



TO THINE OWN SELF BE TRUE, AND THOU CANST NOT THEN BE FALSE TO ANY MAN.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

You are cordially invited to attend our Semi-Annual TAILORING DISPLAY on MARCH 10th and 11th at the store of C. W. & J. E. BAUKNIGHT.

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NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS. All persons indebted to the Estate of Thomas Wiley, Deceased, are hereby notified to make payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against said estate will present the same, duly attested, within the time prescribed by law, or be barred.

M. S. CARROLL, Administrator of the Estate of Thomas Wiley, Deceased. Mch. 1, 1922. 9-12

Blue Ridge Conference to Meet. The Blue Ridge Baptist Ministers' Conference will meet in the hotel at Central, Pickens county, on March 6th, (next Monday,) at 10.30 a. m.

19th Amendment Constitutional. Washington, Feb. 27.—The woman's suffrage or 19th amendment was declared to-day by the United States Supreme Court to be constitutional.

Anti-pneumonia serum is obtained from the blood of horses.

LOCAL NEWS FROM CONEROSS.

Rev. Raines Reports Serious Illness of Pupil Long Creek Academy.

Coneross, Feb. 27.—Special: W. O. Alexander, of Greenville, was at the home of his father, T. D. Alexander, of this community, last Tuesday night.

Miss Annie Read Arve is on an extended visit to her sister, Miss Eva, who has a position in Atlanta.

The leaders of the G.A., R.A. and Sunbeams of Coneross, Misses Pearl Hunsinger, Conys Alexander and Minnie Barker, were delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Alexander yesterday.

John Griffin, who is on the police force at Belton, spent some time last week with his family here.

J. M. Byrd, of Greenville, was a welcome visitor at the home of his son, F. W. Byrd, Saturday and Sunday. He was accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Lillie Childress, also of Greenville.

Victor McDonald and T. W. Byrd were very sick for a few days, but are now up again.

Miss Jessie Barker had as her spend-the-night guests last Wednesday a number of her Blue Ridge school pupils—Misses Martha Norton, Dorothea Addis, Bessie Alexander, Winnie Nally, Lillie Kerr and Vera Roach.

Quite a number of our ladies attended and enjoyed the quarterly meeting at the First Westminster Baptist church last Saturday.

Joe McDonald, of Greenville, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McDonald, and his daughter, Miss Edna, of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Dilworth gave an excellent dinner yesterday for the latter's uncles, T. D. and W. O. Alexander, and the latter's wife and mother, Mrs. S. M. Hunsinger. Decatur Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Montgomery, of Walhalla, were also present.

Mrs. C. W. Roach is quite unwell and has been for some time. Her friends hope to hear of her early recovery.

Mrs. Mary Alexander spent the greater part of last week with her mother near Richland. She has been suffering from a severe cold and grip for some time, but is well again.

Our pastor, Rev. L. H. Raines, filled his appointments here Saturday and Sunday. He reports the serious illness of Miss Myrtle Littleton, of Salem, who is a student of Long Creek Academy. Miss Littleton has a number of friends here who are indeed sorry to hear of her illness, and hope to hear of her speedy recovery.

George Washington's Birthday, Feb. 22d, was a very important day with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Meredith, of this community, for on that date a young visitor arrived at their home. The youngster is a boy.

Monroe Sheriff and wife, of Hopewell, were week-end visitors to relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hesse spent yesterday with Mrs. Hesse's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Cleland, of Westminster. Mr. Hesse is building a pretty cottage in this section and will soon move into it.

Mrs. H. W. Arve made a short trip to Atlanta recently.

The B.Y.P.U. was rained out last night. Group No. 1 will serve next Sunday night, with W. F. Hayne's group as captain. Everybody is invited to attend this and all other meetings at our church.

SENATOR W. P. MASON WRITES DEATH OF JOSEPH SHELOR LEE.

Of What's Doing in Columbia—Sees at Least Two Weeks More.

Columbia, Feb. 27, 1922. Editor Keowee Courier: I intended to write you last week, but owing to the fact that I spent the week-end in Spartanburg and was so carried away with Rev. Billy Sunday's meeting I forgot all about writing you until it was too late. Nevertheless I am back in Columbia now, and here goes:

The Oconee delegation has been holding back the Oconee supply bill until we saw what would be the outcome of the new revenue bills that are pending. The gasoline tax bill has passed both houses, and has been ratified and signed by the Governor. One cent of this tax goes to the county and one cent to the State.

The Oconee delegation has passed a bill providing that the one cent gas tax, and the one-cent levy on all the taxable property in Oconee county be turned over to the Highway Commission with the automobile tax to be used in maintenance on all the improved roads built by the Highway Commission in Oconee county.

I want to say just at this point, in behalf of the Highway Commission, I have received letters of information from every section of Oconee county, and from men in all walks of life, commending the Highway Commission for their faithful and impartial service to the entire county.

Mr. Editor, I have received letters from a great many of my constituents asking me to reduce taxes. I have answered practically all of them by asking them if they wanted their schools shortened or their roads to go unworked, and they all say "No." I have made up my mind to do my duty as I see it without fear of any one, at the same time realizing my responsibility to my constituents.

To be a representative of the people at this particular time is a perplexing problem. In my quiet moments, when I am considering what is the best thing to do, I come to this conclusion: That if my constituents could exchange places with me for a while they could better understand how I feel.

We have had several bills to come before the House and Senate at this session bearing the label of "Reform Revenue Bills." I am trying to support all of these bills that I can conscientiously support, with the view of lowering the tax on real estate and agricultural lands. The income tax bill has caused considerable excitement in the Senate, and has been ably discussed by distinguished Senators from every angle. I am supporting the amendment to this bill by Senator McGee, of Greenwood.

Representative Dalton has introduced and passed through the House a bill requiring the Blue Ridge railroad to build a depot at West Union. This bill will be before the Senate for consideration this week.

There has been a bill introduced in the Senate by Senator Lightsey. This bill passed both Houses and has been ratified and signed by the Governor. Senator Lightsey's bill is as follows: "To make it unlawful for any person to make or circulate any false statement calculated to cast suspicion upon the solvency of any bank in South Carolina, and to provide penalties therefor."

The penalties are very heavy, but in my mind are not too severe. The banks have been very kind and indulgent to the people in this time of deflation, and I think we ought to show our appreciation to them by protecting them against false rumors.

I have just had a conference with Governor Cooper, and he informs me that he has vetoed Senator Wells' bill extending the time for payment of taxes, as it will work a hardship on the schools, and at the same time will not benefit any one in the long-run.

I don't know just how long we will be here. It looks as if we will be in session at least two more weeks. As for me, I'm here until it is over, or at least until we get the necessary funds for the rural graded schools of the State. I am still of the opinion that we ought to wipe out illiteracy in the State of South Carolina. We have passed an eight-mill tax on all districts not having this amount of tax, in order that they may get the benefit of term extension. We do this, believing it to be our duty to the entire educational interest of Oconee county.

Faithfully your servant, W. P. Mason.

Mr. Wolfe Will Nose Around a Bit.

Savannah, Ga., Feb. 26.—Samuel M. Wolfe, Attorney General of South Carolina, Mayor Stewart announced Friday afternoon, will be in Savannah Monday to investigate, with the view of further understanding, the border line between Hutchinson's Island and South Carolina. The existence of a mud flat or fill in Back river, in rear of the island, is said to necessitate a personal investigation in order that he may determine what steps, if any, are to be taken.

Hutchinson's Island is just across the river from Savannah and belongs to Georgia. Mr. Wolfe has suggested to the Attorney General of Georgia that he be here at the same time.

DEATH OF JOSEPH SHELOR LEE.

at Birmingham After a Illness—Fair Play Locals.

Walhalla, Feb. 27.—Special: Many here and elsewhere who learn with deep regret of the death of Joseph Shelor Lee, of Birmingham, Ala., on Feb. 18th, had been in exceedingly feeble health for a long while, and was confined to his room the greater part of the time for the past year. Yet the announcement of his death came as a surprise to all.

Mr. Lee was born in Seneca, this county, many years ago. He was twice married, his first wife having been Miss M. Patton. His second wife was Mrs. Mattie Scott. Both preceded him to the grave a number of years.

Mr. Lee moved to Birmingham more than thirty years ago, and since that time had been a conductor on the C. & N. Railroad, making headquarters in Birmingham. He was a man of genial disposition and number of his friends by his acquaintance. He was a friend to the friendless and needy. No soul ever came to him in distress to be turned away. His home was not only a happy place for his loved ones and himself, but for all who entered the home, here the stranger as well as friends were made welcome.

Mr. Lee was a consistent member of the Methodist church. He was a true friend and helper to his pastor, and was willing to spend and be spent for the cause of Christ. He was a very intimate friend of the Presbyterian pastor, Dr. J. H. Bryant, who conducted the funeral services, assisted by Dr. Hendrix, of the Methodist church, at the late home of Mr. Lee. The funeral was in charge of the Order of Railway Conductors. The floral offerings were many and beautiful.

Mr. Lee is survived by the following: by sons and sisters, David Lee, of Houston, Texas; William Lee, of Anderson; and J. J. Lee, of South Union; by Mrs. M. E. Harris, of Fair Play, who is with others in extending sympathy to the bereaved ones.

One of the most enjoyable and profitable of the season was the box party given by the ladies of Fair Play, at the Fair Play school house, on Feb. 18th, for the benefit of the piano, which is now in the Presbyterian church. The nice sum of \$75.00 was realized, this paying the balance on the piano. A delightful program was carried out before the sale of the boxes, consisting of a play, "George Washington's Sixth Birthday," given by the pupils of Miss Link's grades, and a musical program by the Fair Play music class, which is being ably taught by Miss Lil Thompson. J. S. Glymph, as auctioneer, disposed of the boxes in his usual pleasant style. The prize, a box of candy, was awarded to Miss Elise Richardson, whose box brought the largest sum—\$25.00.

Rev. C. M. Robinson filled his regular appointment at Beavertown on Sunday, preaching his farewell sermon. He preached an able sermon on "Faith."

Misses Gaines, Link and Perkins and Messrs. Brock and Patrick spent last Wednesday in Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Glymph and family spent Wednesday in Westminster with Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Marrett.

Miss Leontine Werner, of Central, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Meares.

Mrs. M. E. Harris has returned to her home here from Birmingham, Ala., where she went to attend the funeral of her brother, Joseph Lee.

PROTEST AGAINST REBUILDING

The Toxaway Dam—People Along Keowee Should be Paid First.

Toccoa, Ga., Feb. 21, 1922. Editor Keowee Courier: I notice in the last issue of your paper that the Toxaway Company contemplates rebuilding the Toxaway dam.

I wish to enter my emphatic protest against the rebuilding of such dam until the people along the Keowee river have been paid for the severe damages to crops, lands and other property, which losses were caused by the breaking of the old dam a few years ago. Even after the people have been paid for the damages by reason of the giving way of the old dam, said company should not be allowed to rebuild the Toxaway dam until a good and sufficient bond has been filed with the Secretaries of State of North and South Carolina to cover any damages which may occur in the future, caused by the breaking of the new dam.

I sincerely hope our wise legislators in South and North Carolina will pass such laws as will exactly fit this case.

An injunction should be filed in the North Carolina courts to stop the rebuilding of this dam.

The Congress of the United States should enact laws to protect her citizens from such companies.

Yours truly, D. H. Alexander.

The Chicago fire destroyed 17,450 buildings.

LOOK AT THESE TIRE PRICES!

They cannot last long. United States Tires and every one brand new and guaranteed.

- 30 x 3 plain casing, . . \$ 8.80 Tube, \$1.75.
30 x 3 1-2 Usco Tread, \$ 9.90 Tube, \$2.00.
30 x 3 1-2 Chain Tread, \$12.75 Tube, \$2.75.
32 x 3 1-2 Chain Tread, \$16.00
32 x 4 Chain Tread, . . \$21.75 Tube, \$3.00.
32 x 4 Nobby Tread, . . \$22.50
33 x 4 1-2 " " " \$31.00 Tube, \$3.50.
35 x 5 Nobby Tread, . . \$40.00 Tube, \$4.75.

If you are going to need any tires take advantage of these prices. They will be withdrawn soon.

Arthur Brown, Walhalla, S. C. "Oldsmobile Sets the Pace."

"BLUEBEARD" LANDRU IS DEAD.

Paid Penalty of Crimes on Guillotine at Versailles Last Saturday.

Versailles, Feb. 25.—Henri Desir Landru, "Bluebeard of Gambais," convicted of the murder of ten women and one youth, gave his life this morning in exchange for the eleven he had taken. The triangular knife of the guillotine fell at 6.05 o'clock, 25 minutes after the time originally set for the execution, the delay causing many to express the erroneous opinion that Landru was making a confession. Mysterious until death, Landru resented Father Lottelle's inquiry as to whether he had any confession to make.

"It is an insult to a man like me," was his reply. "Had I any confession to make, I would have made it long ago, but never did he utter the one word 'innocent,' as he had failed to utter it during his 34 months of imprisonment and the 21 days of his trial.

He refused the sacrament, but he conversed a few moments with the priest. "I shall be brave, never fear as to that," he told the clergyman.

The guillotine was erected only a few feet from the main entrance of the jail. At 6 o'clock the doors of the prison opened slowly, revealing in the courtyard the procurator general, the warden of the prison and Landru's two lawyers, M. Moro Glafferi and M. Duertli.

Then Landru appeared, clad in dark trousers and white shirt. His beard, which was one of his most striking characteristics, and which had become familiar to thousands through publication of his picture during the trial, had been trimmed, his head shaven and his neck and face were deathly pale. He walked exactly five steps before the executioner's assistant caught him about the waist and leveled him on the table, which was immediately up-ended. The heavily weighted knife slid down, and the whole affair was over in less than 20 seconds. Landru never faltered from the time he appeared in the door. He gave the guillotine one look, squared his shoulders and walked erect, uttering not a word.

Among the throngs that stood in the streets adjacent to the place of execution there seemed to be more of pity than of bitterness, and never a word of invective against the man who had just paid the penalty for a series of the foulest murders in the criminal annals of France was heard.

"SOME CIRCULATION," SAYS JOHN L. Mc.

The Courier is in receipt of the following appreciated letter from John L. McWhorter, of Tampa, Fla., relative to an advertisement which he had ordered inserted for four consecutive weeks:

"Tampa, Fla., Feb. 17, 1922. "Editor Keowee Courier: "The first appearance of my ad, 'Young Farmer Wanted,' in the old Keowee Courier has brought to me 45 answers—from South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Texas and Florida. Some circulation you have! (Who says people don't read advertisements?)

"Please take the ad. out and send bill for the full four insertions ordered, as the place has been tendered to Clark Wiley, a young farmer of near Richland, your county.

"Thanking you for the assistance you have been, and with kindest personal regards, I am, Sincerely yours, "John L. McWhorter."

Let's Figure!

COME AND LET ME FIGURE WITH YOU ON WHAT YOU NEED!

JUST RECEIVED

- Carload Fresh Cement.
Carload Lime.
Carload Uncle Sam Re-Cleaned Oats to sell at right prices.
Car of Webber and Columbus Wagons, High Point Buggies, Harness, Stalk Cutters, Disc Harrows, and Old Genuine "Oldman" Plows and Reapers.

MULES, HORSES AND CATTLE.

All I ask is that you come and let me show you. My prices are away down.

IF YOU RIDE, RIDE RIGHT! HIGH POINT BUGGIES!

It will be a pleasure to fill your orders. Remember: Brown Has It or Brown Gets It!

W. M. Brown, WALHALLA, S. C.

EXPLOSION SHAKES OHIO.

Thirty Tons of Dynamite Explodes Not Far from the City.

Chicago, Feb. 5.—A declaration that the dynamite explosion which rocked Chicago and suburbs last night was the result of a criminal act was made to-day by R. M. Perbqner, assistant fire marshal.

The explosion occurred at the Consumers' Company McCook quarry, near Argo, a suburb. The damage caused was estimated at about one million dollars. No lives are known to have been lost.

"There was little gelatin in the powder, and lack of gelatin means that the powder would have to be touched off," Mr. Perbqner explained. Two of his assistants agreed with him as to the cause of the blast.

F. W. Grear, resident manager of the quarry, and L. H. Stewart, master mechanic, declared their belief that shovelers who had failed to obtain employment were responsible for the explosion. They said that the company had not renewed its agreement with the union after Jan. 1.

Death of Mrs. James Crenshaw. West Union, Feb. 27.—Special: The people of the community were shocked when they heard of the death of Mrs. James Crenshaw. The death angel came Wednesday night at 5 o'clock. Mrs. Crenshaw was born and reared in Pickens county. She was about 75 years old. Mrs. Crenshaw was a good Christian woman, and all of her friends and relatives were grieved to give up such a stalwart Christian neighbor and friend. She had survived her husband, James Crenshaw, who died 4 years ago. Mrs. Crenshaw was an Alexander before marriage. She is survived by one son, W. E. Crenshaw, one sister, Mrs. Jacob Adams, and nine grandchildren. She will be greatly missed by all who knew her. Mrs. Crenshaw had been sick for quite a while, suffering an attack of pneumonia. Her body was laid to rest in the family burying ground on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.