

SCHOOL NEWS NOTES OF LAURENS COUNTY

New Buildings --- Teachers Employed---Schools Open

The regular fall examination for teachers will be held on the 7th of October in the court house beginning at 9 o'clock and closing at 4 o'clock. The Laurens County Teachers' association which was held some weeks ago was well attended. Almost every member present gave a brief account of his school, telling what it had done in the past and giving the plans for the future. This association has already had a good effect on the schools of the county and is destined to be instrumental in arousing trustees to their full duty.

About \$30,000.00 is being spent this summer on new school buildings for the county. Clinton, Waterloo, Lanford, Byrds, Friendship, Oakville, Brewerton, Poplar Springs, Princeton, and Mountville are all building beautiful new houses or remodeling the old ones. Many others are remodeling and painting. All these places have received aid from the State and county building fund.

It is encouraging to not the number of boys and girls our county is sending to college this time. The eight high schools and many of the better rural schools prepare their students for the Freshman class of any college. All the schools are opening earlier this year and with a larger attendance than ever before.

Hurricane No. 15 has recently voted a 3 mill special school levy.

Prof. B. L. Parkinson, President of the Teachers' association, will call the first meeting of the teachers the latter part of October.

The members of the Laurens County Boys' Corn club have been notified to select two local men to measure their acre and the yield of corn produced. These men must make a certification in writing as to the amount of ground planted by each boy and the number of bushels made. Of course they will be careful and see that the corn is well dry and make a true and accurate statement. The corn fair for Laurens county will probably take place about the first of November.

Quite a number of Laurens county teachers will teach in other counties. We wish for them a pleasant and prosperous year's work. More than half of our teachers will come to us from other counties. We should do all in our power to make their work a success and to make their stay with us as pleasant as possible, remembering that our own girls and young men who are teaching away from home will appreciate every kindness shown them.

Many of the High school boys are wanting to know whether or not we will have the High school declaimers contest again next April. Yes, boys, the first contest was a grand success and was the means of great improvement to those who participated. The contest will be held annually. Some High school boys will win a beautiful gold medal again next April.

Miss Maggie Garlington of Columbia, was in town Monday afternoon getting a supply of books for her school. Miss Garlington is teaching the Barksdale school. At the opening Monday morning the trustees and patrons were present to encourage the teacher and pupils. The school opened with a full attendance. Miss Garlington is recognized as one of the best teachers of the county. The people of Barksdale school are to be congratulated in securing her. Miss Mary Teague of Laurens will assist in the school.

The county superintendent of education holds two scholarships worth \$50 each in one of the best colleges of the State. These scholarships will be given to worthy boys who are prepared to enter the freshman class. Apply to him at once if you are interested.

Mr. Edd G. Layton of the Lanford school will enter the Medical College of Charleston.

The new school year is just beginning. Let every one see to it that it is the best year in the history of the school.

Fall Millinery Opening
 THE
Misses Putnam
 of Gray Court, S. C.
 Will show their line of
Fall Millinery
Oct. 4th 1910
 They are carrying an entirely new and up-to-date line this season. And will be glad to have all their friends call and look through.
R. L. Gray Building

Death of Mrs. J. A. Hughes.
 Harmony Church, Sept. 23.—On Thursday afternoon, the soul of Mrs. Sallie Hughes left the body to be with the redeemed. Mrs. Hughes was the wife of Mr. J. A. Hughes. She had lived in this community about 23 years and throughout that period was a faithful and influential member of Harmony, the Methodist Protestant church. She leaves her husband, nine children, four boys and five girls, together with relatives and a host of friends to mourn her death.

Of her suffering we do like to speak. For several months she lingered at death's door. Yet, amid this pain and affliction she was perfectly reconciled to her Father's will. In it all she was cheerful and her patience was beautiful—unsurpassed. Even while her soul was taking its departure from a world of sorrow to a world of bliss, there shone on her face a beautiful smile.

We love to think of her character. It was sweet and noble. To know her was to love her. There never lived a more devoted wife, a more sympathetic mother, nor a more devout Christian. Let it be said of her in the words of Holmes:
 "One more the strife is ended
 The solemn issue tried
 The Lord of Host, his mighty arm
 Has helped our Israel's side;
 Gray stone and grassy hillock
 Tell where our martyr died,
 But peaceful smiles the harvest
 And stainless flows the tide".

Her body was laid to rest in the Mt. Bethel cemetery, there to await the Resurrection morn. Rev. Foster Spiveaves conducted the services.

His sermon was able and consoling. A large crowd of relatives and friends paid their last tribute and respect and love to her.

The pall bearers were Messrs. Jno. W. Simpson, J. H. Carlisle, W. H. Ballew, Dr. R. B. Gilkerson, H. B. Walker, J. F. Davis, Jr., B. S. Davis and E. W. Davis.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.
 As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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 Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Young People's Union.
 Rabun, Sept. 27.—The Young People's union met at Mrs. Dr. J. W. Benson's Saturday afternoon. Only a few were present, but every one enjoyed the occasion very much. The guessing contest was a tie between two—Mr. Jesse Wolf, and Mr. Houston Babb, and the society decided to let them have it over in the near future and see who then will win the prize. At the close of the meeting Mrs. Benson gave the young people a "grand treat" with cake and lemonade.

Those present were Misses Vivian Owens, Mae and Allie Babb, Rulia Wolf, Cora Putnam Messers Dr. J. W. Benson, Jesse Wolf and Houston Babb Chaperons, Mrs. Dr. J. W. Benson, Mrs. Kate Owens, Mrs. Langdon Brooks, Mrs. Maud Mahaffey.

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Ekam Locals.
 Ekam, Sept. 27.—School at this place opened Monday under the management of Prof. L. D. Elledge.
 Mrs. L. C. Culbertson and Miss Lawrence Culbertson spent a few days in Greenwood last week.
 Douglas Cooper also spent Saturday and Sunday in Greenwood.
 Mrs. Jannie Hamilton and little son, James visited Mr. Homer Culbertson and family last week.

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 Man or woman no matter how old you are, Parisian Sage, the unequalled hair tonic, will make you look younger.

Why not go to Laurens Drug Co and get a generous sized bottle today. It only costs 50 cents, and your money back if it does not cure dandruff, stop falling hair, or itching scalp. It will make your hair luxuriant, bright and beautiful, and it is the most refreshing, pleasant and invigorating hair dressing made. The girl with the Auburn hair on every bottle.

To The Boys of The Corn Test.

The Planters Fertilizer and Phosphate Co. of Charleston offered the following prizes last spring.

To the boy using Planter's Fertilizer and making the greatest number of bushels of corn on one acre, 5 sacks of 8-3-3 guano. To the boy coming second, 3 sacks of 8-3-3 guano. To the boy coming third, 2 sacks of 8-3-3 guano. The boys contesting for these prizes will please write on their paper that they hand in to superintendent Pitts that they used Planter's Fertilizer. Superintendent Pitts after all papers are handed in will notify me what three boys won and I will mail these 3 boys an order on Mr. Coleman, manager warehouse at Laurens, for their guano.

Respectfully,
 W. Carl Wharton.

Traveling Salesman for Planters Fertilizer and Phosphate Co., Charleston, S. C.

Unclaimed Matter Advertised.

Miss Sae Clair Austin, C. T. Bradshaw, Mrs. Ida Bailey, J. D. Daniel, Arthur Goodwin, W. M. Long, Mrs. T. W. Moore, W. M. Nesh, J. B. Owens, by J. M. Owings, Miss Eliza Peterson, William Young.

The above letters have remained in this office uncalled for for a period of two weeks ending Sept. 24th, 1910. The owners of any of them will please call and say that letter is advertised and upon the payment of one cent same will be delivered.

Geo. S. McCray, P. M.
 Laurens, September, 25th, 1910.

A Matter of History.

It cost millions of dollars, and thirty-five years time in work to prove conclusively that scientifically made paint is superior to the old method of making paint by hand mixing with a stick in a pot; a few gallons at a time. The L. & M. Paint is scientifically made by machinery with only the finest White Zinc and White Lead made from metal, and purest Linseed Oil. Its use saves costly labor, and the many millions of gallons used throughout the United States proves it. Sold by J. H. & M. L. Nash, Laurens; J. W. Copeland & Co., Clinton.

Board of Registration.

The board of registration meets on the first Monday in each month. All who desire registration certificates must come before the board on that day.
 J. Pat Caldwell,
 Chairman.

Bridge to Let.

On Thursday, September 29, 1910, at 11 o'clock A. M. at the site, the county commissioners of Laurens and Spartanburg, counties will receive bids for the erection of a wooden bridge at a point known as Kilgore Bridge on Enoree River. Contract to lowest responsible bidder. Certified check of \$25.00 required as guarantee that bidder will, if awarded contract, within ten day thereafter enter into a written contract and execute bond in one half the contract price for the faithful performance of same. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.
 H. B. Humbert,
 7-3t Supervisor.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Take notice that on the 8th day of October, 1910, I will render a final account of my acts and doing as Executor of the estate of P. B. Wilcutt, deceased, in the office of the Judge of Probate of Laurens county, at 11 o'clock, a. m., and on the same day will apply for a final discharge from my trusts as Executor.
 Any persons indebted to said estate are notified and required to make payment on that date; and all persons having claims against said estate will present them on or before said date, duly proven, or be forever barred.
 Henrietta Wilcutt,
 Executrix.
 September, 8, 1910.—1 mo.

CHARLESTON AND WESTERN CAROLINA RAILROAD.

Arrival and Departure of Trains, Laurens, South Carolina.

EFFECTIVE APRIL 1, 1909.

WEST BOUND.
 No. 1. Leave Augusta.....10:10 a m
 No. 1. Leave Laurens..... 2:32 p m
 No. 1. Arrive Spartanburg..... 4:05 p m
 No. 5. Leave Greenwood..... 6:50 a m
 No. 5. Leave Laurens..... 7:55 a m
 No. 5. Arrive Spartanburg..... 9:30 a m

So. 53. Leave Greenville.....12:20 p m
 No. 53. Arrive Laurens..... 1:45 p m
 No. *86. Leave Greenville..... 4:30 p m
 No. *86. Arrive Laurens..... 6:25 p m

SOUTH BOUND.
 No. 2. Leave Spartanburg.....12:20 p m
 No. 2. Leave Laurens..... 2:32 p m
 No. 2. Arrive Augusta..... 6:15 p m

No. 6. Leave Spartanburg..... 5:10 p m
 No. 6. Leave Laurens..... 6:45 p m
 No. 6. Arrive Greenwood..... 7:50 p m

No. *87. Leave Laurens..... 8:10 a m
 No. *87. Arrive Greenville.....10:20 a m

No. 52. Leave Laurens..... 2:35 p m
 No. 52. Arrive Greenville..... 4:00 p m
 Trains *86 and *87 daily except Sunday.

Tri-weekly through Pullman Parlor Car service between Augusta and Asheville on trains Nos. 1 and 2; North bound, Tuesdays, Saturdays; Southbound, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

C. H. GASQUE, Agent,
 Laurens, S. C.

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I Offer You the Following:

219 acres of land bounded on north by Mrs. Milton Robertson, on south by J. M. Philpot, east by Mrs. Martin and on west by B. F. Terry and others. Price \$10.00 per acre.

One nine-room new dwelling, finished throughout, 4 acres of land, situated in town of Criss Hill, price \$4,000.00, terms made right.

25 acres land, 5-room dwelling, barn and out-buildings. Adjoining land of George Wilson. Price \$775.00.

200 acres fine farm land, 2 1/2 miles of Laurens, on road leading to Clinton, 1/2 mile of Parks station, seven horse farm in cultivation, Good dwelling and tenant houses. Price and terms made right.

3 acres land, four-room cottage at Watts mill, price \$1,300.

1 twelve room dwelling with water-works fronting North Harper street, known as Owings' boarding house. Price and terms made right.

2 acres land, 9 room dwelling, N. Harper street, bounded by lands of Allen Bramlett, Owings & Bobo and Alock street. See me for prices.

91 acres land, one building, bounded by lands of Mrs. Boyd, S. O. Lenke and others. Prices and terms made right.

47 acres land, bounded by lands of Friendship church, Joe Wasson, J. A. Costa and others. Price \$10.00 per acre.

59 acres, town of Lanford, dwelling and out-buildings, nicely located overlooking town of Enoree. Price \$2,000.00.

50 acres land bounded by lands of Walter Nash, and Rufus Gray, dwelling and out-buildings. Price \$20.00 per acre.

70 acres of land bounded by lands of Jim Ad Moore, Will Hudgens and others, cottage house, 10 acres under cultivation. Price \$1,700.00.

65 1/2 acres land, bounded by lands of Albert Burns and others; 5-room dwelling, tenant house, barn and out-buildings. Price \$10.00 per acre.

71 acres on Reedy River, bounded by lands of James Downey, Will Caldwell and others. With tenant house. Price \$20 per acre. Terms made easy.

150 acres land bounded by lands of Lady Mills, L. E. Burns and V. A. Mills. Price \$20 per acre.

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