

NEWS IN AND AROUND WESTMINSTER. Westminister, July 15.—Miss Lorine Dickerson, a pretty young lady of Hartwell, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dickerson and Miss Rosa McCollins last week.

Miss Rebecca Sewell, of Lenoira, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. S. Haley. Anthony B. Stewart and T. P. Moore made a brief visit to Franklin county, Ga., this week.

Jesse E. Mitchell, of Belmont, is spending a couple of weeks with his brothers, C. E. O. and Dr. Burt Mitchell. He is accompanied by his daughter, Miss Cora Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McJunkin and son George, of Atlanta, Saturday attended the marriage of Miss Lottie Neville and Geo. O'Neal, which occurred yesterday.

George F. Slipp and family moved on Monday to Bessemer City, N. C. Mr. Slipp will fill the position of superintendent in the Bessemer City Cotton mill.

Editor A. H. Mecklin, of the Tooea Record, was in town Monday. We were pleased to form his acquaintance. Miss Pearl Norton, of Bessemer, returned from several weeks in Westminister, left last Monday for Salisbury, Ga., to spend a while with the family of J. C. Miller.

W. C. Mason, Lenoira's popular banker, was in Westminister last week. Walter has many warm friends here, who are always glad to see him.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Loggins, of Houston, Ga., returned home Monday, after spending a few days with the family of W. S. Haley.

Miss Sallie Dickson and her friend, Miss Messer, have returned from a visit to the home of the late Mrs. J. W. Lunsford, returned yesterday from a brief visit to Atlanta.

Married, on Sunday, July 12, at 10 a. m., Ephraim E. Davis to Miss Ella G. Norris, Rev. W. T. McAllister officiating. The marriage occurred at the home of the groom.

Mrs. R. E. Mason stopped over a few days last week as she was returning from a visit of several weeks at Atlanta, Fairburn and Lenoira. Her many friends were glad to welcome her here on a visit.

hand car. They were traveling at full speed when the car was thrown from the track by striking one of the wheels against a rock which happened to be on the track. Mr. Lawrence and one of the negroes were badly bruised and will be unable to work for several days.

This section has been visited by good rains since last Friday and all crops are beginning to grow.

Cholera infantum. This has long been regarded as one of the most dangerous and fatal diseases to which infants are subject. It can be cured, however, when properly treated.

Ramage Killed Making Peace. Columbia, July 12.—A homicide was committed near Clinton, Laurens county, Thursday morning which started Upper Carolina. Mattie Simpson is a pretty girl, 15 years old, living with her father, Thomas Simpson.

When the girl was surrounded by men all night, who would have lynched him if he had attempted to leave. This morning at 8 o'clock Ramage and Reid Blakely, a friend, drove to Wham's house.

When Ramage just after the shooting without being observed. Bloodhounds were sent from Columbia and put on the track, but failed.

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ONE DOLLAR PER DAY. WE GIVE ONE DOLLAR PER DAY FOR Able-Bodied Labor.

WE WERE A LITTLE DAMP, BUT WE HAVE NOW DRIED OUT AND ARE READY TO SHOW YOU THROUGH OUR MAMMOTH STOCK OF GOODS. WE HAVE A LINE THAT WILL INTEREST EVERYONE.

WE ARE AID HULLS. YOURS FOR TRADE. THE NEWRY STORE. (ASHMEAD COURTENAY, Manager.) THE COURTENAY MANUFACTURING COMPANY, PROPRIETORS.

Carried Away by Large Fish. Pensacola, Fla., July 11.—Last Wednesday night while a number of boys were gathered on Perdido wharf fishing for shark, one of them, Carl Johnson, took the hook in the water and threw a large fish took the bait and finding itself caught, lunged for the bottom, dragging the little fellow from the wharf. He disappeared beneath the surface and was never seen again.

Big Price for Cotton. West Point, Ga., July 11.—The streets of West Point presented a busy scene such as is commonly seen here in October and November when Messrs. John Wright and William Crawford, Harris county, drove into town last Thursday morning followed by seven teams pulling twenty-nine bales of cotton. There were plenty of buyers on hand and after a short while the entire lot, weighing over 15,000 pounds, was sold to Robert C. Freeman, representing the Lenoira cotton mills, at the fancy price of 12 1/2 cents per pound, with all storage and drayage charges paid, making their load net them over \$2,000. These two gentlemen still own forty bales of cotton, which they have stored at their home, holding it for still larger price than the one they got to day.

Negroes Must Leave! Sour Lake, Texas, July 11.—Information reached Sour Lake to-day that a mob of thirty indignant citizens of that town last week and escorted to the city limits and threatened with death if they again appeared in Hokah. The man and woman had been warned to quit town, but refused. They were taken from the home of the woman last night by the mob which broke down the doors to get them. They were stripped before a hundred people and tarred and feathered and forced to travel out of town through jeering lines of farmers to the outskirts. The situation grows and assumes serious phases at each moment.

To CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Groves' signature is on each box. 25 cents.

While at work on the new church building of the Rutherford Street church, Greenville, on the 9th instant, Jess Bell, a well-known carpenter of that city fell to the floor, fracturing his skull. He is still in the hospital and his physicians have no hope for him whatever. Mr. Bell has a wife and two children.

SPECIALS IN HARDWARE FOR THE NEXT 15 DAYS. No. 1 Seventy-five pound Farm Bell, \$2.00. 36-inch, 8-Steel Rib Buggy Umbrellas, white, \$1.70. High grade Bicycle Tires, Each, 1.50. Bicycle Foot Pumps, Each, 1.50. M. & W. Inner Tubes, Each, 85c. Grazing Chains, 20 feet, Each, 40c. Calf and Cow Muzzles, 35 and 40c. 100 feet Rust Proof Clothes Wire, 25c. Saddle Stirrups, Per pair, \$1.50. Genuine "Rodgers" Single Gun, \$4.75. Rural Mail Boxes, approved by Postmaster General, Box and Lock complete, \$1.35.

COUNTY CLAIMS AUDITED. At the regular monthly meeting of the Board of County Commissioners, held on Friday, July 3, 1903, the following claims were audited:

Table with columns: Claim No., In Whose Favor and Nature, Amount Claimed, Amount Allowed. Includes entries for R. R. Dows, S. L. Richardson, Geo. Williams, etc.

Matheson Hardware Co., Westminister, S. C. IT WILL PAY YOU TO VISIT US AND SEE OUR IMMENSE STOCK OF HARDWARE, STOVES & RANGES, BUILDING MATERIALS, MECHANIC'S TOOLS, &c. OUR PRICES ARE THE VERY LOWEST. REMEMBER OUR PLACE—MAIN STREET, NEXT TO J. & J. S. CARTER'S.

Most Out of Paper? Whenever you are out, think of us. We are never out of the most desirable lines of WRITING PAPERS. New coming occasionally. Late styles now here. Prices are low and assortment is splendid.

LUNNEY, THE DRUGGIST, SENECA, S. C. We Want To Reduce Our Stock. It will Pay You to Call and See Us.

WE ARE OVERSTOCKED ON CLOTHING. Large lot of Pants, worth 75c, to \$1.50; your choice, \$1.00. Large lot of Pants, worth \$1.50 to \$2.25; your choice, \$1.00. We also have a Large Stock of GLASSWARE AND CROCKERY. Nies On Meal Dish, 5c. each. 7-inch Bowls, 5c. each. 9-inch Bowls, 10c. each.

We Have a Good Many SHOES Only One Pair of a Kind. \$1.00 quality reduced to 50c. \$1.50 and \$2.00 quality reduced to \$1.00. We have many other Bargains too numerous to mention. Come and see. It costs you nothing to look.

J. & J. S. CARTER, WESTMINSTER, S. C. EXPLANATION.—Claims marked with an asterisk (*) were not audited by the Board of Commissioners on July 3, 1903, but are included in this report as they were paid out of 1903 funds, which makes the amount to date to be paid out of this year's funds \$12,525.02, less claim No. 525, in the second payment on the Court House and Jail loan. This is the full amount of cash on hand from the \$1 mill levy. Where there is a missing number name was laid over for investigation.