

Short Locals.

Look at our honor roll if you want to see what paper has the circulation. Advertising in The Bamberg Herald surely pays. Ask those who have tried it.

A few odds and ends in shoes very cheap. See them for bargains at W. D. Rhoad's.

The Bamberg Herald hopes to move into its new building about the 15th of next month.

The general assembly was not in session last Saturday, and our senator and representatives spent from Saturday to Monday at home.

The members of the Bamberg Guards are requested to meet at the armory on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. J. F. FOLK, Captain.

See the new ad. of A. M. Brabham in this issue. He represents reliable old line fire insurance companies and solicits a share of your business.

Mr. J. J. Hughes and family left last Saturday for Union, their future home. The best wishes of their many Bamberg friends go with them.

If the "Two Friends" will return the locket found on Fitting School campus, no questions will be asked. If not returned will expose the letter written by them. E. DICKINSON.

Prof. J. C. Guilds, of the Carlisle Fitting School at Bamberg, delivered two very excellent addresses in the Barnwell Methodist church on Sunday morning and evening.—Barnwell People.

The Bamberg Herald believes it has the largest circulation of any newspaper in this section, outside of the Orangeburg paper. Certainly we have the best paying lot of subscribers.

The Bamberg Guards will be inspected by the adjutant general on Thursday, March 19th. It is to be hoped the company will pass inspection this time, so that a military organization can be maintained in Bamberg.

Remember that we will cut off our list on April 1st all subscribers who have not paid in advance. There are only a few, however, but we will run the cash-in-advance system strictly and discontinue papers promptly at expiration of time paid for.

Messrs. Clarence and E. F. Free, with their mother, have moved into the house of Mr. J. J. Hughes, on lower Main street. Mr. S. A. Hand and family have moved into the house of Mr. A. H. Bruce, vacated by the Frees, on New Bridge street.

The article in another column in reference to Representative Croft, of Aiken, which we clip from the Columbia State, will have a local interest, as Representative Miley is the attorney for the county board of control of Bamberg, at a salary of \$100 a year.

When you select your farm, you plant the best land. Why not in buying flour get the best? I have it cheap. "Pansy." W. D. RHOAD.

An advertiser in town told us a few days ago that he had received orders from several towns in this section, and the strange part of it was all his customers said they saw his ad. in The Bamberg Herald. He seemed surprised that our circulation extended over so much territory.

No doubt there will be something doing in the way of constructing the Bamberg, Ehrhardt & Walterboro Railroad after Mr. Garris gets the new charter. Bamberg needs this railroad, and we trust earnest efforts will be made to build it as soon as the charter is in proper shape.

You are due yourself and family while money is so scarce to make every dollar spent count. I only do a cash business. See me before buying. W. D. RHOAD.

Monday the Master sold thirty-seven acres of land in the case of Maria Singleton vs. Mamie Dowling. It was bid in by the parties in interest for \$220.00. The several tracts advertised in the case of Kearse vs. Henderson were not sold, as the matter was settled before the day of sale.

Bro. A. J. Foster is now the happy pastor of the Allendale Baptist church. He was pastor of the Bamberg church for several years where he was very highly esteemed and where he did excellent work. He has gone to a good field at Allendale, and we shall expect to hear good reports from him and the church.—Baptist Courier.

There was a good crowd in town last Monday, and our streets presented a lively appearance. A stranger in town asked us what was the matter so many people were in town. He didn't know Bamberg was such a live business place. Many people are surprised at the amount of business done here after seeing the appearance of the business houses on Main street.

Very little interest is being taken in county politics so far. We hear of very few candidates for county offices, but of course it is presumed all the incumbents will stand for reelection. It is likely that E. C. Bruce will make the race for sheriff. Mr. Bruce was county supervisor for two terms and made a splendid record in that office, and should be entered the contest for sheriff he will be a strong candidate.

Birt oats at W. D. Rhoad's. McGowan's cheap cash store has just put in a line of staple and fancy groceries. Your orders will be appreciated.

L. B. Fowler has rice flour on hand at reasonable prices. See him quick if you need some good cow food. Apply at residence.

Mrs. W. E. Spann, who was badly burned some weeks ago, is thought to be improving, and it is hoped she will soon recover.

"Pansy" on your next barrel of flour will bring smiles from your good wife. Few equals, no superiors. Sold by W. D. Rhoad.

It would be a good idea if city council would cut down the shade trees on Main street. They give no shade and are very unsightly.

NOTICE.—The Cotton Oil Company will only run its gins two more days this season: Thursday, the 6th, and Thursday, the 13th. Bring your cotton on those days.

Mr. J. D. Quattlebaum, formerly of this city and who is well-known and has many friends here, was married in Columbia last week to Miss Eva Lester, of Prosperity.

Bamberg is not only one of the smallest and most prosperous counties in the state, but the county seat of Bamberg contains one of the best county papers in the state.—St. Matthews Commercial Advance.

The people of Denmark are endeavoring to build a cotton warehouse, and we note that Capt. J. B. Guess is the moving spirit in the enterprise. We hope he will have better success than we did here in Bamberg.

Cards are out announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Spdie Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brabham, to Mr. Claudius Franklin Gilchrist, the ceremony to take place in the Methodist church in this city next Wednesday, the 12th, at twelve o'clock noon.

Some much needed work has been done on Railroad Avenue near the depot. The old railroad embankment has been graded and a nice street made there. The telephone and electric light poles will be moved, which will give a nice wide street at this point. The dead trees along the sidewalk will also be cut down.

January Honor Roll.

The following persons paid up the Bamberg Herald during the past month, and we are glad to say that we are getting our subscription list all paid in advance.

- H A Kearse, S A Hand, Dr Geo F Hair, J J Smoak, Ephraim Parker, Mrs M A Smith, J M Parker, J L Herndon, Jno H Cope, Henry Kearse, Glenn Cope, W S Kearse, Isaac W Carter, W D Sease, Col W G Smith, Mrs M R Rice, T D Beard, J R Williams, G A Best, W A Klauber, C S Hiers, L J Hartzog, P M Kinard, Miss Annie Felder, J M Bessinger, Dr J J Cleckley, Adam Boatwright, A E H Simmons, R M Kearse, E D Felder, T J Crider, E L Chassereau, J F Clayton, G F Hiers, Lizzie Wilkinson, W C Best, Mrs R C Goodlett, W R Hiers, W H Patrick, J Crum Smoak, Vernon Brabham, W F Smoak, J A J Rice, J M Grimes, J A J Rice, T J Simmons, A W Brabham, H C McMillan, J C Rice, J W Blocker, L A Brabham, J L Priestner, W C Black, L M Ayer, J A Rhoad, J H A Carter, Rev A J Foster, Berry Padgett, M F Ansel, E Dickinson, E G Ray, J M Kirkland, W R Goodson, J M Kirkland, G O Mather, Mrs M A Kearse, M J Black, B Risher, S S Williams, Mrs Will Bryan, J A Klein, J C Bishop, Mrs P W Sandifer, C R Brabham Jr, G H McCormack, James Johnson Jr, G A Lucas, Mrs J C Williams, J M McKenzie, W H Varn, O F Hunter, W S Hogan, Mrs W J Faulkner, Jno W Crum, A R Bessinger, J Wms Carter, J H Hadwin, W H DeWitt, J L Smoak, C A Milhous Jr, B G Grimes, J W Stewart, Robert Harley, W C Brabham, Martin D Bishop, Dr H M Brabham, H I Chassereau, N R Hays, A W Brunson, Mrs R B Still, Charlie Black, Robert Kuhn, Joe Corbett, Capt W S Bamberg, Mrs M V Gray, J P O'Quinn, W P Wilkinson, I S Nimmons, E A Brabham, Rev B J Lawson, A L Harter, Mrs J E Varn, David Hunter, F W Free, O A Simmons, J J Hughes, W N Carter, A Dickinson, G O Barker, J Rivers, M A Moye, P K Hughes.

Married in Columbia.

At Ebenezer parsonage yesterday at midday Mr. Jas. Quattlebaum and Miss Eva Lester were united in marriage by Rev. C. A. Freed. Both of the young couple are from Prosperity and quite popular in the social circles of that community. They returned to Prosperity on the afternoon train.—Columbia State, Wednesday, January 29th.

New Advertisements.

- J. Ritter & Son—Cotton Seed. D. A. Kinard & Co.—Cottolene. Moye's Grocery Store—Cottolene. A. M. Brabham—Fire Insurance Agent. H. C. Folk, Master—Notice to Creditors. H. F. McGowan—All Fresh. Webb, the Photographer. Come at once if you want your picture taken and avoid the rush. Cloudy weather good as any. Open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. J. C. WEBB, Photographer.

LETTERS DISMISSORY.

On Friday, February 21st, 1908, I will file with G. P. Harmon, Probate Judge of Bamberg county, my final account as administrator of the estate of J. I. Rentz, and will thereupon ask for letters dismissory. J. A. RENTZ, Administrator. January 20th, 1908.

J. F. CARTER Attorney-at-Law BAMBURG, S. C. Special Attention Given to Settlement of Estates and Investigation of Titles Offices over Bamberg Banking Co.

TITLES EXAMINED LOANS NEGOTIATED J. ALDRICH WYMAN ATTORNEY-AT-LAW Civil and Criminal Practice Office upstairs, over Bamberg Banking Co.

MONEY TO LEND We are prepared to negotiate loans on improved farms for five and ten years, partial payments, eight per cent. interest. Don't write, come and see us. J. O. Patterson, Jr. J. W. Patterson BARNWELL, S. C.

RHEUMATIC FOLKS! Are You Sure Your Kidneys are Well? Many rheumatic attacks are due to uric acid in the blood. But the duty of the kidneys is to remove all uric acid from the blood. Its presence there shows the kidneys are inactive. Don't dally with "uric acid solvents." You might go on till doomsday with them, but until you cure the kidneys you will never get well. Doan's Kidney Pills not only remove uric acid, but cure the kidneys and then all danger from uric acid is ended.

Rupert B. Calvo, bookbinder, employed at The State Publishing Co., official printers for the State of South Carolina, living at 1010 Lumber St., Columbia, S. C., says: "I thought I had rheumatism and treated for it on that belief. I used all kinds of liniments. The pain was in my back and in my hips clear to the shoulders. The liniments did no good and I took to blood medicines but they did not help me. I took a long trip in hopes that the change of climate might help me. I was away for three months but could see no change for the better. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and determined to try them, and got a box at a drug store. They completely removed the pains out of my back and I have not felt a touch of the old trouble since I used them." For sale by all dealers. Price 50c. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

G. MOYE DICKINSON INSURANCE AGENT WILL WRITE ANYTHING Fire, Tornado, Accident, Liability, Casualty, in the strongest and most reliable companies. TELEPHONE No. 10 B. Bamberg, S. C.

HOLLISTER'S Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets A Busy Medicine for Busy People. Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor. A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney troubles, Pimples, Eczema, Impure Blood, Bad Breath, Sluggish Bowels, Headache and Backache. Its Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form. 25 cents a box. Genuine made by HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis. GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SALLOW PEOPLE

BRICK FOR SALE We are manufacturing a High Grade Brick and can furnish Run of Kiln at \$6.00 f. o. b. cars Badham, South Carolina. Dorchester Lumber Co. Badham, South Carolina

D. J. DELK CARRIAGE WORKS ANYTHING ON WHEELS Delivery wagons, one and two horse farm wagons, ice wagons, log carts, sewing machine wagons, or any kind of special work built to order on short notice. First-class repair and paint shop, does pipe work and carries piping and fixtures, brass fittings, engine supplies, injectors, steam gauges, engine oils, large stock of buggies, harness, lap robes and whips for sale cheap. All work will be appreciated and satisfaction guaranteed. D. J. DELK BAMBURG, S. C.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1908

EXPENSES OF STATE GREATER THAN LAST YEAR.

Winthrop and Citadel to Get New Dormitories—No Raise in the State Tax Levy.

COLUMBIA, February 1.—The appropriation bill has been completed and will be presented to the house probably Tuesday, when it will be given its first reading by title, and then printed. The second reading will be given whenever Chairman Banks, of the ways and means committee, deems it desirable to take up the matter.

The appropriations last year amounted to a little less than \$1,500,000, or to be exact, \$1,432,374.39. As the appropriation bill now stands, the sum carried therein is \$1,435,222.77, and it is likely to be larger than this by more than one hundred thousand. The sum named, \$1,435,222.77, does not include the contemplated appropriation of \$21,000 for a dormitory at Winthrop, nor does it include anything for carrying on the work of the State House grounds improvement, nor the appropriation asked for by the University of South Carolina, \$30,000, for a new class room building. It does include the \$30,000 asked for by the Citadel academy for improving the old police station. But it does not include anything at all for the reformatory at Florence.

The State house grounds commission will ask for an appropriation of \$25,000 to complete the improvement of the grounds, which with the \$24,000 for Winthrop and \$30,000 for the University, and \$15,000 for the reformatory will make an additional \$94,000, or to speak in round numbers, an additional \$100,000, raising the total appropriations to over one million and a half dollars. That means a levy of five mills. The appropriation bill as it now stands means a levy of four and three-quarter mills, as against four and one-half this last year. However, five mills is not so terrible; in fact, it is now generally recognized that a serious mistake was made in reducing the levy from five mills last year, as if it had been left at that figure the State would not have had to borrow so much money and would have been on a cash basis. It will be noticed that there is no disposition whatever to take up Governor Ansel's suggestion for an extra two-mill levy to put the State on a cash basis, as it is generally recognized that this entirely unnecessary.

Sold a Stolen Animal.

FORT MILL, February 3.—E. P. H. Nivens has been bound over to a preliminary before Magistrate Beckham at Rock Hill, under \$300 bond, on the charge of knowingly disposing of stolen property.

It seems that a valuable horse was stolen from Mr. J. H. Wilson in Columbia about 10 days ago, and in a few days Nivens bought the horse from a strange white man.

It is alleged that Nivens, being warned by friends that the horse had been stolen and that officers were searching for it, took the horse across the Catawba at night and disposed of it. At any rate, when the officers reached Nivens' store, in the upper part of the township, he refused to tell where the horse was or to give any information about it, although it is said the owner offered to give him back the cost of the horse.

The officers crossed the river and succeeded in finding the horse about 10 miles from Nivens' store. They secured the horse and, returning to town, had Nivens arrested on the above charge.

Legislator or Attorney?

Citizens of North Augusta made certain charges the other day against Representative Croft, of Aiken, one allegation being that that member of the house is in the employ of liquor interests. Yesterday Mr. Croft made positive denial of the charges. So there that matter rests. But is there no other legislator whose interests as attorney in some case connected with the dispensary, conflict with proposed legislation regarding the dispensary? The State has often said that one of its chief grounds for complaint against the dispensary is that its influence numbs the public conscience. And that is true. Ethical obligations are lost sight of; those that adhere to formal law, after touching the great moral institution, think they are doing pretty well.

Suppose that a measure should be introduced in the general assembly that would directly affect certain dispensary people or dispensary interests, and that those interests had as attorneys members of the general assembly; and, suppose when such measure came up for consideration in committee or on the floor, that the attorneys whose clients would be affected, should refrain from taking part in the discussion and should ask to be excused from voting, stating that the bill materially affected cases in which they were employed. That would seem to be the most natural thing in the world; in times past it has been done; we trust it will be done in the future. But with the dispensary it is different. We find that work, active, insistent, persistent work, is done by the legislative attorneys for persons and concerns directly interested in the proposed legislation. Is it wrong? It is palpably wrong. It is indefensible.—Columbia State.

Fires in Chicago last week did damage to the amount of a million dollars. The fires occurred in the business district.

A. M. BRABHAM FIRE INSURANCE AGENT OLD LINE COMPANIES Hanover, North British & Mercantile, and Others

Noah Was the Founder of Indigestion He Forgot to Leave the Pigs Ashore The American people in consequence have ever since been the victims of lard-cooked food and indigestion. Mr. J. Roy Jones, representing The N. K. Fairbank Co., of Chicago, has consented to call on our customers and explain the merits of cottolene. COOK BOOK FREE Mr. Jones will give to every lady that purchases a pail of cottolene a "Pure Food Cook Book," edited by Mrs. Mary J. Lincoln, author of the famous Boston Cook Book. DIVORCE YOURSELF FROM THE LARD HABIT D. A. KINARD & CO. Under Johnson's Hotel Bamberg, South Carolina

Peoples Drug Store PRESCRIPTIONS A SPECIALTY PHONE NO. 48 BAMBURG, S. C. PATENT MEDICINES, STATIONERY, TOILET ARTICLES, AND AN UP-TO-DATE LINE OF POST CARDS ALWAYS ON HAND. SODA WATER AND CIGARS. CIGARETTES AND TOBACCO. We Serve Hot Chocolate With Whipped Cream

Another Carload We Received Last Week Another Car Load of Extra Fine Horses and Mules We have some of the smoothest mules you ever saw in this load. They are beauties, all good size. Come and see us before you buy. Large stock of. Buggies and Wagons If you will get our prices before buying live stock or vehicles, we'll save you money Jones Bros Railroad Avenue Bamberg, S. C.

WE HAVE IT! An up-to-date drug store with a choice assortment of Drugs, Patent Medicines, Paints, Oils, Stationery, Cut Glass, Combs, Brushes, Rubber Goods, Cigars, Etc. We can serve you promptly and at right prices. Give us a share of your trade Hoover's Drug Store TELEPHONE 44 BAMBURG, S. C.

MULES & HORSES We have just received one of the best car loads of horses and mules that has ever been brought to this market. This lot is composed of only first-class stock, not a "plug" horse or mule in the bunch. If you are going to buy a mule or horse this spring be sure and see these as you can find just what you are looking for here, and the prices and terms are right. BLACK & BLACK BAMBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA