

**THE HUNNICUTT FAMILY.**

William John Hunnicutt was born in Pickens District, (now Oconee county), South Carolina, on the 25th day of November, 1832. He was the son of Mattison and Ellie Hunnicutt, whose ancestors came from Ireland to America. He lived with his parents on a farm near Old Pickens Court House until he was happily married to Miss Emma Perry, on the 2d day of November, 1859, and then engaged in farming and mechanical work until the opening of hostilities between the North and South in 1861, when he volunteered and entered the army in Company E, Orr's Regiment of Rifles, commanded by Capt. Miles M. Norton, who fell mortally wounded at the Second Battle of Manassas, and served as a gallant soldier throughout the bloody fratricidal struggle which ended at Appomattox, Va., in April, 1865, when the glorious flag of the Southern Confederacy went down all tattered and bullet-torn, but never dishonored.

After four years of hardship, struggle and privation he returned to his home and family, broken in fortune and injured in health, but invincible in spirit, and heroically began life anew, engaging in farming and the lumber business until his tragic death, which occurred in December, 1882, when he was foully assassinated on his return from Walhalla to his home. He was 49 years old and was survived by five sons and six daughters, with their mother. He was a man of fine character—Christian in spirit, noble in disposition, kind, charitable and affectionate, public spirited and enterprising. Under the guidance and Christian devotion of their energetic mother, with the aid of her older sons, the children were reared to manhood and womanhood and given such schooling as the neighborhood afforded.

The oldest son, J. B. (Brackie, as he was affectionately called,) believing he could better aid his mother in the rearing and education of his brothers and sisters, left home at the age of 21, engaged in the railroad business in Florida, rose to a lucrative and responsible position, which he held until two years before his death, in 1909, at the age of 49. He accumulated a handsome property in Florida and left his widow in good circumstances.

Though separated from home and mother, there was never a more dutiful son and loving brother than Brack Hunnicutt, as evinced by his frequent visits home and his generous and loving gifts to his mother and younger brothers and sisters, all of whom adored him and tenderly remember his pleasing smile, gentle voice and loving kindness. He was a most handsome man, six feet in height, weighing over 200 pounds, with raven locks and keen, black eyes. With his fine appearance, winning personality and gentle manners he made friends with all whom he met.

The next eldest son, William Leiland Hunnicutt, was born in 1867, remained with his mother on the farm till he was 20 years of age, performing all the duties of a faithful son, when he went to Manassas, Colo., where he engaged most successfully in farming and stock raising and accumulated considerable property. He married Miss Victoria Kirkland, of Manassas, Colo. He died in September, 1904, leaving his widow and seven children, all of whom are living in Colorado in prosperous circumstances.

Samuel Newell Hunnicutt was born January 4, 1872, and was 11 years old when his father was killed, in his presence, he himself being badly wounded in the head, from which injury he has never fully recovered. He and his father were traveling alone one cold December night ten miles from home. His father's dead body lying on the wagon and he badly hurt, this boy made his way home with mules and wagon, arriving nearly frozen and almost unconscious. The family was aroused and came out to find the bleeding body of husband and father and the wounded boy. What a tragedy! What a heart-rending scene! Mother and children viewing it in unutterable grief and

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sorrow. As the news spread, neighbors and people from all the surrounding countryside flocked to the scene in multitudes, eager to aid in the apprehension of the guilty. A coroner's inquest was held, and the body of William John Hunnicutt was sorrowfully borne to the cemetery at New Hope church, followed by an immense throng of grief-stricken relatives and friends. One negro, Frazer Copeland, was arrested, tried and publicly executed at Walhalla for this atrocious crime.

It was universally believed that the object of the murderer was robbery, as Mr. Hunnicutt was not known to have an enemy in the world. His little son said there were three in the crowd, one on the wagon, who struck the fatal blow, one in front of the mules and the third coming out from the side of the road.

The boy Newell, who so narrowly escaped death in this fearful tragedy, remained with his mother a number of years, went to Atlanta, Ga., where he has been and is now engaged extensively in farming as well as in the plumbing business. He married Miss Lola Delay, of Atlanta, 20 years ago. He is prominent in the church, popular in his community and decidedly prosperous in business.

T. Y. Hunnicutt, the youngest son of this remarkable family, was born in 1876. He lived at the old homestead until he was 27 years of age, married Miss Lila Abbott, went to Tampa, Fla., and was employed in the street car business for about two years. He was instantly killed by coming in contact with a live wire, and thus ended the life of a bright, promising and useful young man. His remains were shipped home and buried at New Hope.

Miss Lula, the oldest daughter, has been in Atlanta a number of years, successfully engaged in the millinery business.

Mrs. Cora Sanders died a few years ago, survived by a husband and two children.

Mrs. Dora Mortenson, who is the widow of George Mortenson, of Idaho, is now living, with two daughters, in Ogden, Utah.

Mrs. Florence Stribling, widow of Samuel Stribling, with two children, is living in Ogden, Utah, in prosperous circumstances.

Miss Maud, the youngest daughter, married Joseph Laughlin, of Omaha, Neb., who is engaged there in a large laundry business.

F. Fulton Hunnicutt, the fourth son, with his interesting family, his mother and one sister, Miss Nora, reside at the old homestead in a beautiful residence surrounded by fertile lands, with good neighbors, fine stock and flourishing crops on all sides. Nearby is New Hope church, with a fine Sunday school, where the neighborhood worships, and close by an excellent graded school, well taught and well patronized seven months in the year. Fulton married a fair daughter of Pickens county, December 16th, 1908—Miss Eunice Bright—and they have three sprightly boys and one sweet little girl. Mrs. Hunnicutt is the daughter of W. W. F. Bright, who was for 16 years Superintendent of Education for Pickens county. He served throughout the War Between the States and was twice wounded. He died in 1902 and had the peculiar distinction of being elected the last time on the day he was buried. So highly esteemed were he and his family by the good people of Pickens that his accomplished daughters were permitted to fill out his unexpired term. The great-grandfather of Mrs. Hunnicutt was the celebrated physician of that name of Pennsylvania, by whom the nature of "Bright's disease" was discovered. He was an intimate friend of Wm. Penn, the great Philanthropist, for whom Pennsylvania was named. Mr. Hunnicutt has been a trustee of New Hope District school for a number of years, is prominent in church and Sunday school work, is a Woodman of the World, an Odd Fellow and one of the best farmers in Oconee county.

Much has been said in praise of the children of this family, and they deserve much for what they have done; but all honor, love and gratitude is due the aged mother, now in her 76th year, for her careful training, toll and motherly devotion. Though in some respects most happy, hers has been a life of trial, grief and sorrow, and it is pleasant to note that in the evening of her life she is in comparatively good health, active for one of her age, serenely happy in the love and confidence of her children, who "rise up and call her blessed."

N. B. Cary.  
**Goethals May Cross Water.**  
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**DISTURBANCES AT THE NORTH.**

**Ohio and Pennsylvania Experience Troubles With Negroes.**

Youngstown, Ohio, July 26.—A race riot, which threatened for a time to assume enormous proportions, broke out in Youngstown's business section shortly after noon today when soldiers quartered here became enraged at insults heaped upon them by negroes and retaliated. One spectator was seriously hurt, three of the negro leaders were badly beaten and a dozen others had sustained minor injuries when the fight was ended by a squad of police.

Over a thousand persons were spectators and threatened to participate as the battle progressed. The soldiers declare they have been subject to sneers from the negro clique for some time. Leaders of the negroes threaten revenge for to-day's defeat.

**Two Killed at Chester, Pa.**  
Chester, Pa., July 26.—Two men, a white man and a negro, were killed in race riots which broke out anew here to-night after a day of comparative quiet. About 20 others were injured.

Scores of persons were arrested and the authorities announced at 10 o'clock they had the situation well in hand.

**Thoughts of Old Pickens.**

Editor Keowee Courier: Kindly allow me space in your columns to say a few words in regard to Mr. Cary's article in a recent issue of The Courier. Personally I read the article with unusual interest, largely because I also first saw the light of day within a mile of Old Pickens church, on the farm known as the old Reeder place. It always makes me feel sad to go to Old Pickens, for I have buried there father, grandfather, great-grandfather, aunt and infant sister.

What Mr. Cary had to say about Mr. Keith's farm also proved interesting. I had the pleasure of going over a part of his farm last summer, and judging by his surroundings and the activities about his place, any one can readily see he is a farmer of the modern type. Quite easy it is to account for James Byatt continuing to live on the plantation for seventeen years. Mr. Keith has the reputation of being kind, accommodating, honest and square in all his business dealings, ready and willing to give his men a helping hand in time of need.

No doubt a large portion of the early settlers around Old Pickens have passed into the great beyond since Mr. Cary lived there. Statistics show that 67 people die every minute in the year the world over; and more are born into the world, as the population does not decrease.

A number of families have come from other parts of the State and settled in Oconee as is shown in the following figures. Oconee had in 1890, 18,687 people; 1900, 23,634; 1910, 27,337. John J. Reeder.

**TOO DANGEROUS TO OVERLOOK.**

**Walhalla People Will Do Well to Heed the Warning.**

To have good health, the digestion, heart, lungs and kidneys must work perfectly. When there is anything wrong with the digestion, heart or lungs, a very noticeable pain or distress gives prompt warning. Kidney trouble is more easily overlooked, however, and too often gains a long start. But kidney trouble does give early signs, and backache, headaches, dizzy spells, rheumatic pains, too frequent, scanty or painful urination should not be neglected. When these warnings appear, use Doan's Kidney Pills, the reliable, successful, strongly-recommended kidney remedy. Assist the medicine by taking things easier, reducing the diet and the use of liquors. A severe attack of kidney disease may be avoided. Doan's Kidney Pills have won the grateful praise of Walhalla people. Read this Walhalla resident's endorsement.

W. S. Grahl, blacksmith, N. Church street, Walhalla, says: "I hurt my back and since then have been troubled by kidney complaint. Whenever I had one of these attacks, I had severe pains in my kidneys and across my loins. The action of my kidneys was irregular and I had no control over the kidney secretions. I often had dizzy spells and dull pains in the back of my head. For the past ten years I have used Doan's Kidney Pills at these times and have never failed to receive prompt relief."

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**British Submarine Sunk.**

Berlin, July 25.—The British submarine C-34 has been sunk by a submarine, it was officially announced to-day. The sole survivor was taken prisoner.

The British submarine C-34 was built in 1909, one of eight craft of identical design. She was a boat of 313 tons and a maximum draught of 12 feet, with a speed of 14 knots above water and of 10 knots submerged. She was equipped with two torpedo tubes. Her normal complement was 16 men.

**FARM SIDE LIGHTS.**

(Southern Ruralist.)

Cabbage can be kept by pulling them up, leaving a little dirt on their roots, and stacking them in piles upside down. Cover with trash, corn-stalks and dirt, and leave a little space for ventilation at the top, and they will keep very well.

**Make Some Sauer Kraut.**

To make good sauer kraut, pull the outer leaves off of good, firm cabbage, wash and slice into slaw from a quarter to an eighth of an inch thick. Put some salt in the bottom of a barrel. Then put in a four-inch layer of slaw and cover with salt, using about three quarts of salt to each 20 gallons of slaw. Then press down until the juice just appears on top, and start another slaw layer. When the barrel is full, cover with a small barrel head or board that misses the sides of the barrel, and put a weight on it.

**Sugar Curing Pork.**

To sugar cure pork, make a brine as follows: For each 100 pounds of meat use 4 pounds of brown sugar or molasses, 3 ounces of saltpeter, and 8 pounds of salt. Pour in four gallons of water that has been boiled and allowed to cool. Cool the meat by packing it in crushed ice for about 24 hours, and then put in the brine. It will take between 30 and 40 days for small cuts to cure, and as high as 60 days for large cuts. Smoke in the usual way with hardwood after removing from the brine. This will produce an excellent quality of cured pork.

**To Prevent Sorehead.**

To prevent sorehead in poultry, give about a heaping tablespoonful of salts to each dozen hens a day, either in a soft mash or in their drinking water. Then, in addition, use about a teaspoonful of sulphur in their mash, dry, about two days in the week. Never give sulphur during rainy weather. It will make the hens stiff in the joints. Sulphur and salts, given in this manner, are almost sure preventatives of sorehead.

**Soft Eggs.**

When the hens lay soft eggs, see that they get an abundance of good green stuff, such as cabbage, lettuce, clover, or rye. Give them lime in some form, too—old plaster or ground oyster shells. You will then have little trouble along this line.

**Getting Rid of Lice.**

To get rid of lice on hogs, spray or dip them every week with kerosene soap. This can be made by dissolving one pound of common soap in a gallon of warm water. Then add one gallon of kerosene oil and mix thoroughly. Finally, add three gallons of hot water and pour into the dipping vat or spray pump.

**To Kill Sprouts.**

To kill sprouts in new ground, put a generous handful of salt on each stump. This will do the work.

**To Keep Tomatoes from Firing.**

Did you ever try the oat straw remedy to keep tomatoes and beans from firing up? Just cover the ground about the plants with oat straw to retain moisture, and you will have no trouble.

**Cut Out the Blight.**

Keep after blight in your apples. It takes time and money to keep blight cut out of the trees, but by carefully inspecting, and cutting it out whenever found, the disease can be held in check. It should be made a community as well as an individual task.

**Pasture for Young Pigs.**

The best feeds for producing quick growth on young pigs after weaning are the legume crops, and juicy grazing crops, such as sorghum and Bermuda pasture. In the winter season there is nothing better than dwarf Essex rape. A good stand of oats and rye makes a splendid pasture. Peanuts will produce more meat for a given cost than any other crop in the South, but peanut-fed hogs should be hardened off on corn before being sent to market. Artichokes and chafas offer variety to the ration, and velvet beans are quite as good as corn in a field where you are grazing hogs and cattle together. With these feeds to draw from, every Southern farmer ought to make a success with hogs.

**State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County—ss.**

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**COUNTY CLAIMS APPROVED.**

Following are the claims that were passed on by the County Board of Commissioners at their regular monthly meeting, held July 6, 1917:

Roads.	
J. R. Ramey	\$ 13 25
W. J. Huskamp	15 00
M. D. Lee	50
J. C. Knox	3 95
J. Duff McMahon	19 50
J. L. Moser	40 50
J. D. Cheek	15 50
E. B. Lee	7 45
J. M. Kelley	3 77
E. L. Stone	13 00
W. S. Bates	28 00
W. N. D. Rholetter	5 00
J. T. Crow	5 00
A. P. Grnat	2 60
J. L. Kell	10 38
J. B. Tompkins	4 94
W. W. Bearden	6 00
J. R. Thomas	141 74
C. W. & J. E. Bauknight	14 41
J. M. Holden	22 75
C. W. & J. E. Bauknight	19 15
L. M. Richey	4 00
J. T. Dyer	11 50
J. D. Harkins	4 70
J. F. Abercrombie	3 12
T. J. Thrift	9 25
J. R. Dyer	2 50
J. R. Holcombe	2 50
Matheson Hdw. Co.	74 85
C. W. Pitchford	4 36
Jack Hughs and J. W. Lumpkin	163 25
S. L. Brown	7 75
J. W. McClain	10 70
J. W. McClain	8 40
J. T. Harper	5 00
D. E. Nicholson	13 90
W. T. Collins	4 25
W. C. Lyles	34 95
A. A. McMahan	241 90
W. J. O. Ray	24 16
C. R. Owens	15 60
W. R. Davis	12 00
Austin Bros.	51 00
The Texas Co.	6 00
W. T. Alexander	3 00

**Bridges.**

T. E. Sanders	54 47
Marett Bros.	7 56
T. J. Thrift	11 25
Henry McMahon	1 50
O. H. and O. E. Deaton	8 25
S. J. Isbell	19 88
Shelor & Hughs, for H. O. Prince, vs. Oconee Co.	50 00

Total roads and bridges \$1269 94

**Chain Gang.**

W. C. Kelley	\$ 274 37
T. C. Peden	48 55
J. M. Kelley	11 00
E. N. Foster	9 00
Gignilliat & Co.	830 94
Whitmer Mercantile Co.	300 55
E. G. Poore	38 93
C. W. & J. E. Bauknight	10 91
Dr. W. C. Mays	5 50
S. B. King	12 00
Happ Bros.	25 00
A. B. Stewart	23 50
J. G. Breazeale	21 25

Total for chain gang \$1661 50

**Poor House and Poor.**

C. W. & J. E. Bauknight	\$ 5 00
P. L. Green	6 00
W. R. Cobb	178 18
C. W. & J. E. Bauknight	87 05
R. L. Nimmons	6 00
Matheson Hdw. Co.	12 50
C. W. Pitchford	9 95
Moss & Ansel	3 00
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R. H. Alexander	3 00

Total for poor farm \$363 28

**Salaries.**

S. N. Hughs	\$100 00
J. L. Miller	8 33
L. W. Grant	8 33
M. R. McDonald	16 66
John F. Craig	25 00
D. A. Smith	36 11
R. H. Alexander	36 11
Thos. A. Smith	66 66
J. M. Moss	83 33
H. D. Grant	8 33
W. R. Cobb	33 33
J. C. King	16 66
W. L. Littleton	70 00
W. L. Dalton	70 00
J. G. Mitchell	70 00
W. H. Cole	70 00
S. H. Marett	37 50
M. T. Hopkins	12 50
J. N. Hughs	16 66
W. N. Woolbright	8 33
P. L. Green	12 50
W. R. Davis	12 50

Total for salaries \$818 84

**Contingent.**

Moss & Ansel	\$ 3 85
J. A. Keaton	6 00
P. S. Shook	6 00
B. R. Moss	9 50
Rescue Orph. Ass'n	29 00
W. H. Cole	4 65
W. L. Dalton	7 60
M. R. McDonald	3 85
B. R. Moss	38 00
D. A. Smith	1 10
Thos. A. Smith	7 10
Dr. J. W. Bell	50 50
John F. Craig	7 21
Jas. M. Moss	7 05
J. G. Mitchell	6 00
R. H. Alexander	1 50
Jas. M. Moss	4 95
Atlanta Wooden Ware Co.	11 21
J. E. Crayton & Co.	4 75
J. E. Crayton & Co.	22 00
W. R. Perry	10 00

Total for contingent \$182 77

**Lunacy.**

V. F. Martin	\$ 20 00
Jas. M. Moss	48 95
Dr. John J. Thode	20 00
Dr. J. W. Bell	20 00

Total for lunacy \$108 95

**Public Buildings.**

Walhalla Electric Plant	\$ 3 50
C. W. & J. E. Bauknight	2 50
Jas. C. Seaborn	19 75
C. W. Pitchford	7 80
C. W. & J. E. Bauknight	6 65

Total for public buildings \$27 18

**Printing.**

Keowee Courier	\$ 63 70
Farm and Factory	27 00

Total for printing \$90 70

**Aid to Soldiers.**

John F. Craig	\$1 00
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Total for aid to soldiers \$1 00

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**ANDERSON WOMAN MAKES HIGHLY INTERESTING STATEMENT.**

**BEST SIDE EVER TRIED.**

After Long Effort, Mrs. Walker is Enabled to Make Comparison.

"Tanlac is the best medicine I have ever taken and I certainly have taken a lot of medicine," said Mrs. J. C. Walker, of 30 Henderson street, Anderson, in a statement she gave May 23d. "Tanlac certainly did help me wonderfully. I took it for a generally run-down condition, for I always felt tired and weak and I never did feel well. I certainly felt completely broken down and in the mornings I fell as badly as when I went to bed, for I did not sleep well. I had no appetite and I scarcely had strength enough to do my housework. "But the Tanlac did me more good than any other medicine I ever have taken. It soon had me feeling strong, and I got so I could sleep well and I began to feel fine. The Tanlac did a lot to build up and strengthen my entire system."

Tanlac, the master medicine, is sold exclusively by Bell's Drug Store, Walhalla; J. C. Cain, Oakway; Salem Drug Co., Salem; Seneca Pharmacy, Seneca; Stonecypher Drug Co., Westminster; Hughs & Dendy, Richland.—Adv.

**Who Is Back of Funds?**

Phoenix, Ariz., July 26.—The source of the big fund in the hands of the I. W. W. in Arizona has been traced to German hands at Hermosillo and Guaymas by Cochise county officials, according to reports received here.

Some time ago two Mexicans were arrested in Tucson with \$50,000 in gold in their possession. They claimed to be en route to Chihuahua, and as they had declared the money at Nogales they were released. This is believed to be only one of several large consignments of coin sent by German agents in Sonora to the I. W. W. representatives in Arizona through main hands.

It is said also that some of the messengers entrusted with the money never reported. One of these had a large consignment for Bisbee. When the messenger reached the United States he found that the I. W. W. had been deported from Bisbee, and immediately left for Los Angeles.

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