

**Cleanup Week**

The citizens of Pickens are asked to read the proclamation of His Excellency Gov. Richard I. Manning and fall in line. The secretary of the state board of health has called upon every community to get its mind off of the war and hard times by joining in a lively campaign and celebrate cleanup week April 5-11. The chairman of our local board has closely followed and the city council is ready to lend every effort to clean up and make beautiful our town. Practically every community in the state is making preparations for cleaning up during that week. Will the people of Pickens not be as zealous in this good work as the people of other communities?

The health of this community is at stake and the protection against fire is incalculable. Can not the business men and county official be persuaded to take some interest in this matter?

As a matter of economy in the county government would it not be well to have some place to store the machinery when not in use, rather than leave it exposed to the wind and rain? No prosperous farmer would leave his tools in such condition.

Nature has done much for Pickens, and if man would lend his aid this could be made one of the most beautiful spots in the state.

Swat the fly.  
The owners of vacant lots are asked to have them cleaned up next week.

Your premises will be inspected by a committee of ladies after cleanup week. Why not move that piece of road machinery which has been on Main street for a year?

If fire were to break out in the rear of the business houses on Main street, where there is an accumulation of trash and some gasoline stored, the business section would go up in smoke.

The patrons of the Pickens graded school would do well in a united effort to renovate the auditorium. It is not only in a most unsanitary condition, but there is great danger of the plastering falling. Why not have a cleanup day and get this in good condition before commencement?

**A Few Hints on Fertilizer**

Under the present financial conditions now is the time for the farmers to look out for their own interests.

We can save a large per cent on our fertilizer this year by paying cash, as I have previously pointed out to you. The following are some prices, delivered anywhere on the Southern railroad and at Pickens, in car lots. Sixteen per cent acid will be 37 cents per ton more delivered at Pickens, being shipped from Greenville. All other goods same price at both places:

- 10-2 acid, \$13.50.
- 16 per cent acid, \$10.75 on Southern; \$11.12 at Pickens.
- 8-3-3 meal, fish animal ammoniated, \$24.
- 8-2-1, field crops, \$21.50.
- 9-20-2-2, standard mixture, \$20.50.
- Soda, \$46.08.

These goods are all bagged and tagged and guaranteed under Clemson College analyses.

Buy guano by analysis and not by name, and be sure and find out from what source the ammonia is derived. Cotton seed meal and blood and tankage and fish scraps are all fine.

For detailed information see T. B. Higgins at Easley or A. M. Morris at Pickens. I will be glad to render any assistance I can anywhere in the county.

Compare the cash prices, interest added, with the best fall prices and it will be convincing.

My services are yours. Call on me. Respectfully,  
T. A. BOWEN,  
Demonstration Agent.

**Norris News Notes**

Here I come again!  
Health in this community is very good with the exception of some few cases of mumps and grippe.

Friday while Mr. Clint Rowland was driving from Central to Norris accompanied by Dr. Black of Greenville his fine horse suddenly became very sick with an attack of blind staggers. Later the horse recovered enough so that Mr. Rowland carried it back to Central.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Collins of Six Mile spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives near Norris.

Mr. C. A. Few of Central attended church at Norris Sunday last.

Mr. S. E. Mauldin made a business trip to Seneca last Tuesday.

Mr. Jesse Smith of Liberty called to see his best girl Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Reece of Pickens was among friends in this section Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pettie Freeman of Pickens visited their daughter Mrs. Tomps Maddox Sunday.

Miss Lucy Brock spent Saturday and Sunday with her cousin, Miss Maggie Johnson.

Mr. Claude Boroughs has recently purchased himself an automobile.

Mr. John Martin spent Sunday in Liberty.

An Easter Egg hunt will be given by the Norris school.

Mrs. M. C. Rhodes and Miss Louise Rhodes were in Greenville shopping Friday.

Dr. W. A. Woodruff and G. F. Norris, of Catechee were Greenville business visitors last Wednesday.

B. O. Hopkins, of Seneca, who recently opened an automobile garage at Central was in Pickens last week.

**Mrs. Mamie Long**

Mrs. Mamie Long died at the home of her step-daughter, Mrs. Jamie Ellison, near Piedmont on March 25, and was buried at Mt. Pisgah church after funeral services conducted by her pastor, Her husband, Wm. E. Long, had preceded her to the grave just a little more than a year ago. Mrs. Long was about 56 years of age. She was a most pious woman and greatly loved by all who knew her. She leaves three sisters, viz.: Mrs. G. B. Nalley of Anderson county, Mrs. Thomas Gentry of Pickens county, and Mrs. Ida Simpson of Greenville, and two half-brothers, Rev. Thos. E. Clyde of Anderson county and Charles M. Clyde of Atlanta. She was a devoted member of the church at Mt. Pisgah.

Mrs. Mary Anna Jackson, widow of "Stonewall" Jackson, the Confederate general of the Civil war who fell in battle at Chancellorsville in 1863, died at her home at Charlotte, N. C., after a brief illness of pneumonia, at the age of 84 years. She is the author of a biography of Gen. Thomas J. Jackson, her distinguished husband. Judge L. S. Roan of Atlanta, now famous throughout the United States as the jurist presiding at the Leo M. Frank trial, died in a New York hotel, following a brief illness.

**Cleanup Week**

The week beginning April 5 will be observed as cleanup week in Pickens. We urge you to burn all trash that is burnable and pile up that which cannot be burned so that the town wagon can get it and the town authorities will have it hauled away.

All societies and persons interested in civic improvements are cordially asked to cooperate in this work.

G. R. HENDRICKS, Mayor.  
F. S. PORTER, M. D.,  
Chm. Bd. of Health.

**Honor Roll of Norris School**

- First Grade—Clyde Entreklin, Mary Cook, Katharine Bowen, Edward Bowen, Wayman McWhorter and J. C. Bolden.
- Second Grade—Rosco Cooper, Toby Cook.
- Third Grade—Cecil Young, Thomas Tate.
- Fourth Grade—Lillian Johnston, J. P. Garvin.
- Fifth Grade—Ellen Tate, Cliff Mullinax.
- Tenth Grade—Reta Mullinax.

It rained, snowed and sleeted in Pickens Tuesday.

**Death Near Norris**

Mr. Taylor Blackerby, a highly respected citizen of near Norris, died at his home on Sunday, March 21 after a protracted illness. Aged 64 years. His remains were laid to rest at Mount Zion in Central the day following his death. The unanimous verdict of his fellowmen is that he was a good man and citizen. The deceased leaves a wife and one son. The bereaved ones have the sympathy of the community.

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**Richardson-Smith**

The following wedding announcements have been received here:  
Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Berry Richardson announce the marriage of their daughter, Pearl, to Mr. William Thomas Smith on Wednesday, March the twenty-fourth, nineteen hundred and fifteen, Liberty, South Carolina. Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas Smith will be at home after April the fifteenth, St. John Hotel, Columbia, South Carolina.

The bride is one of Liberty's most popular young ladies, and has many friends who are interested in this happy event. She carries the best wishes of many friends to her new home. Mr. Smith is a prominent business man of Columbia. Rev. G. W. Quick, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church of Greenville, was the officiating minister. Immediately after the wedding breakfast they left for Florida and Cuba.

**European War Notes**

Russia is now planning to cross the Carpathians and completely cripple the dual monarchy of Austria-Hungary. The fate of this Teutonic nation is said to be hanging in the balance and entirely depends upon the outcome of this Muscovite invasion. The Berlin war office admits this is one of the most critical blows of the whole war.

British airmen have been successful in a raid on Hoboken, near Antwerp, where they made an aerial bombardment of the German troops encamped there.

"On to Cracow" is now the cry of the Russian armies since encouraged by their victory at Przemysl, taken after a seven month siege. The Petrograd war office is determined to crush the Austrian power in Europe and to annihilate the southern Teutonic forces. Over fourteen thousand prisoners have been taken in the last few weeks.

Italy is said to be actively preparing to enter the war so as to begin hostilities about May 1 or as soon as the weather will permit the passage of troops across the Austrian border into Trente. Premier Salandra is planning a big naval bombardment on the Adriatic. Austria is carefully watching the preparations, and is said to be planning the capture of Venice.

Russia is rejoicing over the Petrograd war office's announcement that after a siege of seven months the Austrian fortress at Przemysl has fallen and 50,000 prisoners have fallen into the hands of the Muscovite army. Church chimers in every important city and town in European Russia rang the air of the national anthem.

Addressing the house of commons, Sir Edward Grey, the English foreign minister, declared war is what Germany wanted and that the present struggle could have been entirely avoided had the hot-headed Teutons only been willing to hold a conference to settle all the disputes. He blames the entire situation on the Kaiser's government.

Berlin declares that at the present time 10,000 soldiers of the Anglo-French and Russian forces are now held as prisoners by the Germans.

A Belgian relief ship plying between Bruges and London was attacked by a German submarine and shattered.

Mulheim, in the duchy of Baden Baden, was bombarded in an aerial attack by a French aviator. Bombs were dropped on the city and the barracks, wounding several soldiers.

**Son Shoots His Father**

Joseph B. Kelley, who lives with his son on the Ramsay place near Keowee river in Pickens county, was shot and probably fatally wounded last Monday by his son, Paul Kelley.

It seems that the older Kelley makes his home with his son. Monday morning the younger man left home and was away all day. Upon returning home it is said he found his wife sitting by the fire sobbing and that she said that her father-in-law had been cursing and abusing her during the day. It is reported that the older man had been drinking during the day and when his son asked him for an explanation of his conduct the father made for a shotgun and threatened to kill both his son and his wife. One report says Paul rushed into another room and secured a gun and another says he took the gun from his father. At any rate the young man shot his father thru the right thigh. A pocket knife and several nails were driven into the flesh and the wound is an ugly one. The leg would have been amputated, but Mr. Kelley is unable to stand the operation, according to the attending physicians.

The affair is very regrettable. The son has not been arrested, but is allowed to remain at home for the present and assist in waiting upon his father. He greatly deplores the tragedy.

Mr. Kelley is not expected to live long.

It is reported here today that the wounded man has signed a statement in which he says that his son was justified in shooting him and acted in self-defense.

**Girls' County Contest at Liberty**

In the second annual Pickens county girls' expression contest, which was held at the Liberty school auditorium on Friday evening, March 26, Miss Pauline Brown of Liberty won first place and Miss Ina Shirley of Liberty won second place. The gold medal given by Capt. Ivy M. Mauldin of Pickens. Second place and medal was won by Miss Mary Wyatt of Easley. Miss Ina Shirley of the fifth grade of the Central school won third place.

Each speaker acquitted herself well and the contest was a decided success. Rivalry among the schools was keen and the enthusiasm ran high. Long before time for the speaking to begin the crowd began to gather at the auditorium and by 8 o'clock every seat and standing room was filled. Prof. Richardson of Liberty presided. Miss Nellie Crawford, who was to have represented the Six Mile school, was unable to attend and Miss Ina Shirley took her place.

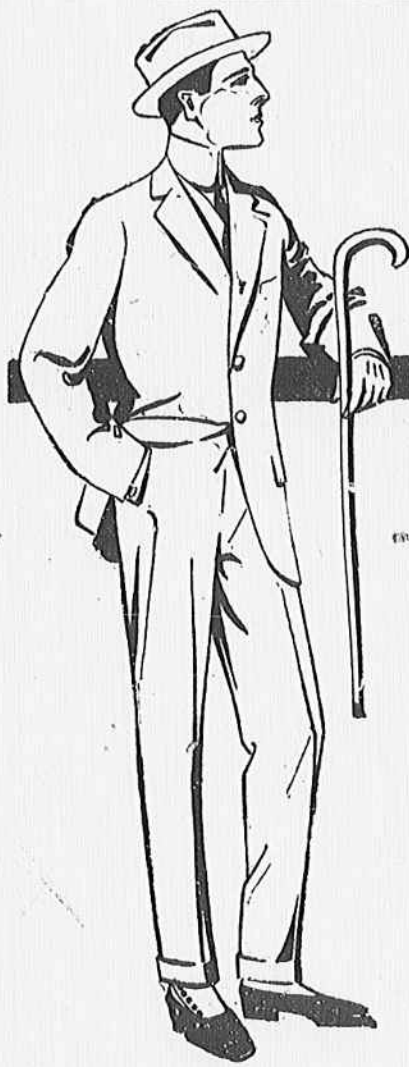
Following is a list of the speakers and their subjects:

- Miss Sarah Attaway, Pickens, "The Jiners."
- Miss Nannie Mae Jones, Dacusville, "President Garfield."
- Miss Ina Shirley, Central, "Aunt Chant's Rumination."
- Miss Pauline Brown, Liberty, "Ole Mistis."
- Miss Ina Shirley, Six Mile, "Music of the Rappahannock."
- Miss Mary Wyatt, Easley, "The Governor's Last Leave."
- Miss Dorthea Moon, Roanoke, "The Maniac."
- The judges were Misses Robbie Wakefield of Anderson, Jessie Bryant of Greenville and Mary Hulham of Spartanburg.

Reunion school district made the vote in favor of school bonds and a special 2 mill tax unanimous in the election held several days ago.

**Easter Specials**  
**At Edw. L. Bolt & Co.**  
**EASLEY, S. C.**

We wish to inform our customers and friends that we have one of the prettiest lines of goods that we have ever carried, and you know that is saying a lot, for we have always carried a good line. But this season we have sought the new things and you can come to this store and find what is the very best in Ladies' ready to wear, Millinery, and piece goods. It will do you good to pay this store a visit and see for yourself what we have got to show you. Come and look through our big stock, remember we will be glad to show you whether you want to buy or not.



**Ladies' Suits and Skirts**

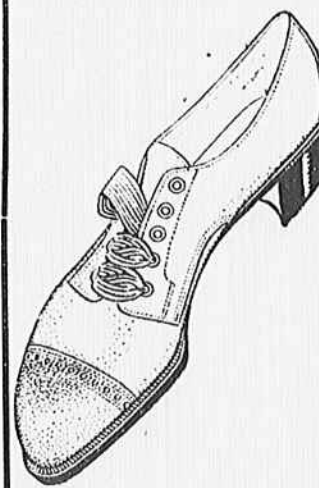
We are showing a beautiful line of ladies' Spring Coat Suits, priced from \$10.00 to \$18.50, also a beautiful line of ladies' Skirts in serges and mixed goods from \$2.98 to \$5.00. Ladies' silk crepe de-chine waists \$3.50 value, our price \$1.98, colors black and white. White lawn shirt waists 63c to 98c. Ladies house dresses, made up in latest style from gingham and percale, and worth about \$2.00, our price 98c. Children's dresses 39c to 98c. Middy blouses, for misses and ladies 48c to 98c.

**Millinery Department**

We have so many pretty things in this department that we cannot begin to tell you here in this small space, but we will tell you this much, Millinery is cheaper this season, come and see for yourself. We are showing the prettiest line you will find in this part of the country. Be sure and see the line of hats we have on sale at 98c, they are up to \$2.50 values.

**Dress Goods and Silks**

A beautiful line of figured rice cloth 25c value 15c yd.  
A pretty line of figured crepes at 84c to 25c a yd.  
A pretty line of wash silks at at only 25c per yd.  
36-inch figured crepe de-chine at 50c per yd.  
A good line of apron gingham, calicoes and chambrays at 5c yd.



36-inch wool serge all colors at 39c.  
40-inch white lawn 5c yd.  
36-inch L. L. sheeting 8c value, our price 5c yd.

**Shoes and Oxfords**

We have all the new styles in Shoes and Oxfords, and you will find our prices the very lowest.

**Men's and Boys' Clothing**

Let us sell you your Easter suit. We have a nice line of Men's Suits priced from \$10.00 to \$15.00, they are worth more. Also a beautiful line of boys' suits \$1.50 to \$10.00. Remember we will show you this seasons new goods and styles.



2 big boxes Searchlight Matches for 5c. 8 cakes best Laundry Soap for 25c. 6 cakes Laundry Soap and 2 boxes Grandmas Washing Powder for 25c. 2 big pound boxes best Soda made for 5c.

Remember we have no crepe hanging on our front door because of this war and hard times talk, but have gone ahead and bought new goods, and bought them cheap. Come and buy your goods from us and you will forget about hard times. We realize that money is short this time, but if you will trade with us you will make a little money go a long ways.

**Edwin L. Bolt & Co.**

"The Store That's Always Busy."

EASLEY, SOUTH CAROLINA

**A Charming Candy**  
**Easter Novelty**  
**25c**

**"A Crate of Eggs from Bunny"**

This is one of the daintiest confectionery packages we have ever seen, and one of the best values we have ever offered. A beautiful cardboard crate in purple and gold and tied with a gold cord, containing six large Chocolate Eggs, filled with semi-liquid vanilla cream. Each egg is wrapped in silverfoil to preserve its freshness and purity. These Chocolates are of the very finest quality and made by the largest manufacturers of Chocolate Specialties in the world. We unhesitatingly guarantee them to please you, although the price is so remarkably small.

You could not please the children more than by buying them each a box and all your friends would be equally delighted with them.  
**B. F. PARSONS**, Pickens, S. C.  
The Store That Put "Gain" in Bargain.

**Use a Good FERTILIZER With a Lime Base**

In making our 8-2 1/2-1, which runs 8.63—2.96—1.26, the 2.96 of ammonia is made with a lime base. This lime base is valuable in making the potash in the soil available. Authorities think our red lands and our gray lands with clay subsoil have enough potash in them to make at least one good crop without any potash in the fertilizer, but this potash which is locked in the soil must be made available, must have something to "touch it off," and lime does that better than anything else; so this 8-2 1/2-1 of ours, which runs 8.63—2.96—1.26, being built on a lime base, will be found invaluable this year in freeing the latent potash in the soil and making it available as plant food, when potash is so scarce and high.

The ammonia in this goods is derived from fish, blood, cottonseed meal, tankage and sulphate of ammonia, and there is nothing better than this used in making fertilizer. When you get this you get the best fertilizer made.

**Anderson Phosphate & Oil Co.**

See Our Agent,  
**W. B. FREEMAN**,  
Pickens, S. C.