

**The Lexington Dispatch.**

Wednesday, May 11, 1904.

Business locals will be inserted in this department at the rate of five lines and under for 25 cents, all over five lines, the rate is five cents a line.

**PENCIL AND SCISSORS.**

**Wayside Notes Gathered Here and There by a Dispatch Man.**

Garden truck is looking fine.  
We are now having ideal weather.  
Fewer gallons; wears longer; Devco.  
Bottled drinks on ice at the Bazaar fountain.

These days are days of the base ball cranks.

There will be plenty of all kinds of fruit this year.

Senator W. H. Sharpe was in town Monday and yesterday.

The brick work on Crap's new stores has been completed.

One by one the candidates are coming out of the woods.

Miss Icoline Harman is visiting the Misses Wright at Langley.

Mr. J. D. Smithdeal, of Columbia, visited relatives in town Monday.

Nice showers are reported from nearly every section of the county.

Mr. F. W. Oswald, president of The Home Bank, is in town today.

J. M. Epling is a candidate for a seat in the House of Representatives.

Lexington is making no great racket over its growth, but it is growing all the same.

The Summer girl will soon be with us, arrayed in all her bewitching loveliness.

The new residence of Mr. Belton Clark on Depot street, is nearing completion.

Lexington's share of the dispensary profits for school purposes is \$1,441.14.

Nice showers of rain visited three parts Saturday and Sunday afternoons.

There was a decided change in the weather yesterday from hot to cold.

R. H. Baugman is announced as a candidate for County Commissioner.

Nothing worries some men like the expected troubles that never happen.

Cool and refreshing drinks are now being dispensed at the Bazaar fountain.

Politics are about at a stand still. The crop of candidates doesn't seem to increase fast.

A large congregation worshipped at Pilgrim Lutheran church last Sunday morning.

The grim reaper has been busy during the past month reaping for the eternal garner.

Many a gray haired veteran was in town yesterday participating in the memorial exercises.

The best ice cream freezers on the market at the lowest prices. The Lexington Department Store.

The farmers are buoyant with the hope of a large harvest and high prices for cotton next fall.

There will be a picnic at Sox & Kaminer's barbecue grounds tomorrow. The public is invited.

Mr. Frank George has been appointed mail messenger on R. F. D. route No. 2, from this place.

Mr. John S. Derrick has announced himself a candidate for re-election as Superintendent of Education.

See statement of the condition of The Home Bank of this place, which appears elsewhere in this issue.

Dr. L. Julian Eford, has moved his office from the Kinard Drug Store to the Austin building, in Leesville.

Mrs. Alma Geiger and her son, Norman, after visiting relatives in Richland county have returned home.

The Anderson and Greenville trolley line is an assured fact. What about the Columbia, Lexington and Saluda line?

Prof. A. P. Sites, having closed his school term at Paeolet, will spend his vacation at home near Spring Hill.

If this weather continues to improve in heat, resort to the soda fountains will become frequent and popular.

A pretty line of fashionable dress goods of all the latest weaves and textures, at the Lexington Department Store.

See the Batesburg racket raised by Mr. J. A. Whitten in another column. He does not whisper but talks right out in the meeting, guaranteeing to please his customers with such bargains never heard of before. Go and see and you will be pleased.

Mr. J. Sim Miller, a successful truck farmer, has our thanks for a mess of fine spring cabbage they were delicious.

Mr. R. W. Shull, one of Switzer Neck's clever citizens, and an old comrade of ours, made us a pleasant call yesterday.

Pilgrim Lutheran church, near Midway, has just been given a coat of paint which has added considerably to its appearance.

Col. George Bell Timmerman entertained quite a number of the old Veterans at a dinner party yesterday at the Drafts Hotel.

Not a barbecue has been reported so far. What is the matter with the 'cuist? Have they all got rich and retired from business?

Mr. E. G. Cook, proprietor of the popular Lion Furniture Store in Columbia, was in town yesterday and paid us a pleasant call.

Rev. W. D. Quick, who has been confined to his room for a week or two, has recovered sufficiently to be out again on the streets.

The address of J. P. Shumper, who advertises cattle and horses for sale, should be "Rishton" instead of "Thor," as appeared in print.

Mr. D. S. Kizer, of the Adair section, desiring to keep up with the procession, called in Saturday and subscribed for the Dispatch.

The best and most durable line of harness, saddles, buggies, etc.—the best made and the lowest prices—at The Lexington Department Store.

Tomorrow is Ascension Day and everybody that can raise a "brownie" with which to purchase a hook, is expected to spend the day fishing.

Congressman A. Frank Lever was in town the last part of the week spending the time with friends, prior to going home to recuperate his health.

An oil mill with a capital of \$10,000 is to be established at Little Mountain. When is the one that Lexington should have established.

Mr. G. Jacob Wingard, a well-to-do farmer on Saluda river, dropped in Monday and renewed his subscription to the Dispatch and the Home and Farm.

Mr. Chester B. White and Miss Lula Shealy, of the immediate vicinity of Fredonia, were married last Sunday by the Rev. D. B. Grose-close.

Sheriff Buford, of Newberry, went to Batesburg and carried back with him Monday John Cannon, who is charged with house breaking and larceny.

Dr. Lagona, of the Pasteur Institute, advises persons bitten by a supposedly mad dog to call a physician and apply lemon juice to the wound.

It is rumored on the streets that the infant child of Mr. Walter Hendrix, who resides near here, is critically ill and is expected to die at any moment.

Mr. P. M. Malone of the K of P order of Columbia, was in town yesterday afternoon and dropped in to see us and added his name to our subscription list.

Capt. J. J. Bickley, of the chain gang, spent Sunday with his family in this place. The gang is near Batesburg and is doing some excellent work.

Keep out flies and other insects and live in comfort by purchasing wire screens for doors and windows at the Lexington Department Store.

Mr. W. D. Pound, one of the best farmers and a good citizen of the Gaston section, renews his subscription to the Dispatch and the Home and Farm.

All the latest novelties in dress goods, dry goods, notions, etc., can be found at N. A. Young's, Columbia. His goods are the best and his prices are the lowest.

Mrs. Rosa Frick Shealy, the venerable grand mother of our popular County Treasurer, died at her home near Amick's ferry last Saturday in the 82nd year of her age.

At a meeting of the town council held Monday evening Reuben D. Harman was elected policeman, Adam R. Meets, night watchman and Abner Derrick mill policeman.

The organization of the lodge of Knights of Pythias last night bought a large number of the Knights from the Columbia and New Brookland lodges to our town.

Dr. Julian E. Kaufmann left this morning for Anderson to attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. He goes as a delegate from Dixie lodge.

Many of our people will take advantage of the low railroad rates conceded for the occasion of "The Sun-Flower Carnival," and visit the Capital city during that festive occasion.

J. S. Derrick and A. P. West, of Leesville, and Col. M. D. Harman, of this place, have been awarded crosses of honor by the Daughters of the Confederacy, but they have not appeared to receive them.

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Mr. H. E. Harman, one of our promptest paying subscribers, was in town Friday selling cotton, trading and transacting other business, among which was the renewal of his subscription to the Dispatch.

A fine line of fresh family and plantation groceries, dry goods, shoes, crockeryware and everything usually kept in a first class general merchandise store, can be found at H. M. Wingard's, at rock bottom prices.

The types made us say last week that "Mr. W. H. Sharpe" was a candidate for re-election for State Senator. Of course everybody understood, that it was Senator W. H. Sharpe who was standing for re-election.

If you have stock of any kind, or anything else for sale you will find buyers by placing a small advertisement in the Dispatch. All that it will cost you is 25 cents for 25 words or under, and one cent a word for each additional word.

Col. John Bell Towill was in town yesterday wearing something on the lapel of his coat but we could not tell whether it was an orange bud, or a sweet bunch of violets, but from appearances we would judge that it was the former and that it would bloom ere long.

Two negro men became involved in a dispute at the public pump on Main street, last Sunday afternoon over a small sum of money, when one pulled his ever handy pop gun and fired at the other. No injury, however, was inflicted except a few powder burns in the face. The negro who did the shooting endeavored to make his escape but was captured and safely lodged in jail. Mayor Fox gave him \$60 or 30 days. He took the days and is now digging sand and clay for the county.

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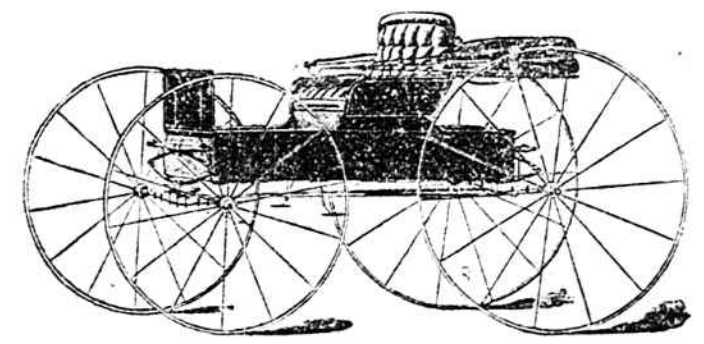
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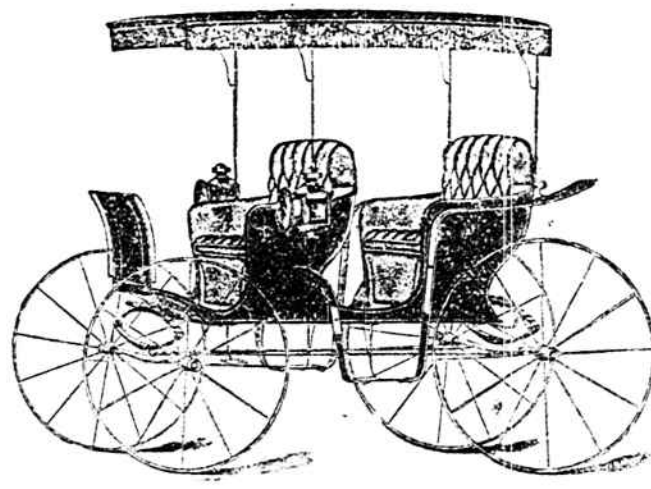
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