### The Manning Times.

Published Every Wednesday



Craven Bradham a Carolina student is at home for the holidays.

Miss Cecil Clark of Columbia College, is at home for the holidays.

Mr. Jack Metropol is moving his bottling plant to Sumter.

Mr. Joe Burgess of Clemson College is visiting in town.

Miss Mary Pitts of Columbia, is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Joe Plowden of Atlanta, was a visitor to Manning this week.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Cole of King-stree, spent Monday in Manning.

Mr. H. D. Plowden of Kingstree visited in Manning this week.

Mr. R. D. Clark of Madison, N. C. is spending a few days in town

Mr. George Huggins of Columbia, spent Xmas with his mother in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Lachicotte of Georgetown, is visiting the home of Judge John S. Wilson.

Capt. and Mrs. W. C. Davis spent the holidays in Kingstree and Flor-

Dr. Guerry Stukes of Atlanta, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stukes.

Mr. William Clark of Kingstree spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Clark.

Mr. C. R. Sprott who is now employed in Virginia is spending a few days with his family.

Mr. Moses Levi who is studying law in the North is spending the holidays

Miss Augusta Appelt left this morning to resume her duties at Oteen,

Mr. George Williams of Columbia, spent the holidays with his family in

Miss Olivia Horton of Abbeville, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Janie Hor-

ton in town. Mr. H. C. McKelvey of Greenville, is spending a couple of weeks in Man-ning with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jones of Colum-

bia, are spending the holidays at the home of Dr. G. L. Dickson. Mr. and Mrs. Marion Bradham of

Ronoake, Va., are visiting Mr. Brad-ham's mother, Mrs. D. M. Bradham. Mrs. B. E. Jordan and children of

Denmark are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Barrineau.

Mrs. W. E. Folk and children of Denmark are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Barrineau.

Rev. and Mrs. George Pierce Wat-son spent the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. J. B. Cantey. Miss Georgia Sauls who is teaching

is spending the holidays in Manning. Messrs Leon and James Burgess of Sumter, are spending a few days in

Manning. Mr. R. Hugh Belser of Summerton,

has been appointed game warden to succeed the late S. W. Barron.

Misses Catherine Arant, Mary and Lula Rigby are home from Winthrop College for the Christmas Holidays.

Mr. W. A. Galloway and family are spending the holidays at the home of Mr. J. M. Galloway. There will be services at Livo Oak

Church next Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Everyone invited.

Miss Luce of Chicago, is the guest of her brother, Mr. A. L. Luce, and

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wells of Laurens, are spending the holidays, in Manning with relatives.

On account of Xmas and there being so few advertisements, The Times is only printing four pages this week. Mrs. Seamon Richardson and chil-

dren are spending the holidays with their parents at Winnsbore. Jeanette Plowden who is

teaching in Camden, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Plowden.

The house occupied by Mr. W. D. Lloyd and owned by Mr. H. M. Thomas was destroyed by fire Monday night. There was no insurance.

Miss Lunah Fulton of Florence, spent Christmas Day in Manning

666 quickly relieves Colds and LaGrippe, Constipation, Biliousness and Headaches.

with her sisters, Mesdames T. L. Bag- MESSRS: COTHRAN AND

Mr. R. F. Thigpen, accompanied by Mrs. B. R. Edgerton of Kinnely, N. C., spent Christmas with the former's parents, Mr. a.d Mrs. S. W. Thigpen

Robert Clark, Jr., who is a student at the Military Institute at Black-stone, Va., is spending the Christmas holidays in Manning.

Bradham who is Miss Pammie teaching at Georgetown, is spending the Christmas holidays with her par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. Furman Bradham.

The January meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held on Wednesday af ernoon, January 3rd at 4 o'clock at the homehome of Mrs. A. P. Thames. Members will please notice that the meeting day has only been changed for this month.

Died in Mimia, Fla,, on the 20th day of December, William Arch Lowder. The deceased was formerly a resident of Clarendon County. He left here about forty years ago and moved to Florida. He was a Confederate, soldier, and was a member of Company I, 25th Regiment, South Carolina. He served four years in the Confederate army, he was a good solution. The decease The confederate army, he was a good solution of the confederate army, he was a good solution. The decease The confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution. The decease The confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a good solution of the confederate army he was a confed

The Clarendon County Legislative Delegation has been requested to hold a public meeting for the discussion by interested citizens of local questions and issues with which the Delegation will have to deal during the approaching session of the State Legislature slature.

There will be such a meeting at the Court House in Manning at 11 A. M., Saturday, January 6th., and all the citizens of the County are invited to attend and make such suggestions and enter into such discussions as they see fit concerning level into a such suggestions. they see fit concerning local issues and problems.

Julian H. Scarborough, State Senator.

#### NOTICE

All hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind is forbidden on my lands in Calvary Township and Sammy Swamp.

J. W. RHAME, Paxville, S. C.

### THE ANGEL AND THE STAR

A Christmas Cantata was beautifully rendered in the Presbyterian Church last Sunday evening by the Manning Choral Club. The program

was as follows:
Organ processional.
Hymn—Joy to the World.
Scripture Reading.

Hymn-Hark the Herald Angels Cantata—"The Angel and the Star."

Hymn-"It came upon a Midnight Organ recessional.

At the conclusion of the musical program the Business Men's Evangelistic Club took charge. Addresses being made by Hon. Charlton Du-Rant and J. W. Wideman. A generous collection was taken, the proceeds of which went to furnish Christmas baskets for the poor, in our coun-

### MEETING TOBACCO AND COTTON ASSOCIATION

The County Co-operfative Tobacco and Cotton Association, will meet at the Court House in Manning, the first the Court House in Manning, the first Friday in January next, which will be the 5th day of January. It is hoped that the school districts units will be organized by that time and that we will have a large attendance at the County meeting. We expect to have Mr. Lee, field organizer with us at this meeting. this meeting.

J. M. Windham, Chairman.
W. R. Gray, Secretary.

I. B. Good is a Mennonite preacher in Pennsylvania. His precepts do not belie his name, for that sect believes in nonresistance.

Public debt maturities to March 15 1926, aggregate \$6,900,453,475, of which \$4,867,962,203 mature in the current fiscal year, ending June 30,

The southern pine forests since 1900 have supplied more than 50 per cent of the soft wood used in America, also nearly all the turpentine and resin. Only one-fifth of the original yellow pine forests remain but if reforesting is begun at once on the proper scale the South can supply America for all time.

## Attention!

I am now moving into the B. A. Johnson store room and will be ready at all times to do the very best kind of

Shoe Repairing!

at the most reasonable prices. Will also buy Hides and

Sam Richman.

## GERALD TO OPERATE INDEPENDENT WAREHOUSE

Editor Manning Times,

Dear Sir: In keeping with my usual custom at this time of year I will again ask you for space in your paper to mention as briefly as I can some matters per-taining to the tobacco industry of this country

country
Let me first state in the outset that I will again operate an Independent Warehouse at Manning, in 1923. I want to make this as plain as I can, as this is the time of year that to-bacco growers in South Carolina want to know what to look forward too, and what they can depend upon, what market facilities there will be at certain points, and especially those places nearest or most convenient to the majority of farmers concerned.

I have made arrangements to have

Carolina. He served four years in the Confederate army, he was a good soldier and a good citizen. The deceast of this new project next year 1923, Mr. John D. Gerald, who was formerly with the Co-ops." Mr. Gerald is too well known to the public for me to have much to say about his business qualifications. Mr. Gerald is noted for his business ability, his thoroughness and honesty. He made the last ness and honesty. He made the last payment here for the Co-ops a short while ago. I am delighted to have him with me and the Co-ops have lost one of the best men they had at Man-ning. We will have ample room to ning. We will have ample room to handle from three to four million pounds of tobacco. The contract for pounds of tobacco. The contract for this building has already been signed up and work will start early in the Spring in time to have the building finished by July the first. This build-ing will be equipped with Crone Au-tomatic Scales, and every facility that will expedite matters that has to do with the convenience of the form do with the convenience of the farmers and buyers.

You may hear later on that Mr. Gerald and I will not operate this house in 1923 for the Independents. Let me brand any reports to the con trary absolutely false. You hear You heard relating to this business this year that has already proven false. Mr. Gerald and I have leased this property for a number of years and most positively and assuriedly are going to carry out our contract if we live. I have never sold my word or gone back on a promise to my friends. I have never heard this of Mr. Gerald

You will see a great deal more topacco sold at auction this coming year than was sold in 1922 at auction. There is no doubt in the world but that the auction system is by far the best and most satisfactory way to sell tobacco. This was proven in this State this year and any one doubting Virginia, and see what is happening there under the same system. I will not go into details now along this line, but wil gladly do so later if any one wants to take issue.

We believe that there will be a

good tobacco in 1923. Quality-is what counts in South Carolina tobacco. I could give hundreds of instances

to prove this.

The tobacco plant bed is one of the fundamentals in growing good tobac-co. Fail in plants or raise them too late and you make a failure in your tobacco crop. Prepare your plant lands good. Sow beds where they will be protected from cold north winds. Sow beds in January, from first to middle of month. first to middle of month.

We will have on hand seed for In-

Proprietors Independent Warehouse, Manning, S. C.

#### NEWS FROM THE & HOLLA DAY SCHOOL

We organized our Literary Society on December 8th, 1922, a unanimous vote was cast for the adoption of the riginal society name, so our organioriginal society name, so our organization will be known as: "The Progressive Literary Society." We elected Theaodore Hodge to serve as president, Joe Richbourg as vice-president, Octave Holladay as secretary, and Miss Estelle Alsbrook, teacher, as critic. Louise Holladay, Mae Bell Hodge and Addie Mae Richbourg constitute the program committee.

Our past meetings have been given

Our past meetings have been given over to the practice of our Christmas program. We hope to be able to give an open meeting every month of the remaining term. The first of these meetings was given on last Friday afternoon, December 22nd.

Our schoolhouse was beautifully de-corated with holly, mistletot and moss. The Society was called to or-der by the president. The Secretary read the minutes of the last meetings, after which the following program

Song—by the school—"Smiles." Recitation—By Bennie Holladay. Recitation—Pleasanter than A.ll v Lee Roberts.

Recitation—By Smith Barnes. Recitation—Christmas Bells—13y Harmon Holladay. Recitation—Santa Claus—By Iren'e Richbourg.
Richbourg.
Song—By the School—"Pack Up
Your Troubles."

Query—Resolved; That the Cow Is More Useful Than the I rse." Those on the debate were: Affirmative: Theodore Hodge and Louis Holladay; Negative: Joe Richbourg and Octave Holladay.

Recitation—I'll Try and I Can't— Elizabeth Richbourg. Recitation—Mr. Tongue — Pearl Hodge. Recitation—My Speech — Walter Richbourg.
Recitation—William, Roberts,
Recitation— Mattle's Wants

In the face of a Day that seems lax and understained, in the face of a generation that scoffs and ridicules, there can be no doubt but that more and more we are coming to the observance of the high doctrine of SERVICE, taught in precept and practice, in the olden days by the pale Galilaean.

I trust your Christmastide was radiant, and may it cleanse us all of the unseemly and worthless, to the end that we may come to the portals of the New Year equipped and willing to render SERVICE and to render it more abundantly.

Yours with the best SERVICE we can render '

### JOS. S. DICKSON

Honest Dealings and Prompt Service.

Wishes-Eunice Roberts. Recitation—Everywhere Christmas Tonight—Addie Mae Richbourg. Recitation—Dainty Little Stockings

Recitation-Japanese Doll - Lily Recitation-Snow Birds - A. J

Recitation—Twinkle, Twinkle Lit-tle Star—Dornal Barnes. Recitation—Louie Hodge. Song—by the School — Christmas Carol—Bethlehem.

The program wa squite a success. The rebuttals in the debate were splendid. We adjourned at four

Octave Holladay, Secretary.

#### THE CO-OPS END

A RECORD YEAR

Co-operative marketing rides to the close of 1922 on the flood tide of suc-

Nation-wide recognition of the benefits of co-operative associations which include a half a million farmers was voiced last week in the Washington Conference of coo-peratives from all sections of the United States. Carl Williams, President of the American Cotton Growers Exchange, declared this conference the most important move in American history for the benefit of the farmer.

President Harding, Secretary Herbert Hoover, Senator Capper and Eugene Meyer, director of the War Finance Corporation, paid tribute to the work of the co-operative associations.

Following last week's second payment by the North Carolina Cotton Association, members, of the Tobacco Growers Co-operative Association throughout Eastern North Carolina double their cash receipts this week on all tobacco delivered by December first to the Association. A second payment to all members of the Tobacco Growers Coo-perative Association in the old belt will follow on all deliveries made up to December 20th as soon thereafter as checks can be

made out and distributed. A third cash payment to the organized growers of South Carolina will be distributed after Association members in Virginia and Western North Carolina have doubled their

money on all deliveries for 1922. With larger crops this year than last, tobacco farmers in three states have received more for their tobacco than in 1921. In North Carolina and Virginia November sales have shown a gain of three dollars per hundred, while the South Carolina growers have practically doubled last year's prices.

With the orderly marketing of both tobacco and cotton by thousands of farmers through their co-operative associations in the Carolinas and Virginia, the tide of prosperity is rising as the growers adopt and use the methods of big business to successfully sell their products.

The sculptured head of the Egyptian king, Amenemmes III, who lived about 3,000 B. C., was sold at Sotheby's in London, for not less than 10,-000 pounds. The sculptor is unknown but the work is beautiful, a little bust barely more than six inches high, carved out of one of the hardest of stones, obsidian, a masterpiece that has not been surpassed by any sculptor of any country or age, according to experts.

One of the most famous trees in the United States, Richard Oak, near Rising Sun, Maryland, recently had a table placed upon it giving the part it has played in American history. It is estimated that the tree is 600 years old. It is 70 feet high and spreads its branches over a circle 105 feet in dia-

## 666

is a Prescription for Colds, Flever and LaGrippe. It's the most speedy remedy we know, preventing Pneumonia.

Wall paper was not used in the United States until after 1725 and then was ordered specially from Europe. It was not carried in stock until 1745 but by 1750 it had come into general use.

The largest turtle ever imported to London from India was killed recently for soup. Its weight was 450 pounds.

#### BANKRUPT NOTICE

District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of South Carolina. In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of E. S. Ervin, individually, and trading as Manning Hardware Company of Manning in the County of Clarendon and District aforesaid, a bankrupt.

To the Creditors of said Bankrupt:

## Severe Indigestion

"I had very severe attacks of indigestion," writes Mr. M. H. Wade, a farmer, of R. F. D. 1, Weir, Miss. "I would suffer Waie, a farmer, or R. F. D. I, Weir, Miss. "I would suffer for months at a time. All I dared eat was a little bread and butter... consequently I suffer-ed from weakness. I would try to eat, then the terrible suffering in my stomach! I took medicines, but did not get any better. The druggist recom-

## Thedford's BLACK-DRAUGH

and I decided to try it, for, as I say, I had tried others for two or more years without any improvement in my health. I soon found the Black-Draught was acting on my liver and easing the terrible pain.

"In two or three weeks, I found I could go back to easing I only weighed 123. Now I weigh 147—eat anything I want to, and by taking Black-Draught I do not suffer."

Black-Draught? If not, do so

Over 8 million packages sold, a year. At dealers'

the supreme court in bankruptey.
Florence, S. C., Dec. 21, 1922.
Robert J. Kirk,
Referee in Bankruptey. BANKRUPT NOTICE District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of South Carolina. In Bankruptcy. In the matter of H. D. Dubrow of Manning in the County of Clarendon

and District aforesaid, a bankrupt.
To the Creditors of said Bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that on the 12th day of December, 1922, the above named was duly adjudged bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of undersigned, Florence, S. C., on the 5th day of January, 1923, at 12 o'clock noon at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee examine the ballowing point a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meet-in. At this meeting will also be con-

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m. At this meeting will also be considered the sale of the stock of merchandise and other personal property of the bankrupt, without further notice to creditors. Claims must be filed in the manner prescribed by the rules of the supreme court for filing of claims in bankruptey.

Florence, S. C., Dec., 23, 1922.

Robert J. Kirk,

Referee in Bankruptey. Referee in Bankruptcy.

#### NOTICE OF BANKRUPT SALE

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of South Carolina. In Bankruptey. Notice of Sale. In the matter of L. A. Broadway,

Bankrupt.
Pursuant to an Order of the Honorable Henry A. M. Smith, District Judge of the United States for the United States for the Eastern District of South Carolina, dated December 20th, 1922, I will sell at public auction, for eash, subject to the approval of this Court, in front of the Court House Door at Manning, South Carolina, on Salesday in February, 1923, being the 5th day of said month, at twelve o'clock noon, the following described real estate of the above named Banksunt to with

named Bankrupt, to wit:

1. All that tract of land in the County of Clarendon, State of South Carolina, about six miles West of the Town of Manning, S. C., on the Man-ning-Paxville Public Road, containing more or less, fully shown on plat made by McLellan & Palmer, Survey-ors, dated August 30th, 1915, and re-corded in the office of the C. C. C. P., for Clarendon County in Book U-4, at page 335.

page 335.
2. Three-sevenths undivided inter-2. Three-sevenths undivided interest in that tract of land in Clarendon County, said State, containing one hundred and twenty-five acres, known as the Estate of J. F. Broadway, bounded on the West by land of N. G. Broadway, and on all other sides by the land above described.

The tract of land first above described.

The tract of land first above de-scribed to be sold free and clear of all incumbrances, and said three-sevenths undivided interest in the tract second above described to be sold subject to a mortgage given to the Sumter Trust Company, now said to be owned by the State Life Insurance Company of Indianapolis, Indiana, and the Trustee reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to withdraw either or both of said parcels of land from said

Further information regarding the above may be obtained from the un-dersigned Trustee at Sumter, S. C. A. S. Merrimon, 52-4t-c. Trustee.



# Happy New Year, 1923

Resolve with us to make it a banner year, a better year and a bigger one through earnest work and co-operation; through Thrift and Industry and Saving.

It shall be our earnest aim throughout the New Year, just beginning, to keep this insti-tution worthy of the confidence and friendship which it now enjoys.

### FIRST NATIONAL BANK

W. C. DAVIS, President. A. C. BRADHAM, Vice-President. J. T. STUKES, Cashier.