

Excellent Exercise.

The most healthy exercise one can practice is that of coming to this bank often to deposit their savings. It helps the mind and body and makes the prospects of the future brighter. Try it and see what an improvement it makes.

BANK OF WALHALLA,
Walhalla, S. C.

FEW PAYING TAXES.

Treasurer Schroder Will be Kept Busy Receiving Taxes.

Only 983 out of 7,000 tax receipts have been issued to date by County Treasurer W. J. Schroder.

The time for paying taxes opened on October 15 and will close on December 31st. Mr. Schroder anticipates the usual rush which is always incident to the expiration of the time. Between now and the end of this month the county treasurer's office will be a busy place.

The penalty on delinquent tax-payers commences on January 1st, and during that month is only one per cent. Commencing on February 1st, the penalty is increased to two per cent, and from March 1st to March 15th the penalty is 7 per cent, after which time executions will be issued.

Muscular Pains Cured.

"During the summer of 1903 I was troubled with muscular pains in the instep of my foot," says S. Pedlar, of Toronto, Ont. "At times it was so painful I could hardly walk. Chamberlain's Pain Balm was recommended to me, so I tried it and was completely cured by one small bottle. I have since recommended it to several of my friends, all of whom speak highly of it." For sale by J. W. Bell, Walhalla; W. J. Lunney, Seneca.

Heptasoph Officers.

At the regular meeting of Oconee Conclave, I. O. H., held last Thursday night, the following officers were elected for 1908:

Archon—D. A. Smith.
Provost—John A. Ansel.
Prelate—Dr. F. F. Collins.
Secretary—F. A. H. Schroder.
Treasurer—H. C. Busch.
Financier—G. A. Norman.
Inspector—J. D. Hays.
Warder—J. H. Garrison.
Sentinel—R. J. Russett.
Organist—R. W. Grubbs.
Trustees—T. J. Todd, R. F. Kaufman, Jas. Russell.

The officers will be installed on the third Thursday night in January.

Death of a Former Oconeean.

On November 29th a dispatch was received by Newton Crenshaw notifying him of the critical illness of his brother-in-law, W. A. Selskey, who was suffering from injuries caused by a gas explosion on November 14 at a coal mine in Alabama while attending to his duties as overseer.

William Augustus Selskey was born at Strausburg, Germany, and came to America when quite young. He left Walhalla thirty years ago for Blocton, Ala., where he has since made his home, being continually engaged in the coal mining industry.

Mr. Selskey passed away on November 29, 1907, in the 48th year of his age. The remains were laid to rest in the cemetery of Blocton, after appropriate funeral services, conducted by his pastor.

The deceased was a prominent secret order man, and a consistent member of the Presbyterian church, and died in the triumphant faith of a blissful immortality.

He leaves a wife and seven children, a number of many relatives, and many friends, who deeply mourn his death.

Good Cough Medicine for Children.

The season for coughs and colds is now at hand and too much care cannot be used to protect the children. A child is much more likely to contract diphtheria or scarlet fever when he has a cold. The quicker you cure his cold the less the risk. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the sole reliance of many mothers, and few of those who have tried it are willing to use any other. Mrs. F. F. Starcher, of Ripley, W. Va., says: "I have never used anything other than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for my children and it has always given good satisfaction." This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given as confidently to a child as to an adult. For sale by J. W. Bell, Walhalla; W. J. Lunney, Seneca.

The city of Charleston will issue \$27,000 thirty-year 4 per cent bonds.

"Sniggles Family" Entertained.

On last Thursday evening Miss Mary Ansel charmingly entertained the cast in the "Sniggles Family" at an informal supper at her home on Main street. Miss Ansel was the originator and successful director of the recent plays given by local talent. The Sniggles family were delighted at this opportunity of a "jolly-high-falutin'" reunion, and individual charms along. "Ma" was there in all her glory, as were her eight enraptured daughters, chatting away as if their world-wide reputation were at stake.

The contest of the evening, a progressive "Peanut Harpooning," being exceedingly well adapted to the spirit and genius of this great family, was eagerly undertaken. Undaunted by Jemima's "giggling a few" and the chronic sneezing of the "blessed afflicted Jerushy" the peanut staking proceeded with much laughter and commotion. By his diligence and perseverance, the "least, but not last," was found to have accumulated the most peanuts, while the adorable Regina Angelica Utopia, "rolling up her eyes and looking wondrous-wise," was left far behind in the contest. A delicious box of homemade sweets was presented to Dresden Smith, the most successful contestant, while Miss Salina Yonque was consoled with a peanut man from China.

After the game was over, an appetizing course supper was daintily served by Mesdames John A. and George M. Ansel.

Menu:

Chicken Salad Butter Sandwich
Stuffed Olives Peanuts
Hot Chocolate Sweet Wafers
Candies

The following guests enjoyed Miss Ansel's kind hospitality: Misses Fannie Crisp, Mary Pitchford, Tommie and Dora Pitchford, Lula Earle, Salina Yonque; Mack Neville, Otto Schumacher, Eugene Hutchison, Claude Reid, Dresden Smith, Sam Yonque.

Beware of Frequent Colds.

A succession of colds or a protracted cold is almost certain to end in chronic catarrh, from which few persons ever wholly recover. Give every cold the attention it deserves and you may avoid this disagreeable disease. How can you cure a cold? Why not try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy? It is highly recommended. Mrs. M. White, of Butler, Tenn., says: "Several years ago I was bothered with my throat and lungs. Some one told me of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I began using it and it relieved me at once. Now my throat and lungs are sound and well." For sale by Dr. J. W. Bell, Walhalla; W. J. Lunney, Seneca.

Unclaimed Letters.

Following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the Walhalla post office for the week ending Monday, December 9th:

Mrs. Effie McCall.
Persons calling for the above will please say they were advertised.
J. M. Merrick, P. M.

MURDERED BY PEONS.

American Stoned to Death in Mexico on Thanksgiving Day.

Mexico City, Dec. 4.—Details of the murder of William R. Boggs, an American mining man, near Topia, Mexico, have been received here. Owing to financial stringency he had not been able to pay the miners in his employ promptly. A mob of them met him on the road and stoned him to death. His body lay on the road for several hours.

Fifteen of the alleged murderers have been arrested. Boggs was a near relative of Gen. Boggs, of the United States army. His home was in Irwell county, North Carolina. The tragedy took place on Thanksgiving Day.

(Mr. Boggs was a brother of Prof. H. P. Boggs, of Seneca. He returned from North Carolina last Wednesday night, where he attended the funeral of his brother. He has the sympathy of many friends in Oconee on account of the untimely death of his brother.)

For Eczema, Tetter and Salt Rheum.

The intense itching characteristic of these ailments is almost instantly allayed by Chamberlain's Salve. Many severe cases have been cured by it. For sale by J. W. Bell, Walhalla; W. J. Lunney, Seneca.

Just as We Predicted.

The Lavonia (Ga.) Standard Gauge says: The election Monday for Commissioner of Roads and Revenues passed off very quietly, and resulted in the election of S. K. Cannon over M. M. Jordan by a majority of 71 votes. We are satisfied that Mr. Cannon will discharge the duties of the office to the satisfaction of the people.

Throat Coughs

Ask your doctor about these throat coughs. He will tell you how deceptive they are. A tickling in the throat often means serious trouble ahead. Better explain your case carefully to your doctor, and ask him about your taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

We publish our formulas
We banish alcohol from our medicines
We urge you to consult your doctor

Who makes the best liver pills? The J. C. Ayer Company, of Lowell, Mass. They have been making Ayer's Pills for over sixty years. If you have the slightest doubt about using these pills, ask your doctor. Do as he says, always.

PUBLIC SALE

OF

LAND AND PERSONAL PROPERTY.

I will sell, at Public Auction, at my Residence, two miles from Old Pickens, on Friday, December 27th, 1907, the following described property:

One Farm, 448 acres, (guaranteed). Forty acres River Bottom; 10 acres Creek Bottom; 50 acres Upland in Bermuda grass; 75 acres Upland in reasonable state of cultivation; balance in Original Forest. Farm has one 8-room Dwelling, two large Barns and all other necessary Outbuildings, four Tenant Houses, fine Orchard. Said Farm sold for partition. Terms: One-third Cash, balance one and two years, with interest at 8 per cent. Purchaser to secure payment with mortgage of the Premises.

Also, at same time and place: One set Blacksmith Tools, 15 head of Cattle, 3 Milch Cows, 20 Sheep, lot of Hogs and Pigs, one lot Fodder, one lot Corn, 1 Weeder, one-half interest in Shredding Machine, 2 Buggies, 4 two-horse Wagons, 5 head of Mules, and many other Farming Tools too numerous to mention. Terms on Personal Property: CASH on day of sale.

Be on hand and get your share of the bargains. For further information apply to John F. Craig, Walhalla, S. C.; E. H. Craig, Pickens, S. C., or T. E. Craig, Central, S. C. R. F. D. No. 2.

MRS. N. M. CRAIG,

Central, S. C.
Route No. 2.

WANTED!

I WANT YOUR FALL TRADE IN
Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes,
Crockery, Hardware and Groceries,
AND WILL PAY THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICE FOR
COTTON AND COTTON SEED.

Buy a **SOLE GRAIN DRILL FOR \$8.50.**
and if not satisfied return the Machine
and get your money.

IF NOT A CUSTOMER TRY ME. WHEN IN SENECA CALL ON

J. W. BYRD.

BIG CLEARANCE SALE

On **FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13th**, at 9 O'clock, rain or shine, we are going to throw our entire stock of \$25,000 worth of dependable Merchandise upon the market at actual New York Cost, for **10 DAYS ONLY**. It will pay you to come fifty miles to attend this gigantic sale of dependable merchandise. Every item in our entire line will be cut to New York Cost. We are going to sell this entire stock of Goods, regardless of cost within the next ten days. If you have not bought all that you will need for the winter, it will pay you to visit this sale. Below we give a few items and prices. We have thousands of other things too tedious to mention:

Notions.

Men's Gloves, 81c.
Ladies' Golf Gloves, 19c.
Ladies' Golf Gloves, Better, 39c.
Men's Underwear, Shirts, 21c.
Men's Underwear, Fleece-lined, 43c.
Men's Underwear, Wright's Health, 88c.
Ladies' Wool Vests, 68c.
Men's Negligee Shirts, 43c.

Every article in the Notion Department going at **ACTUAL COST.**

These **GOODS** must be sold in the **TEN DAYS** at **SOME PRICE—DON'T WAIT.**

Dry Goods.

3,000 yards Broadcloth, assorted colors, 88c. yard.
5,000 yards Calico, only 6c. yard.
2,000 yards Waterproof, 43c. yard.
400 yards Outing only 9c. yard.
200 yards Jeans, assorted prices.
Flannellettes; Table Damask, Red and White; Sheetings, Lonsdale Cambric Bleaching, and many other lines too numerous to list. Come in and ask for what you want.

General Merchandise.

We have an immense stock of General Merchandise. All good, reliable goods, amounting to more than Twenty-five Thousand Dollars. And we must sell them **REGARDLESS OF COST.**

Shoes.

Men's Brogan Shoes, only 98c. pair.
Infants' Shoes 21c. pair.
Men's Fine Shoes, \$1.48, worth \$2.50 everywhere.
We carry the largest stock of Shoes in Walhalla, and have all styles and prices.
Don't fail to see our line of Shoes.

Crockery, Etc.

We have a large stock of Crockery, Lamps, Lamp Chimneys, Lanterns, Well Buckets, Water Buckets, House Furnishing Goods of every description.

Remember that this Sale starts Friday, December 13, at 9 o'clock, and closes on the 23d December. Come early and get what you want before they are picked over. Don't get left.

Craig-Verner Mercantile Company,

WALHALLA, SOUTH CAROLINA.