

Occurrences of Interest From All Over South Carolina

MANY ITEMS OF STATE NEWS

A Batch of Live Paragraphs Covering a Wide Range—What is Going On in Our State.

General Cotton Market. Galveston, firm, 11 3-16. New Orleans, steady, 11 3-16. Mobile, 10 11-16. Savannah, easy, 10 11-16. Charleston, firm, 10 1-2. Wilmington, firm, 10 1-2. Norfolk, firm, 10 1-4. Baltimore, nominal, 11 1-4. New York, steady, 10 40. Boston, steady, 10 40. Philadelphia, steady, 11 3-16. Houston, steady, 11 3-16. Augusta, steady, 10 15-16. Memphis, steady, 10 15-16. St. Louis, firm, 11. Louisville, firm, 11.

Charlotte Produce Market. Chicken—Spring, 28 at 25. Hens—Per head, 22 at 25. Ducks, 25. Eggs, 24. Corn, 72 at 75. Cottonseed, 50 at 55. Oats—Feed, 55 at 57 1-2. Oats—Seed, 55 at 57 1-2.

Clearing House Formed by Columbia Bank. Columbia has taken another step forward. Tuesday night at a meeting of representatives of all the banks and banking institutions of the city a clearing house association was formed. The purpose is to organize the Columbia clearing house for the advancement of the banking interests of the city. After Jan. 1, 1907, the clearing house association will begin its work and the new regulation will then be effective.

The Columbia Clearing House association organized with the following members: The Carolina National bank. The Bank of Columbia. The National Loan and Exchange bank. The State bank. The Palmetto National bank. The Columbia Trust Company. All seven of the banking institutions of the city went with the organization as charter members. The following officers were elected: President—George L. Baker of the State bank. Vice president—W. G. Childs of the Bank of Columbia. Each of the banks will have a member of the executive committee. Mr. Leaphart will be manager of the clearing association, which is to effect daily settlements.

Appointment Announced. Greenville, Special.—Governor-elect Martin F. Ansel announced the appointment of Mr. A. J. Bell, of Darlington, S. C., as private secretary to the governor, and Miss Alice Henderson as the private stenographer to the governor. Mr. Ansel was highly recommended by those of the State, especially by those of the Pee Dee section. Mr. Ansel was born and raised in Marion and moved to Darlington several years ago, where he became editor of The Darlington Press, a weekly paper of much importance in the Pee Dee section.

A Negro Burned to Death. Cheraw, Special.—On Saturday night a negro house near the Stevens Lumber Company was burned. This has been the second fire in this vicinity this week. The other was the shavings house of the door and sash company. A colored man, Walter Midden, a very respectable employe of the Hickson Lumber Company, was burned to death in this house.

Little Girl's Terrible Fate. Hartsville, Special.—The little six-year-old daughter of Mr. Parrott Bell was accidentally shot and instantly killed last week. It seems that a brother of ten years of age was standing on a box and reaching for a shotgun when he was discharged and the gun was grasped and in falling the bolt tore off the top and side of the head of the little girl standing nearby.

Town Springs Up As if By Magic. Marion, Special.—A little town of several inhabitants has sprung into existence within the past few months, just across Catfish creek, the western boundary of the town of Marion. This new suburb has been christened "West Marion" by the postoffice establishment, and a postoffice has been established there. For some time the people of this little town, the majority of whom are employes of the Marion County Lumber Company and of Layton's big brick plant, have been endeavoring without success to get this office established, the difficulty being its proximity to Marion. The people had been so inconvenienced that they appealed to Congressman Ellerbe, and he after visiting the place, was so impressed with their needs he took the matter up with the postoffice department in Washington and West Marion is the result. Mr. E. D. McClemey is the postmaster.

Sale of Winstonsboro Granite Co. Winstonsboro, Special.—On the third day of December, 1906, before the court house, in Winstonsboro, there will be sold the plant, railroad and quarries of the Winstonsboro Granite company at Rion, at the suit of the South Carolina Loan and Trust company. This is one of the finest pieces of property in the State. They have 14 1/2 miles of railroad and the best equipped quarry in the South.

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There are two classes of remedies; those of known quality and which are permanently beneficial in effect, acting gently, in harmony with nature, when nature needs assistance; and another class, composed of preparations of unknown, uncertain and inferior character, acting temporarily, but injuriously, as a result of forcing the natural functions unnecessarily. One of the most exceptional of the remedies of known quality and excellence is the ever pleasant Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., which represents the active principles of plants, known to act most beneficially, in a pleasant syrup, in which the wholesome Californian blue figs are used to contribute their rich, yet delicate, fruity flavor. It is the remedy of all remedies to sweeten and refresh and cleanse the system gently and naturally, and to assist one in overcoming constipation and the many ills resulting therefrom. Its active principles and quality are known to physicians generally, and the remedy has therefore met with their approval, as well as with the favor of many millions of well informed persons who know of their own personal knowledge and from actual experience that it is a most excellent laxative remedy. We do not claim that it will cure all manner of ills, but recommend it for what it really represents, a laxative remedy of known quality and excellence, containing nothing of an objectionable or injurious character. There are two classes of purchasers; those who are informed as to the quality of what they buy and the reasons for the excellence of articles of exceptional merit, and who do not lack courage to go elsewhere when a dealer offers an imitation of any well known article; but, unfortunately, there are some people who do not know, and who allow themselves to be imposed upon. They cannot expect its beneficial effects if they do not get the genuine remedy. To the credit of the druggists of the United States it is said that nearly all of them value their reputation for professional integrity and the good will of their customers too highly to offer imitations of the

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Women's Pains

"I was a total wreck," writes Mrs. Beulah Rowley, of Champege, Oregon, "from pains I had suffered, for 4 years, every month. Sometimes I would be unconscious for 12 hours at a stretch. I did not know that anything could stop the pain entirely, but Wine of Cardui did. I advise all women suffering with painful periods to use Cardui and be relieved."

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A Valuable Setting.

Queen Victoria was always a kindly and a home-loving body, and it is possible that if it had been left to her to decide she would have hesitated to sacrifice a setting of eggs for the sake of a birthday salute. It was on the twenty-third day of May, says the author of "My South Sea Log," as an English man-of-war lay in Apia harbor, in the Samoan Islands, that a native came aboard with a note for the captain. It was from one of the district chiefs. "To the Captain of the English Man-of-War," it read. "I, Tuile tau, send you my greetings and love and the love of my family, and send also my love to Queen Victoria. We Samoans have much love for England. "Most noble sir, tomorrow will be the day of the Queen's birth, and I have learned that at the hour of noon all the great cannon on your ship will be fired and the earth will quake with the noise thereof. "Great sir, I cast myself at your feet. I have much love to you, but I beseech you not to fire great guns tomorrow. Do not fire them for two days more, and my heart will be big with gratitude, because my wife has been sitting on nine duck eggs, and tomorrow is the day for them to break their shells. "Noble sir, if the great guns are fired they will all perish and grief enter my house. But in three days it will not matter if they hear the guns I beseech you to do me this favor."

Avoid Sickness by Sensible Preventives. Along with the progress made in curative medicines must be reckoned the rapid development of so-called "preventive" medicines or ordinary preventives of severe sickness and disease. It is not only possible but it is the sacred duty of every person to take every opportunity for increasing his knowledge of sanitation in the home so that all possible measures may be taken to prevent disease and the spread of disease. This is one of the things that makes necessary a board of health, and when these boards of health faithfully discharge their duties, we shall, no doubt, gradually see a decrease in sickness which can be avoided by sensible preventives applied in time. For information as to the best preventives write your board of health.—What to Eat.

TERRIBLE ITCHING SCALP.

Eczema Broke Out Also on Hands and Limbs—An Old Soilder's Story. "Cuticura is a Blessing." "At all times and to all people I am willing to testify to the merits of Cuticura. It saved me from worse than the torture of hives, about the year 1900, with itching on my scalp and temples, and afterwards it commenced to break out on my hands. Then it broke out on my limbs. I then went to a surgeon, whose treatment did me no good, but rather aggravated the disease. I then told him I would go and see a physician in Erie. The reply was that I could go anywhere, but a case of eczema like mine could not be cured by a man of my age (50). I went to an eminent doctor in the city of Erie and treated with him for six months, with like results. I had read of the Cuticura Remedies, and so I sent for the Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Resolvent, and continued taking the Resolvent until I had taken six bottles, stopping it to take the Pills. I was now getting better. I took two baths a day, and at night I let the lather of the Soap dry on. I used the Ointment with great effect after washing in warm water, to stop the itching at first. I am now cured. The Cuticura treatment is a blessing, and should be used by every one who has itching of the skin. I can't say any more, and thank God that He has given the world such a curative. Wm. H. Gray, 3202 Mt. Vernon St., Philadelphia, Pa., August 2, 1905."

Beyond the Pale. A friend of James Whitcomb Riley tells of an occasion when the humorist, who is, as a rule, extremely adverse to social functions, was induced to attend a "literary" dinner in Indianapolis given in honor of a novelist of that city. Riley had been told off to take in to dinner the sister of his host, an excellent woman, though anything but "literary." The conversation touching upon the beauties of Chaucer, about whom a certain set of the city was then cultivating a fad, a spirited discussion ensued during which the bewildered sister caught from time to time only the name "Chaucer." "Who is this Mr. Chaucer they're talking about so much? Is he very popular in society?" "Madam," solemnly responded Riley, "that man did something that forever shuts him out of society!" "Heaven's!" exclaimed the worthy dame, "and what was that?" "He died several hundred years ago," said Riley.—Harpers Weekly.

A FORTUNATE CIRCUMSTANCE.

Lady (to young lawyer)—Well, your murderer was acquitted. Didn't he make any confession? Lawyer—I was very much afraid he might, but most fortunately he fell asleep during the trial.—Bombe.

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TILLMAN SPEAKS

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TALKS ON THE RACE PROBLEM

He is Frequently Interrupted and Several Times Loses His Temper. He Boasts Mayor Dunne for His Refusal to Preside at the Meeting and Declares It is the Ladies Who Planned the Affair and Not He. That Mayor Dunne Snubbed—Guarded by 40 Detectives.

Chicago, Special.—The efforts of the colored citizens of Chicago to prevent United States Senator Benjamin R. Tillman from delivering an address here in Orchestra Hall was unsuccessful. When the South Carolina Senator arrived in Chicago early in the afternoon he was told of threatening injunction proceedings to prevent him from appearing on the platform and of a money consideration that had been offered if he would cancel his engagement, but Mr. Tillman expressed stern for both. Until he leaves for Fond Du Lac, Wisconsin, Senator Tillman will be guarded by police and private detectives. This is in accordance with an order issued by Mayor Edward J. Dunne, who was scheduled to preside at the meeting, but who refused to have anything to do with the affair after a committee of colored citizens visited him a few days ago. Senator Tillman gave his address protected by 40 detectives, in anticipation of trouble a number of policemen were kept at nearby stations in reserve, but they were not called for. Six negro policemen mingled with the crowd which blocked the street in front of the hall. In the audience were many negroes, but they listened to Senator Tillman's remarks good-naturedly and although he was interrupted many times the meeting passed off without trouble. In leading up to his address, "Shall the United States Annex Cuba?" Mr. Tillman took occasion to criticize Mayor Dunne's action in refusing to preside at the meeting. "I have been told that I have been snubbed by the mayor of this city," said the Senator. "I did not ask Mayor Dunne to be here. If any one has been snubbed it is the gracious ladies, who planned this meeting to secure money for the Chicago Union Hospital and who requested Mayor Dunne, the creature of a political hour, to come forward and add his mite. "I have been advertised to discuss the annexation of Cuba," continued Mr. Tillman, "but in view of the fact that I could not discuss the race question without discussing the race question, I am going to go at the matter hammer and tongs. Therefore I shall discuss the race problem free and simple from an American standpoint and not from a Cuban standpoint. Owing to my experience with the question and the diligent study I have made of it, I believe I am better qualified to discuss this question than any other man in America."

While discussing the fifteenth amendment to the constitution, which he declared gave the negro every right that a white man had, he was interrupted several times by one of his listeners who kept asking "How about Kentucky?" Finally Mr. Tillman seemed to lose his temper and exclaimed: "Oh, shut up your mouth. You don't know the A B C of this thing. I forgot forty years ago more than you ever knew." "Your make up your minds that equality before the law which the fifteenth amendment guarantees is right and should be enforced, notwithstanding its results. If this law was enforced it would result in two States at least being dominated absolutely by negroes, while four other States would be so near being governed by the negro that there would practically be an equal division of offices."

After falling in detail how the negro is prevented from casting his ballot in the South, Senator Tillman said: "There is a great deal more to this question than the little racket here in Chicago. "No matter what the people in the North may say or do, the white race in the South will never be dominated by the negro and I want to tell you now that if some State should ever attempt to 'save' South Carolina, we will show them in their fanaticism that we will make it red before we make it black. God Almighty made the Caucasian of better fiber than the Mongolian or the African or any other race. There are no great men among the race. Yet this people has been picked out by the fanatics of the North and lifted up to the equality of citizenship and to the rights of suffrage. No doubt many of you have listened to the oratory of the greatest colored men of this country—Booker Washington. He had a white father, however, and his brains and his character he has inherited from that father."

Senator Tillman then told his audience of the attacks on white men by negroes in the South and declared that the people of the North were in

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We refer to that boon to weak, nervous, suffering women known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Dr. John E. Fife one of the Editorial Staff of the Eclectic Medical Review says of Unicorn-root (*Helovnia Dioica*), which is one of the chief ingredients of the "Favorite Prescription": "A remedy which invariably acts as a uterine invigorator. It makes for normal activity of the entire reproductive system. It cures the chronic condition of the uterus which most fully answers the above purposes than any other drug which I am acquainted with. It is seldom that a case is seen which does not derive some indication for this remedial agent." Dr. Fife further says: "The following are among the leading indications for Helovnia (Unicorn-root): Pain or aching in the back, with leucorrhoea; atonic (weak) condition of the reproductive organs of women; mental depression and irritability, associated with chronic diseases of the reproductive system of women; constant sensation of heat in the region of the kidneys; menorrhagia (bleeding), due to a weakened condition of the reproductive system; amenorrhoea (suppressed or absent monthly period); nervousness; depression and irritability; associated with chronic diseases of the reproductive system of women; general debility (thin blood) habit; dragging sensations in the extreme lower part of the abdomen."

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UNLUCKY.
A chemist made a mistake in weighing some poison, and thus killed the purchaser. When the news was announced to him, he exclaimed: "Oh, how unfortunate I am! He was my best customer."—El Diario Roza.

The custom that prevails in Greece of carrying a body to the grave in a coffin which allows the face to be visible is said to have originated when the Turks dominated the land.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss. LUCAS COUNTY.

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Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1906.

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