

Elements of Our Success

The increased resources of THE BANK OF WILLIAMSBURG, the increase in its volume of business and its increase in the good will of the people are but the natural outcome of sound policy, conservative and conscientious administration and painstaking attention to detail work.

These are elements that combine to make a progressive and up-to-date institution; elements that have placed this bank among the leading financial institutions of the country.

We respectfully solicit your account.

**Bank of Williamsburg,
Kingstree, S. C.**

PERSONAL

Dr and Mrs W V Brockington, visited Charleston yesterday.

Mr H E Tisdale of Benson was noted in town Friday of last week.

Mr Charlie Fulmore of Lake City was in town Monday between trains.

Mr F W Fairey visited his mother's family in Branchville Sunday.

Miss Alice Beckham spent the week-end with Miss Marie Gregg, in Florence.

Miss Mary Wilkins of Athens, Ga., is the guest of her brother, Mr W T Wilkins.

Mr L F Tisdale of Cedar Swamp dropped in pleasantly to see us Saturday of last week.

Mrs C O Thompson of Charleston is visiting the home of her parents, Dr and Mrs A M Snider.

Mr E J Parker of Lanes spent the day in town Monday and paid The Record an agreeable visit.

Mrs Wightman Epps and sister, Miss Monroe, are visiting Mrs Ivah Frierson, in Charleston.

Messrs J J M Graham and Will Fu more of Cades had business in town Monday for a few hours.

Messrs LeRoy Lee and P H Stoll went to Columbia yesterday as delegates to the State convention.

Mr Charlie Boyd of Taft while in town Saturday, took occasion to add his name to our growing subscription list.

Miss Annie Miller, who has held a position in the telephone central office at Bennettsville, returned home last week.

Mrs Will N Harben, the wife of the distinguished New York author, is visiting her aunt, Mrs L-J Barr, in North Kingstree.

Mrs T O Taylor and daughter, Essie, of Savannah have been visiting relatives in Williamsburg and Georgetown counties.

Mr J A Boggs, representing Charleston's enterprising afternoon newspaper, spent the day in town yesterday and gave us a pleasant call.

We return appreciative thanks to Miss Eunice Harper of Kingstree, who is a member of the graduating class, for a very beautiful invitation to the commencement exercises of Winthrop College, to be held June 12-14.

Mr R H Kellahan, member of the State executive committee from this county, attended the meeting of the committee held Tuesday in Columbia.

Miss Leila F Epps, who has been attending the Scarrett Bible and Training School at Kansas City, Mo, since last fall, has returned home for the summer.

Messrs L P Kinder, W T Wilkins, and D J Epps attended the T. P. A. convention held in Greenville last week and report a very enjoyable and successful meeting.

Messrs W E Nesmith and H J McFadden, two of the enterprising and prosperous young farmers of the Cades section, were in town between trains this morning.

Presiding Elder W P Meadors left Tuesday for Asheville, N C, where he will attend the meeting of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, that is now being held in that city.

Mr Hugh McCutchen, and E L Fishburne, Esq., went to Indiantown Tuesday night to attend the commencement exercises of Indiantown Graded school, of which Miss Huggin is the principal. Mr Fishburne delivered the commencement address.

Mr C E Wheeler, special detective of the A C L, came down from Florence Monday and turned over to the Sheriff Andrew Cain, colored, who cut another negro named Henry Eaddy on South-bound passenger train No 83 last Sunday. The negro Eaddy is said to be seriously, though not necessarily fatally wounded.

Mr and Mrs Sol Peres and children went to Darlington Sunday to attend the annual reunion of their family and visit the graves of their parents. It is the custom of the members of the family to meet annually at Darlington, where their parents are buried, and pay this tribute to their memory. On this occasion there were seven members of the family present.

We are indebted to the courtesy of Miss Annie Stackley of Kingstree, a member of the graduating class, for an invitation to the commencement exercises of Columbia College to take place May 27-30. The literary address will be delivered by Hon M L Smith of Camden. This is the prettiest of the many handsome commencement invitations we have seen this year.

We had the pleasure of a chat last Thursday with Mr P H Lesesne, one of the guards at the State penitentiary. Mr Lesesne is a son of the late Charles Lesesne of Greelyville and spent his boyhood and young manhood in this county. He has held his present position for a dozen years or longer, having been promoted to the rank of sergeant for faithful service and general efficiency.

If you want your little chicks to thrive, give them plenty of fresh ground bone from the People's Market, H A MILLER, Prop.

Commencement Johnsonville High School.

The Johnsonville High school closes the 1909-1910 term on May 22nd to 24th, inclusive. The programme is as follows:

- Sunday morning, May 22—Sermon by Rev. W B Oliver.
- Monday morning, May 23—Address by Hon E D Smith.
- Monday evening, May 23—Plays and drills.
- Tuesday evening, May 24—Graduating Exercises. 5-12-2t

When you come to town put a copy of The Record in your pocket and consult its business directory—the advertising column in making your purchases. ti

MILLINERY! MILLINERY!

IT IS COMPLETE AT OUR STORE. LATEST STYLE AND LOWEST PRICES. INSPECT OUR
NEW LINE CORSETS.
GALE & GALE.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Jenkinson Bros Co offer inducement on various lines this week.

called to Winthrop notice this

new ad of Farmers & Merchants Bank, Lake City, in this issue.

S Marcus offers a suggestion in his new ad this week that it will pay you to note carefully.

Stackley's Dry Goods Co. offer special bargains in several lines of merchandise this week. Read their new ad.

Mr H A Miller has installed a gasoline engine in his market and is now prepared to furnish any quantity of ground beef and ground bone for chickens.

It is probable that contracts for several more brick mercantile buildings will be let in the next 60 days. The building boom shows no signs of abatement.

We are requested to announce that the closing exercises of Salters school will be held in the town hall, at Salters Depot, on Tuesday evening, May 24, at 8:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

Holy communion service will be held at the Episcopal church next Sunday morning at 9 o'clock instead of the usual hour, the change being made on account of commencement exercises. Afternoon service at 5:30 o'clock.

Mr S F Epps has moved his market into the Fulton building next to the court house square until he can secure a larger and more suitable place. Mentions he will be pleased to serve his patrons at the new stand.

Money spent for advertising is thrown away unless you have a medium that people read and pay for. The Record takes your "ad", into one thousand, eight hundred homes—and of this number of subscriptions over one thousand are paid in advance.

In view of the closing exercises of the school there will be no service in the Methodist church next Sunday morning. Rev Dr Watson B Duncan of Charleston will preach at 8:30 o'clock p m. Special music. Mrs Will N Harben of New York will sing. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

E L Fishburne, Esq., of the firm of Lee & Fishburne, received his commission yesterday as Major of the Third battalion, 3rd Regiment S. C. V., vice Major John Black, retired. For a young man under thirty years of age this promotion is a handsome compliment indeed.

The trustees of Kingstree High school last Friday elected as superintendent of the school for the ensuing term Mr J W Swittenberg of Pickens. The names of the other teachers elected will be announced later. Neither the superintendent, Mr J G Colbert, nor the principal, Mr S O Lea, applied for re-election.

Shipments of beans are being made daily from here in quantities from 150 to 200 bushels. Col J G Slaughter, who is one of the

most extensive shippers of beans in this vicinity, sent off fifteen baskets Tuesday. Prices are holding up very well so far and those who have this early money crop to sell are fortunate.

The closing exercises of Greelyville Graded school will be held in the school auditorium May 29-31. Under the management of Mr W E King, the accomplished principal, the school has enjoyed the most prosperous session in its history and the commencement held in the beautiful new school building will be a notable event.

In order that we may pay over to the monument committee their portion of the amount received for special advertisements run in our Memorial Edition, we hope that all the business houses who have not yet paid will let us have the amounts due as soon as possible. Only a few have as yet paid for the advertisements and the money is needed now.

Mr Ham Burgess, of the Bethel section, tells us that on Thursday night of last week a storm of wind and hail struck his place and did great damage, the hail beating out what crops were up and the wind blowing down a lot of fencing. The hail storm seemed to be entirely local and Mr Burgess was the chief sufferer. We sincerely regret to hear of our friend's misfortune.

A change of schedule on the Atlantic Coast Line went into effect Sunday, May 15. The local train between Fayetteville and Charleston has been taken off and the "Palmetto Limited" will be operated as a local train between Fayetteville and Charleston. This arrangement proved an absolute failure, when tried before and we doubt if the change will be any more acceptable to the traveling public at this time.

A gift that we appreciated no little came last Tuesday from our colored friend of by-gone days, "Uncle Lawyer" McFadden of Cedar Swamp—a dozen nice fresh eggs. This kindly, thoughtful old friend brought us the little reminder all the way here on Memorial Day and we have received many a present of greater intrinsic value that was no more sincerely appreciated. If all the negroes were like old "Lawyer," with all his weaknesses and failings, there would be no "race problem" to contend with.

It has been brought to our attention that in the report of the proceedings of the county executive committee published in The Record on May 5, it was stated that the assessment for road engineer was fixed by the committee at \$20. This was a typographical error; it should have been \$25, which was the amount assessed candidates for road engineer by the committee, as is shown by the minutes of the secretary. The error of the type was overlooked until our attention was called to it; so bear in mind, candidates, that all who offer for road engineer must "come across" for \$25.00 toward defraying campaign expenses.

Foley's Kidney Pills contain in concentrated form ingredients of established therapeutic value for the relief of all kidney and bladder ailments. D C Scott.

Death of Mrs M A Wilson.

Mrs M A Wilson passed away after a long illness on Thursday, May 12, at 1 o'clock a m., at the home of her daughter, Mrs J T Sexton, near town. She had lived to be 75 years of age, on her last birthday, March 20, 1910. She leaves to mourn her death three children, two daughters and one son, all of whom are grown and have families. Mrs Wilson had been an invalid for the past ten months. She lived in Darlington county until this year, when she came with her daughter's family to live in Williamsburg.

Some time before her death Mrs Wilson said that she was prepared to die and was only waiting for the Lord to take her at His appointed time.

The funeral and interment took place Friday afternoon at the Williamsburg cemetery, Rev W E Hurt, the pastor of Kingstree Baptist church, officiating.

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY
Will Surely Stop That Cough.

Notice of Election.

By order of the County Board of Education of Williamsburg county an election will be held at the residence of A W Flagler on Tuesday, the 24th day of May, 1910, to determine whether a two-mill tax shall be levied in Eaddy School District, No 40, for school purposes. Those in favor of such levy will vote "yes", and those opposed will vote "no". All qualified electors in the district will be allowed to vote. Trustees will act as managers.

M S RUFFKIN,
C K EADY,
P M BROCKINGTON,
Trustees School District No 40.
5-12-2t

Notice of Election.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the Greelyville Mercantile Co's store, Greelyville, S. C. on Tuesday, May 31, 1910, to determine whether or not Greelyville School District, No 22, shall issue certain bonds for the purpose of paying the indebtedness on the school building in the town of Greelyville. Those in favor of the issuing of said bonds shall vote "For Bonds", and those opposed to the same shall vote "Against Bonds", in accordance with the acts of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina in such case made and provided.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF GREELYVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT, No 22.
5-12-3t

KINGSTREE INSURANCE REAL ESTATE & LOAN COMPANY
FIRE INSURANCE, LIFE INSURANCE, ACCIDENT and HEALTH INSURANCE

L. J. STACKLEY
The Coffins and Caskets Man,
Offers His Services
Day and Night
in the
FIRST OFFICE OVER STACKLEY'S DRY GOODS CO.'S.
Yours to Serve,
L. J. STACKLEY.

MAY BLOSSOMS.

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| 10c 36-in Percales, | 7 1/2c | 25c 45-in White Checks, | 15c | 10c Colored Lawns, | 5c | 6c Apron Gingham, | 4c | Ladies' Ankle Strap Slippers, | 90c pair |
| 12 1/2c 40-in White Lawn, | 7 1/2c | 50c 50-in Mohair, | 40c | 7c Best Calico, | 5c | Boys' and Girls' Straw Hats, | 5c and 10c | | |
| 20c 40-in Lin. Batiste, | 12 1/2c | 50c 50-in Panama, | 40c | 8c White Lawn, | 5c | Ladies' Undervests, | 4c | | |
| 65c 50-in Lin. Sheetting, | 45c | 15c Embroidery, | 8 1/2c | 10c 34-in Dress Suiting, | 5c | | | | |

THIS SALE 10 DAYS, SPOT CASH.

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