#### Oysters! Fresh

We are glad to announce that we have made arrangements to handle Fresh Oysters every day. If you will let your wants be known we will always try to fill your order. We are prepared to serve them any style in our restaurant every day.

### Groceries

We also have a nice line of groceries, candy, cakes, pies, etc. We are adding to our stock of groceries and solicit a share of your patronage.

We appreciate your business.

#### ELITE CREAM **PARLOR**

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Largest and Most Complete Tonsorial Parlor In Rutherford County

Six Comfortable Chairs Six Good Barbers **Everything Sanitary Courteous Treatment** The best of work at moderate prices Your patronage solicited

## For Christmas

There is Nothing More Appropriate Than a Nice Piece of Furniture

Come in and let us show you our Parlor and Library Suites, Buffets Library Tables, Rockers, Rugs, Grafanolas, and many other things at our store that make handsome Christmas gifts. Library tables from \$4.75 to \$28.00.

We have doll carriages and miniature furniture that will make the children happy at Christmas time.

Make our store your headquarters.

Play our Grafanolas and make yourself at home.

#### PADGETT & KING

The Old Reliable Furniture Dealers

**Forest City** 

#### RAILROAD SCHEDULE

The arrival and departure of passenger trains at Forest City, N. C. The following schedule figures are published as information and are not guaranteed.

#### Southern Railway

Arrives from 7:11 a. m. 11:01 a. m. 6:12 p. m, 8:26 p. m.

11:58 a. m.

5:04 p. m.

Marion, N. C.-RockHill, S. C. Rock Hill, S. C.-Marion, N. C. Marion-Rock Hill Rock Hill-Marion

Departs for 7:11 a. m. 11:01 a. m. 6:12 p. m. 8:26 p. m.

C. C. & O. Railway

Spartanburg-Dante Dante-Spartanburg 11:58 a. m. 5:04 p. m.

UNITED STATES RAILROAD ADINISTRATION Depot Ticket Office

State of Ohio, City of Toledo,
Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.
A. W. GLEASON, (Seal)
Notary Public.
Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

#### **Local News Items**

Have you joined the Board of

Spurgeon Moss spent Tuesday in Marion, visiting the furnitu e fac-

Miss Pearl Dawson spent last week-end with Misses A ma King and Mae Bridges at Cliffside.

Postmaster W C Bl ntor has been quite sick for the past few days and is still confined to his

Mr. and Mrs Lewis Kanipe, Mrs. Roy Blanton and Mrs Hague Kiser shopped in Sparianburg one day

Rev W C Jones, pastor of the Forest City circuit, is in a Charlotte anitorium recovering from a recent operation

Mr and Mrs J L. Butler, has been very sick recently, but we are glad to say that he is improving. Miss Grenn Hamrick, of Henrietta,

Roy, the eleven year old son of

as a cepted a position with the Farmers Bank & Trust Co at For-

C A. Blanton, of Sumter, S. C was called here recently on account of the serious illness of his mother. Te are glad, however, to state that Mrs. Blanton is improving.

J. A Wilkie has resigned as a rural mail carrier out of Forest City and will devote all of his time to the insurance business and surveying. Mr. Wilkie's son Royce has succeeded him as carrier on route 3

Miss Nell Padgett, a student at Limestone college, spent Sunday with her parents in Forest City. Flack. of Gaffney, and Miss Miller, a member of the Limestone faculty.

Jonas Johnson has sold his restaurant in the Young building to J. M. Tate, who will continue to conduct it at the same stand. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson have opened a new restaurant in the McBrayer building next door to the Forest City Bargain store,

Moss-Reinhardt are now occupyng their new store room in the old Movie theatre stand. They tell us that their half-page ad in the last issue of The Courier brought splendid results and their business started off with a rush. Read their new ad in this issue.

S. H. Harris, a prominent undertaker and business man of Union, S. C., spent the week end in Forest City on business. He was a guest at the home of R. L. Reinhardt. Mr. Harris was very much impressed with Forest City's prospects as a coming city and trade center.

The many friends of Mr. I, B. Covington will regret to learn that he is seriously ill at the Rutherford hospital, where he was recently operated on for appendicitis. The latest reports from his bedside are encouraging and we hope that he will soon be back with us and in his usual good health.

Misses Nell and Margaret Young delightfully entertained a number of friends last Friday evening at a 'rook party" complimentary to Miss Lucy Patterson, one our popular high school teachers, and Miss Gladys Taylor, of Worcester, Mass., who is the guest of Mrs. James Young. Rook was played until a late hour after which a delicious salad course was served.

Word has been received here that Rastus Houser, a Rutherford county boy, was burned to death last Monday in Kansas City, Mo. We are unable to learn the particulars of his death He served in the 30th Division overseas and has many comrades in this county who will be grieved to hear of his tragic death, His remains will be brought to this county for burial.

The local Red Cross have been asked to aid in the search for Chester A. Heal, a discharged soldier, who escaped from a hospital in Cape May, N. J., recently, and is supposed to be somewhere in the South. No description is given of the soldier except that he is suffering from mental trouble and is in a serious condition. Any information concerning this unfortunate man should be reported immediately to the Red Cross.

# Furniture! Furniture!

Next to service, what do you like mor than pretty furniture? There is a new store in Forest City where you can get both service and pretty furniture.

You can buy here on the easy paymen: plan and never have to come in to make: your weekly payments. We will have a man call at your home to collect as your payments may be arranged.

The goods we have to offer you are strictly high class and the price is right. So don't fail to drop in and start an account with us.

You will always get a square deal when you trade with

## MOSS-REINHARDT

Forest City



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