



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

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—For the pennies that are wasted are responsible for most of the misery and practically all the poverty in the world.

WESTMINSTER BANK.

WESTMINSTER, S. C.

JAMES M. HUNNICUTT DEAD.

Honored Citizen of Oconee Called to His Reward at Advanced Age.

Coneross, March 29.—Special: The news of the death of James M. Hunnicutt, which occurred yesterday (Sunday) about 2 p. m., at the home of his son, S. M. Hunnicutt, of this community, will be learned with deep regret. The deceased was well known here and elsewhere.

Mr. Hunnicutt was 81 years old, and death was due to a complication of diseases, from which he had suffered for some time. He recently became worse, and though it was realized that the end was near at hand, the announcement of his death will nevertheless bring sorrow to the hearts of all who knew him.

Mr. Hunnicutt was born in Oconee and made his home here. He married Miss Sara Morgan, of this county, and they lived happily together until March 1, 1910, when Mrs. Hunnicutt passed from this world to the better one beyond.

Mr. Hunnicutt is survived by three sons and one daughter, Miss Ruth Hunnicutt, of Newry. The sons are S. M. Hunnicutt, of Coneross; Clifton Hunnicutt, of Seneca, and Ezekiel J. Hunnicutt, of Birmingham, Ala. He is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. J. M. Morgan, and Mrs. Cothran, of Greenville.

Mr. Hunnicutt served four years in the Civil War, being a gallant soldier. He had been a member of New Hope Baptist church ever since the war, in the cemetery of which church his remains will be laid to rest this (Monday) afternoon at 3 o'clock. His pastor, Rev. L. D. Mitchell, will conduct the funeral services.

The friends of Mr. Hunnicutt's family sympathize deeply with them in their bereavement.

Mr. Hunnicutt for many years was regarded as one of Oconee's best and most prosperous farmers. The people of Oconee had honored him a number of times by electing him to the offices of County Commissioner and County Supervisor. He was honest and conscientious in every transaction of life, whether in public or private capacity, and he was honored and respected by all who knew him for his worth as a man. Few men enjoyed more universal approval at the hands of his fellowmen. In his death Oconee has indeed lost one of her best citizens.

N. COHEN TRAVELS NO MORE.

End Comes to Shunting Back and Forth of Human Shuttlecock.

New York, March 29.—Nathan Cohen who as an insane person, traveled more than 33,000 miles on a \$45 steamship ticket because neither this country, from which he was deported, nor Brazil, from where he emigrated, would admit him, has ended his travels. He was to have started back to Brazil on his fourth round trip aboard the steamship Vasari to-day, but friends took him off five minutes before a vessel sailed. They presented a stay to the order of deportation secured at Washington.

It was learned several days ago that a man named Nathan Cohen was a member of the Knights of Pythias lodge in Jacksonville, Fla. A representative of the lodge came here and found out the Cohen detained aboard the Vasari was the same man. It was then ascertained that Cohen became insane after his entrance to this country as the result of a series of business troubles. Immigration officials at Washington thereupon granted the stay.

Cohen was taken to Ellis Island, and will be released as soon as bond can be arranged.

U. S. SUBMARINE AND CREW

Are Lost—Submerged Off Honolulu. No Trace Yet.

Honolulu, March 25.—The American submarine F-4, which was submerged at 9.15 a. m. to-day two miles off Honolulu harbor, had not reappeared at nightfall and grave fears were expressed for its safety. The F-4 carried a crew of 25 men, commanded by Lieut. Alfred L. Ede. Three other submarines of the "F" group, stationed here, the naval tug Navajo and launches were scouring the ocean for miles about the harbor entrance to-night in search of the missing vessel.

Naval officials said they were hopeful that no serious mishap had befallen the F-4, but they admitted that circumstances of the craft's prolonged disappearance gave rise to much apprehension.

Later to-night it was reported that the F-4 had been located, lying at a depth of 120 fathoms.

Attempts to bring the vessel to the surface with grappling hooks failed. No signal bells had been heard from the submerged craft and this fact led to fears that the submarine's tanks had burst, suffocating the crew with sulphuric acid fumes.

Location Still a Mystery.

Honolulu, H. I., March 29.—Vessels searching for the United States submarine F-4 have recommended sweeping the ocean floor with cables. So far no success has been reported.

Naval officials reiterate their confidence that the F-4 is submerged close to the harbor entrance. They base their opinion largely on the reports of fuel oil seen on the surface of the sea, on the stream of air bubbles rising to the surface and also on the recovery of a piece of brass work from the wreck of the tug Navajo. This piece of brass has been identified by the naval authorities as from the F-4.

Last Hope Abandoned.

Washington, March 29.—The last hope that any of the submarine F-4's crew might be alive has been abandoned by the navy department. Today Acting Secretary Blue ordered Rear Admiral Moore, commanding the Honolulu naval station, to report the exact location of the sunken boat and the depth at which she lies, that the department may estimate the probability of salvaging the hull and recovering the bodies of her commander and crew.

No advices on the disaster have come to the department since Friday night, when Admiral Moore reported that the boat was in 50 fathoms of water.

No further reports came to the navy department during the day. When Admiral Moore has made a report on the location of the hull, a board of inquiry will be ordered to investigate the disaster. That is the usual course.

MRS. MARTHA A. HALL DEAD.

Died at Home in Bounty Land Section in Eightieth Year.

Bounty Land, March 29.—Special: Mrs. Martha A. Hall died at her home in this community on Tuesday morning, March 23, at 5 o'clock, after an illness of several months.

Mrs. Hall was a daughter of James and Lucinda Jenkins, who were pioneer settlers of this section, and was reared near Westminster. She was born October 6, 1835. She had only one sister, Mrs. Mary Jones, and one brother, Newton H. Jenkins. Mrs. Hall was the widow of the late Thomas J. Hall, to whom she was married in 1857. She was a member of Richland Presbyterian church, where her husband was an elder for several years prior to his death.

The deceased leaves a number of relatives and friends to mourn her death. Her children are: William P. Hall, Walhalla; T. N. and James E. Hall, Westminster; C. C. Hall, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. G. W. Price, Anderson, and Miss Alice Hall, Seneca. One daughter, Miss Ida C. Hall, died March 6, 1910.

Mrs. Hall was a most amiable woman, possessing many beautiful characteristics, and was loved and respected by all who knew her. Her remains were interred in Mountain View cemetery (Seneca) on Wednesday, the 24th, in the presence of a large number of friends. Funeral

THE COUNTY FARMERS' UNION.

Meeting Will Be Held at Ebenezer Academy, Saturday, April 10.

The Oconee County Farmers' Union will meet with Ebenezer Local, at Ebenezer academy, on the second Saturday, the 10th of April, at 10 o'clock a. m. All locals are not only requested to send a full delegation, but all of the members are urged to come, as much business will come up before the body.

The county demonstrator will give a lecture on "How to Prepare, Plant and Cultivate Our Crops"; also, how the rural schools can have a plot of ground near the school houses and get an agricultural education at home when not able to go to an agricultural college.

The county marketing agent will give a lecture on how to purchase and sell farm products or anything you want to buy.

Come one, come all, and let us learn how business men do business.

T. Y. Chalmers, President.
J. H. Garrison, Secretary.

Notes from Richland.

Richland, March 29.—Special: Stiles and Bruce Stribling, Edgar and David McMahan spent the week-end here with their parents.

Mrs. H. L. Coe and Mrs. W. H. Hugh left Saturday to visit the former's son, W. H. Coe, in Columbia. Before returning home they expect to visit their sister, Mrs. Susan Burns, at Anderson.

Miss Rosa Ray spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents at Commerce, Ga.

J. J. Magill is spending two weeks in Atlanta with his daughter, Mrs. Asa Candler, Jr.

Alethia Ballenger, of Seneca, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ballenger.

Mrs. Estelle Canada, of Taylor's, is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Jack Berry.

Misses Cannon, Simpson and Carter, pupils of Miss Margaret Stokes' music class, of Westminster, spent Friday night and Saturday with Miss Stokes and assisted in the musical entertainment given at the school house Friday night.

Mrs. L. M. Berry and son Will went to Greenville last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Berry's nephew, W. M. Bowen, who died in Springfield, Mo.

Some of the descendants of the late James and Elizabeth Dendy have placed a memorial window in the Presbyterian church in memory of them.

Mrs. W. P. Reid, of Seneca, elementary superintendent of Oconee Sunday schools, made quite an interesting talk on her branch of the work at Rock Springs Sunday afternoon.

News from Ebenezer.

Ebenezer, March 29.—Special: Rev. Dr. John G. Law preached an interesting sermon Sunday morning at Ebenezer.

H. J. Huff, of Greenville, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tollison.

We are sorry to learn of the recent serious illness of Otto, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mavey. We hope soon to see the little sufferer restored to health.

Mrs. Griffin Satterfield, who has been ill for several weeks, is slowly improving. We hope for her early restoration to health.

The school at this place is doing nicely under the principalship of John H. Brown.

The many friends of Mrs. C. H. Whitmire, who has been indisposed for some time, will be glad to see her out soon.

An Easter egg hunt will be given at Ebenezer church on Saturday next, promptly at 2 p. m. All the children in the community—and older folks, too—are urged to come.

Services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. I. E. Wallace. All her children except William P. and C. C. Hall attended the sepulture, the former arriving the day following.

The last surviving slave of the Jenkins family, Sam Jenkins, was also present to witness the burial of the last member of his "old master's" family.

INTERNATIONAL LINE TROOPS.

Three Batteries U. S. Troops Are Ordered to Brownsville, Texas.

Washington, March 29.—Acting Secretary of War Breckinridge ordered three batteries of the third field artillery to Brownsville, Texas, to-day, as a demonstration to the Mexican forces fighting for possession of Matamoros, that American lives must not be endangered by firing across the line. A regiment of infantry also was ordered held in readiness at Texas City to be moved to Brownsville if needed.

These precautions were deemed necessary, although assurances had been given by both Carranza and Villa agencies here that no shooting across the line would be permitted.

The attacking force is finding Matamoros a difficult nut to crack. Two hundred perished in the first assault on the Carranza troops on Saturday, while the defenders lost only eight killed and thirty-six wounded. It was reported both sides were receiving reinforcements, including artillery. Many wounded Villa soldiers have been brought into Brownsville, but only those in most urgent need of attention will be permitted to cross the line hereafter.

THE NEWS FROM CONEROSS.

Items of Local Interest—Easter Egg Hunt for S. S. Children.

Coneross, March 29.—Special: This correspondent wishes to thank Miss Janie Alexander for the nice letters sent to The Courier during her absence from Coneross.

J. A. Britt, of Clemson, spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister, Miss Sarah, at the home of M. Abbott, of this community.

Morris Ballenger, of Greenville, is at the home of his brother, R. B. Ballenger, and family, of this section. He was accompanied by his friend, James Cleland.

Miss Pearl Hunsinger is with her sister, Mrs. Paul Armstrong, of Richland.

Misses Beatrix Gribble and Annie Strutton, of Walhalla, were week-end guests of Misses Bewley and Jane Hunsinger.

J. D. Abbott returned home yesterday from Atlanta, where he attended the Southern College of Pharmacy. He is one of the recent graduates. Dr. Abbott was accompanied home by his mother, Mrs. M. Abbott, who attended the graduating exercises.

Miss Carrie Gambrell is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stone, of Seneca, this week.

Miss Minnie Barker returned home last Wednesday after spending the past month very pleasantly visiting relatives and friends in Atlanta, Gainesville, Baldwin and Avalon, Ga. She was met in Avalon by Misses Madera and Coddie Alexander, two of Coneross's fair young ladies, and they spent several days there very delightfully with their cousin, Mrs. R. A. P. Dean. Miss Maggie Adams, of Lavonia, was also the guest of Mrs. Dean.

Those of the Coneross Sunday school belonging to Classes Nos. 8, 9, 10 and 11 are cordially invited to meet at the church Saturday afternoon for an Easter egg hunt. The teachers, Misses Annie and Katie Abbott, Bewley Hunsinger and Lizzie Barker wish the entire enrollment of their classes to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ballenger, of Avalon, Ga., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Buford Ballenger, of Coneross, last week. They were accompanied by Miss Cora Collingham, of Columbia.

Quite a number of the younger set met with Misses Ollie and Gracie Abbott last Saturday at a surprise party and enjoyed several hours very pleasantly.

The primary department of the Clearmont school closed Friday and Miss Bewley Hunsinger is at home for a vacation. She and Miss Duncan have a very interesting program, which will be carried out at the close of the entire school.

James Beck, of Clayton, Ga., was a guest in the home of Mrs. Nettie Hesse Friday.

It is easy for a man to behave after he breaks into the has-been class.

TOOK HIS ORDER, SAYS GRACE.

Governor and Charleston Mayor Discuss Liquor Situation.

Columbia, March 29.—"Definite action must be taken within a week," Governor Manning told Mayor Grace, of Charleston, this afternoon at a conference between them. "I asked Mayor Grace," said the Governor, "as head of the government of Charleston to enforce the law. I specially mentioned the gambling law and the liquor law. I asked for enforcement and not regulation. I pointed out to Mayor Grace that as so much has been said and written on the situation, and as so much time has already elapsed on account of his illness, since I had first taken the matter up with him, that definite action must be taken within a week; that the public is so well informed on the situation that nothing could be gained by further delay."

The statement of the Governor followed the publication in the local afternoon newspaper of an interview with Mayor Grace, in which he was quoted as saying:

"Governor Manning told me unequivocally to enforce the law in Charleston. I took his order." Continuing, this interview says: "Mayor Grace was rather reticent in discussing the liquor situation in Charleston, saying that everything appertaining to the illegal sale of intoxicants had been aired by every one on every occasion. He averred, however, that Charleston should be granted autonomy, that the people of the city should be allowed to regulate their own affairs as to liquor selling in a progressive way.

"The Charleston Mayor is of the opinion that the State needs a new Constitution, which will do away with the present cumbersome system of legislation and allow progressive measures to be passed. He also thinks that Charleston needs a new city charter, but it cannot be granted unless there is a change in the organic law of the State."

LOCALS FROM BOUNTY LAND.

Young Lady Injured Preparing for Field Day Exercises.

Bounty Land, March 29.—Special: J. B. Sanders visited relatives at Whetstone the first of last week.

M. P. Alexander, of Cashier's, N. C., spent Tuesday night at the home of J. S. Entekin.

Miss Sallie McMahan returned last week from Columbia, where she has completed a course in the Macfeat-Bowen Business College.

Little Misses Mildred and Claire and Master Rhoderick, children of Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Heller, spent the week-end with their grandparents, Hon. and Mrs. John L. Smith.

Mrs. Steward, of Pickens, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. A. Lynch.

While practicing jumping with the view of taking active part in Field Day exercises Miss Rosa May Wilson was seriously injured just above her ankle last week, and has since been unable to attend school. The wound does not readily respond to treatment and it is feared may result seriously. Her friends, however, hope for favorable developments.

James M. Hunnicutt died near here yesterday at 2 o'clock. His remains will be interred at New Hope cemetery this afternoon. Mr. Hunnicutt was the father of Clifton Hunnicutt, our rural mail carrier, and also of S. Mack Hunnicutt, at whose home he was visiting at the time of his death. He leaves another son and daughter. The sympathy of many friends is extended to the bereaved ones.

Mrs. Joe McDonald, who has been quite unwell for the past two weeks, is convalescent.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kelley, of the New Hope section, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sanders Saturday.

All former pupils of Bounty Land school living in Bounty Land vicinity, who are interested in having a reunion of the teachers and pupils who have taught and attended school at Bounty Land, are requested to meet at the school house next Saturday, April 3, at 2.30 o'clock to discuss plans for having the reunion. We hope for a full attendance at this meeting.

J. G. Gillison, of Clemson, visited his mother, Mrs. J. M. Gillison, Saturday and Sunday.