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cotton buyer has bought cotton for two seasons on one license. There appears to be something wrong some how, somewhere.

If you say, it is a bad law, and should be repealed, I agree with you, and I believe it is your good self who labored so earnestly to rid us of it during the last sitting of the General Assembly, but only succeeded in getting it through the Senate.

While it is a law let's all respect it, and those who will not, force them to do so. And now, if I have been misinformed as to what I have stated, any man may go to the records and examine for him self, both my informant and I are ready to apologize.

Foreston, S. C. Sept. 11.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and State aforesaid, and that said firm is the proprietor of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1898.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

ALL OVER THE COUNTRY.

INTERESTING HAPPENINGS OF A WEEK BOILED DOWN.

Bryan will go to Ohio and speak in the interest of Lee.

The makers of wall paper in London have formed a trust and raised prices.

M. Y. Darnell, sheriff of Harlan county, Ga., was run over and killed by an engine on the Southern railroad at Moskidae, Ala.

The Wilder guards, a crack military organization of Knoxville, has volunteered to go to the Philippines or wherever the president may see fit to send them.

The officers of the Roane Iron company, who own the large furnaces at Rockwood, Tenn., announce that on Sept. 15 they will begin the erection of another large furnace at that place.

William Youngblood, national Republican committeeman from Alabama, expressed his disapproval of the action of Circuit Judge Shelby in displacing Clerk N. W. Trimble of the United States court to make room for Major Charles J. Allison.

Sarah A. Baker, the oldest American actress, is dead near Philadelphia. She was born in 1818.

The city school board of Chattanooga has rejected Lee's history on the ground that it was partial to the south.

St. Joseph's Orphan asylum at Hartwell, a suburb of Cincinnati, was destroyed by fire. No lives were lost.

While digging a well on Lookout Mountain G. M. Jarnagan and others discovered gold quartz in large quantities.

The mayor of Macon has wired Adjutant General Corbin offering to receive from his own cities reported infected with yellow fever.

Great Britain and the United States have practically agreed upon a temporary line defining the boundary between Alaska and Canada.

The attorney general of South Carolina has served notice on ex-Federalist Senator James Neal's bondsmen that they will have to pay up his shortage or suit will be entered.

McKinley will present to Dewey the sword voted him by congress.

The new battleship Kearsarge made a record of 17 1/2 knots on her trial trip.

Advices received from New York state that the Southern railway has bought the Knoxville and Bristol road.

American apples are in such great demand in Germany this year that shippers have commenced one month earlier than usual.

A factory has been started at Titusville, Fla., for the manufacture of recently patented tents to protect orange trees in winter.

Judge Baldwin of the Connecticut supreme court declared in an address that it was wrong for doctors in cases of mortal disease to seek to prolong life.

The farmers of Troop county, Ga., have passed resolutions denouncing they will hold their cotton until the price reaches 8 cents and calling on planters throughout the south to join in the movement.

The Garden City hotel at Garden City, L. I., owned by the A. T. Stewart estate, has been burned.

Admiral Dewey expressed the hope that the dry season in the Philippines would see the insurrection quelled.

The Alabama Steel and Wire company's plant, now in course of construction at Ensley, will be in operation by Oct. 15.

The Southeastern Passenger association has issued a circular giving a rate of one fare for the round trip during the state fair in Atlanta.

The German ambassador at Washington gave a dinner to Mr. Chambers, chief justice of Samoa, and the fact is taken to indicate a better state of feeling.

Two hundred coal miners at the Sale creek mines, near Chattanooga, have gone on a strike because the company was furnishing coal to the Dayton Coal and Iron company, whose miners are on a strike for higher wages.

Admiral Henry F. Pickens, commandant of the Boston navy yard, is dead.

Andrew Carnegie, it is said, will be the next Liberal candidate for parliament from Sutherlandshire.

The lowest price on record for "future" coffee was reached in New York when October deliveries sold at 4 1/2 cents.

A small body of troops from San Salvador have crossed the frontier of Nicaragua and attacked the garrison located near the Pacific coast.

New Jersey won the Hilton challenge trophy on the rifle range at Sea Girt, defeating the Georgia team, which captured the prize last year.

Mayor S. L. Davis and his six councilmen of Hobson City, Ala., Calhoun county's new exclusively negro town, have been inducted into office.

Planters CUBAN OIL cures Cuts, Burns, Bruises, Rheumatism and Sores. Price, 25 cents. Sold by R. B. Loryea.

MISTRIAL IN DELEGAL CASE.

Jury Unable to Agree After Remaining Out All Night.

DARIEN, Ga., Sept. 8.—From 9 o'clock yesterday morning till 6 p. m. the case of the state versus Henry Delegal, charged with assault on a white woman, was being tried. The trial was conducted strictly in private, no one being permitted to enter the courtroom except those connected with the case.

The defense did not put up a single witness, while the state had three, viz: Troop Wallace, father of the woman who claims to have been assaulted, the woman herself, Matilda Hope by name, and Dr. P. S. Clark.

About 3 o'clock the evidence was completed and the judge granted a short recess for dinner, after which the counsel for both sides argued the question till 6 o'clock, when the case being rested, Judge Seabrook after a short charge permitted the jury to retire.

Some thought a very few minutes would suffice for a verdict to be agreed on, while others thought differently. The latter proved to be correct, as the jury remained out from 6 p. m. yesterday till 9 a. m. this morning.

The judge was then called to the bar and told that the jury stood seven to five for conviction with no hope of any nearer agreement. Judge Seabrook then declared a mistrial and appointed next Wednesday as the day for another trial.

As has already been stated, Delegal's sons and wife, charged with the murder of Joseph Townsend, will be tried in Etchingham county next Wednesday under the grant of a change of venue and Henry Delegal will take his second trial at that session of court.

Judge Seabrook has certainly shown his desire to avoid unnecessary delay and expense to state and county by a promptness in calling these terms of court and a close attendance upon his duties. His action all through the matter calls for admiration.

PROGRESS OF THE SOUTH.

New Industrial Enterprises Reported During the Week.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 8.—Among the many new industrial enterprises reported by The Manufacturers' Record during the week the following are the more important:

A 10,000 spindle cotton mill, \$250,000 iron mining and manufacturing company in Alabama.

A \$200,000 coal mining and coke manufacturing company, \$60,000 cotton mill and \$40,000 terminal company in Georgia.

A \$30,000 company to build 800-barrel rice mill and \$50,000 lumber plant in Louisiana.

A cottonseed oil mill, \$5,000 ginney and round bale compress and \$65,000 cotton mill in Mississippi.

A \$10,000 truck package factory and \$14,000 wagon factory supplies factory in North Carolina.

A 5,000-spindle cotton mill, \$3,000 ginney company, \$30,000 telephone company, \$100,000 construction company in North Carolina.

A \$150,000 telephone company, 6,000-spindle cotton mill, \$10,000 handle factory, \$100,000 coal mining company and 100-barrel flour mill in Tennessee.

A \$25,000 knitting mill, \$10,000 lumber company and 75-barrel flour mill in Virginia.

BELT LINE FOR ATLANTA.

Local Capitalists Will Build a Road Around the City.

ATLANTA, Sept. 8.—A company, with plenty of money, and composed of some of the most prominent men of the city, will soon apply to the state of Georgia for a charter to construct a belt line of railroads extending completely around the city and touching at various points with the different railroads entering Atlanta. It will have double tracks, and the roadbed will be made firstclass in every particular.

The main object of the belt line will be to allow the transfer of freight cars around the city instead of through the business portions as at present. When the line is built, and satisfactory arrangements are made, Atlantians will be troubled with no more freight cars in the center of the town except those that contain goods for the business sections.

The grade crossing evil is one that has been considered a serious drawback to the city for many years, and the prospect of its early elimination will be greeted with delight. Numbers of people have been killed and injured at the Whitehall, Loyd and Pryor street crossings, to say nothing of the countless delays to traffic and business resulting from the switching of freight trains there every day.

Coal Miners on a Strike.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Sept. 3.—The miners employed by the Terrell Coal company, the Helena Coal company, the Fallston Coal company and the Birmingham Grate Coal Mining company, all operating around Helena, have struck for higher wages, the operators in each instance ignoring all committees and refusing to reply to their demands. The strike was ordered by the United Mine Workers' organization and involves about 1,500 men. All is quiet at the mines, where no effort is made to operate.

Rain Prevents a Famine.

BOMBAY, India, Sept. 11.—Rain has improved the crop outlook in western India and the fears of a famine have been removed. The weather conditions foreshadow more rain. The cotton crop has also been benefited.

Dispensary Men in Trouble.

COLEMAN, S. C., Sept. 7.—A sensation was sprung at the meeting of the dispensary board yesterday by charges filed by Captain J. C. Black against Commissioner Douthet and Superintendent Bryant. Commissioner Douthet, according to the charges, has been giving away dispensary liquors and wines without accounting for the same. Superintendent Bryant is alleged to have been selling liquor contrary to law.

Yellow Jack Patient at Sea.

SAVANNAH, Sept. 7.—The health authorities of Savannah are advised that a case of yellow fever has been discovered at Miami, Fla. The report which comes to Savannah is to the effect that one case has been found in the town and that it has been carefully isolated. The patient has been placed on a schooner and the vessel taken into the ocean, where it will be away from other vessels.

Trial of Boys For Murder.

CAMDEN, S. C., Sept. 11.—The case of the state against Edgar Harriet and Frances Chestnut, for murder, was ended here by the jury acquitting Chestnut and finding Harriet guilty of manslaughter. With a recommendation to mercy. They are boys, and the deceased was a boy 10 years old. The children quarreled over their dinner, and Harriet struck Henry Anorum on the nose with a spoon. A small cut was severed on the facial artery, and on account of ignorance, or neglect, the child was permitted to bleed to death.

Half a Million Bales Short.

ATLANTA, Sept. 7.—Commissioner of Agriculture O. B. Stevens has returned to Atlanta after a close inspection of the crops throughout Middle and South Georgia. He states emphatically that cotton will be at least 500,000 bales short, and that in order to realize 75 per cent of the crop of 1898 conditions will have to remain favorable for some time to come.

Rome Has a Large Blize.

ROME, Ga., Sept. 7.—Rounsvilla Bros.' large wholesale grocery and produce house on East First street, has been totally destroyed by fire. The loss on the stock is estimated at \$30,000 and the building \$5,000. Insurance \$35,000. The firm will rebuild at once.

Bismarck's Iron Nerve.

Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25c at R. B. Loryea's drug store.

Women are always included when speaking of mankind; for man embraces women.

An Unsolicited Testimonial.

I take pleasure in stating that I purchased of R. B. Loryea, the druggist, International Poultry Food and it proved very beneficial in removing Chloasma from my cheeks, and up to this time they have been free from it, and I expect to use the Poultry Food in the future.

T. J. TISDALE, Manning, S. C., August 4, 1899.

We carry a full line of International Stock and Poultry Food, Heavy Care, Colic Cure, Harness Soap, etc.

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If our faults showed on the surface, most people would look as if they had the measles.

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Watches and Jewelry.

I want my friends and the public generally to know that when in need of a Wedding, Birthday or Christmas Present,

That in the future, as well as the past, I am prepared to supply them. My line of Watches Clocks Sterling Silver Diamonds Jewelry Cut Glass

Fine China Wedgewood Spectacles and Eye Glasses is complete, and it will afford me pleasure to show them.

Special and prompt attention given to all Repairing in my line at prices to suit the times.

Atlantic Coast Line L. W. FOLSOM, SUMTER, S. C. Watch Inspector.

Take Care of Your Eyes.

We take this method of informing our friends and the public generally that we have just received a nice assortment of the best Glasses made, and are prepared to furnish our customers with accurate and scientific aids to vision.

Our prices are on the "Live and Let Live" plan; hence you can, with a small sum, buy from us a pair of good glasses.

We have Spectacles and Eye Glasses of all styles, grades and prices. Satisfaction guaranteed.

W. M. BROCKINTON.

FALL ANNOUNCEMENT.

OF . . .

J. RYTENBERG & SONS,

SUMTER, S. C.

We are going to make it to the advantage of every one in Clarendon County to buy from us everything they need in the shape of

Dry Goods, Notions, Carpets, Cloaks, Shoes, Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods, Hats, Groceries, Hardware, Etc.

First—For we carry in stock anything you may ask for and have the largest and most varied assortment in each department that we have ever shown.

Second—Rock bottom prices on everything.

Third—You will receive the same attention if you spend 10 cents or \$100.

We shall sell as long as they last, 75 dozen guaranteed 4-ply Linen Collars at 5c; all shapes and sizes.

50 dozen guaranteed 4-ply Linen Cuffs at 10c; Links and Plain; sizes, 10, 10 1-2 and 11.

The above will give you an idea of the prices we are going to offer this season.

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Northwest Cor. Main and Liberty Sts., Sumter, S. C.

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IS THE BUSIEST STORE IN TOWN. Our Dress Goods Department is growing and we intend to make it the most up to date place ANYWHERE.

We Must Have a Brisk Fall Business.

All signs point to an exceptionally prosperous season.

S. A. RIGBY with his spacious lots and stalls adjoining in Clarendon County with a place to shelter his animal while attending to whatever business he has to look after while in town, will be the most desirable and interesting place in Manning—Most to see, Most comfort and ease while seeing prices like the following:

September wanes and with it our prices in Early Fall Dress Goods Talk.

A whole case of New Colors in Fine Dress Outings, worth 7c of anybody's money; our September price, 5c yard.

Better grade, value 12c; our price for September, 8c. Best quality of Flannellettes, nobby line of patterns, would be cheap at 15c; our price 10c yard.

Big Assortment of Wool Dress Goods.

In this line we call special attention to the fact that we have no old stock nor stuff to offer you, but only a New, Fresh and Select Line to show you, and prices to meet any competition, from 10c to \$1 per yard. Trimmings, etc., to match.

Some Good Hosiery.

A glance at our show window will tell the tale of Ladies' Black Hose, 35c Ladies' Hermsdorf Fast Black, full spliced heel and sole at 24c

25c Fast Dye and Full Seamless 8c to 12 1/2c lb.

15c Black Ribbed—a hummer—going for 10c

A nice Seamless, Shaped Foot at 5c

GROCERIES.

While we are quoting you Rock Bottom prices in our Dry Goods Department, our list would not be complete without naming some of the necessities of life.

Good Rice at \$3 00 per 100-lb. sack.

A No. 1 3-lb. can Tomatoes at 1 00 per dozen.

Good Rio Coffee at 8c to 12 1/2c lb.

Flour 3 50 to 4 50 per bbl.

Granulated Sugar, 17 lbs. for 1 00

Good double thick Tobacco in 10-lb. cadd