

Local Matter.

For Sale. A fine Cow and Calf. Apply for price and description at this office.

The Board of Control. The Kershaw County Board of Control held their regular monthly meeting on Monday, transacting with other business...

Monday is the day M. Baum gives away Premiums.

Wanted. To rent or lease a farm of about 100 acres, containing wood, water and some pasturage land.

Bad Roads Reported. The attention of the County Supervisor is called to the reported bad condition of the Lancaster Road from Mr. John R. Truesdell's to Flat Rock.

Married. On the night of August 10th, at the Camden Baptist church, Mr. W. J. P. Weeks was happily united in the bonds of wedlock to Miss Louise Shearn, Rev. A. E. Crane being the officiating minister.

Follow the crowd to Baum's Great Premium Sale Monday.

To Rent. Unfurnished boarding house, containing 7 bed-rooms, large dining-room, spacious pantry and kitchen. Lights and water in the house.

Another Octogenarian Gone. Died at his home in lower Kershaw on the 30th ult, James Burroughs, Cause, natural decay of the vital powers, he being eighty-six years of age.

"Uncle" Jim was one of the best respected colored men of the county, and his loss is regretted wherever he was known.

Religious Meetings. We are requested to state that divine services will be conducted at the High Hill church by the Rev. D. C. Jenkins, of North Carolina on the 13th and 14th inst.

A protracted meeting of great interest is not in progress at Mt. Olivet. Rev. W. S. Walters is at present in full charge, but expects assistance before the meeting closes.

Another Mother in Israel Gone. Called from labor into rest, on the 8th day of August 1904, Mrs. Mary J. Bowen of West Waterree, aged seventy-six years.

The funeral services were conducted near Blaney on the evening of August 9th, and the remains interred in the family burying ground.

Blank Applications. We are sending out with this issue a large number of blank applications for subscription which we hope will be utilized by all whom they concern.

Notice for Election of Coroner. There has been considerable confusion in several counties in the State as to whether an election for the office of Coroner should be held this year.

Cascara Candy Cathartic. The most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, acts gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels.

THE BLANEY MEETING.

We have seldom attended a political meeting that afforded us more real, unadulterated pleasure than the meeting at Blaney on Saturday.

Judge C. C. Bowen, the genial chairman first presented the candidates for the Legislature, Messrs. Smith and Richards.

Messrs. Geo. P. Logan and S. McG. Simkins, candidates for Solicitor, followed the Legislature, and each made a capital talk.

The remarks of the two latter were given close attention, they being frequently interspersed with cheers for Williams and Finley, the same cheerist not appearing to care a snap which he cheered for.

The meeting was closed by one of the grandest displays of oratory ever heard or delivered from or upon any stump.

As one good thing at Blaney however, is usually followed by another, the audience at last, more or less reluctantly, withdrew themselves from the fascinations of the stump and hied themselves to the ranch of Ed. Flaherty, where they were treated to the best barbecued dinner that it has ever been the pleasure of your scribe to assist in putting out of sight.

The following are the dates upon which the county campaign meetings will be held: Rabon's X Roads, Fri., Aug. 5, Blaney, Saturday, Aug. 6, Bethune, Thursday, Aug. 11, Westville, Saturday, Aug. 13, Camden, Saturday, Aug. 20.

Candidates are reminded that pledges must be filed and assessments paid not later than twelve o'clock on Friday, August 5, and executive committees are requested to send in at once the names of three managers to serve at their respective precincts.

Camden Firemen Again Victorious. As was expected and as we predicted, our boys took first honors at Salisbury, N. C. last week in the inter-state competition.

In honor of the event we hear that they were tendered a banquet at the Workman House on Tuesday night which was enjoyed by all.

It would have given us pleasure to have attended this banquet, and to have given the boys a write up, had we received our invitation in time, but as it happened that we did not receive any invitation at all, we are sure that we will be excused for not making more extended mention of a rather notable event.

There is good, horse sense in our article on good roads this week. National aid however, to get them is a humbug. State aid is all right, but we can not wait even for that.

The White Knight forever. Call for no other cigar. For sale at the Camden Drug Company.

PERSONAL.

Mr. J. B. Wallace is, we regret to say, quite ill. We are glad to learn that Mr. Oliver Moseley's little baby is now on the road to health.

Mr. A. J. Hinson, of the Ar-tioch section, has our thanks for a very fine watermelon brought in on the 5th inst.

Mr. Donald M. Alexander spent Saturday night in the city with his people. He is always a welcome visitor.

Mr. Wade H. Latham's health continues poor, but is said to have improved lately. We wish him speedy recovery.

We are indebted to Mr. G. M. Turner, of DeKalb for a very fine watermelon brought in on Saturday. Thanks, "Uncle" Mid.

Mr. H. G. Garrison Jr., has returned from Harris Lythia Springs. He reports having had all sorts of a good time. Welcome home.

Mr. D. F. Dixon requests us to state that he is still too much indisposed (in health) to do a great deal of campaigning, but hopes to meet his friends at some of the later meetings.

Mr. T. J. Arrants and party, mentioned in The People of last week, have returned from St. Louis. Mr. A. reports the exposition is a somewhat bigger thing than the last Camden carnival.

We regret to learn of the illness of our old friend, Cap't James I. Villepigue. He has been confined to the house for more than a week with a slight attack of fever. All wish him a speedy recovery.

Miss Ida Goodale has returned from an extended trip to Welford. She had a very pleasant time and was accompanied on her return by Miss Lottie Morrell, the charming young daughter of our old friend, Mr. Henry W. Morrell, who is well and favorably known to all of us.

Mr. Gus Hirsch of Hirsch Bros and Co., is now in New York making a personal selection of the fine stock of Fall goods that the firm will offer to the trade the coming season.

Baum's Great Premium Sale is a sale you can't afford to miss (Monday).

See our article on Lima beans on page two, column four. It is not too late to plant them if you plant now.

Smoke White Knight cigars. For sale at the Camden Drug Company.

Read and enjoy (as we did) our beautiful little story of "Miss Ashbell" on page 6 of this issue.

Have you heard the song of a mocking bird since the 25th of July? If not, why not? We think we know.

White Knight cigar, a splendid smoke, call for them at the Camden Drug Company, and take no other.

This issue, if no previous one will prove The People to be par excellence, the people's newspaper, and family magazine.

Attend Baum's Great Premium Sale Monday.

Read every line in our Agricultural columns, ye farmers. These columns alone this week are worth the price of a years subscription.

The White Knight Cigar is strictly a first-class smoke. For sale at the Camden Drug Company. Call for them.

Horticulture, outside of running this newspaper, is our hobby. The column on that subject this week suits us down to the ground. No pun.

Does an ad. in The People pay? Those who have tried it say it does. It will not cost you, merchants and others more than the regular rate to become equal and fully convinced.

The White Knight; no smoke to compare with it. For sale at the Camden Drug Company. Try them, and be convinced.

A more or less strong argument on the subject of 7 will interest "The New Woman" we think. We have not many of the genus among us but The People is published for all the people.

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Sam and Jake.

Saturday was moist and very warm, but it takes more than heat and water to keep our two characters in "Sam and Jake" away from the city on that day, so they were on hand.

Jake was not feeling very well just before leaving home for town for he was strictly out of cooh, and had in his mouth that peculiar dark brown taste that is said to affect a number of our urbanites upon their near approach to the confines of our great moral institutions.

His spirits were considerably lightened however when his wife put in the wagon a couple of chickens, and a few eggs, for he knew that they would bring the cash, and he had the confidence which experience alone teaches that he could exchange enough lien corn to pay for the homespun and thread his old lady wanted to quiet her suspicions that "dem pullet an' aig ain' brung wha' dey shud."

So, when he and Sam met, he was in high good humor over the idea that he was going to get even with Sam for twiggling his wife over the ancestor business by getting a recital from him of the hot time he had with Mahaley over hugging ol' man Pete's gal' Chloie during the progress of the holy dance.

He was considerably taken aback however when Sam, with the finest expression of scorn that his unexpressive countenance could muster, came back with him, "Jake, es we is kinder 'kin, I is guine ter say dat net nevov ob yu wife, say 'oman, Mahaley, am 'bout de esest fool niggah at I eber see. I git outerdat scrape lak er flash. She tink now dat de culled, gemmun w'at hug Chloie in dat dance was my cusin Jo what am bin in Florida for tre year since he bruk de contrac' wid Mas. Mid. Turner."

"Sam, me an' my wife raise dat gal, Mahaley, an' she an' too sma' ter be fool lak dat."

"I ding care, Niggah, hit am er fuc' all de same, but I is bou' ter 'fess dat I hab ter bring up w'at 'day fancy town niggah have hab ter say 'bout her 'iore she tek him in."

"I neber hek nuttin 'bout dat, Sam, w'at he say?"

"Yu! ya, me needer, but I tell Mahaley dat he say she was de berry purtiest yaller, culled niggah lady dat dey was on de groun'." Dat foch her Hit tek dis niggah ter git out."

"Well dat was slick 'nough, Sam, so le's go kill dat tas'." De doctah aint got no Smyrl' bes', but dey say dat he hab some ob de honores' Crum liker yu eber pass down yu olfactory, so he hab ter do.

For Sale ONE THOROUGHbred SHORTHORN BULL, A fine specimen, kind and gentle. 1 Royally Bred Berkshire BOAR. 5 Berkshire Sows, and Several Berkshire Pigs. For prices, address A. S. WHITE, CAMDEN, S. C.

Summer School. Summer Rates. Classes in Stenography, Typewriting, Bookkeeping, Penmanship, etc., at REDUCED RATES for complete Course to graduation.

Macfate's South Carolina Business College, Columbia, S. C., offers to the young people of the State this excellent opportunity to obtain a business education at a very small cost and thus enable them to secure remunerative positions.

TRESPASS NOTICE. All persons are hereby warned not to trespass in any manner, whatsoever upon my lands or lands under my control situated on Little Lynches Creek, about three (3) miles South-east of Abney. Trespassers will be punished to the full extent of the law.

W. R. PINCKNEY, NOTARY PUBLIC. NOTARIAL CERTIFICATE WITH SEAL. Office on LAW RANGE, one door ABOVE MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE.

Timmerman for Solicitor.

Read Carefully These Words of Commendation.

A Young Man of Exalted Character. Col. George Bell Timmerman, a prominent young member of the Lexington Bar, who is associated with Solicitor Thurmond in the practice of law, and a son of Dr. W. H. Timmerman, is an avowed candidate for Solicitorship of the Fifth Circuit.

Will Make a Good Prosecuting Officer. Capt. George Bell Timmerman, of the Lexington Bar, spent Sunday here, as the guest of his father, Hon. W. H. Timmerman.

A Genial Young Gentleman and a Bright Lawyer. Mr. George Bell Timmerman, who is a candidate for Solicitor of the Fifth Circuit, He represented Solicitor Thurmond at the recent term of court for this county.

A Bright Lawyer. Mr. George Bell Timmerman, who is a bright young lawyer, and who, by the way, is a popular candidate for Solicitor, to succeed Mr. Thurmond, spent Sunday and Monday in Johnston with his sister, Mrs. B. F. Lewis.

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Tailoring! Tailoring! Tailoring! Have your clothes made, altered, cleaned, pressed, neatly repaired and patterns cut out on short notice. I will call for and deliver work in any part of town and will send for clothes in the country nearby.

Primary Election Notice. In accordance with the rules of the Democratic party of this county, notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 30th day of August, 1904, a primary election will be held at the various club precincts of this county for the purpose of nominating Democratic candidates.

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The friends of Mr. W. F. RUSSELL hereby announce his candidacy for Auditor in the coming primary election. Mr. Russell is an earnest party worker, and has been for many years, which fact, coupled with his known capacity to fill the position, entitles him to a majority vote of his fellow citizens.

We, the friends of Mr. MANNS RABON, wish to announce him as a candidate for the office of Auditor. Mr. Rabon is one of our best citizens, thoroughly qualified, and if elected will fill the office to the full satisfaction of the entire county.

Every body cannot be a Sheriff, but there are a number of good men who would make good Sheriffs, and out of that number the friends of Mr. W. W. HUCKABEE have concluded that he is the man, and hereby place him in nomination for that office.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff in the approaching primary election of the Democratic party. As I have previously filed this office, extended mention of my capacity to give the people good service is unnecessary, and I respectfully invite the support of the voters of Kershaw county.

Mr. Editor: Please announce that Mr. J. S. TRANTHAM will be a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff, subject to the Democratic Primary Friends.

To the voters of Kershaw county: At the earnest solicitation of my friends, I hereby come before you as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of our county. I deem it unnecessary to say anything in relation to my administration of said office during the terms that I served.

Mr. D. F. DIXON is hereby announced as a candidate for Supervisor of Kershaw County in the coming primary election. Mr. Dixon needs no words of commendation from us. He has served us well in the past, and is well qualified to do so in the future.

Please allow me space in your paper to present the name of Mr. B. M. PEARCE as a suitable man for the important position of Supervisor of our County. In asking the people of Kershaw county to vote for Mr. Pearce for this important position, we feel that we are making no mistake, as he is fully qualified to fill the position; and, besides, our section has had no representation in a county office in twenty-five years. Signed, MANY VOTERS.

We, friends of good county government, hereby place in nomination for re-election to the office of Supervisor of Kershaw County Mr. A. J. SOWELL. Mr. Sowell during his present term has given general satisfaction to all the people, and has accomplished much for us under great difficulties. Prove your gratitude by returning him for another term. Friends of Good Government.

Many friends of Mr. K. S. VILLEPIGUE hereby announce him as a candidate for the position of Magistrate of DeKalb Township in the coming primary election of the Democratic party. Mr. Villepigue possesses ample ability, and will, if elected, well fill the office.

Editor The People: Please allow us space to suggest the name of Mr. H. M. FINCHER as a most suitable candidate for the office of Magistrate of DeKalb Township. Mr. Fincher is a thoroughly good man, of intelligence and capacity more than amply sufficient to work in the office. We hope that he will stand for election. DEKALB TOWNSHIP.

Many friends to Law and Order hereby place in nomination for re-election Mr. J. D. McDOWELL for the office of Magistrate for DeKalb Township in the approaching Democratic primary. Mr. McDowell is a Magistrate, and has no comment at our hands. Since he has filled the office, crime of every description has largely decreased, and those who have committed it, when brought before him have been severely punished—the surest method of deterring others from committing similar offenses. You vote for your own interests, friends, when you vote for Mr. J. D. McDowell.

We desire to announce as a candidate for re-election to the House of Representatives the Hon. M. L. SMITH, subject to the rules of the ensuing Democratic primary. No greater tribute can be paid to his ability than the fact that he was overwhelmingly elected Speaker of that body after only one term's service, and we feel justified in asserting that his record is one in which the whole State has an interest and pride. MANY VOTERS.

We beg to announce the name of the Hon. JOHN G. RICHARDS, Jr., as a candidate for re-election to the House of Representatives, at the ensuing Democratic primary election, and subject to the rules of the same. No one has served a constituency more zealously and efficiently than Mr. Richards. He is justly regarded as one of the most conscientious, safest and ablest legislators in the State, and his record certainly justifies the estimate. Kershaw county cannot do better than bestow her approval on this faithful official by re-electing him to the responsible position to which he again aspires. MANY VOTERS.

Mr. W. R. Hough having announced his intention not to stand for re-election, we hereby place in nomination as a most worthy successor, Mr. W. F. MALONE for the office of County Treasurer. Mr. Malone needs no introduction to the voters of Kershaw County, as he is home born and home raised. We must have a good man to succeed Mr. Hough, and W. F. Malone is the man. ALL KERSHAW.

The friends of Mr. D. M. McCASKILL hereby announce him as a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Kershaw county in the approaching primary election of the Democratic party. Mr. McCaskill needs no commendation at our hands, being well known to all the voters of the county, and having already made a very creditable race for the same office for which we again place him in nomination. FRIENDS.

Mr. Editor: Please announce that Mr. D. K. HOGUE will be a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Kershaw County, subject to the Democratic primary. FRIENDS.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Auditor of Kershaw County, subject to the rules of the Democratic primary election. Respectfully, JOHN J. GOODALE.

Money to Loan. On farm lands in sums of \$300 up to \$8 per cent; in sums of \$1,000 up to 7 per cent. No commission charged. S. LOGAN LANG.