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Notice, Debtors and Creditors.

All persons indebted to the estate of John H. Koon, deceased, will make payment and those having demands against said estate will present them duly attested to the undersigned for payment, on or before 1st January 1913. GEO. W. KOON, EDDIE FRICK, Executor.

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EDITOR ON THE ROUNDS

Found the Fork Happy and Contented as a Rule.

THIRTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL TRIP.

The Editor Who is Out With the Treasurer Pulling Spare Reels and Mingling With the People is Having a Gay Old Time. Some Improvements in the Fork.

All work and no play is good neither for the mind nor the body, and it is with peculiar pleasure when the time comes around for us to lay aside the cares, perplexities and vexations incident to getting out a country weekly newspaper, and it was with feelings akin to the joyousness of youth that we started out last week with the Treasurer and his assistant on our thirty-seventh semi-annual tour of the county in the interest of the Dispatch. It was a source of great gratification to us to find that the interest in the Old Dispatch is being revived in the affections of the people of Lexington and that as an evidence we lost not a single subscriber in the Fork, but to the contrary we added eight new names to our subscription list.

The first point on our rounds was Irem, which shows but little growth in population and business development since last we were there. The merchants and business men are holding a stiff upper lip, however, and are looking forward to brighter days and more prosperous times which must eventually come to them if they weary not in well doing. The school facilities are excellent and in the persons of Prof. Surkie and Miss Eva Bookman the educational interests of this place and surrounding territory are in competent and efficient hands. Herbertson College, of which Dr. Young is the President, is located here and is intended for the higher education of the Negro. It was built at a cost of about \$20,000 and is well equipped with the usual paraphernalia for this purpose. The crops in that section are generally good, and if the people were let alone by disgruntled politicians and false prophets who are trying to win them from their allegiance to their grand old mother country, they would be happy and contented. When through at Irem we took the train for Hilton. There is practically no business of any importance being done here now. The place is at a dead stand still, yet strange to remark that it has the reputation of being one of the best places for a thriving town in the Fork, having a rich and fertile back country, populated with prosperous and substantial farmers, to support it. We understand that the Hiller property will shortly pass under the control of a well known business man of ability and experience who intends to resurrect the town by opening a large general merchandise store and otherwise improving the place. Our next appointment was Chapin, at which place we arrived on schedule time. Chapin is one of the best business centres in the Fork. Its mer-

chants are five, progressive and energetic and are pushing the place forward with a vim worthy of imitation by their less fortunate neighbors. In passing we wish particularly to call attention to the fact that here is located the Hotel Marion, one among the most pleasant little country hotels in the country. It is under the management of Mrs. Frick, a lady of wide experience in the hotel business. The town is on a steady growth and there is no telling just at this time what the future has in store for it, if the people will only be wise and not act too hastily. They should refuse to listen to the siren voice of the seducer. An appropriate insignia to emblazon upon their banners when these may-mouth fellows comes around is, "Get thee behind me Satan." The religious tone of the community is healthy and the educational interests of the place is guarded with jealous care and affection. They have a beautiful and commodious school building which was erected at a cost of something like \$10,000, which is the pride of the community. Our next stopping place was Peak, where we found everything quiet and the people busily engaged in plying their every day avocations and everything was jogging along as merrily as the sweet chiming of the marriage bells. A nice little business is done at this place, and since the commencement of work by the Parr Shoals company Peak has enjoyed an era of substantial prosperity as it never has before. The company puts a large sum of money in circulation every pay day and the business interests of the place feels and appreciates the effects of it. Clever and industrious people live there who take a lively interest in all public and private enterprises of whatever nature and kind. Home, sweet home.

LEXINGTON PROOF

Should Convince Every Reader.

The frank statement of a neighbor, telling the merits of a remedy, bids you pause and believe. The same endorsement by some stranger far away commands no belief at all. Here's a Lexington case. A Lexington citizen testifies. Read and be convinced. Mrs. Ella V. Corley, R. F. D. No. 8, Lexington, S. C., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills helped me a great deal when I had kidney troubles some years ago and at that time I gave a public statement in which I told of my experience. I got my supply of Doan's Kidney Pills from the Kaufmann Drug Co. and was relieved through their use of pains across the small of my back and a distressing difficulty with the kidney secretions." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

THE CORN CONTEST

Was Well Attended by Competitors and Others. SOME VERY FINE SPECIMENS.

The Prize Winners—Officers Elected—By Failure to Comply with the Rules the Boy that Made the Highest Yield Did Not Get First Prize.

The third annual corn show for Lexington county was held Nov. 16, with a very large attendance, there was more corn displayed than ever before. There were strong addresses made by Congressman Lever who told of his observations of the farming land in the west, that the high prices would result in the land becoming unprofitable for farming purposes, but the cheap lands of the south will continue to be for many years profitable for agricultural purposes; and by Prof. W. L. English of Clemson, who discussed the benefit that was being derived from the Corn Shows and the National Corn Show which is to be held in Columbia, January next.

The following were the prize winners: Best ten ears; 1st Raymond Hendrix; 2, G. S. Wingard; 3, Evans Lindler; 4, J. W. Lindler; 5, Arthur Arnold; 6, Clyde S. Adley.

Prizes awarded to boys: Upland: 1st, Ralph Hendrix, 63 3/4 bushels with a per cent of .83; 2nd Luther E. Smith, 48 1/2 bushels, with .71 1/2 per cent; 3rd, Lister Derrick, 75 1/2 bushels with .63 1/3 per cent.

Bottom land: 1st, Harold Shealy, 64 bushels, with .91 per cent; 2nd, Raymond Hendrix, 73 bushels, with .89 per cent; 3rd, Ross Shealy, 49 1/2 bushels, with .87 1/2 per cent.

Prizes awarded to men on Upland: 1st, G. S. Wingard, 63 1/2 bushels, with .89 per cent, 2nd, U. E. Blank, 53 1/2 bushels, with .82 2/3 per cent.

The two boys who made the highest per cent, and the ones the Association are sending to the National Corn Show are Harold Shealy and Ralph Hendrix. The boy that made the highest yield did not get first prize because he didn't comply with all the rules and didn't make the highest per cent.

Officers were elected for next year as follows: Dr. E. C. Ridgell, Pres., W. B. Taylor, Vice Pres. and J. A. Barre, Secretary.

Resolved, that our sincere thanks be and are hereby tendered to the Lexington Dispatch and the Enterprise

for the notices they gave of our meetings and Transactions, to the Batesburg Cotton Oil Co., W. H. Follow, First National Bank, Citizens Bank, Enterprise, Paul Garber, T. B. Kernaghan and J. Frank Kneese, all of Batesburg; Matthews & Bouknight, of Leesville; Thurman, Timmerman & Callison, Dr. E. P. Derrick, Rev. J. A. Cromer, E. G. Dreher & Co., T. P. Meetze, Dr. J. J. Wingard, H. N. Kaminer & Co., the Home National Bank, all of Lexington; S. E. Lowman, of Ballentine; for their splendid gifts so materially adding to the success of the Association by encouraging and helping our farmers; and to Prof. W. L. English of Clemson College and Hon. A. F. Lever for their very instructive and valuable addresses. J. A. BARRE, Secretary.

A Delightful Entertainment.

The Ladies School Improvement League will give a delightful entertainment in the new school building, November 28. (Thanksgiving eve) beginning at 7:30 o'clock, to which everybody is cordially invited to grace the occasion with their presence. An interesting and highly amusing programme has been arranged, a feature of which will be an old time Spelling Bee. Admission free. Go out and spend a very enjoyable evening.

Death of J. J. Kaminer.

Mr. J. J. Kaminer, a former Lexingtonian, died at his home in Galesburg on Wednesday, November 13, 1912, of pneumonia. He was a man of many noble traits of character and enjoyed the confidence and respect of the entire community in which he lived for about forty years. He was prominently identified with all movements looking to the uplifting of the people and the prosperity of the community. He is survived by his wife, and two daughters, and a large circle of relatives in Lexington county. He was in the 61st year of his age, and his wife counseled and good deeds will be missed by many.

Notice to Jurors

All jurors who have been subpoenaed to serve for the fourth week are hereby notified that their services will not be needed; and, therefore, are requested not to appear on next Monday, November 25th.

FRANK W. SHEALY, Clerk of the Court. Lexington, S. C., Nov. 20th, 1912.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF LEXINGTON.

Under and by virtue of two certain chattel mortgages of dates July 23, 1910, and Sept. 13, 1910, respectively, duly made and executed by Lexington Supply Company, a corporation of the State, doing business at Lexington, S. C., in favor of W. P. Roof, cashier, to secure the payment of the amounts of \$2,000.00 and \$1,000.00 respectively and recorded in the Clerk of Court's Office for County and State aforesaid, in Book 22, page 3999 and Book 23 page 89 respectively, which said mortgages and the notes and amounts they were given to secure are the property of the Trustee of the Bankrupt Estate of W. P. Roof, the undersigned will on Saturday, the 23rd day of November, 1912, during the usual hour of sales, in the town of Lexington, at the house and on the premises recently occupied by Lexington Supply Company, sell at public outcry to the highest bidder, the following described personal property to wit:

All of the property belonging to the Lexington Supply Company, including Gasoline Engines, Lathes, Planers, Shavers, Pulleys, belting, Machinery, Automobile Tools, Gasoline Tank and Pump, etc., and all property, goods and chattels of every kind, including the entire stock of goods, hardware, etc., owned by the Lexington Supply Company. Inventory may be seen by applying to the undersigned.

Terms of sale—Cash. T. C. CALLISON, Agent for Trustee of W. P. Roof Bankrupt Estate.

State of South Carolina, County of Lexington—In the Probate Court—S. D. McCartha and J. L. McCartha, Administrators of the Estate of Geo. D. McCartha, Deceased, Petitioners, against Almira Fry, Nancy Ivey, Jacob McCartha, Geo. W. McCartha, Sallie Ivey, Ella McCartha, Ray McCartha, Agnes McCartha, and The Home National Bank, Defendants—Petition for Sale of Land in Aid of Assets to Pay Debts.

In obedience to the decree of the Court herein, dated the 3rd day of October, A. D. 1912, I will sell before the Court House door to the highest bidder at public outcry, during the legal hours of sale, on the first Monday in November, the 2nd day.

All that piece, parcel or lot of land, together with buildings thereon, situate, lying and being in the town of Lexington, County and State aforesaid, containing one-half (1/2) acre more or less, fronting on Depot Street in the west, and bounded by lands of Frank Eyer, Miss Mary Wingard, and G. M. Harman.

Terms of Sale, Cash; purchaser to pay for papers.

GEORGE S. DRAFTS, Judge of Probate. November 12, 1912.

On a Long "Hike"

Herbert W. Hoover, age 20, home in Newark, N. J., left New York city, Oct. 14th, 1912 to encircle the United States on foot and has already been through 8 states and is now on his 9th, passed through Lexington at 1:45 today on his way to Augusta. He expects to be in San Francisco early time in Feb. and in New York Nov. 1st, 1913.