

The Lexington Dispatch

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CIRCULATION 2,327.

It is the duty of every person in Lexington county to attend the county fair. Write for premium list.

Lexington is on a boom. We are soon to have a social club, as will be seen by reference to the published notice elsewhere in this issue. And there is talk of another.

The Tri-County Enterprise is to be the name of a new paper soon to be published at Batesburg. Col. John Bell Towill is to be the editor and chief promoter. We wish the new paper abundant success.

The people of the county, generally, are prosperous, and there are brighter prospects ahead. If the price of cotton remains good, and we believe that it will, our farmers will have money enough to meet their obligations and still have some to spare.

A number of our subscribers are in arrears, and unless they pay up promptly we will be forced to cut their names from our list. We dislike to do this but the postal law makes it incumbent upon us to cut off all subscribers who are in arrears for twelve months.

The price of cotton and produce is good, and our people have no right to complain. The summer is over and we need money to meet our obligations and to pay printers. Send by mail if you are not coming to town.

It was the editor's pleasure to make a business visit to the bustling town of Chapin last Thursday. We found a great many farmers there selling cotton, the price on that day being 13.40. It is really surprising to see how far the farmers haul cotton to this growing little town. Most of the farmers of the Fork are selling cotton at present prices.

We found a great deal of sentiment in favor of a bridge at Amick's ferry. This would prove beneficial to Chapin and the other towns of the Fork and to Batesburg and Leesville on this side of the river. We hope to see this bridge built at no distant day.

The merchants at Chapin have unusually large stocks of merchandise and all of them are doing a good business. The Bank of Chapin, with J. S. Wessinger, president and J. F. Honeycutt, cashier, is growing every day and is filling a want long felt in that community.

Following are extracts of the new road law passed at the last session of the general assembly and approved 33rd day of February, A. D. 1910:

"That all male persons between the ages of eighteen and fifty-five years in the county of Lexington, except those incapable of earning a support from being maimed, or any other cause, in lieu of performing, or causing to be performed, labor on the public highways of said county for twelve days in each year, may pay to the County Treasurer of Lexington county a commutation road tax of two dollars, to be paid at the same time, and in the same manner, as State and county taxes, which shall be expended upon the public highways of the county, and as nearly as possible in the townships from which collected; and the County Supervisor is hereby authorized to have the roads of said county worked by contract, or by the overseer plan, or by employing superintendants of work." "The County Treasurer shall enforce the collection of said tax by execution if not paid." "Every person liable to the commutation tax, as provided herein, who shall fail to pay said tax shall be required to perform twelve days' labor of ten hours each upon the public highways of Lexington county under the direction of such person as the County Supervisor may designate."

Gov. Elect Blease

To Speak Thursday.

Gov. Elect Cole L. Blease, of Newberry, will speak at the Tri-County Fair at Batesburg, on Thursday, the 20th of October, instead of Wednesday, as was announced in these columns last week. Every day the prospects grow brighter for a successful fair at Batesburg. The officers are at work in earnest and many new features are being planned. The entertainments piling in by the boat loads, it is said, and every department will be full. The attendance promises to be unusually large this year as special rates have been named by all railroads leading to Batesburg.

Lexington County Fair.

The Lexington County Fair will be larger and better than ever this year, if we are to judge by the interest already manifested by our people. The buildings are being repaired and the grounds beautified for the great annual meeting. That the exhibits will be above the average goes without saying; for our people have never been more prosperous than now. All of the crops will practically be gathered by the time the fair opens and the farmers will not have anything to keep them at home.

Secretary George has made arrangements for the best line of attractions ever seen at the county fair and there will be amusements enough for everybody. Come to the fair.

Perry-Porter.

Miss Alice Perry of Batesburg, and Mr. H. C. Porter, of Pendleton, were married at the Batesburg hotel on Monday morning at 9 o'clock, the Rev. W. T. Hundley, pastor of the Batesburg Baptist church, officiating.

The bride is one of the popular young women of Batesburg, and the groom is a successful traveling salesman. The marriage was quiet a surprise to the friends of the young people.

The fourteenth annual fair of the Lexington County Fair Association will be held this year on October 25, 26 and 27. The premium lists are being freely distributed throughout the county. If you have not already received one write the secretary at once. It is the duty of every citizen of the county to not only attend the fair but to have an exhibit there—something that will help to make the fair a credit to Lexington county. It matters not whether you secure a premium or not it will do you no harm and at the same time it will help to put your fair at the head of county fairs.

There will be plenty of amusements for all. A carnival company, with twelve big shows, will be running in full blast both day and night, affording a world of amusement for old and young.

Let everybody work to make the coming fair the best county fair ever held in the Carolinas.

Biliousness is due to a disordered condition of the stomach. Chamberlain's Tablets are essentially a stomach medicine, intended especially to act on that organ; to cleanse it, strengthen it, tone and invigorate it, to regulate the liver and to banish biliousness positively and effectually. For sale by all dealers.

Cumalander Bros.

Attention is directed to the advertisement of Cumalander Bros., in this issue. This firm carries a clean stock of general merchandise, and they will treat you right on every purchase. Give them a trial and you will be convinced.

Forced To Leave Home.

Every year a large number of poor sufferers whose lungs are sore and racked with coughs are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. There's a better way. Let Dr. King's New Discovery cure you at home. "It cured me of lung trouble," writes W. R. Nelson, of Calamine, Ark., "when all else failed and I gained 47 pounds in weight. Its surely the King of all cough and lung cures." Thousands owe their lives and health to it. Its positively guaranteed for Cough, Colds, LaGrippe, Asthma, Croup—all Throat and Lung troubles. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at Kaufmann Drug Co.

Good Increase.

County Auditor W. D. Dent has turned over his treasurer's duplicate to County Treasurer Wingard for the fiscal year 1910. It is a very interesting paper and shows a marked increase in tax valuations over the year 1909. The total tax values of the county for last year were \$5,299,306, while the total amount of taxable values for this year are \$5,560,112, showing a gain of \$260,806.

The total amount of taxes to be collected by the county treasurer this fall is \$98,795.26, which is apportioned as follows:

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| State | \$31,970.64 |
| County | 19,460.39 |
| Special county tax (building bridge across Saluda) | 2,780.05 |
| Road tax | 8,340.16 |
| Taxes levied in portions of the county | 6,910.71 |
| School, constitutional (3 mills) | 16,680.34 |
| Special and local schools | 4,446.47 |
| Polls | 5,621.00 |
| Dogs | 2,185.50 |

The above shows an increase of \$10,049.88 in taxable money over last year, and is, according to the statement of the county auditor, a very creditable showing indeed, and is cause for congratulation. The county auditor made his report to the comptroller general Saturday.

TAX NOTICE

Office of County Treasurer, Lexington County, Lexington, S. C., October 4, 1910.

Public notice is hereby given that State, county and school taxes for Lexington county will be received by me from October 15th to December 31st, inclusive.

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| For State Purposes | 50 Mills |
| For Ordinary County Purposes | 30 Mills |
| For Constitutional School Tax | 3 Mills |
| For Roads | 15 Mills |
| Total | 98 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 15 | 4 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 18 | 4 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 25 | 2 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 34 | 2 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 37 | 2 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 42 | 3 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 55 | 2 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 66 | 2 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 83 | 2 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 29 | 2 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 23 | 2 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 79 | 2 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 71 | 2 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 71 | 2 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 17 | 2 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 13 | 2 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 63 | 2 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 12 | 2 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 7 | 2 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 48 | 2 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 84 | 2 Mills |
| Special School Levy Dis. No. 85 | 2 Mills |
| Roll Tax | \$1.00 |

RAILROAD LEVY. Saluda Township, 64 Mills. Broad River Township, 64 Mills.

Commutation road tax for 1911, two dollars, is received at the same time as other State and county taxes. Schedule for collecting taxes in county will appear later.

E. L. Wingard, Treasurer Lexington County.

For Sale.

I have for sale at all times the very best stock of all kinds. Get my price before you buy. Will sell in any quantity. L. L. LONG, Lexington, S. C.

Missionary Meeting.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of St. Michael's church will hold its annual public meeting, the third Sunday of Oct., the 16th instant, at 11 a. m. Dr. Cromer, of Newberry, will deliver an address. All are cordially invited to attend.

The best plaster. A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Liniment and bound on over the affected parts is superior to a plaster and costs only one tenth as much. For sale by all dealers.

Married.

On September 25, at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. J. A. Cromer, Mr. Harvey Roof and Miss Beulah Blackburn, all of near New Brookland.



Band music that is really enjoyable

During the hot, sultry days when the parks are jammed with people, you can hear Pryor and Sousa or other famous bands, on your own lawn.

Perfect comfort—no rush for trains and trolleys after the concert—and you can have any selection you want as often as you want.

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297 acres 2 1-2 miles from Barr, near the Augusta Road, 40 acres open land, 3 room cottage, tenant house, plenty water—terms very easy.

140 acres near Macedon, 22 acres open land, lumber on ground to build dwelling.

100 acres near Holleys Ferry, 30 acres open, 4 room house, barn and stables, plenty water.

One acre lot, 7 room dwelling in the town of Lexington—terms easy.

1-2 acre lot, 3 room dwelling in Lexington—easy terms. One lot in Batesburg 84x200 feet, 4 room cottage.

125 acres 4 miles from Lexington, 40 acres open land, 4 room house, good pasture and plenty water.

Several vacant lots in Lexington. 30 acres one mile, from Lexington, timbered.

73 acres, a part of which is in the incorporate limits of the town of Lexington, dwelling, barn and stables—good terms, answer quick.

I have valuable lots in Columbia for sale.

If you have a farm, town lot or timber to sell write or call to see me. If you need a good farm let me know and if what I have don't suit you I'll get one that will.

Write or call to see me

—AT—
THE HOME NATIONAL BANK,
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Meal and Hulls.

I have a car load of cotton seed meal and hulls at lowest prices. See me for your wants in this line. M. P. GEORGE, at Depot.

Where The Dollar Does Full Duty.

If it is SHOES or CLOTHING you want I am prepared to serve you with the goods to please every time. I carry a full line to select from, and guarantee to give satisfaction or refund your money.

SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!

In Shoes we have a select stock for Men, Women and Children of best makes and leading styles. Get OUR PRICES.

Clothing, Dry Goods, Notions.

You find Clothing here to fit your person as well as your pocket-book. For dry goods and notions it is useless to go elsewhere, for we have what you want and the prices are bound to please you. Come to us for your wants.

J. S. BOOZER,
CHAPIN, - S. C.

NOTICE

Application for Appointment of Public Guardian.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the Court of Common Pleas for the appointment of Judge Geo. S. Draits, Judge of Probate for Lexington County, in the State of South Carolina, as public guardian for Ann Mills and Arthur Mills, lunatic children of J. Belton Mills, deceased, for the reason that no fit, competent and responsible person can be found who is willing to assume such guardianship. The estates of the said lunatics consist of one hundred and twenty-three dollars and three cents (\$123.03) in money belonging to each now in the Probate Court and being their distributive share of the proceeds of the sale of the real and personal property of which the said J. Belton Mills died, seized and possessed.

EFIRD & DREHER, Attorneys for Mary Caroline Mills. Lexington, Sept. 27, 1910.

The Place to Trade.

This is only a reminder that whenever you want something good to eat on your table, you will always find just what you want sweet and fresh in groceries and vegetables at right prices, at the popular grocery of H. M. Wingard. It is a pleasure to deal with him. He is square and honest as the days are long, and if you trade with him once you will go there again.

Get your exhibits ready for the coming fair.

Clothing

At and below cost to close out as I am going out of this branch of business. Here are bargains for you.....

SHOES—for everybody, Men, Women and children that wear to satisfy every one. The prices are popular.....

FURNITURE—See my stock, as I have just received a car of selected furniture, and prices are "all right." See me before you buy.....

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GROCERIES—Always in stock, fresh and the best at right prices.....

GIVE ME A TRIAL.

J. S. WESSINGER,
CHAPIN, S. C.

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Dry Goods, Shoes, Men's Hats, Hardware, just arrived for Fall and Winter.

We cordially invite our friends and patrons to make an inspection of these goods :- :- before buying elsewhere :- :-

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CONTINUED

The big Sale at Stallings' Stors will be continued until Sat. Oct. 15. Those who have not visited our store during this sale will profit by doing so. Prices will remain the same until Oct. 15. Do your shopping here and save money. Our line is complete.

P. H. STALLINGS

NEW BROOKLAND, S. C.