

NEW YEAR GIFTS.

A pretty line for all occasions—Fine Box Candies, China, Glass, Silver Novelties, Stationery, Perfumes, Frames and Mirrors.

Norman's Two Stores.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

—A nice assortment of fancy and plain lamps at Norman's.

—Chas. S. Reid, of Woodbury, Ga., spent Christmas here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Reid.

—Miss Helen Fant, of Anderson, is spending a few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Fant.

—Miss Bessie Ross, of Belton, is spending the holidays with her sister, Miss Lillie Ross, on Faculty Hill.

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

—W. L. Ballenger, who is attending the Atlanta College of Physicians and Surgeons, spent Monday in Walhalla with friends.

—John G. Law, of Savannah, spent Christmas here with his father and sister, Rev. John G. Law and Mrs. Mary Montgomery.

—Sidney Adams left Saturday afternoon to spend a day or two with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Adams, at Rock Hill.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Perry, of Greenville, spent a few days last week here with Capt. and Mrs. S. K. Dendy, and among numerous friends.

—You will think it impossible. It does seem incredible. Southern Utility Company, Walhalla, S. C.

—William Verner, who is attending the Atlanta College of Physicians, is spending the holidays in Walhalla with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Verner.

—Misses Lola Kaufmann, Gussie DuPre, Frances Stribling, Irene Strother, Gertrude Biemann and Pauline Hughs are home from Winthrop for the holidays.

—Rev. Geo. M. Wilcox spent Christmas in Anderson with his mother, who is spending some time at the home of her father, Capt. G. F. Colley, who is quite ill.

—Charles Linstedt, of Seneca, spent Christmas with his half sisters, the Misses Stucke, of near West Union. He has numerous friends here who are always glad to welcome him to Walhalla.

—A pretty line glassware, photo frames and mirrors at Norman's.

—Wilborn Pearson, of West Union, left Sunday for Atlanta, where he has secured with one of the lumber manufacturing plants of that city. We wish him much success in his new field.

—Robert T. Keys, of Charleston, is spending the Christmas and New Year holidays at the home of his grandfather, Col. Robert A. Thompson, near town. His many friends are pleased to meet him again.

—Married, December 22d, at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. D. Littleton, of Salem, Rufus Bryant, of Oconee, and Miss Ella Chapman, of Pickens county. Many friends wish for the young couple a long and happy life.

—Mrs. Laura Dodd, of West Union, left last Wednesday for Birmingham, Ala., where she will spend some time visiting her daughter, Mrs. Patrick McAllister. Mrs. Dodd will probably remain in Birmingham for some months.

—Look out for it in the near future. Teachers, doctors, lawyers, fathers, mothers and all will read it over and over—then act. Southern Utility Co., Walhalla, S. C.

—Miss Maggie Hall and Lawrence Eaton were married December 25th, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. J. A. Bond. There are many friends to congratulate and extend best wishes to them.

—Mason C. Seaborn, of Pell City, Ala., and W. E. Seaborn, of Kosciusko, Miss., spent Christmas here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Seaborn, and among their many friends, who are always delighted to welcome them to their old home.

—Miss Ella Harper is spending the holidays with her folks at Fountain Inn, and Miss Clara Rasor is with her parents at Donalds. Misses Harper and Rasor are teachers in the Walhalla Graded Schools, and their many friends wish for them a pleasant and profitable vacation.

—Of vital interest to every school teacher in the county. Let not one miss it. Southern Utility Company, Walhalla, S. C.

—Frank E. Harrison, Jr., of Columbia, and Lewis C. Harrison, of Clemson College, spent Christmas here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Harrison. During the absence of Mr. Adams from his duties at the depot Lewis Harrison filled his place acceptably to the patrons of the road.

—Last week L. B. Shockley, who has been an employee of the Brown Lumber Company, of West Union, for six years, severed his connection with that concern and left on Sunday for Atlanta, where he will take up work with one of the large lumber plants of that city. We wish him much success in his new position.

—E. M. Edgens, of Columbia, is home with his family again. He is having lumber hauled to his farm, about sixteen miles out, where he will erect a dwelling and other buildings necessary for the raising of poultry and stock. He informs us that it is his intention to engage extensively in the raising of fine poultry, stock and fruits. He has a good farm and a good locality for such an enterprise, and we wish him success in his undertaking.

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

—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Humphries visited relatives in Greenville the past week.

—L. S. Maxwell, of Donalds, is visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. G. K. Maxwell.

—Dr. D. P. Thomson, of Seneca, was among his Walhalla friends for a short while last Wednesday.

—Hon. J. E. Boggs, of Pickens, was in Walhalla on business and pleasure last Wednesday and Thursday.

—When the opportunity is offered, do not delay. Delay is dangerous. Southern Utility Co., Walhalla, S. C.

—Norton Stribling, of Clemson, spent the holidays with his parents, Major and Mrs. W. J. Stribling, near town.

—Rev. D. P. Bearden will preach at Pleasant Ridge Baptist church on the second Sunday in January at 11 o'clock.

—Gustav Hoffmeyer, of Florence, spent a few days in Walhalla recently visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Brandt.

—Mrs. Ella R. Holliman, of Batesburg, is spending a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Reid.

—Warren A. Smith, of Westminster, spent Christmas here with relatives and friends, returning to his home Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hughs, of South Union, are spending the holidays near Walhalla with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Hughs.

—Big line new goods for New Year to arrive at Norman's.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jas. T. Wilson, who have been spending several months in Charleston, returned to Walhalla last week, to the delight of their many friends.

—Oconee Lodge, No. 64, I. O. O. F., will install officers next Tuesday night, the 4th. All members are urged to be present. The lodge starts the new year under very flattering auspices.

—Married, at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. J. A. Bond, near Walhalla, on Wednesday, December 22, at 3 o'clock p. m., Miss Roxie Grant, of Westminster, and Arthur Milton, of Bessemer City, N. C.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Badger and children spent the Christmas holidays with relatives in Spartanburg county. They were accompanied also by Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Humphries, who spent Christmas with Mr. Humphries' parents.

—The many friends of Mrs. J. P. Jones, who resides in the Ebenezer section, and who has been quite unwell for some time, will regret to learn that she is not improving to any great extent. We hope, however, for her early restoration to health.

—For Rent—Good 50-acre farm, in town; house and outbuildings. Apply to R. D. Oelkers, old Hendrick's stand. 51-52

—Chas. B. Verner, of Tuscaloosa, Ala., attended the dance in Walhalla Monday night. It will be learned with pleasure by his many friends that he has returned to Oconee to stay. At present he is with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Verner, of Richland.

—Miss Verna Stribling, Alfred Thompson, Pat Adams and Edward Samuels, of Seneca; Willet Sloan, of Anderson, and Miss Sara Neil, of Greenville, spent Monday and Tuesday in Walhalla as guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Fant, attending the dance at Pitchford's Hall Monday night.

—The people of Walhalla are glad to welcome Dr. D. J. Barton and family as residents of our town. They are now comfortably quartered in their new home in "The Hub," and the doctor is establishing himself in the drug business, occupying Dr. J. W. Bell's store room on Main street, between the Carter Company and A. P. Crisp.

—Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Mann left last week for Bishopville, where they will be for some time visiting their daughter, Mrs. T. H. Tatum. Mrs. Mann will remain there with her daughter and among other relatives in that section until after the close of the approaching session of the General Assembly. Mr. Mann being a member of the State Legislature.

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

—We are in receipt of the following, included in a short note from "C. H.," a resident of the mill village: "John E. Humphries visited the cotton mill hill Christmas day and brought lots of good things and gave to the sick. He is one of the handsomest and best men that ever walked the street of Walhalla." We have heard similar praises of Mr. Humphries, who has completely won the employees of the Walhalla mill by his kindness and geniality.

—Mr. and Mrs. John P. Wilson, of Demorest, Ga., visited J. D. Hamby and family, on Whetstone, last week. They also visited relatives in Walhalla. Mr. Wilson informs us that he is getting along nicely at his home in Georgia, and speaks highly of the school at Demorest, which has recently been set on a firm foundation by a gift of \$25,000 from Andrew Carnegie. Mr. Wilson is a church and Sunday school worker, and says that he does not send his children to Sunday school, but takes them. A few of this type in Walhalla would be a great blessing to the community.

—Claude Reid spent the holidays in Marietta, Ga., with friends.

—Miss Sadie Hutchison is visiting relatives in Columbia and Abbeville this week.

—Miss Maude Kay, of Belton, visited her mother, Mrs. J. T. Kay, during the holidays.

—Mrs. L. M. Brown, of West Union, is visiting homefolks in Anderson this week.

—Miss Sallie Hutchison, of Columbia, is visiting her cousin, Miss Mary Ellen Wilson.

—Mrs. Mary Corley, of Winnsboro, is visiting her niece, Miss Sue Hutchison, of West Union.

—Miss Sadie McPhall, of Pendleton, and Miss May Hamilton, of Seneca, visited Miss Helen Beard the past week.

—J. T. McPherson, after spending Christmas in West Union with his daughter, Mrs. W. P. Hutchison, left Sunday for Abbeville.

—It's coming. The most interesting announcement ever made to the people of Oconee county. Southern Utility Co., Walhalla, S. C.

—Big line shoes cheap at Norman's. New clothing cheap, Norman's. Hats and caps cheap, Norman's.

—Jack Verner, who is attending Clemson College, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Verner, near town.

—Misses Jodie, Dora and May Haley, of Westminster, were among the fair visitors to the dance given by the Walhalla Dancing Club Monday evening.

—W. C. Loehr, of Lavonia, and E. G. Poore, of Westminster, were in Walhalla on business yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Loehr are spending the holidays with relatives in Westminster.

—The dance given last Monday night by the Walhalla Dancing Club was quite an enjoyable occasion. The dance was participated in by about 80 ladies and gentlemen, with a number of visitors and chaperons not participating. Among the dancers were visitors from Columbia, Greenville, Spartanburg, Anderson, Seneca and points in the county. The occasion was pronounced one of the most enjoyable ever given in Walhalla. Music was furnished by the Trowbridge orchestra of Anderson.

—The Courier will soon tell you about the greatest proposition ever made. You will be astounded. Southern Utility Co., Walhalla, S. C.

—The play, "Union Depot for a Day," will be presented at Wagner Theatre at 8 o'clock on Friday night, January 7th. This play will be given by the best local talent and under the auspices of the Monument Association. It is a copyrighted play and has been given with great success in many of the towns of our own and surrounding States. Remember the date—January 7th—and keep an "open evening" for that date. Don't miss it.

—The Oconee Telephone Company is making extensive improvements in its system in Walhalla, changing central office to the C. L. Reid old stand and stringing a 100-wire cable on Main street. They expect to have their work completed about January 1st, when a decidedly better service will be given the public. At present "nobody can't get nuthin'" they call for much, but this is due to unavoidable disarrangement of affairs at central, and is more than off-set by the promise of better service in the near future.

—Mrs. J. E. Smith died at her home in Midway last Saturday night, aged about 63 years. She had been sick for several days. She was a quiet, gentle Christian woman, a loving wife and mother, and will be greatly missed by her friends and neighbors. She is survived by her husband and several children, to whom is extended the sympathy of many friends. Mr. and Mrs. Smith and family moved to Walhalla from upper Oconee about three years ago. The interment took place at the Neville burying ground, near Walhalla, Monday afternoon. A year ago a grown son of the same family died and was buried at the Neville graveyard.

—We regret to chronicle the death of Mrs. Armina Thomas, widow of the late Lemuel Thomas, which occurred at the home of her son, J. M. Fendley, at Pelzer, on last Friday morning at 2 o'clock. She had been in feeble health for several weeks. Mrs. Thomas was in her eightieth year. Interment took place at Richland Presbyterian cemetery on Christmas day at 5 o'clock p. m. She had been a member of Rock Springs Methodist church, this county, for many years. Mrs. Thomas was twice married, her first husband being a Mr. Fendley. To this union two children were born, and are now living—J. M. Fendley, of Pelzer, and Mrs. Mollie Grogan, of Arkansas. To the union with Mr. Thomas five children were born—three living and two dead. The living are: Mrs. A. L. Whitmire, of Jocassee; Mrs. John F. Hutchison, of Anderson, and Mrs. Addie Mullinax. The deceased is also survived by a half brother and a half sister living in Oconee—W. W. Moss, of Walhalla, and Mrs. W. W. Fendley. Mrs. Thomas was a Christian woman, a kind and true neighbor and friend. The news of her death will be a source of regret to many friends and relatives throughout the county. To the bereaved relatives is extended the sympathy of many friends.

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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.

MATHESON HARDWARE CO.
TOCCOA, GA. WESTMINSTER, S. C. MARTIN, GA.



The year just passed has been a mighty prosperous one for us, and to the many friends and patrons who have aided in making our success possible, we are truly grateful.

We are ambitious and we want to make 1910 the biggest and best year in our store's history. We realize that only by serving your interest better than the rest can we hope to accomplish our object, so for 1910 we promise even better and more efficient store service, bigger and, if possible, better goods and the same reasonable prices.

We aim to give you perfect store service, and we trust by this means to be favored with your continued patronage.

For 1910 we wish you the happiest, most prosperous year you have ever known.

SENECA HARDWARE CO., Seneca, So. Ca.

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF OCONEE.

In Court of Common Pleas.

Pursuant to a decree of the aforesaid Court, in the case named below, I will offer for sale, to the highest bidder, in front of the Court House door, at Walhalla, S. C., on Monday, the 3d day of JANUARY, 1910, between the legal hours of sale, the tract of land below described:

Luther Williams et al., Plaintiffs,
against
James Lee, as Administrator of the Estate of James Lee, deceased, and also in His Own Right, et al., Defendants.

All that piece, parcel or tract of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Oconee, State of South Carolina, on waters of Oconee creek, waters of Cane creek, waters of Keowee River, adjoining lands of the Norris estate, Kexford lands, Ervin lands, lands of James Lee, lands of the estate of Mrs. Margaret E. Ross and others, and supposed to contain four hundred and seventy acres, more or less, it being a part of a tract of one thousand acres conveyed to said James Lee by Samuel Lovingsood.

TERMS OF SALE: For one-half cash on day of sale, and balance on a credit of one year, credit portion to bear interest from day of sale until paid in full, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, and to be secured by bond of the purchaser, or purchasers and a mortgage of the premises, with privilege to the purchaser or purchasers to anticipate the payment of the credit portion at any time; that in the event of the failure of the purchaser or purchasers to comply with the terms of the sale within five days from day of sale, that the Master do re-advertise and re-sell said premises on the following salesday or some convenient salesday thereafter, at the same place and on the same terms as heretofore set out, at the risk of the former purchaser or purchasers, and that he do continue so to do until he has found a purchaser or purchasers who shall comply with the terms of the sale.

Purchaser to pay extra for papers.
W. O. WHITE,
Master for Oconee County, S. C.
Dec. 15, 1909—50-52

Lucky Numbers!

The following are the Lucky Numbers of my Great Three-Gift Contest:

104 Suit of Clothes, won by Lucien Abbott.
901 Hat, won by Harry Cary.
600 is the winner of the \$5 pair of Shoes. This number has not been presented yet, and if same is not handed in by Friday, December 24th, 1909, at or before 12 o'clock, there will be another draw made.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ONE AND ALL.

C. H. HUMPHRIES,
MAIN STREET EXCLUSIVE RESIDENT DEALER FOR THE ROYAL TAILORS, WALHALLA, S. C.

FOR SALE AT REDUCED PRICES.

One 2-Horse Fairbanks Morse Engine.
One all-steel International Harvester Company Hay Press.
Two Corr Stalk Choppers.
One lot of Disc Harrows, all sizes, to fit any team.
One lot of weather beaten Turn Plovs.

Carter Hdw. Co.,
WALHALLA, S. C.

Weak Throat—Weak Lungs

Cold after cold; cough after cough! Troubled with this taking-cold habit? Better break it up. We have great confidence in Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for this work. No medicine like it for weak throats and weak lungs. Ask your doctor for his opinion. He knows all about it. His approval is valuable. Follow his advice at all times. No alcohol in this cough medicine. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

Always keep a good laxative in the house. Take a dose when your cold first comes on. What is the best laxative for this? Ayer's Pills. Ask your doctor his opinion. Let him decide.

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