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## Grand Jury Finds 18 True Bills

Court of general sessions and common pleas convened in Pickens Monday with Judge Gary presiding and the other officers of the court in their places. Under Judge Gary's direction the work of the court moves along with dispatch and unnecessary delay. The grand jury finished its work Monday. The following cases were passed upon by the grand jury:

The State vs. Grover Moore, violation of dispensary law. True bill.

Gus Scott, housebreaking and larceny. True bill.

L. L. Todd, forgery. True bill.

Ernest Rosamond, larceny. True bill.

W. Logan Smith, assault and battery with intent to kill. True bill.

George E. Williams, violation of dispensary law. True bill.

H. B. Cisson, violation of dispensary law. True bill.

R. M. Baker, forgery, two counts. True bill.

W. Hanford Babb, violation of dispensary law. True bill.

Wylie Davis, violation Sec. 2, Art. 102. True bill.

Gothenia Lemon, assault and battery. No bill.

Hose Pack, housebreaking and larceny. True bill.

Ella Oliver, violation of dispensary law. True bill.

Henry Kirksey, violation of dispensary law. True bill.

Mason Clardy, violation of the dispensary law. True bill.

Oscar Williams, two cases, assault and battery with intent to kill. True bill.

Cliff Oglesby, stealing livestock. True bill.

Tom Brown, violating dispensary law. True bill.

Andy Tavior, placing obstruction on railroad track. True bill.

The cases of N. H. Smith, larceny; Emma Ellison, assault and battery; Furman Pace, violating dispensary law, were not passed.

Ab Young's appeal from magistrate's court was dismissed.

The case of the State vs. Cliff Oglesby was the first one tried. The defendant plead guilty and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary or chain gang.

## In Memory of James H. Barkley

Little James Henry, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Barkley, died at their home near Praters Creek church January 20, after an illness of only a few days. Little Henry was a bright, loving child of just two years, three months and eight days. He has gone to join his little sister, Leila May, who preceded him just one year and three days. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of a host of friends, and may God's richest blessings rest with them through life. God has only visited his flower garden here.

And gathered his choicest flower to await loved ones there, To be with angels around the Great White Throne.

May we all meet in that Bright Eternal Home.

## Will Make The Race

Ben T. McDaniel, of Pickens, son of the late J. H. G. McDaniel, has been considering making the race for clerk of court of this county, and some of his friends ask us to state that he will positively be in the race this summer. Mr. McDaniel is well known all over the county and will make a good race.

You don't have to ride a Perfection Plow Stock and Turner to keep it in the ground. Also you get two in one and saves you money. Sold by Pickens Hardware & Grocery Company.

## To Reorganize Farmers' Union

EDITOR THE SENTINEL:—On the 16th of February I got quite a number of names of farmers in different parts of the county signifying that they wanted to reorganize the farmers union in Pickens county.

I am getting ready to meet any group of farmers in the county who may want to organize. Any farmer may confer with me by mail or telephone and make arrangements for me to meet with them by fixing time and place.

If we get the rural credit system we cannot use it unless we are organized and ready for it when it comes. Getting together will help to bring it to pass. The national Democratic party has promised us the rural credit system. Let us hold them to their promise.

JOEL H. MILLER.  
Easley, Phone No. 3503.

## Pertinent Points From Hogwallow

The high cost of extravagance is the cause of some of the high cost-of-living, according to the Dog Hill preacher.

Jefferson Potlocks is again in our midst, having returned this week from an absence of several days in the Calf Ribs neighborhood. He was accompanied by a good cow, whose former ownership is clouded in mystery.

Columbus Allsop, who has been reading the almanac from cover to cover this week, took an umbrella along with him on his literary journey, to have handy for the rainy spells.

The house occupied by the Hog Ford preacher has been too small for him and his family for some time, and last Friday night the congregation went silently to his home and built a nice shed room and front porch while he and his family slept.

Yam Shin accompanied the Widow of the Calf Ribs neighborhood to the Ry's Straw store Tuesday to assist her home with a spool of thread.

Fletcher Henstep was interviewed by the editor of the Tidings while in Tickyille the other day, and Fletcher is anxious to get this week's issue so that he can see what the editor says.

Frisby Hancock to his bass fiddle to the Gander Creek bottoms yesterday and played several selections under the nut trees, but had little success, as the nuts are nearly all gone.

Mrs. Poke Easley relates to us a remarkable incident, and we believe we have never heard of another case just like it. She says a short time ago she set one of her hens on twelve eggs, and when she came off she had fourteen chickens. DUNK BOTTS.

## Long Staple Ginnery

It is very probable that a long staple ginning plant will be established in Easley this year. R. E. Grable, assistant agricultural agent of the Southern Railway Co., recently made an address in Easley and at the close of his remarks a committee of three was appointed to ascertain the names of the farmers in the county who expected to plant long staple cotton this year, together with the number of acres they expect to plant. This committee was also instructed to ascertain what it will cost to establish a long staple cotton ginning plant. The members of the committee are W. C. Smith, W. L. Pickens and F. V. O'Dell.

## Our Weekly Letter From Oolenoy

In the year 1863, in the city of Charleston, S. C., Capt. Wm. M. Jones, of the Peters' Creek section, purchased a small meat chopper or "sausage grinder" as it was commonly called. He paid the sum of \$6 for it. In company with him, and acting as "reserves" in the Confederate army were Messrs. Reese Bowen and Bennett Jones, his brother. The purchase, the first of its kind in that section, created much interest. It was not uncommon for Capt. Jones to kill from 40 to 50 hogs yearly—but the work of the little grinder did not end with this. Into many, many homes it was borrowed—its owner was an accommodating neighbor. After his death some 12 years ago, this useful article fell into the hands of his daughter, Mrs. A. K. Edens—and our story does not end here—it is still grinding meat, and still fastened to the little four-legged bench and is in good condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Keith spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's brother, Earle Keith, of Pickens.

Mrs. L. T. Roper, who has been quite ill with pneumonia, is much improved.

On Saturday afternoon this section was visited by quite a snow storm. However, it melted quickly, only a little remaining overnight.

Hon. and Mrs. M. Hendricks, with their grand-daughter, Miss Ione, spent Sunday at the home of W. F. Hendricks.

Rev. W. M. Hammond filled his regular appointment at Enon Saturday and Sunday. He was accompanied by his sisters, Misses Emma and Velma.

Labor saved is money paid for a Walter A. Wood Disc Harrow. Sold by the Pickens Hardware & Grocery Company.

## Pleasant Grove News and Notes

The farmers have made good use of the pretty weather which has prevailed the past two weeks.

Everybody in our community seems to be enjoying good health, and hard work is making us all hearty.

Wiley Moody and family, who moved from this section to Greenville last Christmas, got dissatisfied with his move on account of sickness in his family and has moved back here. We are glad to have him back.

The earth was felt to shake very heavily here last Monday, February 21, about 6:30 o'clock.

Vest Ellenburg lost a good mule last Sunday afternoon by death.

Several of our young people went to the home of J. F. Rigdon last Thursday night and spent about two hours in singing. The old folks wish to thank them for the entertainment.

Mrs. J. M. Fortner, formerly of this section, died in Greenville February 21. The body was brought here and laid to rest in Pleasant Grove cemetery the day following her death.

Mrs. Fortner leaves a husband and five children, besides a host of relatives and friends, to mourn her death. She was about 30 years of age and before her marriage to Rev. J. M. Fortner was a Miss James of Gainesville, Ga.

To the Pumpkintown correspondent: Allow me to beg your pardon for criticising you for borrowing news from this poor little burg; but we sure would like to hear something about the plastering.

A FARMER.

\$100.00 reward! A reward of One hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for information and proof to convict any so-called Oculist, Optician or Spectacle Peddler who claims to be our agent, except authorized members of our firm. This to protect our friends as well as ourselves. The Globe Optical Company, Greenville, S. C.

## Eastern Side News and Notes

A water wheel was installed last week for John T. Hitt, by Mr. Gillespie, of Pickens. These wheels are a great convenience for pumping water to the residence and barn from a nearby spring. Mr. John Ferguson had one installed some time ago and it gives satisfaction. Only a small steady stream is required to turn the wheel.

John T. Ferguson is brightening up and making more durable his residence with brushes and white paint. The roof was repainted red.

The monthly meeting of the C. C. Club was held at the home of Mrs. B. D. Latham last Saturday afternoon. There were eighteen members present and all seemed to be very busy with their work. The hostess served a salad course.

W. A. Looper and J. K. Latham motored over to Central Saturday on business. Miss Daisy Phillips accompanied them to her home.

Many friends will be glad to know that the condition of Ernest Holcombe is greatly improved.

Mrs. M. A. Simmons, of Honea Path, is visiting her brother, N. K. Smith.

## Few News Notes of Griffin Section

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Simmons visited Mr. and Mrs. Elford Clark last Sunday.

Little Har Day, son of Mr. Frank Day, has been sick for the last week but is now improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Childs visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Childs last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Day visited their son, Frank, and his family, last week.

The Glassy Mountain Sunday School is progressing fine with J. R. J. Anthony as superintendent.

There will be a box supper at the Glassy Mountain Number 2 school house on Saturday night, March 4th. Everybody invited to come and bring boxes.

CLEVIE.

## Easley Mill Local Items

A. E. Smith, second hand in spinning here, has moved to the Appalache mills, Arlington, S. C., where he becomes overseer of spinning at night. He has been succeeded here by W. E. Smith from Anderson Mills.

C. S. Porter has returned home after a week's stay at the hospital in Greenville, where he underwent an operation. He is much improved at this writing. Mr. Porter has many friends here who are much interested in his recovery.

On Thursday morning, February 24, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. A. Simmons, occurred a very quiet and pretty ceremony that united the hearts of Miss Callie Alexander, of this place, with that of Mr. Jay B. Gaines, of Liberty. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. D. Holler, of the Methodist church. Only immediate relatives and friends were present. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple boarded the passenger train No. 39 for an extended visit to several important cities south, after which

## Interesting Dream of Silas C. Arnold

A few nights ago, after reading a vivid account of some happenings in the European war, I went to bed and had the following interesting dream:

I dreamed that I was in Europe at the outbreak of the great war attending to some business, and of course, the wartime inconveniences hindered my coming home.

At the town in Germany where I was staying everything was turmoil and confusion. All strangers were regarded with suspicion if not with open contempt. One day while wandering about the town I came to a large building that had been in construction when the war broke out. The laborers had all gone away to the army and left the structure half finished with its massive top insecurely supported upon uncertain timbers. Its peculiar style of architecture attracted my attention and I went inside to examine it closer. By accident I chanced to move an important timber. Its falling dislodged another and this in turn brought down another until I was compelled to run for my life to get out of the falling building. I had barely cleared the door when the whole structure came tumbling down, a pile of ruins.

Although this was entirely accidental, it gave the Germans a pretext for seizing me and submitting me to some very rough treatment. The mistreating of me, an American citizen, brought about an international controversy that resulted in the United States becoming engaged in the war.

One day a friend came to me and told me that a large body of American soldiers had landed at a seaport nearby and were marching to my rescue. The Germans fled before "Uncle Sam's boys", and I was soon in the hands of friends again.

While I was thanking my deliverers one of them called me aside and advised me to make a hasty toilet and dress myself in the best clothes obtainable for an important person was coming on behind to see me. I dressed as rapidly as I could, wondering all the while who it could be that was coming; and imagine my surprise and delight when there appeared presently at my room door my sweetheart from back in dear old South Carolina! The dear girl, hearing of my trouble, had come all the way across the sea and had followed on behind the soldier boys in order to see me just as soon as she could. Nothing but love could do that.

But why should I go further into detail? What more could be added to a man's happiness? I had been rescued from my enemies and even now a hospitable ship was waiting in the harbor to carry me home and the sweetest little girl in all the world was telling me that she would be my travelling companion not only on the homeward voyage, but all through the tempestuous voyage of life.

Central. SILAS C. ARNOLD.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaines will be at home to their friends in Liberty.

President J. H. Cheatham and J. L. McCoy, of the Hartwell Mills, Hartwell, Ga., paid us a pleasant call Sunday.

The Easley Singing Convention has adopted the Golden Gospel Bells for the convention as their choice of the many new song books on the market this season.

ROME.

Dr. A. A. Odom, the well-known Greenville Optometrist, by special request, will be in

WALHALLA,

at the Walhalla Hotel,

Tuesday, March 7th

WESTMINSTER,

at the Gilreath Hotel,

Wednesday, March 8th

CENTRAL, S. C.,

at Central Hotel,

Thursday, March 9th

LIBERTY,

at Hunter's Pharmacy,

Friday, March 10th

AND AT PICKENS, AT PICKENS INN, SATURDAY, MARCH 11th, FOR ONE DAY ONLY