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## GLOBE DRY GOODS COMPANY,

W. H. MONCKTON, JR., MANAGER.

1820 MAIN STREET,

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Solicits a Share of Your Valued Patronage. Polite and Prompt Attention.



October 1st

### The HOME NATIONAL BANK OF LEXINGTON. ISSUES \$25,000 IN MONEY

We will make loans to our patrons and depositors on good security.

**DEPOSIT** Your money in this bank. The U. S. Government will see that it is taken care of.

SAMUEL B. GEORGE, President.

ALFRED J. FOX, Cashier.

KARL F. OSWALD, Asst. Cashier.

#### Board of Assessors, Lexington County.

Black Creek Township—E. Austin Smith, Josh J. Shealy, L. L. Gantt. Boiling Springs Township—H. C. Reeder, A. R. Taylor, W. Noah Lucas. Broad River Township—J. C. Hope, J. P. Richardson, J. S. Wessinger. Bull Swamp Township—J. W. Reeder, R. L. Lybrand, W. Q. Jackson. Chiquipin Township—John T. Sawyer, Paul Hallman, Elijah Hall. Town of Batesburg—J. C. Glover, J. Walter Dreher, M. B. Edwards. Town of New Brookland—E. L. Lybrand, A. D. Shull, H. Caughman. Congaree Township—Thos. J. Roof, Walter Hook, J. J. Kyzer. Fork Township—Joseph S. Huffman, Hamp A. Lorick, Jno. H. Shealy. Gilbert Hollow Township—F. G. Hartley, E. H. Addy, Albert Price. Town of Leesville—F. H. Hendrix, D. L. Gunter, Jas. D. Langford. Hollow Creek Township—J. Franklin Keisler, Henry Drafts, Emanuel Long. Lexington Township—J. G. Zinker, M. K. Kammer, Baylis Wingard. Town of Lexington—J. E. Hendrix, J. J. Fox, J. M. Caughman. Platt Springs Township—George W. Pounds, R. J. Fallaw, David Geiger. Saluda Township—J. C. Falmer, D. I. Epting, L. B. Frick. Sandy Run Township—W. Hamp Wannamaker, J. E. Saylor, J. Kirby Rucker.

All names appearing first in the various townships are requested to act as chairman until a meeting is held when all boards will elect their own chairmen.

#### Another Convict Gone.

Henry Planter, a negro convict, escaped from the chaingang some time during Sunday night supposedly about 10 o'clock. Planter was the cook and had been a "trusty" for several months. A hard rain having fallen during the night, it was impossible to track the negro Monday morning. He was a 5-year prisoner and had only a year and a half more to serve.

#### Court Proceedings.

Judge Dantzer arrived on Wednesday afternoon and opened court on Thursday morning, though very much indisposed.

The case of Perry Seastrunk against the Leaphart Lumber Co., a damage suit for \$5,000 for personal injuries alleged to have been received while the plaintiff was in the employ of the company. After hearing all the testimony in the case and arguments of counsel, the jury retired and returned after being out a short while, with a verdict in favor of the defendant. The plaintiff was represented by Messrs. Graham & Sturkie; the defendant by Messrs. Shand & Shand, of Columbia.

At the conclusion of this case Judge Dantzer, realizing that his condition would not permit him to carry on the business of the court, ordered court adjourned sine die, and he left for his home in Orangeburg on Friday morning.

Only four cases, out of about 75 on the civil docket, were disposed of at this term. This leaves the dockets in very bad shape and as it will be June before another term is held, it can readily be seen that the next judge will find his hands full.

No equity cases were heard at all, and Judge Dantzer promised to return as soon as he finished court at Edgefield.

#### Death of a Little One.

Francis Edna Huffman, the five-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Huffman, of Lower Fork, died at their home on Sunday afternoon and was laid to rest in St. Andrew's churchyard on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

#### R. F. D. Examination.

Postmaster Leaphart has been authorized to hold an examination here on next Saturday for R. F. D. Carriers on all the routes in the county. There will be about 42 applicants, it is said, and the examination will be held in the Palmetto Collegiate Institute.

### A DOLLAR IN HAND

is worth only half as much as one in the bank. For there is at least twice in the temptation to spend it. Put temptation out of your way by depositing your cash in

### Citizens Bank of Batesburg,

BATESBURG, S. C.

It's safer there any way than in your safe or cash box. Start your account today with what you have. Make it a rule to deposit all your cash and pay all bills by check. You'll find you have more left for yourself every time you balance your books. We pay interest on time deposits quarterly.

U. X. GUNTER, Pres.

A. C. JONES, Cashier.

WM. M. CARTER, Asst. Cashier.



### 1892. 1909. Lexington Savings Bank,

LEXINGTON, S. C.

Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits \$30,000.00.

5 per cent. interest paid on savings deposits, interest being computed semi-annually. Deposits of \$1.00 and over received.

Commercial accounts also given special attention. Ample facilities for handling your business, and your account will be appreciated. Safety deposits boxes for rent, \$1.00 per year.

W. P. ROOF, President and Cashier

### Bank of Chapin

CHAPIN, S. C.

#### The Bank That Accommodates

This bank aims to give you good services. We cash out-of-town checks for you—furnish drafts for sending money way. We are always glad to assist you in business matters. Make your deposits with this bank, which makes a point of good treatment of its depositors. Our certificates of deposit bear interest at 5 per cent. We cordially invite the farmers as well as the business men to do their banking with us.

J. S. WESSINGER, President.

J. F. HONEYCUTT, Cashier

## NEW HARDWARE DEPARTMENT

### Lucas T.G. Paint OF T. B. AUGHTRY & CO.

#### HOUSE Paint

is, or should be, first of all a protection

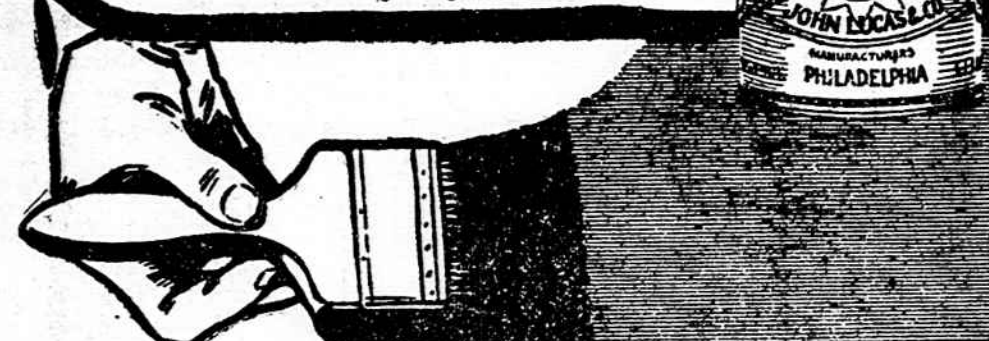
to your property. The perfect paint, economically considered must be of exactly that composition that experience has proved best adapted to meet the varying conditions imposed by our climate.

Some one of the paints on our lists is precisely the paint for your needs.

Lucas Tinted Gloss Paints are compounded by exact formulas—so much of the desired pigments, so much body color, linseed oil and drier—ground and mixed by powerful machinery.

Whatever the work, inside the house or out—whether it calls for paint, varnish, stain, finish, gilt or enamel—there is a Lucas product best of all for the purpose, backed by an iron-clad guarantee and sixty years of paint experience. Just remember the name LUCAS and tell the dealer what you want to paint.

A Car Load of These Paints Received Today By Boat Line



#### PAGE FENCING

We buy Page Fencing in Car Lots, having all styles and sizes in stock. We guarantee this to be the strongest woven fence on the market. If you contemplate buying a fence, we would like for you to see the fence around Taylor's plantation. Nine miles of Page Fencing is used there. We also have a car load of Poultry Netting in stock.

Owing to the increase of business we have found it necessary to enlarge our store. We have recently opened a New Hardware Department at 1603 Main Street, next door to our old stand at 1607 Main Street where we now have our exclusive Wholesale Grocery.

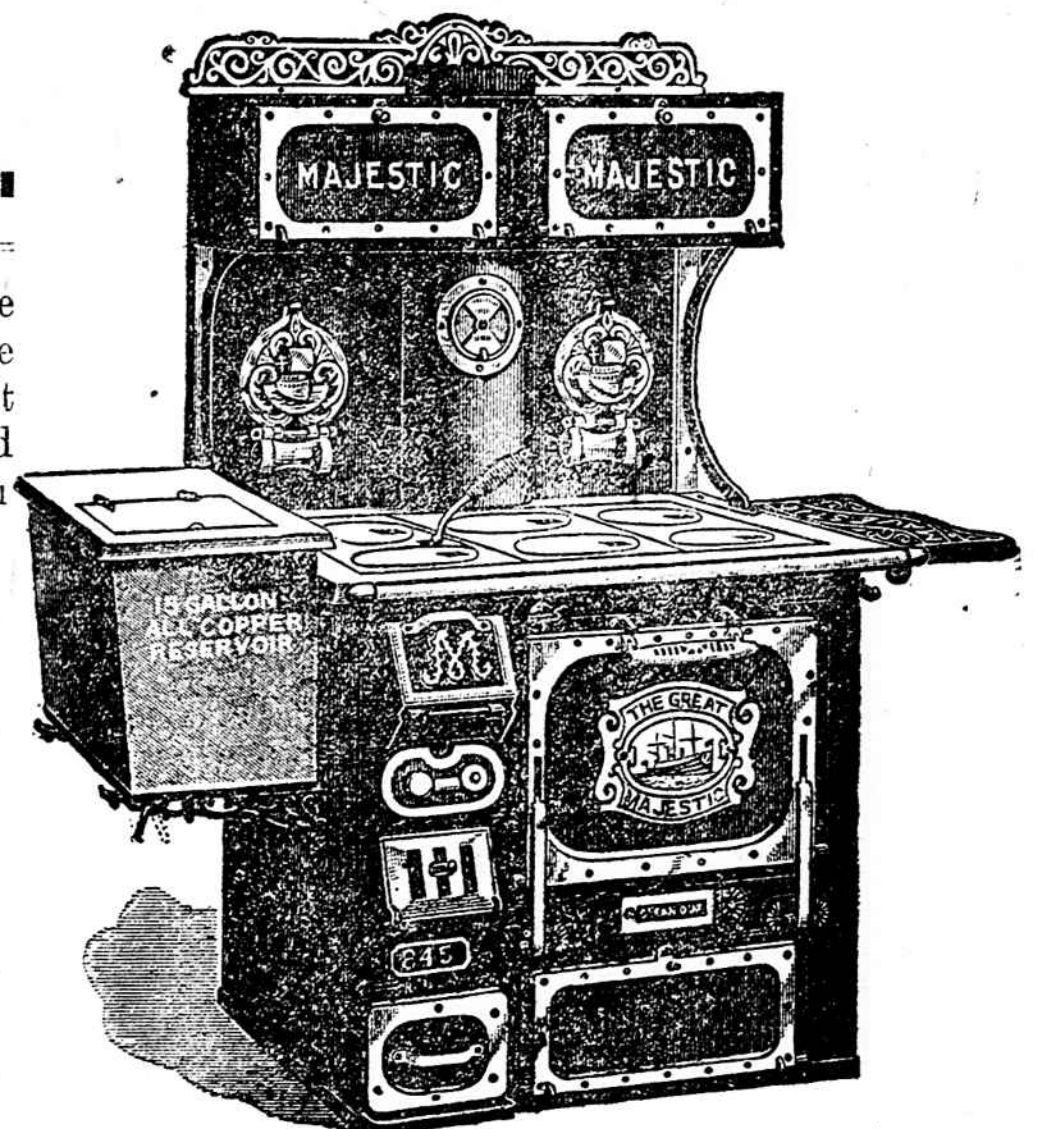
We have also added several new departments, including Stove, Mantel and Tile, Paint and Oil and Lime and Cement. We also have the most complete line of Carriage and Wagon Material to be found in upper Carolina. We buy direct from factory and invite comparison in both quality and price.

#### Anything You Want in Hardware.

All in all, we have anything you want in Hardware. We carry a complete line of Builders' Hardware and Tools and can fill demands. We have just received a car load of Rubber and Gravel Roofing and Tar Paper. We also have a complete line of Harness, consisting of Saddles, Bridles, etc., and can sell you what you need.

#### CELEBRATED CHATTANOOGA PLOWS.

We have just in a car load of the celebrated Chattanooga Steele Beam and Disc Plows. We have been selling these plows for years and more are now in use in Richland County than any other plow. In this department we also handle all kinds of good farming implements, and are exclusive agents for Cole's Cotton Planter and Guano Distributor, Avery Harrow and Cultivator, Acme Pulverizing Harrow, New Idea Manure Spreader, and the King Bedder and Distributor.



#### WE SELL MAJESTIC RANGES.

We have an excellent Stove Department and have been quite fortunate in getting the exclusive agency for the Great Majestic Range, acknowledged to be the best by discriminating people. We are also agents for the New Lee and Helena Ranges, together with Liberty and Iron King Stoves. In this department we also handle a full line of Stove and Cooking Utensils, together with Tin and Enamelware in anything you desire. We have just what you want at the right prices.

Let Us Sell You What You Want

T. B. AUGHTRY & CO.,

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