

CORRESPONDENTS

Bright News Items of Interest to The People of the County

Shamrock News Notes.

Special to The Chronicle.
Bethune, S. C., July 2.—Crops in this section are looking fairly well though they are small. They are now doing lots better as we have been having plenty of rain.

This section was visited by a severe wind and electrical storm Sunday evening.

Miss Jessie Johnson is seriously ill, but we hope she will soon be well again.

Mr. John Dean, of Jefferson, was a visitor here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Baxley have returned to Pinewood after spending some time at this place. Their visits are always enjoyed by their relatives and friends.

Mr. Dan McCaskill and wife and children spent Saturday and Sunday at their old home near here.

Mr. Charlie Horton spent Saturday and Sunday at Lancaster.

Mr. Harden Coats, of Kershaw, spent Sunday with his brother at this place.

Mr. Donnie Horton, of Camden, spent last week end at his old home. Several from this part attended the children's day at Buffalo church Sunday and had a nice time.

Think most everybody in this community is planning for a good time on the fourth.

Stockton News Notes.

Special to The Chronicle:

Boykins, S. C., July 3.—Mr. W. H. Pearce, of Camden, was a visitor here Sunday.

Messrs. Belton Owens and E. C. Pearce are attending the Township Sunday School Convention in Camden.

We are glad to report that Mr. J. C. Humphries and children, who have been ill for the past week are thought to be slowly improving. Miss Inez McManus, a trained nurse of Columbia, now has charge of them.

Mrs. Mattie Johnson, of Charlotte, N. C., left for Sumter Monday after a week's visit to relatives here.

Those who attended the Union meeting at Antioch from here were Mrs. Sallie Holland, Messrs. Arthur Deas and Quincy Goodwin and Misses Mamie Gillis and Jessie Owens.

Mrs. Belton and little daughter, Francis, spent last Wednesday in Camden with relatives.

Mr. C. N. Humphries and daughter, Lorena, spent Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mr. J. C. Humphries.

Mr. Ed. Sowell has been visiting relatives near Bethune.

We are sorry to report that Mr. B. M. Pearce, Jr., is ill. We hope that he will soon be well again.

Mrs. C. W. McCreary and baby, Clifford, of North Augusta, are visiting relatives here.

Messrs. Broadus Thompson and A. Davis spent Sunday at Antioch.

Dr. J. C. Pearce, of Graniteville, was a visitor here Monday. He was accompanied by Dr. A. W. Humphries.

The fourth of July will be quietly observed here. A picnic will be given at Beulah church on Friday.

Misses Sallie and Ethel Sowell

were visitors in Camden last Saturday.

Mr. Richard Jolly, of near Statesburg spent last Sunday at the home of his father.

Misses Mamie Gillis and Jessie Owens spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Phillips.

Miss Riley, of Georgia, has been spending some time with Mrs. Tillman Smith.

Mrs. Fletcher Smith, and son, Tom, spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. J. R. Phillips.

Crops in this section are now looking very good. They were greatly benefitted by the rains of last week.

Here's wishing all the readers of The Chronicle a glorious Fourth.

Held Union Meeting.

Reported for The Chronicle.

The Union of the Kershaw county Association met with Timrod Baptist Church on Friday and Saturday before the fifth Sunday in June.

Most of the churches were represented and the questions discussed were well timed.

Bro. R. T. Blackmon was elected temporary moderator and the Union got down to business at once and everything moved on as nicely as it could. The discussions were very interesting and beneficial and every one present seem to enjoy them.

The committee on time and place reported that the next meeting would be with the Bethune Church on Friday and Saturday before the fifth Sunday in August. A resolution of thanks was extended to the Timrod community for the kind hospitality shown the body while in session.

DeKalb News Notes.

Special to The Chronicle.

DeKalb, S. C., July 3.—Mr. Frank Perry, of Liberty Hill, spent a couple of days with Capt. L. L. Clyburn last week.

Mrs. M. R. Workman, of Stockton, spent last week end with her son, Mr. N. B. Workman.

Mr. Henry Barfield returned from Columbia last Sunday where he had been to see his little grand daughter who has fever.

Mrs. N. B. Workman, who has been confined to her room for several weeks is able to be out again. We are glad to learn of her improvement.

Mrs. Sid Watts, who was carried to the Columbia Hospital some time ago for special treatment is improving. We hope she will soon be at home again.

Miss Annie Kirkland has returned to Columbia after a pleasant stay with her mother, Mrs. Kirkland at Flat Rock, and sister, Mrs. L. L. Clyburn, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Owens, Jr., and family, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Spears spent Sunday with Mrs. Spears' mother, Mrs. Rush.

Misses Mary Edna and Sarah Clyburn spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Clyburn.

Mrs. Louis L. Truesdale who has been quite sick for the past week is improving we are glad to know.

Miss Marie Truesdale and little brother are visiting their uncle, Mr. Clarence Watts this week.

Mrs. Tommie Truesdale and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Spears last week.

Mr. Melvin Truesdale was the guest of Messrs. Jogle and Edgar Bell last week.

Mr. Melton, of Camden, was here Monday on business.

Mrs. R. H. Truesdale and baby was the guest of Mrs. J. J. Owens Saturday.

Miss Beaulie Spears spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Mary Truesdale.

Mr. James Burns and family made an automobile trip from Camden Wednesday.

Mr. Sam Truesdale was in Camden Wednesday.

Mr. N. B. Workman was in Camden Friday.

DUKES ELECTROCUTED.

Slayer of Policeman Barwick Met Death in Chair

Wednesday's Columbia Record.

Convicted of the murder of Isadore Barwick, a policeman of Pinewood, on February 10, Sam Dukes, a negro, apparently 25 years of age, this morning paid the penalty of his crime when he was electrocuted at the state penitentiary. Showing only slight nervousness evidenced by the twitching of his fingers as he sat in the chair of death, Dukes received the shock that sent him into ecstacy at 11:30 o'clock. The current passed thru his body continually for one minute and five seconds and after an examination by the prison physician, Dr. J. T. Jennings, and other doctors of the city, he was pronounced dead at 11:37.

The electrocution, the ninth since the installation of the chair, was witnessed by thirty spectators. Present in the crowd were two brothers of the murdered policeman, Robert and B. T. Barwick, of Clarendon county, and a cousin, John Barwick, of Sumter. Several citizens of Pinewood also witnessed the execution.

The Death Scene.

The legal witnesses to the electrocution entered the death house at 11:20 and arranged themselves about the walls of the room. Five minutes later Dukes, escorted by two guards, entered the chamber and was immediately placed in the chair. The straps were quickly adjusted. Col. D. J. Griffith, superintendent of the penitentiary, asked the condemned man if he had a statement to make. "No, sir," the negro replied, but at once began speaking. "I want to say to all that may have anything against me, that I hope they will forgive me for any wrong that I have done," he said. "The Lord has forgiven me and I hope you will, too." He then thanked the guards who have had the duty of attending to his wants during his confinement in the death house for the kindness which they had shown him.

Of a citizen of Pinewood, whom he knew, Dukes asked: "Is my wife dead? A letter which I have says that she is." He was told that his wife was still living and said that he had nothing more to say.

State Electrician T. Q. Boozer then placed about the negro's right leg the metal clamp and on his head the helmet which makes a connecting link of the body of those to be electrocuted. At the direction of Mr. Boozer, J. C. Robbins, a guard of the penitentiary, threw the switch that sent the powerful current of 1,900 volts through the body of the negro. With varying force the current shot through Dukes' body for one minute and fifty seconds. He was then pronounced dead.

In cells adjoining that of the negro who was executed this morning were another negro and a white man who will be electrocuted on August 11 and July 14, respectively.

SOUTH CAROLINA NEWS PUT IN PARAGRAPHS

The prohibitionists of Orangeburg county will make a strong fight against re-establishing the dispensary system in that county. In other counties a warm campaign is expected.

Geo. W. Watts, a well-known citizen of Georgetown, committed suicide Tuesday by shooting himself in the breast three times with a pistol. He was 42 years old, and had suffered a long time from various physical troubles.

The Gilbert community of Lexington county has had two cases of cerebro spinal meningitis recently. That is the report by James Adams Haynes, M. D., state health officer and secretary of the state board of health, who had been called into consultation.

TAX EXECUTIONS.

Under and by virtue of sundry tax executions to me directed I will sell in front of the Court House door first Monday in July next, being the 7th day thereof, the following described real estate:

All that piece, tract or parcel of land being in the city of Camden, S. C., and buildings thereon, and bounded on the North by estate of L. C. Latham, east by Lytleton st., South by W. H. Blackwell and West by Lizzie Sheheen. Levied upon and to be sold as the property of D. M. Latham for taxes for 1912.

1 lot and building on Church st., Camden, bounded on the North by lot now or formerly Edward Small, East by Martha Eye, South by lot now or formerly of Laura Roberts, and West by Church street. Levied upon and to be sold for taxes for 1911-1912. Formerly property of Isabella Ellis.

One lot and building on Lytleton street, bounded on the North by lot of McIntosh, East by Lytleton St., South by lot formerly of McRae, and West by S. H. Savage. Levied upon and to be sold for taxes for 1911.

One acre in City of Camden, bounded on West by road, north by property of Dr. Pickett, East by property of Miss Minnie Clyburn, and South by property of Sinky Wood. Levied upon and to be sold as the property of Richard Coleman, for taxes for 1912.

Also the property of Hannah Harris, bounded North by property of Lucy Jones, south by Ed. Gamble, West by Ed. Gamble and East by Dr. J. P. Pickett. Levied upon and to be sold for taxes for 1912. 2

Also two acres of land belonging to Richard Certain and bounded as follows: North by Hattie Truesdale East by K. S. Villepique, South by Nora Darby and West by Camilla Johnson. Levied upon and to be sold for taxes 1911 and 1912.

All that tract of land situated in Kershaw county, containing 22 acres more or less and bounded as follows: North by lands formerly of Player, East by G. G. Alexander, South by George Rhame and West by Aaron Whitaker. Levied upon and to be sold as the property of Frank Chesnut for taxes 1912.

1 lot on Monroe Boykin Park, bounded North by 4th Avenue, East by Lots No. 63, 64, 65, South by Lot No. 59, and West by Lot No. 72. Levied upon and to be sold as the property of Sam and Ella Williams for taxes for 1911 and 1912.

1 lot in City of Camden, bounded North by J. R. Deas, East by ally separate it from property of Jane A. von Tresckow, South by Lot No. 3, owned by Mary R. Deas, West by Broad street of City of Camden. Levied upon and to be sold as the property of Mrs. L. D. Reed for taxes 1911 and 1912.

One lot in City of Camden, bounded North by Lot No. 3 of Allen Deas property, East and South by Jane A. Von Tresckow, West by Broad Street of City of Camden. Levied upon and to be sold as the property of Allen Deas, Jr., for

taxes for 1911 and 1912.

One house and lot in City of Camden, bounded North by W. A. Shrook, East by Lytleton Street, South by estate of L. C. Latham, West by Camden Press Brick Co. formerly estate of Workman. Levied upon and to be sold as the property of Mary V. Bruce, for taxes for 1911 and 1912.

One-half acre North of City of Camden and bounded north by the right of way of S. A. L. railway, on East by E. C. Sasportes, South by E. C. and Joel Chesnut, West by estate of W. S. Moore. Levied upon and to be sold as the property of Alfred Kennedy for taxes for 1911.

One house and lot in City of Camden, fronting North on Monumental Square, and bounded East by estate of F. R. Alexander, South by M. A. McAlain, West by D. M. McCaskill. Levied upon and to be sold as the property of H. C. Singleton and wife for taxes for 1911 and 1912.

One lot in City of Camden and fronting East on Fair Street and bounded North by Mrs. E. B. Boykin, East by Fair Street, South by W. D. Barrott and West by Mrs. Mary C. Watkins. Levied upon and to be sold as the property of Martha S. Pinckney for taxes for 1911 and 1912.

One house and lot on LaFayette Avenue, in City of Camden, bounded North by LaFayette Avenue, on East by Sadie Von Tresckow, South by Henry Carlos and West by Sadie Von Tresckow. Levied upon and to be sold as the property of Jennie Myers for taxes for 1910, 1911 and 1912.

Three acres of land North of city of Camden, Levied upon and to be sold as the property of Lizzie Kennedy for taxes for 1911 and 1912.

Terms of sale Cash.
W. W. Huckabee,
Sheriff Kershaw County,
June 23, 1913.

AN ORDINANCE.

To Raise Supplies For The City of Camden, S. C., for Year 1913.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Camden, S. C., and by the authority of the same that the following taxes be, and the same are hereby levied for the current year from the 1st day of January, 1913, to the 31st day of December, 1913.

Sec. 1. A tax of 12 mills on each and every dollar of real and personal property within the corporate limits of the City of Camden, S. C., on the 1st day of January, 1913.

Sec. 2. That all able bodied male persons between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years, residing within the corporate limits of the City of Camden, S. C., not exempt from road duty under the laws of the State shall work the streets, ways and bridges under the direction of such overseers as may be appointed for such a space of time not exceeding six (6) days in one year. Provided that at the time of receiving the notice any person

may pay to the person giving such notice three (\$3.00) dollars Commutation, which shall be received in lieu of the work, and that person refusing to work on said streets or to pay said commutation, shall be fined not less than five (\$5.00) dollars nor more than ten (\$10.00) dollars or be imprisoned not less than ten (10) days nor more than twenty (20) days, in the discretion of the City Recorder.

Sec. 3. The tax books for the collection of City taxes will be opened in Council Chamber, Camden, S. C., on the 1st day of July, and remain open each day except Sundays from 9 a. m. to 1:30 p. m., and from 3 p. m. to 4 p. m. until Saturday, August 2nd, inclusive after which time the penalty will be attached to all delinquents.

Ratified by the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Camden, S. C., in Council assembled this 14th day of June A. D. 1913.

S. F. Braington,
Mayor,
Attest: G. G. Alexander, Clerk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

All parties indebted to the estate of Sophia Nelson are hereby notified to make payment to the undersigned, and all parties (if any) having claims against the said estate are requested to present them duly attested within the time prescribed by law.

C. R. Lewis,
Administrator.

June 23, 1913.

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For fear that you have not noticed Page 353 of the Ford Times of May, wherein an emphatic denial is made of certain silly rumors concerning a change of ownership in the Ford Motor Company and a consequent reduction in the price of Ford Cars, we call to your attention the following plain statement of facts:

1st. The Standard Oil Company or any other company has not bought the Ford business or even a single share of our company's stock, as we have no interest to sell.

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3rd. We will not sell three cars for one thousand dollars.

4th. We will not market our product through mail-order houses or direct to the retail buyers, or through any other channels except our regularly licensed dealers.

We expect and want everyone connected with the Ford organization to deny rumors of this character, resting assured that when any changes are made in Ford policy our organization will be the first to know of it.

A dealer need only read his contract and do business accordingly as his contract furnishes him ample guarantee that such rumors are without foundation.

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By N. A. Hawkins, Mgr. of Sales.

D. C. SHAW, "The Ford Man"
Sumter, S. C.

MID-SUMMER

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This Sale Begins Thursday, July 10th and Will Continue Until Further Notice

Colored Dress Linens, in all the leading evening shades, value 35c, sale price...	24c
Brown Linens, specially priced for this Sale, 36 inch Brown Linen Suiting.....	9c
20c value, sale price.....	13c
25c value, sale price.....	19c
Cotton Foulards, one lot, value 25c, Sale price.....	10c
Bordered Cotton Suitings, 1000 yds. in very attractive combinations, value 25c.....	11c
Solid Colored Organdies in the leading season's shades, sale price.....	6c
One lot White Duck, sale price.....	7c
Embroidery—We only mention a few of our immense line of Embroidery. We are cutting deep into prices for this sale.	
One lot Corset Cover Embroidery, value 25c, sale price.....	15c
27 inch Swiss Flouncing, value 50c, sale price.....	24c
45 inch Swiss Flouncing, value 75c, sale price.....	39c
Flaxons—Sheer and beautiful white goods, suitable for Mid-summer wear.	
20c value, sale price.....	14c
25c value, sale price.....	18c
35c value, sale price.....	22c
Remnants. Who can resist them? A table laden with Remnant of a variety of materials. Don't miss the opportunity.	
Dresses—Cool Dresses for hot days, every dress this seasons style. Value ranging in prices from \$2.00 to \$3.00, sale price.....	98c
Colored Batiste, the thing for Mid-summer dresses, in stripes and figures.....	9c
Bath Towels, 50 doz., extra large Turkish Bath Towels, value 35c, sale price.....	22c
Corsets—one lot of W. B. and American Lady Corsets, value \$1.00, sale price.....	29c

REMEMBER THE DATE, THURSDAY, JULY 10

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