

Knights of Pythias.

The regular meeting of **Walhalla Lodge, No. 67, K. of P.**, will be held at the Masonic Temple next Monday night, October 24, at 7.30 o'clock. Visiting Knights always welcome. J. W. SHELOR, C. C. T. B. SHELOR, K. R. & S. (adv.)

Rainfall for Week.

Rainfall for week ending Sept. 26th, at 7 p. m., s furnished us by H. W. Brandt, co-operative observer. The record follows:

Date	Inches rainfall
Sept. 20—Clear	0.00
Sept. 21—Clear	0.00
Sept. 22—Clear	0.00
Sept. 23—Clear	0.15
Sept. 24—Clear	0.00
Sept. 25—Clear	0.00
Sept. 26—Clear	0.00
Total for week	0.15

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

—T. E. Alexander, Walhalla, sells land, Rock Hill buggies and harness. —Adv.

—Mrs. B. F. Bradley, of Easley, is spending this week visiting at the home of Mrs. Fannie Brennecke.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Barr, of Greenville, visited at the home of Mrs. S. P. Denny last week.

—Harry R. Hughes, Esq., returned yesterday from Columbia, where he spent a short while on professional business.

—Two plugs Red J. tobacco for 15c. Deaton Bros., West Union, S. C.—Adv. 49.

—J. Russell Wright, of the Bounty Land section, is spending this week in Walhalla among friends, who are always glad to see him.

—John W. Lee has sold his interest in his blacksmith shop on Spring street to E. Billie Lee. The latter has been connected with the business for several months.

—A car of fine young mules to arrive this week. Don't fail to look them over. Neville Bros., West Union, S. C.—Adv.

—John J. Reeder, who has been engaged in "light farming" in the vicinity of Walhalla for some time, has accepted a position with G. W. Glenhillat & Son, of Seneca. Mr. Reeder will give his entire time at present to learning the cotton business in detail. He is a young man of good parts, and has many friends in Oconee who will wish him well in his new business.

—Honea Path Chronicle: "The many friends of Master J. S. Edmonds will be pleased to learn that he is improving, but is yet confined to his bed, suffering with an attack of malaria." The young gentleman referred to is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Edmonds, formerly of Walhalla, and has a host of friends here who will join with us in the wish that he may soon be restored to health.

—In order to keep your money at home you must buy from home manufacturers. Geo. M. White, Jr., sells the West Union high grade flour at \$8 per barrel; high grade seconds at \$6 per barrel; bran and shorts \$1.40 per sack. It is pure, wholesome and fully guaranteed.—Adv. 39.

—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford S. Merrick, of Riverside, Ill., will regret to learn that they lost their home there one day last week by fire. No information has been received as to the accident further than the fact of the occurrence and that the building was insured, thus reducing their losses to a great extent. Mr. Merrick is one of the old Walhalla boys in whom there is a great interest felt here.

—When you want **Leather Shoes** we have them. C. W. & J. E. Bauknight, Walhalla.—Adv.

—The members of the Hayne Circle were delightfully entertained last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. A. Ansel. Several visitors lent an additional pleasure to the afternoon and the attendance of members was unusually good. An interesting program was thoroughly enjoyed: "Apparent Contradictions," Mrs. Bauknight; "Social Life of the Orient," Miss Daisy Strong; "The Plain of Esdras," Miss Janie Neville. During the social session the hostess served a dainty menu and was assisted by Misses Emily Ansel and Eloise Montjoy.

—Our tombstones stand four-square on quality, made exclusively of the best grade of marble and granite and beautifully finished. We know we can please you. We employ no agents. Seneca Marble and Granite Works.—Adv.

—W. T. Ramey, of the Whetstone section, paid The Courier office a pleasant call last Friday. Mr. Ramey was in Walhalla for the purpose of disposing of a wagon load of produce, for which he found ready sale. In paying his subscription to The Courier Mr. Ramey incidentally remarked that he was paying off the last of his obligations, and went from the office "owing no man anything." He has a fine apple crop this year, and on his trip last week disposed of a mixed load of produce, consisting of apples, potatoes, corn, etc. Tim Ramey lives at home, this year he has been selling his neighbors and the people of Walhalla "bread corn," for which he obtained \$1.25 per bushel. It is hand selected and makes fine bread when picked in this way. Mr. Ramey has enough apples and Irish potatoes to furnish a load of produce to town every week from now until Christmas. He lives in behind the blue hills and makes money and saves it. What do the cotton farmers think of this?

—For Quick Sale—Eight-year-old mare; nice driver and gentle; also new rubber-tire top buggy and harness. See Will H. Jones, at Walhalla Barber Shop.—Adv.

—Butterick patterns. C. W. Pitchford, Walhalla, S. C.—Adv. 17.

—J. W. Lesley, of Abbeville, has recently moved to Oconee and purchased a farm in the Retreat section. We, with others, extend to him a most cordial welcome.

—Miss Lillie Byrd is spending some time at Candler, N. C., among relatives and friends. She has been absent from Walhalla for some time visiting at other points.

—See our new hats and sweaters in show windows. C. W. & J. E. Bauknight.—Adv.

—It will be learned with great pleasure that Mrs. H. A. Whitten, of West Union, who has been very ill for the past week, is reported much improved this morning.

—Boone Bowen, of Charleston, is spending this week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Moss and among other relatives here. He has been in Greenville for some time and will return there in a few days. His many friends here are pleased to meet him again.

—Phone 76 for fresh fruits, vegetables, something to boil. O. H. Schumacher, Walhalla.—Adv. 21.

—Attention is directed to the two advertisements this week by B. R. Moss, real estate dealer. Mr. Moss is handling a number of valuable real estate propositions and it will be well to see him if you are looking for farm lands or town property. His advertisements will be found on the fifth page.

—R. A. Hutchison, of Jacksonville, Fla., who has been spending a few weeks in this section visiting his mother, Mrs. M. E. Hutchison, of West Union, returned last week to his home. Mr. Hutchison is always welcomed back to this section by a host of friends.

—300 bushels Fulcrum seed oats, clean and pure; \$1 per bushel. See Geo. M. Ansel, Walhalla.—Adv. 17.

The many friends of W. D. Pitchford, who has had headquarters at St. Augustine, Fla., for a number of years, will be interested to learn that he has been transferred to San Antonio, Texas. Mr. Pitchford is traveling representative for the Heinz Pickle Works.

—Next Sunday morning, at St. John's Lutheran church, Sunday school and public worship at the usual hours. Sunday night at eight o'clock there will be a special service, at which the pastor would like to see every member. There are some important matters to consider. W. B. Aull, Pastor.

—Wanted—Fat hogs and green and flint hides. Best prices. Write me what you have. T. Joe Todd, Walhalla, S. C.—Adv.

—Mrs. Adam Fisher, of Charlotte, spent yesterday in Walhalla with her cousin, Mrs. W. D. Moss. She came to Oconee to attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Caroline Reid, at Seneca Monday. Mrs. Fisher is pleasantly remembered here as Miss Carrie Shelor, daughter of the late R. W. Shelor. Mrs. Fisher was accompanied by her little daughter.

—The revival services at the Baptist church have been attended from the beginning by unprecedentedly large congregations at each of the services daily. At the night services standing room has been unavailable, numbers often being unable to get into the church. Great good has been accomplished, it is felt. Dr. Montgomery is a forceful preacher and has presented his messages in an attractive and deeply impressive manner. The meeting will close with the service to-night.

—For Sale—Good 8-h.p. International gasoline engine; good running order; practically new. Apply to I. W. Henry, Whetstone, S. C.—Adv. 41.

—The Courier is in receipt of a letter from C. G. Ensley, of Sunburst, N. C., in which he states that the Champion Lumber Company has gone into voluntary bankruptcy and that receivers for the company have been appointed. The letter was dated September 19th, and the statement is made that it would be known at an early date whether the company would continue to operate the two large plants at Sunburst and Crescent, N. C. Mr. Ensley also reports that on the 19th Jas. Hicks, of Rabun county, Georgia, had the misfortune to get his leg broken while at work. He was sent to Asheville for medical attention. Young Hicks, says Mr. Ensley, is a nephew of Benjamin Hicks, of near Walhalla.

—14 pounds granulated sugar \$1. C. W. & J. E. Bauknight.—Adv.

—The many friends of Mrs. Caroline Stribling Reid, widow of the late Capt. Jas. T. Reid, will regret deeply to learn of her death, which occurred at the home of her son, George T. Reid, of Calhoun, last Sunday morning. Mrs. Reid was quite an aged lady, being in her 81st year, but her friends in this section had not known of her illness. She had spent some time visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Moss, in Walhalla, during the summer, at which time her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Webb, of Washington, also visited here. Mrs. Reid was a splendid woman, a devout Christian and an earnest worker in the church. Since the death of her husband some years ago she had made her home among her children, frequently coming to Walhalla to visit relatives and old friends, and her visits here were always the occasion of great pleasure to those who knew her. The deceased is survived by two sons and one daughter—Samuel Reid, of Birmingham, Ala.; Geo. T. Reid, of Calhoun, and Mrs. Lizzie R. Webb, of Washington, D. C. Two brothers and one sister also survive her, these being W. Dave and Tom Handy Stribling, of Seneca, and Mrs. Orwood Sligh, of the county. To these and numerous other relatives the sympathy of many goes out in their hour of sorrow. Funeral services were held Monday, the interment taking place at Seneca at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

—A car of fine young mules to arrive this week. Don't fail to look them over. Neville Bros., West Union, S. C.—Adv.

—C. W. Pitchford spent a part of last week in Union on business.

—All-wool serge, worth 85c., only 65c. C. W. & J. E. Bauknight. adv.

—Post Office Inspector Henry Curran, of Greenville, is here on official business.

—Marvin Burley and Gordon Fant have gone to Clemson for the school last year, entering as freshmen.

—There will be preaching at Ebenezer church Sunday afternoon by Rev. W. B. Aull. Everybody invited.

—Miss Julia Maxwell returned last Sunday from a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. J. W. Nix, of Greenville.

—The Rook Club will meet Wednesday afternoon next, October 4th, at 4 o'clock, with Mrs. C. W. Pitchford, Jr.

—For Rent—Five rooms in Main street residence. Apply to Mrs. Adeline Oelkers, Walhalla.—Adv. 40

—Miss Helen Fant, of Anderson, is on a short visit to relatives here. She expects to leave in a few days for New York and other Northern points.

—Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Gardner, of Greenwood, are spending this week in Walhalla as guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shelor.

—New advertisements this week: Moss & Ansel, C. W. & J. E. Bauknight, Walhalla; M. Blumenthal, Westminster Bank, Matheson Hardware Co., Westminster; C. W. Pitchford, Walhalla.

—Two plugs "World Beater" tobacco, 15c. C. W. & J. E. Bauknight, Walhalla.—Adv.

—M. B. Heller, of the Oakway section of Oconee, was in Walhalla yesterday exhibiting novel device for instantaneously adjusting a plow foot. The little device is remarkably handy and will prove a great time-saver to the farmer who uses it. By means of a small handle, a strong spring and a series of notches on an upright piece of steel above the plow stock any adjustment necessary to change the angle of the plow point can be made in a second thus replacing the old-time adjustment with bolts and wrenches. The "foot" is not bolted to the stock at all, but is fastened on a pivotal bolt, which is adjusted by the new attachment. The idea is one of Mr. Heller's, which he has been developing and improving for a year. He has patents pending, which he hopes to have completed by the latter part of this year. The device can be manufactured and sold for a small amount—about a dollar, it is thought—and it seems to us it ought to be worth that amount several times over each year to any farmer. Mr. Heller claims that his invention will be so substantial in construction as to be practically indestructible and will last a life time. He has associated with him in his patent undertakings S. W. Dickson, of Westminster, and B. A. Wilson, Esq., of Greenville.

—25-pound sack standard granulated sugar, \$1.75. C. W. & J. E. Bauknight, Walhalla.—Adv.

Oyster Dealers Warned.

Washington, Sept. 25.—With the opening of the oyster season the food and drug officials of the Department of Agriculture have given notice to those who ship oysters in interstate commerce that they will continue their active inspection to prevent shipment of polluted oysters or shipment of shucked oysters that have been soaked to increase their bulk.

Those in charge of this work report that the oyster trade in general has expressed a desire to co-operate with the department in obtaining a grade of oysters free from adulteration of any kind. Many have asked the department to suggest a method of washing oysters without spoiling them to an extent that constitutes adulteration under the regulations.

The department's answer to such inquiries is that dealers are entirely able to determine for themselves whether or not any particular method of washing results in an appreciable increase in the volume of the oysters or in the amount of juice that normally should be present.

Ten Texans "Invaded" Mexico.

San Antonio, Texas, Sept. 24.—An investigation will be made of eight members of the Texas cavalry who yesterday crossed the Rio Grande into Mexico, near Rio Dosa, and were fired upon by Mexicans.

Col. Malvern Hill Barnum, chief of staff, to Gen. Funston, made this announcement to-night and added that if the action of the guardsmen was not justified they would be tried and punished.

News of the crossing was transmitted to Gen. Funston in a dispatch from Col. J. A. Gaston at Marfa, received after the general's return to-night from Austin. Col. Gaston said that Corporal Rogers, of Troop B, and seven men forming the patrol at Rio Dosa, crossed to Mexican soil yesterday. He did not state the reason. The Americans were fired upon by ten Mexicans and one of the troopers lost his horse. Col. Gaston did not mention any return fire.

Funston Sends Regrets.

Washington, Sept. 25.—Major Gen. Funston has advised the War department he had ordered an expression of regret to the Mexican authorities for the action of Corporal Rogers, of Troop B, Texas Cavalry, in crossing into Mexico with a patrol of seven men on September 21st, and had directed Col. Gaston, commanding the Big Bend District, to try the corporal for disobeying orders.

The patrol was fired on by the Mexican soldiers and returned to the American side with the loss of one horse. No reason for the crossing over was given.

Revival at Double Springs.

Revival services will begin at Double Springs church next Monday night, October 24, at 7.30 o'clock. The pastor will be assisted by Rev. B. M. Robertson, of Central. Good music will be furnished at each service. The public is most cordially invited to attend.

H. A. Whitten, Pastor.

CITADEL CADET TRIES TO END Life By Leaping 40 Feet to Cement Paving Below.

Charleston, Sept. 25.—Corporal George P. Ashe, of York, a Citadel cadet, aged 20, of this year's sophomore class, was prevented from taking his life early yesterday morning by what his friends believe to be nothing short of a miracle. He jumped from the third floor gallery to the inner cement court of the barracks building, a distance of 40 feet, and, although painfully hurt about the face and body, has been declared by the attending physician to have a good chance for recovery.

On discovery of the attempted suicide by one of the guards, Dr. Cathcart, Citadel physician, was summoned and made an examination, after which he said the man's chances for recovery were good.

Temporary despondency is believed to have caused young Ashe's attempt to kill himself.

Yesterday morning, a short while before reveille, Perry Ashe was awakened by the movements of his brother in their room and asked him what was the matter. His reply was, "I can't sleep." Perry then dozed off, but later noticed his brother sitting on the edge of the bed reading a Bible. Believing that his brother was restless and could not sleep, Perry pulled the cover up and went sound asleep again. He knew nothing of George's plunge to the cement court until awakened by a guard, who informed him that his brother had "fallen" from the gallery.

No one saw the plunge, but a guard on duty at the gate heard the thump of the body, and rushing out found Corporal Ashe lying on the hard, paved court. He at once summoned help and the young man was removed to the cadet hospital in an unconscious condition.

In his room was found the following note:

"Dear mother and all my brothers and sisters and friends:

"Good-bye to all of you, and God bless you, especially mother. Loss of mind and despondency. (Signed) George Ashe."

Mrs. Ashe, mother of the cadet, was notified at once of her son's injury and arrived in Charleston last night. The boy's father is dead.

Bounty Land Local News.

Bounty Land, Sept. 25.—Special: Apprehensions of an early frost are entertained these cool mornings.

Mrs. J. R. Cleveland visited her daughter, Mrs. Nicholson, at Calhoun, Sunday.

Charlie Shipman, of Carnesville, Ga., is a guest of L. M. Sheriff.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Barr, of Greenville, were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Perritt a short while last week.

The visitors of Mrs. J. M. Gillison last week were: Mr. and Mrs. Mack Thornton, Mrs. Dunnie Thornton and Mrs. D. A. Thornton, of Hartwell, Ga.; Mrs. R. H. Smithson, of Westminster; C. R. D. Burns and daughter, Mrs. C. W. Wickliffe, Wade Burley and mother, of Walhalla; Mesdames Susan Hunsinger, Wilburn Alexander, Wilburn Abbott and Miss Agnes Hunsinger, of Coneross; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hughes, of Richland, and J. G. and Burns Gillison, of Clemson.

Mrs. D. A. Thornton left yesterday for Seneca, where she will spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. C. S. Stribling.

The many Bounty Land friends of Mrs. Caroline Reid were grievously shocked to learn of her death. We extend sincere sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Misses Bessie and Mavis Mitchell, the attractive guests at the Davis home, will leave to-day for their home near Charlottesville, Va. These young ladies made quite a favorable impression on the young people here, who will look forward with pleasure to another promised visit to the community.

J. E. Smith, after a visit to relatives at Cross Anchor and Spartanburg, returned last week to the home of his brother, Hon. J. L. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McHugh, of Clemson, were late visitors at the home of W. T. Hubbard. Miss Cora Hubbard accompanied them home for a few days' visit.

Union Meeting Program.

The union meeting of the lower division, Beaverdam Baptist Association, will be held with Earle's Grove Baptist church, October 28 and 29, 1916. Following is the program:

Saturday.

10.30 a. m.—Devotional exercises. Rev. P. E. Williams.

10.45 a. m.—Enrollment of delegates and reports from churches.

11.30 a. m.—Sermon by Rev. J. A. Martin.

12.30 p. m.—Adjournment for dinner.

2.00 p. m.—Devotional exercises by moderator.

2.15 p. m.—"Should the churches of Beaverdam Baptist Association form pastorates and locate pastors in the same?" K. W. Marett, Joe Glymph, W. N. Bruce and others.

3.15 p. m.—"Calling a Pastor—Whom call, for what is he called, and for how long?" Dr. T. M. Galphin to open the discussion, followed by others.

Miscellaneous and adjournment.

Sunday.

10.00 a. m.—"What are we doing in the Sunday school work, and where are we going as a denomination, according to the Bible?" By Rev. C. D. Boyd.

11.00 a. m.—Sermon by Rev. L. M. Lyda.

Miscellaneous and adjournment.

H. M. Fallaw, L. M. Lyda, For Program Committee.

Card of Thanks.

Editor Keowee Courier: We wish room in your paper to thank the neighbors and friends for their kindness during the last days of our dear mother, Mrs. Susan Edwards. May God bless each and every one of them.

Her Children.

OUR FALL STOCK

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, LADIES' SUITS AND CLOAKS, HAS ARRIVED.

CALL AND SEE THEM.

C. W. PITCHFORD Walhalla.

SHOEMAKER WANTED.—First class Shoemaker and Repairer wanted at once; must know business thoroughly and be strictly sober. Good proposition. Write WM. LAUSTERER, Shoemaker, Walhalla, S. C.

WANTED—Twenty-five white girls to sew. No experience required. Good pay and light work the year round. Anderson Underwear Co., Anderson, S. C. 42

AT A BARGAIN—One roan mare, four years old, Anderson county raised; a beauty; would make a fine brood mare. One set new harness and a buggy. T. M. GALPHIN, Seneca, S. C. 40

FOR RENT—A two-horse farm suitable for dairy and truck; right at the town limits of Seneca; terms to suit; farmers have their own stock. Address MRS. L. M. COLEMAN, Seneca, S. C. 40

WANTED—Indian pipes, pottery, spear heads, fine arrows, beads, pendants, ornaments, ceremonial; any article with hole drilled through, etc.; Confederate bills, flint-lock pistols, pistols marked C. S., envelopes with stamps on used before 1865. E. WALTERS, 1540 N. 58th Street, Philadelphia, Pa. 41*

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

All persons indebted to the Estate of W. H. Jennings, 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. E. JENNINGS, Administrator of the Estate of W. H. Jennings, Deceased. Sept. 6, 1916. 36-39

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND DISCHARGE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will make application to V. F. Martin, Judge of Probate for Oconee County, in the State of South Carolina, at his office at Walhalla Court House, on Monday, the 2d day of October, 1916, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as said application can be heard, for leave to make final settlement of the estate of W. H. Jennings, deceased, and obtain final discharge as Administrator of said estate.

W. E. JENNINGS, Administrator of the Estate of W. H. Jennings, Deceased. Sept. 6, 1916. 36-39

"Higher Prices Predicted."

The steel market continues to advance, and some time ago we bought heavily on

Nails, Roofing, Wire Fence, Heating Stoves, Grates, Ranges, Blacksmith Tools, Carpenter Tools, Axes, Loaded Shells, Guns, Machinery Supplies, Electrical Supplies, Etc.

We can save you money on Wagon and Buggy Material. Our warehouses are full up. Goods bought for the Spot Cash, and you will make some good money by getting in touch with our prices.

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