

LAKE CITY DEPARTMENT.

In charge of
W. L. BASS, Esq.

Mr. H. Nachman, who removed to Charleston some months ago, came up on a visit Friday night.

Miss North, of Laurinburg, N. C., is spending some time in the city as the guest of Miss Ida Rodgers. Miss North taught here a few years ago.

Miss Eva Rollins is at home from Winthrop College. She will graduate next year.

Tobacco buyers are beginning to visit the town and surrounding country, looking at the crop and examining into the probable quantity of the weed that will be produced. All the indications point to a lively tobacco season.

The street hands were called out Monday for two day's work. The time was well employed, and since the expiration of the two days the work has been carried on with employed labor, and will probably continue several days more.

W. L. Bass, Esq., left for Columbia Sunday afternoon on business. He will probably be gone several days.

Dr. W. W. Daniels, president of Columbia Female College, came to our city on Friday last to assist Rev. Rushton in a revival meeting at the Methodist church. The meeting began a week ago.

Notwithstanding the very disagreeable weather quite a large number of young people were in town Friday and Saturday. Lake City does the business.

The only case taken up in magistrate Gaskin's court during Wednesday's session was the case of the State vs. Isaac Montgomery, violation of written contract. The verdict was guilty, and the county treasurer received \$5.

Young Mr. Terrell Covington, of Pensacola, Fla., is on a visit to relatives in this city.

Miss Elma Epps, of Clarendon, is the guest of her brother, Mr. H. Van Epps.

Mr. L. L. Caldwell's new store will be, when finished, a real handsome building.

Some of our young folks attended the picnic at Rough Branch last Saturday. They reported a nice time notwithstanding the rains forced the crowd to spend a portion of the day in the church, which is not a very enjoyable place to some young people.

The town council has determined to light the town with incandescent gas lights. They will make the order in a few days. The lights will be one hundred candle power. By the time the tobacco season opens the town will be fully illuminated.

Miss McWhite, of the Savage neighborhood, is spending some time with the Misses Rooke.

Work on the tobacco warehouse is going forward rapidly. The foundations of the pack houses have been laid and the framing is going up. These pack houses are being built on the eastern side track of the Coast Line. This will make the loading of tobacco for shipment an easy matter, as the cars will be directly at the doors.

The Baptist Sunday school will erect in the Baptist church a tablet in memory of Mr. J. M. Thomas, who was the superintendent of that school about thirty-five years. The money for the tablet has been raised and the order placed. The stone will be a handsome one and a merited memorial to a most worthy man. Lake City never produced one who deserves more lasting and greater honor than Mr. Thomas.

Magistrate Gaskin has already this year (and the year only half gone) collected and turned into the county treasury from fines imposed by him more than \$125. And yet his annual salary is only \$75.

Blackberries are now being shipped by the growers, but the price is very low, about 6 to 8 cents.

Some think the recent heavy rains will cause the cotton louse to suspend operations. This is a consummation devoutly to be wished.

R. J. Kirk, Esq., was in town

last Saturday on professional business.

Saturday Sheriff Daniels, under foreclosure proceedings, case of H. Nachman vs. S. J. Cameron and W. S. Kennedy, sold at public auction a mule and a saw mill and carriage. The mule brought \$85 and the saw mill and carriage \$20.

McKinley and Roosevelt will hardly carry this poll.

Mrs. Dr. J. C. Fulmore has gone to New York on a visit to her brother.

Mr. Sam Epstein, who is supposed to be in New York, as he was there when last heard from, was to be married on the 19th. His friends are confident that the marriage came off all right, for they have heard nothing of him since week before last.

The telephone line from Florence to Lake City ought to be continued to Kingstree. We know of no better field for the investment of a little money (and it would require only about \$325) than this.

It is as impossible to build up a town without a school as it is to make Mark Hanna an honest man, which is equivalent to saying it can't be done. Kingstree has made a stride in the right direction and Lake City following a close second. A petition, signed by more than the required number of resident electors and resident freeholders, has gone up to the county board of education, praying that that body will order an election to levy an additional tax of three mills upon the property in this district, for school purposes. There is scarcely any doubt that the election will be carried in favor of the levy by a handsome majority. The sum that this levy will raise will, when added to the present appropriation, and perhaps supplemented by a small matriculation fee, raise sufficient funds with which to carry on a good school eight or nine months each year. This would mean that then there will be no excuse for any child in Lake City to grow up in ignorance. Is not the prize worth the price? To your children you leave no better legacy than a good education.

GLORIOUS NEWS

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile, of Washita, J. T. He writes: "Electric Ethers has cured Mrs. Brewer of septicemia, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but now her health is excellent." Electric Ethers is the best blood purifier known. It is the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cts. Sold by Wallace & Johnson, druggists, Garrettsville.

Married men do not as a rule lie from choice—but their wives will persist in asking such fool questions.

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When a woman takes a husband it is always for better or worse—and the chances are it will be worse.

Some men are like a base drum—they make lots of noise, but there is nothing in them.

A LIFE AND DEATH FIGHT.

Mr. W. A. Hines of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. The I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery which wholly cured me. Hundreds have used it on my advice and all say it never fails to cure throat, chest and lung troubles." Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Wallace & Johnson's drug store.



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Picnic on the Fourth.

Editor County Record:

Please announce through your columns that there will be a basket picnic at Mr. R. S. Tisdale's house, near Central church, on Wednesday, July 4, to which the public is cordially invited.

Committee. S. T. McCrea, S. Y. Tisdale, R. S. Strong, R. D. Guerry, R. H. Strong, T. C. Strong.

A MONSTER DEVIL FISH

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It is bad enough to be married to a woman who has a cold heart, but when it comes to cold feet—ugh!

A woman would never enjoy a trip if it was not for the pleasure it affords her to talk about it after she gets home.

Many women throughout the country make pin money of their chickens. We have known of women who have clothed the entire family with the proceeds of the poultry yard, and some have paid off mortgages and others bought their homes by intelligent management of their fock. Everybody interested in chickens should get Biggle Poultry Book. It is so full of helpful suggestions and short cuts to success, and has so many years of costly experience boiled down that it is poor economy to be without it. It will help increase the income from the poultry yard, and has started many an amateur or misguided professional on the right track. The price is 50 cents, by mail address the publishers, Wilber Atkinson Co., Philadelphia.

The woman who is ugly enough to stop a clock is not a success in stopping a street car.

The life of a woman with a mission lasts until she succeeds in getting a proposal of marriage.

Tobacco Growers

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DR. JOHN EDWARD TAYLOR,

DENTIST.

GEORGETOWN, S. C.

8-17, 1909

DR. R. J. McCABE,
DENTIST,

Will be at Kingstree, S. C., all the year 1900, except the first two weeks of January, March, May, July, September and November.