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Plant Wheat.

We trust that our farmers will spare no efforts to put in a full crop of wheat this winter, if for no other reason *that they may obtain pure flour*. The following is from Senator Mason, of Illinois, who is chairman of the U. S. investigation committee on manufactures and shows to what an alarming extent adulteration of flour is carried:

"The amount of adulteration carried on in this country is simply appalling. It was shown before the committee that the flour of the country has been adulterated with flourine, or corn flour, and that thousands of tons of white earth have been used by dishonest millers. I introduced a bill which compels all makers of adulterated flour to get a government license and stamp their product with government stamps. Since the passage of that bill over twelve thousands barrels of flour have been confiscated. But a more important result is that it has increased the reputation of our flour abroad, with a consequent increase of exports of 5,000,000 barrels.

We have had considerable trouble in getting witnesses. In many cases the owners of plants where adulterating material are turned out have begged us not to put them on the stand, saying: "If you force me to tell you to whom I sell my stuff it will ruin me, as my customers will never buy of me again" Others have skipped out of town and avoided us.

On the other hand, business men have come to us, as the honest millers did, and said they would be glad to stop adulterating food, provided rival concerns in the same business were compelled to do the same."

All through the course of the Philippine muddle President McKinley has been careful to keep the country in the dark as much as possible. What were his instructions to General Otis? What directions did he give the Philippine Commission? What were the concessions asked by Aguinaldo before fighting began, and what terms did our army officers offer? What is the arrangement with the Sultan of Sulu? What were the contents of the dispatch sent by Admiral Dewey last December? All have been suppressed. Could an Emperor have kept more from the people than President McKinley has done?—Barnwell Sentinel.

Dewey is given to surprises. He surprised the Spanish one morning and captured Manila, then he surprised the Americans and captured New York, and now he has surprised the world by being captured by a charming society widow of the national capital. We will now conclude, as the fairy stories do, by drawing the curtain and saying that they lived happily ever after. If he keeps out of politics he may live on forever.—Florence Times.

The glass industry has had 100 per cent tariff protection longer than any other industry, yet we now pay more per box for window glass than our fathers paid in 1860. The industry is in the hands of trusts, which make more money from working the people than by working their mills.

Now there is a great lime trust being formed and it is announced that all of the lime concerns in the South, except those in Texas, have been gobbled up. They say the object is not to raise the price of lime but to cheapen it. Just so. That is thoughtful and kind. Rah! for the lime trust!—Gaffney Ledger.

He that can heroically endure adversity will bear prosperity with equal greatness of soul; for the mind that cannot be dejected by the former is not likely to be transported by the latter.—Fielding.

The old Greeks said that a man had two ears and one mouth, that he might hear twice and speak once.

Dispensary Row.

As a result of the recent dispensary publications a difficulty occurred at Sellers on Tuesday afternoon last in which Messrs. J. D. Haselden, L. M. Haselden and Dr. H. A. Edwards were shot. The extent of the wounds have not been ascertained though none of them have yet proved fatal.

The heaviest words in our language are the two briefest ones. Yes and no. One stands for the surrender of the will, the other for denial; one for gratification, the other for character.—Ex.

1,000 lbs Fancy Cream Cheese. Don't buy 'till you get my price.
Singleton's Bakery.

Place you orders for fine Norfolk fish at the Palace Restaurant.

The Atlanta Constitution and The Camden Chronicle one year for only $2.00.

5 pound b'k'ts Jelly only 25cts.
Singleton's.

Stoves and Heaters at Geisenheimer's.

Place your orders for fine Norfolk fish at the Palace Restaurant.

Mattings of all descriptions at Geisenheimer's.

Ladies can get oysters and lunches at the Palace Restaurant.

Fine assortment of mattings just arrived at Geisenheimer's.

Lunch at all hours at the Palace Restaurant.

Center tables at Geisenheimer's.

Norfolk Oysters every day at the Palace Restaurant.

Lunch at all hours at the Palace Restaurant.

Handsome Pictures cheap at Geisenheimer's.

Norfolk Oysters every day at the Palace Restaurant.

Sheriff's Sale.

South Carolina, Kershaw County } Court of Common Pleas.

R. E. Young, et. al., vs. Dud R. Player, et. al. } Decree.

Under and by virtue of the above stated decree, I will sell in front of the Court House, in Camden, S. C., on the first Monday in December, 1899, the following described real estate:

All that piece, parcel or tract of land, situated in said County and State, lying on the Western side of Wateree River, containing one hundred (100) acres more or less, West of the Ann Bowen Road, and bounded on the North by lands of the late John Bowen down to the fork of branch, thence across the branch to lands of Mrs. Margaret Kirkland, South by lands of J. D. Kennedy, East by lands of Mrs. Nancy J. Motley and lands of Mrs. Fannie Welsh, and lands devised by said John Bowen to his daughter Ellen, West by lands of the late John Bowen.

Terms of Sale: One-third cash; balance in two equal annual instalments with interest from day of sale, to be secured by bond of purchaser, and mortgage of lands sold.

R. B. WILLIAMS, S. K. C.

Nov. 9th '99.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

South Carolina—Kershaw County.
In the Court of Common Pleas.

R. E. Young, et. al., vs. R. R. Player, et. al. } Decree.

Under and by virtue of the above stated decree, I will sell in front of the Court House, in Camden, S. C., on the first Monday in December, 1899, the following described real estate:

All those pieces, parcels or tracts of land, situated in said County and State, on the Western side of Wateree River.

1. That tract of one hundred and thirty-seven and three-fourths acres, (137¾) more or less, on both sides of Hagne's Branch, and bounded on the East by lands of John Bowen and Zach Carter, on the Northwest by lands of the same, and on the South and Southwest by lands of John Bowen and John Henderson.

2. That tract of thirty (30) acres, more or less, lying East of the Ann Bowen Road—the said two tracts being the same conveyed to Ann R. Player by John Bowen by deed recorded in the office of Register of Mesne Conveyance in Kershaw County, in Book I. L. page 4[illegible]

Terms of sale: One-third cash, balance in two equal annual installments, with interest from day of sale, to be secured by bond of purchaser and mortgage of land sold.

R. B. WILLIAMS, S. K. C.

Nov. 9 '99.

Master's Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the court of common pleas for Sumter County, in the State of South Carolina, in the case of Neill O'Donnell doing business under the name and style of O'Donnell & Company against Margaret A. Phillips and The First National Bank of Sumter, S. C., I, H. Frank Wilson, the undersigned Master for Sumter County, will sell to the highest bidder, at public outcry, at the Court House in the Town of Camden in the County of Kershaw in said State, on salesday in December next being the 4th day of said month, that portion of the following lands which lie within the County of Kershaw:

All those lands and tenements situate in the Counties of Sumter and Kershaw, the same being mostly in the County of Sumter, and containing four hundred acres more or less, commonly called the "McLeod Place" lying on the upper waters of Scape Ore Swamp and on the public road leading from Arrant's Bridge or crossing to Camden, S. C., adjoining lands now or formerly of Marcus Spann, Tyre Reynolds, Frier McKaskill and others.

Terms of sale; one-half of the purchase money to be paid in cash and the balance upon a credit of one year, the time portion of the purchase money to bear interest from the day of sale and to be secured by the bond of the purchaser and a mortgage or mortgages of the premises.

Purchaser to pay for papers.

H. FRANK WILSON,
Master for Sumter County, S. C.

Nov. 9th., 1899.—td.

A CARD.

Having decided to open business for myself, I take great pleasure in announcing to my friends and the public at large, that within the next few days I will be prepared to furnish them with any and everything in the way of groceries, from the daintiest delicacies to the most substantial eatables; and earnestly solicit a share of their patronage. I take great pride in saying that having had years of experience in this business I have no idea at least of what the people need, and it shall ever be my desire to furnish such goods as will be satisfactory in every particular and at prices as low as could be asked. I will guarantee sixteen ounces to every pound and for every dollar you will get one hundred cents worth of goods.

I further propose to *Deliver Promptly* all goods, from a barrel of flour to a package of chewing gum. All orders will receive my personal attention.

My store is fourth below the Farmers and Merchants Bank and just opposite the market, where I will be pleased to see you at any time, and trusting that I may be favored with a call, if for nothing else but to inspect my stock, I am yours very

Respectfully,
GERSHOM C. BRUCE.

Tax Notice.

Office of Treasurer Kershaw County, Camden, S. C., Sept., 12th, 1899.

In accordance with the act to raise supplies for fiscal year commencing January 1st, 1899, notice is hereby given that the Treasurer's office of Kershaw county will be open for the collection of taxes from the 15th day of October, 1899, until the 31st day of December, 1899. The rate per mill for Kershaw county is as follows:

	Mills.
State Taxes	5
School Taxes	3
County Taxes	4
Rail Road Taxes	[illegible]
Total	14

The following Special levies have been made also:

	Mills.
Special School tax District No. 1,	3
Special School tax, District No. 1, for interest on School Bonds	
Graded School Building,	[illegible]
District No. 1,	[illegible]
Special School tax District No. 1,	[illegible]
" " " 2,	1[illegible]
" " " 3,	[illegible]
" " " 4,	[illegible]
" " " 10,	2
" " " 11,	[illegible]
" " " 12,	2
" " " 13,	1
" " " 17,	3
" " " 18,	3

All information as to taxes will be furnished upon application.

No list of names for tax receipts will be received unless the amount of tax money is deposited with the said list.

This rule will be strictly enforced.

W. F. HOUGH,
Co. Treas.

Sheriff's Sale.

South Carolina } Court of
Kershaw County } Common Pleas.

F. W. Wagener, George A. Wagener, H. F. Brenner, and Julius D. Koster, Copartners in trade under the name and sty'e of F. W. Wagener & Co., Plaintiffs,
against
L. J. Watts, Defendant.

Under and by virtue of a decree in this action I will sell at public outcry before the Court House door in Camden, S. C., within the legal hours of sale on the first Monday in December next, (1899), the following real estate: All that piece, parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in Kershaw County and State aforesaid, containing one hundred and fourteen (114) acres, more or less, bounded Northwest by the Liberty Hill Road, East by Beasley Branch, Southwest by the lands of Frank Moses, and West by the Wateree River—the same being lands conveyed to said L. J. Watts by J. A. Watts by deed recorded in the Clerk's office for Kershaw County in Book "O Q" page 10.

Terms of Sale—One-third C. cash; balance on a credit of one and two years, with interest from day of sale, secured by a bond of the purchaser and a mortgage of the premises sold—with the privilege to the purchaser of paying all cash. Premises resold some day if terms not complied with.

R. B. WILLIAMS,
Sheriff of Kershaw Co.

Nov. 10—5t.

Sheriff's Sale.

State of South Carolina, Kershaw Co.
In the Court of Common Pleas.

F. D. Green, et. al., Plaintiffs,
vs.
J. H. Coleclough, et. al., Defendants.

Pursuant and by virtue of a decretal order granted in the above stated case by his Honor Judge O. W. Buchanan, March 6, 1896, I will sell at public outcry, during the legal hours of sale in Camden, S. C., in front of the Court House door, on the first Monday in Dec., 1899, the following described real estate, to wit:

Those tracts or parcels of land belonging to the Estate of John A. Coleclough, being in Buffalo Township Kershaw County, South Carolina, containing in the aggregate, Eleven hundred and fifty three acres, more or less, and being described in a plat of the lands of said Estate of John A. Coleclough, made by C. C. Haile, Surveyor, on the 22nd day of December, 1871, as follows: Tract No. 5, containing 292 acres, Tract No. 11, containing 198 acres; Tract No. 12, containing 349 acres; Tract No. 13, containing 257 acres, and part of Tract No. 14, containing 57 acres, the remainder of said Tract No. 14, to wit: 275 acres having been sold by the Sheriff of Kershaw County to J. A. West by deed dated May 4, 1896, and recorded in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Kershaw County in "Vol. VV, page 594.

Terms: ½ cash, balance on a credit of one year with interest from day of sale, taking the bond of the purchaser and mortgage of the premises sold to secure credit portion; purchaser, however, having the privilege of paying all cash if so desired.

R. B. WILLIAMS,
Nov. 10, '99. S. K. C.

SPOT CASH

AT

H. E. HALSALL'S

Will be a Money Saver for you. Just look at this partial list of Bargains:

16 Pounds of Granulated Sugar for $1.00.
20 Pounds C Sugar $1.00.
Coffee, 8, 9 and 10 cents per pound.
Maccaroni, 8 cents per package.
Starch, 5 cents per pound, or 6 pounds for 25c.
Soda, 2 1-2 cents per pound.
12 Bars of Soap for 25c.
Tobacco, 30, 32 and 35 cents per pound.
25 pound Sacks or Flour, 45, 50, 55, and 60 cents per sack

Will Meet any Price on Bagging and Ties.

Also carry a Full Line of

DRY GOODS and SHOES,

Which I will offer at LOW PRICES. Call and get prices before purchasing, and I will save you money.

Onion Sets--Red and White--on 110c per quart.

Respectfully,

H. E. HALSALL.

CLOTHING.

I have a very large and choice stock of Childrens, Boys and Men's CLOTHING which were bought at very low prices and am willing to sell accordingly.

Call and see my assortment. I am also agent for

WANAMAKER & BROWN

Of Philadelphia and have a large selection of samples which I can take your measure and have

MADE TO YOUR ORDER.

I also carry a full line of

General Merchandise

Which my patrons know I will not be undersold by any one

DAVID WOLFE

To My Friends & Patrons:

This is the beginning of another season with cotton at 4 and 5 cents per pound. This means cheap goods or no sale. I have got the goods and they have got to Be sold and as I have always said I never allow any one to undersell me, the money is what I want and that I am going to have if you come in my store. I have a big stock as usual, fresh and nice; never have any old stale stock.

FRESH GOODS

coming in every day. I went in business in 1894 when cotton was about the same prices it is now and I am still here doing my share; some predicted that I would not pull through that season. Low priced cotton don't frighten me, I have gone through a hotter battle than this. I sold my goods for such small profits, I find that it pays to make small profits and quick sales. I have kept it up and don't want to change it. I will say to those who have stores in the country to come in and I will divide the profits with you as have always done. Some business houses may tell you they carry a larger stock than I do, you can say to them you get more for a dollar

AT HINSON'S

than you get from them, it makes but little difference to you how much stock they carry. What you want is all you can get for your money. I am satisfied with the past and I know I will be with the future for I am working just as hard for your trade as I ever did. Come on you will find me at the same place.

Yours Respectfully,

D. E. HINSON.

A GRAND FALL DISPLAY!

NEW SHOES,
NEW CLOTHING,
NEW MILLINERY,
NEW DRY GOODS,
NEW DRESS GOODS,
NEW BORN BARGAINS.

Walk In And Ask For Prices

And you will find it to your advantage to buy your goods from

HIRSCH BROTHERS & CO.

We carry the Largest and Finest Stock of Goods Ever shown in Camden. We throw open wide our doors, and a hearty welcome is now extended to one and all to visit our store. For the last three weeks every train that points its nose to Camden, brings us new goods. We didn't go to New York for pleasure or to see how friends were getting along, but we went there to buy the Biggest and Cheapest Stock ever brought to this section, and we got it.

We have more goods on our counters than any two stores here, watch us, we intend to show these old fogies who stand around and say they can't make any profit since the Hirschs came here. We want to show them this fall how business should be done on short profits and quick sales.

If you see it in Hirsch's Advertisement its true;
If you buy it in Hirsch's its new.

A Few of The Lowest Prices Ever Named.

WATCH US IF YOU CAN.

2,500 yards of 36 inch Percale, short lengths 12½c quality, our price 8½c.
5 Bales Plain Homespun at 3½c per yard.
50 pieces 9 ounce All Wool Filling Jeans at 16 2-3c per yard. others sell same for 25c.
10 Bales 36 inch Sea Island, others say goods are up, Hirsch's price 3 3-4c per yd, by the yard or the bolt.
25 cases Best Standard Prints at 4½c per yard.
10 pieces Bed Tick, regular 8c quality, our price 5c per yard.
50 doz Pure Linen Towels 10c each, worth 20c.
100 dozen Pure Linen Towels, extra large size that sells from 25c to 35c each, our price 15c.

Millinery! Millinery!

The grandest display of Millinery ever shown in Camden, selected by Miss Elizabeth Stuart, of Baltimore, one of the best Milliners that ever came South. A look will prove to you that we can please you in styles, as well as prices, as we have bought a great many Hats and Trimmings direct from Manufacturers, which enables us to sell cheaper than any of our competitors can afford to.

SHOE DEPARTMENT.

We carry the largest stock and the best shoes for the least money. Every pair guaranteed for satisfaction or new pair in exchange.
Ladies dress Shoes from 75c up.
Look at our Ladies fine Dongola Button and Lace Shoes for $1.50 per pair, worth $2.
Men's Working Shoes from 90c up. Men's Nice Dress Shoes at $1 up.
Full line of Misses, Children and Boys Shoes at all prices.
We guarantee you that we can save you 25 per cent on any shoes that you are in need of, as we buy direct from Manufactors, and save you the middle man's profits.

CLOTHING!

We carry the largest and best selected stock in the State from the cheapest to the very best.
Schlos Bros., Strouse Bros, "High Art Tailors" and other well known Manufacturers.
Children's Suits from 4 to 14 from 50c up.
We call your special attention to our $1.50 Boy's Suits, which can not be duplicated elsewhere for less than $2.50.
Our Celebrated $2 50 Boy's Suits, not to be equalled this side of New York, others get $4 to $5 for same.
Men's Suits from $2 50 up.
Don't fail to look at our $5 all wool suits the best in the United States for the money Can't be matched for less than $7 50 elsewhere.
Biggest Black Clay Worsted Suits from $4 up.

SHIRTS AND UNDERWEAR.

We have the largest and best selected stock ever shown in Camden, bought direct from the manufacturers.
Big lot of Colored Dress Shirts that we got at a Great Bargain from the Receiver's Sale of the Clinton H. Smith Stock which is one of the best manufacturers of Fine Shirts. We will place same on sale for each, worth double the money. Do not fail to look at them, as it is the prettiest line ever shown in Camden.
Large lots of Hats, Caps, Ladies and Children's Jackets and Capes, and many other articles that we have not time nor space to mention.
Remember our Motto: "Under Buy, Under Sell at all and any times."

Very Respectfully,

HIRSCH BROS & CO