



"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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## Seeds for Fall Planting.

Fulgrum Oats, Rosen Rye, Abruzzi Rye, Vetch, Rape, Winter Barley, Burr Clover. Also Crimson Clover in a few days.

**C. W. & J. E. Bauknight,**  
WALHALLA, S. C.  
It Pays to Buy for Cash.

### NEW TURKISH OUTRAGES COME

After Conflagration which Swept the City of Smyrna—Hundreds Shot.

London, Sept. 15.—Massacres of far-reaching proportions are reported to have occurred at Smyrna attending the terrible conflagration which has just swept over that city. The first reports came from Greek sources and estimated the victims as high as 1,000 to 2,000. Later reports from British eye-witnesses and from Americans arriving at Greek ports tended to confirm the massacres and gave harrowing accounts of the extent of the devastation wrought.

An English agency dispatch declared the British admiral had warned the Turks at Smyrna that if the massacres continued the Turkish quarter would be bombarded.

A correspondent of Reuters arriving at Malta said hundreds of bodies of the victims were lying in the streets of Smyrna when he left and that the pillaging and massacring were continuing. The Greeks were not blameless, he declared, as they had aroused the Turks by setting fire to villages during the retreat of the Greek army.

The invasion of the British consulate at Smyrna by the Turks, and the murder of an official also were reported.

A Greek semi-official dispatch from Athens quoted an American investigator as estimating the number of victims up to the time of the fire in Smyrna at 1,000. The property loss from the conflagration is estimated in the Greek quarters at \$75,000,000.

Among the Turkish outrages was the carrying off of many girl pupils of the American Girls' College. It is alleged.

The Greek belief is that the fire was set by the Turks to conceal the traces of their alleged misdeeds.

### Terrible Stories.

Refugees arriving in Athens from Smyrna recount terrible stories regarding the state of the city, owing to the ferocity of the Turks. Immediately on their arrival the Kemalists troops gave themselves over to massacre and robbery of the Christians and the quays were littered with the corpses. A Greek journalist was shot dead and dragged through the streets tied on the back of an automobile.

An American passenger who arrived at Piraeus from Smyrna says he saw 900 Armenians forced by the Turks to embark on a lighter. The Armenians were then shot down from the shore, the bodies being left to float in the water. According to other passengers, prominent members of the British colony in Smyrna were similarly murdered.

### Were at Paradise College.

It is believed here that the fourteen naturalized Americans reported missing in Smyrna are members of the American International Colony, which comprises the bulk of the American population in Smyrna. They were at the Paradise College compound, three miles from Smyrna,

according to a telegram dated Sept. 12th.

Several teachers of this college had already fled.

### REV. WM. A. MASSABEAU DEAD.

Was Well Known Minister of South Carolina Methodist Church.

Johnsonville, S. C., Sept. 17.—Rev. William Augustus Massabeau, widely known Methodist minister, died here to-day after a long illness. He will be buried at Chester Tuesday.

Rev. Mr. Massabeau was born in Spartanburg July 13, 1866, the son of Rev. John B. Massabeau. He graduated from Wofford College in 1889 and taught school at Smithville for two years. Afterwards he was principal of Henron Academy in Darlington county for two years. He was licensed to preach by the Darlington circuit quarterly conference in 1892, and in 1893 was admitted to the South Carolina Conference at Sumter.

He married Miss Rosa Oliver Carson, of Orangeburg county, June 30, 1890. He was pastor, at various times, of Grace church, Union; at Greenwood, Ridgeville, Central church, Spartanburg; Buncombe street church, Greenville, and others. He served eight years on the church's board of missions and the conference board of education, and was delegate to the general conference in 1914.

He is survived by his widow, one son, John Massabeau, of Jonesville, and three daughters, Mrs. Clyde Carter, Chester; Mrs. Lauriston Boland, Springfield, and Miss Frances Massabeau, of Johnsonville.

### WILLIAMS QUILTS STATE BOARD.

Will Become Adjunct Professor and Take Up Ministerial Work.

Columbia, Sept. 13.—Rev. G. Croft Williams, secretary of the State Board of Public Welfare, has tendered his resignation, according to announcement made this afternoon by Governor Harvey. He will become adjunct professor of sociology of the University of South Carolina, and at the same time rector of St. John's Episcopal church of this city.

Mr. Williams' successor has not yet been selected, but a committee from the Board of Public Welfare has been appointed to look for a successor. The resignation of Mr. Williams becomes effective as soon as his successor shall be named.

Mr. Williams has made a remarkable record as secretary of the board. He will take up his new duties at the university with the opening of the 1922-23 session.

### Five Cows Crained Together Killed.

Unionville, N. Y., Sept. 14.—Five cows, all attached to the same chain, were killed on Frank Ford's farm near here by a bolt of lightning today. Another bolt ripped off a section of the steeple of Grace church in Port Jervis. Slate shingles were scattered for a distance of 100 feet.

### GREAT GIPSY SMITH MEETINGS

Drawing to a Close—Free Examination for Women and Children.

Seneca, Sept. 19.—Special: Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Nimmons are entertaining a fine son in their home, who arrived on the 13th.

Miss Annie Whitten, of Pendleton, spent several days here with relatives and attended the Gipsy Smith meetings.

The Gipsy Smith series of meetings are not only enlisting the interest of Seneca and Oconee, but every night large numbers of people from different parts of this and other States come to hear the noted evangelist. The attendance record went over the top Sunday night, when every seat under the big tent was taken at least one hour before the hour for service, and the same can be said for the seats outside the tent which took care of the overflow. Many men and women, unable to get seats, stood throughout the entire service. Mr. Smith's messages have reached the hearts of scores of church members who have drifted away from their Saviour and who want to rededicate themselves to Him, and as many are taking their stand for Jesus for the first time. The inspiring music by the large choir, with Rev. John A. Wood as conductor and Miss Lucille Abernethy, pianist, is soul-stirring. A feature of the Sunday evening services was two musical selections given by the Augusta male quartette. These gentlemen motored from Augusta Saturday night and left after the Sunday night service for their homes. They came all the way from Augusta to hear Gipsy Smith, for whom they had formed a strong friendship when he held a meeting in their city two years ago.

Mr. Smith has announced that he will on Friday night tell the story of how Jesus entered the Gipsy tents, which will embrace his life's story. Sunday will bring to a close the Gipsy Smith meetings of three weeks. He will preach Sunday morning at 11.15 and again at 8 p. m. All who want to have a good seat had better be on hand early.

Free Medical Examinations for the children of Oconee county, and conferences with specialists on the care and feeding of children, will be held at Seneca on Friday, Sept. 29, in the Edwards-Austin Building, beginning at 9 a. m. and running all day. Specialists from Columbia and Greenville and Spartanburg will cooperate with the Oconee County Medical Association, the State Board of Health, the Red Cross, the women's clubs, the Wizard of Tamassee chapter, D. A. R. and the ministers of the gospel, toward making this the greatest day for the health of the women and children of Oconee county ever put over by any county in the State. It is expected that every mother interested in the welfare of her children will be present.

All children under seven years old with suspected serious physical defects should be presented for examination.

The management of the moving picture house in Seneca has offered to show health films on Saturday, Sept. 29th, and a banquet will be tendered by the above organizations to 50 of the leading men and women of Oconee county and the representatives of the Red Cross and the State and Federal governments with a view to establishment of a public health nursing service and a community hospital for Oconee county.

Miss Blackburn, of the bureau of child hygiene of the State Board of Health, is now in Oconee conducting classes for mid-wives at various points and assisting the Oconee County Medical Society in holding baby conferences at Westminster, Walhalla, Newry, Jordania and elsewhere.

Free Clinic for Mothers and Babies. The movement for the free clinic for mothers and babies, under the auspices of the medical association, found expression in the meeting of a committee of representative women at the home of Mrs. S. K. Dondy Monday morning. Miss Blackburn, public health nurse, in charge of the work in Oconee county, directed the committee, and plans were laid for this campaign, which means more to the future citizenship of Oconee than any single agency ever employed in our county. Health is the foundation of all development, physical, moral, mental, and nearly all disease is preventable. Ninety per cent of criminals cared for in jails, reformatories or institutions maintained by the State come from the mentally defective. It is much easier and a great deal cheaper to save them by giving them proper treatment in the early years than it is to care for them after the trouble is fastened on them. The medical association has invited eminent baby specialists to be here and assist in this examination of mothers and babies under seven years of age. This examination will be entirely free, but mothers bringing children are requested to bring a loose slip or gown to be used while the examination is being made. Those expecting to avail themselves of this opportunity are requested to notify Mrs. B. A. Lowery in order that arrangements may be made to look after the comfort of those coming. If

### BOUNTY LAND RICHLAND NEWS.

Lady Captured—Raiders—Personal Particulars of Interest.

Bounty Land, Sept. 18.—Special: Mrs. C. N. Anderson, Misses Zola and Cora Hubbard and their brother, Marion Hubbard, spent a week with relatives in Abbeville recently.

Miss Eula Hubbard has been suffering for several days and her physician has about decided that appendicitis is the cause of her trouble, and that an operation may be necessary to recovery. Her friends hope for her early convalescence.

We are glad to report Mrs. Rochester's condition very much improved.

Early one morning last week Mrs. D. A. Perry heard a commotion among her chickens, and, thinking an opossum might be causing the disturbance, she rushed to the chicken-house to see a large hawk, which had swooped down among the young chicks, and was trying to make his escape through the wire wall of the house. Mrs. Perry, being armed with an axe, soon returned with her dead victim.

Mrs. J. P. Eckett, of Sandy Springs, is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. W. D. Wright.

O. H. Doolittle, of Anderson, was in the community Sunday.

L. P. Rankin, who has been suffering from chronic appendicitis for several weeks, had a severe attack last night, but is able to be up this morning, and we hope will soon recover.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hodgson and daughter, Miss Edith Hodgson, and granddaughters, Misses Isabelle Gamble and Edith Hodgson, of Atlanta, and Dr. and Mrs. Merkel Jacobs, of Philadelphia, Pa., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Stribling last week.

Mrs. C. N. Anderson will visit in Newberry this week as a guest of Miss Margaret McIntosh.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Hubbard and two children are spending a few days in Eberly with Mrs. Hubbard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gant.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Gant and Pauline Anderson, of Liberty Hill, and their brother, Tom Anderson, of Greenville, were week-end guests of their aunt, Mrs. S. N. Hughs.

Mrs. A. C. Ballenger, of Sandy Springs, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ballenger.

Mrs. Sue O'Neal and daughter, Miss Christine, of Westminster, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hubbard.

Miss Lura Porritt left Saturday for Pendleton, where she has accepted a position as teacher in the Pendleton school.

Miss Ida Beth Doyle left Friday for Winthrop College.

Misses Sara Cater and Etta Adams and Charlie Cater, of Long Creek, spent the week-end among homefolks in the community.

Misses Olive Lynch and Willie McDonald will leave Tuesday for Rock Hill, where they will resume their college course at Winthrop.

Miss Esther Edens, of Pickens, is visiting her cousin, Miss Olive Lynch.

### OCONEE CO. S. S. CONVENTION.

Session Will Be Held at Richland on Sunday, October 8th.

The Oconee County Sunday School Convention will be held at Richland, in the Presbyterian church, on Sunday, Oct. 8th, next. The authorities are at work on a strong program.

Dr. D. W. Daniel and Rev. A. E. Driggers, of Clemson College, have promised to attend. Several other strong speakers are under partial promise to be present.

Services will begin at 10 o'clock and will last all day.

The district and county conventions recently held all over the State have shown increased interest in the organized Sunday school work. It is confidently believed Oconee's next will be Oconee's best. The convention is not a delegated body. All Sunday school workers, and all friends of the cause, all who believe in "Christian co-operation for Kingdom service," are cordially invited to attend.

Wm. S. Morrison, Pres. Oconee Co. S. S. Association.

### Overcome by Gas, Dies in Well.

Gaffney, Sept. 17.—Andrew Thomas, a negro well digger, living in the Starr farm section of Cherokee county, suffered injuries yesterday while digging a well on the Brick House plantation, which resulted in his death. The negro was 60 feet below the surface when he was overcome by gas, and when he sounded a signal of distress he was immediately drawn to the top, but just after he was helped from the well, he lost his balance and fell back, striking the earth 60 feet below. Coroner J. S. Vinesett, of Gaffney, was notified of the affair, but as it appeared to be clearly an accident the coroner did not deem an inquest necessary.

Impossible to notify Mrs. Lowery, come and bring the baby any way, but remember that those who notify Mrs. Lowery will be entitled to examination first.



## GOOD MULES CHEAP!

We have a few extra Good Mules to sell Cheap. Two extra good fresh Milch Cows. Several good second-hand Wagons, both one and two-horse--- Cheap.

**Arthur Brown,**  
Walhalla, S. C.  
"Oldsmobile Sets the Pace."

### SOME SPECIAL JUDGES NAMED.

F. H. Weston and J. B. S. Lyles will Preside Over Oconee Courts.

Columbia, Sept. 14.—Governor Harvey, at the request of Chief Justice Gary, has appointed a number of special judges.

Carroll C. Simms, of Barnwell, vice Judge Melver, deceased, to hold the term of court for Anderson county, beginning the first Monday in October.

F. H. Weston, of Columbia, vice Judge S. W. G. Shipp, disqualified, to hold the term of court for Oconee county, beginning Oct. 9, 1922.

J. B. S. Lyles, of Columbia, vice Judge Melver, deceased, to hold the term of court for Oconee county, beginning the third Monday in October.

W. C. McLain, of Columbia, vice Judge Ernest Moore, deceased, to hold the term of court for Horry county, beginning Oct. 23d.

Mendel L. Smith, of Camden, vice Judge Moore, deceased, to hold the term of court for Marion county, beginning the first Monday in October.

### AMERICAN MISSIONARY KILLED.

Rev. Gates, American, had Been in India for Many Years.

Bombay, British India, Sept. 15.—Rev. Lorin S. Gates, of the American mission, was murdered at Bijapur on Sept. 6. The police arrested a Mohammedan charged with the crime.

Mr. Gates, who was 77 years old, and had been for 47 years with the American mission at Sholapur, had gone to Bijapur at the request of Miss Fulcher, head of the branch mission there. The branch had rented for its Indian workers part of an old Mohammedan palace. The landlord was a Mohammedan, who occupied part of the palace himself, and, according to Miss Fulcher, was constantly putting restraint on the tenants. She had asked Mr. Gates to come there to negotiate with the landlord. This he did unsuccessfully and decided to remove the workers elsewhere.

He and Miss Fulcher were leaving the palace in search of another house, when the landlord sprang from behind a tree and pulled the missionary, slaying him with a sword. Miss Fulcher narrowly escaped. Mr. Gates was taken to a hospital, where he died. It is understood that Mrs. Gates will continue the mission work at Bijapur.

Mr. Gates was supported by the Congregational church, Washington, D. C.

### Easley Election Void.

(Pickens Sentinel.) The election recently held in Easley and which resulted in favor of the town issuing \$50,000 for additional paved streets and \$30,000 for past indebtedness, has been thrown out and declared no election.

A committee of Easley citizens opposed to the \$50,000 bond issue employed Carey & Carey, attorneys, to contest the election, and it was discovered that not a sufficient number of property owners had signed the petition asking for the election.

### PRESS TUCKER GIVEN 3 YEARS.

Man Who Shot Justin Woolbright at Townville Receives Sentence.

Anderson, Sept. 13.—Press Tucker, convicted last Friday in Sessions Court of manslaughter in connection with the killing of Justin Woolbright at Townville on May 27th of this year, was this morning sentenced to a term of imprisonment on the county works or in the State penitentiary, for a period of three years, after counsel for the defense had made a motion for a new trial, which was over-ruled by Judge Mendel Smith, the presiding judge. In over-ruled the motion for a new trial Judge Smith declared that the case had been fairly presented to the court and an impartial trial given the defendant, and in fairness to the jury who had indicated the smallest punishment in their verdict, he could not set aside the verdict.

The motion was entertained by the court, and the arguments for the defense conducted by Mr. Miller. In his argument he declared that the verdict was not responsive to the testimony, and that in his behalf the man was either guilty of murder, or acquittal should have been his lot. He also reviewed many phases of the case, the trial of which consumed a long period.

THE OFFICIAL DECLARATION.

County Chairman Makes Declaration of Results of Second Primary.

State of South Carolina, County of Oconee.

From an official tabulation of the returns in the second primary election for Oconee county, the following result is declared:

R. D. McDonald and E. Timmerman, having received a majority of the votes cast for members of the House of Representatives, are hereby declared the nominees of the party for the House.

W. M. Dillard having received a majority of the votes cast for Magistrate at Westminster, is hereby declared to be the nominee of the party for that position.

Jas. H. Brown, Co. Chairman, D. A. Smith, Secretary.

(The official tabulation of the votes cast in the second election will be found on second page this week.)

Mrs. Harding Much Better.

Washington, Sept. 17.—Mrs. Harding, now safely on the road to complete recovery from her recent serious illness, probably will spend the entire recuperative period at the White House, it was said to-day by those close to the executive family.

From Walhalla Route 3.

Walhalla, Route 3, Sept. 18.—Special: Misses Pearl Smith and Janie Lipscomb were recent visitors to relatives in Anderson.

Mack Fowler, of Glenville, N. C., stopped over a few hours recently at the home of his cousin, W. W. Fowler, on a visit to his farm, which is located in Southern Georgia.

J. Fred Fowler will fill his regular appointment at Liberty next Sunday.