

**THE WILD ANIMALS AND  
DESTITUTE CHILDREN OF  
LEXINGTON COUNTY.**

Editor Dispatch-News:

How in the world is there any connection between the game birds and animals and poor boys and girls of Lexington County? So, that's your query after reading the above heading? That there may become a very vital and far reaching connection it is the purpose of this article to show. It is possible that every time a game license is bought in Lexington County there may be a contribution both toward the preservation of game and toward the care and education of poor children. The Game Warden's office exists for the purpose of studying game life in Lexington County, improving it and protecting it; and part of this purpose is gained, as strange as it may seem, thru the sale of licenses. The De la Howe State Industrial School, Willington, S. C.,

has been established for the purpose of studying, protecting, and improving the lives of the poor children of every county of the state, which of course means this county. There is resulting from the sale of game licenses each year a surplus in the treasury of the Game Warden's office. What shall become of this money? It has been suggested that it be given to the De la Howe Industrial School for the benefit of the poor children of the state. We take such pains to teach our children love for wild animals; now, wouldn't it be fine to think of the wild animals, even indirectly, caring for our children? If the Legislature should decide to give the Game Protection Fund surplus to De la Howe, all the counties of the state would be given free scholarships for their poor children at this school. Lexington County would have its quota. Such a distribution of scholarships would be the most sensible way of solving the problem that surrounds

the lives of the state's indigent children. It is possible that many who oppose the payment of a hunting license fee would feel otherwise about it if they knew that some of that fee would feed, clothe, shelter, and educate some poor boy or girl of Lexington County. The above is commended to the consideration of all the legislators and citizens of this county who are interested both in the game and helpless child that so sorely need intelligent and sympathetic interest.

Cordially yours,  
J. B. BRANCH, Supt.  
De la Howe Industrial School,  
Willington, S. C.

**BLACK CREEK NEWS.**

Special to The Dispatch-News.  
Mr. G. R. Hallman left Monday for Alabama as a member of the boll weevil party.  
S. J. and E. A. Hallman made a business trip to Savannah, Ga., last

week.  
Sunday being a very rainy day, there wasn't any Sunday school at Bethlehem.  
Mr. Erwin Hallman went to see his girl Sunday evening driving a brand new Ford roadster. Hurrah for him.  
Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Smith spent the day with their daughter, Mrs. E. J. Hallman, Tuesday.  
Mr. Silas J. Hallman has started to build a good size barn. Hope he will succeed in finishing and filling it up.  
Mr. E. J. Hallman is having his house moved from the road toward Pond Branch. It will be handy to get lunch then boys.  
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9:28 a. m. Columbia	7:32 a. m.
11:45 a. m. Trenton, Edgefield and Augusta	3:02 p. m.
3:02 p. m. Columbia, Washington and New York	11:45 a. m.
6:30 p. m. Trenton, Edgefield and Augusta	10:25 a. m.
10:25 p. m. Columbia	6:30 p. m.

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