

SCHOOL FACTS OF GENERAL INTEREST

Improvement of Buildings and Special Elections.

The trustees and patrons of Long Branch school held a very enthusiastic meeting at the school house last Tuesday afternoon. At this meeting they decided to ceil the house and put up blinds at once. They also signed a petition asking for an election for two-mill school tax. The people of this district have one of the prettiest school lots in the county, with a nice new house in the center of the lot. The house will be second to none in the county when the inside work is completed.

Mrs. Robt. M. Boyd has been re-elected to teach the Oakville school.

Miss Ethel Sharp will teach the Mt. Bethel school the coming session.

The people of Rabun are taking steps to purchase a school lot and put up a building that will be an ornament to the community.

Miss Ida Taylor has been elected to teach the Nema school.

The Lydia Mill school will be taught by Mr. Robt S. Owens of Clinton as principal, and Mrs. Annie Oxner of Newberry as assistant.

The Clinton graded and high school taught by Mr. E. H. Hall will begin their fall sessions September the 9th.

Waterloo School District No. 7 is asking for a four mill special school tax.

Cross Hill No. 4 voted a special school levy last Saturday.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Fee For Registering Letter Advanced.

To help meet the large deficit in the revenue of the postoffice department Postmaster General Hitchcock has announced that the fee for registering a letter or parcel will be advanced from eight to ten cents as soon as the plan of the department becomes an official order.

Why Druggists Recommend Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Mr. Frank C. Haurahan, a prominent druggist of Portsmouth, Va. says: "For the past six years I have sold and recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is a great remedy and one of the best patent medicines on the market. I handle some others for the same purposes that pay me a larger profit, but this remedy is so sure to effect a cure, and my customer so certain to appreciate my recommending it to him, that I give it the preference." For sale by Laurens Drug Co.

Notice Opening Books of Subscription.

State of South Carolina. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a commission issued by the secretary of state for said state, books of subscription to Lanford Oil Mill, Lanford, S. C., will be open at office of Simpsonville Oil Mill, Simpsonville, S. C., on September the 10th, 1909, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

T. R. Cox,
W. F. Bryson,
D. P. Bryson,
Board of Corporators.

Mrs. Nannie C. Franks.

To the memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Nannie C. Franks, who departed this life Aug. 20, 1909.

We loved her so well that we cannot see why God has taken her from us, but we know that he doeth all things well and know it was for our good and his glory, though we cannot see it that way now. She has gone to be with her loved ones on the other shore. She cannot come back to us, but if we live as God commands we will meet in the sweet bye and bye. In 1906 her baby child was drowned. She began to fade though she never murmured. We could see she was wounded beyond healing. We tried our best to keep her with us, but in 1908 she lost another child and she has not been well since. She was so patient. She never complained. She was a kind and loving wife, a devoted mother, a kind friend and neighbor. She was never too tired to help any one that was sick or in trouble. She made many friends and I want to thank those friends for what they did for her and us during her illness. We will miss her oh so much; but let us bow in humble submission to God's will, for our loss is her gain. She has gone where there is no more pain nor death.

A daughter,
Janie Ledford.

Read our Special Sale for Friday of this week—it will be great.

S. M. & E. H. Wilkes & Co.

First Bale, Sept. 1.

Mr. Joseph Jackson Dendy, rural delivery carrier No. 1 and a number one farmer residing near the city, sold the first bale of this season's cotton on the Laurens market last Wednesday. The bale weighed 445 pounds and was bought by Mr. J. Waddy Thompson for Mr. W. L. Gray, the price paid being 13 cents. On the same day Mr. John Wallace, a large and progressive farmer of the Belfast section, sold the second bale, receiving 12 1/2%.

A Sprained Ankle.

As usually treated a sprained ankle will disable the injured person for a month or more, but by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and observing the directions with each bottle faithfully, a cure may, in most cases, be effected in less than one week's time. This Liniment is a most remarkable preparation; try it for a sprain or a bruise, or when laid up with chronic or muscular rheumatism, and you are certain to be delighted with the prompt relief which it affords. For sale by Laurens Drug Co.



A RUN OF LUCK

is better than a season of disaster. It's bound to be "a run of luck" if you attend now to your

PLUMBING WANTS.

Call us in to do the work and you'll prevent disaster in the future. Quick despatch and conservative prices. Phone or call

Doak & McKechnie

South Harper Street

Phone 292 Laurens, S. C.

SPECIAL SALE

One Day

Friday September 10th

On above date we will offer the beautiful line of Statuary shown in our windows. These goods are regular fifty cents to dollar values, they consist of a beautiful line of Busts, Figures, Plaques and Animals.

Nothing like this ever offered in Laurens before. Remember it's for one day only.

Dont forget the day

Friday Sept. 10th.

You will regret it if you miss this sale.

S. M. & E. H. Wilkes & Co.

William Solomon
Jeweler and Watch Maker

When you want a shoe repaired you take it to a good shoe maker. If a wagon to a wagon maker, and so on. And when it comes to the repairing of watches, clocks and jewelry you want it done right, you take them to an expert. Then bring me your repair work. Perfect work guaranteed.

A select line of watches, clocks and jewelry awaits your selection.

William Solomon
Expert Watch Maker
and Jeweler
Next to Gray's Hotel
Laurens, S. C.

PIANOS

In buying Pianos it is well to remember that it costs a great deal to keep Pianos on hand, also to ship and re-ship for special sales. This necessary cost is added to the price and the purchaser pays it.

I sell Pianos direct from the factory to the purchaser, and there is no additional expense to be paid. I buy Pianos from reputable Manufacturers and am in a position to save you much money on a purchase for I can sell at any price. If you want terms, mine are the most liberal—in fact I let you make the terms. Give me a chance to show you before you buy.

Do You Want to Save Money?

I can help you save it. You take no risk in making the investigation before buying. You will do yourself and family an injustice if you do not see me before buying.

I have pretty Benches, Stools and Chairs, and a large line of beautiful Scarfs to select from. I can tell you much about a Piano. Come to see me or write.

(I sold The Advertiser the Piano for their popularity contest.)

Respectfully
L. A. McCORD
The Piano and Organ Man. Laurens, S. C.

Ladies' Coat Suits!

We are showing this week a handsome line of the famous "La. Vogue" Suits in the popular shades, and in the new long Coats. This department will be second to none in the city, as it is our aim to carry a full line of Ladies' Suits. For early trade, we are showing a few advance styles in Suits.

La. Vogue Suits \$20, 25, 35, \$40.
Popular Style Suits \$10, 12.50, 15, and \$18.50.
Voile Skirts \$6.50, 8.00, and \$10.00.
Panama Skirts \$4.00, 5.00, 6.50 and \$8.00.
Ladies' Sweaters Smart Styles \$5.
Misses' Sweaters, Smart Styles \$1.50.

We expect another shipment of Suits this week.

Off For College!

The young Ladies' and young Men will soon leave for college. We are prepared to fit them out in trunks, dress suit cases, blankets, sheets, suits and all the little fixings that are necessary.

J. E. Minter & Bro.

Chicora
Greenville, S. C.

THE
SOUTH
CAROLINA
PRESBYTERIAN
COLLEGE
FOR
WOMEN

A Christian Home School.
A High Standard College.
A. Tuition, Board, Room and Fees \$183.00.
B. All included in proposition (A) and Tuition in Music, Art or Expression \$203 to \$213.
S. C. BYRD, D. D., President

Nervous Women

For nervous, tired women, we recommend Cardui. Cardui is a woman's medicine. It acts specifically on the female organs and has a tonic, building effect on the whole system. It contains no harmful ingredients, being a pure vegetable extract. If you suffer from some form of female trouble, get Cardui at once and give it a fair trial.

TAKE CARDUI

It Will Help You

Mrs. W. W. Gardner, of Paducah, Ky., tried Cardui and writes: "I think Cardui is just grand. I have been using it for eleven years. I am 48 years old and feel like a different woman, since I have been taking it. I used to suffer from bearing down pains, nervousness and sleeplessness, but now the pains are all gone and I sleep good. I highly recommend Cardui for young and old." Try it.

AT ALL DRUG STORES