Local News.

Barber Shop Notice.

Notice is hereby given that on and after May 1st, 1902, our shops will close at 7 30 p. m. Saturday's excepted. ENGLISH BROTHERS, McCLAIN & SON'S.

President Johnson to Wed.

The announcement of the engagement of Miss Mae Ruth Smith, of Charleston, to President D. B. Johnson, of Winthrop College, has been made.

Cow and Calf Taken up.

Cow is white with red head and neck. Calf dark brindle bull about one year old. Owner can get them by calling at my residence and paying expenses. H. THESSEL.
Apr. 11-2.

Re-Opened.

It will be gratifying news to many to learn that the store of Zemp Bros. has been re opened—under a different management, however. Mr W. H. Zemp has bought out the stock at a greatly reduced price and is now giving the public the benefit of it. All goods are being sacrificed Call early and reap some of the bargains. The business hereafter will be conducted entirely by Mr. W. H. Zemp.

A Paper Cutter.

We have just added to our job department a paper cutter. This device is invaluable for "trimming" jobs after being printed as well as cutting paper any desired size and will enable us to turn out job work in a more finished style than has ever been executed in Camden before in the history of the town. We have also added a considerable amount of modern job type and other printing material.

Made Suddenly Wealthy.

Mr. Geo. H. Hyde, a farmer who lives in the eastern part of the county near Marshall's church has, by the death of a relative in England, fallen heir to an estate of over one hundred and twenty five thousand dollars. Mr. Hyde, who came from England, has resided in this county for many years but has never taken the oath of allegiance We do not know whether Mr. Hyde will continue to raise five cents cotton or not, but we presume that that pastime will be discontinued.

Pasturage.

Owing to recent high waters the low lands, that usually afford the best of pastures, are a little behind. With favorable weather for the next 10 days or two weeks, the grass and herbage will be sufficient for pasturage and will steadily improve. I have charge of a large acreage of best pasture lands and will be pleased to serve my many former patrons; assuring them that their cattle will be under my PERSONAL ATTENTION.

Very Respectfully,
M. G. HUCKABEE.

Some More Good Work.

The city has recently done some good work at the intersection of Lafayette avenue and Broad street The sidewalk had become badly washed by water from the avenue Terra cotta piping has been put down through which the water will now pass; and the street leveled off. Our city fathers certainly believe in good street work. And they are right.

The last brick culvert is being put in on Campbelle street. This completes the list. Every plank bridge in town has been removed and who will deny the wisdom of it? Our streets are now in good shape.

Entertainment by the Daughters

The Daughters of the Confederacy have secured the services of the great Scotch entertainers, Gavin Spence and Flora McDonald, to give an entertainment at the Opera House on Thursday night, the 24th inst. Gavin Spence is a justly celebrated Scottish tenor, and Miss Flora MacDonald is a Scottish soprano with a remarkably clear and sweet voice. It is said that this will be one of the best entertainments given here in a long time. This company will appear at Winthrop College the night before coming here.

The Graded School at the Exposition

The party of patrons, teachers and pupils of the Camden Graded School who went down on last Friday to the Exposition returned to Camden on Wednesday evening. The train left Charleston about 2 20 p. m. and arrived about 7.00.

Everyone enjoyed the trip and comes back enthusiastically praising the great show. The weather was fine all the time and nothing happened to mar the complete success of the holiday.

When the train stopped at Boykin, the last station before reaching Camden, Mr. P. T. Villepigue arose in the car and in a few well chosen words offered a resolution of thanks to Supt. Kennedy for the good care he took of the party; saying that all felt that their pleasure was largely due to his splendid management. The resolution was received with cheers as it found a warm response in every heart.

Mr. Kennedy had done everything possible for the comfort and safety, and all felt [illegible] for his kindness.

A Correction.

Mr. Editor:—In the article quoted in last Friday's Chronicle from the Greenville Mountaineer, the facts were mistaken in General Longstreet's book. From Manassas to Appomattox there is one error. It is stated that when Micah Jenkins was [illegible] and Gen. Longstreet [illegible] wounded, Capt Aiken in [illegible] Kershaw's staff and [illegible] Bowen were "[illegible]." This is correct, except that General Kershaw's staff who was killed was not named Rosenbury Baum—Marcus Baum, a younger brother of Messrs H. and M. Baum, of Camden, and a most excellent soldier. He was a resident of Camden when the war commenced, and entered with the service of the country of his adoption, and bore himself gallantly on many fields. Let us keep straight the record of the dead. SURVIVOR.

[We make the above correction with pleasure, especially so as it sets right one of our own worthy former fellow townsmen, and we are sure that The Mountaineer will be equally glad to keep the record straight.—Ed. Chronicle.]

Competitive Examination

A letter from Congressman D. E. Finley informs me that there is a vacancy at the U. S. Military Academy from this District. On June 19th, next, a competitive examination will be held in Yorkville, S. C. For full particulars apply to

R. B. Clarke, S. K. C.

Death of Mr. Hampton McLendon.

Mr. Hampton McLendon an aged and highly respected citizen of our county died on Friday last and was buried at Beulah church about four miles below Camden. Mr. McLendon was the father of Mr. Jesse D. McLendon.

Five Years in the U. S. Prison.

Geo. Wilson and Benj. Rudd, the two white tramps who broke into Westville postoffice several months ago were tried in the U. S. court at Charleston last week, found guilty and sentenced to five years each at hard labor in the Atlanta penitentiary and pay a fine of $100 each.

Marriage.

Married, at Westville, on Sunday, April 6th, Mr. Thomas Ingram, the efficient chief of the Kershaw police force, and Miss Emma Cauthen, the popular daughter of Mr. Martin Cauthen, Kershaw's Clever and accomodating postmaster. May long life, happiness and prosperity be their's.—Lancaster Ledger.

At the Baptist Church
(Communicated.)

There will be preaching on Sunday morning at eleven o'clock and at night at eight o'clock The Lord's supper will be celebrated at the close of the morning service and the doors of the church will be opened for the reception of members The Sunday school will meet at half past four o'clock and the prayer meeting next Wednesday night at the usual hour.

Felt Mattresses at Geisenheimr's

PERSONAL.

Judge W. F. Russell was in Camden yesterday.

Mrs. S. A Wittkowsky is in Charleston this week.

Miss Gertrude Mitcham is visiting friends at Kershaw.

Mr. John McSmyrl made a business trip to Columbia Tuesday.

Mr. David Wolfe and family are visiting the Exposition this week.

Mrs. M. A. Niles is on a visit to her daughter at Moss Point, Miss.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. W. D. Boykin is quite ill with pneumonia.

Miss Karesh, of Branchville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. L. Schlosburg.

Miss Allie Zemp, of Winthrop College, spent a day or two in Camden this week.

Our good friend, Mr. J. W. Davis, of Antioch, was in Camden yesterday and paid us a pleasant call.

Mrs. J. R. Goodale left Tuesday night on a visit to her daughter, Mrs A. E. Crane, at Orlando, Fla.

Architect D. G. Zeigler, of Sumter, is in the city. He is engaged as supervising architect of "Hotel Kirkwood," which is to be erected by the Camden Land and Improvement Company.

Mr. T. Benton Bruce and wife left Monday afternoon to make their home in Bihopville where Mr. Bruce has a position with the Bishopville telephone system For the present they will board at Dr. J. E. McLure's. Mr. Bruce is a most excellent young man and will be very much missed here in Camden. His interesting wife also has many friends who part with her with regret.

While in Columbia one day this week we had the pleasure of meeting our former fellow-townsman, Mr. J. T. Coats. He was looking well, and the short while we had to stay with him was most pleasantly spent. 825 Gervais street is where he is located. Also on this trip we met our good old friend, Mr. J. P. Boswell. His many acquaintances here who have not seen him since he left Camden four years ago will be glad to know that he is doing well. 2025 Marion street is his home.

Wanted.

Reliable man for manager of a branch office we wish to open in this vicinity Here is a good opening for the right man. Kindly give good references when writing. The A. T. Morris, Wholesale House, Cincinnati, Ohio. Illustrated catalogue 4 cts. stamps.

New Job Printing Office for Camden.

Mr. E. J. Mathis, of Lancaster, will in a few days open a job printing office in Camden. Mr. Mathis has had considerable experience in the printing business He will occupy the brick building on lower Main Street recently used by Mr. J C Matthews as a clothing store.

Notice to Veterans.

All veterans of Kershaw county who have not had their citificates made out for the Southern Cross of Honor will have the opportunity of doing so by calling at the office of Mr. W. D. Trantham on law range, who has a supply of blanks on hand and has kindly offered to assist in the matter.

Mrs. C. J. Shannon, Jr.,
President, John D. Kennedy,
Chapter, U. D. C.

THE CAMDEN CASKET AND COFFIN FACTORY.

It has been our pleasure recently to visit the above named factory and must say that we were surprised at the magnitude of this last venture of our friend, Mr. C. P. Rossignol. He works only the native pine and the goods produced must possess many points of excellence as we are informed by Mr Rossignol that he has received triplicate orders from some of his customers. His shipments have far surpassed his expectations.

The business for February was $1,000 while for March it was $1,100—a decided and very gratifying increase.

This is an enterprise which requires care, attention and intelligence to run—our friend, we think, has been built for this new enterprise. With a complete corps of most competent workmen this factory has reached the acme. All is hurry and bustle down there. By way of parenthasis we wish to say that while there we could not help wishing that Mr. Voiles could give some of our laborers lessons in hustling—it would do them good. We congratulate Mr. Rossignol upon his enterprise and the flattering success with which he is meeting.

SHORT LOCAL ITEMS.

Mr. R. P. Odom is announced for Supt. of Education.

Another rush of job printing makes the paper a little late again to day.

The travel on the Seaboard Air Line has been exceedingly heavy for the past week.

Watch the Slaughter Counters at the Gilt Edge Store. You will find it interesting and profitable.

The foundation is being laid for Mr. T. B. McLain's new residence on upper Main street.

An office is being fixed up for Dr. E. C. Bresington over the store of Springs and Shannon.

Have you been in to see some of the special bargains they are offering at the Gilt Edge Store.

Young Edwards who was tried in Sumter this week for the murder of Frank Winn has been acquitted.

Ice was seen on Wednesday morning last, but hopes are still entertained that the fruit crop is not killed. We hope so.

The Gum Spring School will give an entertainment on Tuesday, Apr. 15th. The public are cordially invited to attend.

The Camden Pressing club has been formed and will be located on KeKalb street in the building formerly occupied by Whitakers' book store.

The DeKalb Cotton Mills were shut down several days this week in order to have a new engine installed. Work was resumed Thursday morning.

Mr. Henry Savage, Agt., has leased the Opera House store one year for $400 with an option of keeping it two years longer for $500 per annum.

At a meeting of the city council last Monday night the newly elected aldermen were sworn in except Mr H. G. Carrison who was absent from town. Mr. Carrison will be sworn in next Monday night at which time also the election of subordinate city officers will be elected

Mr S. M. Mathis, who has been running the Camden Hotel on the corner of Broad and DeKalb streets, will on Monday next move into Mr. John J. Workman's house on DeKalb street He goes there on account of getting more commodious quarters for his boarders.

Uncle Sam's rural delivery has brought out many peculiar things. At one point on a cross roads out in Indiana, a number of farmers, in order to make it convenient for themselves, as well as the mail carrier, have rigged up a contrivance which is decidedly novel. Here 16 farmers are served, and each has his mail box mounted on an old wagon wheel, which has been set on top of a post. The 16 boxes lie around the edge of the wheel, and when the carrier comes he simply has to get out of his wagon and give the wheel a turn to make the boxes which he wants come before him It is a miniature postoffice out of doors.—Yorkville Enquirer.

Reflections of a Bachelor

In society life has its silver lining on the outside.

Love cannot read by candlelight or chase a will-o.

Nearly every woman can look more than she can think.

The frown of a woman is the scowl of her emotion.

Incompatibility is not always [illegible] seen in a bathing suit.

The loss of a husband has silvered all living a lively story.

It never rains smoothly all the time or men would never be married

Almost as the sunset the day of life is the saddest hour of marriage.

The virtue of a man thrice married has an impregnable exterior.

Homeopathic doses of affection make single women with one husband could be three.

Contentment is that measure of happiness made by ignorance or what others enjoy.

In the middle of that lonely on the crest of love there is the grave of a lawyer's fee.

When a man stops plating flowers on his wife's grave he is dying suppers for two.

When the bedding girl takes to tight shoes the fit of her waist is a live subject with her.

Eve never had a debating society in which there was another woman to edge in a word.

The reason a woman tells such whoppers about the rent she pays and how much it costs her to live is to make other women think how smart her husband is to make so much money.

—New York Press

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining uncalled for in the Camden post office for the week ending April 6:

Daniel Bessis, Edward Gibson, Lou Miller, L K Kirkland, J S Plowden, G V Smith, A R Wall, Wis Wilson, Victor Heinsuidi, Spencer B McNary, Spencer McNatty, Joe F Hilton, Sip Williams, Over Weaviney, Mrs S L Gardner, 2; Miss A Smith, Mrs A D Moore, Maggie Gary.

Parties calling for these letters will please state *what week* they were advertised.

G. G. ALEXANDER, P. M.

Wild Cat Whistle at Bethune.

The Estridge Lumber Co. at Bethune has recently adopted the wild cat whistle on its engine. For the first time the wild cat yelled on Monday morning last. Various rumors are afloat as to the effect it had upon the citizens of the town. One of Bethune's best business men, it is said, was aroused from his sleep believing that a wild beast had broken into his house and smelling fresh meat caused it to roar. We are told that this man left his house at a 2 40 gait and, had his coat been on, a game of marbles could easily have been played on the tail thereof, but in his hurry to get out this important apparrel for a cold morning was left to rest on the bed post.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following transfers of real estate were recorded in the Auditor's office during the past week:

Kershaw Banking and Mercantile Co. to R R Team, ½ acre in No 1, $5.

Frances M Welsh to Camilla C Deas, 149 acres in No 2, $800

Camilla C Deas to J D Deas, 149 acres in No 2, $800.

M Baum, Survivor, et al, to G H Baum, Exr., 74 acres in No 2, $125.

Manaes Baum to Eva H Baum, et al, 1 lot in Camden, $1,000

L A Wittkowsky to Margaret C Johnson, 100 acres in No 2, $230

L B Whistler to Camden Land and Improvement Co., 13 acres in No 1, $5.

R L Barstow to Camden Land & Improvement Co., 3¼ acres in No 1, $5.

Ella D Boykin to C C Deas 75 acres in No 2, $800

Eva H Baum, et al, to Mannes Baum, 1 lot in Camden, $1.

S Z Bowen to Geo R W Hill 50 acres in No 17, $150

W A Anerum, Trustee, to J P Lewis ½ acre in No 1, $25

Weston Alexander to Emma Alexander, 1 lot in Camden, $1.

C W Birchmore to Amelia Jones 75x170 feet, $50

Mr. Fail Exonerated.

At a meeting of a committee and advisory council held yesterday in the 2nd Baptist church, Camden, (Factory church,) Rev. W. C. Fail was exonerated of the charges preferred against him The following is the report of the committee and advisory council which we have been requested to publish:

To the 2nd Baptist Church, Camden, S. C.

Dear Brethren:—The undersigned, members of the committee and advisory council, requested by you to investigate the report to the effect that your pastor, Rev. W. C. Fail, has been guilty of adultery, beg to report to you

1. That we have on this day met in your church and taken all the testimony that was presented against him. Parties who were supposed to know something about the matter have been notified to appear and testify as to the truth of the charges.

2. That we find that the same affair has been investigated by a committee and council of Charlesborough church, dated July 4, 1901, (original report before us) and Brother Fail fully exonerated by Charlesborough church, and the matter has been adjudicated.

3rd. That the testimony offered before us is entirely heresay and inferential, and in our judgment is not of such a character as would satisfy us of his guilt, or justify us in recommending further action on your part.

4. That we deplore the affair, and attribute it to the habit people have of talking too much.

E. L. Copeland,	Jabez Ferris,
C. U. Myers,	W. D. Trantham,
S. I. Catoe,	J. J. Myers,
W. T. Hammond,	W. F. Reese,
Committee.	Advisory Council.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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FOR AUDITOR.

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FOR TREASURER.

Mr. Editor: Please announce the name of M. W. R. Hough for reelection to the office of Treasurer of Kershaw County, which he has so acceptably filled to the entire satisfaction of the whole people. Many Friends.

SUPT. OF EDUCATION.

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To the Voters of Kershaw County: With kind remembrance of, and thanks for, your hearty support of my candidacy for the office of Supt of Education in the last campaign, I again announce myself a candidate for that office. If elected I pledge my best efforts in behalf of the schools of Kershaw county.

Respectfully, R. E. DOM.

MONEY TO LOAN.

On farm lands or other approved security. S. LOGAN LYONS.
May 15—1 yr.

MONEY TO LOAN.

Money to loan on approved Real Estate Security, at seven per cent. Easy terms. No commissions charged.
L. A. Wittkowsky, Camden, S. C.
C. L. Winkler, 52 William St., New York.
July 19.

Trespass Notice.

All persons are hereby forbidden to trespass on our lands for hunting, hauling, wood, straw, or for any other purpose whatever. Any one violating this notice will be prosecuted.

S. J. T. YOUNG,
L. C. YOUNG.

ICE! ICE!!

We wish to announce that we will handle ice through the coming season and respectfully solicit the patronage of the public. Prompt attention and satisfaction guaranteed.

Respectfully,
HUCKABEE & LOVELL.

Lafayette Hall,

CAMDEN, - - - - S. C.

Catering to the Commercial and Tourist Travel.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Brown, Proprietors.

WHITE BARBER SHOP.

Gentlemen:—We have just opened a Barber Shop for the accomodation of my many friends We have an experienced and skillful TONSORIALIST. Whites accepted only. Come one, come all and give us a fair trial and you will always leave with a smile. Razors put in first class order. Honeing 25c. Stroping only 10c. You will find us on Main street, first door above W. T. Hammon's Restaurant. HAMMON & FALE.

Notice to Township Commissioners and Road Overseers.

Township commissioners and road overseers are hereby notified to work the public roads over which they have jurisdiction as early as practical, and in working them line them off and open up twenty (20) feet wide, and notify parties who have fences nearer the road than the law allows to have them removed at once.

By order of
THE COUNTY BOARD.
Apr. 3rd, 1902.

Eggs! Eggs!! Eggs!!

I can now fill all orders for Eggs promptly and guarantee every one I send out to be strictly fresh. Eight pens of the best Barred Plymouth Rocks, White Wyandottes and S. C. Brown Leghorns. I have birds in these pens which cost me $10 each numbers scoring from 92 to 94 points. Eggs $2 00; $1 50 and $1; per 13, according to matings.

BROOKS INMAN,
Yorkville, S. C.

Tax Notice.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
CAMDEN, S. C., MARCH 17, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that a levy of Seven (7) Mills has been made upon all city property, both real and personal, and that the books for the collection of the same will be opened in the Council Chamber in the Opera House from Tuesday, April 15th, 1902, to Thursday, May 15th, 1902, after which date the penalty will positively be attached to all delinquents. Cost and charges will be added after 6 o'clock p. m. Thursday, May 15th, 1902.

There will be no extension.

E. O. McCREIGHT,
Mayor.
J. J. GOODALE,
Clerk and Treasurer.

The Famous Gilt Edge Store.

Spring Goods.

The Famous Gilt Edge Store announces the arrival of a beautiful line of up-to date Spring Goods, such as Ginghams, Percales, Madrass, Colored Piques, Black and Colored Duck, Cheviots, Silk Ginghams, Plain and Figured Challies, Silk Striped Challies, Nunsveiling, &c., all of which are of the newest and most approved Styles.

We have just received also a full line of Black Wool Dress Goods, consisting of various qualities of Challies, Henriettas, Batistes, &c., which for beauty and excellence of quality cannot be surpassed.

To those who are looking just a little into the future as well as providing for their present wants we will say that we have various lines in which we can interest them, and will take great pleasure in showing you through and quoting prices on some of the prettiest and most dream-like Summer goods ever shown in this market.

Trusting that you will favor us with your presence very soon, we are,

Respectfully,

The Gilt Edge Store.

P. T. VILLEPIGUE, Prop'r.