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LAURENS, S. C., APRIL 1, 1908.

INTRODUCING EDITOR BONEY.

Beginning with next week's issue THE ADVERTISER will be edited by Mr. S. E. Boney, who will have editorial control of the affairs of the paper.

When I moved away from Laurens, four years ago, it was with the intention of continuing as editor of THE ADVERTISER only until the services of a capable and tested newspaper man of character could be secured for its general management.

For more than a year Mr. Boney, who is a native of York county, has been one of the traveling agents of the News and Courier, and in that position he proved of the highest value to his employers.

Mr. C. C. Featherstone passed through the city this morning on his way to his home in Laurens, returning from the lower section of the State.

It should be understood that Mr. Boney will not write for THE ADVERTISER under my direction or any other person's dictation.

THE VERY OLDEST BALE OF COTTON.

Probably the oldest bale of cotton in South Carolina is in the Laurens bonded warehouse, located in this city.

As stated above the cotton was made by Mr. Henry Thompson, who lived near Cross Hill, this county, and it was packed on the old-fashioned screw press and baled in ropes.

E. S. Loper, of Marilla, New York, says: "I am a carpenter and have had many severe cuts healed by Chamberlain's Pain Balm."

What Shall We Have for Dinner? Try JELLO, the famous, delicious, economical dessert.

Conductor Swink Killed. Anderson, March 24.—Conductor G. D. Swink of freight train No. 24 of the Anderson branch of the Charleston & Western Carolina railroad was killed by a white man named Bunnie Brock this afternoon at 4 o'clock while his train was standing in the yard at Calhoun Falls.

Conductor Swink was a man of amiable disposition and friendly. He was about 28 years of age and was from Woodruff, in Spartanburg county, where his parents now reside.

The Jumping Off Place. "Consumption had me in its grasp, and I had almost reached the jumping off place, when I was advised to try Dr. King's New Discovery; and I want to say right now it saved my life."

Prohibition Sentiment Growing. Mr. C. C. Featherstone passed through the city this morning on his way to his home in Laurens, returning from the lower section of the State.

Neighborhood Favorite. Mrs. E. D. Charles, of Harbor, Me., speaking of Electric Bitters, says: "It is a neighborhood favorite here with us."

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Plant Reliable Seed.

That's the kind we handle. We have a good variety of reliable seeds. Plant our seeds and have a good garden.

Onion Sets. Silver Skin, Yellow Danver.

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A Healing Salve for Burns, Chapped Hands and Sore Nipples.

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Farmer's Demonstration Work. Below we reproduce a timely article handed us by Mr. J. M. Jenkins, who has his headquarters in Laurens and is connected with the United States Department of Agriculture in demonstration work in this section.

CURE YOUR KIDNEYS. Do Not Endanger Life When a Laurens Citizen Shows You the Cure.

Why will people continue to suffer the agonies of kidney complaint, backache, urinary disorders, lameness, headache, languor, why allow themselves to become chronic invalids, when a certain cure is offered them?

Confederate Reunion April 11th. Companies "G" of the 3rd, and "E" of the 14th S. C. Regiments, and company "E" of 3rd S. C. Battalion held their reunion at Gray Court-Owings Institute, Saturday, April 11th.

Farmers' Union, April 3rd. The Farmers' County Union will meet at Laurens on Friday, April 3rd, at 10 o'clock, a. m. at the local W. U. are requested to send full delegations.

CITATION. The State of South Carolina, County of Laurens, By G. Thompson, Esquire, Probate Judge.

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CANDIDATES' ANNOUNCEMENTS. For the State Senate. I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of State Senator, subject to the rules of the Democratic Primary election.

For Sheriff. I hereby announce myself a candidate for Sheriff of Laurens county in the coming Democratic Primary election, and pledge myself to abide by the result of said Democratic Primary election.

I hereby announce myself to the voters of Laurens county for re-election to the Sheriff's office for the ensuing term, subject to the rules of the Democratic primary.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Laurens county in the approaching Democratic primary, and promise to abide by the result of said Primary election.

At the solicitation of many friends I offer myself a candidate for Sheriff of Laurens county and pledge myself to abide by the result of the Democratic primary and to give my entire time and natural detective ability to the office.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Laurens county, subject to the result of the approaching Democratic primary election.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Laurens county in the next Democratic primary and promise to abide the result of said primary election.

I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Clerk of Court and pledge myself to abide the result of Democratic primary election.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of Court for Laurens county, subject to the result of the Democratic Primary.

I am a candidate for Auditor for Laurens county in the approaching Democratic primary election and pledge myself to abide by the result of said election.

I hereby respectfully announce myself a candidate for Auditor of Laurens County in the coming Democratic primary election and promise to abide the result of said election.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Supervisor for Laurens county, subject to the rules and regulations of the Democratic primary and if re-elected will endeavor to faithfully discharge the duties of the office.

I respectfully announce myself for re-election to the office of Coroner for Laurens county, subject to the rules of the Primary Election.

I respectfully announce myself for the office of County Coroner and will abide the rules governing the Democratic primary.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Superintendent of Education for Laurens county, subject to the rules and regulations of the approaching Democratic primary.

I announce myself a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Education for Laurens county in the coming Democratic primary and pledge myself to abide the result of said election.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Superintendent of Education for Laurens county in the coming Democratic primary, and pledge myself to abide the result of said election.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Treasurer for Laurens county in the approaching Democratic primary, and I promise to abide the result of said election.

DR. CLIFTON JONES. Dentist. OFFICE IN SIMMONS BUILDING. Phone: Office No. 86; Residence 219.

MONUMENTS. If you are in need of a nice Monument for loved ones I am prepared to furnish to you at very reasonable prices. See me.

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51 1/2 acres land in town of Lanford, 6 room dwelling and outbuilding. Nicely situated. Price \$4,000.

98 acres land near Watts Mills, bounded by S. O. Leak and M. A. Knight, 1 tenant house. Price \$40 per acre.

We have now divided the Baggett place into beautiful building lots of different sizes, and are offering choice lots and big inducements to home seekers.

100 acres land in town of Ora, S. C. Price \$3,000, easy terms.

4 acres land and nine room dwelling, servant's house, in town of Gray Court. Price \$2600.

70 building lots in Laurens, in Jersey. Cheap. Apply for description and price.

Four acre lot with 10 room dwelling with cook room and pantry, bounded on north by C. & W. C. Ry, east by north Harper street, south and west by John Williams and others. Has beautiful grove, good barn and outbuildings; one of the finest locations in the city. Price only \$7,500.00.

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