

Principles of a Local and Personal Nature.

Canoe seed \$1.00 per bushel at Newry store.

Fred Holliday of the Kings... let a fine horse last week.

Plant beans, second crop of Irish potatoes and corn for late good eating.

E. H. Craig's dwelling is nearing completion and will soon be ready for occupancy.

The farmers are rushing their work and very few of them come to town these days.

R. E. Goodwin, after a two weeks stay in Pickens left for Charleston Saturday.

Dr. Thaddeus Hunt, of Townsville spent a portion of last week with relatives in Pickens.

The singing at Secona last Sunday was well attended and an enjoyable way was spent.

Teachers and scholars are having a good time, now that school work is done for awhile.

The farmers are busy harvesting wheat and oats. The wheat is turning out very well.

A large crowd attended the singing at Holly Springs last Sunday and all report a good time.

The crop prospect in and around this section were a very encouraging appearance at this time.

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Don't fail to read... change of ad this week of J. F. H. ...

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The third quarterly conference of the Pickens church will be held with Porter's Chapel church on Friday, July 1st.

Squire W. C. Brandlett announces this week for Coroner. He is a good man and will fill the office to the best of his ability if elected.

Mrs. Williams died at the home of her son, J. L. Moon, three miles of Pickens, on Tuesday evening, from old age. Further particulars could not be learned.

General W. Kelly, while driving home Saturday evening had his team of mules to run away with him and break his leg. He is suffering with a compound fracture and will be laid up for some time.

El Hiett, son of Rev. D. W. Hiett, is at home for a few days. He has recently received an appointment as railway mail clerk, making the highest average in the class that stood the examination.

Mr. Joe B. Finley of the Mican section, announces this week for the legislature. Mr. Finley is a good, safe, conservative man and should be elected if he would serve his constituency fully and well.

J. F. Hiett announces this week for reelection to the office of Magistrate for this township, and should he again be elected he will continue to discharge the duties of the office to the best of his ability.

The many friends of Rev. O. M. Abney will regret to learn that he has been confined to his room for several days with fever. They will learn with delight that he is improving, and that he will soon be up again.

The town council has Surveyor John A. R. Johnson running out the streets of Pickens according to the plat of the town and establishing the lines and corners permanently. This will save a lot of contention in the future.

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Liberty Items. There was a social gathering at the "Brown Hotel" Tuesday evening June 14th in honor of Miss Pauline Martin of Hodges, S. C. Cake and ice cream was served in abundance. Music furnished by Miss Irene Clarke was excellent.

The Misses Calhouns of Fort Hill are visiting the family of Mr. J. P. Smith.

Dr. H. F. Dacus of Greenville were among his old friends last week. We are always glad to have him with us.

Rev. D. W. Hiett filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday.

R. C. Carter has moved his stock of goods to J. H. Brown's old stand on Railroad street.

Julian Wertz who has been quite sick for the past two weeks is improving.

Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Job P. Smith who died at her home Friday night were conducted Saturday afternoon at Ruhama cemetery.

Dr. Hall of New York gave a fine lecture at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon, on the subject: "Yesterday today and for ever." He lectured Monday night on "Evol killer".

Miss Irene Clarke who came from Elberton, Ga. to teach music through the summer months has a large class and getting along nicely with her pupils. She is a fine performer as well as a teacher.

W. O. Willard has the contract for grading the side track to the Calhoun Mills and also building dam for the reservoir. Cross ties are being put down for the side track. Material for the houses and Mill is coming in.

Miss Pauline Martin who has been visiting Mrs. J. H. Brown has returned to her home at Hodges, S. C.

Mrs. J. P. Smith who has been on the sick list is convalescing.

The little infant of Mr. and Mrs. Drenn has been very sick this week.

Palmer Greer who has been quite sick is up again and able to be on the streets.

McLaurin for Congress. Ex-United States Senator J. L. McLaurin of Bennettsville is being urged by his friends to enter the congressional race in the sixth district. He has received several telegrams and letters from friends in the district asking him to file his announcement. He is seriously considering the situation and his candidacy is almost a certainty.

A Fine Opportunity for a Young Man. The South Carolina College offers scholarships in the Normal Department to two young men from each county. Each scholarship is worth \$10 in money, besides remission of \$10 tuition and \$15 matriculation or "board" fee. The money is paid at the rate of \$3 a month for eight months, to assist in meeting the necessary living expenses.

Examination will be held Friday, July 8th, before the County Board of Education. Applicants should be at least 19 years of age, and preferably teachers. Write President Benjamin Sloan, South Carolina College, Columbia, S. C., for blank on which to apply before July 5.

What Insects Cost the Country. The extent of damage done by the insects which prey on the agricultural interests of the United States is but little appreciated. Twelve Insects, according to reliable statistics, do an estimated damage to farm products of \$33,000,000 per annum. The chinch bug heads the list with \$100,000,000 a year; grasshopper, \$90,000,000; Hessian fly a remainder of the revolution, since the mercenaries hired by King George brought its eggs over in the straw for their horses \$50,000,000; cotton worm and boll worm (prothon), \$25,000,000 apiece; cotton boll weevil, \$20,000,000; San Jose scale, grain weevil, apple worm and army worm, \$10,000,000 apiece; potato bug, \$8,000,000 and cabbage worm, \$5,000,000.

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Mr. McCalla for Congress. Hon. I. H. McCalla of Lowndesville was in the city yesterday and announced that he would be in the race for congress this summer.

Mr. McCalla is in the race two years ago when Mr. Aiken was elected, and it was supposed that he would stay out this summer and give Mr. Aiken a clear field in deference the idea that an office holder ought to have two terms.

Mr. McCalla, however, said he would be in the race, and he did not think the "two-term" idea would amount to anything. He said he expected to be able to show to the people that he is the right man for congressman for this district, and talked with the air of a man who is not uneasy about the race.

Mr. McCalla is a well known and popular citizen, and it is certain that the congress race this summer will not be without interest.

Mr. McCalla said he would announce his platform for on August 1st.

Notice to Debtors and Creditors. All persons having claims against the estate of James E. Hagood deceased, will present the same duly attested, and all claims indebted to said Estate will make payment to W. M. Hagood, B. A. P., 700 S. Broad St., Columbia, S. C.

Four Free Friends for Farmers. Our money winning book, written by men who know, tell you all about Potash. They are needed by every man who owns a field and a plow, and who desires to get the most out of them. They are sold by every dealer in fertilizers and soil works. New York: 125 Nassau Street, Atlanta, Ga.: 521 So. Broad St.

Major Ambler of Pickens—A Statesman Before the War.

Major James H. Ambler of Pickens, is in the city spending a few days. Major Ambler is now in his ninetieth year, but when the reporter was asked to guess his age, he guessed sixty-five. He is tall and stately and looks very white but sixty-five. He was a member of the legislature from old Pendleton District from 1854 to 1858. The only ones who served with him who are now living are Col. Jos. Daniel Pope of Columbia and Mr. Augustus Broyles of Anderson.

Major Ambler is still a well known and influential citizen of Pickens holding his own with the representatives of several generations. He talks very interestingly of the old days and tells many interesting incidents of the times before the war when he was a legislator.—Spartanburg Herald, 11th.

1 qt. porcelain top fruit jars 60c per dozen at the Newry store.

Picnic at High Falls, July 4th. The general public is requested to bear in mind the big picnic at High Falls on the 4th of July. A great time is anticipated and every citizen of Oconee and Pickens counties is cordially invited. It is hoped to make this one of the most pleasant occasions in years by gathering together the friends of our two counties. Everybody come.

Farmer's Institute. Prof. Newman, vice-director of the experiment station of Clemson, assisted by Dr. Brackett, assistant chemist, will give a course of lectures on the 4th, 5th and 6th of July.

Trumps of Modern Surgery. Wound and other things are done for the human body by surgery. Organs are taken out and sutured and polished; but back of them they are removed and replaced by bones are applied, pipes take the place of diseased sections of veins; antiseptic dressings are applied to wounds, and various other things are done to heal without mutilation and in one-third the time required by the old treatment. Chamberlain's Pain Balm acts on this same principle. It is an antiseptic and when applied to such injuries, causes them to heal very quickly. It also allays the pain and soreness. Keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm in your home and it will save you time and money, not to mention the pain and suffering which such injuries entail. For sale by Pickens Drug Co., Pickens, S. C., Hunter, Liberty.

Winthrop College Scholarships & 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 8th, at 9 A. M. Applicants must not be less than fifteen years of age. When scholarships are vacated after July 8th, they will be awarded to those making the highest average at this examination.

Sued by His Doctor. "A doctor here has sued me for \$12.50, which I returned to him for a case of cholera morbus," says R. White, of Coonella, Cal. "At the trial he praised his medical skill and medicine. I asked him if it was not Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy he used he would not say under oath that it was, and I had reason to believe it was, and I never fails. Sold by Pickens Drug Co., Pickens, S. C., Hunter, Liberty.

Summers For Relief. Complaint not served. STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Pickens County. Court of Common Pleas. Fleming Thomas Jones and Harry Jones by their guardian John H. Clayton, Plaintiffs, against J. McD. Bruce and Judge Leverett Jones, Defendants. You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which is this day filed in the office of the Clerk of Court for Pickens County, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the undersigned at his office at Pickens, S. C., within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service and of any day in which the court is closed by law. If you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint. Dated June 13th, A. D. 1901. J. P. Caroy, Plaintiff's Attorney. A. J. Boggs, C. C. P.

THRESHERS. We have a Full Stock of the Well Known FARQUHAR THRESHERS AND AJAX PORTABLE ENGINES. Prices Right. Catalog on Request. GIBBES MACHINERY CO. Columbia, S. C.

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J. F. HARRIS. SAYS "LOOK BEFORE YOU LEAVE". And you will light at PICKENS, S. C., where he has the Largest and Most Complete Line of GENERAL MERCHANDISE. He has ever carried. My trade is increasing every day. Fair Dealing and Honest Values. THE BEST of every thing for the least money is my advertisement. Never mind the price of an article if it is worth the money. BUY THE BEST. Of everything and you will learn by experience that The Best is the cheapest. If you want anything in the Mercantile Line, if you want to buy a Lot or rent a House, or buy a House and Lot, you want the best money by seeing me before you make a trade. Yours truly, J. F. HARRIS, THE CASH MERCHANT.

WE Have Just Received a new lot of Window Shades, Bed Lounges, Iron Beds, Woven Wire Cots, Bed Springs, etc., etc., at very low prices. Lamps, Lanterns, and a lot of other useful articles about a Home or Farm, and we invite all to call on us and look through our Rooms when in town. It costs nothing for you to look and we take pleasure in showing you our goods whether you buy anything or not. W. T. McFALL.

COUGHS. Murray's Horehound, Mullein and Tar is composed of the best collective remedies known for colds, coughs, croup, whooping cough, and all affections due to a cold and inflamed condition of the respiratory passages. It is prompt in its action and relieves the most distressing cough. Murray's Horehound, Mullein and Tar may be used to advantage in a severe case of whooping cough. It is pleasant, purely vegetable and absolutely safe for all ages. Nothing else like it in all the world. It should have a place in every household, ready at hand when a cough begins to show its signs. It is a cough remedy of the highest quality. Prepared by the Murray Drug Co., Columbia, S. C.

Nervous Dyspepsia Cured by Rydalen's Stomach Tablets. Mr. R. E. Jones, buyer for Pickens & Bridget, whose large department store is located at 9th and Deane Streets, Washington, D. C., writes under date April 11, '04, as follows: Last February, one year, while in New York on business for my house, I caught a severe cold, which laid me up for several weeks and left me weak and nervous. I had tried every medicine, but my digestion was very poor. My physicians could not get at the cause of my trouble, as my digestion seemed so much impaired. I decided to try Rydalen's Stomach Tablets, being recommended by a friend, they were a good day's preparation. After using them a few days, I began to realize that I was getting better. I gave up the doctors' prescription and have gained 20 pounds while using only two boxes of these tablets. I feel much better in my life and am again enjoying my Stomach Tablets having cured my. I can recommend them most heartily, to sufferers from nervous indigestion and general run-down conditions of the system. Pickens Drug Co.

Great Removal Sale. My ENTIRE STOCK of seasonable merchandise at the astonishing prices below. These goods must be sold by JUNE 30th, as I will move into the Brown Building by then, and will make this Great Sacrifice TO SAVE EXPENSE OF MOVING. Dry Goods. 1,500 yards Standard Grade Calico, 2,500 yards Standard 38 inch Shirting, 2,000 yards standard checks. ALL to go at 5c per yard which is positively less than can be bought for today. Also a complete line of Ladies' Dresses, Blouses, Mantles, Beachings, Children's Washes, etc., to go at cut prices. Groceries & Feeds. 2,000 pounds Choice Family Flour for \$2.00 per hundred pounds. 100 barrels of Choice Family Flour, at only \$1.75 per barrel and a lot of other goods at the lowest prices. I have 5,000 pounds of meat at this sale at a low price. No 1 Timothy Hay for \$1.05 per ton. Corn, cheap, 75c per bush. Nice clean Feed Oats for 65c. Nice White Saff 50c per bush. WHEN IN TOWN STOP HEADS.

C. CARTER. Clothing, Shoes and Toys. Dressing goods especially. Sole Agents for the Mitchell, Wagon, Battle Ave. Shoes and a Strong Line of High Top Clothing. The Best Fitting Clothing in the World. Soda Water Force. It is a good thing to have when the weather makes people feel that they have lost about 50 percent of their energy. The U. S. Dispensary, a big medical book of over 1,000 pages says that soda water is the best thing to have when you are feeling nervous and thin, and if you stomach has gone wrong, and if you are all the rest of you the cure is at hand. Pickens Drug Company, Drugs & Stationery. A. K. PARK.

NEW SPRING GOODS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION. DRESS GOODS IN GREAT PROFUSSION! Consisting of all the latest novelties in white goods and colored Lawns and Beauties, greatest lot of waist goods and black goods for skirts we have ever shown. When it comes to clothing, we have simply been waiting about, and we are still on the jump. The biggest and best line of nothing ever shown in Pickens. We try to increase our clothing trade each year, and to do this we lay nothing but first-class goods. IT PAYS TO BUY THE BEST. The great old saying that is most true and so will need all kinds of summer goods. Straw Hats, bags, coats and umbrellas. We have a complete line of articles for men, women and children. Come and get your share before they are picked over. When you are in town, don't fail to look through our line of Furniture, Buggies and Wagon. We keep a complete stock of Furniture and have the best Buggies and Wagons made. Buy Mitchell and you will get the best. Yours Truly, Folger and Thornley. Clothing, Shoes and Toys. Dressing goods especially. Sole Agents for the Mitchell, Wagon, Battle Ave. Shoes and a Strong Line of High Top Clothing. The Best Fitting Clothing in the World.

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