

The Manning Times.

MANNING, S. C., JAN. 12, 1910.

Publishes All County and Town Official Advertisements.

Advertisers will please remember that copy for a change of ad. MUST be in this office by Saturday Noon in order to insure publication the following week.

ST. PETER'S, NO. 54.

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Last Saturday afternoon, two boys, Joseph White and Pinckney Tobias, aged 13 and 14 years respectively, started bird hunting in the Green Savannah section, and when they reached Mr. Robert Tobias' house, the gun in the hands of Tobias was accidentally discharged, and the load entered White's neck, death resulting in about 35 minutes. The affair is deeply deplored by the entire community, and it is another warning to parents to keep firearms away from children.

On and after January 15th all persons who are over one year in arrears to THE TIMES will be cut off. We give this timely notice in order that they cannot have the excuse to say they did not know they would be cut off. It is impossible for us to carry a dead-beat set of readers. If the paper is worth receiving it is worth paying for, and we should rather have 1,000 paying subscribers than 2,000 on our list and one-third of them dead-beats, a dead-beat is the most contemptible creature on earth, and it is surprising how many of these cattle there are.

We publish a letter from the Supervisor of the Census for this district that complains of the lack of applications for certain townships in this county. It is the duty of every citizen to see that Clarendon is fully represented in the census, and we do not hesitate to say that if the citizens of the townships complained of do not apply, men from other townships will be sent there and they may be counted as "strangers." Write to W. J. Storen, Supervisor of the census, Charleston S. C., at once. Applications have not been sent from Calvary, Fulton, Concord, Friendship, Mt. Zion and St. Marks. Do you want white men to take the census, if so apply now.

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CURET, Proprietor, Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Curet for the last 15 years, and believe him to be a honorable and reliable man, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

Everybody had a big time in Manning last Wednesday.

The school building will in a few days have its sewerage connection.

Several of the young roosters attended a dance at Brogden's last Friday night.

Land renting and making arrangements for supplies is the order of the day at present.

Miss Augusta Appelt left last Wednesday for Charleston to resume her musical studies.

Died at Pinewood at the home of her son, last Wednesday Mrs. M. E. Humbert aged about 66 years.

Right Rev. Bishop Goerry will officiate at Manning on February 13th. Place of worship given later.

On last Sunday night near New Zion a tenant house belonging to Mr. Halsey Baker, was destroyed by fire. No insurance.

Miss Valiey Appelt after spending the holidays at home returned to Greenville to resume her studies at Chicora college.

Let us beg the friends of THE TIMES to send in good live fresh news letters while the editor is away working for the people's interests.

The issue of THE TIMES should be put away to hand down to future generations. In after years it will be a valuable historical paper.

Miss Margaret Reardon gave a card party last Thursday night in honor of her guests, Miss Pearl and Mr. Moody Wheeler, of New Zion.

The many friends were delighted to have with them last week Rev. James McDowell. This grand old gentleman is looking the picture of health.

There is more money in the Banks in Manning now than ever before at this time of the year. Nearly every farmer has a good bank account.

Rev. J. N. Tolar will preach at the Silver school house the fourth Sunday in January at three o'clock in the afternoon. The public cordially invited.

The visitors to Manning always speak nicely of the signs of progress now going on in this town, the concreting of the sidewalks attracts attention.

A society for the prevention of cruelty to animals is very much needed to act in defense of the poor horses and mules that are often abused on the streets of Manning.

Prof. J. C. Daniel, superintendent of the Manning graded school, has been away for several days on account of the illness of Mrs. Daniel, who is at her mother's in Allendale.

Cotton took a slump last Monday, but the pendulum will swing back the other way. Hayne and Brown have gone to New York to give the price of the fleecy staple a big lift.

County Treasurer Wells says that about half the taxpayers in Clarendon county have paid their taxes and that the amount collected is about two-thirds of the total levy. Very few are paying now.

Two or three different persons were heard to remark at different times yesterday morning that the weather was right cold and some even said that the frost looked like a young snow. Now what do you think of that?

Charlton DuRant, Master of St. Peters, received a very complimentary letter for the manner of conducting the ceremonies of the corner stones here last Wednesday, and the manner that the craft entertained the visitors.

Persons desiring to communicate with the Senator about public matters during the session of the General Assembly, will kindly address their letters to him at Columbia, Senate Chamber. This will insure prompt attention.

The Alcolu railroad company is considering a proposition to join with others and extend to Georgetown. If Manning is made the terminus at this end and Georgetown the other, there is no good reason why Manning should withhold encouragement from the project.

Last Thursday evening about seven o'clock the barn and stables of Mr. W. T. Sprott at Jordan was destroyed by fire and the loss was total as Mr. Sprott carried no insurance. Three mules were burned and one mule was saved, a horse belonging to Coffey and Rigby of this place was in the stable had a narrow escape, came out of the stable considerably singed. The entire contents consisting of corn, oats and forage was consumed.

The stone work on the new graded school building, the corner stone of which was laid last Wednesday, was done by the McDonnell Stone Co., of Atlanta, which firm was worthily represented in Manning by Mr. Jos. E. McDonnell, of Greenwood, S. C. We take pleasure in putting this fact on record at this time, inasmuch as Mr. McDonnell's identification with the building has not heretofore been publicly mentioned. He did good work and he is entitled to recognition.

Davis Station News.

Editor The Manning Times: M. R. F. Horton has just returned from a delightful pleasure trip through Georgia and Florida. Miss May King of Sumter, is visiting relatives here. Mrs. A. J. Richardson of Summerton, visited her son, M. J. D. Richardson here the past week. Mr. Daniel Smith, who has been with the C. M. Davis and Son, Co., during the fall, has moved back to Jordan.

White at school last Friday

Everette, the six year old son of Mr. John Horton, was accidentally run over by a pair of horses, and was painfully but not seriously hurt, about the face.

Resolved, That it is only a just tribute to the memory of the departed, in regretting his removal from our midst, we mourn for one who was in every way worthy of our respect and regard.

Resolved, That we sincerely condole with the family of the deceased on the dispensation with which it has pleased Divine Providence to afflict them, and commend them for consolation to HIM who orders all things for the best, and whose chastisements are in mercy.

Resolved, That this heartfelt testimonial of sympathy and sorrow be forwarded to the Family of our departed brother and friend, by the Secretary of this Union.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be placed in our minutes and one be sent to one of the Farmers' Unions for publication.

Signed by C. W. Huggins, R. L. Geddings, Com.

Tribute.

In view of the loss we have sustained, as a Farmers Union, by the death of George Green, friend and associate, Dr. P. M. Sally, and of the still heavier loss sustained by those who were nearest and dearest to him be it

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Summerton News.

Editor The Manning Times: In speaking of the changes wrought by the entrance of our last year, we took occasion in our last letter to mention a number of large farms in the surrounding community which we erroneously stated "had changed hands." Let it not be understood by that expression that the owners are really disposing of their land interests in this section, for business wisdom has not decreased to such an extent that those in possession of the splendid agricultural lands in Clarendon county are anxious or willing to sell them even at the fancy prices now obtainable. It is true that renters are continually changing from year to year, and at this the beginning of 1910 many of our farms are being vacated and reoccupied. Mr. Jimmie Deas of Camden who owns land in the Panama section has removed from Camden to this place, bringing his family with him. Summerton is very much gratified to see this another evidence of its good standing in the State.

The Summerton Hardware Company has recently purchased a controlling interest in the Colclough Hardware Company, and have opened the New Year with a much increased stock. With their commodious and easily accessible ware rooms they should be in position to fill the public's wants in a very satisfactory manner.

The Summerton Lodge of the Knights of Pythias will on Tuesday night install their newly elected officers for 1910. They report having had a most prosperous year, and a grand outlook for the New Year. After the installation exercises an oyster supper was given at the Hunter Hotel.

On Friday afternoon, January 7th, Mrs. Jno. Kerhaw entertained the Matrons Book Club. After the business formalities, the afternoon was spent quite informally and pleasantly, the guests being entertained largely by the music rendered by Misses Harper and Scarborough. Mrs. Kerhaw, assisted by her staff and cake.

At the home of Mrs. M. L. Coskrey on Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, the Rev. C. S. Felder was married to Miss Annie Coskrey. Rev. J. F. Tolar, pastor of the Baptist church of this place, officiated at the ceremony, immediately after which Mr. and Mrs. Felder left for their home near Columbia.

Rev. S. O. Cantey and family after a few days stay with relatives here returned to their home in Batesburg, S. C.

Miss Bertha Davis has returned home after a visit to relatives in Manning.

Rev. A. T. Dunlap, formerly a pastor of the Methodist church here, and of Hartsville was a visitor in town last week.

Miss Sarah Smythe of Charleston spent a few days last week at the home of Maj. R. E. Briggs. A. S. Summerton, S. C., January 10, 1910.

Pinewood Dots.

Editor The Manning Times: Mrs. Carrie Edna Brailsford, wife of H. A. Brailsford, died here last Tuesday night at 10 o'clock after an illness of several weeks. Mrs. Brailsford was a noble, earnest Christian woman beloved by all who knew her. She was a member of the Methodist church, and President of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society. In both of which she was a zealous worker and will be greatly missed not only in the church and society, but by the entire community. The funeral services were held in the Methodist church Saturday morning and the body was interred in the cemetery of St. Mark's Episcopal church. She leaves a husband, a little daughter and two sisters, Mrs. McDonald Green and Mrs. Elliott, also four brothers.

Miss Emily Hutson of Tarbeville is teaching music in the graded school.

Sid Landon, character artist, pleased the audience that he bore the last Monday night. His impersonation of the "old man" and the "two Jews" were particularly good and thoroughly enjoyed by every one.

Mr. William Richardson spent last week in Charleston on a visit to his mother.

Mr. W. T. Elwell's residence is being completed and will be used by him shortly.

Following is the honor roll of the Pinewood graded school for the month. First grade—Ruby Broughton, Newell Griffin, Burney Stone and Jackson Broughton.

Second grade—Gladys Weeks and Jessie Wise.

Third grade—Fabian Broadway, Ray L. L. Mammie Harvin and Leo Broughton.

Seventh grade—Miss Helen Geddings.

Eighth grade—Julian Griffin, Cecil Mims and Leola Broughton.

Ninth grade—Miss Isabel Weeks.

Tenth grade—Miss Ida Griffin.

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Itched cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Nyer fails. Sold by W. E. Brown & Co., Druggist.

JUST IN TIME.

The Squire Wasn't Actually Nigh, but He Was a Little Close.

They were discussing the salient traits of old Squire Gresson's character, the funeral being a thing of the past.

"Some way or 'nother, between his goals as 'the burly', nobody felt free to speak," Abel Nutting had said free to speak.

"It seemed more'n likely he'd come to ag in an' call us to account, some as usual."

"He was free to give to philanthropy as 'the church', said Barton Sedgwick when his turn came, "but in the family circle I called him kind o' close. I won't go so far's to say he was actually nigh, but he certainly was kind o' close."

"As how?" inquired three voices in unison. They all had plenty of instances of the old squire's "closeness," but it was Barton's privilege to speak first, he being a cousin once removed.

"Well, I was there to a Sunday dinner with him last December," said Barton slowly. "He invited Sally an' me, same as always, once a year."

"Well, Sally had one of those stuffy colds that make you feel worse'n if you had pneumonia, an' she rowed she wouldn't go. She said she couldn't taste anything anyway, an' the mere thoughts o' his cold pork an' boiled potatoes went against her. But she wanted I should go for policy, same as all us relations went, an' I did."

"Well, when I got there an' told squire he said, 'Sally not coming' an' clipped it right out into the kitchen, leavin' the doors open all the way."

"Then," he said to old Jane Willis, that cooked an' done for him, "have those potatoes boiled soft yet? That's good. You lift out Miss Sedgwick's potato, an' it'll be just right to fry for my breakfast tomorrow," he said. "For Miss Sedgwick is kep' at home with a cold. Lift it out careful! That's right!"

"An' when he come back to me he was all creased up with smiles, he was so pleased with himself." — Youth's Companion.

SEEING UNDER WATER.

The Refraction of Light and the Limiting Angle of Vision.

One of the most peculiar things in connection with light under water is what is known as the limiting angle of vision. This applies to fishes, divers, submarine crews and, in fact, any being possessing the power of sight and desiring to look through the water at objects in the air. The effect is not due to a defect in vision, but to the refraction or bending of light, and no telescope or other optical instrument can get around it.

The effect consists of the impossibility of seeing anything on the outside unless the observer directs his line of sight within forty-eight degrees of the vertical. If a forty-nine degree angle or over is taken, the surface, no matter how clear the water is, acts as a perfect mirror and reflects objects at the bottom of the water, thus not allowing anything on the outside to be seen. The consequence of this property is the most startling of all, for everything on the outside can be seen and thus has to be seen in the cone described by the forty-eight degree angle from the eye. This shows all outside objects huddled together and appearing high in air. Thus, if one dives into the middle of a wide river, on looking up the banks will appear close together, but, at a great distance from the observer, high in air.

This angle is called the "critical" angle and its cosine varies with the two media in contact.

If one desires to make the experiment a square glass box or an aquarium will answer very well. Suspend this from the ceiling or support it on a wall bracket and look under it at an angle. The phenomenon will be observed as indicated. The clearer the water and the stronger the light the more clearly will things appear.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Why He Was a Heathen.

Sir Arthur Fanshawe related an amusing story of a Mohammedan servant who when asked his religion replied: "When pardon, sar, I'm a heathen."

"When asked by his master what he meant by a heathen the man answered: "Beg pardon, sar, a worshiper of stocks and stones."

"Confound it," remarked the master, "I can't keep a man like that in my service."

To which came the immediate rejoinder: "Beg pardon, sar, in your highness' service no time to worship anything!" — London News.

Dr. Clifton's Engagement.

Dr. Clifton, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat specialist will be in Summerton for three days next week—Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 17th, 18th and 19th, at Dr. Rhame's drug store. And in Manning for three days next week—Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 20th, 21st and 22nd, at the Manning Pharmacy, (Zeigler's.) Patients please call early. Three days only at each place.

Notice.

There will be a general cleaning up of the cemetery at O. Grove church on the 20th day of January, 1910, said date falling on Thursday. All interested are asked to be present, and bring necessary tools. P. E. Ridgeway.

Census Enumerators.

Charleston, S. C., Jan. 7th. 1910. Mr. Louis Appelt, Manning, S. C.

Dear Sir: I have received quite a number of applications for the position of Census Enumerator from parties in your County, but the following Districts are not represented in the list of applicants: Calvary, Concord, Friendship, Fulton, Mt. Zion and St. Marks. If you know of any parties in the above townships who would be suitable, please get them to make application to me as soon as possible. Thanking you in advance for your trouble in this matter, I am,

Yours very truly, W. J. Storen, Supervisor.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Wanted a cook. Apply at THE TIMES office.

Taken up—One hog. Owner can get same by applying to Dr. A. S. Todd, and paying expenses.

For Sale—Five-room house and lot on principal street in town of Manning. A bargain. R. L. Bell, Manning, S. C.

For Rent—25 acres cleared land, near Stateburg; red clay land capable of making finest crops; healthy locality. Address George T. Dal, Pinewood, S. C.

Lost—On streets of Manning, ladies' small, plain, open face gold watch, chataleine pin. Finder will return to Miss Martha Jenkinson and get reward.

Agents Wanted.—A liberal commission to young white boys or men who can hustle. Apply to Mr. M. D. Baird, Tarbeville, S. C.

Salesmen Wanted to look after our interest in Clarendon and adjacent counties. Salary or commission. Address The Victor Oil Company, Cleveland, Ohio.

Lost in Manning last Wednesday, a lady's gold watch, Elgin works. The finder will do a great kindness by leaving same at this office, or send direct to the owner, Miss Janie Coker, New Zion.

How About Your Eyes?

Don't you need glasses? Let us tell you. We can fit you right here from our extensive stock of Hawkes Crystallized Lenses. We make a specialty of repair work. Our Eye Waters are the best.

The Manning Pharmacy, J. A. ZEIGLER, Mgr.

Many Thanks

to the people of Clarendon County for their excellent patronage during the past year. We wish you a happy and prosperous New Year.

We wish you all well, but if you just can't help but get sick, remember you can get the best and purest drugs where quality stands first.

Agent for Park & Tilford's New York Candies.

THE MANNING PHARMACY, J. A. ZEIGLER, Mgr.

The Drug Store with the large mail order business.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

Cures Colds! Prevents Pneumonia

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE

Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

To Our Friends and Customers:

THE MANNING OIL MILL has been recently bought from the South Atlantic Oil Co., and at the beginning of our career under the present ownership we extend our thanks to all of our friends for their support and patronage.

We have tried in the past to deserve your support by being absolutely fair and honest with all of our customers, and we ask for a continuance of your support for the following additional reasons:

FIRST: Ours is a local company—not a dollar of its stock is owned outside of South Carolina.

SECOND: We pay annually to the Town and County Treasurers over \$600 taxes which helps that much towards paying the expenses of our local government.

THIRD: It costs us about \$30,000 per year to manufacture the seed we purchase, and of this amount, \$20,000 is spent right here at Manning. In other words, when you sell us a ton of seed (66 2-3 bushels) you get market price for the seed and the community gets \$4 of the amount it costs to manufacture them. When you sell a ton of seed to the other fellow, you get the market price for the seed, and SOME OTHER COMMUNITY gets the benefit of the money paid out to manufacture them.

We could mention a number of other reasons, but we think the above is sufficient to convince you that it pays to patronize home industries.

Yours very truly,

Manning Oil Mill,

C. R. SPROTT, President and Treasurer.

A LOSING PROPOSITION

For six years the W. E. Jenkinson Company has been losing large money, until the entire capital was lost and it will take about \$12,000 additional to liquidate the concern. From January 1, 1909, to August 1, 1909, the books showed a business of \$25,000 done, at only 10 per cent. profit. This should have shown a profit of \$2500, but the books really showed an unaccountable loss of \$5500. This really meant a loss of \$11,000 in seven months. As a result it was determined to liquidate the business. It is our purpose to pay every dollar of indebtedness.

In order to close up the business at the earliest possible date the entire stock is thrown on the market, to sell everything at retail for just what it cost, and in not a few cases to sell below cost. The entire stock is also offered in bulk at a very large discount from cost price. There is on hand now a stock of about \$15,000, consisting of ladies' Dress Goods, Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes, Hats, Clothing, Etc.—all offered at cost prices.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS.

As the W. E. Jenkinson Company is liquidating its business all indebted to the concern must settle their accounts at once or all said accounts will be placed in the hands of our attorneys for collection.

Mr. W. E. Jenkinson's connection with the W. E. Jenkinson Company was severed December 31, 1909.

W. E. JENKINSON CO.,

Manning, S. C.

THE MANNING HARDWARE CO.

ESTABLISHED IN 1897.

Hardware, Tinware, Glassware, Crockeryware, Enamelware, Woodenware, Potware, Stoves, Ranges, Heaters, Wire Fencing, Sporting Goods, Pocket Knives, Razors, Shears, Guns, Shells, Etc.

Oils, Paints, Baint, Brushes, Pumps, Pipeing, Nails, Sheet Iron, Farm Implements, Mill Supplies, Buggy and Wagon Material, Tobacco Barn Flues.

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