

**Local Matters**

—Huyler's candy fresh from the factory. J B Mackorell.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Evans, of Rock Hill, are visiting relatives at Heath Springs.

—Preaching in the Episcopal church tomorrow by the Rev. R. M. Marshall.

—Flower Pot all sizes, shapes and forms, from 6 gallons down to quarts. J B Mackorell.

—Mr. G. F. Cook was elected cotton weigher at Kershaw and Mr. A. L. Mobley at Heath Springs.

—Mr. Frank Johnson, of Heath Springs, has gone to Winston, N. C., to work as express messenger.

—One second hand 60 saw Winship Gin, Feeder and Condenser, in good condition, for sale cheap. Apply to W. T. Gregory.

—The new vault door and fixtures for the First National Bank have arrived and will be put in to day. The officers of the new bank are gratified with the business it is getting.

—Mr. W. M. Ligon, of York county, visited relatives in this county this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. J B Little, of the Unity neighborhood, left Wednesday for Loanoke, Ark., to make their home.—Waxhaw Enterprise.

—Two second hand sewing machines and a one-horse buggy for sale cheap. Come early. J. S. Wilson.

—Mr. R. B. Mackey of Heath Springs is visiting her sister in Charlotte while Mr. Mackey is away, at Baltimore, Md.

—Misses Mamie and Pearl Hunter are visiting their aunt at Fort Mill, S. C.

—Mrs. L. Jacobson and Children are visiting at Kershaw.

—For sale! Two 50-saw second hand Gins, Feeders and Condensers, in good condition. Also a Boss press. Apply to J. A. Hyatt, Van Wyck, S. C.

—Mrs. Perry Ingram, of Sumter, who has been visiting relatives at Heath Springs, returned home yesterday.

Dr. T. J. Strait returned yesterday from Montreat, N. C., where he spent several days with his family. He reports Mrs Strait's health somewhat improved since she went to Montreat.

—Mr. Ralph J. Belk, of Waxhaw and Miss Maggie Walkup, of the Tirzah neighborhood, were married Thursday afternoon, Aug. 3rd, at 5 o'clock, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Ellen Walkup. The ceremony was performed in his most impressive style by Rev. W. W. Ratchford, pastor of the bride.

—For sale! One field gin outfit, consisting of 7 b. p. Watertown engine, 60-saw Wingate gin, Feeder and condenser, and Liddell hand press. Apply to J. S. Hagins, Elgin, S. C.

—Magistrate W. M. Carnes of Buford township turned over to the county treasurer \$46.95, this week, fines, etc., collected in his court during the first week in August. All but 95 cents of this amount, we understand, was collected from pistol voters.

—Letters advertised as uncalled for and remaining in the post-office for week ending August 12, 1905: W F Robinson, Emanuel Beckham, J A Cash, Mesdames Monoles Porresh, Melier Walker, W F Beckham, Misses Alon Corames, Fannie Burren, Pauline Robenson. J F Hunter, P. M.

**DEATH OF CAPT. B. J. WITHERSPOON.**

Lancaster mourns today the death of her oldest native citizen. Capt. B J Witherspoon passed quietly to rest at the family residence on Main Street at 9:10 a. m., yesterday. He suffered a stroke of paralysis a few years ago and has been confined to his home most of the time since. On Wednesday last he suffered another stroke and it became apparent at once that the end was near. Dr. B J Witherspoon of Charlotte and Mrs. Jos. K. Hall of McConellsville, were telegraphed for and reached his bedside the following day.

Bartlett Jones Witherspoon was born in Lancaster S. C. December 11th 1832. He was the eldest child of James H and Mary E Witherspoon, nee Jones. He received the rudiments of his education in Lancaster, but at an early age was sent to Davidson College where he remained only a short time. He was then sent to Shirley Institute three miles from Winstboro under John R Shirley to complete his preparations for college. He matriculated at the S C College in 1853, while there he was in command of the company during that famous riot which was so marvelously quelled by Dr Thornwell. He graduated in December 1856; returning home with fond hopes and bright anticipations natural to his position to meet his first great sorrow—the death of his mother. After a short illness of one week she died December 28th 1856. In compliance with the wishes of his father Bartlett Witherspoon commenced the study of law under Mr Wm A Moore in 1856 and was admitted to the bar December 1859. The state seceded in December of that year and he immediately tendered his services to the Governor as a soldier to fight the battles of his country. He was appointed Lieutenant in a regular squadron of cavalry and was immediately ordered into service January 1861, he and Lieut. Billings being among the first men from Lancaster County to enter the late Confederate service. He was sent out recruiting and soon after was transferred to the 1st S C Regular Infantry. In 1863 he was promoted Captain of Company C. The regiment acted as heavy artillery and manned the forts Moutrie, Sumter, and the batteries around Charleston and was in all the engagements in and around that city and remained there with the regiment until the evacuation of the city, February 1865, when they joined Johnson's army in N C., with which army the regiment surrendered at Greensboro N C.; he having been within the hearing of the first and last gun of the great war of Secession.

After the war he renewed the practice of law for a short time when he gave it up to enter the insurance business which he has carried on successfully ever since. Shunning political preferment, he refused at all times to permit his name to be used for public office though often elected and serving as mayor of the Town. Perhaps no one person in the town ever served as often in that capacity from which fact may be inferred the satisfaction with which he filled the office. He was appointed Magistrate just after the war closed by Gov. Perry again by Gov. Orr, and during a portion of Gov. Scott's term until the republicans were fully established when the appointment was withdrawn; then in 1876 when Hampton re-deemed the state he was again successively appointed up to 1890. He was U S Commissioner at the time of his death and had been for many years.

Bartlett Jones Witherspoon was married December 12th 1867 to

Mary L Stevens daughter of William and Mary P. Stevens of Lancaster. They had nine children three sons and six daughters, four of the latter died in infancy. The living children are: Dr. P. J. Witherspoon of Charlotte, Mrs. Jos. K. Hall of McConellsville, Marion S. Witherspoon and Miss Constance Witherspoon, of this place. Mrs. John D. Wylie and Dr. J. H. Witherspoon are his only surviving sister and brother.

He joined the fraternity of Free masons in 1856 and served as Master of Jackson Lodge fifteen years. He was nine times appointed D. D. G. M. and in 1892 was made an officer of the Grand Lodge, being elected Jr. Grand Warden and in 1895 Grand Master. He was a bright and enthusiastic Mason and by his individual efforts did much to promote the prosperity of Jackson Lodge. The lodge in consideration of his zeal and fidelity presented him with a beautiful Past Master's jewel, and has recently had his portrait painted which will be presented with formal ceremonies to the grand lodge at its next annual communication in Charleston.

Bartlett Witherspoon was cheerful and social in his disposition always seeing the bright side of life, remarkable for his youthful feeling and ready sympathy for the young. He was a great social favorite and was considered very handsome, not only in his youth but in manhood's years. He was devoted to children, kind and generous to his family and was ever ready to espouse the side of the needy and oppressed. Like his ancestors he was Presbyterian.

The funeral services will be conducted at the Presbyterian church at 11 a. m. today. Burial with Masonic honors.

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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 28c, 25c shirts 19c. Ten dozen men's 50c shirts—job—at 25c.  
\$10 Suits \$7.50. \$7.50 Suits \$5. \$5 Suits \$3.75.

**MEN'S PANTS, That cost us from 38c to \$4.**

You can pick them at these prices. We still have a few dozen 50c double knee Overalls at 38 cents.

Some big bargains in white goods, colored and white lawns, Laces, Embroideries, etc. Don't wait till the best is picked over. Sale begins now.

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**SATURDAY AND MONDAY.**

On Saturday and Monday, for every dollar's worth you buy from us we will refund you 10c of the amount. In other words, if you buy \$1.00 worth, it costs you 90c; if you buy \$5.00, it costs you \$4.50 and so on. In addition to this liberal discount, we will make some of the closest prices ever made in Lancaster.

- Good 10c colored lawns, for Saturday and Monday, 4 1-2 c.
- Good 15 and 20c colored lawns, for Saturday and Monday, 1 1-4 c.
- 20c 40 inch white lawn for Saturday and Monday, 1 1-2 c.
- Good fast colored Calicoes, for Saturday and Monday, 4 c.
- Good 8c curtain Scrim, for Saturday and Monday, 4 1-2 c.
- Good 9c Bleach, for Saturday and Monday, 6 1-2 c.
- Good 8c Bedtick, for Saturday and Monday, 4 1-2 c.
- Full 3 yard lace Curtains, worth \$1.50, for Saturday and Monday \$1.10
- Full 2 1-2 yard lace Curtains, sold for 80c, " " " " 50c
- Good 8c apron gingham, for Saturday and Monday only 4 1-2 c
- 36 inch white Homespun, for Saturday and Monday, 4 3-4 c.
- Good 6 1-2 checked Homespun, for Saturday and Monday, 4 1-2 c.
- Good 60c shirt for Saturday and Monday 50c.
- Good 50c shirt, for Saturday and Monday, 40c.
- Good \$1.50 Parosol, for Saturday and Monday, 98c.
- Good \$1.50 Rugs, for Saturday and Monday, \$1.10.
- Ladies' 10c Hose, Saturday and Monday 7c.
- Full size ladies' petticoat, sold for \$1.00, Saturday and Monday, 69c.
- Boys 25c straw hats, Saturday and Monday 15c.
- Boys 15c straw hats, Saturday and Monday 10c.
- Good 75c Corsets, Saturday and Monday, 50c.
- Good 50c Corsets, Saturday and Monday, 35c.
- Good 5c Pearl Buttons, Saturday and Monday 4c.
- Men's 50c elastic seam Drawers, Saturday and Monday, 35c.

This is only a few of the good bargains that we are offering for these two days. Be sure and be on hand, and don't forget to ask for your liberal discount.

**E. E. CLOUD**