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THIRD ANNUAL CORN SHOW BIG SUCCESS.

J. A. Eleazer Wins First Prize With 147 Bushel Yield--The Other Winners.

That Lexington soil will produce corn equal to that of the other counties of South Carolina was amply proven on Friday by the large number of exhibits at the third annual corn show, which was held under the auspices of the Lexington County Corn Growers' Association. With a yield of 147 bushels, J. A. Eleazer, of the famous Dutch Fork section, won the cash prize of $25 offered by Congressman Lever. With a production of 137 bushels, L. K. Eleazer, of the same community, carried off the second prize, a ton of guano, given by the L. D. Mullion Co., of Batesburg.

In the boys' contest, which was inaugurated by the Boys' Corn Club, J. H. Lowman, of Ballentine, won the first prize of $25, which was given by the Lexington Savings Bank, he having produced 85 1-2 bushels one acre. Ralph Hendrix, of Lexington, raised 88 1-6 bushels, and was awarded the ton of guano given by the Matthews & Bouknight Co., of Leesville. Raymond Hendrix, of Lexington, won the third prize, ten dollars, given by Dr. J. J. Wingard, of Lexington, and the Citizens' Bank of Batesburg. He produced 87 1-4 bushels.

For the best ten-ear exhibit, J. M. Lowman, of Irmo, won the first premium, 500 pounds of cottonseed meal, given by the Batesburg Cotton Oil Co. S. E. Lowman, of Irmo, was given the second prize, 12 months' subscription to the Leesville News and the Progressive Farmer. The third prize, 12 months' subscription to the Batesburg Enterprise, was won by J. A. Eleazer.

Prof. Harden, of Clemson College, delivered a strong address, as did Prof. Ira W. Williams, of the United States farm demonstration work. Messrs. G. A. Derrick and James W. Shealy, who have charge of the demonstration work in this county, made brief addresses. T. C. Callison, Esq., Dr. E. C. Ridgell and Col. J. Brooks Wingard also spoke.

The association passed resolutions of thanks to the various papers in the county for their help in pushing the work of the corn growers; also to those who gave the prizes, and to the speakers of the day.

At a meeting of the Association held immediately after the prizes were awarded, Dr. E. C. Ridgell, of Batesburg, was re-elected president, and J. A. Barre, of Lexington, was re-elected secretary.

Pelion Happenings.

Special to The Dispatch:

Pelion, Nov. 27.—The largest cotton farmers of this section are not near through gathering their cotton yet.

Messrs. Roof & Holley have their livery, feed and sales stables completed, and will leave for the West in a few days to purchase stock.

Mrs. Cynthia L. Pearce, of Provo City, Utah, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Henry C. Scoffield.

Mrs. H. W. Haltiwanger, of Batesburg, is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Fort.

Mr. R. P. Settlemire and family left a few days ago for White Pine, Tenn., where they will make their future home.

Mr. E. Austin Smith has bought his brother S. R. Smith's place on route 1, and will move there at once.

We understand that the Smith Branch school will open on the first Monday in December.

Long Branch school is getting along nicely with Mr. D. K. Shumpert as teacher.

On Nov. 7, Mr. George D. Hooker, of Swansea, and Miss Lydia Gunter, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil A. Gunter, of Pelion Route 1, were married, Rev. J. K. Inabinet officiating.

On November 12, Mr. James J. Clarke and Miss Girlie Roof were married, W. H. Sharpe, Esq., performing the ceremony.

Mr. J. Dan Kneece has enlisted in the army for three years. He left a few days ago for Columbus, Ohio, where he will report for duty.

Sockery.

A widower says it is better to have loved and been bossed than never to have married at all.

KIDNEY TROUBLE

Suffered Ten Years—Relieved in Three Months Thanks to PE-RU-NA.

C. B. FIZER.

C. B. FIZER, Mt. Sterling, Ky., says:

"I have suffered with kidney and bladder trouble for ten years past.

"Last March I commenced using Peruna and continued for three months. I have not used it since, nor have I felt a pain."

Before State Board.

The appeal of Mr. W. W. Barre and others from the decision of the county board of education in the matter of the selection of a site for the new ten thousand dollar school building for Lexington, will be heard by the State Board of Education next Monday.

The work on the new building is being rapidly pushed by Contractor Van Orman.

The patitioners will be represented by E. L. Asbill, of Leesville, and the trustees by Hon. George Bell Timmerman, the brilliant solicitor of this circuit.

George T. Haltiwanger.

Capt. George T. Haltiwanger, who commanded Company C. Twentieth Regiment, S. C. V., has passed over the river and we trust is now resting "under the shade of the trees."

He lived to a good old age, being 79 years, and 3 months old at his death, which occurred at the residence of his son, William J. Haltiwanger, on Nov. 24th.

The funeral service was conducted by his pastor, Rev. J. B. Haigler.

Comrades.

Irmo, November 27, 1911.

Fruit Cake Ingredients.

The Bazaar has just received a full supply of fruit cake ingredients. Call now while the lot is fresh. You will find our prices just right.

Trespass Notice.

All persons are hereby forbidden to trespass in any manner whatsoever on the lands of the undersigned, either by hunting, fishing or allowing stock to run at large.

C. P. Bundrick,
R. Stoudemire,
J. W. Stoudemire,
P. E. Eargle.

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Odd Fellows To Meet.

Dixie Lodge I. O. O. F. No. 52 will meet in regular session Thursday night next, the 30th. All members are requested to attend as your presence is needed. By order

W. L. Keel, N. G.

M. D. Harman, Secy.

Pomaria Lodge To Meet.

Regular communication Pomaria Lodge A. F. M., will be held in Masonic Hall, Peak, on Saturday, Dec. 2, at 6 p. m. First, second and third degrees. Officers for the ensuing Masonic year will be elected at this meeting. Visiting brethren welcome.

John C. Swygert, W. M.

Thanksgiving Services.

The usual Thanksgiving service of Bethel charge will be held in the church at White Rock on Thanksgiving day, November 30th, at 11 o'clock. All are invited to be present and to bring baskets. Dr. A. G. Voight of the Theological Seminary, will deliver the address of the occasion.

J. E. Haltiwanger, for Com.

CONSIDER THE GROUCH.

He wears no simulated smile
At every time and place.
Sometimes you see for half a mile
The frown upon his face.
He isn't much at shaking hands;
His manner's sharp and short—
In fact, he scarcely understands
The way to be a sport.

He very seldom buys a drink
Or blows the bunch for smokes.
He seems to want to spend his chink
Upon his wife and folks.
The merry grafters call him "close;"
The lushers say he's "tight."
They dub him grouchy, sour, morose,
And doubtless they are right.

But when you're broke and need a friend,
Why, he's right there, you bet!
He'll stick right with you to the end
Through trouble, woe and debt.
He'll swear at you most heartily,
But stake you when you're flat.
It's pretty good, it seems to me,
To have a friend like that.

He loves his children and his wife,
And, though his face is grim
And though he doesn't grin through life,
His friends all swear by him.
His workers love his very frown
And for his goodness vouch,
And—well, I'll let you put me down
As one who loves the grouch.

William Crout.

William Crout departed this life November 23, 1911, aged 82 years, five months and five days. He leaves an aged widow, 7 children, 47 grand children, 55 great grand-children, with a wide circle of other relatives and friends.

He served through the Civil war in Co. K. Twentieth regiment. Returning from that fierce conflict he spent the remainder of his life in quietness and peace.

Brother Crout was a lifelong and faithful member of Nazareth Lutheran church. He was a kind husband and father, a peaceable citizen, a devout christian.

We laid his body to rest in the family cemetery to await the return of the Lord.

B. D. W.

Alfred J. Fox,

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE
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For Sale.

271 acres 6 miles from Lexington on Saluda River, 200 acres open, small dwelling, good outbuildings, 5 tenant houses, deep well, plenty running water. Place will yield 100 bales cotton and 1600 bushels corn.

60 acres 3 miles from Gaston, 9 acres open; 3 room dwelling.

112 acres 6 miles from Peloin, 50 acres open, 6 room dwelling, a barn and stables.

1 acre lot in Brookland, two 3 room cottages.

140 acres 2 miles south of Barr, 30 acres in cultivation, 50 acres pine timber, 6 room dwelling, a barn and stables, plenty water, good pasture, near church and school. Price $2,000 00.

128 acres 3 miles from Steedman, land gray with clay subsoil, plenty oak and hickory, some pine. Land adjoining makes from 1 to 2 bale cotton per acre.

½ acre lot with 6 room Dwelling a barn and Stables, good well, on Depot Street, in Lexington, S. C.

Write or call to see me
—AT—
THE HOME NATIONAL BANK,
Lexington, S. C.

Obituary.

Mamie Ilene, the little daughter of Henry R. Shumpert and wife, departed this life October 31, 1911, aged 7 months and 25 days. She was given to God in Holy Baptism and has early gone to be with Him. "Suffer the little children to come unto me and forbid them not for of such is the kingdom of God."

May God comfort the bereaved!

B. D. W.

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—and—
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GREAT FIFTEEN DAYS COST SALE

—AT—

D. E. HAMMOND'S STORE

GILBERT, . . . S. C.

BEGINS ON SATURDAY DECEMBER 2nd, 1911

This sale is given for the purpose of meeting the low price of cotton, and in order to reduce my mammoth stock. The paices have been cut to piaces on my $2,000.00 stock of Furniture, Buggies, Surries, Etc. Everything in the store will be sold at and below cost for fifteen days, beginning Saturday, Dec. 2. Following are a few of the prices I am going to sell at. Don't put it off; but come right along:

8½c Yard wide Sea Island, now at	5c
8 1-2c Yard wide Sea Island, now at	7c
Calico, the yard	5c
10c Outing now at	8c
$12 Mens' Blue Serge Suits, now	$ 8 75
$10 Mens' Blue Serge Suits now	$ 6 75
$9 Mens' Black Thibits now at	$ 6 00
$3 25 Boys' Suits 9 to 16 years, now for	$ 2 45
$3 50 " " 4 to 9 years, now at	$ 2 98
$5 00 " " now for	$ 4 10
$5 90 " " now going at	$ 4 98
$2 75 Eight Day Clocks, now for	$ 1 98

Great Reduction in Furniture

$40 00 Three Room Set, now for	$ 34 95
35 00 " " " now for	29 95
30 00 " " " now for	25 00
25 00 " " " now for	21 00
14 00 Dressers now	11 45
12 00 Bureaus now at	10 45
10 00 " "	8 95
8 50 " "	6 95
8 00 Washstand with glass, now for	6 95
6 00 " " " " " "	5 00
3 75 " without glass	3 00
$12 00 Bedsteads, now	10 25
10 00 " "	8 45
6 00 " "	4 95
3 50 " "	2 95
Iron beds from	$2 95 to $9 00
$2 25 Bed Springs, now	$ 1 75
4 00 " "	2 95
2 25 Mattresses now	1 75
4 00 " "	2 95
6 00 All Cotton Mattresses now at	4 98
14 00 Lounges, now for	11 79
12 50 " now for	9 45
22 00 Wardrobe with mirror, now	17 50
15 00 " without mirror now for	11 95
1 25 Centre Tables now for	95c
5 75 Reed Rockers, now for only	4 98
5 00 " " now at	4 10
4 00 " " now at	2 98
3 00 Oak Rocker now for	2 45
2 50 Oak Rocker for only	1 95
Other Rockers as cheap.	
1 25 Oak Chairs now	1 00
1 00 Oak Chairs now	85c
85c " " now	72
60c " " now	49c
1 25 Childrens high chairs with leaf for	95c
1 00 Childrens high chairs without leaf	79c
$28 00 Sideboard, now for	21 95
15 00 " now	10 45
8 00 Safe with glass door now for	6 95
5 50 Safe without glass	4 75
3 50 Safe without glass	2 95
1 50 Easels now for	1 00
5 75 Trunks now	4 48
10 00 Cooking Stove	7 75
15 00 Cooking Stove	11 50
19 00 Cooking Stove	14 50
17 Quart Dish-pans now for	25c

Great Reduction in Buggies and Surries Guaranteed 12 Months

$55 00 Open Runabout Buggy, now for	$ 48 00
65 00 Top Buggy, now	54 50
70 00 Top Buggy, now	59 50
100 00 Canopy Top Surry with shafts for	78 00
110 00 Extension Top Surry with pole	85 00
28 00 Double Buggy Harness, now	23 00
18 00 Single Buggy Harness, now	14 00
15 00 " " " now	11 50
10 00 " " " now	7 95
7 00 Lap Robes, now	5 48
5 00 " "	3 98
2 75 " "	1 98

D. E. Hammond, . Gilbert. S. C.