

# TIRELESS ACTIVITY

## Turns the Wheels of Commerce.

It is not enough to do the best to-day, we must do better to-morrow, or drop behind. The slipping of a cog means a secondary place. Striving for the best has given us a wide reputation, but reputations once made are soon lost, unless reinforced steadily and constantly by tireless activity. We are determined to enlarge on our present reputation, consequently the BEST Stock of—

# General Merchandise

In this section can always be found in our Store at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICE. By ceaseless activity we avoid crying hard times and dull trade. Between the seasons on DRY GOODS we rush GROCERIES. Just now we are having a very satisfactory business on—

# Heavy Groceries AND FARM SUPPLIES!

We have bought large quantities of—

## FLOUR AT RIGHT PRICES,

And are selling it at prices that puzzles our competitors. We bought an—

## IMMENSE STOCK OF MOLASSES

When they were at the lowest price, before the advance; consequently we fear no competition on Molasses. We are always pleased to quote prices on—

- Corn,
- Oats,
- Meat,
- Sugar,
- Coffee, &c.

## HOME RAISED PEAVINE HAY,

The finest stock feed made.

The recent bad weather has stimulated the Shoe business. Still we have a large stock of Heavy Winter Shoes. Also, Farm Shoes.

We have just opened up our Ladies' Spring Oxfords, and would be pleased to show them. Come at once and make your selection.

We are also showing many new things in Dry Goods and Notions for Spring and Summer. In fact, just such articles as you need right now.

Our Buyers are in the market NOW, and the New Goods are coming in on almost every train.

We are prepared to do more business than ever before.

The policy of every smart tradesman is to buy the best Goods at the lowest price; therefore, duty demands that you see us. We guarantee Price and Quality.

Come or write for Samples.  
Yours truly,

# OSBORNE & PEARSON.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in  
General Merchandise.  
ANDERSON, S. C.

## Local News.

WEDNESDAY, MAR. 5, 1902.

### THE COTTON MARKET.

Strict Good Middling—94.  
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It seems difficult for the weather to clear up and stay clear.

A local weather prophet says the backbone of winter is broken. We hope so.

An early Spring is the very latest prediction by the local weather prophets.

The crop of candidates promises to be unusually large the coming Summer.

S. G. Major, of Greenwood, is visiting friends and relatives in and around the city.

There seems to be a regular epidemic of pneumonia in various sections of the County.

Don't make it a habit to borrow your neighbor's paper. The paper is too cheap to do that.

The Court of General Sessions for Oconee County convenes at Walhalla next Monday, 10th inst.

Mr. Robert Stevenson, of Iva, spent a few days last week with his son, W. F. Stevenson, near the city.

T. P. Cothran, Esq., of Greenville, and J. F. Lyon, Esq., of Abbeville, are in the city attending Court.

C. F. Jones left a few days ago for the Eastern markets to buy a big stock of Spring and Summer goods.

Miss Essie Todd, of Anderson, is visiting her friend, Miss Marie Fewell, in Ebenezer.—Rock Hill Herald.

Mrs. W. W. Robinson, of this city, went to Ridgeway, S. C., a few days ago to visit her mother, who is seriously ill.

The measles are still raging in many sections of the County. There are a few cases in this city, but are of a mild form.

The work of rebuilding the dam at Portman Shoals is progressing rapidly. More than 200 hands are now at work there.

The commutation of road tax is fixed \$1. The number of days work in lieu thereof is eight. Pay the tax by all means.

Wm. R. Osborne left the city Monday for the eastern markets to buy a stock of spring and summer goods for his firm.

Last Thursday afternoon at the Anderson Fertilizer Factory two mules were struck by lightning and instantly killed.

The enrollment of the city graded schools now number about 1,400 and the buildings are full to their utmost capacity.

Capt. E. E. Rankin, the clever representative of the Greenville News, spent last Saturday in the city and gave us a pleasant call.

R. S. McCully, who has been buying cotton in Alabama several months, has returned home.

Joel C. Keys, who has been buying cotton at Elberton, Ga., since last fall, is spending a few days in the city.

Farmers need not be disheartened at weather conditions. Spring may open any day, and they can make up for lost time.

Chiquola Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will hold its regular convention tomorrow evening. Every member is urged to attend.

The Seaboard Air Line's trestle over the Savannah River at Calhoun Falls was carried away by the high water last Friday night.

A beautiful new drop curtain has been put in at the Opera House. It gives the surroundings a fresher and brighter appearance.

A skating rink has been opened in the city, under the management of Carlisle McKinney. The Club has about fifty members.

Farmers are cutting wood, building pasture fences and cleaning out ditches, and getting ready to plow when the ground gets ready for it.

B. O. Evans, the clothing man, has gone to the eastern markets to buy a choice stock of clothing and gents' furnishing goods for the Spring trade.

County Auditor Boleman announces in another column the dates for the meeting of the Township Boards of Assessors. Read the advertisement.

Miss V. A. Hammond, of Dalton, Ga., is in Anderson visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. Nardin. She has many old friends here who are delighted to greet her.

Mrs. E. P. Earle, who has been seriously ill at her home in Seneca, is now convalescing. Her many friends in Anderson will be more than pleased to hear this.

Now is a good time to lay gravel along the sidewalks, while the ground is soft and muddy. The gravel would readily become set in the mud and form an excellent curb.

The singing at the home of W. P. Stevenson, near this city, a few days ago was a big success and highly enjoyed by all whose good fortune it was to be present.

It is reported that the required \$50,000 to secure a cotton mill for Honea Path has been raised. As the proposition is understood, an offer was made by outside parties to the citizens stating that if they would subscribe \$50,000 an additional \$150,000 would be forthcoming and a \$200,000 mill erected.

Comptroller-General Durham has sent out a circular to the County treasurers, notifying them that the time for the payment of taxes has been extended to March 31st.

Landrum Padgett has been reappointed postmaster at Pelzer. M. Padgett is a most efficient official and the patrons of the Pelzer office are more than pleased at his reappointment.

Some of our farmers are still holding their cotton. These are the men who raise their own supplies and make their cotton their surplus crop. They can always get better prices by doing this.

Mrs. Sarah Dillingham, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Mary Dillingham, of Rabun County, Ga., is in the city visiting her sons, Chief of Police Dillingham and Deputy Sheriff Dillingham.

The Anderson Mattress and Spring Bed Company has decided to increase its capital stock to \$20,000, and will amend its charter so as to get the right to manufacture pants, shirts and underwear.

Maj. Jas. L. Boyd, of Newry, has brought suit for \$5,000 against the Blue Ridge Railroad for injuries received last July by being thrown against a seat by the too sudden stopping of the train at Adams' crossing.

The colonial concert given at the Opera House last Friday night, under the auspices of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society, was a decided success in every way. A large audience was present and everybody enjoyed the occasion.

The snow and heavy rain which followed made the ground as wet as possible. The preparations for crops will begin late this season. With favorable weather little plowing can be done before the middle of March. Farmers will have to do their best brain work this season, so as to make every lick tell to best advantage.

Handy Blackman, the 16-year-old son of J. M. Blackman, met with a painful accident near his home in the Sandy Springs section on Tuesday, 25th ult. He and an elder brother were chopping wood in a field, when a tree fell on him, breaking his left thigh bone. He received prompt attention from Dr. W. S. Hutchison, and is doing as well as possible.

The Spartanburg Herald sent out inquiries to the mayors of the cities and towns of South Carolina asking expressions of opinion on the Tillman-McLaurin fight in the Senate chamber. Mayor Tolly's reply was: "Both South Carolina Senators are guilty of disgraceful conduct and are deserving of severe punishment. Tillman should be made to prove his accusations against McLaurin or withdraw them."

Readers of The Intelligencer will be interested in the following Act passed at the recent session of the Legislature which is short and comprehensive: "That all products of the farm in this State may be sold in any town or city by the producer of said product or his agent, without said producer being required to pay license to make such sale. Provided, said producer or agent is not engaged in selling the produce of other persons."

Miss Louise Hiett, wife of John Hiett, died at her home in Hopewell Township last Monday night, after a brief illness, with the measles. Mrs. Hiett was about 28 years of age, and a daughter of Wm. Ellison, of this County. She was a good woman and most highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends and relatives, who were greatly shocked by the announcement of her death. She leaves a sorely bereaved husband, two sons and two daughters to cherish her memory. The remains were buried yesterday afternoon at Beaverdam Church.

The case of James C. Schumpert vs. the Southern Railway Company was ended in the Circuit Court in Newberry last Saturday evening with a verdict for twelve thousand five hundred dollars for the plaintiff. The suit was for damages to the plaintiff in the loss of a part of his foot in a collision that happened at Belton, in February, 1901, between the train of which the plaintiff was engineer and another train. The plaintiff was represented by Johnstone & Welch, of the Newberry bar, the defendant by T. P. Cothran, of Greenville. The defendant will appeal.

The Columbia State of the 1st inst. says: "This morning Mr. J. L. Sheppard, Jr., one of the civil and mechanical engineers who has been in the employ of the W. B. Smith Whaley & Co. here for some time, goes to Anderson to take a position with the Anderson Light and Power Company. Mr. Sheppard will have immediate charge of the reconstruction of the great dam which was washed away some time ago entailing a heavy loss. Mr. Sheppard is one of the most competent men in his profession in this part of the country. He has scores of friends here who regret to see him leave, though it is to take a responsible position."

The Greenville News of last Thursday contained the following notice of the marriage of one of Anderson County's popular and substantial citizens: "A quiet but impressive marriage took place yesterday morning at 9 o'clock at the residence of C. P. W. Sullivan, in West End, when Miss Ella Garrison and Mr. J. W. Major were made husband and wife. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. J. Williams. Directly after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Major boarded the train for Anderson, where they will make their home. Miss Garrison is a young lady of excellent qualities, loved and admired by a host of friends. Mr. Major is a well known young man of Anderson. He is a splendid business man and has a bright future. We join the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Major in extending congratulations and wish them a happy and prosperous journey through life."

Henry Arbor, a negro living on J. A. Welborn's plantation, about six miles north of this city, died last Wednesday afternoon from a wound in his head inflicted the night before by John Harris, another negro of that section. Arbor was at the home of a colored woman when Harris came in. The latter was not pleased at Arbor's presence there, and, seizing an axe, struck him over the head with the handle, crushing his skull. Arbor lived about twenty four hours, but never regained consciousness. Harris fled immediately and has not yet been arrested. Coroner Banister held an inquest, and the jury returned a verdict in accordance with the facts.

Mr. Owens, of Anderson County, a friend of Supervisor Speegle, yesterday sent Mr. Speegle two thoroughbred bloodhound pups. One of the pups has ruffled hair, is fussy, snappy and will bite on the least provocation; the other pup, however, is of a very quiet, reserved disposition, but nevertheless vigorous, determined and, when occasion demands, very furious. Capt. J. E. Knight, of the county chain gang force, saw the pups yesterday upon their arrival in the city and was a witness to their contrasted actions. After studying the character of the two pups very closely he suggested that they be named Tillman and McLaurin, respectively. Mr. Speegle has adopted this suggestion and his pups will hereafter be known by those titles.—Greenville News, 2nd inst.

The Court of Common Pleas began its session last Monday morning, Judge Gage presiding. With two or three exceptions, all the jurors answered to their names, and the Court was soon organized and ready for work. The docket was sounded and a large number of cases continued until the next term. The first case called Monday afternoon was J. L. Jones vs. the C. & W. C. R. R. The plaintiff is suing the railroad for killing his wife on the night of Dec. 25, 1899, by running over her near the depot, in this city. This is the second trial of the case, a verdict having been rendered in favor of the plaintiff at the former trial, but the defendant appealed to the Supreme Court, which granted a new trial. This case consumed all of yesterday, and will not be concluded until probably noon to-day. There is considerable business before the Court and the Jurors will probably be kept busy all week.

This County was visited by a severe wind and thunder storm, followed by a very heavy rain fall, last Thursday night. Considerable damage was done on the eastern side of the County, in the Toney Creek section. S. N. Davenport had a tenant house blown down, all the outbuildings at the Amos Ragdale place were blown down and the dwelling considerably damaged. J. T. Dean had three tenant houses, all of which were occupied, and a barn blown down. Three of the chimneys to Mr. Dean's dwelling were blown down to the coping. He also had a large amount of timber blown down. Arcey Cox had one end of his dwelling torn up and several outhouses blown down and unroofed. Jim Whitlock's house was unroofed, Oak Grove school house was lifted off its pillars and set down on the ground. A Mr. Culbertson had his stables unroofed and fodder scattered for several hundred yards. Several other parties had outhouses unroofed or damaged. In this city about fifty telephones were burnt out, and a few fences blown down. Lightning struck the dwelling house of F. A. Wilson at Millville and slightly damaged it.

The Designer for March contains, among many other attractive features, three short stories—"The Reluctant of Senator Marsh," "The New Dress" and "What Happened to Miss Millcent," the last for juvenile readers. In fancy work this number is replete, giving instruction in embroidery of the latest style, braids and crochet. Suggestions for entertainments are given in an "Irish Potato Party" and "A Green Goods Soiree," also in the little parlor drama, "The Calf of Gold," to be enacted by amateur Thespians. "What Women are Doing" is a new and interesting department, too, are "Follet Table Chat" and "In Motherland," the titles of which index their character. Among the special fashion features are many designs for "Dainty Lingerie," in addition to the usual modes of the month for adults and juveniles. An expert milliner by aid of pictures and text tells just how to make two fashionable Spring bonnets, and the able writer of "Points on Dressmaking" instructs amateurs in the making of exquisite underwear. "Book Notes," "Fashions and Fabrics," hints on etiquette and numerous savory recipes for cooking are also included in the list of reasonable and valuable items.

—One thousand five hundred and thirteen novels were published in England last year.

The Only One.  
The only Flour manufactured South of the Ohio river that is guaranteed pure by the Anti-Adulteration League and bears its registered trade mark, thus affording the consumer absolute immunity from the poisonous mineral that is being used to adulterate Flour, is "Clifton," made at Bradford Mills, Owensboro, Ky. It will be on sale at Harrison & Co's, Osborne & Pearson's, Vandiver Bros., J. C. Osborne's. Also, at J. B. King's at Piedmont.

Raw or Inflamed Lungs  
Yield rapidly to the wonderful curative and healing qualities of Foley's Honey and Tar. It prevents pneumonia and consumption from a hard cold settled on the lungs. Sold by Evans Pharmacy.

The ladies all like easy-cutting, well-tempered Scissors. Brock Hdw. Co. cater to the wants of the ladies, and can furnish just such Scissors as will please them.

The husband will always have a warm spot in his heart and a tender place in his nature for the thoughtless, who presents him with one of Brock Hdw. Co's. matchless Razors. The genuine satisfaction which these Razors afford the men makes them always remember with kindness the donor of such a gift.

La grippe coughs yield quickly to the wonderful curative qualities of Foley's Honey and Tar. There is nothing else "just as good." Sold by Evans Pharmacy.  
WANTED, Hicokory, Dogwood and Persimmon Logs. Southern Hardwood Co., Charleston, S. C.  
W. H. Sharer, Surveyor. You will find me at Dean & Ratliff's. Long distance Phone at my residence.

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PANTS,

Men's Shoes,

Childrens Shoes!

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And we are offering

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In Pants and Shoes during FEBRUARY.

Big Reductions on all counters.

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Cut Price Clothiers.

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IN buying their 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.

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Powers, Gibbs & Co's. Goods, the Stone, Standard, Royal and Wando Complete Fertilizers and Blood Guano, 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, CLEAVES, &c.

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

# Sullivan Hardware Co.