

The Lexington Dispatch

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Supervisor's Report.

Office of County Commissioners, Lexington, S. C., Aug. 3, 1903. Monthly report of G. A. Shealy, County Supervisor.

Table with columns: No., Name, Claim, Amt. Lists various claims such as Adam Corley, pauper, \$2.00; R. & W. Haigood, pauprs, 4.00; S. J. Leaphart, stamped envelopes for Clerk Court, 10.90; T. H. Caughman, painting jail, 5.00; The State Printing Co., 400 Com. Tax receipts, 4.00; Good Roads Machinery Co., Supplies road mach., 28.00; Drs. Hardin & Timmerman, examining lunatic, 10.00; C. E. Corley, shingles for jail, 18.00; Dr. W. L. Kneece, post mortem examination, 5.00; J. N. Long, hay chain, 6.00; W. D. Long, serving coroner jury, 2.00; Jno. S. Derrick, salary as school commissioner, 50.00; Pierce E. Amick, lumber for bridge, 9.62; Muller & Sturkie, salary as clerk and attorneys, 40.00; Geo. S. Drafts, proceedings in lunacy, 5.00; Dr. J. L. Shuler, examining lunatics, 10.00; Ballentine & Co., supplies for poor house, 21.47; J. Luther Long, salary as steward &c, p. house, 20.75; J. W. Long, supplies for poor house, 2.25; H. M. Wingard, supplies for poor house, 5.46; G. M. Harman, printing stationery, blanks, &c., 27.50; A. O. Wilson, salary as coroner, 12.50; H. L. Oswald, supplies for chain gang, 10.25; C. E. Baughman, guard of chain gang, 15.00; D. J. Griffith, supt. s.c.p. clothing for convicts, 18.00; E. H. Addy, lumber and work on bridge, 5.00; B. B. Swygert, beef for poor house, 1.65; H. Albert Meetze, peas for poor house, 1.20; J. S. Wessinger, supplies for chain gang, 75.17; J. J. Bickley, salary and supplies for chain gang, 44.10; Shumpert & Coogler, work on bridge, 10.00; J. A. Muller, clerk, commutation road tax, 60.00; Moye & Geiger, lumber and bridge repairs, 159.84. Total \$699.66

Respectfully submitted, G. A. SHEALY, County Supervisor.

End of Bitter Fight.

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abscess on my right lung" writes J. F. Hughes of Du Point, Ga. "and gave me up, everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health." It conquers all Coughs, Colds, Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed by The Kaufmann Drug Co. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

Advantages for Boys.

When a child grows up in the country, it gets a natural training in accurate observation. It wants to find a four-leaf clover; it runs to see where the green snake went to; tracks the woodchuck to its hole and gets it out; it learns the songs of the birds, and knows when the smelts run up the brooks and when the partridges. In short, the country child gets naturally a broad training in observation. It also has on the farm an admirable training in manual labor. From an early age it can actually contribute to the care of animals, the successful conduct of the household, and the general welfare of the family. In the city all

this natural training is lacking, and substitutes for it have to be artificially provided. This necessity has brought into our schools nature-study and manual training, to teach the child to use its eyes and its hands, and to develop its senses and its muscular powers; and these new beneficent agencies in education, already well in play, are in the near future to go far beyond any stage at present reached. We do not yet see how to replace in urban education which the farmer's boy or the seacoast boy gets from his habitual contact with the adverse forces of nature. The Gotts Island boy, on the coast of Maine, goes out with his father in the early winter morning in a half-open sailboat to visit their lobster traps and bring home the entrapped lobsters. They start with a gentle breeze and a quiet sea, though the temperature is low. The boy knows just how to steer the boat five or six miles to sea, where the traps are sunk on some rocky spot which the lobsters love. The father is busy pulling the traps. The boy watches the weather, and suddenly he says, "Father, there is a southwester coming. See the clouds driving this way over the hills." The boy knows as well as the father what that means. It means a fearful beat of windward to get home, facing a savage wind and a falling temperature, the spray dashing over the vessel and freezing to the sails and ropes and loading down the bow with ice. It means a life-and-death struggle for hours, the question being, shall we get into the harbor or not before we sink? Now, that is a magnificent training for a boy, and the sheltered city offers nothing like it. The adverse forces of nature, if not so formidable that men cannot cope with them, are strenuous teachers, but in modern cities we hardly know that the wind blows, or that the flood is coming, or that bitter cold is imperiling all animal life.—President Elliott.

Suicide Prevented.

The startling announcement that a preventive of suicide has been discovered will interest many. A run down system, or despondent invariably precede suicide and something has been found that will prevent that condition which makes suicide likely. At the first thought of self destruction take Electric Bitters. It being a great tonic nerve will strengthen the nerves and build up the system. It's also a great Stomach, Liver and Kidney regulator. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by The Kaufmann Drug Co.

Advertising Metaphors.

Advertising is the plow that first lays bare the ground for planting. Advertising is the drill that scatters the seeds of business success. Advertising is the cultivator that pulverizes the clods and keeps the roots properly loosened. Advertising is the gentle rain that falls upon the plant and nurtures it. Advertising is the warm sunshine that caresses it and causes it to blossom forth. Advertising is the weeder that uproots the land and foreign growths that attempt to choke it. Advertising is the harvester that garners the golden grain. Advertising is the fertilizer that prepares the ground for another and better crop. Get connected with the live wire of inspiration and your thoughts will tingle.

Cures Sciatica.

Rev. W. L. Riley, L.L.D., Cuba, New York, writes: "After fifteen days of excruciating pain from sciatic rheumatism, under various treatments, I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment; the first application giving my first relief and the second entire relief. I can give it unqualified recommendation." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by The Kaufmann Drug Co.

Three Thousand Destitute.

Barcelona, Spain, August 8.—A terrible fire has totally destroyed the quarter of Esparraguera occupied by the working people. Three thousand families were rendered destitute and some workmen perished in the flames. Esparraguera is 19 miles northwest of Barcelona.

Fatal Ending of a Quarrel.

Columbia State, August 8th.

Driven to bay, Cantey Weston fired upon his enraged and half drunk brother, killing him instantly. The terrible crime was committed in Lexington county near Cayce Thursday night about 10 o'clock, and the body of Hilliard Weston lay there in the moonlight for hours, while the fratricide was speeding on his way to escape the officers of the law.

The effect of the fatal fire was terrible, 140 No. 3 shot having struck the man who was instantly killed, his heart having been pierced by 18 of the death laden balls, which are nearly as large as buckshot. The two brothers were engaged as carpenters at work on the locks, and had been in the employ of the Evansville Contracting company. They were regarded as very good negroes.

The trouble arose in reference to a settlement of a piece of land that was left by the father of the two, who died several years ago. The property in question was left to several children and there has been a great deal of trouble in the settlement of ownership.

Thursday the water at the government works was too high for the carpenters to do their work and the two brothers spent most of the afternoon drinking. When they were pretty well under the influence of liquor the subject of the disputed land came up and a quarrel followed. Hilliard, the dead man, was much larger than his brother and when he showed fight Cantey ran, his brother in pursuit. The chase lasted for nearly a mile when Cantey ran into his house, got his gun and, when his brother came near enough, he shot him in the stomach and killed Hilliard instantly. The shooting took place about a mile up the Southern railway track toward Augusta, the body being found there yesterday morning.

Dr. Sandel, of Brookland, held the post mortem examination yesterday afternoon and found that there were 140 places pierced by the shot. Of this number 18 shot took effect in the heart and caused instant death.

Up to a late hour last night Cantey Weston, the murderer, was still at large and the authorities were at a loss as to where to find him. A vigilant search has been instituted and if he is in that part of the country his capture will soon be made.

Hilliard Weston, the deceased, lived in Columbia, having his home on Washington street near the Seaboard Air Line railroad.

Rheumatism.

When pains or irritation exist on any part of the body, the application of Ballard's Snow Liniment gives prompt relief. E. W. Sullivan, Prop., Sullivan House El Reno, O. T., writes, June 6, 1902: "I take pleasure in recommending Ballard's Snow Liniment to all who are afflicted with rheumatism. It is the only remedy I have found that gives immediate relief." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by The Kaufmann Drug Co.

Scarlet Funerals.

They have a curious custom at the burial of married women in Brazil. The coffin, hearse and the livery of the driver must be bright scarlet, the four white horses drawing the hearse must be covered with scarlet nets, and scarlet plumes must deck the horses' heads.

Puts an End to it All.

A grievous wail oftentimes comes as a result of unbearable pain from over taxed organs. Dizziness, Backache, Liver complaint and Constipation. But thanks to Dr. King's New Life Pills they put an end to it all. They are gentle but thorough. Try them. Only 25c. Guaranteed by The Kaufmann Drug Co.

No Bank Examiner.

The Governor, Secretary of State, Attorney General, Comptroller General and State Treasurer have decided that no State bank examiner could be appointed under the present act, owing to its deficiencies. The board was in session for a considerable time on the matter about which several letters have been written to the Governor. As the law was interpreted, however, the board decided there was no fixed methods by which the banks could be assessed equally

and no method of collecting the assessment by the respective County Auditors. The act is very general in its nature, simply providing for the appointment of an examiner, at a salary of \$1,500 per annum and was passed in 1897. All the other administrations let the matter go by and the Legislature has never taken it up again.

The many deficiencies in the act will be shown by the Attorney General, who is preparing a review of it, and the Legislature will have its attention called to these to remedy or not as it sees fit.

A Physician Healed.

Dr. Geo. Ewing, a practicing physician of Smith's Grove, Ky., for over thirty years, writes his personal experience with Foley's Kidney Cure: "For years I had been greatly bothered with kidney and bladder trouble and enlarged prostate gland. I used everything known to the profession without relief, until I commenced to use Foley's Kidney Cure. After taking three bottles I was entirely relieved and cured. I prescribe it now daily in my practice and heartily recommend its use to all physicians for such troubles. I have prescribed it in hundreds of cases with perfect success." The Kaufmann Drug Co.

Fitzhugh Lee on Lynching.

Kansas City, July 29.—Gen. Fitzhugh Lee was in Kansas City today on his way to lecture in Beloit, Kan. Speaking of lynching, he said: "I don't believe in lynching. Nobody believes in lynching. Be careful that you get that right. Nobody does." "However," continued the General, "there is one of the objects attained by lynching that is seldom considered. If a man, say a negro, shall assault a woman, perhaps some very dear relative of yours, he has got to be killed or arrested. If this negro is arrested after his crime and is brought into the court room, the woman, the one who has suffered already, is the principal witness. She must appear, and perhaps under the cross examination of lawyers, relate every detail of the assault, thus subjecting her to humiliation to an extreme degree."

The Death Penalty.

Little thing sometimes results in death. Thus a mere scratch, insignificant cuts or puny boils have paid the death penalty. It is wise to have Bucklen's Arnica Salve ever handy. It's the best Salve on earth and will prevent fatality, when Burns, Sores, Ulcers and Piles threaten. Only 25c at The Kaufmann Drug Co.

A Race Clash.

Charlotte, N. C., August 7.—Serious trouble between negroes and whites is threatened at Henrietta, the location of one of the largest cotton mills in North Carolina. Ois Bird and Virgil Cudd, negroes, were cut last night and the former will die. The cause of the trouble was the alleged disturbance of a colored meeting by whites and the cursing of a white boy by a negro.

An armed crowd of negroes was dispersed by the extra force of policemen on duty but more trouble is expected.

Not Over-Wise.

There is an old allegorical picture of a girl scared at a grass-hopper, but in the act of heedlessly treading on a snake. This is paralleled by the man who spends a large sum of money building a cyclone cellar, but neglects to provide his family with a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as a safeguard against bowel complaints, whose victims outnumbered those of the cyclone a hundred to one. This remedy is everywhere recognized as the most prompt and reliable medicine in use for these diseases. For sale by The Kaufmann Drug Co.

The Echo.

Tourist (in Ireland)—Isn't there a very fine echo about here? Guide—Yes, sor. Shout "a pint of beer" as loud as you can. Tourist shouts and after a few moments remarks, "The sound doesn't seem to come." Guide—No, sor. But here comes the beer.

Advertisement for Summer Rates on the Southern Railway. Includes an illustration of a train and a mountain landscape. Text: "SUMMER RATES ON THE SOUTHERN RAILWAY. THE LINE FOR BUSINESS, THE LINE FOR PLEASURE, THE LINE FOR ALL THE BEST. SUMMER RESORTS. Complete Summer Resort Folder Mailed Free to Any Address. W. A. TURK, Pass. Traffic Mgr. WASHINGTON, D. C. S. H. HARDWICK, Gen'l Pass. Agent, WASHINGTON, D. C. W. H. TAYLOR, Asst. Gen'l Pass. Agt. ATLANTA, GA."

Advertisement for Seaboard Air Line Railway. Text: "SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY. NORTH-SOUTH-EAST-WEST. Two Daily Pullman Vestibule Limited Trains Between SOUTH AND NEW YORK. First-Class Dining Car Service. The Best Rates and Route to all Eastern Cities Via Richmond and Washington, or via Norfolk and Steamers to Atlanta, Nashville, Memphis, Louisville, St. Louis, Chicago, New Orleans, and All Points South and Southwest—to Savannah and Jacksonville and all points in Florida and Cuba. Positively the Shortest Line Between NORTH AND SOUTH. For detailed information, rates, schedules, Pullman reservations, &c., apply to any agent of The Seaboard Air Line Railway or to J. J. Fuller, Travelling Passenger Agent, Columbia, S. C. CHARLES F. STEWART, Asst. G. Pass. Agt. SAVANNAH, GA."

Advertisement for Dr. D. L. Boozer & Sons, Dentists. Text: "DRS. D. L. BOOZER & SONS DENTISTS, 1615 MAIN STREET, COLUMBIA, S. C. PHONE 230."

Advertisement for The Force of Example. Text: "The Force of Example. A gentleman who has just returned from Guatemala vouches for this parrot story. A good woman of the city had a bird which she prized highly, but it had one bad habit. Whenever she came in in the morning the bird would ejaculate: "Oh, I wish to the Lord the old woman was dead!" She confided to the minister and he suggested sending his parrot over, adding that by association the lady's bird would learn nice phrases. A day or two later when the woman entered the room, her parrot ejaculated, as usual: "Oh, I wish to the Lord the old woman was dead!" Whereupon the minister's bird cocked its head to one side and fervently added: "The Lord hear our prayer!" Stop That Cough! When a cough, a tickling or an irritation in the throat makes you feel uncomfortable, take Ballard's Horehound Syrup. Don't wait until the disease has gone beyond control. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson, 354 West 5th St., Salt Lake City, Utah, writes: "We think Ballard's Horehound Syrup the best medicine for coughs and colds. We have used it for several years; it always gives immediate relief, is very pleasant and gives perfect satisfaction." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by The Kaufmann Drug Co.

Advertisement for James Harman, Dental Surgeon. Text: "JAMES HARMAN, DENTAL SURGEON LEXINGTON, S. C. (Office in rear of the Court House.) I will be in his office every Friday for the purpose of doing dental work in all its branches. March 19, 1902. 1y."

Advertisement for W. A. Beckling, Artist. Text: "W. A. BECKLING, ARTIST, COLUMBIA, S. C. IS NOW MAKING THE BEST PICTURES that can be had in this country, and all who have never had a real fine picture, should now try some of his latest styles. Specimens can be seen at his Gallery, up stairs, next to the Hub. When writing mention The Dispatch."

Advertisement for Lithia Water. Text: "Lithia Water. Bottled Gingerale, Coca-Cola, on Ice, at The Bazaar."

Advertisement for Palmetto Collegiate Institute. Text: "Palmetto Collegiate Institute, LEXINGTON, S. C. LITERARY, SCIENTIFIC AND CLASSICAL COURSE. NEXT SESSION OPENS SEPTEMBER 7. Vocal and Instrumental Music. Elocution. College Trained Teachers. 233 Students Enrolled Last Session. Expenses per Session \$60 to \$80. Send for Catalogue to O. D. SEAY, Principal. July 29, 1903."