

Intelligencer.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18, 1900. "Bryan and Schley" comes powerful hand.

Wheat and corn farmers in the West are forming a trust to control prices of their products.

North Carolina Democrats have declared for a Senatorial primary to be held in November.

Many a poor lawyer has made his jack by claiming an advantage by a technicality.

Senators Tillman and McLaughlin have at last gotten together in a common version regarding Democratic policy.

The suggestion of our own Joe Wheeler for Vice-President on the ticket with Dewey is militarism gone to seed.

The Senate committee on Privileges and Elections, having recommended the expulsion of Clark,

A bill to construct a cable line between San Francisco and Honolulu at a cost to the government of \$3,000,000 has passed the Senate.

Senator Tillman has introduced an amendment to the sundry civil appropriation bill designed to bring about a settlement of the claim of this State against the Federal government.

To-day Mother Nature seems alive; trees budding, flowers blooming, insects humming, birds singing and lovers wooing.

The farmers have been hustling around for the last three weeks. Some are ready to plant cotton, many have already planted up-land corn.

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The overwhelming vote in the House in favor of the minority resolution recommending popular election of Senators, while very gratifying to the friends of that measure, is not at all surprising.

The Southern Railway will sell on account Southern Baptist Convention tickets to Hot Springs, Ark., and return from Anderson for \$24, and return points for one fare the round trip.

Please bear in mind that we are the only dealers in this section who buy their Goods in solid car lots, and hence are in a position to name such prices as cannot fail to make it to your interest to favor us with your patronage.

The Democratic primary election took place last Saturday in Alabama, and the race for the United States Senate was won by Hon. John T. Morgan, who was re-elected by an overwhelming vote.

Secretary Gage, of the Treasury Department, in submitting a report of internal revenue receipts under the war stamp Act, has recommended the repeal of the stamp Act at once.

Senator Tillman's successful fight for a 12 cent bounty to American cable manufacturers in the construction of the new Pacific cable will, it is thought, be sufficient nourishment for those struggling infant industries affected until they are able to stand alone.

Our usually sensible and valued contemporary, the Columbia State, does credit to its conservatism in its comments on the operators strike now on against the Southern Railroad.

The operators should remember that while public sympathy is to a great extent on their side, they cannot afford to resort to violence.

If there were more papers of the State's calibre there would be fewer fermentations and agitations in the industrial world. There would be no stirring of the live embers to excite the passions between labor and capital.

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A History of the Lewis Family. Mr. Editor: Knowing the interest you take in the early history of our County, and of the first settlers who laid the foundations of her prosperity and greatness, has induced us to give you the history of the Lewis family.

J. Berry Lewis was born near Sandy Springs in the year 1810. His parents came to this country from Wales during the later part of the last century and of them very little is known.

A mutual attachment sprang up between them which soon ripened into love. But as Rome had found his Juliet it was not until September, 1843, that Rome claimed Juliet as his bride.

They were married by Rev. Billy McGee, her pastor. The union was blessed with eight children, five of whom are now living. They are Messrs C. B. and R. A. Lewis, Mrs. Asbury Bigby, Mrs. T. C. Poore and an invalid sister.

But it is particularly of Mrs. Lewis that we wish to speak. As we have stated above before her marriage she was Miss Mary Gambrell, and was born near Big Creek Church Jan. 1st, 1824.

Her father was a man of great industry and success. She was a bright, cheerful and energetic young woman, and was always ready to heed a call of mercy.

She was a devoted wife and mother, and her life was a continual blessing to all who came in contact with her. She died in 1880, leaving behind her a family which she had loved and reared with her own hands.

Auton Items. We visited the Septus section recently. Mr. Editor, and were surprised very much to see such a fine prospect the people have of getting a good wheat crop.

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Peoples Bank of Anderson. Moved into their Banking House, and are open for business and respectfully solicits the patronage of the public.

A QUICK SHOT. To get a bird on the wing!

Everything advancing at such a rapid rate requires quick action and the cash down to get in on the ground floor.

Remember—"Down with Competition in our Battle Cry." And this is how we do it.

Wool finish Dress Goods at 5c. per yard. A small lot of Outings, good weight, at 4c. and 5c.

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Julius H. Weil & Co. MATTINGS!

We have just removed the wrappers from sixty-five more pieces of new China and Japanese Matting. Our Matting section now contains something like one hundred and fifty choice pieces of Matting at the very lowest prices.

WALL PAPER. Four weeks ago we were new in this branch of our Store, and purchasers of Wall Paper had to rely absolutely upon what we told them. Now we have a list of more than fifty persons who have purchased from us upon our word.

WE SHOW ONE THOUSAND DESIGNS AND COLORINGS. Mail Orders have prompt attention. Butterick Patterns and The Delineator for May now ready.

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NEW DRY GOODS. New Bedford Corde, large variety of patterns, only 5c.

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TIRE SETTING. Let us save your Wheels by having men of long experience to re-set your Tires.

FARM LANDS. May just as well be sold during Spring and Summer as in Fall and Winter.

GOOD COTTON HOE. A PERFECT HOE should have a straight, well-seasoned handle, made of the best grade selected timber.

LESSER & CO. UNDER MASONIC TEMPLE.

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