

LOCAL DOTS

The South Carolina Medical Association will convene at Summerville next Tuesday.

Mr. R. M. Pegues, one of the largest and most successful farmers of Chesterfield county, died Thursday.

A thief entered the premises of Mrs. Julia Porter Tuesday night and stole two hens and a lot of biddies.

Mr. A. B. Lindsay and family moved this week from East End into the Cunningham house on Cemetery street.

Dr. S. M. Orr, a prominent physician of Anderson, died Wednesday night at Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore.

The Pleasant Valley school, of which Prof. J. J. Bailes is principal, will close its present session in about ten days.—Fort Mill Times.

Mr. S. N. Hammond, of Stoneboro, has sent to this office a curiosity in the way of a hen egg. It is shaped exactly like a young "crook-neck" squash.

Jailor Horton has only one prisoner in his custody now, Joe Bridges, the little 12-year-old colored boy charged with robbing the Funderburk Company's store.

Mr. Frank Pitman, a former Lancastrian now living at Sydney, Fla., writes us that he is getting along nicely and enjoying good health in the "Land of Flowers," but would like for some of his old friends here to write him occasionally.

At the regular convention of Hanging Rock Lodge, 42. K. of P., held on last Tuesday evening, Messrs. J. A. McCaskill and J. W. Hamel were elected as delegates to the Grand Lodge which meets in Charleston on the fourth Tuesday in May.—Kershaw Era.

Married on Sunday, 4th inst. at the residence of the bride's parents, Rev. and Mrs. D. W. Heckle, Mr. Thomas C. Gaskins, of the Flat Rock section of Kershaw county and Miss Ada Viola Heckle, of Saluda, S. C., Revs. E. W. Heckle and E. H. Crossland officiating.—Kershaw Era.

Mr. John Merritt, a young farmer of Gold Hill, and Miss Bessie Lirdsey, daughter of Mr. David Lindsey, of the Point section of the county, were happily married Sunday night at the Methodist parsonage, Rev. S. J. Bethea performing the ceremony.—Fort Mill Times.

The Demorest Comedy Co., which will give an entertainment in its tent on Dr. Laney's lot, will admit all ladies free on Monday night who are accompanied by a gentleman holding a ticket. The purpose of this is to advertise the show for subsequent engagements during the week and to show that they have a clean show.

Mrs. Ellen Elizabeth Williams, wife of Mr. S. A. Williams, died suddenly at their home near Wingo last Friday afternoon. About five o'clock Mr. Williams, who was near the house, was called by Mrs. Williams as if she were in distress, and he hastened to find her already dead. Mrs. Williams was 68 years old last January.—Monroe Journal.

Capt. Marcus B. Stokes, of U. S. Army, has been detailed as commandant at Clemson.

Margaret Lois Small, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Small, of the New Out section, died Friday, April 16, 1909, aged seven months and twenty-one days.

Mr. W. W. Williams died of smallpox in the York cotton mill village Wednesday night, making the eighth death there from the disease.

Mrs. Jane Dunlap, an aged lady, is very sick at the home of her brother, Mr. Eli Dunlap, of this place—Edgemoor cor. Rock Hill Record.

Mr. George Ferguson and Mr. West Elliott have formed a partnership for the conduct of a heavy and fancy grocery business. They are to use the Plyler store room now occupied by Mr. S. Dagher, who, as previously noted, is selling out with the view of moving to Rock Hill.

The Cleveland Springs property, situated near Shelby, N. C., was recently sold to a syndicate headed by A. H. Webb.

Cotton is bringing ten cents on this market now, and in consequence, much of it is being sold. Mr. Hazel Witherspoon, of the Lancaster Mercantile company, bought at that price as many as 1000 bales in about four hours a day or two ago.

There was a match game of baseball at Heath Springs yesterday between the teams of the Heath Springs and Lancaster Graded Schools. Quite a number of Lancaster boys went down for the game, and the result will be published in our next issue.

Mr. R. B. Mackey is collecting material on his lot on Elm street for his handsome residence, and Mr. Hurbert Horton has bought lumber for a residence on an adjacent lot. Both will build in the near future.

The many friends of Capt. Amos McManus, Lancaster's beloved citizen and veteran of two wars, are pleased to see him out on the streets again after his many weeks of confinement on account of injuries received in an accidental fall, as noted in The News at the time. He is still obliged to use crutches, however.

Personal.

Mr. R. S. Stewart visited Charlotte this week.

Mrs. Lois Sistare, of Caskeys visited Mrs. L. J. Perry this week.

Miss Lillie Massey of Fort Mill is visiting Mrs. T. M. Hughes.

Policeman R. M. Langley, of Rock Hill, spent Wednesday in Lancaster.

Messrs. D. M. and William Jones, of Stoneboro, were in town Wednesday.

Capt. and Mrs. A. H. Greene returned Wednesday from their visit to Rock Hill.

The Hon. W. U. Clyburn, of Haile Gold Mine, spent Wednesday night in Lancaster.

Mr. Brevard Springs, of Charlotte, visited his brother here, Col. Leroy Springs, this week.

Mr. William Barr, a former Lancastrian now living in Yorkville, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. R. L. Sowell and Mr. T. C. Nelson, of Kershaw, were visitors to Lancaster this week.

Mr. S. V. McManus, of Sparta, Tenn., is visiting his uncle here, Capt. Amos McManus. It is Mr. McManus's first visit to Lancaster.

Mr. Frank Hunter, of Lancaster, was a welcomed visitor to Fort Mill Monday.—Fort Mill Times.

Mr. E. L. F. Magill, of Russel Place, spent Wednesday in Lancaster. He paid this office a pleasant call while here.

Mrs. Oscar Clark and Mrs. Jasen Clark, of Heath Springs, spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Croxton, returning home yesterday.

Mrs. S. W. Inman has gone to Atlanta on a visit. She will visit a brother near there while away.

Miss Mayme Jones and Messrs. C. W. Requarth, W. McD. Jones, F. E. Jordan, S. C. Williams and Paul Ross Moore attended the Easter german in Winooborlast Monday night.

Miss Mayme Jones and Messrs. J. Foster Moore and F. E. Jordan attended the Easter ball in Rock Hill Thursday night.

Mr. J. E. Rankin, formerly of Lancaster but now at a business college in Columbia, spent the Easter holidays here with Mr. E. M. Croxton, cashier of the First National Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cloud went to Lancaster Saturday to visit the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bell, and returned yesterday morning.—Chester Lantern.

Mr. J. B. Magill is attending Bethel Presbytery at Clover this week as a representative from the Kershaw Presbyterian church.—Kershaw Era.

Miss Janie Cauthen, of the Oakhurst section, is spending some time in Kershaw at the home of Mrs. S. Z. Gay.—Kershaw Era.

Mrs. D. Reece Williams and daughter, little Miss Frances, who have been visiting the former's parents in Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Bailey, returned home Thursday night.

Mr. Wilson Rowell and son, Mr. H. H. Rowell, of the Tabernacle section, spent Thursday in Lancaster. We are indebted to them for a pleasant call while in town.

Miss Winnie Crawford of Yorkville was a guest of Mrs. S. W. Inman a couple of days this week.

Mrs. Roxie Crenshaw and children are visiting Mrs. J. W. Sullivan of this city.

Miss Lula Crenshaw, of Heath Springs, spent Thursday night here with Miss Annie Bell Barton.

Mr. Jake Mackorell, of Yorkville, was in town yesterday.

Miss Jenks Johnston, of Rock Hill, who has been visiting Miss Juanita Wylie, returned home this week.

Miss Janie Chambers, of Edgemoor, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. T. Wylie.

Prof. and Mrs. Bruce Craven and son, Braxton, visited Rev. R. E. Small and family at Heath Springs Friday.

A Coming Marriage in North Carolina of Interest to Lancastrians.

Mrs. Mary Elja Welsh, formerly of Lancaster but now living at Mount Pleasant, N. C., has issued invitations to the wedding reception of her daughter, Miss Margaret Annie, and Mr. Seberne Hoyle Long, of Charlotte, to be given at her home on Wednesday evening, April 28th, at 9 o'clock.

The prospective bride, who is a charming and attractive young lady, has many friends and admirers in Lancaster, her old home. Her visit here last summer to Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Lazenby and other relatives is pleasantly recalled.

Mr. Long, the groom-elect, is prominently connected with the well known Little-Long Company of Charlotte.

Son of Lancaster Head of Entertainment Committee of South Carolinians in New York.

Mr. J. O. Williams, of the firm of Daniel O'Dell & Co. of New York, son of Judge and Mrs. D. A. Williams of this place, is chairman of the entertainment committee of the Society of South Carolinians whose annual dinner will be given in that city next Thursday evening. Senator Tillman of South Carolina will be the guest of honor, and other speakers of prominence will be present. Dancing will follow the speaking.

A Farmer Who Makes Good Money Raising Potatoes.

Mr. Wilson Rowell, of the Tabernacle section, who is known as one of the largest and most successful sweet potato raisers in the county, as well as an all-round good farmer, in addition to bedding out 10 bushels of potatoes this spring, has ordered 10,000 slips from Florida. His object in ordering Florida slips is to get early potatoes for market in August.

From his last two potato crops Mr. Rowell realized a profit of \$610. He always has plenty, of course, for home consumption. He now has on hand 30 bushels from his Florida slips he expects to have potatoes or more of last year's crop.

Death of Mrs. B. F. Baker.

Mrs. Lillie Baker, wife of Mr. B. F. Baker, of Fork Hill, died yesterday morning about 3 o'clock, after an illness of three weeks. She was a daughter of the late Ben E. Blackmon and about 35 years of age. She is survived by her husband and seven children. Mrs. Baker was a most estimable christian lady and leaves a large circle of relatives and friends to lament her untimely death. She was a consistent member of the Baptist church.

Special Notices.

The Tabernacle Council, J. O. U. A. M. will meet next Saturday night, April 24. Every member is urged to attend. H. H. Rowell, Secretary.

Business Notices

All Notices inserted under this head at the rate of ONE CENT A WORD for each insertion. No notice to be counted less than 25 words.

The Georgia United Shows will be here all next week.

ONE GOOD WORK MULE to sell at a bargain. J. C. Edwards, Elgin, S. C. 56-57

THE FRENCH COACH STALLION will be at Dr. Sapp's on Monday and Tuesday, April 19th and 20th, and at Hoag Funderburk's on Wednesday and Thursday, the 21st and 22nd. Again at Dr. Sapp's on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 27 and 28th of April, and at Hoag Funderburk's on Thursday and Friday, the 29th and 30th, returning to Lancaster for Saturday, May 1st. J. C. Elliott.

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FINEST VARIETIES of Tomato Plants for sale. Mrs. W. P. Davis, W. Dunlap St. 56-56

WANTED—Everybody to plant tomatoes for canning. Remember the best tomato seeds put up in bulk at F. R. Massey's store, Chas. P. Hudson. 53-56

TO SELL OR EXCHANGE—A lot of Texas Five Lock Big Boll Cotton seed, at 60c a bushel, or exchange one for two. Oliver C. Blackmon, Lancaster, S. C.

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