

The Murder of Dill.
Solomon G. W. Dill, Representative elect from this District, together with a negro man, name Nestor Ellison, who, we understand, had been acting in the capacity of guardman for Dill, were killed at the house of the latter, on Thursday night last, about 8 o'clock, and Mrs. Dill seriously wounded at the same time. The particulars, as far as we have been able to learn them, are as follows:

It appears that Dill, his wife, a white man by the name of Taylor, and his wife, and Ellison, were in Dill's house. The first intimation that they had of the presence of any one else, was a shot which took effect upon Ellison, who immediately got up to run, when he was felled by another shot. Dill was next shot from behind, having two buckshot through his neck, one of which struck just above the left ear, coming out in the cheek. Mrs. Dill was shot in attempting to escape, her thigh being broken. Taylor ran out of the house as soon as the firing commenced, badly frightened—so badly, indeed, that although he was in a fence corner touching the road, and saw two men pass, and even heard them whisper, and noticed that they spoke rapidly, and although the moon was full, and not a cloud in the sky, he could not tell whether they were white or colored.

So far as we are informed, there has been very little excitement among the negroes in relation to the murder, the general desire expressed by them being that every effort should be made to detect the guilty, but that the innocent should not suffer.

On Tuesday, an inquest was held over the dead-body by J. K. Witherspoon, who rendered the following verdict: "That the parties came to their death from gunshot wounds, by the hands of person to the jury unknown."

On Monday afternoon, a detachment of United States soldiers arrived, the object of whose visit, we are informed, is to detect, if possible, the perpetrators of the murder.

Arrests have been made of several respectable white men, merely upon suspicion.—We do not know upon what grounds the suspicion is based, or what disposition is to be made of the parties arrested, but feel confident that a title of evidence can be produced to connect them with the perpetration of the deed.

We hope that the perpetrators of this crime will be discovered, and we heartily say:—"Erat justitia rarior Oculum!"—*Cumtlan Journal*.

SOUTH CAROLINA POLITICS.—The recent elections for District officers in South Carolina, show how rapidly the negro population is becoming disgusted with Radicalism and growing tired of their unprofitable privilege of voting. Although in most of the districts of the State the negro registered vote is double that of the whites, in the elections held last week, the Democrats have carried nearly half of them, while in all the Radical majorities of April are greatly reduced. In Laurens, York, Greenville, Union, Spartanburg, Lancaster, and Marion, the Democratic tickets have been elected, and in Abbeville and Chester, the result is in doubt, with the chances in favor of the Democrats. The seven districts, which are so far known to have gone Democratic, gave in April more than ten thousand Radical majority. When the full returns are received it will be seen that the revolution against Radicalism among the colored voters of South Carolina is most remarkable and wonderful, giving abundant promise of a Democratic majority in November.

[*Wilmington Journal*.]
The suicide mania is reported to be raging in the island of Cuba. In the course of seven days nine cases occurred in the City of Havana, down to the 23d ultimo. Eating the phosphoric ends of matches seems to be a favorite way of committing suicide in Cuba.

RECEIPTS

The following persons have paid on their subscription to the COURIER, as follows, for 1868:	
James McCarty,	\$2 00
W. A. Miles,	2 00
D. F. Bradley,	2 00
P. B. Martin,	1 00
J. F. C. Dal'ic,	1 00

New Advertisements

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THE SECOND TERM OF THE WALHALLA FEMALE SEMINARY will commence on the

First Monday in July, and end on the last Friday in November.

Board and accommodations will be as good and cheap, and instruction as thorough, as at any similar institution in the State. It is earnestly desired that pupils who were in the Seminary this year, should do so at the beginning of the term. For full particulars address

MISS C. MORGAN,
WALHALLA, S. C.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS having demands against the Commissioners of the Poor for Pickens District, are requested to present them to the Board at its next meeting at the Court House, on Monday, the 29th June, instant.

G. R. CHERRY, Sec'y.

Attention, Clubs!

THE SECRETARIES of all the Clubs auxiliary to the Central Democratic Club of Pickens County, are requested to be present at its next meeting, to be held at the new Court House, on the 2d Saturday in July, next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to represent the strength of their respective Clubs. I also extend an invitation to all the Clubs to be at Salisbury on the 4th of July.

WM. L. ROGERS, President.

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U. S. Internal Revenue.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,
3d DISTRICT, SOUTH CAROLINA,
PICKENS C. H., June 10, 1868.

WHEREAS, on or about the 26th day of April, 1868, a Keg of Whiskey, supposed to be about 18 or 20 gallons, was seized and captured from one William Hunter, at the house of D. Biemann, in the town of Walhalla, said to have been left there during his absence. Seized for violation of the Internal Revenue laws.

Any person claiming the above described property, or any portion of it, must come forward and make such claim within thirty days from the publication hereof, and file a bond in the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars, with good and sufficient sureties, to be approved by me—conditioned to defend a suit in the United States District Court for condemnation of said property, and in case of failure to defend successfully, to pay all costs of suit. Otherwise it will be sold according to law by me.

J. W. COBB,
Deputy Collector.

June 17, 1868

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June 16, 1868

Masonic Celebration.

THE MEMBERS of the Walhalla Chapter and a Blue Lodge will have a CELEBRATION on WEDNESDAY, the 24th of June, instant, St. John's Day. Grand Master Ours is expected to be present on that day, with other distinguished gentlemen of the Fraternity, who will deliver addresses. Companions and Brethren are invited to be present and participate in the festivities of the day. The public are also invited. A sumptuous DINNER will be prepared for the occasion by the Ladies the proceeds of which will be applied to the Methodist Church, South, at this place.

C. J. LANGSTON,
Chm'n Committee of Arrangements,
WALHALLA, June 10, 1868

NOTICE.

RICHARD H. MANSELL, deceased, will take notice, that on Saturday the 6th day of August next, at the house of Matthew Mansell, the Administrators of the Estate of said Richard H. Mansell, deceased, will attend and pay off to said heirs all the money now collected, in proportion to each Share, according to the will of said deceased.

MATHEW MANSELL, Adm'r.
J. G. FERGUSON, Adm'r.

June 9, 1868

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C. W. BUSHYHEAD,
By A. TAYLOR,
Agent,
Walhalla, S. C., June 10, 1868

The State of South Carolina.

IN ORDINARY—CITATION.

WHEREAS, Licena Hughes hath applied to me for letters of administration upon the Estate of Edward Hughes, dec'd., late of the District of Pickens and State aforesaid: The kindred and creditors of said deceased, are, therefore, cited to appear before me at Pickens C. H. on Friday the 26th of June, instant, to show cause, if any they can, why said letters should not be granted. Given under my hand and seal, this 7th day of June, 1868.

W. E. HOLCOMBE, o. p. d.

Sheriff's Sales.

BY virtue of sundry writs of fieri facias to me directed, I will sell to the highest bidder, at Pickens Court House, on Saturday in July, next, and days following, the below described property, to wit:

One Tract of Land, lying off Oconee Creek, on which defendant now lives, containing 500 acres, more or less, and adjoining lands of W. A. Lay, Ex'or., and others, levied on as the property of

at the suit of

One Tract of Land lying on waters of Cano Creek, containing 133 acres more or less and adjoining lands of A. D. Gaffard, and others levied on as the property of

at the suit of Joseph Fricks.

Lot No. situated in the town of Walhalla on Maine and Spring Streets, containing 2 acres, more or less, levied on as the property of

at the suit of William Warrno, Agent.

One Tract of Land lying on waters of Cheestoe Creek, containing 65 acres more or less, and adjoining lands of I. H. Vermer and others, levied on as the property of John Brown at the suit of the State for taxes.

One Tract of Land lying on waters of Twelve Mile River, containing 800 acres more or less, and adjoining lands of Mrs. Mathias Roper and others, levied on as the property of W. B. Stancil at the suit of the State for taxes.

One Tract of Land lying on waters of Cheestoe Creek, containing 65 acres more or less, and adjoining lands of I. H. Vermer and others, levied on as the property of John Brown at the suit of the State for taxes.

Tracts, Casis; Purchasers to pay extra for title and stamps.

R. THOMAS, o. p. d.

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THE COMMISSIONERS appointed to select a site for the Court House and Jail for the District of Oconee, having located the same in the Town of Walhalla, and procured the titles of One Hundred Acres of Land within said Town, will, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on

Thursday the 6th of August Next,

after having first laid off the said land into suitable and convenient LOTS, proceed to sell the said LOTS to the highest bidder. This location is within the beautiful and thriving Town of Walhalla, at the foot of the Blue Ridge, and possesses advantages in point of trade, education, &c., unsurpassed by any other place in the State.

Terms of Sale:

One fourth cash,—the balance payable in three equal installments in three, six and nine months, secured by note with approved security. Titles to be executed, but not delivered until purchase money is paid in full. And in case of failure on the part of purchaser to meet the payments when due, the property to be forthwith sold at his risk. Purchasers to pay extra for stamps and titles.

WESLEY MITCHELL,
W. E. HOLCOMBE,
BRY FRETWELL,
M. F. MITCHELL,
O. M. DOYLE,
Walhalla, S. C., June 3, 1868

Comm'rs.

The "Anderson Intelligence," "Columbia Phoenix," "Charleston Courier" and "Greenville Enterprise" publish weekly for six weeks, call attention editorially, and send bills to

W. E. HOLCOMBE,
Sec'y & Treasurer,
WALHALLA, S. C.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

I WILL SELL to the highest bidder, at the late residence of Nathaniel Hull, deceased, 7 miles South of Walhalla, on

Saturday the 20th of June, 1868,

all the Personal Property belonging to Estate of said deceased, to wit:

1 BAY HORSE, 4 years old—No. 1;

4 COWS AND CALVES;

STOCK OF DRY CATTLE;

HOGS, SHEEP;

WHEAT, CORN;

BACON, FODDER;

1 FOUR-HORSE WAGON;

2 CARTS;

WOODWORK OF 2-horse Wagon;

12 BEE STANDS;

HOUSEHOLD & KITCHEN FURNITURE;

FARMING TOOLS, &C.

Terms Cash.

D. S. HULL, Adm'r.

June 2, 1868

U. S. Internal Revenue.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,
3d DISTRICT, SOUTH CAROLINA,
PICKENS C. H., May 25, 1868.

WHEREAS, lately in the District of Pickens and State of South Carolina, one Copper Still, Work and Cap, and about four gallons of Whisky, was seized and captured from Thomas W. Alexander, and one Still Work and Cap captured from William Fenley and Harvey Cater, for violation of the Internal Revenue laws.

Any person claiming the above described property, or any portion of it, must come forward, and make such claim within thirty days from the publication hereof, and file a bond in the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars, with good and sufficient surety, to be approved by me, conditioned to defend a suit in the United States Court for condemnation of said property, and in case of failure to defend successfully, to pay all costs of suit. Otherwise the property will be sold according to law by me.

J. W. COBB, Deputy Collector.

May 25, 1868

In Bankruptcy.

IN THE MATTER OF WARREN BOYD.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Warren Boyd, of Pickens District, State of South Carolina, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own Petition, by the District Court for the Western District of South Carolina.

WM. M. FERGUSON, Assignee.

Pickens C. H., June 1, 1868

To Tax-Payers.

I WILL ATTEND at Pickens C. H. on Monday and Tuesday, 22d and 23rd, and at Walhalla on Wednesday and Thursday, 21st and 25th June, for the purpose of receiving Taxes that were not paid in March, due in June. All persons are required to pay by the 25th of June. My Books will be closed on that day, and executions issued against all defaulters.

S. G. HERNDON, T. C.

May 25, 1868

H. A. H. GIBSON,

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May 5, 1868

The many friends of ROBERT POWELL respectfully announce him a Candidate for Tax Collector for Oconee County at the approaching election.

May 5, 1868

State of South Carolina,

IN ORDINARY—CITATION.

WHEREAS, Nancy Chapman hath applied to me for letters of administration upon the Estate of John W. Chapman deceased, late of the District of Pickens and State aforesaid: The kindred and creditors of said deceased are, therefore, cited to appear before me at Pickens C. H., on Monday the 22nd day of June instant, to show cause if any they can, why said letters should not be granted. Given under my hand and seal this 3rd day of June, 1868.

W. E. HOLCOMBE, o. p. d.

Biemann's Hotel,

WALHALLA, S. C.

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is now open for the reception of Summer Boarders. Everything that can conduce to the comfort of guests will be unsurpassedly provided. The TABLE will be supplied with the best that money and effort can secure, and my old patrons will know that I never stint in quantity or quality. My servants will be found polite and attentive. A Bar Room and Barber Shop attached to the premises.

MY BAR ROOM

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D. BIEMANN.

WALHALLA, May 6, 1868

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There you will find a large lot of the very best GROCERIES, including

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D. BIEMANN.

WALHALLA, S. C., May 6, 1868

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

Pickens—In Equity.

Thos. J. Pickens, Ex'or, Bill for Relief, Marshalling Assets, &c.

F. W. Pickens and others.

Appearing to my satisfaction that Andrew C. Pickens, Mary B. Anderson and Robert Anderson, defendants in this case, reside beyond the limits of this State: On motion of Mr. Noble, complainant's Solicitor, it is ordered that the said absent defendants do appear in this Court, and plead, answer, or demur to the said bill of complaint, within forty days from the publication hereof, or their consent to the same will be taken as confessed by an order pro confesso.

ROBT. A. THOMPSON, o. p. d.

Comm'rs. Office, May 22, 1868

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