

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING MADE EASY

J. C. Robinson, Jeweler, Chester, S. C., Coming to Lancaster, S. C.

Will display the finest assortment of Diamonds, Watches, Solid Gold Jewelry, Silver Tablewares and Silver Novelties. Something for every one—sweethearts, wives, husbands, mothers, fathers, brothers, sisters and friends.

Will display goods at **Crawford Bros. Drug Store.** See Date Later.

Robinson's goods please everybody. Duplicate any catalogue price—oftentimes much cheaper.

"All Tangled Up" In Lancaster.

That amusing drama, "All Tangled Up," was most successfully and creditably presented by local talent last Friday night in the school auditorium, to a large and appreciative audience. The performance, as previously announced, was under the auspices of the Daughters of the Confederacy, and was given for the benefit of the monument fund. A nice sum was realized.

The caste of characters was as follows:

Major Halliday.....T. S. Carter
Mrs. Halliday.....Miss Elliott
Miss Olara Halliday.....
.....Miss McCardell
Keeling Plantum.....
.....A. B. Lindsay, Jr.
Lester McVey.....T. D. Mackey
Miss Vernie Plantum.....
.....Miss Taylor
Lieut. George Rapley.....
.....John Poag
O'Tool.....W. P. Davis.

Auditor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that this office will be open from the 1st day of January to the 20th day of February, 1906, for the purpose of receiving the returns of the taxpayers of Lancaster County.

All real estate with improvements thereon, and all personal property of every description, must be returned at its true value in money, and all persons having such property in their possession or control as manager, holder, or as husband, parent, guardian, trustee, executor, administrator, receiver, accounting officer, agent, attorney or factor, on the 1st day of January, 1906, are required to list the same for taxation within the time required by law, or incur the penalty of 50 per cent, which attaches in case of failure to do so.

The poll tax of One Dollar is laid upon all male persons between the ages of 21 and 60 years, except persons who are exempt by law.

The Auditor or an assistant will attend the following places in the county on the days named below for the convenience of the public:

Osceola, Tuesday, Jan. 9, 1906, 12 to 3 p. m.
Pleasant Valley, Wednesday, Jan. 10, 1906.
Belair, Thursday, Jan. 11, 1906.
Van Wyck, Friday, Jan. 12, 1906, to 2 p. m.
Dixie a. m., Dwight p. m., Monday, Jan. 15, 1906.
Tradesville, Tuesday, Jan. 16, 1906
Taxahaw, Wednesday, Jan. 17, 1906.
Flat Creek Church, Thursday, Jan. 18, 1906.
Welsh's, Friday, Jan. 19, 1906.
Primus, Saturday, Jan. 20, 1906, to 12 m.
Halle Mine, Monday, Jan. 22, 1906.
Kershaw, Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 23 and 24, 1906.
Heath Springs, Thursday, Jan. 25, 1906.
Pleasant Hill, Friday, Jan. 26, 1906, to 1 p. m.
W. T. Vanlandingham's, Monday, Jan. 29, 1906.

All returns must be made in regular form and it is preferable that they be made by the proper owner in person on blanks provided for the purpose. The returns must be duly sworn to before some officer qualified to administer an oath.

All items of realty, whether farms or town lots, must be listed separately, and no return which says, "same as last year," or "no changes," will be accepted.

After the above dates I will be found in the Auditor's office to wait upon the public. Respectfully,
JOHN A. COOK,
Auditor L. C.

Lancaster C. H., Dec. 4, 1905.

Christmas Holiday Excursion Rates Via Southern Railway.

On account of Christmas Holidays, Southern Railway will sell tickets from all points east of the Mississippi and south of the Ohio rivers and to St. Louis, Mo., and intermediate points at rate of One and One Third First Class One Way Fares, Plus Twenty Five Cents for the round trip (Minimum rate 50 cents). Tickets to be sold December 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 30th, 31st, 1905 and January 1st 1906, with final limit January 4th, 1906.

Tickets for Teachers and Students of Schools and Colleges will be sold December 17th to 24th, 1905, with final limit January 8th, 1906, upon presentation and surrender of certificates signed by Superintendents, Principals and Presidents of the various institutions of learning.

For further information, apply to any Southern Railway Ticket Agent, or

R. W. Hunt,
Division Passenger Agent,
Charleston, S. C.

Brooks Morgan,
Assistant General Pass. Agt.
Atlanta, Ga.

New Ordinances.

AN ordinance prohibiting any person or persons from digging any Grave or interring any Human Body in those parts of the Cemeteries of the Town of Lancaster designated as "Free" in existing ordinances of said town, excepting person or persons residing within the corporate limits of said town.

"Be it ordained by the town Council of Lancaster in council assembled and by the authority of the same: That on and after the passage of this ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person or persons (excepting residents of the town of Lancaster) to dig any Grave or to inter any Human Body in those parts of the cemeteries of said town designated in existing ordinances as "Free."

"That any violation of the provisions of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty dollars or imprisonment of not less than thirty days.

"That all ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed.
"Done and ratified this 25th day of November, 1905.

Attest: R. E. WYLIE, Mayor.

Seal. C. D. JONES, Clerk.

AN ordinance prohibiting any person or persons from bringing into the town of Lancaster from any point within the State of South Carolina, either as agent of the purchaser or vendor, any alcoholic liquors.

"Be it ordained by the town council of Lancaster in council assembled and by the authority of the same: That from and after the passage of this ordinance, it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, whether acting as agent of the purchaser or vendor, to carry, transport or bring into the town of Lancaster from any point within the State of South Carolina, any alcoholic liquors.

"Any person or persons violating the terms of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars or suffer imprisonment for not more than thirty days.

"Done and ratified in council assembled this the 25th day of November one thousand nine hundred and five.

Attest: R. E. WYLIE, Mayor.

Seal. C. D. JONES, Clerk.

The Lancaster News, 8 pages twice a week, \$1.50.

SEWING MACHINES

DROP HEAD.

Ten Year Guarantee from the Makers.

For the next 30 days (only 30 days remember) we will sell **High Grade Sewing Machines** at prices which will "startle the natives."

\$30 Swell Front, 5 Drawers for **\$20**

\$25 Handsome Finish, 5 Drawer, for **\$18**

Terms CASH, and the Chance of a Life Time

COTTON MILL STORE CO.

Don't Put off the Overcoat

You will want it tomorrow. Look at our \$12.50 Overcoats. Match them if you can for \$15.00. Others low as \$3.00.

Wool Underwear

That doesn't shrink—warm, soft, serviceable, and it will be the same size in March as it started off in December.

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Hats

We have just received a fresh supply of these goods and they are going at the usual rock-bottom prices.

"Straws show which way the wind blows."
Crowds show which way the trade goods.

We are having the largest fall trade in the history of our business, yet we are not depending on chin music or printed prices. Come, let us show you our Dress Goods, Ladies' Jackets, Shoes, Clothing and Furniture.

WILLIAMS-HUGHES CO.

SUMMONS FOR RELIEF.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Lancaster,
COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

G. W. Phillips, Plaintiff,
against,

Phillips Williams and—Williams Defendants.

To the Defendants above named: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on J. Harry Foster, at his office in the town of Lancaster, South Carolina, within twenty days from the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

J. HARRY FOSTER,
Plaintiff's Attorney.
Dated October 24th, 1905.

To the absent Defendants Phillips Williams and—Williams. You will take Notice:

That the Complaint in this action was filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for Lancaster county on the 24th day of October 1905. J. HARRY FOSTER,
Plaintiff's Attorney.
Nov. 21st, 1905.