



"TO THINE OWN SELF BE TRUE, AND IT MUST FOLLOW AS THE NIGHT THE DAY: THOU CANST NOT THEN BE FALSE TO ANY MAN."

By Stock, Shelor Hughs & Shelor.

WALHALLA, SOUTH CAROLINA, WEDNESDAY, MAY 7, 1919.

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Unloaded May 4 A Car of Mules and Horses.

IF YOU WANT A GOOD, FAT YOUNG MULE, HORSE or MARE, COME TO SEE US. WE OWN THIS CAR OF STOCK, so WE CAN SELL IT TO YOU AWFULLY CHEAP.

C. W. & J. E. Bauknight,
MERCHANDISE * MULES * HORSES
WALHALLA, S. C.
IT PAYS TO BUY FOR CASH.

Negro Lynched by Georgians.

Augusta, Ga., May 2.—Bennie Richards, the negro who, surrounded in a swamp near Warrenton, Ga., last night, defied arrest after killing his wife, surrendered about 3.30 this morning. The sheriff, W. O. Brinkley, was not present at the time of the surrender, having gone to Warrenton for surgical attention to the wounds inflicted on him by the fugi-

tive. The crowd took Richards a mile distant, tied him to a tree and riddled his body with bullets. Later the body was placed in front of the court house in Warrenton. Still later another crowd carried the body to the outskirts of the town and piled wood about it and fired the wood. Sheriff Brinkley and Robert Williford, who were shot by Richards during the night, are painfully but not seriously hurt.

COMING TO WALHALLA.

The Associated Doctors,
SPECIALISTS,
Will Be at Alexander House,
Saturday, May 17, 1919.

ONE DAY ONLY.

WONDERFUL RESULTS—MARVELOUS DEMONSTRATION
IN CHRONIC DISEASE CASES BY THEIR NEW
SYSTEM TREATMENT.

OFFER SERVICES FREE OF CHARGE.

The Associated Doctors, Specialists, licensed by the State of Alabama, and who have met with such phenomenal success throughout the entire Southeast, will be in Walhalla on Saturday, May 17th, FOR ONE DAY ONLY, to demonstrate their new system treatment of chronic disease cases.

This will indeed be good news to those who find it inconvenient to visit the central laboratories in Birmingham, located at Suite 311-12 Lyric Theatre Building, where the organization has Southern Head-

quarters. These regular, reputable physicians believe that the combined skill of several trained specialists in chronic disease cases can accomplish more than one doctor alone—in other words, in unity there is strength.

The offer to treat all who call on them on this visit, absolutely free, is their original method of getting their system of treatment before the public, and no one, rich or poor, white or colored, should neglect to take advantage of their very liberal offer—ABSOLUTELY FREE (medicine excepted.)

NO CUTTING—NO KNIFE.

It makes no difference how many doctors you have consulted, or how many patent medicines you have taken, you cannot afford to miss this opportunity of ascertaining your exact condition and be honestly advised. No one should require further evidence of the skill of these Specialists than the following testimony:
Mrs. S. A. Baker, Lamar, S. C., writes: "I am feeling lots stronger and better. Have good appetite. I am sure glad I am taking your remedies."

William C. Orr, Bamberg, S. C., writes: "I have taken all the remedies you prescribed for me, and am feeling much better. Will you please send me another?"

Rev. S. B. Thompson, Society Hill, S. C., writes: "I have been suffering from a deep, incomplete fistula for 17 years. Your remedies gave me more relief than all the doctors and sundry medicines that I ever took in all this time."

C. L. Therrell, Chesterfield, S. C., writes: "I am getting on just fine. Feel well, eat well and sleep well."

Now that You Know the Truth

you have only yourself to blame if you continue to suffer from Piles, Kidney and Bladder Troubles, Discharges, Bed-Wetting, Hood Poison, Skin Eruptions, Rheumatism, Epilepsy, Uric Acid Poisoning, Paralysis, Nervous Troubles and Debility, Neuralgia, Stomach and Liver Troubles, Catarrh, Asthma, Bronchitis, Pleurisy, Tumors, Indigestion, Constipation, Gall Stones, Ovarian and Female Troubles, Enlarged Glands, or any reflex condition of the nervous system, and those diseases about which most people dislike to consult

the general practitioner. Bear in mind that this will likely be the last visit when the Specialists extend their services FREE.

Hundreds have been restored to their perfect good health, with rosy cheeks and sparkling eyes—so may you. The Specialists are too well known throughout the State to require further mention.

Married women should be accompanied by their husbands and children by their parents.
Remember the hotel, day and date—ONE DAY ONLY.

HOURS: 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Alexander House, Walhalla, S. C.

MRS. J. M. GILLISON AT REST.

Many Attended Funeral Sunday Afternoon—County Land News.

In Loving Remembrance
of our dear husband and father, Lawrence Orr Bruce, Sr., who passed away May 3, 1918.

One year ago to-day we were cast into the deepest gloom when our loving husband and father quietly and peacefully slipped from our plane of existence into the Heavenly Realm. For a long time we were oh! so sad and desolate, and felt so helpless without him between us and the cold world. We had always gone to him for assistance, advice and comfort, and he had not once failed us.

Life seemed cheerless, and we were disconsolate until it came to us that this was not his attitude toward bereavement, nor would he have it ours. Then we reviewed his life of love and self-sacrifice. What a noble heritage he has left us!

Our record of his life begins with his 16th year, when he carried his father, the Rev. C. P. Bruce, to the station to go as a volunteer to the Confederate army. Before the train came he had prevailed upon his father to allow him to go in his stead, as the father could ill be spared from his wife and eleven children, he being the eldest son. So he joined the colors and marched away to battle without even a mother's farewell kiss, and did not return until after the surrender. He learned to write as soon as he enlisted, so he could write home.

Although he was not 21 when the war closed, his father offered to set him free and give him a tract of land on which to build a home, he having engaged himself to a neighbor girl. This offer he refused and worked for his father for ten years, until all his brothers and sisters were grown.

He said his parents had been reared in affluence and could not readily adapt themselves to the changed conditions. His sweetheart waited for him, and they were married and reared and educated a large family.

He set the pace for education in his community. He was a great Sunday school worker and was superintendent of the Townville Baptist Sunday school for twenty consecutive years. He was a strong advocate of and contributor to foreign missions and was an honorary deacon of the Townville Baptist church at the time of his death.

Many poor have called on him for help, and many sick and dying for prayer, and he always responded.

But he was in advance of his age, and not always understood, but, like Job of old, he endured persecution with meekness, and eventually triumphed over his persecutors. He was a striking example of virtue, of prudence, of valor, of courage.

His oldest grandson in each family are his "namesakes," and descendants yet unborn shall bear his name and strive to emulate his virtues.

We have preserved his letters, and think it fitting to close this sketch with the injunction with which he closed the last letter he ever wrote. He wrote it to his son-in-law, Z. G. Odom, just three days before the beginning of his last illness.

The extract follows:
* * * "Get ready, which I will do right away. I will close. Be good. Remember you are a representative of Jesus Christ, and while He represents you before a Father's throne you must represent Him while you live here in the world. Jesus says: 'If you love Me, you will keep my commandments.' I will close. Lovingly, your Father."

(Advertisement.)

NOTICE TO THE CITIZENS OF WALHALLA.

For lack of necessary information from headquarters in Columbia, Auditor D. A. Smith has been unable to get the Town Tax Books made up. Notice will be given as soon as local taxes can be received.

W. C. HUGHES,
Clerk and Treasurer.
May 7, 1919. 19-20

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS.

All persons indebted to the Estate of C. B. OEHMIG, 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.

C. F. HOEFER,
Executor of the Estate of C. B. Oehmig, Deceased,
No. 1000 Main St., Columbia, S. C.
May 7, 1919. 19-22

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

ALL PERSONS are hereby forbidden to enter, and are warned against trespassing in any manner whatsoever, upon my lands (about 1200 acres) on Poor Mountain. This notice to trespassers is given to warn against any and all forms of trespass, and especially against the practice of grazing cattle. Take due notice and govern yourselves accordingly. The penalty of the law will be applied to all trespassers from this date.

JAMES H. DARBY,
Walhalla, S. C.
April 23, 1919. 17-20

MRS. J. M. GILLISON AT REST.

Many Attended Funeral Sunday Afternoon—County Land News.

Bounty Land, May 4.—Special: The entire community, together with quite an extensive circle of relatives and friends elsewhere, mourns the death of Mrs. J. M. Gillison, which occurred at an early hour Sunday morning at her home here. Mrs. Gillison had been a sufferer from rheumatism for a number of years, and was confined to her bed for several weeks prior to her death. Her death, therefore, was not unexpected. The remains were interred in the Richland cemetery at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends, the funeral services being conducted by her pastor, Rev. I. E. Wallace, of Seneca. An obituary will appear next week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Davis, Mrs. W. E. Woolbright and Miss Lura Perritt were shopping in Anderson Saturday.

Two marriages took place in the community on April 27th, the parties most interested being two Misses Bearden as brides and Walter Sheriff and Mr. Shipman, the grooms. May happiness and prosperity be theirs through life.

Quite a number of our people attended "The Birth of a Nation" at Walhalla last week and enjoyed the picture very much.

Mrs. D. A. Thornton, of Hartwell, Ga., and Mr. and Mrs. Jay G. Gillison and Burns Gillison, of Clemson, who have been nursing their mother, Mrs. J. M. Gillison, for the past several weeks, returned to their respective homes Sunday afternoon.

Louis P. Rankin's friends will be delighted to know that he is expected home in a few days from Bordeaux, France. His mother, Mrs. R. N. Rankin, received a telegram a few days ago bringing the news of his late arrival at an American port. We hope he will arrive in time for the banquet Thursday in Seneca.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mitchell, of Charlotte, N. C., and Mrs. Jas. G. Brenzale and son, of Westminster, were in the community Sunday.

Mrs. M. A. Terrell returned to her home in Westminster after an extended stay with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Gillison, during the latter's last illness.

D. Harbert and family, of Oakway, were late guests of Mr. and Mrs. Young Dix.

Our people are all grieved to give up our former mail carrier, C. C. Hunicutt, who has served us quite fourteen years, during which time he endeared himself to the hearts of the people along his entire route. We are now being served by Joe Abbott, who seems to be quite efficient and accommodating, and we hope will give good service.

Seneca Ready for the Boys.

Seneca, May 6.—Special: Seneca is assuming gala attire for May 8th, when she will put forth her greatest efforts to honor Oconee's boys who have been in the military service.

The domestic science class of the Seneca High School entertained the mothers and friends of members of the class at an informal reception last Friday afternoon.

The teachers and patrons of the school met Friday afternoon for the purpose of reorganizing the parent-teacher association. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Demple Adams, president; Mrs. C. N. Gignilliat, vice president; Miss Lela Thompson, secretary; Miss Maggie Thompson, treasurer.

Reid Lawrence entertained a number of his young friends at a birthday party Friday afternoon.

Mrs. S. K. Dendy has returned from Rock Hill, where she represented the Once-a-Week Club as a delegate to the Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. E. A. Hines is visiting relatives in Orangeburg, Hampton, Barnwell and Beaufort.

W. P. Nimmons is in South Georgia on a brief business trip.

Mrs. Clinton Stribling's friends are sympathizing with her in the loss of her mother, Mrs. J. M. Gillison, whose death occurred at her home in the Bounty Land community last Sunday.

Miss Helen Boyd entertained the tenth grade of the high school and a few outside friends last Friday night.

Many Trapped by Fire.

Columbus, Ohio, May 5.—Fire in a downtown business and apartment building at midnight to-night has trapped many persons, the police report. Men, women and children jumped from upper floors into life nets. One baby was thrown from the third floor and caught in the arms of a woman aiding the firemen. All fire apparatus has been summoned to the scene of the conflagration, which is still raging at the time of filing this dispatch.

TWO GOOD HORSES FOR SALE cheap.

See me at once if you want a bargain. R. H. ALEXANDER, Walhalla, S. C. 19

AUTO SUPPLIES.—Porcelains for

Champion plug, 24 cents; 30x3 1/2, \$3; connecting rods \$1.60; balls, 3 cents each; new radiator \$23. New goods. Satisfaction guaranteed. Write me your needs. S. A. TOW, Walhalla, S. C., Rt. 2. 19-22*

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

—We are requested to announce that there will be an all-day singing at Mill Creek on the third Sunday in May.

—Sam Chinkscales, of Greenwood, spent last Sunday in Walhalla at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Pitchford, Jr. Mr. Chinkscales is a brother of Mrs. Pitchford.

—The many friends of Private Claude Williams will be pleased to learn that he has safely arrived from overseas, having landed at Hoboken, N. J., on May 2. He is now stationed at Camp Dix, N. J.

—Attention is directed to the advertisement of the Newry Store, on the eighth page this week. There are several items mentioned in which the general public will be interested, and merchants can find in it something of interest to them as well.

—Private Irvin R. Vollrath left yesterday morning for Douglas, Arizona, where he is now stationed. He had been spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Vollrath, who reside near West Union.

—We are indeed glad to see our good friend, W. Frances Hughs, out again after his recent indisposition. He is being congratulated by his many friends on his early and complete recovery from his recent attack, which was in the nature of a stroke of paralysis.

—Harold Brennecke, of Columbia, arrived in Walhalla the latter part of last week and is visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Fannie Brennecke. His friends will be glad to learn that he will spend several months in Walhalla, having come up for the purpose of taking a needed rest.

—We are glad to be able to report that Mrs. C. M. Brennecke, who has been quite ill for a week or ten days, is resting easier now than for some time past. Mrs. Brennecke is one of the oldest ladies of the community, being in her 86th year, and she has a host of friends who will join with us in the hope that she may yet be spared to her family and acquaintances.

—Miss Pauline Hughs, of Atlanta, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Hughs, for several weeks. She has many friends here who are delighted to meet her again, but regret to learn that she has been quite unwell for some time, having spent some weeks in an Atlanta hospital for recuperation from a breakdown. We hope for her early complete recovery.

—The many Walhalla friends of Miss Ruth Berry were glad to see her here yesterday, though her visit in town was very brief. Miss Berry, as the home demonstration agent for Oconee, endeared herself greatly to the people of every section of our county, and she is always a most welcome guest in any Oconee community. She is now the demonstration agent in charge of the work in the Piedmont District, embracing several counties in the upper section of the State.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Wilson have received word from their son, Jas. Wilson, to the effect that he will be at home in a short while, he having arrived in New York several days ago. It is understood that he and the other South Carolina members of his outfit will be forwarded to Camp Jackson for discharge from the service. James saw much service overseas in the Engineer Corps, being identified with the same Regiment of which Lieut. Norton Stribling was a company officer. James' many friends will await his early arrival with pleasure.

—Miss Norma Moore's many friends are glad to have her among them again, but regret exceedingly that her present visit home is due to the need of recuperation from an illness. Early in the year Miss Moore was a sufferer from influenza, which left her very weak, and the strain of her work in the school room at Denmark, this State, was too much for her, necessitating her giving up the work before the end of the session, though she endeavored faithfully to complete her work. She is with her mother, Mrs. Nellie Moore, and her many friends will join with us in the hope that she may be speedily restored to perfect health.

—We are pleased to note that Mrs. Sophia Ritter is rapidly recovering from the injury which she received when she fell as she was leaving the service at the Lutheran church on Easter Sunday night. The injury seemed small at the time, but it later developed that the large bone in the leg was slightly fractured just above the ankle, and in addition, a slight abrasion of the skin seemed to have become infected, and it was only by careful attention that blood poison was averted. Mrs. Ritter says that she has had various ailments at times, but this is the first time that she ever had the propa knocked from under her. We join with her hosts of friends in hoping that she may soon be out again.

—The many friends of Lieut. Norton Stribling are glad to welcome him home, he having returned Monday from overseas service in the United States army. Lieut. Stribling was identified with Company B, 117th Regiment, Engineers' Corps. The six officers of his com-

HENRY CAIN KILLS HIMSELF.

Domestic Troubles Said to Have Led to His Rash Act.

Henry Cain, a citizen of the Oakway section of Oconee, killed himself last Sunday morning by blowing off his head with a shot gun. We have been able to get but meagre details, but the following statements have come to us through sources to all appearances reliable:

Mr. Cain was married about 20 or 25 years ago, but domestic relations were not satisfactory for some reason, and his wife, who was a Miss Williams, left him not long after the marriage. They remained separated for years, the two having become reconciled only recently, and had been living together in harmony for several months past. A short time back, however, it is stated, Mrs. Cain found among Mr. Cain's papers a letter recently written to him by a woman in Greenville, and upon learning of the letter and its contents Mrs. Cain left her husband, stating that it was this time for all time.

It seems that Mr. Cain brooded a great deal over the second separation, and on Sunday morning he told his father, William Cain, that he was going to end all of his troubles by killing himself. Later in the day he shot himself, using a shot gun, and his death was instantaneous. What other particulars are known, if any, we have been unable to gather from any source, but the above was gotten through inquiry of citizens of that part of the county in which the suicide took place, and seems to be authentic.

Mr. Cain was about 40 years of age. Shortly after the first separation of the couple a son was born, and he has always gone by the name of Lee Williams, his mother having refused to retain her husband's name after the separation, which took place before the child was born.

Five Receive Honorable Discharge.

Columbia, May 5.—Special: The following Oconee soldiers received honorable discharges from Camp Jackson to-day:

Pressley, Roseman, Seneca.
Robertson, Thomas, Richland; farmer.
Williams, Earle, Westminster; farmer.
Barker, William, Walhalla; farmer.
Fruister, James, (colored,) Clemson College; waiter.

SHORT LINE RAILROAD IS SOLD.

Man from Florida Buys Greenville Road for \$75,000.

Greenville, May 5.—The Greenville and Western, a bankrupt railroad from Greenville to River Falls, a distance of 25 miles, was sold at public sale to-day by order of the Federal Court. R. A. McTyer, of Orlando, former president of the railroad, was the purchaser. The road was sold for the upset price of \$75,000. Mr. McTyer said that he purchased the road as an investment and that unless he received bids from investors for the road as an operating railroad he would sell it off for junk. The railroad will continue under the supervision of Capt. V. E. McBea, company receiver, until June 1, with daily freight service. After paying \$15,000 cash on the railroad Mr. McTyer left the city for his home in Orlando. He will return the latter part of the month to pay the remainder of the purchase price and be ready to assume charge of the road on June 1.

This railroad was first built a number of years ago with the intention of extending it later to Knoxville, Tenn. The railroad was placed in the hands of receivers about a year ago by the Federal Court upon the petition of the Central Bank and Trust Company of Atlanta, who are the mortgage bond holders for the railroad. A lengthy fight has been carried on in the Federal Courts by the real estate owners living along the line of the railroad to prevent the mortgage bond holders from selling it off as junk, their contention being that the railroad could be maintained as a paying investment.

The Oakway Entertainment.

Last week we published a notice of an entertainment at the Oakway school house, and shortly after the papers had been printed and mailed from the office, we received a card requesting that we change the date from May 2d (last week) to May 9, which will be Friday of this week. We regret that the notice of postponement reached us too late to make the correction. The entertainment will take place at the Oakway school building Friday night of this week, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

Many were permitted to go at once from Camp Merritt, N. J., to Washington, D. C., to receive their discharges, and it took four days to wade through the red tape of the various departments. They had to make out fourteen separate and distinct sets of papers and present the papers to the heads of as many different departments. Lieut. Stribling is in splendid health, barring a slight cold. He is resting up for a few days at the country home of his parents, Major and Mrs. W. J. Stribling.