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Respectfully,
JOHN F. JENKINS.

Local News.

Picture Frames.
A nice assortment of picture buildings and framing. Outfit just received at Burns & Barrett's. We make frames to order on short notice complete with glass, cardboard, and fiber backs. Call and bring your pictures to frame with you.

Fire at the Factory.
Fire yesterday morning destroyed the waste house at the Camden Cotton Mills. The fire was discovered by Mr. Tom Russell who happened to be passing at the time and who in his efforts to extinguish it by the use of the factory hose got quite a "ducking" which at that hour was somewhat chilly.

Clothing Lot.
On last Saturday the 16th inst., two baskets of women's ready-made clothing amounting in value to about \$12 was left on the front part of Mr. Wittkowsky's store, Main street, Camden, S. C. Finder will be rewarded if the clothing is returned to me or left at The Chronicle office.

Lizzie Alexander, Antioch, S. C.

Snow and Sleet.
A press dispatch from Charlotte, N. C. says that on Wednesday last a snow storm prevailed in that city to such an extent that street car and railway service was impeded. A passenger from Kershaw on the same day brought the information that considerable sleet fell there that morning. This, it seems, is breaking the record here for late cold weather.

Meeting of Cemetery and Memorial Associations.
The annual meeting of the Cemetery Association of Camden will be held in the Presbyterian Lecture room on Monday afternoon, the 25th at five o'clock.

Deaths.
A telegram received in Camden announced the death in Gaston last Friday of Mrs. M. H. Outlaw. Mrs. Outlaw was the mother of Mrs. R. A. Clanton, was 46 years old and died very suddenly.

Masonic Matters.
Messrs John McSmyr, E. O. McCreight, John A. Singleton, W. L. DePass, and Dr. S. C. Zemp were in Columbia Tuesday night where the degree of Knight Templar was conferred upon them. Drs. F. L. Zemp and W. J. Dunn, Messrs J. B. Wallace, and E. F. Snyder, and Maj. S. E. Adams attended as visitors.

At a meeting of the Rising Star Chapter No. 4 E. A. M. last Wednesday night the Royal Arch degree was conferred upon Brothers Woodward, Stucky and Baskins, of Bishopville.

Col. F. T. Barrow, of Columbia, is expected in Camden next Wednesday to attend a meeting of the Royal Arch Chapter.

Social Dots.

Mr. E. J. Lewis spent Monday in Columbia.
Miss Meta Boykin was in the city Wednesday.
Mr. F. V. Vaughan left this week to accept a position in Atlanta.
Mr. Elmore Brown, of West Water, was in Camden last Tuesday.
Messrs G. H. Bann and L. A. Witkowsky were in Sumter Wednesday.
Mrs. A. J. Beattie is visiting friends in Rock Hill, Charlotte and Fort Mills.
Mrs. Joel Hough left last Saturday for a visit to friends at Heath Springs.
Mrs. Leo Schenk and little son, Everett left last Friday for a visit to friends at Georgetown.
Mrs. N. G. Gonzales, of Columbia, visited Mr. J. L. Gettys' family in West Water last week.
Dr. W. R. Clyburn's office is now at Dr. O. P. DuBose's drug store. His phone No. is 111.

Mrs. W. L. DePass gave a most delightful luncheon on Saturday afternoon to a number of her young married friends complimentary to Mrs. Harvy Witherspoon who left on Monday to visit her mother in Chester before moving to her new home in Yorkville where her husband will continue his law practice. It is with great regret that the Camden people give up Mr. and Mrs. Witherspoon as they have made many warm friends and admirers during the past year spent in our midst.

Quite a number of dinner parties have been given during the past week at the "Court Inn" by the agreeable guests of that most popular hotel to their friends in Camden before the close of the season puts a stop to these delightful intercourses between the tourists and their local friends. The Meseers, Ticknor know so well how to tempt the appetite with all that is delicious and dainty that their dinners are always complete and greatly enjoyed. Their fine band of music which discourses sweet music adds greatly to all entertainment, and the informal dances at night are quite an attractive feature. Although large number of tourists are leaving every day, others are stopping here en route from Florida. So Camden is still hustling and by no means destitute yet.

Pasturage.
We are now prepared to pasture your horses and cattle at "Belmont." Our Mr. DeLoache will give them his personal supervision. For further information call at Zemp & DePass Drug Store.

Marriage of Mr. Redmond.
Mr. Phillip J. Redmond, the popular assistant at the Camden Drug Company's store, and Miss Louise Wright, of Boston, Mass., were married last Tuesday night. The marriage took place at the hotel Jerome, Columbia.

Rights of the Mail.
The Rural Free Delivery News has the following: "All United States mail carriers have the right of way in public highways, when on duty. They cannot be driven into ditches by heavily loaded wagons without violation of the United States mail law, and if a collision is made by so doing and the mail delayed it will not be long thereafter until a deputy United States marshal will be looking for certain parties who will answer to roll call at a United States court. This law applies not only when meeting a vehicle, but to those in front as well, when the mail makes an effort to pass."

Much Needed Improvements Suggested by Mayor Garrison.
In his inaugural remarks, among other things, Mayor Garrison said: "I beg to call attention to the unsanitary cesspool and the taking of such steps as may be found necessary to give a complete spring cleaning of the entire city."

A fire alarm system is another very pressing need in the further equipment of Camden's efficient fire department.

I heartily favor the annexation of Kirkwood and hope to see that desirable step speedily taken.

I am an ardent "city beautiful" disciple and hope to see an organization similar to many being organized over the country as auxiliaries to municipal bodies.

I would be glad to promise the citizens of Camden that the close of our administration would not find an open ditch within the corporate limits.

All of the above are exactly along the right line and shows that Mayor Garrison is the right man in the right place. We are sure that he will have the hearty support of every well-wisher of Camden in these much needed improvements. It is the sincere desire of The Chronicle to see every one of them fully carried out to the letter.

The following committees have been appointed:
Ways and Means—P. T. Villepigue, chairman; J. W. Dunn.
Fire Department—J. A. Singleton, chairman; S. B. Latham.
Street—S. B. Latham, chairman; P. T. Villepigue.
Police—Dr. W. J. Dunn, chairman; J. A. Singleton.
Health Council, mayor, chairman.
Committee on Clerk and Treasurer's Books—P. T. Villepigue, John A. Singleton.

PERSONAL.

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Mrs. Mary E. Jenkins, of Greenwood, S. C., is here on a visit to her grandson, Mr. J. F. Jenkins.
Miss Mamie Clyburn, of Lancaster, and Miss Ada Clyburn, of Kershaw, are visiting friends in Camden.
Mr. Sberard Kennedy of the Atlanta National Bank, brother of Prof. R. M. Kennedy, is on a visit to relatives here.

We received a pleasant call yesterday from Mr. W. G. McNelly, traveling representative of the Atlanta Journal.
Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Redmond left last night for Mr. Redmond's former home in North Carolina where they will in future reside.
Dr. A. A. Moore has been in attendance upon the State Board of Health which has been in session this week in Darlington.

Mrs. O'Farrell and children who have been on a visit to Mrs. W. A. Anorum returned to their home in Athens, Ga., on last Saturday.
We note with pleasure Capt. W. A. Anorum's improvement after several weeks of indisposition, and trust that he will soon be quite himself again.
Mr. W. R. Barron who has been teaching the "Team's" school in West Water will leave in a few days for Alabama. His many friends regret to see him go.

At the last meeting of the local chapter of Knights of Pythias Messrs. M. H. Heyman and W. G. Wilcox were elected delegates to the grand lodge which meets in Greenville on the 17th of May.

Mr. C. C. Moore's House Burned.
This morning between 2 and 3 o'clock the residence of Mr. C. C. Moore on upper Lytleton street was completely destroyed by fire. The house was vacated only last week by Miss King of New York, who spent the winter here, and Mr. Moore had just moved his furniture, books, etc., there yesterday preparatory to occupying it himself. Mr. Moore and Mr. Newton Boykin were the only ones in the house at the time and they barely escaped with their lives. Fortunately Mrs. Moore and little son were visiting friends in the country. The origin of the fire is unknown, but it is supposed to have been caused by the electric wires.

Never was our need for a fire alarm system more forcibly demonstrated than at the fire this morning. The company responded beautifully, the water pressure was all that could be desired, but the house was half burned down before the alarm reached the reel house.

Marriage of Mr. Jordan Garrison.
From the society column of the Columbia, (Ga.) Ledger we clip the following account of the marriage of Mr. Jordan Garrison:
One of the most beautiful home weddings of the season and one in which widespread social interest centered, took place at the residence of the Misses Griffin on upper Third avenue at 4 o'clock this afternoon when Miss Zillah Whittle Emmel and Mr. Daniel Jordan Garrison were happily united in the holy bonds of wedlock.

The pretty home was beautifully decorated for the occasion, presenting a charming appearance.
Dr. John L. Scully, rector of Trinity Episcopal church, performed the impressive ceremony.
The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Sarah Emmel, as her maid of honor, and the groom's best man was his cousin, Mr. Ralph Nesbit, of Waverly Mills, S. C.

The wedding gown was white chiffon over satin, finished with point lace and a tulle veil, and the bride carried Easter lilies. The maid of honor was prettily attired in white china silk with lace, and her bouquet was of white roses.
After the wedding ceremony the happy young couple were tendered an informal reception, and later this afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Garrison will leave over the Southern on an extended bridal journey.

Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. James M. Whittle, of Macon, uncle of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Carlisle, of Camden, S. C., the groom's parents; Mr. and Mrs. Leigh, of Raleigh, N. C.; and Mrs. J. V. Dunlap, of Atlanta.
The bride is one of the city's most charming and attractive young ladies, having been a leading society belle since her debut. She is exceedingly popular in all circles, her friends being numbered by her acquaintances. It will be remembered that to this charming young woman the keys of the city were turned over during the last carnival in Columbia, the coronation ceremonies having been one of her special features of the brilliant occasion. Her quantity grace and aristocratic bearing, added to her charming personality, have combined to make her unusually popular and loved by a host of friends in this and adjoining cities, where she is widely known.

Mr. Garrison is well known and quite popular in both business and social circles, and he is the recipient of many hearty congratulations on having become one of the city's most attractive young ladies.
The wedding gifts were both numerous and elegant, many beautiful and costly presents having come from out-of-town friends.

Camden—Continued.

The Commercial Savings Bank and Trust Company, And Springs & Shannon
BY A SPECIAL INDUSTRIAL CORRESPONDENT
The Commercial Savings Bank (and Trust Company) was opened on the 23rd of February with \$25,000 capital paid up and now the deposits are over \$32,000.
Edward S. Vaux the President, is also manager of the Southern Cotton Seed Oil Plant and was with the Miners and Merchants Bank in Charleston for 11 years. David R. Williams, Jr., Vice President is engaged in Insurance and Investment operations, and the Cashier, John F. Mackay, was assistant cashier of the Bank of Lancaster for several years. The Commercial Bank will occupy one of the Bank building in a tier of cottages, as illustrated by the plans.

Springs & Shannon, Bankers, Merchants and Cotton Buyers do not only a big wholesale but an exceptionally extensive retail trade and it takes ten active and experienced men meeting demand at the stores of the company.
Their main building two stories on the main thoroughfare measures 100X35 and a two story L 30X60 feet all brick. The Bonded Cotton Warehouse at N. W. R. R. track will be extended to hold 3000 bales and there are two other warehouses for multifarious goods as they carry everything in the mercantile calendar pertaining to furnishing a household and supplying the needful in substantiality.

Messrs Springs & Shannon handle from 8,000 to 10,000 bales of cotton annually. They bring in flour and feed in ear load lots, also meats, and frequently have half a dozen loaded cars coming at a time with rice, coffee, baking powder and hardware and furniture in fact if you don't know all you want for the plantation go there and you'll see it. They know what the planter needs and they have probably the best plantation in Kershaw county notably 1,000 acres in one field, and they raise rice as well as cotton and corn and stock.

Speaking of business firms as traveling men will on the train and elsewhere, a new man on this division asked "How about Springs & Shannon?" "They are as solid as the Rock of Gibraltar" was the reply.

Leroy Springs is President of two banks, President of six Cotton Mills and President of a Railroad and head of another wholesale house at Lancaster.
C. J. Shannon, Jr., managing partner at Camden was born in Camden as generations of Shannons before him. He graduated at the High School and entered mercantile life as clerk rose to head of department then chief accountant and in a year thereafter was made partner and has built the trade and keeps increasing it.

Mr. Shannon is a man of quick perception and prompt action, but he does not jump at conclusions getting on the wrong side of the track as some business men even in Camden do. He also possesses thorough administrative ability and there is no business house more harmoniously conducted than that of Springs & Shannon, Camden, S. C.

Fewer gallons; wears longer; Deyore.
The two banks at Kershaw have consolidated.
The dispensers throughout the State have resumed the use of the request blanks.
The County Board of Equalization has been in session in Camden this week.
On account of the very rainy and disagreeable weather there was no services in the Baptist church last Sunday night.
Ground has been broken and material is being placed for the erection of the new bank building on the vacant lot just north of the post office.

The News and Courier, the oldest daily newspaper in the union south of Baltimore celebrated last Wednesday the one hundredth year of its establishment.

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Come and see what they look like; you will be pleased.

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The Shoe, Hat & Clothing Man.

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CAMDEN, S. C.
Plans and specifications furnished. Plate-glass store fronts a specialty. Work supervised.
Jan. 9, 1904.

Election Notice.
In accordance with a resolution of the Board of County Commissioners for Kershaw County ordering an election in pursuance of an act of the General Assembly entitled "An act to provide for the erection and equipment of a new court house for Kershaw County, S. C., and to authorize the issue of bonds for such purpose."
Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the general election precincts of Kershaw County on Tuesday, May 24th, A. D. 1904, between the hours of 8 a. m. and 4 p. m., upon the question of the erection and equipment of a new Court House and the issue of bonds not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars for such purpose. Only qualified registered electors entitled to vote.
The names of managers of election will be published hereafter.
J. M. Sowell,
County Supervisor and
Chairman B'd Co. Comm's.
April 5th, 1904.

E. S. NETTLES & SON.
We hereby announce to the public that we have opened a first-class
MEAT MARKET
in the store formerly occupied by Mr. J. E. Vaughan, where we will be glad to serve you with anything in the line of fresh meats.
We carry also a full line of Staple and Fancy
GROceries,
and extend to you a cordial request to call on us
EVERYTHING FRESH. EVERYTHING FINE.

SPRING GOODS

—IN ENDLESS VARIETY AT—

The Famous Gilt Edge Store

AND WE CORDIALLY INVITE ALL TO COME AND INSPECT OUR LINE.

Beginning with Calico, which is probably the lowest in the scale of washable fabrics, of which we have an attractive assortment, we rise step by step until we reach the pinnacle of perfection in our collection of reasonable goods, and are therefore equipped for the battle for trade; and venture the assertion that we are in a position to meet the demands of the trade, and to please even the most fastidious.

Our line of White Goods was never more complete, and as a matter of fact that they are "the things desired" is evidenced by the frequent purchases made from this particular line. "They are things of beauty and a joy forever." Though Cotton Goods have advanced very materially in price, we were fortunate in "getting in on the old score" to a large extent, and can furnish the most up-to-date styles at very reasonable prices.

Our Gingham, Chambrays, Colored Madras—woven and printed, Percales, Galateas and Cheviots must be seen to be appreciated, as they cannot be satisfactorily described here.

We have just received a beautiful assortment of ladies ready-to-wear hats, which we are selling at prices that will captivate. Be sure to see them before buying. Have you seen our genuine Panama Hats, for both ladies and gentlemen, which we are selling at only 75c?

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

Respectfully And Truly,
P. T. Villepigue, Prop't.

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