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Small manufacturing industries help a community more than anything else. Anderson needs more of this kind.

John Temple Graves insists that no "free and fearless forecast of the Democratic future" can omit William H. Hearst from Democratic possibilities.

A recent issue of the Congressional Record contains a list of trusts compiled by the government. There are over 800 of them, with a capitalization of \$14,000,000,000.

No European power desires a war with the United States, not because of the size of the latter's navy, but because of the size of the American grainery which feeds half of Europe.

The Atlanta Journal says that Senator Tillman's suggestion of Booker Washington as a cabinet officer has also started a new train of thought in regard to Roosevelt's running mate in 1904.

All of our business men are in favor of organizing a Board of Trade or Chamber of Commerce, and it should be organized at once, as it is badly needed. Who will take the lead in the matter?

The 57th Congress ended its existence last Wednesday by limitation. The total appropriations by the Congress foot up nearly two billion dollars, which proves that the Republicans cannot bear to see a full treasury.

"Obey" is to be ruled out of the marriage ceremony. It is considered to be no longer necessary as women do as they please and the law has become so merciful that any disobedience is not looked upon as a breach of the vow.

They tell us that in shooting ducks Grover Cleveland vividly suggests his phenomenal capturing of presidential terms. He never fails to bring down two out of three. There are those who believe that, if put to the test, he could wing the third bird.

In looking over the Republican newspapers of prominence and standing it is evident that the Roosevelt administration is not in the highest favor, and the indications are that it is not going to be as unanimous as some would like.

The people of the entire South will be glad to know that the illness of General John B. Gordon is not as serious as at first thought. It is probable that no Confederate veteran living holds the esteem of his comrades more universally than does General Gordon.

It now looks as if the Spanish war veterans will be as expensive to Uncle Sam as are his pets of the Civil war. A movement is assuming shape to pay the veterans of the Spanish war for services they never rendered, that is it is proposed to pay them for services before actual enlistment.

The Columbia chamber of commerce has, through its board of directors, taken the first step in the matter of having South-Carolina's resources and industries properly represented at the world's fair at St. Louis next year—a step that will probably be followed by others until all Carolinians, officials and citizens alike, will be acting together in the work.

There will be two special commissions to sit during the year to make reports back to the next Legislature. One has reference to improvements on the State house, and the other has reference to devising a better system of taxation, and ascertaining from what sources more revenue may be obtained. Of these the latter is by far the most important, and all the cost will be money well spent.

The Wisconsin Legislature has adopted a resolution calling a convention to meet in Atlanta to discuss the race issue, and requested the Governors of the various States to send delegates there. Gov. Heyward has declined to appoint delegates to the convention, and we believe he has done the proper thing. He very truly says the convention could be productive of no good and might produce much harm.

The next session of the Legislature should enact a law giving Magistrates more jurisdiction in criminal and civil cases. If this is done it will go a long way toward preventing the crowding of the Court dockets with trivial cases as has been the case at the recent terms of Court here. It would also do away with so many extra terms of Court throughout the State, and be a big saving of Court expenses to the counties.

An exchange thinks President Roosevelt is a success as a promoter of sectionalism. On the contrary, he has done more than anybody else to show that the North and South stand together on the race problem. We deny that Teddy is a success at anything. He is a punctured sham, that deceived many people for a while, and that is all.

The recent unprecedented jump in the price of raw cotton has been of great value to many of the mills of this section, which have been so fortunate as to have made contracts for raw cotton for several months to come at prices on the basis of raw cotton before the rise. A few of the mills only, it appears, have been caught by the advance and even these, it is said, will be able to make money on their yarns, although they are paying 9 1/4 to 9 1/2 cents for their product, which is about 1-2 to 3-4 above prices prevailing a few weeks ago. The general condition of the yarn men is perhaps better today than it has been in several months, or even years for that matter.

### OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

Special Correspondence of Intelligencer.

Washington, D. C., March 7, 1903.

"Sow the wind and reap the whirlwind." That's what the Republicans of the House and Senate of the 57th Congress have done in the closing hours of this Congress. They have ridden the wind shod over the mire and now they are repenting in sack cloth and ashes.

The filibuster in the House and the Senate during the last week of this Congress has been productive of great trouble to those to the people and their pocket-books by the enactment of numerous bills that were stolen pure and simple, but it has been a salutary lesson to the arrogant majority. They have been returned so often to power by the votes of the people in the last ten years that they have come to peccoliarly their own, and that they could do as they pleased and the Democrats would sit down meekly and calmly and let their thumbs as they have been doing too long already because they have been cursed with a simple and colorless leadership. But, the worm will turn at last, and sometimes a man refuses to turn the other cheek and bring smitten on one. You can kick a tramp out doors when he is plumb busted and he will not resent it, but put a twenty dollar bill in his pocket and kick him and he will knock you down. The Democrats have been kicked up lately by the mistakes of the Republicans and the twenty dollar bill of almost assured success in the next campaign, and they have come to the conclusion that it is high time to assert their rights and compel the Republicans to recognize them, and they are doing so with a vengeance that has made the Republicans gasp for breath.

The whole rumpus started when the Republicans committed the greatest outrage that ever was committed in the history of national legislation in this country, that is, when they kicked out the Hon. James J. Butler of the 12th district of Missouri, from his seat in this Congress, twice without rhyme or reason. It was the most indecent and indefensible piece of partisanship ever perpetrated on the face of the earth. Mr. Butler was elected to the 57th Congress, and his seat was contested by a man named Horton, Horton's record was so rotten that the Republicans could not afford to give him the seat, but such was the partisanship that they would not give it to Butler, whose father had been prominent in Democratic circles in the city of St. Louis for years, so they declared the seat vacant, and that no election had occurred. That happened on the 28th of last June. Last fall Mr. Butler ran not only for the vacancy, but for the long term in the next, or 58th, Congress. He was elected to both seats by a majority of over 6,000 votes. The man who contested his seat for the short term, Mr. Wagoner, made his contest on the ground of fraud in the district. There was over 2,500 pages of testimony in the case, on both sides of which the committee on elections read not one page, and submitted nothing to the House. The committee simply called up the case and the partisan majority fired on Mr. Butler on the ex-parte statement of the Republican chairman of the committee that he was elected by fraud. They not only did that, but they did it without a quorum, as demanded by the Constitution of the country.

They had the power and they used that power like a giant. It was simply a case of might, and not the semblance of justice or decency connected therewith. The Democrats committed the outrage and caused the filibuster, not so much in revenge for the indecent partisanship of the Republicans, but, as the Hon. John Sharp Williams, but as the Hon. John Sharp Williams, in one of his brilliant and inspiring speeches, it was to give the Republicans to understand that they could not walk over the minority with hounded shoes on without stepping on something that hurts. Mr. Williams will be the next floor leader of the Democrats, by common consent on the part of the Democrats of the next House, that he is the best-equipped man in the House for the position, and the Republicans will have some hard sedging to walk over him. They may not fear him but they respect him as well, and it will be my pleasure and privilege to give the readers of this paper a pen sketch of this brilliant man in the near future.

This filibuster on the part of the Democrats has saved the people of the country not less than \$20,000,000 in jobs and petty steals that would have gone through the Republican House in the closing hours of the last session. The taxpayers of the country owe the Democrats a debt of gratitude for that if for nothing else.

The Democrats have been madder than they have ever been since the Fifty-first Congress when the Reed rules were forced on them, and they have given the Republicans a gentle foretaste of the future if the Republican majority in the next House attempts to play horse in the same way. The Democratic filibuster in the Senate has been productive of a great good in that it has resulted in the death of the Aldrich financial bill. That bill was designed to give the national banks of the country additional advantages, and in fact to establish a national bank trust, but the action of the Democrats has killed the measure for this Congress. They contended that the ostensible object of the bill, which was to get the money now congested in the national treasury, out into the hands of the people, could be done in another and in a much better way, and that was by reducing the tariff on many articles and stop the flow of the money into the treasury. In other words, instead of having the

money go into the treasury and then sending it back to the people through the medium of the national banks, which would get a profit out of the people, they would reduce taxation and keep the money in the hands of the people in the first instance. This Aldrich bill in connection with the tariff, would have been a veritable nigger's con trap. It would have caught the people coming and going. That, however, is the essence of Republican legislation.

The action of this Republican Congress in refusing to give the new Secretary of Commerce and Labor the amounts asked for in his estimate of what it would cost to run his department, is simply indicative of what we may expect from that department when it engages in the pastime of trust-busting. I already have analyzed what the provisions for publicity in that new department amount to under the most favorable conditions, and now that the Republicans have refused to allow the new Secretary anything with which to run his department, it means that nothing will be done at all. Mr. Cortelyou asked for about a million and a quarter of dollars to run his department, and Congress has given him about \$300,000. This means that they are going to bust trust and investigate trusts on the installment plan only. It means that they passed the law as a bluff as I said they had done, and they intend to do nothing and allow the law under which the new department operates to become a dead letter.

How long, O Lord, how long, will the people be fooled?  
Charles A. Edwards.

### In Memory of John G. Knox.

John G. Knox, one of the most highly esteemed youngmen of Brushy Creek, died at his home on the 25th ult. He had suffered for the past twenty days with typhoid fever, but a skillful physician and ministering hands had no power to stay the disease, and through all his illness he never murmured, but had a Christlike patience that was touching to all who saw him. He submitted himself willingly to his Saviour's will, singing praises unto our Lord, all the while praying for his Sunday School and friends.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. D. W. Hiett, of Sasley. His remains were laid to rest at Mt. Airy Cemetery, attended by a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends.

He had lived a devoted Christian life and exerted a great influence in his Church, and among his young friends. He will be greatly missed by all his loved ones.  
A loving one from them has gone,  
A voice they loved is still,  
A place is vacant in their home,  
Which never can be filled.  
A Friend.

Brushy Creek, March 6.

The postoffice money order department handles about \$300,000,000 a year. The loss by the dishonesty and carelessness of clerks has been only \$251 in the last two years, but this partly explained by the fact that the clerks are made responsible for the money they handle, and any loss is considered theirs.

### FREE TO THE BABIES.

The Eastern Manufacturing Co., of Chicago, will present to every baby, under one year of age, in this county, one solid silver baby spoon with the baby's given name engraved on same. You do not have to pay one cent nor buy anything to get this spoon. The Eastern Manufacturing Co. are large manufacturers and jobbers of jewelry and silverware, and have taken this method of advertising their goods. Instead of spending thousands of dollars for magazine advertising they have decided to give it away direct to consumers.

The undersigned firm has been made distributing agent for this locality. Bring your baby to their store and give its name and age and you will receive one of these beautiful silver spoons all engraved free of cost. This is not a cheap article, but solid silver of elegant design. Don't fail to look over the elegant line of The Eastern Manufacturing Co.'s goods on display at

JOHN S. CAMPBELL,  
Anderson, S. C.  
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### NOTICE.

I WILL be in Anderson to-day or tomorrow with a car load of fine Tennessee Mules, which I will sell at satisfactory prices. Call at my Stables, on Depot street, and see the Mules.  
W. B. MAGRUDE,  
March 11, 1903 38 1

### General Repair Shop.

ALL kinds of Blacksmithing, Wood Work, Painting, Priming, Rubber Tires and Rubber Horse Shoes. All done at short notice, by first-class workmen. We do not claim to be the only first-class workmen in town, but as good as any in the South. Our work shows for itself. Work and Prices guaranteed. Call and see our work and get prices. Bring your Buggies and have them repaired and made as nice and good as new for Spring and summer drives.  
Yours for business,  
J. P. ODD,  
S.—Horse Shoeing a Specialty.  
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### Notice of Final Settlement.

THE undersigned, Administrator of Estate of Mrs. Elizabeth S. Terrie, dec'd, hereby gives notice that he will on Tuesday, 14th day April 1903, apply to the Judge of Probate for Anderson County, S. C., for a Final Settlement of said Estate, and a discharge from his office as Administrator.  
M. M. HUNTER, Admr.  
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### CITATION.

State of South Carolina,  
County of Anderson.  
By R. Y. H. Nance, Judge of Probate.  
Whereas, E. N. Elrod, has applied to me to grant him Letters of Administration on the Estate and effects of J. R. Elrod, deceased,  
I am therefore to cite and admonish all kindred and creditors of the said J. R. Elrod, deceased, to be and appear before me in Court of Probate, to be held at Anderson Court House, on the 23rd day of March, 1903, at 10 o'clock hereof, to show cause, if any, why the said administration should not be granted.  
Given under my hand this 4th day of March, 1903.  
R. Y. H. NANCE, Probate Judge.  
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### CITY LOTS FOR SALE.

SITUATED on and near North Main Street. Five lots, walk Court House, apply to J. F. Clinescale, Intelligencer office.

# Trunks! Trunks!

Prices are advancing is what nearly every merchant is crying. Prices on Trunks and Valises have advanced 10 per cent, but just before the advance we bought a—

## CAR LOAD

OF TRUNKS, TELESCOPES, VALISES, SUIT CASES, ETC.

And saved ten per cent on the purchase, and ten per cent on freight, and we are prepared to save you twenty-five per cent on any purchases you may have to make in this line.

Fine Trunks from 25c. each to \$20.00 kind at \$15.00 each.  
100 nice Zinc Trunks, worth \$1.25, some merchants ask \$1.50, our special price 98c. each.  
Packing Trunks as low as 25c. each and up.  
50 Extra Heavy Canvas Trunks, cheap at \$3.00, our price \$1.98 each.  
50 Suit Cases, regular price \$1.50, ours 98c. each.  
We are showing Trunks at \$4.00 and \$5.00 that are the equals of most \$7.50 Trunks.

If you don't think we are naming facts, look up-stairs in our Trunk Department and see if every word of this advertisement is not true.

## REMEMBER!

If you wear good SHOES and wish to save money on them, we can fit you from 75c. to \$4.00 pair kind at \$3.50.

Our Buyer has left for the Northern and Eastern markets, and dollars and dimes will almost do double duty in converting any Goods we have on hand into cash.

## THE BEE HIVE.

Cheapest Store in Town.

### G. H. BAILES & CO.

Special attention to mail orders.  
Come or write for Samples of anything you need.

# ARE YOU GETTING THE WORTH OF— YOUR MONEY?

THE people of Anderson County are, as a rule, a most practicable and sensible people. They consider it the part of wisdom to investigate well, not only the quantity but the quality, of the values they receive in exchange for their hard-earned money. They have learned that it is poor business policy to buy inferior Goods, even though the price is cheap. Their experience teaches them that so-called Cheap Goods are in the long run extravagantly expensive.

This, in a measure, accounts for the gratifying growth of our business. They appreciate our efforts to give a hundred cents worth of value for every dollar, and we renew to them now our pledge that so long as they desire the best Goods at honest prices, we shall exert ourselves to the utmost to give them values commensurate with their money.

Under this agreement we offer from our large and well-selected Stock of Plantation Supplies the best values we have ever shown in—

Genuine New Orleans Molasses,  
Genuine Maine Bliss Irish Potatoes,  
New York State Rose and Peerless Potatoes.  
(No cheap grocery-house stock.)  
Flour of every grade,  
(And each Sack guaranteed not to be sticky.)  
Heavy and Fine Grades of Shoes,  
Hats, Pants, Overalls,  
Shirts and Dry Goods,  
Of every description.

It is our honest desire to please, and if Good Goods and fair treatment are pleasing to the tastes of the people, our trade will continue to grow in the future as in the past.

## DEAN & RATLIFF,

The Store of Quality and Dispensary of Value.

# Julius H. Weil & Co.

## The Greatest SALE Ever Inaugurated

Bargain Surprises in Every Department. Hundreds of Specials at Half and Less.

IT will be a stirring, energetic occasion, such as none but the young, forceful, growing concern could conduct. The offerings will stand out with diamond-like brilliancy. The Sale will dumfound competition and astound even the most experienced retail buyers.

It would be like wasting money to miss such a magnificent opportunity. New Albatros, all wool, regular price 50c, now 39c.  
500 yards printed India Silk, in all the most stylish colorings, 29c.  
Cotton Organdy; only one case of these; they come in white ground, 40 inches wide. Don't miss this grand chance. Limit, 10 yds. to a customer.  
Women's \$2.00 Shoes for \$1.35. Kid skin, lace, spring heel or heel, new and fresh from factory.  
Men's new up-to-date Shoes, Flornheim's best \$4.00 goods, now goes for this week at \$2.98.  
Three hundred Shirts for men, Madras and full made, very pretty, fancy printed, 45c.  
HOUSE-KEEPER'S LINEN: 60-inch white Table Damask 19c. Special lot Toweling 4c.  
1,000 white and black Mackanaw Sailors, trimmed with black silk braid, wholesale price is 75c, our price only 20c. Only one to a customer.  
200 hundred pieces all-silk plain or watered Ribbon, cost to import 20c a yard, they are four and five inches wide, Weil's price this week 10c.  
There will be a Special Sale at Julius H. Weil & Co.'s for this week. Three hundred pairs Men's Fine All Wool Custom-made Trousers, worth every cent of \$3.50, take your choice for \$2.00. See our large display window.  
Lonsdale Cambric, needs no comment, 8c.  
Percales, 36 inches, best quality, 7c.  
Boys' Ready-made Blouse Waists 19c.  
Ladies' Spring weight cotton long sleeves Undervests, bleached, 12c.

Visit this Store at all times. It means dollars to you.

Respectfully,  
**JULIUS H. WEIL & CO.**

# FARMING TOOLS!

NOTHING is more gratifying to an up-to-date Farmer than to have a well-equipped outfit to begin his Spring work, and this he is sure to get when he does his trading with us. We can sell you—

PLOWS,  
PLOW STOCKS,  
SINGLE TREES,  
HEEL BOLTS,  
CLEVICES,  
HAMERS,  
TRACES,  
COLLARS,  
COLLAR PADS,  
BACK BANDS,  
PLOW LINES,  
BRIDLES.

And everything necessary to begin plowing, except the Mule, and we can "right" you to a Mule trade.

We still have a few Syracuse Turn Plows that we are closing out at a very low price, and can furnish you with the Trazing Wing.  
Come in and let us show you our 7-foot Perfection Trace Chain at 50c pair. Nothing in the Trace line compares with this Chain.  
Don't you need a hog pasture? We have the Wire Fence for you.

## BROCK HARDWARE COMPANY.

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THE VEGETABLE FAT SUPERIOR IN QUALITY AND PURITY TO ALL OTHERS

LOOKS LIKE LARD  
PRODUCES PERFECT PASTRY

SAVANNAH GA. SOUTHERN COTTON OIL CO. THE CAROLINAS AND GEORGIA