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WEDNESDAY, DEC. 17, 1902.

Many a stingy man will be helped by the new law in Minnesota, which prohibits "treating."

The authorities of New York city are making war on parlor matches. It is claimed that more than a thousand New York fires were caused last year by parlor matches.

Parents could not give their boys and girls a more useful or appropriate Christmas present than a good book. Then, they are so cheap, they are in the reach of the poorest as well as the richest.

The director of the census reports that the 12th census, of 1900, cost a total of almost \$12,000,000, or an average of over 15 cents for every man, woman and child in the country. Over one-third of the expense was in gathering data in the field, the rest being chargeable to the office work, tabulation, etc.

A few years ago the gold reserve was so low in the United States treasury that the country was alarmed about the credit of the government. Now there is so much gold on hand that the Treasurer is trying to devise means to get it out of the treasury and into circulation. The amount now on hand is nearly six hundred million, and is still rapidly accumulating.

Probably, after all, the best solution of the negro problem would not be, as Bishop Turner holds, to ship them to Africa, but to ship them north of the Mason and Dixon line. Then, probably, after a few years we wouldn't hear of the negro problem at all; or if we did, the people who make a specialty of agitating it would sing an entirely different tune.

This has been a great year for turnips and potatoes, cabbage, and, in fact, all late garden truck. The season has been most remarkable, and as a result some big stories are going the rounds of the papers about turnips and potatoes of mammoth size. Strawberries also have been in evidence. South Carolina is a great old State. She stands ahead of the world in her delightful climate and adaptability of her soil.

Rev. H. M. Wharton, D. D., of Virginia, is preparing a book of war songs and poems, and requests any one who has a poem or a song written during the years of the civil war to kindly send same to him at Germantown, Pa. It is a very worthy undertaking on the part of Dr. Wharton to rescue from oblivion the beautiful songs and poems which were written during the severe struggle between the North and the South, and every one in possession of such literature should send a copy promptly to him.

The first real step to be taken by Congress to carry out the recommendations of the President in his message regarding the trusts, and perhaps the only measure which will get before the House at this session, will be a bill appropriating \$500,000 to enable the Attorney General to enforce the provisions of the Sherman law. Such a bill was introduced the first day of this session by Representative Hepburn, and is one of the many anti-trust measures now before the judiciary committee.

The report comes from New York that the Rockefeller General Education Board has practically been given unlimited use of the Rockefeller funds, and the millionaire has expressed a willingness to see the million dollars utilized in southern education. Mr. Rockefeller's desire is that no quarter or section of the South shall be without general educational facilities, equal, if possible, to those of the North and West. To this end every Southern State will be enabled in the distribution of the general fund to be taken care of by the general educational board.

The Georgia Legislature certainly has a genuine curiosity that Barnum or Sells Bros.' big circus should have on exhibition in one of their side shows, for it certainly would be a most attractive feature. Here it is as pictured by the Atlanta News, of the 11th inst: "Another new record has been established by Representative George C. Glenn, of Whitfield, who has refused to accept pay for five days he was absent from the House and declined to accept mileage because he travels on a free pass. While heretofore there have been a few instances of members of the Legislature declining mileage when using passes, this is believed to be the first instance where per diem has not been drawn for days absent. The total amount thus left in the State treasury by Mr. Glenn is about \$40.

Tuckersville Dots.

The farmers are through gathering their crops, and are enjoying unbounded prosperity. More corn was made than has been made in a number of years.

George Martin has accepted a position with Bailes & Co., at Anderson.

A. T. Newell left last week for Charleston to attend the Masonic meeting there, and will go thence to Birmingham, Ala., on a business trip, and will not return until Christmas.

A negro by the name of Will Jamison, living on A. C. Webb's place, had a child, about three years old, burned to death last week. Its mother left it alone in the house and its clothing caught on fire. On her return the child was found almost in a charred condition, and lived three or four hours. The school at Cross Roads under the management of O. B. Anderson, has an enrollment of 20 pupils.

About 1,000 bales of cotton have been ginned at the Tucker ginney this fall. This is one of the best equipped and most up-to-date ginmies in the County.

As a result of the heavy rains of late the roads are in a bad condition.

What sowing has been stopped for two weeks. A great deal is to be sown yet.

Rev. O. L. Martin has been elected pastor of the Hopewell Baptist Church for the coming year.

A sumptuous birthday supper was given at the residence of W. L. Dalrymple last Tuesday evening in the honor of his niece, Miss Nina Slater.

Quite a number of friends and relatives were present, among them several distinguished persons. Many beautiful gifts were presented Miss Slater.

E. F. MacDaniel, who is attending Lebanon High School, is at home this week.

Anderson Machine Shops and Foundry.

Work on the Anderson Machine Shop and Foundry is progressing rapidly. The building will be a one-story brick structure, 130 feet long by 50 feet wide. The foundation, up to the floor, are laid in cement. Seventy-five feet of the building will be occupied by the machine shop, and the remainder will constitute the foundry department. In the machine shop 10 electrical horsepower will be used, and in the foundry, 7 1/2 electrical horsepower. President C. S. Sullivan says that if there be no delay in receiving the lumber ordered, the erection of the building will be one of the quickest completed jobs in the history of the city. The brick work is going up rapidly, and unless the weather materially interferes, the brick masons will be ready for the roof in a very few days. The rapid erection of this building indicates the characteristic hustle of the Anderson people. Once they enter upon the establishment of an industry they will never rest till it is completed. There is no halting and hesitating about "ifs" and "ands" about it. The work is done, and it is this spirit that will soon place Anderson in the lead among the counties of the State in industrial enterprises.

W. H. Shearer, Surveyor, You will find me at Dean & Ratliffe's. Long distance Phone at my residence.

All for Christmas.

GUNS—Single and Double Barrel. A large assortment of carefully selected Guns at lowest possible prices. RIFLES—Cartridge and Air Rifles. AMMUNITION—Of all kinds. Loaded Shells, Powder, Shot, Primers, Caps. POCKET CUTLERY—Best quality Pocket Knives in all the latest patterns. CARVING SETS—Beautiful in design and finish.

SULLIVAN HARDWARE CO.

PRE-CHRISTMAS NEEDS!

Upon which you Save if you buy of BOLT. You've got to save if you buy here, because I sell for Cash strictly to everybody, and don't have to put up prices to make up for bad debt losses, for I have no losses. You're the gainer thereby.

- Good Things You'll Need. Candied Orange Peel 20c. lb. 30c. would be a fair price. Fine grade, luscious peel; fine for mince meat making, for cakes and the like. Seeded Raisins 12c. Package. Clean, fine flavor, thin-skinned, best for baking purposes, worth 15c. Cleaned Currants 10c. Low price for high quality. New, too; not the year-old, kept-in-the-storage sort, but luscious Currants, with fine flavor. Corsican Citron 20c. lb. As clear as crystal, properly preserved and of the highest quality.

C. FRANK BOLT, The Cash Grocer.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are pleased to announce to the public that our trade for the Fall of 1902 has been unprecedented, and we thank you for your valued patronage. We have a few choice lots of—

Seasonable Goods

- To clean up. So be quick and take advantage of our Cleaning Up Prices. LOT 40—Boys' Overcoats, worth \$3.50, sale price \$1.50 each. LOT 41—Men's Overcoats, worth \$5.00, sale price \$2.00 to \$3.00 each. LOT 42—Men's Mackintoshes, worth \$1.50, sale price 95c. each. LOT 43—Men's Odd Dress Coats, worth twice what we ask for them, sale price 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25. LOT 44—Boys Suits from 75c to \$1.75. Boys' Knee Pants from 19c to 50c. This lot is made up from remnants of piece goods from manufactory, and is worth double what we ask for them.

We aim to make from now until Christmas a hurry-up Clearing from all of our Departments, and after a careful look through our Stock we are certain you will find a great many Seasonable Goods which you can use.

SPECIAL.

- Twenty pounds Sugar One Dollar. Ten pounds Arbuckles' Coffee One Dollar. Ingersoll's Guaranteed Watch One Dollar. The Sorosis Skirt One Dollar.

Yours truly, D.C. BROWN & BRO.

—Morality is conditional; nobody ever steals an umbrella in fair weather.

The satisfaction of shaving with a good Razor will be greatly enjoyed by your husband or brother. If you are puzzled to know what to get them for Christmas, select a Razor and Strop from Sullivan Hardware Co. and be assured that they will be pleased with such a gift.

LOS"—One blue speckled Pointer Dog, with black head and ears, black spot on his back and bob tail. Reward will be paid for his return to L. F. Galliard at Dean & Ratliffe's.

FOR SALE.

SEVEN nice Building Lots, on West Avenue, 75x192 feet each. Will be sold at auction on Salesday in January if not disposed of sooner. Apply to

H. C. TOWNSEND, or W. F. COX. Dec 17, 1902

Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of authority conferred upon me in a certain Decree of Trust executed and delivered to me by S. P. Tate on the 11th day of September, 1899, duly of record in R. M. C. office for Anderson County, S. C., in book K. R., pages 122-21, I will sell at public auction on Salesday in January next, at Anderson Court House, S. C., at the usual place and within the usual hours of public sales,

All that certain Tract or parcel of Land, situate in Yarenes Township, S. C., containing eighty and one fourth (80 1/4) acres, more or less, and bounded by lands of Wm. M. Webb, Mrs. Elizabeth H. McConnell, D. B. Webb and P. L. Tate.

Terms of Sale—One-half cash and balance on credit of one year, with interest on credit portion from the day of sale at the rate of eight per cent per annum until paid, credit portion to be secured by bond of the purchaser and mortgage of the premises, with leave to the purchaser to anticipate payment of the whole or any part of the credit portion. Purchaser to pay extra for papers. For further particulars see undersigned.

GEO. E. PRINCE, Trustee. Dec 17, 1902

Notice of Opening Books of Subscription.

State of South Carolina. PURSUANT to a Commission issued by the undersigned as commissioners by M. R. Cooper, Secretary of State, on the first day of December, 1902, notice is hereby given that books of subscription to the capital stock of the Tennessee, Georgia and South Carolina Railroad Company will be opened at the office of B. F. Whitner, Esq., People's Bank building, in the City of Anderson, County of Anderson, State of South Carolina, on the 19th day January, 1903, at 11 o'clock a. m.

The said proposed Corporation will have a capital stock of \$250,000.00, divided into two thousand five hundred shares of the par value of \$100.00 each, and will be empowered to engage in the business of owning, constructing and operating a railroad from the said City of Anderson, State of South Carolina, to some point on the Chattooga River in Oconee County, in said State, on the Georgia State Line, in the direction of the City of Charleston, in the State of Tennessee.

W. B. FRANK, MERRILL SKINNER, H. H. HANCOCK, Dec 17, 1902

Rubber Dollars! If you wish your dollars to do double duty and stretch like rubber, just bring them here and see at what astonishingly Low Prices we are selling High Class Merchandise.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS. If you wish to give something to a friend or some needy one for a Christmas Present that will be appreciated, come to our Store and select some article of wearing apparel or something for the household that will be of some service to the one that receives it.

- 50 beautiful white Bed Spreads, heavy weight and large size, value \$1.25, at 98c each. 50 pairs Elkin, N. C., home-made Blankets, worth \$4, at per pair \$2.98. Good Cotton Blankets at 49c. 10 dozen nice all-wool Fascinators or Shawls, value 35c, at 25c each; 10 dozen nice all-wool Fascinators or Shawls, value 65c, at 48c each; 5 dozen nice all-wool extra large Fascinators, value \$1, at 75c each; 10 dozen nice white Curtain Poles and Brass Fixtures at 10c each; nice lot new style Ladies' Belts at 25c each; nice lot of large size Silk Mufflers at 48c each; 5 gross Bixby's Shoe Polish—just about twice the size bottle you have been buying, with or without paste, at 10c per bottle; 100 dozen Ladies' Seamless Ribbed Hose, value 15c, at per pair 10c; 5 ounce bottles Petroleum Jelly, with screw top, 15c size, at per bottle 5c.

- DRESS GOODS, ETC. 1,000 yards new style Flannelette, 10c kind, at per yard 7 1/2c. Yard-wide Black Taffeta Silk, heavy and soft, will not split, value \$1.25, at per yard 98c. 38-inch all-wool Serge, blue and black, value 68c, at per yard 50c. Nice line of heavy Skirting and new style Dress Goods. Yard-wide Dark Percales, 10c kind, at 7c yard. 5000 yards best yard-wide Sheeting at 5c yard.

- CLOTHING, SHOES, ETC. Men's Suits from \$2.98 to \$18 kind at per Suit \$12.50. Men's all-wool, 14-oz. Clay Worsted Suits, \$7.50 values, at per Suit \$5.00. Tailor-made Suits at \$10.00 to \$12.50. See our line of Ladies' Shoes, bought direct from best factory in United States. Prices \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75. Ladies' \$3.00 Shoes at \$2.50. Men's Fine Shoes at 75c to best made for the price, \$3 to \$3.50. 50 pair Men's Boots, worth \$1.50, at per pair 98c.

THE BEE HIVE. The Busy Store, McCully Building. G. H. BAILES & CO. Phone 65.

HELEN BLAZES!! THIS is the name of the girl that the irate head of the house calls when his wife cooks the FLOUR he bought from some other fellow guaranteed to be as good as—

Dean's Patent. He finds it so sticky he can't eat it; the more he chews it the bigger it wads up in his mouth, and when he carries it back to the man he bought it from, he is told that his wife don't know how to bake good bread. This is enough to make any man mad, and say funny names, but there is no excuse for it. He ought to have sense enough, as his wife told him, to know that there is no Flour "just as good" as DEAN'S PATENT, and he ought to buy it all the time, although he is offered something "just as good" for 25c. a barrel less. The same is true of—

Shoes! Any man who wants to buy a Shoe for wear, should not hesitate to come to us and let us fit him up. We carry the most complete and up-to-date line of Heavy Shoes in upper South Carolina. If you want the BEST for the Least Money, always go to DEAN & RATLIFF, THE STORE THAT'S ALWAYS BUSY.

BUYING THE Christmas Presents EARLY.

MUCH better to shop at your leisure than to be jostled along from one side to another, even though the crowd is a good natured one. Isn't it? Such may be your pleasure if you do your Christmas buying NOW. Then there are many other advantages, too. For instance, Stocks are in better shape than they will be later. Now you can choose from better assortments. More exclusive and individual things now to be had than a week hence. We could go on citing a score of reasons why you should—

Do Your Shopping Now and at Our Store.

No good Child should be neglected at the Christmas Season. There is no reason for any parent feeling that they cannot afford it—to make it a glad time. Christmas Goods are here at such little prices that even the most humble home may share in the Holiday happiness without expending a large amount.

Little Stockings and Big Stockings will be more generously filled this Christmas than ever, and our Holiday Stock affords an opportunity to fill them with the most attractive and useful things at very little cost.

There is not much that you will want that we have not got in great variety. Step right up and get your share of the beautiful Holiday Goods at this Store. A visit here will be as good as a trip to a World's Fair and much more profitable.

Toys, Games, Dolls. We have always had a very large and complete Stock of Toys in former years, but our line of—

Toys. Mechanical Toys, Automobiles, Engines, Ferris Wheels, Friction Boats, Music Boxes, Trombones, Cornets, Games, Chimes, Magic Lanterns, Tool Chests, Printing Presses, Foot Balls, Single Warrior Guns, Wagons, Reins, Drums, Rocking Chairs, Toy Dishes, Black Boards, Tea Sets, Doll Go-Carts, Shoo Fly's, Toy Chairs, Doll Beds, Knife and Fork Sets, Rubber Dolls, Pictures, Blankets, Dolls of all descriptions. Dolls that cry, Dolls that sleep, and Dolls that stay awake all here.

Julius H. Weil & Co.

HOLIDAY OPENING AT THE MAGNET, 5c. and 10c. Store, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, DEC. 4th and 5th.

THE march of time is a quickstep, and humanity must move lively to keep in the procession. Xmas is with us once again, and with it comes that Most Beautiful Custom Of remembering friends. Yuletide approaches too fast, hurrying upon the receding Fall season at a pace which oft leaves a meagre bank account and a gift for each of your numerous acquaintances. How to justify your best wishes and happy returns by a neat, suitable and inexpensive present has been a harrowing problem heretofore. We have worked it for months and have solved it for you. THE BURDEN BECOMETH A PLEASURE.

OUR HOLIDAY LINE

Is ready for your inspection, and we invite you to attend. WE DELIGHT IN THROGS. We believe you want to be with the crowd. You will find it here. "Looking for a friend? Don't hunt further; go to The Magnet!" has become proverbial in the past, and our Popular Store is now the meeting-house of Anderson.

Last week the orders came, "Downward March," and the procession has continued until our shelves and counters are groaning with their heavy weight of—

TOYS AND FANCY ARTICLES,

And quaint Christmas conceits stored on our upper floors. It still keeps moving, and the end is not yet seen, such is the extent of our holiday line. Gifts are wanted. Inexpensive Gifts are more appreciated than valuable Presents, and we have them useful for people in all stages of life, endearing for the love as keep-sakes for the husband, wife and parent, but TOYS—Toys for the children. You can find them all. The list, in fact, is too large for enumeration, but our specialty now is—

TOYS OF ALL KINDS!

Big and little, Tin and Wooden, Iron and Brass, Paper and Board. The assortment is too long to mention, and containing animals and birds unknown in Noa's time. Toys, all descriptions, clever and pretty, bright and plain, useful and ornamental, but all entertaining and interesting at The Magnet. Something for everybody at The Magnet. Gifts for all ages, all families, all needs. Prices to accommodate your means.

Holiday Opening at the Magnet Thursday and Friday, Dec. 4th and 5th 1902. Kind, numerous; the names, too many; assortment, too large to mention; but you get what you want at The Magnet.

Let the LITTLE ONES have their day. Put mature deliberation aside and join the merry throng. Bring them with you, and roam where you will, but all enjoy yourselves to your heart's content, as therein is true pleasure, and it makes us happy in seeing you delighted.

Don't procrastinate. Remember, we've kept the mills running for months, and have ordered heavily, but waiting will be in vain. Get in line and see what you want while the line is young, and the waning light of 1902 will flicker all too quickly.

THE MAGNET, 5c. and 10c. Store—High Price Breakers and Low Price Makers. Down next to the Post Office.