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### Trustees' Association.

Mr. Chas. B. Kneece, president of the School Trustees' Association for this county, has asked me to announce in The Dispatch that there will be a meeting of the trustees here on the second Monday in December. It is earnestly desired that there shall be

a full attendance. All trustees should bear in mind that they would not do a better thing for the advancement of the educational interests of their county than by gathering together and discussing plans for the betterment of their respective districts. Many suggestions will be made and those who have not yet reaped any benefit from the building fund and extension acts will have an opportunity to learn exactly how to proceed in order to do so. In this connection I wish to say that the weak schools of this county will receive extension money from the State this scholastic year t .. e extent of \$1,254-32. Besides, those districts that have complied with the building fund act will get something over \$1,200 from the State and a like amount from the county this year. By getting together anyone who is not familiar with the method of proceeding under these acts, will have an opportunity to find out exactly what to do, if he so de-

There are many other topics that will be discussed and it is vitally important that all should be present.

A. D. Martin, Co. Supt. Education.

## Wise And Otherwise.

Do your Christmas shopping early. We don't expect to.

A man who has nothing but riches is in a pretty bad way.

He who is forever taking chances seldom takes anything else. The Christmas spirit is measured by

the heart, not by the dollar. Ever notice how easy it is for the

baby to get hold of something that it shouldn't have? If you are beginning to worry about

how much your Christmas gifts are going to cost you, don't make any. Dr. John M. T. Finny of Baltimore will probably succeed Woodrow Wil-

son as president of Princeton univer-A suffragette riot occurred in Lon-

don and 220 women were arrested for engaging in disturbances. Governor Johnson of California, has

declared for La Follette for president and a direct presidential primary.

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Office of County Tressurer, Lexington County, Lexington, S. C., September 20, 1911,

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Special School Levy Dis. No. 18 8 Mills

Special School Levy Dis. No. 20 2 Mills

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Poll Tax .... Commutation road tax for 1912, two dollars, is received at the same time as other State and county taxes.

Read instructions below before remitting:

According to law the County Auditor will add the following penalties: On January 1st, 1912, 1 per cent. penalty will be added to those who have not paid. On February 1st, 1912, an additional 1 per cent. will be added to those who have not paid, making 2 per cent. penalty for February. Still an additional 5 per cent. panalty will be added on March 1st., making 7 per cent. penalty to be paid by those who have not paid by March 1st, 1912.

Tax Books will close March, 15, 1912. When remitting give each township or school district your property is in. Give one name in full, not initials.

Very truly, E. L. WINGARD, Treasurer Lexington County, S. C.

Oh, the Difference! "You look pretty this evening." the bacheler said to his fair companion.

She gazed at him philosophically. "I am sure you mean that well,' she replied, "but you have no idea how such a speech wrings the heart of one like me-or would if I had not become hardened to the inevitable. Nobody ever says to me. 'You are pretty.' It is always 'You look pretty.' There is a difference as wide as the wideness of the sea. The girl who really is pretty never has to give the subject a thought. Nothing she can do or leave undone affects the vital fact that she is pretty. The girl whom nature has not thus dowered must be forever trying to make herself 'look pretty.' Of course in a way she deserves far more credit for making berself acceptable to the public than the pretty girl does-also it is a compliment to her taste, inseculty, skill and various other mental qualities to assure her she has attained success-but it always reminds her of the battle she must continually wage." -Exchange.

The Summerless Year.

The year 1816 was called the "year without a summer." Spring came that year, but in its faintest form. Snow. cold rains and winds were incessant. It was the lat of June before the first left the ground. The farmers planted their crops, but the seed would hardly sprout, and when they came to the surface there was not heat enough to make the frail plants grow. It is recorded that during the mouth of June hirds froze to death in the woods and Seids. Small fruits, such as there were, retted on the stem, there being no birds to eat them. But Mittle corn matured. Only in sheltered spots were good sized roasting ears to be found. Frosts prevailed every mouth is the year and almost daily. The people after repeated hopes of a change for the better settled down almost in deapair. The like of it was never known in the country before and, fortunately. has never been repeated .- New York American,

Telstoy and the Bear.

When Count Toistoy was a roung man be took part in a bear hunt that Bearly ended fatally. When the beast charged him Tolstoy fired and missed. He fired a second shot, which hit the bear's jaw and lodged between his teeth. Tolstoy was knocked down, falling with his face in the snow. "There." he thought; "all is over with me." He drew his head as far as possible between his shoulders, exposing chiefly his thick fur cap to the beast's mouth till she was able to tear with her upper teeth only the cheek under the left eye and with the lower teeth the skin of the left part of the forehead. At this moment the famous bear hunt leader, Ostashkof, ran up with a small switch in his bands and cried out his usual "Where are you getting to? Where are you getting to?" This, says Tolstoy. sent the bear scuttling off : her utmost speed.

The Real Old Article.

The stranger in Boston was interested in the old family names of that eity. He bore a strong letter of introduction to a prominent townsman. "I can give you from memory the names of all the old families of our city." the prominent townsman said, and he rattled off two or three dozens

The stranger tooked up from his copy pad expectantly.

at an amazing rate.

"Is that all?" be asked. "I have given you a complete list of Boston's leading families," the prominent townsman replied. "Not one of them dates back less than six generations."

The stranger stared. "But surely you have other old fam-Ries of note in Boston?"

"Mersiy transients," icily repiled the Bestes man.-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Good and Bad.

A comerciably brief, effective sums. ming up was once quoted by Lord James is an after dinner speech. It was delivered by an Irish judge trying a man far pig stealing. The evidence of bis guilt was couclusive, but the prisoner insisted on calling a namber of witnesses, who testified most emphatically to his general good character. After hearing their evidence and the councer's speeches the indge remarked. "Gentlemen of the jury, I think that the only conclusion you can arrive at is that the pig was stolen by the prisoner and that he is the most amiable man in the county."-Lordon Chronicle.

Not Her Fault. The mistress comes home without warning. She finds the maid in gala

"Why, what do you mean," she cries, by wearing my best black skirt?" "It is not my fault." replies the maid. "Madam locked up all her colored ones."-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Volcanic Ash.

The destructive Philippine volcanoes have value for one thing at least, says a writer in the Pacific Monthly. They are directly responsible for the apest bemn producing area in the world. Hemp thrives in a soil heavily impregnated with volcanic ash.

His Share. "How do you propose to support my

daughter, young man?" "Rut, sir, I was only proposing to marry her."-Exchange.

Opinion.

Bella-It is like buying a fish instead

Stella-What do you think of marrying a nobleman?

How blessings brighten as they take their flight!- Young.

of catching it.-New York Times.

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