

HOME AFFAIRS.

THE RECORD OF LAURENS UP TO DATE, MAR. 8.

If you want your children, boys and girls developed make home...

Saturday the 22d day was commemorated at Clinton as Arbor day...

Let us not forget our dear old South, who poured out her blood in defense of the right, justice and equity...

Our business season is about over. We have done better in all lines than we have done for some time...

A Prize for Big Hogs. The State Fair Society has offered three special prizes for the heaviest hogs shown at the next Fair...

Battle Abbey. Battle is the name of a town of Essex, England, fifty-six miles from London...

The Furman Echo. The February number of this College Magazine is first-class sterling...

No Yankee, thank God I was born near Edgefield, S. C. I have invented the cheapest and best Stock Hitcher ever invented...

NOTICE. A special meeting of the shareholders of The National Bank of Laurens will be held at their banking house...

JNO. A. BARSDALE, President. Feb. 25th, 1896.

Business Notices. Still alive with a big stock of clothing and shoes at lowest prices.

FOR SALE. F. N. Anderson, of Gallatin, Tenn., has three Tennessee Jacks for sale.

Rosaline at the Laurens Drug Co. Prettiest and cheapest line of spring clothing ever shown in Laurens at...

Red Flax Cough Syrup is making some wonderful cures. Get it at The Laurens Drug Company.

Husbands! Let us give you some good advice, "in time of peace prepare for war" for if your wife should see that tremendous stove we are exhibiting daily in front of our store...

Shoes at old prices at Davis & Roper's. Have you tried our Quinine Hair Tonic? Price 50 cents.

See our bargain counter for cheap shoes and odd pairs. Davis & Roper's.

Another lot of second hand school books cheap, at The Laurens Drug Co.

Man's failure in this world may often be attributed to the fact that he uses blank cartridges when firing at the target of success. Davy Crockett's motto "Be sure you're right, then go ahead." David knew what he was talking about, so do we when we say that we have art squares 25 per cent cheaper than ever.

List of Letters. Remaining in the Post Office at Laurens, S. C., unclaimed, for the week ending Mar. 2, 1896.

WANTED—A boy 15 to 20 years of age, to learn Photography and be a general helper in our finishing rooms.

Persons calling for any of above letters will please see T. F. Ozawa, P. M.

Mrs. John L. Young Dead.

A gloom was cast over our community yesterday morning by the announcement that Mrs. John L. Young was dead.

The funeral services were held in the Presbyterian church, and her remains were laid to rest in the town cemetery which owes its beauty in a large measure to her work and influence.

She was public spirited and took a prominent part in every enterprise for the good of the town or the people.

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HAPPENINGS

OF THE WEEK IN AND AROUND THE CITY.

First class Job work promptly done at this office.

Dr. Hugh K. Alken made a short visit to Columbia during last week.

Much correspondence is crowded out this week by urgent advertisements.

Mr. John Langston, of Ninety Six, was in the city Saturday.

Miss Kate Bobo visited relatives and friends in the city of Spartanburg during last week.

Mrs. Calhoun, of Ninety Six, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. P. McGowan.

Mrs. McGowan, wife of Capt. Willis McGowan, of Abbeville, visited friends in the city during last week.

Subscribe for THE ADVERTISER and the Southern Cultivator if you expect to be up on planting and farming.

The State Convention of the U. C. V. will be held in Charleston in April next.

Mr. E. L. Ewbanks, representing the News and Courier was in the city on Thursday last.

Mayor N. B. Dial went to Columbia during last week. He should have hurried up adjournment.

Mr. Harris has resumed sending up weekly installments of his famous Lithia Waters.

A newly constructed dam at the cotton mill on the way last week, but was promptly repaired and made substantial.

Saturday was a real live day. Wagons and foot pedestrians covered the square and merchants did a lively business.

A pair of our young townsmen were trained to patience on Sunday last, losing their dinner—and they will recall the circumstances.

The Weekly News and Courier and THE ADVERTISER are clubbed for the benefit of those who want all the news of the county, the state, and the world, at reduced rates.

Our former friends pushed matters at the first days of last week and got their spring oats largely in the ground before the rains on Friday. Some gardening has been done.

Miss Genevieve, who accomplished daughter of Col. Wharton, Clerk of the Court has a seat in the office, giving assistance in keeping up the work this busy season.

Salesday, yesterday, brought a good attendance. There was no sales by public officers. The chief attraction was the auction sale of Western horses owned by Mr. Gray brought fair prices, \$60 to \$80 each.

Gen. I. G. McKissick, Commander 2d Regiment, S. C. Division, U. C. V. has appointed E. J. Caldwell, Esq. of Newberry, Adjutant General and Chief of Staff, with rank of Lieutenant Colonel.

Our good farmers say that corn can be raised on uplands in this county at 20c per bushel. Then why pay sixty cents for corn in the city?

There is no more useful or pleasant reading than "The Philosophy of Cultivation" for farmers, stockmen, and the ladies who delight in the kitchen garden.

Mrs. Elizabeth Heffernan, we regret to know died recently near Ninety Six, in Abbeville county, the wife of the late Mrs. James Summer of this county, a good christian woman, leaving many relatives and friends to mourn her loss.

Wofford College Journal for February is on our table. Its literary work is good. Its friends are backing it—but it deserves a great support.

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Messrs. James T. Crews, Captain of City Fire Department, James Boyd, Esq., and John W. Langston, Chief of Police visited Greenwood last week to observe tests of a chemical engine on exhibition in that city.

Laurens is growing to be proud of her thriving village, Cross Hill. It will soon be a town. Her citizens appreciate schools, read the papers and mean to keep abreast with the times.

Hon. Jno. S. Wolf, our immediate Representative in the General Assembly, sends us a copy of the Bill proposing changes in the sittings of the Court for this county.

The commencement of the Medical College of South Carolina occurs on the 19th of March and the exercises will take place at the Academy of Music, Charleston, on the evening of that day.

The criminal trial which has been going on for some days at Walterboro in this State exposes a cruel, brutal murder of two negroes, by white men.

Yellow Rose, Yellow Leaf, Pick Leaf and Pride of Darlington are all good smoking tobaccos. We have them. The Laurens Drug Co.

PRINCETON NOTES.

THE INDICATIONS ARE THAT A MAJORITY OF THE FARMERS HAVE FORGOTTEN THE CLOSE EXPERIENCE OF 1894-95 AND ARE GOING INTO COTTON MORE EXTENSIVELY THAN FOR THE PAST THREE OR FOUR YEARS.

Considerable farm work has been done and the general improvement of lands is very noticeable.

Very little interest is manifested as yet in regard to politics. But it is rather early for much speculation in the future.

Miss Lillie Carter is on a month's visit to her sister, Mrs. Campbell in Newberry.

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TEACHERS' COLUMN.

J. A. MADDEN, EDITOR.

The teachers of the county are contributing cheerfully and ably to the support of the teachers' column.

The Association organized a literary club; the literature to be books on pedagogy.

The next meeting of the Association will be held on Saturday, March 28th, at 10 a. m.

The following is the programme: 1st. How to teach history? Miss Perrin Farrow.

2d. Is teaching a profession? Prof. W. T. McElroy.

3d. Dr. J. J. Boozer will give a lecture on the information of teaching physiology and hygiene in the common schools.

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Of these, the newspaper develops the greatest amount of enthusiasm and usefulness.

Children from ten years upward readily learn and enjoy the judicious use of newspapers, and what they begin at the suggestion of the teacher, they should keep up till they have acquired a taste which will influence their newspaper reading in all their after lives.

A good many busy people have very little reading besides the newspaper, so it is important that they should learn, early in life, to make the most of what is found there.

Much that is edifying and cultivating may be culled from these sheets, if one has been trained to look for and appreciate it.

Then too, it seems absurd to study past history so carefully, when the living history of one's own and other countries is passed by unnoticed.

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There is only one way to cure Deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube.

When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out, and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever.

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We will give One Hundred Dollars for any Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Halls Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Notice of Settlement and Application for Final Discharge.

Take notice that on the 7th day of April, 1896, I will render a final account of my acts and doings as Administratrix of the estate of Lanson Owens, deceased, in the office of Judge of Probate, for Laurens county at 11 o'clock A. M., and on the same day will apply for a final discharge from my trust as such Administratrix.

All persons having demands against said estate will please present them on or before that day proven and authenticated, or be forever barred.

ELLA OWENS, Administratrix.

Feb. 29, 1896-41

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

14th COUNTY OF LAURENS.

In Court Common Pleas.

The Laurens Building and Loan Association, Plaintiff, against Sallie D. Young, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree of the Court in the above stated case, passed by his Honor J. H. Earle, Presiding Judge, I will sell at Laurens C. H. S. C. on Saturday in April, 1896, being the 6th day of the month, during the legal hours of sale, in front of the court house door, to the highest bidder, all that lot, piece, or parcel of land situated in the city of Laurens, county and State aforesaid, containing six and one-half Acres, more or less, bounded by Harper street, lands of Mr. Maffet, Fleming and others excepted two and one-half Acres thereof, bounded by lands of William L. Boyd, Little River and George B. Anderson. This property is also described in the decree as follows:

All that lot of land situated, lying and being in the town of Laurens, in the county and State aforesaid, containing Three Acres, more or less, and bounded on the East by the public road leading from Laurens to Seufftown, on the South by a street running from Cemetery towards W. L. Boyd's, on the West by lands of J. M. McCarty and H. M. Anderson, and on the North by lot of A. M. Bramlett.

Terms of sale cash. Purchaser to pay for papers. If terms of sale are not complied with, lot will be resold on same Saturday at risk of former purchaser.

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The Weekly News and Courier is growing to be one of the necessities to every farmer outfit in this State.

Agricultural development is the leading feature of the Weekly News and Courier. Five hundred dollars in prizes will be awarded to the most successful raisers of Hog, Hay, Tobacco, &c., and other features will be introduced which will make The Weekly News and Courier, the greatest Family Weekly in the South.

Subscribers to the Weekly may contest for the prizes. THE ADVERTISER is clubbed with the Weekly at \$2.00 invariably in cash.

Druggists, will tell you that John's Magnetic Oil always gives satisfaction and is the cheapest. \$1.00 size 50 cents; 50 cent size 25 cents.

The Laurens Drug Co.

J. B. PARK, Attorney at Law,

LAURENS, - - SOUTH CAROLINA. Special attention given to the investigation of titles and collection of claims.

Do you want an Organ? Do you want the best? I represent the finest line of Organs in America and at fair prices, and on easy terms. For Catalogues and particulars address—

M. A. MALONE, Columbia, S. C.

Removal! Remember that Geo. H. Boyd has removed his HARDWARE to the store room under the ADVERTISER Office in Ball's building, and also remember that his stock is full and complete and the LOWEST PRICES.

New York BARGAIN HOUSE. "Going! Going!! Gone!!!" Cries the auctioneer lustily, these Goods must be sold. The manufacturer must have money to continue his business.

Dry Goods, Shoes, Hats and Caps, Tin, Glass and Crockeryware, Stoves and Furniture. Also Watches, Clocks, Spectacles and a fine line of rolled Gold and Silver plated Jewelry.

New Pianos of All Grades. On Installments. Easy payments—The Cheapest I handle, \$225.00. The next grade " " 275.00. " " " " 300.00. " " " " 325.00. " " " " 450.00. " " " " 500.00.

We Employ Young Men. Young Ladies employed on the same terms. ACME CYCLE COMPANY, ELKHART, IND.

Table with columns for City, Time, and Price. Includes entries for Charleston, Columbia, and other locations.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF LAURENS, In Probate Court. WHEREAS, F. B. Wilcut has made suit to me to grant him Letters of Administration of the Estate of and effects of J. E. Wilcut.

WOULD YOU BURN IT INTO THE MINDS OF THE PEOPLE? That there is not a family anywhere to which money means so much—

JAPANESE PILE CURE. A New and Complete Treatment, consisting of boxes of Ointment, a new Pile Cure for Piles, and a new Pile Cure for Hemorrhoids.