

NEWS NOTES FROM CENTRAL

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Seaborn have been sick with the Flu during the holidays, it is hoped by their many friends that they will soon be out again.

Miss Leurline Worsham, Harold Clayton, Thoinwell Gaines, Henry Gatics, Raymond Rowland, Miss Fride Kelly, Miss Jenie Morgan, Paul Meredith, all spent the holidays at home, from College. They will all return to their various places of study this week.

Walter Ramseur, private secretary to Congressman Fred Dominick, and his mother, Mrs. Betty Ramseur, will return to Washington, D. C. this week after spending the holidays with relatives here.

V. J. Miller of Clemson College and Hugh Foster of Spartanburg, are spending the holidays with Henry Gaines.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Kreis of Knoxville Tenn. are spending the holidays with Mrs. Kreis parents here Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Young.

T. M. Gantt the furniture man has moved his business to Greenville, and will be in the Furniture business there on Logan street.

School opened Monday here, after having been closed for the holidays, all the children are glad.

Mr. W. I. Miller has made an addition to his business of a Cafe, and invites his friends to call on him.

Col. and Mrs. Stratman of Brooklyn N. Y., are visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Bearden, they will be in town for some time.

W. T. Earle complained of having a big turkey dinner for Christmas, but he was careful to not say anything about it until after Christmas.

Among the social events of the holidays were two parties, one given by Mrs. J. W. Brock, and one by Mrs. J. P. Worsham, both were highly enjoyed by the young folks.

CLAYTON-COPELAND

A marriage of much interest throughout the state was that of Miss Edna Clayton, and Mr. Pringle Copeland, which took place at the Methodist Parsonage in Greenville Thursday December 22nd, at 4 o'clock. In the wedding party were Mrs. R. Copeland, Mrs. Leo Mason, and Miss B. Copeland, sister of the groom.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Clayton of Central, S. C. Miss Clayton is a graduate of Columbia College, and a highly accomplished young lady. She has taught for several years since her graduation, with great success, having given satisfaction everywhere she has taught. She came from one of the old distinguished families of the Piedmont section.

Mr. Copeland is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. George Copeland of Clinton, S. C., and is a successful business man being a member of the Young-Copeland advertising service. Mr. and Mrs. Copeland left immediately after the ceremony for a short trip. After spending a few days at the home of the bride's parents, they left for Clinton where they will be at their new home on Calvert Ave.

Quite a number of parties have been given in honor of Mrs. Pringle Copeland, since she returned to Clinton. Thursday afternoon Mrs. Essie Young entertained with a Rook party, Friday morning, Mrs. George Copeland, Mother of the groom delightfully entertained the older ladies and again in the afternoon the younger set. Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Jack Young delightfully surprised the bride with a lovely kitchen shower at which time she received everything needed for the kitchen.

AGNEW-ROCHESTER

A wedding of much interest to the people of Central and Pickens county occurred at noon at Greenville on the 24th day of December when Mr. Will Rochester and Miss Edna Agnew were united in holy wedlock by Rev. C. C. Herbert of Greenville. The wedding took place at the home of the bride, with only the immediate relatives witnessing the ceremony. They immediately left for a journey to Southern cities. They spent last Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Worsham at Central, sister and brother-in-law of the groom, after which they left for New Orleans where they will make their home.

BAPTIST W. M. U. PROGRAM

The second division of the W. M. U. of the Piedmont Association will hold its second quarterly meeting with Enon Baptist Church, near Easley, S. C., on Saturday, Jan. 7, beginning promptly at 10:30 o'clock. Every church in this division is earnestly requested to send delegates to this meeting.

The churches in this division are Catechee, Calumet, Central, Corinth No. 2, Enon, Flat Rock, Liberty First, Liberty Second, Norris, Refuge and Smith Grove.

The program is as follows:
Hymn.
Devotional—Mrs. Janet Farr.
Prayer—Mrs. S. P. Phillips.
Why we invite you—Mrs. L. R. Owens.

Why we came—Mrs. F. S. Webb
Roll call of W. M. S.
Enrollment of delegates.

What would we have been as a nation had it not been for missionaries?—Rev. B. P. Mitchell.
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Should the W. M. S. have a definite plan of soul winning, if so what?—Mrs. W. C. O'Dell.

Duet—Mrs. Bagwell and daughter.
How can the Missionary spirit be instilled in the unenlightened?—Mrs. T. B. Smith.

Appointment of committees.
Song.
Prayer.

Lunch Hour.
Hymn.

Devotional service—Mrs. W. C. Maddox.

Prayer—Mrs. L. L. Leopard.
Demonstration—By Enon W. M. S. and Y. W. A.

Roll call of Y. W. A's and G. A's with Mrs. C. C. Burroughs in chair.

What are the methods of getting our young people to take a more active interest in missions?—Mrs. C. C. Burroughs.

Reports of R. A's and Sunbeams.
Boys wanted—Mauldin Rogers
R. A's Song.

Report of committees.
Song.
Prayer.

Mrs. Maude Mauldin Rogers.
Divisional President.

DACUSVILLE ROUTE 1

The Christmas spirit of peace and happiness prevailed in this community. Christmas trees were had at Dacusville and Peters Creek schools and at Nine Forks Sunday school. All were successful.

J. C. Traynham, from Brevard Institute, is spending the holidays at home.

Miss Delsie Hogsd spent last week-end with Miss Sophia Hunt.

Misses Ponder, who are attending school in Asheville, are spending the holidays with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. Ponder.

Miss Elizabeth Robinson is at home for a few days.

Mrs. V. G. Whitmire spent last week with her son, W. A. Whitmire in Greenville.

Peters Creek and Nine Forks churches have called Rev. Mr. Garner to serve them as pastor. He will preach at Nine Forks every second Sunday morning and fourth Sunday afternoon, and at Peters Creek every fourth Sunday morning and second Sunday afternoon.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

On December 18 friends and relatives of Mr. W. M. Nations gathered at his home to celebrate his forty-second birthday. At noon time a large table was spread in the yard and loaded down with good things to eat, and in the afternoon some good singing was enjoyed. It was late in the afternoon when all bade Mr. Nations goodbye and wished him many more such happy birthdays.

Mr. Nations killed a hog last week that was eighteen months old and weighed 695 pounds. He says that as long as he can have hogs like this the boll weevil will not bother him much.

PASTOR HIOTT AT CROSS ROADS

The Lord willing, I will preach at Cross Roads church next Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. and Sunday morning at 11 January 7 and 8. All members are earnestly requested to be present and the public is cordially invited.

D. W. Hiott, Pastor.

RUMINATIONS OF "B"

Old Mill At Catechee Has Busy Christmas

The year 1921 has passed and gone but the deeds committed in that year have left their influence either for good or for bad and sooner or later we will have to face them again. If they have been for good it will mean stars in our crown and if they have been bad it means damnation to our souls.

Christmas passed off in this section without any accidents or anything to mar its pleasure. About the biggest trouble we heard of was Magistrate L. L. Leopard of Catechee captured the boys "pot" near Catechee on Friday before Christmas, poured out several barrels of beer which would have been turned into joy juice that night, as those who saw the beer say its temperature was just right to start on its round Friday night though a little round thing the "stiller" calls a worm and by Saturday morning it would have been finding its way down the throats of its thirsty lovers, its effects would have soon reached a spot not over charged with brains and from here it would have taken a circuitous route to a hip pocket which no doubt contained a "pop gun," the 2x4 fool would imagine he had been mistreated, the little gun would be drawn and some poor soul would soon find its way to another world.

Magistrate Leopard, you may have caused a dull Christmas for some, but in the long run we believe you did the best deed of your life and when those who now blame you come to make peace with their God they will thank you.

Well, the little matrimonial mill did a pretty good business during Christmas considering low price cotton, back debts, the boll weevil and other obstacles.

On Saturday, the 24th, about 2:20 p. m., Mr. W. M. Entriken and Miss Ressie Agnes Gillespie were made one flesh and blood by the old miller. The groom is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Entriken of Norris and is a promising young farmer, while his bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Gillespie and a charming bride.

On Sunday, the 25th about 11 a. m. Mr. W. F. Stephens and Mrs. Ella Palmer of the Pleasant Hill section applied at the little mill for permission to turn two houses in to one and raise two sets of children together, as it is just about as easy to cook for eleven children as four or to buy shoes for eleven as seven, provided some of the children are large enough to help. The old miller soon agreed as the prospective bride and groom had tried married life before they were old enough not to make children trades and if it was their wish to turn two houses into one it certainly was the old millers pleasure to help. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Stephens of Six Mile and the bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elrod of the Pleasant Hill section.

On Sunday, the 25th, about 3 p. m. Mr. Lawrence Kelly and Miss Ruth Vickery of the Pleasant Hill section appeared at the little mill and made application for their luck in the world together. As the groom is a fine specimen of humanity and is making his mark as a promising young farmer and the intended bride a charming and captivating young lady who had been well trained and well educated to take care of the hard earnings of a better half, the old miller readily agreed they had a justified cause to make this pleasant and no doubt profitable adventure and so now it is Mr. and Mrs. Kelly at home to their many friends. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Kelly and a brother of Rev. R. W. Kelly of Central.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vickery of Central.

Mr. D. C. Aiken of Catechee is some hog raiser as well as a good farmer. He killed a two year old O. I. C. and Poland China hog a few days ago that weighed 699 pounds after it had been cut up. He also killed about 500 lbs. of meat besides this fine porker. He made something over 800 lbs. of seed cotton to the acre on his cotton crop this year. Mr. Aiken has made over \$5000.00 farming in ten years and one year of that had the misfortune of getting his leg broken and never worked a lick. On Friday and Saturday before Christmas he sold 70 laying hens at his home to his neighbors and had 20 left. Born unto Prof. and Mrs. Marvin Lawrence of Norris on the 18th ult., a fine daughter. Of course the Prof. expects to make a teacher out of the

young lady.

Mrs. James A. Whiten and children of Norris spent Christmas with the former's parents at Salem. Jim why did you look so sad? she left plenty cooked and a well of water right close.

Well, the old miller believes he would pull the scales down a few ounces more now than he would before Christmas as he had two good dinners right recently, one Christmas eve and one the last day of the old year.

Special Notice—Neither one was taken at home. Wishing both the big editor and the little editor, the editor's own family, his official family and all his readers a prosperous and a happy New Year, we will ring off before we are put off.

NOTICE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. --
DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
IN BANKRUPTCY

In the matter of M. D. Cox doing business as Cox Variety Store, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that the above named person (or firm) has been duly adjudged bankrupt, and the first meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held in the office of the undersigned in the city of Greenville, S. C., on the 11th day of January A. D., 1922, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at which time and place the creditors may appear, examine the bankrupt, prove their claims and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

E. M. BLYTHE,

Referee in Bankruptcy.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Office of County Supt. of Education of Pickens County.

Whereas a petition from the freeholders and electors of Antioch School District No. 45, has been filed with the County Board of Education of Pickens county, asking said board permission to hold an election in said school district to determine whether or not four mills extra levy shall be levied in said school district for school purposes;

It appearing to the County Board of Education that the petition meets the requirements of the law, therefore, it is ordered that the trustees of the above named school district do hold an election January 21, 1922, at the school house for the above stated purpose. The trustees are to be managers and shall conduct the election as all general elections are conducted, and in accordance with Section 1208 of the school law. The polls will be open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

By order of the County Board of Education for Pickens county,

F. V. Clayton,
Sec. and Chairman.

MARRIAGE

Married, December 25, Miss Gladys Mauldin and Mr. Frank Willimon, both of the Six Mile section. Rev. J. R. Davis performed the ceremony. The happy couple are receiving congratulations of many friends.

MADDEN-ALEXANDER

A pretty wedding of Sunday afternoon, December 25, was that of Miss Annie Madden and Mr. Ernest Alexander. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alexander of Oconee county, and the bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Silas J. Madden of the Crow Creek section. Both are very popular and are receiving congratulations of many friends. M. B. Bryant N. P. performed the ceremony. After spending a weeks honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander will return to their home in Oconee county.

PICKENS COUNTY COTTON

Up to December 13 there had been 21,852 bales of cotton ginned in Pickens county this year as compared with 16,477 bales at the same time last year.

SCHOOL HOUSE FOR SALE

The Ruhamah school house will be sold to the highest bidder January 18th., at the school house, promptly at 10:30 a. m. Those interested in buying a good house that can be used as a dwelling, and at your own price will be interested in this sale.

J. M. Melton,
Z. N. Mullinax,
G. T. Gillespie
Trustees.

THE FARMERS PLATFORM

I

The farmer is entitled to just as good wages for his labor as others get;

II

He is entitled to just as good returns on his capital as others receive.

III

He is entitled to just as good living conditions for himself and his family as others enjoy;

IV

His children are entitled to just as good educational advantages as other children have;

V

He is entitled to just as much liberty of action in organizing for selling his products and for regulating production to meet market demands as other classes exercise;

VI

He is entitled to just as efficient and adaptable service from the country's banking and financial institutions as others classes get.

VII

He is entitled to taxation, tariff and transportation policies which will deal just as fairly with agriculture as with any other business and occupation;

VIII

He is entitled to equal recognition with other classes in all government bodies, boards, commissions, legislatures, etc.,

IX

He is entitled to a civilization, culture, educational system, literature, art, drama, etc., which will recognize, reflect, and utilize the cultural influences of country life and its environment in the same degree in which present-day culture recognizes and reflects the influence of urban life.

THE FARMER'S BATTLE.

Today as perhaps never before in our history, the American farmer is aroused, determined, militant, class-conscious. For a generation he has felt—and has felt with growing conviction and resentment—that he is not getting a square deal from government or from other classes of society.

Year by year the farmer has been sacrificing a part of his capital, his real estate, in order to stay in business. Forty years ago—in 1880—only one in four of our American farmers were tenants; by 1920 practically two in five had become tenants! Nevertheless the farmer has gone his way, feeding and clothing the world without striking or spectacular protest. He is slow to anger the cautious by nature.

The burdens of deflation, however, these last twelve months have proved "the straw that broke the camel's back"—of the farmer's patience. He was perfectly willing to be "deflated" if other classes took the same medicine—and as much of it as he did. But the disaster hit the farmer with a force and ruinousness out of all proportion to the injury done to society as a whole.

Other classes lost their "profits" for a season. The farmer lost not only his profits, but in many cases the savings of half a lifetime. Farm crops are down to, or below, the pre-level. The price of manufactured on the other hand, are still far above the level. The price of manufactured goods is still materially above that level. Freight and passenger rates are higher than ever before.

Moreover, the enormous bonded debt of nation, states, and municipalities has suddenly become twice as great as it was two years ago. A \$1,000 bond—or \$1,000 of interest on our bonded debt—which five bales of 1919 cotton would have paid off, it now takes more than ten bales of cotton to satisfy. And the same principal applies if we use any other staple crop as an illustration.

NOTICE

The first quarterly conference for Pickens circuit will be held at Bethel church Jan. 7 and 8. Rev. J. M. Steadman will be present and preach Saturday and Sunday at 11 o'clock.

The public is cordially invited to attend the above services.
D. P. Hudson, Pastor.

SHORT ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

The Sentinel wishes you the best year you ever had.

Read Edwards & Darsey's ad this week. It is an unusually good one.

W. C. Mann, principal of Six Mile Baptist academy, visited some in Pickens during the holidays.

Miss Fannie Gilreath of Greer was the attractive guest of Miss Frances Cox last week.

Miss Sara Mae Freeman of Greenville spent several days last week with Miss Ellen Freeman in Pickens.

Mr. David Lynn has returned to school in Washington, D. C., after a pleasant visit with friends and relatives in Pickens.

The Sentinel is much gratified at the large number of new and renewal subscriptions received during the last month.

Mr. Roy Herde has returned to Honea Path after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Herde.

G. G. Christopher, prominent attorney of Pickens, has returned from a most interesting trip to the lower part of South Carolina.

Mr. C. H. Carpenter, ex-state senator from this county has been appointed to lead the movement in Pickens county to organize a co-operative cotton marketing association among the farmers.

We noticed in the papers that "The Right Girl" was advertised to be at the Greenville opera house Saturday night. This was a mistake, however; as the right girl and two children are visiting her parents in Forest City, N. C. That's why the editor is so lonesome.

This has been an unusual winter in this section far, the "oldest inhabitants" even saying they never saw it like before. So mild has it been that during December the following things were seen in Pickens and Anderson counties: Roses in full bloom, bats in full head, ripe watermelons in the field, cotton blossoms, ripe strawberries, ripe tomatoes, and ripe cherries, green cherries and cherry blossoms all on the same tree. There have been probably other unusual things, but this is about all we can state as facts.

Oliver B. Boggs, wife and baby, of Birmingham, Alabama, spent a few days here recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. John Boggs. Oliver was present when President Harding recently made that famous speech in Birmingham and he has some interesting things to say about the occasion. Mr. Boggs states that no paper gave anything like a complete story of the president's speech and visit and that parts of the speech were so obscure to the Alabamians that the president's welcome was none too hearty and he quietly left Birmingham several hours before schedule time.

MARRIED

December 28th, at the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kelly, Miss Flora Kelly and Mr. John M. Pratt. Mr. Pratt is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Pratt, Due West, S. C. Mr. Pratt is a World War veteran, being a member of the 30th Division.

Miss Flora has been teaching in public schools for several years. In year she graduated at Greenwood Business College, and for the three months she has been stenographer for a prominent firm in Greenwood. Those present besides the immediate family were: Miss Teronde Stewart of Fountain, Mrs. S. C. and Mr. B. B. Pratt, brother of the groom and James Hudson.

After a short wedding journey they will make their home in Wilmington, N. C. The happy young couple have the love and best wishes of their many friends for a long and successful life.
D. Pierce Hudson, Officiating.

A GOOD HOG

Miss C. N. Clayton, of Liberty route 3, had a hog killed last week that weighed 450 pounds net and it was only ten m