

The ANDERSON

Our theatre will be closed during Chautauqua week, May 10th to 17th.

OPEN AGAIN TUESDAY, MAY 18TH

First School To Adopt Compulsory School Attendance

CLEVELAND DISTRICT NO. 36 FILES PETITION MAKING LAW EFFECTIVE

ALL BUT 3 OF THE 44 PATRONS SIGNED

Probable That Others Will Follow—Three Ways of Adopting Measure.

Cleveland school district No. 36 has adopted the compulsory school attendance law, this being the first school district in Anderson county to take advantage of the recently enacted statute. The petition signed by a majority of the qualified electors residing in the district, which automatically makes the law effective in that district, was filed yesterday with County Superintendent of Education J. B. Felton.

Near Honea Path.
There are approximately 44 qualified electors residing in Cleveland school district and all but three affixed their signatures to the petition. Cleveland school district is about four miles east of Honea Path. There is one two-teacher school in the district, but it is one of the most wide-awake and progressive districts in Anderson county.

Others May Follow.
It is probable that others may follow the example of the Cleveland district. In fact, it is practically certain that Euro's school district will adopt the law, as the patrons of that school held a meeting some days since and discussed the measure and went on record as favoring its adoption. It is not unlikely that Neals Creek school district will adopt the new law. A meeting of the patrons of that district was held yesterday and it is understood they went on record as favoring the adoption of the measure.

Plan of Procedure.
As generally known, three methods of adopting the new law are authorized, they being as follows:
a. Upon petition of a majority of the qualified electors residing in the district.
b. Upon election after petition by one-fourth of the qualified electors residing in any district.
c. Upon election after petition by a majority of the board of trustees of any district containing an incorporated town of fifteen hundred inhabitants.

The trustees of Cleveland school district are: Messrs. T. N. Latimer, W. F. Austin and R. M. Lusk.

PENDLETON FARMERS SOCIETY Will Hold Important Meeting May 13th.

An important meeting of The Pendleton Farmers Society is to be held Thursday, May 13th at 10 a. m. sharp. This will be the last business meeting pertaining to the centennial celebration.

DINNER AT ST. JAMES
Elegant Layout For Modest Sum of Fifty Cents is Offered.

Messrs. Pressly and Earle, proprietors of the St. James Hotel, are making a specialty of their Sunday dinners, and today offers the following elegant layout for the sum of 50 cents:

- Mock Turtle Soup
- Baked Fish
- Celery Hearts
- Pickles Olives Young Onions
- Lettuce en Mayonnaise
- Roast Beef au Jus
- Roast Chicken Chicken Pie
- String Beans Pickled Beets
- Corn Pie Potatoes in Cream
- Sliced Tomatoes
- Corn Bread Butter Milk
- Candied Potatoes
- Steamed Rice Asparagus Tips
- Spaghetti
- Coconut Morang Custard.
- Chocolate Cake Ice Cream
- Coffee Ice Tea Milk
- Adv—

FIREMEN'S FUND HAS REACHED NEAT SUM

TOTAL OF \$118.25 HAS BEEN RAISED BY THE COMMITTEE

NO PLAN AS YET

Has Been Decided Upon in the Matter of Spending the Money.

More than \$100 has been subscribed to the firemen's fund, which was started by a committee of business men in appreciation of work done by the firemen at the big fire last Tuesday night.

The first plan was to have a banquet for the local firemen, the chiefs and assistant chiefs of Greenwood and Greenville attend. This plan is still approved by some members of the committee, but the plan of distributing the money among the members of the department and having them do with it as they pleased has been suggested.

The firemen probably would rather have the money expended on new uniforms, as they could use the uniforms to excellent advantage at the present time.

Their idea is to have a uniform of olive drab goods made and use this for service wear. Just what will be done with the money has not been decided.

Following is the list of subscribers to the fund:

- Coca-Cola Bottling company...\$5.00
- John T. Burris and Son... 5.00
- St. James Hotel... 2.00
- Comeross Yarn Mill... 5.00
- W. W. Sloan... 1.00
- T. Q. Anderson... 5.00
- J. E. Barton... 5.00
- A. Glenn Evans... 1.00
- Cash... 1.00
- McFall Grocery Company... 2.00
- Checo-Cola Company... 5.00
- The Texas Company... 1.00
- L. A. Mayfield... 3.00
- Petroleum Oil Company... 5.00
- Joe M. Evans... 3.00
- M. Guest Paint Co... 2.00
- Southern Pub. Utilities Co... 5.00
- Geo D. Antonukas... 2.50
- J. H. Hoffman... 50
- L. N. Geer... 2.50
- Townsend Lumber Co... 2.00
- J. R. Anderson... 2.50
- W. E. Atkinson... 1.00
- L. H. Seel... 1.00
- Crockett and Heard... 1.00
- Ralph Wilson... 1.00
- G. H. Baltes... 1.00
- C. E. Hender... 50
- C. S. Sullivan... 50
- G. W. Evans... 2.50
- R. W. Tribble... 1.00
- Geisberg Shoe company... 1.00
- Anderson Cans Company... 50
- O. D. Anderson... 1.00
- Walter H. Keese Co... 75
- Crayton Drug Company... 1.00
- Marchbanks and Babb... 1.00
- Ideal Grocery Co... 50
- J. H. Tate... 50
- Will Sullivan... 1.00
- W. L. Brisley Lumber Co... 5.00
- W. A. Power... 1.00
- B. O. Evans... 2.00
- A. M. Pinkston... 1.00
- E. W. Masters... 2.00
- Morris and company... 1.00
- J. I. Brownlee... 1.00
- Alf Fortune... 1.00
- Bob King... 2.00
- Sam Williford... 1.00
- W. D. McClain... 50
- Mrs. Julia Daniels... 5.00
- J. F. Womble... 2.00

Total...\$118.25



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MONDAY'S PROGRAM

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Fant's Book Store

DEATHS

Mrs. L. W. Church.
Mrs. L. W. Church, aged 65 years, died at 10 o'clock Friday night at her home, No. 44 Market street, Riverside Mills.

The remains were sent to Clarksville, Ga., where the interment will take place today.

Todd Melver.
The many friends of Mrs. Foderick Melver, who was so well known here as Miss Miriam Todd, will be grieved to hear of the death of the youngest child on Friday. Mrs. Melver has lived in Darlington since her marriage, but has visited relatives here several times. The little fellow bore the name of one of the oldest families of this city, and Mrs. Melver's maiden name, Todd. There are many here who will sympathize with the parents in their grief.

What Poets Are Good For.
In the April American Magazine David Grayson, writing his story "Hempfield," comments as follows on poets:
"It is a strange thing in this world how few people recognize a thing as wonderful or beautiful until some poet or prophet comes along to tell them that it is wonderful or beautiful."
"Behold that sunset!" cries the poet, quite beside himself with excitement, and the world, which has been accustomed to having sunsets every evening for supper, and thinks nothing of them, suddenly looks up and discovers unknown splendors."
A German scientist has discovered that lubricating oil can be made from molasses. And molasses, a varying experience teaches us, can be made from almost anything.—Greenboro News.

SWELL ICE CREAM IS ALMOST READY

In 'One of the Most Up to Date in This Section of South.

Atlanta, Georgia hasn't anything on Anderson when it comes to up-to-date ice cream manufacturing apparatus. Dr. W. E. Atkinson, the old-time and ever popular druggist and ice cream man, is rapidly getting his drug store and ice cream parlor in first class shape. He is getting his drugs in and arranged now. His fixtures, including two beautiful large mirrors are in, and looking mighty nifty, too. His tile floor is as pretty as one would wish to see. The onyx soda fountain will be shipped this coming week, and it will be about two weeks before it arrives and is set up, and in perfect running order. It will be worth walking miles to see, says Dock Atkinson, and he ought to know.

The ice cream equipment has arrived and is set up in perfect running order. In fact, Dr. Atkinson made some ice cream yesterday with his new machinery which by the way is the very latest thing in ice cream machinery. It has a capacity of six hundred gallons a day. It is made of enamel, german silver, and run by electric motors, and it is as perfect as machinery can be made and perfectly sanitary in every way. Nunnally in Atlanta never had anything as big, nor as up-to-date as this machine of Atkinson's until the very fast few months.

Dr. Atkinson is going to sell and ship ice cream all over this section of South Carolina. It is going to be quite a business in itself. He appears to have quite a reputation already as "some ice cream maker," for he is receiving letters almost daily for his recipe for making cream, but he is not going to give it away. The doctor is also going to devote himself to the practice of a part of

WEST PELZER SCHOOL

Closing Exercise Held Last Tuesday. A Splendid Record.

The closing exercises of the West Pelzer school were held last Tuesday, and an interesting program was carried out.

In the declamation contest was one of the features of the program. The correspondents sending in this news item neglected, however, to give the name of the winner. The medal was given by the West Pelzer School Improvement Association, and is to be given annually hereafter.

The judges of the contest were: Miss Sara Cobb, Miss Maggie M. Garlington and Dr. F. M. Lander. The improvement association sold cream after the contest and realized a neat sum. The association has finished paying for a piano since the middle of February.

The following program was carried out at the closing exercises:

- Invocation.
- Song.
- Ellison Padgett—Thanatopsis.
- Gladya Johnson—Maud Muller.
- Mary Dell Stewart—Charlie McRee.
- Ann's Solo Strickland—Ruggles Dinner Party.
- Jennie Crenshaw—The Second Election.
- Music.
- Decision of judges and awarding of medal.
- Cantation exercises.
- Song.
- Class History—Gladya Johnson.
- Class Poem—Max Johnson.
- Class Will—Mildred Harrison.
- Class Prophecy—Anna Belle Strickland.
- Valedictory—Florence Dowis.
- Benediction.

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