

Local Matters

POINTMENTS OF REV. J. M. WHITE. July, 1st and 3d Sabbath. Hills Creek, 2d and 4th Sabbath, 11 a. m. Pleasant Hill, 2d and 4th Sabbath, 11 a. m.

When you want Candy, When you think of Candy When you go to bet Candy get *Stuyvesant* Mackorell

Mackorell

Nice cottage for rent. Apply to W. J. Cunningham.

The Ledger, The Atlanta Journal, Sem. weekly, and The Southern Cultivator, all three one year for \$2., but must be paid for in advance.

Wanted! A teacher for the Mc Cardel school to open Dec. 1st. J. F. Williams, Trustee. Lancaster, R. F. D., No. 4.

Rev. W. G. Neville of Clinton, was the guest of Prof. A. R. Banks during his visit here this week.

Just received—one Car load Rice-meal for feeding stock. Will sell cheap.—W. P. Bennett.

The masonic fraternity at Van Wyck will give a big oyster supper Thanksgiving night for Masons, their families and friends.

The ladies of the U. D. C. will have an oyster supper next Friday night for the "monument fund." Public invited. The place will be announced later.

The stores, telephone office, post office, bank, in fact all places of business here, will be closed Thanksgiving day, next Thursday.

Mrs. G. M. Walters, of Chesterfield, visited her aunt, Mrs. G. C. Carnes, at this place this week.

It is rumored that Messrs. Ed and J. N. Nisbet are contemplating erecting a large store building and conducting a mercantile business at Van Wyck

Miss Ethel Hilton left Saturday to take charge of the Riverside school, of which she has been elected principal.—Era.

Paul Welsh, colored who went from this place to Rock Hill and who was recently arrested there on the charge of attempting to ravish a colored girl, pleaded guilty to the charge in the court at Yorkville this week, but has not yet been sentenced.

In the case of W. B. Cauthen et al., against Emily Cauthen, et al, which was carried to the supreme court from this county, the decree of the lower court has been reversed. Opinion by Chief Justice Pope.

Lost! \$11.00, in bills, Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning to owner.

R. M. Jones.

Mr. Henry Wright of Oakhurst has made with two mules this year 28 bales of cotton, 250 bushels of corn, 3,000 bundles of fodder and 100 dozen bundles of...

Policeman Gus Eubanks of Rock Hill was tried Wednesday at Yorkville for the killing of Spenser Doster, colored, last spring, while the officer was engaged in the discharge of his duties. A verdict of acquittal was rendered.

The Oakhurst High School has opened under auspicious and encouraging circumstances. There are two departments in the school that of common school branches, and that of preparatory college work. The school house has been nicely painted and repaired and it is now a pretty picture in its lovely grove.

Foley's Honey and Tar for children, safe, sure. No opiates.

Miss Cornelia Elliott is visiting friends in Yorkville.

The Federal election managers can get their pay by calling on Mr. J. A. Cook, the county auditor.

We were pleased to meet in town this week our former townsman, Capt J. H. W. Stevens of Cheraw. He was over on business and his stay was short.

Born, Nov. 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sistare of this place, a son.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Adams of this place, Nov. 15th, a son.

A meeting is in progress at Unity. The pastor is being assisted by Rev. W. Y. Love of Taylorsville, N. C. Communion tomorrow after the morning service.

We are selling a great many goods regardless of cost. Come and see before you buy. Lancaster Mercantile Co.

189 acres, 5 horse farm open, good buildings, about 50 acres in woods, two pastures wired in. Will be sold as a whole or divided into two tracts. About 7 or 8 miles Northeast of town. A bargain. Call on T. S. Carter, Agent

Letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Lancaster for the week ending Nov. 19th, 1904, are as follows: Mesdames Ida Watts, Carrie Wilson, Emma Ward, M. E. McMurry, Delee McNeal, Rilda Evans, Willie Jackson, Misses Ella Rogers, Ellar Crawford, Rosy Cunningham, Amanda Puckett, Messrs. Sammie Johnson, L. P. S. Hammond, D. M. Wayer, J. R. Baker, Frank Blakley, J. S. Mothershed, C. W. Nunally, Joe Taylor, Henry, Gran, J. C. Flowe, M. L. Thompson.

J. M. Stewart, P. M.

The Board of Stewards of East Lancaster circuit will meet at the parsonage for final settlement Dec 1, 11 a. m. The trustees of church property will also please meet, or send a written report as required by the discipline. W. C Winn.

The address of Thos. E. Miller, President of the State College for colored youths, at this place last Wednesday night in the interest of the Bishop I. C. Clinton memorial school fund, is said to have been very fine. His subject was, industrial education best for the colored man. He made it plain that social equality, political preferment and the like were not things to be aimed at in the education of his race—but an education that would make them better and more skillful workers was the demand of the times and to the interest of his people. At the conclusion Rev. Dr. Boldridge and Prof. A. R. Banks were called upon and made short speeches emphasizing the wholesome advice which had been given by the previous speaker. It is proposed to erect a building in memory of Bishop Clinton to cost not less than \$2,500, and more than \$550. was raised at this meeting.

PASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Hooper* Prepared to do the Work.

I have put in a gasoline engine with which to run my sausage and bone mill, and am now better prepared than ever to serve the public with the best meat to be had. I have also attached to my engine a wood saw, and can saw and split your wood on very short notice, right in your own yard. Call me up—market phone 43, residence 56 2f S. T. Blackmon.

Foley's Honey and Tar always stops the cough and heals the lungs. Refuse substitutes. Sold by Funderburk Pharmacy.

An Unfortunate Difficulty.

A difficulty occurred at the depot here last Wednesday morning between Mr. Walter Hough and Mr. Wm Sowell, in which both young men were painfully injured, the former being shot and the latter being cut in the arm and shot in the leg. Mr. Hough's wound, which probably entered the lung, it was first feared would prove fatal but he was doing so well the following morning that it was thought no risk to move him to his father's home at Kershaw from Mr. L. S. Elliott's where he was taken immediately after the difficulty. Mr. Sowell's wounds consisted of a knife wound in the arm and a pistol shot wound in the leg, the latter being made by Mr. Sowell himself while Mr. Hough had grabbed the pistol and the two were in a scuffle over it. It was a very unfortunate affair and is much deplored. The two young men are first cousins. Both are getting along very well.

A Former Lancastrian Killed in Georgia.

A telegram received here Thursday morning from Cedar Town, Ga., stated that Mr. John R. Roberts had died the night before and would be buried that afternoon. A letter received by Mr Sam Roberts, his brother, on Monday stated that Mr. Roberts had been shot on Friday afternoon before and that he was in a critical condition from the effect of a wound through the breast. A telegram Tuesday stated that he was getting along very well and the telegram on Thursday announcing his death was a surprise to his relatives. Mr Lee R Roberts and Mr. J M Hilton left at once for Cedar Town. No particulars of the shooting were given or are known here.

Mr Roberts was the oldest son of Mr. D. A. Roberts of the Longsville section and was about 47 years of age. He left here about fifteen years ago, going to Alabama. From there he went to Cedar Town, Ga., where he has engaged in the stock business for the past ten years, conducting a large livery and sale stable.

Arbor Day Observed.

Arbor Day was observed by the graded school here yesterday. The exercises were most appropriate and the program very interesting.

At 10 o'clock the town and mill schools, numbering about 400, were marched to the campus where six beautiful young water oaks were planted by scholars of the more advanced grades, being named by them for the trustees; one, furnished by Hazel Ferguson and James Taylor, being named by the school for the orator of the day, Rev. W G Neville. The 5th grade furnished two trees naming them for Col Leroy Springs and W T Gregory; the 6th named their tree for C T Connors; the 7th for T S Carter, and the 9th for W J Cunningham.

After the planting of the trees the regular program was carried out in the school chapel. It consisted of appropriate songs, recitations, and an essay by one of the pupils, Mr. Dan Laney, on the trees of South Carolina. It was well written and thoughtful, treating on kinds, beauty and value of our trees.

These exercises being concluded, Rev. Dr. W. G. Neville, President of the Presbyterian College of Clinton, the orator of the day, was introduced, and made a most excellent address, his subject being the great importance of observing Arbor Day as a lesson to the rising generation. Dr. Neville gave his observations during his recent stay of several months in Europe of what had been done along the line of grow-

ing and preserving trees there in recent years. We should plant trees, care for and preserve trees for their beauty, for the comfort they afford us and for their utility.

Dr. Boldridge also made a few remarks on the subject. The hundred or more persons present, in addition to the 400 school children, all enjoyed the occasion to the fullest. Arbor Day in future promises to be with us a big occasion. Much credit is due Prof. Banks and his corps of teachers, who heartily co-operated with him and to Miss Stewart, who was in charge of the music, for the success and enjoyment of the occasion.

Death of "Uncle Tommie" Cauthen.

Mr. Thos. J. Cauthen died at his home near Westville last Friday night after being confined to his home with paralysis for about two years. He was stricken about five years ago. He was in his 89th year, having celebrated his 88th birthday March 20, last.

Mr. Cauthen was born in Lancaster county, near the Oakhurst section, and moved to Kershaw county after his first marriage. His first wife was Miss Jane Truesdel, and of this union nine children were born, and all are still living. After the death of his wife he married his brother's widow, Mrs. W. C. Cauthen, who died, and he was married again, his third wife being Mrs. Jane Sizemore, of Bishopville, who survives him.

The children who survive him are Mr. J. T. Cauthen, and Mrs. S. M. Kirkley, of Kershaw; Mrs. N. M. Truesdel, Mrs. Jas Gardner, Mrs. J. A. McDowell, Mrs. R. H. Bell, Mr. T. A. Cauthen and Mrs. D. G. Fletcher, of Westville; and Mrs. W. F. Russell, of Camden. All these, except Mr J T Cauthen, who returned to Kershaw Friday evening, were with him when he died. Besides his widow and children a brother, Mr. L. M. Cauthen, and a sister, Mrs. Missouri Cole, of Heath Spring, surviving him.—Kershaw Era.

During the summer of 1842 at a protracted meeting held under a brush arbor near hanging rock church, two young men were converted and joined the Methodist church. They were brothers. The younger of the two, Rev. A. J. Cauthen, was admitted into the S. C. Conference in 1848 and served his church faithfully as preacher in charge and presiding elder for fifty five years. A few months ago he entered into rest. The older brother, Bro. Thos. J. Cauthen, served his church no less faithfully. He was instrumental in the establishment of a preaching place at Damascus; and when the converts thus gathered were organized into a society, Uncle Tommie became the leader. This church was always very dear to him and the present prosperous church is a living monument to his untiring zeal and unstinted liberality. The years added to the richness of his experience of saving grace and with his last breath he testified of the love of Christ. Like a shock of ripe corn he was gathered the into heavenly home last Friday night. We laid his weary body to rest in God's acre at Damascus Saturday afternoon.—R. E. Tarnipseed in The Era.

TO CURE A COUGH

The coughs so prevalent these days usually develop before you realize what has happened. Now the best thing to do is to take the most reliable cough cure you can get. None better than Murray's Horehound Mullein and Tar. It is made of the purest ingredients and can be given to infants as well as grown people. Above all else it CURES. You will find it at all druggists. 25c a bottle—extra large bottle.

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Yours, J B. Mackorell.

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SILKS

36 inch Black Taffeta Silk, guaranteed to wear and no split, would be cheap at \$1.50, our price, per yard, \$1.19. Plain Taffeta Silks 19 inches wide in Brown, Navy, Garnet, Green, Cream and White, the 75c goods, at the yard only 67c. Black Beau de soie Silk, 36 inches wide, worth \$2 per yard, our price \$1.39.

DRESS GOODS

54 inch Broad Cloth all wool in Black, Blue, Tan, Green, Brown and Dark Red, the \$1 kind, our price per yard, 87c. We still have a small piece each of those 54 inch Broad Cloths in all colors 85 cents that we are selling at the yard, 69 cents. 54 inch Suitings in Navy, Garnet and Brown mixtures, worth \$1.25—we offer them as long as they last, per yard \$1.10.

JACKETS

Ladies you had better come and get you Jacket while you can get your fit and color. Remember we bought a sample line and you can buy them 1/2 less than you can buy them any place in town.

Blankets and Comforts.

Remember we carry a full line of these goods and can sell them to you at the right price. Blankets from 75 cent a pair to \$5.00. Comforts from 75 cents to \$2.00

CLOTHING.

Table with 2 columns: Price and Description. Items include Suit we offer for \$14.00, Boy's Suit we offer for \$3.90, etc.

We have many Bargains that we could mention but we have not space so we invite you to come and see for yourself.

E. E. CLOUD.