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### THINGS ABOUT TOWNVILLE.

Mrs. D. A. Fant, of Piedmont, Dead. Local News.

Townville, March 28.—Special: Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Dickson, of Westminster, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Woolbright.

The B. Y. P. U. has elected the following officers for the ensuing six months: H. W. Speares, president; S. J. Martin, vice president; Miss Jamie Gaines, secretary; Grady Holland, treasurer; Miss Marion Campbell, organist; and Miss Jennie Bruce, assistant. We hope for much success, and that all the young and old will attend these meetings.

S. R. and J. R. Fant attended the funeral of Mrs. W. A. Fant at Piedmont Tuesday. She is pleasantly remembered here as Miss Mamie Dalrymple. She leaves a husband and eight children and a host of friends to mourn her death.

Born, unto Mr. and Mrs. Henry Whitfield, on March 14, a daughter, B. D. Campbell visited his daughter, Mrs. Jesse Cole, near South Union, recently.

Miss Carrie Grant, who has been attending the high school at this place, has returned to her home near Walhalla.

Rufus Mays has returned from a visit to his sister, Mrs. George Smith, of Tennessee.

Mrs. Jesse Campbell and J. E. Campbell spent the past week-end in Anderson.

C. S. Shirley, Tugaloo Herring and Otis Holland have returned from Florida.

Miss Neta Bruce, of Westminster, is visiting her aunt, Miss M. A. Bruce.

H. D. and Jule Grant visited their brother, W. A. Grant, of Anderson, recently.

Rev. and Mrs. M. E. Peabody, of Westminster, attended the Easter exercises at the Presbyterian church Sunday and the former made an address. The exercises were greatly enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. J. S. McClellan, who has been spending a while with her father, J. P. Ledbetter, has returned to her home in Anderson. C. F.

### Toxaway News Items.

Toxaway, March 28.—Special: The egg hunt given by Mr. and Mrs. Mark Smith Saturday evening was enjoyed by all present.

A Sunday school was organized at this place on the morning of the 27th. L. C. Pitts is superintendent. Everybody is invited to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Adams, of the Oak Grove section, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Adams recently.

Elbert Cobb had a tenant house destroyed by fire on his place on the 23d. It is not known how the fire originated. The house was occupied by Jeff Heaton.

Mrs. A. B. Smith is on the sick list. Her many friends hope to see her out again soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Spencer, of Madison, were visiting in this section recently. N. C. C.

### Killed at An "Egg-Picking."

St. George's, March 26.—Charley Wimberly was shot and fatally wounded by John Pendarvis on the Indian Field section of the county, about eight miles from here, late this afternoon.

The tragedy occurred at an egg picking. Particulars regarding the affair are meagre, but it appears that Pendarvis and Mack Wimberly, a nephew of the slain man, were engaged in a dispute, when Wimberly interfered. Pendarvis is said to have been cut on the arm before he fired the fatal shot. Wimberly lived a short time after the shooting.

Medical aid was immediately summoned, but it is not known whether a physician arrived in time or not. Pendarvis is in jail, having surrendered himself to the sheriff immediately after the affair.

Both of the men are white, and members of well known families. Wimberly was married, and had a wife and a number of young children.

### Girl Lured from Home and Murdered

New York, March 26.—The body of Ruth Wheeler, the little girl graduate, who was lured from her widowed mother on Thursday last by a decoy offer of employment, was found late this afternoon, huddled in a gunny sack on a fire escape outside the apartment of Albert Wolter, the man charged with her abduction. She had been strangled with a short end of three-eighths rope, hacked with a knife, burned beyond recognition and thrust carelessly out of doors "so much rubbish."

### Census Enumerators Appointed.

John C. Moss has been appointed census enumerator for Walhalla and West Union; C. R. D. Burns for the Northern half of Wagener, and J. A. Hutchison for the Southern half of Wagener township.

### SALEM ELECTS NEW OFFICERS.

Death of Miss Rutledge—Among Those Who Visit.

Salem, March 28.—Special: The farmers of this section are moving along nicely.

Elijah Alexander, of North Carolina, has bought land in this section and moved here.

B. P. Nicholson, of Cheochee, has moved to this section, and is occupying one of M. A. Moss's houses.

The town of Salem recently held an election for town officers. W. G. Hunter was elected Intendant to succeed J. L. Wood; B. S. Childress, M. B. Finley, Mack Massengale and John Wood were elected Wardens. Harrison Orr was appointed town marshal.

The many friends of Miss Hattie Rutledge were grieved to hear of her death, which occurred on the 19th of March, at the home of J. P. Crumpton, near here.

Miss Essie Nicholson has returned to her home at Seneca, after having spent a while with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Jane A. Nicholson is visiting relatives near here.

A. C. Whitten and E. S. Brown made a business trip to Greenville last week.

D. E. Nicholson, of Whitewater, was among the business visitors in town Saturday.

Albert Pike, of Pendleton, visited his brother, G. R. Pike, and family Saturday and Sunday.

J. A. Robertson has let the contract to the Cowan brothers to build his dwelling, which will be completed in a short time. Jim will look lonesome in that new house by himself, but just watch The Courier and it will tell whose name is to change.

The prayer meetings and Sunday schools at Salem and Mountain View are moving along nicely under the supervision of Jud. Manly and Wade Nicholson. Preaching at Mountain View on the first Sunday; at Salem on the fourth Sunday in each month.

Miss Dora Wiebens is making preparations for a missionary rally at Mountain View church on the first Sunday in April. The program will consist of recitations, solos, etc. The Salem and Mountain View Sunday schools will combine on this occasion and a big time is expected. Let everybody come and bring well-filled baskets. W. T.

### A CRUELLY TREATED WIFE

Ends Her Own Life and Blame is Placed Upon Husband.

Camden, March 27.—The tragic death of Mrs. Sam Kirkland was wired the daily papers Friday. Since that time fuller details have been obtained, which are shocking in the extreme.

In brief, Sam Kirkland was a drinking man, according to all accounts, and when under the influence of liquor was a turbulent fellow, and treated his wife brutally. On Thursday he is alleged to have asked her to get in his buggy with him; that he wanted to talk to her.

A neighbor, who saw them in the buggy, is reported to have said that their actions were suspicious, and he detected that Kirkland was drinking. He is said to have left home with a jug of whiskey and imbibed freely of the ardent spirits. When he returned home in the evening his wife's face was swollen, and there were scars and bruises upon her. Her bonnet was lying in the foot of the buggy in a bloody condition.

In her desperation she is alleged to have said that she could not stand it any longer; so she saturated her hair with kerosene oil and set fire to it, dying as a result early Friday morning.

Coroner Dixon was notified, as was also Solicitor Cobb, who attended the inquest. The verdict of the coroner's jury was "that Mrs. Belle Kirkland came to her death by self-inflicted wounds caused by her husband." A warrant was accordingly issued for Kirkland, charging him with murder, and he is now confined in jail in Camden to answer for the death of his wife.

Mrs. Kirkland was the mother of seven children.

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### Tick Ban Raised in Georgia.

The Secretary of Agriculture has ordered, effective April 1, the release from Federal quarantine for Texas tick fever of cattle areas amounting to over 48,000 square miles. This action is taken as a result of progress made in the extermination of ticks. The territory released in the South includes White, Habersham and Stevens counties in Georgia.

### CONNEROSS AND VICINITY.

Mr. Burley Critically Ill—Children Enjoy Easter Egg Hunt.

Conneross, March 28.—Special: Miss Rena Hunsinger, who has been conducting the Poplar Springs school during the winter, closed her school Friday, after a very successful term. She delightfully entertained her pupils Friday afternoon with an egg hunt at the school house. The eggs were hidden near the school building by Miss Hunsinger's sisters, Misses Burt and Jane. Miss Rena is an able teacher and a young lady of rare intellectual ability and refinement and we feel that success will be hers. She will open school this morning at Oak Grove.

Misses Minnie Butler and Minnie Vaughn, of this place, spent last Wednesday in West Union visiting at the homes of Wm. Reeder and D. S. Addis.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Grubbs, of Walhalla, were visitors to relatives here recently.

Misses Annie and Muriel Abbott are visiting relatives in Seneca this week.

Little Miss Dazie Hesse spent the first part of last week in Westminster visiting her sister, Mrs. Minnie Davis.

Born, unto Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Alexander, on Wednesday, March 23d, a daughter.

Miss Katie Abbot spent last week in Seneca.

Sloan Addis and wife, of West Union, visited W. H. Butler and family recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gilstrap recently visited Mr. Lynch and family near Poplar Springs.

The many friends of W. W. Burley, who resides near here, will be exceedingly sorry to hear that he is critically ill. We hope for his complete restoration to health.

Miss Ora Arve returned Sunday, after having spent two weeks near Toccoa with her uncle, Sam Rothell, and family.

The children of the Conneross Sunday school attended the egg hunt given by Jessie and D. Barker at their home here Saturday afternoon. There were over 100 eggs hidden, and the little ones seemed to enjoy hunting very much.

Our B. Y. P. U. met Sunday evening at the usual hour and had a very interesting meeting, conducted by A. N. Prichard. The lesson was on missions. Several interesting papers were read on the subject. Grady Crumpton was appointed to conduct the meeting next Sunday.

J. D. Abbott is on the sick list this week. K. E. R.

### Farmers' Executive Committee.

The executive committee of the Farmers' Union of Oconee County will meet at Richland at half past nine o'clock sharp on April 9th, the day of the county meeting. I make this change on account of the push of work with farmers.

J. B. Pickett,  
Chairman Executive Committee.  
March 28, 1910.

### NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order of the County Board of Education of Oconee County, South Carolina, an election will be held in Fall Branch School District, No. 39, at the school house, on SATURDAY, the 9th day of April, 1910, for the purpose of voting upon the question of levying an extra THREE-MILL TAX on all the real and personal property within said district for school purposes; that said election shall be conducted as provided for the conduct of general elections; that at said election each elector favoring the proposed additional levy shall cast a ballot containing the word "YES" written or printed thereon, and each elector opposing said additional levy shall cast a ballot containing the word "NO" written or printed thereon.

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