

Local Matters

—Something [doing at Cloud's. See adv in this issue.

—Miss Lisett Wade of Wilmington, N. C., is spending a few weeks with her Aunt, Mrs I T Hunter.

—Mr John Blackmon, formerly of this county, came up yesterday from Florida on a visit to relatives.

—The cost sale at the Funderburk Co's begins at once. See their new adv.

—For Sale! Good milk cow with young calf. Apply to Leroy Dunn, R. F. D. No. 1, Lancaster, S. C.

—Mr Clarence Caskey of Lancaster who is being treated at the hospital, went home yesterday to spend two weeks.—Chester Lan- tern.

—Mr Dan Tillman of Cheraw came over and spent several days with his parents this week.

—The stores were all closed here yesterday, July 4th, as well as the post office, bank and other places of business except the newspaper offices, and the town was deserted, most everybody going to picnics, fish fries, etc., of which there were a number.

—Mrs. J. M. Perry, of Florida, is here on a visit to her sister-in-law, Mrs. H. Hines.

—In a game of ball played last Friday at Waxhaw between the Lancaster and Waxhaw Clubs, the latter were victorious by a score of 6 to 5.

—Henry Howze, an aged and respected colored man of the Jones X Roads section, died last Thurs day night.

—The Irvin White old home in the vicinity of Fort Lawn was burned last Sunday night about 11 o'clock. The fire was observed by many of our citizens.

—Taken Up! A small pig with hole in right ear, black with sandy spots. Owner can get pig by paying expenses.

S B Brazzle, Crockett X Roads.

—The County Auditor, Treasurer, Supt of Education, and Supervisor checked up their accounts Monday for the fiscal year ending June 30th, the foreman of the grand jury supervising the work. This is done preparatory to the annual settlement on the Auditor with the Comptroller General.

—Mr E B Lingle lost his fine buggy horse last Friday. He is foreman of the grand jury and had started to town for the purpose of supervising the settlement of the county officials and the horse took sick on the way and, despite all that could be done for it, died.

—Magistrate Carnes of Buford imposed fines aggregating \$65 on the following negroes for carrying concealed pistols and razors, the past week in his court: Jud Black mon, Elmore Segers, Jack Dun- can and Ed and Bob White. They paid the fine in preference to tak- ing a Summer trip of 30 days each to the Chester chain gang.

—Mr Horry Bennett, a brother of Mr W R Bennett of this place, and his wife, of Gaines- ville, Fla., are visiting relatives here and in the county. It has been forty years since Mr Bennett made a visit to his native home and the many changes and im- provements in that time are very perceptible to him. He and his wife will not return to Florida for a month as iw ill takethem fully that long to get around and see all their relatives.

The county alliance will meet in the court house on the second Friday, July 14th, at 10 o'clock a. m. All alliance men are urged to be present.

J. F. Nisbet.

—Magistrate J T Gauthen of Kershaw has turned over \$31.20 to the county treasurer, fines, etc, collected in his court the past quarter. Magistrate Carnes of Buford, in addition to quarterly returns, also turned over \$40, fines collected the past month.

The Lancaster Chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy will give an entertainment at the graded school grounds Thurs- day evening, beginning at 6:30 o'clock, for the benefit of the monument fund. Among the attractive features will be two balloon ascensions. Ice cream and other refreshments will be served. Music will be furnish- ed by the Cotton Mills brass band. The public is cordially invited to attend.

—The young peoples conven- tion of the A R P church con- venes at Gastonia, N. C., today, Rev Paul Pressley will go from this place and from the Shiloh congregation the following dele- gates will attend: Misses Ella Robinson, Brennie Thompson, Marie Craig and Mr Wm Milling.

—The editor of THE LEDGER spent last Sunday with his old friend and former neighbor, Mr M E Jordan, at Fort Lawn and a most enjoyable day it was. We feel under many obligations to Mr P W Hardin for the trip, he having taken us over in his motor car.

—Mr Richard S Myers, who was recently graduated in civil engineering from the Virginia Polytechnic Institute at Blacks- burg, Va., has taken a position with the Southern Power Com- pany, and is at present working on the surveys for the new devel- opments to be made at the Great Falls of the Catawba.—Charlotte Observer.

—Mrs Mariah Hull of Ports- mouth, Va., who has been at the bedside of her son, Mr J J Hull, at Rock Hill, S. C., received a stroke of facial paralysis Sunday. The condition of Mrs Hull yester- day was slightly improved. Mrs Hull was formerly a resident of Charlotte and has many friends here who will wish her a speedy recovery.—Charlotte Observer.

—Mr J M Nisbet, of Van Wyck, requests the announcement that for several reasons the date of the annual picnic at the Indian Ferry on the Catawba river has been changed from July 4th to July 19th. It is believed that the latter date will prove more satis- factory to the great majority of the people. An effort is now being made to secure one or two good speakers for the occasion, whose subjects will be announced later. The managers for the day will be Messrs J M Yoder, W P Plyler and J A Hyatt, of Van Wyck, and Messrs J E Heath, Fred Harris and W F Cheers, of Waxhaw.

Death of Mrs Culp. Mrs Martha Culp, widow of the late John Culp and mother of Mrs M E Jordan formerly of this place, died at the home of her son, Mr B D Culp, in Chester county, last Wednesday, June 28, 1905, aged about 80 years. Mrs Culp was an estimable lady and held in high esteem. The funeral services were conducted at the Jordan burying ground near Fort Lawn, on Thursday, where her body was laid in its last resting place.

Six Thousand Killed in Odessa. Odessa, July 3.—Estimates of the number killed during the fires and rioting of last week run as high as 6,000. A far greater number were shot down but many of the bodies were incinerated.

BANNER SALVE

Death of Wilson Crenshaw the survivors of the 12th Reg- iment and especially of Co E will sorrow to learn of the death of their old comrade in arms, Mr Wilson Crenshaw. His death occurred Monday, July 3, 1905, at the home of his son, Mr J C Crenshaw in the Van Wyck vi- cinity, of heart failure. His ill- ness was of short duration, being confined to his bed only two or three days.

Mr Crenshaw was born in Lancaster county January 18, 1832, and was in his 74th year. He entered the Confederate ser- vice at the beginning of the civil war and served throughout the four years except for a short time when he was captured by the enemy and confined in a Northern prison. He received four wounds in battle, two of them quite se- rious. He was always regarded as one of the best soldiers who enter- ed the service from this county.

Mr Crenshaw leaves surviving him one daughter and five sons, viz: Mrs S E Brazzle, Messrs J C, W D, Thos S, and Wade Hampton Crenshaw of this coun- ty, and Jas S Crenshaw, now in the U S Army and located at Seat- tle, Wash.

Mr Crenshaw's remains were interred yesterday at New Hope church.

—Mr Chas King, who recently accepted a position as flagman on the Southern, was in the wreck at Spartanburg Sunday morning in which three lives were lost, an account of which will be found elsewhere in this issue. A tele- gram from him to his brother, Capt J P King, Monday morning stated that he was uninjured.

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We also carry a full line of Staple Groceries at the lowest prices.

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COST SALE!

In order to reduce our stock we are going to sell goods at first cost until further notice. We don't intend carrying over any Summer goods. We mention a few items to show you we mean business. \$1 Shirts 75c, 50 cents shirts 38c, 25c shirts 19c. Ten dozen men's 50c shirts—job—at 25c. \$10 Suits \$7.50. \$7.50 Suits \$5. \$5 Suits \$3.75.

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COUNTY OF LANCASTER,

BY J E Stewman, Esq. Probate Judge

WHEREAS, H. Hines, Esq. made suit to me, to grant him letters of ad- ministration of the estate of and ef- fects of Robin Duncan

THESE ARE THEREFORE to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of said Robin Duncan deceased, that they be and ap- pear before me, in the Court of Pro- bate, to be held at Lancaster, S. C. on Friday, July 14th next after pub- lication thereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why said administration should not be granted.

Given under my Hand this 30th day of June Anno Domini, 1905 J E Stewman, Probate Judge

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3,000 yards of White Lawn, 40 inches wide, worth 20 cents the yard, we will make lively times by making the price just half, 10 cents the yard.

72 inch White Organdy worth 50 cents the yard we will make lively times by making it 25 cents the yard.

BIG BARGAIN IN TABLE DAMASK.

1 piece, worth 40 cents, this sale 24 cents.

1 piece, worth 75 cents, all pure linen, this sale 49 cents.

1 piece, worth \$1.25, and would be cheap at the price mentioned, but just to make it lively we will make the price 98 cents.

25 Bed Spread, slightly soiled on edges, sold for \$1. This sale for only 63 cents.

2,000 Yards of Calicogs, All in Blues, worth 6 cents, this sale 4 cents.

20 pieces Silk Mulls, formerly sold for 25 cents, this sale 12 1/2 cents per yard.

WHITE CANVAS OXFORDS,

For Ladies, Misses and Children.

Ladies' \$1.50 Canvas Oxfords this sale \$1.24.

Children Canvas Oxford, size 5 to 8, this sale 60 cents; size 9 to 12, this sale 85 cents; Misses size, 13 to 2, this sale 95 cents. Beautiful line of white hose to match.

- MILLINERY -

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