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It is explained that as the gentlemen who are conducting the count in Kentucky were felt obliged to keep one hand in their hip pocket, the count has been necessarily slow.

Admiral Dewey need not fear that his friends are growing smaller in number. Americans are a jealous people and quick to resent the reluctance of even a hero to take them into his confidence.

A pension of adequate amount for the widow of brave Captain Gridley seems the least that Congress can do in order to show appreciation for the gallant officer who was Dewey's flagship's commander.

The New York Tribune has succeeded in convincing itself that the Ohio election was a severe rebuke to Hanna. Apparently the editor of the paper founded by Horace Greeley has not yet recovered from his disappointment in not being named as ambassador to Great Britain.

The War and Navy Departments are at odds over the removal of the wreck of the Maine from the harbor of Havana. Secretary Long declares that it is a work for the Engineering Corps of the Army, and General Brooke asserts that the removal comes under the head of naval work, since the wreck is a serious menace to navigation in the harbor.

Congress is now in session, and the country may look for such legislation as will place the Republican party in an advantageous position in the coming election. Three hundred and fifty-two members answered to the roll call at the opening last Monday, and General David B. Henderson of Iowa was elected speaker.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies.

Good Roads. Yes, by all means lets push the public road question. Mr. Lanham in my opinion has broached the most important question that can occupy our attention now. We need them sadly.

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islative candidates of today can't do it. The best way to get taxes reduced is to make our property more productive, make us bigger returns, and in this way be able to pay high taxes.

Take the oldest public roads in the county and we find them laid out with some system. They either run to the county seat or to Charleston. One reason why the Summer-ton section has no direct road to Manning is that all the old roads run to Sumter or in that direction, having been made before the division of Sumter district, and before Manning was a county seat.

Yours truly, FARMER. Prevented a Tragedy. Timely information given Mrs. George Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives.

A SURE CURE FOR CROUP. Twenty-five Years' Constant Use Without a Failure. The first indication of croup is hoarseness, and in a child subject to that disease it may be taken as a sure sign of the approach of an attack.

No girl objects to life imprisonment as long as she is confined by well-lock. A Remarkable Case. Antioch, Miss., July 1, 1898. I want to thank you for the great benefit I have received from your wonderful remedy, Benedicta.

Story of a Slave. To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams of Manchester, N. H., tells how such a slave was made free.

The young man with a slender salary should always marry a girl with a small waist. CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

A Woman's Letter. Coolidge, Ky., Aug. 20, 1898. New Spencer Medicine Co.: Since writing you in July, I have continued to use Benedicta and am surprised at the results.

Planters CUBAN OIL cures Cuts, Burns, Bruises, Rheumatism and Sores. Price, 25 cents. Sold by R. B. Loryea.

Never judge a man by the wheel he rides. It may be a borrowed one. As a cure for rheumatism Chamberlain's Pain Balm is gaining a wide reputation.

There is no law to prohibit fighting in the State of Matrimony. CASTORIA The Kind You Have Always Bought.

It is better to trot alone than to be doubled up on four dollars a week. Bismarck's Iron Nerve. Was the result of his splendid health.

It is more embarrassing for a girl to puncture her bloomers than her tire. To settle the stomach and overcome the nausea of prospective mothers, take Simmons' Squaw Vine Wine or Tablets.

The devil probably told Eve that apples were good for the complexion. It takes but a minute to overcome tickling in the throat and to stop a cough by the use of One Minute Cough Cure.

It is usually hard to gather a woman's meaning from her words. Simmons' Squaw Vine Wine or Tablets prevent and cure palpitation of heart, dizziness, sick headache, chills, nervousness.

An old maid is always a man hater—until one of them proposes to her. Keep Quiet and use Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhea remedy for all pains of the stomach and all unnatural looseness of the bowels.

A man's love has been known to last until his wife's wedding clothes were worn out. I was nearly dead with dyspepsia, tried doctors, visited mineral springs and grew worse.

Chamberlain's cough remedy has saved the lives of thousands of croupy children. It is also without an equal for colds and whooping cough.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, County of Clarendon. COURT OF COMMON PLEAS. Susan Hall, Plaintiff, against Francis P. Cooper and Robert M. Cooper, Defendants.

Judgment for Foreclosure and Sale. UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF A Judgment Order of the Court of Common Pleas, in the above stated action, to me directed, bearing date October 20, 1897, I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at Clarendon Court House, at Manning, in said county, within the legal hours for judicial sales, on Monday, the 1st day of January, 1900, being salesday, the following described real estate:

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, County of Clarendon. COURT OF COMMON PLEAS. Ella Y. Butler, in her own right and as Trustee, Plaintiff, against Hedges Spencer Butler, Marion Moore and William Morgan Butler, Defendants.

Decree for Sale. UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF A Judgment Order of the Court of Common Pleas, in the above stated action, to me directed, bearing date of December 1, 1899, I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at a price not less than three hundred and fifty dollars, at Clarendon Court House, at Manning, in said county, within the legal hours for judicial sales, on Monday, the 1st day of January, 1900, being salesday, the following described real estate:

NOTICE OF SALE Under Chattel Mortgage. WHEREAS ARCHIE I. BARRON, by his Chattel Mortgage bearing date the 23rd day of December, 1898, executed to W. B. Wilson to secure the payment of six hundred dollars advanced to said Archie I. Barron by the said W. B. Wilson, the said indebtedness being evidenced by the sealed note of the former to the latter, bearing even date with said chattel mortgage and payable on the first day of November, A. D. 1899 with interest thereon from date at the rate of eight per cent per annum, granted bargained and sold unto the said W. B. Wilson:

Whereas default has been made in the payment of the said indebtedness and whereby the lien of the said chattel mortgage has been broken. Now, therefore, I, the said W. B. Wilson, mortgagee aforesaid, will, in person or by agent, on the 7th day of December, A. D. 1899, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the said store, in Pinewood, S. C., offer for sale and sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, all the chattels herebefore mentioned and referred to, in such lots or parcels as may appear best calculated to realize the highest price therefor.

A Good Clothing Store. Is where you get the right sort of clothes without danger of mistake. Our clothes are of the right sort, and you will appreciate their excellence and smallness of cost.

We Make Clothes to Order for those who prefer them. Lasting Materials, proper fit and make and moderate prices. Your orders will have our best attention.

J. L. DAVID & BRO S. W. Cor. King and Wentworth Sts., CHARLESTON, S. C. NOTICE. A persons are hereby forbidden to hunt birds on the lands known as Harper's in this county also all persons are forbidden to fish in the lake or its tributaries on the Harper place in said county and all persons trespassing will be dealt with according to the criminal laws of South Carolina.

Bring your Job Work to The Times office.

Santa Claus' Headquarters. C. W. KENDALL The Racket Man, IS OPEN AGAIN.

We always originate, while others only imitate, and we have each year sold more Holiday Goods than any other house in the country. In fact in our long business career we have made a reputation in all lines of goods, selling dependable goods at let live prices that we can boast over and which we must maintain in the future as in the past.

So, with that high mission in view, we will begin Monday our annual showing of Xmas Presents, such as will delight the child, the parent, the grand-parent, and, best of all, to suit and please the pocketbook, which some consider the most tender spot of mankind.

While Xmas goods and presents will receive our best attention for the next three weeks, still we have a big line of Ladies' Dress Goods, Silks, Notions, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Shoes and lots of other things not mentioned that we will sell at prices to move them, owing to the fact that on Dec. 26 we will begin our annual stock-taking and certainly want just as few goods as possible to list, so now is your opportunity.

OLD RELIABLE S. A. Rigby P. S.—Xmas Groceries too.

Cotton is Fluctuating Goods Are Cheap. I Will Sell and Do Not Propose to Carry Over Any Fall Goods.

With such a condition of affairs, the business man is put to his trumps to study out the most effectual way of meeting the people and sharing their burdens, to remedy the bad effects caused by any turn in affairs which operate adversely to the people.

D. J. CHANDLER THE CLOTHIER, SUMTER, S. C. Is now opening his fall and winter stock of Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing, Hats and Furnishing Goods.

The stock is larger and the prices as low or lower than heretofore. In Men's Suits from \$3 to \$20 Youth's Suits from \$4.50 to \$15 And Boys' Knee Suits, most of them with Double Seats and Knees, from \$1 to \$6.

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We have a general line of goods Ladies' Capes and Jackets, Dress Goods, Notions, Shoes, Gent's Furnishing Goods and everything that is kept in a first class store.

We expected to get in the store formerly occupied by Louis Levi, but after we got the goods we were disappointed in the store. We determined not to be outdone, so we have decided to let them come and open in the place next to the postoffice in The Manning Times block.

Friends, we have the goods and the prices will talk for themselves. Come and see us. We have enough Christmas Goods to fill the store, but we are going to pack everything in here and sell them out by February, 1900, then we will be in our new quarters.

Friends, come to see us and we will treat you right. We have the goods to sell, not to look at and we are going to sell them cheaper than ever.

We call special attention to the Christmas Goods. We have a nice line and we are going to sell them cheaper than ever, as we haven't room to show them as they should be.

Again, come and see me.

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