

ROCK HILL AND VICINITY.

Board of Assessors Resigns—Municipal Election—Continued Marriage—Death of Mrs. Parker—Death of William Brown—Hiding Place of a Thief—New Year Hop.

Correspondence of the Yorkville Enquirer. ROCK HILL January 4.—The old board of assessors for Rock Hill have tendered their resignations, the city council at its last meeting appointed a committee to recommend a suitable person to be appointed as their successors.

Messrs. Joel W. Rawlinson, Geo. W. Witherspoon and Robt. Morrison were appointed by the mayor to be members of the municipal election which will occur on the 11th inst. At this election there will be two aldermen at large and one or two ward aldermen selected. There is a number of candidates in the field and the election will be watched closely. The report of the treasurer showed a balance on hand which is a matter of congratulation.

R. H. McConnell, of this city, has been appointed as field deputy U. S. marshal with headquarters at Rock Hill. He will work with Capt. J. Wilson Marshall who for some years has been U. S. commissioner for this district.

Some of Rock Hill's citizens will be married on the 17th inst. Hon. John T. Roddy will wed Miss Eliza Williams of Winchester, Va. A young lady who has several times visited here and who has many friends in this city.

Mr. D. A. Hartley, who for two years past has conducted the V. P. Randolph Stock Exchange, will wed Miss Katherine Jordan, of this city. Her principal allegation was that the proceedings of the trial court in the matter of selecting and discharging jurymen was irregular and in violation of the 14th amendment. Justice McKenna expressed the opinion that the position of plaintiff was not denied any rights secured to him under that amendment.

SHONTS IS TOUCHY.—It is said that the president is having trouble in preventing the resignation of the chief of the isthmian canal commission. Mr. Shonts has not been kind to criticism directed at him and administration of canal affairs in the senate and, no rumor runs would have stepped out ere this had the president not insisted that he should resign. His claims continue it would not be surprising if Mr. Shonts decides to throw up his job, despite the president's solicitation and return to the management of the Clover Leaf road, of which he is president.

AT THE CHURCHES. CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD. REV. J. O. BABIN, MINISTER. SUNDAY SERVICES.—Morning service at 11 o'clock. Sunday school at 3 p. m. Afternoon service at 4 o'clock.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN. REV. E. B. GALLAGHER, PASTOR. SUNDAY SERVICES.—Sunday school at morning services at 11 o'clock by Dr. D. J. Brim. Evening service at 7 o'clock.

TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL. REV. J. L. STOKES, D. D. PASTOR. SUNDAY SERVICES.—Morning service at 11 o'clock. Sunday school at 3 p. m. Evening service at 7 o'clock.

ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN. REV. W. C. SWART, PASTOR. SUNDAY SERVICES.—Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Evening service at 7 p. m.

BAPTIST. Sunday school at 10 o'clock Sunday morning.

The Yorkville Cotton Market. Corrected Semi-Weekly by Messrs. Latta Bros. YORKVILLE, Jan. 5, 12 m.—The local cotton market stands as follows: Cotton ..... 11 cts. Latta Bros.

Special Notices. Preaching by the Presiding Elder. Rev. R. E. Stackhouse, presiding elder, will hold quarterly conference at Trinity church Saturday at 8.30 p. m., and will preach on Sunday.

"A Maid of the Foothills." By J. Lemacks Stokes, D. D. This is the taking title of a book having received the highest commendation in the first place it is by one of the most gifted clergymen in South Carolina, Rev. J. Walter Daniel, D. D., of the Washington, D. C. conference, Columbia. Dr. Daniel has not only won a foremost place in the pulpit, but from time to time he has written essays in the form of fiction, "Character Studies" of our southern people, of a genial humor, and having real merit. The volume before us is a collection of work that he has done of this sort. It shows a more practical pen, a closer study of the facts, a more graphic recital of life-scenes. On the author's account there—a man growing and ripening among us, of splendid power, reflecting credit on our whole state—on the author's account the book is of special interest.

It is but a pity that we do not remember any previous writer to have emphasized that "reconstruction" would not be a success unless it was a reconstruction of the South as it was—without the co-operation of the renegade southerner. It pillories unmercifully this "scalawag" who burns with indignation as we read of these comorants, who began by dodging the war; growing fat on government contracts and finally joining hands with the negroes and the "carpet bagger" to plunder our commonwealth; while we are touched with tender paths as we see the heroism of the missing leg or empty sleeve, all glorified with woman's steadfast devotion. The author's normal development of the Ku Klux Klan is given by one fair yet sympathetic. It is a pity that we do not remember that the author writes me that perhaps in future editions of the book this may be given.

The book has an especial interest for York county readers, as the scene shifts during the Ku Klux times to Yorkville and vicinity; and one of the most delicious pieces of humor it contains is that of the examination of Sam Hines before a military court at Yorkville. Sam insisted that our little county in North Carolina was as big as it's fat from here to war I was fated up." (He had come from Laurens.)

The book is published by The Neale Pub. Co., New York and Washington, and can be had of the author for \$1.50. We do trust it may have a wide and thoughtful reading. It is part of the history of our state that no lover of Carolina can afford to neglect.

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Clubmakers For The Enquirer. Up to this time the following named individuals have either commenced making up clubs for THE ENQUIRER for 1896, or signified their intention of doing so, and all of them will take pleasure in forwarding subscriptions either new or old:

- J. K. Allison ..... Hickory Grove. Isabelle Arrowood ..... No. 3. Clover. Bennie Barron ..... Yorkville. Miss Jane Brandon ..... No. 1. Fort Mill. W. E. Bigam ..... No. 2. Bandana. R. B. Black ..... Lockhart. W. McG. Bailey, No. 1. McConnelville. W. J. Caveny ..... No. 1. Rock Hill. G. M. Carroll ..... No. 1. Yorkville. T. C. Castles ..... No. 1. Snyrer. John L. Clark ..... No. 1. Yorkville. Jno. M. Craig ..... No. 1. Bandana. Miss Cora Clark ..... Gastonia. N. C. W. H. Crook ..... No. 1. Fort Mill. S. S. Faris ..... No. 6. Rock Hill. W. B. Flanagan ..... Bowling Green. James Grist ..... Yorkville. W. E. Gettys ..... No. 2. Yorkville. G. A. Gettys ..... Roddys. J. D. Good ..... No. 1. Sharon. Mrs. E. C. Gladden ..... No. 1. Yorkville. C. C. Hughes ..... No. 7. Yorkville. T. J. Hopper ..... Yorkville. Clarence Hood ..... No. 1. Snyrer. Raymond Jackson ..... Yorkville. Geo. W. Knox ..... No. 1. Clover. T. E. Love ..... No. 4. Leslie. W. K. Leslie ..... No. 1. Yorkville. Mrs. J. B. Mickle ..... No. 2. Sharon. A. W. McFarland ..... No. 6. Yorkville. Harry Miller ..... No. 1. Yorkville. R. E. McLure ..... No. 5. Yorkville. L. B. McGill ..... R. F. D. No. 3. Clover. S. Webb Moore ..... No. 1. Yorkville. Miss Sallie McConnell ..... Yorkville. Howard MacCain ..... No. 4. Sharon. W. A. Mitchell ..... No. 1. Yorkville. W. H. Moore ..... Rock Hill. J. S. Plexico ..... Trazah. J. W. Faris ..... No. 1. Yorkville. J. S. Plexico ..... Sharon. A. L. Purcell ..... No. 1. Sharon. Dr. W. A. Freshly ..... Yorkville. E. W. Pursley ..... King's Creek. N. N. Roberts ..... McAdenville. N. C. Miss Minnie Raterer ..... No. 1. Bandana. J. W. R. Raterer ..... Yorkville. Miss Daisy Simril ..... Yorkville. J. F. A. Smith ..... No. 1. Yorkville. H. H. Sherer ..... No. 1. Yorkville. Sidney Sherer ..... No. 1. Yorkville. J. L. Suggs ..... No. 1. Bandana. J. J. Smith ..... Bandana. J. B. Thompson ..... Yorkville. Joseph M. Whitesides ..... Hickory.

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