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## Senator and Mrs. Tillman in The County.

Several days of last week were spent by Senator and Mrs. B. R. Tillman at the home of Senator Tillman's close personal friend, Hon. John G. Richards, of Liberty Hill. For many years the strongest friendship has existed between the Senator and Capt. Richards, and this recent visit shows that the Senator's appreciation of his friends and his loyalty to them are as strong and true now as in the days of yore. We feel honored that in our county Senator Tillman has a friend he so much admires that he will leave the multitudinous demands upon him elsewhere for a visit of several days to this friend. May he be spared many years, together with his noble wife, and may this not be their last visit here.

The Chronicle heartily appreciates the bunch of new correspondence sent in this week and we hope they will continue to reach us.

The people who read your ads are the people who are to make business "good" at your store—their patronage is subject to your influence.

We desire to return thanks to those who have recently paid their subscription to The Chronicle. We have only a very few delinquents on our books now and we feel sure they will come to see us shortly.

Store advertising which contains, always, "opportunity news" will attract more and more readers all the time—readers who watch for each ad as eagerly as they would for any other expected good news.

Many of the small farmers in the vicinity of Beaufort have been left practically destitute as a result of the hurricane. Some have abandoned their farms and gone to Savannah to secure work as laborers.

Up to the present time over 1,300 applications for admission to Winthrop college have been received. Of this number only about 700 can be admitted on account of lack of dormitory room. Here is something for the lawmakers to ponder over. Seven hundred girls seeking education at Winthrop and only room for seven hundred! It is a shame on the state.—Rock Hill Herald.

There is a habit and a delusion among a large number of our people to go to some nearby town or city to shop, believing that they can purchase cheaper. We think these good people may be buncoed by their own thought. Please reckon your carfare and time, if the latter is worth anything. If your town merchants try to "soak" you or have not what you want, of course, you are justified to go elsewhere. But first find out by getting prices and see what your home merchants have.

In making up the "forms" for the last issue of The Chronicle, a paragraph about Jerry Moore, the champion corn raiser, crept into an article headed, "What Becomes of Old Shoes." This was one of the ridiculous errors which falls to the lot occasionally of every make-up man. We hasten to say that Jerry is not an "old shoe" by any means, but on the contrary is a fine farmer boy who has brought fame to himself and to his state by his improved methods of farming. South Carolina is proud of him.

There is a minister who appreciates the editor. At a recent editorial convention he offered the following toast: "To save an editor from starvation, take his paper and pay for it promptly. To save him bankruptcy, advertise in his paper liberally. To save him from despair, send him every item of news of which you can get hold. To save him from profanity, write your correspondence plainly on one side of the sheet and send it in as soon as possible. To save him from mistakes, bury him. Dead people are the only ones that never make mistakes."

Three Licenses Yesterday. Three marriage licenses were issued from the Probate office yesterday. One marriage ceremony was also performed in the Probate office yesterday, the contracting parties being Jesse Coleman and Hannah Moore, colored, of West Water-ee. Up to date 15 licenses have been issued.

## THE RURAL ROUTE.

Some Figures Showing Distance Traveled in Nine Years.

Lugoff, S. C., Aug. 28.—Before you issue another copy of The Chronicle, R. F. D. No. 1 Lugoff, will have been in operation nine years. It began work September 1, 1902. There was only one route in operation then—Route 1, Camden. It began with 1,699 pieces. Now it handles between seven and eight thousand. It has made 2,736 trips—having traveled 79,975 miles. The wages have been increased three times. However, the job is no better now than when they got \$729. Horses, feed, and in fact almost everything, has increased as much or more than the wages. Seven years ago a carrier could buy as good a horse for \$75 as he can get now for \$150. However, \$1,000 a year sounds big. Don't it? They can live on it, that is about all. Later it will be better. The R. F. D. is of a business nature somewhat, the business is not appreciated as it should be. All of the boys that travel over neighborhood roads will agree with the carrier. They are very anxious that the next session of the legislature will make it a law that would charter all roads over which the rural delivery is operated. Just think of driving over the same road 2,736 times. It is not meant that none of the patrons appreciate the R. F. D., for some of them do, but not one half of them do. Some have been at it long enough to know. The carrier on route 1, Lugoff, has been carrying the mail longer than any other carrier in the county, and he is almost sure that he gets better treatment from his patrons than any other carrier in the county.

5 or 6 doses "666" will cure any case of Chills and Fever. Price 25c

Depot at Lugoff Blown Down.

On Monday last during one of the hard blows the depot at Lugoff, which was in course of construction to replace the one burnt there some time ago, was blown to the ground. The building was nearing completion.

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## WESTVILLE NEWS NOTES.

Westville, S. C., Aug. 31.—The Westville neighborhood has something to be proud of now, and that is her good roads. We have been working for this a long time and every day we are working toward Monday week with the determination of having a good road. We are all proud of our neighborhood. Each one seems to be ready and willing to do his part. Several have sent in their wagons from about ten miles from Westville, which is appreciated very much. If nothing prevents they will finish the road from Westville to Mr. T. B. Clyburn's about the latter part of this week.

A very sad accident happened at the home of Mrs. A. J. Young's yesterday. Mr. A. J. McDonald while cleaning a well was overcome by gas, and before they could get him to the top of the well, he fell back and died instantly.

The evangelist, Mr. Leitch, is conducting a protracted meeting at Hanging Rock church this week.

He is assisted by that fine singer, Mr. Marshall. They will also conduct a meeting at Kershaw during the latter part of September.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Young returned to their home in Savannah last Sunday, after a two weeks visit to their mother.

Mrs. D. G. Fletcher and daughter, Miss Annie Blake and Misses Susie and Alma Cauthen spent a very pleasant day last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Truesdale, at Kershaw.

Mr. T. B. Clyburn and son, Mr. Lewis Clyburn, spent last Tuesday at Camden. They made the trip in Mr. T. B. Clyburn's car and were accompanied by Misses Lottie and Lottie Bell Clyburn, Mary Stephenson and Alma Cauthen.

Miss Susie Anthony is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Anthony.

Miss Mamie Anthony is visiting friends and relatives in Rock Hill.

Mrs. L. E. Truesdale and daughter, Miss Fredda, spent a day last week with the former's father, Mr. T. A. Cauthen.

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## LIBERTY HILL NOTES.

Senator and Mrs. B. R. Tillman, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Richards, Jr., have returned to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thompson and daughters, Misses Maize and Charlotte, of Atlanta, Ga., are visiting Mr. Thompson's brother, Mr. W. K. Thompson, of this place.

Mr. Harry Pickett, of Longtown, has been visiting Mr. Prioleau Richards, but has returned home.

Miss Essie Roberts, of Camden, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. G. R. Clements, of "The Hill."

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cunningham and family, who have been spending a month here, have returned to their home in Chester.

Mr. Donald Young, of Charlotte, N. C., is visiting Mr. Prioleau Richards.

Mrs. Perry and daughter, Miss Nanna, of Lancaster, are visiting Mrs. W. A. Cunningham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McDow, of Charleston, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Richards are spending a few weeks at Glenn Springs.

Mr. R. C. Jones, of the firm of Mackey - Jones Co., has returned from the Northern Markets, where he went to buy his stock of fall and winter goods.

One of Camden's popular merchants, Mr. J. G. Cunningham, spent Sunday with relatives on "The Hill."

Miss Rena Clements leaves on Thursday for Charlotte, N. C. She teaches in the Charlotte city schools and will begin work Sept. 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Curton and children have returned to their home in Chester after visiting relatives here.

James, the little son of Mrs. C. E. Richards, fell and broke his arm Tuesday. He seems to be getting along very well and we hope he will soon be all right.

The Liberty Hill and Longtown boys played a game of ball last Wednesday afternoon. The score was 15 to 2 in favor of Liberty Hill. One of the Liberty Hill players, Prioleau Richards, fell during the game and sprained his right arm badly. Another game was played Friday. The score being 7 to 0 in favor of Liberty Hill.

## CANTEY NEWS.

Cantey, S. C., Aug. 31.—Farmers have begun picking cotton, but owing to the recent rains they are not making very much progress.

Messrs. E. B. and C. P. Lorick have a field of broadcast peas that are fine—they are the best in the county. They have a good farm, and are good farmers.

Mr. W. W. Huckabee spent two days in Columbia during the Veterans reunion.

Miss Etta Watts has returned after spending some time with relatives and friends in Orangeburg, Branchville and Charleston.

Messrs. Josey and Edgar Bell and W. W. Huckabee have gone to Charleston to spend a few days and enjoy the ocean breeze.

Mrs. C. B. Turner and children, of West Water-ee, and also Miss Rena Huckabee are spending the week at the home of their uncle, Mr. R. A. Vaughan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Gladden have returned home after a pleasant stay with friends and relatives in the Antioch section.

Mr. G. M. Turner has been ill for some time but not serious. For the past week his condition has changed. He has become entirely helpless.

Rev. B. L. Hoke, of Blacksburg, will be down Friday night to organize a Junior Council at Cantey Hill. Mr. Hoke is State Councillor.

Protracted services will begin at DeKalb Baptist church on Sunday afternoon at four o'clock. Services will be conducted by Revs. E. O. and E. A. Thompson. Booth of these gentlemen are fine speakers. There will also be preaching at Cook's Church on Saturday night and Sunday by the Rev. Mr. Carnes.

## Annual Excursion to Savannah and Jacksonville via Seaboard Air Line.

On Sept. 5th, the Seaboard Air Line will operate their annual excursion to Savannah, Ga., and Jacksonville, Fla., tickets being limited for return until Sept. 9th.

This will afford an excellent opportunity to visit Savannah and Jacksonville.

The rate from Camden will be \$3.50 to Savannah and \$5.00 to Jacksonville.

See nearest Seaboard Agent for full information.

R. H. Stansell, A. G. P. A. Savannah, Ga.

A good show at The Star tonight. Before she is married to a man, a girl who is jealous of him would die before she would let on to him; afterwards if she didn't.

## RECEPTION.

At Liberty Hill in Honor of Senator and Mrs. Tillman.

Liberty Hill, S. C., Aug. 31.—The chief social event of the past week was the reception held at the residence of Major and Mrs. J. G. Richards on Thursday night from 9 to 10.30 o'clock in honor of Senator and Mrs. B. R. Tillman, who were visiting there.

The elegant home of Major Richards was built "before the war" and has large and airy parlor and reception rooms and long front piazza making an ideal place for a reception as was held. As the guests arrived they found the house brilliantly lighted and the piazza hung at short intervals with Chinese lanterns, which spread a soft light over the spacious grounds. Quite a large number had already arrived, and Major and Mrs. Richards were kept busy for some time presenting the callers to the guests of honor, who received in the elegant west parlor, Mrs. Tillman standing and the Senator seated as his health though fairly good, does not admit of his old-time activity. Conversation interspersed with music followed. Ice cream and cake were served on the long piazza and the hour for departure having arrived, the guests bade the host and hostess and guests of honor "good-bye" and departed for their homes, having spent a very pleasant evening.

Senator and Mrs. Tillman spent several days at the hospitable home of Major Richards. They left for their home on Saturday. A number of people from a distance called to pay their respects while they were here.

## CITATION.

State of South Carolina, County of Kershaw.

By W. L. McDowell, Esquire, Probate Judge.

Whereas, Thomas Ancrum Boykin made suit to me to grant him Letters of Administration de bonis non, cum testamento annexo, of the Estate of and effects of Thomas B. Ancrum. These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said Thomas B. Ancrum, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Camden, S. C., on Sept. 9, 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.

Given under my hand, this 26th day of August, A. D., 1911.

W. L. McDowell, Judge of Probate for Kershaw Co. Published in the Camden Chronicle on the 1st day of Sept., 1911

# NEW MILLINERY

We are busy opening up our Fall Millinery, recently purchased while in the Northern Markets . . . . .

You Are Invited to Call and See Us.

Agents for Standard Patterns THE MISSES GERALD.

# TOILET ARTICLES FOR THE HORSES. and BLANKETS. ROBES. WHIPS TOO



Care for your horses well and they will do better work for you.

We cannot mention the many things we carry in our store, but whenever you need anything in hardware, come to us and you will find it.

Our quality is always the best. Our prices are always fair prices.

# A. D. KENNEDY

# Announcement

The business heretofore conducted by John E. Rhame will hereafter be conducted under the name of

## Rhame Brothers.

Messrs. George A. Rhame and Boykin W. Rhame having associated with Mr. John E. Rhame.

The new firm will carry a complete line of GROCERIES and PLANTATION SUPPLIES, including a select line of BUGGIES, WAGONS and HARNESS. We have ample stable room and we will also deal in LIVE STOCK.

We propose to merit a share of your patronage if fair, square dealing counts for anything. Every article we sell will be just as we represent it, or your money will be refunded. We now have on hand a lot of buggies and wagons, which we would like to show you if you are in the market. You will find our prices right.

We are also buying cotton seed and will pay the highest market price for clean dry seed. Ask any of the many satisfied customers about us, and come and be one of our regular patrons, and we will endeavor to make it interesting for you. We buy goods in large quantities and can meet any legitimate competition. Yours to please,

# Rhame Brothers