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WALHALLA, S. C.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25, 1914.

WELL WORTH KNOWING.

Do you know that the ordinary laurel that grows along branches and creeks and in clumps about the woods all over Oconee will kill cows in short order if the leaves and tender branches are eaten by your cattle? Not everybody knows it by any means, and there are some who know it from sad experience.

About two years ago M. T. Hughes, who lives near Walhalla, had a good cow to die, and her death was traceable to the fact that she had eaten from the laurel bushes along a branch in his pasture. The laurel was dug up by the roots and the fence looked after, and since that time he has had no trouble with his cattle. But the other day one of his cows got through the fence and nibbled at the laurel that grows on the outside of the pasture. The animal got very little of the laurel, but it was sufficient to kill her within a few hours.

Of course, we know nothing of the causes that led to the deaths of numbers of the cows that are reported every year to have died suddenly from unknown causes, but it is just possible that the cause that has led to two of Mr. Hughes' cows dying is the unknown cause of the deaths of numerous other cows in the country where they have access of laurel thickets.

At any rate, it might be well for those who have cattle in pastures in which laurel grows to take note of these facts as discovered by Mr.

Will you be at the Court House to-morrow (Thursday) evening at 8 o'clock? You should be, if you are interested in what is to be done in the future in the way of securing both electric lights and water-works. We are going to have the former at an early date, and the sooner we get the latter the better it will be. Attend the meeting and let all know where you stand. Take a hand in helping your town. It may be that you cannot be of great force, but the presence of each citizen adds just that much to any cause that looks to the betterment of conditions. Be among those who are at this meeting, and lend a hand.

Col. C. R. D. Burns, of Walhalla, spent several days in Pickens recently. While we do not intend to take much stock in political matters during the approaching campaign, we would modestly suggest that Col. Burns would make the State of South Carolina one of the best Comptroller Generals she has ever had. If Walhalla will excuse us, Pickens would like to nominate Col. Burns for that position.—Pickens Sentinel.

We will excuse the Sentinel, to be sure, and more than that, we thank our friend for the nomination, which we most heartily second. Mr. Burns would doubtless make a most efficient servant of the public, and it would be Oconee's great pleasure to have opportunity to cast a unanimous ballot for him in the coming election. It is up to Mr. Burns to "throw his hat into the ring." The people of Oconee will do the rest.

FAIR PLAY SCHOOL DEBATE.

Enjoyable Occasion Last Week—Senator Verner Present—Locals.

Fair Play, March 23.—Special: A very interesting debate was held in the school auditorium Friday evening by the high school pupils. Before the debate there were recitations. Leo Richardson was chairman, and the exercises were opened with prayer by Allen R. Maret. The first recitation was "Jamie Douglas," by Miss Marion Compton; the second was a recitation, "Free Columbia," by Claude Dooley. These readings were enjoyed very much.

The chairman then asked the following gentlemen to act as judges for the debate: W. H. Harrison, chairman; Dr. W. C. Mays, Will T. McClure. The subject of the debate was, "Resolved, that compulsory education be enforced in the State of South Carolina." Those on the affirmative side were Miss Pauline Maret, Gilman Thompson and Davis Glenn, of the 10th grade; negative, Miss Marion Compton, Henry Watson and Claude Dooley, of the ninth grade. Although both sides did splendid work and debated well, the judges rendered their decision in favor of the affirmative.

erary society. Music was given by the school.

Mrs. S. A. Leathers and Miss Dora Dooley left Monday to visit relatives in Toccoa, Ga.

Miss Winnie Grubbs and brother Paskel, Misses Pearl, Blanche and Carrie Maret, of Townville, were visitors here last week.

Misses Bess Foster, Vera Crawford and Hutson, of South Union, were visitors here the past week.

Mrs. Milton Seiger and two children, of Starr, visited T. L. Wooten and family the past week.

W. H. Harrison and Ryan Mason, of Cross Roads, were guests at the Fair Play Hotel recently.

A light snow fell in this community Saturday night—the latest seen in years. The weather man says spring will be later this year than since 1905.

ANARCHISTIC DEMONSTRATION.

Thousand Parade in New York City Unrestrained.

New York, March 21.—Under a silken black banner bearing in blood red letters the inscription "Demolition" 1,000 men and women anarchists, the unemployed and members of the Industrial Workers of the World, marched up Fifth avenue for miles to-day without waiting to ask the city authorities for the permit required by ordinance.

Clouds obscured the sun and made the noted thoroughfare a canyon of gloom as the "army," led by Alexander Berkman, swept northward unrestrained. It was not a symmetrical line, but a boisterous, noisy crowd that jostled fashionably clad women and men from the sidewalks.

There was no enforcing traffic rules. Automobiles and trolley cars that tried to pass through the ranks were held up, chauffeurs and motorists being intimidated. One woman in an automobile who got in the way was spat upon by a woman in the parade. The marchers chanted hysterically and shouted epithets at the constituted government.

This demonstration, regarded as one of the most extraordinary in the city's history, was subsequent to a mass meeting in the streets near Union Square, where the throng had been denied the right to gather. The wealth of the nation was the product of their toil, those gathered were told by the speakers, and they should march forth into Fifth avenue and upon church and restaurant and hotel and shop and take what was theirs. Emma Goldman, Carlo Tresca and Alexander Berkman were some of those who exhorted the restless crowd.

Found Dead on Doorstep.

Calhoun, Ga., March 21.—Dead from gunshot wounds, Sid Chapman, a young farmer, was found at daylight to-day on the doorstep of his sister's residence here, where he had temporarily made his home. Chapman's sister, a widow, and her two daughters, who slept in the house last night, told authorities they knew nothing of the killing. A coroner and sheriff are investigating.

ALABAMA NEGRO LYING

Was Accused of Attacking White Woman.

Clanton, Ala., March 21.—C. Young, a negro, was lynched to two miles from here by enraged citizens. Several were fired into the swinging ho of the crowd dispersed. Young was accused of attacking Mrs. Ann Wilson, a 60-year-old white woman this morning. The negro was tracked, as he used turpentine for the scent.

The negro was captured this noon near Maplesville, Ala., in possession of officers. The capture was immediately aroused and troops and a company were sent from Montgomery by special train. Before the posse of officers the negro could reach Clanton, the posse troops arrived, the only possession of the negro and him.

PROMINENT MAN MEETS

Pringle E. Youmans Run Down and Killed by Automobile.

Columbia, March 21.—Pringle E. Youmans, lawyer, of Columbia, member of the Richland county delegation in the lower house of the general Assembly, was knocked and killed in the street by an automobile driven by H. L. Davis, garage owner, formerly chauffeur. Davis is held in headquarters to await the inquest to-morrow.

Mr. Youmans, 55 years of age, married in Augusta three weeks ago to Mrs. May Bronson, of Columbia. He was the oldest son of the late Pringle E. Youmans, former General of South Carolina.

He was a fellow student of Woodrow Wilson in the Law School of Columbia, and in the school of the University of Virginia.

Says He Took Mail

Macon, Ga., March 21.—Ray, a negro, was held to the grand jury by United States Commissioner Erwin to-day, accused of the theft of a mail pouch of three that have been missing during the past few days. Ray says that Murray admits part of the theft, but post office inspectors still at work and other arrests expected.

CITATION NOTICE.

The State of South Carolina, County of Oconee.—(In Court of Probate.)—By V. F. Martin, Esq., Judge.—Whereas, John F. Craig, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas and General Sessions for Oconee County, South Carolina, has suit to me to grant him

Diedrich Biemann, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Walhalla Court House, South Carolina, on Saturday, the 9th day of May, 1914, after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand and seal this 24th day of March, A. D. 1914. (Seal.) V. F. MARTIN, Judge of Probate for Oconee County, South Carolina.

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These are, therefore, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said Catharine Biemann, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Walhalla Court House, South Carolina, on Saturday the 9th day of May, 1914, in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said administration should not be granted.

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SUMMONS IN CONDEMNATION.

State of South Carolina, County of Oconee, Right of Way.

To George Robert Dodd, William Alfred Dodd, Joseph Parker Dodd, John Franklin Dodd, James M. Dodd, Mrs. Esther Elizabeth Schutz, Mrs. Mary Caroline Orr, Mrs. Alice Winkler, Mrs. Sophia Burton, James L. Orr, Burt Mitchell Orr, Edward Orr, Sloan Orr and Walter Orr:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Walhalla Light and Power Company, a corporation duly chartered under the laws of the State of South Carolina, and having the right of eminent domain, requires a right of way over lands belonging to the estate of William Franklin Dodd, deceased, hereinafter described, in order to construct and maintain in, upon, over and through the premises hereinafter described, in a proper manner, a line for the purpose of transmitting power by electricity, together

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upon said premises for the purpose of inspecting said line and making necessary repairs and alterations thereon, together with the right to cut away and keep clear of said line all trees and other obstructions that may in any way endanger the proper maintenance and operation of said transmission line; the said tract of land being situate and lying in the County of Oconee, of the State of South Carolina, near the corporate limits of the Town of West Union, adjoining lands of C. W. Wickliffe, right of way of the Blue Ridge Railway Company, and others, belonging to the estate of the late William Franklin Dodd, deceased, containing sixteen (16) acres, more or less, described in grant of right of way by Sarah J. Dodd, widow of the said William Franklin Dodd, deceased, of Walhalla Light and Power Company, bearing date the 31st day of January, 1914.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE FURTHER that you, and each of you, are hereby required, within the period of thirty (30) days after the service of this notice to signify, in writing, your refusal or consent; that in event of your failure within said period of thirty days thus to signify, in writing, either refusal or consent, it shall be presumed that consent is given, ratifying and confirming the said deed executed by your mother, Sarah J. Dodd, on the said 31st day of

January, 1914, granting such right of way for said transmission line.
R. T. JAYNES,
Attorney for Walhalla Light and Power Company.
Walhalla, S. C., March 5th, 1914.

To John Franklin Dodd and Walter Orr, Absent Defendants:
Please take notice that the original notice herein has been filed in the office of the Clerk of Court of Common Pleas for Oconee County, South Carolina, and the purpose of this action is to condemn a right of way by Walhalla Light and Power Company for its transmission line on, over and through the tract of land containing sixteen acres, more or less, described in said notice, belonging to the estate of William Franklin Dodd, deceased, in which you, and each of you, have an interest as an heir-at-law of the said deceased; that acquisition of said right of way for said transmission line, and proceedings thereunder, are in all respects in accordance with the provisions of the Statute relating to condemnation proceedings, as set forth in Volume I, Code of Laws of South Carolina, Section 3292 and following sections, providing for right of way for electric lighting company.
R. T. JAYNES,
Attorney for Walhalla Light and Power Company, Petitioner.
March 23d, 1914. 12-

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