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LOCAL AND PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. P. H. Madden, of Cross Hill, was a visitor in the city Monday.

Mr. N. B. Dial spent several days in Chicago last week on business.

Mr. Pierce M. Hellams, of Eden, was a visitor to the city Saturday.

Mr. Charley M. Wolfe, of Alma, was a visitor in the city Thursday.

Mr. Hugh S. Wallace, of Shiloh, was a visitor to the city Thursday.

Mrs. J. M. Lee, of Beaufort, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ella Riddle.

Mr. Jno. A. Madden, of Maddens, was a visitor to the city Thursday.

Mr. Robt B. Bell, a prominent Pea Ridge farmer, was in the city Friday.

Mrs. Jno. W. Gore, of Union, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. E. Ray.

Mrs. Mary Prather, of Clinton, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Rray last Friday.

Mr. Dempsey Holder, of Green Pond, was in the city on business Friday.

Mrs. W. H. Dodson spent several days with relatives in Clinton last week.

Hon. C. C. Featherstone, of Greenwood, was a visitor to the city this week.

Mrs. E. A. Featherstone of Greenwood is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Clark.

Mr. M. Burley Leopard, of Laurens Route 1, was in the city on business Thursday.

Miss Mette Spratt, of Chester, spent several days with Mrs. H. K. Aiken this week.

Cadet John R. Eichelberger has returned home after a year's work at the Citadel.

Miss Mattie Mae Neville of Clinton spent yesterday in Laurens with Mrs. H. K. Aiken.

Miss Marjorie Gelder has returned to Laurens after spending the winter in New York.

Mr. Herbert Sullivan left Tuesday for Hendersonville, to spend his summer vacation.

Miss Minnie Wallace and Mrs. Lucia Barksdale are spending this week in Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wilson and Miss Lillian Wilson of Cross Anchor, spent Monday in the city.

Mr. S. Poole Bolt, of the Hickory Tavern section, was in the city transacting business Saturday.

Miss Louie Simpson, of Clemson college, is visiting her uncle, Mr. Creswell Garlington in Laurens.

Mr. J. R. Redden and son, B. R. Redden, of the Mt. Gallagher section were visitors in the city Thursday.

Mr. R. O. Sullivan of Tumbling Shoals spent Sunday in the city with his brother Mr. J. G. Sullivan.

Miss Anna Sullivan of South Harper street, left Tuesday for Hendersonville to spend the summer.

Mr. S. J. Nelson and Mr. W. B. Sloan are attending the Shriners meeting in Charleston this week.

Mr. Lyl Moore, the popular salesman at J. H. Sullivan's has been on the sick list for several days.

Misses Nora and Minnie Zimmerman of St. Matthews are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McAllister.

Mr. J. D. Zimmerman of St. Matthews was a visitor in Laurens last week, the guest of Mr. T. J. McAllister.

Mr. Geo. T. Little, who has been in New York City for treatment, has returned to his home in Laurens county.

Miss Evelyn Cockrell, who has been visiting relatives in the city for several weeks, left Tuesday for Norfolk, Va.

Miss Jeanette Miller, of Greenville, after a week's visit in the city, left Tuesday for Hendersonville for the summer.

Mrs. D. L. Miller, who has been spending a while with her daughter, Mrs. L. M. Sullivan, left Tuesday for Hendersonville.

Mrs. Robert Bland and two children returned to their home in Sumter Friday after visiting relatives and friends here for some time.

Mr. Walter Manly, who now holds a responsible position with a large Florence laundry, is spending his summer vacation in the city.

Miss Beth Shell and Mr. W. P. Thomason will be the delegates from Laurens to the Baraca-Philathian convention at Nashville, Tenn.

Master Robert Sullivan, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Sullivan, left Tuesday for Hendersonville, to rusticate in the mountains during the holidays.

Mrs. J. J. Pluss will leave today for Moorehead City and Wrightsville Beach, N. C., where she will enjoy the sea breezes for several weeks.

Miss Julia Hodges, of Greenwood, is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Annie Sherard, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gilkerson.

Miss Irene Worley, who finished her millinery season at Switzer Company's last week, is visiting friends in the city this week before going home.

Mrs. Hattie McKay, of Cheraw, and Mrs. Walter Stevens, of Lancaster, who have been visiting Mrs. S. M. Wilkes, have returned to their homes.

Miss Josie Sullivan left Tuesday for Lancaster, where she will visit friends for some time, after which she will continue to Kershaw for a short visit.

Miss Elizabeth Hill, after visiting Misses Amelia Todd and Charlotte McGowan for several weeks, left yesterday for her home in Mooresville, Ala.

Miss Jessie Lee Blackman, of Lancaster, who graduated with Miss Imogene Wilkes at Winthrop this year, is visiting Miss Wilkes on West Main street.

Mr. G. Washington Shell returned several days ago from a business trip to Atlanta, Ga. Mr. Shell reports business in that city as being well up to normal.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Tollison will move to Columbia in a few days so that Mr. Tollison may make his schedule in the C., N. & L. more conveniently.

Mrs. Clarence E. Gray, of Georgetown, is spending some time with relatives in the city, having come up to be present at the Tolbert-Chandler wedding last week.

Mr. Thomas P. Soares, of Abbeville, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Wm. D. Sullivan, at Tumbling Shoals, stopped over in the city Sunday on his way to Spartanburg.

Rev. W. A. Clark has returned home after visiting his children in Wards, Ridge Spring and Dillon, S. C. He was accompanied home by his granddaughter, Miss Marie Smith.

Misses Amanda and Sara Glenn of Clinton and Miss May Little of Laurens returned home yesterday, after spending a week with Mrs. J. W. Kibler.—Newberry Observer.

Mrs. O. W. Leonard and children of Spartanburg, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jones. Dr. Leonard came down through the country Monday to spend the night.

Cadet Will F. Wright, of Clemson, on his way from college to his home in Laurens county, last week visited relatives and friends in Newberry.—Newberry Herald and News.

Mrs. Maggie Little and her granddaughter, little Miss Mary Little, of Laurens county, are visiting Mrs. Stevie Bowers and other relatives in Newberry.—Newberry Observer.

Mr. H. Terry will leave next week for Faben, New Hampshire, where he will attend the national council of the Junior Order of Mechanics. Mr. Terry is inside Sentinel of the state council.

Miss Lucile Brunson, of Orangeburg, Miss Margaret Rickman, of Algood, Tenn., Miss Mable Simpson, of Spartanburg, and Mr. Sam Esperson, of Algood, Tenn., are the guests of Mrs. W. E. Lucas.

Miss Annie H. Garlington won the second prize \$10 on fine needlework in the great contest in "Harper's Bazar" last month. This was quite an honor as there were five hundred who secured prizes.

Misses Simmons, Cooper and Setzler, who have been the guests of Miss Helen Sullivan left yesterday for Orangeburg, to spend some time with Miss Simmons. Miss Helen Sullivan accompanied them.

Brooks Swygert, of Laurens, a former Newberrian, stopped over in the city Saturday and was given the glad hand by many old friends here. He was on the way to Peak to see his mother, who is in her 85th year.—Newberry Observer.

Rev. D. P. Boyd, of Newberry, has been visiting in the county for several weeks enjoying the hospitality of friends and acquaintances whom he served when a pastor in this county. Mr. Boyd is on the superannuated list of the South Carolina conference.

The many friends of Mr. L. Esten Medlock, who was with the Brooks Hardware Co., will be sorry to learn that he is no better with fever, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Medlock, near Fairview. He has been confined to his room three weeks. A speedy recovery is hoped for by his friends.

A. J. Hart, A. B. '12, law '14, University of South Carolina, was in Columbia yesterday, after a visit to his home in Laurens. He is spending to-

day in Rock Hill and tomorrow will go to Charlotte, to act as usher at the marriage in that city of Miss Anna Wehner of Charlotte to Harry Jenkins of Salisbury.—The State.

Mr. E. H. Ray, of Kissimmee, Fla., and Mrs. Brock Dillard, of Spartanburg, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Ray this week.

Dr. T. C. Lucas, of Columbia, Mr. Edwin Lucas, of Walthalla, and Mr. Alec Long, of Rock Hill, were visitors in the city Sunday. All of these gentlemen were very much pleased with the evidences of growth and prosperity in Laurens, Mr. Long declaring that he had not seen such improvement anywhere else in South Carolina as could be seen here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Parker, who since their marriage have been making their home with Mrs. Parker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Richey, pending the completion of the new federal building which Mr. Parker was supervising left Sunday for Washington, Mr. Parker's home. Mrs. Parker will remain there for several weeks while Mr. Parker continues to Johnstown, N. Y., where he will have charge of another government building. Mrs. Parker will join him there.

Woman's Missionary Union.

Program for quarterly meeting of Division No. 1 of W. M. U. auxiliary to Laurens association to be held at Beulah, the last Thursday in June, 1913.

10:30—Devotional service conducted by Mrs. L. D. Hand.

Address of welcome by Miss Badger of Beulah.

Response—Mrs. Allie Coleman.

Roll call of W. M. S. with verbal report from each.

Question 1—Can a Christian woman of today be loyal to Christ who is not a member of the W. M. S. Mrs. Lillie Moore.

Question 2—How can we aid in the Master's work by being a member of W. M. Society—Miss Ada Hughes, Mrs. Minnie Wilkes, Miss Beulah Martin.

Social hour.

1:15—Devotion service conducted by Mrs. Caroline Farrow.

Discussion on Stewardship. Mrs. C. Hipp, Mrs. Sallie Stewart.

Question 3—Why home missions? Mrs. Etta Dorroh, Miss Nina Cook, Miss Daisy Baldwin.

Need of three organizations, Y. W. U., Sunbeams and R. A. in order that the W. M. S. may have a proper foundation. Mrs. Nannie Bennett, Mrs. Emma Roper.

Miscellaneous.

We ask as many as can from each church in division 1 to attend this meeting.

Miss Rebecca Baggott, President.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Take notice that on the 18th day of July, I will render a final account of my acts and doings as Administrator of the estate of Mary L. Curry, 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 Administrator.

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.

J. C. GRANT, Administrator.

June 18, 1913.—1 mo.

NOTICE OF ELECTION, State of South Carolina, County of Laurens.

Whereas, petitions signed by a legal number of the qualified electors and free-holders residing in Hunter school district No. 2, Laurens county South Carolina, asking for an election upon the question of voting out of Mountville High School Unit No. 16, have been filed with the county board of education, an election is hereby ordered upon said question, said election to be held on the 5th day of July, 1913, at the school house in said district, under the management of the trustees of said school district.

Only such electors as return real or personal property for taxation and who exhibit their tax receipts and registration certificates as required in the general election shall be allowed to vote.

Those in favor of voting out the High School unit shall vote a ballot containing the word "YES" written or printed thereon. Those against same shall vote a ballot containing the word "NO" written or printed thereon. Polls shall open at the hour of 8 o'clock in the forenoon and shall remain open until the hour of 4 o'clock in the afternoon when they shall be closed, and the ballots counted.

The trustees shall report the result of the election to the county auditor and county superintendent of education within ten days thereafter.

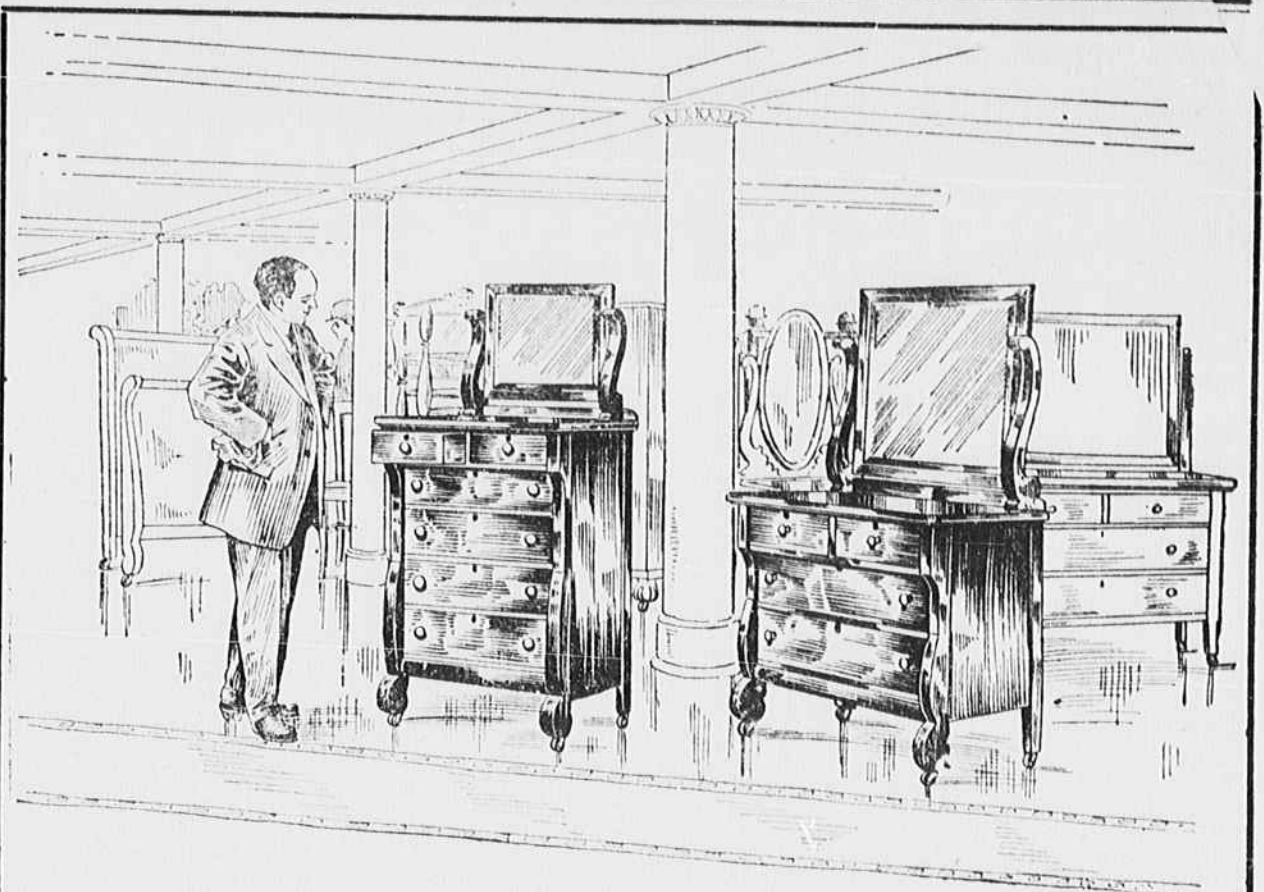
GEO. L. PITTS, 47-2t By order of County Board.

See J. C. Burns & Co's. big ad of cut prices. It means something to you.

Greneke Started It.

It transpires, according to the Anderson Intelligencer, that the all-day singings in Laurens are exactly like those in Anderson.—Greenwood Journal.

Laurens is attracting much attention as a singing county and The Herald and News started it.—Newberry Herald and News.



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No Furniture is more dainty and full of charms than the Colonial Outfits we are inheriting from our grandparents. New models are taking on the same beautiful lines as our appreciation grows more pronounced.

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The very low price quoted on this Furniture is due to the fact that we ordered it in quantities so large. Several times in the past few years we have made similar large purchases from the same furniture maker—and those who profited by those occasions will be the best advertisers of this offering, it is not likely that such prices as we are now offering can be duplicated later on.

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Every piece is of real mahogany of true and beautiful grain, carefully and finely put together with perfect dovetailing, dust proof linings and satin—smooth interiors characteristic of fine cabinet making, and completed in the soft, old, dull, hand-rubbed finish. Such bedroom furniture will last generations and give solid satisfaction to its day.

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Beautiful Odd Dressers from	\$16.50 up
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We are sure you would enjoy looking through our immense selection of fine Mahogany Bedroom Furniture and we give you a very special invitation to call and give us the pleasure of showing you through the largest stock of quality furniture to be found in the State.

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Statement of the Condition of THE BANK OF MOUNTVILLE

Located at Mountville, S. C., at the close of business June 4, 1913.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 42,660.82
Overdrafts	72.38
Furniture and Fixtures	1,554.08
Banking House	2,158.40
Due from Banks and Banks	5,866.43
Currency	137.90
Silver and Other Coin	197.88
Checks and Cash Items	76.59
Total	\$ 52,633.50

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock and In	\$ 20,250.00
Surplus Fund	2,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Current Expenses and Taxes	641.57
Individual Deposits Subject to Check	8,967.43
Time Certificates of Deposit	2,158.00
Cashier's Checks	116.59
Bills Payable, including Certificates for Money Borrowed	18,500.00
Total	\$ 52,633.50

State of South Carolina, County of Laurens, ss. Before me came C. M. Fuller, Cashier of the above named bank, who, being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is a true condition of said bank, as shown by the books of said bank.

C. M. FULLER, Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of June 1913.
W. E. Crisp, Notary Public.
Correct Attest: W. J. Cluck, J. M. Simmons, T. W. Boyd, Directors.

Guaranteed Eczema Remedy

The constant itching, burning, redness, rash and disagreeable effects of eczema, tetter, salt rheum, itch, piles and irritating skin made clear and smooth with Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Mr. J. C. Eveland, of Bath, Ill., says: "I had eczema twenty-five years and had tried everything. All failed. When I found Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment I found a cure." This ointment is the formula of a physician and has been in use for years—not an experiment. That is why we can guarantee it. All druggists, or by mail, Price 50c. Pfeiffer Chemical Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis.

Statement of the Condition of THE PEOPLES LOAN AND EXCHANGE BANK,

Located at Laurens S. C., at the close of business June 4, 1913.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts	\$387,916.23
Overdrafts	619.51
Bonds and Stocks owned by the Bank	17,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,500.00
Banking House	19,000.00
Due from Banks and Banks	22,908.31
Currency	10,733.00
Gold	1,389.00
Silver and Other Coin	854.84
Checks and Cash Items	354.35
Total	\$454,265.74

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock Paid In	\$100,000.00
Surplus Fund	25,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Current Expenses and Taxes	80,553.27
Due to Banks and Bankers	1,942.19
Dividends Unpaid	16.00
Individual Deposits Subject to Check	126,452.60
Time Certificates of Deposit	88,556.37
Cashier's Checks	347.75
Bills Payable, including Certificates for Money Borrowed	20,000.00
Reserve Fund Carried on General Individual or Savings Ledger	1,397.56
Total	\$454,265.74

State of South Carolina, County of Laurens, ss. Before me came C. W. Tune, Cashier of the above named bank, who, being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is a true condition of said bank, as shown by the books of said bank.

C. W. TUNE, Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16th day of June 1913.
W. R. McCuen, Notary Public.
Correct Attest: J. W. Todd, W. A. Watts, J. H. Sullivan, Directors.

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J. C. Burns & Co. has the biggest department store in Laurens you will come very near finding what you want in this one store.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Ray will leave Monday next for Charleston, Florence and other places.

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Some-times though you will ache for a picture of her just as she romped in from school or play.

Think how she would like one too, in the after years—to show her friends and possibly her children.

Make the appointment while the thought is fresh in your mind.

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The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria and builds up the system. A true tonic and sure Appetizer. For adults and children, 50c.