

DONALDS

Mr. Ray Smith was a business visitor in Greenwood one day last week.

Mr. C. B. Leonard has bought 41 acres of land from Mrs. H. Haddon of Due West. Mr. Leonard is one of our most progressive farmers, and has one of the finest farms in the county.

Mrs. Ida Watson, of Anderson, is visiting Mr. D. Humphries and family.

Messrs. Leon and Clarence Gordon, of Anderson spent Sunday with their parents.

Mr. J. M. Haddon and brother, Mr. R. M. Haddon, of Abbeville, visited their brother in Greenville last week.

Mrs. Lila Agnew of Anderson, and daughter, Jean, of Due West, were week-end visitors in the home of Mrs. Hodges and daughter, Mrs. Eunice Agnew.

Mr. Erskine Agnew, of Greenville, was the guest of Mrs. Hodges Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Welch, of Anderson, visited his sister, Mrs. Ida McDill, on Tuesday.

Rev. J. P. Pressly of Due West, preached last Sunday in the Presbyterian Church to a large and attentive congregation.

Rev. Langston, of Greenville, preached very acceptably in the Baptist Church last Sunday morning.

Miss Janie Agnew attended the closing exercises of the Due West Graded School last Friday.

Mrs. Marion Poore, of Greenville, was a week-end visitor at Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sharpe's. She was accompanied back by her sister, Miss Erin Sharpe, and Master Eugene Poore.

Rev. J. M. Dallas preached at Friendship Church, in Laurens County last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Humphries, of Anderson, visited his parents here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Pruitt Pelzer spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Pruitt.

Misses Lois and Alice Humphries

who have been teaching in Pelzer, are home for the summer.

Rev. Dr. Mills, of Clemson College, was a pleasant caller in the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Dallas last Monday.

A number of our young people attended the movies in Honea Path last Saturday night.

Mrs. J. M. Haddon, and Miss Cora, were shopping in Greenwood Tuesday.

The members of the party who attended the Southern Baptist Convention in Washington, D. C., have returned home. They were much delighted with the sights of that beautiful city, and were greatly pleased with the convention.

We are enjoying electric lights once more in our town, and we trust there will be no further trouble with the transformers. We hope there will be no more work done on the holy Sabbath day in our quiet and peaceful town.

Rev. Henderson, of Cokesbury, died at his home after a long illness. The funeral services were held Tuesday morning in old Greenville Church and were conducted by Rev. Dr. Green, of Greenwood, assisted by Rev. Shell, of Cokesbury and Rev. J. M. Dallas of Donalds.

A widow and grown up children are left to mourn the loss of a kind husband and father.

LOWNDESVILLE

The Lowndesville High School will close next Thursday evening, May 27. The following program will be given by the graduating class, after which a minstrel will be presented by the boys of the High School:

Salutatory—Miss Laurene Cook.
Class History—Miss Olivia Drennan.

Class Prophet—Mr. Charlie Hill.
Class Will—Mr. George Fiquette.

Class Vaedictory—Miss Zelpha Hardin.

Rev. Hair, of Fountain Inn, is assisting Rev. H. G. White in a protracted meeting which is being held in the Baptist Church, Much inter-

est is being taken in the services and it is hoped a great revival will be the result.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith, Jr., of Jackson, Mich., are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith, Sr. This is Mrs. Smith's first visit to our town and every one is delighted to make her acquaintance.

Mr. Smith is receiving the congratulations of his many friends upon having won such a sweet, charming woman.

Sergt. Holcombe Harper after a fortnight's visit to his parents, has returned to his home in Nogales, Ariz.

Rev. J. A. Clotfelter is in Charlotte on attendance of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church.

Rev. H. G. White and Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Allen have returned from Washington, D. C., where they went to attend the Southern Baptist Convention.

Miss Blanche Cooley has returned from Orangeburg, where she visited friends.

Misses Ruby Fiquette, Clarys and Veva Bonds have closed their schools and are at home for the summer.

Mrs. Louise Gilland, of Kingstree, S. C., has been the recent guest of her sister, Mrs. Kirkpatrick.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Huckabee have returned from a short trip to Columbia.

Friends of Mrs. Richard Bonds will regret to learn that it was found necessary to take her to a sanitarium, where she will undergo treatment.

Misses Kathleen and Alice Cooley will reach home, Friday from Winthrop, where they have been in school for the past year.

Mrs. J. S. Strom, of McCormick, is the guest of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Ballenger.

Mrs. E. W. Harper, Sr., is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Theron Allen, of Anderson.

Dr. H. C. Fenneil, of Abbeville, was a pleasant visitor in town last Sabbath.

Mr. Ray Clinkscales, of Anderson, made his usual trip to town this week.

Mr. Jno. Chiles, a commercial

**Cutting the High Cost of Dresssing
Big Reduction Sale Now Going On**

**AT
COCHRAN'S**

THE FOLLOWING DISCOUNT HOLDS
GOOD ON MERCHANDISE MENTIONED
BELOW UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE:

- Spring Coats 25 Per Cent. off.
- Spring Suits 25 Per Cent. off.
- Silk, Georgette and Crepe Dresses
..... 25 Per Cent. off.
- All Skirts 20 Per Cent. off.
- Gingham, Voile and House Dresses
..... 20 Per Cent. off.
- Middy Suits 20 Per Cent. off.
- Middy Blouses 20 Per Cent. off.
- Shirt Waists and Blouses 20 Per Cent. off.
- Petticoats, Silk & Wash Satin
..... 20 Per Cent. off.
- Corsets, C B and Madame Grace
..... 20 Per Cent. off.

MILLINERY
ALL TRIMMED HATS 20 Per Cent. off.

REMEMBER THE SALE IS NOW ON

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ABBEVILLE, S. C.

**ROBERT S. LINK'S
Real Estate Column**

HERE'S A BARGAIN.

233 Acres Land about 8 miles from Abbeville, good tenant houses, and out houses. Well timbered and watered; a splendid farm for the low price of **\$35 Per Acre; 1-3 Cash, balance on long time.**

Two Story House just off North Main St. in the city of Abbeville. Price **\$6,000.**

Good 8 Room House on Wardlaw St. Two bath rooms, two kitchens; well adapted for two families. Acre Lot. Price **\$8,000.**

155 Acres Land 9 miles from Abbeville. Good residence. Two tenant houses. Store house and good gin house. Barns, stables and all necessary out houses. A splendid home for some one. The land is practically level and is fine. Price **\$65 per acre.**

Two Nice Lots, one a Corner Lot on Orange and Lemon Sts. Will make a close price on these lots.

Robert S. Link

visitor, was quite ill at the Lowndesville Hotel last week, but has recovered sufficiently to return to his home at Troy, S. C.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Ellis and Mr. Jess Ellis, all of Atlanta, are visitors at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ellis.

Misses Nolle and Elizabeth Pressly have returned to their home at Jacksonville, Fla., after having attended school here during the past session. They have many warm friends who regretted to see them go from our town.

Mr. J. R. McAllister has opened an ice market, and will be glad to receive the patronage of the town and country people.

Friends of Mrs. Jno. Morrow will be pleased to know that she is recovering rapidly from an operation, which she underwent at the Anderson Hospital a few days ago.

Her friends throughout the county will be grieved to learn that Mrs. Louisa Tribble Brown is very ill at her home near town. She is an octogenarian and has been in declining health for several months.

Friends of Mr. J. Fred Dean will be sorry to know that he is still at John Hopkins, Baltimore, where he has been undergoing treatment for several weeks. He is a frequent visitor to our town, being a brother of Mrs. A. V. Barnes, and was a pupil of the High School here several years ago.

Mr. Roy Power, of Abbeville, has been a recent visitor, he has placed Edisons in several homes in the last week. Mr. Power is an expert salesman and an adept player on the "harp of a thousand strings."

Mr. E. J. Huckabee has purchased a new Chandler and Mr. T. D. Cooley a new Buick car.

**"FOOLISH BOY," SAYS
SLACKER'S MOTHER**

Philadelphia, May 23.—Neither the federal nor the local authorities had tonight obtained the slightest clue as to the whereabouts of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, the wealthy draft-dodger, whose escape

from the armed guard which had escorted him to his mother's home from the disciplinary barracks, was reported yesterday afternoon.

D. Clarence Gibboney, resident counsel for Bergdoll, tonight stated he had no idea of the escaped slacker's whereabouts since he reported to the local police yesterday afternoon his client's escape in a motor car. When informed of the War Department's statement that the department expected counsel, through the offer of a suitable reward and other proper means to apprehend Bergdoll at the earliest practicable date, he said it was the first intimation he had received that counsel would be expected to offer a reward and had not given the subject any consideration. He also stated that he did not know whether or not a reward would be offered.

A PLEA FOR MORE CORN

Clemson College, May 22.—The latest report of the South Carolina Field Agent of the Bureau of Crop Estimates, Mr. B. B. Hare, shows an indicated wheat yield of 1,801,000 bushels for this state, or 35,000 less than last year. Two percent of the acreage sown has been abandoned. The winter wheat acreage for the United States is 34,165,000 against 49,905,000 last year, and the estimated production is 33.8 per cent less than last year.

In view of this great reduction in acreage and alarming shortage in production, Mr. W. W. Long, director of the Extension Service, feels that prompt and decided action should be taken toward a larger corn crop in this state to help meet the emergency. He is therefore sending out widely through the state the following message on the subject in the hope that South Carolina may not be caught without food this fall. Fortunately it is not yet too late to save the day.

"Reports just received from the United States Department of Agriculture indicate 34 per cent reduction in wheat production this year.

Unless something is done to meet the situation, flour will be on same basis as during the war, with this difference—we are then blessed with large corn yields. Owing to unfavorable weather conditions and the natural incentive to grow cotton on account of present high price and fear of the wider spreading of the weevil within the next few years, we are liable to have a distressingly short corn crop.

"I am sending this information to many farmers, bankers, merchants, cotton seed crushers, and newspapers, so that our farmers, even at this late date may be urged to increase their acreage in corn. If this is done, we can largely increase our food supply and thereby save a serious situation most likely to prevail this fall. I suggest county meetings of prominent farmers, bankers, and merchants to consider the situation. Money without bread is not satisfying."

A TRIBUTE TO THE ROSE

The great task of pioneering and bringing the land under the plow has, for the most part, been accomplished. The people of this Nation are no longer content with the attainment of the three primary necessities—food, clothing and shelter. They demand in addition that the food shall be the product of many climates; that the clothing shall befit the station and work; and that the shelter shall not only provide bodily comforts but that it shall be surrounded by trees and shrubs, not alone for the shade and protection they offer but for the pleasure they afford as they express life's great drama in the passing of the seasons.

No decorative plant has been more closely identified with the than the rose. It is an insignia alike of joy, of sorrow, of love and of war. It is the flower beloved by all. Certainly those who contribute in any way to the propagation, development, and culture of the rose are adding much to the joys and beauties of life.—Moreth, in the American Rose Annual.