



TO THINE OWN SELF BE TRUE AND IT MUST FOLLOW AS THE NIGHT THE DAY, THOU CANST NOT THEN BE FALSE TO ANY MAN.

BY JAYNES, SHELOR, SMITH & STECK.

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—FEED STUFF—

Oats, Brand and Hay.

We have a Car of Ship Stuff. The finest Hog Feed to be had. This Ship Stuff is made out of the Heart of the Corn, that which is left of the Corn after using all the hard parts of the Grain for Pearl Grits, and the Heart of the Wheat with the Brand all ground together, which makes the richest and most nutritious feed obtainable. We can sell this Feed very cheap; only \$1.40 per 100 pounds, which is guaranteed to be cheaper to feed than Corn at 50 cents.

C. W. & J. E. BAUKNIGHT.

Moders Pharmacy

is practiced by us in every way. There have been great improvements in the last few years in the making of medicines. The preparations you take to-day are more elegant in looks, more palatable, and, while milder in action, are just as effective as the old nostrums that were actually nauseating. We have kept step with the times and the medicines you purchase of us will be found of superior quality, as they are scientifically prepared.

LUNNEY, The Druggist.

Seneca.

YELLOW FRONT.

Attention!

To the Farmers of Oconee County and the Public in General:

I am prepared to do first-class ginning and will pay the highest market price for Cotton Seed.

JUSTICE is my motto.

By coming to my place you can have your ginning and grinding done and buy lumber to repair or build your house all at the same trip.

Call on me at the Stribling Stand, in West End, Walhalla, S. C. I will do you right. Very respectfully,

D. H. ROWLAND,

WALHALLA, S. C.

BRIDGES TO LET.

THE Board of County Commissioners will let, to the lowest responsible bidders, on the dates and at the places mentioned below, the contract to rebuild the following bridges:

Thursday, September 14th, 1905, at 10 a. m., (at the bridge site) the Bryant bridge, over Chauga, on the River road, in Tugaloo township.

Friday, September 15th, 1905, at 11 a. m., (at the bridge site) the Cobb Mill bridge, over Chauga, on the New Toga-way road, in Tugaloo township.

Friday, September 15th, 1905, at 4 p. m., (at the bridge site) the Sattles' Mill bridge, on the Walhalla and Highlands road, in Wagener township.

The county will furnish all material for these three bridges. Specifications for each bridge made known at time of letting. Successful bidders will be required to give bond in a sum twice the amount of bid. Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

L. H. V. HOBSON, Supervisor.
August 30, 1905. 35-30

Notice to Trespassers

ALL persons are hereby forbidden to trespass on lands belonging to the undersigned parties, by enforcing upon the same, fishing, hunting, cutting timber, hauling wood or pine, digging roots or trespassing in any manner whatever. Any person violating the above notice will be prosecuted to the extent of the law.

S. R. KEITH,
Executor, Keith Estate.
J. R. SHELOR,
L. C. LEE,
M. M. CARY.

Sept. 7th, 1905. 36-30

Steel Bridge to Let.

THE Board of County Commissioners for Oconee county, South Carolina, will let, to the lowest responsible bidder, at the bridge site, on THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14th, 1905, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the contract to build a 100 foot steel span and two approaches over Chauga, on the Westminister and Hogues' Ford road, known as the Hudson bridge. The approach on the east side is 30 feet, on the west side 40 feet. Bids wanted on both wood and steel stringers. Specifications on file in the County Commissioners' office, at Walhalla, on and after September 1. The successful bidder will be required to furnish bond in a sum twice the amount of bid. Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

L. H. V. HOBSON, Supervisor.
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FOR SALE—VALUABLE LAND.

MRS. MARY A. SCURRY'S LAND. Situated within four miles of Seneca, South Carolina, and two miles from Newry Cotton Mill, on Cane Creek, is offered for sale. Contains three (300) hundred acres. Well improved. Apply to J. W. BUTLER, Adm'r, Athens, Ga.

September 6, 1905. 38-40

President Smith Named as Field Agent.

Asheville, September 11.—At the recent session of the Southern Cotton Association the report of the financial committee was heard and adopted. The committee recommended that a general field agent and organizer for the national as well as for the State organizations be appointed, whose chief duty it shall be to collect funds for the carrying out of the association's aims and objects. It is intended to raise \$100,000 for the national association and \$100,000 each for the State and county associations. To secure these funds a tax of three cents on each bale of cotton raised by the members of the association will be levied. The report named E. D. Smith, of Columbia, as the field agent. It was not adopted, however, without some vigorous discussion.

Like Finding Money.

Finding health is like finding money—so think those who are sick. When you have a cough, cold, sore throat, or chest irritation, better act promptly like W. C. Barber, of Sandy Level, Va. He says: "I had a terrible chest trouble, caused by smoke and coal dust on my lungs; but, after finding no relief in other remedies, I was cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds." Greatest sale of any cough or lung medicine in the world. At all drug stores; 50c and \$1; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

THE NEWS FROM SENECA.

Seneca, September 11.—A gentle rain relieves a drouth with us and settles the dust, to the great comfort of all who are so unfortunate as to be on a front street. Mrs. W. W. Doar and child, of Georgetown, are at the Palmetto House for some weeks.

Misses Frances and Elizabeth Stribling, of Walhalla, are visiting relatives here.

Miss Marion Coe, of Richland, visited Mrs. J. L. McWhorter last week.

A meeting of the teachers and board of trustees of the graded school, held in the parlors of the Palmetto House last Tuesday evening, was significant. These meetings are a new feature in school work here and will doubtless prove of great benefit to the work and all those interested.

Rev. W. F. Junkin, a returned missionary from China, delivered an interesting sermon in the Presbyterian church here last Sabbath. Mr. Junkin represents what is known to this denomination as "The Forward Movement," and at the close of the sermon made an earnest talk in behalf of the movement.

Mrs. J. W. Stribling and Miss Mary Cherry are in Anderson.

Mrs. Laura W. Bates is again in Seneca and has taken charge of a large music class here. She, having spent the summer at Chataqua, N. Y., is thoroughly prepared for another year as teacher of music in our school.

Mrs. S. F. Verner and children, of Montgomery, Ala., and Mrs. R. S. Verner are in Seneca with relatives.

J. A. Brock, who recently sold his stock of groceries to Luther Moore, is opening a jewelry store in the room immediately in the rear of the Citizens' Bank.

A number of Seneca's society set attended the dance at Richland last Friday night, and report a most enjoyable time.

We regret to report the illness of Tom Burgess, the son of Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Burgess, who has fever. We hope the little man will soon be up again.

We congratulate the council upon the neat appearance of the streets last Sabbath morning. The pavement in front of the Palmetto House will be laid at an early date, which will satisfy a long felt want.

There is again talk in undertones in Seneca about electric lights, water works and other small industries. "Straws show the way the wind blows."

J. H. Adams is having his suburban home modernized and greatly beautified, and when completed will be one of the handsomest homes in the county.

The coming of the fall and the beautiful "Autumn Queen" suggests the hope that the once popular floral show will be revived in Seneca. What a pity that an organization of this nature, and one that meant so much in a social way to our town, should have been allowed to fall through. Let some of our flower growers revive it before another year.

The gathering of the teachers and a few music friends in the parlors of the Palmetto House last Tuesday evening was a delightful occasion. The music program contributed by Misses Carrie Hunter and Anna Benedict and Mrs. Ruskin Anderson, was highly enjoyed, while Mrs. W. T. Palmer's recitations added to the pleasure evening. Mrs. Palmer is an accomplished elocutionist, possessing rare talent in this line. Miss Florence Palmer also recited a charming number. It was a source of regret that some were unavoidably absent, which interfered with the completion of the program arranged.

School is opened again. This means lessons at night and lunches in the morning, "world without end," for the Katsenjammers. There's comfort in the thought, though, that there might be a President among them, and so the thought lightens the load!

M. V. S.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

NEWS FROM WESTMINSTER.

Westminister, September 12.—J. S. and F. H. Carter, W. S. Haley, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Carter and Miss Virginia Norris are in New York.

Miss Mattie Singleton has gone to North Carolina to visit her brother, J. M. Singleton.

J. E. Gaines went to Piedmont Monday.

R. C. Carter boarded No. 36 Monday for Liberty.

Married, on Saturday, September 9, by S. H. Johns, Esq., at his residence, L. E. Farmer and Miss Agnes Gaines.

A purse containing three ten-dollar and one one-dollar bills was lost between Tamassee and Walhalla Saturday. The loser, T. W. Ballenger, offers to pay a liberal reward if finder will leave at the Courier office.

G. W. Pitts, of Deercourt, Ga., spent a few hours here last Sunday. Mr. Pitts is operator and agent at Deercourt, formerly Tugalo, Ga.

Jesse Harbin, of Pendleton, visited his brother, Harrison Harbin, last week.

The Westminister Graded Schools have an enrollment of 234 pupils.

Thomas Bolt and Ed Zachary, of Seneca, were here Friday.

Misses Rosa and Beulah McDonald entertained several couples last Friday evening in honor of their visitor, Miss Lella Buchanan, one of Pendleton's fair young ladies. Delicious ice cream, cake and scuppernongs were served. All report a delightful evening. The guests included Misses Irene Miller, Jessie Stribling, Sallie Dickson, Eva Reeder, Nannie Terrell, Annie Kay, Mamie Traylor, Ethel McGee; Messrs. M. L. Sewell, Rutledge Zimmerman, C. H. Stonecypher, Aden Dickson, Moses Terrell, Thomas Bolt, Ed Zachary and S. C. Moon.

Miss Maud Gullatt, after spending three weeks as the guest of Miss Irene Miller, returned to her home in Atlanta a few days ago. She is a beautiful and fascinating young lady and made a host of friends here who will be pleased to welcome her in our midst at any time.

Frank Sheldon, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sheldon, of Fair Play, went to Davidson, N. C., Tuesday to attend the Davidson College.

Mrs. J. W. Harrison, of Lavonia, Ga., visited the family of Wm. Bibb last week.

The mid-week prayer meeting services at the Presbyterian church have been changed from Wednesday evening to Thursday evening of each week.

Mrs. Sallie Echols went to Pickens Saturday to visit the family of Rev. D. Weston Hiott.

The grist, saw mill and planer of J. J. Jaley, of Oakway, were destroyed by fire last Thursday morning at an early hour. The fire was supposed to have been accidental.

W. E. Mason has gone to Honea Path to buy cotton for a Charlotte compress.

Miss Mary Messer has returned home after spending two weeks in the South Union section.

Samuel Jameson has gone to Cave Springs, Ga., to attend school.

Misses Sue and Emily Dendy, of Richland, visited the family of M. A. Terrell last Thursday and Friday.

Miss Rosa McDonald is spending a couple of months at home. She has had charge of a flourishing school near Pendleton and will begin teaching again in November.

The last excursion for this season passed through on September 7 going to Atlanta. Every coach appeared to be full.

G. W. McConnell now has charge of a large hotel at Lula, Ga., and has moved from Atlanta to that place.

Rev. John R. Moore is expected to arrive Friday and will fill his appointments in the Baptist church next Sabbath at 11 a. m. and at night. No doubt Brother Moore will have something of interest to tell his people which he gathered while on his trip to Europe and we bespeak for him a large congregation. It has been three months since he stood before his congregation at Westminister.

The congregation at the Presbyterian church had the pleasure of listening to an interesting discourse delivered by Rev. W. F. Junkin, a returned missionary to the foreign fields. He began with Christ's command and ended with the glorification of Christ. In his lecture he told of the conditions, the population of the Chinese Empire and told of the great work being done there. Rev. Junkin is a native of Virginia. He has been at Shushan, China, for the past eight years. Last week we said he was a missionary to Japan. The mistake was due to a slip of the pencil.

Miss Eureka Crump, of Charleston, is the guest of Mrs. Y. E. Pitts. She is returning home from a trip to the mountains.

Miss Mary Sheldon is visiting Miss Margie Stribling and other relatives and friends in Westminister.

Miss Lela Buchanan, a charming young lady from Pendleton, is visiting her friend, Miss Rosa McDonald.

FARMERS MUST DEMAND PRICE.

E. D. Smith Tells South Carolina Planters to be Firm—"Hold It for 11 Cents."

Columbia, September 11.—President E. D. Smith of the Cotton Growers' Association has given this card to the press for publication:

In order to get thoroughly informed as to the spirit of the people of South Carolina in reference to the actual Southern Cotton Association, I call upon every county association to meet on Monday next, the 18th, for the purpose of getting an expression of opinion from the members of every association in their county, first, as to the ratification of the action of the convention as to the minimum price, and second to devise means of mutual assistance in carrying out the aim and purposes of the Southern Cotton Association. The one prime necessity is now that the Southern Cotton Association has fixed its minimum price at Asheville, N. C., the undoubted small crop, the financial condition of the South and above all the possibility of the Southern cotton grower being able to dictate his own price, is a prize worth striving for, because it means personal independence, manhood and wealth.

Therefore, at this crisis I beg every county in the association to meet, as above indicated, and see that a report both as to the spirit attending these meetings, the opinion of those attending as to the price of cotton as to the outlook of yield, and what means, if any, have been brought upon to withhold the cotton from the market until our minimum of 11 cents is obtained, these reports to be forwarded to the central office.

It matters not now whether it was wise or unwise to set the minimum indicated. There is but one thing left to do and we can do it, and that is to stand by the convention at Asheville, and demand 11 cents. It is useless for me to call attention to the fact that with the 11,000,000 bale crop, by our loyalty, determination and manhood we will win it. Various things will be brought to bear than are being brought to bear now and the fight for the next thirty days, perhaps longer, will be the bitterest ever waged in the South. If, however, the bankers, merchants, in fact all parties interested in Southern welfare, which means in the Southern cotton crop, will see that the weak are assisted by the strong, we will win this fight as we won the other and be rewarded by a much higher price than 11 cents for our work. This letter is dictated hurriedly on my way through Columbia, to meet the cotton growers at Bennettsville. When I have leisure, which I hope to have in a few days, I shall give to the public the work that was done and proposed to be done at Asheville.

Let all the counties meet as I have asked above, and send to this office a report of the spirit of the people as to the prospects of their holding their cotton and the means they propose to put into operation to reach the end desired. Already telegrams and letters from the West indicate that they are hauling their cotton back home and storing it away and waiting for 11 cents. E. D. Smith.

News at Townville.

Townville, September 11.—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Giles, of Seneca, visited C. D. Giles recently.

Mrs. J. D. Babb is spending awhile at R. M. Tribble's with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Tribble, who is seriously ill.

Miss Ovaline and Willie Fant spent Saturday and Sunday at Rock Mills.

Little Charlie Fant is quite sick.

Mrs. W. T. Hunt visited relatives at Seneca recently.

Mrs. W. E. Fant and children have returned from an extended visit to relatives at Iva and Belton.

The meeting at the Baptist church closed Monday, the 4th instant. The ordinance of baptism was administered Wednesday afternoon. There were 20 candidates.

Prof. Evans, who has been teaching at Pine Grove, closed his school Friday and returned to his home in Lee county.

Miss Susie Sharp, from Rivoli, spent awhile at the home of her uncle, J. P. Ledbetter.

Mrs. Henry Crooks and children, from near Seneca, spent last week with Mrs. N. W. Grant.

Prof. J. G. Graham will start to Chicago Tuesday, where he will enter the Moody Institute.

Prof. J. S. Harris is at home, after several weeks stay at Tabor teaching.

Dr. J. G. Bruce and daughter, Miss Kyle, of Anderson, visited relatives near here recently.

Miss Lizzie Bruce, who has been teaching at Neville this summer, returned home Friday.

Mrs. G. E. Smith has been quite sick. Mr. Ashley has moved into the house formerly occupied by Luther Snelgrove. S. R. Johnson spent a few days in Asheville recently with his son, J. V. Johnson, who is quite sick.

L. B. C.

A Remedy Without a Peer.

"I find Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets more beneficial than any other remedy I ever used for stomach trouble," says J. P. Klotz, of Edina, Mo. For any disorder of the stomach, biliousness or constipation, these Tablets are without a peer. For sale by J. W. Bell, Walhalla; W. J. Lunney, Seneca.

Twelve Killed in Wreck.

New York, September 11.—Twelve persons were killed and more than forty injured when the second car of a Ninth avenue elevated train jumped the track and fell from the structure to the street at the junction of Sixth and Ninth avenue lines at Fifty-third street and Ninth avenue early to-day. The car—the seats, aisles and platforms of which were packed with people—was turned bottom side up, its roof torn off and it was stood on end in the street. The heavy truck of another car fell upon it, crushing some of the passengers.

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Tribute of Respect.

Whereas, in the supreme wisdom of the Great Architect of the universe, it seemed good to Him to remove by death on the 19th July A. L. 5905 our beloved brother, Rev. R. L. Rogers, from the duties of the lodge on earth to the higher duties of the Supreme Lodge on high; therefore, be it resolved

1. That in the death of Brother Rogers Blue Ridge Lodge, No. 92 A. F. M., has sustained the loss of a zealous, active and useful fellow-member; the Church of Christ a devoted member and faithful minister; the State a patriotic citizen; the world at large a good man, and the Craft of Ancient Free Masonry a true and loyal brother.

2. That we cherish in our memories the zeal, devotion and loyalty of our deceased brother to the principles of our Order, the Godly and consistent Christian life that he lived, and we feel that in his death he was "a conqueror and more than a conqueror through Him that loved us, and gave himself for us."

3. That we bow our heads in sorrow at his death and tender to his widow and two little fatherless children our fraternal condolence and sympathy, and assure them that it will be our duty as also our pleasure to extend them our fraternal assistance in every time of need.

4. That a blank page in our minute book be inscribed to his memory, our hall draped in mourning for 30 days; that these resolutions be duly recorded and a copy of same furnished to his widow and our local papers for publication.

Respectfully submitted in behalf of the Lodge.
S. P. Dendy,
W. O. White,
E. S. Jones,
Committee.
Adopted September 8, 1905.