

Local News.

For Sale On Easy Terms And Also Very Low Prices. 1 1/2 Horse Power Amica Engine, 1 1/2 Horse Power Boiler, 1 1/2 Horse Power Pratt Gin, Condenser, Paster and 1 Price. A. D. Kennedy.

\$5 Reward For the recovery of a small yolk mare mule. Black stripe down spine, white spot in one eye; 8 or 9 years old. Strayed from my premises on Sunday, June 21st. John E. Atkinson, St. Charles, Lee Co., S. C.

Grange Meeting. Pioneer Grange No. 10 will meet with Hebron Grange of Darlington county, Tuesday, July 21st, 1903. The Hon. Aaron Jones, Master of the National Grange, will be present and deliver an address along Grange lines. J. K. DeKay, Sec.

In His New Office. Our enterprising young townsman, Mr. H. J. DePase, has had his warehouse on the south side of DeKalb street just opposite the North-western depot, completed and this week moved his office in that building. His new quarters are comfortable and attractive and he is better prepared than ever before to transact his business.

Not Satisfactory. The road working machine which was recently purchased by the county was given a test last Tuesday on the public road several miles above Camden. In the opinion of a majority of the Board the test was not satisfactory, and the engine and cars have been returned. A part of the outfit, however, was retained and will be used by the county.

Kershaw Guards Entertainment. The entertainment given on the public square last Wednesday afternoon for the benefit of the Kershaw Guards was quite a success. It was impossible to carry out the program fully as was advertised, but a delightful time was had by all and a neat sum was realized—over more than was expected. We have been requested by Capt. S. C. Zemp to express his thanks to the ladies and all others who contributed so largely to the success of the evening.

Death of Dr. Stackey. Spectator to the State. Bishopville, July 15.—Dr. Henry Stackey, one of Bishopville's oldest and most highly respected citizens, died Monday after an illness of about six weeks. The funeral was held at the Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon and the church was filled to its utmost capacity. Dr. Stackey was a very popular man and being possessed of considerable wealth his acts of charity and kindness to the poor will be greatly missed by that class of people. He leaves a wife and five children, Mr. J. E. Stackey, Prof. W. A. Stackey, Dr. H. M. Stackey, Mrs. H. W. Rembert and Hon. G. M. Stackey.

A Sad Death. Mrs. Gertrude Russell, wife of Mr. W. K. Russell, Jr., of Westville, died in the Columbia hospital last Sunday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Russell had been married just four months the day she died, and the blow is crushing one to the devoted young husband. Mrs. Russell was Miss Gertrude McDowell, daughter of the late Mr. J. E. C. McDowell, and was 21 years of age. Of a bright and happy disposition and possessing rare personal charms she made friends wherever she went, and the announcement of her death was received with universal regret. The burial took place at 10 o'clock on Monday morning in the Columbia cemetery.

Cavalry Encampment To Be Here. The First Regiment of State Cavalry will encamp here this summer at north of Camden, near the polo grounds. A hearty welcome is extended to them and preparations are being made to give the boys a royal good time during their stay here. A thousand feet of electric light wire will be run from the end of the Camden Water, Light and Ice company's line at Hotel Kirkwood to the polo grounds, and about a thousand feet of pipe will be laid to the water, which will supply the polo grounds. A number of houses will also be erected on the polo grounds. The polo grounds are being cleared and the polo grounds are being cleared and the polo grounds are being cleared.

PERSONAL.

Miss Carrie Careton of Columbia, is visiting friends in Camden. Miss Birnie Trenholm of Elista is with her sister Mrs. A. W. Burnett on Fair street.

Mrs. Mary McEwen, of Washington, D. C., is visiting her sister, Miss Cornelia Mickle. Miss Marie Zemp has gone to Saluda for a visit to her friend, Miss Mary Volpeguis.

Mr. H. G. Carrison came from Georgia on Sunday to spend a couple of days at home. Misses Hossie and Gerinne Flom, son of Lancaster, are visiting relatives in Camden.

Mrs. W. M. Shannon and little Miss Harriet, have gone to Statesburg for a fortnight. Miss Margaret L. Johnston of Newberry is visiting Miss Louise Zemp on Lytleton street.

Miss Jennie Stoncy has returned from Columbia after a delightful visit to that charming metropolis. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dixon, of Charlotte, N. C., are on a visit to the family of Capt. F. W. Eldredge.

Mr. G. G. Alexander has engaged in the real estate and collecting business. See his card in another column. Miss Elizabeth McDowell has returned from Rock Hill where she has been attending the Summer school.

That excellent gentleman Capt. J. W. Hamel, of the Kershaw Era, was in Camden yesterday and paid us a pleasant call. Supervisor J. M. Sowell attended the meeting of the State Board of Equalization which was in session in Columbia yesterday.

Mr. P. T. Villepique was in town a few days last week, returning to his family in Seluda where he has a charming summer home. Mr. John Whitaker, Jr., and his sons Masters Burnett and Jack, went to Glenn Springs on Monday to join Mrs. Whitaker who is already there.

We received a pleasant call Wednesday from Rev. B. S. Funderburk, of Chesterfield, who was on his way to Heath Springs, to hold a meeting there. Miss Sadie Kennedy has gone for quite an extended trip to California and Texas to visit friends and to enjoy the delights of our grand Western scenery.

Misses Rosa and Bessie Winkler, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Winkler, who are now living in New York city, are visiting in Camden. Their many friends here are delighted to see them.

Mrs. James Team attended her friends Wednesday evening at her home in West Water in honor of the Misses Rosebrough of Ridgeway. Progressive whist was played and a most delightful evening was spent.

Mr. Wm. A. Moore, of Sumter, has been spending several days this week with his brother, Dr. A. A. Moore, of our city. Mr. Moore was accompanied by his wife, and they left yesterday for a visit to Mrs. Moore's sister in Yorkville.

We were pleased to receive a call on Tuesday morning last from Mr. J. L. E. Warren, editor of the Walterboro Press and Standard, who has been spending several days in Camden this week the guest of Mr. W. J. Weeks.

A large party of the prominent business men of Camden have gone on their annual fishing frolic to the Bay. Among them were Messrs. D. A. Boykin, W. D. Barrett, Leslie Zemp, Jas. Wallace, J. C. Cunningham, Beverly English and others.

Mrs. Val Jordan and her charming daughter, Miss Beale, left on Saturday for Pineopolis, to attend the wedding of their cousin Miss Lizzie Stoncy to Col. Darlington, of Allendale. Rev. W. B. Gordon of Grace Church, Camden, went down on Monday to officiate at the marriage.

Camden Casket & Coffin Factory.

It was our pleasure yesterday to visit the works of the above Factory. We had no idea that Camden had such a complete institution in which at present they are making a fine grade of Coffins and as neat cloth-covered Caskets as we have ever seen. In addition to the above the owners have put in a complete planing mill plant. We were shown all styles and kinds of mouldings, balusters, corner-blocks, ceilings, flooring and everything that is needed for the inside or outside trim of a house.

In addition to the above they are prepared to make any style bracket, with or without drops. All styles of scroll work, newels, columns, and in fact anything that anybody wants. It is with pleasure that we note the progress made by the Casket and Coffin Factory, and too much cannot be said for this enterprise. Camden people should be proud of their manufacturing enterprises, and it should be their pleasure to aid them, by placing their orders at home instead of sending them abroad.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. John Kershaw, et al to J K DeLoache, 138 feet on school house square extending back 300 feet. John Kershaw et al to J K DeLoache, 320 acres in No 1 two miles east of Camden. Sallie and Mattie Douglass to Burrol Shirley 20 acres in No 2, \$385.

SHORT LOCAL ITEMS. Senator Tillman is expected to deliver an address in Bishopville to day. Supt. of Education B. D. Wilson, of Sumter has resigned his office to accept a position in the U. S. Pension office in Knoxville, Tenn.

An excursion from Bethune to Columbia will be run to day over the Seaboard. The Sunday schools of that place will spend the day at the Epworth Orphanage. The Southern depot is being enlarged by an extension of about 40 or 50 feet on the southern end. The old one was too small for the volume of freight now being received there.

James H. Tillman has been transferred to the Lexington jail. There is no special reason for this, it is said, except that the prisoner wants a change. A good rain fell in Camden and the surrounding country last Monday evening. The earth was very dry and the rain came in an opportune time.

Sunday morning Mrs. Fannie Funderburk, wife of the Rev. B. S. Funderburk, of Chesterfield, while reaching in a barrel of wool in a barn to get some for her cow, was bitten by a rattlesnake pilot.

The secretary of state Monday issued a commission to the Enterprise Mercantile company of Heath Springs, capitalized at \$10,000. J. A. Bridges, E. S. Croston and Perry Mobly are petitioners.

Two convicts at work on the state farm in Lexington tried to escape Saturday afternoon, and as a result one of them is dead and the other dangerously wounded. Both are negroes; one Perry Horton, serving a five years sentence from Lancaster, who was killed, and the other George Mance, serving eighteen months from Greenville, who was wounded.

Except for the intervention of Mr. R. S. Stewart there would have been a lynching in Lancaster county last Thursday. Mr. Stewart intervened for the regular process of law in the case of a negro bend who had sought to carry out designs against his own sister. The incident reflects the highest credit on Lancaster bounty, and especially upon this noble young man who stood for the law under such terrible provocation.—Yorkville Enquirer.

It is an old saying that it will be just three months from the time the first katydid is heard until frost. Squire T. W. Secest says that he heard a katydid in his yard on the night of June 27th, the same day that Squire Richardson saw the first June bug of the season. According to the above sign, frost will come on the night of September 27th. That will strike the reader as being too early for frost, and affords a basis for the conclusion that the katydid, as well as the June bug, is ahead of schedule time this year.—Waxhaw Enterprise.

Citation. South Carolina —Kershaw County. By J. B. Phelps, Probate Judge. Whereas, Lewis English, made oath to me to grant him Letters of Administration of the Estate of and success of Julia English, deceased. These are therefore to cite and admonish all persons who have knowledge of the whereabouts of the said Lewis English, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Camden, S. C., on Friday, the 10th day of July next, after publication thereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any they have, why the said administration should not be granted.

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