

Christmas Goods Here.

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Big Line of Fireworks. Toys! Toys! A Wonderland at

NORMAN'S STORE.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

—Bargains in our big 'line of Xmas goods and toys. Norman's.

—Lucien Maxwell, of Donalds, spent several days here last week visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. G. K. Maxwell.

—For Sale—Lot of fine 1-year-old Pecan trees; splendid variety; fine flavored nuts. Apply to C. B. Oehning, Walhalla. 51*

—There will be a special Christmas service on December 26th, with holy communion, at the Lutheran church. A cordial invitation to all.

—For Sale—Scotch Collie pups; males and females. Cheap. See them at my home. Sam J. Isbell, Walhalla, S. C., R. F. D. No. 1.

—Rev. J. G. Law will preach at Fairview at 11 o'clock a. m., and at Old Pickens at 3.30 o'clock p. m., next Sunday. Cordial invitation is extended to all to attend both these services.

—A special Christmas exercise in connection with a Christmas tree will be given at the Lutheran church on Christmas evening by the Sunday school. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

—Buy your Christmas dainties at Carter & Co.'s. Everything nice and fresh.

—Geo. M. Ansel left last Sunday for Charleston, where he will be for several days. He is there as a representative from Blue Ridge Lodge, No. 92, A. F. M., to the Masonic Grand Lodge.

—F. B. Johnson & Co., Seneca, have a new ad in this issue. Give the same a careful reading. At their store you will find everything nice for Christmas. They are selling Cape Cod cranberries at only 15c. quart.

—Useful and ornamental presents, toys, etc., at Bell's. Call and examine his line. See them before you buy.

—Jas. P. Carey, Jr., of Pickens, spent last Wednesday in Walhalla on business. He is a son of Hon. J. P. Carey, well known to the people of Oconee as one of the leading lawyers of the South Carolina bar. Young Mr. Carey is a veritable "chip off the old block."

—Miss M. J. Garver, of Hamilton, Ohio, arrived in Walhalla last Wednesday and will spend some time here visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Steck, at the home of Mrs. R. L. Rogers, on Faculty Hill. Miss Garver spent several weeks here among relatives about twenty years ago.

—Just arrived at Norman's drug store an elegant line of candies, stationery, perfumes, soaps, toilet powders, tooth brushes and preparations.

—Yesterday Rev. J. G. Law received a telegram from Anderson announcing the death of Mr. Buchanan, an aged member of Dr. Law's congregation at Mount Zion, in Anderson county. Mr. Buchanan was past 80 years of age and a staunch member of the church. He was born in Ireland, but had lived in America since early life.

—Dr. Probst's dental office at residence, Norman building, Main street.

—On Monday night of next week, December 20th, Walhalla Lodge, No. 67, K. of P., will hold its annual election of officers for the year 1910. This will be the last regular meeting of this year, the meeting for the 27th having been called in. All members should attend promptly and take an active interest in the choosing of officers.

—Santa Claus is making his headquarters at B. J.'s drug store. Why? Because he can get everything nice there, and at reasonable prices.

—The many friends of J. Russell Wright will regret to learn that he will leave Oconee about January 1st to make his home in Greenwood county. Mr. Wright is a Confederate veteran and a Southern patriot of the old school, and has frequently given the readers of The Courier war stories of interest. He will carry with him the best wishes of the many friends he has made during his residence in Oconee for several years.

—The most elegant line of package, candles shown in Walhalla at cut prices. Arrived fresh to-day, at Norman's.

—Rev. R. L. Duffie and wife have recently returned to Oconee from Lancaster, where they resided for some time, and in the future they will be at home to their friends at Westminster. In a letter to us Rev. Mr. Duffie closes with the remark, "There is no place I like quite so well as Oconee, where I lived so long and preached so much over the county." He and his good wife are most cordially welcomed back to our midst.

—Wanted—White girl as house-keeper and cook; to go to Atlanta; good wages. Address "S." care of The Courier. 50*

—Rev. J. C. Yongue returned Monday evening from Annual Conference. He has been transferred from Walhalla to Pickens, where his work will be for the future. The fact of his removal from the work he is deeply regretted by his congregation and our people in general. During the past three years he has made hosts of friends among us, and his work has been well done. He will carry with him the best wishes of all our people.

—Raisins, currants, citron, and fruit cake necessities at Carter & Company's. See their line.

—Oranges, bananas, dates, coconuts, cranberries, etc., at Carter's.

—Lee Gallard, of Newry, is visiting at the home of J. C. Rochester.

—Mrs. C. G. Jaynes, Miss Julia Maxwell and Mrs. C. H. Humphries spent yesterday in Anderson shopping.

—All our fine Japanese china and cut glass at cost. Norman.

—L. A. Brennecke, of Greenwood, spent Sunday here with his mother and sister, and among numerous friends.

—Mrs. Rosa Fahnestock left last week for Savannah, where she will spend the winter with relatives and friends. Her many Walhalla friends wish her a pleasant stay.

—Now is the time to get your magazines renewed. See L. E. Beard for best prices. 51

—Rev. J. B. Tramel will preach at Bethlehem next Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and at Village Creek station at 3 o'clock p. m. Public cordially invited.

—Rev. L. C. Douthit is conducting a meeting at Oak Grove school house this week. Services at 7.15 p. m. The meeting will continue through Sunday. Public cordially invited.

—There will be fancy work and articles for Christmas presents for sale at Miss Hannah Burs' millinery store Thursday and Friday, December 16th and 17th.

—Rev. F. H. Pressley will preach at Welcome Wesleyan church next Saturday at 7.30 o'clock p. m. and on Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. All members urged to attend these services.

—Wm. Rieble returned Monday from Greenville, where he had been for some days engaged in making a large ice chest for G. R. Carter, who is in business in Greenville for the present.

—Everything for Christmas at Dr. Bell's drug store. Call and see for yourself.

—Rev. R. R. Doyle, who has been returned to his former work in this county, will preach at Double Springs next Sunday morning, and at Laurel Springs in the afternoon. Public cordially invited to attend.

—Rev. R. R. Doyle returned last night from the Annual Conference. He is pleased at his return to the Walhalla Circuit, and his members, we understand, are indeed glad to have him for another year. He has done a good work during 1909.

—Fresh line of Christmas candles at Carter & Co.'s. Get your fruits from them. Price always the lowest.

—Owing to the inclement weather last Sunday very few attended the meeting at Ebenezer church and no Sunday school was organized. An effort will be made next Sunday to organize the school, and everybody interested is urged to attend and assist in the organization. Everybody will be cordially welcomed. The meeting will be held next Sunday, the 19th, at 3 o'clock p. m.

—Married, at the residence of Ellihugh Miller, about six miles north of Walhalla, at 12 o'clock m., on Sunday, December 12th, by John F. Craig, Clerk of Court, Miss Hassie Nichols and R. A. Nichols. Only the members of the immediate families were present. The bride is the youngest daughter of James Nichols, and the groom a well known farmer and business man of Oconee county. They have the best wishes of many friends.

—Dr. Thos. G. C. Fahnestock, dentist, will be in his office every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

—On Tuesday, December 21st, at 10 a. m., I will sell, at the Methodist parsonage, Walhalla, 1 piano, 1 organ, 1 buggy, harness, saddle, wheelbarrow, garden tools, safe, bedsteads, mattresses, sewing machine, etc., etc. This sale is to avoid trouble and expense in moving. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Will sell any of the above articles during the interval between now and December 21st at private sale. Many of above articles as good as new. J. C. Yongue.

—A lot of community and sterling silver to go at cost at Norman's.

—Last Wednesday evening, at the home of Mrs. G. K. Maxwell, Chas. B. Humphries and Miss Olive Maxwell were married, the event being a complete surprise to their numerous friends. Rev. Geo. M. Wilcox, of the Presbyterian church, performed the ceremony, which took place in the parlor of the Maxwell home, in the presence of members of the immediate families of the bride and groom and a few of their intimate friends. Mr. and Mrs. Humphries are receiving the good wishes and congratulations of their numerous friends here. Mr. Humphries is a young business man of Walhalla, having established a business here a little more than a year ago, shortly after his removal from Spartanburg county. He is a young man of ability and sterling worth, and we congratulate him on winning the hand and heart of his charming bride, who as Miss Olive Maxwell was one of our most popular young ladies. She is the youngest daughter of Mrs. G. K. Maxwell, and has been prominent in all social affairs among the younger members of Walhalla's social circle. Mr. and Mrs. Humphries have the sincere best wishes of hosts of friends here and elsewhere, with whom we heartily join in wishing the fullest measure of happiness and prosperity in life's journey.

—Jas. M. Moss, general insurance. Office over Pitchford's store, next to Dr. Thomson's office.

—Christmas goods are now being opened at Bell's. Complete line ever brought to Walhalla.

—Married, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Morton, about two miles west of Walhalla, by John F. Craig, Clerk of Court, on Sunday, December 12th, at 10 o'clock a. m., Miss Easter Morton and Samuel Chapman, of Autun, Anderson county. The bride is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Morton and is a young lady of many lovable traits of character. Mr. Chapman is the third son of Samuel Chapman, of Anderson county. At the ceremony the bride wore a beautiful dress of white silk, the groom wearing the customary black suit. Only a few friends and the members of the families of the contracting parties were present.

—Go to W. M. Brown, Walhalla, for lime, cement and roofing—best grades.

—At the Coroner's inquest last night nothing definite was accomplished in the inquiry into the death of Robert C. Emerson. One juror was absent and a number of witnesses summoned did not appear. All jurors last night were required to enter into bond for their appearance at the Court House next Tuesday evening, as were also all the witnesses who appeared last night, and the absent ones will be required, as soon as located, to enter recognizances for their appearance at the inquest next Tuesday. From numerous circumstances and indications it is thought decidedly doubtful that Mr. Emerson fell from the Blue Ridge trestle and was killed, and it is thought much more probable that he was killed by some party or parties and his body placed there. Mr. Emerson is said to have left home with something like \$60 in his pockets and when his body was found there was only about \$3. He had, however, paid his taxes (about \$4.85), and that is the only evidence of any money spent by him, except that he was drinking, and probably left some of his change with the blind tiger. He left home with the intention of paying his taxes and two bills, and we are informed that neither of the bills was paid.

—Dr. J. W. Bell is opening up a full line of Christmas goods. You can find presents here for all occasions and to suit all pocket books.

A sprained ankle will usually disable the injured person for three or four weeks. This is due to lack of proper treatment. When Chamberlain's Liniment is applied a cure may be effected in three or four days. This liniment is one of the best and most remarkable preparations in use. Sold by J. W. Bell, Walhalla; C. W. Wickliffe, West Union.

The Methodist Church.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening, December 15th, 7 p. m. Let everybody come who can.

The out-going pastor will preach his farewell sermon at the Methodist church next Sunday, December 19, at 11 a. m. Everybody invited.

The incoming pastor, Rev. E. A. Driggers, of Hampton Avenue church, Greenville, will preach his introductory sermon on the first Sunday in January at 11 a. m. Give him a packed house. There will not be any break in the services at all. J. C. Yongue.

New Odd Fellow Officers.

At the regular meeting of Oconee Lodge, No. 64, I. O. O. F., held last night, the following officers were elected to serve during the year 1910:

Noble Grand—R. W. Grubbs. Vice Grand—J. R. Earle. Secretary—Anton Gerber. Treasurer—F. A. H. Schroder. Outside Guardian—D. A. Smith. Trustees—W. D. Moss, J. W. Lee and Hayne G. Jones.

The installation will take place on the first Tuesday night in January, at which time the appointive offices will be filled.

If you are suffering from biliousness, constipation, indigestion, chronic headache, invest one cent in a postal card, send to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, with your name and address plainly on the back, and they will forward you a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Sold by The Seneca Pharmacy; L. C. Martin, Clemson College.

Liquor House Drops Appeal.

(The State, 12th.)

The Big Springs Distilling Company has abandoned its appeal on the judgment of the dispensary commission and will accept the payment of \$5,515.79 and not contest the overcharge account alleged by the commission, which amounts to \$25,006.78 and was charged off by the commission. The official notice of this decision by the distilling company was received by the Attorney General yesterday, and as the appeal has been abandoned the original decision of the commission will stand. The firm will receive the \$5,515.79 and thus close up the matter.

The Attorney General has received no intimations of other firms abandoning the appeals, but it is believed that several of those interested will also give up their appeal and submit to the findings of the commission.

A Card of Thanks.

Seneca, Dec. 13.—Editor Keewee Courier: Permit me to tender, through the columns of your most valuable paper, my sincerest thanks to the many kind friends who have so kindly aided me in my recent trouble, and above all, do I thank them for their tender sympathy and gentle deeds extended to the one so dear to my heart and her infant children. May He who said, "Inasmuch as you have done it unto one of the least of these you have done it unto me," bless and reward them all in this world and in the brighter one to come, where sorrow and affliction are unknown. Yours respectfully, D. Hunt.

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What Kind of Fence He Prefers!

He will tell you the kind Matheson sells. Yes, you can get it in Westminster from "Matheson." He does not only furnish Fence in large quantities to the people of Oconee County, but also sells in big quantities Building Material, such as Windows, Doors, Blinds, Lime, Cement, Locks, Hinges, Nails, Terra Cotta Pipe. (Five Car Loads Windows and Doors Sold by Us this Season.) THIS SHOWS YOU WE MOST CERTAINLY HAVE THE RIGHT PRICE.

AGENTS FOR OLIVER CHILLED PLOWS, AVERY STEEL WALKING AND DISC PLOWS. MACHINERY SUPPLIES. PAINTS. CORN SHELLERS. WE HAVE THE GOODS, AND DON'T INTEND TO KEEP THEM. THEY ARE FOR YOU. WE DIVIDE PROFITS WITH YOU.

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All Manner of Table and Other Cutlery.

If there is one thing on earth we pride ourselves on more than another, it is our large and complete assortment of Cutlery, consisting of Carving Sets, Table Knives and Forks, Bread Knives, Meat Knives, Razors, Pocket Knives, in fact, everything in this line your home might need. We know comparison will prove to you conclusively that this store offers you the best obtainable for the least money. Won't you kindly call and inspect the line?

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Farms! Farms! Farms!

FOR SALE—55 acre Farm, about 3 miles out on Tamassee road; 10 acres good bottom; 20 acres upland; all in good state of cultivation; balance of tract in woods and pasture; two very good houses and outbuildings.

FOR SALE—54 acres, on Salem road, about 4 1/2 miles from West Union; only 6 acres in cultivation, balance of tract heavily timbered.

FOR SALE—100 acres, on Westminster road, about 1 1/2 miles from Walhalla; good 2-horse farm open, in high state of cultivation; 4-room house and all necessary outbuildings; also fine pasture.

FOR SALE—60 acres, on Westminster road, with good one-horse farm open; 5-room house and all out-buildings; about 2 1/2 miles from Walhalla.

If you want to buy a Farm, NOW IS YOUR CHANCE. In any of the above tracts I can give you a bargain. Call and look over my large list of Farms and Town Property, and I will save you dollars when you buy.

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Remember

THAT MY THREE-GIFT CONTEST WILL CLOSE NEXT WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15th.

Have you fitted yourself out in all the necessities of the season, such as Clothing, Hats, Shoes, Heavy Underwear, etc.? If you have not be sure and see me before you buy, for I keep the snappiest line of Gent's Furnishings in the upper part of the State. With every dollar you spend with me, from now until Dec. 15th, you get a chance at the three handsome prizes I am going to give away ABSOLUTELY FREE.

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