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—Miss Inez Schroder is suffering from a severe attack of the grip. We hope for her speedy recovery.

—Mrs. M. E. Johnson is quite sick at the home of Mr. J. W. Holleman. We hope for her an early recovery.

—There will be no preaching in the Walhalla Methodist church on the fifth Sunday in the present month.

—Mr. W. H. Armstrong has a thoroughbred Spanish jack at his stables, near Richland, See advertisement.

—Mrs. S. P. Dendy is suffering with a severe attack of grip. She has been confined to her room about two weeks.

—Dr. W. T. Stoddard has been quite ill for a week or ten days. His many friends hope for his speedy recovery.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Meakin are visiting the family of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Strother, in West Union.

—Mrs. Geo. B. McAuliff, of New York, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. L. T. Simmons, and other relatives in Walhalla for several days.

—The many friends of Mrs. F. F. Sharp will be pleased to learn that she and her daughter, Miss Susie, are improving. They have been suffering from the grip.

—Mr. W. L. Barber, of Hartwell, Ga., is in Walhalla on business. He has secured the contract to remodel the residence of Mr. C. W. Pitchford, on Main street.

—Rev. G. F. Clarkson, pastor, will preach in the Seneca Methodist church on the fifth Sunday of the present month, (March,) morning and evening, at the usual hours.

—See changes of advertisements of C. W. Pitchford Co., Walhalla, and M. W. Coleman & Co., Seneca, this week. They call attention to their handsome lines of corsets.

—Messrs. W. T. Potts and John McCoy, of Highlands, N. C., spent Tuesday in Walhalla. They were on their way to Anderson, where Mr. Potts conducts a livery business.

—Mr. James F. Ansel left for Chattanooga, Tenn., last Friday. He expects to accept a position in that city, and will probably locate there permanently. We wish him success.

—There will be a congregational meeting at Bethel Presbyterian church next Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing a deacon. A full attendance of the members is desired.

—Messrs. James R. Bryce, of Jacksonville, Fla., and Wm. Bryce, of Charleston, are in Walhalla on business. There is always a hearty welcome for these young men at their old home.

—We find it necessary to cut off from our list the names of some delinquent subscribers. Some have received the paper and have not even thanked us for our folly in sending it to them.

—The Southern Flouring Mill at Westminster, S. C., will run only on Fridays and Saturdays until harvest. Corn mill will run every day except Sunday.

R. Y. H. Lowery.

—The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered in the Walhalla Presbyterian church next Sunday just after the morning service. There will be a preparatory sermon at 11 o'clock a. m. on Saturday next.

—Mr. Jas. H. Darby is having his lot on Main street leveled preparatory to making excavations for the foundation of his new brick store, which will soon be built. He expects to begin work on the building early in April.

—Having located in Seneca, S.C., for the practice of medicine, respectfully offer my professional services to the public. I can be found in day time by inquiring at Lunney's drug store; at night in room over back door of Coleman & Co.'s store.

Dr. R. E. Mason.

—Our Richland correspondent notes that his community can boast of some young men who "neither chew tobacco nor drink 'Fuss X'." Walhalla can make the same boast. And then, too, we have some who chew and smoke tobacco and knock "Fuss X" silly. There are some who spurn "Fuss X," but the mere mention of "XXX" tickles them wonderfully.

—Mr. Thomas Hunsinger, who lives near Walhalla, was stricken with paralysis on Tuesday morning, and is critically ill at his home. It is thought there is no chance for recovery. His daughter, Mrs. George S. Phillips, of Atlanta, arrived in Walhalla Tuesday, in answer to a telegram calling her to her father's side. Messrs. John S. and Christopher Hunsinger, of Lockhart, are expected to reach Walhalla this evening.

—As oil is essential to the perfect running of machinery, so, too, is a spring tonic and blood purifier necessary to the well being of the human body. I don't say you are sick, but the simple fact that every one's blood becomes more or less sluggish during the winter, ought to be a convincing argument that it is for the betterment of your health in general to assist your system while this extra work of purifying the blood is forced upon it. Lunney's Compound Extract of Sarsaparilla assists nature in expelling, through the secretory and excretory organs, those matters which disturb its purity and impair health. $1 per bottle at Lunney's drug store, Seneca, S. C.

—See notice of the clerk of the town council. The tax ($2.00) must be paid before April 1st. After that date the penalty attaches, and the tax becomes $5.00 or ten days' work on the streets. Save money by paying promptly. Remember the date—April 1st.

—The twenty-fifth annual session of the Grand Lodge of the Knights of Honor of South Carolina will convene in the city of Columbia on Wednesday, the 17th day of April next ensuing, at eight o'clock p. m. Judge J. W. Holleman will represent Walhalla Lodge No. 284 at this meeting.

—Osborne Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Wilson, died at their home in Walhalla on Monday, 18th instant, after a brief illness. He was born February 16, 1892. His funeral services were conducted Tuesday morning in the Baptist church by Rev. C. L. Craig. His body was laid to rest in the Baptist cemetery.

—Married, March 19, 1901, at the home of the bride's father, Mr. W. A. Shockley, Walhalla, Mr. B. Reed Westmoreland and Miss Julia Smythe Shockley. After the wedding dinner the newly married couple drove to Westminster and boarded a Southern train for a bridal tour to Atlanta. Our best wishes go with them.

—Miss Bessie Menefee, a teacher in the Cedar Springs Institute, came to Walhalla last Friday with Misses Annie Crisp and Katie Robins. She spent two days with the family of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Crisp. She is a cultured lady and made many friends during her brief stay. Misses Annie Crisp and Katie Robins will return next week to Cedar Springs. They are bright pupils, and are making fine progress in their studies.

Windsor Hotel Improvements.

Spartanburg Daily Journal, March 14: "Great improvements are soon to be made in the Windsor Hotel. Since W. H. Hester took charge the hotel has made rapid improvement, and to meet fully the demands of the traveling public the entire building is to be remodelled. The dining room will be put on the second floor, the office enlarged and a writing room added."

K. O. Wright Fails.

Greenville News, March 14: "The general merchandise store of K. O. Wright, located on South Main street, was closed yesterday by Wilker, Ackerland & Co., of Cincinnati, Ohio, through their attorney John H. Earle. An application for a receiver has been made and the motion will be argued before Judge Benet at Pickens on Wednesday, March 20th. The liabilities of Mr. Wright are about $1,700, while his assets, including the homestead, are about $1,100."

Burned to Death Accidentally.

On last Sunday morning Fannie Williams, wife of Charleston Williams, colored, who lives just outside the limits of Walhalla, was fatally burned. She was standing in front of an open fire place, with her back to the fire, when her clothes suddenly caught, and before help could be obtained she was badly burned. It was thought for a time the accident was not fatal, but she died Tuesday afternoon from the effects of her injuries.

Teachers' Examination.

Only five of the forty who stood the examination for teachers' certificates on February 15th were granted certificates to teach. The lucky ones were: J. W. Reynolds, John L. Singleton, J. A. Robertson, Robt. A. Craig, white, and Susie R. Daniels, colored. Robt. A. Craig was the only one of the five to obtain a first grade certificate. Those who failed must not become discouraged. Most of the papers were splendid on all branches except English grammar. In this they fell short, and the Board could not give them certificates. Superintendent of Education Craig wishes to give this information to the unfortunatate ones: "Study hard and attend the Institute next summer and you will very likely be successful at the next examination."

Clemson vs. Auburn—Base Ball.

Clemson will play the strong team of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute on March 29th, at 3 o'clock p. m. The Alabama team was considered the strongest in the South last year, and from all reports they are to put out a strong aggregation of ball players again this year. Their team will be composed mainly of veteran players. Clemson and Auburn are old time rivals for foot ball honors, and the latter will come prepared to do up Clemson in great shape.

The veteran coach, Mr. Heisman, is training the Clemson team, which will undoubtedly be stronger than ever before. Mr. Heisman makes batting and base running a specialty. Everybody is invited to come and have a big time. Admission for adults 25 cents; children, 15 cents.

Letter to Mr. C. W. Pitchford, Walhalla, S. C.

Dear Sir: A man once advertised that he'd send 25 useful articles for 25 cents, and every victim got 25 pins. Smart, but shady: ought to have gone to jail. Our standing and capital (you can get them from your bank or mercantile agency) makes this letter to you non-offensive, and guarantees your consideration or that of any other property owner of your place for our offer of "free paint." Furnish us measurements of house to be painted, and we'll tell you how many gallons L. & M. Paint we can donate, and send you superb color schemes. We do it to secure sample houses covered with our paint, for such houses enable us to establish an agency quickly. Been making this paint 30 years; sold enough to put a girdle of paint around the world a number of times; covers better and lasts longer than white lead; you thin it with oil; over 3,500 L. & M. agencies in the U. S. It pays to inquire.

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New Millinery.

The many friends of Mrs. W. P. Nash are invited to call and examine her new stock of millinery goods, especially the Easter hats. New goods coming in every day from the Northern and Southern markets. Come and get prices before buying.

Entertainment at White Rock Academy.

For the purpose of improving the school building and grounds, an entertainment, consisting of plays, pantomimes, recitations, etc., will be given at White Rock Academy, Tugaloo, on Saturday evening, March 23d. Doors open promptly at 7.30 o'clock. Adults will be admitted for 10 cents; children, 5 cents. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Cheap Rates to the Reunion in Columbia.

The railroads have all agreed to a one-cent rate to and from the Confederate Reunion to be held in Columbia in May. This is the best rate that could be secured and is entirely satisfactory, and will result in large crowds going to the Reunion. A rate of a cent a mile for each mile traveled is easily figured, and to this ten cents is added for each ticket and this ten cents is to go to the Confederate Veterans' Association of the State. The railroads have demonstrated that they will do everything possible for the Reunion and the rate is as good as has ever been granted for any State or Southern Confederate Reunion.

J. W. Holleman as Master.

On 9th instant Mr. J. W. Holleman retired from the office of Master after a service of two terms of four years each. During this time one hundred and sixty-two cases were referred to him. Of this number only two cases found their way to the Supreme Court. In one of these cases the Master's report was reversed by the Circuit Judge, but the Supreme Court reversed the Circuit Judge and affirmed the report of the Master, thus making Judge Holleman's report the judgment of the Supreme Court. In the other case his report was affirmed by the Circuit Judge, but the Supreme Court reversed both the report of the Master and the judgment of the lower court. Besides these two cases only one report of his was ever reversed by a Circuit Judge. This is a remarkably fine record and shows what a man of good common sense and business qualifications can do, even though he be not a trained lawyer.

On the 9th instant Mr. W. O. White received his commission as Master for Oconee county, and entered upon the duties of his office. Proper vouchers were filed with J. W. Holleman, his predecessor, and the books, papers and moneys on hand were committed to the custody of Master White. It is hoped that he will make a careful and efficient officer.

Death of Mrs. Vilanta Lewis.

Mrs. Vilanta Lewis, widow of the late Joab Lewis, died at her home on Keowee River, on Sunday, March 17th, 1901, at 1 o'clock p. m., in the eighty-ninth year of her age. She was born July 5th, 1812. Her father, Absalom Gibson, resided on Crow Creek, now in Pickens county, at the time of her birth. In early life she married a Mr. Cobb, who died in a few years after their marriage. In 1860 she was married to Mr. Joab Lewis. They lived happily together at their home on Keowee River until his death on March 17th, 1884. She had been a consistent member of the Baptist church over sixty years and was an earnest Christian woman. She was an aunt of H. A. H. Gibson, Esq., of Walhalla. His parents dying in infancy he was reared by her. His regard for her was as mother, as she was the only person he ever knew in that tender relation. She was a remarkable woman in many respects. Her mental and physical powers were strong, and she served her day and generation as a true and noble woman. Her body was buried at the family burying ground on the homestead on Monday at 12 o'clock beside her husband. After many years of faithful service she rests from her labors.

Death of a Respected Colored Man.

Uncle Ransom Dendy died at his home, near Richland, on Tuesday, March 12th, aged seventy years. He had been afflicted several months with a cancer of the knee, caused by a burn in childhood. He was born on the homestead of the late James H. Dendy and lived there until after the emancipation. His mother was Lucinda, an old domestic servant of the Dendy family. When set free he was loath to leave and would frequently come "back home," as he called it. "Uncle Rans" was a remarkable negro, and was always much beloved by his white neighbors. He was a hard-working, honest man, and had a great attachment for his old master's family. Although set free and at liberty to change his name, he would never do so, and retained the name of Dendy as a matter of choice. At his request he was buried at the Dendy burying ground on the old homestead. His funeral services were conducted by Rev. Wm. Turner, on Thursday morning, 14th instant, at 11 o'clock, and attended by a large number of white persons. At the conclusion of the services his body was laid to rest near the spot where lies all that was mortal of his old master. He was one of the old issue, and was ever found faithful in the discharge of duty. When his young masters were away four years in the Confederate army, he remained true to the loved ones at home, and was always rejoiced at their return. For twenty-five years he was a consistent member of the Baptist church and the religious instinct was highly developed in him. He was fervent in prayer and died an humble Christian. His like will not be seen again soon. One by one the good old ex-slaves are passing away.

Look Out for Maddogs.

Dogs, supposed to be mad, have been running at large in and near Walhalla for the past few days. On Tuesday afternoon the horse of Mr. R. C. Strother was standing hitched in front of the residence of Mr. C. L. Reid on Tugaloo street. A dog came along, bit the horse on the nose and went on its way. It is thought the dog was mad. His dogship made his escape and has not yet been captured.

Death of Mrs. Natalie Norman.

Mrs. Natalie Norman, widow of the late Dr. A. E. Norman, died at her home in Walhalla on Tuesday afternoon, 19th instant, at half-past six o'clock, after a brief illness. She was born at Carlshafen, State of Hesse Cassel, Germany, on the 25th day of March, 1830. She was happily married to Dr. A. E. Norman in Walhalla, S. C., on April 20th, 1854. Dr. Norman came from New Strelitz, in the Dukedom of Mecklenburg Strelitz, Germany. He died on March 4th, 1877. Mrs. Norman leaves surviving six children and fourteen grand-children. She was a member of the Lutheran church and died, as she had lived, an humble Christian. A devoted wife, affectionate mother, and faithful friend, she leaves a precious legacy to her children. Her long life was spent in Walhalla, and in her death one of the first settlers has been removed. To her children is extended the sincere sympathy of many friends. Her funeral services will be conducted in the Lutheran church tomorrow (Thursday) morning, at eleven o'clock, by Rev. J. G. Schaid. Her remains will be laid to rest beside her husband to await the dawn of a brighter day of endless joy in the home of the blest.

Volcanic Eruptions

Are grand, but skin eruptions rob life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them; also old, running and fever sores, ulcers, boils, felons, corns, warts, cuts, bruises, burns, scalds, chapped hands, chilblains, best pile cure on earth. Drives out pains and aches. Cure guaranteed. Sold by all druggists. Only 25 cents a box.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following transfers of real estate have been recorded in the Auditor's office since February 20th:

Seneca Township—Mary E. Smith to J. A. Kelley, 41¾ acres, $459.25; R. Y. H. Lowery to Eugenia P. Lowry, 8 acres, $500; R. Y. H. Lowery to W. A. Lowery, 123 acres, $2,200; A. W. Thompson to R. M. Richardson, 11¼ acres, $1,000; Elias Crooks to Emma Crooks, 64 acres, $3.

Tugaloo Township—Sultanna T. Fincannon to Allen H. Land, 20 acres, $425; Lucy Ann Leneman to Elizabeth, George W., and Eliza Spencer, ½ interest in 192 acres, $1; Elizabeth L. Johnson to John T. Wilson, 3 acres, $300; Martha C. Lowery and others to J. T. Simpson, 106 acres, $450.

Whitewater Township—W. J. Duffie to S. L. Crane, 79 acres, $118.50; W. J. Duffie to Mrs. L. E. Burgess, 100 acres, $150.

Seneca—G. W. Gignilliat to Mrs. Nan P. Gignilliat, 1 lot, $50; J. W. Byrd to W. O. Hamilton, 2 lots, $300; M. N. and F. L. Sitton to L. W. Cary, 1 lot, $50.

Wagener Township—Mattie Reynolds, as executrix and trustee, to R. M. Richardson, 225 acres, $800; Wm. J. Stribling to A. F. Slaton, 208 acres, $1,000.

Westminster—Wm. J. Stribling to W. Paul Dickson, 1 lot, $100; Wm. J. Stribling to E. H. Dickson, 1 lot, $100; Wm. J. Stribling to David P. Butler, 1 lot, $200; A. T. Dickson to Ida Simpson, 2 lots, $500.

Pulaski Township—S. M. Butt to Mason & Peden Bros., 100 acres, $61.

Center Township—Aaron Eubanks to Thos. J. Eubanks, 21 acres, $147; Aaron Eubanks to Thos. J. Eubanks, 25 acres, $177.33; Andrew Bearden to Thos. J. Eubanks, 3 acres, $30; A. R. and W. B. Grubbs to H. E. Grubbs, 1-7 interest in W. M. Isbell's estate, $600; L. A. Edwards to J. P. Carroll, 1¼ acre, $98; J. W. Holleman, Master, to D. P. Verner, 450 acres, $2,225.

Keowee Township—Edward Gantt to School Districts Nos. 65 and 37, 1 acre, $10; J. W. Holleman, Master, to John J. Abbott, 60 acres, $114.

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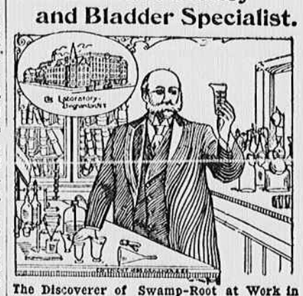

The Discoverer of Swamp-Root at Work in His Laboratory.

There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell. Then the richness of the blood—the albumen—leaks out and the sufferer has Bright's Disease, the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root** the new discovery is the true specific for kidney, bladder and urinary troubles. It has cured thousands of apparently hopeless cases, after all other efforts have failed. At druggists in fifty-cent and dollar sizes. A sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling about Swamp-Root and its wonderful cures. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. and mention this paper.

—The Atlanta Semi-Weekly Journal and THE COURIER for $1.50 a year.

Wreck Near Broadway.

Anderson, S. C., March 13.—A destructive wreck occurred at noon to-day on the Southern Railway near Broadway on a trestle four miles East of town. A broken flange on a box car threw four cars from the track down an embankment damaging them badly. No one was hurt; the mail car was injured and 150 feet of track was torn up.

Death of Little Johnnie Harbin.

Little Johnnie Harbin, the nine months and six days old little boy of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Harbin, of Retreat, was taken away on March 13th, 1901, at half-past 12 o'clock. He had been sick about a week and died with diphtheria. The Lord called and carried the dear little babe to rest. It was laid to rest at Chauga church. It leaves its mother and father and two little brothers and many relatives to mourn its death.

Sleep on sweet babe
And take thy rest,
God called thee home,
He thought it best.

A Friend.

Retreat, S. C., March 16, 1901.

No Right to Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruption and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at all drug stores.

News from Richland.

(Too late for last issue.)

Richland, March 12.—To-day's wind will dry off the ground after the rains of Saturday and Sunday.

The last illness and death of Mrs. Stribling brought eight of her sons to her bedside. They were L. D., from McRay, Ga.; George T., Atlanta; E. S., Eatonton, Ga.; John V., Anderson, S. C.; William J., S. P., M. S. and Dr. J. S. reside in this county. W. D. lives at Eatonton, Ga. He was not able to come on account of cinders getting in his eye while working in the shop.

The aged people of our community are fast passing over the river. It has been but a short time since our good old friend and neighbor, Mr. Oliver Martin, died, and next to fall was the noble hearted William Goodman, and then Mrs. Anna Verner Stribling.

We regret to learn that Mrs. Ruthy Stribling is quite sick. She is nearly ninety years of age.

Glad to say Mr. J. J. Ballenger was able to walk to Richland on Friday last.

Stokes Shelor, who travels for a Charlotte (N. C.) house, was over at the burial of his grand mother, Mrs. Stribling. Stokes is a nice boy with plenty of energy, which is the secret to the success he has achieved in business.

Sorry to learn that Mr. Haskell Dendy got his hand and fingers so badly lacerated one day last week by a buzz saw as to make it necessary to amputate two fingers. He was working at the Riverside (Ala.) Mills.

Rev. R. L. Duffie is preparing to rebuild his dwelling house which was destroyed by fire last Tuesday. He will not be able to build anything like such a house as the one destroyed, as he only had three hundred dollars insurance, which was about one-third its value. We learn that Mr. M. B. Gaines, who was living in Mr. Duffie's house at the time, lost everything except a piano, one bed and a cooking stove.

Ransom Dendy, an old slave of the late Elizabeth Dendy, is very low with cancer of the knee. There was talk some time back of carrying him to the poor house, but he objected on the ground that none of the Dendy family had ever been in jail or to the poor house, and he intended to leave the name untarnished.

The Cascade Brick Company, located at this place, is composed of Messrs. H. L. Coe, J. D. McMahan, J. J. Ballenger, W. H. and S. N. Hughs. We understand they have six hundred cords of wood and are still buying. This begins to look like making brick.

A few days ago, while looking over some old papers of Mrs. E. F. Hughes, we came across a bond for title given by Mrs. Elizabeth Dendy to Thos. H. Janes for four hundred and forty acres of land at one dollar per acre. We have forgotten the date, but it is the old Janes homestead, some of which has lately sold as high as one hundred dollars per acre. The deed was written by Symon Doyle and his penmanship is a marvel of neatness and beauty.

Richland boasts of having some steady young men who do not chew tobacco nor drink "Fuss X." We would not mention names nor make invidious comparisons, but they are here. We hope to see the influence of their example expand and exert a potent influence for the mental and moral excellence of our community. Youth.

(A "youth" who can get up at four o'clock in the morning, eat breakfast by candle light, walk six miles, do a full day's work on the building of a big mill, return home by starlight, eat supper by candle light again, and then write the news of his community for his county paper in the above style, must be a hustler. He may be reckoned as one of the energetic young men of good old Richland who will be heard from in the future. There is little limit to the achievements of such a bundle of energy. May his tribe increase in every nook and corner of our county.—Eds. Courier.)

NEWS IN AND AROUND WESTMINSTER.

Westminster, S. C., March 20, 1901.—Mr. J. H. Richardson, of Clemson College, came to visit his friend, Mr. Taylor Breazeale.

The many friends of Dr. and Mrs. McClure will be glad to know they are convalescing.

Master Johnnie Edwards, of Oakway, visited friends here Saturday.

Mrs. J. J. Arnold is in Atlanta this week.

Dr. Stonecipher is visiting in town.

Mrs. McClanahan has returned after a pleasant visit to her daughter, Mrs. Jones, of Retreat.

Mr. Albert Zimmerman, of Clemson College, visited his parents Saturday and Sunday.

The Rev. Phillips Verner is in Lynchburg, Va., this week.

Mrs. D. W. Hiott visited her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Torrell, last week.

Mr. David McClanahan and sister Kate are visiting at Retreat.

Mrs. Williams, of Hartwell, Ga., is with her daughter, Mrs. T. N. Carter.

Dr. R. E. Mason, of Seneca, is in town to-day.

The "War of Roses," given by the ladies of the M. E. church on Friday evening, was quite a success. The waiters were divided into two parties, one wearing the red and the other the white rose. There being a good natured rivalry between them as to who should serve the greatest number of guests, made it very interesting and brought quite a good sum of money. The roses were in abundance and each guest carried with them a souvenir.

The ladies of the Baptist church are preparing to observe self-denial week. Last week they made a special effort to raise funds for the Entzminger chapel.

Miss Jessie Stribling visited the hospitable home of Mr. L. A. Edwards at Oakway recently. Mrs. Edwards is a kind and considerate hostess.

Wheat and oats are looking fine. Mr. W. M. Gossett has a beautiful piece of early wheat, and Mr. J. S. Carter's wheat, sown late, looks flourishing.

Miss Janie Gaines's many friends were pleased to see her as she passed through here on her way to Townville. She has been visiting her brother, Maj. J. W. Gaines, of Hartsville, S. C. J. & M.

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizens of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with typhoid fever, that ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected soon to die with consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." The marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all throat and lung trouble. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottles free at all drug stores in the county. Every bottle guaranteed.

Fiendish Crime Near Lavonia, Ga.

Lavonia, Ga., March 16.—At 1 o'clock to-day John Hunter, a negro, assaulted the five-year-old daughter of Ed. Conwell, who lives two miles south of here. Hunter was caught and is now tied to a tree in Conwell's yard. The child was painfully injured, and a warrant was sworn out in town for Hunter this afternoon. If sober heads don't rule he will be lynched to-night. Conwell is a prominent farmer of Hart county and all the citizens around him are aroused.

Atlanta, March 17.—A special to the Constitution from Lavonia says: "John Hunter, a negro, charged with assaulting the five-year-old daughter of J. E. Conwell, escaped from his captors last night while being taken to the Hartwell jail. In pursuing Hunter Mr. Conwell accidentally shot Henry Addington, one of those guarding Hunter, but the wound is not fatal. Two posses are pursuing the negro.

Important School Notice.

There will be a meeting of the citizens and patrons of Corinth School District, No. 31, on Tuesday, April 2d, 1901, at 2 o'clock p. m., to levy a special tax of two mills for the benefit of said School District.

By order of Board of Trustees.

Fatality at Pittsburg Fire.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 17.—During the progress of a fire to-day at the corner of Duquesne Way and Fort street, one man lost his life and three others were badly hurt. The property loss will be fully $250,000, well insured.

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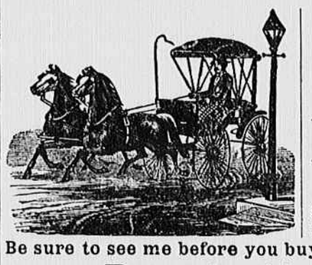

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The News from Oakway.

Oakway, March 19.—Rev. D. W. Keller preached an instructive sermon to a large congregation last Sunday. Mrs. Keller accompanied him to this place.

The Messrs. Hunter, of Mountain Rest, are visiting relatives at this place.

Misses Emma Gaines and Savannah Foster visited friends at Richland this week.

Dr. J. J. Burriss has just returned from a week's visit to the Capital City.

Miss Nan Haley is visiting friends at Return this week.

Mr. Vester Bearden, of Greenville, visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Bud Grant, of Clemson College, spent Sunday with home folks.

Miss Janie Gaines, who has been in Charleston some time, passed through Oakway one day last week on her way home.

Mr. Bob Keese is away on business this week.

Prof. and Mrs. N. W. Macaulay visited friends at Taber this week.

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Negro Tied to a Telegraph Pole.

Charleston, S. C., March 17.—William Ford, a negro highwayman, entered the store of Samuel Schwan, in this city, last night, knocked down the proprietor with a lead pipe and robbed the place. Schwan's arm was broken. Ford was captured this morning. A crowd of Schwan's friends surrounded the prisoner and he was bound to a telegraph pole with wire. Violence might have been done had not a motorman summoned the riot squad from the station house. The police unbound the negro and sent him in, dispersing the crowd in the meantime. Ford is a desperado who has served in the penitentiary.

Pullman Cars Burned.

Palatka, Fla., March 17.—Two Pullman sleeping cars, Tabita and Elmer, of train No. 32 of the Plant system, Tampa to Jacksonville, were completely burned at an early hour this morning at Buffalo Bluff, seven miles from this city. The sleepers were filled with tourists and all of them were asleep at the time of the fire. So quickly did the flames spread that there was practically no time for saving clothes or valuables. When nearing Buffalo Bluff, the two cars were discovered to be burning. At the time of the discovery of the flames they had gained such a headway that it was impossible to extinguish them. The passengers in the burning cars were hurried into the other sleepers and made as comfortable as possible. One man lost his trousers and several of them were minus their coats. The ladies lost the majority of their wearing apparel. The railroad officials had their measures taken for clothing, dresses, shoes, etc., and they were supplied within a half hour of the time of the arrival of the train in Jacksonville. The passengers were then sent to hotels and made perfectly comfortable. Tickets were supplied them to replace those burned, and by the afternoon those who desired to proceed farther were on the way to their destinations. The loss in money and jewelry is said to be, according to the statements of the passengers, between ten and fifteen thousand dollars. The total loss is estimated at $60,000.

Preacher to Serve in the Pen.

Springfield, Ill., March 19.—Rev. J. Forrest Marston, of Owensville, Ind., pleaded guilty in the United States District Court yesterday to forging money orders and was sentenced to eighteen years in the penitentiary. Marston has just served eighteen months for using the mails fraudulently. He falsely represented himself as authorized by Clara Barton to collect funds for the Red Cross Society during the Spanish-American war and secured a considerable sum.

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