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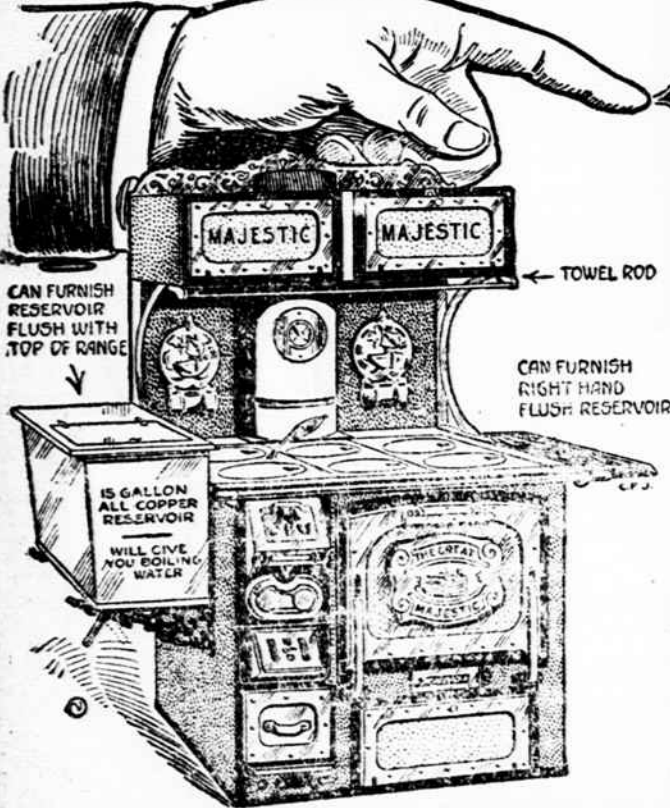
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Majestic Range Demonstration

at our store

One Week, January 23 to 28.

FREE



THE GREAT AND GRAND MAJESTIC RANGE

THE RANGE WITH A REPUTATION MADE IN ALL SIZES AND STYLES.

SET OF WARE FREE

If you call at our store during our Majestic Demonstration Week and allow us to show you the many advantages and superior qualities of the Great and Majestic Range, and will purchase one at the regular price, we will give you Free the beautiful and useful Souvenir Set of Ware illustrated in this advertisement. This ware is made to match the quality of the Majestic Ranges, and we know all ladies will see the beauty and utility of this set, especially the first three pieces, which are entirely new and cannot be had alone by purchase, except at a very high price. The Price of the Majestic ranges are the same, but we give the set FREE with each Majestic Range bought during the demonstration week only.

ONE WEEK ONLY
No ware given after
demonstration week,

Kingstree Hardware Co.

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GENERAL ASSEMBLY'S FIRST WEEK

NOT MARKED BY SPECIAL INCIDENT--WILLIAMSBURG DELEGATION READY FOR WORK.

The Capitol, Columbia, January 16:—The first week of the General Assembly was not marked by anything of extraordinary interest or importance. Both the Senate and the House of Representatives met promptly at the appointed hour and were soon organized and ready for business. In the Senate Lieut-Governor McLeod is presiding and Mr M M Mann of St Matthews is clerk. Dr Stokes is reading clerk and Rev A E Holler was elected chaplain, defeating his opponent by a very flattering vote. Both Dr Stokes and Mr Holler are well known in Williamsburg.

The House organized by electing Hon M L Smith of Camden, Kershaw county, speaker; Jas A Hoyt of Columbia, clerk; R E Carwile of Columbia, journal clerk, and Rev R N Pratt, chaplain.

The Williamsburg delegation answered to the roll-call in both branches and were assigned to a number of important committees, as follows:

Mr Kellahan—Ways and Means committee. This appointment is an enviable one and is always accepted with a distinct appreciation. It is considered more than a mere compliment and we congratulate both our county and Mr Kellahan.

Mr B B Chandler was placed on Agriculture, Education and Public Schools. Mr Chandler is peculiarly fitted for these places of work and his friends may expect good results. He has started out full of vim and energy.

Mr J C Graham finds himself in equally as pleasant places and is going at things with that quiet determination which always brings things to pass. His appointments are: Commerce and Manufactures, Public Buildings, Penitentiary and Military.

The Senator received the following committee appointments, which will furnish him ample opportunities to acquaint himself fully with legislation and how laws are made and in turn to assist along important lines. Here are his appointments: Education, Drainage and Immigration, Fish, Game and Forestry, Engrossed Bills, Enrolled Bills, Printing, Public Library.

Our delegation seems to be working harmoniously together, mutually assisting one another and offering suggestions for Williamsburg's benefit.

The second week will begin work in earnest and everything seems to be settling down, getting ready for what is expected to follow. Unless the programme be changed the inauguration of the new Governor will take place to-morrow (Tuesday) with the usual ceremonies attendant upon these events. EPPS.

Error Corrected.

In our reports of the annual meetings of the three leading banks of the county last week, a regrettable error was made in the figures showing the condition of the Bank of Kingstree. Our report gave the amount of surplus as \$15,000, when the surplus and undivided profits should have been \$25,340. The deposits given as \$173,954.86 should have been \$175,271. We make this correction cheerfully and willingly, at the same time apologizing to the Bank of Kingstree for the injustice done it by giving it no credit for the entire net earnings of its most prosperous year.

A NEWSY LETTER FROM LAKE CITY.

A PROSPEROUS BANK--SUDDEN DEATH OF MR. S. T. GODWIN--NEW YEAR BRINGS CHANGES.

Lake City, January 17:—Rev J E Rushton of Smoaks, Colleton county, was in town several days the early part of the week. Mr Rushton has many warm friends here and they are always much pleased to see him.

Presiding Elder W P Meadors occupied the pulpit at the Methodist church Sunday, morning and night, preaching to large and attentive congregations. He remained here until Wednesday in attendance upon the quarterly conference of the church. This was the first conference of the year.

Mr J J Snow was in town last Thursday from Rome.

We are glad to announce that Mrs R F Joyner, who was taken to an infirmary in Charleston about a week ago in what appeared to be a very serious condition, is improving rapidly.

Mr C J Rollins came up from Lamberts recently and spent parts of two days in town.

The stock-holders of the Farmers and Merchants Bank held their regular annual meeting on the 10th inst. So many stock-holders attended that it was found necessary to have a larger place for the meeting than the banking house affords, therefore the session was held in the Knights of Pythias hall. In accordance with notice previously given, the capital stock was increased from \$25,000 to

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January 17, 1911

Dear Friend:

We used to have the worst kind of bread at our house. It wouldn't rise. The cook said we didn't have in the house the right kind of flour, so Mamma changed her mind and for a long time now we have been making our bread out of Pinnacle flour. It costs 85 cents a sack.

Your friend,
Jacob.

P. S.—They keep Pinnacle flour at
Wilkins' Wholesale Grocery Co's
The place where the \$ does its duty

TO TOBACCO PLANTERS

of Williamsburg and Adjoining Counties.

Gentlemen:—

I take this method of speaking to you. I want to urge upon you to get busy and burn your plant beds, and plant all the tobacco you can possibly take care of. I want you to get the benefit of the short crop that will be planted. There will be at best only 50 per cent of last year's crop planted over this side of the Pee Dee, where last year was a short crop. So, this year, you see will be just about half of last. I would not ask you to increase if I did not know what I am talking about.

You will see prices this year higher than you have ever seen South Carolina tobaccos. So I want you all, especially those that sell in Kingstree, to get the benefit of the high prices. I am not advising you from a personal motive, but for your own benefit.

I will be in position this year to handle and buy more tobacco than I have ever bought before, and competition will be strong. Wishing you, one and all, a prosperous New Year.

Yours to serve,
J G SLAUGHTER.
Mullins, January 2.

A Pleasant Visitation.

Saturday afternoon our grimy and prosaic workshop was transformed for the nonce into an enchanted scene of grace and beauty and loveliness. The charm that wrought this wondrous change was not the fairy wand of enchantment, but the presence of a bevy of bright, pretty and attractive young lady school-teachers, before whose visitation, the cares that infest us at evening were dispelled as the mists of early morn vanish at the touch of rosy-fingered dawn. The sight of these fresh and enthusiastic young "school-ma'ams" caused a feeling of poignant regret for our vanished youth and a vain longing, "Turn backward," O Time, in thy flight and make me a school-boy again just to quaff the Pierian waters from the fount of knowledge the chalice proffered by hands so fair.

Our job department is doing a rushing business. We have a \$1,000 stock of ruled and unruled paper and envelopes to select from, the latest type faces and modern machinery. It is our ambition to make The Record the "Home of Quality Printing."

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Are cured by Chamberlain's Salve. One application relieves the itching and burning sensation.

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Many a man has KEPT HIS OWN SALARY LOW because he has not saved his money and shown his employer that he was independent of him.

Make OUR Bank YOUR Bank.
We pay liberal interest consistent with safety: 4 per cent.
Farmers & Merchants Bank
"Absolutely Safe"
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