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Mr. B. B. Jones spent Monday and Tuesday in Columbia.

Mr. Walter L. Holson spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. Charlie Holston, who has been quite sick for some time.

Mrs. Ida Sheppard has gone to Greenville to spend a month with her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Brown.

Mr. M. N. Holstein is spending this week at Monetta. He is having his residence repainted and otherwise repaired.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Mobley, Miss Zena Payne and Miss Lucile Mobley of Johnston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lott Sunday.

Mr. Yancy Seigler has resigned his position with the Lynch drug store and has returned to his farm near McCormick.

O. Sheppard, Esq., and B. E. Nicholson, Esq., attended a special meeting of the Masonic lodge at Ridge Spring Friday night.

Dr. Fletcher of Furman University filled the pulpit of the Baptist church on Sunday morning.

Mrs. M. E. Barker of Augusta spent several days in town this week.

Pants made to order, \$5 up, write for samples to F. G. MERTINS, Augusta, Ga.

The friends of Mrs. Beauregard Timmons will be pleased to learn that she is steadily improving and will be able to return from the hospital in Columbia this week.

We regret that our venerable friend, Mr. Geo. Broadwater is quite sick at his home in the Rehoboth section. He has been the victim of a severe attack of grip.

Another little daughter has come to the Methodist parsonage, to bring good cheer and comfort to her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. D. Gillespie.

Miss Avaline Schenk has accepted a position with Rives Bros. and will be glad to have her friends call to see her.

Lost: Thursday afternoon either in college or between the Baptist church and the college, a gold pencil with pin attached, ruby setting in end. Finder will please leave at The Advertiser office.

The entertainment at the college auditorium on Friday evening was for the benefit of the band instruments, and about \$15.00 was raised. After the musical program, oysters were served.

For the best assortment of shoes oxfords, slippers just from the manufacturers, go to Rives Bros.—Adv.

All veterans, who desire crosses of honor are requested to apply to Mrs. J. D. Holstein at once, if they wish to receive them on Memorial day. This is the last year that crosses will be given.

Rives Bros are opening their new spring goods and are now ready for your inspection.—Adv.

Ladies you should miss seeing nothing we show in the millinery parlor throughout the week. We have provided the things newest in woman's head wear.

The Corner Store.

The program for the W. M. U. institute is published in this issue of The Advertiser. This institute takes place on Monday night and all day Tuesday, April 24-25th. All missionary societies, sunbeam bands, and young women's auxiliaries are requested to send delegates. This is a great opportunity.

We can make you a suit to order from \$25.00 up write us for samples, F. G. MERTINS, Augusta, Ga.

The Advertiser man is indebted to Mr. S. T. Adams, one of the leading farmers and fruit growers of grower of Clark's Hill for two very fine ears of seed corn. They are the biggest and heaviest ears you ever saw, the kind that will make as large yield as Jerry Moore made.

For Sale: Four-horse power gasoline engine and threshing machine, practically new; also a complete saw mill, consisting of saw, engine, boiler, carts and cows. Apply to H. H. Hill, Edgefield, S. C.

Have your Umbrella re-covered by F. G. MERTINS, Augusta, Ga., 854 Broad.

Although the drought last summer greatly reduced the yield of Mr. J. W. Hardy's corn, yet his yield was sufficiently large to net him a handsome profit. Mr. Hardy is going to have a prize here this year and we expect to report a record-breaking yield next fall. Mr. Hardy is steadily improving his land which is already in a high state of cultivation.

The great subscription contest will close on April 15th. Wonder who will win the handsome piano.

Remember the minstrel to be in the college auditorium Friday night by the college Glee Club.

The stock of merchandise of Mr. J. Rubenstein is advertised in this issue to be sold in bulk at auction on April 6th.

A very interesting program has been arranged for the entertainment Friday night by the college Glee Club. Tickets on sale at Dorn & Mims' store.

We are happy to announce that little Connie Cochran has been pronounced out of danger, and she and Mrs. Cochran will return home Saturday from the Pasteur Institute in Columbia.

Young ladies, drop in at the Lynch drug store and see the beautiful chafing dish that Mr. Lynch has given The Advertiser to be awarded to one of the contestants in the subscription contest.

We sell all our Winter goods at reduced price, write us for price, F. G. MERTINS, the Clothier, Augusta, Ga.

Send in your name for enrollment in The Advertiser's corn contests. Urge your neighbors to send his also.

Edgefield had the honor one day last week of having a visit from Clement McKie, so well remembered as a boy of great promise while a student of the S. C. C. I., and afterwards a graduate of the Citadel. Mr. McKie is now a resident of North Augusta.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Hollingsworth spent a week of great pleasure and profit in Atlanta attending the Bible Conference. They had the privilege of hearing G. Campbell Morgan and other distinguished preachers and lecturers.

Plants—Best varieties tomato plants—6 awn 40c per 100. Potted 40c per dozen.

R. G. Shannonhouse.

The All Star Minstrel.

Edgefield will have on next Tuesday evening in the opera house the finest minstrel show which has ever been given in Edgefield. This entertainment is being arranged by experienced talent, and according to the plans used by the most up-to-date minstrel troupes. And the best of all is that most of it is home talent. There will be choruses, drills, trombone and clarinet solos, vocal solos and a variety of delightful entertainment.

Mrs. John R. Tompkins will furnish the piano accompaniments. The following are some of the participants: Messrs Royal V. Bidez, Jim Mims, Law Hill, Arthur Childress, Paul Cogburn, Roy Armfield, R. M. Scurry, Carl Reap, Rufus Hart and Luke May. Go and enjoy the fun.

Death of Captain Geo. B. Lake.

The sad and unexpected news reached Edgefield on Tuesday, announcing the death of Captain Geo. B. Lake, who was residing at the time of his death in Lexington, Ky. Captain Lake is well known throughout Edgefield county and South Carolina, as a gallant veteran in the late war, and a man of many friends. His body will be laid to rest beside his wife in our village cemetery. The pall bearers will be selected from the Masonic fraternity, and the honorary pall bearers from the confederate veterans. The funeral will take place from the Baptist church this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock. Fuller notice will be made next week.

Rives Bros Millinery Opening.

In this issue will be found a very cordial invitation from Messrs. Rives Bros. to their annual spring millinery opening to be held next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. The ladies should not miss this opportunity of seeing the newest and latest styles in hats and trimmings. A cordial reception awaits all who call. Messrs. Rives Bros. also give an attractive list of prices of new spring goods in this issue. Look up their advertisement and read it carefully.

Ready For Shoppers.

The J. Willie Levy Co., one of Augusta's most popular stores, announces its readiness for spring shoppers. Their first floor is devoted to clothing and furnishings of all kinds for men and boys, and on their second floor will be found an up-to-date ladies department. They sell the celebrated High Art clothing for men, having made very large purchases for the spring trade. The Edgefield ladies are cordially invited to make this popular store their shopping headquarters. On their third floor will be found a large assortment of very stylish ladies suits, skirts and shirt waists. When in Augusta do not fail to call at this store.

Card Concerning Electric Light Plant.

To the citizens of Edgefield. Those of you who appreciate the fact that we live in the progressive year, nineteen hundred and eleven, and that time has changed the modes and customs of half a cen-

tury ago, those of you who appreciate the needs of today.

Fifty years ago, to have introduced electric lights at the offer of to-day would have been absurd; but it will be just as absurd to reject them today as it would have been to have accepted them in eighteen hundred and sixty one.

Edgefield needs the lights and must have them. Should the Johnston light and power business be merged into a corporation, and Edgefield take half the stock, which is \$15,000 the two towns could be lighted, at almost the same expense of one; for one electrical engineer could superintend both towns, the same conditions apply to a line-man and a fireman.

Whereas, if we were separate \$1,800 would go to expense, otherwise it goes to profit rather than expense.

Edgefield should take half interest in the corporation, and if the revenue from the individual patronage be in proportion to Johnston, the yearly proceeds would be at least 10,900 with an expense of \$3,000, which leaves \$7,900 and this amount would pay for your street lights, pay the interest on the \$15,000 borrowed to invest at 5%, and leave \$150. This business is in its infancy, and is growing rapidly for this month's advance over last month is \$50.00. A two town business is far better than a one-town business and you are offered half interest in a better business than a one town plant. Think well.

Joe W. Cox. Johnston, S. C.

Spring Opening at White's.

Augusta's big department store, J. B. White & Co., will be in full spring attire Monday next, the day set for their annual spring opening. An invitation is extended elsewhere in this issue to the Edgefield people to call on that day. As a special inducement railroad fare will be refunded on purchases of \$27.00 and half fare will be paid on a purchase of \$13.50. Each department will offer special bargains on the opening day. The White store is one of the largest establishments in the south and has an excellent reputation for straightforward, honest dealing.

Makes Home Baking Easy



ROYAL Baking Powder. The only pure baking powder. No alum, no lime phosphate.

ATTENTION, HORSEMEN!

My handsome saddle bred stallion, "Dandy Denmark" will make shoot spring season at my farm near Clark's Hill. Mares sent will have best of care but not responsible for accidents. Terms: Twenty dollars to insure. JAS. H. GARRET.

Missionary For Edgefield Baptists.

While we were in Johnston Sunday our jolly, jovial friend, Pierce Stevens, asked whether or not the members of the Edgefield Baptist church had called a pastor yet. Upon receiving a negative reply, he remarked that his church was going to take a special collection for missions and that they were going to send a missionary over to work among their Edgefield brethren and sisters.

Spent Exceedingly Pleasant Day.

It was the writer's privilege to spend Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Walton, near Johnston. At our request Mr. Walton showed us over his farm, strolling leisurely from field to field. This ideal farm presents the appearance of a large, well kept garden. We have no hesitancy in saying that the fields have been better prepared for cotton and corn than 90 per cent of the vegetable gardens in the county. Mr. Walton has already planted his corn, only seven acres. But on this he expects to make 500 bushels. All of his cotton land is almost ready for the planter. Nothing is more inspiring to one

who has an inherent love for the farm than to hear Mr. Walton in his modest way tell of his past and present achievements upon his farm. He is not given to talking much but by plying him with questions, as a lawyer would a witness upon the stand, one finally succeeds in securing a large fund of information from him. Mrs. Walton is easily one of the best housekeepers in the county and served a meal that would delight a king. Not only does Mr. Walton bountifully supply his pantry from his farm and garden but has provided the home with every possible comfort and convenience. It will inspire anyone to visit the delightful home of Mr. and Mrs. Walton.

Interesting Modoc News.

We are pleased to know that Modoc is building up. Our friend Mr. Bonnie Dorn has laid down lumber for a dwelling near the school house. Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Bussey on last week had with them their daughter Mrs. Ray Humphries of Union S. C., also Mr. Emerson Bussey from Union, where he is going to school, to spend the week, and welcome their brothers, Messrs. Homer and Bela Bussey on their return home. Mr. Homer Bussey has been gone five years to the army, Mr. Bela Bussey has been for more than a year in Jacksonville Fla. Their many friends rejoice with them on their return home. Mr. and Mrs. John Bussey of Doublebranch Ga., spent a pleasant day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Marshall. Mr. Clyde and Clifford Dorn spent the day with their uncle Mr. M. Dorn last Sunday.

We did not have a large crowd at Sunday school last Sunday. Our Superintendent and organist being absent, Miss Pearl Dorn took the place of organist. We are having prayer meeting at our church on Sunday night for the benefit of our community. We hope all will attend and help us out in the prayer meeting.

Miss Mae Adams, our assistant teacher at Modoc left us last Sunday to visit relatives at Red Hill. We hope Miss Mae had a pleasant day. We also missed our teacher Mrs. Mamie Walker from our town. She was on a visit to Edgefield to visit her son of the S. C. I. Miss Myrtis Redd accompanied her on her trip.

Mr. Walter Dorn killed a mad dog on his place one day last week. We hope that our friend who has been suffering with rheumatism in his heels will soon kick it off.

Mrs. A. V. Bussey, Mrs. C. A. Seigler and Mrs. W. M. Robertson, boarded the telephone men while in our town last week. Visitors and business men will find plenty of accommodation in our town. Mr. J. C. Harvey is now taking transient boarders.

Miss Eliza Mims is carrying on the Photograph business of Mr. R. H. Mims, at his Residence. The latest city styles and fine work guaranteed.

Program Sunday School Institute.

March 23rd, 4 to 7 p. m. Normal Class in the convention manual. 8 p. m. Lectures on Organization and Grading. Arthur Flake and J. D. Moore. Mar. 24th 4 to 7 p. m. Normal class. 8 p. m. Lectures by Arthur Flake and J. D. Moore. March 25 10 a. m. Religious census of Edgefield under direction of Mr. Arthur Flake. 4 p. m. Normal class. 8 p. m. Closing lectures and delivery of diplomas.

Has Entered Upon His Work.

Rev. Dr. C. E. Burts, the pastor-elect of the First Baptist church, is expected to arrive in Columbia within the next day or two and will preach his first sermon in the church on Sunday morning.

Dr. Burts, after relinquishing the pastorate of the Baptist church at Edgefield spent sometime in Florida, with his wife and little son, and they have recently been visiting relatives in Anderson. Dr. Burts last week attended the Southern Commercial congress in Atlanta, where his brother resides, and returned from Atlanta to Anderson.

Dr. Burts is by no means a stranger in Columbia and his coming to the city is being looked forward to with gratification by those who are acquainted with his magnetic personality and realize his usefulness and influence.

Rev. A. B. Kennedy, who for two years has been the junior pastor of the First Baptist church, has taken up his new work as city missionary, under the Baptist State mission board. Dr. W. C. Lindsay, for more than 30 years the pastor of the church, recently resigned and was made pastor emeritus for life.—Friday's Record.

Give Him Hearty Support

The editor of The Advertiser had a brief conversation with Mr. P. N. Lott Monday morning concerning the outlook for the farm demonstration work in the county. Mr. Lott has accepted the position and has entered enthusiastically upon his work. Already he has enrolled about twenty farmers who have signified a willingness and desire to cultivate an acre under the direction of the county agent. Mr. Lott is very enthusiastic over the work, having put heart, soul and body into it. We trust that scores of farmers in all parts of the county will give him their fullest co-operation when he calls upon them.

Coroner's Notice.

Anyone needing my services as coroner can reach me by telephone, or any message left with Mr. W. H. Powell at Edgefield will be promptly sent to me. J. Erve Holmes, Coroner E. Co.

Cure Your Kidneys.

Do Not Endanger Life When An Edgefield Citizen Shows You the Cure.

Why will people continue to suffer the agonies of kidney complaint, backache, urinary disorders, lameness, headaches, languor, why allow themselves to become chronic inva-

this Edgefield testimony. Walter Dorn, Cedar Row, Edgefield, S. C., says: "I used Doan's kidney pills and consider them to be a fine remedy for any disorder arising from the kidneys. I was a victim of kidney complaint for a long time and my back often pained me so severely that I could hardly do my work. The kidney secretions also passed too frequently and were unnatural. Upon learning of Doan's kidney pills, I procured a box at Penn & Holstein's drug store and since using them, I have been free from pain in back and kidney weakness."

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

Treatment Checks Physical Decline



A year or more ago, Ernest Hensinger, a promising young resident of Sandwich, Ill., found himself in a condition of physical decline, which was finally overcome by the application of proper treatment. In the following brief statement Mr. Hensinger tells of the manner in which he was restored to health. "For two years I was a victim of stomach trouble. I had a poor appetite, and was frequently nauseated

at the mere sight of food. After eating I would be in distress from the gas on my stomach. I was terribly constipated. I lost much in strength, and my condition finally became such that at times I was unable to work. "Doctors gave me only temporary relief. About a year ago I was persuaded to try Cooper's New Discovery. The first bottle gave me so much relief that I continued its use, taking three bottles in all. I can now eat anything I wish without feeling any bad effect afterward. My bowels are in good condition, and I am again strong and well. "Last fall I noticed a slight indication of distress, but a few doses of the New Discovery caused it to disappear. Cooper's New Discovery is the best preparation I know of for stomach trouble. It did for me what no other medicine was able to do. The above is only one of thousands of statements of a similar character that have been made by persons living in all parts of the country regarding this remarkable medicine. We are agents for the Cooper remedies in this community.—(Penn & Holstein.)

NOTICE TO TEACHERS.

Notice of Discharge.

On April 22nd, 1911, we, the undersigned, as executors of the estate of Mrs. Elizabeth J. Bettis, will make final settlement in the office of the Judge of Probate at Edgefield, and at the same time will then apply for final discharge of their trust. J. F. Bettis, J. H. Bouknight, Executors.

The regular meeting of the County Teachers' Association will be held at the S. C. C. I. Saturday morning, April 22nd. All teachers are urged to attend as the details of the rally are to be agreed upon. J. K. Bredin, President.

We have the Stetson and other good makes at reasonable price. Write us for one. F. G. MERTINS, Augusta, Ga.

NEW SPRING GOODS

While in New York recently, I made large purchases of new spring merchandise, and have marked them lower than goods have been sold in Edgefield before, quality considered.

DRESS GOODS. We are showing a beautiful assortment of dress goods and voile, mohair, serges, brilliantine, cashmere and batiste. We are better fitted than ever on staples, such as gingham, chambray, madras, lawns, dimities, longcloth and bleached goods of all kinds. See these before buying.

LADIES OXFORDS. We are showing a beautiful stock of ladies oxfords from \$1.25 to \$3.50, the latest leathers and styles. Large assortment of misses' and children's oxfords. We have some special values in men's and boy's oxfords.

CLOTHING. We have never been better supplied in our clothing department than now. Men's gray cashmere suits, worth \$25.00 at \$15.00. Blue serge suits, latest styles, \$10.00 to \$18.00. Also good values from \$6.50 to \$10.00. Youths' suits from 4.50 to \$12.50. Boys' suits from \$1.50 to \$4.50.

We also invite the boys and men to see our stylish spring hats. LADIES' HATS. We invite the ladies to see our beautiful line of trimmed hats. The style and quality are right, prices very reasonable. Pattern hats from \$1.50 to \$5.00, which is only about half their real value. In laces, embroidery, ribbons and notions of all kinds, we are better supplied than ever, and can furnish anything you desire. We have not the space to mention these numerous articles in detail, but invite you to call and see for yourself what we are offering. We have had many years experience in buying, and never bought to better advantage than we did on our recent trip to New York. Come and see us, and we will take pleasure in showing you through.

J. W. PEAK

STANDING OF CONTESTANTS TO MARCH 22nd.

Name	Notes
Winona Mathis	97,400
Robbie Jones	64,265
Louise Lyon	26,065
Fannie Joe Strom	61,650
Martha Dorn	100,000
Lucile Whately	34,000
Mary Emma Byrd	97,540
Alma Hammond	34,445
Addie Stephens	112,925
Lila DeLaughter	75,325
Jena Lanham	60,550
Sarah Waters	1000
Maggie McDaniel	30,525
Mrs. Claud A. Parks	83,725
Mattie E. Cheatham	62,375
Eva Moultrie	1070
Nellie Rodie	2705

extend a cordial invitation to the ladies of Edgefield and vicinity to attend our regular spring millinery opening on next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, March 28, 29 30.

Rives Brothers

A Full Supply OF THE CELEBRATED

COLE

Combination cotton and corn planters and Distributors

W. W. Adams & Co.