

## Local Matters

REV. J. M. WHITE.  
—3d Sabbath.  
—2d and 4th Sabbath, 11  
m.  
Pleasant Hill, 2d and 4th Sabbath,  
p. m.

When you want Candy,  
When you think of Candy  
When you go to bet Candy

get *Stuyvesant*

Mackorell.

—250 acres in Cedar Creek  
township. Price \$750. 1/2 cash.  
—6 3/8 cents is the top for cot-  
ton.

—Cloud has finished taking  
stock and is offering big induc-  
ements to bargain seekers. See  
his adv in this issue.

—The Methodist congregation  
here is highly pleased with its  
new pastor, Rev R E Turnipseed,  
who preached for them for the  
first time last Sunday morning.

—Magistrate W M Carnes  
turned over to the county treasurer  
\$50 Monday, fines collected by  
him for the past quarter.

—Mr A B Lindsay, who moved  
from here to Rock Hill some  
years ago, will move his family  
back to this place this week. They  
will occupy one of the Jones cot-  
tages in East End.

—Mr L J T Bailey of Hart  
County, Georgia, spent the holi-  
days with his brother, Mr W J  
Bailey, of this county.

—On December 26th Mr Edge-  
worth Sowell, son of Mr and Mrs.  
W H Sowell, and Miss Annie  
Cole, daughter of Mr and Mrs A  
C Cole, were married at the Bap-  
tist parsonage by the Rev Dr Rice  
at Kershaw.

—The new pipe organ for the  
Presbyterian church at this place,  
recently purchased from the Estey  
Organ Co., of Philadelphia, was  
erected the past week by Mr G N  
Bucklen, an agent of the com-  
pany. We congratulate our Pres-  
byterian brethren on their new  
purchase.

—Mr Robt Neal, son of Mr  
and Mrs J M Neal, and Miss Ber-  
tha Floyd, daughter of Mr and  
Mrs R S Floyd were happily  
married by Notary Public J W  
Hamel at his residence at Ker-  
shaw, Dec 29, 1904.

—The farmers of the Dixie  
section will meet next Saturday at  
1 p m, to take steps relative to  
the cotton situation. The farmers  
of Gills Creek townships and also  
of Cane Creek townships have  
called a meeting at this place at 1  
o'clock p. m. the same day. It  
is needless for us to urge upon the  
farmers the importance of attend-  
ing these meetings. Every farm-  
er in the county should be heart  
and soul in this organization.

—There has been lots of mov-  
ing around this week. Mr W B  
Langley has moved to his own  
home on Elm street which he had  
rented out the past year. Mr M  
E Jordan has moved into the  
"Young" cottage which was vacat-  
ed by Mr Langley, and Mr E D  
Tillman has moved to the Jordan  
house which was recently pur-  
chased from Mr Jordan by Mr J  
L Tillman, Sr. Mr J F Helms  
has moved to the J D Taylor  
plantation at Craigville, which  
he recently purchased, and Mr  
John E Blackmon has moved to  
the Helms place in West End,  
which was recently purchased by  
him. Mr C J Henry will occupy  
the "Gregory" cottage and Mr E  
J Sistrre will move to the "With-  
ers" cottage opposite the  
SV Stover  
cottage. They have moved to a  
age near the depot. Mr W  
E Taylor occupies the Plyler cot-  
tage vacated by Mr Cook.

There will be services in the  
Episcopal church next Sunday  
at 11 o'clock a. m. and 4 p. m.,  
conducted by Rev. H. C. Mazyck.

—Mrs B C Ashcraft of Mon-  
roe, N. C., is the guest of her  
cousins, the Misses Miller at this  
place.

—Mr W B Cauthen can now  
be found in the grocery of the L  
M Co., and Mr E J Sistrre in the  
grocery of the Heath-Jones Co.  
Mr J F Clyburn is with the Wil-  
liams-Hughes Co.

—Fork Hill Camp W O W will  
meet next Saturday at 2 p m.  
Hereafter the regular meetings of  
this camp will be held on Satur-  
day before the 2d Sunday in each  
month.

—Supt of Education A O Row-  
oll turned over the office to his  
successor, Mr W M Moore, last  
Saturday. Mr Rowell has made  
a splendid officer and we bespeak  
a worthy successor to him in Mr  
Monroe.

—Mr. Walter Hough, son of  
Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hough, and  
Miss Lillian Bell, of the Camp  
Creek section, were married Dec-  
ember the 24, 1904.

—Married, on Saturday Jan-  
1, 1905, by Magistrate W. M.  
Carnes, Mr. Geo. W. Threath of  
Jefferson, S. C., and Miss Ger-  
trude Horn, daughter of Mr. J.  
B. Horn of Tradesville.

—Waddell, the 13 months old  
son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hunter  
of the Douglas section, was pain-  
fully scalded on Christmas eve  
by falling backwards into a spot of  
boiling water and but for the pres-  
ence of Mr. Hunter, who quickly  
grabbed the child up and tore off  
its clothes the little fellow's in-  
juries would have been serious.

—The numbers drawing the  
prizes offered by the Heath B &  
M Co are: No 405 draws the \$50;  
in gold; No 1945 draws the \$25;  
3091, \$10; 2772, \$10; 1660, \$5  
Miss Irene Swaringen was the  
holder of No 1945 and received  
the \$25 in gold. Banks Reed,  
col, held No 2772 and received  
\$10. The holders of the other  
lucky numbers have not yet been  
ascertained.

—Married, at the home of the  
bride's parents, at Kershaw, S C.,  
Sunday, Jan 1, 1905, by Rabbi  
N Seiter of Columbia, Mr Isador  
Meyer of this place, and Miss  
Minnie Hirsch, daughter of Mr  
and Mrs L Hirsch of Kershaw.  
Only members of the family were  
present. Mr and Mrs Meyer  
came up on Monday evening and  
will make their home with their  
brother-in-law, Mr L Jacobson.

—The old Jas B Massey home  
on the Fitzpatrick "Massey  
place," was burned early Monday  
morning last. It was not occu-  
pied at the time but John John-  
son, col., had moved his farming  
implements, a quantity of peas  
and all his belongings [except his  
household effects, into it on Satur-  
day before and left his wagon at  
the door expecting to move the  
rest of his effects into it on Mon-  
day. No one reached the burning  
building in time to save even  
Johnson's wagon. The fire is  
thought to have been of incen-  
diary origin.

Married on the 25th day of  
December, 1904, at the home  
of the bride's mother, Mrs.  
Geromia Catoe, Mr. G. Franklin  
Faile, son of the late H. J. Faile,  
and Miss Mitchell Catoe, the only  
daughter of the late John C.  
Catoe. The attendants were:  
Mr. Samuel Maddox with Miss  
Rosie Faile, and Mr. Ernest  
Catoe with Miss Lola Mungo.  
Quite a large number of friends  
and relatives were present and  
the occasion was a real pleasant  
one to all. Mr. W. F. Estridge,  
Notary Public, officiated.

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

## Items From the Kershaw Era.

—The Haile Gold Mine closed  
down and gave the employees a  
week's holiday.

—Mrs. E C Brasington is visit-  
ing her mother at Jefferson, who  
is quite ill.

—Mr. H. V. Mango was mar-  
ried to Miss Mattie Lingle, of  
Marshville, N C., Wednesday  
night December 28, 1904, by  
Rev. Mr. Marsh.

—We learned yesterday of the  
death of Mr. D. G. Lanier, which  
occurred at his home near Beaver  
Creek church the night before.—  
He was buried yesterday after-  
noon at Beaver Creek church af-  
ter funeral services by Rev. J. T.  
Dendy.

## The Farmers' Convention.

An interesting convention of  
the farmers of Lancaster county  
was held here Friday, Dec. 23rd.  
The object of the meeting was to  
consider the cotton situation.—  
Every township in the county  
was represented by three duly  
elected delegates and there were  
a number of other farmers pres-  
ent.

Mr. Geo. W. Jones was called  
to the chair and Mr. J. M. Yoder  
was elected vice-president. The  
permanent officers elected were:  
Dr. T. J. Strait, president, and  
George W. Jones, secretary.—  
The organization is to be known  
as the Cotton Planters' Protec-  
tive Association.

The following preamble and  
resolutions, offered by Mr. Jones,  
were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, at the present low  
price of cotton the farming in-  
terest of Lancaster county cannot  
prosper, and,

Whereas, we in Convention  
assembled, desire to relieve this  
serious situation, do resolve:

First, that we earnestly re-  
commend that the farmers  
throughout Lancaster county, in  
each township thereof, and at as  
many places in each township  
as may be convenient, do organ-  
ize a Protective Cotton Associa-  
tion, for the purpose of adopting  
and carrying out the resolutions  
of the State Convention of the  
Cotton Growers' Protective As-  
sociation, and the resolutions  
recently adopted at Shreveport,  
Louisiana.

Second, that the resolutions  
mentioned in the first clause  
above provide for a reduction in  
the cotton acreage for the ensu-  
ing year of 25 per cent. and for  
a reduction in the use of com-  
mercial fertilizers of 25 per cent.  
both of which provisions we  
hereby endorse.

Third, that we hold the cotton  
now in our hands for sixty days,  
unless advised to the contrary  
by the Association, or unless  
necessity demands an earlier  
sale.

Fourth, that we believe that  
the late Government report of  
the present cotton crop is grossly  
inaccurate and far too high,  
and think that ten cents should  
be the ruling price for cotton at  
this time.

Fifth, that we discontinue the  
custom of furnishing the Govern-  
ment with the ginners' reports,  
believing as we do, that the  
Government reports of the cot-  
ton crop, through this source,  
are being manipulated to our in-  
jury; that we are now in a posi-  
tion which, if not counteracted  
by organization, will cause us to  
lose sixty millions of dollars.—  
That we contend, advisedly, that  
the Government report of De-  
cember 3, 1904, was made up of  
the most flagrant errors. We  
would urge that after this pres-  
ent crop no more reports be fur-  
nished the reporters of the Gov-  
ernment.

Kershaw cor. The State.—At  
a meeting of Abney lodge, No.  
211, A. F. M., the following offi-  
cers were publicly installed by  
J. W. Hamel: Dr. L. T. Greg-  
ory, W. M.; J. R. Hayes, S. W.;  
L. A. Baker, J. W.; R. L. Black-  
mon, treasurer; R. A. Dobson,  
secretary; Dr. W. O. Twitty, S. D.;  
W. F. Cook, J. D.; W. W.  
Horton and Henry Hirsch, stew-  
ards; J. W. Holden, tiler.

## The "Old Subscriber."

Newspaper men have no more  
pleasant experience than the an-  
nual visit of the "old subscriber."  
He is as certain to come as the  
winter is to roll around and when  
his genial face lights up the door-  
way and he says "howdy-do," you  
know it means a dollar and  
a half for his own subscription and  
probably another for his brother  
out West. The new subscriber is  
sometimes a doubtful quantity,  
but God bless the old. After  
they have come in regularly for  
fifteen years and then fail, you  
may know that they have been  
gathered to their fathers.—Ex.

## A Deserved Compliment.

"We hope the next time the  
Hon. J. E. McDonald comes to  
preside over our Court, that it  
will be as a regular Circuit Judge.  
He is not only an able lawyer,  
but a pleasant gentleman, and  
would be an ornament to the  
Bench."—Aiken Journal and Re-  
view.

The "able lawyer" and "pleas-  
ant gentleman" referred to has  
held Court in Barnwell and we can  
say, without the least flattery  
that our Aiken contemporary ex-  
presses the sentiments of the Barn-  
well Bar.—New Sentinel.

Mr. Waddell Succeeds Dr. Rich-  
ardson as Editor of the Advoca-  
cate.

Spartanburg, Dec. 29.—The  
publishing committee of the South-  
ern Christian Advocate met this  
evening in the Advocate office and  
accepted the resignation of Dr. W.  
R. Richardson as editor. Rev.  
G. H. Waddell was elected editor  
and Rev. W. A. Rogers assistant  
editor of the Advocate.

Mr. Waddell has been assistant  
editor, filling that position along  
with that of publisher. There  
will be no change in the policy of  
the paper.

## Charlotte Policeman Killed

Charlotte, N. C., Jan 1.—Rural  
Policeman S F Cole of Belmont  
Park, a suburb of this city, was  
shot and killed by a negro named  
Will Springs, near a negro church  
at B Nabors, a machinist and  
Cole's son-in-law, was shot but  
the extent of his injuries is not  
yet known. Springs became en-  
gaged in a quarrel with another  
negro who went for the officer.  
The latter drew his pistol and  
ordered the negro's "hands up." Springs  
put up one hand and with  
the other drew his pistol and fired  
on Nabors, who fell. He then  
shot Cole through the neck, the  
officer dying in three minutes.  
Nabors regained consciousness in  
a few minutes and fired on the  
negro, who first fell and then re-  
gained his feet and escaped.

## NEW

## LIVERY AND SALE STABLE

We have opened up, at the El-  
liott & Crawford old stand, Sale  
and Livery Stables and are pre-  
pared to sell stock cheaper than  
anybody, for cash, or on time  
with good papers.  
Call and see OUR STOCK  
before buying. Satisfaction  
guaranteed.

## LIVERY! LIVERY!

With brand new ve-  
hicles and good  
fresh horses we are  
prepared to give  
the best Satisfac-  
tion in the livery  
business.

Very Respectfully,  
**Moore & Sowell.**  
Dec. 1, 1904.

## WANTED

I want your wants and if you  
want your wants supplied come  
to me.

If you want Fancy Groceries,  
If you want Crockery,  
If you want China ware,  
If you want Glass ware,

in fact, if you want most any-  
thing in these lines, come to me.

**Celeryland Brede Steam**  
Bread always fresh.

Yours, **J B. Mackorell.**

WITH A VIEW OF  
Making a Change

in our business and in order to reduce our stock we will until Feb-  
1st, offer to the purchasing public our entire line of Clothing and  
Pants also all Winter fabrics AT COST. We have a new line and  
we mean business when we say COST, we mean it. We also have  
an elegant line of Dry Goods, Shoes, Notions, Gents' Furnishings  
and Hats, and will undersell any one else in town.

Come and See and Satisfy Your-  
self.

Our Clothing and Pants comprise all the styles in medium goods.  
Boys Clothing from 75c to \$3.00 per suit. Mens' suits from  
\$3.00 to \$10.00 per suit. This is no humbug, but is the change of  
a lifetime for the purchasing public of Lancaster County.

RESPECTFULLY,

**McCardell and Allison Bros.**

## To Bargain Seekers

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We have just finished taking stock and find that we have lots of  
heavy winter goods that we are anxious to sell and in order to get  
them off we will make a special price on them.

## DRESS GOODS!

5 pieces of fine all wool mixed goods, 56 inches wide, sold for \$1.10. Clos-  
ing out price 92 1/2 cents.  
3 pieces of Ashlands 56 inches wide, sold for 50c. Closing out price 28 cts  
4 pieces Ziboline, 40 inches wide, sold for 40 cents. Closing out price 25c  
We have many other heavy goods that we will make special prices on.

## JACKETS

We have a few jackets left and are very anxious to sell them and will  
make you a special price on them.

## FURS!

\$3 00 Furs, Closing out price  
\$2 50 " " " "  
2 00 " " " "  
1 25 " " " "

## FURS!

\$1 50  
1 00  
1 25  
90

## CLOTHING

To those who are in need of a Suit or Overcoat, You can't afford to buy  
without seeing our line as we have cut the price on all of them, and we want  
you to reap the benefit of it.

## SHOES SHOES

We have the Faultless Fitting Shoe. Dorothy Dodd  
Come along and buy a pair of them and we will have  
one more shoe customer to be added to our long list  
of them.

## E. E. CLOUD

In Masonic Building, Above friends of Alex.  
Barber who died a few  
at Anderson, have