

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

—To Loan—\$500 on first mortgage real estate. Apply this office. ad.

—J. J. Norton, of Atlanta, was in Walhalla for a few days last week.

—Miss Theo Hughes is spending this week in Atlanta visiting her sister, Mrs. Jesse W. Rankin.

—T. E. Alexander sells Rock Hill buggies. Walhalla, S. C. adv.-1f.

—B. J. Rhame, State Bank Examiner, visited the banks of Oconee this week. He was in Walhalla Monday and Tuesday.

—Rieppo Blemann, of Atlanta, spent Sunday here with his home-folks and among friends, who were delighted to meet him again.

—Special sale of ladies' and children's cloaks, sweaters and shoes. Mr. Harrison, Norman's dry goods store, Walhalla. adv.

—Mrs. C. M. Brennecke left yesterday morning for McCormick, where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. G. T. Baughman.

—Misses Rosa Dilworth, Bewley Hunsinger and Minnie Barker left yesterday for Anderson, where they will attend the W. M. U. meeting. They represent the societies of Concord Baptist church.

—Pleasant and profitable employment for women, girls and boys. Apply to Hetrick Hosiery Mills, Walhalla, S. C. t. f. adv.

—Attention is directed to the new advertisement of Carter & Co., of Walhalla, at whose store there will be a demonstration of tools next Saturday, the 15th. Be sure to attend and let this expert show you what good tools are and what they will do.

—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hughes, whose little daughter has been quite unwell for some time, will be pleased to learn that there is marked improvement in her condition. It is hoped that she will be completely well within a few days.

—Just arrived at Norman's drug store, two cases beautiful hand-painted Japanese china—25 per cent underpriced. Especially selected for wedding presents. adv.

—A few couples enjoyed a delightful evening last Thursday at Mrs. Lucy Burriss's home. Several interesting games of whist were played, after which a delicious sweet course was served. Those present were Misses Eloise Strother, Elaine Lord, Irene Strother, Mrs. Burriss; Messrs. C. E. Jones, M. R. McDonald, Mack Neville, C. R. D. Burns.

—Two-horse farm for rent. Apply to Earl Beard, Walhalla. adv.

—H. D. Knox and family have returned to Walhalla from Tamassese, where they had been for some time in the hope that the change to the country would be beneficial to the health of Mrs. Knox, who has been quite ill for some time. Finding that there was no permanent improvement in Mrs. Knox's condition, the family have returned to Walhalla in order to be nearer to physicians. There are many who will join with The Courier in the hope that Mrs. Knox may be restored to health. Mr. Knox has resumed his old position with the Walhalla cotton mills.

—Newest and prettiest assortment dry goods and notions—cheap. Mr. Harrison, Bargains at the Norman dry goods store. adv.

—Rev. T. J. Clyde, one of the oldest ministers of the South Carolina Methodist Conference, died at his home at Rome, S. C., Tuesday evening of last week, after an illness of a few weeks, following a gradual decline in health for a year or more. Rev. Mr. Clyde was for 53 years an active minister in the conference, and not a few in this section of the State will remember him most pleasantly and deeply regret his passing away. He was born in Charleston county, but much of his long and useful life had been spent in the Piedmont section of South Carolina. At one time he was presiding elder of Greenville District, of which Oconee was a part.

—For Sale—Grist mill with 15-h. p. gasoline engine; plant in first class condition. Bargain for quick sale. Good will and fine patronage. See S. K. Dendy, Walhalla. adv.

—L. O. White, who has for some time been connected with the Carter and White Garage in Walhalla, expects to leave this week for Cordele, Ga., where he will be associated with a garage. Mr. White has numerous friends here who will regret his departure, but who wish for him every success in his new home. The Carter garage will be continued in business here as usual for a time, but at the beginning of the new year the business will be conducted entirely under new management. William A. Grant, who has been with the Carter Company for the past year, taking active charge of the garage business, which will be enlarged considerably, carrying constantly repairs and parts for various machines, thus affording more prompt service in the matter of repair work for automobiles. Henry White, who has been assistant pressman with the Charlotte Evening News, has returned to Walhalla, and is now holding a position with the Carter Garage.

—A select lot of umbrellas, suspenders, slippers, bath robes, ties for presents. Mr. Harrison, Norman's dry goods store. adv.

—The news of the death of William H. Hester, of Spartanburg, which occurred at a hospital in that city last Thursday morning, came as a shock and source of sorrow to many friends here. Mr. Hester having been well known in Walhalla, where for a number of years he was in business, being engaged as proprietor of the Walhalla Hotel. Mr. Hester had been unwell for a week or more, but was only seriously ill for a few hours, death coming within a day after his removal to the hospital. An attack of jaundice was the cause of death. Mr. Hester was a native of Pickens county, but for

several years he resided with his family at Westminster and Walhalla, removing some fourteen years ago to Spartanburg, where he resumed the hotel business as proprietor of the Argyle Hotel. He was well and favorably known in Oconee, and there are many who will join with The Courier in extending to the bereaved ones deep sympathy in their sorrow. The body of the deceased was brought to Walhalla Saturday evening, the funeral taking place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Carter at 10 o'clock Sunday morning, followed by interment in Westview cemetery. The services at the house and at the grave were conducted by Rev. C. S. Blackburn, of the Baptist church. The pallbearers were chosen from among the membership of Walhalla Lodge, No. 67, K. of P., of which the deceased had been a member for some fifteen or more years. The body was laid to rest by the side of that of Mrs. Hester, whose death occurred here during the past summer. Mr. Hester was 62 years of age. He is survived by four daughters—Mrs. Julius Schiff and Mrs. Clinton Stark, of Bristol, Conn.; Mrs. O. H. Burchfield, of Atlanta, Ga.; and Mrs. F. H. Carter, of Walhalla. All of the children were present at the funeral except Mrs. Schiff, who was unable to come. The floral tributes from Spartanburg and from friends in Walhalla bore mute testimony to the esteem in which the deceased was held.

—One car load genuine Geo. E. Nissen wagons, the best wagon on the market, (accept no substitute for the Geo. E. Nissen), Chase City and Hickory one-horse wagons, Norman, Rock Hill and Brown buggies. No better high grade buggies to be had at any price than the Norman. All styles harness built from the best leather; team harness, bridles, collars, lines, robes, etc. All kinds piece harness. Three sizes Imperial turn plows, three sizes Imperial hill-side plows, Imperial subsoil plows, Imperial shares, molds, slides, handles, posts, etc. Two sizes of Chattanooga disc plows with full line of repairs for same. See our line before you buy. Our prices are right. We appreciate your patronage and will be glad to show you through our stock. Only the best of everything in buggies, and wagons especially, in repairs by parcels post. Dickson & Matheson, Westminster. adv.

—At the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners held last Friday W. R. Cobb was unanimously re-elected steward of the county poor farm and home for the year 1914. Mr. Cobb has placed his application before the board thirteen times, and has received a majority vote each year, the coming term making thirteen years he will have been in charge of the farm. During these years he has made a great many improvements on this splendid county property. He has reclaimed a number of acres of bottom land, and there is now open on the farm more than twice as much upland as there was when Mr. Cobb was first elected in 1901. A number of splendid buildings have taken the place of old and dilapidated structures. Four times as much barn space is necessary now, and the buildings are well planned for room and convenience. A large pasture has been set in Bermuda and wired in. In addition to this there is a large woods pasture. In the spring and summer these pastures are sufficiently large and luxuriant to supply comfortable grazing for at least twenty head of cattle. In addition to these there is a large hog pasture, and here can be found one of the finest Duroc-Jersey herds in the county. All supplies for the farm in the way of provisions and feed are raised on the farm. About twenty bales of cotton are raised each year in addition to feed and supplies. A number of convicts are yearly quartered at the stockade on the farm during the winter months, and these, too, as well as the road mules, are fed from poor farm property. This year an unusually fine crop has been made on the farm, and it is estimated by a committee from the grand jury that the value of the crops on the poor farm will amount to about \$1,800 over and above running expenses. During Mr. Cobb's administration we do not remember of a single instance where the grand jury has reprimanded him for anything done or left undone at the home or on the farm, and at the close of each sitting of these guardians of the county he has always received the highest praise from that body. The unfortunates at the farm are kindly treated and well cared for, and the inmates think there is nobody like Mr. Cobb and his family. We congratulate the County Board upon the choice of a steward for another year.

—The greatest bargains in men's suits, pants, hats, shoes, ties and hose. Mr. Harrison, at Norman's lower store. adv.

—Ben P. Sloan, of the Salem section of Oconee, has brought to The Courier office three fine ears of corn that were grown on his farm, on upland, and, he says, without an ounce of fertilizer of any kind. The three ears weigh 3½ pounds, the heaviest being 1 pound and 5 ounces, the other two weighing 1 pound and 2 ounces and 1 pound and one ounce, respectively. The heaviest ear measures 19 inches in length and 8 inches in circumference, the other two 10½ inches in length and 7½ inches in circumference. This corn is grown almost exclusively. Mr. Sloan says, in his section, and is known as the "Moss corn," it having been originated, so far as he knows, by the late Miles Moss, who was for years one of the most extensive corn growers in the Salem section. The land on which this corn was made has been in cultivation for some 16 years. Mr. Sloan attributes his good corn to careful preparation of the soil before planting. He has 275 bushels of this year's crop.

—L. D. Morgan, of the Ebenezer section, brought to The Courier office last Saturday a boll of cotton containing eleven locks. Bolls containing up to seven locks are common, but eleven is away above the average and seldom heard of. The cotton was of the Hasting's sure-crop variety.

—A few select pieces cut glass at cut prices. Norman's drug store. ad.

—Mrs. Mary N. Ansel left yesterday morning for Cokebury, where she will spend some time visiting Rev. and Mrs. G. F. Clarkson.

—New line notions, corsets and sweaters. Mrs. Callaway. ad.

—The Emery Circle was pleasantly entertained at its last meeting by Miss Janie Neville, at her home in West Union. The next meeting will be with Mrs. B. F. Sloan on Tuesday, November 18th, at 4 o'clock.

—The Walhalla Graded Schools resumed work last Monday after suspension for a week owing to an accident to a boiler used by the steam heating plant.

—To close out, a few nice pieces sterling and community silver. Norman, druggist, Walhalla. adv.

—W. D. Moss is improving his residence property on College street, Faculty Hill, by having his lot enclosed with cement coping. A cement walk will also be laid from the sidewalk to the residence.

—Mrs. Sam J. Isbell was called to Spartanburg last Thursday by telegram announcing the death of Coleman Hayes, her brother. There are many friends here who sympathize deeply with her in her bereavement.

—The largest variety, the hand-somest patterns, the best prices, of chinaware ever brought above Columbia to be shown at Norman's two stores, Walhalla. adv.

—Rev. J. D. Crain will preach at Madison Baptist church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend this service and Baptists especially are urged to be present.

—The Lutheran Sunday school, aided by the choir, will render a "Luther Day" home mission program next Sunday morning during the Sunday school and church hours. The congregation and friends are requested to come, at the ringing of the bell for Sunday school, prepared to make an offering for home missions. The public is cordially invited.

—The Westminster Oil and Fertilizer Company will give four (4) cents each for every good cotton seed meal bag you will bring them. See that all holes are mended. Westminster Oil and Fertilizer Co., Westminster, S. C. ad.-1f.

—Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Crisp, of Walhalla, to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Annie Pauline, to George Elliott Rhodes, of Walhalla. The ceremony will take place at the Walhalla Methodist church on Wednesday afternoon, November 26th, at 2:30 o'clock. Miss Crisp and Mr. Rhodes are two of the most popular young people of Walhalla, and the latter is receiving the hearty advance congratulations of his many friends.

—Specially low prices on our large stock of holiday goods—Norman's. See our selection of Bibles, Testaments and books.

—A marriage, the announcement of which came as a surprise to many friends of the young couple, took place at the parsonage of St. John's Lutheran church last Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock, when Miss Katie Schumacher and Henry White were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. Rev. J. B. Umberger performing the ceremony, in the presence of a few relatives and intimate friends. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Schumacher, S. C., and the groom a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. White. They have a host of friends here, with whom The Courier joins heartily in extending congratulations and good wishes. Mr. and Mrs. White are for the present at home to their friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hampton Melburg.

—Pretty line new millinery and ribbons at Mrs. Callaway's. ad.

—New lot pretty hats for ladies and children. Mrs. Callaway. ad.

—The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Walhalla Methodist church will meet in the church next Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. All members are requested to attend. It is desired that all business for the closing quarter of the year shall be duly considered.

—Pain in Back and Rheumatism torment thousands of people daily. Don't be one of these sufferers when for so little cost you can get well rid of the cause. Foley Kidney Pills begin their good work from the very first dose. They exert so direct an action on the kidneys and bladder that the pain and torment of back-ache, rheumatism and kidney trouble is soon dispelled. Bell's drug store. adv.

—GOOD FAMILY HORSE for sale; no better qualities to be found; fine for buggy or saddle or farm horse. Must sell soon. (Rev.) J. O. Burnett, West Union, S. C. 46-1f.

—FINE JERSEY BULL for service. For particulars see Gus Spoonagel, Walhalla. 46-3

—WANTED—Beef cattle and hides. Ellison & Co., opposite Post Office, Walhalla. 38-1f.

SALE! SALE!

Beginning Friday, November 14, and continuing through 15 days, I will sell my line of Shoes below cost—work Shoes and fine Shoes for men and women. Call and see the Shoes and prices.

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ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS,

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For the best bushel of Oats	\$100.00
For the next best	50.00
For the third best	40.00
For the fourth best	30.00
For the fifth best	20.00
For the sixth best	10.00

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