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WALHALLA, S. C.
WEDNESDAY, MAY 24, 1922.

ANONYMOUS LETTERS.

The Courier cannot and will not publish anonymous letters. We have received them quite often, and ordinarily consign them immediately to the waste basket.

We have a short communication this week, asking for correction of an item recently appearing in a local correspondence. This notice is in type, having been set up before the lack of signature was noticed by us. If the writer will send us a signed statement that he or she is author of the communication in question, it will be published next week.

THE OCEONEE COTTON GROWERS'

Branch of South Carolina Cotton Growers' Co-Operative Ass'n.

The Oconee County Branch of the South Carolina Cotton Growers' Co-Operative Association was called to order Tuesday, May 23d, at 12 m. by James H. Brown, its temporary chairman, at Walhalla Court House. Only the townships of Wagener, Seneca, Tugaloo, Keowee and Center were represented.

On motion the following officers were unanimously elected: Jas. H. Brown, chairman; J. H. Barnett, vice chairman; J. B. S. Dendy, secretary.

On motion the following executive committee were elected: W. L. Verner, from Wagener; W. T. Hubbard, from Seneca; Dr. J. H. Johns, from Tugaloo; J. P. Stripling, from Center, and J. L. Kell, from Keowee. As delegates to the district convention, to be held at Clemson College on May 24th, the following were chosen: J. H. Brown, from the county at large; J. P. Stripling, from the center and center.

There being no further business, the meeting was then adjourned, there being a noticeable absence of any "hot air." J. B. S. Dendy, Secretary.

J. H. Brown, Chairman.

Local Notes from Townville.

Townville, May 22.—Special: Dr. Mills, of Clemson, preached the sermon for the graduating class here on Sunday. He left with our people many beautiful and helpful thoughts.

The primary and intermediate grades will have their exercises on Monday night and Tuesday will be the May pole dance and also the graduating exercises. Only five girls are in the class—Misses Adelia Giles, Mae Hanks, Willie Sue Boleman, Clara Dickson and Evelyn Stevenson.

On Monday afternoon Miss Dockens will entertain the members of the graduating class. An interesting and original contest and other games will be the form of entertainment. Cream and cake will be the refreshments. Rev. Burke and Rev. and Mrs. Clotfelter will be honored guests also.

At a recent election all the teachers were asked to return for another session. Only two vacancies will be left in the school. A deep regret is felt that Miss Dockens will not return. She has made many friends among our people and by her consistent work has accomplished much good with her pupils.

Miss Euna Stevenson is at home for her vacation.

Mrs. Holingsworth of Hapeville, Ga., is visiting her brother, Rev. Clotfelter.

The Pine Grove Poultry Club met on Monday afternoon. At this meeting the ladies enjoyed having Miss Cozys with them. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Burwell on June 13.

The third quarterly conference of the Methodist church will be held at the Friendship church on Saturday, May 27th.

Pulaski Township Singing.

The Pulaski Township Singing Association will meet with Long Creek church on next fourth Sunday, May 28th, at 2 o'clock p. m. All singers and lovers of music are invited to come, as we want to start up again in good shape. Let everybody come, both old and young, and enjoy the singing. J. B. Phillips, President.

Dovie Ramey, Sec. and Treas.

Covered in Stamps.

Statesville, N. C., May 19.—Sam Shoer, who is engaged in the mercantile business here, received a letter yesterday from his native country, Russia, that had attached to it sixty postage stamps of 1,000 rubles each. These stamps amount to 60,000 rubles and were valued at \$30,000 in American money before the war.

NEGRO MAN KILLER AT SALUDA.

Wife Brutally Beaten and Not Expected to Live—One Confesses.

Saluda, S. C., May 21.—Late Friday night or early Saturday morning, in the Mount Eunon section of this county, Pickens Satterwhite, colored, was killed outright and his wife, Carrie, so badly bruised and hacked about the head that she will probably die. Cleo Lindsay, colored, is in the Saluda jail charged with the murder.

Responding to a call, Magistrate J. C. Dulle and Sheriff B. F. Sample went to the scene of the crime early Saturday morning. Dogs were obtained from Newberry and a trail followed from the scene of the outrage to the house of George Farrow, on the Newberry side. Here Cleo Lindsay was found. His shoes, clothing and manner further convinced the officers of his being implicated, and after some questioning he is said to have confessed, and implicated Robert Farrow as his accomplice. Farrow is still at large and is described as a black negro about 28 years old, 5 feet 9 inches tall and weighing about 145 pounds, with a scar on the neck, and has been making his home at Asheville, N. C.

The jury of inquest returned a verdict to the effect that Satterwhite came to his death at the hands of Cleo Lindsay, and recommended that Farrow be held for further investigation.

According to Lindsay's alleged confession the motive for the killing was robbery, they having understood that Satterwhite's wife, who taught at the Mount Eunon colored school, had cashed a school claim or claims for about \$100. Satterwhite was called out of his house and lured off down the road a little way and killed with an axe, it is said. The men then returned to the house and beat his wife into insensibility with the same instrument, while three little children, the oldest about six, screamed and ran around the room. These children remained at the house until found early Saturday morning.

The community is much incensed over the crime, and the people, both white and black, gave the officers every assistance possible.

EPISCOPAL DIOCESE IS LIKELY

To Be Divided Permanently—Time of Two Bishops Now Required.

Charleston, May 18.—Through the adoption of the report of the committee recommending the geographical lines of division, as well as the division of vested funds, the 132d council of the Episcopal diocese of South Carolina to-day definitely effected a division of the diocese into two separate dioceses and requested the Bishop, Rt. Rev. William A. Guerry, D. D., to take the necessary steps toward having the division sanctioned and confirmed by the general conference, which is to be held in Portland in September.

The committee reported that in its efforts to recommend a division it had striven to provide a division line that would give each division sufficient strength to prosecute its work without impairment to its efficiency, and to facilitate efficient administration by each bishop, and to regard, as far as possible, the wishes and sentiments of different portions of the diocese. With this aim in mind the following counties were recommended to compose the new dioceses:

Abbeville, Aiken, Anderson, Cherokee, Chester, Edgefield, Fairfield, Greenville, Greenwood, Kershaw, Laurens, Lancaster, Lexington, McCormick, Newberry, Oconee, Pickens, Richland, Saluda, Spartanburg, Union and York.

The division line would show the following counties in constituting the southern boundary of the upper diocese: Aiken, Lexington, Richland, Kershaw and Lancaster; and the northern boundary of the lower diocese the following: Barnwell, Orangeburg, Sumter, Lee, Darlington and Chesterfield.

Rainfall and Temperature.

Below is a record of meteorological observations taken by H. W. Brandt, co-operative observer of the Weather Bureau of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, during the week ending May 21st, 1922, at 7 p. m. (The instrumental readings are from government standard instruments exposed in the manner recommended by the chief of the Weather Bureau):

Table with columns: Character of Day, Rainfall, Highest Temperature, Lowest Temperature. Rows for dates May 15-21 and total rainfall.

Young Man Electrocuted.

York S. C., May 22.—Misunderstanding of an order on the part of an assistant cost Robert E. Quinn aged 31, yard superintendent of the Yorkville Cotton Oil Company, his life at 5 o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Quinn was undertaking to fix a "ground" wire and requested Bill Dickson, an assistant, inside the ice plant of the company, to throw him a piece of tape. Dickson understood him to say to turn on the switch, and did that, with the result that Quinn was instantly killed. The deceased is survived by his widow, a bride of ten months; his father, Felix Quinn, several brothers, one of whom is Sheriff Fred Quinn, of York county, and one sister.

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ROYAL AMBASSADOR CONCLAVE

Of Beavertown Association to Meet at Walhalla First Baptist Church.

Following is the program of the meeting of the Beavertown Royal Ambassador Conclave, to be held at Walhalla, with Walhalla No. 1 Baptist church, June 2d, 1922:

10.00 a. m.—Devotional. Rev. L. W. Langston.
10.10 a. m.—Greetings. Walhalla Royal Ambassadors.
10.15 a. m.—Response. Henry Miller.

10.20 a. m.—"Why Enlist Our Boys in the Royal Ambassador Chapter?" L. C. Speares and Rev. Jones.
10.35 a. m.—"There is a Need for Both Royal Ambassadors and B.Y.P.U." George Nally and Deaver McCraw.

10.55 a. m.—Special music. Mrs. W. S. Bearden.

Roll-call of Chapters, with their reports. Motto repeated by all. A prayer for a greater vision for service in R. A. work, led by Dr. I. E. D. Andrews. R. A. booster song.

11.20 a. m.—Message from our State Superintendent of R. A. Mrs. Vassie Seaborn.

"Royal Ambassadors, All." Newry Royal Ambassadors.

Recitation, "Win Them for Jesus." Newry Royal Ambassadors.

Solo—"Think on Thy Way." Deaver McCraw.

11.50 a. m.—Pageant of the Nations. First Westminster Royal Ambassadors.

12.15 p. m.—Demonstration. By Westminster Royal Ambassadors.

Commission and Dedication. By all Royal Ambassadors.

Song—"King's Business." Offering.

Prayer by Rev. J. E. Willis.

1.00 p. m.—Lunch.

Afternoon Session.

2.00 p. m.—Devotional. Charles Cater.

2.10 p. m.—How to Enlist and Hold Boys who are not Members of R. A. Chapters. Dr. I. E. D. Andrews.

2.30 p. m.—Relationship of Pastor and Royal Ambassadors. Rev. George Smith.

Song—Mrs. D. I. Mulkey.

2.50 p. m.—What and How the R. A. Boy Can Give. Rev. L. H. Raines. Creek boys.

3.10 p. m.—Mission Study. Immanual Royal Ambassadors.

Song by Long Creek boys.

3.40 p. m.—What the R. A. Chapter Can Do for a Boy. Robert Hamby and Edgar McKern.

4.00 p. m.—Good Times Necessary for Successful R. A. Work. Rev. J. W. Willis.

Resolution.

Closing prayer by Mrs. L. H. Raines.

All of the Beavertown chapters and churches that have no organization are urged to send a large representation. We want all who are interested in Royal Ambassador work to attend this conclave. Please send the names that you expect to attend from your church to Mrs. Vassie Seaborn, Walhalla, S. C.

Mrs. J. P. Armstrong, Beavertown R. A. Capt.

IN MEMORIAM.

William Harrison Cole.

In sad but loving remembrance of our dear husband and father, W. H. Cole, who departed this life four years ago to-day, May 24th, 1918.

None know how sad the parting.

Or what the farewell cost;

But God and His fair angels

Have gained what we have lost.

Time cannot heal our wounded hearts

Or fill the vacant chair;

We miss your dear, kind, smiling face—

We miss you everywhere.

To-day recalls sad memories

Of a loved one gone to rest,

And those who think of you to-day

Are those who loved you best.

Wife and Children.

(adv.)*

Cave-in Results in Death.

Florence, S. C., May 20.—One man was killed, one injured and three others narrowly escaped death when a fourteen-foot sewer excavation in which they were working caved in upon them. The negroes were buried beneath the avalanche of dirt. All were rescued except Julius Luke, of Hartsville, whose body was found an hour afterward, standing upright in the ditch. This is the first accident that has occurred since the city began work on its million-dollar paying project. The excavation was made along the line of an old sewer, the arch of which gave way, causing the cave-in.

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A Cure for Cutworms.

(Boston Transcript.)

A correspondent asks us what we do about cutworms. Our method is to carry them to a vacant lot and turn them around three times, thus getting them so confused that they cannot find their way back.

England has issued nearly ten million war medals.

CLEMSON COLLEGE South Carolina's College of Agriculture and Engineering W. M. RIGGS, PRESIDENT. REGULAR SESSION BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 6, 1922. FOUR-YEAR COURSES: AGRICULTURE, ENGINEERING, CHEMISTRY AND GENERAL SCIENCE, SHORT COURSES. EXPENSES: For the regular session 1922-23 the living expenses, including board, laundry, medical and all fees, will be— Scholarship Students \$115.40, Free Tuition Students 215.40, Pay Tuition Students 255.40. SCHOLARSHIPS AND FREE TUITION: The College maintains over 200 Scholarships in the Agricultural and Textile Courses. Each Scholarship is worth \$100 per session and free tuition of \$40. THE REGISTRAR, CLEMSON COLLEGE, S. C. APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED IN THE ORDER RECEIVED.

State Income Tax, \$133,314. Columbia, May 19.—To date a total of \$133,314.21 has been collected from the State income tax act, according to a compilation of payments received by the State treasurer and made public yesterday by treasury officials. This total is made up in 7,524 payments, made by that number of individuals, corporations and firms. Extensions of time were granted to a large number of taxpayers, and some have not yet made any payment. With amounts yet to come in and the half payments still due by a considerable number of taxpayers, it is estimated that the income act will bring in somewhere near \$700,000. Some officials figure the amount will be more.

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NOTICE OF INCREASE IN TAX VALUES ON FARM LANDS AND MULES AND HORSES IN OCEONEE COUNTY. South Carolina Tax Commission, Columbia, S. C. To the Chairman, County Board of Equalization, Oconee County: It appearing from the report of the County Auditor of the action of the County Board of Equalization of Oconee County, that the average assessed value of farm lands in said County had been assessed at \$4.15 per acre; and it further appearing that such valuation is too low for the purpose of putting said property on an equality with similar property in other Counties of the State; and it further appearing that the average assessed value of lands in said County should be \$4.50 per acre; and it appearing that mules in said County had been assessed at an average of \$39.73 per head, and that mules should be assessed at an average of \$45.00 per head; and it appearing that in said County horses had been assessed at an average of \$33.45 per head, and that horses should be assessed at an average of \$40.00 per head: Now, under authority of Sec. 12 of an Act of the Legislature creating the Tax Commission, as amended in 1916, conferring power upon the Tax Commission to equalize all classes of property throughout the State— IT IS ORDERED, That the assess-

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ment of lands be increased from \$4.15 per acre to \$4.50 per acre, and that the assessment of mules be increased from \$39.73 per head to an average of \$45.00 per head, and that the assessment of horses be increased from \$33.45 per head to an average of \$40.00 per head; and that a copy of this order be served upon the Chairman of the County Board of Equalization of said County by the County Auditor. SOUTH CAROLINA TAX COMMISSION, By Walter G. Querry, Chairman. Columbia, S. C., May 19, 1922. FOR INFORMATION. The above is published for the information of the Taxpayers of Oconee County. J. F. MORTON, Chairman Board of Equalization for Oconee County. Walhalla, S. C., May 22, 1922. 21 NOTICE TO ALL OWNERS OF DOGS. All persons who have bought 1921 License Tags are hereby notified that they should place said tags on their dogs, as it is a misdemeanor for said dogs to be without said tags, unless the animals be on a hunt or chase. All persons who have not paid their license tax on dog are requested to come in and pay same at once. If you do not, I will be forced to place same before a Magistrate, and it will cost you more. Come in at once and save extra cost. Trustees of all districts are requested to list those who have dogs and who have not paid on them, and turn same over to me at earliest possible convenience. The law requires this. I expect to visit all districts and see all trustees and other persons at an early date, so do not overlook this matter unless you wish to pay out more money. W. L. SANDERS, Special Officer in Charge. May 24, 1922. 21-24

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