

LOCAL NEWS

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Byington Wynn, a student of Draughton's Business College, Jackson, is visiting his people near Brandon.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Creek, of Jackson, were guests at Mr. Crook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Crook Sunday and Monday.

Messrs. Ed and Walter Barnett of the Dobson neighborhood, were in town today. Mr. Ed's name is being mentioned as a candidate for circuit clerk.

Luther Burnham, of Johns, passed through Brandon Monday en route to New Orleans with his little girl, where she will undergo a slight operation. They were accompanied by Dr. Garraway.

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Mr. J. A. Boyd is here repairing and stringing cable for the Cumberland Telephone and Telegraph Co.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Cardwell returned Monday from a few days visit to Mr. Cardwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Cardwell at Raymond.

There will be preaching at the old Myers school house near A. B. Stubblefield's on next Saturday and Sunday, the 28th and 29th of this month, by Rev. W. Sutton. Dinner on the ground Sunday and everybody invited to come out and be with us on above dates.

MAY—GRICE.

At the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. W. G. Barnes, at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening, Miss Ethel Belle May and Mr. James Sidney Grice were united in bonds of holy matrimony.

Miss May is one of Brandon's finest girls and is loved by all who know her.

Mr. Grice is from Mt. Olive and is liked by those who know him here.

Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Crook, of Jackson; Misses Edna Waddell, Gertrude, Myrtle and Lola May; Miss Eva Myers; Mesdames. Louis and Wayne May; Messrs. Elston and Webb Ragland; Louis, Wayne and Hemby May; Mrs. Jessie and Master W. H. McLaurin, of Jackson, Rev. Mr. Roberts officiating.

The happy bride and groom left immediately after the ceremony for Jackson, Miss., their future home.

The News wishes them the best in life.

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Florence Local News.

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Miss Eula Rinnour of Jackson, was here on a visit to relatives and friends Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. C. J. Stubbs died at the sanitarium, at which place she was taken for treatment on last Monday, and was buried here last Tuesday. A more extended notice of her life will be given next week.

Miss Bessie Bridges and Miss Ina (Whiet) Harris were visitors of Mrs. E. K. White last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Barnes of Brandon, were visitors here Monday. Mr. Barnes has accepted a position in a Meridian bank and they will move there shortly. Such men as Henry Barnes are always in demand for places "higher up."

There is a great deal of measles in the country now.

Prof. Buchanan, who was operated on at Jackson for appendicitis some days ago, is back at work in the school room.

"Uncle" Jack Morris' condition is about the same.

We are pained to note that Mrs. E. K. White is quite ill—not able to be out.

The usual monthly meeting of the Foreign Missionary Society and the Ladies' Aid was held at the parsonage on the 16th inst. Aside from the regular business of the societies, the election of officers for 1911 was attended to. The following were elected: Mrs. J. S. Purcell, Pres.; Mrs. W. C. Ellis, Vice-President; Miss Eula Ellis, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. J. L. Singletary, Recording Secretary; Miss Bettie Smith, Treasurer; Mrs. Grey Ellis, agent for Missionary magazine. Mrs. Henry Singletary treasurer of the Ladies' Aid Dept. The work of both societies shows a decided increase over the preceding year.

On Friday evening, the 20th, the Epworth League Literary and Social Dept. gave a charming and inspiring entertainment to the League and B. Y. P. U. members at the Methodist parsonage; a large crowd was present and enjoyed the helpfully arranged by the league officers. Miss Crowell, the chairman of this Dept. deserves special mention; also Misses Eula Ellis, Clara May and Rosa Price and little Misses Florence Ellis, Nancy Baker and Jamie Knight. First was devotional exercises, conducted by Rev. Purcell—song; "Listen to the music of the Bells." Reading—"Poe's Bells." Song—"Hear the welcome Bells." Reading—Miss Buchanan.

Then a contest was commenced by Mrs. Purcell.

All joined heartily in this contest—Mrs. J. L. Singletary winning the prize—a dinner bell; while Miss Edna Rogers won the "Booby" prize, which was a large red paper bell. Refreshments were served in the dining room, which was decorated in the league colors. Pretty little souvenirs cut in bell-shape from paper, on which was written the league motto: "All for Christ," were given each guest, and we believe that the league work means all for Christ, including the social and mental activities of our young people.

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King.

Farmers have been putting in good time, but it looks like we are going to have some bad weather.

Mrs. S. and Preston Bridges went to Pearl Saturday to see their uncle, Mr. Andrew Fleming, who died that morning at 7 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bridges attended the funeral of Mr. Fleming at Hopewell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McLeod of Harrisville, visited our Sunday school last Sunday. We were glad to have them with us. Come again.

Miss Mamie Laird of Jackson, visited homefolks Sunday.

J. H. Clack of Star, came down and bought some fine pigs from B. B. Clark last week.

Edmond de Goncourt had a curious reason for gloom over the prospect that the earth will not last forever. He wrote to attain fame, he said, and if his fame were to last only a paltry 10,000 years or 20,000, or even 100,000, he felt that he would not be repaid for pains he had taken and the privations he had suffered. He insisted upon his fame lasting forever, and not a day less. One fancies that the future may take it into her head not to oblige him.

According to a report just issued by the ministry of agriculture, sixty wolves were killed in France during 1909. The majority of these animals were killed in the departments of the Vienne, Charente and Haute Vienne. The French government pays a reward varying from 20 francs to 100 francs for each wolf.

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Langford.

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Mrs. Kent of Illinois, is spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. H. Lackey.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Roberts of Concord, have moved to the Sanderson place. We are glad to have them with us.

Miss Eva Williams and Mr. C. C. Rouse went to Fannin Wednesday night to prayermeeting.

Russell Kersh of Jackson, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

C. J. Williams, Ollie Kersh, Wesley Holden and Louis Fitzhugh made business trips to Jackson this week.

Mr. J. M. Williams and daughter, Miss Virginia, were in Brandon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roberts of Concord, visited their son, Owen Roberts, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. R. C. Latham and son, Rufus, of Fannin, were at Mrs. J. M. Williams' Thursday afternoon.

Standing of contestants in A. G. Thornton's Piano contest, January 25th, 1911:

No. 1	908,390
No. 3	986,380
No. 4	941,260
No. 6	849,305
No. 7	120,185
No. 8	2,000
No. 9	76,080
No. 10	910,105
No. 11	918,035
No. 12	976,465
No. 13	678,260
No. 14	47,335
No. 15	847,005
No. 16	807,785

CALL FOR EDGAR MISTERFELDT.

Editor News: In casting around for a suitable man to represent Rankin county in the lower house of the legislature, the conclusion is very general that there are none more competent in every respect than Mr. Edgar Misterfeldt, of Beat 1. He is an honorable, hightoned Christian gentleman, and if he can be induced to enter the race, will, beyond doubt receive a majority of the votes cast. In this day of bribery, greed and graft, it is the duty of voters to send men of high character to the legislature.

VOTERS.

CALL FOR MR. G. O. ROBINSON.

Editor News: The many friends of Mr. G. O. Robinson, a splendid young citizen of this county, would be pleased to see him enter the race for sheriff. He eminently qualified to fill the office and would make a good official.

D. E. MOCRAT.

EXAMINATION OF CANDIDATES FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION.

An examination of all candidates for the office of county superintendent of education will be held by the state board of examiners at the various county seats and at the department of education at Jackson on Friday and Saturday, March 3rd and 4th. Candidates will be examined on the subjects required for a first grade teacher's license, and in addition the theory and practice of teaching. All candidates will be required to familiarize themselves with the school law before the examination. Candidates may present themselves for this examination either at the county seats or at the department in Jackson.

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No. 3	6:51 p. m.
No. 5	9:49 a. m.
No. 11	1:48 p. m.

East Bound.

No. 4	9:27 a. m.
No. 6	7:09 p. m.
No. 12	3:02 p. m.

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