

NEXT-DOOR NEIGHBORS.

MANNING.
Manning Times.

The town council has given out a contract for the boring of an artesian well in front of the court house.

United States revenue officers are looking into the illicit sale of whiskey in this county and we are informed that they have already run upon considerable booze.

There will be a marriage on the 23rd inst. at the residence of Mr. R. W. Green, near Seloc. The contracting parties will be Mr. Rufus Dennis and Miss Lizzie Green.

The musicale to be given at Hon. J. M. Richardson's, near Pannola, on the evening of the 28th inst. will be one of the social events of the season and as the affair is for a benevolent purpose, of course the public is invited. Young men and young ladies, if you have never attended an entertainment given by the people of the Pannola or Fulton sections then by all means do not miss this opportunity to spend a most delightful evening. A musicale there means such music as is seldom heard away from a professional orchestra at a first class play in a good theatre, and the refreshments will be prepared and served in a manner to please the most fastidious epicure. The entire entertainment will be managed by people who are cultured and refined, and they will leave nothing undone to make their guests have an evening of pleasure.

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Dots from "Pumpkin" Hill.
Greene's Postoffice.
(Written for last week's Record.)

As I have never seen any dots from this place, I will endeavor to scribble down a few for the grand old County Record.

Pumpkin Hill is 104 miles below Kingstree, on the Gapway public road, and is 31 or 4 miles from Greene postoffice, on the Georgetown & Western railroad. We are in the "dark corner" of Williamsburg county, but we do not have any illicit stills, horse-thieves, or cut-throats in our neighborhood.

There will be two tournaments near here in the near future—one on Christmas day at Greene and one on the 28th at Or Swamp.

There are a good many turkeys being killed in Black River swamp now.

Your scribe saw nine partridges killed at one shot the other-day.

Services were held in Friendship church last Sunday by Rev. S. J. McCoull, of Indiantown.

Messrs. Julius and Eddie McCants and Joe Epps were in our section last week.

The crops are all harvested and the greater part has been sold, but the farmers have very little money to show as the result of a year's hard work.

Several people from this section attended church services at Central last Sunday.

Messrs. McClary and Brown are the champion fox hunters of this section. They have caught no less than 20 foxes up to date this season. Who can beat that?

The party given at the residence of Mr. J. B. Steele on the night of the 9th was largely attended by the young people of this neighborhood.

Some of our young ladies have joined fox-hunting parties this fall.

FLORENCE.
Florence Times-Messenger.

Messrs. Williamson & Co., who recently purchased the McCall & Jones stables have repaired and repainted the premises and the whole place has the look of a new place. The establishment is well stocked with fine stock, fine boggies and carriages, wagons, etc.

As already stated, elders Oldham and Smith of the Latter Day Saints commonly known as Mormons, are in the city. They propose holding street services near Lake's corner on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoon at 6:30 o'clock.

An interesting missionary meeting was held at the Baptist church Friday afternoon. Addresses were delivered by Rev. Mr. Bruce and Rev. B. D. Lucas, returned missionaries from the land of the Orient. Last night Dr. J. J. C. Newton, who has labored in Japan, spoke to an immense congregation. He told of his work there and gave many interesting descriptions of the life and conduct of this people in whom Christian lands are so much interested.

Last Saturday night the residence of Dr. T. R. Kelly at Motts' Bridge was the scene of an attempted robbery. Dr. Kelley had some money in the house, and two white men, Charles and Dock Dickerson, wanted it. Dr. Kelley suspected them, and, together with some of his neighbors, were on the watch. Their watch was successful. Mr. J. W. Hicks captured the two men, and on Monday morning he lodged them in the county jail. There they now are, and Dr. Kelly did not lose his money.

JOHNSON'S CHILL AND FEVER TONIC

Cures Fever in One Day.

Greenville Items.

Several of our people went down to Charleston to take in Gala Week and all report having had a fine time. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Taylor and their sons, Emmet and Leland; Mrs. W. H. Campbell and two little daughters and Mrs. Varner.

We are glad to report Mrs. W. F. Hogan still improving. She was able to sit up a little last Saturday.

The Greenville Union Sunday school is going to give its members a treat in the way of candies, fruits, &c., in the place of the usual "tree." The children are "banking" on a pleasant time.

The stores are opening up their Christmas goods now and the children's expectations are very high as to what "Santa Claus" is going to bring.

Mrs. E. G. Mallard is just back from an extended visit to relatives in Virginia and North Carolina. We venture to say her trip was very enjoyable.

The school will close one week for Christmas and resume work on Jan. 3rd, 1898.

A merry Christmas to all.

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A shooting affray occurred in Columbia Sunday night. George B. Radcliffe fired four times at Wm. Konemann, two shots taking effect. Konemann first assailed Radcliffe with knucks. Previcus ill feeling had existed between them. The wounds are serious.

The ways of the Speaker of the House of the Georgia Legislature are as peculiar as those of the other members of that surprising assembly. A few days ago, when a quorum was not present, he addressed the doorkeeper as follows: "Mr. Doorkeeper, go ye out into the highways and hedges and summon all absent members to this banquet hall. Bring ye them in so that this public feast may proceed."

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It is stated that Judge Ernest Gary will become a permanent resident of Columbia after the new year.

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Degrees of comparison in the life of a turkey—Positive gobble; comparative, gobble; superlative, gobble it.

Quinine and other fever medicines take from 5 to 10 days to cure fever.

Johnson's Chill and Fever Tonic cures in ONE DAY.

Mr. Henry Harrelson, of Dillon, was fatally hurt while coon-hunting near that place Saturday night. His skull was crushed by a falling tree.

Don't Neglect Your Liver. Liver troubles quickly result in serious complications, and the man who neglects his liver has little regard for health.

An express guard on a Southern Pacific railway train killed a highwayman on Friday last near Deming, N. M., who attempted to hold up an express car.

Why take Johnson's Chill & Fever Tonic? Because it cures the most stubborn case of Fever in ONE DAY.

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The graded schools of Columbia are conducted on a cash basis, there not being a dollar of indebtedness at the close of the last fiscal year. The year was one of the most successful in the history of the schools.

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Prof. Andrews, of Brown's University, in a speech at Chicago last Monday proclaimed Gen. R. E. Lee the most valiant and most heroic military genius of modern times.

Embossed in Gold.

To buy and reproduce famous paintings involves an expenditure that could hardly be borne unless, as in the case of The Youth's Companion, the enterprise is sustained by the approval of more than five hundred thousand subscribers. The Companion Souvenir Calendar for 1898, a series of charming figure-pieces, faithfully copied in colors and embossed in gold, is recognized as one of the richest and most costly examples of this form of art. Yet every new subscriber receives it without additional charge. Moreover the paper is sent free to every new subscriber each week from the time the subscription is received until January 1898, and then a full year until January, 1899.

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The Doctor considers it his religious duty—a duty which he owes to humanity—to donate his infallible cure.

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Don't delay until it is too late. Address T. A. Slocum, M. C., 98 Pine street, New York, and when writing the Doctor, please give express and postoffice address, and mention reading this article in the County Record.

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NEW GOODS THIS WEEK. Job lot of Christmas good, bought for 50 cents on the dollar, so we can sell them much below the usual price. We will mention a few of them:

- Pocketbooks, purses, earrings, rings, broaches, garter buckles, watch chains, watch guards, stick pins, scari pins, gold belt pins. Some of these goods are heavy plated and some are solid gold.
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No. 35.*

Leave Florence 8:35 a. m.
Leave Kingstree
Arrive Lanes 4:48 a. m.
Leave Lanes 4:48 a. m.
Arrive Charleston 7:50 a. m.

No. 23.*

Leave Florence 7:35 p. m.
Leave Kingstree 8:59 p. m.
Arrive Lanes 9:15 p. m.
Leave Lanes 9:15 p. m.
Arrive Charleston 10:50 p. m.

No. 53.*

Leave Florence 7:52 p. m.
Leave Kingstree 9:25 p. m.
Arrive Lanes
Arrive Charleston

TRAINS GOING NORTH,

No. 78.*

Leave Charleston 5:30 a. m.
Arrive Lanes 7:05 a. m.
Leave Lanes 7:05 a. m.
Leave Kingstree 7:23 a. m.
Arrive Florence 8:25 a. m.

No. 32.*

Leave Charleston 5:00 p. m.
Arrive Lanes 6:36 p. m.
Leave Lanes 6:36 p. m.
Leave Kingstree
Arrive Florence 7:55 p. m.

No. 52.*

Leave Charleston 7:00 a. m.
Arrive Lanes 8:26 a. m.
Leave Lanes
Leave Kingstree
Arrive Florence

No. 52 runs through to Columbia via Central R. R. of S. C.

Trains Nos. 78 and 32 run via Wilson and Fayetteville—Short Line—and make close connection for all points North.

Trains on C. & D. R. R. leave Florence daily except Sunday 8 55 a. m., arrive Darlington 9 28 a. m., Cheraw 10 40 a. m., Wadesboro 2 25 p. m. Leave Florence daily except Sunday 8 10 p. m., arrive Darlington 9 36 p. m., Gibsons 10 00 p. m. Leave Florence Sunday only 9 00 a. m., arrive Darlington 9 31 a. m., Hartsville 10 10 a. m.

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