

Positively No New Display Advertisements Will be Received, or Old Ones Changed, Later Than Tuesday Morning.

## LOCAL ITEMS OF INTEREST.

### AFFAIRS CAUGHT BY OUR LOCAL REPORTER AND NOTED.

Written in Condensed Form and Printed in Like Manner for the Sake of Our Busy Readers.

No strawberries yet.  
Black river is rather full for fishing.

Mr. W. G. Rich, of Gourdin, was in town Monday.

The shad season is over. Very few were caught here.

Miss Anna McClary visited Mr. R. A. Murphy last Sunday.

Messrs. A. A. May and M. D. Nesmith, of Cades, were in town Monday.

Mr. W. R. Funk was quite sick Saturday night. He is much better today.

Miss Mamie Jacobs visited friends at Scranton and Cades Friday and Saturday.

Rev. Mr. Gregg, of Manning, will preach in the Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon.

Mr. S. A. Brown, of Lynchburg, who formerly lived in this county, was in town Monday on business.

Rev. W. S. Martin preached on Sunday morning to his usual congregation at the Methodist church.

Mr. Jno. M. Nexsen, the largest planter in this community, is replanting his entire crop of cotton.

Ex-Sheriff D. J. Bradham and wife, of Manning, spent Monday in town visiting their daughter, Mrs. W. P. Hawkins.

Rev. Mr. Gresham, pastor of the Baptist church, filled his appointment Sunday evening, preaching to a crowded house.

We are gratified to be able to state that Judge S. McB. Scott is much better and is now considered on the high road to recovery.

We were pleased to see in town on Monday Messrs. J. A. Ferrill, A. M. Cook, W. F. Rodgers, D. E. Gordon, E. H. Sauls, W. P. McGill, A. A. Brown, J. J. Morris, L. L. Caldwell and others whose names we cannot recall.

Rev. W. H. McConnell, who has charge of Mr. Kennedy's business at Indiantown, is quite sick. Dr. L. B. Johnson is attending him.

Mr. A. Slide Coker, of Hebron, was in town Monday on his way to Charleston. Mr. Coker is one of our most progressive farmers and public spirited citizens.

If you want a Piano or Organ write to B. O. Bristow, Darlington, S. C.

With the increased facilities of a completely equipped and up-to-date job office at Georgetown in addition to our Kingstree office, we are now prepared to do any kind of job and book printing in the most correct and approved style. When you want ANYTHING printed—from a visiting card to a newspaper or a book—hand us your order.

Cultivate your tobacco and cotton with a Cotton King. We have them for sale cheap. W. T. Askins.

Our Gold Medal Flour is the best and cheapest. W. T. Askins.

Mr. J. C. Lynch, of Florence, was in town Monday.

Capt. W. H. Kennedy spent Monday at his store at Indiantown.

Mr. W. P. Hogan and family were in town Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hawkins.

Mr. H. Van Keuren was in town Saturday on the way home from a trip to New York city.

Miss Nellie Bristow, of Florence, who formerly taught school here, is visiting Miss Bessie Kelley.

Mr. C. W. Boswell, Salters' popular railroad agent, was on our streets last week for a few hours.

Mrs. E. K. McClary is visiting relatives in town this week after an extended visit in Georgetown.

Hereafter Capt. Cooper, county superintendent of education, will be in his office every Monday as well as Saturdays.

Mr. B. H. Guess, a substantial planter of the Salters section, spent a pleasant half hour with us while in town Monday. Mr. Guess reports a good deal of injury to cotton in his neighborhood by the recent cool snap. Mr. Guess himself planted twenty-five acres the 10th of April, which he fears will have to be replanted.

We are indebted to the courtesy of Hon. James Norton for several valuable congressional documents. From the beginning to the close of his term of office Congressman Norton has never failed to look after the interest of his constituents with unflinching zeal.

Mr. Stutts seems to be kept quite busy since he was installed as magistrate and gives general satisfaction. His ruling on the ox case last week puzzled people somewhat, but the lawyers must have been satisfied as they haven't appealed.

On our Lake City page this week will be found the announcement of Messrs. Stewart and Floyd, who have recently opened up a millinery and dress furnishing establishment in that growing and prosperous town. The members of the firm are both young men, full of vim and energy, and bespeak for them a successful business career.

### LETTER TO MR. A. W. GAGG, Kingstree, S. C.

Dear Sir: We ask pardon in advance for addressing this open letter to you; wouldn't do it if we couldn't serve you. First, ask your bank or any mercantile agency about our capital and reputation, then consider our offer of "free paint" to be given to you or any friend that paints this spring. We present it to secure several sample houses covered with L. & M. Paint to show the merchant that we want to take our agency. Give us dimensions and number of coats and we'll tell you how many gallons of L. & M. we can send free, and also suggest handsome color combinations. 3,500 agencies; a paint that covers better and lasts longer than white lead; sales of 5 million pounds annually; these are some of the reasons why you can put trust in us. Investigate.

Very sincerely,  
Longman & Martinez,  
Paint Makers.  
207 Pearl St., New York City.

Another car-load nice White Corn. W. T. Askins.

Mr. W. N. Jacobs, son of Mr. Louis Jacobs, of this town, has accepted a position as shipping clerk with H. Kaninski & Co., of Georgetown. Mr. Jacobs is a young man of very correct habits and will be a valuable man to his employers.

Mr. Edwin C. Epps left us last week to accept a temporary position in one of the Charleston banks for the purpose of better qualifying himself to the position of cashier in our bank as soon as it shall be put in operation. Eddy Epps is a young man of sterling worth, and we bespeak for him a bright future.

Mr. B. F. Tilton, of Tallahassee, Fla., who formerly lived in Georgetown, was shot to death at his store in Florida on Saturday last. Mr. Tilton married Miss Mattie Epps of this vicinity. His body was brought home and buried here on Wednesday. Mr. Tilton was only 30 years old and doing a fine business. It is said that he was shot by a white man named Hemingway, who borrowed Tilton's pistol and then shot him.

### Card from Mr. Martin.

On Monday night, April 22, about 9:30, while seated at home by the fire I was suddenly startled by many voices which seemed to be approaching the house. As the volume of sound increased I was certain the crowd was getting nearer. Taking a lamp in hand and opening the door, I was confronted by sixty-five or seventy persons, all armed with a package of some sort. Under the shadows of the night reflected on by lamp in hand I found myself looking into many shining faces as merry and happy as could be.

We greeted each as he or she entered our home feeling that every one had come armed with a token of friendship worthy of every evidence possible on our part of appreciation and personal concern during their stay. Some brought one thing and some another, and now, for a while at least, there will be no reason for the preacher and his family to be hungry, sour or dirty. We have much to eat, to make sweet, and keep clean. Our friends were numerous and from various sources. They were Methodist, Baptist, Presbyterian, and some who are members of no church.

They were old and young, men, women and children, and after some two hours together our friends departed leaving us in a much better condition than they found us. I wish to tender my thanks to one and all, and trust God's favor may attend each in life, and that all may live and die as bright, happy and hopeful as they were on this memorable occasion.

W. SMITH MARTIN.

I want to say to my friends and the public generally that I am not in business for fun or for my health. I have a large and well selected stock of goods bought at the very lowest prices with the cash, which I desire to sell and will do so at a very close margin. I make a specialty of Shoes and Clothing, and will sell cheap. I do not care to cast a shadow over my competitors by giving prices. I only ask you to come and see for yourselves. I guarantee satisfaction to all.

W. W. Grayson.

Come in and see our Men's Summer Clothing. Suits from \$2.00 up—Boys Nice Crash Suits \$1.00. W. T. Askins.

## Tapping Gently at the Door.

We intend to tap gently at the door of every home in Kingstree and Williamsburg county with our sledge hammer prices until the

### Jenkinson Dry Goods Store

shall become a household word in every home in Williamsburg county. Some of the people of Williamsburg have already opened their doors wide and have given us a hearty welcome and are sending us their orders. But now what we need is an entrance into more of the homes of Williamsburg. And, my friends, a trial order will convince you that we are worthy of patronage and confidence. You run no risk in sending us a trial order, for we prepay the express charges on all orders amounting to \$5 and over, and you are at liberty to send back anything that is not satisfactory, and as to our responsibility you are referred to the Bank of Manning or any court house official of Clarendon county.

Space will not permit a long description of goods this week, but the following will suffice to show that we intend to gain admittance into the homes of Williamsburg by offering first class goods at sensational values. Nice fast colored Shirting Prints at 3 1/2c per yard; very nice yard wide Madras Percals at 5c a yard; nice white India Lawns at 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c and 30c a yard; fine Sea Island Percals, 36 inches wide, only 10c, the kind that sells for 12 1/2c; fine figured Lawns and Dimities at 8c, 10c and 15c a yard; white Pink and Blue Organdies, 2 yards wide, at 35c per yard; fine white Dotted Swisses at 10c, 15c, 20c, 35c, and 50c, per yard; black Taffeta Silks, 24 inches wide, at 60c, 85c and \$2 a yard; black Armofr Silks at \$1.25 a yard; black Pean de Soir Silks, at \$1.25 a yard. A full line of figured Silks and Taffeta Silks in all shades from 75c to \$1.50 a yard for dress and waist. A beautiful line of wash silks at 25c a yard. All kinds of black and colored dress goods at the lowest possible prices. Samples sent cheerfully on application.

If you need a nice Spring Hat or Bonnet all you have to do is send us a description of what you need and about what you wish it to cost and we will send it to you, and if it is not just what you need you may return it at our expense.

Young gents, if you need a nice Spring Suit, or a nice Negligee Shirt, Collars, Cuffs, or a fine pair of Shoes, just make known what you need to us and we will send them by return express, and if they don't please you why they are our goods and no expense to you. Send us your orders; we pay the express.

## W. E. JENKINSON, Manning, S. C.

Can you see?  
Can you hear?

IF YOU CAN, COME AND SEE OUR IMMENSE STOCK.

HEAR OUR HARD TIED PRICES, AND AFTER HEARING YOU WILL BE CONVINCED AND

We Will Sell You.

Respectfully,  
H. D. REDDICK.



### READY FOR SPRING, 1901.

If there is one time in the year when a man wants to look unusually neat and fresh and well-dressed, it is spring. And if there is one year and one store more than another to satisfy this natural desire, it is this year and this store. We present to the particular dresser of this locality our new spring line of

### Suits, Hats, Neckwear and Underwear.

All of our last year's spring suits, \$16, \$14 and \$12, we have marked down to \$6. A peep in our window will convince you. These suits are all hand-made button-holes, and all the canvas in them are well shrunk so that they will not lose their shape on wearing them.

Call and see the new celebrated spring style YOUNG'S HAT, union made, at \$3. Sole agent for this city.

In our merchant-tailor department we are the only concern in this city that will make you a suit of clothes from \$13 to \$45 that is made up by union tailors, having the union label on each suit.

## A. H. Brown's GRANITE CLOTHING HOUSE,

224 King St. Opposite Academy of Music, Charleston, S. C.  
Mail orders promptly attended to.

