

PROSPERITY

Comes only through persistent pushing. We are constantly pushing the good things of our Stock before the alert buyers of this community, and our steady and ever increasing business convinces us that Goods and Prices are always right at

OUR STORE

We are thoroughly prepared to supply the wants and needs of all. During FEBRUARY and MARCH we will cater especially to the needs of the Farm.

Farm supplies

Will be given more prominence than ever before.

Groceries,

The necessities of life, will be pushed with vigor.

WE WILL NOT BE UNDERSOLD ON GROCERIES!

You should see our Stock of—

- CORN, FLOUR,
- MOLASSES, MEAT,
- SUGAR, COFFEE,
- RICE, LARD, &c.,

And get our—

SPOT CASH PRICES.

We are convinced that long credit is not consistent with modern merchandizing; therefore, we are determined to run our business on a—

CASH BASIS.

Bring your hirelings and tenants to us. We can handle them to the interest of both parties concerned.

With a General Stock of GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, SHOES, &c., we are well prepared for the Supply Trade.

The Early Buyers will please call and inspect our—

Early Spring & Summer Goods

Such as—

- LACES, EMBROIDERIES,
- WHITE GOODS, GINGHAMS,
- PERCALES, &c.

If your Cash is limited and your needs unlimited, it is the more important that you should see us. We will help you to—

STRETCH YOUR DOLLAR.

TO ALL WHO OWE US

On last year we wish to say that we have been patient; that we have given one month of grace, and now we must have our money. It is not our desire to trouble or inconvenience any one. SO TAKE WARNING AND PAY AT ONCE.

Yours truly,

OSBORNE & PEARSON.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

General Merchandise.

ANDERSON, S. C.

Local News.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 29, 1902.

THE COTTON MARKET.

Strict Good Middling—7½.
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County Supervisor Vandiver advises a bridge to let.

Nearly every other person you meet is suffering from a cold.

All sorts of country produce is in demand in the city at good prices.

Next Monday is Salesday. There will be no public sales of real estate.

County Treasurer Payne spent last Monday in Atlanta on a business trip.

Mrs. Carrie Brezeale is visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter Phifer, in Aberdeen, N. C.

The drummers are now travelling in droves seeking orders for Spring goods.

Mrs. E. Marion Rucker, Jr., is in Columbia visiting her mother and other relatives.

Persons indebted to Frank Johnson & Co. should read their notice in another column.

H. H. Wilcox, of Hartwell, Ga., was in the city yesterday and gave us an appreciated call.

Don't put off making your tax return to County Auditor Boleman. The time expires February 20.

Miss Pauline Gibert, of Bordeaux, S. C., has been spending a few days in the city visiting friends.

Miss Nannie McCullough, of Iva, is in the city visiting Mrs. W. T. Spencer and other friends.

Mrs. J. C. Blanton, of Columbia, is in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Osborne.

The farmers will find the new advertisement of the Sullivan Hardware Co. especially interesting to them.

Misses Nellie and Louise Humphreys have gone to Charleston to visit their brother and see the Exposition.

Alex. McBea, the energetic soliciting freight agent for the Southern Railway, spent yesterday in Anderson.

In their new advertisement B. O. Evans & Co. announce a 20 per cent. reduction in prices on winter clothing.

Dr. J. W. Bell and wife, of Walhalla, have been spending a few days in the city visiting their aunt, Mrs. S. Bleckley.

In their new advertisement this week J. H. Weil & Co. offer some fine wall paper at bargain prices. Read what they say.

J. P. Cary, Esq., of Pickens, and Frank B. Gary, Esq., of Abbeville, spent a day in the city last week on professional business.

Mr. George Walker, of Anderson, has taken charge of Mr. J. D. Adams' store and will conduct the business in future. —Laurens Advertiser.

The Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company has an advertisement in another column to which the attention of our farmers is directed.

Business holds up very well despite the cry of hard times, and the farmers are daily hauling out of the city large quantities of fertilizers.

The equipment of the Williamston cotton mills is being rushed to completion, and before a great while it is hoped to have the mill in operation.

You have about four more weeks in which to pay your State and County taxes, and there are a large number of people who have not yet paid.

There are only 209 voters registered to vote in the city election on Feb. 7th on the question of issuing bonds for putting in the sewerage system.

It will be to your interest to read the new advertisement of Frank Johnson & Co. in this issue. Especially those who own carriages and buggies.

Harry Whitner, of Birmingham, Ala., is in the city visiting his father. His many old friends of boyhood days are more than pleased to greet him.

It is said that the deep freezes this section is experiencing will have a tendency to so mellow the land as to make it produce good crops this year.

Rev. E. Z. Brown, an ex-Treasurer of this County, announces himself in this paper as a candidate for Probate Judge in the primary election next Summer.

The cry of hard times has been heard in our midst recently. Read Osborne & Pearson's advertisement in this issue on "Prosperity" in spite of the apparent depression.

John M. Flynn, formerly of this city but now one of the most popular drummers on the road, has been spending a few days here, and was warmly greeted by his many old friends.

Louis Gray, the infant son of J. K. Nelson, died last Saturday morning at the home of his parents in this city, and the little body was buried in Silver Brook Cemetery on Sunday.

Dr. K. L. Branyon, of Honea Path, has located in Charleston for the practice of his profession, dentistry. We join the Doctor's many friends in wishing him big success in his new home.

February 6 and 7 have been fixed as South Carolina Days at the Exposition in Charleston. The Legislature will attend, and no doubt large crowds from every section of the State will be there.

Now is the time to rake around the roots of fruit trees to expose them to the cold so that they will not be in too big a hurry about crowding the season and causing the trees to bloom ahead of time.

Mr. F. M. Butler, of Anderson, has been appointed gauger of the government distillery recently owned by Mr. Mark Durham, and which is situated near Landrum.—Spartanburg Herald.

The farmer who pitches his crop this year on the "hog and hominy" plan, can't miss it unless the seasons fail. And even then he will come out better than the one who plants cotton to the neglect of food crops.

Married, on Thursday, January 23, 1902, at 8.30 o'clock a. m., at the home of the bride's father, Hugh A. McKinney, by Rev. Wm. Brown, Mr. W. Alfred Fant and Miss Linda McKinney, both of Anderson.

There are about 12,000 taxpayers in this County, and up to last night only 7,119 of these have secured their receipts from County Treasurer Payne. The time for payment without the penalty expires March 1st.

The Anderson Water, Light and Power Company has received its big engine, which is now being placed in position at the sub-station. In another week or ten days it is hoped to have the streets again lighted.

The attention of our readers is directed to the new advertisement of Hall Bros., who are now offering their stock of clothing, gent's furnishing goods, etc., at greatly reduced prices to make room for their spring stock.

Meta, the 12-year-old daughter of A. O. Schrader, died at her home at Millville last Sunday evening from an attack of measles followed by pneumonia. The remains were buried in the Salem Churchyard Tuesday morning.

A little son of M. B. Owens and a little daughter of M. T. Stacks died at their respective homes at Millville last Friday within a few hours of each other, after a brief illness. The remains were buried on Saturday at Silver Brook Cemetery.

Our venerable friend, Maj. G. W. Cox, of Belton, who has been in feeble health for several months, has been spending a week or more in the city with his son, W. F. Cox. He is now improving, and we hope he will soon be restored to his usual good health.

County Supervisor Vandiver has secured a number of convicts from the State to work in the chain gang of this County. It is proposed to divide the gang into two sections, and when the rough weather is over the work on the public roads will be pushed rapidly.

We notice that while a lot of grain has been planted, there is very little of it up. The farmers say the oats are pretty much all killed out by the freezes. The wheat is not so badly injured. Some farmers have decided to replant the land they now have in oats.

The Columbia State of the 22nd inst. says: "Magistrate B. F. Wilson, of Anderson, is in the city in attendance on the Federal Court, and was a visitor on the floor of the House last night. A gentleman who used to be a soldier had mistaken him for Gen. O. O. Otis, of the United States army."

R. Henry Bolt, accompanied by his wife and son, of Otterbein, Ind., arrived in Anderson a few days ago. They will spend several weeks in the County visiting Mr. Bolt's parents and other relatives. The visit of Mr. and Mrs. Bolt is a source of much pleasure to their many old friends.

Unless the Legislature acts promptly on the jury law, and either enacts a new law that conforms to the constitutional requirements or patches up the old law so as to get around the recent decision of the Supreme Court, it will be impossible to try cases requiring juries at the approaching term of Court.

W. S. Dwyer, general superintendent for John T. Burris, of Anderson, S. C., is in town covering the round house and shops for the S. A. L. Mr. Dwyer is an expert, roofer and metal worker, and any one having work of this kind to do will find it to their interest to see him while here.—Abbeville Press and Banner.

Last Sunday night the dwelling house of Chas. J. Vandiver, in Williamston Township, was entered by a burglar, who carried off a pocketbook containing \$78.00, which was in Mr. Vandiver's coat in a room adjoining the one in which he was sleeping. It was evidently the work of some person familiar with the home.

Auditor Boleman requests us to state that on account of the destruction of Earle's Bridge on Seneca River, taxpayers in the Fork will find blank tax returns at Shirley & Mahaffey's and Dr. W. K. Sharp's stores at Townville, and at the home of C. E. Maret at Boleman, and urges that they call at these places and make out their returns.

W. E. Atkinson, who has had charge of the prescription department of the Chiquola Drug Co. since it first opened business here, has accepted a position as traveling salesman for a large wholesale drug firm in Detroit, Mich., and will shortly enter upon his work. We join his many friends in wishing him big success in his new position.

The Annual State Convention of the Young Men's Christian Associations of South Carolina will convene in Columbia, Feb. 8-11. The gathering already bids fair to be one of considerable strength. It will differ in many respects from other conventions held. The State Executive Committee, through the columns of this paper, extends an special invitation to the Christian men of the State to attend this Convention. Any man who is interested in the welfare of the men and boys of South Carolina is invited. It will be necessary for him, however, to secure delegate's credential, and this can be done by writing A. G. Knebel, State Secretary, Y. M. C. A., Charleston, S. C. Parties desiring further information should address him. There will be reduced rates on all the railroads. The people of Columbia will entertain all delegates.

General Fitzhugh Lee is about to start on a lecture tour of the Southern States, his subject being "Peace and War in the United States and Cuba." He has also agreed to lecture about fifteen times at various Chautauqua assemblies next Summer. We suggest that an effort be made to induce Gen. Lee to visit Anderson and deliver his lecture. We believe he would be greeted by a large and appreciative audience.

Mrs. Lucinda Browning, wife of James Browning, died at her home, near Equality, last Friday, after an illness of several weeks. She was a Miss Wigginton, and a most excellent, Christian woman, whose memory will long be cherished by a wide circle of friends and relatives. A devoted husband and two sons survive her. Her remains were interred at Pisgah Church last Sunday, Rev. D. I. Spearman conducting the funeral services.

At a recent meeting of Barnett Lodge, No. 106, A. F. M., at Guyton the following officers were elected to serve the ensuing Masonic year: Dr. C. L. Guyton, W. M.; A. J. Smith, S. W.; M. B. Williams, J. W.; B. F. Mullikin, Treas.; A. M. Guyton, Sec.; J. Jameson, S. D.; S. L. Hix, J. D.; W. S. Nowell and E. M. Duckworth, Stewards. The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on Saturday before the fourth Sunday in each month.

Last Saturday morning our young friend, Jake Sullivan, youngest son of Hon. J. M. Sullivan, met with a painful accident. He was at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Leila Sullivan, on South McDuffie street, and while carelessly handling a gun it was accidentally discharged, taking off a portion of the first finger of his left hand. His wound was promptly dressed by two physicians, who were forced to amputate the finger between the first and second joints.

The contract for rebuilding Earle's Bridge across Seneca River was let yesterday by the Board of County Commissioners to the Virginia Bridge Company, of Roanoke, Va., for \$5,883, the lowest bid submitted. There were four other bids submitted, ranging from \$6,100 to \$6,500. The Virginia Co. was represented by our former young townsman, J. Harry Whitner, who is here visiting his father and other relatives. The work will commence at once and the bridge completed as soon as possible.

On Monday night, 20th inst., in Corner Township, at the home of Tom Heard, a negro, three of his children were burned to death, and a fourth had a very narrow escape. Heard had recently erected a cabin adjoining his old one, and that night he placed his four children in the old building, while he slept in the new one. About midnight fire broke out in the old cabin, but before it was discovered the flames were beyond control and the burning roof had fallen in. It is not known how the fire originated.

The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York has established an agency in Anderson and placed our genial townsman, D. Prue Sloan, in charge of it as manager. Mr. Sloan will have charge of the Company's business in upper Carolina and will have a number of agents under him. He has fitted up elegantly furnished offices on the second floor of the Postoffice building, where he will be pleased to greet his friends at any time. The Company is fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Sloan, who will discharge his duties most faithfully and zealously.

Safelowers visited Donalds and Due West last Thursday night. In Donalds the safe of W. R. Dunn was cracked and \$165 and some other money, belonging to private persons, taken therefrom. The postoffice at Donalds was next visited where the robbers secured \$160. The robbers then stole a horse and buggy from the stable of D. H. Winn and drove to Due West, where they broke into the postoffice and robbed it of \$694. Next day the horse and buggy were found in a ditch near Abbeville. The robbers made good their escape.

Solicitor Pete Hildebrand tells a good 'un on Citizen Josh Ashley. An Orangeburg paper recently spoke of Josh as having been an "embryo statesman" of 1892 who had become so degraded as to favor free passes. When the editorial was read to Josh he became highly incensed when called an embryo statesman. "Read hit again," says Josh, and then he went away back and sat down. Now whenever the word "Orangeburg" occurs in a bill Josh pricks up his ears and then declares, "Boys, I am agin' hit." A number of federal election claims came up from Orangeburg last week and Josh wanted a regular investigating committee appointed.—Columbia State.

The Honea Path correspondent of the Greenville News, under date of the 25th inst., says: "A cotton mill meeting was held here at 1 o'clock to-day, and, judging from the crowd present it looks as if our people meant to have a mill. Capt. J. B. Humbert was made chairman of the meeting and after a few remarks he introduced Col. J. L. Orr, who made one of his strong, common sense talks, showing how we needed a cotton mill in our town. After a short talk by Mr. James Hammett the subscriptions began and in a very short time ran up to \$27,000. A committee was appointed to solicit subscriptions, obtain options on location and report as early as possible. It now looks like a cotton mill for Honea Path."

Best farmers buy best Plows from Sullivan Hdw. Co.

Every farmer is now beginning to prepare his land for the coming crop. In order to succeed he must exercise good judgment in the selection of his Plows and Agricultural Implements. An inspection of Sullivan Hdw. Co.'s tremendous stock of these goods will convince him that this reliable firm is best prepared to furnish such supplies in this line as may be required. The large stock, low prices and fair treatment accorded each customer, entitles this firm to the thoughtful consideration of every wise farmer.

We have Spent
A Good Many
Years in the
Conduct of the

Clothing Business.

We are, therefore, thoroughly familiar with the character of the Clothing produced by every wholesale manufacturer in the United States.

In our efforts to give our customers the best that can be had we have tested many lines, but to please the man who has been dressed by a first-class Tailor, and at the same time save him a great many dollars on each Suit or Overcoat, we know of no Clothing that can compare with that produced by

The Techheimer Fishel Company,

Of which you can find a good assortment here, and at greatly

Reduced Prices.

See us now, and also our—

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HALL BROS.

South Main Street.

Cut Price Clothiers.

FERTILIZERS.

We represent the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co., the Largest Manufacturers of Fertilizers in the World.

IN buying your goods you get Fertilizers made by old, reliable Factories, and are guaranteed to be the finest goods on the market. Our aim is to give our customers better goods, better service and better treatment than they can get from any other establishment.

GET OUR PRICES

Before placing your orders for large contracts. We can give you—

Powers, Gibbs & Co's. Goods, the Stone, Standard, Royal and Wando Complete Fertilizers and Blood Guanos, Acid Phosphate, with or without Potash, Kainits, Nitrates, Soda and Muriate Potash, &c.

We trust that fortune will smile on you during the coming year, and stamp her seal of prosperity on every venture.

D. C. BROWN & BRO.

South Main Street.

Any Article of Merit Creates Imitators,

But we make it very interesting for imitators of

Oliver Chilled Plows!

THE best recommendation of Oliver Chilled Plows is the fact that they are used by all of the best farmers of Anderson County. Try them and YOU will buy them. We have just received our third solid Car Load of these Celebrated Plows for this season.

PLOWS, PLOWS, PLOWS.

Perfectly shaped and properly tempered. The same well-known kind that we have been handling for the past ten years. We have a tremendous assortment from which you can select any style desired.

- PLOW STOCKS, HANDLES,
- SINGLE TREES, HAMES,
- TRACES, BACK BANDS,
- HEEL BOLTS, CLEVISSES, &c.

EVERYTHING needed by the Farmer in the line of AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS and kindred articles.

Sullivan Hardware Co.