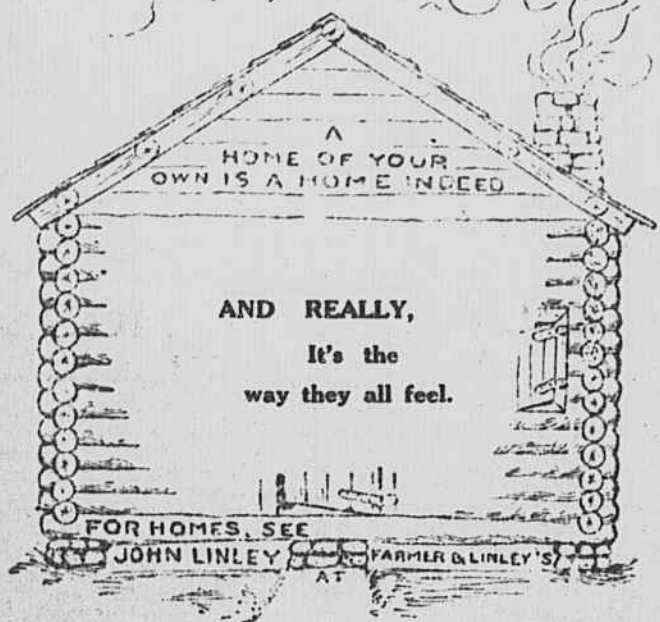


NOTICE! We hereby withdraw our offer to accept Cotton at 8 cents per pound on notes and accounts

PEOPLES OIL & FERTILIZER CO.



A few days ago we were asked by a prospective buyer to find out if a certain home in North Anderson was for sale.

When approached, the owner answered—"Yes, I'll sell for a \$1,000.00 profit and build another in North Anderson right away."

Belgian Refugees Tramping About Holland With Their Possessions



That is just one party of Antwerp refugees caught by the camera man in Holland. There were 400,000 of them scattered along the roads from Antwerp into Holland, and they have wandered all over the little Dutch monarchy. The border towns could not, of course, care for a tenth of them. They could not even find warm places for the women and children to sleep, much less give them something to eat. Herbert Corey, who made an investigation on the roads leading from Antwerp, found men, women and children tramping by the thousand.

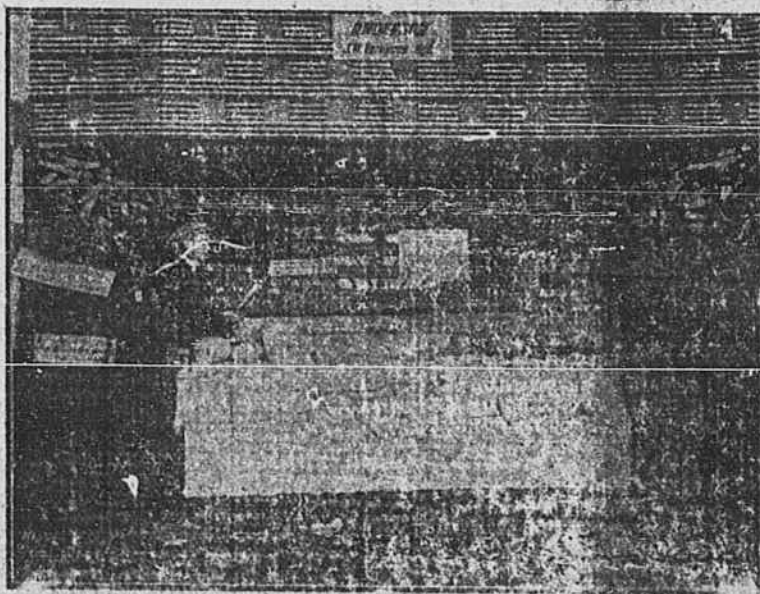
ANDERSON EXHIBIT

While the Anderson county exhibit at the South Carolina State fair, held during the last days of October, did not succeed in getting any especially creditable mention at the hands of the judges, this was the fault of the decidedly poor location of the Anderson booth and can not be laid to the men in charge of the exhibit.

When J. W. Rothrock, county agricultural agent for Anderson, arrived in Columbia with his exhibit, practically all of the desirable positions in the large, steel exposition building had already been assigned and Mr. Rothrock was forced to content him-

cotton goods, minerals, molasses, nuts and every imaginable thing grown in Anderson county was on display in the Anderson booth and curious crowds from the low country gathered around and gazed with astonishment at the handiwork of Anderson county farmers and their wives. A number of farmers in the Piedmont section from Spartanburg, Greenville, Cherokee, Greenwood and counties adjacent also saw the exhibit and wondered at the work going on in Anderson.

The accompanying picture really does not do the booth justice and one



self with the best position obtainable. Alone and without any assistance he arranged a booth fully as attractive in appearance as those of other counties and practically every other exhibit had several people engaged in arranging their exhibits. So far as the exhibits proper were concerned, the Anderson county products showed up to far better advantage than did those from a majority of the counties. Fruits and vegetables, canned and otherwise, grains and grasses,

can gain but little conception of how attractive the booth really was all what an interesting sight it made.

Another interesting exhibit seen at the fair was the display of cotton goods sent by the Brogan mill of Anderson. This was on display in the State department of agriculture building and people seeing it expressed surprise when they learned that all the beautiful patterns were products of an Anderson mill. They did not know that such cloth was made in South Carolina.

TOPAZ

November Birth Stone

There is nothing more suitable for a present of moderate cost than a topaz ring for a person born in November. We have an exceptionally nice assortment of topaz rings suitable for either gentlemen or ladies, priced \$3.50 to \$15.00.

MARCHBANKS & BABB

Personal

J. Millard Horton of Belton was in the city yesterday on business.

Miss Iva Bowman of Lowndesville was shopping in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Sallie Wharton and Wardlaw Wharton of Iva were in the city yesterday.

B. D. Smith has resigned his position with one of the local mills and has gone to Schoolfield, Va., to make his home.

L. T. O'Harr of Pendleton was among the visitors spending yesterday in the city.

John Drake of near Belton spent part of yesterday in the city on business.

Noel Sharpe, a well known traveling salesman, is visiting relatives in Anderson.

F. M. Armstrong of Belton spent yesterday in the city on business.

Mrs. Weston Harper of Lowndesville is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Theron Allen, at her home just north of town.

Mrs. Chris Suber and Mrs. Paul Hood of Williamston spent yesterday shopping here.

J. M. Anderson of Spartanburg was in the city yesterday, a guest at the Chiquola hotel.

W. F. Howard of Charlotte spent a few hours in the city yesterday on business.

T. B. Meacham of Greenwood was among the visitors to spend yesterday in the city.

J. D. Jones of Greenville is spending a few days in the city on business.

W. B. West of Columbia spent a few hours in the city yesterday.

John A. Horton of Belton was among the well known visitors to the city yesterday.

W. H. Godfrey and R. G. Owens of Pelzer were in the city yesterday on business.

Alvin Cowan of Martin township spent part of yesterday in Anderson.

J. B. Douthitt of Sandy Springs, foreman of the Anderson county grand jury, was in the city yesterday.

William B. Harrison of Greenville spent a few hours in the city yesterday with friends.

E. S. Davis of Greenville was among the business visitors to the city yesterday.

E. G. Evans of Pendleton spent a few hours in Anderson yesterday on business.

Dr. Burriss of Iva was in the city yesterday for a short stay.

Miss Lila Stribling and Miss Gentry of the Anderson county hospital staff spent yesterday in Pendleton with friends.

Levi Tribble of Honea Path was in the city yesterday for a few hours.

J. B. Watson of Hunter's Springs was in the city yesterday for a short stay.

L. V. Allen of Bennett's spent part of yesterday in Anderson on business.

Magistrate W. P. Bell of Iva was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

C. A. Moore of Spartanburg was in the city yesterday for a short stay.

DeWitt Welborn of Williamston spent part of yesterday in Anderson.

J. T. Bolt of the Centerville section was in Anderson yesterday for a few hours.

Mill Men

From Anderson Will Attend Semi-Annual Meeting of Textile Association

Several Anderson mill men will likely attend the semi-annual meeting of the Southern Textile Association, to be held Friday and Saturday of next week in Birmingham. W. E. Bowen of Greer is president. W. M. Sherard of Williamston is vice president. Robert F. Bowie of Greenville, a former Columbian, is one of the governors. Another is Alonzo Iler of Greenville. T. B. Wallace of Newberry is an ex-president. Greenville will be a strong bidder for the next convention. The association has upwards of 1,000 members, of whom 465 are South Carolinians, 286 North Carolinians, 222 Georgians, while Alabama has but 43 members and in Mississippi but 28.

Among the speakers at the meeting will be Sias J. McCaughin of Birmingham, formerly of Newberry. Capt. McCaughin commanded a company of the Second South Carolina Volunteer Infantry in Cuba during the Spanish-American war.

Relief for Belgians

(By Associated Press.)

RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 11.—In addition to hundreds of dollars in cash already sent to the Belgian minister at Washington for the relief fund Richmond contributors today shipped a carload of flour, rice and canned meat valued at \$22,150 to Chairman DeForest, New York. Other carloads will follow.

Train Service Suspended

LAREDO, Texas, Nov. 11.—Train service from here to Mexico City was suspended today. Disturbed conditions near Mexico City were believed to be the cause. Service as far south as Monterey and Saltillo will continue.

Help to organize rural life and make the country a better place in which to live.

The problem that confronts the farmer next in importance to distribution is diversification.

ANDERSON SAILOR SAW SERVICE AT VERA CRUZ

WAS IN THE THICK OF THE FIGHTING.

HERE ON FURLOUGH

J. R. Nealon, of Williamston, Was Aboard South Carolina and Took Part in Affair.

People of Williamston are having the chance these days to hear some very graphic accounts of what really took place at Vera Cruz when that important port was occupied by Americans, during the recent trouble with Mexico. J. R. Nealon, who was aboard the "South Carolina" was in the thick of the fighting and saw some sharp service for a few days. During the encounter with the Mexican forces Mr. Nealon narrowly escaped being killed when a shot passed through his

canteen and grazed his body. Naturally the sailor still has this canteen and will hold on to it to remind him of one very narrow escape.

The Anderson sailor is now assistant quartermaster and is in the signal service corps. He has been in the navy for only three years but has been commended for his splendid action under fire and stands well with both the officers and men aboard his ship.

The South Carolina is now in port at Philadelphia for repairs and Mr. Nealon is home for 30 days furlough. During that time he is having to spend about half of every day telling Anderson people of what really happened and in showing them the numerous souvenirs he brought back with him.

When the repairs on the South Carolina are completed, she will sail about February 15 for a tour through Pacific waters.

ANOTHER FIGHT IN PROSPECT

Plan For Launching General Rivers and Harbors Appropriation By Committee.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Another rivers and harbors appropriation fight is in prospect for the coming session of Congress. Plans for launching a general appropriation bill are contemplated by the House rivers and harbors committee, although the measure has not yet taken definite form.

A Senate filibuster against the rivers and harbors bill at last session resulted in a compromise on a lump appropriation of \$20,000,000 for work on existing projects.

Committee Will Meet Fri.: to Session TAMPA, Fla., Nov. 11.—Representative Sparkman, of Florida, chairman of the house rivers and harbors committee, said here tonight that the committee would meet ten days prior to the coming short session of congress to prepare an appropriation bill.

A further appropriation is imperative to continue projects now under way, Mr. Sparkman said. He has received estimates from government engineers as to amounts needed, but declined to make them public at this time.

No Trace of Ships

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Eduardo Suarez, the Chilean ambassador, was informed by his government today that Chilean ships sent out to search had found no trace of the Monmouth of the Good Hope, British cruisers reported lost in the recent sea fight with a German fleet off the coast of Chile. The vessel reported they could find no wreckage.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

CLOGGED NOSTRILS AND HEAD OPEN AT ONCE—END CATARRH

Instantly Clears Air Passages; You Breathe Freely, Nasty Discharge Stops, Head Colds and Dull Headache Vanish.

Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dullness and headache disappear. By morning the catarrh, cold in head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone.

Had such misery now? Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drug store. This sweet, fragrant balm

dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake tonight struggling for breath, with head stuffed, nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous droppings in the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

PALMETTO THEATRE

TODAY'S PROGRAM

"FATHER JOHN"
The Three-reel World Film Corporation Feature.
"YE VENGEFUL VAGABOND"
A Two-reel Special Feature. Selig
"THE BACKSLIDER"
Comedy. Biograph
"JOBLOT RECRUITS"
Farce Comedy. Essanay

SATURDAY Remember "AMERICA" the Greatest Scenic Spectacle ever produced in the New York Hippodrome. Portraying the Landing of Columbus, The Alamo, New York Scenes, Panama Canal Scenes—in fact, the history of America in Motion Picture Film.