

**CHURCH DIRECTORY.**

These notices are published gratis for the information of our readers.

**BAPTIST CHURCH.**  
Rev. A. Finch, pastor. Preaching first and third Sundays at 11:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.  
Sunday School at 10:30 a. m.—Robert Butler, superintendent.  
Prayer Meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**  
J. H. Thornwell, D.D., pastor. Preaching second and fourth Sundays at 11:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Sunday School at 10:30 a. m.—J. T. Mackay, superintendent.  
Prayer Meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

**METHODIST CHURCH.**  
Rev. R. A. Yonge, pastor. Preaching first Sundays at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; third Sundays at 3:30 p. m.; fourth Sundays at 8 p. m.  
Sunday School at 10:30 a. m.—W. A. Fisher, superintendent.  
Prayer Meeting every Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

**FORT MILL MELANGE.**

**Pithy Points Gathered for the Perusal of Times Readers.**  
The bridge is to be built at last. H. E. White spent Sunday at his former home in this township.

Sheriff Logan was in town yesterday, presumably on official business.  
Mrs. J. M. O'Dell, of Concord, N. C., visited her sister, Mrs. S. E. White, last week.

R. W. Doster is an applicant for census enumerator in Pleasant Valley Township, with every prospect of being appointed.

The family of James Gilligan, who was superintendent at the upper mill for several months, moved from this town to Charlotte last Thursday.

Frank Dixon and Miss Etta Champion, employees of the upper mill, were married by Squire McElhenny Sunday afternoon at the home of the young lady.

Jack Harris, a young negro man employed at the livery stable of W. T. Hoagland, fell from a wagon which he was driving to Charlotte one day last week and broke his left arm.

Mr. W. H. Stewart, of Rock Hill, candidate for clerk of court, was in Fort Mill last week. He is expecting to receive a flattering vote in this township at the August primary.

The indications are that quite a number of persons will go from this place to Gold Hill Academy to-morrow night to hear the lecture that is to be delivered by Rev. Dr. Bays on "Courtship."

Prof. Hamilton Jackson has applied to the State Superintendent of Education for an appointment as instructor at one of the State Normal Schools, which are conducted during the summer.

Supervisor Culp informs The TIMES that the chain gang will begin work in this township about July 1. The first work of the gang will probably be done on the Lancaster road, near the home of Mr. S. J. Kimbrell.

J. E. Ardrey, of Fort Mill, is business manager of the South Carolina College supplement to the Columbia Daily Record. The supplement is published every Saturday afternoon and reflects credit on the young men who are running it.

As will be seen by a notice elsewhere in these columns, it is the intention of the town authorities to collect street tax in the near future. Those who haven't the requisite amount of coin of the realm will have to work the streets in lieu thereof.

J. B. Massey, son of our efficient postmaster, will graduate from the University of North Carolina in May. Buckner is an intelligent young man and his friends predict that he will make an enviable reputation in whatever profession he chooses to make a life work of.

Messrs. Oscar and Dawson Potts came up from Chester Sunday morning to visit their father, D. O. Potts, who is seriously ill of pneumonia at his home in Pleasant Valley. Oscar is interested in a grocery store in Chester and reports that he is selling a great many goods these days.

The Greenville News of last Wednesday says that Rev. James K. Fant, who died in his 50th year, at Campobello, on Sunday, was well known in Greenville. He graduated an A. B. from Furman University in 1875, and was afterward a student in the Southern Baptist Theological seminary. He was pastor at Greenwood in 1878, and at Sardis, Miss., from 1879 to 1880. He next served churches in Edgefield County, Mountain Creek, Gilgal, Rehoboth, and Bethany. He was pastor three years at Flint Hill, York County, and spent the last three years of his ministerial life at Wadeboro, N. C.

Chairman J. S. Brice has issued a call for a meeting of the County Democratic Executive Committee to be held in the court-house at Yorkville Saturday, J. R. Hale, the Fort Mill member, expects to attend the meeting.

After commenting on the intention of Capt. S. E. White to erect a monument in this place to the bravery and devotion of the Catawba Indians, the Charlotte News adds: Captain White is one of the few men in the South, of means, who has never been North. He will not cross Mason and Dixon's line. He and his four brothers—Capt. Joseph Harvey White, Dr. Edward White and Capt. John M. and James W. White—entered the Confederate service at the beginning of the war and fought for the cause with bravery and devotion seldom equaled even in such an army as the Confederacy had. "Let us forget" is written over the lintels of Capt. White's door, and he is one of the living heroes of the "Lost Cause."

At the regular monthly meeting of the board of county commissioners, held in Yorkville last Wednesday, it was definitely decided to build across Catawba River the bridge which has been a subject of discussion throughout the county for a number of years, and which would likely have been built some time ago but for the unfortunate difference of opinion as to the proper location of it. At the last session of the General Assembly the county was authorized to borrow eight thousand dollars with which to build the bridge, and there now seems little doubt that work will begin thereon in the near future, perhaps within six weeks, as proposals have been advertised for to be received and examined on the 21st instant. If either of the bids to be submitted is accepted work will be commenced on the bridge as soon as the material of which it is to be built can be shipped from the headquarters of the successful bidder. Accompanied by Mr. W. E. Spratt and a surveyor, Supervisor Culp on Saturday morning visited Suttons Ferry with a view to selecting a proper location for the bridge. After measuring the width of the river at the ferry and several nearby points and calculating the probable cost of the approaches to the bridge at the different points, it was decided to locate it about 100 yards above the ferry, which point will be about 2 1/2 miles distant from Fort Mill. The length of the steel construction of the bridge is to be 363 feet, with eastern and western approaches, which are to be built of wood, 200 and 130 feet in length, respectively. The top-most part of the piers are to be 24 feet above low water and 5 feet above the highest water of which there is any record.

"As a general thing it is pretty well settled by this time who will probably be candidates to represent the county in the General Assembly, but this year matters are somewhat backward. Senator W. B. Love will not offer for reelection; that is settled; but the question as to who will be his successor is not settled. Mr. J. S. Brice is generally looked upon as possessed of the necessary qualifications for a good Senator. He, however, has not said whether or not he would offer. Mr. W. B. de Loach, who represented the county in the House for one year, is also considered as a probable candidate. He also has quite a number of strong friends. There are a number of people who would like to see Mr. W. W. Lewis enter the race, and still others who would prefer to see Mr. Thomas F. McDow stand for the Senate, instead of for solicitor, as he is thinking of doing. Mr. W. E. Johnson, now a member of the House, is virtually out as a candidate for the Senate and will no doubt make a good run. Capt. J. W. Ardrey, of Fort Mill Township, is also generally recognized as well qualified for this position and he has many friends who would like to see him in the race. They feel that he would represent the county with honor and credit. Of all those mentioned there are only two who really want to be candidates, and it remains for events of the next few months to develop who will really enter the race." The foregoing article, taken from the Yorkville correspondence of the News and Courier, was displayed to Captain Ardrey in the hope of ascertaining whether he really intends to become a candidate for the State Senate. He said: "While I am sincerely grateful to my friends for their kind consideration of my name in connection with the Senatorship of York County, I am not a politician. Believing that there are others who are possibly more anxious and competent to serve the people in so important a position, I yield to them."

**Pleasant Valley Items.**

We are having some very fine weather and the farmers in this neighborhood are taking every advantage of it to push their work as rapidly as possible. Some of them are planting corn and a number have their land in condition to plant cotton.

Dr. Samuel Eazel has returned home from Atlanta, Ga., where he has been studying medicine, and he will now begin practicing in this community. We are glad to have him with us again and wish him much success.

Dr. R. M. Potts, of Rock Hill, visited his brother, Mr. D. O. Potts, one day last week, the latter being seriously ill with pneumonia. Walter Davidson, who has been ill at the home of his parents in Pleasant Valley for several weeks, returned to Charlotte recently.

John W. Elms has had bad luck with his farm horses this spring and as a consequence is considerably behind with his ploughing.

Prof. L. Shurley has been sick with 'grippe' for several days, but we are glad to report that he is out again and attending to his duties as principal of Pleasant Valley Academy. J. W. P.

T. W. Boyd, agent for the Catawba Indians, has been engaged for some weeks in an effort to establish the boundaries of the Catawba reservation. The reservation includes some 800 acres, and it is thought that some adjoining landowners may be encroaching upon the Indians. Although it is pretty certain that there is in the clerk's office a record that will show the courses and distances of the reservation lines, this record has not yet been found. A search for it is now in progress.—Yorkville Enquirer.

**Who Be Remembered.**

EMOTION TAKES: Kindly allow me space in your valuable paper to call attention to what one of the leading men of our race, Bishop I. C. Clinton, says regarding the kindness and liberality of Capt. S. E. White in erecting a monument in Confederate Park to the memory of the faithful slaves of our race. Bishop Clinton, to whom I had the honor of introducing this monument, says that when Capt. White has been called to the world eternal that future generations of our people will sing his praises for what he has done for their race.

HENRY WHITE.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS.**

**Clerk of Court.**  
We are authorized to announce W. BROWN WYLLIE as a candidate for reelection to the office of Clerk of the Court for York County, subject to the result of the Democratic primary election.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of Court of York County, subject to the action of the Democratic party in the primary election.

Subject to the action of the Democratic primary election, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Court for York County.

J. J. HUNTER.

**County Supt. of Education.**  
Will sail by Good Hope. The life boat leaves the shore. Submissive to all necessary Democratic requirements. The best century candidate for County Superintendent of Public Instruction for York Co., S. C., is JAS. CANSLER. If elected will stoutly keep in mind the duties of the office. Each day will find him in attendance. Vote for him!

**FORT MILL PHONE EXCHANGE.**

S. L. MEACHAM, PROPRIETOR.  
RATES: Residences, \$1 per month; business houses, \$2 per month.

**TELEPHONES—**

Ardrey, W. B., residence	16
Adams, M. J., residence	30
Ardrey, J. W., residence	17
Alexander, Dr. H. F., residence	18
" " " " office	38
Ballou, R. T., residence	39
Bell, F. B., store	8
Butler, Robt., residence	21
Charlotte and points north	10
Conary, J. Q., residence	32
Culp's meat market	34
Pegram, B. C., residence	19
Fort Mill Trust office	6
Fort Mill Manufacturing Co.	26
Fulp, Mrs. Lucy, residence	25
Gigg, Dr. M. W., office	42
" " " " residence	13
Grier, R. E., residence	36
Gossett, J. F., residence	45
Harris, L. A., residence	41-4
Hoagland's livery stable	25
Hughes & Young, store	12
Jones, A. O., store	11
Kennett, J. M., residence	41
Kimbrell & Co., store	7
Kirkpatrick, Dr. T. S., residence	21
Ligon, L. E., residence	41-A
Meacham's drug store	43
" " " " Dr. T. B., residence	5
Millfort Mill Co.	31
Macfarlane, J. T., residence	11
Meacham, W. B., residence	23
MacF., Rev. J. B., residence	15
McElhenny's livery stable	28
Public 'phone, Fort Mill Mfg. Co.	2-A
Pegram & Co., store	3-4
Rock Hill and points south	10
Spratt Machine Co.	1-A
Spratt, J. M., residence	1-13
Spratt, W. E., residence	1-C
Southern Railway	3
Savings Bank	22
Smythe's meat market	27
Smythe, Ira G., residence	35
Thornwell, Rev. J. H., residence	4
Watts, Capt. S. E., residence	20
Young, A. A., residence	33
Young, Mrs. Lenora, residence	37

**AT THE STORE**

Of A. O. Jones there has just been received a shipment of Cabbage, Potatoes (Irish and Sweet), both for planting and eating, Lemons, Oranges, Bananas. My reputation is that of carrying the choicest fruits brought to Fort Mill. This reputation I shall sustain.

A lot of medium grade pants, all sizes and weights, will be sold regardless of price. You would do well to see them before you buy.

A. O. JONES.

**MEACHAM'S DRUG STORE.**

If you want the best fresh Drugs to be found in town call and see me. I can prescribe for you, fill prescriptions, or sell you drugs. I have had years of experience in the drug line. My store is in the Watson building, in front of the bank.

Your patronage is solicited. Call and see me when in need of anything in the drug line.

If your house needs painting or you need paints for any other purpose, see me regarding the celebrated Longman & Martinez Ready-mixed Paints.

I also carry in stock a complete line of Cigars, Cigarettes, Smoking and Chewing Tobacco.

T. B. Meacham, M. D.

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Is where you can find any kind of Fresh Meat you want at any time. We are always there and we always have what you want, provided you want the choicest quality. Our prices are reasonable for FIRST-CLASS MEATS.

We won't sell you any other kind. Send us your orders or Telephone No. 27. We guarantee prompt attention and satisfactory treatment.

FRESH FISH every Saturday.  
IRA G. SMYTHE & SONS.

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Brick, Lumber, Laths, Lime, Shingles, Building Supplies, and House Fittings of all kinds.

Contractors and builders. Estimates on all work furnished promptly.

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- PANTS, DRY GOODS,
- NOTIONS, DRESS GOODS,
- HARDWARE,
- TINWARE,
- GLASSWARE,
- GROCERIES, ETC.,
- AND THE
- BEST LINE OF
- POCKET AND
- TABLE CUTLERY
- IN TOWN.

**READY FOR BUSINESS.**

Our SPRING STOCK is now complete and you are cordially invited to come and see what we have. Even if you are not ready to buy we will take pleasure in showing you through our

**DOUBLE STORE,**

where you will find the largest and best stock of goods ever seen in this town. We invite your special attention to our PRICES. While it is a rule with most merchants to get all they can, our rule is to sell as LOW AS POSSIBLE, and you will find our prices are always the lowest. This rule also applies to our

**MILLINERY.**

We have the largest stock in this section—Charlotte, Rock Hill, and Chester not excepted. Our milliner is a natural artist and has just spent a month in the largest millinery establishment in the United States, trimming hats in the latest styles for our customers. Call and make your selection while you can get first choice.

L. J. MASSEY.

**HEADQUARTERS**

**House-furnishing Goods, Furniture, Buggies, and Stoves.**

The Rock Hill Furniture Company wishes you to know that they have bought out the entire stocks of C. S. Flay and C. L. Wroton and have combined both, making the Largest, Finest, and Best-selected Stock of FURNITURE ever shown in Rock Hill, and that they are selling better goods for the money than you can get in Charlotte.

Our selection of suites is rich enough for the rich and cheap enough for the poorest.

We want your trade one and all and we are willing to pay for it, giving Better Values for your cash than you can get elsewhere, and offering to save you at least 10 per cent on Charlotte prices; and if we sell you a nice bill of goods we will refund your expenses in coming to see us. Yours for business on a fair-dealing basis.

**ROCK HILL FURNITURE CO.**

C. L. WROTON, General Manager.

**THE COMPANY STORE**

Thanks all of its customers for past favors, and we beg to remind the public that we are

HEADQUARTERS FOR LOWEST CASH PRICES.  
CASH BUYERS should come to the strictly CASH STORE for greatest bargains and best qualities.

**Clearance Clothing Sale.**

For the next 30 days we offer special cut price on suits to make room for our new stock.

MENS' SUITS, \$3 and upward, 10 per cent discount.  
BOYS' SUITS, all prices, going at 10 per cent discount.  
MENS' PANTS from 50 c. to \$4.50, worth 25 per cent more.

This is an opportunity you can not afford to miss if you want good clothing cheap.

**Shoes, Shoes, Shoes.**

Our Stock is Complete—Best Quality, Lowest Prices.

Our Shoes will wear well, because they are made of first-quality leather and by experienced workmen. Buy one pair and you will be a shoe customer for us.

Cash buyers are great for bargains, therefore join in the procession and come to the Company Store, because you can save money.

**Store, Fort Mill Manufacturing Co.**

N. B. Highest cash prices paid for Chickens, Eggs, and all Country Produce.