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WALHALLA, S. C.:

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 11, 1914.

MAY MAKE ALABAMA HOME.

J. N. Rutherford Writes of His Trip from Walhalla.

Pine Level, Ala., Nov. 2.—Editor Keowee Courier: I bade Walhalla farewell on October 21st and bought tickets for two at Seneca for Montgomery, Ala. We arrived in Atlanta at 11 o'clock a. m. Mrs. Rutherford was sick, and we stopped for six hours at Robert Ervin's hotel. "Bob" had not forgotten Walhalla. I rambled over the city four hours, visited the Capitol and new court house, which are fine, large buildings. The railroad terminal is grand. It is said a train leaves here every half hour during each 24. It did not look like "hard times," as all trains were packed with humanity. The streets were crowded with vehicles of all descriptions. Nothing gave the appearance of a "business panic." At 6 p. m. we presented our tickets at the terminal gate and were informed that the train was a "Pullman" and we must pay \$1.50 for Pullman tickets or stay over till 6 a. m. We paid, and departed for Montgomery, arriving there at 10 p. m.

Montgomery is a very large city—once the capital of the Confederate States of America. It is the capital of Alabama. It is situated in a prairie, on the Alabama river and has seven railroads and a line of steamboats. All trains stop at the union depot, and this station is finer than the million-dollar station at Atlanta. There are no stairways to climb. The streets are well paved and kept very clean; plenty of beautiful shade trees, and countless large, fine stores and residences. Bar-rooms are quite conspicuous, and fruit stands are loaded with all kinds of tropical fruits. Cotton warehouses are full and the banks have plenty of money. Flour is selling at \$6; corn meal, \$1.25; cabbage 2 cents a pound; Irish potatoes 20 cents a bushel; peaches, 20 cents a pound; bacon, 18 cents; cotton, 6 3/4 cents; cotton seed, 50 cents per 100 pounds. Land near the city is \$100 per acre; dressed lumber \$2 per 100 feet; brick \$4 per 1,000; butter, 40 cents; hens, 50 cents; beef steak, 20 cents. A shave costs 15 cents, and a drink of whiskey ditto.

At 6 p. m. the next day we boarded a train on the Atlantic Coast Line for Ramer, remaining there with Rutherford till 10 a. m., and hired a colored Baptist preacher to take us out to Pine Level, a distance of 12 miles. This city is correctly named. The land is perfectly level, with fine timber in abundance—long-leaf pine. We spent three days with a kinsman, who kindly gave us a good dwelling to call home. At the close of our visit we hired a colored man to take us 20 miles to the beautiful city of Troy—"The City of Flowers"—located on the Coast Line road, which runs into Florida. One street in this city is named "Three-Notch," being the identical road that Gen. Andrew Jackson blazed out for his army to travel while fighting the Indians in Alabama.

We have purchased an outfit to commence house-keeping. The merchants complain of "hard times." This is a big cotton section and the merchants have made heavy advances to the colored people to make cotton. The staple is piled up at farm houses in lots of 50 to 100 bales, and the warehouses are full. I have traveled over Montgomery and Pike counties. The public roads are graded and macadamized, and are extra good. I have just returned from Montgomery. I went through the State Capitol and saw a great many war relics—cannons, muskets, pistols, swords, flags; also the large silver star imbedded in the portico, where Jefferson Davis stood when he took the oath as President of the Confederate States of America.

The days are very warm, but the nights are cool. The sugar cane is not cut yet and cotton fields are white. A great many want to sell me land at \$15 to \$100 per acre. I have not bought yet. Will tell you more in my next letter. I have re-

**TO PREACH GOSPEL OF GRAIN.**

Whirlwind Campaign Over State is Planned by Experts.

Plans for a whirlwind campaign in South Carolina to interest the farmers in the growing of grains are being worked out by officials of the State Department of Agriculture, the United States farm demonstration forces and Clemson College. At a conference held between Commissioner Watson and W. W. Long, State agent for the demonstration work, the campaign was discussed and speakers selected.

Tentative arrangements provide for several parties to visit all of the counties. From five to six meetings will be held each day. Short addresses will be delivered on the necessity of planting grain and questions asked by farmers will be answered. Automobiles will be used to make the trip over the State.

The campaign in the interest of the "live at home" movement will be launched as a result of the law passed by the General Assembly reducing the cotton acreage in South Carolina in 1915.

**THICK, GLOSSY HAIR FREE FROM DANDRUFF.**

Girls! Try It! Hair Gets Soft, Fluffy and Luxuriant at Once—No More Falling Hair.

If you care for heavy hair, that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life; has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine.

Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff; you cannot have nice, heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots famish, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast.

If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy or too oily, get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine at any drug store or toilet store; apply a little as directed and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.

We sincerely believe, regardless of everything else advertised, that if you desire soft, lustrous, beautiful hair and lots of it—no dandruff—no itching scalp and no more falling hair—you must use Knowlton's Danderine. If eventually—why not now?—Adv.

**Glad to Get American Cotton.**

Amsterdam, Nov. 4.—The Berlin Vossische Zeitung says it learns from Jas. W. Gerard, American ambassador to Germany, that not only will the exportation of German chemicals to America soon be generally agreed to, but also the importation of American cotton to Europe in ships flying the American flag.

The American government has received assurances from the British government, says the paper, that American ships carrying cotton will not be prevented from running into German ports. The German government has promised Ambassador Gerard that American cotton ships bound for Russian ports will not be molested.

**Mishap in Electric Chair.**

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 4.—Joseph Toth, convicted of the murder of Michael Mayti here last January, was executed in the penitentiary last night. Through the carelessness of some one the execution came near to meeting with a serious interruption. When the current was first applied a flash from Toth's head and feet lighted the death chamber. The power was switched off and it was found that the electrodes had not been dampened. Three more shocks were given before the official word was given that Toth was dead.

Toth entered the home of his fiancée nearly a year ago, and finding her entertaining Mayti drew a revolver and began to fire. He killed Mayti with a shot through a closet door and wounded the girl.

**REMADE MEN**

If you happen to be one of the thousands of men and women who suffer ever so slightly from an inactive liver you will be surprised at the immediate effect of GRIGSBY'S LIV-VER-LAX. That headache, or lack of energy or constipated condition is sure to be the result of imperfect liver conditions.

Help nature to do the work by one or two doses of GRIGSBY'S LIV-VER-LAX each week and you will be a new being.

Sold in 50c. and \$1 bottles under a sound refund-guarantee by Norman Company. Genuine bottles always bear the likeness of L. K. Grigsby, ad-

ceived one copy of The Courier. My post office is Pine Level, Ala. J. N. Rutherford.

**CHICAGO STOCK YARDS CLOSED.**

Hoof and Mouth Disease Call for Speedy Attention.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—The Chicago Union Stock Yards, the largest cattle market in the world, which has been in continuous business since 1865, to-night was ordered closed for several days because of the prevalence of the hoof and mouth disease among cattle.

The stock yards, it was officially stated, probably will remain closed ten days. The order will go into effect at the close of business November 6, and continue until the opening of business November 16. This makes the cessation of business at the yards cover nine days, including Sundays.

The decision to close was reached after a prolonged conference of the members of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners with all the leading stock dealers and packers and after consultation with Governor Dunne.

In ten days it is planned to rid the stock yards of contagion. The process of elimination will include the destruction of infected cattle, the disinfection of cattle pens and the killing of rats. The immediate effect of the suspension order will be to stop shipments of cattle, sheep and hogs to the Chicago market, which amounts to almost 100,000 head daily.

The finding to-day that 600 cattle here had been affected and the belief that the contagion had spread to various parts of the yards made immediate action necessary.

"There is only one way to eradicate this contagion and to prevent its spread and becoming possibly a peril to cattle raisers throughout the country," said Dr. R. A. Ramsey, chief of field inspection of the bureau of animal inquiry, who arrived from Washington Sunday. "The remedy is to close up the stock yards and give them a thorough cleaning. We have acted merely in an advisory capacity as to the closing up of the yards."

All cattle-carrying railroads were notified not to accept live stock for the Chicago market. The closing cuts off at once the chief market for 22 cattle-raising States.

It is the first time business ever was suspended at the stock yards. It was said that while the closing down is tremendous in its consequences to the industry, it will not entail any great hardships.

It was said that stock, instead of being sent to Chicago for slaughter, will be sent to Kansas City, Omaha, St. Joseph, Sioux City and other points.

F. E. White, a director in Armour & Co., said he believed neither the meat industry nor meat prices would be affected by the brief suspension of the Chicago end of the business.

**Disease Spreads.**

Washington, Nov. 5.—Cattle infected with foot and mouth disease were discovered at Clyed, N. Y., making three centers of infection in that State, according to reports to the Department of Agriculture to-day.

Six more communities are reported affected in Lancaster county, Pennsylvania.

Secretary Houston told the President to-day that it would be necessary to increase the estimate of the department's expenditures. He said the department believed it is in control of the situation, and that the food supply will not be seriously affected.

**Enj. Knox Married in Washington.**

(Tugalo Tribune.)

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Knox, of Washington, D. C., arrived Sunday and will spend their honeymoon at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. A. Knox, of the Taber vicinity. Mrs. Knox was Miss Julia Howard, of Washington. They were married last Wednesday, October 28. Mr. Knox was reared in this section and has many friends here who wish him and his lovely bride a long, happy and useful life. At present he is running as mail clerk between Washington and Bristol, Va.-Tenn.

Lieut. Julius Knox, of the Philippine Islands, is also spending some time at the home of his parents.

**Augustus Heinze is Dead.**

Saratoga, N. Y., Nov. 4.—Augustus Heinze, owner of immense copper interests in the West, died suddenly here to-night.

Mr. Heinze, whose legal residence was Saratoga, came here yesterday from New York to vote. He became ill suddenly yesterday afternoon at the home of his counsel, Judge Nash Rockwood. His condition grew steadily worse and he expired early this morning.

Mr. Heinze, who was 42 years old, had been ill since last June with cirrhosis of the liver. He came here against the advice of his physician.

**BIG MONEY PLAN SUCCEEDING.**

All Sections Responding to Call for Subscriptions.

Washington, Nov. 4.—Success of the plan for raising a \$135,000,000 loan fund to aid cotton producers seemed assured to-day. W. P. G. Harding, member of the Federal Reserve Board, in active charge of the plan, returned to-day from Boston, confident that New England bankers will respond to the request for subscriptions. Mr. Harding said that telegrams received from many cities indicate success of the plan. He said Chicago had raised about \$10,000,000 already; Cleveland and Cincinnati about \$2,000,000. San Francisco is actively at work and Washington and Louisville have pledged their full quota.

The prompt action of the clearing houses and banks in these and other cities led Mr. Harding to feel confident that the prospects are bright for the success of the fund. He explained to-day that New England bankers expect to aid cotton manufacturers at that section, but do not, on the other hand, wish to see cotton selling this year at unusually low prices with a short crop as a sequence of such prices next year. This, in the view of many New England bankers would only mean that next year's cotton would go to abnormally high prices, and the manufacturers would gain nothing. They are said to prefer a stable market and for this reason, if for no other, are willing to contribute to the fund. Boston may be asked for nearly \$10,000,000 for the fund.

**Don't Delay Treating Your Cough.**

A slight cough often becomes serious, lungs get congested, bronchial tubes fill with mucus. Your vitality is reduced. You need Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. It soothes your irritated air passages, loosens mucus and makes your system resist colds. Give the baby and children Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. It's guaranteed to help them. Only 25c. at your druggist.—Adv.

**Germ of Gangrene Discovered.**

Paris, Nov. 6.—A microbe which causes gangrene in bullet and shrapnel wounds has been discovered by Drs. James Scarlett and Georges Desjardins, of the American ambulance service. After much experimentation on horses and guinea pigs, a serum is now being prepared by Dr. Henri Weisberg, of the Pasteur Institute.

The discovery is expected to have world-wide importance. The serum is being injected into patients on the battlefields in the early stages of infection, obviating amputations and preventing great loss of life.

**MOTHER! IS CHILD'S STOMACH SOUR, SICK?**

If Tongue is Coated or if Cross, Feverish, Constipated, Give "California Syrup of Figs."

Don't scold your fretful, peevish child. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with sour waste.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomachache, indigestion, diarrhoea, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul waste, the sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "insides" clean and sweet.

Keep it handy, mother! A little given to-day saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeiters sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.—Adv.

**A Parallel Case.**

(Lancaster News.)

Many years ago when cotton was going begging on the market like it is now, Bob Toombs, of Georgia, according to John Temple Graves, gave expression to the following at a mass meeting of Georgians: "But a few months ago they told us cotton was king and that before his throne the crowned monarchs of the world would crouch and sue for favor. But now before a frost has withered a single leaf in his coronet he comes into the hall a shivering pauper crying, 'Give me drink or I perish!'"

**Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's**

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

**State Prison Will Make Chairs.**

Columbia, Nov. 5.—"We expect to begin work in the chair factory in a few days," said D. J. Griffith, superintendent of the State penitentiary, yesterday. The mill has been closed for several weeks. Capt. Griffith said that it was the purpose of the directors to manufacture about 1,000 chairs. "If we find a market for these chairs we will continue to operate the factory," he added.

There are about 200 prisoners confined in the penitentiary and on the State farms, according to Capt. Griffith.

**NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS.**

All persons indebted to the Estate of Mrs. Lou Barron, deceased, are hereby notified to make payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against said estate will present the same, duly attested, within the time prescribed by law or be barred. W. S. BARRON, Administrator of the Estate of Mrs. Lou Barron, deceased. Oct. 21, 1914. 42-45

**TAX NOTICE.**

County Treasurer's Office, Walhalla, S. C., Oct. 6, 1914. The books for the collection of State, County, School and Special Taxes for the fiscal year 1914 will be open from October 15th, 1914, to December 31st, 1914, without penalty, after which day one per cent penalty will be added on all payments made in the month of January, 1915, and two per cent penalty on all payments made in the month of February, 1915, and seven per cent penalty on all payments made from the first day of March until the 15th day of March, 1915. After that day all taxes not paid will go into execution and be placed in the hands of the Sheriff for collection.

Taxpayers owning property or paying taxes for others will please ask for a tax receipt in each Township or Special School District in which he or they may own property. This is very important, as there are so many Special School Districts.

The tax levy is made up as follows: State tax ..... 6 mills School tax ..... 3 mills Ordinary county tax ..... 7 1/2 mills Interest on bonds ..... 1/2 mill

Total ..... 17 mills Special and Local School Tax.

Dist. No.	High School.	Special School.	Bonds.	Total.
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**Poll Tax, \$1. Dog Tax, 50c.**

Every male citizen from 21 to 60 years of age is liable for poll tax except Confederate soldiers, who do not pay after 50 years of age, and those exempted by law.

**Road Tax, \$2.**

Every male citizen from 18 to 50 years of age is liable for road tax, except those exempt by law. This tax is payable from October 15th, 1914, to March 15th, 1915, after which time four days' work will be required.

R. H. ALEXANDER, Treasurer Oconee County, S. C. Oct. 7, 1914.

**Whole Crew Reported Lost.**

Santiago, Chile, Nov. 4.—All hands are reported to have perished when the British cruiser Monmouth took her plunge beneath the sea after 30 minutes' of fighting with the Germans off Coronel, according to advices received here.

The battle was terrific while it lasted. As darkness began the Good Hope seemed to be on fire, following a terrific burst of flames which seemed to indicate that an explosion had occurred on board.

The Glasgow is reported to have arrived in a bad condition in Coronel Bay. The Otranto escaped to Puerto Montt.

The German ships arrived in Valparaiso to-day to take on board coal and provisions.

There is civilization only in peace. War is barbarism.

If it wasn't for worry some people in this world would have nothing to do.

**A Message To Women**

Those of Middle Age Especially.

When you have found no remedy for the horrors that oppress you during change of life, when through the long hours of the day it seems as though your back would break, when your head aches constantly, you are nervous, depressed and suffer from those dreadful bearing down pains, don't forget that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the safest and surest remedy, and has carried hundreds of women safely through this critical period.

Read what these three women say:

**From Mrs. Hornung, Buffalo, N. Y.**

BUFFALO, N. Y.—"I am writing to let you know how much your medicine has done for me. I failed terribly during the last winter and summer and every one remarked about my appearance. I suffered from a female trouble and always had pains in my back, no appetite and at times was very weak.

"I was visiting at a friend's house one day and she thought I needed Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it and have gained eight pounds, have a good appetite and am feeling better every day. Everybody is asking me what I am doing and I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. You may publish this letter if you wish and I hope others who have the same complaint will see it and get health from your medicine as I did."—Mrs. A. HORNUNG, 91 Stanton St., Buffalo, N. Y.

**Was A Blessing To This Woman.**

So, RICHMOND, VA.—"I was troubled with a bearing down pain and a female weakness and could not stand long on my feet. Of all the medicines I took nothing helped me like Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I am now regular and am getting along fine. I cannot praise the Compound too much. It has been a blessing to me and I hope it will be to other women."—Mrs. D. TYLER, 23 West Clopton St., South Richmond, Va.

**Pains in Side, Could Hardly Stand.**

LODI, WIS.—"I was in a bad condition, suffering from a female trouble, and I had such pains in my sides I could hardly move. Before I had taken the whole of one bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I felt better, and now I am well and can do a good day's work. I tell everybody what your medicine has done for me."—Mrs. JOHN THOMPSON, Lodi, Wisconsin.

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No one sick with woman's ailments does justice to herself if she does not try this famous medicine made from roots and herbs, it has relieved