

Hooton's Ladies Store and Millinery Parlor

WHERE THE NEW THINGS ARE SHOWN FIRST

NINE YEARS IN BUSINESS, AND OUR FALL OPENING THE GREATEST ONE YET

We are better prepared today to fill the wants of the ladies and girls than ever before, in Hats, Coats, Dresses, Waists, Dress Goods, and Silks. It has always been our object to give those who wish to shop in Bamberg a better selection every year, This year we have done our best to place for your inspection and selection the largest line of Exclusive Ladies' Furnishings ever shown in Bamberg county. We invite you to come and bring your daughters and friends. If we do not please you in quality, style and price, we had rather not have your business.

Dry Goods and Suit Department

COAT SUITS—The age has arrived when a ladies' wardrobe is never complete without a suit. Realizing this, we have prepared for the demand. We are showing the famous Dannenberg Suits; they need no introduction. We have been pleasing hundreds with these suits for years, and we can please you. Get one and be satisfied with your appearance. We have them in sizes 14 to 44.

COATS—There has never been a season when the outlook for coats has been brighter, the styles are many and varied. We can give you just the kind you want, either long, short or medium. If you get your coat at Hooton's you don't have to get something that will do just as well as the kind you want, but one to suit your individual taste.

DRESSES—Of course you wear them, then the question is, had you rather get one of those ready-to-wear or the material. Come to Hooton's and it is up to you. We have the materials or the dresses. Come get either, we can please you.

WAISTS—If you have not decided on the kind or style you want, come and look ours over. We have twelve dozen new ones to arrive this week. From that assortment we think you can find many to please you.

DRESS GOODS—If you do your own sewing, it is useless to get the ready-to-wear, when you can get the selection in piece goods you will find at Hooton's. Come and decide for yourself which will pay you better.

SILKS—Come and look our line of Silks and Satins over. We have either in a varied assortment of shades and the prices in accordance with the quality.

Come to Hooton's whenever you can, and we will show you something different. Miss Rutledge and Miss Ackerman, are constantly developing new things in Millinery. We invite you to come.



MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

Has it ever occurred to you that it takes time, trouble, work and worry to prepare for an Opening? Well it takes all of these. But experience has taught us that there isn't a better way for the girls and ladies to see and get in touch with the things to be worn, and at the same time learn where those things are to be had. That's why we have an Opening. We have been well paid for the effort, nothing proves it better than success. If you failed to attend the Opening you missed the greatest one yet. If you were here and did not get waited on as promptly as we usually strive to serve you, we ask that you overlook that, for even with extra help, we could not give the service we usually strive to give.

We have just begun, for now we are in better position to know just what you want, and it's here, in a varied assortment. We invite you to come and let us show you.

SHAPES—We have many new ones for your inspection. Some have arrived almost every day since

the Opening, and will continue to come, so you may come here expecting new styles each time you come.

TRIMMINGS—These we are showing in a large assortment, and invite your inspection. We have any kind that is even considered good this season.

SPECIAL ORDERS—If you wish something hand made, come and see Miss Rutledge, she will please you, if it's a Hat.

VELVETS—These we have in an assortment of both quality and price. If you need anything of this kind let us show you.

KNIT HOODS—These we have for the girls and ladies, with scarfs to match. Get one while you can.

E. A. HOOTON, Phone 83-J, Bamberg, S. C.

PERSONAL MENTION.

People Visiting in This City and at Other Points.

—Mr. Cliff Langford, of Columbia, spent Tuesday in the city.

—Mr. Francis M. Bamberg left Friday for Sewanee university, Tennessee.

—Miss Virginia Folk left last week for Greenwood to enter Lander college.

—Miss Minnie Lee Ayer left last week for Blenheim to teach this session.

—Mrs. A. McB. Speaks left Monday night for Atlanta to replenish her stock of goods.

—Mrs. J. E. Felder and little daughter, spent yesterday in the city with relatives.

—Miss Bertha Gray, who has been spending some time in Charleston, has returned to the city.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Delk have returned to the city from Greenville, where they visited relatives.

—Miss Ethel Black has gone to Varnville, where she is teaching in the graded school this term.

—Miss Laura McMillan and Mrs. W. F. Helms, of Atlanta, have been visiting relatives in Walterboro.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bessinger, of Olar, spent Sunday in the city with Mr. and Mrs. Mobley.—Barnwell Sentinel.

—Messrs. Earl Cain and Robert Lee Zeigler, of Denmark, were visitors here last week.—Barnwell People.

—Messrs. G. Frank Bamberg, Henry Bamberg, J. Frank Brabham, and H. F. Spann left Tuesday for a deer hunt at Jacksonboro.

—Miss Reba Smoak has returned to her home in Columbia after a most pleasant visit to her cousin, Miss Inez Sandifer, of Denmark.—The State.

—Mr. Norman Kirsch, who has been spending several months in the mountains of North Carolina for his health, returned to the city this week.

—Mr. H. L. Hinnant returned to the city Sunday night from Chester, where he went last week on account of the illness and subsequent death of his father, Mr. W. Y. Hinnant.

—Lieut. D. Graham Copeland, of the U. S. Naval station at Guantanamo, Cuba, is spending some time in the city visiting relatives. This is Lieut. Copeland's first visit to the city in several years.

—Dr. J. M. Love, who has been spending the past several months in North Carolina, has returned to the city and reopened his veterinary surgeon's office here.

—Mr. R. L. Meriwether, of Allendale, is teaching history in the high school at Selma, Ala., this term. Mr. Meriwether is pleasantly remembered in Bamberg, having taught at Carlisle a few years ago.

—Mrs. L. G. Jackson, of Charleston, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. J. M. Smith, Jr., of Bamberg, has been visiting relatives in Walterboro. They returned to Bamberg this morning.—Walterboro Press and Standard.

—Mr. Clarence Black and Mrs. J. B. Black returned from Charleston Tuesday night, where they spent a few days at the bedside of Dr. J. E. Black. Dr. Robert Black returned Monday night from a visit to his father.

Boston \$1 pencil sharpeners at Herald Book Store.

Gold and Silver in South Carolina.

In 1915 there were produced in South Carolina 183.29 ounces of gold and 8 ounces of silver, whose total value was \$3,793. The placer mines produced 11.29 ounces of gold and the deep mines 171.30 ounces of gold and all the silver. The average yield of the siliceous gold ores and auriferous pyrite mined in 1915 was 70 cents a ton. The gold quartz ores yielded approximately \$15 a ton. This is the smallest production recorded for South Carolina since 1905.

The Battle of Agincourt.

The battle of Agincourt was one of the most remarkable military feats in history. To 60,000 Frenchmen Henry V could oppose only 9,000 Englishmen, yet within a few hours his army killed 10,000 of the enemy and captured 14,000, including the Duke of Orleans and Bourbon and 7,000 "barons, knights and gentlemen." The English losses were 1,600.—London Chronicle.

The Guardian Fire Insurance Co.

Of Salt Lake City, Utah.

Capital Stock, \$200,250. Surplus over Capital, \$206,000.

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S. W. COPELAND

Local Agent Ehrhardt, S. C.

N. B. We maintain a Brokerage Department (Licensed) and can place excess lines with strong companies.

WATCH US GROW

Condensed Statement of the Peoples Bank, Bamberg, S. C., at the close of business, September twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and sixteen

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and discounts.....\$198,595.86	Capital stock.....\$ 25,000.00
Overdrafts 2,462.10	Surplus and profits 14,078.21
Banking house and furniture..... 5,998.84	Deposits..... 208,564.68
Cash in Banks 70,586.09	Bills payable..... 30,000.00
Total.....\$277,642.89	Total\$277,642.89

H. C. FOLK,
President

A. M. DENBOW,
Cashier

C. E. BLACK,
Asst. Cashier

Before me came A. M. Denbow, cashier of the above named bank, who being duly sworn says that the above and foregoing statement is a true condition of said bank, as shown by the books of said bank.

A. M. DENBOW, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 27th day of September 1916.

J. D. COPELAND, JR.,

Notary Public.

We Solicit Both Savings & Active Accounts