

The Watchman and Southron.

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PERSONAL NEWS.

Miss Rosa Sunofsky, of Wilmington, is the guest of Mrs. R. M. Warren and Mrs. D. P. Kelly.

Mr. K. Chodak and family have moved to Baltimore, where he will enter into mercantile business.

Mr. W. F. B. Haynsworth is in the city visiting his parents. He has been located at Panama for some time.

Mr. E. W. Dabbs, of Salem, was in the city Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams, of Stateburg, spent Friday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Davis, of Clarksburg, West Virginia, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Forrester.

Mr. Fred H. Deal, of Columbia, came over to Sumter Friday to attend the Deal-Turley marriage. He will probably remain in town with his parents for several weeks.

Mr. S. J. Blackwell, of Salem, was in town Saturday.

Mr. A. Gilbert Brown was on the Street Saturday, after being laid up in bed for two months.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Richardson, of Manning, are visiting friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. William Moran have returned to the city after a pleasant stay in Philadelphia.

Mr. McBride Rhodes, of Mayesville, spent Monday in the city.

Mr. W. T. Rowland, of Columbia, is in the city for a few days.

Miss Annie Moore of Stateburg, Mrs. Wm. W. Arthur of Columbia and Messrs. McKensie P. and DeSaussure P. Moore, are visiting their father on West Calhoun street.

Col. and Mrs. W. D. Scarborough, of Dalzell, were in the city Monday.

Magistrate J. L. Gillis, of Rembert, was in town Monday.

Mr. W. S. Thompson, of Rafting Creek, was in town on Monday.

GOES ON INSPECTION TOUR.

T. E. White, A. C. L. Roadmaster at Sumter, to Go Over Entire Road.

Captain T. E. White, of Sumter, road master of the M. and A. division and the Pregnal branch of the Atlantic Coast Line Railway company, leaves for Richmond, Va., tomorrow afternoon to join a party composed of the road masters, general road masters, and roadway engineers of the entire Coast Line system who will go on a tour of inspection of every mile of track, bridges, trestles, and terminal yards of the entire system in the States of North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Virginia, Florida, and Alabama. The party will travel in a special train of Pullman, dining, and inspection cars. The trip will require about twelve days.

Captain Tom E. White is a Sumter county raised boy who has made good in railway circles like many more of the Sumter boys, who are filling high and responsible railroad offices with much credit to themselves and Sumter county.

Death.

Mr. John B. Miller died in Washington, D. C., Sunday morning after a brief illness, aged 41 years. He had been in failing health for several months, but continued to perform his regular duties in the Government printing office until a week prior to his death. His relatives in this city were informed of his serious illness last week. His brother, Mr. Eugene S. Miller, and sister, Miss Leila Miller, went to Washington Thursday and it was then intended to bring him home as soon as he was able to stand the trip. His condition was more serious than was apprehended and he passed away Sunday morning.

The deceased was a native of Sumter, the youngest son of the late Dr. J. I. Miller. He spent his early life here, going to Washington about twelve years ago to take a position in the Government printing office, with which he continued to be connected until his last illness. He is survived by his wife and four children, two brothers, Edwin F. and Eugene S. Miller, and four sisters, Misses Cora and Leila Miller, Mrs. J. T. China, of this city and Mrs. Fleming, of Bishopville.

John Miller had many friends in this city and although he had made his home in Washington for more than ten years he never lost touch with his old home town, and his untimely death is the cause of sincere regret among a wide circle of boyhood friends.

A careful perusal of the advertisements in this issue will assist you in planning your shopping and will enable you to save both time and money.

THE GET-TOGETHER MEETING.

All Arrangements Made for Supper—Prof. Schumacher's Orchestra to Play.

The special committee in charge have completed arrangements for the big "Get-together" meeting and supper of the Sumter Chamber of Commerce and Retail Merchants' Association next Wednesday evening at the Armory Hall. Prof. Schumacher's enlarged and famous orchestra will pull off a number of high class musical stunts in honor of the occasion. The committee hopes to have a few violin and trombone solos which will make the guests sit up and take notice in addition to the other high class concert musical renditions. Short talks on topics of interest will be indulged in. Substantial refreshments, chicken stew a la "Bill McKagen" and "accessories," coffee, cigars, etc will be served.

DEAL-TURLEY MARRIAGE.

Sumter Lady Weds Man from Denver, Colorado.

Saturday morning at 11 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents on Oakland avenue, Miss Bessie Elsie Deal was married to Mr. Chambers L. Turley of Denver, Colorado. The wedding was a very quiet home affair, only the immediate members of the bride's family and a few friends being present to witness the ceremony. Immediately after their marriage the happy young couple left on the morning train for Columbia, from which place they will go for a trip north, arriving at their home in Denver in time for Christmas.

Mrs. Turley is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Deal and has many friends in the city, who are sorry to see her leave, but who send their best wishes with her in her new home. Mr. Turley is engaged in a novelty manufacturing business at Denver and travels for his firm. He first met Miss Deal here some time ago, when visiting the city on one of his business trips, but more recently came back to attend the festivities attendant upon the coming of the Shriners at Thanksgiving, at which time he persuaded Miss Deal to become Mrs. Turley.

Mrs. Davis D. Moise Entertains.

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. Davis D. Moise gave a reception at her beautiful home on Broad Street in honor of Mrs. David Hinton Lopez of Atlanta, who is the guest of Mrs. Perry Moses, Jr., and Miss Gussie Hood, one of the charming young ladies of the city, soon to become a bride.

During the evening about one hundred and twenty-five guests called at Mrs. Moise's residence to meet the guests of honor. The house was tastefully decorated for the occasion with pink carnations. The reception was from four to six o'clock and proved a most enjoyable affair.

Mrs. J. C. Huger received the guests at the front door upon their arrival, from where they were introduced to the ladies in the receiving line. These were Mrs. Davis Moise, Mrs. David Lopez, Miss Gussie Hood and little Miss Virginia Moise. Mrs. L. A. Prince invited the guests into the dining room, where a delightful salad course was served. Assisting in the serving in the dining room were Miss Allene Harby, Mrs. Raymond Shelor, and Mrs. Warren Moise. Miss Marion Satterwhite served punch in the hall and Miss Julia Rowland served in the parlor.

Throughout the reception Schumacher's Orchestra rendered delightful music, adding much to the pleasure of the occasion.

Real Estate Transfers.

Winnie Washington to Lda James, two tracts of 37 1-2 and 14 acres, respectively, \$500 and other consideration.

Lizzie Keith to James Wilson, lot in county, \$75.

D. W. Brown to C. P. Osteen, three lots on Salem Avenue with buildings, and other lot in city, \$5,350.00.

Lillie D. Jennings to Lucius Tyler, lot on Salem Avenue, \$250.

F. M. Spann to the Commercial Company, lots on Church Street, \$1,500.

C. H. Barrineau to the Commercial Company, lot on Pear Street, \$850.

Charles C. Jacobs to J. C. Prioleau, lot with buildings on Bartlett street, \$1,100.

Bartow Walsh to James Scott, lot on Sumter street, \$185.

D. R. McCallum to W. M. Barfield, lot and building on Oakland Avenue, \$1,825.

Lena A. Vinson, et al, to Simon Watts, 15 acres in Stateburg township, \$375.

Lena A. Vinson, et al, to Peter Simmons, 25 acre tract in county, \$625.

H. J. Harby to Isaac McElveen, lot in city, \$17.50.

COUNCIL SUSTAINS CHIEF.

Charges Against Policeman H. G. McKagen Heard at Special Meeting.

At a special meeting of Council Friday night an investigation of charges against Policeman H. G. McKagen for disrespect to a superior officer, made by Chief J. R. Sumter, to whom the disrespectful language is alleged to have been used, was held and the suspension of Policeman McKagen for ten days was sustained, as he was found by Council to be guilty of the charges.

It is understood that the difficulty between Chief Sumter and Sergeant McKagen occurred on Thanksgiving Day, when the chief was informing the members of the force of the order in which they should ride in the parade. Chief Sumter, after the parade, told Officer McKagen that he would have to apologize for his language or he would be suspended. Mr. McKagen refused to apologize and he was suspended by the Chief.

Visitors to Richardson-Richardson Wedding.

Among the numerous out-of-town guests at the Richardson-Richardson wedding and reception Wednesday night were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stevens of Pinopolis; Gen. C. St. G. Sinkler of Eutawville; Mr. W. S. Manning and Miss Manning of Spartanburg; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Boykin, Mr. Miller Boykin, and Mr. Deas Richardson of Boykin; Mr. and Mrs. Richardson of Denmark; Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Richardson, Miss Susan Richardson, Columbia; Mr. and Mrs. William M. Richardson, and Mr. Eugene Atkinson of Orangeburg; Capt. A. M. Braliford, Mrs. J. M. Cante, Mrs. P. T. Villepique and Miss Bland Williams of Manning; Messrs. H. B., R. C., and R. S. Richardson of Pinewood; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Richardson, Miss Noddie Briggs, Mr. J. M. Richardson, Mr. E. M. Rickenbaker, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Belsler, Summerton; Mrs. G. M. Belsler of Columbia; Rev. and Mrs. H. deC. Mazyck, Dr. L. L. Stukes, Summerton; Mr. Percy Harvin, Privateer; Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Richardson of Manning. From Stateburg were Mrs. R. M. Cante, Miss Ann E. Burgess, Mr. R. M. Cante, Rev. W. H. Barnwell, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Nelson, Mrs. W. R. Flud and the Misses Flud.

K. of P. Election.

Game Cock Lodge No. 17, K. of P., at their regular meeting last Monday elected the following officers for 1914:

C. C. Beck, Chancellor Commander.

J. H. Chandler, Vice Chancellor Commander.

W. H. Shelly, Prelate.

J. A. Middleton, Master of Work.

Bartow Walsh, Master of Finance.

J. G. R. Wilder, Master of Exchequer.

R. S. Churchill, Keeper of Records and Seals.

G. E. Wilder, Master of Arms.

W. M. Wolfe, Inner Guard.

J. H. Darr, Outer Guard.

S. W. Stubbs, Trustee for 3 years.

The installation will take place the first Monday evening in January, for which occasion Prof. S. H. Edmunds was appointed to arrange for the entertainment to be determined by him and three others he may appoint from the lodge. Dr. Geo. W. Dick and Bartow Walsh were appointed captains of teams, they to pick their own team. These teams are to get members out to the lodge. The losing team to give a banquet to the winners at the end of the year, so find out which team you are on and see to it that you won't be in the losing team, so come out.

HOG CHOLERA PREVALENT.

Reported That Disease Has Appeared in Several Sections of County.

Hog cholera has broken out in several sections of the county and as many farmers permit their hogs to run at large in the fields at this season there is great danger of the epidemic becoming widespread among the hogs, thereby causing a serious loss. Farmers are therefore advised to confine their hogs in pastures and not permit them to come into contact with other hogs. They should also keep a close watch on their hogs and at the first indication of the disease, isolate the sick hogs from the remainder of the herd. They should immediately telegraph to Clemson College for a supply of Anti-Hog Cholera Serum and administer the treatment to all hogs. The serum is supplied at actual cost of production. The price of the treatment is as follows: For sucking pigs, 20 cents; for pigs 29 to 50 pounds, 30 cents; for hogs 59 to 100 pounds, 50 cents.

In wiring for serum state approximate weight of hogs to be treated. If hogs have been exposed to cholera the immediate use of serum is urged.

TRIBUTE TO DR. C. M. REES.

Sketch and Resolutions by the Medical College Trustees.

The following sketch and resolutions in respect to the memory of the late Charles M. Rees, M. D., professor of general surgery in the Medical College of South Carolina, were prepared by a committee of the board of trustees of the institution and announced yesterday:

"Dr. Charles M. Rees, professor of general surgery in the Medical College of the State of South Carolina, departed this life on November 15, 1913, aged 52 years.

"Dr. Rees was born at Stateburg, S. C. He was graduated from the Medical College of the State of South Carolina, with the degree of pharmacy, in 1883, and was graduated in 1887 from the same institution with the degree of doctor of medicine. He was elected professor of the principles of surgery in 1908, and when the college was reorganized in 1913 and conveyed to the State of South Carolina, he was chosen to fill the chair of general surgery.

"He was a member of the South Carolina Medical Association, of which he was at one time president, and he was also an ex-president of the Medical Society of South Carolina of Charleston County. He was a member of the American Medical Association, of the Southern Surgical and Gynecological Association and of the Southern Medical Association.

"Dr. Rees was not only a faithful, conscientious and valued member of the faculty of the Medical College of the State of South Carolina, but he was an ornament to the profession in this State, and in his death the Medical College and the profession have sustained a heavy loss. The board of trustees of the college desire to place upon record their sense of bereavement and an expression of sympathy with the family of the deceased: Therefore, be it

"Resolved, That the board of trustees of the Medical College of the State of South Carolina do hereby express their appreciation of Dr. Rees' worth as a man, as a professor in the institution and as a physician, and their sense of the deep loss which they have sustained in his passing.

"Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions, suitably engrossed, be sent by the secretary of this board to the family of the deceased.

"Respectfully submitted,
"Dr. W. G. Houseal,
"Dr. R. E. Hughes,
"Dr. T. G. Croft,
"Committee."

Two Young Couples Honored.

One of the most successful receptions of the season was that given Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Kingman at their home on Washington street in honor of two of Sumter's popular young men and their brides, whom they have recently brought to this city as their future home. Those in whose honor the reception was given were Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Manning and Mr. and Mrs. Marion W. Seabrook.

At the door the guests were met by Miss Cornelia Kingman and Mrs. W. Percival Smith. In the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Kingman, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Manning, Miss Eva C. Kingman and Mr. and Mrs. Marion W. Seabrook. From the parlor, where they were received, the guests were ushered into the drawing room by Mrs. Lila DuBose Knight, where delightful fruit punch was served by Mrs. Richard D. Lee and Mrs. Thomas H. Siddall. Mrs. R. J. Bland then invited the guests into the dining room, which was in charge of Mrs. Richard S. Hood, Mrs. Sam H. Edmunds, Miss Hattie Gibson and Misses Sidney Kingman and Mary Bland. Here a sweet course was served.

The reception lasted from 9 to 12 o'clock and more than a hundred guests called during the evening. The decorations were pink carnations.

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Rocky Bluff Notes.

Rocky Bluff, Dec. 4.—Christmas will soon be here and the little ones are already talking about what they want Santa Claus to bring.

As usual Richard Wells won several prizes in the Boys' corn club. But this year he won more than he has before—he won \$45.00, more than any other boy in the contest and he is one of the youngest. Sometime he will be a fine farmer.

Mrs. C. S. Baker and little daughter, Carrie, spent Thanksgiving with relatives here.

Mrs. Winkles and Miss Leo McLeod spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Alfred Andrews.

Mrs. G. P. Josey took dinner with Mr. W. F. Baker Thanksgiving.

Miss Margie Kennedy, of Sumter spent last Friday with Miss Eva Hatfield.

Mrs. W. H. Hatfield of Borden spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. W. F. Baker and family spent Sunday at Mr. B. F. Hatfield's.

Mr. Dallas Jackson is spending a few days with friends near Dalzell.

CONVICT INHERITS FORTUNE.

Moonshiner Has \$20,000 Awaiting His Release.

Batesville, Ark., Dec. 8.—Through the death of a relative near here, James Porter, a prisoner in the Atlanta Federal Penitentiary, has fallen heir to twenty thousand dollars. His wife receives the income until he is released. He is doing time for violation of the Federal liquor laws.

FARM TO RENT—Two or three horse farm near town. Good dwelling and tenant house. C. P. Osteen, Sumter.

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