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### FAIR WEEK AMUSEMENTS.

From October 30 to November 3—Columbia the Seat of Unusual Activity.

There will be amusement galore for visitors to the State Fair to be held in Columbia from October 30 to November 3. The officers of the Fair have made arrangements for several airplane flights by a well known aviator. A number of fast automobiles have been entered for the automobile races. High-class shows have been secured by the management for the Midway and there will be a number of attractions on Main street. The management of the Columbia theatre will offer a number of high-class attractions.

Special arrangements are being made to entertain the several thousand visitors that will attend the Fair from every county in South Carolina, and of course the railroads have granted especially low rates.

### Notice, Trespassers.

All persons are forbidden to hunt or trespass in any manner whatever upon my land. P. R. WESSINGER.  
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### The Stake In the Game.

A party of apaches entered a Paris cafe to have a game of billiards. The game was carried on in great mystery and absorbed all the interest and attention of the players. They had an enemy who was to be "done for," and whoever lost the game was to "do" him. When the game was over the loser accepted the result without discussion. Not long afterward a workman was stabbed fatally as he was coming out of a dance hall. The man who had stabbed him quickly disappeared, and the workman was placed in a cab and driven to an address which he had given. This was in a certain street where a sister of his was living. The man was barely able to get out of the cab and to explain that he had been stabbed. His case was so serious that he was conveyed to a hospital and died a few hours later. The police then made an inquiry and learned how the murder was deliberately decided upon and savagely executed. The workman himself did not know that his life was staked on a game of billiards.—Paris Cor. London Telegraph.

### Scotch Accent Too Much For Him.

The only real blot on my visit to Glasgow, says a writer in the London Sketch, is my total inability to speak with a Scottish accent. I rather pride myself, as most people do, on my vocal imitative faculties, but I confess to all the world here and now that I cannot imitate the Scottish accent. My Irish is beautiful; it would make all Dublin weep. My American is quite good; I could nearly always get anything that I wanted in the shops if I had the money. Anybody can talk Welsh who cares to substitute "p" for "b," and "f" for "va." But the Scottish accent eludes me. Sometimes I speak a little Scottish, tentatively, to the policeman or the tram conductor or the shopkeepers. The policemen draw their staves, the tram conductors stop their trams, and the shopkeepers put up their shutters. I am not quite sure, but I rather think that I shall abandon the unequal struggle.

### She Was Persistent.

A huge package once reached Sir Walter Scott from a young lady in America for which he had to pay \$25 expressage. It contained a manuscript play and a letter from the fair author requesting Scott to read and correct her work, write a prologue and an epilogue, arrange for its production at Drury Lane and negotiate with a publisher for the copyright. That was bad enough, but worse was to follow. About a fortnight later arrived another mighty packet, charged with a similar postage. Scott, who had not grown wiser by experience, paid the charges and opened the parcel. Out came a duplicate copy of the play and a second letter from the authoress, stating that as the weather had been stormy and she feared something might have happened to her former manuscript she had thought it prudent to send him a duplicate.

### How Centipedes Walk.

An eminent authority has investigated the peculiar wavy motion of centipedes and millepedes to determine the manner in which these animals manage to use their superabundant pedal extremities so gracefully and harmoniously. It has been found that the legs move in groups or waves, each wave including a definite number of legs. The number of waves included in the length of the body is constant for each species. In millepedes the waves of each side are synchronous. In centipedes they are symmetrically alternate, giving rise to beautifully accordant movements. The difference may be explained by suggesting that the millepede moves like a pacing horse, the centipede like a trotter.—Chicago Record-Herald.

### A Pleasant Surprise.

A young man in Indianapolis felt his heart sink as he pulled from his mail box a letter of the wedding invitation type. That was the fifth he had received this season, and he had begun to wonder whether he had any friends left in the single state.

"Another five dollar bill busted to smash," he mourned.

Then he opened the envelope. But it was only the announcement of a wedding that had taken place the week before. And he found in the same cover a check for \$5.

It was then that he recalled a bet made with a friend years before. The conditions were that the one first married should pay the other \$5.—Indianapolis News.

### And Upside Down at That.

"Where does this train stop next?" asked the nervous traveler on an uncertain railway.

"Well, boss," replied the porter, "dar's three wasbouts an' some bad track right along here, an' she's liable to stop mos' any place mos' any minute."—Washington Star.

### Experienced.

"That trained nurse is quite remarkable. She made a man I know cough up a brass tack at the hospital."

"That's nothing to what she can do. She made the young doctor she's engaged to cough up a diamond ring."—Baltimore American.

### Teachers Organize.

A few of the Lexington County teachers met in Lexington last Saturday and discussed the formation of a County Teachers' Association. The need of some such organization is evident to all live, thinking teachers, and these gentlemen hope to be able to form such an association. The men present were: Superintendent A. D. Martin, Supt. W. E. Black, of Lexington; Pres. L. M. Banknight and Prof. F. E. Broyles, of Leesville College, and Supt. Baldwin, of Batesburg. Mr. Martin was made chairman of the meeting, and Mr. Broyles was elected secretary, these men to serve until some permanent organization can be formed. It was decided to call a meeting of the teachers of the county at Lexington on November 18, at 11 a. m. The meeting will be held in the school building. Every teacher in the county is urged to attend this meeting. It will show that you desire to keep in touch with others, and it will benefit you to hear ideas and plans of other teachers. Do not allow anything to interfere with your coming. An attractive programme for the first meeting has been planned, as follows:

Meeting called to order at 11 o'clock.

Devotional exercises conducted by one of the Lexington ministers.

Song by the entire body present. Some familiar song will be chosen.

Appointment of nomination committee.

Formal address of the day by some very prominent school man.

Discussion on the purposes of the organization.

Permanent organization, with report of nomination committee.

Readings and songs.

Adjournment.

The name of the invited speaker will be announced as soon as he is secured.

Let all teachers in this county make an honest effort to come. The meeting will break up by 1 o'clock, which will give any who comes a distance time to reach home before darkness sets in. We owe it to our patrons and trustees, as well as to ourselves, to attend these meetings and come into contact with other teachers. You cannot help being inspired by the spirit of the discussions, and you are bound to get new and attractive ideas which will aid you in your work, and make it less tiresome. No man or woman has a right to allow himself or herself to stagnate, but if you do not mingle with your fellow workers, how can you avoid it?

The rural teachers are urged especially to come and take an active part in this organization, as we mean to make our meetings especially attractive to them. B.

### Card of Thanks.

To the Editor of The Dispatch:

Allow me space in your paper to thank my friends for the kindness shown me during my wife's illness and death. May God ever watch over and guide them through life.

A. T. Kistler.

### For Sale.

I will sell at my place, ten miles northwest of Lexington, the following: One mare, 2 cows, 1 one-horse wagon, corn and fodder, farm implements and household and kitchen furniture. Said sale to be on November 9, 1911. 2w52p A. T. Kistler.

### Clerk Shealy Makes Two Hearts Beat as One.

Monday morning at 9 o'clock J. B. Jeter and Miss M. L. Redmond of Swansea, were married in the court house by Clerk of Court Frank W. Shealy. In the presence of several witnesses, the bride and groom to be stepped down the hallway, accompanied by Miss Alma Long, the telephone operator, and N. P. Shipp, the deputy clerk.

Clerk of Court Shealy, in his usual solemn manner, spoke the words that made the two hearts beat as one. Mr. and Mrs. Jeter left immediately in an automobile for Swansea by way of Columbia.

### No Fish Story.

"You'll be a man like one of us some day," said the patronizing sportsman to a lad who was throwing his line into the same stream.

"Yes, sir," he answered, "I s'pose I will some day, but I b'lieve I'd rather stay small and catch a few fish."—Tit-Bits.

### The End of It.

Boaster—I'm the big gun in this establishment.

Roaster—Well, don't say it so loud or you might be fired.—Baltimore American.

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### Clerk's Sale.

The State of South Carolina,  
County of Lexington,  
In the Court of Common Pleas.

H. A. Meetze, Mrs. Florence E. Caughman and L. Ans Jackson  
Plaintiffs;  
against  
Mrs. Mary R. Muller and Miss May Blanche Meetze,  
Defendants.

SALE IN PARTITION.

In obedience to the decree of the Court herein, signed by the Honorable R. W. Memminger, Judge Presiding in the 11th Judicial Circuit, at Chambers, Edgefield, S. C., dated the 13th day of October, 1911, I will sell before the Courthouse door, at Lexington, S. C., during the legal hours of sale on the first Monday, the 6th day of November, 1911, to the highest bidder at public outcry the following described property to wit:

All that piece, parcel or lot of land situate lying and being in the County of Lexington, State of South Carolina, containing six acres, more or less, lying at or near the depot at Lexington, S. C., adjoining the public road on the West, lands of the plaintiff, Mrs. Florence E. Caughman being across the road, J. B. Amick on the North, by public road and D. E. George on the South and on the East by the lot of land below described.

And also, all that piece, parcel or lot of land situate, lying and being in Lexington County, said State, containing one acre, more or less, adjoining the lands above described, lands of A. L. Hartley, estate lands of W. H. Meetze and right-of-way of the Southern Railway Company, more particularly described as follows: All of the pieces of land conveyed by the said Rosa I. Meetze to W. H. Meetze, lying on the South side of line beginning at the public road five and one-half feet north of the original line between H. A. Meetze and W. H. Meetze thence running N. 71 E. 8.70 chains to A. L. Hartley's line to a stake corner, this line being the southern boundary of lot cut off for J. B. Amick.

Terms of Sale: ONE-THIRD CASH, and the balance in two equal installments, with interest, in one and two years, with privilege to purchaser to pay all cash.

The purchasers each to pay down the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS, within one hour after the sale of the said property, or it is to be immediately resold at the risk of the former purchaser.

FRANK W. SHEALY,  
Clerk of Court.  
Lexington S. C., Oct. 16th, 1911. 52.  
E. L. Asbill, Atty. for Plaintiffs.  
Efrid & Dreher, Attys. for Defendants

### Professional Card.

Dr. R. W. Gibbs has returned to Columbia, S. C. and his office during the fall hours, 52.

R. W. Gibbs.

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