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THE WEEK'S NEWS FROM LAKE CITY.

SCHOOL PROSPECTS--SIXTEEN BLACK TIGERS ROUNDED UP--A FAMILY REUNION--LOCAL ITEMS.

Lake City, August 1:—Hon Walter Hazard was in town Friday from Georgetown.

Mr J L C Moore spent the greater portion of last week in Columbia.

Messrs Ashton and Jamie Williams have returned home from the mountains of North Carolina. They have been near Hilgirt since the early days of June.

Here are the answers to the roll call for last Friday and Saturday, two days: Mr B L Singletary! Here, a girl; Mr J L Stuckey! Here, a girl; Mr E P Johnson! Here, a boy; Mr M K Gravelly! Here, a girl; Dr S B W Courtney! Here, a boy, Monday.

Misses V V and Maude Singletary, Mrs B H Singletary and Miss Lillie McElveen have gone to Western North Carolina. They will visit a number of places in the mountains and will be away two or three weeks.

The graded school and the high school will open on September 18 for the session of 1911-1912.

Mr S W Puckette came here last week and moved away most of his furniture.

It is hoped from the very bottom of our hearts that we will have a good school the coming term, and we believe that we will. At least five of the teachers are well known here and are known to be good teachers and real gentlemen and ladies, and the new ones are expected to prove all right. Of this much we are absolutely certain, and that is that the next term will be better than the last. The reason we are so positive about this is because a poorer school than we had last term could hardly be imagined. It was not simply a failure, but was positively harmful. Far better keep your boy and girl at home than send them to such a school.

Miss Elmer Epps of Brogdon is visiting her brother, Mr H Van Epps.

Whenever sectarianism is permitted to come in by the school-room door, efficiency flies out at the window. Moral: Never accept the recommendation of a sectarian.

Miss Margaret Van Keuren of Kingstree is visiting her aunt, Mrs A S Allen.

Miss Blanche Stuckey is at home from a visit to her uncle's at Valdosta, Ga.

Miss Delle Van Keuren of Kingstree is now with Smith-Williams company in town.

Miss Florence Fass of Dillon is visiting Miss Mollie Nachman on Acline avenue.

Miss Jeddie Cockfield of Mt Vernon, Ga, is out on a visit to relatives. She is a daughter of Mr Eddie Cockfield, who went away from here thirteen years ago, and she now comes back to see her father's people.

Misses Ray and Hannah Levy of Bishopville are visiting their sister, Mrs A Miller.

Mrs L H Jennings of Bishopville is visiting her mother and brothers and sisters in town.

Miss Florrie Burns of Charleston is visiting kin in town.

The boll weevil is the great cotton pest and the "pin hooker" the "insect" that does most damage to the tobacco country. He is here this year and he and his tribe are scouring the country for the farmer who can be "skinned." Look out, he is after you.

Miss Mattie Caldwell and Mr and Mrs G C Rodgers spent a few days lately in Charleston.

We hear that certain folk are getting ready to stand up before a parson.

Rev W H Whitehead and "Judge" O S Baldwin are in the hills of the Old North State.

Sixteen negroes charged with selling liquor contrary to law were arrested this, Tuesday, morning and at this writing the trials are proceeding. Of course they all plead "not guilty." In the bunch are many "old stagers," while some have not been up before. We have heard many expressions of regret that the white "tigers" have not been caught. It seems to be a general impression that there are white men here who are selling much more whiskey than the darkeys, but proof against them is lacking. They are patronized by a crew that will screen them in every possible way, even to the extent of committing perjury, in order to assist them to escape the consequences. The negroes are not so protected and are more easily caught.

Monday, at Mr Jesse J Evans', the three sons of Mrs Martha Evans, Messrs Jesse J Evans, J D Evans and W H Evans, gave a dinner in honor of their aged mother. Quite a number of the members of the family were present and enjoyed the occasion to the utmost. There were quantities of good things to eat, nicely prepared and served in a manner to delight the eyes. Mrs Martha Evans, who is a daughter of the late Jesse A Cook, and widow of the late Benjamin R Evans, is now

seventy-eight years of age, and is in fairly good health for one of her years.

It seems that about everybody who can leave home has gone or is going away for a vacation—some to the mountains, some to the Northern cities, some to the seashore and some to jail. If we knew where there is enough fresh water to fish in, we would hie away too, but the streams in this section that are not completely dry are so low they will not float a decent trout, and the propeller of a "jack" would stir the mud from the bottom. W L B.

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Not on His Tombstone.
"What did he die of?"
"A slight difference of opinion, as near as I can find out."
"Oh, a fight?"
"Not at all."
"What, then?"
"Doctors disagreed, and he died before they settled it."—London Tit-Bits.

A Memorable Occasion.
There should be order in all things. For instance, on one occasion we discovered that the proper method is to hook her party gown first and fix the furnace afterward. Reversing the order cost us \$22.50 for a new gown and spoiled her whole evening besides.—Detroit Free Press.

The Poor Doctors.
"When a man dies, is an inquest always held?"
"Oh, no! If a doctor has been in attendance the coroner is not supposed to have inquired into the cause of the death."—Toledo, Blade.

Not Nowadays.
"Polonius was a very wise man. Just consider his advice to his son."
"Reads well. But would a really wise man attempt to tell his son anything?"—Washington Herald.

There is nothing so easy but that it becomes difficult when you do it with reluctance.—Terence.

A Double Barreled Grievance.
"What is Smith's grievance against the railway company?"
"He has two grievances. One of them is that some of the trains don't stop at his station and the other that after he gets in the trains they lose time by stopping at other stations!"—London Telegraph.

Helping the Diagnosis.
Doctor—My dear lady, you are in perfect health. I can't find a thing the matter with you. Patient—I wish you'd try again, doctor. I do so want to go away to recuperate.—Century.

Candor.
Shopper—Can I hang this paper on myself? Salesman—Yes, sir, but it would really look better on the wall.—Heron's Bazar.

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7c Gingham, Sale Price	5 1-2c yd	10c India Linen Lawn	8 3-4c yd	10c Laces, Sale Price	6c	25c Embroideries, Sale Price	13c
	50c Marquette, Sale Price	39c		8c Embroideries, Sale Price	5c	50c Embroideries, Sale Price	39
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