

KOLLOCK SCHOOL

Closing Exercises Were Fine— Splendid Program

Kollock May 11th: On last Friday evening May 8th a large audience gathered at the Kollock school house to hear the closing exercises of the school.

Miss Nelle Wilks, the efficient teacher, had an excellent program arranged for the evening which was carried out nicely by the pupils and was a commendation of her work there this year.

Mr and Mrs E D Grant and Mr Luther Rice furnished delightful music. Mr Grant and Mr Rice accompanied Mrs Grant with violins.

Owing to the fact that Mr J P Gibson was preparing to leave with his daughter Monday for Hot Springs Ark, he could not be present to give the closing address. Our County Superintendent Easterling was present and made an earnest educational talk which was enjoyed by the audience.

Messrs W B Pegues, Franklin Quick and T D Lashley are the district trustees and together with the patrons take great pride and interest in making their school meet the demands, necessary for the education of the numerous bright boys and girls of that school.

Theirs is a result a responsibility. Upon the plans and ideas of our district trustees as carried out in the schools of each district, largely depends the future welfare of these boys and girls.

The Kollock school building is beautifully located, with ample play grounds almost perfectly level with a steep slope on the east side at the foot of which is a flowing spring that affords water as clear as crystal.

The following is a program of exercises as arranged by Miss Edith helps things along, Annie Smith.

Music. "The best sewing machine, Bryant Colie, Luther Quick. "Mrs Cross and hired girl," Delia Crouch, Hattie Smith.

Music. "Motion song" dy ten girls. "The District school Teacher" Inez Smith.

Music. "The man who has all diseases at once" Luther Quick. "The May Girls Drill Vacation Time" Adrian Britt.

Music. "The swallow" Ethel Colie, Margaret Davis. "Little Sisters, 8 little girls

"Spring" Katie Mays. Dialogue, 7 girls and boys. The Blacksmiths, Adrian Britt, Geo Lashley, Raphen Quick, Colen Driggers, Bradford Quick, Cecil Colie.

"Maud Muller" Annie Smith. Dixie Music, Jno Maynard, Montgomery Crouch. "Little Rosie Girls" Ten little girls.

Col Knox Livingston of Bennettville has been in the city for several days having business in the supreme court but left this morning for Greenville to visit his daughter, Mrs H J Haynsworth of that city. Col Livingston is an able and consistent Democrat and his friends will probably present his name to the ensuing convention for nomination of presidential elector at large—The State.

Stop that tickling cough! Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure will surely stop it, and with perfect safety. It is so thoroughly harmless, that Dr. Shoop tells mothers to use nothing else even with very young babies. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung healing mountainous shrub furnish the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. It calms the cough, and heals the sensitive bronchial membranes. No opium, no chloroform, nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Demand Dr. Shoop's. Take no other. J. T. Douglas.

CLIO NEWS NOTES

Personal and Local Items of Interest

Clio, May 11:—The sale of lots by the Penny Brothers of Greensboro, N. C., on the afternoon of the 8th brought together several hundred people and nearly 100 lots were sold at auction bringing from \$61.00 to \$175.00 according to location of lots all of which lie in west Clio, a part of the real estate lands of Dr. C. S. Evans who is showing up as a first class hustler.

The crowd began to gather at the Clio cross, at 12.30 where the fine Rockingham band of native young men enlivened the times by several selections of well rendered music. The young men composing the band were Manager Walter Bogan, E. W. Stogner, R. L. McDonald, James Yates, Julian Fry, James McKenzie, Auley Crouch, James Thomas, B. F. Thomas and John Burkman. The music was greatly enjoyed, by our music loving people. Mr. J. O. Breeden drew the free lot, adding another link to the chain connecting the two towns together.

The closing exercises of the Clio graded school on Wednesday night were characterized by a scholarly address by Rev. J. J. Douglass whose efforts are always practical and instructive, and are received with hearty appreciation as is shown by the applause that follows. The Misses Myrtle Ivey and Sue Cottingham distinguished themselves by entertaining recitations. The following certificates and medals were given. The Misses Pauline Edens, Bessie Covington, Ruby Bennett and Walsner Edens received certificates having finished the grade. Miss Connie Hubbard received a prize for highest average in class room studies. Miss Katie McLaurin received a prize for highest number of correct answers in spelling.

A prize was offered for the best original story and out of five competitors the prize was given No. 4 which proved to be Miss Bessie Covington.

Dr. B. F. McLeod bought the automobile sold on Friday at the land sales by auction as the property of Mr. R. L. Bennett.

The fine school at Harmony academy, taught by Misses Louise Cook and Mary Hamer, has closed after a bountiful dinner on Friday.

The fruits of the late revival are being gathered into the different churches, the Methodist church received seventy one, the Baptist church three and the Presbyterian two.

Miss Mary Medlin of Bennettville is visiting relatives in town and appeared with the audience that filled the Baptist church on Sunday night to enjoy one of Rev. J. J. Douglas's fine sermons.

Cold nights and general cold weather for the past few days is holding the young cotton and other tender vegetation back, and makes us hold on to our winter underwear.

It is sad to have to attend the burial service of a fallen comrade when so few of us are left to follow others to the grave as we fall in the onward march of time. Elijah Easterling, my old school mate and comrade of the Confederate war was laid in the grave after a useful and long life spent near the place of his birth, and the church of his fathers at old Beverdam, where he is buried and where he held his membership for so many years. He bore his part manfully as a soldier, leaving no stain upon his character as soldier, church man or citizen. He always showed a deep interest in the welfare of the Veterans until called up to take his place in the hosts of Heaven.

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STRYCHNINE FOUND

In Egg by Mrs. Peters—Discovered in Time

Last Thursday morning, while Mrs. W. H. Peters was preparing some eggs for cooking, she noticed a tiny hole in the shell of one of the eggs. She broke the egg in a separate vessel and examined it closely. She found some little white specks on the inside.

She kept the egg in this condition, and showed it to her husband. Mr. Peters is a pharmacist and a member of the Marlboro Drug Company. He tested the white powder and found it to be strychnine. There was enough of it in the egg to kill several people.

Mrs. Peters bought the egg, with others, from the grocery store of R. D. Rogers and Bro. She asks them to save fresh, country eggs for her, and they were brought to the store from the country. The Messrs Rogers have no idea where this particular egg came from, however, as they had been buying eggs from various and sundry persons who brought them to the store.

It is not believed that the strychnine was put in the egg for the purpose of harming anybody, or that the person who brought it to town knew that it contained strychnine.

The most plausible theory is that somebody put the strychnine in the egg to kill a suck-egg dog, and then forgot about, or else some other member of the family gathered it up with others and brought it to town.

Another theory is that somebody had been missing eggs and put out the strychnine for whatever was taking them; and that the egg was stolen and brought to town and sold.

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THE METHODIST REVIVAL

Twenty One Joined the Church— Much good Results.

The series of services came to a close at the Methodist Church Sunday night. The services began on the preceding Sunday and there was a sermon each day and night. The pastor, the Rev R E Turnipseed, did all the preaching. Good sermons were heard each day and good crowds attended every services.

As a result of the meeting 21 connected with the Church. Much interest was aroused and great accomplished.

On Sunday morning Mr W A Mueller was received into membership by certificate.

On Sunday night Twenty were admitted into membership by profession of faith. The following were the ones received: Gilmer Weatherly, Mary R McElwee, Eunice Miller, Frank R Ellerbe, Mary S Sparks, William W Pate, Jr, Rachel S Bouchier, Thos W Bouchier, Christine E Mitchell, Thelma Rowe, Josephine Baldwin, Anyce V Baldwin, J Marie Walters, Lillian Crosland, and Emerson M Thompson, Leslie S Thompson, Edward C Breeden, Victor B John, and Herbert G Townsend.

The Baptist and Presbyterian Churches dispensed with their services Sunday night and joined with the Methodists. The House was crowded and Mr Turnipseed preached an excellent and instructive sermon.

Elijah Easterling Dead.

On Saturday night last at 11.30, death claimed Elijah Easterling, a venerable citizen of the Tatum section, after several weeks illness.

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Announcements

CANDIDATES

Candidates cards are published from date of insertion till the election for five dollars, cash in advance.

AUDITOR
I hereby announce myself a candidate for reappointment to the office of County auditor, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.
A-D J P Campbell.

SHERIFF
I hereby announce myself a candidate for Sheriff of Marlboro County subject to the results of the Democratic primary.
A-D W F Rogers.

I am a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Marlboro county, subject to the rules and result of the approaching Democratic primary.
A-D E J Woodley.

SUPERVISOR
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Supervisor, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.
A-D E D Graham

TREASURER
I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.
A-D C W Crosland.

CLERK OF COURT
I hereby announce myself a candidate for Clerk of Court, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.
A-D John H Thomas.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Clerk of Court, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.
A-D Jeff D Edens.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for clerk of court, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.
A-D Tom C Hamer.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Clerk of Court, subject to the Democratic primary.
A-D J A Drake.

Winthrop College Scholarship and Entrance Examination.

The examination for the award of vacant Scholarships in Winthrop College and for the admission of new students will be held at the County Court House on Friday, July 3 at 9 A M. Applicants must be not less than fifteen years of age. When Scholarships are vacant after July 3 they will be awarded to those making the highest average at this examination, provided they meet the conditions governing the award. Applicants for Scholarships should write to President Johnson before the examination for Scholarship examination blanks. Scholarships are worth \$100 and free tuition. The next session will open September 16 1908. For further information and catalogue, address Pres D B Johnson, Rock Hill, S C 18 26 A D P.

Grippe is sweeping the country. Stop it with Preventives, before it gets deeply seated. To check early colds with these little Candy Cold Cure Tablets is surely sensible and safe. Preventives contain no quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh or sickening. Pneumonia would never appear if early colds were promptly broken. Also good for feverish children. Large box, 48 tablets, 25 cents. Vest pocket boxes 5 cents. Sold by J. T. Douglas.

Tired nerves with that "no ambition" feeling that is commonly felt in spring or early summer, can be easily and quickly altered by taking what is known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. One will absolutely note a changed feeling within 48 hours after beginning to take the Restorative. The bowels get sluggish in the winter-time, circulation often slows up, the kidneys are inactive, and even the Heart in many cases grows decidedly weaker. Dr. Shoop's Restorative is recognized everywhere as a genuine tonic to these vital organs. It builds up and strengthens the worn-out weakened nerves; it sharpens the failing appetite, and universally aids digestion. It always quickly brings renewed strength, life, vigor, and ambition. Try it and be convinced. Sold by Jno. T. Douglas.

Weak women should read my "Book for Women." It was written expressly for women who are not well, and will do a lot of good. It shows how to get the best of things, and how to get rid of the worst. It is a little book, but it is worth a great deal. Write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. The Night Cure is sold by Jno. T. Douglas.

THE CAROLINA
Hail Insurance Company

Was organized in 1906 and in two years of its existence it has paid out to its policy holders in the State of South Carolina alone the enormous sum of one hundred thousand dollars 100 000.

INSURANCE DEPARTMENT OF SOUTH CAROLINA
Fitz Hugh McMaster
Commissioner
Columbia, S C, April, 21, 1908.

Carolina Hail Insurance Co,
Hon W J Montgomery, President,
Marion, S C.

Dear Sirs:
I beg to acknowledge receipt of your license fee \$10.00, and securities, of the par value of \$10,00.00, in compliance with the act requiring the deposit of Ten Thousand Dollars with me as Insurance Commissioner.

Your Company having thus complied with the laws of the State of South Carolina, I hand you herewith receipt for the license fee, and a certificate of license to do business in South Carolina.

Very truly,
F H McMaster,
Commissioner.

Carolina Hail Insurance Co, Marion, S C.
Gentlemen:
Your settlement with me for losses covered by hail is entirely satisfactory, and prompt and just remittance of the amount claimed by me, leads me to believe that your corporation is composed of some of the very best business men of our state. I am carrying an increase insurance in your company this year.

Very Respectfully,
L TOM PARKER.

RATES:—\$1000 INSURANCE FOR \$35.00.

Don't put this very important matter off, but see our Agent and insure at once. Tomorrow may be too late.

C. M. JONES, Agent. 92-5 A D

Valued Same as Gold.

B. G. Stewart, a merchant of Cedar View, Miss., says: "I tell my customers when they buy a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills they get the worth of that much gold in weight, if afflicted with constipation, malaria or biliousness." Sold under guarantee at Douglas and Breeden's drug store, 25c.

ROBBERY AT TATUM

A Quantity of Booze And a Watch Stolen

The depot at Tatum was entered Friday night and 10 gallons of liquor and a crate of beer was taken. The store of H. H. Stanton was also visited and a \$25 watch extracted therefrom.

There is no clue to the author of the deed. It is stated that a suspicious character was seen loafing around Tatum last week. He is described as being of medium height, red faced, and was wearing white hat.

The police here are on the look out but so far no arrests have been made.

There is a Pink Pain Tablet made by Dr. Shoop, that will positively stop any pain, anywhere in 20 minutes. Druggists everywhere sell them as Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets, but they stop other pains as easily as headache. Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets simply coax blood pressure away from pain centers—that is all. Pain comes from blood pressure—congestion. Stop that pressure with Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets and pain is instantly gone. 20 Tablet 25c. Sold by Jno. T. Douglas.

A Californian's Luck.

"The luckiest day of my life was when I bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve," writes Charles F. Budahn, of Tracy, California. "Two 25c boxes cured me of an annoying case of itching piles, which had troubled me for years and that yielded to no other treatment." Sold under guarantee at Douglas and Breeden's drug store.