

Local Matters

—Wanted! Customers for Jar Tops, rubbers, and Jar wrenches. J. B. Mackorell.

—Mr. Mack Christenbury, of Derita, and Miss Minnie Christenbury, of Marvin, were married Tuesday by Esq. D. K. Hall.

—For Sale! 100 bus. of corn. Apply to James F. Helms, R. F. D. No. 1.

—Mr. Soule Gregory of Kershaw is visiting relatives at this place.

—Miss Margaret Hoke of Waycross, Ga., Miss Bessie Hoke of Catawba and Miss Margaret Frew of Rock Hill are guests of Mrs. W. B. Knight.

—Mabel, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm Ligon, of this place, died of cholera infantum Thursday, August 16, 1905, aged about 8 months.

—Mrs. D. W. Stover is visiting relatives at Rock Hill.

—Mrs. R. L. Dick of Concord, N. C., is the guest of Mrs. W. C. Carpenter.

—Three lots with dwellings, also vacant lot on Elm Street for sale apply to T. S. Carter agent.

—Lost! Gold locket, letter J, engraved thereon. Return to this office and get reward.

—Mrs. H. E. White, of Fort Mill, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Virginia Green.

—Miss Zoe White, of Fort Mill, is the guest of Miss Janie Green.

—Mr. Martin Davis, of Charlotte, N. C., is here on a few days visit to his wife, who is spending some time with the family of Dr. Poovey.

—Salesman wanted to look after our interest in Lancaster and adjacent counties. Salary or commission. Address Clover Oil and Paint Co., Cleveland, O.

—Mr. Geo. W. Pittman of Jones X Roads had a cow killed by lightning last Saturday night.

—The graded school opens the first Monday in September. See announcement.

—Rev. E. F. Griffith of Statesville, N. C., will hold a series of meetings at Gills Creek A. R. P. church next week.

—Mrs. W. D. Gamble of Wildwood, Fla., is here on a visit to her sister, Miss Maggie Hood, and other relatives. Miss Allie Hood, who has been spending some time in Florida, returned home with her.

—The Board of County Commissioners met Tuesday in the Supervisor's office, and declared J. F. Nisbet elected cotton weigher at Lancaster C. H., A. L. Mobley at Heath Springs, and G. F. Cook at Kershaw.

—Girls Daniel, colored, charged with house-breaking and larceny, was brought up from Kershaw Wednesday and lodged in jail here.

Mr G W Cauthen Came Near Losing his Mules.

Mr Geo. W. Cauthen came near losing a pair of fine young mules in Dry Creek last Wednesday afternoon. He undertook to cross the creek at an old ford when the mules bogged in quick sand and mud, unable to move, with their heads just above water. He had to hold the head of one of the mules above water to keep it from drowning before help arrived. Fortunately his brother, Mr. Jas. A. Cauthen, and his neighbor, Mr. W. T. Vanlandingham, were near with a force of hands repairing a pasture fence which had been washed away by the freshet, and they came quickly to the rescue. The mules were finally saved by prying them up and lifting them out of the creek. One of the mules was badly crippled in the effort to get it out.

Amos-Tillman.
A quiet home wedding was solemnized at 3 o'clock last Wednesday afternoon, August 15, 1905, when Miss Lena Amos became the bride of Daniel L. Tillman. Rev. Chalmers Fraser, D. D., performed the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Amos. The bridal couple left on the L. and C. train that afternoon for a bridal trip to Old Point Comfort and Washington. After September 1st they will be at home at Cheraw, S. C., where the groom is engaged in the offices of the Seaboard Airline.

Miss Amos is one of Lancaster's most amiable and cultured young ladies and the groom is a promising young man of this county. Both are deservedly popular and carry with them the very best wishes of a host of friends here.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lazenby and Misses Minnie, Hattie, and Pearl Miller will leave today for an extended trip North. They will visit Baltimore, Washington and Philadelphia, returning in about two weeks.

—Rev. Paul Pressley is assisting in a protracted meeting in Fairfield county this week. He will go from there to Greenwood county to assist in a meeting at Bradley. Before returning home he will visit his parents at Due West.

—The Woodman picnic and educational rally at Van Wyck Wednesday was a big affair. Fully 500 people were in attendance. Congressman Finley and Hon. J. Hamel made fine addresses on education and Hon. J. H. Foster on woodcraft. The dinner was excellent and the day enjoyed by all present.

—Lancaster special to News and Courier: Probably the largest Confederate cannon ball ever seen in these parts was shipped here from Fort Mill a few days ago. It belongs to Capt. Samuel E. White, formerly of Fort Mill, but now a resident of Lancaster. The ball is 10 inches in diameter and weighs 120 pounds. It was brought here for the purpose of having the names cut on it of all the various owners, from time to time, of Capt White's fine plantation near Fort Mill, beginning with the Indians in 1760. On the ball's return to Fort Mill it will be used for ornamental purposes at a notable spring on the plantation referred to. It is to rest in the eye of a large mill-stone, which is to be placed over the spring. The names have already been cut on the ball, by Stonecutter Mc-Ninch, and as the letters are gilded they present a very attractive appearance.

Pleasant Valley News.

Fort Mill Times.
The protracted meeting at the Pleasant Hill Methodist Church will begin on Thursday evening, the 17th. The third quarterly conference for the Fort Mill charge will be held at Pleasant Hill church next Saturday and Sunday. Presiding Elder Meadors will be present and will also assist in the meeting.

—Mr. and Mrs. O P Heath and daughter, Miss Helen, are visiting in Pleasant Valley.

—Mae, the little daughter of Mr and Mrs. J. L. Pettus, has been dangerously ill from an attack of appendicitis, but is now convalescent.

—Mrs. J. W. Hall is at Dr. Pryors sanitarium at Chester, where she is undergoing treatment for her eyes.

—Hon. O. W. Potts, who has been in the hospital at Charlotte for two weeks, is greatly improved at this writing and will return home in a few days.

—Mr. Os. Barber has been quite sick for the past week.

—Mr. F. G. Potts has been elected principal of the high school at Parksville, S. C., and will leave for his new field of labor about the 1st of September.

Granted Bail.
Policeman Jeff Gregory, of Kershaw, who shot and killed Mr. Thomas Catoe in that town one night last week, made application for bail before Associate Justice Jones at this place Thursday morning. The defendant was represented by his attorney, E. D. Blakeney, Esq., and the State by R. E. Wylie Esq. Bail was agreed upon by consent and the amount fixed at \$2,000 which was readily given and the defendant discharged from custody to appear at the approaching term of court for trial.

[For the Ledger.

In memory of our dear Grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Bennett, who died Aug. 14, 1905. Had she lived until the 20th of this month she would have been 79 years old. She leaves two sisters, Mrs. Col B Jones and Miss Mary A. Horton of Kershaw county. She had 4 children living, 20 grand children, and 11 great-grand children.

Friends were gathered round a casket, which contained a jewel rare,
'Twas the beautiful form of Grandma,
But her spirit was not there.
Lovely flowers her form encircled,
Scattered there by hands of love.
Willing hearts to pay their tribute
To the dear one gone above.
Oh how sad to see that sister
Bowed in grief, her sister gone,
And to see those children
Weep bitter tears but not alone
Could we pierce the veil that hideth
Her from mortal eyes and view
Such an angel form of brightness
Clothed in garments white and pure
Would we call her back from heaven,
Would we wish her here again
In this world where joys are mingled,
With sore bereavements, grief and pain.

Grandma we miss thee in our daily paths
Amid the household greeting
Where tones of tender love are breathed
When friend with friend is meeting.
We know with yonder radiant throng
Before the throne thou art bowing.
The bloom of immortality
Upon thy brow soft glowing.
Sleep on: ere long around thy couch
Shall lilies sweet be springing
While o'er thee in the rustling boughs
Will joyous birds be singing.
Sweet be thy rest, Oh! Grandma!
Undisturbed by pain or woe,
Sleep sweetly forever dear Grandma
Till Gabriel his trumpet shall blow.
Grand Daughter.

* Pay your subscription.

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

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

—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.

THOROUGH-BRED Berkshire Pigs For Sale.
APPLY TO
R. B. MACKREY, PROPRIETOR,
HEATH SPRINGS, S. C.



No. 7858.
TREASURY DEPARTMENT.
Office Comptroller of the Currency Washington, D. C., Aug. 4, 1905.
WHEREAS by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The First National Bank of Lancaster", in the Town of Lancaster, in the County of Lancaster and State of South Carolina, has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking;
NOW THEREFORE I, Thomas P. Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The First National Bank of Lancaster", in the Town of Lancaster, in the County of Lancaster and State of South Carolina, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section Fifty one hundred and sixty nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF witness my hand and Seal of office this Fourth day of August, 1905.
T. P. Kane,
(SEAL) Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency.
O-10-'05.

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SALE

ALL OUR SUMMER SHOES are in this sale. We would rather lose money on them than carry them over another year. YOU NEED ANOTHER PAIR before the end of the season and now is the time to buy them at a bargain. There are no reservations. Our entire stock is reduced. Call in and see them.

Williams-Hughes Co.

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.

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.
Yours to Please,
FUNDERBURK CO

SPECIAL NOTICE

MY PRICES ARE AS CHEAP AS CAN BE MADE.
Quick Sales, Short Profits!

For Fancy Stuff, I have the line—Ritter's Preserves and Jellies are the best that are made.
All kinds of Canned Goods and Pickles, for Summer Picnics and excursions I can supply your wants.

China, Crockery and Glass Ware
I have a full line and can please you both in price and quality.

Come to see my 5 and 10 cents counter. Be sure to see my contest—closes on Aug 27.

Yours,
J B MACKORELL.

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Because it is the strongest company in the world.
Because its policies protect one million families.
Because it has over 390 million assets.

Because it has over 380 millions Reserve Fund.
Because it paid in dividends in 1904 over \$5,000,000.
Because it is purely mutual. It has no capital stock.

Because its assets belong to the policy holders.
Because it does not invest in stocks and industrial securities.
Because its policies contain only one condition (payment) of premium.

Because the insured leaves to his widow or estate a legacy and not a law suit.

Because its policies are incontestable and nonforfeitable.

Because it paid in 1904 \$40,000,000 to its policy holders.
Because it is the best estate you can leave to your family.
Because it gives you the best protection and investment combined for the money.

Because you can't afford to carry anything else when you can get the best.

Call on J. E. BLACKMON of Lancaster and give him your application.

Unheard of Prices
On High Class Merchandise

We still have a few more summer goods that must go---we will not make any prices on these goods but just come in and make us an offer and the goods are yours. The goods must go as we do not intend carrying over anything in Summer goods.

Special Price on Table Damask.

A beautiful piece of 68 inch Bleach Damask, worth 40 cents, our price, 24 cents. One piece all Linen, 70 inch wide, worth 75 cents, our price 49 cents. One piece 72 inch wide Unbleached and all Linen worth \$1.25, our price 85 cents. One piece 72 inch wide worth \$1.50, our price 98 cents. We can also show you a beautiful line of doilies to match and the price are right.

Two Specials in Bedspreads---only a limited quantity of these goods.
Lot 1---12 spreads worth \$1.25, our price 83 cents.
Lot 2---12 spreads worth \$1.50, our price \$1.10.

Great Values in Curtain Goods.
12 1-2c Dotted Swiss, this sale 10 cents. 10c Lace Striped Swiss, this sale 8 cents. 2 pieces of fancy curtain goods with colored stripe, worth 15 cents our price 10c.

LADIES' VESTS---15 dozen Ladies' vests, would be cheap at 15 cents each. Our price as long as they last, 3 for 25 c.
E. E. CLOUD