

LOCAL NEWS.

WEDNESDAY APRIL 27, 1898.

The Black Diamond R. R.

MR. EDITOR: To the friends of the Black Diamond Railroad in Anderson, let me say that the war that is now upon us may suspend work for awhile, but as soon as the war clouds roll by the enterprise will be pushed with renewed energy to the finish.

Since writing the above, I have received a letter from Hon. Wm. Kirkby, President, informing me that the surveys have been completed to Columbus, Ohio, and that the expert from England has arrived to go on the line.

He does not think the war trouble will interfere with the enterprise, and it is his purpose to take up the work here as soon as he has fully recovered from his recent illness.

Early Closing Movement.

EDITORS INTELLIGENCER: Spring is now here, and as it has been the custom of a majority of merchants here to close their respective places of business at such an early hour in the afternoon as will enable their employes to exercise themselves a while, or to seek such recreation and pleasure as may suit their tastes, do you not think it fitting to call the matter up for consideration, in order that those merchants who have not heretofore observed the general custom may arrive at some agreement as to closing.

I would suggest, then, that a paper be circulated for the signatures of the ladies of Anderson, committing them to the proposed scheme by a promise that they will not shop after the hour agreed upon for general closing.

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Zarlina Criss-Crosses.

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We have at last succeeded in establishing the postoffice at Zarlina. Hurrah! We can get the war news every day and hear from our sweethearts to boot.

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Don't forget the annual picnic at Zarlina Island on the 4th Saturday in May.

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One of our young men visits near Abbeville very frequently. Hold up, old sport, let your track get cold.

Quite a number from this community will attend the Sunday School Institute this week, which meets at First Creek Church.

The Woman's Mission Society met at the home of Mr. R. O. Branyon Sunday afternoon, and was highly enjoyed by all present.

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Ripples From Corner Creek.

A good show of rain in this section last Saturday. What is looking very promising and no doubt there will be a large quantity made this year.

The political campaign is not far off and we presume that there will be a lively time, as we learn there will be a good "crop of 'em"—candidates—especially for the House.

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ON IN ENCOURAGING PROPORTIONS AT

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