

# THE HERALD.

## Secret and Fraternal.

Jefferson Lodge No. 146, A. F. & A. M., sets Thursday night on or before the first full moon in each month, at 7 o'clock. M. E. Ward, Secretary.

Scoba Lodge No. 156, K. of P., meets the 1st and 2nd Monday nights in each month, at 7 o'clock.

A. A. Hammack, C. C.  
J. P. H. Hallford, K. R. S.

Scoba Camp No. 74, W. O. W., meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesday nights in each month, at 7 o'clock.

J. W. Carter, Clerk.

Scoba Lodge No. 245, K. of H., meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesday nights of each month, at 8 o'clock.

D. E. Turner, Reporter

## COUNTY NEWS.

People are digging Irish potatoes.

See "notice of election" in another column.

Early Dent Corn—55 cents per bushel—at James H. Duke's.

Regular preaching service at the Methodist Church next Sabbath.

"Try a celebrated hand-made case Razor. For sale by M. E. Ward.

The corn and cotton crops are reported as doing exceptionally well.

Don't forget the Farmers' Institute to be held in Scoba next Wednesday.

And now we wait the rain to stop—or the grass will get the upper hand.

Some of the boys who "held on" are bringing in their cotton—last year's crop.

Mr. J. J. Scott was up from Meridian and spent a few days of the week with his family.

The Fourth was celebrated in Scoba by our citizens following their usual avocations.

For a nice buggy, hack, surrey or set of harness, call on W. H. Stuart & Co. Prices reasonable.

Mr. J. M. Edwards, of Shuqualok, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. L. A. Jack, over Monday night.

We are pleased to note that Mrs. H. M. Duke is rapidly recovering from her recent indisposition.

Col. James H. Duke is in St. Louis this week, attending the Democratic National Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy J. Rencher, of DeKalb, spent several days of the week with relatives in Scoba.

Don't forget the reception by the ladies of the Baptist Church, at Mrs. John Howell's, tomorrow evening.

W. H. Stuart & Co. would like to exchange a number of young horses and mules for animals suitable for the livery business.

We understand there are about twenty-five applicants for the position of principal at the Scoba Academy the coming term.

As an advertising scheme, HARRIS' BUSINESS COLLEGE, Jackson, Miss., is offering a few scholarships at a big bargain. Write them.

Mr. W. W. Overstreet, of Greensboro, Ala., passed through Scoba Sunday en route to DeKalb to visit his mother, Mrs. A. P. Overstreet.

We learn that a negro named Albert Rsa was "handed" in the western part of the county, Tuesday night of last week, for the usual crime.

Duke's fine, thoroughbred Stallion will hereafter be found at the stable of PERRIN & WISE, Giles, Miss.

The publisher of this paper has a scholarship in the Georgia-Alabama Business College, located at Macon, Ga., which he will dispose of on reasonable terms. Write us.

Mr. Dunk McCallum on Friday morning last entered upon the discharge of the contract to carry the mail between this point and DeKalb, twice daily.

Mr. Walter Adams and sister, Miss Allie Belle, of Porterville, have been the guests of Mrs. Henry Walls, at the McCaleb House, for several days of the past week.

We had a very pleasant call Tuesday morning from Mr. J. F. Peel, of the Porterville neighborhood. Mr. Peel reports the crop outlook as being bright in his section of the county.

Miss Annie Houston, of Warsaw, and Miss Sadie Dollins, of Fausdale, two talented and charming representatives of the "Cotton" State, are guests of the former's sister, Mrs. J. F. Pearson.

Large branches have been broken off many fruit trees in town by the weight of this season's yield, and quantities of green fruit has had to be plucked or beaten off in order to save the tree.

At 6 o'clock tomorrow (Friday) evening the ladies of the Baptist Church will be ready to serve seasonable refreshments on the grounds of Mrs. John Howell's residence—if the weather is bad, in the house.

A number of thoroughbred horses and mares, for sale at reasonable prices, Apply to J. G. DUKES, Scoba, Miss.

Mrs. J. C. Bryan and two little sons, of Yazoo City, spent several days of the past week with the family of the former's father, Mr. W. J. Parker. Mr. Bryan was one of those who were so unfortunate as to be burnt out at the recent disastrous fire in Yazoo City; he carried some insurance, however, and has gone to work energetically to retrieve his fortunes. Everyone here will join us in wishing him success.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Howell have a very pretty home on the main street of Scoba, and their front yard is a commodious one. There, tomorrow (Friday) evening, the ladies of the Baptist Church will receive and entertain their friends and will serve ice cream, sherbet and cake. Should the weather prove disagreeable, the reception will be held inside the house.

Mrs. George Byram and two little nieces, Misses Hollie and Rebecca Craighill, of Mobile, are guests of Mrs. Annie Wilbourne. These sweet little girls are daughters of Major Craighill of the U. S. Engineer Service, now in charge of a large part of the work of that department in the South.

The crowd of negroes who congregated around the depot after dark, became wroth with Robert Lipscomb, a member of "de gang," Sunday night, and used him rather roughly. Robert says that he will shake the dust of Scoba from his feet and seek greener pastures, as soon as he is able to travel.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Scoba School District will be held at 9 o'clock a. m. on Tuesday, July 12th, 1904, for the purpose of electing a teacher for the Scoba Academy for the term 1904-05. All members of the Board are urged to attend this meeting.

Mr. Jack Duke sustained a severe sprain of his left ankle on Sunday, his horse falling and catching his leg underneath. From the account of the accident given us, "Dr." Jack has reason to congratulate himself that it was no worse. We trust he will be all right in a few days.

Mrs. T. C. Edwards and family have moved from Shuqualok to Cleburne, Texas, where one of her brothers, Mr. John W. Floore, has been located for a number of years. The good wishes of a host of friends in Kemper County accompany them to their new home.

Mr. W. W. Douglass, of near Macon, Miss., spent several days of the week with his sons, Messrs. C. T. and A. W. Douglass. Mrs. C. T. Douglass and children accompanied him home, and will spend a week or more in that section.

This is an exceptionally fine location for a canning factory. Vegetables and fruits grow like careless weeds in the muck lands of Florida, and a small fortune could be made by putting up for the market what actually each season goes to waste.

Notice advertisement of the "White" Sewing Machine in this issue of THE HERALD. Jas. H. Duke has a number of these machines in stock and Mr. Turner will be pleased to show them to you and make you prices, etc.

For a lazy liver try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They invigorate the liver, aid the digestion, regulate the bowels and prevent bilious attacks. For sale by M. E. Ward, the druggist, Scoba, Miss.

The stock of general merchandise of L. A. Jack & Co. has been moved from Wabash to Scoba, and the firm is now doing business in the old Moore storeroom.

We regret to note that Mrs. L. N. Whittle is not doing as well as could be wished, and trust her illness will not prove serious.

A very interesting letter from Bucarnoches arrived too late for insertion in this issue of THE HERALD.

Mr. Frank Ballard, of Ramsey, Ala., was the guest of Mr. Wirt Adams the forepart of the week.

A nice line of Zigler's Ladies' Shoes at reduced prices, at Duke's.

See ad. of Columbian Securities Company, in another column.

## SAFEGUARD THE CHILDREN.

Notwithstanding all that is done by boards of health and charitably inclined persons, the death rate among small children is very high during the hot weather of the summer months in the large cities. There is not probably one case of bowel complaint in a hundred, however, but could not be cured by the timely use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For sale by M. E. Ward, the druggist.

## Picnic and Speaking.

What promises to be a most enjoyable affair is the big picnic to be held at Brittain's Bridge, on Mr. N. W. Hopper's plantation, two and one-half miles from DeKalb, on Friday, July 15th.

There will be addresses made by several well known speakers, and it is expected that one or more games of ball will be played during the day.

Everybody is invited to join in the day's pleasures, and everybody that attends is requested to bring a well-filled basket or box.

Join in and help to make the day a big success.

## Care of the Hands and Feet.

Perhaps nothing causes more anxiety to the woman who is obliged to do household work than the condition of the hands. In a thorough article by Dr. Grace Peckham Murray in the August DELINEATOR are these instructions, which anyone can follow:

"Beside protecting the hands with gloves, one can do much to keep them in condition by the use of proper soap—one that has not too much alkali, which most scented soaps have—and by applying plenty of grease before drying them. White vaseline answers the purpose for the majority. It is well to have some always on the washstand, to be able to rub it in just before drying the hands. Vaseline does not always agree with the skin any more than glycerine, which by itself can be used by few. A good preparation is glycerine which has been diluted with water and rose-water in equal parts, or glycerine, rose-water and tincture of benzoin, one-third of each. The hands should be most carefully dried after washing. The use of almond meal is good in this process."

In addition, the art of manicuring is explained in detail, with pictures that render it easy to keep the nails of the hands and feet in good condition.

## BRUTALLY TORTURED.

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equaled. Joe Golobick of Colusa, Cal., writes: "For 15 years I endured innumerable pain from rheumatism and nothing relieved me, though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters, and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." Just as good for liver and kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by M. E. Ward, druggist.

## Good Words for a Good Man.

The Weekly Oracle, published at Dawson Springs, Kentucky, has this to say of the cashier of the new Bank of Kemper:

There is hardly a citizen in Dawson Springs who does not know Mr. B. R. Kuykendall. He was in business here for several years and was a public spirited, progressive citizen. He was the founder of the Bank of Dawson, of which he was a director and cashier for some time; he was the prime mover in the promotion of the New Century Hotel, one of the most magnificent hotels in the South, of which he was manager for two years; it was he who induced the Other enterprises which have all worked for the upbuilding of our thriving little city.

Last fall he and his estimable wife cast their fortunes in the town of Scoba, Miss., where he formed a stock company and established the Bank of Kemper, with a capital of \$25,000, which opened its doors to the public on June 1st with a very large deposit and very bright prospects. It is the only bank in the county. Mr. Kuykendall's many friends here will be glad to learn that he is prospering.

It is to be hoped that Brother Kuykendall knows of a few budding industries that he can have transplanted to this immediate vicinity.

## CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC, CHOLERA AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY.

This remedy is certain to be needed in almost every home before the summer is over. It can always be depended upon, even in the most severe and dangerous cases. It is especially valuable for summer disorders in children. It is pleasant to take and never fails to give prompt relief. Why not buy it now? It may save life. For sale by M. E. Ward, druggist, Scoba, Miss.

## Accidentally Shot.

Neslee Eubanks, one of the best of our colored citizens, while squirrel hunting Saturday evening, was accidentally shot by a companion named Nicholson, the entire charge of No. 12 shot entering the back a few inches below the left shoulder and ranging upwards, shattering the bones of the shoulder and breaking one rib. Nicholson was so close that the fire burnt Eubanks' shirt. Drs. Pearson and Mooney and Mr. Jack Duke visited the wounded man, who is one of Col. James H. Duke's tenants, Sunday evening, but he was too weak to stand an operation.

The latest information we have is to the effect that Eubanks can hardly recover from his wound. His death will be regretted—there are others who could be spared much better.

## CROUP

Is a violent inflammation of the mucous membrane of the wind-pipe, which sometimes extends to the larynx and bronchial tubes; and is one of the most dangerous diseases of children. It almost always comes on in the night. Give frequent small doses of Ballard's Horehound Syrup and apply Ballard's Snow Liniment externally to the throat. 25c., 50c., \$1.00. Sold by M. E. Ward.

## EXCURSIONS TO ST. LOUIS DURING JULY.

Special low round trip rates to the World's Fair, going on any regular trains Tuesdays—July 12th, 19th and 26th, 1904. Liberal return limit. Apply to M. & O. R. R. agents for tickets and particulars.

## CHEERFULLY RECOMMENDED FOR RHEUMATISM.

O. G. Higbee, Danville, Ill., writes Dec. 2, 1901: "About two years ago I was laid up for four months with rheumatism. I tried Ballard's Snow Liniment; one bottle cured me. I can cheerfully recommend it to all suffering from like affliction." 25c., 50c., \$1.00. Sold by M. E. Ward, the druggist.



## Does It Pay? Read This.

The question "Does advertising pay" is a much discussed one, but every few days something happens that would appear to confirm conclusively an affirmative answer to the question. A little thing happened the past week.

On the night of the 23rd of June a horse strayed or was ridden from the premises of Uncle Frank Mobley, about one-half mile west of this office. As nothing could be learned of the animal's whereabouts during the week following its disappearance, a "strayed" notice was inserted in the columns of the last issue of THE KEMPER HERALD, that of June 30th, and two days later (Saturday, July 2nd) Uncle Frank received through the mail a card from Mr. J. F. Peel, of near Porterville, stating that he (Mr. Peel) thought the missing animal was probably in his pasture. And so it proved.

Mr. Peel is a subscriber to THE HERALD, and evidently reads it.

This is only a little thing, but "straws show which way the wind blows."

## Notice—For Sale Cheap!

Good second-hand Slate Roofing, Tin Roofing, Iron Roofing, Iron Siding—all suitable for covering Barns, Gin Houses, Saw Mills, etc. For prices, write S. I. McCants, Mgr. Star Compress,

or Jno. V. Williams, Meridian, Miss.

## Subscriptions Received.

Since our last issue we have received and herewith acknowledge subscriptions from

Sucarnoches—J. C. McDade, \$1.00.  
Kipling—H. H. Stennis, \$2.00.  
DeKalb—A. Shepherd, \$1.50.  
Porterville—J. F. Peel, \$1.00.

## No PITY SHOWN.

"For years fate was after me continually," writes F. A. Gullledge, Verbena, Ala. "I had a terrible case of piles, causing 24 tumors. When all failed Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me."—Equally good for burns, and all aches and pains. Only 25c. at M. E. Ward's drug store, Scoba, Miss.

## Money-Making.

People want money.

Money is power.

It will furnish comfort—for which people toil

Do you want money?

Then save money—and plant some.

Plant \$50 or more where it will grow.

But, put it where it will grow safely—rapidly—surely.

The surest thing on earth is not too sure for your savings.

We can tell you why—when—where.

It is practically "backed by Uncle Sam."

Write for prospectus—its free

COLUMBIAN SECURITIES COMPANY, THE BOURSE, PHILADELPHIA, - - PENNA.

## Notice of Election.

The State of Mississippi, Kemper County.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of resolutions and a motion duly passed by the Board of Aldermen, on June 8th and July 5th, 1904, respectively, an election is hereby ordered to be held by the legal voters of the Town of Scoba on Thursday, the 11th day of August, 1904, for the purpose of deciding whether the Town, as a Corporation, shall contract for and defray the expense of boring an artesian well within the corporate limits for public use;

And that J. W. Carter, W. R. Stewart and S. A. Twilley are duly appointed Commissioners to hold said election, and D. F. Carr, Returning Officer.

This, the 6th day of July, A. D. 1904. P. McCaleb, Mayor.

Attest: E. J. Inay, Clerk.

**H. L. HALLIDAY MILLING CO.,**  
**CAIRO, ILL.**  
**WINTER WHEAT, MILLERS,**  
**HAY, GRAIN, SALT.**  
**BEST CORN MEAL.**  
**JAMES H. DUKE,**  
**SCOOBA, MISS.**

## Ward's Drug Store!

Before buying, get our prices on

**FRUIT JARS,**  
**Rubbers and Extra Tops,**

For we can save you money.

No trouble to show goods.

M. E. WARD, Proprietor.

**The Bank of Kemper,**  
**SCOOBA, MISSISSIPPI.**

## DIRECTORS:

James H. Duke, S. S. Neville, Charles Rosenbaum, G. G. Wade;  
W. P. Holland, R. M. Quarles, M. E. Ward,  
Joe Cramer, B. R. Kuykendall.

## OFFICERS:

JOE CRAMER, President. M. E. WARD, Vice-Pres't.  
B. R. KUYKENDALL, Cashier.

Every courtesy extended to our customers that is consistent with safe and conservative banking methods. Our aim will be first—absolute safety; second—liberality.

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**W. H. Stuart & Co.,**  
**FEED, SALE & LIVERY STABLES,**  
**SCOOBA, MISSISSIPPI.**

**MULES AND HORSES**

For Sale or Exchanged in Trade at All Times. Bargains.

**THE PATRONAGE OF DRUMMERS**

Solicited. First-class Teams and Safe Drivers Furnished.

**WE WILL DO A REGULAR LIVERY BUSINESS.**

We Will Furnish Teams at All Hours—Day or Night.

Write, Phone or Telegraph when Wanted.

## Newspaper Rulings.

SOME INTERESTING DECISIONS BY UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT AS TO THE LIABILITY OF SUBSCRIBERS.

1. If subscribers order the discontinuance of their periodicals, the publisher may continue to send same until all arrearages are paid.

2. If subscribers refuse to take their periodicals from the postoffice to which they are addressed, they are responsible until they have settled their bills and ordered the paper (or other periodical) discontinued.

3. If subscribers move to other places without informing the publisher, and the papers are sent to the former address, subscribers are responsible.

4. The Court has decided that refusing to take periodicals from the postoffice, or removing and having them uncalled for, is prima facie evidence of intentional fraud.

5. If subscribers pay in advance, they are bound to give notice at the end of the time if they do not wish to continue the periodical; otherwise the publisher is authorized to continue sending it and the subscriber is responsible until an express notice, with payment of all arrearages, is sent to the publisher.

6. The latest postal laws are such that a newspaper man can arrest anyone for fraud that takes his paper and refuses to pay for it. Under the law, the man who allows his subscription to run along for some time unpaid and then orders it discontinued, or orders the postmaster to mark it refused and has a postal card sent notifying the publisher of such fact, renders himself liable to prosecution, arrest and fine, the same as for theft.

WORLD'S FAIR, ST. LOUIS.

Tickets at low rates now on sale. For particulars apply to any Mobile and Ohio R. R. Agent.



**Through Pullman Sleepers**  
**BETWEEN**  
**St. Louis and Mobile**  
**St. Louis and New Orleans**

Ask for tickets via M. & O. R. R.

**WHITE'S**  
**Cream Vermifuge**



**THE GUARANTEED**  
**WORM**  
**REMEDY**  
**THE CHILDREN'S FAVORITE TONIC.**  
BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.  
THE GENUINE PREPARED ONLY BY  
**Ballard-Snow Liniment Co.**  
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You can get most any old thing you want at Duke's.