

WEDNESDAY, MAY 21, 1902.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

D. J. Chandler—Our Suits, Jenkins Bros—New Home Sewing Machine. W. P. Baskin—County Summer School. Estate of Dr. John H. Furman—Citation. W. B. Burns—Longman & Martinez Paints.

PERSONAL.

Miss Daisy Scott has returned from Wisacky. Mr. Fream Mellet was in the city Saturday. Miss Mary Stoppelbein has gone to Charleston. Miss Alice Stubbs has returned from Charleston. Dr. W. B. Alford has returned from Charleston. Mr. J. C. Scott, of Charleston, was in the city Monday. Maj. and Mrs. Abe Levi, of Manning, are in the city. Dr. George Dick returned from Charleston Thursday. Mrs. M. S. Burgess went to Charleston yesterday. Mr. Ashleigh Mood is spending a few days in Charleston. Mr. W. J. Young, of Remberts, spent Saturday in town. Mr. W. R. Creech, of Bishopville, was in the city Monday. Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Stuckey arrived in the city Thursday. Mrs. T. H. Dick, Jr., of Columbia, was in the city last week. Mr. T. S. Stuckey, of Lee County, spent Monday in the city. Dr. R. Y. McLeod, of Bishopville, was in the city yesterday. Street Commissioner L. E. White has gone to the Exposition. Mr. Pat Gallagher has returned from a visit to the Exposition. Rev. W. J. McKay, of the Brick Church, was in the city Thursday. Mrs. L. B. Durant went to Charleston Saturday morning for a week's stay. Mr. E. T. Windham returned Thursday morning from a visit to the Exposition. Messrs. I. H. Moses and I. C. Strass left last night for Old Point Comfort, Va. Mrs. G. H. Hurst and children went to Charleston yesterday to spend several days. Mrs. Marie C. Baker and children have returned to their home in Abbeville County. Mrs. J. S. Cunningham, of Indian-town, is visiting her son, Mr. D. W. Cunningham. Dr. DeLorme and Rev. H. H. Covington attended the Diocesan Convention in Georgetown. Miss Alene Smith, of Whitesville, N. C., is in the city, visiting Miss Mamie Brinkley. Mr. C. G. Rowland went to Charleston yesterday to spend a few days, seeing the Exposition. Dr. J. W. Babcock, of Columbia, was in the city last Thursday. He came to attend Capt. White's funeral. Mr. Jos. C. Scott, of Charleston, passed through the city last week on his way to his plantation at Wisacky. Rev. Shirley Hughson returned last Friday to Westminster, Maryland, to resume his evangelistic work. Miss Katie Eddings returned to her home Sunday, after a week's visit to the family of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hough. Rev. H. H. Covington has returned from Georgetown where he has been attending the Annual Council of the Diocese. Miss Hoyt, of Greenville, who has been the guest of Mrs. C. L. Stubbs for two weeks, returned home Monday morning. Dr. S. C. Baker went to Columbia Monday night to attend the meeting of the State Board of Medical Examiners. Miss Hattie Sanders and her sister, Mrs. Loyless, and several children of Mr. Sanders, of Colleton, are visiting Mrs. Lowry. Col. J. Harvey Wilson passed through the city yesterday for Columbia, to attend the State Democratic Convention which meets today. Mr. W. L. Moise is in the city for a few days stay. He is connected with Bradstreet's Commercial Agency, with headquarters in Savannah, Ga. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Green have gone to Asheville, N. C. Mrs. Green has been sick for some time and the trip is for the benefit of her health. Miss Gartrell, of Atlanta, who has been visiting the family of Mr. M. B. Randle, went to Charleston Thursday, from whence she will go to Atlanta. Mr. J. C. Dove, of Dovesville, spent Sunday in the city. Mrs. Dove, who has been visiting here, returned home with him Monday morning. Messrs. G. W. Dick, J. H. Levy, H. L. Scarborough, Altamont Moses and J. M. Knight have gone to Greenwood, to attend the annual meeting of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias. The friends of Mr. Burdette Booth who came home recently from Clemson College sick with typhoid fever, will be pleased to learn that he has recovered sufficiently to leave the infirmary. Dr. R. Sidney Cauthen, of Kershaw, is in the city for a few days stay. Dr. Cauthen has many friends in this city, where he lived for several years when connected with the Atlantic Coast Line. Miss Moneta Osteen entertained a number of her young friends Monday evening in honor of Miss Nell Weigle, of Augusta, Ga., who has been her guest for the past week, and who returned to her home yesterday to the regret of many friends that she made while here. First Lieutenant George R. Rembert, of the Governors Guards, Columbia, has been elected Captain to succeed Capt. Deal who resigned because of change of residence.

DEATHS.

Mr. Robert Jones, who has been an invalid for several years, died last Thursday morning near the Factory. He leaves a wife and two children.

Miss M. A. Doyle, a relative of Mrs. O'Donnell and Mrs. Tromey, died last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Annie P. Monaghan, where she has been living. The funeral was held at St. Joseph Chapel Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Funeral of Mr. White.

A large and sympathetic congregation assembled last Thursday to pay the last tribute of respect to Mr. Anthony White. Beautiful, earnest, and touching was the pastor's discourse, "Arise ye and depart; for this is not your rest," were the appropriate words chosen. A long procession followed the remains to the cemetery. The floral offerings were exquisite and abundant, and completely hid the mound. The pall bearers were: Messrs. J. L. Haynsworth, W. M. Graham, B. G. Gibson, R. D. Lee, R. I. Manning, and C. G. Rowland. Honorary: J. J. Bossard, W. F. B. Hansworth, E. W. Moise, John Reid, W. J. Barrett, D. R. McCallum, M. E. Wilson, W. J. Anderson, J. B. Roach and D. Jas. Winn.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Mr. Willis Sanders shoots Himself Through Chest. Mr. Willis Sanders made an unsuccessful attempt to commit suicide last Friday night. He went into the Sumter Pharmacy about 10 o'clock that night and a few minutes afterwards shot himself through the chest with a revolver. His purpose was to shoot himself through the heart but the bullet was deflected by a bone and missing the heart passed through the body and lodged in the back where it was found and removed by the doctors. The wound is quite a serious one, but as the bullet injured none of the large blood vessels of the chest it is thought that he will recover in time.

The reports from Mr. Sanders have been quite favorable, and he is now thought to be out of danger.

RELIGIOUS.

The proposed series of meetings at Barlette Street Church this week have been postponed. Rev. W. B. Olivers, who was to do the preaching, is detained because of the extreme illness of some of his members. The prayer meeting will be as usual on Thursday at 6 p. m. Pastor.

Revival services are being held this week in Magnolia Street Church. Tonight at 8.15 o'clock Rev. Jas. W. Kilgo will preach.

Col. Wallace is in the city today. We regret to learn that Mrs. N. W. Edmunds is quite sick. Mr. T. B. Jenkins, Jr., left for Charleston yesterday afternoon. Dr. Haskell DuRant, of Bishopville, is in the city. Mr. Julius L. McCallum, of the First National Bank, went to Charleston yesterday afternoon. Mr. C. G. Rowland is now occupying his handsome new residence on Broad Street. Mr. A. Heckheimer, the "Pants King," of Baltimore, is in the city on business today. Mrs. W. K. Greenfield, of Columbia, is visiting her brother, Mr. F. A. Tradewell, who is quite sick. Among the visitors to Charleston yesterday were Mr. W. H. Seale, Dr. A. J. China, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, Miss Law and Miss Lucile Hughson. The friends of Mr. Sheppard Nash will be pleased to learn that at last accounts from him at Asheville, N. C., he was improving rapidly.

OFF FOR THE EXPOSITION.

The Trains Crowded Yesterday and Today—Many More to Go.

The crowds are already moving on Charleston to Wagoner Day. Yesterday afternoon the trains were crowded, every train carrying several extra coaches, filled to their utmost capacity, and tonight and to-morrow hundreds more will leave this city for Charleston. This morning 160 tickets were sold by Ticket Agent China, and the Bennettsville train brought in more than a hundred passengers from up the road who joined the Sumter crowd and went on through to Charleston. The Northwestern R. R. also brought in a large crowd from Camden and the upper part of the State. If all sections of the State send as many visitors to the Exposition as Sumter and the tributary territory there will be gathered together at the Ivory City on Wagoner Day the largest crowd ever assembled in the State.

Among the number who went to Charleston this morning were the following: Mr. George D. Shore and family, Mr. and Mrs. Grenville DeLorme, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Cunningham, B. R. Sanders, C. E. Stubbs, Jr., B. G. Gibson, J. McF. Spann, J. D. Craig, Robert Keels, Misses Bessie Keels, Maggie Bradford, Maggie Bradham, Annie Kennedy, Nonie Branding, Addie Auld, Theo. Gregg, Mrs. E. W. Hurst and children, Mrs. Clara Reynolds, Misses Helen Willeford, Annie Stubbs, Katie Reid, Mr. H. T. Edens and family.

Wagoner Day Souvenir tickets to the Charleston Exposition have been placed on sale at Osteen's and Knight's book stores and the committee consisting of R. L. Manning, N. G. Osteen, Altamont Moses and J. M. Knight also have the tickets for sale. All who are planning to visit the Exposition on Wagoner Day should procure a souvenir ticket before leaving home, and those who do not expect to revisit the Exposition but wish to have an artistic souvenir of Charleston's great show should get one of the Wagoner Day tickets.

S. M. A. AND F. S. COMMENCEMENT.

The Program of Events of Commencement Week.

The Sumter Military Academy and Female Seminary will have the first annual commencement on June 1st to 4th. Handsome souvenir invitations have been issued and the friends and patrons of the institution are looking forward to the exercises with a great deal of pleasure. The following is the program:

SUNDAY, JUNE 1.
11 a. m. Commencement Sermon, Rev. H. H. Covington, Sumter, S. C.
4.30 p. m. Joint Meeting of Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A.
Address, Hon. W. D. Upshaw, Atlanta, Ga.

MONDAY, JUNE 2.
10 a. m. Elocution Contest.
11 a. m. Declamation Contest.
4 p. m. Military Contest.
8.30 p. m. Annual Celebration of the Gagner and Timrod Literary Societies.
Address, Hon. Thos. F. Brantley, Orangeburg, S. C.

TUESDAY, JUNE 3.
10 a. m. Ready Speaker's Contest.
11 a. m. Contest for the Brown Medal.
4 p. m. Annual Class Meeting.
8.30 p. m. Annual Drama and Concert.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4.
10.30 a. m. Graduating Exercises.
Address, Hon. S. G. Mayfield, Denmark, S. C.
3 p. m. Reception.
Graduates Literary Department: Capt. C. Capers Smith, Charleston, S. C.; Capt. William M. Smoke, Aiken, S. C.

Commercial Department: Stenography, Ben D. Edwards, Orangeburg, S. C.; Miss Eva McClam, Sumter, S. C.; Miss Lyn Nettles, Florence, S. C.; Miss Lizzie Smoot, Darlington, S. C.
Bookkeeping: Walter R. Mathis, Clarendon, S. C.; Julian D. Wilder, Sumter, S. C.

A Lawn Party.

The Timrod Literary Society of the Sumter Female Seminary will give a lawn party at the Seminary, Wednesday afternoon, from 5 to 8 o'clock. Light refreshments will be served, in the interest of the Society. The young people of the city are most cordially invited to be present.

Meeting of U. D. C.

Mrs. Agnes Bogin will have the next meeting of the U. D. C., at the residence of Gen. E. W. Moise on Wednesday, May 21st, at 6 o'clock p. m.

Gold Medals Awarded by Charleston Exposition.

The Telephone Mfg. Co. of Sumter, S. C., (old company) receives one gold medal for "Telephone Instruments," which of course includes every part of the telephone, such as transmitters, receivers, generators, hook switches, lightning arrester, wood work, finish etc., one gold medal for Switchboard and Appliances, and one medal for Protective Devices.

The Sumter Telephone Mfg. Co., receives one gold medal for Transmitters and Receivers, and one for Switchboard and Appliances. These awards speak exceedingly well for these two competing companies, and Sumter should indeed feel proud of two such progressive and money making enterprises.

The Laundry Closed.

Owing to the inability to dispose of the waste water from the Steam Laundry, Mr. O'Brien, the proprietor, reluctantly decided to close the laundry from and after last Saturday. The waste water has been discharged into a large dry well, but the ground having become water soaked, there has been recently a constant overflow from the well. There being no sewerage system for carrying off the water and as the rules of the health department forbid emptying any kind of waste water into the open drains and ditches. Mr. O'Brien had no other alternative than to close the laundry and discontinue business.

The many satisfied patrons of the laundry will regret the closing, and will hope that Mr. O'Brien will decide to remove the laundry to outskirts of the city where there is natural drainage and will resume business in a short time. The removal of the laundry from the city would be a distinct loss, and even if another laundry should be established in the near future it will be difficult to find a man to manage it so satisfactorily as has Mr. O'Brien.

IS YELLOW POISON
in your blood? Physicians call it malarial germ. It can be seen changing red blood yellow under microscope. It works day and night. First, it turns your complexion yellow. Chilly, aching sensations creep down your backbone. You feel weak and worthless.

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A Sumter Boy Chosen.

At a recent meeting of the athletic association of the South Carolina College, Mr. R. I. Manning, Jr., of Sumter was selected manager of next season's baseball team. Mr. W. L. Cogburn, of Edgefield, was elected by the team as captain.

To Address the Juniors.

Mr. J. Frank Pate has received and accepted an invitation to deliver an address before the Junior Order of United American Mechanics at Brookland, the thriving little town across the river from Columbia, on July 3, on which occasion an elaborate celebration will take place.

A fish story from Lee County is that on yesterday Mr. W. W. Hearon caught in a trap in Lynches River 365 fish, all large enough for use, and some extra size.

Summer Resort Folder Southern Railway—Much valuable information; mailed free to any address upon application to Agents, Southern Railway.

W. H. Tayloe, Ass. Gen. Pass. Agent Atlanta, Ga.
R. W. Hunt, Div. Pass. Agent, Charleston, S. C.

Will Reduce Rate of Interest.

Rock Hill, May 20.—The National Union bank of this city with Mr. W. J. Roddey as its president is an up-to-date institution. It proposes to lead the State of South Carolina in a reduction of the interest rate. Mr. Ira B. Dunlap, the assistant cashier, leaves in a day or two for a ten days' trip to northern cities where he will visit leading banks and study their methods. A rate of 7 per cent. will at once be made by this bank, and the management hopes within 12 months to bring the figures to a 6 per cent. basis.

The County Summer School for teachers will open in this city on Monday, June 2nd.

The chain gang will complete the work on Cemetery avenue within two weeks.

Some of our citizens are talking of buying the miniature railway now in operation at the Charleston Exposition for the purpose of establishing a suburban railway line in this city.

There are six petitions on file at the Post Office Department for the establishment of Rural Mail routes radiating from this city. Several if not all of the proposed routes will be established this summer or early fall.

Notice to Telephone Subscribers.

Subscribers will please add to their directories the following numbers: 255 Barwick, J. M., Res. E. Liberty. 257 Bradwell Jacob, Meat Market, Dingle, near Main. 47 Kennedy, T. B., Res. Magnolia. 252 Sumter Drug Co., drugs, Main and Liberty. 256 Whilden, J. E. Res., Church. The Sumter Telephone Co.

CANDIDATES' CARDS

The cards of candidates for county and State offices will be inserted in this column continuously until the Primary Election for Five (\$5) Dollars, payable cash in advance.

SUPT. OF EDUCATION.

We present to the voters of Sumter county at the primary election the name of S. Dwight Cain for the office of County Superintendent of Education. Mr. Cain is thoroughly qualified, and has been constantly engaged in teaching in this, his native county, and Richland, the past six years. Friends.

Estate of T. B. Fraser, Dec'd.

All creditors of T. B. Fraser, deceased, who have not already filed their claims with me, will please do so on or before May 27th, 1902.

D. M. YOUNG, Administrator.

May 7—3t.

Master's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of a Decree of the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Sumter in the State of South Carolina, in the case of Andrena Moses against Robert J. Melton, Levy J. Melton, Emma James, Jeannette Melton, Felicia Melton, Virginia Melton, Manson Melton, John Melton, Frank Melton, Levy Melton, Jr., Cora Lee Melton, Hallie Q. Melton, Marion C. Melton, Ona Belle Melton, Robert J. Melton, Jr., and Marion Moise, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the Court House in the City of Sumter, in said County and State on sales-day in June, 1902, being the second day of said month, during the usual hours of sale, the following described real estate, to wit:

All that piece, parcel or tract of land with three buildings thereon, situate and being in Swimming Pens Township, in the County of Sumter, State aforesaid, containing sixty-seven and one half acres, more or less; and bounded on the northeast by lands now or formerly of the estate of J. W. Rembert; on the southeast by lands now or formerly of Alex. Favor; southwest by road leading to Sumter, S. C., and northwest by lands of Martin; the said tract of land being fully represented by a plat thereof, made by J. W. Nichols, D. S., Jan. 9th, 1874, and recorded in the office of the Register of Mesne Conveyances for Sumter County in Book V. at page 511.

Terms of sale, cash. Purchaser to pay for papers.
H. FRANK WILSON, Master for Sumter County.
May 12, 1902.

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