

Graded School Closed.

The Spring term of the Graded School closed last Friday. Diplomas were awarded to Misses Hattie Miller and Nettie Price who have attained proficiency in the ninth grade.

Misses Alice Mackey, Isabel Davis and Mr. Crockett McMurray were awarded diplomas in this grade last year, but desiring to attain a more than usual degree of proficiency, they took the same grade again.

Miss Hattie Miller was awarded the prize for the highest proficiency in orthography, which was a handsome silver cup.

The diplomas having been delivered and other exercises of the day being over, Prof. Mann, the efficient and worthy Principal made an interesting and impressive talk, and the term of 1896-7 was at an end.

The French say "it is the impossible that happens." This has proved to be the case with the Mount Lebanon Shakers. The whole scientific world has been laboring to cure dyspepsia, but every effort seemed to meet with defeat. The suffering from stomach troubles has become almost universal. Multitudes have no desire for food and that which they do eat causes them pain and distress. Sleepless nights are the rule and not the exception, and thousands of sufferers have become discouraged.

The Shakers of Mount Lebanon re-

The Shakers of Mount Lebanon recently came to the front with their new Digestive Cordial, which contains not only a food already digested, but is a digester of food.

It promptly relieves nearly all forms of indigestion. Ask your druggist for one of their books.

as Coroner in his father's absence or during his illness.

#### Children's Day Observed.

Children's Day at the Methodist church Sunday was well attended and the exercises were of a highly enjoyable character. The excellent recital by Miss Corrinna Elliott calls for special mention, as also do the recitations by the little girls and boys. They all performed their parts well and reflected credit upon them selves and those in charge of their training for the occasion.

The concluding portion of the program was the address of Rev. Mr. Henry, of Heath Spring. The church decorations were very pretty indeed.

### To Fix the Levy.

Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock is the time for the meeting of taxpayers to determine what levy shall be made for the support of the schools of the Lancaster Graded School District, and to elect a board of trustees for the ensuing year.

## 8 pounds Arbuckle's 7 pounds Good Green Coffee Best Molaseses, per gal. Good Tobacco, per lb. Best White Kerosene 2 3-lb, cans fine Peaches.

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Ice Cold Ginger Ale always on hand. Four Mills Levied.

The Oakhurst people have had their special school district laid off with Oakhurst as the center, and last Friday the taxpayers met to decide upon what special levy should be made to maintain the school. After discussing the matter pretty thoroughly they decided to fix the levy at 4 mills.

Dr. S. F. Scott, Blue Ridge, Har-rison Co., Mo., says: "For whooping cough Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is excellent." By using it freely the disease is deprived of all dangerous consequences. There is no danger in giving the Remedy to babies, as it contains nothing injurious. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by J. F. Mackey & Co. and B. C. Hough & Co., Lancaster, S. C.

Moved to Aiken.

Mrs. R. C. Chafee and her interesting family left last Friday for Aiken where they will make their future home. Mrs. Chafee had lived here many years and had made many friends among our people, whose best wishes follow her and hers to their new

Married at Heath Spring.

cuit, and Mr. Young can now act Lancaster, and Mr. J. A.Cunningham, of Heath Spring, were the ushers for the occasion, and Mrs. W. Y. Durant, of Sumter, an aunt of the bride, presided at the organ and rendered the wedding march as the bride and groom entered and took their places in front of the pulpit.

Immediately after the ceremony, the happy couple took the northbound train for a trip to Nashville, Tenn., where they went to spend a few days visiting the exposition.

TIRED MOTHERS find help in Hood's Sarsaparilla, which gives them pure blood, a good appetite and new and needed STRENCTH. Heavy Rain and Wind.

All sections of the county, so far as we have been able to ascertain, were visited Sunday afternoon by heavy rain and wind, with light hail in several sections. The rain and wind in the northern and western portions of the county were especially heavy and considerable damage was done by both.

-See the new ad. of R. Brandi in this issue.

#### LAID AWAY TO REST.

Obsequies of the Late Senator Joseph H. Earle.

All Greenville Pays Tender Tribute to the Memory of the Dead Statesman. - Impressive Services at the Baptist Church.

[SPECIAL TO THE REGISTER.]

Greenville, S. C., May 22.—The tolling of the bell of the First Baptist Church at 4:30 p. m. announced the beginning of the luneral of the late Senator Joseph II. Earle. At the time the stores were closed and the various special parties of attendants proceded in bodies to the residence to form the big funeral cortege. Ten carriages lined up in front of the Mansion House and received the Washington delegation (about 20) and the State officers and others. The Greenville Bar met at the court house, formed in line and proceded thence to the residence. The mayor and city council went from the city hall. In accordance with a telegram from Postmaster General Gary, the local postoffice was also closed.

When the cortege filed into the church at 5:10 the whole town had assumed a funeral air. The streets were deserted to attend the funeral As [SPECIAL TO THE REGISTER.]

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When the funeral party arrived at

the church the crowds on the sidewalk bowed their heads. The casket was laden with a number of very beauti-ful and elegant floral designs.

Soft strains broke from the organ in a minor key, the music seeming to throb in sympathy with the sorrowing

family.

The services was simple, in defer-The services was simple, in deference to the expressed sentimests of the deceased Senator, but in this it was elegant. The choir, consisting of Mrs. J. E. Beattie, Mrs. B. A. Morgan and Mrs. William Hill, rendered music beautiful in its softness and emplicity. "I would not live always" and "Asleep in Jesus," were the hymns sung. These, with two short appropriate prayers and a few scripture selections constituted the ceremony, which was constituted the ceremony, which was only thirty-five minutes long. The pastor, Rev. Dr. C. S. Gardner, spoke as follows:

We stand under the over-shadowing mystery of death, a mystery which no human philosophy has been able to relieve of its gloom. In this instance its darkness has been intensified by the peculiar circumstances in which the stroke has fallen. A noble and brilliant life has been cut short in the hour of its supreme usefulness. We thank God that there rests upon it no stain of dishonor. In it truth has not been sacrificed and courage has not faltered. Death has put a period to a career in the vicissitudes of which there has been consistently maintained a bearing which suggests in the We stand under the over-shadowing Laxol, the new Castor Oil, is being used in hospitals. It is sweet as honey.

Deputy Coroner.

Pursuant to Section 755 Vol. 1 of the Revised Statutes, Coroner Young has appointed his son, Mr. W. F. Young, Deputy Coroner of this county. The appointment has been approved by Hon. I. D. Witherspoon, Judge of this Circuit, and Mr. Young can now act as Coroner in his father's absence.

On Wednesday last at 2 o'clock in the result of the afternoon at Heath Spring, Mr. A. P. Brown a prominent fine old designation, gentleman. He feared God and no man; he loved rightousness and scored every mean thing; he trusted the Lord Jesus Christ, and was considerate of his fellow man; he gave his distinguished abilities in faithful service to his country. He had a high and wore, the pastor at Heath Spring.

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In the procession to the cemetery there were thirty-eight carriages, and about two thousand attendants follow-ed on foot. The interment was in christ (Episcopal) Cemetery. The services were concluded at the grave by the singing of "Nearer, My God, to Thee," and a short prayer by Dr. Gardner.

Returning to Lancaster.

Mrs. Ada Hough and family, of Salem, N. C., will move back here to live. They are expected to reach here the latter part of this week. Their numerous friends will gladly welcome their return to Lancaster, their former home. Mrs. Edwards, also of Salem, will move to Fort Lawn, her former

CASTORIA.

-Miss Annie Welsh, of Kershaw, is visiting at Sheriff Cly-

-Mrs. G. A. Marsh, of Marsh-ville, N. C., is visiting her sister here, Mrs. Dr. McManus.

-Miss Leslie Porter, of Dixie, is spending a few days with relatives at this place.

-Mr. Henry Jordan, who has been attending the Graded School, returned to his home near Bascomville last Saturday.

-Miss Eileen Lemmond and Miss May Willamson returned yesterday from a week's visit to Oakhurst.

-Mr. Walter P. Davis left yesterday for New York to take a business course.

-Surveyor T. M. Belk is at work laving off the lots, walks and drives of the new cemetery.

-Stevens, Heath & Elliott sold their fine sorrel combination horse to a Boston man the other day at a fancy price. They shipped him to Boston Monday.

-The excursion train took a large number of our townsfolk to Rock Hill yesterday to hear Sam Jones and to witness the bicycle races. Others will go to-day.

-R. B. Allison, Esq., has let he contract to build a handsome dwelling on the lot between his father and Mr. W. C. Thomson. Mr. W. S. Langley is the con-tractor, and the work will begin right away.

-Mr. C. H. Ragsdale, surveyor, has the contract for redistricting the county provided for under the new school Act. The new districts are to contain not less than 9 square miles.

-Rev. J. M. Stoney, of Cam den, formerly pastor of the Notice of Examination of Episcopal church at this place, Applicants for Teacher's died last Thursday. He had been in bad health for some time, though had not been confined to his room until recently.

-Rev. Mr. Humphreys visited Rock Hill and Bascomville last week, preaching at the latter place.

-Little Mary, the three-yearold daughter of Mr. W. W. Evans, died last Friday morning of dysentery. She had been sick only about four days.

-List of letters advertised for the week ending May 25, 1897: Jefferson Grier, (Col.), L. G. Lay, E. A. Saunders & Son.

Jos. F. GREGORY, P. M.



Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness. Assures the food against alum and all forms of adulteration common to the cheap brands. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

-Prof. J. L. Mann left yesterday for his home in Colleton to spend the summer vacation. If his health will permit he will take a summer course in the Chicago University.

-Miss Pearl Payseur will attend the commencements of the Greenville Female College and Furman University next week. She will go as far as Spartanburg the latter part of this week.

-The lecture-entertainment at the court house last Friday night by Mr. W. D. Upshaw, "Earnest Willie," of Georgia, was greatly enjoyed by the large audience that went out to hear the invalid lecturer.

CREAT SALES prove the great merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Hood's Sarsaparilla sells because it accomplishes CREAT CURES.

#### Applicants for Teacher's Certificates.

PURSUANT TO THE RULING OF L the State Board of Education, there will be an examination of applicants for county teachers' certificates held at Lancaster Court House on Friday the 25th day of June next, commenceing at 9 o'clock, a. m. The rules are very rigid in regard to renewing certificates, therefore, if your certificate has expired or you have certificate has expired or you have none and you expect to teach in the free schools, you are respectfully urged to meet the board on that day for examination.

Very Respectifully, W. B. BRUCE, Co. Supt. Education.

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and for less money. A visit to our place will convince you that we are not advertising something we haven't got or can't do for you. We know better than anybody what the people need to repair their machinery and try to have it for them. Our experience is long and varied in this line. Our line of valves, steam-gages, gage cocks and steam Fittings of every kind is always complete. We have recently put in a lathe to do all kinds of engine and gin repairing. Piston rings made on short notice. Cylinders rebored and fitted anew. We are agents for the celebrated Myers pumps for shallow and deep wells, and we say without fear of contradiction that is the best pump on the earth, and they don't cost a fortune. We can also do any kind of fancy wood work, such as turned and sawed balusters, columns, newels, drops, brackets, mantles and cabinets of all kinds. Bring us your orders. We can fill them satisfactorily in quality and price.

We don't do a credit business. We must have the cash for what we do. Remember that please.