

**CARPETS,
RUGS,
ART SQUARES,
MATTINGS,
House Furnishings,
Floor Coverings,
Draperies generally,**

Are included in our—

Dissolution Sale!

Our Stock of the above named articles cannot be equalled for the prices asked. We guarantee our prices the lowest for equal quality ever named in this city. Have you ever examined our stock of Carpets, Mattings and House Furnishings? If you have not we have a substantial surprise awaiting you here.

It is sheer extravagance to buy elsewhere before comparing with ours. Our prices on the following are the lowest to be found anywhere:

- Just think of a yard-wide Carpet at 20c. per yard.
- Also, some great values in yard-wide Ingrain Carpets at 35c, 40c and 50c per yard.
- The very best All Wool Ingrain Carpet, that we have sold quantities of at 75c per yard, now offered at 65c per yd.
- All Wool Remnant Carpets at 30c per yard.

BIG LINE CARPETS TO SELECT FROM. Art Squares.

A larger variety to select from than you will find elsewhere, and prettier and more up-to-date Patterns.

- Quite a nice Square, 2x3, at \$2.50.
- 3x4 Art Squares at \$6.00.
- 3x3 1-2 Art Squares at \$7.50.
- 3x4 Art Squares at \$8.00.
- 3x4 1-2 Art Squares at \$8.50.
- 3x4 1-2 Art Squares at \$8.75.
- 3x4 1-2 Art Squares at \$9.75.
- 4x4 Art Squares at \$11.00.
- 4x5 Art Squares at \$12.50.

Our Carpets and Art Squares are Southern made, manufactured at Gaffney, S. C., and are the best made. We have a large stock of—

Rugs of all Kinds.

- The prettiest Smyrna Rugs you ever saw at \$5.00.
- The larger \$10.00 size now \$9.00.
- The \$15.00 size now at \$13.50.
- Large size, 9x12, and usually sold for \$20.00, now \$18.50.
- Beautiful Moquette Rugs at \$1.00, \$2.50, \$4.00.
- Nice line Tapestry Rugs at 90c.

We have Rug Fringe and Carpet Linings.

Mattings.

We can sell you a fair Matting at \$3.50 per roll 40 yards. A better Matting at \$5.00 per roll. Better Goods still at \$6.00, \$7.00, \$8.00, \$9.00 and \$10.00 per roll.

Extra Super Mattings at \$12, \$14 and \$18 per roll. We also have a complete stock of WINDOW SHADES. We have FLOOR OIL CLOTHS and LINOLEUMS. Some good things in CHEMISE and TAPESTRY CURTAINS that must be sold, even at a sacrifice.

And by far the greatest variety and handsomest LACE and ROBINET CURTAINS in the city, all at unheard of prices.

The Housekeeper should see the Goods herein advertised, sure.

Remember that the Cash will cut a figure in this Sale. Prices are out to the quick, and do not embarrass us by paying charge it.

These Goods must bring the Cash, and if you owe us take warning. We must have it, too. All interested should come at once.

Yours truly,

Brown, Osborne & Co.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

General Merchandise

ANDERSON, S. C.

Local News.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 24, 1900.

THE COTTON MARKET.

Corrected Weekly by Brown, Osborne & Co.

Strict Good Middling—91.
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Stained Cotton—7 to 8.

Dad colds and the grip have become epidemic.

Eggs and chickens are in demand in the city at good prices.

Rev. J. N. H. Summerell has gone to Florence to attend the Presbyterian Synod.

If you need an overcoat the new advertisement of B. O. Evans & Co. will interest you.

The Pelzer Stock Show will take place next Saturday, 27th inst., instead of on Friday.

Mr. George R. Koester, editor of the Record, Columbia, S. C., spent Monday night in the city.

The new advertisement of J. H. Weil & Co. tells you about their stock of clothing. Read it.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McFall, of Greenwood, are spending a few days in the city with relatives.

B. M. Shuman, Esq., of Greenville, was in the city last Friday and Saturday attending Court.

Anderson County, as usual, will be well represented at the State Fair in Columbia next week.

Mr. J. E. Norment, the genial representative of the News and Courier, was in the city last Friday.

The first frost for this season was seen in some sections last Thursday morning. No damage.

Mrs. Mac. Heard, of Middleton, Ga., is in the city visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Nardin.

Vandiver Bros. & Major have an important notice in another column to persons indebted to them.

C. F. Jones & Co. announce that their dissolution sale is still going on. Read their advertisement.

A graphophone is the latest attraction at the Evans Pharmacy. Go and see it and hear Mr. Bryan speak.

Mr. James H. Brown, of Iva, is now with W. C. Keith & Co., where he will be pleased to see his friends.

A number of our farmers are holding their cotton for better prices. We hope and believe they will get it.

The school trustees of Hall Township will meet at Moscow next Saturday afternoon, 27th inst., at 2 o'clock.

The farmers in this section have made good use of the fair weather for the past several weeks and harvested a large quantity of hay.

Mr. Thos. R. Keith, of Walhalla, was in the city Monday and gave us a call. In another column he advertises some fine land for rent.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Barnett died at their home at Millville last Friday morning and was buried that afternoon at Shiloh Church.

Rev. J. L. McLin will preach in the Academy at Belton next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend the service.

Through the efforts of Postmaster Cochran the freight train on the Blue Ridge Railroad now carries a through mail pouch between Seneca and Anderson.

Mr. W. W. Anderson, who is employed at H. C. Townsend's lumber mill, had the misfortune to have one of his fingers on his left hand cut off yesterday by a saw.

Your attention is directed to J. J. Fretwell's new advertisement. He has a fine display of carriages, buggies, wagons and other vehicles, and his prices will please you.

Miss Belle Kearney, a famous female lecturer, will deliver an address in the First Baptist Church this evening at 8 o'clock to the members of the W. C. T. U. The public is invited to attend.

The drought this summer seems to have been a benefit to the sweet potato crop. A great many are being brought to the city market and they are as large as we have ever seen in this section.

Married, on Thursday, October 18, 1900, at the home of the bride's mother, Globe, Abbeville County, S. C., by Rev. N. G. Wright, Mr. Reed Wilson, of Piedmont, and Miss Malie Pearson.

Mr. Wistar S. Sharpe, one of the efficient postal clerks on the Southern Railway between Atlanta and Charlotte, has been spending a few days in the city visiting his sister, Mrs. E. E. Allen.

G. F. Tolly & Son, the old reliable furniture dealers, make an important announcement to our readers this week. Read their advertisement carefully and you will see what they have in store for you.

It is possible that the shower of meteors which was expected last year may make their appearance this year between the 12th and 15th of November. Bear in mind the dates and watch for the shower.

Mr. T. J. McClure, of Centerville Township, one of Anderson County's most successful and live-at-home farmers, has presented us with samples of his sweet potato crop, which are the finest we have seen this season.

Mr. Noah T. Richardson, a brother of Mrs. N. R. Green, who has been living in Texas the past five years, has returned to Anderson County to make his home, and is warmly welcomed by his friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Harper, of South Carolina, are visiting this week the family of Colonel L. H. O. Martin, of Middleton. They are accompanied by their sister-in-law, Mrs. Barnes, of Carolina.—*Elberton (Ga.) Tribune.*

The County Treasurer will visit Williamston on Saturday, November 3rd, instead of on Monday, November 5th, as is announced in his advertisement Monday, November 5th, is Saturday, and he will be in his office that day.

Housekeepers should read carefully Brown, Osborne & Co's advertisement in this issue on carpets, rugs, art squares, mattings and house furnishings and draperies in general. They have a large stock and are now offering extremely low prices to reduce the stock.

Last Saturday, Ed. Rogers, a negro who feeds the planer at Townsend's Lumber mill met with a painful accident by getting his arm caught between the rollers of the machine. Dr. G. B. Townsend dressed the wounds, and as no bones were broken the negro will soon be ready for work.

Mr. W. H. Hendricks, who was with the C. A. Reed Music House, in this city, some months ago as piano salesman, will be married to-day in Burlington, Iowa, to Miss Nellie Jordan. Mr. Hendricks' many friends in this city wish him much happiness and a safe voyage on the matrimonial sea.

Rev. T. Alonzo Harris died at his home, Winterville, Ga., on Friday, 5th inst., after a brief illness. Mr. Harris was in his 67th year, and was a native of this County. He was licensed to preach by the South Carolina conference, M. E. Church, South, in Abbeville, where he lived a number of years.

Last Monday the United States District Court in Greenville finished the work of its fall term, and the grand and petit jurors for the spring term next April were drawn. In the list we find the names of the following citizens from Anderson County: Grand Jury—Oscar Harris; Petit Jury—W. Y. Miller, J. W. Trowbridge, J. P. Ledbetter and F. A. Spallman.

Geo. Wilson, a negro, was arrested in the city Monday by the police for attempting to pass counterfeit coin. Deputy Marshal F. M. Butler took charge of the negro, and searching him, found five counterfeit coins in his pocket. He committed the negro to jail and has requested that a special agent of the government come to Anderson and investigate the matter.

The Fair Play correspondent of the Walhalla Courier says: "Miss Eloise Duckett, of Anderson, has been selected as the assistant for our school. She entered upon her duties last Monday. Miss Duckett is a graduate of the Greenville Female College, and comes with a well-stored mind for the task she has undertaken. Our community always welcomes such additions with pleasure."

On account of the State Fair in Columbia next week the Southern Railway will run a special train from Anderson to Columbia and return on Wednesday and Thursday, leaving Anderson each morning at 5.30 o'clock, and leaving Columbia, on the return trip, each evening at 8.30 o'clock. The fare for the round trip from Anderson is \$4.15; Belton, \$3.85; Honea Path, \$3.65. These rates include admission to the Fair. Tickets will be sold from all points at one fare for the round trip from October 27th to November 1st, inclusive, good until November 4th.

Leroy Cunningham, a negro, came very near losing his life last Saturday by the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of Mr. Arthur Spearman. The latter was out hunting on the farm of Mr. Milton Eskew, three miles north of the city, when his gun got out of fix. He came up to the yard of Mr. Eskew, and while working with his gun it accidentally fired, the whole load of shot entering the leg of Cunningham, who was standing immediately in front of it. Mr. Spearman at once brought the negro to the city and Dr. Harris dressed the wound, which is painful but not serious.

Charlie L. Cunningham, a negro, was convicted in the Federal court yesterday of counterfeiting in Anderson and was given a dose of justice in the shape of a sentence of seven years in the Nashville penitentiary. Charlie is a "money making fellow." Only last June he completed a term of two years in the Columbia penitentiary for counterfeiting and was arrested for the same offense last August. William Donaldson, also colored, associated with Cunningham in the last offense, was also convicted of counterfeiting, but was given only one year in the Columbia penitentiary.—*Greenville News, 24th.*

Last Monday Adam Forepaugh and Seils Bros' great show exhibited in Anderson, and, despite the inclement weather, attracted one of the largest crowds of people ever seen on our streets. The turbulent stream of humanity came pouring in from all sections of the country by dawn, and large excursions came in over the three railroads entering the city. The crowd of visitors is estimated at from 10,000 to 12,000. Considering the magnitude of the crowd, it was wonderful how quiet and orderly the day and night passed off. Chief Dillingham and his excellent force of policemen had very little trouble and made only a few arrests. On account of the hovering clouds, the grand parade took place at 9 o'clock, and it was viewed by the immense crowd with a great deal of admiration. When the performance began at noon, there were but few vacant seats under the spacious tent, which, it was said, could accommodate 10,000 people. The menagerie and the performance were considered in this city. There were many new features and everything was cleverly done. One of the most interesting features of the performance was the wonderful exhibition given by the Alaskan seals and sea lions. The general opinion of the patrons of the show was that they had gotten full value of their money.

Miss Polly Hayes died at the home of her brother-in-law, Mr. W. F. Hayes, in Vaennes Township, on Thursday, 18th inst., at 2 o'clock. For twenty years or more she had been afflicted with bronchitis, but she was not confined to her bed until three or four days preceding her death. The deceased was a sister of the late Rev. Baxter Hays, and was in the 75th year of her age. She was a good woman, and highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends and relatives. For nearly sixty years she had been a devoted and exemplary member of the Baptist Church. Her remains were interred in the Mountain Creek Church-yard last Friday.

Mrs. Nancy Cox, an inmate of the County almshouse, died there last Friday and was carried to Smith Chapel, in the Fork, for interment. She was between seventy-five and eighty years of age, and was a State pensioner. Her husband, Dempsey Cox, a member of the Second South Carolina Rifles, was killed in the Seven Days' battles around Richmond, and she had a son who served in the Fourth South Carolina Volunteers and in other commands during the Civil War. She was a native of Newberry County, but spent most of her life in the Fork section of this County. She was a good woman, an humble Christian and had for many years been a member of the Methodist Church.

Miss Belle Kearney, who is to lecture in the First Baptist Church to-night (Wednesday) at 8 o'clock, has won laurels wherever she has been heard. She has traveled in the cause of temperance in England, Ireland, Scotland, Switzerland, France and Italy, besides many States of the Union. Miss Frances E. Willard, the now sainted originator of the W. C. T. U., said of her: "Miss Kearney is one of the most remarkable young women I have met anywhere. She has great natural abilities and, best of all, sincere devotion to God and humanity. She is well equipped with one of the best voices I ever heard, and beautiful womanly manner. Her speech in Boston in Tremont Temple was the feature of a splendid meeting in which Lady Henry Somerset participated, and who declared that Miss Kearney was a woman with a future."

Last Saturday afternoon there came near being a serious tragedy at Portman Shoals, ten miles west of this city. That morning D. L. Arthur, who is superintending the work of raising the dam of the Anderson Power Company, discharged A. W. Busbin, one of the rock masons engaged on the work. Shortly after dinner Mr. Arthur was standing in the commissary store door when Busbin came up and, jerking his pistol from his pocket, fired at the superintendent, the bullet passing through his hat. Busbin immediately ran off. A phone message reported the occurrence at once to Sheriff Green, who sent Deputy Dillingham with his bloodhound out there. That night about 10 o'clock Mr. Dillingham located Busbin at the home of J. R. Williamson, near the Shoals, and, placing him under arrest, brought him to the city and lodged him in jail.

The Court of Common Pleas adjourned last Saturday evening, after a very busy week's session. When we closed our report last Wednesday the Woodmen of the World had just been given to the jury, which returned a verdict in favor of the defendant. The next case was that of J. L. Jones, administrator, against the C. & W. C. R. R. for \$15,000 damages on account of the death of his wife. This case was not concluded until Friday evening, when the jury returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff, giving him \$1,750 damages. The case of Amanda W. Newberry against G. W. and G. L. Anderson, H. M. and H. H. Prince was the last jury case tried and resulted in a verdict in favor of the defendants. Motions for new trials were made in both the above cases but were refused. A new trial was granted in the case of Asbury Harris, administrator, against Anderson County for \$10,000 damages on account of the death of his son, who was whipped by a party of enraged citizens before he was committed to jail, and which had resulted in a verdict in favor of the County.

Mr. M. A. McGee, of Honea Path, has caused a little sensation by mysteriously disappearing. He came to Anderson last Monday in his buggy, accompanied by a younger brother. The latter decided to attend the circus and return home on the evening's train. The elder McGee left the city on his return home alone in his buggy about 4 o'clock. He was seen passing the eleven miles east of this city, about sundown. Between 8 and 9 o'clock the horse and buggy reached home without a driver, which, of course, caused some uneasiness in the minds of his family. The neighbors were soon notified of the strange occurrence, and in a short while searching parties were out looking for the man. His search continued through the night and yesterday, but no trace of the missing man could be found. Mr. McGee left the city, it is said, with about \$100 in his pocket, and it was feared by some that he had been murdered and robbed, while others thought he was either sick or temporarily insane, but as he has not been seen or no information concerning him has been secured, it is now believed he has voluntarily left home and loved ones. The missing man is a son of Rev. M. McGee, of Honea Path, and has always stood high in the confidence and esteem of his friends.

NOTICE—STRAYED, one black horse, white spot on shoulder. Any information will be thankfully received. J. M. JONES, Hollister's Store, S. C.

Fruit Jars; Fruit Jars! At Jno. T. Burris.

Pot Plants and Cut Flowers for sale. Large and small Plants a specialty. Mrs. J. F. C. H. Iscales, 212 Nor. & Main St.

Look to Your Interest!

WE are in the—

Clothing, Shoe and Hat Business.

Don't mean to brag or boast, but we sell more Clothing, Shoes and Hats than any house in Anderson. We are up-to-date in every line. We don't sell goods for COST. Any fair-minded man knows that we can't do business that way, but we do sell Goods for less money than any first-class house in town. We give you a price, and challenge any store in Anderson to sell it for less.

Our Clothing is made by the best manufacturers that are in the business, so we defy quality, fit and prices to be sold for less.

Our Shoes are the best leather that the market affords. Prices right for solid leather Shoes.

We are in the Hat business. Keep the largest stock, all grades—John B. Stetson one of the best. We will give prices if you will call and see us, and it will be to your interest.

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AT COST!

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF—

SHOES AND HOSIERY

AT

COST!

Come early, before the sizes are broken. No Goods charged.

COBB & CRAYTON.

J. M. RICHARDSON, M. D.

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For Pure, Fresh Drugs

GO TO THE

CHIQUOLA DRUG COMPANY!

Try our CHILL TONIC.

Our Turnip Seed are fresh from the growers and are guaranteed to be good. The place to get Fruit Jars cheap.

We are sole agents for the Heath & Milligan Paints, which are considered by all Painters, after a trial, as the best on the market.

PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

PRESCRIPTIONS carefully compounded.

THE ANDERSON Mutual Fire Insurance Co.

WROTE its first Policy Sept. 23, 1896, and has made only two assessments since it commenced business. This is a great deal cheaper than you can get fire insurance elsewhere. Any of our Policy-holders will tell you that. Other people have saved money by placing their fire insurance in this Company, and it is confidently believed you can. J. R. Vandiver, President. J. J. Fretwell, R. S. Hill, J. J. Major, Jno. G. Ducworth, W. G. Watson, R. B. A. Robinson, J. P. Glenn, A. P. Hubbard, Directors. J. J. BECK, Agent.