified by the days of the week follows:

BOOKINGS OF "PAULINE"

Table listing theatre bookings for 'Pauline' by day of the week. Monday: Grand Theater (Jacksonville, Fla.), Broadway Theater (Atlanta, Ga.), Academy Theater (Savannah, Ga.), Wednesday: Palace Theater (Charleston, S. C.), Thursday: Electric Theater (Charleston, S. C.), Friday: Palmetto Theater (Anderson, S. C.). Saturday: Ideal Theater (Charlotte, N. C.), Sunday: Dream Theater (Elberton, Ga.), Palace Theater (Haven, Ga.), Bonita Theater (Milledgeville, Ga.), Orpheum Theater (Chattanooga, Tenn.), Lincoln Theater (Montgomery, Ala.).

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