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LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. J. T. Wishart, of Crosbyville, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Jno. B. Wiggins returned to his home at Union yesterday morning.

Dr. J. C. B. Waley, of Lockhart, was in the city Tuesday.

Miss Ida Brannon, of Whitmore, spent Tuesday night at Mr. W. R. Brown's.

Mrs. Z. B. Mangum, of Greensboro, N. C., is visiting Mrs. E. B. Friday on Centre street.

Mr. Charlie Dunlap, a prominent cotton buyer of Fort Lawn, was in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. Louis Crawford and baby have returned from a visit of a few weeks to relatives at Union.

Mrs. A. E. Isenflower, of Winstboro, returned to her home Tuesday after spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Mills Crawford.

Mrs. W. Holmes Hardin and daughter, Miss Elma, returned Saturday from a visit to her son, Mr. Paul Hardin, of G. L. Ivie.

Mrs. Mills Crawford has accepted a position as clerk in Kluttz' Racket store and commenced work yesterday morning.

Miss Sallie Tennant, from near Cornwell, has returned home after a visit of two weeks with Mrs. W. R. Brown.

Miss M. Nichols, of White Oak, is expected in the city tomorrow and will spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Mima Nichols.

Miss Sallie Sheridan, of Iva, arrived yesterday to spend a week with Mrs. W. G. Johnson on College street.

Misses Janie, Essie and Lila McDowell went to Yorkville this morning to visit friends, and will return tomorrow evening.

Messrs. Don and Dave Bankhead went down to Sliver Sabbath to visit their father's family, and returned Monday morning.

Miss B. H. Camden returned to her home Monday afternoon, a visit of several weeks to relatives here. Her sister, Miss Sallie Heyman, accompanied her home.

Rev. and Mrs. John Bass Shelton spent Thursday in Charlotte. Mr. Shelton was presented to the N. C. Baptist Convention and made a short speech.

Miss Harriett Stringfellow, of Winthrop, left Saturday night to spend a few days with her parents at Lewis Turnout. — Rock Hill Herald.

Mrs. F. M. Hicklin and children, of Bascomville, are the guests of Mrs. Hicklin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. McDavid, in North Main street. — Greenville Herald.

The Rev. B. D. Thames, representing South Carolina Co. Educational Institute, of Edgefield, is in the city. An announcement of that institution will be found in this issue.

Dr. and Mrs. S. L. Morris, of Atlanta, are expected in the city tomorrow and will spend a day or two with Mrs. M. H. Gaston. Dr. Morris will preach at the Presbyterian church Sabbath morning and evening.

Mrs. H. A. D. Neely, of Yorkville, spent Sunday in the city with her son, Jno. A. Neely. She was on her way home from Chester, where she had been to see her brother, Mr. Sam Neely, who is ill. — Rock Hill Journal.

Some pigs in a back lot furnished a good deal of amusement Wednesday morning while the snow was falling. They evidently took the snow for manna and rushed at the flakes as they fell, only to find that they had vanished.

Mr. Brakefield, of Chester, was a city visitor last week. He came over to visit his daughter who is a student at Limestone college.

Mr. W. S. Hall spent Sunday in Chester. He had to make a motion before Judge Gage and took advantage of the opportunity to visit his old home. — Cherokee News.

If you have any doubt that advertising doesn't pay, visit the store of J. T. Collins & Co. and you will find the people will buy bargains if you have them to offer and will inform them of the fact.

It Was \$740.
 In reporting the sale of the Orr land in Tuesday's Lantern the price was printed \$840, when it should have been \$740.

Black Sam Jones.
 Black Sam Jones requests to announce that he will preach at Big Zion next Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Sneak Thieving.
 Wednesday evening some thief sneaked into Mr. W. B. Lynn's hall and carried off his overcoat and gloves. We have heard that other houses were entered.

Porter Orr.
 Mr. Manly J. Porter, of Lancaster, and Miss Janie Orr, of Orr's Station, were married by Rev. John Bass Shelton at the parsonage, Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Sticking to the Farm.
 Mr. John H. Hamilton is a farmer who is not preparing to move to town. He goes on improving his place, with the expectation of staying to get the benefit of his labors. He has just recently put in waterworks, a hydraulic ram serving the purposes of a power house. Though four miles from school, Mr. Hamilton gets their children there, and think that far better than moving away from their base of supplies.

Change at the Western Union.
 Mrs. M. G. Curtis, who has been manager of the Western Union Telegraph office here for some time, has been transferred to Charlotte, and Mr. B. A. Hughes comes from Charlotte to take her place. Miss Curtis has kept the boys under good control and made the office exceptionally quiet and orderly during her administration, and we trust that Mr. Hughes can keep it up to as high a standard of behavior.

Wylie-Strange.
 At Richmond, Wednesday evening, Dec. 9th, at 5 o'clock, Mr. R. Strange, of Manning, and Miss M. Wylie were quietly married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Kate Wylie, in the presence of only a few near relatives and intimate friends of the contracting parties. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Strang left for Manning on the 6 o'clock train to visit his relatives.

Dr. Julian W. Sloan.
 We have received a copy of an extensive pamphlet from Richmond containing "Notes on Genito-Urinary Surgery and Diseases and Syphilis," by Julian W. Sloan. Some years ago it was our privilege to criticize Julian's literary productions, but he has gotten too far along for us now. We confess that we are entirely unable to express an opinion at least on the subject matter of his notes. It is evident, however, that they were considered valuable by competent authority, else they would not have gotten into print.

100 Boxes Florida Oranges coming. — W. W. Reed.

A Surprise Marriage.
 There was no little surprise Wednesday morning when it became known that Mr. Carl Litzmer and Mrs. Kite J. DAVe had been married the night before, for very few knew it until Wednesday morning. Some claim to have been expecting it to happen some time, but admit that they were jarred by the suddenness of the event. Most of us, however, had never thought of such a thing. The contracting parties are both so widely known and so popular that everybody took deep interest in the affair.

Late in the afternoon, a few friends were asked to be at the Baptist parsonage at 9 o'clock. Of course they were there, and we suppose they all knew wherefore they were come together, but we are not positively informed as to that. After the arrival of all parties and suitable preliminaries, the Rev. John Bass Shelton officiated in the ceremony which made Mrs. D. Vega Mrs. Litzmer and Mr. Litzmer her husband.

There were present, besides the bride and groom and the minister's family, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. McAdams, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Hall, Mr. E. H. and Miss Annie C. Hart, Mr. Geo. E. Litzmer and Mr. J. A. Barron.

Mr. and Mrs. Litzmer left in the midnight train for a brief honeymoon in Florida.

Wanted—Good milk and butter cow.—Apply to J. J. Stringfellow.

A Shooting Affair.
 Yesterday about noon, Mr. Pelham Wagner, boss weaver at the Springtree mills, shot one Joe Bradshaw in the abdomen, the ball entering low down on the left. Dr. J. M. Brice was called to see the wounded man. He at first thought the ball had penetrated the cavity, but later he located it near the surface, on the right and considerably higher up than where it entered. He does not think now that the cavity was penetrated, but the course of the ball is a mystery. He does not think the wound is necessarily serious, but it is too soon yet to determine that definitely.

According to the reports which we have received, and which come chiefly from friends of Mr. Wagner, Bradshaw, who had come from North Carolina a few days ago, had worked in the mill some three days but had quit. He went to Wagner for his time, and the latter gave him an order or some kind of paper to an official who had charge of such matters, but somehow Bradshaw was not satisfied and kept following him up, being drunk and having a knife in his hand. We do not know whether he attempted to use the knife, as what immediately preceded the shooting. Mr. Wagner surrendered to the sheriff, went before Judge McLure and was released on a bond of \$300.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Killian, of Landford, spent Wednesday in the city with their daughter, Mrs. Edgar Darby.

The meeting of the Social and Industrial Club, that was to be held with Miss Mary Crosby Tuesday was postponed until the following Tuesday.

Mr. David Wade, of Wilksboro, who was in town yesterday, had sold most of his cotton at about 9 cents but was fortunate enough to have a little left to sell at 12.

One who heard him, says that President Poteat's address on "Ministerial Election" before the N. C. Baptist Convention was an unparalleled address in beauty, simplicity and greatness.

The State yesterday said that at noon Wednesday the ground was covered with snow as far south as Winston.

It was probably some of Harvey Flenniken's cotton that the State's reporter saw. Snow fell pretty rapidly in Chester, but every flake melted the moment it touched the ground.

The Hahn-Lowrance Co.
 In the Valley.

Friends Ask Pardon.
 For several days competition has been in circulation in this city and community, directed by the governor of Montana, asking the pardon of Rev. Barr Harris, who has several months of his one year term in the Montana penitentiary to serve yet. The penitentiary report that they know Mr. Harris sympathize with him in his troubles, and feel that the punishment already inflicted is quite sufficient for the offence alleged against him and of which he was convicted, and they therefore beg the governor to extend the pardoning hand to him. — Rock Hill Herald.

Mr. C. Warren returned yesterday evening from Charleston. He says the air, especially on the island, was quite penetrating. He reports fine entertainment and a good time.



GIVE A Rocker

If you are in doubt as to what to give for a present, allow us to suggest a Rocker. No selection you can make would be of more practical use nor more highly appreciated by the recipient. We have a complete line of Rockers made by the makers of the best. They are put together to stay, and handsomely finished.

Prices range from \$25 to \$125. An extra special value is our handsome finished mahogany rocker. It has a splendidly shaped front rail and arms made of especially heavy material. The posts are exceptionally large, giving the chair a substantial, solid and comfortable appearance. Upholstered in high grade Spanish leather, has full spring seat, and will cost you elsewhere a third more than our special holiday price.

\$8.75

See us before you buy and save money.

The Hahn-Lowrance Co.
 In the Valley.

Christmas Gifts

In selecting Christmas gifts, either for old, for a lady or gentleman, the following FOUR POINTS are looked for almost without exception by the giver, and always appreciated by the receiver:

1. A gift should be appropriate to the receiver. A fine piece of strictly high class Jewelry is acceptable to almost any one at any time.
2. A gift that is useful is preferable to useless trinkets, such as cheap jewelry and poorly made silver novelties.
3. A gift should be beautiful (to please the eye) as well as useful, and beauty in Jewelry depends upon design, style and finish.
4. A gift should be durable as well as beautiful to serve as a lasting as well as pleasing reminder of the eye.

We buy only the finest goods, use only the best and most reliable workmen, and tell you what an article is when you buy from us.

ROBINSON'S GOODS CONTAIN ALL FOUR POINTS NECESSARY TO A PERFECT CHRISTMAS GIFT

J. C. ROBINSON,
 Jeweler, Watchmaker and Optician. Under Tower Clock. Chester, S. C.

What About that Light

You see in one of our Show Windows?

These large handsome round burner lamps that give a brilliant light and are so beautifully and delicately tinted in many deep rich colors and artistically decorated with beautiful flowers and scenery.

We Have quite a large stock of THESE LAMPS

And must sell them if at a very low price. So come and let us sell you one.

WATERS & SPRATT.

Job Printing The Right Kind, at The Lantern Office

Don't Miss It!

Hundreds have come and been benefited by our LOW prices on CLOTHING and SHOES. Our sales have increased from the beginning of this sale. If this don't bring YOU, you're out of town.

Our Suit Safe shall Stand as a Record-Breaker for time to Come—

We would rather count dollars than goods, therefore we are going to trade everything for dollars that we possibly can. That's why so many Suits are going at

SUCH LOW PRICES:

Big lot of Men's \$5.00 Suits going at 2.75.
 Big lot of Men's \$10 Suits going at \$7.25.
 Big Stock of Boy's Suits at 65c and 75c. worth \$1 and \$1.50.

SEE US ON BETTER GOODS

Men's Blue Beaver \$5.50 Overcoat going at \$3.75.
 Ladies' Heavy Shoes, per pair 65c.

We guarantee to sell Suits TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT CHEAPER than any other store in town. Make us back it up!

J. T. COLLINS & CO.,
 Exclusive Haberdashers

THE NICHOLSON FURNITURE STORES

No. Fake Sales. No Cut Prices to Offer.
 No Premiums Either—Can't Afford to.

But we will sell you your Furniture from 10 to 50 per cent less than the lowest cut price of our Competitors—seeing is believing—try us.

The mere fact that we sell more Furniture than all other Furniture Dealers in Chester combined should convince you that there is some strong reason.

Come around to our place and see the biggest bargains that "ever came down the pike."

ROCKERS.....58c
FELT MATTRESSES.....\$4.50

A few Guaranteed All Long Staple Cotton Mattresses to arrive in a few days at **3.95**

PHONE 190 **Goods Delivered Free 8 Miles.**

Christmas Sandy Claus.

The big long freight trains have already come and unloaded Sandy Claus' Christmas right here in Kluttz' Big Cheap Store.

It can be most truthfully said that Kluttz' great store is now greater than ever before in its unusually brilliant exhibition of Christmas Toys, Dolls, Drums, Horns, Fire Engines, Hook and Ladder, Trains, Wagons, Carts, Guns, Automobiles, Banks, Sates, Cloves, Hoses, Monkeys, Cows, Musical Toys, Jumping Jacks, Rocking Horses, Desks, Bureaus, Sided Boards, Doll Houses, Stables, and many many rare novelties in Picture Frames, Mirrors, Comb and Brush Sets, Manicure Sets, Ebony Sterling Silver novelties and more and more of nearly everything that you could think of. In fact here is to be seen just about all the present cuts to make more and sweeter smiles and happier hearts, and more comfortable hands, feet, head and bodies.

This wonderfully sparkling display of rare commingled shining beauty and magnetic loveliness makes for children and grown up folks the most charmingly delightful place to spend a white away.

A great many of these rare Christmas novelties there is only one of a kind, so you had best be quick about getting here to make your selections, else perhaps the very article that you would most like to have will be gone.

For the beauty and comfort of Head, Hands, Feet and Body here is to be seen the most wonderful assortment of all kinds of warming wearables, so woolly warm and nice that you wont mind the cold weather.

Ladies' Wool House Sweaters, only \$1.98.
 Two Waist Flannels, 25 cents a yard.

Yard after yard of New South Suits 50 cents the yard, and hundreds of other rare nice bargains in Waist Flannels, Dress Gowns, Starting, White Flannel, Silks, Velvets, Flannellette, Outing, Blankets to eat the cold. Gloves, Stockings, Leggins, Fur Collectors, Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Coat Suits, Skirts, Coats, Jackets in great variety and all going cheap. Underwear for Pa, Ma, Sis, Dad and the Babe. Gentlemen's Suits and Boys' Suits which you'll be glad to see. Shoes for the whole family at a price to please. Ladies' Fine Ready-to-Wear Hats.

Everything you want and for the least bit of cash is here for you in

KLUTTZ' OLD RELIABLE NEW YORK RACKET BIG CHEAP STORE.

Let Others Praise Me

I desire to state to the people of Chester and surrounding community that I have had Mr. Edgar Poag...

C. S. ALDRICH.

Tax Returns For 1904.

Auditor's Office, Chester, Pa., Dec. 21, 1904. In accordance with the Tax Book...

For the convenience of tax-payers I will be at the following places to meet you on the days named to receive your tax returns:

Fort Lawn, Tuesday, Jan. 19th. Landford, Wednesday, Jan. 20th. W. L. Walker's Store, Thursday, Jan. 21, from 10 to 12 a. m.

Vienna Bakery

In the Valley, next door to F. M. Nail.

We solicit orders for fresh Bread, Cakes and Home-Made Candies, Fruits and Vegetables.

I have had 22 years' experience as a baker, and find competent to meet all demands.

32 tickets sold for a dollar, 8 for 25 cents. Will be pleased to have my white friends give me a trial.

LAWRENCE A. JAMES, Former baker for James A. Owen.

RYDALES TONIC

A New Scientific Discovery for the BLOOD and NERVES.

It purifies the blood by eliminating the malarial matter and other impurities and by restoring the germ of vitality...

Manufactured by The Radical Remedy Company HICKORY, N. C. T. S. LEITNER.

BROKERAGE

If you desire to buy, sell or exchange City or Country Property for profit...

J. EDGAR POAG, Broker, Rock Hill, S. C.

Weavers Wanted. We can take several families from the country in Chester county...

W. G. NICHOLS, Treas.

A Tree That Grows Dishes.

There is a tree in the West Indies that the natives say "grows dishes." It looks like an apple tree. They call it the calabash.

It bears very queer leaves and large white blossoms that grow from the trunk and larger branches.

Now, see what a use the people of that country make of this fruit. The shell is so hard that it is cut of big and little dishes and drinking cups can be carved out of it.

A Costly Mistake. Blunders are sometimes very expensive. One recently interested in the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Headache, Liver or Biliary troubles.

Where He Crossed the Equator. As one of the very few occasions when the wit of Rufus Choate was foisted, an incident is recalled...

MR. PEDEN'S ERROR. The Same Mistake is Made By Many of His Chester Neighbors.

It's a common mistake to try to get at backache from the outside to apply with plasters and to rub the back with liniments.

Thomas Peden, stock buyer and trader, living on Depot street, says: "The remarkable amount of benefit I received from the use of Doan's Kidney Pills has convinced me that they are a great kidney and back ache remedy."

For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

Ashrcraft's Eureka Liniment. This Liniment will remove spavin, splint, ringbone, and all cartilage troubles...

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SEE FOR YOURSELF. ONE FARE PLUS \$2.00 for the Round Trip the FIRST AND THIRD TUESDAYS of each month.

W. H. NEWBOLD, Attorney at Law. DR. W. M. KENNEDY, DENTIST.

Johnson & Guy.

Marriage at McConnellville.

The marriage of Miss Massilia Ash to Mr. John A. Harshaw took place at the residence of the bride's mother at McConnellville, last Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, the ceremony being performed by Rev. J. K. Hall.

Mr. A. R. Kine, a prominent druggist, of Baxter Springs, Kansas, says: "Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are, in my judgment, the most superior preparation of anything in use today for constipation."

The Camden Bank. Charleston, Dec. 2. The statement of the Farmers and Merchants bank of Camden, the president and cashier of which killed themselves on the same day, is not encouraging.

Be Quick. Not a minute should be lost when a child shows symptoms of croup. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy given as soon as the child becomes hoarse or even when the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack.

REAL ESTATE OF YOUR BUSINESS. BOUGHT, SOLD, EXCHANGED, IN ANY LOCALITY.

GIVE DESCRIPTION, PRICE, ETC., INCLUDING STAMP FOR BROCKETT "MODERN METHODS". HUMPHREY-GIBSON CO.

Dyspepsia Cured Free

The Grover Graham Dyspepsia Remedy is sold under a positive guarantee that it will cure Dyspepsia, Heartburn, Gastritis or any form of stomach disorder, no matter how chronic or severe.

JOHNSTON & GUY, Druggists, Chester, S. C.

I WANT TO SAY

A few words to the man who is in doubt. If you have a mortgage on your home, and die before it is raised, who is going to raise it? Your widow will be pretty well occupied with the job of raising your children whom you have left on her hands without sufficient means of support.

If you are 40 years old, we will sell you a Policy for \$20.00, \$32.00, or \$42.00 per thousand, and every policy is secured by deposits with the government of Indiana.

D. SAM COX, General Agent, COLUMBIA, S. C.

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T. B. WOODS, Real Estate Broker.

I have now listed with me the following: 12,000 acres of farming lands for sale, rent or lease. Suitable for farming or cattle raising.

T. B. WOODS, Real Estate Broker.

OLIVER Chilled Plows

Just Received a Carload. We Have Them Right and Left. All The Extra Parts Carried in Stock.

Bewley Hardware Co.

SORE LUNGS. When your lungs are sore and inflamed from coughing, it is the time when the germs of PNEUMONIA, PLEURISY and CONSUMPTION find lodgment and multiply.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR. Stops the cough, heals and strengthens the lungs. It contains no harsh expectorants that strain and irritate the lungs...

THE DOCTORS SAID HE HAD CONSUMPTION—A MARVELOUS CURE. L. M. Ruggles, Reasener, Iowa, writes: "The doctors said I had consumption and I got no better until I used FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR."

THREE SIZES 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 REFUSE SUBSTITUTES

SOLD AND RECOMMENDED BY PRYOR-MCKEE DRUG COMPANY



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A Home Worth Its Weight in Gold--

That's not literally true, we confess, but metaphorically—it can be obtained by our easy payment plan in a way to make you wonder.

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