

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.

Read pension notice.

Mr. A. W. Gagg returned Tuesday night from a trip to New Jersey, his former home.

Mrs. Walter B. Gregg, of Florence, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McGill.

Mr. W. E. Severance, of Lake City, paid us his respects Monday. Mr. Severance does a brokerage business and has a number of friends and customers in town.

We have received this week 20,000 note and letter heads and 20,000 envelopes. Unruled bond typewriter papers in stock. Job work executed on short notice at reasonable prices.

Mr. Joe Brockinton returned Thursday from the Rock Hill High School, where he has been enrolled since last September. Mr. Brockinton is well pleased with the up-country.

Our esteemed friend Capt. G. P. Nelson, whose fine cows were killed on the railroad some time ago, has replaced them with several full blood Jerseys which he purchased in Charleston recently.

In our political forecast last week we omitted the name of Mr. W. S. Grayson, of Beuson, as a candidate for the legislature. Mr. Grayson will enter the race to win and will make things lively on the stump for his competitors.

The very latest arrival in town is a baby girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lee on Railroad Avenue. The little stranger was ushered into this mundane existence last Monday. May its sojourn here be long and happy.

Mr. E. J. Pendergrass had an accident yesterday at the extension of Brunson street; his team ran against a stump. Mr. Pendergrass was thrown from the buggy into a pool of water and somewhat bruised. The buggy was smashed. —Florence Times, Feb. 8.

We invite attention this week to the advertisement of Mr. W. T. Wilkins. Mr. Wilkins is a progressive business man and carries a large and well selected stock of merchandise. He advises his friends that he is "still in the ring" and doing business at the same old stand.

Quite a number of people in Kingstree and vicinity will engage in truck farming this year. Our soil and climate are admirably adapted to this industry and there is no reason why it should not prove profitable. We have heard of the following who will plant more or less truck: Messrs. H. O. Britton, J. Z. McConnell, Edwin Harper, J. B. Steel, J. A. Scott and Capt. J. J. Steele.

Supervisor B. B. Chandler bought two fine bloodhounds Monday from Mr. J. S. Howle for the use of the county at a cost of \$50. The dogs, which are quite young, will for the present be left in charge of Mr. Howle at Lake City to be thoroughly trained. A light wagon with a cage in it will be arranged so that the hounds may be sent on short notice to any place where they are needed.

Our good friend Mr. J. P. Shaw called Monday and presented us with a quart of as fine pecan-nuts as we have ever seen. Mr. Shaw has a large pecan tree on his farm and he finds a ready market for the nuts. He is a farmer who believes in raising everything possible at home, and by working out this idea he has succeeded where others with the same opportunities have failed.

W. L. Bass, Esq., our valued Lake City correspondent, was in town Thursday on professional business. Although Mr. Bass is kept busy with his extensive law practice he manages to find time to report all the news from Lake City and vicinity, and to comment intelligently upon current events. Mr. Bass wields a facile pen and his contributions are always breezy and interesting.

Mr. R. H. Cousar visited Springfield several days this week on business.

Dr. W. D. Rich, of Trio, was a welcome visitor to our sanctum Monday.

Among our new subscribers enrolled this week is Mrs. M. L. Byrdie, of Sullo.

Mr. L. W. Grand is home for a few days from the South Carolina College.

Miss Virgie Walker, of Georgetown, is visiting the family of Capt. John A. Kelley.

Miss Maude Logan returned last week from a visit to relatives in Wilmington, N. C.

Messrs. J. W. Cook and J. A. Ferrell of Salters, were autographed at Barr's Hotel yesterday.

Mr. A. L. Collette, of Lanes, while in town Saturday called and renewed his subscription the Record.

Miss Marion Gilland celebrated her birthday last Saturday with a dining, to which a number of her friends was invited.

Mr. J. P. Gamble a prominent young planter of Heinemann and brother of our townsman, Dr. W. G. Gamble, paid us a call, while in town Saturday.

Mr. W. I. Nexsen dropped in to see us a short while yesterday. Mr. Nexsen is a merchant and farmer and is succeeding nicely in both avocations.

Mr. J. J. B. Montgomery, the efficient and urbane clerk of the county board, was unable to be at his post on Monday by reason of illness. This is the first time he has been absent in many months and we hope soon to hear of our friend's recovery.

We were pleased to receive a call yesterday from our friend, Mr. T. J. Phillips, of Cedar Swamp. Mr. Phillips is a progressive farmer and a substantial citizen of his community. He came from Sumter county about ten years ago. We have a plenty of room for more such men as Mr. Phillips.

We are indebted to the commission in charge of the work for a pamphlet giving an account of the unveiling of the South Carolina monument on the Chickamauga Battlefield, May 27, 1901. The personnel of the commission were: Gov. M. B. McSweeney, chairman; Gen. C. I. Walker, secretary; Gen. J. W. Floyd, Adj. and Inspect. Gen; Col. C. K. Henderson and Col. J. Havey Wilson.

John Tharp, alias John Keels, and Louis Singletary, two colored youths, were tried for petit larceny (chicken-stealing) Saturday before Judge Stutts. In both cases the jury returned a verdict of not guilty. LeRoy Lee Esq., appeared for Tharp and E. L. Hirsch, Esq., for Singletary.

At the request of Representative William Elliott the postoffice department has re-established Epps postoffice, in this county, which was discontinued a few months ago.

Messrs. Sam Fraser, Emile Arrowsmith and Arthur Benjamin came up from Georgetown, Wednesday to attend the masquerade ball. Mrs. Benjamin returned to Georgetown with the party Thursday.

WHERE.

Constipation means dulness, depression, headache, generally disordered health. Dewitt's Little Early Risers stimulate the liver, open the bowels and relieve this condition. Safe, speedy and thorough. They never gripe. Favorite pills.

Prosperity follows in the wake of good advertising.

SAVED HIM FROM TORTURE.

There is no more agonizing trouble than piles. The constant itching and burning make life intolerable. No position is comfortable. The torture is unceasing. DeWitt's White Hazel Salve cures piles at once. For skin diseases, cuts, burns, bruises, all kinds of wounds it is unequalled. J. S. Gerall, St. Paul, Ark., says: "From 1865 I suffered with the protruding, bleeding piles and could find nothing to help me until I used DeWitt's White Hazel Salve. A few boxes completely cured me." Beware of counterfeits. D. C. Scott.

The forerunner of good business is well planned advertising.

THE LAST HEARD OF IT.

"My little boy took the croup one night and soon grew so bad you could hear him breathe all over the house," says F. D. Reynolds, Mansfield, O. "We feared he would die, but a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure quickly relieved him and he went to sleep. That's the last we heard of the croup. Now isn't a cough cure like that valuable?" One Minute Cough Cure is absolutely safe and acts immediately. For coughs, colds, croup, grip, bronchitis and all other throat and lung troubles it is a certain cure; very pleasant to take. The little ones like it. D. C. Scott.

It's a wise fool that keeps his lack of wisdom to himself.

CLERK'S WISE SUGGESTION.

"I have lately been much troubled with dyspepsia, belching and sour stomach," writes M. S. Mead, leading pharmacist of Attleboro, Mass. "I could eat hardly anything without suffering several hours. My clerk suggested I try Kodol Dyspepsia Cure which I did with most happy results.

I have had no more trouble and when one can go to eating mince pie, cheese, candy and nuts after such a time, their digestion must be pretty good. I endorse Kodol Dyspepsia Cure heartily." You don't have to diet. Eat all the good food you want but don't overload the stomach. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests your food. D. C. Scott.

SACRIFICE SALES

Are in Order, and We Must Make Room for our **SPRING STOCK** Within the Next Thirty Days.

Cost and Less than Cost is the Cry

Now is the time to get Better Goods and More Goods for your money than ever before.

You will find a BARGAIN COUNTER in every department of our Store.

Watch this space and keep in touch with Low Prices. To close out our stock of

FURNITURE

We offer Bedsteads and other articles at 50 per cent of cost. Also, a large line of COMFORTS at 25 per cent below cost.

A heavy line of

Overcoats, Men & Boys' Suits

at unheard of prices.

Don't fail to call at

H. D. REDDICK'S
Racket Store, Kingstree, S. C.

Mexican Mustang Liniment

Will readily overcome Loss of Hair, Dissected Hoofs and Scratches in horses, mules and cattle. Farmers try it.



A toad under a harrow

suffers no more than the faithful horse that is tortured with Spavins, Swinney, Harness Sores, Sprains, etc. Most horse owners know this and apply the kind of sympathy that heals, known far and wide as

Mexican Mustang Liniment.

Never fails—not even in the most aggravated cases. Cures caked udder in cows quicker than any known remedy. Hardly a disease peculiar to muscle, skin or joints that cannot be cured by it.

Mexican Mustang Liniment is the best remedy on the market for Wind Galls, Sprains and Skin Lumps. It keeps horses and mules in condition.

Santa Claus Headquarters!

At Stackley's Cash Store.

A FULL LINE OF TOYS, CANDIES, FRUITS, AND FANCY GROCERIES

You will Find a full line of MILLINERY, LACES, RIBBONS, FANCY AND DRESS GOODS.

THE ORIGINAL L. W. REYNOLDS, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 SHOES.

Remember our Prices will Suit You,

AT Stackley's Cash Store.



HORSES AND BUGGIES.

If its Horses, Mules, Buggies, Wagons, Harness or First-class Livery Service you want, call on the undersigned. He is prepared to meet any competition and give you first-class service. Yours for low prices,

Thomas & Bradham
J. E. TOMLINSON, Agent

RUELL & ROBERTS' CASH DRY GOODS STORE.

We are now gathering up The Remnants

And Goods that have been overlooked in the busy holidays and marking them at prices that will make them bargains. We are taking stock and will sell many goods at reduced prices.

We have a few pair of Wool Mixed White Blankets, little soiled on the folds, which we will sell about half price.

We have a lot of

Plush, Velvet and Beaver Capes,

slightly damaged, which we have marked about half price. In fact, some are less than half price.

Four Umbrellas, slightly damaged, at half price. A few silver trimmed Novelties for much less than cost, as Nail Files, Manicure Knives, Letters Openers, Paper Cutters, Fruit Knives, Letter Seeds, Shoe-Horns, Glove Buttons, Book Marks, Satchel Tags, etc. Have reduced the price of Fannels

ettes, Outings, Suitings and other Goods for Walsts.

Will sell our Hose and Half Hose at 25, 35, 40 and 50c, 25 per cent off.

We received a case of Canton Flannel to sell at 8c. It is as good, if not the best in the city.

Also, nine bales Comforts, which will be sold at close prices, and 50 pieces new, beautiful Calicoes.

—IN OUR—

Furniture Department

—YOU WILL FIND—

Walnut Suits, Oak Suits, Oak Sideboards, Lounges, Extension Tables, Chairs, Rockers, Easels, Trunks, Stoves, Lamps, Matting, Window Shades, Decorated Chamber Sets, Etc., Etc.

BUELL & ROBERTS,
573 and 575 King Street,
Charleston, S. C.