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HERE, THERE AND YONDER.

Bill's elected. Hurray for Bill! We just knew he would be.

"Smile, you!" There will be other elections and more opportunities to contribute.

If it were left to settle the matter by the old saw, "Every man for himself and the devil take the hinder most," WHERE WOULD WE BE AT?

Well, since the Democratic party has lost again, it is consoling to know that, though we would have enjoyed prosperity more under Democratic rule, still we will have prosperity in spite of the Republican party.

President Roosevelt has issued his proclamation setting aside Thursday, November 26th, as a day of thanksgiving and rest. His long proclamation indicates that, since he is still the Chief Executive, he firmly believes the country has much to be thankful for.

"Georgia cannot hereafter be counted in with the Solid South," says Tom Watson. "I don't expect to be President; I don't expect to carry Georgia; but I do expect to put Georgia hereafter forever in the doubtful column." If Mr. Watson should succeed in carrying out his purpose, what has he gained? If he has been in the frying pan, what does he expect to gain by getting into the fire? Yet we still believe that Georgia is a greater State than Watson is a man. Georgia will hereafter be found, as heretofore, counted with the "Solid South."

We direct special attention to Mr. Bryan's great lecture, "The Prince of Peace," which is published in full in The Courier this week. It is a long article. It is true, but every line contains something that is the part of a great and fundamental truth. It is worth the time of every Christian to read, and receive therefrom strength; it would be well for every skeptic to read it carefully and ponder it well, for in it is argument and persuasive thought that must tend to spread light in dark places. For beauty of thought and soundness of argument it commends itself to us as a masterpiece.

Shorter Hours in Shops.

Augusta, Nov. 1.—Beginning with to-day there went into effect generally among the men in the Georgia Railroad shops an eight hour schedule. This affects a large number of men. None of the men are being laid off and this plan was adopted in order to keep up a full force.

Policeman Shoots Burglar.

Greenville, Nov. 3.—Policeman H. Rector shot and almost instantly killed a negro at the Southern depot Sunday morning about 9.20 o'clock. The negro was resisting arrest and had attempted to stab the officer, cutting his coat in several places. The negro's name was Manning, and he was wanted on a charge of burglary.

Mrs. William Astor Dead.

New York, Oct. 31.—Mrs. William Astor, who for thirty years has been regarded as a social leader in New York, died last night of heart disease at her home in Fifth avenue. For nearly four weeks Mrs. Astor, who was 82 years of age, had been critically ill.

Twenty-Six Held for Night Riding.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 3.—Twenty-six men in Craighead county, arrested for night riding, have been held for the grand jury in bonds of \$860. A special session of court convenes on November 9th to try the cases.

Mad Dog Bit Seven.

Hartwell, Ga., Nov. 3.—Three of the children of James Ed. Vickery were bitten by a mad dog Saturday afternoon. The same dog bit Jack Stewart and three of his children. The dog was killed and his head sent to Atlanta for investigation.

Spartanburg Veteran Dead.

Spartanburg, Oct. 31.—J. P. Mullinax, aged 68 years, died yesterday morning at 4 o'clock at his home, corner South Church and Broad streets, after an illness of several days. Mr. Mullinax served through the Civil war as a member of the Talmetto Sharpshooters, and was one of the most highly esteemed citizens of Spartanburg county.

Costly Hallowe'en Fire.

Belton, Texas, Nov. 2.—Fire started by Hallowe'en roysterers late Saturday night totally destroyed the Belter, compress and 10,000 bales of cotton. The loss will exceed \$250,000, which is covered by insurance. Twenty residences were damaged by the fire and water, and seventeen loaded freight cars burned, which will increase the total by \$10,000.

FACTS FROM FAIR PLAY.

Sad Death of Mrs. Cole—Brilliant Hallowe'en Party—Personals.

Fair Play, Nov. 2.—Special: One of the most brilliant social events of the season was the Hallowe'en party given by Miss Anna Marette on Saturday evening, October 31st, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Leathers and Mr. and Mrs. Miles Davis, both newly married couples. Fully 100 Hallowe'en post cards were sent out several days prior to the party, upon which the most comical invitations were written, viz.: "Your spirit is requested to be present at the annual convention of ghosts to be held this year at the home of Miss Anna Marette on Hallowe'en eve. "Come prepared to hear your doom, and wear mask and pillowslip. All who come unmasked will pay a fine.

"Mr. and Mrs. Sam Leathers. "Mr. and Mrs. Miles Davis." About sixty people responded to these unique invitations, the majority of whom constituted the young ladies of Miss Anna's Philathea class and the young men of Mrs. W. L. Dobbs' Baraca class. At an early hour the doors of this brilliantly lighted home were thrown open, admitting a throng of closely masked people, who assembled in the halls up and down stairs, in the parlor, "making night hideous" with their chattering voices, each one vying with the other as to "who was who" and making all sorts of gestures, disguising themselves almost beyond recognition. The three witches, impersonated by Mrs. W. L. Dobbs, Miss Anna Marette and Mrs. K. W. Marette, were closely gowned in dark black costumes, wearing black funnel shaped caps and black masques—horrid looking creatures—making one feel that he had suddenly fallen into Purgatory itself.

The parlor was lovely in its decorations of trailing ivy, which hung in festoons around the entire ceiling, making a striking contrast with the white moire papered walls. Weird looking black cats adorned the rooms and seemed to look down upon the assemblage in a most gruesome manner. From every nook and corner large yellow pumpkins, lighted with candles, shed a soft, mellow light over the masquerade. Upstairs was a veritable forest; the floors were covered with nature's own carpet made of autumn leaves. In a remote corner, and in a typical Indian wigwam, sat Miss Dollie Knox as an Indian fortune teller. By her side stood little Miss Pauline Marette in a snow-white costume with silver trimmings, representing a little fairy. In her hand she held a snowy wand. Many sought the abode of Madame Fortune Teller, eager to hear their doom, which she lost no time in telling by the cards which lay in her hand. On their way the thirsty travelers refreshed themselves at the "spring," where cooling draughts of locust beer—"not water"—was handed out by a little "imp" in the person of C. D. Marette. This was artistically arranged in one corner of the hall, upstairs, under a large tree of autumn leaves. Gourds were used for holding the beer. Willie Whitworth acted his part well as clown, and the little imp furnished untold fun for the crowd.

Upon the parlor floor all were seated, and when the signal was given for the masks to be removed, roars of laughter ascended through the house and far out into the beautiful moonlight night. Dainty refreshments were served, consisting of the following menu:

Resurrected from the Past—Sandwiches.

Seeds of Evil—Baked cored apples.

Liquid Fire—Black coffee with whipped cream.

Devils' and Angels' Food—Devil and angel cake.

At a late hour the guests reluctantly departed, each bidding the fair young hostess good-night, with many thanks for her gracious hospitality.

We were glad to see the genial face of Auditor Grubbs, of Walhalla, at the Hallowe'en party Saturday night; also Mrs. K. W. Marette and Miss Ethel Marette, of Westminster.

Miss Cordelia Bearden visited homefolks at Oakway the week-end. Allen R. Marette and Dr. J. R. Heller are attending court at Walhalla this week.

Quite a crowd attended the "Lecture on Woodcraft" at the academy on Saturday night.

The many friends of Larkin Cole and family deeply sympathize with them in the sad death of Mrs. Cole, which occurred at their home near Townville last Thursday. Mrs. Cole was almost entirely blind, and in attempting to kindle a fire in some way her clothing became ignited and before help could reach her she was burned so badly that death soon relieved her most intense sufferings. A good woman has gone to her reward.

Miss Dollie Knox is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. H. Harries.

School at this place opened up fairly well on October 26th, with Prof. H. H. Brunson, of Orangeburg, as principal, and Miss Cordelia Bearden, assistant. Both teachers come to us highly recommended and we bespeak a liberal patronage and a hearty support. F. B. W.

What Would You Do?

In case of a burn or scald what would you do to relieve the pain? Such injuries are liable to occur in any family and everyone should be prepared for them. Chamberlain's Salve applied on a soft cloth will relieve the pain almost instantly, and unless the injury is a very severe one, will cause the parts to heal without leaving a scar. For sale by Dr. J. W. Bell, Walhalla; W. J. Lunney, Seneca.

Snow at Cashier's.

(Ar'erson Mail, Nov. 2.) Hon. John K. Hood, who has just returned from a short stay at Cashier's Valley, N. C., about 35 miles beyond Walhalla, says the late summer visitors and the residents of the resort were treated to a novel scene last Thursday when a flurry of snow began to fall. The flakes came down thick and fast for a time, but the ground was too warm, and the snow melted.

WASHINGTON BOYS CHOSEN.

Hemingway and Webb Pass Examination as Revenue Service Cadets.

(Washington Star.) Two Washington boys, H. G. Hemingway of 28 I street, northeast, and J. R. Webb, of 1117 S. street, northwest, were among nine who successfully passed the recent examination for appointment as cadets in the revenue cutter service and who will be sent to the school of instruction at Arundel Cove, near Baltimore, to complete the course required preparatory to receiving commissions in the service.

Hemingway stands first among the successful candidates. Webb is sixth.

The examination for cadetships in the revenue cutter service was held in various cities throughout the country in the latter part of last August. It was only this week that the board having the examination of the papers in hand completed its task and announced the names of those who had won the coveted honor.

Other successful candidates are Wm. C. Gardner, of Philadelphia; R. L. Lucas, New York city; C. E. Ansett, Easton, Pa.; R. E. Messersmith, Fleetwood, Pa.; F. E. Nichols, of Michigan; A. G. Rudd, New York city; F. A. Zscheuschler, Baltimore.

These men during the next few days will receive their appointments as cadets. Orders to report at the school of instruction at Arundel Cove will be sent them at the same time.

After completing a three-year course of study they will be appointed third lieutenants in the service and will be embarked on their careers.

It will be interesting to people of Oconee county to know that Mr. Webb is a son of Mrs. L. R. Webb, of Washington, D. C., she being a daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Jas. T. Reid who reside on Keowee river. Mr. Webb is now eighteen years of age. He was born in this county, at Capt. Reid's home, and spent several months the past year with his grandparents. Mrs. Webb moved to Washington fifteen years ago, taking her young son with her. He is now 5 feet 6 inches tall, weighs 150 pounds and was the smallest of the competitors in the examination. We congratulate our young friend on his success.

A Sure-Enough Knock'er.

J. C. Goodwin, of Reidsville, N. C., says: "Bucklen's Arnica Salve is a sure-enough knock'er for ulcers. A bad one came on my leg last summer, but that wonderful salve knocked it out in a few rounds. Not even a scar remained." Guaranteed for piles, sores, burns, etc. 25c. at all drug stores.

Help for Aged Ministers.

We are requested by Miss Shelor, State Leader of the International Sunshine Society, to announce that one of her sunshiners, Mrs. E. D. Wells, Leed's, S. C., wife of Rev. E. D. Wells, of the Baptist church, paints lovely post cards and sells them to help the aged ministers' fund of her church. You send \$1 to Mrs. Wells, sell the cards she sends, return her fifty cents and give the rest to aged ministers' fund. Mrs. Wells helps "shut-ins" in the same way.

SPECIAL SHOE SALE AT NORMAN'S.

Closing out a lot of Women's Shoes at \$1 per pair, worth \$1.50.

Men's and Children's Shoes also at equal reduction.

Bargains in all kinds of goods.

Don't miss a good opportunity.

NORMAN COMPANY, WALHALLA, S. C.

MILLINERY!

My line of Millinery is of the latest. I go to market several times during season and keep in touch with the latest styles. This enables me to keep in touch also with any bargains that may be offered in the markets. We feel sure we can make it to your interest to see our line before you buy.

R. CALLOWAY & CO. Westminister, S. C.

NOVEMBER SPECIAL

Just in from Factory. Big lot of LADIES' and MISSES' COAT SUITS. The very Latest Things from New York. If you will come at once we can fit you.

Millinery, Millinery.

By all means see our Millinery. We have the very best assortment and our prices are the lowest that can be named considering style and workmanship. We are more than anxious to please you.

Ladies' and Misses' Coat Suits and Skirts.

We will have in by express this week another lot of Ladies' Coat Suits. Our line is grand and the way we are selling them is wonderful. If you want a Suit, Skirt or Coat better not buy until you see ours.

Just received 100 Cloaks that we will close out at 60c. on the \$1. This is a bargain right.

Dress Goods.

Our line is complete in every way. We have all the new weaves in Shadows, Stripes, Browns, Blues, Reds, and also all the newest things in Silks.

SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK.

One case of Flannellettes, worth 10c., only 7 1-2c.

One case of Blue Cheviot, worth and bringing 10c., only 7c. Don't miss this.

One case of Outing, black and white only, worth 10c. everywhere; we are putting them on the table at 5c., and you had better come quick.

Men's, Boy's and Children's Clothing.

We have the greatest bargains in Clothing ever shown in Seneca.

We are selling those new Brown Suits that are bringing \$16.50 on the market, for \$11.50.

Our \$8.50 Suits are worth and bringing \$12.50 elsewhere. We can fit you in anything up to a 48.

Our line of Young Men's Suits are beautifully tailored and very swell. Others get \$15 for what we are selling for \$10.

In Boys' Two-Piece Suits our line is great. From \$1.50 to \$7.50 you can get your boy a suit here that will please you both.

Pants.--NOW LOOK--Pants.

Did any one say Pants? Well, we've got them. Wonders will never cease. We don't understand ourselves how we bought them so cheap. They are half-price and less, beautifully tailored, elegant goods—nothing cheap about them but the price. We have all sizes.

Shoes, Shoes, Shoes.

Patrician for Ladies. Crossett's and Hamilton Brown for everybody. You can't make a mistake here if you tried.

Furniture.

If you want a Suit of Furniture we have it. If you want a Rocker or Set of Dining Chairs, Table or Bedstead, Iron or Oak, or a Mattress or Chiffonier, Book Case or Writing Desk, Dining Table, Folding Lounge or anything kept in a first-class Furniture Store, we have it, and will sell cheaper than you can get it anywhere else. We have the goods and the prices. Can't you do the rest?

J. H. ADAMS, Seneca, S. C.