

# THE LEXINGTON DISPATCH.

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October 28-1y.

**Use Kinard's LIFE TABLETS.**

**TESTIMONIAL.**

I have used Dr. Kinard's New Life Tablets and recommend them as a safe tablet for family use. Respectfully,  
J. P. DRAFTS, M. D.  
December 3, 1902. 1y.

**Notice.**

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED IN ANY manner whatever to the Estate of L. W. Poole, deceased, are hereby notified that they must make payment to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of April, 1903, and those having demands against the said Estate must present them, duly attested, on or before said date to  
ELZE POOLE, Administrator.  
March 13, 1903. 3w21.

**Final Discharge.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons interested that I will apply to the Hon George S. Drafts, Judge of Probate in and for the County of Lexington, State of South Carolina, on the 17th day of April, 1902, for a final discharge as Administrator of the Estate of L. W. Poole deceased.  
ELZE POOLE, Administrator.  
March 13, 1903. 4w22.

**One Minute Cough Cure**  
For Coughs, Colds and Croup.

### White Rock Items.

Dr. Geo. B. Cromer of Newberry College, was with Pastor Ballentine last Sunday, in the interest of a new building for this school. He made a profound impression upon the people, and received encouraging aid from them.

A case that excited unusual interest was tried here last Saturday before Magistrate Richardson. Mr. J. G. Hiller had sued the town of Chapin for damages to his buggy. While driving through the streets of that town one night last January, Mr. Hiller ran against an obstruction which tore his buggy in three pieces. He sued the council for \$50. Mr. E. U. Shealy represented the plaintiff and Mr. G. T. Graham the defendant. The verdict was \$15 for plaintiff, with the defendant to pay the cost.

Some of the roads are being worked. In a case or two where we knew the conditions, the overseers have hired hands with money paid as commutation tax, and the sections have been put in reasonable repair. Some of us are anxious to see what the chain gang will do for us during the present administration. Why should not some record be kept, showing just where the gang has worked at any given period? The roads as they are now should certainly teach us a lesson.

Work has begun on the house of Mr. S. D. Shealy. Mr. J. S. McCartha is master mechanic.

S. C. B.

### A Competitive Examination.

To the Editor of The Dispatch:  
Under a recent Act of Congress, I am authorized to nominate by the 4th day of April next a cadet to The Naval Academy at Annapolis from the Seventh Congressional District.

All young men are eligible, who are bona fide residents of said District, and who are free from physical defects, and who will, in June next, be between the ages of 15 and 20 years.

I will make this appointment by competitive examination, to be held in the Supreme Court room at Columbia, S. C. on Saturday, March 28th, 1903, beginning at 9:30 o'clock, A. M.

Those desiring to enter this examination, will be furnished all necessary information, by applying to me at Peak, S. C. Very truly,  
A. F. Lever, M. C.

### Echoes from Spring Branch.

To the Editor of the Dispatch:  
"I stand on the door steps at eventide now,  
The wind whispers by with a moan.  
The fields will be whitened, but I shall be gone,  
To roam through the wide world alone."  
I cannot say that the health of this settlement is so good at this time.

We are glad to see Mr. Charley Smith out again after a long spell of sickness.

Well, boys, it'll soon be time to write April fools "to yer best girl." The sound of gee-haw can now be heard in all directions.

Plenty of rain now-a-days. It seems that it will all rain out and leave us none for summer, but the

good Master knows best for us.

The mail from Lexington to Stall suits the people very well, but you can hear them say we ought to have free delivery.

Mr. James Lucas, one of the oldest men in our section and a prosperous farmer in his day, is doing very well at his old place.

The wheat crops are looking fine in this section.

We are pleased to hear that Simon Lucas and Ben Kzyer, who have been sick, are doing very well at this time.

Parents, let me beg you to educate your children. Do not allow them to grow up in a state of ignorance.

Mr. Sherman Lucas laughs from ear to ear, but I don't know what gender it belongs to.

With best wishes, I am  
March 14, 1903. Mont Rose.

### Many School Children are Sickly.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, Break up Colds in 24 hours, cure Feverishness, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders, and Destroy Worms. At all druggists, 25c. Sample mailed free. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

### Boiling Springs School Dets.

To the Editor of the Dispatch:  
We have been having some very disagreeable weather for the last week.

It seems as if Old Winter has departed for this season, or at least some of the beautiful little spring flowers seem to think so, as they are dotting the earth everywhere and again making it beautiful.

On account of the inclemency of the weather Sunday the service at Boiling Springs was not well attended. Rev. Henry preached an excellent sermon. He is an able man and has already won the love and respect of his people.

We are sad to learn of the illness of Mr. Paul Miller and it is the wish of his many friends that he will soon recover and his friendly face be seen again among them.

The Misses Clark visited at their uncle's, Mr. Thomas Smith, Sunday.

Mr. Olyn Crout, accompanied by his sister, Miss Anna, also Mr. Fred Crout and sister, visited Mr. H. W. Koon Sunday.

Miss Emma Koon, daughter of Mr. H. W. Koon who is attending school at Lexington, spent Sunday under the parental roof.

There will be an entertainment given at this school on the evening of the 27th of this month, beginning promptly at half past six o'clock. The public is cordially invited to come and enjoy yourself. Come one and all and leave your pistols and whiskey at home.  
Success to the Dispatch.  
Daisy Belle.

### Mail Route Extended.

The Star route leading from Lexington to Stall has been continued through to Seivern. It is a tri-weekly mail service and leaves Lexington every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7:15 a. m., and arrives at Seivern the same days at 6:30 and returning, leaves Seivern every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7:30 a. m. and arrives at this place at 6:30 p. m.

### Cures Cancer and Blood Poison.

If you have blood poison producing eruptions, pimples, ulcers, swollen glands, bumps and risings, burning, itching skin, copper-colored spots or rash on the skin, mucous patches in mouth or throat, falling hair, one pain, old rheumatism or foul catarrh, take Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.). It kills the poison in the blood; soon all sores, eruptions heal, hard swellings subside, aches and pains stop and a perfect cure is made of the worst cases of Blood Poison.

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### P. C. I. Notes.

Mr. Austin Wessinger, of Hilton, boards his son, Samuel, with Mr. J. M. Craps and sends him to the Institute.

Misses Carrie and Mamie Corley, together with Mr. Perry Corley, who have been attending Midway school, are now pursuing their studies in the Institute.

Miss Edna Snelgrove, of Saluda, who has been attending the school taught by Miss Lizzie Seay, is continuing her studies in the Institute boarding in the home of Mr. George Corley.

The free school at the Institute closes Friday a week, March 27th. Afterwards a pay school will be carried on to which it is hoped every patron will send. Children cannot get an education by going just to the free school.

Mr. John A. Griffith, of Edmunds, sends his daughter, Annie, to the Institute. She boards with the family of W. P. Roof.

Misses Bertha Kleckley and Della Harman have begun taking music under Mrs. E. B. Roof, the Institute instructor. P.

### Summit Items.

To the Editor of the Dispatch:  
The weather continues unsettled. Farm work is progressing rather slowly in this section.

Several of our farmers will experiment with tobacco this season. The result will be watched closely and if successful, there will be in all probability a large acreage planted next year.

Mr. George R. Hallman was in town last week.

Mr. O. Cannon, of the Delmar section, was in town last Saturday.

Mr. E. H. Shealy, one of our mill men, was here last week.

Editor Hare went over to Lexington last Thursday.

Mr. James S. Smith and wife were here not long since.

Mr. D. T. Hare has been indisposed for the past several days.

Mr. J. W. P. Leaphart, of near here, was in town a few days ago.

Messrs. H. A. Miller and "Major"

Harman, of Lexington, came up last Saturday. The latter was on a visit to his brother, Mr. P. D. Harmon of near here.

Mr. Henry Keisler, of Baxter, S. C., was in town a short while Monday.

Mr. Scott Shirey and sister, Miss Lilla, of Lorena, S. C., were in town Monday on their way to Columbia.

Mr. Hampton Hendrix, of Leesville, was in town again Saturday delivering guano. He says his sales for this season have been heavier than that of any previous one.

Prof. John E. Hood, of this place, will be in the poultry business this summer. He has now about 75 chicks and has put another hundred eggs under his old "wooden hen." She sets with extraordinary patience and generally makes splendid hatchings.  
Joe Allen.

### Baptist Union Meeting.

The Union meeting of the Lower Division of the Lexington Baptist Association will be held with the Antioch church the fifth Sunday in this month and Saturday before.

SATURDAY.

10 a. m. Devotional exercise, reports from the churches and organization.

11 a. m. Sermon by Oscar Spiers or A. L. Rogers.

12 m. Intermission for dinner.

1 p. m. "The duty of the church to give individual work to her members and how best to do it."—J. F. Fallaw and S. F. Derrick.

2 p. m. "Has God ever countermanded the commands Jesus gave to the disciples when he sent them out to preach, if so when, if not, why not, possessed with the same power to day?"—Barney Sharpe and D. J. Knotts.

3 p. m. The benefits derived from these meetings.—C. H. Corbitt and Burdette Kirkland.

Query box opened. Miscellaneous adjourned.

SUNDAY.

10 a. m. Devotional. Best means and methods of raising the sixty-five dollars called for and the one hundred thousand for Furman's endowment by the Union.

11 a. m. Sermon by W. B. Fallaw.

Miscellaneous adjourn.

All churches are requested to send a full delegation, be on time and stay till meeting adjourns.

D. E. Craft,  
Chair. for Com. on Program.

Gaston, S. C., March 14, 1903.

### THE OLD RELIABLE



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**BAKING**  
**POWDER**  
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### Rishton Locals.

To the Editor of the Dispatch:

The people of this section are going right ahead with their farm work and some have already planted corn.

The wheat crop of this section is looking fine for this time of the year and probably the farmers will have biscuits to sop lasses with by and by.

Mr. Leroy Lucas preached at Smith Branch Sunday.

We will now find Mr. Compton Lybrand behind the counters of Mr. D. F. Shumpert, at Pelion. Comp is a popular young man and is admired by his many friends.

There are still several cases of love sickness in this section. Don't know how they are.

We have had some very warm weather for the past few days.

Mr. S. R. Smith is still our saw mill man. Mr. Ross is a hustler.  
March 14. G.

### Obituary.

Pope Wilson Hite was born December 24, 1867, and died January 24, 1903. Age 35 years and 1 month.

He was baptized in infancy and at his death was a member of Cedar Grove Evangelical Lutheran church. He graduated at the Baltimore Medical College 1891, and practiced his profession until death. September 6, 1890 he was married to Victoria Eargle. To this union were born 6 children, 1 dead.

He leaves father, mother, 1 brother, 2 sisters, a wife and 5 children to mourn his departure.

The funeral services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. W. H. Roof, assisted by Rev. Riser. Peace to his ashes.

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