

**A Special Communication of Blue Ridge Lodge, No. 92, A. F. M., will be held next Friday night, March 29th, 1918, at 8 o'clock. Work in first degree.**  
**D. A. SMITH, W. M.**  
**W. O. WHITE, Secretary.** (ad.)

**FOR SERVICE**—Jersey Bull and Registered Duroc Jersey Boar. Fee for Bull, \$1 cash. Boar terms on application. **W. PAT DICKSON, Rt. No. 4, SENECA, S. C.** 8-15

**FOR SALE**—Charleston Wakefield, Jersey Wakefield and Succession Cabbage Plants. \$1.50 per 1,000. Satisfaction guaranteed. **ENTERTAINMENT TRUCK FARM, Georgetown, S. C.** 10-13

**FOR SALE**—At Auction—Eight Duroc Jersey Pigs; 4 weeks old. Sale to begin promptly at 10 o'clock Monday next, April 1st, at my home, on Walhalla-Westminster road. The highest bidder gets them. **J. S. ABOTT, Walhalla, Rt. 1.** 13\*

## Protect Your Interests

### Notice to Holders of Policies in Oconee Mutual Live Stock Insurance Association.

Notice is hereby given to policyholders in the Oconee Mutual Live Stock Insurance Association that all policies on which any assessment is due and unpaid on April 1st will be cancelled. Meet your assessment promptly and protect your policy. This action is taken by order of the Board of Directors of the Association.  
**SAM J. ISHELL,**  
 Secretary and Treasurer.  
 March 20, 1918. 12-13

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

—Cotton seed graded at Earle's Mill 5c. per bushel.—Adv. 15.

—Oscar Medlin, one of the soldier boys from Sevier, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Medlin, near West Union. He has many friends here who are glad to meet him again.

—Read the advertisement of J. B. Gillespie in another column of this issue. He has just moved his goods into the store-room recently vacated by the People's Store. He will be pleased to have all to call and see him.

—For Sale—Six-year-old mule; weight about 800 lbs. Splendidly conditioned. **J. A. Bond, at the McAllister place, near Richland.**—Adv.\*

—The People's Store has been moved into the room recently vacated by J. A. Moody, next door to their former stand, next door to the Bank of Walhalla. The store is making some special Easter offerings. See advertisement on first page.

—R. J. Sifford spent the latter part of last week in Walhalla with his wife, who is taking the place of her sister, Mrs. L. T. Covington, in the Walhalla High School during her absence due to illness. Mrs. Covington's many friends will be glad to learn that she is improving and that she is expected to return to Walhalla the latter part of this week.

—Automobilists, attention!—We have three cars of the famous Saxon "Six" autos ready for delivery. We are ready to serve you. Our Mr. R. E. Bowen will be in Oconee a large part of his time. See him for particulars. We have full facilities for all repairs and recharging all makes of storage batteries. All work guaranteed. Auto Repair Company, Liberty, S. C.—Adv.

—We are requested to announce that the Rocky Knoll Woman's Missionary Society will meet next Sunday, March 31st, at 3 o'clock p. m., at the home of Mrs. Earle Simpson. On account of the rain last Sunday the meeting set for that day was a failure, and it is hoped that the meeting next Sunday will be attended by all the members. Visitors will be cordially welcomed.

—In the last issue of The Courier we stated that Mrs. W. J. Holloway, of Seneca, who is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Verner, had recently undergone an operation and was recuperating from the effects of the operation. This, we are informed, was error. Mrs. Holloway having been quite ill for some time, but not having had an operation performed. We regret having fallen into the error in statement, and make the correction gladly.

—Every monument we turn out upholds the reputation of the Seneca Marble and Granite Works. Call at our show room before placing your order and look at our large number of completed monuments.—Adv.

—We regret to learn of the death of Thomas A. Baldwin, formerly a citizen of Walhalla, which occurred at his home at Eatonton, Ga., on January 23d last. Mr. Baldwin's body was brought back to Oconee for burial. The interment taking place at this place, on January 24th. Mr. Baldwin was born in Walhalla, being a son of John M. Baldwin, formerly of Lakeport, Cal. He was about 38 years of age. Seventeen years ago he was married to Miss Alice White, of Oconee, a daughter of Mrs. L. O. White. He is survived by his widow. Mr. Baldwin was well known in Walhalla and other sections of Oconee, and there are many who will learn of his death with deep regret. Mrs. Baldwin has recently moved back to Oconee from Georgia and will make her home with relatives in the Fairview section. We join with others in extending to the bereaved ones sympathy in their sorrow. Mr. Baldwin was a member of the J.O.U.A.M. and W.O.W.

—For Sale—Coal for household use, \$7.25 per ton at our mill, \$8 per ton delivered. People are urged and advised to supply their needs for next winter during the summer months. Inquire, if interested, at Hetrick Hosiery Mills, Walhalla. ad.

—Easter millinery shown the entire week starting 25th. Shirtwaists, skirts, gloves and hose added to our line. **F. H. Bruce, Seneca.**—Adv. 13

—Mrs. Dora Lawhon, of Cleveland, Ohio, left last Thursday for her home after a pleasant visit here to her uncle, Chas. Finkenstadt, and family, and among friends. Mrs. Lawhon was a Miss Finkenstadt before marriage and is remembered here by not a few of the people of Walhalla. This was her first visit here in about eight years.

—Rev. E. P. Taylor requests us to announce that at the Methodist church next Sunday the hour for service will conform to the new standard of time, the services being at 11 o'clock, with Sunday school one hour earlier. In other words, there will be no change in the hour of services, but people are cautioned to "keep the record straight" by turning the hands of their clocks forward one hour Saturday night.

—A number of our citizens attended the "Get-Together Day" exercises in Seneca last Friday. They report a splendid crowd and thoroughly enjoyable day. A large crowd was in attendance. The program was interesting throughout. The people of Seneca acquitted themselves admirably in the entertainment of their guests. One or more grades from the Walhalla school attended in a body.

—Seed Corn—Few bushels—choice, selected; guaranteed. Only \$2.50 bushel. **John T. Lay, Walhalla, R.F.D. 2.**—Adv.\*

—We are requested to announce that the next meeting of the Missionary Society of the Walhalla Baptist church will be held on the first Monday afternoon in April at the First Baptist church at 3.30 o'clock. The important subject of mission study will be considered at this meeting, and all members of the society are urged to attend. There has been but one meeting of the society since the extreme bad weather of the first of the year, and it is earnestly hoped that from this time on there will be regular and well attended meetings. The regular meetings will be held on Tuesday afternoons following the first and third Sundays.

—Wanted—White men in boarding room. Apply at Hetrick Hosiery Mill, Walhalla.—Adv. 6.

—There has so far been one jury case in Common Pleas Court concluded, this being the case known as the Brown-Rankin case, involving a sale of mules a number of years ago. The transaction involved some mortgages on the mules, in an endeavor to straighten out which dispute the case has been in the Circuit and Supreme Courts at different times during the past seven years. The jury at this term has returned a verdict in favor of W. M. Brown, the original plaintiff, for the sum of \$300, this having been the verdict of the jury when the case was first heard in the Circuit Court. The case has been back to the Supreme Court several times, on appeal both by the plaintiff and defendant. It is said that costs have now mounted up in this case to something like \$1,200. Several sets of lawyers have been engaged in the case at various times.

—Hats, hats, hats! We are giving an extra showing for Easter. New pattern hats, ready-to-wear with all new trimmings to match. Come in. **F. H. Bruce, Seneca.**—Adv. 13.

—Frank Knight, a soldier of Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga., died at the base hospital there last Thursday from meningitis. The young man was a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Hamp Knight, who reside just out of Walhalla, and had a number of friends in Oconee who will be grieved to learn of his death. His father visited him at the camp a few weeks ago, the young man at that time not being well, but still able to be with his command. Mr. Knight was a volunteer in the service, having been with the colors nearly three years. He was a young man of fine character, and his death will be deplored wherever he was known. The body was buried with military honors at the camp, the Federal authorities, owing to the nature of the disease that caused his death, refusing to permit the body to be shipped from the camp. Mr. Knight attended the funeral. Mr. and Mrs. Knight have the sympathy of many friends, with whom we join in extending sincere condolence in their bereavement.

—The quality of our monuments and the promptness of our service are examples of what can be accomplished by experienced workmen, first-class materials and careful attention. **Seneca Marble and Granite Works.**—Adv.

—Sergt. Geo. M. White, Jr., of the aviation branch of the United States Army, is home for a two weeks' leave of absence, having reached Walhalla Thursday of last week. Mr. White has been in training in an Ohio camp, but has been transferred, his present headquarters being at Long Island. The greater part of his comrades have but recently joined our forces "somewhere in France," or are on their way over. Mr. White is looking remarkably well and is enjoying his training period to the full. For the immediate present he is among those of the "detached service," this fact doubtless indicating that portions of his original command have gone forward and that he is in line for a not far distant transfer to the fighting front. He is a handsome young fellow, anxious to do his full share in the fight for the freedom of the nations. We are always glad to meet the soldier boys, whether from our own State, or from Mine or California, but somehow the uniform of Uncle Sam's army seems to fit our Oconee boys just a little bit better and makes our boys look even handsomer than the boys of other sections. We are proud of every one of Oconee's boys in arms, and we are glad to know that the uniform is so worthily worn by the sons of our hill county. God bless every one of them—and those from other counties and States as well. It makes little difference after all from whence they come—from Maine to California "we are one."

—For Sale—One horse colt; good stock; 2½ years old. Apply to J. H. Zachary, Seneca, S. C., Rt. 3. ad.\*

—Just received, new shipment of hats, in all shapes. Call and see them. **M. & F. Isbell, Walhalla, ad.**

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank White, of Anderson, spent the week-end in Walhalla with relatives.

—We are requested to announce that Rev. I. E. Wallace, of Seneca, will preach at Old Picketts next Sunday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend the service.

—The Methodist Aid Society of the Walhalla church will meet with Mrs. A. P. Crisp Thursday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. All members are urged to attend promptly.

—All grinding and crushing at Earle's Mill for the tenth toll.—Adv. 15.

—Rev. J. A. Bond and family have moved from the Salem section to the old Frank McAllister place, on the Walhalla-Richland road. Mr. Bond has sold a part of his place at Salem. We welcome this family back into our section.

—Miss Olive Abbott, daughter of Rev. W. T. Abbott, of the Corinth section, and Chas. D. Gillespie, of Walhalla, were married last Wednesday evening at Seneca, Rev. J. S. Corpening, of the Seneca Baptist church, officiating. The young couple are well known in Walhalla and have a host of friends, with whom we join in extending congratulations and good wishes. Mr. Gillespie is a young business man of Walhalla. A number of friends of the young couple accompanied them to Seneca for the ceremony.

—Little Grace, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. A. Smith, fell in the yard at the home last Sunday morning, breaking her left arm. The child was playing in the yard near the house, turned to run and fell in a sidewise position, her weight striking on her arm, which was doubled under the body. It was not realized at first that she had sustained any injury, but a moment later it was noticed that the arm dangled helplessly. She was taken by her father immediately to a physician, who set the broken bones. The little girl is getting along nicely.

—To Rent—One good 4-room house with stables; good well and large garden; in East Walhalla. **W. M. Brown.**—Adv. 11.

—Sergt. Geo. L. Wilson, of Camp Pike, Little Rock, Arkansas, is in Walhalla to-day with his family. Sergt. Wilson is on his return to camp from Newport News, Va., to which point he and commissioned officers went in charge of colored men for service in the army and in the army labor squads. Within the past few weeks this camp has furnished considerable numbers of colored men for the service. These were the first colored men moved, however, though Camp Pike has been sending men to various points for several months. Camp Pike accommodates ordinarily about 50,000 men, and the camp has been depleted several times, with the exception of those men who have charge of the training of the forces. Mr. Wilson is enjoying splendid health and is looking remarkably well. He has gained in stature to such extent that he is furnished clothes made to measure, his suits being "out" size, and not ordinarily taken into the calculations of the government in outfitting the men of the army. While he is permitted no latitude in speaking of the preparations being made for effective participation in the great European war, still he said this much: That the average American citizen knows nothing of the actual preparations going on, not even the men of the army realizing to what extent our country is preparing. He was amazed when he got to points on the coast and saw the activities there. "But," he says, "there is none too much being done. We might as well realize that we have got a big job before us. And we're going to do the work." The troops at Camp Pike are becoming impatient and long for the transfer to Europe to enter the fray. Sergt. Wilson will be here for but a brief period. His many friends are delighted to meet him again.

—Visit our millinery store and see the new hats and trimmings shown for Easter. From 25th on through entire week will have on exhibit all the best shapes and styles for summer. **Mrs. F. H. Bruce, Seneca, S. C.**—Adv. 13.

—Citizens of Walhalla were shocked and saddened by the announcement last Sunday of the death of William C. Rose, formerly of this place, whose death occurred at the home of his mother, Mrs. Julia Rose, at Ensey, Ala., at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon last. He had been suffering for some time with heart trouble, and death was due to heart failure. He had been in a serious condition since the latter part of last December. Mr. Rose was 38 years of age. He is survived by his mother and the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. George Reese, Mrs. Sophie B. Wood, Miss Julia May Rose, John, Charles, Richard and Edwin Rose. All reside at Ensey except John Rose, who resides at Baltimore, Md., and Richard, who is a member of the Coast Artillery at Pensacola, Fla. Three of the brothers, John, Charles and Richard, and one sister of the deceased, Miss Julia May, accompanied their mother to Walhalla to attend the funeral services, which were held Monday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Busch, relatives of the Rose family, the interment following in the Lutheran cemetery. The services at the house and at the grave were conducted by Rev. W. B. Aull, of the Lutheran church, assisted by Rev. W. H. Hamilton, of the Presbyterian church. The deceased was a member of the Walhalla Lutheran church, having joined here in early youth. He was a young man of marked ability, and had a host of friends in Oconee and other parts of South Carolina who will regret to learn of his death. He was a son of the late John Rose, who was well known all over South Carolina as an extensive dealer in live stock for many years before his death. The Courier joins with other friends in extending to the bereaved ones deep sympathy in their sorrow. All members of the family returned to their home the day following the interment.

—Cotton seed ground for feed at Earle's Mill.—Adv. 15.

—Mrs. J. C. Taylor will leave the latter part of this week for a two-weeks' visit to her parents at Prosperity.

—Mrs. C. P. Corn, of Johnston, is spending this week in Walhalla visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Strother, and among friends.

—Lieut. B. F. Sloan, of Camp Jackson, spent the week-end in Walhalla with his family. His friends were pleased to meet him again.

—Mrs. P. H. E. Sloan, of Clemson College, spent the week-end in Walhalla at the home of Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Sloan, timing her visit so that she could be here at the time of her son's visit to his home. Dr. (Lieut.) Sloan paid a brief visit to his home from Camp Jackson.

—Wanted—Hands to work in saw mill, cutting cross-ties and cord wood, and farm hands. Apply at once to J. C. Shockley, West Union.—Adv. 13\*

—Married, at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. J. B. Tramel, Miss Julia Posey and Curtis Knight, both of Walhalla. The young couple have the good wishes of many friends for a long life of happiness and prosperity.

—We are requested to announce that Rev. J. P. Denny, of Madison, will preach at Poplar Springs on the first Sunday in April at 11 o'clock. All members of the congregation are urged to be present, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Pitchford and little daughter, Miss Lillian, returned Monday from Atlanta, where they had spent a few days with Mr. Pitchford's sister, Mrs. Rosa Lewis. They enjoyed the trip very much, they having gone and returned by auto.

—For Sale—Cleveland Big Bull Cotton Seed. Apply to J. R. Earle, Walhalla.—Adv.

—Lloyd Brown, who is in camp at Chattanooga, Tenn., spent last week in Walhalla visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brown. Lloyd volunteered last summer. He is connected with a supply train. Young Brown brings flattering reports of Lee Davis, another Oconee boy in camp at Chattanooga.

—There are many who will be interested in learning of the recent marriage of Mrs. Mattie Thomas, formerly of Walhalla, and J. E. Moore, of Newry. Their marriage took place on February 12th. They have moved from Newry and are now residing on their farm on Walhalla Rural Route No. 3. The Courier, along with numerous other friends of Mr. and Mrs. Moore, extends sincere congratulations and good wishes to them. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. W. M. Walker, of Seneca, a minister of the Baptist church.

—Hats, ribbons and flowers galore, pretty millinery, dry goods and notions, shoes and clothing at lowest prices. See Mr. F. E. Harrison.—Adv.

—Luntie H. Burrell, a soldier of Camp Jackson, after spending a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Burrell, near town, returned to his camp on the 23d. Mr. Burrell is holding the position of company cook and likes his work very much. He says that Uncle Sam is feeding his boys an abundance of good, substantial food. He has a brother, E. H. Burrell, at Camp Lee, Virginia, and he, too, is loud in his praises of the manner in which the boys are taken care of in camp. Mr. Burrell found numerous friends in his old home section who were glad to greet him again.

—There are many in Oconee who will be interested in hearing of Frank Nicholson, a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Nicholson, of the upper section of Oconee. Young Nicholson volunteered for service in the United States Army on July 25th last and was sent into training at once. He sailed for France early in October last, and his father has recently received a letter from him written "somewhere in France," in which the young man speaks in glowing terms of the American forces "over there." He says he is glad indeed that he volunteered his services and that he is able to be on the firing line. He is a stalwart young fellow—a regular mountaineer soldier, than whom there are no better. In the command with Nicholson there are the following: Norton Stribling, Lieutenant; Paul Harkins and Jas. Wilson. E. H. McCollough, formerly of Walhalla, is top sergeant of the company.

—Lost—On Monday, between Walhalla and Richland, or Richland and Seneca, automobile license tag, No. 37,098. Finder will please leave at Telephone Exchange at Seneca or Walhalla and get reward.—Adv.

—Rye flour 75c. a peck at C. W. & J. B. Banknight's.—Adv.

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### MASTER'S SALE. STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF OCONEE. In Court of Common Pleas.

Pursuant to decree of the aforesaid Court, in the case named below, I will offer for sale, to the highest bidder, in front of the Court House door, at Walhalla, South Carolina, on Monday, the 1st day of APRIL, 1918, between the legal hours of sale, the Equity of Redemption belonging to the Estate of Thomas A. Johnson, deceased, of, in and to the tract of land below described:

The Equity of Redemption belonging to the estate of Thomas A. Johnson, deceased, of, in and to all that certain piece, parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in Center Township, in the County of Oconee, State of South Carolina, adjoining lands of John D. Verner, John Robert Swinger, and others, containing 69.27 acres, more or less, same being more fully represented by plat of survey thereof by C. C. Myers, Surveyor, of date the 29th day of August, 1907, and being the same tract of land conveyed to Thomas A. Johnson by Elijah C. Maret, by deed bearing date the 11th day of September, 1909, and recorded in Clerk's office, Oconee County, S. C., on the 22d day of June, 1916, in deed book XX, page 70.

Terms of Sale: CASH. That in event of failure of the purchaser to comply with the terms of sale within five days from the day of sale, the Master do re-advertise and resell said premises on the following sale day or some convenient sale day thereafter at the same place and on the same terms as heretofore set out, at the risk of the former purchaser, and that he do continue so to do until he has found a purchaser who complies with the terms of sale; that the purchaser of said premises cotemporaneously with the execution and delivery to him of title deed to said premises by the Master, do execute also and deliver to the defendant, The Union Central Life Insurance Company, his agreement in writing assuming payment of the mortgage debt described in the separate answer of the defendant, The Union Central Life Insurance Company, in the aggregate principal sum of Nine Hundred Dollars with interest thereon from the 1st day of June, 1917, at eight per cent per annum, with ten per cent additional for attorney's fees as evidenced by the two principal notes of One Hundred Dollars

each, payable on the 1st day of June, 1918, and 1919, respectively, and the third principal note in the sum of Seven Hundred Dollars, payable on the 1st day of June, 1927, with interest coupon notes attached to each and every one of said principal notes, the said premises being sold under this decree subject to the lien of said mortgage deed.

Purchaser to pay extra for papers and stamp. **W. O. WHITE,** Master for Oconee County, S. C. March 13, 1918. 11-18

### 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 FRIDAY, the 12th day of APRIL, 1918, 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 A. C. Brucke, deceased, and obtain final discharge as Executor of said estate.

**A. W. L. BRUCKE,** Executor of the Estate of A. C. Brucke, deceased. March 13, 1918. 11-14

## Opportunity Knocks.

I still have a few tracts of splendid Oconee lands which I am offering at close prices and on the easiest of terms. Below you will surely find something that will please you. And here in mind, opportunity knocks but one time at every man's door. Don't you hear the knock?

Look at the list:  
 67 acres in Keowee Township, well improved.  
 35 acres on Walhalla-Westminster road.  
 One-acre lot in Town of Walhalla, \$350.

Have a nice house and lot in City of Anderson I would like to exchange for farm lands in Oconee. See me at once if you really want to buy or sell.

**Frank E. Alexander,**  
 WALHALLA, S. C.