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The Advertiser will be glad to receive the local news of all the communities in the county. Correspondents are requested to sign their name to the contributions. Letters should not be mailed later than Monday morning.

The Advertiser has received an inquiry as to the locality of "Thompson Spring." Where is it?

Prof. M. Goodie Homes is an authority on good roads, and during the summer he is the special agent of the United States department in this State.

"Wool in the Senate, Cotton in the House"—headline in a daily newspaper. And where is "Cotton" Smith while this is the situation in the national congress?

Governor Blease declines a chautauqua engagement to deliver Sunday lectures at \$150 per. for the reason that his time is entirely occupied with the job of running the ship of State.

Reports from all sections of the county indicate that the crops are growing beautifully, and with the continued showers an average yield of almost everything is now quite promised.

Over in Union there is a merry time over the "near-beer" situation. Acting under instructions from the governor, the sheriff has arrested a bunch of beer license holders. The licenses for this purpose, it seems, were issued by the Mayor without the knowledge or consent of council.

The interest displayed in the live stock exhibitions at Waterloo last Friday gives promise of great success for the Laurens County Fair this fall. This county has always been a leader in improved methods of stock raising and farming and there is no doubt but that the annual county fair will be an incentive to a continuation of this progressiveness on the part of our farmers.

As stated in the news columns of this issue, Mr. W. S. Lee, a high official of the interurban company, has offered to come to Laurens for the purpose of discussing a proposition for getting the trolley from Greenville to this place. It is probably unnecessary for us to stress the importance of inviting him here at once but it is such an important and proper move that its necessity will bear repeating many times.

The act of W. L. Teague, the well known farmer, in capturing and delivering to the sheriff the negro charged with shooting another colored farm hand, is to be most highly commended. If every citizen would act as promptly under similar circumstances, fewer murderers and law-breakers in minor degree would be at large, the payment of rewards frequently saved and the ends of justice better administered.

The Anderson Mail suggests that the county commissioners place road signs on all the important thoroughfares in that county, the editor having recently noted the advantages some counties in Georgia enjoy in this respect. Commending the enterprise of the Georgians, The Mail says:

"Recently we had occasion to travel through Elbert, Hart and Franklin Counties in an automobile, and although the country was new to us we traveled with ease and without having to ask our way. On every spot where there might arise a doubt in the traveler's mind which road he should take is located a large legible sign.

These signs are very helpful. They not only guide the people who live in these counties, but they are of inestimable assistance to tourists. The tourists appreciate them, and no doubt these very signs create a good impression among them, which in the end prove valuable to the counties." In this matter The Mail's friend in the Savannah are not far ahead of Laurens County, for the work of placing road signs by the Laurens Board of Commerce has been in progress at intervals, during the past year, with the result that soon visiting tourists may traverse the county without a hitch, and in the mat-

ter of highways they are finding them in a very general excellent condition this season.

## LAST FRIDAY AT WATERLOO.

By "A Visitor."

Everybody and his brother too, were there, I think and all voted that day at Waterloo, the 21st, a perfect success in every way. The special occasion that brought us all, from far and near, was the magnificent Clemson car exhibit that has, since the 5th of June, been making the tour of the State. Our fine agricultural college is certainly "doing itself proud", in thus, practically demonstrating, in the way of fine stock and improved methods of farming, that "there's life in the old land yet;" only intelligent industry is necessary to develop our latent resources and the good that there is, hidden away in "Dixie."

I hope Messrs. Editors that you were there to see the grand Pencheron horses, the Jersey, Red-poled, Holstein, Herford, Guernsey and Ayshire Cows; and the big fat hogs, (I don't know their names) that made one think of good old times "be fo' de war" when "hog and hominy" and all things good for man were so abundant I think these good old times, or their like, are coming here again and to stay; we are fast learning that corn is King and not cotton; we can't eat cotton!

While splendid Prof. Barrow from Clemson, Mr. Hunnicutt of "The Southern Cultivator" and our own fine president of the Live Stock Association, Wm. D. Byrd, kept the farmers together. Misses Hyde and Gibson from Winthrop College, demonstrated, most fully and kindly many labor and money saving devices for the busy house-wife. The alcohol stove and the fireless cooker, an ice cream churn that don't have to be turned, coffee percolators and many other things that I trust will soon come into regular use.

There were fine cattle of many breeds exhibited by the surrounding farmers, also splendid trotting horses and fine colts, showing that our progressive farmers are up-to-date in that which is best. And now I must tell you of the baby show; little lads and babes, all so dainty and darling, I am glad I wasn't one of the judges for they certainly had a hard job to "choose the fairest" amidst so much beauty, then too, to brave the anger of indignant mammas, each one of whom was sure their own was prettiest.

It is the part of wisdom, I have heard, to save "the best for the last"—this I have done, but all words fail me when I try to tell you of that delicious barbecue dinner, under the spreading oaks, down by the spring—pork, mutton, beef and big Irish potatoes, with splendid coffee and bread, all so well cooked, your correspondent got a big plate full of the best, a big tin cup of coffee, a chair to sit in and with charming people all around to talk to (if one only had the leisure just then) Had a royal time, that made one forget the "hard times and hard tack" at home.

To the public spirit and energy of the progressive men of Waterloo we return thanks for the instruction and the pleasure of this fine day but especial thanks are due Mr. W. Carl Wharton who invited the Clemson train.

**Happiest Girl in Lincoln.**  
A Lincoln, Neb., girl writes, "I had been ailing for some time with chronic constipation and stomach trouble. I began taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and in three days I was able to be up and got better right along. I am the proudest girl in Lincoln to find such a good medicine." For sale by all dealers.

## LAURENS COTTON MILL.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Martin lost their little son, an infant babe of about 8 days old. It died early Sunday morning and was buried at Prospect church near Maddens Station Sunday afternoon. The parents have the sympathy of their many friends here.

Mr. Jim Powers has had a very sick child for some few weeks, but it is some better and Mr. Powers returned to his post of duty Sunday.

Miss Amie Jamerson returned home Sunday afternoon from a visit to friends and relatives in Rabun Creek section.

**Prof. Peterson Visits Laurens.**  
Prof. Walter S. Peterson, president of Orangeburg College, spent several days last week in Laurens County in the interest of his institution. Several Laurens County boys and girls are students at this college, and Prof. Peterson states that he will receive at least twenty from the county for the next session. Prof. Peterson is a Newberry man and well known to many Laurens people as a fine Christian gentleman and progressive educator.

## Interesting Items From the County.

(Continued from page one.)

length and 11-12 in circumference. Mr. William McGowan of Laurens was a Cross Hill visitor last week. Miss Emily Meng of Laurens was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Austin last Thursday and Friday.

Mr. Sam J. Todd and family visited Mr. N. E. Boyce last Friday.

Misses Kate and Anne Austin spent a few days with friends at Clinton last week.

A meeting will begin at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath. Rev. J. O. Reavis of Columbia will assist the pastor and do the preaching.

Prof. W. E. Breazeale of Rutgers College, New Brunswick, New Jersey, was a visitor in town last Thursday and Friday. Prof. Breazeale was one of the teachers at the summer school at Winthrop College this summer and came here to join his family who were visiting relatives. They left last Friday to visit his people at Anderson before returning to their home in New Brunswick.

Quite a number of our people attended the Clemson exhibit at Waterloo last Friday.

Mrs. Bates, nee Miss Frankie Beeks of Laurens is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rason.

Misses Lucy and Kate Goggans are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Goggans, Princeton.

Princeton, July 25.—Rev. P. M. Balles of Fort Mill filled his appointment at Columbia church Sunday morning, where he begins a protracted meeting today.

Mrs. R. M. DuBose and little son, McTyiere returned home Saturday after a ten days' stay at Glenn Springs.

Miss John McClary of Pelzer spent last week with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Woods.

Mrs. W. C. Owens, and children of Abbeville are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. J. B. Britt.

Mrs. M. L. Cheek, after a stay of several weeks at the County hospital in Laurens, has returned home much improved.

Those who went to Waterloo Friday to see the Clemson-Winthrop exhibit were: Messrs. Jno. M. Wood, J. Frank Davis, A. W. Sharpe, J. E. Knight, Arnold Knight and Misses Olive Knight and Maude Sharpe.

Miss Marie Walker of Fountain Inn spent last week with Mrs. F. L. Bramlett.

Mrs. N. A. Monroe and Miss Annie Mildred Collis are visiting relatives in Honea Path.

Capt. J. B. Humbert has gone for several weeks' stay at Tate Springs.

Miss Grace Sullivan of Woodruff is visiting her brother, A. J. Sullivan. Mr. W. S. Peterson, president of Orangeburg College spent a while in this section last week.

Mrs. R. A. Cooper and little daughter, Elizabeth, of Laurens have returned to their home after a visit to Mrs. Cooper's father, Mr. J. T. Machen.

Mr. T. H. Carter is spending a while in Honea Path with his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Allen.

Mr. Ernest Machen is very sick with mumps. His friends hope that he will soon recover.

**Eden.**  
Mrs. Fred Mahaffey gave the Sunbeams a picnic at her home Saturday afternoon. All enjoyed a fine time.

Mrs. R. W. Nash and children are visiting relatives in Eden and Rabun community.

Mr. Hustan Babb and Misses Mae and Allie Babb and Miss Vivian Owens spent Saturday night with Dr. Beason and family.

Mr. Stewart Mahon and wife spent Sunday with Mr. C. A. Babb and family.

Mr. Grady Babb spent Saturday night with Mr. Horace Gray.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

**For Sale**—One good cow and calf. She will give 3-1-2 to 4 gallons of milk per day, price \$50.00 Louis Anderson. 52-2t

**The Byrdville Dairy and Stock Farm** still have their Jack. The season is now open. This last year's work is showing up fine. See him, before breeding elsewhere. Will take care of mares over night for those from a distance. Fee \$12.50 living colt. Phone No. 10. Laurens R. F. D. No. 3. W. D. Byrd and Son 40-tf

**For Sale (or Exchange for Real Estate, or Securities)**, one 30 h. p., 4 cylinder Maxwell Touring Car. Complete with Top, and windshield. In perfect order and daily use. Demonstration given. H. K. Aiken, Laurens, S. C. 47-tf

**For Sale**—A good farm, well improved and well arranged for stock raising. Milton B. McCuen, Princeton, S. C. 50-4t

**Employment Wanted**—Work of any kind, temporary or permanent, wanted by man with general business experience, particularly in accounting, cotton, and insurance. Also experience in farm or plantation management. Will accept any kind of work to make expenses. Address "Work", care of The Advertiser.

**Wanted to Rent**—A four or five horse farm in good public place. Must be good location and well improved with good dwelling. Nothing but a good proposition will be considered. Address "Business", care Advertiser. 52-1t-pd

**Lost**—A C. & W. C. Ry. mileage book issued interchangeable form Z. No. 4997, probably lost in the city of Laurens somewhere. Finder will please notify J. J. Dendy, Laurens, S. C. 51-tf

**If You Wish to Sell** that farm, timber lands, store or residence, write us at once and send full description as we have an attractive proposition to offer you. **LIGON LAND CO., Sumter, S. C.** 51-12t

**BOYS**  
A TREASURE CHEST, full of hundreds of dollars in hard cash! The TRAIL to it, any wide-awake boy can follow. Don't worry any longer where to get real money (or whatever article you want. Come to me and get it. Parents investigate! —for this self-same ROAD has led many a boy to a bank account. Come with your boy if you choose. Come early. Edward Taylor, 225 Main street, Laurens, S. C.

**Not a Laurens County Man.**  
It is understood that the recent news item giving account of the desertion of his wife by Clarence Culbertson at Greenwood was in error in crediting this particular Culbertson to Laurens County. So far as known he is not a native of this county and is not related to any of the Culbertsons in this section.

**WEALTH OF HAIR.**  
Laurens Drug Co. has the Preparation that grows Hair, stops Dandruff and Makes Hair Gloriously Radiant. Money back says Laurens Drug Co. If Parisian Sage doesn't eradicate all dandruff, stop splitting hair, falling hair and scalp itch, and put life and lustre into the hair of any man, woman or child. And Parisian Sage is so pleasant and refreshing. No cheap perfumery odor to carry around all day, no disagreeable concoction that disgusts the senses, but a daintily perfumed tonic that proves its goodness the first time you use it. Baldness and faded hair are both caused by dandruff germs. Parisian Sage kills the germs and causes the hair to grow abundantly. Large bottle for 50 cents at Laurens Drug Co and druggists everywhere.

**Have You Tried It?**

There is a bottle of Cardui waiting for you at the drug store. Have you tried it? If not, we urge you to do so, before your troubles have obtained such a hold on you, that nothing will drive them out.

Even now, it may be nearly too late. But try it anyhow. If anything can help you, Cardui will. It has helped in thousands of cases, where other medicines had been tried in vain. Why should it not do the same for you?

**Take CARDUI**

**The Woman's Tonic**

"My daughter, Octava, would have been in her grave today, had it not been for that fine medicine, Cardui," writes Mrs. Laura Lawrence, of Drennon Springs, Ky.

"Nothing I tried helped my daughter, until she had taken Cardui. I had sent for the doctor, when I thought of your medicine and got a \$1 bottle. When she had taken four doses she became all right. I often recommend Cardui to my friends."

Your druggist sells Cardui with full instructions for use on the bottle.

Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free.

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FOR OUR

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\$1.50 Ladies' Shoes . . . . .	\$1.10
\$3.50 Men's Oxfords . . . . .	\$1.95
\$2.00 Men's Shoes . . . . .	\$1.10
One lot of Crosset Shoes, \$4.00 to go at . . . . .	\$2.00
Fine line of Clothing at less than cost in order to make room.	

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The "Caloric" saves fully seventy-five per cent. in fuel alone and nearly all the time, and work, and all the bother. It requires no attention after the food is placed in it; there is no danger of burning or of food being over done. The "Caloric" will pay for itself many times over. After using it you would not part with it for many times its cost.

Prices range upward from **\$9.00**

## TO THE PUBLIC!

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