

SHORT LOCAL NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST

RECENT HAPPENINGS IN CITY AND COUNTY.

Doings of People in Which All Sections of Lancaster County Are Interested.

Local cotton buyers were offering 28 1-2c per pound for cotton this morning on the local market.

The King house on Catawba street now occupied by Mrs. Minnie Cauthen and Mrs. Murchison, has been purchased by Mr. A. C. Carnes.

Rev. R. L. Walkup, General Assembly secretary of stewardship, will preach in the First Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening.

The many friends of Mrs. Jno. T. Green will be glad to learn that she has returned to her home in this city from a Charlotte hospital very much improved.

Mrs. Mattie Rice, who has been assistant at the Kershaw postoffice for several years, has been appointed postmistress to serve until the civil service examination is held to choose a successor to W. L. Blackmon, resigned.

Local trains have been running late this week owing to the heavy travel to the State fair. Many people, however, have taken advantage of the good road to Columbia and traveled to the capital city by automobile.

An accident at the gin of Mr. Hal Beckham in the county Tuesday cost James Allen, a negro hand, an arm. He in some way became tangled in the machinery and his arm was so badly crushed that amputation was necessary.

Rev. H. R. Murchison and Mr. R. S. Stewart attended a patriotic rally at Kershaw Monday night and made addresses. There will be a meeting at Van Wyck tonight and Mr. Stewart and Mr. Jno. M. Madra, of this city, will make addresses.

An interesting address was heard Wednesday night at the Presbyterian church, when Mr. Carl Lehman, Southern secretary of the Christian Endeavor societies, made a talk to the local society. There was quite a large crowd present and the address was greatly enjoyed.

The Bethel Presbytery has been in session this week at Tirzah church and large crowds have been in attendance. Rev. L. O. McCutchin, returned missionary from Korea, preached the opening sermon. The pastor of Tirzah church, Rev. W. W. Ratchford, has been a member of the Presbytery fifty-four years.

The Moriah Baptist association held its one hundred and second annual session with the Camp Creek church Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week. The Moriah union includes all of Lancaster county. The annual election of officers was as follows: Moderator, Rev. B. F. Carson; Clerk, W. F. Estridge; treasurer, W. L. Croxton. The executive committee for the ensuing year is composed of Rev. B. F. Carson, W. F. Estridge, W. L. Croxton, Dr. J. H. Thayer, Rev. P. E. Blackmon, Rev. T. A. Dabney, W. C. Adams.

Two sisters and two brothers who recently registered at the Hotel Royal, Messrs. Fred E. and Harry Whipple, Misses Clara H. and Rose E. Whipple, from Beaufort, S. C., own a farm of six acres around Beaufort, and last year they went into the truck farming business, and cleared \$27,000 from the six acres. The sisters and brothers passed through Lancaster last night returning to Beaufort. They had made an extended trip North. This certainly is saying a good deal for Beaufort and also South Carolina, as well as for the business judgment of the Whipple family.

SOUTH CAROLINA TOBACCO SALES ON THE INCREASE
Columbia, Oct. 25.—The State Department of Agriculture, in a compilation showing the condition of the tobacco market for last month, states that 294,126 more pounds was sold than in September, 1917, and an increase of \$96,083.24 was paid. Only five markets and nine warehouses reported, the other markets and warehouses having completed their sales during the preceding months.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Dillie Wince is the guest of Mrs. H. M. Parks.

Mr. Douglas attended the circus in Columbia Wednesday.

Mrs. John P. Hunter is visiting relatives in Bascomville.

Miss Carrie Neal has accepted a position with M. Pollakoff.

Misses Marie Roddey and Bennie Culp left today for Columbia.

Mr. T. L. Hilton attended the fair and circus in Columbia Wednesday.

Mrs. Jennie McIlwain returned yesterday to her home in Hopewell, Va.

Mrs. L. S. Elliott left for Columbia Wednesday to attend the fair and circus.

Mrs. R. E. Wylie has as her guest this week Miss Alethia Chambers, of Richmond.

Mrs. T. J. Strait, who has been visiting her parents in Lexington, has returned.

Miss Louise Wylie returned from Columbia today, where she attended the State ball.

Mr. Aubrey Cauthen left for Columbia Wednesday to attend the fair and circus.

Mr. Ross Carnes attended the fair and circus in Columbia Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. John Riddle and children attended the fair in Columbia Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Leroy Davidson, of Camden, and Mrs. Samuel Wilkes, of Laurens, spent Wednesday in town.

Miss Nan Love Copeland, of Heath Springs, spent Wednesday night with Miss Ida Porter.

Miss Ida Cauthen will leave soon for Knoxville, where she will spend some time with Mrs. F. L. Coleman.

Miss Evelyn McDow, of the county, has accepted a position in the store of Rodman-Walkup company.

J. H. Witherspoon and sons, James and Harvey Witherspoon, motored to Charlotte, N. C., Thursday for the circus.

Mr. W. J. Crenshaw, of Van Wyck, is a visitor to Lancaster today. Mr. Crenshaw is a prosperous farmer.

Miss Annie Belle Ferguson, of Rock Hill, has joined the operating force of the Lancaster Telephone company.

Mrs. R. F. Flemming and son, Robert, of Laurens, arrived today to visit the former's brother, Dr. R. C. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wylie, Misses Jaunita and Gildersleeve Wylie and John D. Wylie motored to Columbia Wednesday.

Mrs. Linnie Witherspoon and children, Elizabeth, Mary Dunom and Marion Simms spent Thursday in Charlotte, N. C.

Mrs. W. P. Bennett and daughter, Miss Perry Belle, and Mrs. R. W. Graeber attended the fair and circus in Columbia Wednesday.

Mrs. H. R. Rice left last night for Jacksonville, Ala., in response to a telegram announcing the death of her sister, Miss Sarah Nixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green, who were married in Rock Hill Tuesday, arrived this morning for a visit to Mr. Green's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. T. Green.

Messrs. Ira B. Jones, Jr., Paul Moore, James Hough and T. M. Hughes motored to Columbia Wednesday in Mr. Hughes' car to attend the fair and circus.

Mr. B. Cunningham and daughter, Miss Bessie, Miss Grace McDow, Mr. M. C. Cunningham, and Mr. H. H. Horton motored to Columbia Wednesday in Mr. Cunningham's car to attend the circus.

Mrs. and Mrs. Waddy R. Thomson had as their guests this week Mr. and Mrs. Blackwell and Misses Bessie and Lillian Blackwell, of Darlington, and Mr. James Blackwell, of Massachusetts.

Mr. Robert Beckham, who is in the Motor Truck Co., at Camp Sevier, stationed at Greenville, spent the week-end at home and returned to his post of duty Wednesday morning.

Messrs. J. E. Patterson, Joe McIlwain, A. F. Giles and Brown Slatore attended the circus in Charlotte last night.

Mr. Fred Adams attended the circus in Charlotte Thursday night.

SOCIAL NEWS.

GREEN-COWAN.

(Rock Hill Herald.) Cards reading as follows were issued today:

Mrs. G. A. Cowan announces the marriage of her daughter Christine to

Mr. Frank Davis Green on Tuesday the twenty-third of October One thousand nine hundred and seventeen Rock Hill, S. C.

The ceremony was performed at 5:15 o'clock, on Tuesday afternoon, at the residence of the bride's mother, on Academy street, the officiating minister being the Rev. Walter Simpson, of Charlotte. Only members of the two families were present.

The house was attractively adorned with roses and other flowers, the ceremony-room being especially pleasing. The young couple were unattended, and left on the evening train for a short bridal trip. The bride wore a smart coat suit of taupe cloth, with hat and shoes to match.

Upon their return to the city they will reside for the present with Miss Mary Marshall.

As Miss Cowan, the bride has always been popular in this her home town, and her friends are rejoicing that her marriage will not remove her from their midst. Mr. Green is a native of Lancaster, but has been a resident here for some months, where he is associated with Mr. W. H. Gladden in the real estate business.

Out-of-town relatives here for the occasion were the groom's father, brother and his sister, Miss Mildred Green, and two aunts, Mrs. James Green and Miss Jennie Green, all of Lancaster.

MUST LIMIT PARCELS TO THE SOLDIERS IN FRANCE

Washington, Oct. 25.—Christmas presents and other gifts from home for American soldiers in France must be restricted to parcels of not more than seven pounds each. The postoffice department today announced had it been informed by the American postal authorities in France that under the arrangements with the French railways the French postal service is unable to carry in the parcel post packages in excess of seven pounds.

SHIP BUILDING NOW THE GREATEST NEED

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the pockets of the rich to put cheap flour into the mouths of the poor. Our white flour is subsidized to the extent of \$200,000,000 a year, it is therefore sold under cost. That is why our people are getting American flour cheaper than your people.

"In respect to other articles of food consumption you must remember that we have a very strict control. The people of Great Britain have seized the mills and have taken control of the wholesale and retail stores. They have enforced very strict laws against profiteering. These are some of the reasons why food in Great Britain has not reached the famine prices it might have been expected to reach. We ask you to conserve your food—not for our civilian population at all. That population can take care of itself. We have the great fear that there may be a shortage of food for the boys who are going through the hell of fire in the trenches. We ask you to join us in food production and food conservation."

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Circulars free. All Druggists, etc. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

The following have recently registered at the Royal Hotel: Fred E. Whipple, Harry W. Whipple, Misses Clara H. Whipple and Rose E. Whipple, Beaufort, S. C.; W. F. Mustin, N. C.; J. W. Hunt, Atlanta; C. K. Marshall, Gastonia; B. L. Wannamaker, Camden; D. A. Boykin, Camden; E. F. Miller, Camden; H. E. Douglas, Allentown, Pa.; W. Z. Stultz, Winston-Salem, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Norfleet, Baltimore; J. W. Fitzmaurice, St. Louis; W. E. Coker, Tennessee; T. C. Hammers, North Carolina; Mrs. Francis Williams, Lynchburg, Va.; Z. C. Reeves, Charlotte; George Rivers, Sumter; Jas. A. Renne, Baltimore; A. J. Beall, Charlotte; Hubert Alston, Philadelphia; W. A. Bass, Charlotte; W. B. Jordan, Virginia; C. W. Frazier, Richmond; W. C. Owens, Greenwood; C. E. Roller, Virginia; C. M. Marshall, North Carolina; R. J. Lane, Columbia; Berry Wilson, Columbia.

FRENCH TAKES 10,000 PRISONERS; 25 GUNS
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their dreadnaughts, one cruiser, 12 torpedo boats, one transport and numerous mine sweepers were put out of action by the Russian fleet. The Petrograd government announced that at least six of the German destroyers were sunk.

Further German attempts to land forces on the Esthonian coast to the north of Werder have been repulsed by Russian detachments.

On the other fronts no important engagements are in progress, except in the nature of bombardments. On the Julian front of the Austro-Italian theater the artillery activity again has become intense. An Austrian attack with infantry in the Cadore region was repulsed by the Italians with heavy losses.

AMERICAN AVIATOR KILLED

WHILE LANDING IN PARIS
Paris, Oct. 25.—Robert Hanford, of Brooklyn, N. Y., an American aviator with the French army, was killed while landing at an aviation school on October 15, according to news received here. Hanford was a Georgetown University student.

Reaches Christiania.

Prosperity, Oct. 25.—Mrs. Thornwell Haynes has just received a message from Secretary Lansing stating that her husband has arrived safely at Christiania. Mr. Haynes left Washington for Petrograd about a month ago. He is in the consular service.

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Tops of heavy Jersey Silk, with satin and taffeta corded flowers . . . \$4.95

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In every changeable shade, especially suited to wear with afternoon dresses, deep tuck flowers . . . \$4.50 and \$5.75

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In black, navy, Prussian green, purple and open. Cut very full and of heavy silk . . . \$1.98, \$2.98 and \$3.95

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Fine Mercerized Skirts of all black and black with novelty striped flounces. . . 98c, \$1.25 and \$1.50

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Of guaranteed fast colors, full width, with deep scalloped flowers . . 50c, 65c and 75c



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ATHLETIC AND DANCING CORSETS FOR YOUNG GIRLS.
Moderately priced at \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00 For the average figure a strong, well designed model . . . \$1.00 and \$1.50 For the stout a heavy model double lined . . . \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$3.00

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A well made Corset in all sizes . . . 50c

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A lovely group, comprising all the softest shades of gray, taupe, beige, Gendarm, champagne, navy, black, white, flesh and brown, showing tucks; have embroidery and flet laces. Priced very special . . . \$4.95 and \$5.75

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DeBevoise Brassiers are famous for their style, comfort and durability. Be fitted in one of our new models and notice how it improves your figure.

