PICKENS, S. C., NOVEMBER 1, 1917

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### **Cost More to Mail** Letters After Thurs.

On and after November 2nd postage rates will be increased. The following official statement from the postoffice department fully explains the change: "Pursuant to amended sections 399, 400 and 402, Postal Laws and Regulations, postmasters shall, on and after November 2, 1917, see that postage is paid at the rate of three cents an ounce or fraction thereof on letters and other first-class matter except drop letters. All drop letters, that is, letters mailed All drop letters, that is, letters mailed for delivery from the office at which posted, including those for delivery by city, rural, or other carrier of such office, are required to have postage paid on them at the rate of two cents an ounce or fraction thereof. Post cards are required to be prepaid two cents, and, therefore, the one-cent postage stamp must have a one-cent postage stamp. must have a one-cent postage stamp affixed to them in addition to the one-cent stamp impressed or such cards. Post cards (private mailing cards) bearrost cards (private mailing cards) bearing written messages must have two cents postage prepaid on them. Postmasters at offices of address shall be careful to rate up with the proper amount of postage due all mail reaching their offices with the postage insufficiently paid."

### E. J. Watson Dead.

E J. Watson, commissioner of agriculture, commerce and industries of South Carolina, died at his home in Columbia Saturday afternoon, after a long illness of tuberculosis of the throat.

### FROM AMBLER.

We are requested to announce that the Sunday School at Ambler will observe "Go-to-Sunday School Day," Nov. 4, at 2 o'clock P. M. Mr. J. R. Connelly and other good singers will be present. All singers and friends of the Sunday school will be welcome. C. L. Craig and others will speak on "Why Should we Attend Sunday School?"

other morning Marion Ellenburg ran out to the wood pile for some wood. On grabbing up a stick he also grabbed two so frightened that he did uot feel like eating anything that day, so after killing the snakes he got his sack and went to the cotton field.

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Mr. and Mrs. Beco Watson and children spent Sunday at the home of A. C. Smith and were accompanied home by E. B. and Susie Smith.

Frank Day and family spent Sunday at the home of W. T. Day.

Tom Simmons and family visited relatives here yesterday.

Miss Annie Mae Smith will return home Saturday to the delight of friends here. She has spent several weeks in Greenville at the home of her uncle, James A. Brown and other kindred.

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### **Five More Negroes** Sent to the Army

Five more negro soldiers were sent rom Pickens county to Camp Jackson at Columbia last Saturday morning. A public meeting in their honor was held served them supper in the court house

Following are names of the five: Hoyt Terrell Anderson, Willie Devore Boggs, Guy Foster, Crosby Towns, Sam Wil-

Husher Green and Joe Smith were also called but failed to appear. A telegram was later received from Joe Smith, stating that he was in Knöxville, Tenn., and ready to go to the army. He was sent from there.

Dr. H. C. Bedford motored to Greenville last Saturday on business.

Miss Ethel Clayton made a business trip to Greenville last Saturday.

A band of christian workers known as the "Texas Gospel Band" began a meeting under a tent on the ball

### Pleasant Grove Letter

Mr. Editor: I will give you a few dots from the northeastern part of the county. Everything seems to be quiet and the general health of the community

We had a killing frost October 14th, but not enough to do much damage.

Fodder-pulling and molasses-making are about over with and cotton-picking and potato-digging are the order of the day now. Some few are having possum to eat with their sweet 'taters and new

Cotton is very late in this section, but is heavily bolled. Corn crop is the best

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### Central Local and Personal News Items

There was a very interesting meeting at the High School auditorium when the people of Central gathered public meeting in their honor was held in the court house Friday afternoon at which J. P. Carey, Jr., addressed them. Rev. Gibbes, pastor of the colored Methodist church at Pickens, also spoke, and razors and comfort bags were given each soldier. The colored women also syrved them supper in the court house. ing for their boys and the success of the American soldiers.

Rev. J. C. Bailey filled his regular appointment last Sunday afternoon. We are always glad to see Mr. Bailey. Dr. H. C. Bedford motored to Greenville last Saturday on business.

Last Saturday was an exceedingly busy day in Central with the merchants and cotton buyers. Hubert Powers didn't have an easy snap, judging from the wagon loads of cotton in the wagon loads of cotton in the same and the same as the sam ton in the gin yard, but he says his gin will spit the seed out of a bale in

Mrs. Baylus Hendricks, of Pickens, visited at the home of Dr. L. G. Clayton Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Dunwoody, who teaching in Laurens county, spent the week-end with home folks.

Those who have not paid their pledge to the National Red Cross Society, will call at the Bank of Central and pay it at an early date.

Miss Lola Smith, a student in Due West College, spent the week-end with her parents. All who want to go to Atlanta to

hear Billy Sunday, hold up your hand please. Every hand went up, so we will all go to hear him.

There was a singing convention at the Second Baptist church last Sun-day. An excellent time was reported.

### TEACHERS' MEETING AT EASLEY.

ection recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Edens of Oolheld at Easley school house next Satenoy, spent a recent Sunday with Mr. urday, November 3, beginning at 11 and Mrs. J. F. Rigdon. and Mrs. J. F. Rigdon.

A box supper was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wash Chastain some two weeks ago and \$30.25 was collected for the nine boxes. This money is to be used for church purposes.

Misses Eva Howard and Emma Patterson of Greenville, were recent visitors in this section.

— P. G. S.

o'clock. All teachers are not only invited but carnestly urged to attend. After the organization there will be special music and an address by Prof. Luceo Gunter, state supervisor of rural graded schools, on the subject, "Making of a Country School." Lunch will be served at the school house by ladies of Easley.

# Organized County

The Pickens County Chapter of the 27th, under most favorable circum, season 1917-18. stances. A large crowd was present, thus testifying to the general interest in the cause so dear to the hearts of the first second, \$40; third, \$25.

Prizes in one acre contest. First, \$60; second, \$30; third, \$20.

Up to this time, the people of Pickens and Easley have been a branch of the Greenville Chapter, contributing their "bit" to the establishment of a Base Hospital at that place. It was deemed best to be a stable of the contribution of the contribut best to merge the various branches of the county pito one strong chapter, thus uniting the county in the great work

A band of christian workers known as the "Texas Gospel Band" began a meeting under a tent on the ball ground last Friday night.

Mrs. Charles T. Fuller of Atlanta, was present, and, in a wonderfully magnetic way, told of the great work being done by the Red Cross in the Confidence of the state of the st done by the Red Cross in the South.

Mrs. Fuller is chief assistant to Doctor
Snavely, head of the central committee,
having charge of the Southeastern Division with headquarters in Atlanta, her work embracing the organization of chapters. She is a young woman of charming personality, and, by her forceful presentation of the subject, inspired her auditors to a pronounced interest in behalf of the cause for Pickens county. Mrs. Fuller explained that the term "county" and name of same is only given to the chapter at the county seat. The organization of the chapter was completed with the election of the following officers: E. P. McCravy, chairvision with headquarters in Atlanta, her

lowing officers: E. P. McCravy, chairman; Mrs. J. P. Carey, Jr., vice chairman; Mrs. T. J. Mauldin, secretary; J. Hagood Bruce, treasurer. The following were selected to serve on the executive computitive. tive committee: Mrs. R. E. Lathem, A. P. DuBose, Mrs. John B. Robinson, Mrs. Henry Garrison, Rev. J. C. Bailey.

Other members will be supplied later.

A splendid address was delivered by Rev. J. C. Bailey, of Pickens and Liberty, giving clearly and forcefully the causes of the war and our present status.

Perhaps the most interesting feature of the exercises was the very excellent music of the 114th Tennessee Field Ar-tillery band which had come over from Camp Sevier for the occasion. Too much cannot be said in praise of these young musicians. By the very excellent quality of their work and their courteous, gentleman bearing, these young men have won for themselves a warm place in our effections.

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A splendid auxiliary has been formed amongst the colored people, and they have begun work with enthusiasm.

Old Newspapers for sale at The Sentinel office.

### **Prizes Offered For** Red Cross Chapter Best Acre of Wheat

Following are the rules governing American Red Cross, with a member- the wheat contest of the Pendleton ship of 280, was organized at the Court Farmers Society, open to farmers of House, Pickens, on Saturday, October Oconec, Anderson and Pickens counties,

Any member of Pendleton Farmers Society, resident of Oconee. Anderson or Pickens county, or members of their families can enter the contest. An-nual dues of the society is one dollar. Rule 1. Prizes are to be given for the

best acre or best three acres of wheat, everything considered. No ntestant

of cost and history of crop, including date of planting, harvesting, method of preparing the land, and the crops grown on the land for two years prior

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the planting of the wheat. The five committeemen from each of the counties of Pickens, Anderson and Oconce will name judges to award prizes. The judges will convene in Farmers Hall, Pendleton, at the call of the president of Pendleton Farmers Society.

### **Durham-Woodson**

Mr. D. H. Woodson of Six Mile and Mrs. Annie Durham of Norris, were happily married at the residence of Col. H. Billingsly Sunday, October 20th, Col. H. Billingsly, notary public, officiating

### **Letter From Pickens** Soldier in France

The following letter was received by Dr. and Mrs. F. S. Porter of Pickens, from their son Casey, who is a member of the engineering from their son Cusey, who is a member of the engineering corps of the U. S. army now in France. The postmark on the envelope says "U. S. Army Postal Service, No. 1." Before being allowed to go thru the mail the letter was read by J. A. Dickson, a censor, but he did not mark out anything.

not mark out anything: Somewhere in France, Oct 2, 1917. Dear Parents: I can't express my pleasure at receiving your letters. I had about come to the conclusion that you had not received my address. Now I can count on mail from you regularly, and, believe me, we look forward to Rule 1. Prizes are to be given for the best aere or best three acres of wheat everything considered. No atestant is to use commercial fertilize exceed the value of \$10 per acre based on November 1, 1917, prices. Stable manure is to be valued at \$2 per ton the value of which is not to be included in \$10 limit on commercial fertilizer.

Rule 2. Applications for entering the contest must be filed with Mr. H. P. Sitton, secretary, Pendleton, S. C., or with your county agent, on or before January 1, 1918.

Rule 3. Prize money will not be paid in cash, but will be put in pure bredattle or hogs as determined by the winners. Where said prize is insufficient to purchase the animal desired the amount can be supplemented by the winner.

Rule 4. At least three competitors must enter for the three acre prizes and three for the one acre prizes.

Rule 5. No acreage in either the one acre or the three acre contest can be entered in both contests.

Rule 6. No competitor can win more than one prize on the same acre or acreage.

Rule 7. All competitors are required to exhibit one-half bushel of average wheat along with an itemized statement of cost and history of crop, including date of planting, harvesting, method of preparing the land, and the crops grown on the land for two years prior.

As ever.

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### We Like Letters Like This.

Mr. Editor: Please find incle ad \$1.50 for which renew my subscription to The Sentinel. I cannot do without the dear old Sentinel.

Yours truly, Liberty, R 3. H. A. STEPHENS.

### Allgoods are Good.

Spartanburg Journal. There ought not to be any evil in Joe1 Allgood, of Pickens county.

### L. L. Sheeting **Special**

Good heavy grade in ort lengths, today's price about 18c yard. Special at

10 and 12 1-2c

# THE STORE THAT'S ALWAYS BUSY

WE have each and every department of our store overflowing with Merchandise which we bought before the advanced prices. No doubt you have been hearing of goods being high. You will find no high prices or scarcity of goods at this store. We are enxious to impress upon your minds that our entire \$30,000.00 stock of new and up to-date Shoes, Dry Goods, Clothing, Mininery, Ladies' Ready-to-Wear, Gents' Furnishings, Etc., will be offered to you at a very low price and assure you that you will get advantage of our early buying. We are anxious to show you whether you buy or not. A look will convince you. When you are ready to buy that fall and winter bill of goods, now be sure to get our low prices These prices are guaranteed until the present stock is sold out.

# Underwear **Special**

Men's heavy Fleeced-lined Shirts and Drawers. 75c value. Special at

50c

## The New Suits, Coats Dresses

Are here and you will miss a splendid treat if you don't come soon and see them. The new fashionable effects are very stun ing and there's a stylish garment this season to satisfy all extremes of taste.

Boys! Our clothes for you are designed in the very latest style and have that manish appearance which you like. They will not cost you very much

The prices are exceptionally low, ranging from \$1.49, \$1.98, \$2.95, \$3.48 and up to \$11.50

### MEN'S CLOTHING.

Our stock of Men's Clothing is complete. 'The

### SHOES SHOES! FROM SMALLEST TO LARGEST

Now for the one thing that has advanced as much or more than anything else in our line, but what will sound good, is that we had our contracts in long ago for our Fall and Winter Shoes, therefore, enabling us to sell them cheaper than you can buy them elsewhere.

### BOYS CLOTHING.

our stock of Men's Clothing is complete. The style, workmanship and color is guaranteed. Our clothes are made by the best concerns in the country. Men! You will certainly appreciate wearing one of our Suits and the price is exceptionally low for the high quality clothes we sell. Prices range from \$5.98, \$7.50, \$9.95, \$12.48, and up to \$17.50.

Children's heavy and light Shoes, all solid leather, range in price from 50c. up to \$2.48.

Boys and girls Shoes are marked at exceptionally low prices, \$1.25, \$1.69 and up to \$5.00.

Men's and Women's Shoes. We have all the new lasts and certainly can sell them at very attractive prices. See our large showing of Shoes before you buy. Prices range from \$1.39, \$1.69, \$2.39, \$2.98, \$3.40 and up to \$7.50.

### Coat Suits

They are made of beautiful material, and so stylish. Our law prices range from \$9.95 up to \$37.50

Large 10 4 Cotton Blanket worth \$2.00 Our price, \$1.49

### A BARGAIN YOU CAN BUY AT THIS STORE EVERY DAY IN THE YEAR.

Eagle Thistle Soda, 2 big lb. boxes for \_\_\_\_\_5c. Ocean Light Matches, 3 boxes of 1200 for \_\_10c. Grandma's Washing Powder, 6 big boxes for 25c Soda Crystal Laundry Soap, 6 big Cakes for 25c.

### MEN'S OVERALLS.

Genuine Indigo Dye, will not fade, \$1.15, \$1.35 Genume Indigo Dye, will not lade, \$1.15, \$1.35 and \$1.48.
Good Canton Flannel 10c, 12½c, and up to 15c yd.
Cotton Checks, lots of patterns, at \_\_\_\_ 8 1.3c yd
Counterpanes, 98c, \$1.25 and up to \$3.50.
Hosiery for Children—10c, 12½c, and up to 35c.
Good value in Dress Ginghams at 12½ and 15c yd

### MEN'S AND BOYS OVERCOATS.

We have a large stock of Overcoats and would appreciate an opportunity to show you. Our prices are very low considering the quality of the goods. Prices range from \$2.48, \$3.50, \$3.98, \$5.00, \$5.98 and up to \$16.50.

### LITTLE THINGS AT LITTLE PRICES.

Good Paper Dress Pins 3	le.	
Ladies and Men's Hose 10	10	
Hair Pins all kinds 5	ic.	
Safety Pins g		
Men's Canvas Gloves10	Y	
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Good Sewing Cotton, all numbers and	· .	
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### Coats

We are auxious for you to see our large showing of all the new things in Coats. They are attractively priced.

\$1.98, \$9.98 and up to \$37.50 New Caps 25c, 50c, and up to \$1.00.

CURTAIN SCRIM.

We are selling it at 7c, 9c, 121c, up to 25c. the yd

WINDOW SHADES. They are going at and and and SWEATERS THAT WILL KEEP YOU WARM

Chold Sweaters for Men and Women, ... 98c. Children's Sweaters all colors \_\_\_\_ 49c. All wool Sweaters for Men and Women \$1.98 up Apron Ginghams, lots of good patterns, 10c, and

125c yard. BEAUTIFUL SHOWING OF PIECE GOODS: 36 inch black Chifon Taffetta \$1.50 value, our

price \$1.25 yard, 36 inch Messaline all colors, \$1.75 value, our 36 inch stripe Taffetta's and Messaline, beautiful line of patterns, \$2.00 values, our price \$1.48.

Yard wide Wool Serge, all colors, a 75c, value.

our price 50c.
36 inch all wool Amoskeag Serge, sponged and shrunk, \$1.00 value, our price 75c. yard.
36 inch all wool French Serge, \$1.50 value, for 98c. vard.

25c, and 34c, yard. SOMETHING DOING ALL THE TIME AT BOLT'S SO COME!

Beautiful line Dress Plaids in Cotton and Wool

Dresses Our stunning new dresses will certainly interest you. We have such a large showing and the prices are low. Range from 98c

MEN'S HATS FOR FALL 1917.

The new ones have just arrived and you will be pleased with them. \$1.00 up to \$3.50

WINTER UNDERWEAR FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY HERE NOW.

Our Underwear stocks were all contracted for before the advance prices, hence the following low

Laries fleeced-fined Shirts and Pants bleached and brown, 50c, value, our price 39c. Ladies Union Suits, blenched, good weight, a dol-

ladies Union Suits, bleached, good weight, a dollar value, special 69c.
Children's Union Suits for Boys and Girls, good heavy weight, priced 35c, 39c, 50c, and 69c.
Men's Ribbed Union Saits, guaranteed to be a \$1.50 value, we beaght them last January in order to get a price and are going to sell them for \$1.25 Men's heavy fleeced-lined Shirts and Drawers, 75c, value for 50c.
Men's ribbed Shirts and Drawers, 85c, value 69c.

### A SPLENDID LINE OF HANDSOME SHIRT WAISTS ATTRACTIVELY PRICED.

You will be delighted with a lot of Waists which we have on display, worth \$1.50, our price 98c.
I lot of Waists worth up to \$1.00, our price 49c. and 69c.

Crepe de Chine Waists in flesh and white, \$3.00 value, our price \$1.98.

We receive every week by express the well known
"FERN" WAIST, our price \$1.00

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