

The Herald and News

Local and Special.

THIS PAPER may be found on the list of... Advertisers' notices...

Secretaries of societies call on J. W. Chapman for Record Books.

A fresh supply of strong Apple and White Wine Vinegars for sale cheap at Robertson's Drug Store...

For Sunday School supplies of all kinds call on Caston & Hunt.

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For blank books, pocket books or any kind of books call on Caston & Hunt.

Carload of Texas R. P. Oats just received by J. N. MARTIN & CO.

No rent, no clerk hire enables me to sell at bottom prices.

Race-balls, Bats, Balls and Masks at Caston & Hunt's.

Full line School Books just from the publishers at Chapman's book store.

Not professedly a purveyor, cheerer or anything which deserves the commendation of a perfect punch powder is Wood's Odontine...

Will keep on hand Red Ash and White Ash Coal during season.

Another Cutting Advice.

At the Jolly Street barbeque on Saturday last, Mr. J. C. Singley and a negro got into a difficulty...

Embroidery Patterns, Stamped, at Chapman's.

A large supply of glass ware and crockery ware cheap at J. S. RUSSELL'S.

Swiss A. Contentay Parlor Matchless, Coat's Speed Thread, Mason's Blacking, Campbell's Baking Powders, Choice Vinegar, N. O. Syrup, New Mackerel, Lard, Sugar, Rice, etc.

J. N. Martin & Co., Agents for the Winslip, Lumms & Hall's Gins.

J. W. Chapman can please the most economical buyer of Books and Stationery.

If you wish a box of Wood's Odontine send 25 cents to your druggist.

B. & L. Association.

The Building and Loan Association held its annual meeting last night at the Crowell Hotel.

Muste Self-Taught.

Prof. G. S. Rice's piano and Organ Music System, Rapid, Practical, Correct, teaches all Chords, Variations, Accompaniments, Through Bass Laws, Tunes, Notes, Self-taught at your own home.

For general literature go to Caston & Hunt's.

Turnip Seed, Turnip Seed, Turnip Seed. A fresh stock of all varieties for sale cheap at Robertson's Drug Store.

Quinine, Compound Cathartic Pills and other Family Medicines at J. S. RUSSELL'S.

Bird.

On Sept 7th Mrs. Martha Goree at the residence of her son, W. O. Goree, at Kinard's T. O. Aged 73 years.

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THIS PAPER

Non-Profitable... Advertisement...

Let's shake!

Mr. H. H. Samuels is in town.

Rev. J. Sligh is in town to-day.

Mr. G. S. Mower is out again.

Mr. Will Fulk is clerking at Epstein's.

Mr. Tomer is not in the race for Congress.

Mr. Fred Fry leaves to-day for Cincinnati.

Mr. M. L. Tarrant and family are at home again.

Mr. Epstein returned from New York last Saturday.

Mr. Tomer Pool left for Asheville again on Friday last.

Mr. J. L. Ramage is up again after a severe attack of measles.

Primary election for congressmen and county commissioners 23rd.

Mr. Mond West of the firm of M. Foot Jr. & Co. left yesterday for the North.

Mr. J. A. Muller, Esq., a prominent member of the Lexington bar, is at the Newberry Hotel.

Messrs. Silas Johnston, E. A. Scott and J. W. Gary have returned from Glens Springs.

The tool house of the C. & G. R. R. Co. was moved to Helena on Monday on two wheels.

Dr. J. D. Bence of Prosperity offers an explanation of the earthquake in the Register of to-day.

Mr. Jeff Weston spent Sunday and Monday in Edgelyfield. There are no earthquakes in Edgelyfield.

Ben Clime always catches on. His bulletin Wednesday morning was headed "Earthquake in Prices."

Miss Emma Crawford of Chappell, who has been visiting Miss Sophie Chappell, returned to her home on Saturday last.

Mr. Jackson and his force are at work on the drain across the street between R. Y. Leavelle's store and that of H. Mirel.

Capt. Geo. Meredith, commander of the C. & G. R. R., stopped over in Newberry today on his way to Columbia.

Conductor Mott took charge of his train.

"Shake well before taking."

The direction on all entables and drinks is at present. We stand this from the Augusta Chronicle.

The shake of the earthquake and the shake of the candidate are the only shakes which the child-ermos of Pelham and Robertson won't cure.

We acknowledge the receipt of a handsomely engraved invitation to attend the closing exercises of Mr. Taber high school on Friday, the 10th inst.

Mr. Frank Moon says that Shakespeare must have felt an earthquake shock when he wrote "Stand not upon the order of your going, but go at once."

Miss Edith Matthews of Charleston, is visiting her brother, Mr. J. R. Matthews, Jr. She has been spending the summer among the North Carolina mountains.

Capt. Mazzyk, requests to say that the Southern Express Company will send money and goods for the relief of the sufferers in Charleston and Summerville free of charge.

Mr. J. R. Matthews, Jr. went to Charleston on Tuesday last. The valuable residence of his family in that city has been condemned by the authorities and will be torn down.

Mrs. Edward Robertson and children, and Miss Robertson, all of Charleston, left on last Saturday for that point, to see how their friends and kindred had withstood the shocks of the earthquake.

Dr. P. B. Ruff has just gathered twenty-one bushels of corn on a small lot containing three-eighths of an acre. This is at the rate of fifty-six bushels per acre, and, considering the season, is a remarkably fine yield.

The first bale of cotton was sold last Saturday to J. N. Martin & Co., by W. A. Hill. The price paid was 8 1/2 cents. The second came in Monday from the farm of Messrs. Jeff & Will Lane and brought 7-8.

The editorial on earthquakes in the Columbia Register of the 2nd inst., is very interesting. If anyone desires to read it in its complete form, we refer him to a book published by the American Book Exchange, New York, in 1880, entitled "The Library of Universal Knowledge." See volume v., pp. 220-222.

The Newberry Herald and News in a recent issue contains an excellent editorial, urging on the citizens of its town the advisability of establishing graded schools, and doing away with their present system of dividing a small amount of money into so many parts that no one gets any benefit from it. Newberry is progressive in school matters, and will not likely stop short of a graded school.

Examination.

The examination to fill the vacancies from Newberry in the Citadel Academy will take place on Friday, Sept. 11th.

The examination will be held in the Court House and will be at 10 a. m. The State Superintendent of Education has appointed the following gentlemen to hold the examination: T. S. Moorhead, Esq., Chairman, Arthur Kibler, and W. G. Houseal, M. D.

Food for the brain and nerves that will invigorate the body without intoxicating, is what we need in these days of rush and worry. Parker's Tonic restores the vital energies, soothes the nerves, and brings good health quicker than anything you can use.

The Earthquake.

A full account of the earthquake will be found in the supplement which goes with the Herald and News, and we need not publish the accounts of the various papers of the country.

Newberry was in a tremor of excitement and anxiety until the news from Charleston reached us. Many of our citizens among whom are Dr. P. Robertson and Messrs. C. A. Bowman and J. R. Matthews, Jr., have relatives in the stricken city, and the long and weary hours which were spent, as it were, in fear and trembling, furnished an experience which none care to repeat.

The first news from Charleston reached Newberry Wednesday morning through the bulletin of the Herald and News. That night Dr. S. Pope, Capt. O. L. Schumppert and others made up a purse and got a long telegram from the Prosperity Press and Reporter, which had been more fortunate than others in receiving news from Columbia. A few minutes later the telegram from the chief of the Herald and News was received and was published jointly by the Observer and the Herald and News as an extra. On the following day the Columbia Register furnished a full report of what was at that time known about the condition of Charleston. Caston & Hunt had ordered fifty copies but this supply was found inadequate. On the street we heard twenty-five cents bid for a copy.

After this time telegraphic communication with Charleston was established and the News and Courier, Register, and Augusta Chronicle furnished full reports.

The damage done to Newberry seems to be greater than it was at first supposed to be. Damaged walls and fallen chimneys are common. The house of Y. J. Pope, Esq., seems to have suffered most, being cracked in several places. Strange to say, large buildings like the factory, the Newberry Hotel and the Court House, are uninjured.

The shocks have continued at irregular intervals, some having been felt every day and night since the first one came. A general feeling of uneasiness still prevails the community but it is growing less day by day.

The Moral Effects of Earthquakes.

In Humboldt's Cosmos attention is called to the demoralizing effect which earthquakes have both upon human beings and the lower animals. To see the earth, which one has been accustomed to think of as a "too, too solid" substance, waving like troubled water is certainly a terrible experience. This upsets the mind and paralyzes reason more than the fear of death. But we started to say something about the moral effect of earthquake shocks. Our recent experience has shown that great as was the destruction wrought in Charleston, the earthquake may possibly have been not all wind. At Prosperity when the first shock came a religious meeting was in progress at the negro Methodist church, and as soon as the panic had in a measure subsided the church had an immediate accession of eighteen members. On the following night sixteen more joined, and twenty additional names were added to the membership of the colored Baptist church in the same place.

In Newberry the colored Baptists on Wednesday requested their pastor to open the door of the church, and a meeting was in progress there for several succeeding nights. The number of those who joined was considerable.

During the scare of Tuesday night a lady begged one of her friends to ask Rev. Mr. Christberg to hold services at once in the Methodist Church.

Contractor Sam Young, of the A. E. & N. R. R., states that in the camp of Rice and Coleman on the night of the first shock thirty-four packs of cards were thrown into the fire, and on the following morning torn playing cards strewn the line of the road for a half mile.

We give these instances merely as items of interest. Whether the serious thoughts and good resolutions resulting from extreme fear, as in this instance, will have any lasting effect for good remains to be seen.

Rescued from the Grave.

My wife for many years was afflicted with a blood disease which baffled the most skillful treatment, and finally resulted in a very large ulcerated and ugly looking running sore on one of her limbs, which had been growing larger and larger for the last four years, discharging quantities of pus or matter, and was so rapidly undermining her health that I almost despaired of effecting a cure. I tried every known remedy, such as the sassa-parilla and potash mixtures and prescriptions of the best physicians, with no benefit in any way. A few months ago my attention was called to S. S. S. I procured some of this medicine, which she began to take, and in a short time increased in flesh and strength, and the sore, which was then larger than my hand and reached to the bone, began to heal. After continuing its use a few weeks, she regained her health and spirits, and the sore was entirely healed. She had been in such a terrible condition for years, and was so near death's door at the time she commenced the S. S. S., that I refrained from making the facts known to the public. Though knowing or being satisfied that she was cured, I feared the disease might return; but as it has now been three months since she stopped using the medicine, and is in perfect health, being able to walk several miles without unusual fatigue, and attends to household duties as she did before she was so afflicted, I publicly make this statement for the benefit of all who are afflicted as with my wife.

W. M. GREEN, Five Points, Jones Co., Ga., May 29, '86. Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Drawer 3, Atlanta, Ga., 157 W. 23d St., N. Y.

"Hughes' Tonic is doing good in this country. It never fails to cure Chills and Fever. In my daughter's case it broke the fever in twelve hours." W. L. Starling, Delta, Ark.

The Congress. A Convention.

The Convention which met at Seneca Sept. 1st, adopted the primary plan of nomination without any trouble. The election will be held Sept. 23rd, and at the same time the County Commissioners will be voted for. The 21st is fixed for the meeting of the candidates in Newberry and the 22nd for Prosperity. The following are the rules for the primary:

I. That a Primary Election for nominating a Congressman for the 31st Congressional District shall be held throughout the District on the 23rd day of September, 1886.

II. When the vote shall have been canvassed in each County, it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the County Executive Committee to make a return of the election in his County to the Congressional Executive Committee, which committee shall constitute a board for the purpose of canvassing the returns and declaring the result of the election, and of hearing and deciding all contests or protests which may arise, whose action shall be final: Provided, however, that no member of such Executive Committee shall be a candidate at such election; and, further, that said executive committee shall canvass the returns and declare the result of the election within one week after the said election.

III. The candidate who shall receive a majority of all the votes cast in the Congressional District shall be declared the nominee of the Democratic party for Congress for said district.

IV. In case no candidate shall receive the majority vote in the first election, another election shall be had on the 7th day of October thereafter at which the two candidates only who received the highest number of votes shall be voted for. The result of the second election shall be ascertained and declared in the same manner as herein provided for the first.

V. All white men whose names are now upon the rolls of Democratic Clubs, and all colored men who have been consistent Democrats since 1876, and whose names are now upon some Democratic roll, be qualified to vote at the Congressional Primary Election: Provided, That in the County of Oconee all persons who have been members of Democratic clubs and who join the clubs now forming in said county under the constitution of the county, shall be entitled to vote.

VI. Except as hereinbefore provided, the rules and regulations governing the Primary Election in each county as now in force shall govern the Congressional Primary in said county.

APPOINTMENT OF SPEAKERS.

Friday, Sept. 10, Pickens.

Saturday, Sept. 11, Early.

Monday, Sept. 13, Seneca.

Tuesday, Sept. 14, Wallhalla.

Wednesday, Sept. 15, Anderson.

Thursday, Sept. 16, Home Path.

Friday, Sept. 18, Abbeville.

Saturday, Sept. 19, Greenwood.

Monday, Sept. 21, Newberry.

Tuesday, Sept. 22, Prosperity.

Under the Lash.

This melodrama which has been well puffed by the Greenville News and other papers was presented at the Opera House on Monday night. Our regard for the truth compels us to say that it was one of the worst plays ever placed upon the boards in our town. Some of the individual acting was good, but the whole thing was botched and only half played. This may possibly be accounted for by the smallness of the audience, which was certainly discouraging. Some excitement was caused by the trained dog whose duty it was to spring at the throat of the Italian, Joseph Franetti. This part was taken by Mr. Jos. Gordon, and his cleverness in not properly using the pad provided for such occasions resulted disastrously. The dog sprang at him fastening his teeth in his chin and throat, and inflicted three painful wounds. Dr. Gilder was called and rendered such assistance as was necessary. The sufferings of Charleston's citizens, for whose benefit the performance was advertised, will not be much relieved by the receipts.

PROSPERITY.

A fine shower Monday night, Tuesday morning every thing looked very much refreshed.

The earthquake struck us last Tuesday night at about 10 o'clock doing no serious damage. A few chimney tops were shaken off in town and around the country. Slight shocks have been felt almost every night since. People are getting over their fright pretty well by this time.

Mr. H. C. Mossley is raising a fund for the Charleston sufferers and is succeeding very well. He hopes to raise a hundred dollars or more.

A mad dog was killed Monday evening near Mr. Clinon Fellers' by Mr. John Nichols.

Mr. C. W. Kinard and wife also Mr. J. L. Kinard and wife have been visiting relative in town and vicinity this week. They will return home Tuesday or Wednesday.

A bale of new cotton was sold here Tuesday morning by J. B. Bodenbaugh at 8 1/2.

Rev. C. A. Marks has been confined to his home for nearly a week with fever, but we are glad to state he is improving. Dr. Edmunds has closed his singing school and returned home.

Prosperity high school opened Monday morning with fifty-two scholars.

B. W. J.

JALAPA.

Everybody has at last become very quiet since the shock, but some seem to think that another will come soon which will give more trouble than an army with banners. Last Saturday night the 17th was the last shock that was felt in our community, and did not seem to be as perceptible as others previous to it. No serious damage was done in our town on the night of 31st, except every chimney had more or less bricks thrown from the tops and chickens were unroofed.

Sickness is prevailing among both white and colored. Our physician is keep busy riding day and night. This evening (Monday) at Trauquil Church three new graves will be filled with colored bodies.

Cotton is beginning to open slowly.

THE INQUEST IN THE SENN CASE.

Some Strange Developments—Senn Pronounced a Murderer—The Opinions of the Physicians—The Jury's Verdict.

Mrs. Mary A. Martin, being duly sworn, says: I live in Newberry County, knew M. Ozella Senn, sister of mine. David Senn was her husband. She received bad treatment by her husband. She was abused by him in every way. Were parted about one year. David Senn's mother brought her back. A letter from Edgelyfield came to her to bring Senn's wife back. Letter was signed by parties. Letter stated that if Senn did not come and take his wife they would lynch him. Had a lawsuit about abusing his wife. Senn and his mother were tried before Warren Peterson for beating his wife; found guilty. Senn bound over to peace. Had children. Dave Senn's mother had child. M. Ozella Senn craved her child. She came to my house about three weeks ago for protection at night about time of lawsuit. She went back to him after lawsuit. Heard her say she believed they had tried to poison her, e. Mary Ann Senn, Helena Boland and Dave Senn, by pouring milk in rice. Boland is sister of Press Boland, he is brother-in-law of Dave Senn. M. Ozella Senn tasted rice and found it bitter and did not eat it. Told Dave Senn about it and he got angry and reported it to his mother, and came and shook her down, and from this grew the lawsuit. She did not live in the house with David's mother. Dave Senn never eat meals with his wife. Her child did not live with her. M. Ozella Senn wanted to leave Senn and go to her brother. Her brother sent her money just before she indicted them and Dave Senn told her that if she attempted to leave he would kill her. Married about six years. Treated her bad all the time. Worse since Helena Boland has been here. Have seen Helena Boland and Senn walk to the house with arms around each other. Senn's wife grieved about it.

MARY MARTIN.

Miss Ella McCullough, being duly sworn says: Live near Mary Ann Senn. Known Dave Senn and his wife several years. So far as I know she was a kind, good woman. Heard her say her husband would curse and abuse her.

ELLA McCULLOUGH.

J. F. Hennes, being duly sworn, says: Live in Spartanburg County about five miles from Cross Anchor. At home on 22d of August. Made a coffin on 23d at request of John Senn for a cousin of his. Requested a coroner's inquest but was overruled. She died in presence of her relatives, and they thought it unnecessary to hold an inquest. Helped to place her in the coffin. Packed cotton around the head under the shoulders, owing to distance to be carried and the likelihood of an inquest. In doing so noticed finger marks at each side of the wind pipe, the face was purple, and this was about twenty-four hours after death. Scratches were seen on the nose and a soft place just above the left eye as if struck with a blunt instrument. Eyes were closed and in general condition at that time of death. Mouth was in peculiar, shape, partly open. Have considerable experience as undertaker, and never saw mouth in such shape. Dr. Pool was there and examined the body, and said she died of general congestion. Senn and his wife camped the night his wife died within a short distance of Mrs. Crow's and only 200 yards from Mr. Hughes'. I know Dave Senn knew these parties lived near. Was at Mrs. Crow's about dark, watered and got fire. About 9 o'clock he asked Mrs. Crow to come to camp as his wife was dying. Was no light in wagon when Mrs. Crow got there, and Helena Boland and Mrs. Lake were in wagon with corpse. No rocks around wagon to show anything had been heated. I examined closely the place where the camp was and Mrs. Senn died. The people in our neighborhood did not know Dave Senn and family and did everything in our power to help him. Neighborhood was very much aroused when they of the bad treatment of Mrs. Senn by her husband. Dave Senn told me his wife was well and that she took sick when he was driving along and died in fifteen minutes, she had eaten some peaches. He said he had come over there for the health of his wife. In the evening Senn's wife and Helena Boland walked across a bridge within four miles of where he camped, about one hour before sun. He camped in two miles of John Senn's, and struck camp about 8 o'clock. Senn did not seem to care for the death of his wife. I heard Helena Boland say it was too bad that Dave should be charged with the murder of his wife. Dave Senn and Helena Boland acted and called each other as sister and brother. Did not know any better for some time.

J. F. HENNETT.

Mrs. Bettie Senn, being duly sworn, says: Live in Spartanburg County. Know M. Ozella Senn was brought to my house dead. She was brought to my house on Monday, 23d of August before sun rise. Helped to dress her. Did not pull off all her clothing. Mrs. Lake and Helena Boland objected, saying she had to others. Saw bruises on throat and nose. Looked as if she had been choked. Saw finger prints. The mark on nose looked as if struck. Mrs. Lake said she struck it against the wagon. When we came over with corpse Dave Senn said he heard that they had threatened him, and told me that if I wanted anything I could get it. He had his pistol, it was loaded but one barrel. Senn, Boland and Lake were very much excited when we told them the doctor would be there, and they did not want an examination. She had turned dark by daylight, and when I told them of it, Mrs. Lake said, "Land, is she?" They did not want the examination for fear they would be

charged with with wife murder. Helena Boland wanted to know if anybody thought Dave would be accused of wife murder. They said Mrs. Senn was well all day and did not know she was dying until just before she died. At Mary Ann Senn's when I drove up Etta Boland met me. I met Mary Ann Senn, and when I told her M. Ozella Senn was dead she turned to Etta Boland and said, "What did I tell you?" I was afraid of being put on stand at former inquest on account of a remark of Dave Senn just before inquest. After the body was dressed Dave Senn at first refused to see his wife. He and Helena were in private conversation. He did not seem to grieve at his wife's death. The hair was badly tangled and some pine straw in it. Dave Senn and Helena Boland were anxious to fix her hair and combed it low down on the forehead, low enough to cover the mark on her head. I offered to furnish clothes to redress her, but Dave Senn, Helena Boland and Mrs. Mary Lake refused to let me put them on and take off the ones she had on, except one undershirt. I never saw the naked body. There was blood running out of her mouth.

BETTIE SENN.

Mrs. Mary A. Martin recalled. M. Ozella Senn was not subject to spells.

MARY E. MARTIN.

James M. Kibler, M. D., being duly sworn, says: Live in Newberry County, am a physician, have examined the body of M. Ozella Senn to-day. Examined the skull, it is not fractured. Could not tell on account of post mortem changes that prints of violence on the skin could be observed. Congestion is caused in various ways, it can be produced by choking or strangulation. There was nothing in the stomach to show that congestion was produced from something eaten. The stomach was empty. In death from choking the eyes would be swollen, the balls protruded.

JAMES M. KIBLER, M. D.

John M. Thompson, being duly sworn, says: Live in Newberry County. Am a physician. Examined the body of M. Ozella Senn to-day. No fracture of the skull; made a careful examination; I noticed at former examination a marked protrusion of the eyes. In death from choking or strangulation the eyes are always protruded. At other examination could not have told of the bruises on the skin on account of post mortem changes.

JOHN M. THOMPSON, M. D.

Warren G. Peterson, being duly sworn, says: Live in Newberry County. Am a trial juror. Am acquainted with Mary Ann Senn, Dave Senn and M. Ozella Senn. Mary Ann Senn and Dave Senn were tried before me and convicted. The prosecution was for assault on M. Ozella Senn. M. Ozella Senn came to my house about 9 or 10 o'clock at night. She was afraid to return. Came as she thought her husband and Mary Ann Senn were making arrangements to kill her.

WARREN G. PETERSON.

Nancy Mary Rhodes, C. D. Rhodes, J. T. Stroud, Mrs. Mary Martin, T. J. Layton, D. M. Senn and R. F. Waldrop, testified very much to the same effect as the above.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, NEWBERRY COUNTY.

An inquisition indented and taken at Trauquil Church in Newberry County the 4th day of September, A. D. 1886, before John N. Bass, Coroner for said county, upon view of the body of M. Ozella Senn, then and there being dead, by the oaths of L. F. Longshore, W. E. Longshore, J. P. Hendrix, T. P. Hendrix, H. B. Hendrix, J. W. Reeder, M. J. Waldrop, J. P. Williams, James Speer, J. H. Hendrix, D. C. Reid, Karl Wagner, J. H. Dorroh and D. M. S. Boozer, being a lawful jury of inquest, who being charged and sworn to inquire for the State of South Carolina where and by what means the said M. Ozella Senn came to her death, upon their oaths do say that the said M. Ozella Senn came to her death by the hands of David M. Senn, contrary to her will, in manner and form aforesaid did kill and slay the said M. O. Zella Senn by choking, and that Nancy