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that, when developed, are destined to make us the most prosperous people in the world. The material exhibits of this great Exposition will be an invaluable advertisement to those contributing, and must leave an impression of permanent influence over our State, in broadening all its activities by giving us fresh ideas of adjusting ourselves to the new conditions in this age of aggressive progressive and manifold development.

But to attain this desirable result, we must recognize the sound business wisdom of demonstrating to the world our sources of success and prosperity.

Just in proportion as a business contributes to the general interests of the people, will it secure to itself a success which will assuredly react over the whole community. No one section can thrive without the infection spreading to all the contiguous regions until it becomes identified with the hopes and ambitions of the entire country.

Never have the general conditions of our Southland been more inspiring than at present. Never have the vexed questions of social economy been better adjusted than now in this favored county of Abbeville. She has a record to which we may well point with pride, and if we would prove ourselves worthy of the traditions of her glorious past, and true to the grand old section, beautiful for situation, with every natural advantage, we must cast aside the spirit of self satisfaction and the stagnating conservatism which has too strongly characterized us as a people and live with the active present.

We must advance with the current, or be cast aside in the race which is upon us.

With the bright outlook in view, may we not be ready at once for the "South Carolina, In State and West Indian Exposition" next fall? State pride, as well as self interest demands that we should exert every effort to bring it to a successful termination. It is held in our own state, in our own historic city by the sea, which is love and honor. Our own men will control it, and we will reap the full benefits that may accrue from it!

This is the golden opportunity for our County to advertise to the world its wonderful possibilities of soil and climate. Let our people begin at once to avail themselves of it. Our farmers should go to work at the beginning of the new year to make more cotton per acre, better wheat, oats and corn than ever before, specimens of each product to be on exhibition as an advertisement of our fertile lands and wonderful resources. Let the owners of our several gold mines exhibit specimens to nuggets to prove to the world, that Nevada, and the Klondike have not a monopoly of the genuine metal. So with iron and other ores. Let our factory, one of the finest in the South, show what Southern skill and brains can accomplish. Let the Standard Oil Company know that no finer product is made than that which flows from our own oil mill.

Let the hard woods of our forest which are so fashionable in house decorations and furniture attract the artisans and manufacturers of New England to our midst.

Now, Mr. Editor why not get ready for the Interstate and West Indian Exposition, by having an Abbeville Fair next fall? We all remember how the Carnival last Summer, with only a few days preparation, developed hidden resources which surprised everybody. "As iron sharpeth iron," so does contact of mind with mind stimulate and encourage us, to leave our narrow little circles, and to reach out after higher ideals.

Let us with the new year whose threshold we are now crossing, resolve that no county shall have a better Fair, or finer exhibits than Abbeville in every department, from the gold mines dotting our lands, to the cotton bolls and grain which fill our pockets and granaries.

Let our ladies, who are indispensible to the success of such enterprises inaugurate a movement to develop their resources in all the departments of housewifery, and fancy work which their fair deft fingers may design.

Our distinguished Carolinian, Gen. E. W. Moise has accepted an invitation to address the people of Abbeville County at this place on saleday in January on the objects and purposes of the Exposition. Others will also take part in the discussion. So let everybody attend and start the new year with a long pull, a strong pull and a pull altogether for the Abbeville County Fair and the South Carolina Inter State and West Indian Exposition in 1901—1902

J. R. BLAKE, JR.

Abbeville, S. C., Nov. 26th. 1900.

Messrs. McDill & Lyon have just opened several handsome couches in leather, corduroy and moquette. They have a new store, new goods, but old prices. Every day you see evidences of a good trade down on Trinity Street.

L. W. White's Locals.

Our clothing trade goes briskly on, notwithstanding the mild weather. Come and secure your suit and overcoat so that you will be prepared for Winter when it does come.

When in need of good shoes be sure to buy those made by Hamilton Brown Company. Sold only in Abbeville by L. W. White.

Go to L. W. White's store and provide yourself with suits of underwear. They will preserve your health and keep you warm and comfortable during the coming Winter.

The second installment of men's and boys' hats and caps has just arrived at the store of L. W. White. If you want a stylish hat or a comfortable cap, this is the place to find it.

Remember that you can always find at L. W. White's clothing store the very best assortment of shirts and collars, neckwear and handkerchiefs.

J. D. Kerr's Locals.

Just think of it, an all wool smyrna rug egular size at Kerr's for $1.00.

Over five dozen of that famous smyrna rug sold in one week. Plenty left.

See our line of toilet sets in ten and twelve pieces, all colors and prices are right.

Don't forget the famous "Dexter" mattress. It leads them all. We are sole agents.

Pictures to beat the band. We have them from a chromo up to the finest plate engraving.

Pillows, comforts, rugs, shades, chairs, tables, rockers, side boards, ward robes, chamber suits, dressing tables, hall racks, desks, roll and flat top, combination cases, book cases, couches, lounges, screens, chairs, bureaus, beds, pictures, lamps, toilet sets, china closets and everything kept in a first class furniture store at J. D. Kerr's.

We are selling the furniture. Just to think of it, you can get a bed 42 inches high, double look, bracket rail, full width for $2.00.

A good oak bed, double hook, bracket rail, guaranteed for only $2.50 at Kerr's.

Visit our stora, examine our etock, get our prices and if we do not sell you the fault is yours. J. D. Kerr.

We claim to carry the largest stock, do the biggest business of anything in our line in Abbeville county. J. D. Kerr.

New school books adopted by the State Board for sale at

DuPre's Book Store.

Cold weather is approaching. Go to Milford's Drug Store and buy your glass and putty and get ready for it.

See and price our shoes before purchasing. L. T. & T. M. Miller.

Best line fancy cakes and crackers in the city. L. T. & T. M. Miller.

Strawberry twist tobacco, 10c a plug, something rich and waxy at Speed Drug Co.

The place to get what you want. Goods sent at once to any part of city. Speed Drug Co.

When you go home and your neighbor tells you what the Speed Drug Co., did for him you may be sorry you did not look them up for books, slates, crayon, glass or anything in the drug line.

Greenville	44,310	53,490
Hampton	20,544	23,738
Horry	19,256	23,364
Kershaw	22,361	24,696
Lancaster	20,761	24,311
Laurens	31,610	37,382
Lexington	22,181	27,264
Marion	29,976	35,181
Marlboro	23,500	27,639
Newberry	26,434	30,182
Oconee	18,687	23,634
Orangeburg	49,393	59,663
Pickens	16,389	19,375
Richland	36,821	45,589
Spartanburg	55,385	65,560
Sumter	43,605	51,237
Union	23,368	25,501
Williamsburg	27,777	31,685
York	38,831	41,684
Bamberg		17,296
Cherokee		21,359
Dorchester		16,294
Greenwood		23,343
Saluda		18,956
Total	1,151,149	1,340,316

The large decrease shown in Berkely and corresponding large increase in Charleston is accounted for by the transferrence of a large strip of Berkeley county into Charleston county.

The five new counties at the foot of the table were taken from parts of Abbeville, Barnwell, Colleton, Edgefield, Spartanburg, Union and York; and the fact should be considered in the comparison.

Greenville county gained 9,180 in its population, an increase of 20.7 per cent, the increase for the whole State being 16.4.

Anderson county shows the largest rate of increase—nearly 30 per cent.

THANKSGIVING.

Business Houses Will Close Their Doors.

We, the undersigned business men of the City of Abbeville, agree to close our places of business on Thanksgiving day, (Thursday 29th, inst.)

W. Joel Smith & Son.
T. P. Quarles.
J. G. Edwards.
W. D. Barksdale.
National Bank of Abbeville.
W. T. Penney.
Amos B. Morse.
J. W. Rykard.
J. Allen Smith, Jr.
R. M. Haddon & Co.
Cobb & McDavid.
P. Rosenburg & Co.
L. W. White.
C. W. Kendall.
L. T. & T. M. Miller.
J. C. DuPre.
J. R. Glenn.
McDill & Lyon.
A. H. S. Day.
J. S. Cochran.
T. C. Liddell.
D. H. Wilder.
J. F. Miller.
Geo. W. Lomax.
H. M. Tate & Co.
R. M. Hill.
J. M. Wilkinson.
W. G. Chapman.
Mrs. Mary Taggart.
Douglass & Keller.
E. A. Templeton.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Appotionment of the School Funds of Abbeville County for Scholastic Year 1900-1901.

Number of School Districts.	On hand for School purposes 1900 1901.
1	$ 185 05
2	259 70
3	750 87
4	210 88
5	125 35
6	211 40
7	452 95
8	568 89
9	558 98
10	961 29
11	302 12
12	685 55
13	760 99
14	432 00
15	441 74
16	218 95
17	489 99
18	282 15
19	483 60
20	514 46
21	612 80
22	1781 38
23	380 85
24	304 01
25	332 66
26	327 48
27	510 70
28	273 75
29	342 81
30	405 55
31	518 68
32	253 04
33	302 55
34	267 15
35	207 66
36	251 50
37	511 18
38	1013 29
39	448 41
40	226 50
41	212 50
42	237 50
43	358 33
44	210 62
45	228 94
46	170 00
47	215 00
48	187 50
49	207 50
50	442 12
Total	$20,634 00

In accordance with law I have made the above apportionment, by School Districts, of the school funds of Abbeville County, for the Scholastic year, beginning July 1st, 1900, and ending June 30th, 1901.

The above includes all money to be apportioned.

J. S. Gilbert,
County Superintendent of Education.

MAIL CLOSES.

Mails Coming and Going Every Hour in the Day.

Hours that the mails close at the Abbeville post office:

9.05 a. m. going North on the Southern.
10.50 a. m. going South on the Southern.
10.50 a. m. going to Hodges.
11.40 a. m. going South on the S. A. L.
11.40 a. m. going North on the S. A. L.
1.10 p. m. going North on the Southern.
1.10 p. m. going to Hodges.
2.55 p. m. going South S. A. L.
3.55 p. m. going North S. A. L.
5.40 p. m. going South Southern.
8.00 p. m. going North and South S. A. L.

Robt. S. Link, Postmaster

Morse's Locals.

"Veal Loaf" is nice for lunch or tea and only 25c for a large square can.

Or you would like corned pork, corned beef, chipped beef in pound or half pound cans. Deviled chicken, potted ham and tongue or those choice vienna sausages.

"Bromangelen" in all flavors. A very dainty desert.

Nice Baldwin apples just in, and oranges expected very soon, both Florida and Jamaica's.

Evaporated apples and peaches, citron and raisins now in stock, currants, prunes and almonds to arrive this week.

Olives, olive oil, pickles, prepared mustard and salad dressings.

In canned vegetables and fruits we have asparagus, peas, corn, baked beans, tomatoes, okra and tomatoes, peaches and peas.

Come and get a good saddle or a cheap saddle. I have a new kind of saddle blanket, the best you ever saw.

Single and double breech loading guns. Prices to suit the times.

Did you ever see a pretty good 16-year old boy's suit for 75c, if not, come and get one. Sizes from 16 down to 6 years.

Pants at 50c, 85c, $1, $1.50, $2, $2.50 and $3, regular and extra sizes.

How about dolls, doll heads, doll carriages, wagons, balls? I have them.

Come and get a pretty water set, jardinier or fancy vase.

...Carolina,

...F ABBEVILLE.

...TE COURT.

...ministrator Estate of K. ...sed, Plaintiff, against E. ...hers, Defendants.—Com... ...ts to Pay Debts.

...AN ORDER IN THE ...vil sell at Public Outcry ...House, on Saleday in DE... ...he payment of debts, the ...real estate belonging to ...Haddon, deceased, situate ...County, to wit: All that ...with the buildings there... ...Haddon Homestead, con...

...half (1 1-2) Acres,

...d by lands of A. J. Pen... ...Columbia & Greenville ...

TERMS—One-half cash, the balance, on a credit of twelve months, with interest from day of sale, the credit portion to be secured by bond of purchaser and a mortgage of the premises; or, purchaser may have option of paying all cash. Purchaser to pay for papers, recording and stamps.

R. E. HILL,
Nov. 12, 1900. Judge Probate Court.

State of South Carolina,

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

PROBATE COURT.

J. L. Perrin, C. C. C. P., as Administrator Estate of Caesar Turman and others.—Complaint to Sell Lands to Pay Debts.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF THIS Court made in the above stated case, I will sell at Public Outcry at Abbeville Court House, on Saleday in DECEMBER, 1900, for the payment of debts, the following described real estate belonging to the estate of Caesar Turman, deceased, situate in said State and County, to wit: An undivided one-half interest in all that tract or parcel of land, known as the Turman Homestead, containing

One Hundred and Twenty-Four (124) Acres,

more or less, bounded by lands of S. A. McIntosh, the Oakland Tract, Anderson Turman and others.

Also an undivided one-third interest in all that tract or parcel of land, containing

Two Hundred and Seventy-Two [272] Acres,

more or less, bounded by lands of West Firkin, S. A. McIntosh and others, being a part of the Oakland Tract.

TERMS—Cash. Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps.

R. E. HILL,
Nov. 12, 1900. Judge Probate Court.

State of South Carolina,

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

PROBATE COURT.

J. L. Perrin, C. C. C. P., as Administrator Estate Lucy Turman, deceased, Plaintiff, against Anderson Turman and others, Defendants.—Complaint to Sell Lands to Pay Debts.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER MADE IN the above stated case, I will sell at Public Outcry at Abbeville Court House, on Saleday in DECEMBER, 1900, for the payment of debts, the following described real estate belonging to the estate of Lucy Turman, deceased, situate in said State and County, to wit: An undivided half interest in all that tract or parcel of land, known as the Cesar Turman Homestead, containing

One Hundred and Twenty-Four (124) Acres,

more or less, bounded by lands of S. A. McIntosh, the Oakland Tract and lands of Andrew Turman.

TERMS—Cash. Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps.

R. E. HILL,
Nov. 12, 1900. Judge Probate Court.

State of South Carolina,

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

PROBATE COURT.

Joel W. Fisher as Administrator, Plaintiff against Peter Morton, et. al., Defendants—Complaint to Sell Lands to Pay Debts.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER MADE IN the above stated case, I will sell at Public Outcry at Abbeville Court House, on Saleday in DECEMBER, 1900, next, for the payment of debts, the following described real estate belonging to the estate of Jennie Keller, deceased, situate in said State and County, to wit: All that tract or parcel lands, known as William Keller Homestead, containing

Twenty-Three (23) Acres,

more or less, bounded by lands of Joel W. Lites and Mrs. L. H. Miller and others.

TERMS—One-half Cash, the balance on a credit of twelve months, with interest from day of sale, the credit portion to be secured by bond of purchaser and a mortgage of the premises; or, purchaser may have option of paying all cash. Purchaser to pay for papers, recording and stamps.

R. E. HILL,
Nov. 13, 1900, tf Judge Probate Court.

Pretty cheviots at 7c, extra wide and heavy check homespuns, 38-inch Sea Island 5c, fancy outings at 5 and 8½c. One piece fine cream outing for ladies and children's night dresses. Black and blue duck, percales, prints, worsted, plaids, etc., in great variety.

I have a few sacks of fine seed rye that I will close out cheap. Amos. B. Morse.

Also a good stock of choice seed wheat, "Blue Stem, Early Ulay and Fultz."

Amos B. Morse.

Rubber Coats—For Ladies and Misses at Haddon's.

A. M. Hill & Sons will receive a car load of the celebrated Studebaker wagons this week. They are the leading wagon of the world. They will be all sizes to suit the farmers.

Call Early—If you wish a pretty all wool dress for the little girl, only 20c yard at Haddon's.

Combinola—a new game board for sale at

DuPre's Book Store.

Special Sale—Of 36 inch all wool, Dress Goods. New winter shades at 25 and 50 at Haddon's.

Price our rugs before you buy. We have an immense stock bought at close prices, and we will sell you the same way. McDill & Lyon.

Try our canned asparagus if you want something fine. L. T. & T. M. Miller.

Loaded U. M. C. Shells for sale by L. T. & T. M. Miller.

Pretty jardiniers cheep at Morse's for th balance of the season.

Send your old clothes to C. P. Hammond's laundry and have them cleaned and pressed.

DENTAL NOTICE.

Dr. S. G. Thomson,

OFFICE UP-STAIRS ON McILWAIN Corner, Abbeville, S. C.

Master's Sale.

The State of South Carolina,

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Mary Etta Pruitt against F. V. Pruitt and others.

BY AUTHORITY OF A DECREE OF sale by the Court of Common Pleas for Abbeville County, in said State, made in the above stated case, I will offer for sale, at Public Outcry, at Abbeville C. H., S. C., on Salesday in DECEMBER (3rd,) A. D. 1900, within the legal hours of sale the following described land, to wit: All that lot of land situate, lying and being in Abbeville County, in the State aforesaid, in the town of Due West, containing

One (1) Acre and Twenty-Seven Perches,

more or less, and bounded by lands of J. B. Bonner, E. H. Edwards, J. L. Miller and others, situated on College Avenue.

2. All that tract or parcel of land lying on the road in Abbeville County leading to Anderson Court House from Due West, bounded by lands of J. J. McAdams, Bryson Clinkscales and others, containing

Twenty-Eight (28) Acres,

more or less. Also,

3. All that tract or parcel of land situated in Due West Township, known as the Tribble Place, recently known as the Homestead of F V. Pruitt, containing

Two Hundred and Twenty (220) Acres,

more or less, and bounded by lands of J. J. McAdams, Estate Bryson Clinkscales and lands of the Estate formerly belonging to Robert Ellis, deceased.

TERMS OF SALE—One-half of the purchase money cash, the balance on a credit o twelve months, secured by bond of the purchaser and a mortgage of the premises, with leave to pay all cash. Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps.

L. W. PERRIN,
Nov. 12, 1900, 3t Master A. C. S. C.

Master's Sale.

The State of South Carolina,

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Dora A. Donnald against Ruth T. Donnald and others.

BY AUTHORITY OF A DECREE OF SALE by the Court of Common Pleas of Abbeville County, in said State, made in the above stated case, I will offer for sale at Public Outcry, at Abbeville C. H., S. C., on Salesday in DECEMBER, (3rd,) A. D. 1900, within the legal hours of sale the following described land, to wit: All that lot or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Abbeville County, in the State aforesaid, containing

Two (2) Acres,

more or less, in the Town of Donnalds, bounded by Southern Railway, by lands of W. B. Acker, by the street leading to Honea Path, and by a house and lot occupied by Rev. — Swindler.

Also that lot or parcel of land lying in the Town of Donnalds in said County and State, containing

One-Half (1-2) of One Acre,

more or less, bounded by the church lot, lands of W. R. Dunn, ro... Honea Path, and by a street separating ... from the Drug Store lot.

TERMS OF SAL... one-half cash, balance on credit of twel... months, with interest from day of sale, sec... by bond of purchaser and mortgage of ... premises, with leave to pay all cash. Purcha... pay for papers and stamps.

Nov. 12, 1900.

Master's Sale.

The State of South Carolina,

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Francis L. Williford, Administratrix of the Personal Estate of Jane Gerk, deceased, against Julia Morrison.—Complaint for Foreclosure.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE made in the above stated case by the Court of Common Pleas, I will offer for sale at public outcry, at Abbeville C. H., S. C., on Salesday in DECEMBER (3), A. D. 1900, within the legal hours of sale the following described property, to wit: All that tract or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in Donalds Township, Abbeville County, State aforesaid, containing

Eighty-Four (84) Acres,

more or less, and bounded by lands of Mrs. Sallie Mattison on the south, Mrs. Emma Humphreys on the west, Wards road on the northwest, by B. L. Morrison on the east, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to pay the same due.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash. Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps.

L. W. PERRIN,
Nov. 7, 1900. Master A. C. S. C.

Charleston and Western Carolina R. R

Augusta and Asheville Short Line.

In effect May 27, 1900.

Lv Augusta	9 40 am	1 40 pm
Ar Greenwood	12 15 pm	.....
Ar Harris Springs	12 52 pm	.....
Ar Anderson	.....	6 10 pm
Ar Laurens	1 20 pm	6 35 am
Ar Greenville	3 00 pm	9 00 am
Ar Glenn Springs	4 00 pm	.....
Ar Spartanburg	3 10 pm	10 20 am
Ar Saluda	5 38 pm	.....
Ar Hendersonville	6 08 pm	.....
Ar Asheville	7 00 pm	.....
Lv Asheville	8 20 am	.....
Lv Spartanburg	11 45 am	4 10 pm
Lv Glenn Springs	10 00 am	.....
Lv Greenville	12 01 am	4 00 pm
Lv Laurens	1 37 pm	.....
Lv Anderson	.....	6 35 am
Lv Greenwood	2 37 pm	4 30 am
Ar Augusta	5 10 pm	10 48 am
Lv Augusta	.....	1 55 pm
Ar Allendale	.....	3 58 pm
Ar Fairfax	.....	4 12 pm
Ar Yemassee	9 00 am	5 20 pm
Ar Beaufort	10 15 am	6 15 pm
Ar Port Royal	10 30 am	6 30 pm
Ar Savannah	.....	.....
Ar Charleston	.....	.....
Lv Charleston	.....	5 30 am
Lv Port Royal	1 00 pm	6 25 am
Lv Beaufort	1 16 pm	6 35 am
Lv Yemassee	2 30 pm	7 20 am
Lv Fairfax	.....	8 33 am
Lv Allendale	.....	8 44 am
Ar Augusta	.....	10 45 "
Lv Greenwood	.....	4 05 am
Ar Laurens	.....	6 00 am
Lv Laurens	.....	6 15 am
Ar Spartanburg	.....	9 10 am
Lv Spartanburg	.....	4 10 pm
Lv Laurens	.....	7 30 pm
Ar Greenwood	.....	9 00 pm

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ABBEVILLE - SOUTH CAROLINA.

May 4, 1898. tf

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A GOOD PLATE.....$8.00
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I AM PREPARED AT ALL TIMES TO furnishes my customers

FRESH BEEF, PORK, SAUSAGE,
And Fresh Loaf Bread

Fresh fish on Friday and Saturday. Highest market prices paid for Beeves and Hogs and Green Salt Hides.

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March 21, 1900. tf.

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From $30 up. Owensboro Wagons. White Hickory Wagons. We also have a full line of

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Jan. 2, 1900. tf MILL OFFICE.

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AND ALL BUILDING MATERIAL.

A. G. FAULKNER, Manager

W. S. COTHRAN, Proprietor.

We have more window shades and curtain poles than we know what to do with. Come down and get what you want. McDill & Lyon.

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Big Lot of Groceries of all Kinds....

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Canned goods to beat the band. Almost all kinds at low prices.
Tobacco—Schnapps No. 1, Horn, Apple and lots of other brands.
Cheese and Maccaroni, Oat Flakes, etc.
Splendid lot of Oat Seed, Red Rust Proof.
Some Syrup at bargain prices.
Goods, Shoes, Jeans, Outings, Worsted. A fine line of Staple Dry

Our sample line of Hats and Caps all at wholesale cost. Come and see.
White Fish Mackerel, etc. COME AND SEE US.

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...From Dewy Eve to Early Morn.

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If these shoes don't give you satisfaction, we will give you another pair. If you are to be married any time soon get a pair of BANNISTER'S Patent Leather Vici Kid. The prettiest shoe brought to this country. We have them in Enamel Calf, Box Calf Zurah Calf, Kid, etc.

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If you are wanting shoes, and good ones, call on us and we will make it to your interest to buy from us,

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DECEMBER 3rd.

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Has a big lot of Bicycles on hand and will auction them off Salesday. Come prepared to buy you a Wheel. Good Christmas present for your boy.

Very respectfully,

C. P. HAMMOND.

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WRITE TO OR CALL on the undersigned or to the Director of your Township for any information you may desire about our plan of Insurance.

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and do so cheaper than any Insurance Company in existence.

Remember we are prepared to prove to you that ours is the safest and cheapest plan of Insurance known.

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Abbeville, S. C., Nov. 17, 1900.

TAX COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

HIS OFFICE WILL BE OPEN FROM MONDAY, OCTOBER 15th UNTIL MONDAY, DECEMBER 31st.

The Rate of State, County, School and Special Tax, Including One Dollar Poll Tax, One Dollar Commutation Tax.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ACT TO raise supplies for the fiscal year commencing January 1, 1900, notice is hereby given that the office of County Treasurer of Abbeville County will be open for the collection of taxes for said fiscal year from Monday, October 15th, until Monday, December 31st, without penalty. Rates per cent. of taxation are as follows:

State Tax.....5 mills.
Ordinary County Tax.....2½ "
School.....3 "
Sinking Fund.....1 "
Total.....11½

In addition to the above a special tax will be collected for school purposes as follows:

Town of Mt. Carmel.....3 mills.
Lowndesville.....4 mills.
Sharon.....4 mills.
Bethel.....3 mills.
Due West.....3 mills.
Town of Abbeville:
Retiring Railroad Bonds and paying interest on same.....1½ mills.
Special School, retiring bonds and paying interest on same 5½ "

A poll tax of One Dollar per capita on all male citizens between the age of 21 and 60 years, except such as are exempt by law, will be collected.

A commutation road tax of One Dollar will be collected the same time as other taxes from all male citizens between the age of 18 and 50 years, except such as are exempted by law. Unless said tax is paid by first of Feb., 1901, four days work upon the public highways will be required under a contractor.

Taxes are payable only in gold and silver coin, United States currency, National Bank notes and Coupons of State Bonds which become payable during the year 1901.

For convenience of tax-payers, I will visit the places designated below for the purpose of collecting taxes:

Lowndesville, Monday and Tuesday, November 26 and 27.
Mt. Carmel, Wednesday, November 28.
Willington, Thursday, November 29.
McCormick, Friday and Saturday, November 30 and December 1, till 12 o'clock latter day.
Donalds, Wednesday, December 5.
Due West, Thursday, December 6.
During above dates my office will be closed.

Parties desiring information by mail in regard to their taxes will please write before December 15th, stating the location of their property, and include postage for reply, and those paying taxes by check must include the charge for collection.

J. R. BLAKE, JR.,
Treasurer.

Oct. 1, 1900. tf

GLENNS

11 lbs. Soda, 25c.

15 bxs. Soap, 25c.

SPECIAL LOW PRICE On Shoes Shirts, Suspenders, Pants, Overalls, Jeans, Denims, Outings, Cheviots, Checks, Drills, Oil Cloth, White Goods, &c.

JARS, Jugs, Buckets, Baskets, Brooms, Bluing, Blacking, Lamps, Chimneys, Tinware.

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