

Election of School Trustees

The voters of Pickens and Reunion school districts are hereby authorized to meet at their respective voting places in their school districts on Saturday, May 18, for the purpose of electing two trustees for each district. This second election is made necessary on account of a tie in the first election.

Same rules which governed the first election shall govern this one.

By order of the County Board of Education.

F. V. CLAYTON,
Supt. of Education.

Notice of Election

Whereas, a petition from the freeholders and electors of Pleasant Hill School District No. 24 has been filed with the County Board of Education asking that an election be held to determine whether an additional levy of 3 mills shall be levied on said district for school purposes.

It appearing to the County Board of Education that the petition meets the requirements of the law, therefore, it is ordered that the trustees of the above-named district do hold an election in said district on the 24th day of May, 1918, at the school house, for the above stated purpose. The election to be conducted in accordance with section 1742 of the school law.

By order of the County Board of Education.
F. V. CLAYTON,
Sec'y and Chairman.

Notice of Final Settlement and Discharge

Notice is hereby given that we will make application to J. B. Newberry, Esq., Judge of Probate for Pickens county, in the State of South Carolina, on the 6th day of June, 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 S. C. McWhorter, deceased, and obtain discharge as executors of said estate.

G. L. MCWHORTER,
B. W. MCWHORTER,
Executors.

Notice To Debtors and Creditors

All persons having claims against the estate of the late A. W. Gravelly, must present the same, duly proven, on or before the 25th day of May, 1918, or be barred payment; and all persons indebted to said estate must make payment on or before the above date to the undersigned.

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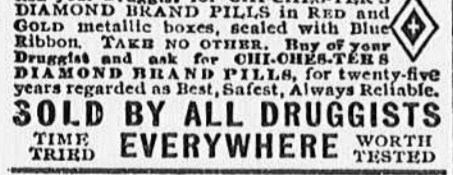
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Death of Mrs. Rebecca

The death of Mrs. Rebecca Smith at her home near Salem was a sad surprise to her many friends, as it was not generally known that her condition was serious until a few days before her death, which occurred at 6 o'clock on Wednesday morning, May 1st. She had been in declining health for about three years, but was able to be up and about her home until Thursday of last week, when her condition grew serious and her children were all summoned to her bedside.

Mrs. Smith was born and reared in Pickens county, and was a daughter of the late Elisha and Sarah Alexander. She was born on February 14, 1838, and was, therefore, 80 years two months and 16 days of age.

In early girlhood she was happily married to the late W. N. Smith, of North Carolina, who preceded her to the grave some thirty years, leaving her with thirteen children, several of whom were very small; but amid the weariness and cares of life, the troubles, real and imaginary, of a family she always maintained an atmosphere of cheerfulness, piety, truthfulness and generosity.

She became a member of the Methodist church and was a staunch member up to the time of her death. She was greatly beloved by all who knew her, and many found great pleasure in visiting her, cheering her in her suffering and receiving inspiration from the constantly flowing evidences of patience, resignation and submission to the dispensations of Providence. Her whole life was a benediction to those with whom she came in contact, and in her death comes grief not alone to those nearest and dearest by reason of the ties of blood, but to all whose pleasure and privilege it had been to know her.

She leaves to mourn her death thirteen children: W. E., F. H., J. L., R. E., A. C., and James Smith, Mrs. J. F. Alexander, Mrs. J. H. Wigginton, Mrs. S. H. Collins, Mrs. Maggie Holden, and Mrs. Rosa Collins, all of Oconee; Mrs. D. T. Alexander and Mrs. D. D. Winchester, of Pickens county. She leaves seventy-one grandchildren and thirty-one great-grandchildren. Of a large family of brothers and sisters she leaves one brother, Alfred Alexander, of Pickens county, and two sisters, Mrs. Laura Finley of Piedmont, and Mrs. Robert Stewart of Pickens.

She was buried the day following her death at Keowee Baptist church, Pickens county. Rev. B. F. Murphree conducted funeral services, after which the remains were laid to rest by the side of her husband to await the resurrection.

There are many precious thoughts connected with the resurrection of them that die in the Lord. We have often felt, in contemplating the reunion with loved ones, that we would not give up for this world the sweet assurance that when we meet this sainted mother and grandmother in the glory-land it will be the same one we loved on earth. But when we see her there it will not be as we saw her last. Her brow will not be dimmed with age; her head will not be silvered over with gray hairs; neither will her body be cold and lifeless in death, but arrayed with all the beauty, grace and glory of spiritual womanhood. She will meet and greet her loved ones with a long and loving welcome to the home of endless life.

The bereaved family have the deepest sympathy of their many friends in their dark hour of trouble.

Friends and Strangers pay the same We have but one price.
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Oolenoy News Notes

The Oolenoy Tomato Club here did excellent work last year. As a result two of the members won rewards. Sybil Clark was awarded the scholarship to the short course at Winthrop college. Addie Southerland was given the trip to the State Fair at Columbia to be held next fall. A member of the club last year took a Winthrop scholarship.

Rev. E. M. Bolding filled his regular appointments here on Saturday and Sunday. An unusually large crowd was present Sunday.

Hon. and Mrs. M. Hendrix visited their daughter, Mrs. W. T. Batson, of Marietta, a part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Edens, Sr., and family visited their son at Camp Sevier Saturday.

Miss Mary Roper, who has been attending school at Mars Hill, N. C., is at home for vacation.

Among the visitors here for Sunday or the week-end were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keith, Miss Cleo and Prue Hendrix of Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis, Misses Viola and Merle Hendrix of Pickens, Misses Jessie B. and Agnes Edens, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones and family of Easley.

The people in this section are very much interested in the work on the road from Pickens leading towards this section. They are "dreaming dreams and seeing visions" of what it would mean to this section to bring that top-soil to Pumpkintown.

Rice's Creek News

Miss Ila Roper visited her sister, Mrs. C. W. Ellenburg, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lake Ellenburg visited Ernest Dunn one day last week.

Misses Tempy Ellenburg and cousin, Eunice Bryant, spent Friday night with Mrs. Lake Ellenburg.

E. F. Collins and family of Six Mile visited Mr. Collins' sister, Mrs. W. H. Ellenburg.

H. N. Roper and wife spent Tuesday night with their friend, F. R. Rogers.

C. L. Gantt and family visited at the home of Mrs. N. E. Hughes one day last week.

Mrs. Martha Waldrop visited her son recently, D. Waldrop.

Mrs. W. F. Haynes and father-in-law, Harper Haynes, spent the latter part of last week in Greenville.

John Atkinson and family visited Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Roper.

Mrs. T. W. Miller and children of Greenville visited Mrs. W. H. Ellenburg the latter part of last week.

Mrs. E. W. Waldrop had as her guest Wednesday Miss Belle Roper.

Listen, girls: Clyde Ellenburg may be coming. He has purchased a new buggy.

Miss Ada Waldrop and mother spent one day last week with J. Waldrop.

Mrs. P. T. Nelson and aunt, Mrs. Susan Goslin, visited Mrs. W. H. Ellenburg Friday afternoon.

Wonder if B. G. Field has found any chevrolet yet?
JUNE BUG.

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"Don't Be a Fool"

Dear Editor: Give me space for a dot or two, please. The heading is, "Don't Be a Fool."

Your neighbors are not watching you as much as you think they are; they don't care how you dress or when you go out or come in. Don't be a fool. You have got it into your head that all your neighbors are peeping out the windows to see what you are doing; you have a notion in your foolish little brainy head that if anything should happen to your domestic affairs or business matters that the whole world would stop; some think that people would forget their gossips and troubles to talk about you. Now this isn't true. People care very little about you. No one will notice whether you have discharged your servant or whether you go to church or stay at home, or whether you keep this kind of company or that kind, so nobody will notice anything about it.

Don't be a fool. Don't imagine for one moment that you are the center of this universe. You could go a week with one shoe off and the other on and nobody would notice anything about it. People haven't got time to attend to your affairs. Do as you are in mind; nobody will care. Get what suits you best; you haven't a neighbor that cares a rap what you get or what you don't get. Suit your own life in your own way and give up the crazy practice of surmising that your neighbors or your friends or the community at large care a fig or a feather what you do or don't do. Don't worry yourself over such insane ideas. It has gone to seed for you to feel that people are noticing you a moment; it is just a masked kind of egotism for you to think so.

Don't be a fool. Never say again what will people say if I do this or that; what will folks think if I don't do anything. Folks won't say anything; they don't care a snap about you; they have troubles of their own. Probably they are as big a fool as you are, dodging and ducking and squatting around for fear some one may be looking at them or talking about them.

Don't be a fool. Straighten up; walk with your head up; say what you please; do as you have a mind to do. That is the best way. Be your own man and give up all foolish ideas in your noggin and let it be a good head of plenty good self-made hard sense, and pay no attention to anybody else's business, but attend to your own.

JAMES WADE.

Easley, S. C.

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In order that the best results may be obtained, the following information on "Growing Sweet Potatoes in South Carolina" has been prepared by George P. Hoffman, extension horticulturist of Clemson College, at the request of the Food Administration for South Carolina:

Growing Sweet Potatoes in South Carolina.

There are few crops so well adapted to South Carolina conditions that can be grown with equal success and profit as can the sweet potato. This crop offers to the growers every advantage that is offered by other field or truck crops.

Soil selection, preparation, fertilizing, careful sowing and planting, and cultivating are the essentials of success in the growing of a crop of sweet potatoes.

Soil:—The sweet potato adapts itself to a great diversity of soil, but it delights in and thrives best on a well drained sandy or clay loam soil underlain with a clay subsoil. Regardless of the apparent ideal physical condition of the soil, this crop must be rotated each year. Sweet potatoes may follow corn; cotton, small grain and leguminous cover crops. This crop may be easily and effectively worked into any well balanced three year rotative system.

Preparation of Soil:—The soil may be thoroughly and deeply prepared by turning twice to a depth of 6 to 8 inches followed by cross discing. Crooked and irregular formed roots result from preparatory shallow preparation of the soil. Therefore, deep and thorough preparation is very essential in the growing of marketable potatoes.

Fertilizers:—Both barnyard and commercial fertilizers are recommended, but the former must be judiciously used. Under the present potato shortage conditions, that element of plant food most needed in excess, liberal applications of barnyard manure will be found to be very effective in supplementing this shortage, and correcting the physical condition of the soil. The fertility and physical condition of the soil should determine the extent of the applications, which should not be in excess of the needs. Ordinarily, both commercial fertilizers and barnyard manures are applied in the drill, when the soil is being fitted for setting the plants, and as a side dresser.

Fitting the Soil and Setting the Plants:—Preparatory to setting the plants, which should be from May 1st to July 15th, lay off rows 3 1/2 to 4 feet apart and apply the barnyard or commercial fertilizers in the drill and thoroughly mix with the soil. Planting beds of medium height, depending upon drainage, should be thrown up and dragged down, and the plants or vine-cuttings set 14 to 18 inches apart. Correcting the packed condition of the soil brought about through the transplanting process, immediately following the setting of the plants, the water furrows should be harrowed or otherwise shallow cultivated.

Varieties:—The Nancy Hall, Porto Rico, and Triumph are the leading and most popular varieties grown in this State. The Triumph is one of the earliest varieties, and should be planted when potatoes are grown for early market.

Cultivation:—Frequent and shallow cultivation should be practiced until the vines have covered the ground, during which period the greatest care must be exercised in the turning of the vines. At the first cultivation, which consists of a careful hoeing and siding with a broad furrow, a side dressing of cottonseed meal should be applied, at the rate of one-half ton per acre, and thoroughly mixed with the soil. The Orangeburg sweep or hoe bow and shovel will be found to be very effective in cultivating this crop.

The following record of expenditures and returns on an acre of sweet potatoes was furnished us by a grower in Richland county, South Carolina, during 1917 and 1918:

Expenditures.	
Rental value of land.....	\$ 8.00
Turning and harrowing twice..	4.00
Bedding ground	1.50
Compost—10 loads at \$1.00....	10.00
Spreading compost	1.50
Plants—10,000 at \$2.50.....	25.00
Setting plants	2.25
Hoeing three times	3.00
Plowing and turning vines	4.25
Cottonseed meal, 1/2 ton at \$48..	24.00
Applying cottonseed meal.....	1.50
Harvesting and storing.....	12.00
Total expenditure	\$97.00
Returns.	
270 bushels No 1 potatoes at \$1.60	\$432.00
30 bushels culls at \$0.50.....	15.00
Total returns	\$447.00
Profit	\$350.00

Mother's Day

The second Sunday in May has been designated as Mothers' Day. It will be suitably observed in all the churches in Liberty holding service that day. Everybody owes a debt of gratitude to his mother that he can never repay. The best friend anybody ever has is his mother. A Christian mother is the devil's worst enemy. If your mother is still living, make the evening-time of her life the brightest time of all.

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EFFECTIVE APRIL 21, 1918

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7.55 A.M.	11.20 A.M.	3.40 P.M.	Lv.	0 Pickens Ar	9.45 A.M.	1.30 P.M.	5.00 P.M.
8.00 "	11.25 "	3.45 "	1	Ferguson x	9.40 "	1.25 "	4.55 "
8.10 "	11.35 "	3.50 "	4	Parsons x	9.30 "	1.20 "	4.45 "
8.15 "	11.40 "	3.55 "	7	Arialla x	9.25 "	1.10 "	4.35 "
8.20 "	11.45 "	4.00 "	8	Mauldin x	9.20 "	1.05 "	4.30 "
8.25 "	11.50 "	4.10 "	Ar.	9 Easley Lv.	9.15 "	1.00 "	4.25 "

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