

**The Lexington Dispatch.**

Wednesday, August 25, 1909.

**Index to New Advertisements.**

Bargains—Mimnaugh's.  
Merchandise—Tapp's.  
Clothing—T. H. Williams.  
Dandruff Cure—Dr. Harding.  
Merchandise—Reynolds & Craft.

**Cotton Market.**

Lexington..... 12c.

**THE PALMETTO COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE**

**Will Open on September 6.**

All students should enter on the first day. First class work is done here. The two scholarships to Clemson were won by students of this school. A number of students and graduates have secured first grade teachers' certificates by standing the examination. Here is the place to get good preparatory training. Anyone who wishes a catalogue should write to the principal,

**W. E. BLACK, Lexington, S. C.**

**Our County Officials Praised.**

Mr. E. B. Wilson, the very efficient and popular chief clerk in the comptroller-general's office, was in Lexington on Friday for the purpose of making the annual settlement with out county officials. It is needless to say that Mr. Wilson found everything in apple-pie order; he always does in this county.

In a talk with The Dispatch man, Mr. Wilson took occasion to laud County Auditor Dent, County Treasurer Wincard, Supervisor Langford and County Superintendent of Education Martin for the very excellent manner in which they keep their books and records. These are the only officials with whom Mr. Wilson has to deal. He said, among other things:

"There is no county in the state that has a better set of officers than Lexington, so far as it is able to discern from their books and records. We never do find any trouble in making a settlement with this county, and the people are to be congratulated upon the selection of such excellent men to look after the county's affairs."

In the afternoon Mr. Wilson, in company with County Auditor Dent, went to George's pond for a few hours' fishing.

Good time to sow turnips. Buy your seed at The Bazaar. Fresh supply just received.

**Billy Felix Letter.**

To the Editor of The Dispatch: Delightful fall-like weather. The severe hot wave has given way to the cool, pleasant fall like climate.

The quartette of Fallaw young men from Batesburg and Monetta, after spending some time here, attending protracted meetings, sporting, visiting and having a "good time" in general have returned home singing, "The girl I left behind."

Fodder has been gathered and "king cotton" is coming on. Some has been ginned and sold for 12c and 13c.

Geo. T. Goodwin, the son of our esteemed friend and fellow townsman, G. A. Goodwin, who holds a lucrative position with the S. A. L. railway located at Hamlet, N. C., has been spending his well-earned vacation with his father here.

The sweet potato crop bids fair to be good unless some unforeseen damage takes place.

A number of young and old were royally entertained at the beautiful

home of J. F. Fallaw recently, with ice cream, music, etc.

The health of the happy Felix family is excellent, and Mr. and Mrs. Pardiggle were never more happy in their nuptial bower than we.

Prof. J. V. Smith is teaching a flourishing summer school at Boynton academy, ably assisted by the accomplished daughter of C. A. Bachman, Miss Linnie.

We are pleased to report that Mrs. C. H. Hartley, the devoted wife of our popular postmaster, is out again after a bilious attack.

An epidemic of sore eyes has been raging in and around here.

Rev. W. R. Corder preached a very interesting sermon here recently on the subject, "Faith once delivered to the saints."

Tom Tison had the misfortune to lose a mule recently.

Some of our people attended the 'cue at Edmund and speak in highest terms of the excellent speech made on prohibition by that high toned christian gentleman, Hon. E. C. Ridgell.

We are sorry to hear of the illness of Larkin Glenn on Route 2, who suffered a paralytic stroke.

A number of our young people took advantage of the cheap rates and went to Savannah and Tybee recently. Among the number were: E. O. and Mrs. L. N. Fallaw, of Columbia; D. E. Hammond and G. L. Taylor, of Gilbert; G. T. Goodwin, of Hamlet, N. C.; Misses L. I., O. M., Alice and Bessie Loubel and P. T. Fallaw. They speak of having an excellent good time.

Wesley Peavy preached an interesting sermon here on the fourth Sunday the subject being "Behold the Lamb of God That Taketh Away the Sin of the World."

The prohibition won a signal victory in the election of the 17th. But they are not the only ones who gained the victory. There had been a fierce battle raging for some time on Route 1.

The captain after maintaining all his forces and with a last faithful onrush, stormed the fortification, captured his prize, hied away to parson T. J. Cupstid, who made Mr. Warren Yonce and Miss Emma Rister man and wife. Happy congratulations.

Billy Felix.

Gaston, S. C., August 23.

A dead beat always gets more credit than he deserves.

Bottle drinks of all kinds and flavors will be found at the Bazaar Fountain. On ice in season.

**Express Messenger Arrested.**

Charlotte, N. C., August 22. George P. Turner, a messenger for the Southern Express Company, was arrested at Salisbury to-day charged with the robbery of money from a car in transit. Turner's run was between Salisbury and Asheville, and it is alleged that several days ago he dropped a sack containing something like three thousand dollars from the car as the train neared Salisbury. He is alleged to have returned to the spot, secured the money and hiked out to South Carolina. To-day he returned to Salisbury, and was immediately arrested on a warrant sworn out by an official of the company. Officials of the company are reticent as to the robbery.

**New Cotton Sold.**

The first bale of new cotton sold in Swansea this season was bought on August 8, by Reynold & Craft for 12c. It was sold by Geo. Mymph, colored, being raised on the O. B. Riley place. The first bale last year was sold on August 20, by D. J. Knotts and Joe. Boozer to the same firm for 9 1-2c.

**Letter to W. W. Barre.**

Lexington, S. C.

Dear Sir: We make Devoe, and of course know what there is in it; but you don't, your neighbors don't, and the people don't. So we get the official chemist of every State in the Union to analyze it and tell what he finds; of course, they find what we put in: lead zinc and oil, a little turpentine dryer, and color for tints. And that's paint. Every agent has the analysis of Devoe by his State chemist.

We also analyze all other paints, and what do we find?

We find eight made of the same materials as Devoe: all paint: pure paint. But we find no one of the same proportions as Devoe: no one so strong.

And people are trying Devoe alongside of these other paints, and finding out how they work: what it costs to paint Devoe; what it costs to paint those several paints; how they wear alongside and comparatively.

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Yours truly

F. W. DEVOE & CO  
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1526 Main St. Columbia, S. C.

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