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THE COURIER NEXT MONDAY.

Next week The Courier will go to press at the same hour on Monday that it usually does on Wednesday. The Courier force seldom takes a "vacation," and at this season of the year only do we vary our publication day for our own convenience. In order that each of those whose time is occupied in getting out the paper may have two days of rest from routine work this change of publication day is made.

Advertisers and correspondents should take due notice of this change of publication day at this time and have matters for publication next week in our hands by Saturday, December 21st—in the morning if possible.

The Courier office will be closed for one day only—Christmas—and all matters of business will be cared for on Tuesday by Mr. Steck and on Thursday by Mr. Schroder.

OUR CONFEDERATE PENSIONERS

Commissioner Will Be Ready for Business Saturdays in January.

The Pension Commissioner for Oconee County will be at the Court House at Walhalla, at the Auditor's office, on each Saturday during January, 1913, for the purpose of examining applications for pensions and attending to all other matters of business pertaining to pensions for Confederate Veterans in Oconee.

For the information of those applying for pensions I append the following extracts from the rules of the State Pension Board:

"This Commissioner is charged with the duty of preparing all pension papers in a condition to go before the County Board (which County Board meets on the first Monday of each month) for their approval."

"The Commissioner is allowed to certify as a witness.

"Class A—Those who, as a result of wounds received in the war, are physically helpless, or who while in such service lost both arms, or both legs, or are totally blind, whether the result of such service or not, or who are disabled by paralysis and are unable to make a living, and whose income, or his wife's, does not exceed \$150. This does not include soldiers whose disabilities arise from diseases and causes arising since war, except those totally blind.

"Class B—Those who have lost one arm or one leg and whose income, or his wife's, does not exceed \$150.

"Class C, No. 1—Those soldiers and sailors disabled by wounds received during the war, whose income, or his wife's, does not exceed \$75.

"Class C, No. 2—Those soldiers whose income does not exceed \$75, irrespective of age.

"Class C, No. 3—Widows of those who lost their lives while in the service of the State or Confederate States, and whose income does not exceed \$100. Where the widow of a Confederate soldier marries after the death of her second husband, she is entitled to apply and draw a pension on account of the services of her first husband, provided she is entitled under the other provisions of the pension law. Such widow must apply in her own proper name, but at the same time state that she is asking for a pension as the widow of her dead husband, giving his name, company, regiment, etc.

"Class C, No. 4—Widows who have reached the age of fifty (50) years, whose income does not exceed \$100.

"County Boards cannot be too careful in these matters of 'income' or 'physical condition'."

"He is a very poor man whose gross income from labor, rent and other sources does not exceed \$75, or poor lands, if any, that will not produce this amount gross.

"Property sufficient to produce \$75 in applicant's, or his wife's, name debars him.

"Where soldiers or widows dispose of their property by giving or selling to their children, they are debarred.

"Where pensioners die after January 1st, 1913, do not drop their names from your report, as by act approved session 1911, they are entitled to receive pension year of death. Only drop those who have died in 1912.

"Pensioners who move to another State are not entitled to a pension. The pension law provides that this fund shall be distributed April 1st. Therefore it is very important that you mail the pension lists, with the approved applications of your county, promptly on the first Monday in March.

NEWS FROM LITTLE RIVER.

Mrs. Alexander and Major Rogers Improving—General News.

Little River, Dec. 14.—Special: W. A. Grant's family have moved to Walhalla and Rev. C. R. Abercrombie and family are occupying the Grant old home. Both families are highly respected and their many friends wish them much success in their new homes.

Mrs. D. H. Alexander has recovered to such an extent as to be able to return to her home in Toccoa, Ga. Her recovery of health is delightful news to her many friends.

W. H. Talley and children spent last Saturday and Sunday visiting in North Carolina.

Balis Burgess enjoyed an extended pleasure trip to the mountains a short time back.

The many friends of D. P. Grant will be delighted to hear that his health is considerably improved at this time. He has been quite delicate for some time past.

Rev. C. R. Abercrombie has been called as supply at this place for the coming year. Brother Abercrombie is a very forceful preacher. His many friends will be delighted to meet him there. It is hoped that he will have great success in his labors at this place.

Charlie Grant and family have moved from Townville back to the Cheochee section and will reside on the Townes farm.

J. L. Talley was visiting in the Old Pickens section the first of the week.

Mrs. Julia Stancil, of the Hetrick Hosiery Mills, was visiting home-folks here the past week.

Mrs. B. Smith, of Stamp Creek, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Talley.

Miss Carrie Grant, one of our charming daughters, is teaching the Tamassee school.

The new church at Salem is looking fine. The roof will soon be finished. The church is quite an addition to the northern part of town.

The stores in the little town of Salem show many nice things for the holidays and "Old Santa."

R. M. Lusk, a prosperous farmer of Pickens county, spent a short while with his brother-in-law and the local writer of this place a short time back. Mr. Lusk moved to Pickens from this county some 15 years ago, and he has since been engaged in farming, meeting with great success. He owns a good farm, drives a fine pair of mules and has a nice little sum ahead for a rainy day.

Mrs. Mary E. Holden, his mother-in-law, accompanied him home to spend a while, after which time she will return by way of Jocassee and visit her daughters, Mesdames Burgess.

Miss Eula Proffitt will close her school at Smeltzer on December 20th and return to her home in Greenville. She has made many friends here during her stay, and carries the good wishes of many with her to her home.

Miss Myrtle Perry and Miss Hannah Miller Harrison were spending their last Saturday and Sunday with their parents at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Talley.

The annual meeting for the year 1912 of the Little River Baptist Church was held on December 14th at 8 o'clock.

The many friends of Mrs. Rogers will be delighted to know that he is recovering from the effects of his fall some time back. Mr. Rogers, having passed up into the eighties.

Mack Littleton has been very sick the past week. His many friends hope to hear of his early restoration to health.

The W. O. W. will hold their annual meeting (Salem Camp No. 474,) on Saturday night, December 21st, at 8 o'clock. All Sovereigns of the camp are urged to be present, as the new officers will be elected for the coming year. Visiting Sovereigns invited to be present if convenient.

A merry Christmas to The Courier and all its readers!

We wish to call your attention to the fact that most infectious diseases, such as whooping cough, diphtheria and scarlet fever, are contracted when the child has a cold. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will quickly cure a cold and greatly lessen the danger of contracting these diseases. This remedy is famous for its cures of colds. It contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given to a child with implicit confidence. Sold by all dealers.

Union Meeting Upper Division.

Following is the program of the union meeting of the Upper Division of the Beaverdam Association, to be held with Rocky Knoll Baptist church, near Walhalla, December 28 and 29, 1912:

Saturday.
10.30 a. m.—Devotional exercises by Rev. J. H. Clark.
11.00 a. m.—Enrollment of delegates and organization.

11.30—Impressions of the State Convention. Rev. D. P. Carter, Rev. L. M. Lyda, Rev. C. S. Blackburn, Rev. Z. I. Henderson.

12.30—Dinner.
1.30 p. m.—"How should the Lord's Day be observed?" Discussed by Rev. L. M. Lyda, T. M. Elrod, Rev. J. H. Clark, Rev. Z. I. Henderson.

2.15—"Is Mormonism a Form of Christianity?" Discussed by J. W. Reynolds.
3.00—"What the executive committee is trying to do in the association." J. W. Shelor.

3.20—"The need of a more vital Christianity in the home." Discussed by Rev. J. H. Farmer, Rev. J. B. Tramel, W. M. Brown.

Sunday.
10.00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11.00—Sermon by Rev. C. S. Blackburn.
1.30 p. m.—Song service.
C. S. Blackburn, for Committee.

Coneross Local News.

Coneross, Dec. 16.—Special: Effie Dean, of Avalon, Ga., spent several days last week with relatives in this community.

The Literary societies of the Middle Ridge High School will have a joint meeting next Friday afternoon.

Miss Maud Coffee spent the past week with her cousin, Miss Katie Abbott. She was accompanied here Sunday by her brother Brian, who also spent Saturday here.

Miss Rosa Dilworth is on an extended visit to her brother, Ed Dilworth, and family, of Seneca.

Miss Rena Hunsinger spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Elrod and family, of New Hope. She organized a Sunbeam Band at New Hope Baptist church Sunday with Miss Bessie Wood as leader. She was accompanied here by her cousin, Keith Alexander. They report a nice time.

W. O. Alexander, of Greenville, was a visitor to relatives here the past week.

Mrs. S. M. Hunsinger and daughter, Miss Jane, are visiting in Greenville and Spartanburg.

P. S. Abbott, Lensey Moore and Roy M. Abbott, of Seneca, were among relatives and friends here the past week-end.

You will find that druggists everywhere speak well of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. They know from long experience in the sale of it in cases of coughs and colds, it is always depended upon, and is pleasant and safe to take.

COUNTY CLAIMS AUDIT.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Board of County Commissioners, held Friday, December 14th, the following claims were audited:

Bridges.

No.		
4345	D. D. Waldt	1.00
4346	Marion Standridge	1.00
4347	Brown Lumber Co.	1.00
4348	Dock Tollison	1.00
4349	D. H. Stancil	1.00
4350	J. D. Verner	1.00
4351	F. H. Smith	1.00
(Above claim laid over for further investigation.)		
4352	T. N. Hall	1.00
4353	J. B. Whitten	1.00
4354	M. R. Hunnicutt	1.00
4355	G. W. Carnes	1.00
4356	B. J. Marett	1.00
4357	S. L. Brown	1.00
4358	J. N. Hart	1.00
4359	W. E. Alexander	1.00
4360	J. A. Keaton	1.00
4361	J. S. Abbott	1.00
4362	M. W. Carter	1.00
4363	C. W. & J. E. Bauknight	1.00
4364	T. W. Allen	1.00
4365	J. A. Harbert	1.00
4366	J. P. Stribling	1.00

Roads.

4367	W. M. Collins	1.00
4368	Thos. Roper	1.00
4369	J. V. Woodall	1.00
4370	John O'Leary	1.00
(Above claim laid over for further investigation.)		
4371	R. H. FINE	1.00
4372	J. S. Abbott	1.00
4373	J. E. Grant	1.00
4374	J. A. Lipscomb	1.00
4375	J. S. Abbott	1.00
4376	J. S. Abbott	1.00
4377	J. S. Abbott	1.00
4378	J. S. Abbott	1.00
4379	J. S. Abbott	1.00
4380	D. H. Stancil	1.00
4381	J. T. Ramey	1.00
4382	T. W. Dickson	1.00
4383	J. N. Ramey	1.00
4384	E. M. Dover	1.00
(Above claim laid over for further investigation.)		
4385	F. H. Smith	1.00
(Above claim laid over for further investigation.)		
4386	J. B. Whitten	1.00
4387	E. D. King	1.00
4388	B. J. Marett	1.00
4389	W. M. Perry	1.00
4390	Oscar Pitts	1.00
4391	W. L. McMahan	1.00
4392	S. R. Johnson	1.00
4393	T. W. Dickson	1.00
4394	J. T. Cash	1.00

Aid to Soldiers.

4398	Hutchison Bros. & Co.	1.00
4396	T. C. Peden	1.00
4397	T. J. Hulsey	1.00
4398	W. L. Littleton	1.00
4399	Cannon & Mason	1.00
4400	Byrd & Cromer	1.00
4401	Moss & Ansel	1.00
4402	J. H. Cannon	1.00
4403	Pitchford & Reid	1.00
4404	Enterprise Bank	1.00
4405	C. W. & J. E. Bauknight	1.00
4406	W. S. Hunter	1.00
4407	B. M. England	1.00

Road Machine.

4408	E. L. Herndon	1.00
4409	E. P. Cox	1.00
4410	A. P. Grant	1.00
4411	C. G. Smith	1.00
4412	Brownlee & Co.	1.00
4413	B. M. England	1.00
4414	Byrd & Cromer	1.00
4415	Gus Sullivan et al.	1.00
4416	J. S. Stribling	1.00
4417	J. H. Moore	1.00
4418	Matheson Hdw. Co.	1.00
4419	H. C. Walker	1.00
4420	C. W. & J. E. Bauknight	1.00
4421	C. W. & J. E. Bauknight	1.00
4422	W. C. & E. N. Foster	1.00

Salaries.

4423	N. Phillips	1.00
4424	J. H. Smith	1.00
4425	W. R. Hunt	1.00
4426	J. E. Hopkins	1.00
4427	J. S. Colley	1.00
4428	W. W. Mitchell	1.00
4429	W. M. Kay	1.00
4430	J. A. Keaton	1.00
4431	W. N. Woolbright	1.00
4432	J. H. Mason, R. P.	1.00
4433	J. L. McCarley	1.00
4434	J. A. Eubanks	1.00
4435	D. W. Jaynes, const.	1.00
4436	T. W. Allen, constable	1.00
4437	C. E. Gaillard, const.	1.00
4438	W. M. Alexander, R. P.	1.00
4439	W. J. Schroder	1.00
4440	H. P. Holleman	1.00
4441	John F. Craig	1.00
4442	E. C. Butler	1.00
4443	B. F. Douthitt, R. P.	1.00
4444	R. J. Vinson	1.00
4445	R. W. Grubbs	1.00
* Claim for Magistrate's salary.		

Lunacy Proceedings.

4446	W. M. Kay	1.00
4447	J. J. Thode	1.00
4448	E. J. Blackwell	1.00
4449	H. M. Barton	1.00

4450	D. A. Smith	12 75
4450a	J. W. Wickliffe	10 00
4451	B. F. Sloan	20 60

Miscellaneous.

4452	R. W. Grubbs	2 04
4453	Farm and Factory	27 00
4454	Wm. J. Stribling	92 50
4455	Oconee Telephone Co.	100 00
4456	W. R. Cobb	39 40
4457	W. J. Schroder	8 92
4458	W. O. White	2 00
4459	L. O. White	11 00
4460	Sullivan Hdw. Co.	79 97
4461	W. M. Alexander	1 00
(Above claim disallowed.)		
4462	W. J. Schroder	108 26
4463	American Disinfectant Co.	40 00
4465	Moss & Ansel	5 03
4466	R. T. Jaynes	25 00
(Above claim disallowed.)		
4467	J. R. Tribble	7 00
4468	C. W. & J. E. Bauknight	361 34
4469	C. W. & J. E. Bauknight	4 70
4470	W. S. Cross	9 80
4471	W. M. Kay	14 00
4472	John F. Craig	850 00
4473	W. M. Kay	15 30

Those who have claims audited need not expect money now, as there are no funds on hand to pay such claims.

N. Phillips, Supervisor.
J. S. Colley, Clerk.
adv.

CITATION NOTICE.

(In Court of Probate.)

The State of South Carolina, County of Oconee.—By D. A. Smith, Esq., Judge of Probate.—Whereas, Mary M. Joost has made suit to me to grant her Letters of Administration of the estate of and effects of John Joost, deceased—

These are, therefore, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said John Joost, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Walhalla Court House, South Carolina, on Tuesday, the 31st day of December, 1912, after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand and seal this 8th day of December, A. D. 1912. (Seal.) D. A. SMITH, Judge of Probate for Oconee County, South Carolina.

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