

Local Matters

—You can now get all the "pound calico" you want at
WILLIAMS HUGHES CO.

—Mrs. J. W. Hamel went to Lancaster last Friday to visit her father who is ill.—Kershaw Era.

—For sale! A good grade Jersey milk cow. First calf. Apply to W. F. Swaringen.

—There is no improvement in the condition of Mr. Nebraska Moore, who is quite sick at his home with bilious fever.

—Our Mr. J. M. Hood is always in the market to purchase mules and cattle. And don't you forget it.

Lancaster Mercantile Co.

—The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Horton, just a few weeks old, died last Thursday and was buried in our village cemetery.—Kershaw Era.

—Lost! A black pug dog, has tan feet and is about one year old. Has on a leather collar and answers to name of "Carlo." Reward if returned to this office.

—Messrs. Porter & Stevenson have rented the new masonic store room and will open up one of the most up-to-date furniture establishments in this part of the state. They expect to be ready for business by the first of the new year.

—Mr. R. D. F. Barton has left a sweet potato at this office which resembles a high land moccasin coiled. If straightened out it would measure 44 inches in length.

—Go to Lancaster Mercantile Co's for children's school shoes, all sizes. Best on earth.

—We received a pleasant call Thursday from Mr. R. S. Gallo, way, business manager and traveling agent of the Associate Reform Presbyterian. He had been in the Unity section of this county canvassing and did a good business for his paper both there and in this community.

—Mr. R. D. F. Barton of the Pleasant Hill section has our thanks for a mess of very fine sweet potatoes. They are of the Georgia Buck variety and Mr. Barton has gathered 85 bushels from about one acre.

—Calvin Crawford, living on Mr. D. S. Wilson's place near Osceola, made 12 bales of cotton, 100 bushels of corn, 102 gallons of molasses and about 40 bushels of potatoes this year and cultivated the entire crop with one mule.—Waxhaw Enterprise.

—For the information of all concerned it may be positively stated that the governor and comptroller general will not extend the time for paying taxes this year, unless it can be positively shown that the financial condition of a great majority of the people warrants them in so doing, and it is not believed for a moment that that can be shown.—Columbia Record.

—The new masonic hall is completed except hard oiling the interior, and the lodge held its regular communication there Thursday night. The E. A. degree was conferred on two applicants and Messrs. D. A. Funderburk, J. R. Barker and S. F. Langley were raised to the sublime degree of M. M.

—The sweet potato crop in this county this year has been enormous but the recent unseasonable warm weather has caused a great many farmers to lose a large part of their crop by storing them away too early. We are told that hundreds of bushels have rotted on this account.

Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold

Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price, 25c.

—A report is current that Col. Springs, President of the L. & C. Railroad has arranged with the Southern to run his passenger trains through from this place to Charlotte, N. C., daily. This will prove a great convenience to the traveling public.

—"Rally Day" exercises of the children at the Heath Springs Methodist church last Sunday were greatly enjoyed. The church presented a beautiful appearance in its tasteful decorations, the children acquitted themselves in a pleasing manner and the sweet song service was most entertaining.

—W. O. W. Cedar Camp and their friends will give a basket dinner at their hall on Saturday, Nov. 22nd, inst. All Woodman and their friends are cordially invited to attend. Dr. H. W. Bays of Rock Hill will deliver his famous lecture "On Shams" for the amusement of the crowd.

—Letters advertised remaining uncalled for in Lancaster post office for week ending Nov. 15, 1902: L. A. Boyte, D. E. Pressley, Elax Starard, James Chieves, Willie Davis, J. F. Lee, Jr., S. J. Baker, Willie Jordan.

BELLE NANCE, P. M.

—Services began in the A. R. P. church last evening and will continue through Sabbath, two services daily. Communion after morning service tomorrow. The pastor is being assisted by Rev. J. M. Bigham, of Huntersville, N. C.

—Bill Dixon, col., was arrested yesterday by Constable Connor, in the Gooch section, on a phone message from the chief of police of Rock Hill that he wanted there on a charge of obtaining money under false pretences. He is in jail awaiting the coming of an officer for him.

—A basket and hot supper combined will be given under the auspices of the ladies of the Hopewell missionary society at Hopewell church on Thanksgiving night to which the public is cordially invited. The proceeds will be donated to the library fund of the Hopewell Sunday school. The following committee of ladies have the supper in charge which assures its success as well as an evening of pleasure to all who attend: Mrs. R. G. Elliott, Mrs. T. R. Langley, Misses Dora Flynn, Beulah Flynn, Minnie Steele and Ida Riddle.

A Former Lancastrian Returns to South Carolina.

Mr. John Hough, formerly of this place, a brother of our townsman Mr. B. C. Hough, who has conducted a very successful business in Mississippi the past ten years, has purchased two handsome brick stores at Greenwood, S. C., and is now en route with his family from Mississippi to that place, where he will open up a large up-to-date drug store. His friends here are glad to learn of his return to his native State.

Wedding Announcements.

Cards of invitation to the marriage of Mr. Charles H. Jordan, one of the Lancaster Mercantile Co's popular book-keepers, and Miss Bessie Cornwell of York County, have been issued for the 26th instant.

—Cards have also been issued to the marriage of Miss Pompie Tillman and Mr. Lester L. Ford. The happy event will come off on the 26th inst., at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Tillman, at this place. Miss Tillman is one of Lancaster's most charming young ladies. Mr. Ford is an electrician of Columbia, and made many friends here while engaged in wiring the new cotton mill.

The Ross-Ewart Nuptia's and Reception

The Rev. W. C. Ewart and his estimable bride, with those who accompanied him to Columbia, arrived here safely Wednesday night. They were met with carriages at the depot and driven to the A. R. P. parsonage where members of his Lancaster congregation and the pastors of all the town churches with their families awaited them with hearty greetings and congratulations. Later a most excellent supper was served and it was bordering on the "wee sma' hours" when the congregation bade adieu for the night their happy pastor and his charming bride.

The wedding presents were many and in addition to handsome, costly and useful articles, were presents of several purses of gold coin, one of \$25. from the Shiloh congregation and one or two others of like amount from families of his Lancaster congregation, and smaller amounts from individual members.

The Columbia State of Thursday gave the following account of the happy nuptials:

At 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon the first wedding to take place in the new Centennial A. R. P. church here was solemnized, and it was one of the most strikingly beautiful weddings seen in Columbia this season. The church was elaborately and beautifully decorated with banana plants of large size, geraniums, palms, evergreens, and fine specimens of the Wandering Jew.

In the forenoon the groom, the Rev. W. C. Ewart, the popular pastor of the A. R. P. church in Lancaster, arrived in the city from his home accompanied by a large number of personal friends from Lancaster and York counties among whom were noted at the church in the afternoon Congress-

man D. E. Finley, Dr. G. H. Faye of Sharon, York county, Dr. Crawford, W. B. Knight, J. C. Robinson and Everett Taylor of Lancaster, Mrs. W. H. Wylie of Rock Hill, Mrs. J. P. King and Miss Clarice Knight of Lancaster, and Mrs. W. H. G. Caldwell of Sharon, York county, a sister of the bride.

The church was filled with people when the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march pealed from the organ, the keys of which were manipulated by Miss Kirkpatrick from the Presbyterian College for Women. The bride, Miss Rebecca Alice Ross of this city was charming. She wore a handsome traveling gown of plaster colored ladies' cloth and carried a bunch of Bride's roses.

The Rev. A. S. Rogers of Rock Hill was best man, and the maid of honor was Miss Bessie Wilson of Columbia. The other attendants were Mr. C. A. Orr and Miss Lena Robinson of Columbia, and Miss Dena Pope of Tarboro, N. C., and Mr. Lee Steele of Columbia and Miss Carrie Ransom of Columbia.

The bride has been for the last ten years a trained nurse in Columbia, and the three ladies last named, who attended her yesterday afternoon, were her associates in this noble calling. In honor of her profession she had them wear their nurses costumes and caps at the wedding, the effect being striking. Each carried a bouquet of white carnations.

The ceremony was gracefully yet impressively performed by the Rev. J. P. Knox, pastor of the Centennial church.

The wedding party after the ceremony drove at once to the union station and left for Lancaster on the afternoon train, expecting to reach their destination by 9.30 o'clock last night.

The bride has a wide circle of friends, made during her residence in Columbia, who wish for her all happiness in her wedded life.

-- NO MATTER WHEN YOU --
come here every department has its little bargain story to tell you. Here are a few items gathered here and there throughout this great BARGAIN giving store:

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| Comforts from 75 cents up. | Men's Hats at 45 cents and up. |
| Blankets 50 cents up. | Children's Hats at 25 cents. |
| Men's fine shoes at 95 cents. | A full line of Ladies Jackets must go at any price. |
| Ladies' fine shoes at \$1.00. | A lot of Capes must be sold regardless of cost. |
| Men's Suits at \$2.25 and up. | |
| Boy's Suits 90 cents up. | |

Neckties, Collars; Gloves, Underwear and numerous other things to be sold as CHEAP as the CHEAPEST. Call and see

R. MILES,
The Bargain Giver.

A FEW SHOTS FROM THE BARGAIN STORE.

A Beautiful Lamp, stands 20 in. high, hand-painted effect—worth \$3.50—we sell them for \$1.65. A smaller size, \$1.00, 15 in. high. Glass Lamp with reflector and bracket to hang on wall at 25c. Hand lamps 20c, 25c, 35c and 50c. All better for the price than anywhere else in Lancaster.

10 Cents Will Buy

3 good Tumblers—2 Goblets that you can drive a nail with (see me try it); a pair of all wool Hosiery, a good wool Cap for men or boys, a 6 x 8 mirror, and lots of things to arrive before next week. 5 CENTS WILL BUY more at the BARGAIN STORE than anywhere else in Lancaster.

Rogers Knives and Forks—\$4.00 best quality and Triple Plate; other Silverware in proportion. Nickel Knives and Forks \$1.00 per set, and Steel Knives and Forks, good quality, steel wood handle 40c per set.

Single Barrel Guns \$4.00; Double Barrel Guns Cheaper than any one.

B. C. HOUGH, Prop.

-- MILLINERY OPENING, --
▷ Tuesday and Tuesday Night ◁
--- SEPTEMBER 30TH, 1902. ---

The Ladies of Lancaster, and adjacent counties are cordially invited to attend our FALL OPENING of MILLINERY GOODS on

Tuesday and Tuesday Night, Next, Sept. 30, 1902.

Our talented Milliner, Miss Marie Horn, spent several weeks in New York City selecting our Millinery stock and we are sure her display of new and Fashionable Hats next Tuesday will be quite the finest of any season since we have conducted a millinery business.

Repeating the invitation and again assuring all the Ladies of a warm welcome, we are,

Most Respectfully.

HEATH BANKING & MERCANTILE CO.