



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

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Our store will be closed Wednesday, Jan. 22, but we will be ready for you on Thursday morning, the 23d, bright and early. Watch for our ad. next week, read it, and you'll be with us as we open.

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I supply grades of Spices that are seldom handled. Goods that are not only pure, but of unusual strength and flavor. These Spices cost you little if any more than the common varieties, and are far more economical to use while giving better results. Test them during the Canning and Pickling Season. Allspice, Mixed Spices, Black and Red Pepper, Cinnamon, Cloves, Ginger, Celery and White Mustard Seed, Turmeric, Mace, etc.

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WALHALLA HOTEL.

Fire Claims Twenty in Factory.

Strassburg, Germany, Jan. 11.—Sixteen girls and four youths, from 15 to 18 years old, were burned to death at the village of Geispolsheim, near here, in a fire at Hubert Company's factory at 6 o'clock this morning. A basket of celluloid scraps caught fire from a spark and exploded in a room where 40 persons were working. The flames spread quickly, cutting off the exits. Twenty of the employees were driven by the fire to the end of the room and perished there.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

Its "Civil War" Now.

Washington, January 12.—The Senate to-day passed the general pension bill, which, if made law, will give the survivors of the civil and Mexican wars over 62 years of age \$12; 70 years of age, \$15, and those of 75 years, \$20. Senator Carmack got in an amendment to prevent pension attorneys receiving fees for securing pensions under the bill.

During the two hours' debate on the bill there was discussion as to whether the war of '61 to '65 was the "war of the rebellion" or the "civil war." It was finally decided to be the "civil war."

WESTMINSTER.

Westminster, Jan. 15.—Mrs. Martha E. Pitts, wife of Y. J. H. Pitts, died at her home, near Westminster, on January 15, in the 104th year of her age. She had been in declining health for about one year and bore her affliction with fortitude and resignation. Four children and seven grand-children survive. She was the mother of one fellow townsmen, Y. E. and Ira S. Pitts, Geo. W. Pitts, of the Southern Railway, and Mrs. E. R. Pitts. Mrs. Pitts was a native of Laurens and connected herself with the Baptist church while residing in that county. In 1876 she came with her husband and family to this county and settled about two miles above Westminster. She was kind-hearted and a woman whom everybody spoke well of and many deeply sympathize with the sorrow-stricken family in their sad bereavement. Mr. and Mrs. Pitts' married life covered a period of 64 years and in his declining years the aged husband is sadly bereaved on account of the loss of his companion. The body was interred in the town cemetery at 3 o'clock last Thursday, after appropriate funeral services, conducted by Rev. J. R. Moore, of the Baptist church, assisted by Rev. J. J. Harrell, of the Presbyterian church.

N. W. Macaulay, of Walhalla, and R. O. Garrison, of Avalon, have recently become citizens of this place. The former is the carrier on R. F. D. No. 2. The latter resides in K. W. Maret's house in East End.

Rev. Charles E. Orr, of Federalburg, Md., will be at Westminster February 9th to commence a ten days' meeting in the Mulkey store room, adjoining A. L. Dillard's store, on Main street. This meeting will be radical for the oneness of God's people and upon the New Testament line, contending for the faith once delivered to the saints. All lovers of the truth are requested and cordially invited to attend this meeting.

Seneca.

Seneca, Jan. 15.—The town council has called a citizens' meeting for Thursday night to settle the much mooted question—the park fence line. It is thought by some that "there'll be a hot time in the old town" that night. The survey of the town, which was mentioned in the Seneca correspondence last week, has been made and a census of the town will be taken at an early date as can be arranged. Bids for census taker will be received up to Friday night, when the contract will be given to the lowest bidder.

A petition is before the town council to have the Livingston hill graded and Townville street opened through to town. This, of course, will necessitate a railroad wagon bridge where the foot bridge now crosses the railroad; the suggestion being also made that a subway would be the most practical plan for crossing. These, with other signs of the times, indicate the restless, progressive spirit of the place.

The superintendent of this division of the Southern railroad was here yesterday and talked to a group of our citizens about the new depot, our mayor among them. The traveling public will be glad to learn that the depot is a certainty, the superintendent having spoken freely and unreservedly about the matter.

The quarterly meeting of the Library Association will be held on next Friday at the residence of Mrs. William Lowery. The following delightful program will be rendered:

Instrumental solo—Miss Carrie Hunter.
Vocal solo—Miss Ethel Kirkpatrick.
Reading—Mrs. E. A. Hines.
Vocal solo—Good Night, Little Girl, Good Night—W. A. Gardner.
Vocal solo—Somebody's Waiting For You—Miss May Hamilton.
Literary address—Dr. E. C. Doyle.
Vocal solo—If I Built a World for You—Miss Bug Norris.
Chorus—Messrs. Childers, Gardner, Gregory, Holland and Jones.
S. K. Dendy, Jr., with his brother, J. E. Dendy, of Hartwell, will open a general merchandise establishment here in the very near future. This will be pleasant news to Mr. Dendy's numerous friends here and in the county, who will be glad to know that he is a permanency. A year ago when Mr. Dendy withdrew from the firm Hunter, Dendy & Co., his friends were apprehensive that he might leave Seneca, but now that he has determined to locate here, we bespeak the sentiment of a community in expressing hearty wishes for his success. Mr. Dendy and his estimable wife are acquisitions to any community, taking as they always do, a lively interest in church and social affairs and indeed everything that tends to the advancement of the place. And to the junior member of the firm we extend in advance a welcome to Seneca in behalf of our citizens.

COUNTY CLAIMS AUDITED.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Board of County Commissioners, held on Friday, January 4, 1907, the following claims were passed upon:

Claim No.	In Whose Favor and Nature of the Claim.	Amount Allowed.
891	J H Vaughn, road and bridge work, Dist 35	3 00
910	W B Mengold, road work, near Whetstone	3 00
912	I W Henry, work on Sandy Ford road	4 00
917	W B Guinn, road work, Dist 43	8 85
920	M L Taylor, repairing bridge, Dist 28	1 00
975	W Y Smith, material and building bridge near Madison	6 84
989	R E Lee, work on McColl Mountain road	1 00
990	G W Leroy, burying unknown body	2 00
991	Dr J R Heller, post mortem examination	5 00
992	Dr J W Wickliffe, lunacy examination	6 00
993	Dr J W Bell, lunacy examination and vaccination	4 00
994	W S Hunter & Co., aid to soldiers	24 00
995	Newry Store, aid to soldiers	3 12
996	J A Callahan, supplies to road machine hands	10 00
997	Dr W F Austin, right of way for road	1 50
998	A M Brown, lumber for bridge	1 00
999	C W Pitchford Co., aid to soldiers, salt for poor farm	11 60
1001	W M Kay, Sheriff, disting prisoners, Oct, Nov and Dec	7 60
1002	W M Kay, Sheriff, salary December and conveying lunatic	84 85
1003	R M Davis, road and bridge work, Dist 19	10 00
1004	A S Galbreath, road and bridge work, Dist 45	30 80
1005	C R D Burns, Clerk Court, salary for year	50 00
1006	Walker, Evans & Cogswell Co., office supplies	5 00
1007	J R Watson, lumber and work on Colonel's Fork bridge	23 67
1008	R M Richardson, lumber for bridges	6 21
1009	Dr J Lesene Smith, post mortem examination	5 00
1010	W G Russell, work on road near Russell bridge	7 00
1011	J B Shirley, road work, Dist 1	18 28
1012	J H Stone, road work, Dist 12	22 25
1013	J E Mason, fees as constable	1 00
1014	W H Master, wood for office	2 00
1015	Elijah Littleton, road work, Dist 7	6 25
1016	D Alexander, Magistrate, salary fourth quarter	8 75
1017	J B Grant, Magistrate, salary fourth quarter	25 00
1018	P A Brown, Magistrate, salary for year	65 55
1019	W R Cobb, Steward, salary fourth quarter	62 60
1020	M S Cromer, road work, Dist 5	5 55
1021	Dr B F Sloan, lunacy and post mortem examinations	21 00
1022	Sam J Isbell, wood for jail	12 00
1023	D A Smith, Judge of Probate, lunacy proceedings	10 00
1024	Keowee Courier, advertising and job printing	25 87
1025	W L Harbin, Coroner, salary, stationery and postage	50 75
1026	J L McCarty, Magistrate, salary for December	2 00
1027	Ed Lewis, running Maxwell's Ferry, December	15 00
1028	W T Hubbard, repairing bridge, Dist 19	7 75
1029	J W Ables, road work, Dist 5	2 00
1030	H J Myers, road work, Dist 5	5 60
1031	W M Lemmons, salary as Magistrate and jury fees	38 65
1032	J N Hopkins, fees as constable	2 00
1033	N Phillips, Co Commissioner, salary December and stamps	8 40
1034	J R Zachary, Co Commissioner, salary December	20 83
1035	L H V Hobson, Supervisor, salary for December, stamps for year	44 68
1036	F A H Schroder, Clerk, salary fourth quarter, contingent expenses	28 90
1037	Jaynes & Shelor, attorneys in Luak vs. County	30 00
1038	R T Jaynes, county attorney, member Board of Education	121 00
1039	J N Fitzgerald, fees as constable	69 35
1040	A P Crisp, aid to soldiers, supplies to poor farm	17 90
1041	A P Crisp, Magistrate, salary fourth quarter, jury fees	32 75
1042	B M Lee, building bridges, Dist 16	1 50
1043	B M Lee, building bridges in Dist 16	20 00
1044	B M Lee, building bridges in Dist 16	2 00
1045	R J Vinson, Magistrate, salary for year	2 90
1046	J E McKern, work on roads and bridges, Seneca townships	670 80
1047	W J Schroder, County Treasurer, Court expenses—Oct and Nov terms	34 52
1048	W J Schroder, Treasurer, salary, wood and stamps—December	45 04
1049	J S Colley, Supt of Education, salary and stamps—December	44 05
1050	J P Keese, Auditor, salary December, wood and stamps for year	2 85
1051	W J Schroder, aid for supplies for Treasurer's office	50 00
1052	Chas R Phillips, bridge work, Dist 50	16 68
1053	Gus C Arve, Magistrate, salary for eight months	54 00
1054	Dr J H Moore, services as county physician, examining lunatic	60 00
1055	R S Boggs, work on Prather bridge	14 30
1056	G Jaynes, supplies to poor farm	53 00
1057	C W & J E Bauknicht, supplies to poor farm	4 00
1058	J M Brewer, road work, Dist 27	1 10
1059	Carter Hardware Co., tools for poor farm	12 75
1060	H L Verner, road work, Dist 8	40 50
1061	W B Loehr (Oconee News), advertising	1 80
1062	B Phillips, road work, near Long Creek	3 00
1063	J P Carroll, road work, Dist 5	3 00
1064	A P Tannery, road work, Dist 18	2 50
1065	J R Watson, timber for bridge	9 50
1066	B M & W L England, lumber for bridge	18 00
1067	R B Collins, lumber for Jenkins' bridge	5 00
1068	J L Bryan, work on roads and bridges	18 75
1069	J E Singleton, Magistrate, salary for nine months	1 00
1070	W A Singleton, fees as constable	16 68
1071	D V Wright, Magistrate, salary for eight months	1 10
1072	H C Harbin, fees as special constable	1 10

Note.—All claims were allowed for amount claimed, and for this reason the column "Amount claimed" is omitted. Where there is a missing claim same was laid over for investigation. L. H. V. HOBSON, Supervisor.

Seneca.

Mrs. Lee Leathers is now operator at the telephone exchange. J. G. Broascale, who has been bookkeeper in the store of W. S. Haley for the past three years, has bought a half interest in the store and is now Mr. Haley's partner. Mr. and Mrs. Ross Mitchell and babe have returned from a visit to Belton. They were accompanied home by their cousin, Ira Cox. Mrs. M. C. Barton and little son, of Piedmont, were called here last Saturday to the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Mathews.

Anthony B. Stewart and J. A. Durham spent Sunday in the Toxaway section. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Davis, of Greenville, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Davis. J. Wade Dickson grew a very prolific gourd vine last year. He counted 97 gourds on it the other day, after plucking three from it early in the fall. Little William, the nine year old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Reid, of Westminster, died on January 11 from an attack of pneumonia. He was a bright and promising youth and his death is deeply regretted by his parents, playmates and friends. A large concourse of sympathizing friends followed the remains to its resting place in the old Westminster cemetery on Saturday morning. Rev. J. J. Harrell conducted the funeral services. Frank Sheldon is back from a visit to Fair Play.

J. H. Dendy and wife, of Richland, worshipped in the Presbyterian church Sunday. J. M. Benson is back from a two weeks' visit to his old home in North Carolina. News of the death of Mrs. L. A. Mathewson, wife of the late R. A. Mathewson, Esq., at one time a leading and influential citizen of Westminster, reached here Friday morning, 11th instant. She died at the home of her son-in-law, Clifford M. Walker, in Monroe, Ga., after an illness lasting just one week. Her body arrived here Saturday morning and was carried to the home of her son-in-law, W. J. Stribling. Funeral services were held at the Baptist church at 2 o'clock, Saturday afternoon, conducted by her pastor, Rev. J. R. Moore and Rev. O. J. Copeland, pastor of the First Baptist church of Gainesville, Ga. Both ministers paid a beautiful and fitting tribute to the life of the deceased lady, and spoke comforting and consoling words to the bereaved. From the church the remains were taken to the town cemetery and laid to rest in the family plot by the side of her husband, who died September 23d, 1892, and her daughter, Marie, who died June 27, 1889. The active pall bearers were composed of six of the nephews of the deceased, as follows: Julian J. and Carl Neville, W. L. and B. M. England, Eugene Matheson and J. S. Carter. Mrs. Mathewson had just entered her 73d year, having been born November 30, 1834. She was a daughter of Josiah Carge, of Towns county, Ga. One large family of children only one, John Carter, of Gainesville, Ga., is now living. The deceased leaves four children, eighteen grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Following are the children: Mrs. Wm. J. Stribling, Westminster; Rev. S. Y. Jameson, D. D., president of Mercer University, Macon, Ga.; Mrs. J. W. Gaines, Newnan, Ga.; and Mrs. C. M. Walker, Monroe, Ga. Mrs. Stribling and Dr. Jameson are children by a former marriage, her first husband being Samuel Y. Jameson, who died at Ducktown, Tenn., and was buried at Hiwassee, Ga. Mrs. Mathewson was a sincere Christian, a faithful member of the Baptist church, and the cause of Christ always lay close to her heart. She leaves behind her a record of faithful service in the Master's cause, covering a period of sixty years. She deserves honorable mention among the women who lent a helping hand in building and sustaining the church militant. Coming to Westminster when the town was in its infancy, Mrs. Mathewson possessed a multitude of friends, who will always cherish her memory for her loving deeds of sacrifice and love. The floral offerings were beautiful and complete. Among the flowers sent was a handsome gift from the faculty of Mercer University, representing the "gates ajar." This handsome collection of flowers cost fifty dollars, we are told. The students of Mercer sent a beautiful wreath, as did also friends and relatives at Monroe, Atlanta, Gainesville and Asheville. All the children attended the funeral except Mrs. Walker, who came as far as Gainesville and was too unwell to complete the journey.

The thirteenth annual meeting of the stockholders of the Peden & Anderson Banking Co. was held yesterday. The bank is in fine shape under the capable and efficient management of its president, W. P. Anderson, and its cashier, T. Peden Anderson, who look well to the things of our town relating to banking and finance. The present board of directors and the former officers were re-elected and the bank has entered the fourteenth year with a bright outlook.

We went around to see T. M. Lowery's new feed and sales stables a few days ago. The building is 30x100 feet, built of concrete blocks and is substantial and very pretty. Mr. Lowery has just received a car load of fine Kentucky mules and is ready for a swap or sale. He also keeps on hand wagons, buggies, harness and all kinds of modern and labor-saving farming implements. J. M. Morgan is in charge of Mr. Lowery's business at Westminster and would be pleased for you to call around.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets, Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25 cents.

Connerses Locals.

Connerses, January 15.—The health of the people is very good at this writing, with the exception of some few cases of the grip. The weather is fine—the warm sun, the singing of the birds and the "gee" and "haw" of the busy farmer makes one think of the beautiful spring time.

Rev. J. H. Ayers filled his regular appointment Sunday at this place. He preached a very interesting sermon to an attentive congregation. We notice some of the old bachelors visiting in our community. Lookout, girls. Some of them will persuade you to go West. Connerses.

How to Cure Chills as.

"To enjoy freedom from chills," writes John Kemp, East Otisfield, Me., "I apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Have also used it for salt rheum with excellent results." Guaranteed to cure fever sores, indolent ulcers, piles, burns, wounds, frost bites and skin diseases. 25 cents at all druggists.

The store room of S. W. Dickson is nearing completion.

It will be occupied by the Sheldon Furniture Company. A. L. Gossett.