THE ANDERSON INTELLIGENCER.



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The writer is almost tempted to delve into poetry; but don't be alarmed-he won't. Let this plain business talk suffice. In the outset we wish to say that-

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23, 1900.

Corrected Weekly by Brown, Osborne & Co. Strict Good Middling-9‡. Good Midd..ng-9‡. Strict Middling-9‡. Middling-9‡. Stained Cotton-7 to 8.

The man with the fishing rod will soon be in evidence. The fruit crop up to this time is re-

ported safe in this section. Easter comes on April 15th this year, the third Sunday of the month. Mr. J. B. Liles, of Spartanburg, spent a day or two in Anderson last week.

Anderson is not booming, but she has growing gait that means certainty. Mrs. D. B. Fant, of Union, S. C., is

in the ciy visiting the family of Mr. G. W. Fant. Ga., came over last week to visit his

relatives. The grand spring opening at the Alliance Store takes place to-morrow and next day.

spending a few days in the city with friends and relatives.

of Probate will sell several tracts of land at public outery. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Webb have gone

to Baltimore where the former will be treated for rheumatism. Last Sunday was a wet, disagreeable

day, and the congregations at the city churches were not large. On account of the wet weather the farmers in this section have not been

able to do much plowing. If you need a baby carriage read Mr. Frank Crayton's new advertisement

and then give him a call. Mr. J. W. Stribling, one of Seneca's most popular and progressive citizens, that town. This club is quite profispent last Saturday in the city.

A number of dwelling houses and other buildings will be erected in Anderson this Spring and Summer.

Miss Lucy Brown, who has been spending several months with her sister n Edgefield, has returned home. Several gentlemen from distant towns have been in Anderson recently prospecting with a view of locating here.

Farmers, plant a big crop of corn, peas and other forage crops. Such crops are always in demand at fair pri-Several new manufacturing enterprises are being talked of in Anderson.

Keep up the talk and they will materialize. It is believed that there will be more

candidates for the County offices this County. Capt. J. P. Fant, of the State con-

stabulary force, went to Spartanburg division.

'A report reached the city yesterday Mr. Wm. A. Finley died at his home in Hopewell Township at an early hour afternoon that Sam. Johnson, a negro living near Townville, had committed vesterday morning, after a brief illsuicide by pouring kerosene oil on his clothes and then applying] a lighted a brother of the late Mrs. John C match to them.

The hunting season is rapidly drawing to a close, and those who love the sport and have the time are going out every day to make up for lost time. The time for shooting partridges will expire next Saturday.

The Township Democratic clubs will meet for the purpose of organizing on the fourth Saturday in April prox. The county convention will meet on the first

Monday in May. All Democrats should attend their club meeting. Mr. Frank Gerk, who has been with

the job department of the Anderson Printing and Stationary Co. for some time, left last Sunday for his home in Due West, where he will work on the Associate Reform Presbyterian.

Two little boys-Claudius A. Tribble and Jerome B. Bowen-sons of Mr. M. A. Reeves, near Belton, called on us last Thursday. They are two bright Mr. W. F. Anderson, of Elberton, little fellows, and were much interested in what they saw. Call again, boys.

> A special meeting of the Chiquola Lodge Knights of Pythias will be held to-morrow evening for the purpose of conferring the first and second ranks.

Every member is urged to attend, as a large meeting is earnestly desired by the officers.

At a meeting of the Anderson legislative delegation in this city last Monday the present members of the County Board of Control, which is composed of Messrs. T. H. Burriss J. W. Rothrock and J.J. Vaughn, were recom-

mended for reappointment. J. L. McMillan has the contract for making two million brick for the Auderson Cotton Mill. The brick will be made at Latimer, and Monday Mr. Mc-Millan was busy getting his hands and machinery off. About thirty-seven hands were sent from here.—.1bberille Medium.

The Amateur Dramatic Club of Belton will present "What's Next" to the public on Friday night, April 6th, in

cient, and the play is sure to make a hit. "What's Next" is of great notoriety, is very popular, and is humorous as well as instructive.

Mr. Paul F. Gadsden, formerly of this city, but now of the City of Mexico, and Miss Claire D. Richter, of St. Louis, Mo., were married a few days ago at the home of the bride. The groom's many friends in Anderson will join us in extending him congratulations and wishing he and his bride all the happiness attainable in this life.

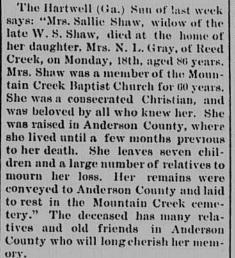
The new road law approved February 10th, 1900, makes the width of highways from 16 to 20 feet exclusive of side ditches and other obstructions. It gives the County Boards of Commis-

sioners power to discontinue any public roads and bridges. It also authorizes them to open new public roads, to wid-Summer than ever before in Anderson en or change their locations by purchasing or condemning rights of way.

Mr.J. W. Martin, representing E. A. Cutts, a large cotton broker of Salast Saturday to take charge of that | vannah, has been in the city in the interest of his house for several days,

ness with pneumonia. Mr. Finley was Whitfield, sr., and was about 51 years of age. He was a steady, upright man and was highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends. He was a member of Midway Presbyterian Church, where his remains were interred this morning, Rev. J. L. McLin, the pastor, conducting the funeral services. He leaves a wife, two sons and three daughters to cherish his memory.

At a meeting of the Republican Convention of the Third Congressional District in Newberry a few days ago, E. F. Cochran, Esq., of this city, and A. C. Merrick, of Walhalla, were elected delegates to the National Convention, which meets next June in Philadelphia. In the convention there were contest. ing delegates from Anderson and Pickens Counties, which caused a split in the convention. One faction was led by A. E. Webster and the other by Joe W. Tolbert. The Webster faction withdrew and elected Messrs, Cochran and Merrick. The Tolbert faction elected Tolbert and Hendricks as delegates, and they will contest the seats of Messrs. Cochran [and Merrick in the National Convention.



The South Carelina College offers special courses to the teachers of the State during the third term of the session, which term begins the first of April. In addition to the privileges of the regular class room work given the students throughout the session, the teachers will have the beactir of three special classes of six weeks, beginning April 11th, and arranged especially for them. The innovation has been brought for the reason that by the first of April most of the public schools in many parts of the State will then be closed, and no more suitable part of the college year could be devoted to this work for the benefit of the teachers. Any information concerning attend-ance on these special college courses April. In addition to the privileges of ance on these special college courses will be cheerfully given by Dr. F. C. Woodward, the President, Columbia,

Hubert Labadie's sublime presentation of the spectacular drama, "Faust," at the Opera House on Saturday night at the Opera House on Saturday night was conceded by literary critics to be by far the best attraction that ever held the beards in this city. The scenic effects were perfect--wild, weird and stygian, and in harmony with the splendid and creditable interpretation of their respective roles by Hubert La-badie as Mephisto, Maty Von Tromp Labadie as Marguerite, and F. Brew-ster Smith as Faust. The Opera House management scored a good hit



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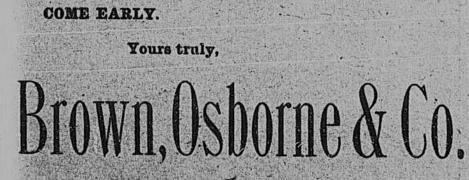
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P. S.-We have been almost bewildered with congratulations on the beauty and style of our Hats. It has been enough to swell our heads. (but it has not.) Has only tended to encourage us to greater achievements. Thanking all for kind expressions and acts of approval, we are-

> Yours truly, B., 0. & CO.

The Southern Railway is now building a side track to the Anderson Yarn and Knitting Mill, on the castern side of the city.

On account of the short cotton crop the oil mills in the city have been The forced to close down earlier than usual this season.

Mr. R. F. White, of Greenville, who is to be President of the cotton mill the city Monday.

The backbone of Winter is broken, cool nights and mornings yet, but the real cold weather is over.

Postoff.ce Inspector A. F. Moon spent a few days in the city last week. Of course he found everything all o. k. in Postmaster Cochran's office.

Rev. Thos. H. Leitch will arrive at Starr next Tuesday, April 3rd, to begin a ten days' meeting. Everybody is cordially invited to attend the meeting. If you need something good for your health, you should read the new advertisement of the Chiquola Drug Co.

This Company can also supply you with paints. young conductor of the Charlotte & Atlanta branch of the Southern Railway, is visiting his parents in the city along very well in my Western home.

for a few days. The Board of Directors of the State Penitentiary arrived in the city Monday and spent yesterday in inspecting the farms in this County where convicts are employed.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Hubbard have been quite sick at their home in this city for several weeks. We join their many friends in wishing them a speedy restoration to health.

receiving large lots of cotton recently purchased from Messrs. Dean & Ratliffe and others. He is still in the city, and expects to get the lion's share of the remnant lots scattered through the

The stockholders of the Guaranty Building and Loan Association held a meeting yesterday afternoon at the Peoples' Bank and organized by electing the following officers: President, soon to be erected at Liberty, was in J. J. Fretwell; Treasurer, L. G. Holleman; Directors, Jos. J. Fretwell, Chas. E. Cobb, F. T. Wilhite, F. Blair Crayand Spring is here. We may have some cool nights and mornings yet, but the H. H. Watkins, W. L. Brissey, W. W. White.

Mr. J. H. Collins, Anderson's energetic and clever photographer, has just purchased the latest improved panoramic camera, the "Al-Vista," to be used in taking panoramic views. It can be so adjusted that by the touch of a spring the mechanism is released and the camera flies around in a circle like lightning, the lens sweeping everything within a radius of seven and one-half miles and making a complete circular picture.

We are in receipt of a letter from our friend, Rev. W. R. Earle, formerly of Capt. Claude D. Fant, a popular this County but now living in Colorado renewing his subscription to THE IN-TELLIGENCER. He says: "I am getting We have just closed the most successful meeting ever held in the city, about ninety professing faith in Christ." Mr. Earle's friends in this County will be delighted, we know, to hear of his success in his adopted home.

- Madame Lummis, of Canada, who was a Nan of the Order of Sacred Heart, died at the Hotel Chiquola at 12:45 p. m., Monday, 26th inst. This good lady had made the acquaintance of a number of our people, although she lived the retired life of her calling, and all who mot her year much at

nouse management scored a good hit in securing this excellent attraction, but it is to be regretted that the weath-er prevented a larger house than that which greeted the players. Those who were so fortunate as to witness the play then hope that a return engage-ment will be booked for them in the near forture near future.

C. F. Jones & Co. had no special day set for their spring opening this season, but for the past ten days crowds of ladies have visited their establishment to inspect the many beautiful goods on exhibition. Their stocks in the millinery and dress goods departments are more extensive than usual at this season. Miss Jennie V. Copper is still in charge of the millinery depart-ment where she is assisted by Miss Godman, who has just arrived in the city from Baltimore, and several other ladies, all of whom are experienced in the millinery art. The many beauti-ful pattern hats displayed there catch the eyes of the fair visitors at once, and they have no trouble in selecting one for their own use. The prices, too, are as enchanting as the display this season. This progressive firm, as is well known, carry immense stocks in every department and can supply the needs of both sezes, old and young. Go and see their goods, get their prices and you will be more than pleased. ladies have visited their establishment

Last Saturday morning Mr. Calhoun H. Allen, formerly of Anderson, met with a serious accident in Spartanburg. He was working on the steeple of the Presbyterian Church and fell from a scaffold about seventy fect above the ground. He had descended from the upper scaffold around the pinnacle and had reached the one at the top of the square part of the tower. There was a network of scaffold timbers between him and the ground, but he got such a pitch that he fell clear of them and touched nothing until he hit the ground. He had a narrow escape from sudden death. One arm was disloca-ted and the other broken and his fore-head severely bruised. He never once lost consciousness and even helped the physicians in the dressing of his dis-located limbs. Mr. Allen is a brother of our towsman, Mr. R. E. Allen, who went to Spartanburg Sunday and re-turned yesterday. He reports his brother doing well and says there is a fair chance for his recovery. with a serious accident in Spartanburg.

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