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Local News.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 1904.

THE COTTON MARKET.

Good Middling—15½.
Strict Middling—15¼.
Middling—15.

Mr. W. A. Breazeale, of Charleston, is in the city.

Mrs. S. N. Gilmer is visiting relatives in Charleston.

Miss Iva Cook has gone to Woodruff to visit relatives.

Miss Clara Osborne is visiting relatives in Newberry.

Miss Zula Brock spent Sunday with her parents at Due West.

Col. J. N. Brown has returned from an extended trip to Florida.

Mr. C. F. Jones has returned from a trip to the Northern markets.

The Farmers' Institute meets next Wednesday in the Court House.

Feaster Tribble has gone to Birmingham, Ala., on a business trip.

Misses Annie Brown and Mattie Davis spent Saturday and Sunday in Iva.

The farmers continue to haul fertilizers away from town in large quantities.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jolly left Monday for Union County to visit relatives.

W. B. Magruder went to Atlanta last Monday to buy a car load of horses and mules.

Don't grumble about the cold weather yet. There are a number of warm days ahead.

Louis H. Carey, of Seneca, has been spending a few days in Anderson buying cotton.

Nearly every other person you meet now is a victim of the la grippe or a severe cold.

Prof. A. G. Homes, principal of the Belton High School, was in the city Saturday.

Street Overseer Jackson has planted a number of shade trees on the Court House Square.

Sidney Adams, agent of the Blue Ridge railroad at Walhalla, spent Sunday in the city.

C. S. Little, of Hart County, Ga., was in Anderson last Friday and gave us a pleasant call.

The Court of Common Pleas for Oconee County convenes at Walhalla next Monday, 14th inst.

Rev. Jno. C. Law, of Walhalla, filled the pulpit of the Central Presbyterian Church Sunday night.

Our correspondents are requested to send in their news letters on Mondays or early Tuesday mornings.

Dr. J. B. Britt, of Troy, Abbeville County, is visiting the family of J. Belton Watson near the city.

March has two full moons. One made its appearance on the 1st and the other to show up on the 31st.

Miss Annie Prevost, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Bellinger, in Mississippi, has returned home.

The contract for the erection of the new Graded School has been let to Grandy & Jordan of Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Stewman, returned to their home at Lancaster after a visit to the family of W. S. Lee.

Rev. H. R. Murchison has been confined to his bed for some time with an attack of grip, but is improving now.

Flour, bacon and lard are advancing in price. The all cotton men will pay 12 to 15 cents for bacon if it keeps going up.

Last Saturday 128 bales of cotton were marketed in this city. The price has been on the up-grade for several days.

John R. Smith has let the contract to J. E. Barton for the erection of a handsome cottage near the home of W. R. Osborne.

H. A. Wiles has been appointed deputy agent at Honea Path to succeed A. S. Cooper, who disappeared a few weeks ago.

Cadet Rucker Taylor returned to Clemson College last Monday after spending several days in the city with home folks.

Last Saturday President Roosevelt sent to the Senate the nomination of Lawrence O. Harper as postmaster at Honea Path.

Mrs. J. W. Holleman, of Walhalla, has been spending a few days in Anderson visiting her sons, S. T. and Lee G. Holleman.

The new subscribers have made a fine start for the new year. Let them continue to come! We want one thousand new ones.

According to the government weather bureau the winter now passing is the coldest this country has experienced in thirty-two years.

W. L. Brisey will in a few days begin the erection of a substantial two-story dwelling-house for Prue Fant, near Silver Brook cemetery.

Our young friend, Hal Pluckney, formerly of this city, who has been living in Savannah, Ga., the past year, is in Anderson visiting relatives.

Mrs. Burt Mitchell, of Westminster, has been spending a few days in the city visiting her sisters, Mrs. C. S. Sullivan and Mrs. W. H. Frierson.

The Adjutant and Inspector General will inspect the Anderson Rifles in this city on Friday, 25th inst., and the Smyth Rifles at Pelzer on the day following.

Married, on Wednesday, March 3, 1904, by Rev. N. G. Wright and at his residence, Mr. Jas. A. Shirley and Miss Emma Kay, both of Anderson County.

Miss Mattie Smith, a charming and accomplished young lady of Anderson County, is visiting her cousin, Miss Gertrude Smith, of Walhalla.—Keowee Courier.

From the number of names being mentioned as candidates for the various county offices, the political campaign in this county this year will be a lively one.

Married, on Wednesday afternoon, March 2nd, at the residence of the bride's father, in Martin Township, Luther P. Sullivan and Miss Emma Friester. Rev. W. W. Leathers officiating.

Married, by J. P. Anderson, Magistrate, at his residence, on Thursday, March 3, 1904, Mr. R. Williamson and Miss B. Cullens, both of Rock Mills Township.

Now that the yellow dog has been collared, so to speak, who is going to see that it is placed on the dog's books. His name is legion and his neighbors should not overlook him.

The name of that enterprising mercantile firm, the Horn-Bass Company of this city, has been changed to the Morrow-Bass Company, and will continue business at the same old stand.

Invitations have been received here to the marriage of Miss Daisy Barr, formerly of this city, to Mr. Alvin George LeVarett, on Wednesday morning, March 10th, at Sampson, Florida.

Samuel E. Moore has just erected a neat storeroom at the corner of Greenville and North Fant streets, near the residence of W. C. Bailey, and will conduct a mercantile business up there.

Rev. W. R. Richardson, D. D., editor of the Southern Christian Advocate, Spartanburg, S., spent a day or two in the city last week, visiting his brother, and while here gave us a pleasant call.

J. B. McAdams, who has been a member of the State constabulary for the past year, has resigned to accept the position of United States deputy marshal for this section, a position he formerly held.

There will be preaching in the Presbyterian Church at Deans next Sunday, 13th inst., at the usual hour by the regular pastor. The friends of the congregation are cordially invited to attend the services.

The Republicans of the Third Congressional District met at Greenwood last week and elected E. F. Cochran, Esq., of this city, and Joe Tolbert, of Abbeville, delegates to the National Republican Convention.

Baily Austin, one of Williamston's clever boys, is now a salesman in the store of Lesser & Co., Anderson. Lesser & Co. is one of the best firms of that city, and we hope Baily will do well.—Williamston News.

Sarge Plunkett in the Atlanta Constitution says that ice upon the trees in February means a good crop year, and this was a comforting reflection to him of the late bad spell. Every one will hope that he is a true prophet.

The law against slot machines in this State has gone into effect. The machines excepted from the provisions of the law are those which give certain and fair return for each coin and in which there is no element of chance.

The public schools of Williamston school district, No. 8, will close on Friday, 25th inst. At 2 o'clock that afternoon the trustees will meet at Welcome school to sign claims and transact any other business that may need their attention.

If any one doubts that a large crop of cotton will be planted this spring let him ride through the country and look at clearing old hedge rows, ditches, fence corners, etc. There are many places where bushes and briars will give place to cotton.

The barn of H. C. Routh, in Fork Township, was burned on Thursday, the fire having been started from an engine which was being used near by. A quantity of corn and fodder was destroyed. The loss is about \$800, which is partly covered by insurance.

C. P. Davis, of Belton Township, who has been spending several months in the Indian Territory visiting his daughter, returned home last Saturday. He expresses himself as being well pleased with that country, and contemplates moving out there next fall.

The Barnwell Bar on Monday petitioned Chief Justice Pope for an extra term of the Court of Common Pleas, to commence on the 4th Monday in April and continue four weeks if necessary, with Hon. George E. Prince, of Anderson, as Special Judge.—Barnwell People.

The bill in regard to the management and keeping of public ferries in this State is now a law. The passengers traveling in the county after dark or those wanting a doctor at night can cross the ferries without being put to any inconvenience by not being able to cross as heretofore.

R. Y. Cox, who is employed at the Orr mills, was painfully injured last Friday by being caught in the belting of a machinery. He has a narrow escape from death. Dr. J. M. Richardson was called in to dress the wound about his head, and the young man is now doing very well.

Col. Joseph N. Brown returned home last Friday evening after a five weeks tour, with his family, to the East coast of Florida. They came via Atlanta, where after a short stay Mrs. Brown and Miss Yarn went to Anderson to visit relatives and are expected to return the last of this week.

The morning train on the Blue Ridge road collided with a horse and wagon at the Riverside station Friday. The horse was killed and the wagon demolished. The team was the property of the mill store, and while the driver was in the store the horse, which had been left unattended, wandered upon the track.

The infant son of J. G. Wilson died at the home of his parents in the Craytonville section on Saturday, February 27th, after a week's illness with pneumonia. On the day following the remains were interred at Barker's Creek Church, Rev. N. G. Wright conducting the funeral services.

B. F. Whittaker, an energetic young farmer, who now owns a part of the old Melton plantation, in Garvin Township, cut down a mammoth pine tree a few days ago. For a height of about forty feet it measured eleven feet and nine inches in circumference, and is no doubt one of the oldest trees in his section. He will cut it into shingles.

Morday was Salesday, and a large crowd was in the city. Some real estate and considerable personal property was sold. A lot in Williamston, belonging to the estate of the late W. L. Prince, was sold to H. Dagnary, Esq., as attorney, for \$437.50. Five lots on River and Morris streets were sold on behalf of A. E. Browne and W. F. McLees at good prices.

The amount of insurance on the recently burned graded school building, \$10,000, has been promptly paid by the Queen Insurance Company in which the policy was held. The architect, Avery Carter, of Columbia, estimated the salvage to be worth about \$4,000, and he says that a new building exactly like the old one can be erected with the insurance money without additional cost, exclusive of the cost of shingles. The contractors, Granby & Jordan, have agreed to replace the building for the amount of the insurance, and to cover the cost of heating apparatus, desks, swards, etc. The City Council, at its meeting on Saturday night, made an appropriation of \$2,000. The value of the burned building was \$17,334.64.

C. C. Featherston, Esq., is announced as a candidate for the House of Representatives from Laurens County. Mr. Featherston, who is an old Anderson boy, is now one of the adopted and prominent lawyers of his adopted home, Laurens, and his many friends here would be more than pleased to see him honored with a seat in the Legislature, for they know he would make a faithful and zealous member.

The Donalds correspondent of the Greenwood News and Views, under date of the 1st inst., says: "W. K. Stringer, of Donalds, was in town last week. Mr. Stringer seems almost like one of us now, he having so many interests in Donalds. He will erect a large store here this spring and will doubtless be interested in other enterprises which will go up here. He will be the president of the cotton warehouse."

An invitation has been extended to the Clemson College authorities by the City Council and the Chamber of Commerce to have the student body come to Anderson and hold an encampment before the close of the session. The proposition has been received with favor by President Meek, but it will have to be acted upon by the Board of Trustees before the matter can be finally determined. It is to be sincerely hoped that the cadets may be given this splendid outing.

The new board of registration took charge yesterday, and a large number of certificates were issued. A striking fact of the meeting was the application of nearly two hundred negroes to be registered. With a few exceptions they were turned down, as only a very small number could comply with the requirements of the State constitution. It seems, from appearances at least, that these negroes were acting under instructions from their party bosses.

A. C. Stoll died at his home in DeKalb County, Ala., on Saturday, February 20th, after an illness of only a few days with pneumonia. His wife died a few days before he did with a gripple. They leave four daughters to cherish their memory. Mr. Stoll was about 60 years of age, was born and reared in Anderson County, and has many friends here who will regret to hear of his death. He served through the civil war, and was a devoted member of the Baptist Church and of the Masonic fraternity.

The Spartanburg Journal of the 5th inst. says: "Yesterday afternoon about six o'clock a horse attached to a light buggy with Percy Hodson and J. D. Maxwell, Jr., of the Electric Railway Co., driving, took flight near Oakland Avenue and made a wild dash down Main street through the square and to the First National Bank corner, where it lost its footing and fell. Mr. Hodson and Mr. Maxwell were thrown from the buggy but sustained only slight injuries. The horse, however, broke its leg and was afterwards killed by Dr. Gardner."

Eugene Mitchell, eldest son of C. E. O. Mitchell, returned home yesterday, after spending several days with relatives in Westminster. Mr. Mitchell was accompanied by his pretty wife, who was Miss Sallie Cobb, of Anderson. She is a daughter of Matthew Cobb. She and Mr. Mitchell were married on December 30, 1903. While in this vicinity they were the guests of honor at a number of big dinners among relatives and acquaintances. Mr. Mitchell is one of Anderson's progressive citizens.—Westminster correspondence of the Keowee Courier.

Mrs. Wade C. Humphreys died at her home in Summerville, S. C., last Sunday afternoon, and her remains were interred yesterday afternoon in Magnolia cemetery in Charleston. She had been in feeble health for a long time. Mrs. Humphreys was a daughter of Wm. J. McCormack, of Charleston, and about four years ago married Mr. Humphreys, the second son of Mrs. W. W. Humphreys of this city. The deceased had frequently visited Anderson and has many friends here who deeply sympathize with the sorely bereaved husband and little son who are left to cherish her memory.

James S. Latimer died at his home in Greenville on the 1st inst., after an illness of about ten days with the grip, aged 61 years. Mr. Latimer was born in a remote section of Anderson County, near Honea Path, and was well known in that section. He was a quiet, unobtrusive man, and highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends. He married a Miss Penny, of Piedmont, who, with three children, survive him. On the day following his death his remains were carried to Honea Path and interred in the Broadmouth Churchyard, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. W. J. Langston, D. D., of Greenville.

Lieut. R. D. Henderson, of the Palmetto Rifles, has been named by Adjutant General Frost and Gov. Heywood as one of the three militia officers to whom the war department at Washington has given the privilege of taking courses in the art of war at the government's expense. The young officers assigned will enjoy the same privileges as army officers, receiving mileage, quarters, and commutation of rations, and also pay at the rate of one dollar a day. Lieut. Henderson will probably go to Fort Leavenworth, near Kansas City, during the summer. He is one of the most efficient men in the State militia, and no better selection could have been made.

The Greenville News of the 4th inst. says: "Miss Nellie Deal and Malcolm Burris were married yesterday afternoon. The ceremony took place at the residence of J. P. Moran in this city, and was performed by the Rev. Thomas G. Herbe, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist Church. Mrs. Burris is a daughter of J. S. Deal of this city, but she has been living in Anderson for some time. Mr. Burris is well known in Anderson and holds a position in the service of the Federal government. The wedding was a complete surprise to the relatives of the bride here, and entirely unexpected. Mr. and Mrs. Burris are now visiting Mr. Moran and they will remain in Greenville for several days. The happy couple are now at their home in this city. We join their many friends in extending congratulations, and wish them a happy and prosperous pilgrimage through life."

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