

ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW

R. W. McLees of Route 5 was among the business visitors to the city yesterday. Willett P. Sloan has returned from Baltimore, where he has been spending several days. Mrs. L. P. McKinney and Miss Louise McKinney of Snow Hill were shopping in the city yesterday. R. J. W. Dunlap of Charlotte was among the business visitors to the city yesterday. Wade Rankin of High Point, N. C. was a business visitor to the city yesterday. W. S. Ridgewell of George Path was in the city yesterday for a few hours. C. K. Wright of Carwell was among the visitors to spend yesterday in Anderson. T. L. Hanna of Pendleton spent a few hours in the city yesterday. Miss Carrie Darby of Sandy Springs was shopping in the city yesterday. Miss Mary Farmer and Miss Addie Smith of Green Pond were visitors in the city yesterday. R. Burton Hicks of Honea Path was in the city yesterday for a few hours. Bessie Cromer of Zion spent a few hours in the city yesterday on business. Miss Annie Higgins of the Roberts section spent yesterday in the city. Henry Marti of Liberty was in the city yesterday for a few hours. John F. Long of Liberty was among the business visitors to the city yesterday. Judge George E. Prince left last night for Camden where he will open court tomorrow. Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McCullough are spending today in Greenville with relatives. Miss Bessie Minyard of Athens, Ga. is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Allen at Pelzer and relatives in other sections of the county. Miss Exie King of Hopewell is spending a few days in the city, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hall, on South First street. Pink Pepper of Tazewell and A. R. Allen of Pelzer were business visitors to the city yesterday. J. A. Stephenson of Townville was in the city yesterday for a few hours. P. S. Mahaffey of Townville spent a few hours in the city yesterday. E. C. Keyes of Belton was a business visitor to the city yesterday. E. B. Keyes of Willimston was among the visitors to spend yesterday in the city. Harry Crump of High Shoals was in the city yesterday for a few hours. R. H. Doyle of Iva was among the business visitors to the city yesterday. Dr. D. A. Burris of Iva spent a few hours in the city yesterday. Miss Annie Bell of Lowndesville was shopping in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Jones of Townville were shopping in the city yesterday. Miss Pensacola Branyon of Double Springs was a visitor to the city yesterday. Miss Bertie Gentry of Big Springs was shopping in the city yesterday. Mrs. J. T. Snow has gone to Atlanta, where she will spend a fortnight with friends and relatives. Miss Anne Higgins of the Roberts section was among the visitors to the city yesterday. E. H. Easley of Pendleton spent yesterday in the city on business. Superintendent R. A. Abrams of Star was among the business visitors to the city yesterday. Charles Watkins of the Welcome section was a business visitor to the city yesterday. Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Heron of the Flat Rock section were shopping in the city yesterday. Mr. J. C. Bannister of Flat Rock was shopping in the city yesterday for a few hours. Henry Martin of the Walker-McLemoye section was a business visitor to the city yesterday. Superintendent J. M. Bedenbaugh and little son of Iva were visitors to the city yesterday. Miss Minnie Tucker of the Hopewell section was shopping in the city yesterday. Miss Mamie Garrison of the Denver section was shopping in the city yesterday. Superintendent L. M. Mahaffey of the Hopewell section was in the city yesterday for a few hours. Jack Stewart of Pendleton was among the well-known business visitors to the city yesterday. H. M. Garrison and John Garrison of Denver were among the visitors to the city yesterday. Morgan Jones of the Holland school section was a visitor to the city yesterday. H. W. Wright of Townville was among the farmers to spend yesterday in the city. H. R. Sherard of Willimston spent a few hours in the city yesterday. Mrs. R. L. Smith and Mrs. A. V. Barnes of Lowndesville were shopping in the city yesterday. E. Cromer and Al Cromer of Townville were business visitors to the city yesterday. James Canup of Pendleton was in the city yesterday for a few hours. J. H. Melton of Easley was among the business visitors to the city yesterday. Joe Smith and Charles Watkins of Star spent a few hours in the city yesterday. C. L. Watkins, a well-known Belton man, was in the city yesterday for a few hours.

Atlantic Life Insurance Co.

Fourteenth Annual Statement for Year Ending December 31st, 1913

Table with columns for ASSETS and LIABILITIES. Assets include Real Estate at its market value, Mortgage loans on real estate secured by land appraised at, With buildings thereon appraised at \$1,930,952, and insured for, Total security, Accrued interest on mortgage loans, Collateral loans, Accrued interest on collateral loans, Policy loans not in excess of reserve on each policy, Premium notes not in excess of reserve on each policy, Bonds and stocks at their market value, Accrued interest on bonds, Cash in office, Cash in banks, of which \$134,270.63 is at interest, Accrued interest on bank balances, Due and deferred premiums not in excess of reserve on each policy, Deposit with Insurance Commissioner of Texas, Less Credit balances due agents, Total assets. Liabilities include Net reserve as computed by the Company and verified by Insurance Department of the State of Virginia, Present value of annuity certain contracts, Policy claims awaiting proofs, Policyholders' dividends on deposit and interest thereon, Premiums paid in advance, Unearned interest and interest paid in advance, Accrued taxes, Dividends to policyholders contingent upon payment of premiums, Dividends apportioned to annual dividend policies, Dividends apportioned to deferred dividend policies, Surplus for protection of policyholders, including capital stock of \$300,000.00, Total.

Nine Years' Growth Under Present Management

Table comparing 1904 and 1913 data for Income. Columns: For the Year 1904, For the Year 1913. Rows: From first year premiums, From renewal premiums, Total, Interest from investments and other sources, Total income.

Income Multiplied More Than Eight Times in Nine Years

Table comparing 1904 and 1913 data for Admitted assets December 31st. Columns: 1904, 1913. Row: Admitted assets December 31st.

Assets Multiplied More Than Six Times in Nine Years

Table comparing 1904 and 1913 data for Insurance in force. Columns: 1904, 1913. Row: Insurance in force.

Insurance in Force Multiplied More Than Eight Times in Nine Years

Table comparing 1904 and 1913 data for Dividends paid to policyholders during 1913 and amount set aside for payment during 1914, Interest earned during 1913 on mean amount invested in mortgage loans, Considerable saving in taxes on non-taxable securities, interest earned on total mean invested assets during 1913 is equivalent to.

We have audited the books and records of the Atlantic Life Insurance Company of Richmond, Virginia, for the year ending December 31, 1913, and find that all items of income and disbursements have been properly accounted for. The foregoing statement, in our opinion, represents the true condition of the Company at the close of business December 31, 1913. The amount of the reserve was certified by the Insurance Commissioner of Virginia, and the securities owned were valued according to the quotations furnished by the National Convention of Insurance Commissioners.

Attest: A. S. Lafrents, Asst. Secretary. Approved: F. W. Lafrents, for President. By Thos. P. Howard, Resident Manager.

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F. J. Burress, District Mgr. J. H. Owen, Special Agt. F. W. Felkel, General Agent

REUNION DATES WERE CHANGED YESTERDAY

Old soldiers are to hold meeting here.

MAY IS SELECTED

At Meeting of the Entertainment Committee Change Was Made.

The dates have been selected for the South Carolina Confederate reunion to be held in this city. This was done at a specially called meeting of the local Chamber of Commerce, held at the office of Gen. M. L. Bonham yesterday afternoon. The dates are Tuesday and Wednesday, May 26th and 27th, next week, later than had been fixed. Within the next three or four weeks, after the appointment of the new Entertainment Committee by the Executive Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, plans will be outlined to handle the big convention. It is estimated that about 300 veterans and 2,000 visitors in all will come here for the occasion, according to State Commander of Veterans, Gen. B. H. Teague, of Aiken.

PELLAGRA CASES IN THIS COUNTY

During the Past Six Years Many Anderson People Have Suffered From Disease.

While the number of cases of pellagra from Anderson county reported to the state board of health during the past six years is no longer, in proportion, than from the other counties of the state, it is nevertheless large enough to occasion alarm and give food for thought. All told there were 48 cases of this disease in Anderson county.

During the past six years more than 800 cases of pellagra have been received at the state hospital for the insane, according to a statement made in the annual report of J. W. Babcock, M. D., superintendent, which has been sent to the 66th Legislature. Spartanburg led the state, with 83 cases. Richmond was second, with 82 cases. Last year 185 patients died as a result of the disease.

Following shows the number of cases admitted by counties 1907-1913: Abbeville 59, Aiken 25, Anderson 48, Bamberg 2, Berkeley 6, Barnwell 15, Beaufort 13, Calhoun 5, Charleston 31, Cherokee 23, Chester 33, Chesterfield 10, Clarendon 13, Colleton 13, Darlington 22, Dillon 9, Dorchester 7, Edgefield 14, Fairfield 12, Florence 25, Georgetown 15, Greenville 39, Greenwood 35, Hampton 14, Jasper 1, Kershaw 16, Lancaster 13, Laurens 21, Lee 8, Lexington 11, Marion 18, Marlboro 16, Newberry 14, Oconee 29, Orangeburg 22, Pickens 10, Richland 23, Saluda 7, Spartanburg 83, Sumter 23, Union 17, Williamsburg 15, York 25. At the end of 1913 there were 1,765 patients confined at the state hospital for the insane, according to the annual report of J. W. Babcock, M. D., superintendent, prepared for the legislature. Last year 1,625 patients were admitted to the hospital. Following shows residences of patients admitted to the institution: Abbeville 38, Aiken 52, Anderson 72, Bamberg 15, Barnwell 46, Beaufort 25, Berkeley 15, Calhoun 10, Charleston 129, Cherokee 35, Chester 23, Chesterfield 10, Clarendon 28, Colleton 10, Darlington 35, Dillon 31, Dorchester 25, Edgefield 25, Fairfield 25, Florence 35, Georgetown 21, Greenville 58, Greenwood 49, Hampton 19, Horry 21, Jasper 3, Kershaw 22, Lancaster 32, Laurens 58, Lee 14, Lexington 11, Marlboro 35, Marion 35, Newberry 37, Oconee 55, Orangeburg 51, Pickens 20, Richland 152, Saluda 15, Spartanburg 115, Sumter 45, Union 35, Williamsburg 24, York 62.

The railroads give it a wide transport. A facilities locally and to all parts of the country. Its range goes to all Atlantic coast ports and Europe and South America.

COMMISSION FORM OF GOVERNMENT.

We present today some testimonials as to the efficacy of the commission form of government for the management of a city's business. At this time there can be considered in this no reflection upon any persons, now or in the immediate or in the remote past. It is merely this: that the world has awakened to a new idea of handling business matters by making it somebody's business to attend to the business, which has been everybody's business, and therefore nobody's business. One of the greatest illustrations of the value of the commission form of government is the development of the city of Columbia. Of this little need be said, for the people of Anderson have watched it closely, and further more the Chamber of Commerce last year enjoyed a most interesting talk from one of the commissioners, Mr. Shultz. We present today a statement from Mayor W. T. Gibbs, and we think that it is clear enough for anybody. The city of Orangeburg has recently adopted the commission form of government, and as there has been an effort made here by the Chamber of Commerce to secure the same, this paper applies for information to Mr.

TANGO DANCED HERE MONDAY

Anderson People Can See for Themselves Whether It is "Naughty." So much has been said and written about how very "naughty" or how very "naughty" the tango dance really is, that Anderson people will doubtless evince a keen interest in seeing for themselves just what this dance is. The management of the Bijou has closed a contract with the famous Victor Film Company for a reel of "tango" pictures which will be seen at that popular amusement place tomorrow night. The film was posed for by Sebastian and Allen, one of the country's most famous vaudeville teams and they danced the dance at such a range from the camera that every single movement is very distinct and can be seen by every person in the audience. Here's the chance to see what the real tango really is and doubtless a large portion of Anderson's population will take advantage of the opportunity to see it. It has the most attractive winter, summer and all-the-round resort cities and sections, on coast and in the mountains, where the climatic, scenic and other advantages and attractions are combined.

NOTICE

To All Members of Palmetto Riflemen: Inspection will be held this year on the 1st of April in order that this company may be in readiness for this event drills will be held twice a week hereafter, on Mondays and Fridays, at 8 o'clock P. M. All uniforms and equipments must be placed in the armory immediately. A campaign will be inaugurated Monday for the purpose of obtaining new members. Every man is urged not only to be a constant attendant at drills himself, but to ask others to do likewise. (Signed) J. J. THORNBURGH, Second Lieutenant Commanding Company E, First Infantry, N. G. S. C.

GOLD LINES FROM FLINT

Gary, Ind., Feb. 27. More than 1100,000 in pure gold silver has been taken from the sand in the western part of Gary and diggers are still working today to "mine" more of the metals. There was no rush of prospectors because the ground is the property of the United States Metal Refining Company. For several months there has been a shortage in the metal refined in the plant. The reason was discovered in a leading pipe which spilled the gold and silver. Chemists employed by the company are recovering the metal with speed and good success.

PREMIUM OFFER—Any one who will send us three yearly subscribers \$1.00 each in the name of a relative or friend will receive a copy of the Magazine, Anderson, S. C.

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