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LOCAL MATTERS FROM SENECA.

Mrs. Adams to Entertain—Annual Flower Show.

Seneca, Sept. 27.—This is a full week for Seneca, socially and otherwise.

The big drawing card is of course the circus, which comes Thursday, 29th. There will be a parade in the forenoon, and in the afternoon the show proper will be held on Mrs. E. P. Lowery's property southwest of town, in the neighborhood of the colored institute. This being the first big show in Seneca for several years it will doubtless attract an immense crowd.

The millinery openings are dated for Saturday, and this will attract the feminine heart and mind, here and from the neighboring communities.

The Sunday school institute is in progress at the Baptist church, the opening being marked by a rally service on Sunday morning. There were many interesting features on the program, including well-prepared music numbers. The singing by the male quartette was particularly good, and it is gratifying to know that the organization of this quartette is a permanent thing. The members are J. M. Vickery, M. E. Brockman, Wares Lowery and Rev. C. S. Blackburn.

At the Methodist church last Sunday the pastor announced that Rev. S. R. Belk, of Atlanta, would lecture in the school auditorium here the evening of the 6th instant. Our people will doubtless grasp the opportunity to hear this distinguished visitor.

A number of delightful affairs are planned in honor of the bride-elect, Miss Minnie Kirkpatrick, among them being a miscellaneous show by Misses Carrie Hunter and Margie Holland.

On Friday afternoon the opening meeting of the Once-a-Week Club will be held with Mrs. J. H. Adams, the president. The meeting will be an open one, and is arranged in honor of the bride-to-be, who has been prominently associated with club work for several years.

Mrs. W. P. Reid will entertain her Sunday school class on Tuesday afternoon.

On Wednesday afternoon there will be a called meeting of the members of the Civic Association who are interested in the flower show by the president of the floral committee, Mrs. L. W. Verner. The meeting will be at Mrs. Verner's home, and she urges a full attendance, as it is greatly desired to attend to matters of importance in connection with the show.

It is said by the floral committee of the association that the merchants as a rule have not responded to the request made through the papers some months ago for voluntary prizes. We are sure the matter has escaped the attention of our business men, and that all that is necessary is a reminder. Some of our business men, however, have signified an intention to offer prizes, and some out-of-town friends have already offered handsome prizes. So the good work goes on, though it is slow. The sentiment of the committee is repeated here that they do not wish to make the affair burdensome to our business men, but as it is a public enterprise they naturally look to our public-spirited citizens for substantial support and encouragement.

Mrs. H. J. Gignilliat and daughter, Miss Lois, returned to Washington, D. C., on Monday, after a visit of several days to friends and relatives here.

Miss Helen Cary is visiting in Spartanburg this week.

J. L. McWhorter spent several days this week with his family here.

Mrs. A. P. Farr, of Greenville, visited her sister, Mrs. E. C. Verner, last week.

Luke W. Verner visited his family

the past week-end. Mr. Verner is nursing a broken arm, the result of a run-away.

Mrs. T. M. McCutchen's friends are enjoying her violin playing, and they are delighted in the fact that she is training Seneca's young orchestra for a special program of music for the Kirkpatrick-Hamilton wedding.

Mrs. J. C. Cary, of Greenville, visited Seneca last week.

Miss Edna Wood left on Sunday for Winthrop.

Mrs. J. W. Byrd tendered a delightful spend-the-day party to a number of her friends last Tuesday.

A. B. Lunney left Monday for Philadelphia for a visit of several days during his convalescence from a long illness.

Floral Premium List.

Chrysanthemums—Best single bloom, any variety; best vase, 3 blooms, white pink and yellow; best vase, 3 blooms, Appletons; best vase, 3 blooms, white, one variety; best vase, 3 blooms, pink, one variety; best vase, 6 blooms, all different; best vase, 6 blooms, Bonaffons; best vase, 6 blooms, white, not necessarily one variety; best vase, 6 blooms, pink, not necessarily one variety; best vase, 6 blooms, yellow, not necessarily one variety; best vase, 6 blooms, Moseman's; best vase red; best vase, 9 blooms, all different; best vase, 9 blooms, three varieties; best vase, 12 blooms, all different; best vase, 12 blooms, not necessarily one variety; best vase, 15 blooms, all different; best vase, 3 blooms, novelties; best 3 stem plant, grown by child under 15 years old; second best 3 stem plant, grown by child under 15 years.

Roses—Best vase red; best vase pink; best vase white; best vase yellow.

Geraniums—Best stand of blooming plants.

Ferns—Best varieties.

Begonias—Best collection.

Ornamental Plants—Best palm; best asparagus sprengeri; best plant, not palm or sprengeri; prettiest design.

Fruits—Best display of fresh fruits from the orchard, six of each variety.

Canned Fruits—Best dozen quart jars, all different.

Preserves—Best dozen quart jars, all different.

Pickles—Best half dozen pint jars, all different.

Canned Vegetables—Best dozen quart jars, all different.

Bread—Best loaf.

Cake—Best loaf cake; best layer cake.

Farm Products—Best exhibit farm products, one peck of each article displayed.

Rocky Fork Items.

Rocky Fork, Sept. 26.—Special: W. H. Shuttleworth and wife visited their uncle, Miller Davis, and wife recently.

Married, at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. F. T. Burton, on September 2d, G. W. Smith and Miss Rause Shed. Congratulations and best wishes to the young couple.

Mrs. Charley Smith and daughter visited Mrs. Wm. Carson recently.

Married, by Rev. J. H. Stone, near Toxaway church, on September 11th, Toge Stewart and Miss Lillie Lyles. Congratulations.

Will Shuttleworth and wife visited in the Holly Springs section Sunday.

G. W. Smith is engaged in business for J. E. Gaines.

Mrs. Hattie Burnside visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carson, recently.

Don't waste your money buying plasters when you can get a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment for 25c. A piece of flannel dampened with this liniment is superior to any plaster for lame back, pains in the side and chest, and much cheaper. Sold by Dr. J. W. Bell, Walhalla; C. W. Wickliffe, West Union.

Shoots Woman Friend—Hangs Self.

Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 23.—As the end of a close acquaintanceship of unknown duration, B. W. Yates, a wealthy Detroit business man, today shot and seriously wounded Mrs. Fred Singer in a Rocky River wine room, and two hours later hanged himself in the county jail.

To-night the woman's attorney, Frank Billman, was closeted with Yates' two sons for several hours. The result of the interview was not given out and the three refused to discuss the shooting or its cause.

The young men, H. V. and A. W. Yates, arrived here from Detroit as soon as the news reached them, and the body of their father was shortly after identified as it lay in a private morgue.

Yates was 48 years old and married. He was chairman of the board of directors of the Business Men's Publishing Company, of Detroit, was owner and manager of a hotel and possessed extensive lumber holdings near Bradford, Ont.

It is to this latter place that his body will be removed to-morrow by special permit of the coroner.

Mrs. Singer, formerly a resident of Detroit, but lately residing in a Cleveland hotel, is the wife of a traveling salesman and is related by marriage to men prominent in Cleveland.

The Cortright Advocate.

The Cortright Metal Shingle Advocate is out for September, bright, breezy and full of useful hints for those intending to build, as well as those who have to do the actual work. There are thirty-five thousand receiving this issue, and if you are not one of them it is your own fault, as the Advocate is free to any one who asks for it. A postal to the Cortright Metal Roofing Company, Philadelphia, Pa., will insure your name being put on their mailing list.

Did You Ever Walk Over to "Bulwinkle Hill?"

If not, you have missed the prettiest view of the mountains in this section. Mr. Horton has laid off beautiful streets and will sell it at auction about the middle of October. Go over and see it.

One Horse-power.

The automobile being out of order, the head of the family took the children out in the old family carriage behind a nag that was in need of exercise. When the horse began to snort and cavort, the younger boy said:

"Pop, you'd better shut off the current and fix him. He's missing fire."

In Regard to Special Levies.

As there are notices of special elections in three of the school districts of Oconee appearing in this issue of The Courier, I desire to answer a number of questions that are asked in regard to them in the same issue of The Courier, and I, therefore, beg that you will publish the following for the information of all concerned:

No one but residents of the district in which the election is held can vote. Before a man is allowed to vote he must show his registration certificate and his last tax receipt. Registration certificates can be gotten at Walhalla on the first Monday in October. A regular poll list must be kept; the special levy will not raise poll taxes one cent, it will be on the real and personal property alone. For a district to get State aid under the new law, it must vote on an extra levy, of at least two mills, and when this is done, for every dollar the extra levy raises the State will give a dollar up to one hundred dollars.

In the matter of voting on extra levies to get the benefit of the State aid, Oconee stands near the front of all the counties in the State and we want her to lead. We have seventy-seven districts, and out of the seventy-seven, forty-two are now levying an extra tax. By virtue of this the average length of the terms in the county was materially increased this last year. Let us see if we cannot do more next year.

W. C. Hughes, Superintendent of Education.

Selling Lots at Your Own Price.

Mr. E. R. Horton has opened up "Bulwinkle Hill" for residences, a bid will sell these beautiful lots to the highest bidder on easy terms about the middle of October. Go down the street by John Ansel's and look what has been done and you will be amazed.

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Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

WESTMINSTER NEWS LETTER.

News Items of Interest Gathered from All Sources.

Westminster, Sept. 27.—Special: A delightful event of the week was the social tea given Tuesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Pitts, in honor of the "Summer Brides." Mr. and Mrs. Pitts received their guests in the drawing room, which was cool and inviting, with palms, ferns and pot plants. A delicious course dinner was served in the drawing room. An attractive arrangement of carnations and ferns formed the centerpiece, while a bridal rose bud was placed at each plate. The comical drawing on the place cards, which were supposed to represent the brides and grooms, created a great deal of laughter. These cards were afterwards placed in a box and the couples were asked to draw them out and write a prophecy on the back, without knowing to whom the card belonged.

The reading of these original prophecies, and the "Bridal Contest," were very interesting features of the evening. Mrs. Pitts was a cordial hostess and received her guests wearing a becoming gown of white lingerie, elaborate w'la lace and embroidery. Appropriate music for the evening was rendered by Mrs. White and Mrs. Hugh Bibb. Those enjoying Mr. and Mrs. Pitts' hospitality were Mr. and Mrs. Moon, Mr. and Mrs. Leathers, Mr. and Mrs. Zimmerman, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Duke.

On leaving, the brides were given a beautiful hand painted plate as a souvenir.

The Sunday School Institute was held here last Thursday and Friday and was very much enjoyed by all who had the opportunity of attending. Rev. J. D. Moore, State Secretary of the Baptist Sunday School Board, was in charge of the meeting. His lectures on the Normal Course of the Teachers' Training System were very interesting as well as beneficial. Rev. S. P. Hair, of Fort Mill, who is the State Secretary of this Normal Course, also delivered some very able lectures on the Teacher Training System. Rev. C. S. Blackburn, of Seneca, spoke on "The teacher and soul winning."

W. E. Steaky, division freight agent for the N. C. and S. L. railway, of Atlanta, was in town Thursday.

Mrs. J. B. Quartermus, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. McDonald, for the past month, has returned to her home in Wilmington, N. C.

Several real estate deals have been made here in the past week. J. S. Carter has bought the Westminster Knitting Mill from Wm. P. Anderson. Mr. Carter expects to put in new machinery and open up a woolen mill in the next few months.

I. S. Pitts has purchased from J. S. Carter the lot opposite T. N. Carter's.

J. S. Carter has sold the lot opposite Gray's marble shop to Dr. W. A. Strickland.

Rev. A. P. Maret will preach at Pulaski school house next Sunday at 11 a. m.

Miss Effie Kilburn, of Seneca, is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Kilburn, this week.

Dr. J. C. Walker and son, Holland, of Easley, were the guests of Mrs. S. E. Brown last week.

H. C. Dresser and Misses Adams, Mahaffey and Crowther visited Clemson last week. They went in Mr. Dresser's Ford auto, and attended the foot ball game between Gordon Institute and Clemson College.

Cotton was selling this morning for 13 1/2c, and cotton seed for \$1.90 per hundred.

Last Saturday Miss Ada Wham was called to Abbeville to nurse her little niece, who is very ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell, of Anderson, were in town Friday in their Hujmoble.

Mrs. George Maret and Miss Grace Phillips returned Thursday from Atlanta.

Mrs. L. P. Jones and Walter Dickson were married at the Christian church last Wednesday night.

Quite a number of our young people are planning to go to Clemson next Saturday to see the foot ball game between Mercer University and Clemson College.

The W. M. U. and Y. W. M. U. of First Baptist church will have a rally day next Tuesday, October 4th. They are preparing a very interesting program.

Leaves Harbert, youngest son of C. J. Harbert, of this place, fell out of a barn last Tuesday and broke his arm.

H. C. Williams made a business trip to Atlanta Tuesday.

Lee Leathers, flagman on the Southern, spent Friday and Saturday with homefolks.

W. P. Anderson, president of the Westminster Bank, made a business trip to Anderson one day last week.

The marriage of George Dickson and Miss George, in Atlanta, was quite a surprise to many friends here. Miss George is from Union City, Ga. Mr. Dickson lives near Westminster. They were married in Atlanta last Sunday and returned here Wednesday.

Miss Pearl Maret is visiting in Fair Play this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker have just returned from Townville, where they

have been visiting his sister, Mrs. Dock McCarley.

O. B. Whitten, operator for the Southern, will leave next Tuesday for Baltimore, where he expects to enter the medical college.

Mrs. Hutchinson, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. T. P. Anderson, has returned to her home in Opelika, Ala.

Miss Rosa McDonald will leave Wednesday for Mt. Airy, Ga., where she has accepted a position as principal of the graded school.

William Gibbs and Allie Addis were married last Sunday morning by S. H. Maret, Esq.

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Matters at Madison.

Madison, Sept. 26.—Special: Mrs. Mattie A. Cleland died at her home here last Wednesday morning. She was 66 years of age. The news of her death came as a shock to her friends and relatives, as it was not known that she was seriously ill. She had been suffering about a week from disease and the infirmities of age. Mrs. Cleland was Miss Mattie Ann Watt before her marriage to E. Henderson Cleland in 1860. Mrs. Cleland was preceded to the grave only fourteen months by her husband. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. G. W. Hunniff, of Atlanta; three brothers, Columbus Watt, of Pelzer; Lafayette and Warren Watt; three sons, W. P., J. R. and L. A. Cleland, and one daughter, Mrs. Jeff Jones, all of this place, and one son, W. H. Cleland, of Charlottesville, Va.

Mrs. Cleland had been a consistent member of the Baptist church for quite a number of years, and her remains were laid to rest in that cemetery by the side of her husband. The funeral took place Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, in the presence of a large number of sorrowing relatives and friends. Truly a good woman has gone to her reward. The funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. F. G. Lavender.

School opened here last Monday (the 20th) with Miss Ruth Wingo, of Greenville, as principal, and Miss Clyde Smith, of Richland, assistant. About sixty pupils were enrolled.

Jack Jones, of Royston, spent last Sunday here.

P. P. Sullivan has returned from a business trip to New York and Baltimore.

Robert Spencer is suffering from an attack of measles.

The Sunday school institute held here Saturday was a pleasant event and greatly enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. G. W. Hunniff, of Atlanta, is visiting relatives here.

Misses Mary and Lucy Jones, of Tabor, visited relatives here last week.

Born, unto Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Spencer, on September 22d, a daughter.

Guy Watt has gone to Charming, Ga., where he will engage in the shingle mill business.

Mesdames Jim D. Jones and Julia Ramsey and children have returned from a visit to Mesdames R. B. Dupre and C. H. Goldsmith, of Simpsonville.

George Walters made a business trip to Toccoa Wednesday.

Park—A Pretty Park.

Mr. E. R. Horton, who is developing "Bulwinkle Hill," proposes to give a nice park to the Civic League. This will be a great thing for the city because there is now no place to go in the afternoons and Sunday evenings.

Alabama Man Killed.

Montgomery, Ala., Sept. 21.—A. F. McEwen, aged 45, was found shot to death near Mountain Creek Soldiers' Home yesterday afternoon. A nephew, whose name has not been learned, is held on suspicion, having been the last man seen with him. McEwen, whose home is in Birmingham, was on a visit to friends at Mountain Creek, and was last seen between 10 and 2 o'clock Tuesday. He was separated from his wife.

"Bulwinkle Hill."

Where is it? What is it? This is the new residence section that Mr. E. R. Horton is opening up. Go over and look at it.

641 Students Enroll at Clemson.

Clemson College, Sept. 23.—The regular college work began Monday morning with 641 students enrolled in all classes. About 700 had been accepted, but, as usual, a considerable number, failing to pass examinations for the classes they expected to enter, have returned to their homes. It is a rule of the college not to accept, into the preparatory department, any student who can get preparation at his home school for the freshman class.

DOINGS AT BOUNTY LAND.

Pencil Pusher Practices Putting Pithy Paragraphs Pointedly.

Bounty Land, Sept. 26.—Special: Miss Bertrand Perritt spent a few days in Charleston with her sister, Mrs. A. S. Rollins, before returning to Winthrop last Tuesday.

Bounty Land regrets the recent departure of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Smith and Joe Guntharp, who are seeking their fortunes in the far West, locating in Temple, Okla. Who can ill afford to lose these worthy citizens, but hope for them all success in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hubbard visited last week their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Walter Hubbard, who is very ill of typhoid fever in Pickens. Mrs. Hubbard returned to Pickens yesterday to remain with the sufferer for a few days. We hope to hear of an early improvement in her condition.

A. S. Crumpton, of Westminster, visited his children Saturday and Sunday at the home of R. N. Rankin.

At the Sunshine quilting at Mrs. Julia D. Shanklin's last Saturday nearly five quilts were quilted—one for each of the orphanages, one for the "Child Rescue Home" and one for the "Blind Babies Home." Besides these, two chair robes were made for invalids and other fancy work done. Rating the quilting at 50c per quilt, the regular price for quilting, this would seem very little for so many hands to do, but although we are not a woman suffragist, we believe in equal rights. What man is there that would talk hard all day at a public gathering for nothing? Now we assure you there was no time lost by any of us, and it all goes for sunshine purposes.

The historic old home, with spacious rooms and long veranda, was adequately adapted to the accommodation of the large number present, and our genial hostess, with her usual complaisance, was never forgetful to occasionally lend her cheerful presence to each group of workers, making the day one long to be remembered with pleasure by all present. Dinner was served under the shade of the large walnut trees in the front yard, and was elegant and plentiful. Some of the ladies had to leave early on account of the ice cream sale at Poplar, which was given to raise money for the Connie Maxwell Orphanage.

Miss Wilma Newton, of Pendleton, visited the Misses Smith recently.

Miss Ora Bagwell is in Honca Path as a guest of Miss Ora Bigby.

Mrs. Ernest Grant, of Seneca, is spending a week with her father, B. E. Bagwell.

Mrs. M. T. Hughs, of Walhalla, attended the Sunshine quilting Saturday.

Mrs. George Guntharp visited her daughter, Mrs. Billie Moore, of Shiloh, recently.

Several nights previous, pious Presbyterian Pickett, perceiving pestiferous pests had been prowling about his private poultry premises, purposely to purloin his pretty, plump pullets from the pine perch-poles, promptly planned putting poison promiscuously around to protect his precious poultry. Presently, with a proneness to predetermination, Pickett proclaimed the poultry's proprietorship to the premises (using a trap), promptly procured their possession by proscribing without procrastination this progeny of prowling proclivities, but not until the pesky pest had pounced upon the pride of the poultry-yard, proudly perched upon a pole, plucked his priceless plumage from his princely pool and pricking his pate. The pifferer proved to be a p'd, pointed-necked, pleasant-looking possum. We presume Pickett proceeded at once to put the possum's pendage between parts of a pole, producing perpetual pain, thus proving the proverb: "There's many an aching heart beneath a smiling face."

The Commissioner Election.

The following returns have been received up to the time of going to press. The vote throughout the county was small, though larger than most of those who had hazarded a guess had estimated. From the returns received it seems that Smith is nominated.

	Brown, Smith.
Walhalla	54
Newry	18
West Union	2
Seneca	50
Salem	3
Oak Grove	5
Double Springs	10
Picket Post	1
Westminster	29
Madison	8
Tokena	31
Richland	14
Oakway	23
South Union	58
High Falls No. 2	9
Conners	1
Totals	322

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