

The looks and conversation of our county citizens on Monday, show that notwithstanding the low price of cotton and the scarcity of money, they look forward to a successful year.

An Alabama reader of the News sends us an article on Phosphates, taken from the Iron Age, Birmingham.

It is amusing to read the attitude of many of the county papers in the State on the subject of the State census.

The thoughts of every Irishman in America are turned with intense feeling to the political aspect of the English Government.

In the overthrow of the aristocratic English Ministry it will not do to forget, that a pungent poem of the day, "The power behind the throne."

kindred of such a people. It is not likely that Ireland will gain much from the coming Parliament.

The United States Senate, under the Constitution has the prerogative of approving or not the appointments of the President.

The Priority Law. (Cor. Abbeville Press and Banner.) To show that we constituents are not ungrateful to our lawmakers...

When we consider the many thousand acres of worn out land in Alabama and a joining States and the great need there is for fertilizers...

When steel is manufactured by the Bessemer process, only ores are free from phosphorus can be used, as this process will not eliminate a particle of the phosphorus from the metal.

A single basic plant making 400 tons of steel per day will produce 25,000 tons of phosphate per annum worth \$765,000.

Legislators that could construct such a bright-eyed jewel of honesty and fair play should hold their seats for life.

The eldest daughter of British Minister West, at Washington, has this season assumed the housekeeping duties pertaining to the butler...

A Monument to Stonewall Jackson. More than twenty years have passed since the death of Stonewall Jackson...

Who were the Huguenots, what caused their migration to America, and where did they settle?

What settlements in America were caused mainly by religious intolerance?

Give the important facts of Hayes' administration.

Give your method of explaining to beginners the mathematical lines of the earth.

Write a complete sentence consisting of two words; analyze and parse it.

Write a complete sentence consisting of five simple and ten compound propositions.

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The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions...

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Assignee's Sale THE LARGE AND DESIRABLE STOCK OF GOODS OF B. A. EARLY, -AT THE- DARLINGTON STORE AND ALSO AT THE Cross Roads' Store, IS NOW OFFERED FOR SALE AT COST FOR CASH. IN LOTS TO SUIT PURCHASERS.

All persons indebted to B. A. Early will please come forward and settle the same, without delay. Office at the Darlington Store. CHARLES K. ROGERS. Assignee for B. A. Early. January 14, '86

[OFFICIAL] OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR, DARLINGTON, S. C., Dec. 1, 1885. Notice is hereby given that I will attend in person or by deputy, at the places named, to receive the Tax Returns for 1886.

- Darlington Court House, Jan. 1, 2 and 3. Swift Creek, B. A. Early's store, Jan. 5. Hartsville, J. L. Coker & Co's store, Jan. 6. Stokes Bridge, J. H. Pate's store, Jan. 7. Cypress, L. S. Pate's store, Jan. 8. Philadelphia C. R. King's store, Jan. 9. High Hill, Garner & Howie's store, Jan. 11. Lisbon, G. H. Mims' store, Jan. 12. Carterville, C. T. Haynie's store, Jan. 13. James' X Roads, Sardis Church, Jan. 14. Eubank, Academy, Jan. 15. Tans Bay, Howe's, Jan. 16. Ebenezer, Lunn Bros' store, Jan. 18. Palmetto, Depot, Jan. 19. Back Swamp, Geo. E. McCall's store, Jan. 20. Mechanicsville, McCall & Henkle's store, Jan. 21. Antioch, W. T. Campbell's store, Jan. 22. Levensworth, Griffin & Wilson's store, Jan. 23. Lydia, Manuel Maroo's store, Jan. 25. Society Hill, A. M. Nompayrac's store, 28 to 30th of January. Florence, Z. T. Kereshaw's office, 26 to 30th of January. Timmonsville, D. H. Traxler's office, 26 to 30th of January.

Town Tax. OFFICE TOWN COUNCIL, DARLINGTON, S. C., Dec 24, '85. Notice is hereby given that the Tax Books for Municipal Taxes, Town of Darlington, are now open at the office of C. W. Hewitt.

Jewelry Store, Spectacles and Eye Glasses, which will be fitted up by an experienced Optician. If you would people want to see as good as you ever did, ask for the Lemare's Rock Crystal Glasses. JAMES H. MASON, Pearl Street, Darlington, S. C. Dec 17, '85

Final Notice. One month after date I will file my Final Account as administrator of the Estate of Margaret E. Turnage, and apply to the Judge of Probate of Darlington County for Letters Dismissory from the same. JOSHUA EDWARDS KEAVIN, Adminr.

Attorneys and Counselors at Law, DARLINGTON C. H., S. C. Practice in all State and Federal Courts. Collections and Mercantile Law, Specialties.

Final Notice. One month after date I will file my Final Account as administrator of the Estate of William K. Abbott, deceased, and apply to the Probate Judge of Darlington County for a Discharge from the same. MOSES S. ABBOTT, Adminr.

SHILOH'S VITALIZER is what you need for Consumption, Loss of Appetite, Diarrhoea, and all symptoms of Dyspepsia, Gravel, and 75 cents per bottle. At J. A. Boyd's Drug Store.

Valuable Plantation. A valuable plantation to rent for one year or for a term of years. For terms apply to DARGAN & DARGAN, Darlington, S. C. Oct 9, '85-4

Insurance! FIRE INSURANCE AGENCY OF F. E. NORMENT. Represents TEN of the Oldest and Most Reliable Fire Insurance Companies in the World. Office in the Court House. Jan 23 1886.

Final Notice. One month after date I will present my Final Account as administrator of the Estate of Ezra A. Hudson, late of Darlington, deceased, and apply to the Judge of Probate of said County for Letters of Dismissal. E. E. FUDSON, Adminr.

FOUTZ'S HORSE AND CATTLE POWDERS. No horse will die of Croup, Cough or Lungs Fevers, if Foutz's Powders are used in time. Foutz's Powders will cure and prevent Croup, Cough, Hoarseness, and all ailments of the throat. Foutz's Powders will prevent Glanders, and cure it when it has taken. Foutz's Powders will increase the quantity of milk and cream twenty per cent, and make the butter firm and sweet.

For sale at Dr. J. A. Boyd's. CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure For sale at J. A. Boyd's Drug Store.