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FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.

Central, Route 2.

Kings school is progressing nicely under the management of Miss Myrtle Dunwoody, of Central.

Miss Fannie Volrath is suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Stephen Smith was found dead in the yard of her home, on D. E. Evans' plantation, near Six Mile, last Friday. Her body was interred in the Pleasant Hill cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Kennemur visited the latter's parents at New Hope, Sunday.

Miss Mattie Smith left Saturday for Beasley, where she will spend several days with her aunt, Mrs. John Frigg, of that place.

Rev. Wm. Walker will preach at Pleasant Hill Baptist church next Sunday.

Miss Berta Jones, now engaged in teaching school at New Hope, visited home folks Sunday.

Leslie Morgan, of the Pleasant Hill section, visited home folks recently.

Miss Annie Taylor and brother, of Carleth, attended services at Pleasant Hill, Sunday.

Misses Nannie and Kate Jones visited their aunt, Mrs. C. A. Morgan, Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Powers and son Bennett visited relatives in Oconee, Saturday and Sunday.

H. F. Jones is engaged in work at Greenville, where he expects to stay until Christmas. SCHOOL GIRL.

Dacusville.

Born unto Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Looper, recently, a girl.

J. S. McCombs has bought a new trap buggy so that he can attend the wedding of ye scribe. Wonder what.

W. B. Looper is all smiles since Thanksgiving Day. His a girl.

Miles Duncan has located his plaining machine on B. D. Lenthart's place and is doing some good work.

Geat Looper and sister, Nora visited at this place Sunday.

Misses Maude and Lizzie Looper visited the Misses Berry Sunday.

Joseph Trotter, of Easley, visited J. G. Hughes the first of the week.

I am not dead, "Old Riddle," but you see to write by lamp light. Bless your soul you say you write by lamp light and then close by saying you see a top buggy coming and it may be your fellow. Pretty good.

Where is B? Is he dead? With best wishes to the paper and its readers, I remain, M. B.

Hazel.

J. R. Meece and Jos. Garren spent last week in Rasmun and Brevard, N. C., on business.

C. P. Gillespie and J. W. Allison, of Piedmont, spent a day or two in this section on business this week.

Mr. Gillespie speaks well of his new farm.

Mrs. B. T. Baldwin and children were on a visit to two of her sick neighbors, J. W. and Abner Dodson, of near Rasmun, N. C.

Mr. F. Wright has moved from this section to Ross Moon's place, just below Pickens. We wish him all the

good luck that may come his way in his new home.

Prof. J. L. Murphree spent Sunday and Monday at the home of A. T. Winchester.

J. R. Meece is turning out some very fine lumber at his mill.

Farm work is on a standstill at present on account of bad weather.

Well, Christmas is almost here, but everything is very quiet so far. Don't hear much said about it.

Hurrah for the contest, baby show, poultry show, etc.

MOUNTAIN SPROUT.

Pickens, R. D. 4.

Alpha and Grover Freeman visited Miss Marinda Watson last Sunday. Guess the wedding bells will ring about Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McJunkin visited Beeco Watson and family last Sunday.

We are expecting Christmas, to hear music in Rabbittown.

Miss Marinda Watson visited Miss Lillie Lynch, Sunday afternoon.

Elbert McJunkin spent last Sunday with Dee Lynch. PANSY.

Liberty, R. F. D. 3.

Health of this community very good at this writing.

Crops pretty well gathered in this vicinity.

Hog killing and wheat sowing are on top these days.

To look over this beautiful land and see so much produced—and still we are not satisfied—I wonder why it is that our Creator blesses us with so many good things. We forget so often. If He cared as little for us as we do for one another, would we be blessed with anything? If we had tongues to speak like angels, and could preach like Paul, it would profit us nothing without charity. Always speak a good word for everybody.

Do unto all as you would have them do unto you. If you ask for a loaf you would not wish for a stone, so if you want a blessing be always ready to bless every one.

I would not mind sitting down to write to the S.-J., if I could make it as interesting as does the versatile "Dreamer."

I guess the wedding bells will ring soon at "Old Riddle's," from the way she writes about that top buggy coming down the road.

FARMER GIRL.

Christmas Holiday Rates.

Greatly reduced rates via the Southern Railway.

Account Christmas Holidays the Southern announces Special Excursion Rates of one and one-third first-class one way fare plus 25c for the round trip to all points south of the Ohio and Potomac and east of the Mississippi river, including Washington, D. C., and Cincinnati.

Tickets will be on sale Dec. 20 to 25, inclusive; December 30 to 31 1907, and January 1st, 1908, with limit good to leave destination not later than midnight January 6th 1908.

Apply to nearest agent of the Southern Railway or address J. C. Lusk, Div. Pass. Agt., Charleston, S. C.

Wanted—To rent my Crow Creek farm adjoining Capt. Herd. Apply to J. H. Newton, Pickens. 30w1

Notice

After Dec. 24th we will gin cotton only on Mondays of each week. 30t3

Pickens Oil Mill Co.

The Gatherer.

The Comings and Goings of People—Some you know, some you don't.

BY MISS GUSSIE HUBBARD

A small number of young people enjoyed a most delightful sociable at the residence of Mrs. A. M. Morris Wednesday evening. Those present were Misses Mauda Ashmore, Bess Ashmore, Lois Newton, Emma Finney, Nora Jones, Josie Chastain, Gladys Mauldin, and Messrs. Roy Grady, Earle Seaborn, Sam Craig, John Craig, Oscar Grayley, Avery Looper, and Herbert Newton.

John D. Harris, of Greenville, was in Pickens on Thursday.

Mrs. Bolt went to Anderson and will spend the greater part of the winter with her mother at Pole.

Miss Olive Newton spent last week with her friend Mrs. Swittenburg at the home of Mrs. Emma Gilreath.

Mr. Carlisle Newton in clerking for the Heath Bruce-Morrow Co.

Misses Lillian Bolt and Grace Prince are clerking for B. P. Martin, during the busy season.

Miss Dolia Henessy, of Greenville, visited friends in Pickens last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McD. Bruce have returned from a trip to New York, Baltimore and other places of note.

Miss Helen Boggs has returned from a visit to friends in Easley.

James Hagood, of Easley, visited relatives in Pickens last week.

The Ant Weiderchen club met with Miss Helen Boggs on Thursday evening.

Mrs. S. J. Garrick is visiting her sister Mrs. N. A. Christopher.

Gregg T. Mauldin is now clerking for the Pickens Drug Co., and will be a valuable acquisition to this firm.

John D. Christopher left the 10th instant for Safford, Arizona, where he goes to accept a position secured for him by his brother Rev. W. A. Christopher.

We are glad to learn that Rev. W. A. Christopher, formerly of Pickens county, but now of Safford, Arizona is fast regaining his health.

R. L. Ambler, and W. H. Ambler and wife, of Greenville, came over last week to visit their mother and remained at her bedside till her death.

Mrs. Flora Latham, of Greenville, visited homefolks Sunday.

John Harvey Riehey, of Easley spent Sunday with relatives in Pickens.

Mrs. J. W. Sheriff visited in Pickens last week. As she expects to move here soon she came up to inspect some houses offered for rent.

Mrs. Emma Ellison, of Easley, spent Thursday in Pickens with her brother, R. R. Roark.

Miss Stella Newbery spent a portion of last week in Greenville.

Mrs. M. J. Harris is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Harris.

Mrs. A. J. Boggs and children, A. J. and Oliver, are visiting relatives at Calhoun.

Miss Alice Finney, a fine-looking young lady, and an experienced trained nurse of Atlanta, is visiting the family of her father, D. B. Finney, during the holidays.

Miss Addie Hiatt, of Easley, spent Thursday in Pickens with friends.

Come to the poultry show and help to make it a grand success.

Pickens In The Lead.

Frank Hendricks Goes Head.

It Is a Free For all Fight.

Everybody Jump in to It

Mrs. Zealy Ann Ambler.

Mrs. Zealy Ann Ambler, nee Cox, relict of the late James H. Ambler, departed this life at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Emma A. Gilreath, in Pickens, Monday evening, Dec. 16, at 6 o'clock, having reached the ripe old age of 81 years.

Mrs. Ambler leaves surviving, her children, Belton O. Ambler, James L. Ambler and Mrs. Emma A. Gilreath, of Pickens, Robert L. Ambler and Wm. H. Ambler, of Greenville; Mrs. Addie A. Barrett, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Sanie E. Dicken, of Alabama.

She had been, for many years, a consistent member of the Presbyterian church, and had long enjoyed a sweet assurance of the peace into which she has triumphantly entered as the reward for her life of usefulness and consecration to high and pure ideals of living.

Her faith was anchored to the failing promises of the Master, and her hope faltered not through the years she adorned as a devoted wife and mother and as a consecrated Christian woman.

Mrs. Ambler's last years were full of suffering, yet the restrictions of her infirmities could not rob her of a ceaseless cheerfulness, and to a visitor it was a pleasure to see her and to gather from her unfaing brightness, under her very trying afflictions, fresh hope for each younger life.

Less than three years before, her aged and lovable husband was called to his last reward, and she has been seemingly waiting in patience for the summons and the reunion.

To her children and grand-children she leaves an inestimable heritage and men and women of her acquaintance will cherish with reverence and respect, the memory of her life and love which were so full of willing sacrifice.

The funeral services were held from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Gilreath in Pickens, at 2 o'clock December 17th, and the remains were tenderly laid to rest beside her husband, in the Hagood cemetery, in the presence of many friends and acquaintances.

The Buds.

Old Dr. Ryland, clergyman and educator, was greatly beloved in the south, and his visits were always enjoyed by his former pupils and parishioners. In his later years it was his custom to offer prayer whenever he made a ministerial call. On one occasion he called at a house where three of his former pupils were staying. These ladies were all past the thirtieth year mark, but in the eyes of the old gentleman they were still girls, which explains the petition he offered:

"Lord, bless these dear girls, just budding into sweet womanhood." This was too much for one of the number, who, taking advantage of the doctor's deafness, added this clause sotto voce: "Alas, Lord, budded, bloomed, faded and still unpicked!"

Owing to the rotation of the earth rivers flowing in a northerly and southerly direction manifest a tendency to grow to the right, with the effect that the right bank is apt to wear away slightly faster than the left, while the channels also are apt to be deeper toward the right side.

MANY NEW FACES THIS WEEK.

FOR CARRIERS' PRIZE.	
Ross O'Dell, Liberty,	7605
R F Herd, Pickens,	3980
R L Henderson, Pickens	3040
Jake Allgood, Liberty	1010
Middleton Hester, Pickens	4080
C G Masters, Central,	6025
Wm Mullinix, Central	1040
D G Humbert, Easley	1215
B F Freeman, Pickens,	4225
— McWhorter, Liberty,	300
Frank Hendricks, Pickens,	7740
Hal Boggs, Calhoun,	1000
— Steele, Central,	900
Mark Hunt, Dacusville	600

SCHOLARSHIP PRIZE.	
Dreamers' Arthur, Liberty,	5125
Miss Lucia Earle, Pickens,	5620
Tillman Garrett, Hurricane,	2735
Miss Zora Smith, Central,	2465
Miss Lena Balentine, Central	6270
Miss Lida Leslie, Easley,	295
Miss Essie Kelley, Pickens	1230
Miss Katy Edens, Pumpkintown	1005
Miss Elsie Herd, Pickens	475
Miss Viola Gilstrap,	7625
Miss Pearl Dalton, Hurricane	1690
Miss Ida Elrod, Pumpkintown,	400
Miss Bessie Thomas, Dacusville,	200
Miss Jessie Parsons, Liberty,	1200
Miss Mattie Bowen, Easley,	105

FOR TOWNSHIP PRIZES.	
CENTRAL.	
Lena Balentine	6470
Zora Smith	2440
EASLEY.	
Mattie Bowen	835
Lida Leslie,	295
Ella Looper, Easley,	250
LIBERTY	
Alma Clayton	4980
Jessie May Parsons,	1200
PICKENS	
Lucia Earle	5620
Essie Kelley, Pickens	1230
Viola Gilstrap, Pickens	6625
DACUSVILLE.	
Marinda Watson,,	345
HURRICANE	
Lizzie Garrett	2570
Nora Chapman	1335
Pearl Dalton	1490
EASTATOE	
Flora Winchester	1515
Leona Chapman	400
Lida Thomas	460
PUMPKINTOWN	
Ida Elrod	905
Katy Edens	1285

THIS COUPON entitles the holder to 5 votes in The Sentinel-Journal's Prize Contest.

5 votes for _____ Rural Carrier

5 votes for Miss _____ of _____ Township

5 votes for _____ for scholarship.