

The Herald and News

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TOTE FAIR.

The manipulators of the new prohibition movement in this county are using the columns of The Herald and News, which acknowledges its preference for high license and its preference for prohibition, to advocate their cause. Inasmuch as it is pretty generally understood that this new prohibition movement will be used by the high license element to accomplish their ends, this coming together of elements usually at variance with each other is in accord with the present unfitness of conditions brought about by the would-be leaders of prohibitionists of South Carolina—Voice of the People.

The Voice seems to overlook the fact or ignores it intentionally that at the same time we offered the column to the prohibitionists we also offered the same privilege to the advocates of the dispensary, stating distinctly that if we saw any chance for high license that we would look after that end of the row. We are sorry our friend is so suspicious and can see "boogers" where there are none. There is no coming together of any "elements" "at variance" heretofore. The Herald and News has distinctly and on various occasions stated its opposition to prohibition, and because the prohibitionists were given a column in our paper is no reason for arguing a coming together of high license and prohibition any more than to say there is a coming together of high license, dispensary and prohibition, because we offered the dispensary people the same thing and the offer is still open. We want the people to have all the light on the subject possible, and being opposed to the dispensary and prohibition we offered the advocates of these two systems of dealing with the liquor question our columns.

How any man who is a prohibitionist from principle can support and advocate the dispensary is something we have never been able to see or understand. If it is wrong in principle to sell whiskey, and a man is opposed to it on the high ground that it is morally wrong to sell it, as all prohibitionists claim, it is inexplicable to us how it becomes morally right and the principle changes when the stuff is sold by the State instead of the individual. Possibly the editor of the Voice, who, we believe, a prohibitionist in principle and practice, can explain a moral difference—how in one case it is wrong and in the other it is right.

We did not intend to take up this discussion, but since we are in it we would like for the Voice to tell us why a dispensary is not a good thing for Prosperity, if it is such a blessing and so much better than prohibition. Why did you so bitterly oppose a dispensary in the town in which you live and make such a fight to maintain prohibition if the dispensary is so much better? Why, if the dispensary is a good thing for Newberry and other places, is it not a good thing for your own town? These questions are asked in all earnestness and seriousness, because an answer to them will possibly throw light on the question. We write from memory, but we believe we are correct when we state that you opposed the opening of a dispensary in Prosperity.

And, again, we would like to know by what process of transformation, if the selling of whiskey is morally wrong, it becomes morally right when the business is monopolized by the State and the profit from it, blood money as the prohibitionists argue, goes into the coffers of the State.

Now we are opposed to both the dispensary and prohibition, because we think it is wrong and an outrage for the State to be in the whiskey business, and we are opposed to prohibition for many reasons. It will not prohibit, and then we do not believe you can legislate temperance into people any more than you can religion. Man is a free moral agent and has to answer for his own sins.

Still we have felt and have so stated on more than one occasion, that in this year of grace we believed the dispensary would remain with us. But since the Voice is so alarmed and devotes so much space to State Chairman Jones we are beginning to believe that the dispensary must be in danger, or the editor is trying to ease his conscience by much writing and much argument on the subject.

The Voice should tote fair in its anxiety and love for the sale of whiskey by the State.

The war with Spain is making progress slowly, and we hear nothing of the starving Cubans we were going to save. If they were in the condition reported by the Senators who went over there before war was declared, they must be going to glory long before this, and our war will do them no good.

The State campaign opens on the 10th at Orangeburg. Col. R. B. Watson and Hon. G. Walt Whitman had filed their pledges on yesterday as candidates for Governor. The others, we suppose, will be in a few days.

Col. Allen D. Candler has been nominated in the primary for Governor of Georgia over two opponents after a very bitter and hotly contested campaign.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested it for themselves are today its warmest friends. For sale by W. E. Pelham.

IS THIS A BLUFF OR A THREAT?

We find the following in the columns of The Voice of the People:

The candidate who neglects to put his card in The Voice may save the \$3 necessary to secure its insertion, but he stands a mighty good chance of losing the office he is after and the salary attached thereto. A word to the wise is sufficient.

It is none of our business, of course, where a candidate places his card and there is no party law that we know of to require a candidate to announce his name in the papers at all, but inasmuch as some candidates might see proper to put their names in The Herald and News and not in The Voice we must protest against any such threats as very unfair to the candidates and unjust to the voters, for it assumes to say that a majority of the white voters of Newberry county would be influenced in casting their votes by the paper in which the candidate makes his announcement. We think if the Voice will examine its files of two years ago that it will find the names of some candidates who announced in no other paper and yet when the votes were counted they scarcely knew they were in the race at all. It may be that the Voice has gotten a cinch on the voters since then and for that reason makes this announcement with authority, but we scarce think so.

The Herald and News will be glad to have all the candidates announce in its columns, but we have no threats to hurl against those who do not. Announcing in one or all the papers cannot fit a man for office nor make the people vote for him.

By the way, does the Voice guarantee the election of those who announce in its columns? The rule should work both ways.

THE COTTON ACREAGE.

The following circular has just been issued by the well known firm of Latham, Alexander & Co., of New York. Their estimates are generally based on reliable information, and we have no doubt this is a very correct estimate:

New York, June 2, 1898.

With the view of obtaining the most reliable information possible concerning the cotton acreage of the United States for 1898, we addressed, as usual, some 3,500 letters to cotton commission merchants, brokers, banks and bankers making advances and responsible planters, embracing every cotton growing county in the South, asking acreage estimates.

Up to this date we have received 2,188 replies, of average date, May 26th, and the following is the result, which in our opinion is as approximately correct as could be secured by information received from trustworthy sources in the Cotton States:

The total estimated decrease in cotton acreage in the United States for 1898 is 54 per cent, or 1,335,000 acres less than last year, and the average planting of the crop is about the same as last year, when planting was late.

Our correspondents report that the reduction in acreage has been brought about by the low prices of cotton, reluctance of commission merchants to make as liberal advances to the planters as last year, in the face of war, and the increase in acreage in tobacco, wheat and corn, on account of the high prices of these commodities.

While in some sections much replanting has been necessary, on account of cold weather, overflow in Arkansas and White Rivers and poor stands; as a whole, the crop can be said to be in a fair average condition as compared with other seasons at the same date.

It would seem from this that the agitation and discussion have had a good effect. The acreage has been reduced and while the per cent. is much less than was advocated, yet in the aggregate is considerable.

There has been a considerable increase in the grain crops, and in this particular section there is much more wheat and oats than usual, and the crops of both are very good, and they have been harvested in good condition. In fact, we have not had in years as much wheat planted, nor have we had as fine crop as the one this year.

The Latest War News.

Atlanta, Ga., June 9, 1898, 12 m.—Second fleet of transports of ten thousand and additional regulars sailed. Spanish soldiers at Manila surrender to Dewey to escape massacre.

HOLLOMON.

Atlanta, June 9, 4.20 p. m.—Four Spanish warships reported off the north coast of Cuba lying in wait for American transports which left Tampa yesterday. The government is trying to reach transports today and stop them at Dry Tortugas until report is investigated.

HOLLOMON.

Atlanta, June 9, 5.45 p. m.—Fall of Santiago expected tonight or tomorrow. Four negro regulars reported killed in Tampa Monday night in riot with Southern regulars, race question issue. More fighting off Southern coast today.

HOLLOMON.

Meteorological Record for May. Mean temperature, 73.1; Maximum temperature, 101; date 30th. Minimum temperature, 40, date 7th and 8th. Total precipitation, 60. No. of days clear, 9; partly cloudy, 18; cloudy, 4; dates of frost, light, 7th and 8th. Prevailing wind, south.

W. G. PETERSON, Voluntary Observer.

OUR PROSPERITY BUDGET

ALL THE NEWS OF A LIVE AND PROGRESSIVE TOWN.

(Special Correspondence Herald and News.)

Prosperity, S. C., June 9, 1898. We are glad to see Newberry moving in an effort to retain the Seminary. It will take a long pull and a strong pull to keep it, but a town with the push and progress of Newberry can get what she wants if she will. Dr. Baugher will be quite an addition to the many learned men who now reside in the town. By all means let Newberry get it if she can.

The Prosperity High School Association will hold their annual election for three trustees on Friday, June 10th, at 5 p. m.

In reference to the yield of wheat we were told of a gentleman in the Pomaria section who sowed 3 bushels and had thrashed 75. Mr. W. C. Sheely, of Little Mountain, thrashed 70 bushels from 94 dozen bundles, and Mr. J. F. Wheeler sowed one bushel and thrashed 23. Last year he sowed two and thrashed eight, quite a difference.

We note that Mr. S. J. Kohn is making some very nice and needed improvements around his place.

Sergeant W. B. Wise spent last Saturday and Sunday in town on a furlough. A telegram from him to his brother Tuesday announced their safe arrival in Chattanooga.

We regret to hear of the death of young Mr. Ranton from hydrophobia. One object we had in view in publishing the account of Mr. Lindsey Bowers' child was to inform the public through The Herald and News that there was a mad stone near us and could be had so easy and quickly. We would once more tell the readers of The Herald and News that Mr. C. H. Beard at Chapin, S. C., has a mad stone, and his charges are very moderate if the stone adheres and is successful, otherwise there is no charge. Let all remember this, for we don't know just when we or some of our friends will need it.

We notice that the Agricultural Institute for Newberry County is to be held near Prosperity in July. The grove they have decided on is certainly a very pretty place.

Mr. Olin Bobb has been confined to his room for some days with bilious fever, but at this writing is up again and expects to be out soon.

Mrs. S. J. Whites is able to sit up about half the time now and is improving slowly.

The Prosperity Canning Co. has just received a carload of 45,000 cans. They will have plenty of cans to sell any who may want them.

Last night exercises were particularly pleasing to both teachers and patrons, and oh, my! how those little folks did play and sing. The medal in the advanced class was won by Miss Sallie Witherspoon with a grade of 98 1-7, with Miss Annie Belle Wise a close second with 97 4-7. In the smaller girls' class the medal was awarded to Miss Lillian Wise, with honorable mention for Miss Jessie Mosley. The exercises were enjoyed by all, and many are looking forward to the closing exercises tonight when the Hon. Frank Wilson, of Sumter, will make the address, and the three boys who have completed the course will tell the audience what they have learned. Such occasions are pleasant ones for all interested.

The Prosperity Graded School has added another year to its past record, and we feel that in the years to come the faithful work of the faculty will tell for much.

The sale of the well drilling outfit under the judgment rendered by the Circuit Court in March was held on Monday. The engine was bought by Singley Bros. The anvil and other tools were bought by Mr. D. H. Wheeler. The derrick and other fittings, together with the iron casing, etc., were bought by the Cotton Mill. Thus the last chapter in the effort of the Prosperity Cotton Mills to get water with the assistance of the Southern Water Supply Co. has been finished and the book closed much to the detriment of the enterprise.

There has been a scarcity of guano here for some weeks, but there is a supply on hand now. Kohn & Co. have just received 20 tons of Owl guano for use under stable corn, &c. Come, Chicks, and join me. I am going on a trip to the Klondike and want to take a fish and a hunt while up there. If you can't go I will think of you when I am enjoying those squirrel stew and fish fries. Don't you want to join me?

KAY.

A. L. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have never before given a testimonial in my life. But I will say that for three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house, and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is as all writ, anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by W. E. Pelham.

DO YOU LIKE GOOD COFFEE?

If so, buy the "Blue Ribbon" brand. This is an excellent brand of Moca and Java, and will go twice as far as cheap coffee.

If you will only try this brand you will quit using cheap and poor coffee. In it you will find both quality and economy. Sold by S. B. JONES, Sole Agent.

Railroad Rates.
The Charleston and Western Carolina Railway will have on sale reduced round trip tickets for the following events:

To Spartanburg for commencement Wofford College. Tickets on sale June 10th to 12th, final limit June 18th.
To Greenville for commencement Greenville Female College and Furman University. Tickets on sale June 10th to 14th, final limit June 18th.

A torpid liver rots you of ambition and ruins your health. Dr. Williams' Little Blue Pills clear the liver, cure constipation, and all stomach and liver troubles. W. E. Pelham.

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NEWBERRY, S. C.

FRIDAY, JUNE 10!

OUR SOLDIER BOYS!

Not War, But Peace!

The Clemson Glee and Minstrel Club

AND

MALE QUARTETTE!

(ASSISTED BY)

MISS LULA MOORE, Soprano,

AND

MISS SARAH BRODIE, Pianist.

Admission, 25 and 35c.

Galleries, - - - 15c.

Tickets on sale at Scholtz's Jewelry Store.

AN ORDINANCE.

WHEREAS, THE BOARD OF Health of the Town of Newberry, South Carolina, has reported to the Town Council that there is danger of the introduction of the contagious disease of small-pox in the Town of Newberry, and for the purpose of preventing said disease from being so introduced and spreading in said Town, the Board of Health has determined by resolution that all persons residing in the Town of Newberry, who have daily business therein, shall be vaccinated on or before Monday, June 13th, 1898.

And whereas; The said Board of Health has provided for vaccination (free of cost) to all persons affected by the following ordinance:

And whereas; Municipal authorities are empowered to require and compel vaccination by an Act of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina, entitled "An Act to establish local Boards of Health in Cities and Incorporated Towns of the State, and to define the powers thereof," approved January 5th, 1895.

Now therefore: Be it ordained by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Newberry, South Carolina, in council assembled and by authority of the same:

SECTION 1. That all persons residing within the incorporate limits of the Town of Newberry, South Carolina, and all persons who are not residents of the said Town but who transact daily business therein, shall be vaccinated on or before the 13th day of June, A. D. 1898.

SEC. 2. That any person who shall neglect or refuse to comply with the terms of this ordinance shall be punished by such fine or imprisonment as the Mayor or the Town Council shall impose. Such fine or imprisonment not to exceed the sum of one hundred dollars or imprisonment for not more than thirty days.

SEC. 3. That any person refusing or neglecting to be vaccinated as required by the foregoing section, and is fined or imprisoned for such refusal or neglect, and shall refuse or neglect to be vaccinated within five days after paying such fine or the expiration of his term of imprisonment shall be fined or imprisoned for such offense in the discretion of the Mayor or Town Council. Such fine not to exceed one hundred dollars or imprisonment for not more than thirty days.

Done and ratified under the corporate seal of the Town of Newberry, [SEAL] South Carolina, this 9th day of June, A. D. 1898.

H. H. EVANS, Mayor.

ATTEST:

C. A. BOWMAN, C. & T. T. C. N.

NEEL-HEVERLO BUSINESS SCHOOL,

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SPARTANBURG, S. C.

MAKES THE FOLLOWING SUMMER TERMS, beginning June 15: Twelve Weeks Course in Book-keeping \$20.00. Twelve weeks course in Stenography and Typewriting, \$20.00. Twelve weeks course in Arithmetic, Spelling, English and Penmanship, \$12.50. Board from \$5 to \$10.50. Tuition Payable in Advance.

Address, L. B. NEEL.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA—COUNTY OF NEWBERRY—IN COMMON PLEAS.

John H. Packhaber, Plaintiff, vs. Emanuel Wesley, Defendant.

Summons for Relief, Complaint not Served.

To the Defendant Emanuel Wesley:

YOU ARE SUMMONED AND REQUIRED to answer the complaint in above entitled action, a copy of which is this day filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for Newberry County, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their office in Newberry, South Carolina, within twenty days after the filing of the complaint; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

JOHNSTONE & WELCH, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

June 1st, 1898.

To the Defendant, Emanuel Wesley: Take notice that the complaint in the above stated case was this day filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for Newberry County, South Carolina.

JOHNSTONE & WELCH, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

June 1st, 1898.

Biliousness

Is caused by torpid liver, which prevents digestion and permits food to ferment and putrify in the stomach. Then follow dizziness, headache, nausea, nervousness, and, if not relieved, bilious fever or blood poisoning. Hood's Pills stimulate the stomach, rouse the liver, cure headache, dizziness, constipation, etc. 25 cents. Sold by all druggists. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills

Notice Board of Health.

THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTIONS were passed by the Board of Health at meeting May 28, 1898. Take notice and govern yourselves accordingly:

Resolved 1. That we order compulsory vaccination, and that every citizen be allowed to apply for vaccination until June 6th, 1898, after which time the board will enforce vaccination.

Resolved 2. That all physicians be furnished vaccine points and be paid fifteen cents each patient, same as public vaccinator, until June 6th. After that time compulsory vaccination will be enforced.

C. A. BOWMAN, Secretary.

Just Opened!

1 Case Shirting Prints at 4c.
1 Case Ladies' Vests at 5c.
1 Case 40-in. Sea Island at 5c.
1 Case Poreal, fast colors, at 7c.
1 Case 4-4 Bleaching at 6c.
You will find in our

Wool Dress Goods

Department the very latest Styles, from 20c. to \$1.25 per yard. You must see our Figured Black for Skirts at 50c, also something new in Accord at same price.

Wash Goods!

This line is more complete than ever before. We want to show you our Organdies in Figure and Plain. Look at our 66in. White Organdy for 40c.

Notions!

Our Notions stock is very complete in every line.

Millinery!

In the Millinery Department we are showing some very stylish Goods in Fancy Sailors and Hats. Come and inspect our stock. We will meet any price.

Yours Truly,

Davenport & Renwick.

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Pure Silk Mitts,

10 and 15c.

Ladies'

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Ladies'

Pearl--6 piece--

Shirt Waists,

Sets 15c. only.

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HOSIERY

(in summer weight)

15 cents.

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Druggists for Chickadee's English Diamond Brand in Newberry, S. C.

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THE PEOPLE'S STORE.

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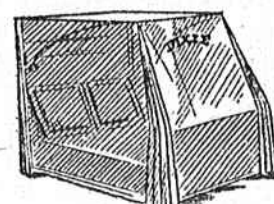
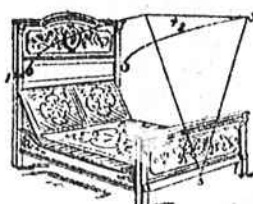
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We will close out our entire stock of Ladies' and Children's Oxford Ties at cost, as we will not keep a line of Ladies' and Children's Oxford after this summer. Come at once and get the benefit of our bargains.

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"THE DIXIE CANOPY."

The approved best canopy. When not in use, by releasing the cord, it of itself takes a position at the head of bed both graceful and ornamental. Price, \$2.75 each.

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50 pcs Merrimack " " 4 1/2c.

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10 pcs White India Linen, 5c.

10 " " " 6 1/2c.

10 " " " 8 1/2c.

10 " " " 10c.

10 " " " 12 1/2c.

10 " " " 15c.