

Local News.

A. S. Tompkins, Esq., was called to Graniteville on business Saturday and to Batesburg Monday—Meeting Street yet to be heard from.

The ladies should read of the special values that the Corner Store is offering in its advertisement this week.

Judge J. W. DeVore is at home now for a short season of rest. His next engagement begins in Charleston the second Monday in February.

Mrs. J. U. Rives, little Elizabeth Rives, Mr. E. S. Rives and Master E. S. Rives, Jr., are visiting relatives in St. Matthews this week.

Mr. A. E. Padgett, president of the Farmers Bank, made a business trip to Philadelphia and New York last week. Mrs. Padgett accompanied him, making of this long journey one both of pleasure and business.

Mr. B. B. Wilson, the "old reliable" Kentucky horse drover who has many warm personal friends in our county, spent Monday in Edgefield. He will return with a fine "bunch" of thoroughbreds in about ten days. Mr. Wilson is associated with Mr. Bettis Cantelou in the stock business.

Miss Bertha Morgan and Miss Sallie May Nicholson have been sentenced to spend forty days in Columbia in the engrossing department of the legislature at four dollars per day. They left Monday to enter upon their duties.

The Advertiser welcomes Mr. L. G. Quarles and his family to Edgefield. During the past year Mr. Quarles has been representing the Singer Sewing Machine Company in this section, doing splendid work for them. His family resided at Warrenville.

We solicit your prescription business. Utmost care is exercised in compounding prescriptions and only pure, fresh drugs are used. Our prices are very reasonable.

PENN & HOLSTEIN,  
successors to  
G. L. Penn & Son.

Painful Accident.

Miss Eileen Onzts' friends deeply regret her misfortune in being thrown from her buggy near her home Monday afternoon. In addition to the fall, the wheels of the vehicle passed over her, causing painful but not serious bruises. Physicians were immediately summoned and she received the best possible attention.

McKendree's New Pastor.

On Sunday morning next Rev. J. N. Wright will fill his regular appointment at McKendree. Rev. J. T. Miller was assigned to the Phoenix circuit by the Conference, but with the consent of the Bishop he and Rev. Mr. Wright exchanged pastorates. Rev. Mr. Miller is now stationed at Star, S. C. Mr. Wright will preach at McKendree every first Sunday afternoon and every third Sunday morning.

Our "Choty" Prize Winner.

The Advertiser is going to win the prize at the County Fair for the finest hog in the county. You can mark that down now. Mr. E. G. Morgan sent us a fine pig a short time ago that is full of possibilities and promise, especially after being served with a whole churn of buttermilk. We have not yet been able to learn anything concerning the pedigree of our pig, but whether it be Essex, Berkshire, "Razor-back," or what not, The Advertiser's "Choty" pig will be adorned with several yards of blue ribbon at the Fair next fall.

Consumption

is, by no means, the dreadful disease it is thought to be—in the beginning.

It can always be stopped—in the beginning. The trouble is: you don't know you've got it; you don't believe it; you won't believe it—till you are forced to. Then it is dangerous.

Don't be afraid; but attend to it quick—you can do it yourself and at home. Take

SCOTT'S EMULSION

of Cod Liver Oil and live carefully every way.

This is sound doctrine, whatever you may think or be told; and, if heeded, will save life.

Send this advertisement, together with name of paper in which it appears, your address and four cents to cover postage, and we will send you a "Complete Handy Atlas of the World."  
SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl St., New York

Handsome Premium.

At the sale of the estate of the late Dr. W. H. Timmerman at Batesburg last week stock in the Farmers Bank of Edgefield, the par value of which \$25 per share, sold for \$38.75. This is a very handsome premium and shows that the stock is in great demand.

The Only Honest Way.

The only honorable and honest way to stop a newspaper is to step into the office and pay up all arrearage, get a receipt and take your name off the list. To fire your paper back at the publisher marked "refused" when you owe six months or a year, and never go near the office is not only disreputable, but superlatively dishonest as well.—Orangeburg Times and Democrat.

Will Visit Columbia Later.

A committee from the city of Columbia, together with a committee from the South Carolina Bar association with Hon. J. C. Sheppard, as chairman and spokesman, called upon Judge Taft in Augusta last Friday and invited that distinguished gentleman to visit Columbia this week, while the bar association and the legislature are in session. Judge Taft declined the invitation, but promised to visit Columbia when he makes a tour of the South soon after his inauguration.

A Handsome Calendar.

The Etivan Fertilizer Company of Charleston are now distributing their calendars and almanacs for 1909, and we are glad to number ourselves among the fortunate recipients of these handsome and very useful gifts. The calendar is splendidly printed on a fine quality of paper, and the figures are large and easily read. The almanac is also very attractive in appearance and contains much information of interest. The company will be glad to mail the calendar and almanac to any address on application.

Well Merited Success.

There is no more successful business man in Edgefield than Mr. H. H. Sanders. By the exercise of good judgment and by close attention to business since he came to Edgefield, Mr. Sanders has reaped a large measure of success. So greatly has the volume of his business increased that he has added Mr. T. E. Lamb to his force of assistants. Mr. Sanders will still further enlarge his market by adding a choice line of groceries. His fancy groceries will be displayed as soon as the store fixtures have been completed. The Advertiser wishes Mr. Sanders still greater success.

A Horrible Hold-Up.

About ten years ago my brother was "held up" in his work, health and happiness by what was believed to be hopeless consumption, writes W. R. Lipscomb, of Washington, N. C. He took all kinds of remedies and treatment from several doctors, but found no help till he used Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles. He is a well man to-day. It's quick to relieve and the surest cure for weak or sore lungs, hemorrhages, coughs and colds, bronchitis, la grippe, asthma and all bronchial affections. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by W. E. Lynch & Co., Penn & Holstein, successors to G. L. Penn & Son.

Twenty Years in Edgefield.

Attention is directed to the advertisement of Messrs. W. W. Adams & Co., in this issue. For twenty years Mr. Adams has been engaged in the mercantile business in Edgefield, and during this long period fortune has greatly favored him, both in the matter of accumulating wealth and in making friends. This firm is now better prepared than ever to take care of their patrons, and ask that you consult them before making contracts for fertilizers, groceries and farming implements. They carry the same strong lines of fertilizers as heretofore and guarantee prices.

For Rent: A five-room residence; possession given at once.  
J. L. Mims.

Comforting Words.

Many an Edgefield Household Will Find Them So.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed; to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. To tell how this great change can be brought about will prove comforting words to hundreds of Edgefield readers.

Mrs. Wesley Royal, living on Union St., Aiken S. C., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and can say that I have been greatly benefited. I suffered a great deal for several years from kidney complaint. At times there was a dull aching in the kidney regions and I also suffered from headaches. Doan's kidney pills did me a wonderful amount of good that I shall continue using them as I have great confidence in their curative powers."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Cold Spring Farmers Will Compete For The Advertiser's Prizes to Corn Growers.

Our farmers are busy clearing ground; cutting briars, filling ditches and terraces, cutting wood to burn during the year, plowing, hauling fertilizers and doing other things which industrious, wide-awake farmers do. Who says the Red Hill farmers will not win both of the prizes offered by The Advertiser, for the greatest number of bushels of corn grown on one acre, during the year 1909? Put us down for the first prize anyway. Nothing like trying.

The "thin gray lines" are fast fading away, as one by one those who faithfully served our Southland, in its darkest hours, answers to that great call which comes to soldier and citizen alike. On last Saturday the soul of Mr. Whit Reynolds took its flight to that camping ground where he will hear no more bugle calls until that great day of judgment when Gabriel blows his trumpet. His body was laid to rest in the Gugal cemetery Sunday. He leaves children and friends to mourn his loss, and to these we express our sympathies.

We read with interest the articles on prohibition published by The Advertiser last week, and hope the editor will reap a rich reward for his efforts to promote this great cause. We have seen the great benefit of a prohibition law in Edgefield county and the voters of our community showed their appreciation of it by signing the petitions to the Senate and House, sent by the W. C. T. U.

A pleasant evening was spent by a number of our young people at the home of Mr. Press Stone on last Friday night.

Mr. Byrd McClendon was bitten by his dog on last Saturday and fearing that it had hydrophobia he killed the dog and went immediately to a mad stone for treatment.  
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Seed That Succeed.

When your buy seed get the best. We carry Landreth's celebrated garden and field seed. Fresh stock just received. Let us have your orders.  
W. E. Lynch & Co.

President Helps Orphans.

Hundreds of orphans have been helped by the President of the Industrial and Orphan's Home at Macon, Ga., who writes: "We have used Electric Bitters in this institution for nine years. It has proved a most excellent medicine for stomach, liver and kidney troubles. We regard it as one of the best family medicines on earth." It invigorates the vital organs, purifies the blood, aids digestion, creates appetite. To strengthen and build up thin, pale, weak children or run-down people it has no equal. Best for female complaints. Only 50c at W. E. Lynch & Co., Penn & Holstein, successors to G. L. Penn & Son.

Wanted: To exchange pair of small mules and brood mare for cattle.  
W. J. Gaines,  
Trenton, S. C.

Notice to Stock Raisers.

I have a registered Guernsey Bull a splendid individual from distinguished ancestry; mother 6 gallon cow, 14 per cent butter fat.  
JULIAN R. STORTHER.

County Fair Association Thoroughly Organized.

The only thing that remains to be done to make the County Fair a success is for the farmers to prepare their exhibits. The directors met Saturday and completed the organization by the election of Mr. B. B. Jones, manager; Mr. J. M. Cobb, secretary, and Dr. J. G. Tompkins, treasurer. The following were elected members of the executive committee: N. G. Evans, W. E. Prescott, D. R. Day, J. R. Blocker and S. B. Nicholson.

The association is not only now thoroughly organized and exceedingly well officered but something over \$1,200 have been subscribed to the capital stock, which, with the subscriptions that will be made later, assures the holding of a county fair next October or November, the exact date to be determined later.

Housewives, poultry raisers, stock raisers and farmers generally throughout the county should begin to arrange for making exhibits. If creditable exhibits are to be made, the planning and preparation must begin now.

Unless the people at large take an active interest and vie with each other in the exhibits, the fair will be a failure. It will fail to accomplish that for which its promoters are chiefly striving: an increase in stock raising and a diversification of crops by the farmers of this county.

Spectacles made up to suit your particular need at lowest possible price.  
Geo. F. Mims,  
Edgefield, S. C.

Chic, Chic, Chic.

We have just received a new perfume called "Chic" that we are selling in bulk. Can fill any size bottle you want. All we ask for it is a trial.

PENN & HOLSTEIN,  
Successors to G. L. Penn & Son.

Don't Get a Divorce.

A western judge granted a divorce on account of ill-temper and bad breath. Dr. King's New Life Pills would have prevented it. They cure constipation, causing bad breath and liver trouble the ill-temper, dispel colds, banish headaches, conquer chills. 25c at W. E. Lynch & Co., Penn & Holstein, successors to G. L. Penn & Son.

Brave Fire Laddies.

Often receive severe burns, putting out fires, then use Bucklen's Arnica Salve and forget them. It soon drives out pain for burns, scalds, wounds, cuts and bruises its earth's greatest healer. Quickly cures skin eruptions, old sores, boils, ulcers, felons; best pile cure made. Relief is instant. 25c at W. E. Lynch & Co., Penn & Holstein, successors to G. L. Penn & Son.

EXECUTOR'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of January 1909, I will sell to the highest bidder, at the residence of the late Luther W. Walton near Meeting Street, in Edgefield county, the following property: One 20 horse power engine; one 25 horse power boiler; one self packing cotton gin; about 80 feet of rubber belting; one set wagon scales; one 3 feet corn rock with gearing and fixtures for mill; one black mule; one bay horse, and one milch cow. Terms cash.  
W. T. Walton,  
Executor.

\$25. IN GOLD

For

Edgefield County CORN GROWERS.

In order to increase the production of corn in Edgefield county and to stimulate and encourage the diversification of crops, The Advertiser has decided to offer two prizes in Gold:

**First Prize:** Fifteen dollars in Gold Coin will be given the Edgefield county farmer who grows the greatest number of bushels of corn on one acre of land during the year 1909.

**Second Prize:** Ten dollars in Gold Coin will be given the farmer in Edgefield County who grows the second largest number of bushels of corn on one acre during the year 1909.

The foregoing prizes are offered unconditionally and without embarrassing or complicated restrictions. The contestants can plant their corn, when they please, fertilize it as they please and cultivate it by whatever system they please.

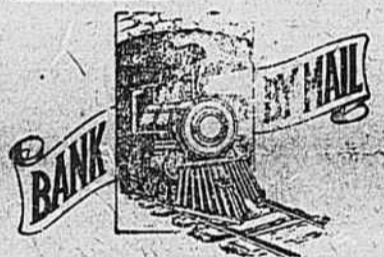
Only one requirement is made: the acre must be in one continuous plot of ground and not composed of two or more rich spots selected from different parts of the farm.

WHO'LL WIN THE GOLD?

The prizes will about reimburse the winners for fertilizer, so the corn will be practically clear.

The Prizes will be awarded at the County Fair.

WE PAY YOU TO SAVE



Send your savings to this strong, sound, conservative Savings Bank. On request we will send you a check, a receipt or our "Bank Memorandum" which is a receipt for your money. You can send your savings in 10-cent increments and our savings account will grow your money. 4% interest.

AUGUSTA SAVINGS BANK

Cabbage Plants: We have all varieties of sea-coast cabbage plants for sale. Received fresh by express.  
Dunovant & Co.

Our Special Sale

Has closed, but we are still selling all Winter Goods at very LOW prices.

Save money by buying from us.

J. E. HART.

Do You Need Heavy Goods

With the advent of the New Year we must move out the old goods and make room for new goods, so we make very attractive prices on all winter goods.

When you have a dollar to spend bring it along to our store and the great value we will give will surprise you.

Call and be convinced.

J. RUBENSTEIN'S Department Store.

E. J. Norris

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50 Thousand

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See notice about same in local columns.