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News From Within and Without the County.

CONDENSED FOR QUICK READING

Some Items of Fact, Some of Comment and All Helping to Give an Idea of What Our Neighbors Are Saying and Doing.

Lancaster Citizen, November 27: A real estate deal in which considerable interest maintains, was consummated Friday morning when John C. Edwards bought from Mr. L. C. Poyser the store room on Main street now occupied by J. H. Mackorell's store. This is one of the best located buildings in town. Mr. Edwards bought as an investment, and Mr. Mackorell will continue to occupy the building. The consideration is said to have been \$10,000. Mrs. Connie D. Heath suffered a broken nose and other bruises as a result of an automobile accident Saturday night, when the delivery truck of the Lancaster bakery, driven by Mr. Ballard, collided with the car driven by Mr. Chauncey Gregory, in which Mrs. Heath was a passenger. Mrs. Heath and her little son, Earle, were returning from Columbia with Mr. Gregory and Miss Lella Gregory. The accident occurred in the postoffice block of Main street. None of the other passengers were injured and neither of the cars was badly damaged. Fire of unknown origin destroyed the store and meat market of C. C. Dabney in Brooklyn about 4 o'clock this morning. Practically all of the woodwork about the building and the stock of goods was destroyed. Coming at that time on Monday morning when the building had been unoccupied since Saturday night, incendiaryism is suspected, though no clue to the origin of the fire has been discovered. Mr. D. E. Boney of York, organizer and president of the Farmers' Mutual Insurance companies operating in York and Lancaster counties, was on last Friday re-elected president of the State Association of Mutual Insurance companies at Columbia. Mr. Bright Williamson of Darlington, was elected vice president, and E. H. Wehman of Charleston, secretary and treasurer. Dr. M. B. Humphries and Mr. E. Malley Ferguson are in Fennell Infirmary, Rock Hill, and Miss Frances Anderson is in the Charlotte sanatorium, while Mr. J. M. McCaskill and a Mr. Clements are at their homes in the mill-village, suffering more or less serious injuries as a result of an automobile collision Sunday afternoon on the Camden road one mile south of town.

Gaffney Ledger, Nov. 28: The Gaffney High school football team came in for a good deal of attention Friday night, when they were guests on two separate functions given in their honor. They were tendered a surprise supper given by Mrs. Victor Lipscomb, and later entertained at a reception at West End, given by the young ladies of the high school. For the fox hunt to be staged one day this week, H. H. Daniels and Wade Humphries have made all arrangements and are only waiting the arrival of the fox, which is an uninjured one caught in the mountains of Kentucky. "We are going to have a dandy race and hunt," said Mr. Daniels. "Already there are over twenty dogs entered and we have applications for other entries. Our fox is delayed in coming, owing to the distance, but he is guaranteed to give our dogs the run of their lives. We propose to stage the race in a section where the dogs will have to do some sure enough running to catch him which will be on the W. T. Humphries farm, located on the Dravo road. In addition to the James McSwain dogs, there are several York county dogs entered for the race. Heretofore, our races have been run where the dogs caught their quarry too quickly, hence we propose to get as many dogs as possible, then have the race where it will take from four to six hours steady running to bag the game. Everything points to a real, genuine old time fox hunt; and say, even the weather man is with us." W. G. Eaker, charged with murder, and Dewey Horn, charged with homicide, were acquitted last Friday and Saturday. Several other cases were disposed of. Eaker faced the charge of murder in connection with the death of Columbus Petty, which occurred a short while ago following an automobile accident. The evidence showed that under the circumstances the accident was unavoidable. Dewey Horn, on April 22nd shot Miss Fannie Crenshaw. She lingered until the middle of July when death ensued. It seems that Horn was cleaning a revolver when it exploded, the bullet striking the girl. The evidence in this case was to the effect that the shooting was an accident and under the circumstances could not be helped. A very pretty home wedding took place at the home of the bride's uncle, Mr. E. W. Humphries, on the 24th of November at 4:30 o'clock when Miss Althea Humphries became the bride of Mr. Daniel D. Walker.

Chester Reporter, Nov. 27: Chester county zinned 16,782 bales of cotton up to November 14, according to figures released Saturday by Mr. W. P. Marion, as compared with 22,577 bales for the same period the preceding year. The body of Mr. T. L. Lewis, who died Thursday night at a local hospital, was taken to Winstonsboro Friday and interred, the funeral service being conducted by Dr. Oliver Johnson, pastor of the Winstonsboro A. R. P. church. Mr. Augustus E. Westerland and Miss Sarah Ethel King, two of Chester's popular young people, surprised their many friends yesterday afternoon when they motored out to the home of Rev.

J. H. Yarborough, and were united in marriage. There was never a more flagrant miscarriage of justice in the courts of South Carolina, as iniquitous as have been some verdicts in the Old Palmetto state, than the decision of the football committee at Anderson last week, when by a process of mental meandering that disregarded and evaded facts and logic and was completely unjust and arbitrary that resembled fairness and justice, the committee arrived at the conclusion that Douglas Nims is eligible to play high school football in South Carolina under the rules which declare that no player is eligible to participate in the athletic contests of the Association who has ever taken part in athletic contests for any remuneration or compensation whatsoever except prizes. Something was said about the rules of the association not being retroactive, which was introduced plainly and simply to muddy the waters, as it is a known fact that Nims has played baseball for years for financial compensation, and all of it he could get, including the past summer, whereas the rules of the association are certainly two years old at least. Representatives of York, Chester and Fairfield counties, including citizens of Fort Mill, Rock Hill, Chester, Woodward, White Oak, and other towns along the route, met at the Carolina Inn in Chester Friday and organized the York-Chester-Fairfield County Highway Association, which has for its primary purpose the construction of an up-to-date highway between Charlotte and Columbia, via the towns mentioned, which is to be known as the Carolina Short Line Highway and after that the improvement of the entire road system of the three counties involved. Officers were elected as follows: President, A. L. Gaston, Chester; Vice Presidents, Dr. W. W. Fennell, T. B. Spratt, John T. Roddey, York; Robert Gage and E. R. Lucas, Chester; and Gordon Johnstone, W. M. Patrick, and B. H. Heyward, Fairfield; Secretary and Treasurer, H. S. Adams, Chester. A marriage of much interest to a large circle of friends was that of Miss Mary Louise Hunter and Mr. John G. Latimer, performed Thursday evening at Purity Presbyterian manse by Dr. Flournoy Shepperson.

Chester Reporter, Nov. 30: We understand that the Monroe Hardware Co., of Monroe, N. C., has about concluded all arrangements for opening a branch (wholesale) in Chester. It is likely that the new concern will be located in the quarters in the Crosby building on Gadsden street now used for cotton storage purposes. Mr. Frank L. Marshall, who went to Monroe recently to work for the Monroe Hardware Co., will have charge of the warehouse here when the Chester branch is opened. Chester will have no football game tomorrow for the first Thanksgiving Day in several years, but that will not keep some of the fans from seeing a game, as a goody number will accompany the Chester team to Shelby, N. C., while others expect to go to Clinton and see the P. C. Newberry game. The Chester High School football team will play its last game for the season Thanksgiving Day at two p. m. with the strong Shelby, N. C., eleven on the latter's grounds. Superintendent Brockman made every effort to secure a game for the Chester grounds, but was unsuccessful. Shelby made a nice financial offer for the game, and will come here next fall for a return game. Shelby was in the championship fight in North Carolina until a few days ago when eliminated by Monroe. Mr. Frank L. Whitlock, who has been in charge of the Virginia Life Insurance Co.'s Chester branch for several years, has turned down a very fine offer from the company to go to Detroit, Mich., and take charge of operations there. Mr. Whitlock was offered a very flattering salary, and the position also holds out most alluring prospects of rapid advancement in the matter of emolument; but Mr. Whitlock decided, after thinking the proposition over carefully, that he would rather remain in Chester, where he has always lived and for which he has a warm attachment. Mr. Whitlock has had phenomenal success since going with the Virginia Life Insurance Co. several years ago, and at any time he desires to make a change a substantial promotion awaits him. There are a number of cases of flu in Chester; but the disease is of a mild type compared with the flu of four years ago, though several have been rather unwell with the disease for a day or two. At a meeting of the directors of the Baldwin Mills yesterday afternoon a resolution was offered and adopted to submit a resolution to the stockholders recommending that the common stock of the mill be increased from \$400,000 to \$800,000, or a stock dividend of 100 per cent be declared. Wednesday, December 27th, is the time fixed for the meeting of stockholders to vote upon their resolution. The White Bank will move into its new quarters in the old A. C. Fischeil stand soon. This building, which was purchased by the White Bank about two years ago, is being suitably re-modeled on the interior, and will make most acceptable headquarters for the bank. The White Bank's present quarters will be occupied within the next few weeks by Miss Lela Lowman, of Newberry, who will conduct a ladies' furnishings. The home of Warren Balce, colored, on the Columbia road about six miles from Chester was entered Monday about noon while no one was at home, and a considerable quantity of clothing and other effects stolen. From the way the marauder or marauders had ransacked around, it was evidently money that they were wanting most. Marriage licenses as follows have been issued this week from the office of Judge of Probate A. W. Wise: Mr. Thos. Brooks and Miss Nannie

Mellon, both of Chester; Mr. Fain Pearson and Miss Ettie Sizemore, both of Great Falls; and Mr. Espy M. Cannon, of Concord, N. C., and Miss Viola P. Dixon, of Blackstock. Mr. E. W. Long, Division Freight Agent of the Seaboard Air Line, in a recent letter to the Chester Chamber of Commerce had this to say: "We will possibly be able to locate another industry in Chester soon." The Cathcart house on this side of Winstonsboro, which has been a familiar sight for years to passengers on the Southern Railway or traveling the Columbia highway, was burned down yesterday morning. Cleveland Star (Shelby), November 28: Mrs. Betty Lindeberger, widow of the late J. D. Lindeberger, Sr., gave \$1,000 Sunday to the women of Central Methodist church who have agreed to undertake to raise funds with which to erect a handsome new parsonage for the church pastor. The Shelby High school football team, which has made such a wonderful reputation and record for itself on the gridiron at home and abroad, with Coach Gurley at its head—was tendered an elegant banquet on last Friday evening by a number of Shelby lovers of the sport who wished to show their appreciation of the team's splendid work in this very substantial way. There are 534 enrolled in the white schools of Shelby in the grammar department, 133 in the high school, making a total enrollment of 667; the average attendance is 992, the best in all history. There are 170 enrolled in the Shelby colored schools, with an average attendance of 115, making a total enrollment in the white and colored schools of Shelby of 1,223, with an average attendance of 1,017.

German Teachers Rebel. Their Wages Are Only Five Cents Per Day. Objecting to a wage of twenty-three marks an hour, the teachers in Cologne's continuation schools have struck for more pay. Similar action already had been taken by the faculties of vocational institutions at Duisburg and Essen in Germany. The Cologne staffs include teachers from the public grade schools, engineers, and expert hand workers. Some time ago they were conceded sixty-three marks an hour, but their union alleges no actual payments were made at this rate. At the prevailing rate of exchange, twenty-three marks hourly means a wage of less than five cents for an eight-hour day. —San Francisco is to have a general headquarters building for all women's organizations.

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ed Sessional Chairman by a majority of five votes over J. R. Clynes. His election was due to the solidarity of the Scottish Labor members, who voted for him to a man. By virtue of his position he will become premier if the present government falls. This will slightly change a slate published before election by a London Tory paper of the principal members of Labor cabinet, if it were formed in the near future. It reads: J. R. Clynes, Premier; Arthur Henderson, Lord of the Privy Seal; Lord Haldane, Lord Chancellor; Phillip Snowden, Chancellor of the Exchequer; Sidney Webb, Colonial Secretary; Tom Shaw, Foreign Secretary; Ben Tillet, Home Secretary; Ramsay MacDonald, Secretary for India; J. H. Thomas, War Secretary; Joseph Wedgwood, First Lord of the Admiralty. In this list MacDonald appears as secretary for India; probably because he has written much about British rule there, based upon a trip made on an official mission. The caucus vote, however, indicates that he and not Mr. Clynes will be the first Labor Premier.

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MOTHER IS FOUND.

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A search of thirty-six years, which extended all over the United States, ended at Traverse City, Mich., recently when Mrs. C. C. Mobery of Omaha, Neb., found her mother in the Traverse City state hospital. Misfortune came to the family when the children were young, and Mrs. Mobery, with two brothers, were sent to a children's home in Kentucky. As soon as she was old enough to be sent out into the world she started the search for her mother. One of the many clues indicated that the mother had been placed in the Montcalm county home, but when Mrs. Mobery visited the county she found

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that the home and all its records had been burned years ago. She had vague word, however, that her mother had been brought to Traverse City by a Mr. Sheldon. Accordingly she wrote to "Mr. Sheldon," Traverse City, and the letter was delivered to Capt. Earl Sheldon of the local fire department. The captain had never heard of the case, but the plea of the daughter caused him to take up the search, and he at last located the aged woman in the state hospital. He notified the daughter and she hurried there from Omaha with her two brothers. —After one year and a half on Arizona's board of pardons and paroles, Miss Elsie Toles declared that the present method of dealing with criminals is all wrong.

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