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## Tobacco Flues!

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Tobacco Flues with the handsome dark blue color, made from Charcoal Iron, highly polished, will resist rust greater than any other flue iron made today. Remember, they are made by an experienced man, accurately cut and put together, and joint, section, ell or tee is carefully inspected before leaving our warehouse, which insures perfect satisfaction. "Rivets where rivets belong." They will make a home wherever used this year. Will give better satisfaction because they will outlast the flues are used to buying. Try these once and be convinced. They are made so that you can set them up in your barn with a smiling face. Remember, you run absolutely no risk in buying from us, and no further argument as to purchasing after you see the flues and get the price. They are now ready for delivery.

Thank us now for having put you next to where to purchase your Flues, and pass it along to your friends.

### Kingstree Hardware Co.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers

Coffins and Caskets.

We Lead--Others Follow.

### HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC & ORATORICAL MEET

**MOST SUCCESSFUL AND ENJOYABLE OCCASION--KINGSTREE WINS CUP.**

The second annual contest of the Williamsburg High School Athletic and Oratorical association was held here Friday, both the athletic and oratorical programmes being successfully carried out in the presence of a large number of people.

At 2:30 o'clock the following athletic exercises took place at the base all grounds in North Kingstree:

100-yard dash—W C Holroyd, Alex Blakeley, Kingstree; Tart, Union; T Cockfield, E Ard, Johnsonville; P Hogan, Greelyville. Won by Hogan 1st, Ard 2nd.

Shot put—C Harper, E Cook, Kingstree; Johnson, Cribb, Union; D Newell, E Ard, Johnsonville. Won by Cook 1st, Harper 2nd.

220-yard hurdle race—C Harper, W C Holroyd, Kingstree; Tart, Cribb, Union; J Jones, Johnsonville. Won by Holroyd 1st, Tart 2nd.

380-yard race—R Baker, McB McJin, Kingstree; Johnson, Union; Rankin, L Mishoe, Greelyville. Won by Baker 1st, Mishoe 2nd.

220 yard dash—Blakeley, R McCall, Kingstree; Tart, Union; Ard, Cockfield, Johnsonville; Hogan, Greelyville. Won by Hogan 1st, Blakeley 2nd.

High jump—Harper, Holroyd, Kingstree; Cockfield and Venters, Johnsonville. Won by Harper 1st, Cockfield 2d. In this contest Harper broke the State high school record by jumping 65 inches, while his opponent went 62.

440 yard race—Baker, Holroyd, Kingstree; Cockfield, Haselden, Johnsonville; Mishoe, Greelyville. Won by Baker 1st, Holroyd 2d.

Broad jump—Harper, McFaddin, Kingstree; Snow, Brockinton, Union; Cockfield, Haselden, Johnsonville; Hogan, Greelyville. Won by Harper 1st, Hogan 2d.

1-mile relay race—Baker, Gamble, Harper, Blakeley, Kingstree; M Rankin, L Rankin, Hair and Mishoe, Greelyville. Won by Kingstree team.

Thus ended the most successful and satisfactorily arranged field exhibition of the Williamsburg High School Athletic association, and the splendid trophy cup, contested for the first time, has been won by the Kingstree school.

The next feature of the day's programme was not to take place until 8:30 p. m. in the school auditorium. This was the oratorical feature of the associated schools of the county, to be participated in by both boys and girls. The contestants, with their subjects, were as follows:

Florence Carraway, Union—"The Sweet Girl Graduate."

Bettie Register, Greelyville—"The Destruction of Jerusalem."

Marina Springs, Johnsonville—"The Death of Marmion."

Rubie Thorn, Kingstree—"The Mallet's Masterpiece."

Emerson Ard, Johnsonville—"The Reunited Country."

George Eaddy, Cades—"Woodrow Wilson's Inaugural Address."

Winfred Godwin, Union—"The Reunited Country."

Pressley Hogan, Greelyville—"The Traitor's Deathbed."

Zeno Montgomery, Kingstree—"The Ancestral Ideals."

First place in the oratorical contest was won by Miss Ruby Thorn and Mr Zeno Montgomery, representing Kingstree High school, to whom medals were presented by Mr Hoey. Second place was won by Miss Florence Carraway and Mr Winfred Godwin, of Union High school.

The handsome trophy cup was presented to the Kingstree High school by Prof McCutchen.

The judges were Prof D M O'Driscoll, of Charleston; Prof George McCutchen, of the University of South Carolina; John Hoey, of the University of South Carolina. James Rhea and John Hoey, of the University, acted as starters and referees in the athletic contests. Kingstree will send a team to Columbia to participate in the meet between the several high schools of the State Friday and fully expects to make a creditable showing.

### COLUMBIA PERFECTS PLANS

**For State High School Contest Today and Tomorrow.**

Everything is in readiness at the State capital to receive the high school representatives from all over the State for the oratorical contest this evening and the track meet tomorrow. The University faculty and students have been busy the past few days arranging for the entertainment of students who will enter the contests. They will be entertained at the University from supper to-night until Saturday morning for breakfast.

This afternoon at 4 o'clock, in the society halls and in the chapel of the University, the speakers will meet in the preliminaries. They will be divided up into four divisions and from each one the best two will be selected, and at 8:30 o'clock this evening the eight chosen will meet in the chapel for the final contest.

Friday morning at 10 o'clock preliminaries will be held in the track meet and at 3 o'clock the finals.

The following schools will be represented: Anderson Fitting school, Anderson High, Brunson, Clio, Dalcho, Dillon, Easley, Furman Fitting

school, Greenville; Greenwood, Hattoc, Hickory Grove, Kingstree, Latta, McCormick, Richland, Seneca, Spartanburg, Sumter, Summerville, Westminster, Wofford Fitting school and Yorkville.

Gold medals are offered for first and second places in the oratorical contest and gold medals with athletic figures on them for first places in the track meet. Ribbons will also be awarded for first and second places in the athletic contests.

The following boys will compose the athletic team from Kingstree: Earl Cook, Alex Blakeley, Casper Holroyd, Cuyler Harper and Roy Baker. Zeno Montgomery will represent the school in the oratorical contest. The boys were accompanied by Messrs R L Holroyd, Wallace McIntosh and Virgil Kinder. David Epps and McBride McFaddin also went with the team.

### Paroles Barney Wallace.

Governor Blease Tuesday paroled Barney Wallace, white, who was convicted of manslaughter and carrying concealed weapons at Darlington in 1912 and given twelve years in the penitentiary. In addition to good behavior the parole is conditioned on Wallace never again entering the counties of Lee and Darlington in this State. Wallace was convicted of killing his brother-in-law, Dalton Gilbert, and the wife of the dead man asked for the parole of the prisoner. The prisoner paroled must live with his widowed sister, wife of the slain man, and support her and a young brother.

There is nothing that gives more satisfaction in your room than one of our fly swatters, price 10 cents. 1t. WILLIAMSBURG HARDWARE CO.

### PLANT OF A C L CORPORATION BURNED.

**TWO MILLS LEFT STANDING--MUCH LUMBER DESTROYED--MILLS TO BE REBUILT.**

Georgetown, April 21:—The plant of the Atlantic Coast Lumber Corporation, said to be one of the largest lumber plants in the world, having a capacity of one-half million feet per day, was almost completely destroyed by fire, which broke out this morning about 5 o'clock. Fanned by a strong wind from the north, which increased as the fire made headway, it seemed that nothing in the pathway of the flames could escape. One of the mills, which was located north of where the fire commenced, and another, which was not directly in the direction the wind was blowing, remained standing. Two mills, together with the power house and two dry kilns, and a vast amount of lumber, about ten million feet were destroyed. The loss is estimated at about one-half million dollars and is said to be completely covered by insurance. It might have been a serious proposition to a great many persons who were employed in these mills as well as to business generally in Georgetown and vicinity, as this was the chief industry in this section, but the management has announced that the work of rebuilding will be started at once and that the two mills which were not burned will be run day and night.

Owing to the fact that most of the pumps were put out of commission during the early stage of the fire very little could be done to check the flames; however, the plant of the Dupont Powder company, which manufactures alcohol out of sawdust, was saved by heroic work on the part of the management and employees of that plant. Of course, the fire attracted great attention and a large crowd of people, in fact, every one, who could possibly get out, turned out to witness it.

Fine meals at Stackley's Cafe. 1t

Keep the flies out with some of our screen doors and windows. 1t. WILLIAMSBURG HARDWARE CO.

If you want a square meal for your money call at Stackley's Cafe, where "Cleanliness is next to godliness", forms our motto. 1t

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### The Bank of Cades, Cades, S. C.

### THE Cades Mercantile Company

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Hanan's Shoes need no recommendation to those who have worn them and appreciate a shoe that holds its shape, looks better and wears longer. We have them in the latest styles, and if it is not convenient for you to call in person, a letter to us, stating size and last, will bring them to you by parcel post, prepaid. If they don't suit, send them back at our expense.

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