

## NEWS AND GOSSIP AT STATE CAPITAL.

### DISPENSARIES TO REOPEN TOMORROW —VARIOUS MATTERS OF GENERAL AND SPECIAL INTEREST.

Columbia, August 23:—Dispensary Auditor West to-day sent out to the various dispensary boards and dispensers a letter calling attention to the fact that the act providing for the closing down of the dispensaries in those counties voting against the sale of liquors provides that no claims shall be paid unless the same have been audited.

The following is Mr West's letter: "Gentlemen: This is to give you notice that under Section 2 of an act of the General Assembly, 1909, providing for the closing of the several dispensaries in those counties voting against sale, no claims are to be paid by you until same have been audited, approved and ordered paid by the State dispensary auditor. This, of course, does not include nor prevent the payment of the current expenses incident to closing up the business, but does include such items as may be due the whiskey houses with which you do business, any unpaid profits and amounts that you may owe banks on notes or for borrowed money. It is expected that all county dispensary boards will adhere strictly to the provisions of this act, and any violation of same will be reported promptly for the reason that it would in all probability give rise to complications and furnish ground for suits and litigations. Yours respectfully,  
W B WEST,  
"Dispensary Auditor."

In the counties that held elections the dispensaries will very probably be opened next Friday. Even in those counties in which protests may come up before the State board the dispensaries will be opened, it is thought. The State board will declare the result and whether there are appeals to courts or not the dispensaries will be opened. In this county it is almost a certainty that the dispensaries will open Friday morning.

**THE BLUE RIDGE RAILROAD.**  
According to a story in an up-country paper interest in Blue Ridge Railroad probabilities has again been revived. The story says in part: "The visit this week of Vice President Andrews, of the Southern Railway, to Seneca and Walhalla and the Blue Ridge properties above that town, stimulates the belief that 'something is doing right now' in that section. Of course, with the customary reticence prevailing in railroad circles, Col' Andrews gave out nothing for publication, but his business there is acknowledged to have been in the interest of Blue Ridge probabilities."

**ELECTION TO BE PROTESTED.**  
Local interest centres in the protest to be argued before the county board of canvassers to-morrow in this city. The prohibitionists in this county are claiming that the election was not conducted altogether according to law, and the effort will be made to have the same annulled. The board for this county consists of Messrs W H Townsend, J B Friday and W H Sligh, with Mr E J Brennen as clerk of the board.

The returns recently published showed that in this county the dispensary won out over prohibition in the election by a majority of 110 votes. The following precincts were carried: Ward 1, Ward 2, Ward 3, Killian's, Waverley, Hyatt Park, Taylor's, Sligh's, Davis, Fairmount, Gadsen, Eastover and Garner's. The vote at Hopkins was a tie, being 14 to 14. The prohibitionists carried Wards 4 and 5 and Shandon, Horrell, Wayside and Midway.

The protest to be filed by the prohibition side to-morrow will touch, it is said, the constitutional and code provisions as to registration receipts having to be shown. Should the board decide that a sufficient number of voters were affected in the event the contention or any part thereof is sustained, the election will be held over again. If they decide to throw out the protest the State board of canvassers will be appealed to, and it is stated that if the State board throws out the contest the courts will

be resorted to by the prohibition forces here.

The following are the code and constitutional provisions that will probably be brought up to-morrow: From the constitution of 1895—"Managers of election shall require of every elector offering to vote at any election, before allowing him to vote, proof of the payment of all taxes, including poll tax, assessed against him and collectible during the previous year. The production of a certificate or of the receipt of the officer authorized to collect such taxes shall be conclusive proof of the payment thereof."

From the code of 1902, Section 213—"The managers of election shall require of any elector offering to vote at any election, before allowing him to vote, in addition to the production of a registration certificate, proof of the payment of all taxes, including poll tax, assessed against him and collectible during the previous year. The production of a certificate or of the receipt of the officer authorized to collect such taxes shall be conclusive proof of the payment thereof."

The State board of canvassers meets Thursday in the office of Secretary of State McCown for the purpose of tabulating returns and considering protests. There will probably be several protests, unless the same should be abandoned in the meantime after a hearing before the county boards.

### PARDONS REFUSED.

Governor Ansel has refused pardons to Elias Winter and T J Cunningham, both of this county. Winter was tried and convicted of grand larceny, being sentenced to 18 months. He was accused of having taking brass from the Southern.

T J Cunningham was sentenced to five years at the spring term of court, 1906, on the charge of assault and battery with intent to kill. The petition was refused by Governor Ansel upon the refusal of both the Solicitor and the Judge to recommend the pardon. Solicitor Timmerman said that inasmuch as the assault was upon a woman the case was a very aggravated one. Judge Memminger, writing from Charleston, said: "I earnestly recommend that this application for a pardon be refused."

Attorney General Lyon was out of the city to-day, and therefore the C, C and O opinion was not given. The matter will most probably be settled as far as the opinion goes when Mr Lyon returns to-morrow.

Capt J G Mobley passed through the city to-day en route to Anderson to address the Red Shirt reunion. Capt Mobley says the State Fair prospects are very bright indeed.

### CHARTERS AND COMMISSIONS.

A commission was issued to-day by the Secretary of State to the Melletta Land company of McBee. The capital of the company is \$100,000. The petitioners are: L A Kerr and W S Blakeney. The company will do a general land, turpentine, cotton, ice plant, and stock and bond business.

A charter was issued to the Hartsville Oil Mill of Hartsville. The capital of the company is \$75,000. The petitioners are: J L Coker, J J Lawton and D R Coker.

A charter was issued to the Franklina Holding company of Greenville. The capital of the company is \$10,000. The corporators of the company are: F F Capers, R C McPherson, Perry Beattie, C S Webb and J E Serrine.

A commission was issued to the Manning Oil Mill. The capital of the company is \$30,000. The petitioners are: J W Norwood of Greenville and C R Sprott of Manning.

### OTHER MATTERS.

State Superintendent of Education Swearingen will deliver an address to-morrow at the educational rally at Aiken. The rally to be held at that place is expected to be one of the most successful to be held during the summer, as great interest has been aroused. The speakers to be heard are: Miss Marie Cromer, J E Swearingen, Dr E L Hughes of Greenville; Mrs Mary Nance Daniel, the Hon C W Garris, J C Gardener and Dr R P Pell.

The superintendent will go to

Laurens on Wednesday to attend the educational rally at that place, which was postponed on account of inclement weather several weeks ago. He will speak at Pelzer on Wednesday night.

### AID GIVEN WEAK SCHOOLS.

Since the first of the month State Superintendent of Education Swearingen has paid out over \$6,000 to the weak schools of the State making application of the fund appropriated by the Legislature for that purpose. Approximately \$7,000 was paid during the spring. The Legislature appropriated \$20,000 for aid to the weak schools of the State, and there is only about \$5,000 of this left for distribution. There are applications for over \$2,500 in the office of Mr Swearingen to be acted upon. The amounts paid out range from \$10 to \$100 to each school. The counties in which the most money has been distributed are: Horry, Saluda, Laurens and Pickens.

The amount appropriated by the Legislature annually for the weak schools of the State is very small, and it is the hope of many that the appropriation will be increased to at least \$50,000 at the next session of the Legislature. This would mean a great improvement in the schools. A resolution favoring the increase of the appropriation was passed at the conference of the county superintendents of education held in Spartanburg several weeks ago, and also at a meeting of the school trustees of Spartanburg county.

## Ten Doctors Said He Would Die

"In 1903 we wrote you regarding my husband, who was suffering from heart trouble. He was superannuated by the North Georgian Conference. Ten doctors at different times said he would die. You advised Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy and Restorative Nervine; we did as advised, and improvement was apparent from the very first. He recovered and the Conference in 1904 gave him a charge. He never felt better, although he has very heavy work and does a great deal of camp meeting work. I am so glad we took your advice and gave him the medicine, and feel that I ought to let you know of the wonderful good results from its use."  
MRS. T. S. EDWARDS,  
Milner, Ga.

This proves what Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy will do. Get a bottle from your druggist and take it according to directions. It does not matter whether your heart is merely weak, or you have organic trouble, if it does not benefit you take the empty bottle to your druggist and get your money back.

Old papers for sale at this office.

### DANGER IN DELAY.

#### Kidney Diseases Are Too Dangerous for Kingstree People to Neglect.

The great danger of kidney troubles is that they get a firm hold before the sufferer recognizes them. Health is gradually undermined, Backache, headache, nervousness, soreness, lumbago, urinary troubles, dropsy, diabetes and Bright's disease follow in merciless succession. Don't neglect your kidneys. Cure the kidneys with the certain and safe remedy, Doan's Kidney Pills, which has cured people right here in this locality.

J A Turner, 114 Palmetto St, Florence, S C, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills are a remedy in which I have the greatest confidence. My back pained me and I had sharp, shooting twinges across my loins. My kidneys were also disordered and the secretions became very irregular in passage. Doan's Kidney Pills soon removed these annoyances and I have not had a return of kidney trouble since. I am glad to tell other persons of this valuable remedy."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

### OUR CLUBBING RATES

We offer cheap clubbing rates with a number of popular newspapers and periodicals. Read carefully the following list and select the one or more that you fancy and we shall be pleased to send in your order. These rates are of course all cash in advance, which means that both THE RECORD and the paper ordered must be paid for, not 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, but TWELVE MONTHS ahead. Below is the list of our best clubbing offers.

THE RECORD and News & Courier (Semi-weekly), \$1.85.

THE RECORD and Home & Farm (twice a month), \$1.35.

THE RECORD and New York World (3 times a week), \$1.75.

THE RECORD and Atlanta Constitution (3 times a week) \$1.85.

THE RECORD and Atlanta Constitution (weekly) \$1.50.

THE RECORD and Bryan's Commoner, \$1.75.

THE RECORD and Cosmopolitan Magazine \$2.00.

THE RECORD and Youth's Companion (New Subscribers) \$2.50.

THE RECORD Semi-Weekly State, \$2.50.

THE RECORD and Lippincott's Magazine 1 year each \$2.75.

THE RECORD and National Magazine, 1 year each, \$2.00.

N. B. We do not club with any daily papers. The first issue you receive of the paper or periodical is evidence that the money for same has been forwarded by us. We are not responsible after that.

THE COUNTY RECORD,  
Kingstree, S. C.

Old papers for sale cheap by the hundred at THE RECORD office.

## PROFESSIONAL CARDS

Office over Singletary Building. Phone

**M. A. WOODS,**  
DENTIST,  
LAKE CITY, S. C.

**CLAYTON & COOKE,**  
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,  
LAKE CITY, S. C.

Office in Singletary Building.  
Special Attention to Collections. 2-35-09

**W. Leland Taylor,**  
DENTIST,  
Office over Dr W V Brockington's Store  
KINGSTREE, S. C.  
5-21-11.

**M. D. Nesmith**  
DENTIST,  
LAKE CITY, S. C.

**W. L. BASS**  
Attorney at Law  
LAKE CITY, S. C.

**Dr R J McCabe**  
Dentist.  
KINGSTREE, S. C.

— J. D. MOUZON'S —  
**BARBER SHOP**  
—in the—  
Kellahan Hotel

is equipped with up-to-date appliances. Polite Service. Competent Workmen.  
5-8-08.

**J. D. GILLAND,**  
Real Estate Broker  
KINGSTREE, S. C.

Wanted cheap farm from two hundred to five hundred acres. Highest state of cultivation not necessary. Prefer farm near Kingstree, and sufficient number of acres under cultivation for six or eight horses. Call and let us know your price and condition of property. Purchase will be made immediately.

**FOR SALE**  
**Poland-China Pigs**

Also a few young Boars and Sows; full-blooded stock entitled to registration; ages from 3 weeks to 6 months. Prices from \$5.00 to \$10.00. Prices quoted are less than one-half what the same grade of hogs will cost you in Virginia or Tennessee. These are fine specimens of hogs, from my experience far superior to the Berkshire. Though I have a few Berkshires for sale too, but not full-blooded.  
Come and see me or send in your order. I will please you.  
**J. J. M. GRAHAM,**  
Cades, S. C.

6-17-3mos.

# FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

The original  
**LAXATIVE** cough remedy.

For coughs, colds, throat and lung troubles. No opiates. Non-alcoholic. Good for everybody. Sold everywhere.

The genuine  
**FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR** is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes.

Prepared only by  
**Foley & Company, Chicago.**  
W. L. Wallace.



**McCALL PATTERNS**  
Celebrated for style, perfect fit, simplicity and reliability nearly 40 years. Sold in nearly every city and town in the United States and Canada, or by mail direct. More sold than any other make. Send for free catalogue.

**McCALL'S MAGAZINE**  
More subscribers than any other fashion magazine—million a month. Invaluable. Latest styles, patterns, dressmaking, millinery, plain-sewing, fancy needlework, hairdressing, etiquette, good stories, etc. Only 50 cents a year (worth double), including a free pattern. Subscribe today, or send for sample copy.

**WONDERFUL INDUCEMENTS**  
to Agents. Postal brings premium catalogue and new cash prize offers. Address  
**THE McCALL CO., 235 to 245 W. 37th St., NEW YORK**

## Paint Your Buggy!

We can make it look like new. Any  
**BUGGY, CARRIAGE, WAGON**  
or other vehicle

Improved 100 Per Cent.  
in appearance by painting.



Also  
**Blacksmith, Wheelwright, Horse shoeing and General Repair Work on short notice.**

**Bring Us Your Work.**  
**W. M. Vause & Son**  
6-10-11

**HACKER MANUFACTURING CO.**  
SUCCESSORS TO  
**GEO. S. HACKER & SON**  
CHARLESTON, S. C.



**WE MANUFACTURE**  
Doors, Sash and Blinds; Columns and Balusters; Grilles and Gable Ornaments; Screen Doors and Windows.

**WE DEAL IN**  
Glass, Sash Cord and Weights.

# GIGANTIC ALTERATION SALE!

**OUR BIG BUSINESS GROWS BIGGER.**

**CONSEQUENTLY** we have to enlarge our buildings, and our stores when completed will be five hundred feet long running in Arcade form, right through the block from King to Meeting street, giving us a floor space of forty thousand feet.

**Louis Cohen & Co.**  
232 and 234 King St., Charleston, S. C.

The Largest Wholesale and Retail Mail Order House in the South.

**WHILE THESE ALTERATION SALES ARE GOING ON**

**YOU** and your friends can benefit by the richest money saving chances that ever came your way. **WE MUST HAVE THE ROOM!** Profit is not thought of—Cost is lost sight of. No matter what you want, write us an open order, we'll fill it as carefully as if you were standing at our elbow, and save you from 1-3 to 1-2 on every purchase.

# Call when you come to Charleston