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Sep. 17-4f.

Brookland News.

To the Editor of the Dispatch:

Mr. M. H. Witt, who was badly burned a few days ago, caused from the explosion of a lamp while taking a cabinet bath, is able to be up and about with the aid of crutches.

The Jr. O. U. A. M., had quite a nice supper Saturday evening. This order proudly boast of the largest membership of any order in Lexington county, having now on its roll upward of one hundred and seventy members. Prior to the supper, the membership of this order met in their large and spacious lodge room for the purpose of hearing one of their distinguished members, the Hon. A. F. Lever, lecture. This was an occasion at which the renowned Lever was at his best; eloquent words, couched in the most beautiful language, will long be remembered by his hearers. Mr. Lever has many friends here and his visits are always pleasant to his many friends.

This order always has its annual Thanksgiving sermon preached and last Sunday, being the regular set time, the membership marched in a body to Southside Baptist church, where the Rev. T. Auson preached a most excellent sermon to them.

The members of Sin Clair Lodge, A. F. M. No. 154, recently moved their lodge room from Sin Clair, S. C., to Brookland, at which place the building is speedily being erected. This will be a beautiful frame shingle roof building and when completed will be an ornament to the town.

P. J. Wessinger is erecting a large two-story building on his lot on West Meeting street. This building will be very handsome when completed.

Indeed, it can be said that some one is building cottages here very near every day during the year. The building boom has struck the town and the citizens are buying lots and building all the time.

Too much could not be said about the schools here, good and efficient work is being done. In addition to the public school here under the principalship of Prof. Wilson, ably assisted by Misses Fowler and Crepps. There are two private schools. The Columbia Duck Mills Company has a school for their children, which has an enrollment of upward of one hundred pupils. This school is entirely private, supported from funds given by the Company.

and is very efficiently taught by Miss Chislow, of Columbia, assisted by Miss Margarette Converse, of Savannah, Ga. While good work is being done in these two schools, there is still another private school conducted by Mrs. Herald, the wife of the Baptist Minister. This school has an enrollment of a dozen or more and most excellent instruction is given.

Christmas trees are booming and the children are wild with eagerness for the time to come when they can "toot" their horns. Every year the various Sunday schools have Christmas trees and that time is longed for by both old and young.

Mr. I. H. Nanamaker and Miss Tillie Nanamaker, of Irmo, visited the home of W. D. Dent last week.

Messrs. A. D. Shell, Cal Hook and C. O. Corley have gone to Georgetown on a deer hunt.

The members of the K. of P.'s will have a very pleasant occasion on Tuesday evening, December 1st. This meeting is known as the "Ladies Evening," and Mr. Editor, you well know that whatever the ladies grace that a feast is sure to follow.

Notwithstanding the noble work that the different fraternally orders are doing, the building boom, the efficient works in the school room and even the jolly children that Santa Claus is coming, there is still another scene that should not be overlooked and that is that our young people like matrimonial bliss. Recently Mr. A. J. Brunner, of Cayce, S. C., was married to Miss Ray Muse. This was a beautiful marriage and witnessed by quite a large crowd of friends of the contracted parties. An elegant supper was tendered those present. Many beautiful and useful presents were given to the bride.

Some of our most popular young ladies are smelling, not far distant, orange blossoms. You will hear about them in due season if you feint to reap not.

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Wayside Notes.

To the Editor of the Dispatch:

What a lovely fall we have had so far! The grass is still growing, cotton blooming and the weather so congenial and pleasant.

A great deal of wheat and oats are being sown and that that is up looks fine and promising.

Mr. W. F. Mack has sold his farming lands recently advertised in your columns to an Orangeburg man for a good price and yet people say it doesn't pay to advertise.

Mr. Mack has purchased the house and lot of Dr. J. G. Williams in Gaston, and the farming lands near. He has already occupied the dwelling and is now a resident of our little town.

Mrs. Henry Hughes of the Sand Dam section recently paid a flying visit to her sister, Mrs. W. B. Fallaw.

F. H. Poston now pulls the bell cord and wields the rod in the Gaston school. May success attend him in his new chosen profession.

Miss Edna M. Fallaw of Seivern section is on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Delle R. Fallaw.

The school at Athens continues to grow in number and interest and as

next Thursday is Thanksgiving day the school will observe Arbor day on Friday following.

A gentleman in black walked "the rabbit foot," on Mr. Z. A. W. Sturkie one night this week and escaped with about one dollar and eighty cents worth of groceries. Mr. Sturkie has his man spotted and if caught will be called upon to use his rabbit foot on the public roads of the county.

The home sanctity of Mr. Paul Mack of North section has been invaded by one of Gaston's young men Mr. Otto Goodwin, who claimed for his victim the only daughter, Miss Ella, who now enjoys the conscious felicity of that sacred relation of man and wife. Happy congratulations to them.

When our young, progressive, bachelor farmer takes unto himself the fair daughter of Mr. —, as is reported, and if it should be our pleasure to be there you will hear more about the effects of cupid's wooings.

That young man who called on his best girl and was so charmed and fascinated by her presence as to fall asleep in happy dreamland to wake up and find the girl had retired, had better try and sleep more next time before going to see her.

Mr. Editor, I presume you are getting happy now and picking up wile on your rounds after the delinquents. You certainly deserve all you get and more too. You ought to be voted a pension for life for the magnanimous way you defended the Dutch Fork section in attempting to secede from grand old Lexington. If you were not the Editor I would nominate you for next governor. I'm a little inclined to propose you for Senator, anyway.

Mrs. Felix and the little ones sre away visiting their relatives in the beautiful city on the Edisto.

Billy Felix.

Gaston, S. C., Nov. 22, 1902.

Obituary.

Virgie Estelle, little daughter of Henry M. Price and wife, Eveline, was born March 30, 1901 and died November 18, 1902. Age 1 year, 7 months and 18 days. She was dedicated to God by the ordinance of Baptism. May God in his mercy be with the parents in this their trying hour.

W. H. Roof.

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Saturday—meet at 10 a. m.

1st, Organization and reports from churches.

11 a. m.—Introductory sermon, by Rev. W. L. Hayes; alternate Rev. B. J. Reynolds.

12 a. m.—Recess.

1 p. m.—Query: The Bible the Christian guide, opened by Rev. M. J. K. ze; alternate W. J. Gaunt.

2 p. m.—Query, the authority of the executive board over the church? Opened by Rev. E. Hall; alternate Rev. J. Edwards.

3 p. m.—Is it scriptural for a member of the church to understand the doctrines and covenant of the church, opened by Rev. C. B. Avery; alternate Rev. J. E. Steele.

4 p. m.—Miscellaneous business—adjourned.

Sunday—10 a. m. Devotional exercises, led by J. T. Sawyer.

10:15 a. m.—Query: The best method of impressing the doctrines and covenant of the church upon its members? opened by Rev. Jas. Hite; alternate W. L. Quattlebaum.

11 a. m.—Missionary sermon, by Rev. E. Hall; alternate Rev. S. J. Riddle.

Miscellaneous business.

Adjourned.

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