

The Easley Messenger.

LOCAL AND COUNTY MATTERS.

—His Honor Judge Aldrich passed through on Sunday last, en route for Pickens, where he is now sitting.

—Rev. S. A. Gary has a fine milch cow for sale. Butter is scarce, and this is a good chance for some one.

—Mr. W. H. Nix paid Atlanta a visit this week, from where he replenished his usual full stock of goods.

—15 pounds Brown Sugar for \$1.00.
14 lbs Golden Sugar for \$1.00.

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—Miss Eula Brown and Miss T. Elwell graced our sanctum on Thursday, with their presence. Such visits are always pleasant.

—See advertisement of P. F. Romare, Harness and Saddle Shop. Go and patronize him, as such an enterprise has long been needed in Easley.

—See certificate of Hon. B. F. Perry, of Greenville, in regard to the virtues of Calisaya Tonic. Who can doubt when he speaks thus.

—Read change of advertisement of Hudgens & Hudgens, and buy one of "The Thomas Harrows," for harrowing in your small grain. They are the best.

—Capt. A. W. Hudgens of the firm of Hudgens & Hudgens, is fully alive to his business. He made a trip to Atlanta this week, and he will soon be able to show new goods.

—The items from our correspondent "H," were received too late for this issue, but they will appear next week. Also, "Uncle Ned," and Miss —, of Greenville.

—W. H. BRYANT & Co., sell 8lbs of good Coffee for \$1.00. Also, 14lbs Golden C Sugar for \$1.00.

Sept—19 th.

—Miss T. Elwell, of Ninety-Six, is visiting friends in Easley, and looks as bright and pleasant as ever. May she enjoy her visit, which we hope may be prolonged.

—Mr. S. A. Gary reports 57 additions to the three Churches in his charge, during the revival meetings just closed, viz: Fourteen by Letter, forty by Baptism, and three restored.

—The first bale of new cotton, weighing 491 lbs, sold in our market on the 15th inst., by Mr. A. W. Gillespie, to Mr. C. P. Runion, Cotton buyer for Export at 10 cents per pound.

—Miss Pet. Partlow, of Anderson City, came on a visit to relatives and friends in our town last week, and her charming presence will be welcome as long as she may remain.

—While in Greenville last week we called on Mr. E. B. Owens, and found him at his post at F. W. Poe & Co.'s, where he is as polite and attentive as heart could wish. It is a pleasure to trade with such a clever gentleman.

—Our readers will please excuse us for our limited number of locals this week. It was our desire to give to them the presentment of the Grand Jury. It is important and interesting.

—Mr. S H Brown called on us yesterday, and reports his crop to be fully an average one, and seems to be satisfied. Others on his place did not succeed so well, not having worked their crops properly as did Mr. Brown.

—Mr. L. A. Brown reports a bunch of crab grass growing between two rocks, on Maj. D. F. Bradley's place, measuring 9 feet 1 inch across, and also a bunch of smart weed that measured 10 feet 6 inches across, and asks who can beat that?

—Mrs. Casandy Rogers, died from the effects of a stroke of Paralysis, at her home near Enon Church, on Saturday last, and was buried on Sunday at the above church, of which she was a consistent member. She was beloved by all, and her sad death is regretted by all who knew her, for none knew her but to love her.

—Miss Ida Rosamond, a cousin of Mr. C. T. Martin, is visiting in Easley at present, and is gladly welcomed by her relatives and friends. She is a charming and sociable young lady.

—Read carefully the new advertisement of Messrs. Nix & Howard, and see what nice, cheap goods they have, then give them a call, make a purchase and be happy. They will do just what they tell you, "and don't you forget it."

—In our notice last week that "one or two good cotton buyers could do well in Easley the coming season," we did not mean that we had none, but wanted more. We have some lively cotton buyers here among our merchants.

—We have received the September number of the "Manufacturers' Record," published monthly, at Baltimore, Md., and devoted to the upbuilding of Southern Manufacturers, and the Development of the Material Resources of the South. Thirty-two pages, price \$3 per year. We gladly X.

—We regret to learn that one of the little twin children of Mr. W. H. Holcomb, died on Saturday night last, and was buried on Sunday by the side of its mother, who only preceded it a few weeks. It has gone to join her in that beautiful land, where parting is known no more.

—The lawyers in attendance upon the Court at Pickens this week are Cols. Norton, Keith, Verner, and Maj. Dandy, of Walhalla. Cols. Orr and Perry, Hon. M. F. Ausel, Messrs. Bryan, Mayfield, Judge Cook and Maj. Symmes, of Greenville, and Messrs. McGravy and Barrett, of Spartanburg.

—It is really consoling to know that some of our farmer friends sold good wheat in our market on Wednesday last, at seventy-five cents per bushel, a thing that has not occurred before for several years in these parts, and from what we can learn it was not a compulsory sale either. Does that look like starvation or that prospects for other crops are so gloomy?

—Miss Mary O'Shields died on the 10th inst near Flat Rock Baptist church, where she had been a consistent member for about 10 years. She leaves an old widowed Christian mother bowed down with grief, who expects soon to meet her again beyond the river of time, in that sweet by-and-by. The funeral services were conducted on the day following, by the pastor, Rev. S. A. Gary.

—Mr. W. M. Hagood, of the firm of W. M. Hagood & Co., has returned from New York, where he carefully selected and bought the best stock of goods ever brought to Easley. On account of the recent decline in goods, of which they realize the full benefit, they propose to sell cheaper than ever before. Look out for their new advertisement next issue.

—Our friend Mr. J. M. Philips, who recently opened a blacksmith shop in Easley is doing a fine business. He is a man well calculated to do work at once, and well. Give him your work and see how well he can do it for you. His shop is near the depot. July 18th

Good Cotton.

EDITOR MESSENGER, The "Sentinel" has a cotton stalk with 185 bolls and squares, Mr. R. A. Hester has one with 323 and this is not an isolated stalk, there being several of them that will average 300. This is the Ozier cotton and it will repay anyone for the trip to go and see it. H.

—No remedy advertised could receive higher commendation than is bestowed upon Calisaya Tonic by the letter appended:

SANS SOUCI, Sept. 2, 1884,
To Westmoreland & Bro.

Gentlemen—I most cordially recommend your Calisaya Tonic. For several years I have been troubled with indigestion and dyspepsia. My son, Dr. Hest M. Perry, of Philadelphia, who knows the ingredients which compose your Tonic, spoke favorably of it.

In the course of two months past I have used four bottles, and am entirely relieved.

Yours truly, &c.,
B. F. PERRY.

—In our last issue a charge was made that our correspondent, "Let Her Roll," was "growling and grumbling" about the crops. Nothing insulting was meant by the author of the local, and we believe that our correspondent was sincere in his opinion regarding the crops. There was a difference of opinion and the writer of the local claims to be equally sincere in that of his own.

—We regret to learn that Mrs. Rhoda Gregory, mother of our foreman, and grandmother of Mrs. Emma Knight of our town, died in Union on the night of Sept 5th, with hemorrhage of the lungs, dying in 10 minutes after being taken. She was about 65 years of age, and was a consistent member of the Baptist Church. She was beloved by all who knew her. She was buried by her husband and her only daughter, who had gone before her. She leaves five sons and a host of relatives and friends to mourn her sad and sudden death; but she has gone to rest.

"Why do we mourn departing friends,
Or shake at death's alarms,
'Tis but the voice that Jesus sends
To call them to his arms."

COURT AT PICKENS.

The following cases were tried in the Court of Sessions, and the annexed sentences passed:

State vs. Noah Hendricks, Assault and Battery—Guilty; \$50 fine. Paid.

State vs. Thos. Terrell and Francis Jamison, Adultery—Guilty. Terrell 1 year in Penitentiary, and Francis Jamison 6 months.

State vs. Martin Holder and Jane Burns, Adultery—Guilty; 1 year each in Penitentiary.

State vs. Joe Ferguson, Assault and Battery—Guilty; 1 year in Penitentiary.

State vs. G. W. Earle, Selling whiskey without License—Not guilty.

State vs. Wad Irby, Burglary—Guilty; 3 years in Penitentiary.

State vs. Edmund Butler, Bigamy—Guilty; Sealed sentence.

State vs. James Peek, found guilty last term of court and sealed sentence left. Sentence opened and read finding defendant \$50, or 6 months imprisonment in County jail.

Order of the Court regarding Woodrack at Easley. Serve Petition on Intendant of Easley, and on agent of Atlanta & Charlotte Air Line R. R.

Presentment of The Grand Jury September Term, 1884.

After the formal heading the following is the substance of the Grand Jury's presentment for Fall Term of the Court of General Sessions for Pickens County.

They report that they have examined the county offices and find them in good condition and neatly kept. That they have also examined reports of the Clerk and Sheriff handed them by His Honor Judge Aldrich, and recommend that they be approved. And they report that by a committee they visited the poor house and find the paupers well cared for and farm in good condition; and they further report that they have visited the County jail and find that the prisoners are well cared for and jailor doing his duty. It having been reported to the Grand Jury that the County Commissioners had paid the County Auditor more than he was entitled to, the jury say:—"We find after a thorough investigation that such is not the case, and that they have only acted in accordance with the law." And the Grand Jury called the attention of County Commissioners to the bad condition of public roads in the County, and recommend that the same be put in good condition as soon as practicable, and roads widened where necessary; also recommend that the County Commissioners look into and see that the authorities of the incorporated towns comply with the law as provided.

The Grand Jury presented Clarinda Gray in Pumpkin Town Township, and James Peek, living in Central Township, for retailing spirituous liquors without license, giving in each instance the names of several witnesses.

Grand Jury recommended that the State Senator and members of the lower House, use their influence to have an act passed forbidding the deadening of timber within reach of public roads; also, an act making the office of Trial Justice a salaried office; also, an act making it a fine for retailing liquors in towns the same as in the county; also, an act forbidding the manufacturing of spirituous liquors in Pickens County; also, called their attention to the importance of having a Stenographer for this Circuit; also, to the importance of having all poisonous Drugs, labeled as such. They further recommend that the Solicitor be ordered to prosecute such physicians as have violated the law in regard to prescriptions for spirituous liquors. They further call the attention of the County Commissioners to the fact that the contract for the drainage of 18 Mile Creek had not been complied with, and recommend that they attend to the same at once. Three prominent male citizens of the County were presented for fornication and adultery.

GRAND FALL OPENING

AT

NIX & HOWARD'S,

EASLEY, S. C.,

Of an endless variety of DRY GOODS of every description—in part 100 pieces of beautiful and choice prints to select from, and a splendid line of Worsteads.

17 yds. Standard Prints \$1.

10 yds. Jeans for \$1.

Men's and Boys

HATS AND CAPS

from the best quality down to Wool hats at 25 cents apiece. Just think of a man's hat for 25c., but we have them and must sell them.

\$1,300 WORTH OF

BOOTS AND SHOES

of every quality and price, from the best makers, and so cheap that no one need go barefooted this Fall and Winter.

GROCERIES.

Always on hand a large Stock of the best Groceries of all kinds, Canned goods, &c. Crockeryware, Tinware, Hardware, Cutlery, Cotton yarns, Segars, Tobacco—Smoking and Chewing—Cigarettes, etc., and in fact, everything kept in a first-class Dry Goods and Grocery Store, and if you do not see advertised what you want enquire for it.

FANCY CANDIES A SPECIALTY.
Also, Envelopes and writing paper.
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Harness Shop Of

**P. F. ROMARE,
EASLEY, S. C.**

Having opened a Harness and Repairing Shop, is now prepared to do all work in the

HARNESS AND SADDLE

line that may be brought to him, on short notice, with satisfaction, both as to work and prices.

Give me a trial and be convinced.
Shop opposite Depot.
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