

THE LANCASTER NEWS.
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Mr. Tschanner deGraffenreid of Columbia, is in Yorkville on a visit to relatives and friends.—Yorkville Enquirer.

Did our esteemed contemporary "pie" Yorkville in order to furnish company for the gentleman's jaw-breaking name?

The business men of Chester have effected an organization—something that The News has been faithfully striving to get the merchants of Lancaster to do.—Every town should have a board of trade or chamber of commerce.

It appears from the report on enrolment submitted to the business session of the veterans' reunion last week that Lancaster is one of the few counties in the state that has its rolls complete in accordance with an act of the Legislature entitled "An act in relation to the enrolment by county and township of citizens of South Carolina who rendered military or naval service to the Confederate States," approved Feb. 25, 1902. The other counties that have complied with the law are: Barnwell, Beaufort, Chester, Colleton, Darlington, Lee and York.

CLEANING UP A TOWN.

If our city fathers fell over one another endorsing the suggestion of The News that Lancaster, following the example of Anderson, have a "cleaning up week," we have failed to hear of it. It will be recalled that the idea of designating a certain week for cleaning up purposes originated with the civic league of Anderson, and upon its recommendation was acted upon by city council. The Anderson Mail has the following to say as to the general interest that has been aroused in the Anderson plan and as to the the experience of Denver, Colorado, along the same line:

Anderson's "cleaning up week" has attracted a great deal of attention throughout the state, and there have been many favorable comments in the newspapers and from private citizens and otherwise. Many of the newspapers of other towns are urging that Anderson's example be generally followed, and that a week be set apart in every town for cleaning up.

Denver, Colorado, had a "cleaning up" week not long ago and Mayor Speer issued a proclamation on the subject, in the course of which he said:

"A city free from dirt, in perfect health and made attractive in all its details will advertise itself and draw within its boundaries the best of people." A circular giving rules which the city cleaners should follow gives among others these:

"Rake on a pile, the tin cans, bottles, etc., on the vacant lots near you, the day before your clean-up day, and they will be hauled away by city teams.

"Plant trees and sow grass—do not live without a lawn.

"Repair your fences, gates and sheds—paint or whitewash them.

"Burn all your rubbish possible. Do not throw it in the street, alley or vacant lots.

"Repair your sidewalks. Take all dandelions out of your lawn—they spoil its beauty and in time will destroy it.

"If your residence, store front, wagons, signs or automobiles look old or faded, have them repainted.

"Keep down the weeds on your property, and while they are young have them destroyed on the vacant lots near you.

"If your awnings are old, torn or faded, get new ones.

"Do not spit on the sidewalks. The city is trying to keep those in the business district especially clean by washing them several times each week.

"Wherever you find anything unhealthy which you can not remedy, telephone the health department at city hall.

"Sewer connections, garbage cans and ash pits are necessities for cleanliness at each home. See that they are provided—kept clean and in good condition."

Antioch Church.—Its New Pastor.

Dr. J. H. Boldridge, of Lancaster, will serve Antioch church as pastor, succeeding the Rev. S. N. Watson, of Heath Springs, who, as previously stated, resigned his charges in this county to accept the pastorate of the First Baptist church in Concord, N. C. Dr. Boldridge will preach at Antioch the 2nd and 4th Sundays in each month, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon. Mr. Watson will preach his farewell sermon in this county at Antioch the 4th Sunday in this month, at 3:30 p. m.

The Antioch church was organized about ten years ago, and has had but three pastors during that period—all strong and able preachers. The first pastor was the Rev. John S. Croxton, who served up to the time of his death. He was succeeded by Mr. Watson, who is now followed by Dr. Boldridge.

Children's Day at Tabernacle.

The Tabernacle Sunday School will observe next Sunday, May 19th, as Children's Day. A suitable programme has been arranged for the occasion, consisting of songs and recitations by the school. Also, short addresses will be made by Messrs. C. A. Plyler and T. M. Bell, the Rev. R. L. Duffie and the pastor, Rev. E. M. McKissick. The exercises will begin promptly at 10 o'clock a. m. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Davidson College Orchestra and Glee Club May Give Another Entertainment in Lancaster.

The Davidson College Orchestra and Glee Club that gave such a fine entertainment in Lancaster recently will probably visit here again at an early day, as will be seen from the following letter received by Col. Banks, superintendent of the graded schools, from Manager J. E. Hemphill:

You gave the Davidson boys such a grand time in Lancaster, that they have all with one accord adopted a vote of thanks to you and our kind friends of Lancaster, and have unanimously expressed a desire of paying you another visit on our tour of the South, for the month of June.

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our last rush visit.

We will be in Charlotte May the 30th, and would like to make Lancaster, either the 31st or June the first, and hence I write to see if you think it advisable for us to return, and if so, upon what terms? I do not wish to impose upon the good nature of the Lancaster people, but assure you that I have received numerous and urgent invitations to pay the visit on this tour, so would appreciate your advice in the matter.

Col. Banks is also in receipt of the following letter from President Smith, of Davidson College:

I drop a line to thank you for your very kind letter about our Orchestra and Glee Club. They are as enthusiastic over the overflowing hospitality of Lancaster, as the Lancaster people could possibly be about their music or their gentlemanly behavior. I hope it was a mutual case of love at first sight.

—Thomas McCardell, the negro who some time ago, while under contract with Col. W. C. Hough, ran off to North Carolina, taking four others with him, was captured in this county a few days ago and lodged in jail. He had come back, it is said, after more hands, and had in his possession when arrested transportation for six persons.

Lecture Thursday Night at Auditorium.

Franklin Pierce Jolly, "the Jolly Lecturer—Entertainer of Joliet," will deliver one of his inimitable lectures at the graded school auditorium to-morrow night, at 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the Daughters of the Confederacy of Lancaster. All who attend will be both highly entertained and amused. The proceeds will go to the Confederate monument fund, which fact alone should cause everybody to attend. The admission will be 35 and 25 cents. Tickets are now on sale at the drug store of Crawford Brothers

The Seven-Cent-Social Friday Evening.

Don't fail to attend the 7-cent social, the unique entertainment to be given by the Ladies' Aid Society of the A. R. P. church next Friday evening, at 7 o'clock, at the residence of Judge Ira B. Jones. A charming time is assured all who attend. Admission, only 7 cents, and every seventh person will be admitted free. — In addition to the entertainment by the "7 old ladies of Lavender Town," refreshments will be served.

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