

Miss Annie Colgan of Trenton is visiting Miss Mellie Russell.

trip to Atlanta last week.

For Sale-A good mule. Apply T. care of The Advertiser.

Cel. P. B. Mayson left Monday night? to spend a fortnight visiting different places in Florida.

summer vacation.

school near Williston.

Mrs. Ida May Blount, a very attractive lady of Grovetown, Ga., is visiting Mrs. F. F. Mosely.

Rev. P. B. Lanham will preach at Horn's Creek church in the afternoon of the 4th Sunday at 4 o'clock.

Friday night of commencement will be the best night of them all. Do not fail to go. Better get tickets early.

For Rent: Two very desirable large front rooms upstairs, gas lights, hot and cold water. Apply to N. M. Jones.

Mrs. J. P. Nixon, of Clark's Hill, has arrived to spend the commencement season with her mother, Mrs. Hattie Lanham, and sister, Mrs. W. H. Dorn.

Our millinery department is filled in the past. up with all the newest hats and you can find any style hat you are looking for and the prices are about one half the regular price. C. H. Schneider, next to Mercantile Co.

An examination will be held June 3rd for the purpose of selecting a

a band to be composed of Edgefield to the plans of Dr. Bunch.

Since reaching Belleview hospital in New York, Dr. A. R. Nicha upon our young friend.

Mrs. Walter Cartledge of Huntington, Fla., has returned to her horses in his Horn's Creek pasture, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. haustible that he could receive that Cheatham. Miss Mattie Emma Cheatham went to Florida with her sister to spend several weeks.

Take a drive from Edgefield to Johnston if you wish to see some fine corn. The corn of "Uncle" Frank Warren, Fred Stillwell and John Hoyt seems to be in a race for first place, and it is nip and min Lovick Mims, which occurred tuck as to which leads.

next Sunday. We regret our in- home. ability to accept an invitation to attend. The writer has shared the pleasures of the occasion for a gral beautiful new home, where a recepyears but will be unable to do so this year.

is visiting his sisters, Mrs. M. De-Loach and Mrs. Abner Broadwater. As Mr. Martin is quite gifted in the art of tuning pianos, those whose instruments need attention ments were served in courses. should engage his services before

from the college Friday night just has won universal popularity because an admission fee is to be through her amiable and very gracharged. Every other night of the cious manner, together with her commencement which will cost noth-truly womanly graces and superior Ouzts. The office pays an annual the heated term. Mr. Sheppard was ing is also really worth a half dollar. Go Friday night and thereby groom, now one of Edgefield's forehelp pay the balance due on the band instruments which will belong to the town.

Our young friend James O. Sheppard, who is now a member of the of his fellow men. senior class of the South Cirolina University, came over to attend the home, which nestles in the beautimarriage of his sister, Miss Maxcie ful pines, no Edgefield young peo-Sheppard last Wednesday, return, ple have embarked upon the matrito his studies the next day. It is monial sea with a brighter and happrobable that our young friend will pier outlook for the future than engage in newspaper work for a Mr. and Mrs. Mims. season after graduating.

We are pleased to announce that Mrs. Jessie Mellichamp and Miss Viola Mellichamp, mother and sister of Mr. C. M. Mellichamp, have come to make their home at Red Hill, where Mr. Mellichamp is making a success of his mercantile business, being associated with Mr. Ernest Quarles.

The Advertiser is greatly indebt- next day for home. Her many for month ending May 17th. ed to its faithful correspondents for friends whom she won during the sending in such b ight, well-written school session, regret that she was Mell Burgess, second. news letters. Nothing pleases the obliged to leave them so soon. We COUNTY newspaper, giving the much success in her new work. neighborhood news of every section of the county .

Mr. C. J. Hill and family, of Aiken, were guests at the home of Mr. J. U. Rives on Sunday last.

Do you not think Col. S. B. Mays looks quite young to be called son, Mr. Arthur Mays, who resides pleasant anticipations. Besides in Amorillo, Texas, has a fine boy.

For the benefit of our customers, would be glad for you to give her a to day is as follows: trial. C. H. Schneider, next to Mercantile Co.

Which one of the corn contest-Mr. A. F. Mixon made a business ants is it whose corn grows so rapidly that he stands a yard-stick up by a stalk late in the afternoon and manual of arms on public square for notes the next morning how many O. Sheppard medal. inches it has grown during the

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Ouzts, of and sophomore classes for J. C. Elmwood celebrated the 55th an- Sheppard and Bailey medals. Ora-Miss Edwardina Blalock is at niversary of their marriage on Sun- torical contest for Evans medal, and home from Converse college for the day last. All of their children were elocution contest for Turner medal. present to share in the pleasures of the happy occasion except Mrs. G. Miss Mattie Lyon is at home for T. Asbill. We trust that our good the summer, having closed her friends will be spared many more college campus for prize.

> Anyone in Johnston who would like to have a photograph of the new church can procure one from Mr. S. J. Watson at the Bank of Johnston. He has a limited number that were sent him by the photographer at Edgefield. The price is only 25 cents, a mere pittance.

prices are offered. C. H. Schnei- ken. der, next to Mercantile Co.

The low condition of the streams, as well as the many failing wells, indicate how extremely dry the have announced the engagement of can step across the stream at Rey- Hughes. The marriage will occur nold's ford. He does not remember the latter part of June. to have seen it so low at any time

a bargain at \$6.50, our price now proaching marriage. Miss Tillman \$2.98. 75 hats nicely trimmed relis a very talented young woman tails at \$3.75 and \$4.00, our price whose noble qualities of mind and \$1.98. C. H. Schneider, next to heart cause her to be genuinely be-Mercantile Co.

er on route three. There will be a this county, Dr. G. N. Bunch, of half dozen or more applicants.

Three bright young men from a young man of exemplary habits and sterling worth, possesses very Mr. A. A. Glover, accompanied Lorgmires and Dr. F. P. Byrd of marked business acumen, having by his family, left Sunday for North, S. C., to reside permanently.

Their Edgefield friends regretted deeply to give them up.

Hold friends regretted deeply to give them up.

Hold friends regretted at McCormick and Dr. F. P. Byrd of Edgefield, recently graduated from the Atlanta Dental College. Dr. Fuller will locate for a short time at McCormick and Dr. Byrd will remain in Edgefield with the Atlanta Dental College. remain in Edgefield until the regu-By attending the exercises at the lar meeting of the state board of Crosses Have Been Received college on Friday evening you will examinens, but has not definitely not only be highly entertained but decided where he will locate perwill contribute to the supporting of manently. We are not informed as

Paid Him to Advertise.

Mr. L. Y. Bryan says he has olson has been appointed intern of profited by advertising his pasture the hospital by Dr. Wylie. This is in our columns. Not only is he pasquite a distinct honor conferred turing stock for parties who reside n different parts of the county but he has a dozen or more from Aiken, Mr. Bryan now has more than 50 home after spending several weeks but its supply of grass is so inexmany more.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lovick Mims in Beautiful New Home.

As briefly announced in our last issue, the marriage of Miss Sarah Maxwell Sheppard and Mr. Benja-Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Ex-Gov. and The annual Children's Day ex- Mrs. J. C. Sheppard, was very ercises will be held at McKendree quiet on account of sickness in the

Immediately after their marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Mims went to their tion was tendered the young people of the town. The elegantly fur-Mr. T. L. Martin of Spartanburg nished bridal residence was very tastefully decorated for the happy occasion. The evening was most pleasantly spent by the young people present. Delightful refresh-

No two young people in Edgefield have been more genuinely beloved than Miss Maxcie Sheppard Surely no one will stay away and Mr. Lovick Mims. The bride qualities of mind and heart. The soul of honor and uprightness of character, which gives him high place in the confidence and esteem

Ensconced in their elegant new

School Picnic.

The central Meriwether school taught by Miss Georgia Powell, quietly closed last Friday May 12 with recitations from the pupils and a charming address from the teacher. After dinner they spent a dewoods gathering flowers and eating strawberies. Miss Powell left the

North Augusta, S. C. .

S. C. C. I. Commencement.

The commencement exercises of the 20th session of the S. C. C. I. will continue through Monday morning next. This is a season to which our people always look with bringing many delightful visitors among us, it is a season of intellectual and musical feasting. The we have engaged a milliner and we program of the exercises from day

Thursday.

8:45 p. m.-Recital by music de. partment.

5:30 p. m.-Competitive drill in 8:45 p. m.—Celebration by litera-

ry societies. Declamation contest by freshman Saturday.

10:30 a. m. - Competitive drill on 8:45 p. m.-Play presented by pupils of School of Expression.

11 a. m.-Sermon in Baptist church by Rev. Edwin S. Reaves. Monday.

10 a. m.—Delivery of certificates and medals. 10:30 a. m. - Graduating exercis-

A new shipment of men's and 11:30 a. m.-Baccalaureate adboy's clothing just arrived. Special dress by Dr. P. J. McLean, of Ai-

Engagement Announced.

Senator and Mrs. B. R. Tillman earth is. Mr. G. G. West says their daughter, Miss Sophie Oliver Turkey Creek is so low that a man Tillman, and Mr. Henry Wise Hughes, Jr.

Because of the prominence of the two families and the wide popularity of these young people much in-50 hats in all the leading shapes terest is centred around their aploved wherever she is known. Mr. Three bright young men from Hughes, besides being pointed to as

The Crosses of Honor that were to have been delivered to the vetebeen received and the following of the Edgefield chapter, U. D. C .:

W. S. Boyce John Brunson M. N. Cartledge John Corley H. F. Green G. W. Hamilton J. W. Hill C. M. Horne S. B. Hughes J. P. Moss Martin Medlock James Paul O. J. Prince B. F. Sharpton F. W. Sollee M. A. Watson.

Capt. Brunson Has Resigned.

The announcement Monday morn-1884 through the influence of the while here. late General M.C.Butler, and was recommissioned term after term by the Republican authorities.

Capt. Brunson's health has been failing for a year, and having re-

Graduating Organ Recital.

We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to the graduating organ recital of Miss Emmie Washington McKie to be held Thursday afternoon, May 18th, at Salem College. While a student in Edgefield Miss Emmie gave evidence of possessing unusual musical talent and now we congratulate her upon having completed her musical education

Honor Roll.

Roll of honor of Edgefield grad-



The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Gream of Tartar NO ALUM, NO LIME PHOSPHATE

Judges for Wheat Contest.

As the harvest season is near at hand we have appointed the following gentleman to act as judges in The Advertiser's wheat contest in their respective communities, the first named being chairman:

Philippi: J. H. A. Williams, Butler Derrick and G. W. Johnson. Elmwood: M. B. Hamilton, M. A. Watson and James DeVore. Cleora: W. T. Reel, J. L. Hill

and Robt. W. Christie. Harmony: N. L. Broadwater, F. M. Warren and W. F. Stillwell. Cedar Grove: W. R. Swearingen, R. H. Nicholson and S. B.

Johnston: W. T. Walton, J. W. Sawyer and Y. May. Wofford: A. Gilchrist, W. A.

Reynolds and J. W. Morgan. Trenton (East): W. H. Pardue, Avory Franklin and Henry W.

Trenton (South): B. J. Harrison, M. H. Herlong and W. R.

While not as much wheat is being grown as should be, yet we have reason to believe that the contest will greatly increase the yield over that of several years ago. From reports that come in some of the prize acres are very fine.

The Play Friday Night.

On Friday night the class in expression will present a play entitled 'Esmeralda' in the college auditorium. There are four acts to the rans on Memorial Day have since play and it will afford delightful entertainment for all who attend. veterans can procure crosses from This is the only pay night of the cream freezers is here. Let us sup-Mrs. J. D. Holstein, the president commencement and it is quite cer- ply you with a freezer—the kind tain that, as heretofore on these an- that does the work quick and satisnual occasions, the auditorium will factorily. be crowded to its utmost capacity. Better secure your tickets early. They are on sale at Penn & Holstein's. Besides being highly entertained by the beautiful little play, which will last for an hour and a half, all who attend Friday evening will contribute to defraying certain unavoidable expenses incident to the commencer at, such as paying railroad far the commencement speak etc. Better will soon be on

Death of Mrs. Sossaman.

The announcement of the death of Mrs. L. S. Sossaman which ocing that Capt. W. H. Brunson had curred in the hospital in Atlanta resigned as postmaster at Edgefield last Friday, caused much genuine was quite a surprise to the people sorrow among her friends here. here. So efficient and satisfactory Mrs. Sossaman underwent a surgical have been his services for the past operation two weeks before her 26 years that Capt Brunson has had death, having been in bad health no difficulty in holding the office for some time before. She is rethrough almost half a dozen Repub- membered in Edgefield as a noble lican administrations. He was com- Christian woman, being a very zealmissioned by President Cleveland in ous member of the Methodist church

Gone to Cooler Climate.

Mr. J. C. Sheppard, Jr., whose low state of health for the past year cently grown worse he decided to has been a matter of deepest con-syrup. relieve himself of the duties of the cern to his almost numberless office. Up to this time there are friends, is better than he has been four applicants, R. L. Dunovant, for some time. He left for Ashe-W. E. Huff, E. J. Norris and J. P. ville Tuesday to remain throughout salary of \$1,600, and besides pay- accompanied by his father, Exmost young business men, is the ing \$30 per month for an assistant Gov. J. C. Sheppard, and his trainthe government pays for fuel, lights and rental for the building. The position will be filled by Mr. W. E. in Asheville he will stay at the Huff as acting postmaster until Biltmore sanitarium which has been Capt. Brunson's successor is ap-erected and splendidly equipped by Mr. Geo. W. Vanderbilt, the multimillionaire who has done so much for Asheville. We hope that Johnas the writer prefers to call his young friend-will return at the close of summer greatly strengthened and improved in health.

Do Ghosts Haunt Swamps?

No, never. Its foolish to fear a fancied evil, when there are real and deadly perils to guard against in swamps and marshes, bayous and lowlands. These are the malaria germs that cause ague, chills and fever, weakness, aches in the bones ed school for the 7th and 8th grade and muscles and may induce deadly typhoid. But Electric Bitters des-7th grade: Jennie Simkins, first, troys and casts out these vicious germs in the blood. Three bottles 8th grade: Lizzie Roper, first, drove all the malaria a from my editor more than to be able to give fear Miss Powell will miss her little Adelia Britt, second, Gladys Pad- system," wrote Wm. Fretwell, of the county news every week. The pupils very much but not more than gett, third. A prize was awarded Lucama, N. C., and I've had fine place known as the old Moss place Advertiser must be known as the they will miss her. We wish her Lizzie Roper for punctuality. Prof. health ever since." Use this safe, Breedin of the S. C. C. I. in a hap- sure remedy only 50c. W E Lynch A Subscriber. py little speech, made the presenta- & Co., Penn Holstein's, B Timmons,

<u>*</u>***************** Business Locals.

. . We sell HartSchaftners and Marx Clothes the best made write us for a suit, F. G. MERTINS, Augusta, Large assortment of iron and enameled beds to select from.

Ramsey & Jones. Don't you need a new summer buggy robe. We have a new lot in. Ramsey & Jones.

Large shipment of matting just received. New and attractive de-Ramsey & Jones.

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.

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

Begin now to prepare and plant your garden. We can supply you with the celebrated Ferry's seed that are fresh and will not fail to germinate under proper conditions. We have a large stock of paints for inside and outside work in white and all the colors. Full supply of oils, varnish and painter's supplies of all kinds. B. Timmons.

Biggest stock of harness we have ever carried. Single and double, all weights and prices.

Ramsey & Jones.

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

Remember we still sell Rock Hill, Tyson & Jones, Columbus and Hackney buggies. Nothing better on the market for the money. Ramsey & Jones.

We sell the celebrated Babcock buggies and carriages. They never fail to give satisfaction.

Ramsey & Jones. For Sale: Having sold out my farm near Trenton, S. C., I wish to sell my entire lot of horses, cattle, farming tools, vehicles, etc., consisting of five horses, eighteen head of cattle, two wagons, two buggies and one carriage, and one fine Jer-W. J. Gaines. sey bull.

Large assortment of ribbon all colors and widths at right prices. J. W. Peak.

Drop in and see our "Baby Wonder" ice cream freezer. Stewart & Kernaghan.

The season for ice cream and ice

Stewart & Kernaghan.

Lost: Small white dog, bob-tailed, left side of head red, named "Jack." Anyone knowing anything about the dog please write me and I will pay you for your trouble. J. L. Reynolds, Pleasant Lane, S. C.

Full line of ladies', misses and children's ready-to-wear hats in upto-date styles at great bargains. J. W. Peak.

Try our new perfumery-Blockis-in all of the popular odors. B. Timmons.

Specials in white goods, white lawn 61 to 25 cents. White madras $12\frac{1}{2}$ to 16 2-3 values at $9\frac{1}{2}$ cents. J. W. Peak.

Ladies' waists, collars, ties, jabots in all of the latest styles.

J. W. Peak.

Plants: Next week Sweet Potato Sprouts, three kinds at \$3.00 per 1000. Home raised. R. G. Shannonhouse.

There is no syrup better than our Blue Ribbbon and Georgia Cane B. Timmons.

When in need of farm wagons try an Old Hickory or White Hickory. They have stood the test on Edgefield roads for many years. Ramsey & Jones.

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Try our breakfast and Oolong tea for ice tea. B. Timmons.

Eggs for Hatching: I can fill orders for Silver Laced Wyandotte eggs for hatching-15 for \$1.50 My chickens are the purest breed. W D.Ouzts, Edgefield, S. C., R. F. D.

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Large assortment of art squares and rugs to match. The ladies are cordially invited to inspect them. Ramsey & Jones.

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with disappointing results. My

health declined until I became a

physical wreck, with my vitality ex-

hausted and my nervous system

"My husband, becoming impress-

ed with an advertisement of the

Cooper remedies, proposed that I

try Cooper's New Discovery. I had

broken down.

ness is reproduced herewith, is a ly gone, and a pain I have had in resident of Hays City, Kan., and my stomach for the past six months about the happiest woman in the has disappeared. Cooper's New Dis-Sunflower state. Mrs. Mauer, has covery is simply wonderful." recently regained her health after a We sell Cooper's New Discovery. long period of illness, in apprecia- Thousands of grateful people tion of which she has given a state- throughout the county have testi-

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