

**KERSHAW NEWS NOTES.**

**Interesting Happenings Gathered From The Era of That Place.**

Mrs. Irene Throatt died at her home in Lancaster Tuesday of last week. Her remains were brought to Kershaw for burial at Sand Hill church on Wednesday, and the funeral service was conducted by Rev. J. Powell Tucker. Mrs. Throatt was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Taylor, of Lancaster, who some time ago had to make a like sad journey, when they brought down for burial a younger daughter, whose death resulted from burns.

While Lewis E. Truesdel was driving the auto from the stable on the road near the home of Dr. S. G. Rutledge last Wednesday, the machine overturned pinning him underneath. He was badly bruised but very fortunately escaped serious injury.

Mrs. J. A. Bell, of Lugoff, spent last week in Kershaw with her sister, Mrs. H. L. Gregory. Her husband also spent the week end here.

Mrs. D. M. Kirkley was taken to the Fennell Infirmary at Rock Hill Thursday for an operation. We are pleased to note that she stood the operation well and is getting along nicely.

On Sunday morning about five o'clock the home of E. E. Culvern was destroyed a second time by fire. Mrs. Culvern, whose room adjoined the cook room, was the first to discover the fire, which, fanned by a fierce gale, had already made such headway that nothing could be saved but life itself.

Sunday night about half past seven o'clock the cottage of Mrs. V. D. Brown on east Richland street, just outside the incorporate limits, which was occupied by Albert Cunningham and family, was totally destroyed by fire.

M. Cohen, of Charleston, who was a merchant in Kershaw at one time was a visitor here Sunday, having come from Camden with Harry L. Schlosburg.

We are requested to announce that the Buffalo Township Sunday School convention will be postponed until Saturday before the first Sunday in July. The change of date is made because

the time set conflicts with other religious services in the township. The place of meeting will be Pisgah.

Mr. and Mrs. K. T. Estep and Mr. and Mrs. Jos. K. Hough, of Bethune, and Mrs. G. E. Bateman, of Camden, were visitors in Kershaw last week.

W. L. Blackmon received his commission as postmaster last week and took charge of the Kershaw postoffice Thursday morning, the transfer of stock and other government equipment having been made the evening before. Mr. Blackmon has retained Mrs. Annie Rice as assistant postmaster, which will assure uninterrupted efficient service to the patrons of the office. Mrs. Rice has served as assistant in the office for about twelve years. Mr. Blackmon's daughter, Miss Lillie Mae Blackmon, will also assist in the clerical work of the office. Mr. Martin Cauthen, the retiring postmaster, has given very efficient and satisfactory service during his seventeen years incumbency, and he was strongly endorsed for reappointment. He has not yet decided his plans for the future, but he is too energetic to remain idle long, notwithstanding his advanced years.

George Southers, a colored employe at the Kershaw Oil Mill, was shot Saturday night as he was returning from the fire which destroyed the home of Albert Cunningham. An air of mystery surrounds the shooting, both as to who did it and the cause for which it was done. The negro was coming on the walk and was at the east corner of Dr. L. T. Gregory's yard fence, on Richland street, when he was shot. The bullet entered at the front and passed through the liver, and stopped under the skin at the back. He was found by others returning from the fire. They called Dr. Gregory and the negro was taken to his home in Dr. Gregory's car and was examined by him. On ascertaining the seriousness of Southern's condition, and upon the advice of the physician that he should be taken to a hospital, President J. T. Stevens of the Kershaw Oil Mill ordered a special train, and Southern was taken to the Fennell Infirmary at Rock Hill, where he was operated on, and it is thought that he has a good chance to get well. Dr. J. C. Pearce accompanied the wounded man to the hospital.

**PREPARING FRESH ATTACKS.**

**Artillery Bombardments Continue on Western Front.**

The Germans northwest of Verdun evidently are holding in leash their infantry for fresh attacks in their endeavors to capture Hill 304 and Mort Homme.

The infantry has remained idle in their trenches while the big guns are showering shells on the region embracing the triangle formed by Hill 304, Esnes and Le Mort Homme. Not even a sally by the Germans in this district is reported in the latest French official communications.

Mining operations and grenade fighting have taken place in the Argonne forest, during which the French captured the southern edges of two craters near Les Courtes Chaussees.

The Germans along the Pilkem-Ypres road after three attacks, invaded British trenches, but were quickly expelled, while the French successfully raided German trenches near Richebourg L'Avoue. The British Canadians in their gallant fighting during the past week have inflicted heavy losses on the Germans near St. Eloi.

In the Russian theater there have been artillery duels and infantry attacks at various places. On the Austro-Italian front the Italians have taken from the Austrians the heights north of Rionapale and strong lines of trenches and redoubts on the southern slopes of Monte Pari and Cinnodoro, and on the rocks of Monte Sponero, the Austrians suffering heavy casualties. Elsewhere along the line the artillery duels continue.

Dispatches from Saloniki report a recrudescence of the artillery fighting on the Greek front between Gievelli and Dolran. In Asiatic Turkey Petrograd reports a continuation of the Russian advance west of Erzerum. The Turks, however, in the region of Bitlis took the offensive against the invaders but all their attacks were repulsed.

Although the Turks report a serious defeat near Felahie of the British advancing to the relief of General Townshend's force beleaguered in Kut-el-Amara, a dispatch is said to have been received in South Africa from General Townshend saying that he was well and expecting relief shortly.

William K. Vanderbilt of New York, has contributed \$12,500 to a fund which is being raised in Aiken for the building of a hospital in that city.

Arthur Hopper, of Gaffney, who was shot three years ago by an escaped convict has had to go to a Baltimore hospital for treatment.

Randall Williamson, aged 24, who lived near Conway, was instantly killed Monday afternoon when a mule which he was driving ran away and threw him out of the wagon, breaking his back and neck.

Charles Frank Jackson, one of the most prominent Masons of the state, died in Columbia Monday, aged 85.

**VITAL STATISTICS.**

**Number of Deaths and Births Registered for Past Month.**

Births—Camden

White

March 6—Boy to Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Beard, Jr.

March 17—Boy to Mr. and Mrs. Julius Arthur Hough.

March 28—Girl to Mr. and Mrs. Lang H. Ammons.

March 30—Boy to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. McCaskill.

Colored

March 1—Girl to Amelia Wallace.

Deaths—Camden

White

March 3—George A. Shoemaker.

March 5—Lewis Watts.

Colored

March 28—Mjry Hunter.

Births—DeKalb Township

White

March 29—Boy to Mr. and Mrs. Bryan M. Hall, Jr.

March 15—Boy to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Watson.

March 31—Boy to Mr. and Mrs. Amos G. Hall.

March 12—Boy to Mr. and Mrs. Colonel H. Munn.

Colored

March 16—Boy to Zellie and Mattie Brown.

March 22—Boy to Edward and Ellen Zeek.

March 22—Girl to Citney and Lena Mills.

March 22—Boy to Willie and Lillian Belton.

March 23—Girl to Rollie and Myrtle Hammond.

March 25—Girl to Eddie and Rena Truesdale.

March 29—Girl to Willie and Louisa Shirley.

March 31—Boy and girl to Richmond and Lottie Carter.

Deaths—DeKalb Township

White

March 27—Easter Banks.

Colored

March 12—Sug Harriette.

March 17—Celia DuBose.

March 28—Peter Curry.

March 26—Sherry Pringle.

**\$2,540 FOR SCHOOLS.**

**County Superintendent Gets Another Nice Remittance.**

County Superintendent Birchmore received from the State Superintendent of Education the following additional appropriations for schools of this county—\$157 for libraries and \$2,525 for building aid to be distributed as follows:

To enlarge library at Liberty Hill school.....	\$5.00
To enlarge library at the Cassatt School.....	\$5.00
To purchase supplementary reader in Cassatt school.....	\$5.00
<b>Building Aid</b>	
Blaney, District No. 12.....	\$300.00
Three C's, District No. 13.....	300.00
Providence, District No. 15.....	200.00
Waterloo, District No. 16.....	200.00
Bethune, District No. 22.....	300.00
Oakland, District No. 22.....	300.00
Oak Ridge, District No. 28.....	225.00
Chalk Hill, District No. 30.....	100.00
Savannah, District No. 32.....	300.00
Antioch, District No. 35.....	300.00
	2,525.00
Library.....	15.00
<b>Total</b> .....	2,540.00
Amount previously received for this year.....	5,803.80
<b>Total amount to date</b> .....	\$8,343.80

**TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.**

Notice is hereby given that the regular spring examination for teachers will be held at the court house in Camden on Friday, May 5th, 1916, beginning promptly at nine o'clock. All those intending to stand the examination for teachers' certificates will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

C. W. BIRCHMORE, County Supt. Education Kershaw Co.

**PENSION CHECKS RECEIVED**

**List of Confederate Veterans and Widows Who Receive Pension Money.**

Clerk of Court Clyburn has received a check for \$4,848.00 with which to pay the pensioners of this county. Those in Class A receive \$90. each. There are seven in this class in this county: Class B, \$72.; 1; Class C-1, 3, \$48 each; Class C-2, 41, \$48 each; Class C-3 10, \$48 each; Class C-4, 79, \$29. each. The total number of pensioners in this county, 141, of which 79 are widows of soldiers. Mr. Clyburn is ready to deliver these checks. Pensioners should either call in person or send written orders for their checks. Following is a list of the veterans and widows who will receive this money:

<b>Class A—\$96.00</b>
H. K. DuBose, Camden
Louis Deas, Kershaw
Lewis Gardner, Kershaw
Isaac Gay, Kershaw
Amos Hough, Bethune
J. R. Trimmal.
J. R. Truesdale, Kalb
<b>Class B—\$72.00</b>
J. B. Arrants, Camden
<b>Class C-1—\$48.00.</b>
William Robertson
Allen Ward, Camden
James True, Camden
<b>Class C-2—\$29.00</b>
H. Addison, Camden
John Albert, Camden
J. W. Atkinson, Blaney
T. W. Brown, Camden
Thos. L. Banks, Camden
A. H. Bowen, Blaney
M. W. Branham, Camden
W. C. Brown, Camden
J. W. Boone, Westville
R. C. Brown, Camden
N. J. Bennett, Kershaw
J. C. Campbell, Camden
J. E. Connell, Camden
J. E. Douglas, Westville
H. R. Easler
Isaac Gardner
John Gillis, Boykin
Emanuel Hays, Blaney
J. W. Hudson
Samuel Hilton, Camden
T. F. Jackson, Lugoff
H. G. Joyner, Jefferson
A. P. Kirby, Camden
W. M. Langley, Angelus
A. J. Munn, Kershaw
T. S. Moore, Blaney
J. N. Northcutt, Blaney
J. J. Owens, Westville
John Player
J. G. Powell, Westville
B. J. Raley, Kershaw
Neal Ray, Kershaw
T. A. Stewart, Camden
C. J. Stewart, Camden
E. E. Stokes
W. J. Spradley, Camden
James Sinclair, Kershaw
J. F. Turner, Camden
T. J. Wilson, Camden
P. H. Watkins, Camden
John Z. Young, Camden
<b>Class C-3—\$48.00.</b>
Millie Ammons, Camden
Mary E. Catoe,
Caroline Corder, English
Amanda Cook, Kalb
Sarah Hays, Ridgeway
Martha Pye, Camden
Nancy Self, Camden
Elizabeth Saunders, Rodman

Nancy J. West, Cassatt

Nancy M. Truesdale

**Class C-4—\$29.00**

Sarah Adkinson

M. C. Ancrum, Camden

E. J. Anderson, Camden

C. E. Bell, Westville

Jane Anderson, Camden

M. E. Blackman, Bethune

Lacy Branham, Bethune

E. J. Brasington, Camden

Josephine Bass

Nancy A. Bowles, Westville

C. S. Bradley, Westville

Frankie Boone, Westville

Sarah Barfield, Westville

Janie Connell, Camden

Susan Campbell

M. C. Cureton, Liberty Hill

M. E. Croft, Camden

Martha Cassidy, Bethune

J. S. Cunningham, Liberty Hill

Emma Coats, Lugoff

Mary A. Coats, Camden

Mary E. Dease, Camden

R. W. DeLoache, Camden

Elizabeth Evans, Blaney

Margaret Faulkenberry, Westville

M. S. Ferrell, Westville

Susan A. Fletcher, Westville

Emma Freeman, Bethune

Victoria Gardner, Bethune

Charlotte Gerald, Blaney

C. M. Goodale, Camden

Sallie R. Gay, Westville

Eliza Graham, Lugoff

E. F. Goff, Camden

J. T. Graham,

Frauces A. Gaskins, Westville

Mary Gladden, Camden

Tempy Garvin, Blaney

Emma Hinson, Blaney

Della Hough

Nannie A. Kirkland, Camden

Ellen C. Kelly, Lugoff

W. M. Lollis,

Tamey E. Moore

Rebecca Marsh, Bethune

Caroline McMullen, Camden

Margaret Mahaffey, Bethune

Talitha Motley, Blaney

Jane Mickle, Blaney

Louisa Matthews, Cantey

H. A. Monroe, Camden

Martha A. Niles, Camden

Laura Moore, Westville

Rosalie Morris,

H. M. Martin, Lugoff

E. Jane Mackey, Heath Spring

S. A. Newman, Bethune

F. E. Pendergrass, Camden

Mary Outlaw

Eliza Peach, Bethune

E. F. Roe, Camden

Ann M. Raley, Bethune

Mary A. Ross, Blaney

Tempy Shoemaker

Rebecca E. Shaw, Bethune

Mary A. Stokes, Camden

Rebecca Sinclair, Camden

Mary E. Schrock, Camden

Sallie J. Smith, Camden

Martha Shiver, Camden

Nannie E. Trantham, Camden

Carrie Truesdale, Westville

S. C. Turner, Kershaw

Ann Thorne, Kershaw

Louisa Wilson, Camden

Mary R. Workman, Boykin

A. E. Wilson

Sarah West, Bethune

Julia A. Wooten, Lugoff.

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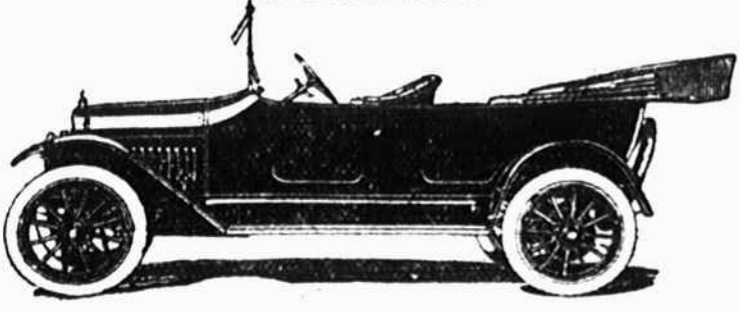
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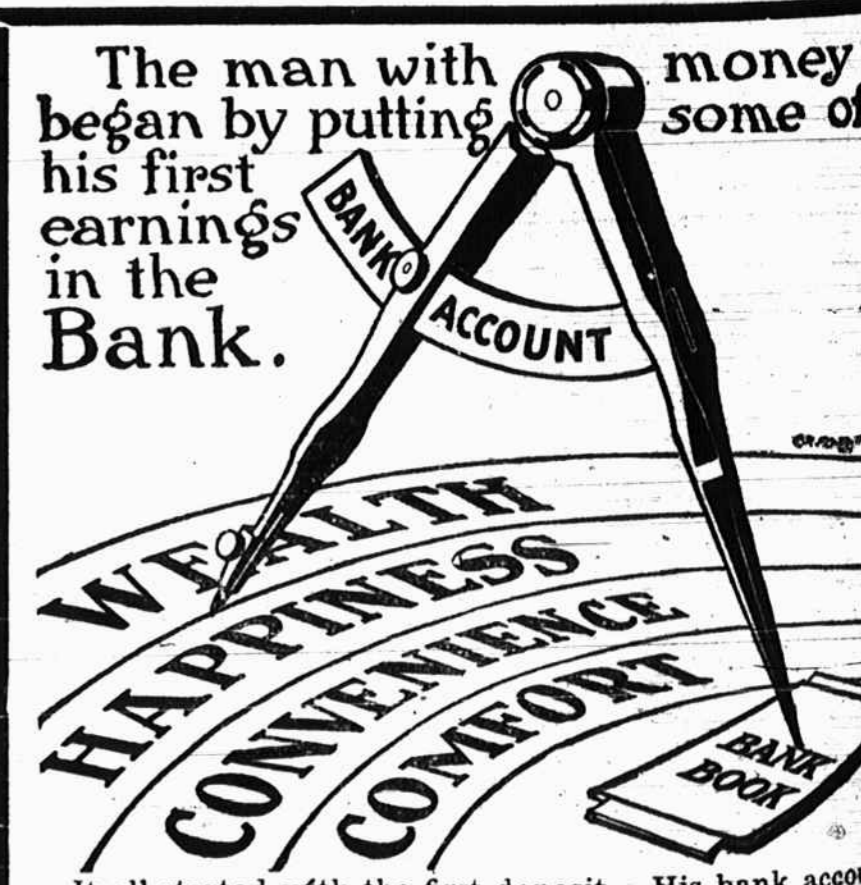
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