

BIG EDUCATIONAL FARM BETTERMENT CAMPAIGN SATURDAY

International Harvester Company Demonstrators and Lecturers Will Conduct Extensive Course of Education among People of Lexington County.

Under the direction of H. S. Mobley the International Harvester company will conduct a county-wide educational campaign in the interests of better agricultural and farming conditions in Lexington county, beginning Saturday June 28 at Lexington, and Mr Mobley and his company will be here for several weeks, using Lexington as headquarters for extending the campaign into other parts of this county.

The campaign will be in the nature of demonstrations and lectures and it is proposed to carry on the work at Lexington court house and Piedmont school house in the Dutch Fork. It will require five two-ton trucks to carry the paraphernalia and apparatus that the workers carry with them. It will include a moving picture outfit, cooking ranges, lighting plants, dairy machinery, household devices and other things. The demonstration party will include Mr. Mobley and six others.

One of the party will be Mrs A. E. Howie, of Wisconsin, who has a national reputation as an author, and authority on farming and country household topics and subjects. She was one of the first exponents of in-

both town and county are interested and lays special emphasis on a practical method for teaching in the rural schools as matters of education these great subjects which are so essential for our progress and prosperity. A practical method for doing this is pre-



MRS. ADDA F. HOWIE

Discusses Dairy Cattle, Poultry, Home Conveniences

sented at the evening session in connection with other thoughts and demonstrations concerning community life.

All phases of his work are illustrated and explained by many different charts and different reels of moving picture films all bearing on this subject and constitutes, according to the Pontiac Democrat, the most wonderful delineation of what the other fellow means to us and what we mean to him that has ever been presented to the public.

FIRST COTTON BLOOM FROM PETER'S SECTION

Mr H Ward Shealy a progressive young farmer from the Peter's section near Lexington brought to the Dispatch News office Monday morning the first cotton bloom received from this section. Mr Shealy has some of the finest cotton to be found in this section Mr Shealy has some of the finest cotton to be found in this community most of it being knee high and still growing w

HARLONG-KEISLER

Miss Willie Herlong of St Matthews and Mr Lonnie L Keisler of Lexington were married at Holly Hill Thursday June 19 at the Methodist Parsonage Rev A V Harbin performing the ceremony. The marriage was a quiet affair only a few close friends and relatives witnessing the ceremony.

Mr and Mrs Keisler are now on a short visit at the home of Mr Keisler's parents near Lexington and will return to St Matthews in a short while where they will make their future home. Mr Keisler holding an important position with the DuPre Auto Co St Matthews Branch.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

All qualified resident electors in Magnolia school district No 47 will please take notice that an election will be held at the school house there in, on Saturday, the 5th day of July 1919, for the purpose of voting a levy of two mills for school purposes. Polls will open at 7 A M and close at 4 p m. Bring tax receipts and registration certificates.

C M SHEALY
Julius R Bickley

Trustees of No 47
June 21, 1919

FARM FOR SALE

I offer for sale my home place, containing 82 acres of land 4 miles from Lexington on public road Near good school and church Well watered. Good orchard that never fails.

H L Roof
Lexington rt 2

BARBECUE
We will furnish a first class barbecue and refreshments at Mathias' Mineral Springs, Friday July 4

A L SOX
C H SHULL

NEWS FOR DISCHARGED SOLDIERS, SAILORS, MARINES AND OTHER PERSONNEL; BENEFICIARIES OF THE BUREAU OF WAR RISK INSURANCE AND UNITED STATES PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

All persons discharged from the military or naval forces residing in and about this city, can now receive medical attention and medical examination for the filing of applications for compensation. The United States Public Health Service, the medical officers to the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, have established offices in Batesburg, S C, and Dr W P Timmerman, whose address is Batesburg S C has been appointed as local Government examiner. All persons desiring to obtain insurance or filing application for compensation under the Bureau of War Risk Act, must furnish a medical certificate of their present physical condition. These persons, by applying to Dr W P Timmerman at Batesburg, S C, may be examined and all necessary papers filled out free of charge. Such persons will also receive at the expense of the Government, medical relief, or be sent to a Government hospital or institution, should this be necessary.

The headquarters of the 5th District which comprises the states of North and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida and Tennessee, have been established in Atlanta. Persons desiring further information should write to Dr J A Watkins, 5th Floor, Chamber of Commerce Building, Atlanta Georgia.

UNCLE SAM MEANS BUSINESS

Recently and some time past Mexicans, said to be of Villa's forces, have been at intervals firing across the line into El Paso, Texas, and to further prevent firing from the Mexican side into El Paso, last week 3600 United States troops were ordered to invade Mexican soil, and in about ten minutes, after the orders were issued our troops were ready for the fray, if necessary, Infantry, Cavalry and Artillery. The object being to patrol the entire El Paso water front to prevent any raids by Villa, or any Mexicans. But everything passed off quietly with nothing new.

NEW MILL AT GILBERT

Mr. James Smith has opened a new Burr Rock Flour mill at Gilbert, having begun to operate on yesterday afternoon. This is said to be one of the best mills in the county, turning out the highest class products. Mr Smith says he is going to grind wheat for the tenth. He makes only two grades unless requested to make more. The mill will fill a longfelt need at Gilbert and will serve as an inducement to get farmers to sow more wheat next year.

MR H H DREHER BUYS VALUABLE LANDS

Mr H H Dreher & Sons have purchased from Messrs. E. J. Corley & Bros the Hook lands on the Augusta road near Columbia, the purchase price being \$15,000.00. This is one of the most desirable farms on the Augusta road anywhere. Two handsome residences are to be built and other improvements made.

WARNING

All persons are hereby forbidden to hire harbor or give help of any kind to Lonnie White, 16 years old and Mansel White 15 years old.

JESS WHITE

MILCH COW AND YEARLING

For Sale one good young milch cow with heifer calf three weeks old. Price \$100.00 to quick buyer. Also one good beef yearling for sale at a bargain.

John J Shull
Lexington Rt 2

ROOF-BOWMAN

Mr and Mrs C S Roof announce the marriage of their daughter, Lila Pearl, to Mr Monroe Bowman, the wedding to take place Sunday evening July 6 at 5:30 o'clock at their home, near Lexington.

J L Hallman, the veteran cyclist from Gilbert route 2 was a business visitor in Lexington Saturday and while in town called at our office and renewed his subscription for a year in advance. Mr Hallman says he will give a barbecue at Gilbert on the 4th of July that will make everybody sit up and take notice.

SWANSEA PLANS ELECTION

The executive Committee of the Democratic clubs of Swansea, Sandy Run, Gaston and Pools Mill met in Swansea, S C Saturday June 21. R L Lybrand was elected chairman and W H Wannamaker Secretary and Treasurer of the cotton weavers election for the town of Swansea and agreed that all candidates for cotton weaver be assessed \$25 (twenty dollars) and the successful candidate to pay an additional fee of 50 per cent and be governed by the county Democratic election.

The first primary election to be held on the 22nd of July and the second primary if any on 5th day of August. The election to be governed by the club roll of 1918.

Candidates to file all pledges on or before the 12th day of July 12 o'clock noon with

W H WANNAMAKER
Secretary and Treasurer

PROGRAM BAPTIST ASSOCIATION UPPER DIVISION

Batesburg, June 12.—The following is the program of the Upper division of the Lexington Baptist Union which meets with the Middleburg church on Saturday before the fifth Sunday in June.

Program

Organization—11:30 to 12:00 o'clock
Devotional service—11:30—12:00
Enrollment of delegates and report from churches 12:00—1:30
Recess for dinner

First query: 1:30—2:30—"Right at the heart of the young christian towards his own church and denomination"—Rev J E Pasco

Second query: 2:30—3:00—"Relation of young people to the church and their attitude towards it"—Rev J J Corder

Third query: 3:00—3:30—"How to increase love for the word"—Rev H B Jones

8:00 P M Sermon by Rev R O Jefferson

Sunday June 29th

10:00—10:30 Sunday School by Superintendent

10:30—11:00, S S address by Rev O M Crowder

11:00—11:45, Missionary sermon by Rev J E Pasco

Miscellaneous and adjournment

HARMON-AMICK

Miss Lydia Harmon and Claude Amick were quietly married at the home of Rev C J Sox, Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, in the presence of a few relatives and close friends.

Miss Harmon is a daughter of Mrs Lottie Harmon of near Lexington and is a young lady of beauty and fine traits of character.

Mr Amick is a son of Mr P E Amick and is a young man of strong character and business ability. The happy young couple has the best wishes of all their friends for a long and prosperous life.

The Boll Weevil Active

"The boll weevil is already showing considerable activity this season in western Beaufort county and also in parts of Jasper and Hampton counties says Prof A F Conradi, of Clemson College.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS OF NORTH EDISTO TELEPHONE COMPANY

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the above corporation at Steedman S. C., Saturday June 28, 1919 at 5 o'clock P M for the purpose of dissolving Corporation and Dissolution of charter of said company.

U. K. Gantt, Vice Pres.
Almon Gunter, Secretary.

PLAY AT PINEVIEW ON JULY 1.

There will be given at Pineview school house on July 4th an exercise including a short play entitled "A Tip On Wheat," beginning at 9 o'clock. A small admission fee will be charged. After the exercises, the Ladies Improvement League will serve a box supper and also refreshments. Everybody is cordially invited.

Lost—Sunday afternoon between Batesburg and Columbia one new 24x 4 1-2 Firestone coil tire and rim, with Stearns-Knight tire cover on same. Finder will be paid liberal reward, if returned to

Barrow Motor & Truck Co.
912 Main St Columbia S C
PHONE 1208

11:35pd

VOTING SCHOOL TAX

Mr. Editor: With your permission, I would like through your paper to publicly express my pleasure at seeing so many people voting taxes for school purposes. As I scan your columns I find my delight when I see so many notices of elections for school improvements. Reports show that some of our people have not availed themselves of the advantages offered through bi-state aid as those in other counties, hence my delight to see them procure their portion. The bi-state legislature, was liberal with public schools and the appropriations will come from the tax payer, so the voters can people to meet the requirements to get what is available. This appeals to the business person in every district to seize the opportunity as a good financial proposition. Our people possessing business acumen long ago observed that people were locating in districts containing good schools, therefore their willingness to help the cause where they have property.

But the strength and stability of a community or country, is happiness and welfare of its people, consist not in material wealth, but in the knowledge and character of its people. We should thoroughly equip our young people with knowledge that they may comprehend themselves and their environments and with good character, that they may be steadfast and practice the Golden Rule. With such a goal in mind, should we not exert ourselves to reach it and rejoice when it is accomplished? I heartily congratulate our people on what they have achieved and are achieving for their schools, and wish each community success in its future efforts.

E C Ridgell

CAPTURED RATTLESNAKE

Jesse J Spires captured a rattlesnake alive Friday June 13th Found him in the wheat field while cutting what Put a slip noose around him and put him in a box and how has him alive. The snake is 3 feet and 10 inches long with six rattles and a button. Mr Spires will be glad to communicate with anyone wishing to purchase live rattlesnakes.

METHODIST PICNIC AT SAXE-GOTHA

The Methodist Sunday school at Saxe-Gotha will have their annual picnic at Bally's pond on Saturday, July 5th. Several speakers are expected, and the public cordially invited.

NOTICE.

We have contracted with the manufacturer to handle Agricultural Lime. Persons wanting lime in large or small quantities will do well to consult us before buying.
Lexington Cotton & Fertilizer Co
2136e

CHICKEN STEW AT LONG BRANCH

There will be a chicken stew at Long Branch school house Friday evening July 4th, beginning at 6:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

PICNIC AT CHARTER OAK.

The Ladies School Improvement League will have their annual picnic on July 4th. Everybody is cordially invited to come and bring a well filled basket. There will be several prominent speakers to talk to you on the issue of the day. Let everybody come and spend a pleasant day together at Charter Oak school house on July the 4th.

CHANGE DATE OF ELECTION

By mutual agreement of the trustees of (Center) school district No. 7 the date of election has been changed from July 1st. to August 5. Voters in this district will please take notice and act accordingly.

NOTICE

If persons wanting nitrate of soda will give me their orders, I will order out a car, at once.

W W BARRE,
Lexington S. C.

11:35e

FOR SALE

We now have in stock a supply of chicken feed made from ground oyster products that are very good for feeding chickens. It keeps them hearty and makes them lay more.

Harmon Drug Co.

11:35e

TWO AUTOMOBILE THEFTS SATURDAY NIGHT.

Dr. J H Mathias Lost Ford Raadster and Mr. Bryan Wingard Ford Touring Car—Both Machines Recovered by Sheriff Miller.

Two automobile robberies occurred in Lexington on last Saturday night. Dr J H Mathias, who placed his Ford roadster under the shed at the DuPre Auto Company to shelter it from the rain, was surprised to find his machine gone when he went for it about 11 o'clock. The news of the theft spread rapidly and in a little while a great crowd had gathered and posse headed by Sheriff Miller were formed to track the missing car. After a long search the machine was found side of the road at the foot of the hill leading to the depot. The robber had evidently run into a telephone pole; and, for fear of being caught, abandoned the machine.

While the search for Dr. Mathias' car was being made, Mr Bryan Wingard became apprehensive about his own car which he had left in the lot in the rear of the Wingard Roberts Company. Although Mr. Wingard had the switch key to his car in his pocket, he naturally felt uneasy, and all the more so when Dr. G. Frank Roberts announced that the key to his switch had been stolen during the evening.

When Mr Wingard went to see about his car it was gone. Another posse was formed in short order. Sheriff Miller telephoned to Columbia and other points notifying police officers to be on the lookout for the missing machine.

The search was continued through out the night and all day Sunday, but not until Monday morning were the efforts of Sheriff Miller successful. He found the car on the roadside in the upper end of Columbia near the river bridge where the Greenville rail road crosses the river. It had not been damaged, and the Sheriff brought it to Lexington and delivered it to the proud owner.

It seems that automobile robbers turn their fancy to new cars—Dr. Mathias' car having been used but a short time and Mr Wingard having purchased his a few weeks ago.

Reports of the stealing of automobiles have appeared thick and fast in the daily papers for the past several months; but the thefts Saturday night have brought owners of automobiles in Lexington face to face with a serious proposition.

TAX NOTICE

I now have tax executions for 1918 in my possession for collection. All persons against whom these executions have been issued can save costs and mileage by calling at my office and settling same between now and July 15th. After the above named date I will be compelled by law to collect full amount with costs and mileage added.

Sam J Miller
Sheriff.

GASOLINE ENGINE

FOR SALE—One 6 horse power Fairbanks Morris gasoline Engine, in good running shape. Cheap for cash to quick buyer.

T A Shealy
New Brookland Rt 1

WANTED—Buyers for good Jersey milch cows and heif cattle.

Fairmont Farm
Lexington Route 2.

PEAS WANTED—Wanted to buy 10 bushels of seed peas at \$2.00 per bushel. Iron peas preferred.

W P ROOF,
Lexington, S C

GET READY FOR WET JULY

Farmers: Get your crops ready to stand a wet July which will be one of the heaviest rainfall months in the year.

Jake Snelgrove

FOR SALE—One Ford touring car in excellent condition. Cheap for cash.

Osmond Garage.



H. S. MOBLEY

Discusses Soil, Alfalfa, Corn, Live Stock, Community Building.

tensive dairying in Wisconsin and is regarded as one of the foremost woman lecturers and demonstrators in the country on the subjects she is interested in.

The campaign to be held in this county is to embrace nearly every feature of activity that will make the farm more productive and the farm home more attractive.

PROGRAM—Forenoon.

In field and in tent machinery lectures and demonstrations. Cream separators. Babcock test. Feed and food growing. Manure spreaders and the subject of fertilizers. Tractor plowing and the subject of seed bed preparation. Motor cultivator and the subject of crop tillage. Seeders, disk harrows and other machinery adapted to use in this territory.

Afternoon.

In tent. Animal husbandry. We include soils and feeds in these lectures and demonstrations concerning live stock. Special emphasis during this part of the program is laid on dairying. This part is conducted by Mrs Adda F. Howie, who is admitted to be America's most successful dairy woman. This afternoon also includes corn, alfalfa, the growing of clover as well as field operation and dairy home methods. The thought for the afternoon meeting is to begin with the soil and carry out the teachings and demonstrations of the system of agriculture that includes live stock as its most essential factor in maintaining permanent soil fertility.

Evening Session.

The evening session is devoted to the subject of community work which includes business methods in which

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