

The Press and Banner

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AIKEN'S LAND LOAN BILL.

Owing to failure to get the copy the Press and Banner did not publish Congressman Aiken's Land Loan Bill some weeks ago when it was announced that it would. It is printed in this issue of the paper.

Every farmer and every business man in Abbeville county should read this bill and Mr. Aiken's speech in support of it carefully. It means more to the farming interests of Abbeville county than any bill that was ever introduced in Congress.

MEETING OF PRESS ASSOCIATION.

The meeting of the Press Association last week at Chick Springs was generally pronounced to be one of the most pleasant as well as one of the most profitable ever held. The brethren of the press were so well received there and more especially by the cities of Adderson and Greenville that they have decided to go back next year.

Greenville threw open her doors to the newspaper men during the entire meeting, for she is the nearest large city. Then Anderson with her big heart dined the entire association and carried members over the entire city in automobiles.

There are not two more thriving cities in the State than Greenville and Anderson. There is building going on on every street in Greenville, and in Anderson twenty-six store rooms are now being built.

Long live Anderson and Greenville!

HUERTA RESIGNS.

At last Huerta, Mexico's dictator, realizes that his fight is finished, and he is ready to lay down his assumed authority and seek safety in flight.

Huerta represents the landed oligarchy in Mexico as did Diaz, and his overthrow means the beginning of a new era in Mexican civil life.

Carranza and Villa are pledged to a land distribution policy, and the United States is in full sympathy with them. It might be said that no modern civilized government could sanction such socialistic measures, but it can be most truthfully answered that no civilized government would have countenanced the methods by which a few men seized all the valuable lands of Mexico and then made virtual slaves of the masses.

The United States is right in recognizing the Constitutionalists and indorsing their policy. If now as suggested in this paper many months ago, Carranza is made permanent president of Mexico, backed by the strong arm of Villa, permanent peace will be brought to that blood-drenched country. Villa had as well realize that his past record precludes him offering for the presidency, for whatever his merits, his faults outweigh them, and his past record is such that the powers would be loath to treat with him. He should hold to the substance and give the shadow to Carranza, a man whose record is clean in the eyes of the world.

Now that it has all about blown over, real friends of peace can see the wisdom of President Wilson's policy of watchful waiting and forbearance.

Mr. Wilson is one of this country's greatest presidents, and in nothing has he demonstrated this fact more clearly than in his Mexican policy, Mr. Roosevelt to the contrary notwithstanding.

EDITOR AULL'S SWAN SONG.

Good news comes from all over the Third Congressional District as to the Hon. Fred H. Dominick. Information now is that he will have a safe majority in every county except possibly Abbeville and in that county the district could scarcely do better than send him to Congress. We were in Greenville the other day and everything looks mighty fine up there. The same news comes from Anderson, Pickens, and Oconee. Of course, he would not think of carrying the home county of Mr. Aiken, but he is going to make it mighty interesting up there for the gentleman.—Newberry Herald and News.

There is an old legend that the swan, ordinarily a mere gabbler, like other water fowl, in the throes of death, sings his own funeral hymn. How swan-like, and how hymn-like the quoted lines from the Herald and News, whose editor ever has been, and even now is in the same boat with Mr. Dominick, while the said boat is drawing nearer and nearer the rapids.

This said boat had pretty heavy loads before, for instance when the Hon. Frederick Dominick was overwhelmingly defeated for the Legislature the last time he offered; when this same Editor Aull last election was defeated for School Commissioner by a vote of something like two to one, and when the Hon. Frederick a few months ago received seventeen votes in his home club out of the hundred or more voting or delegates to the State Convention.

Coming down to the facts, is Editor Aull singing or whistling? Whis-

ting, I frow. The little boat surely must be approaching a graveyard.

And Editor Aull really does think Wyatt Aiken may carry Abbeville, or perhaps this was just thrown in to keep from breaking the Congressman's heart all in one smash. Col. Aull has always been thoughtful of other people's feelings, and mindful of their kindnesses, and doubtless this little outburst of generosity sprung from these known characteristics.

Of course Colonel Aull believes that Hon. Fred Dominick will carry every county in the district. Did I say all? Well, all save Abbeville, so graciously excepted by the Colonel. And why is it so certain that he believes it? Why, because the Colonel solemnly says so in the columns of his paper, and the Colonel would not solemnly say anything favorable to himself or his political friends in the columns of his paper that he did not believe to be true. It is even noised about that Col. Aull is to take a little trip through the district in behalf of Mr. Dominick, but let no man infer from this that Col. Aull would be partial to Mr. Dominick in the columns of his paper! Perish the thought!

Now coming back to Col. Aull's and Hon. Fred Dominick's home county. Of course the Colonel is a good church member as is this editor, and good church members can't bet, but this editor has a friend who will even brave the vengeance of the State constables of whom the Charleston race track gamblers seem to stand in such dread, to bet a good round sum that Mr. Aiken will get more votes in Newberry county than will Mr. Dominick. The Colonel's claim that Mr. Dominick will carry every county in the Third district, always saving Abbeville, is like the claim of the little fisherman, who said when he got the fish he was then trying to catch and five more he would have six.

The people know that Mr. Aiken has been constantly at his post in Washington attending to their business, taking the high ground that the man in National politics should not interfere in factional fights in the State. They know that no man in Congress ever rendered more honest or more faithful service to his party and to the people of his State, and the people are just, whatever may be said of the politicians who would warp their judgment.

Much as Mr. Dominick would like to do it, he is without excuse to cry even as did Brutus: "Help me Casius or I sink."

CALHOUN FALLS.

F. E. HARRISON APPOINTED RECEIVER

Questions of Fact and Law Referred to the Master, R. E. Hill—F. E. Gary's Wisdom as a Lawyer and his Sagacity as a Judge—E. B. Calhoun, Granville Beal, and a Host of Lawyers in Good Luck.

An interesting law case was heard last Saturday at chambers by Circuit Judge F. E. Gary, in which a number of distinguished lawyers were heard.

Augustine T. Smythe, senior, was executor of the estate of James Edward Calhoun, including 17,000 acres of land and the valuable Calhoun Falls on Savannah river. It seems that the property had been sold to an organized company, including all the legatees, except E. B. Calhoun and Mrs. Granville Beal. Years ago, on the advice of their attorney, F. E. Gary, of Abbeville, they declined to enter into the organization, and refused to take stock in the company, which was capitalized at something like \$275,000, but in order to be accommodating they consented to take a mortgage for their part of the sum realized from the sale, namely: E. B. Calhoun, for \$85,000; Mrs. Granville Beal, for \$15,000.

The company was organized several years ago, when the sale was made. The rents of the farm have been paid on the interest account, which was at eight per cent.

Augustine T. Smythe died in Charleston a few weeks ago. His death occasioned the application for the appointment of another receiver for the property. The importance of the issue was such that it was no trouble to find some one who was willing to accept the responsibility.

Andrew P. Calhoun, of New York, gave notice of his willingness to take charge of the property, and employed the law firm of Cothran, Dean & Cothran of Greenville to present his claim for the appointment. Thos. P. Cothran appeared before the Judge.

B. L. Abney and J. Fraser Lyon of Columbia represented E. B. Calhoun's interest. D. H. Hill, of Abbeville, represented Mrs. Granville Beal.

Ernest Visanska, of Charleston, represented the Calhoun Falls Company.

And all the lawyers in the case exercised their greatest power with Judge Gary. Augustine T. Smythe, junior, was urged for the appointment.

Dr. F. E. Harrison, of Abbeville, had no attorney in his behalf, but Judge F. E. Gary, on his own motion, divided the honor and the profit with his fellow-townsmen. The Court, upon hearing the attorneys, appointed F. E. Harrison, of Abbeville, and Augustine T. Smythe, Jr., of Charleston, receivers of the Calhoun Falls Company, and they will take care of the best interests of all until the Court shall order the property sold.

two-and-a-half per cent. for paying out the money.

No more wise or courageous receivers could have been found than Dr. Harrison and Augustine T. Smythe. And we think Judge Gary deserves the thanks of our people for not sending to foreign parts to secure trusted agents for the valuable lands in Abbeville County. As a lawyer, F. B. Gary was a wise counsellor for his clients, and as a judge Mr. Gary acted with the same wisdom and discretion that he exercised as a lawyer years ago.

As it is, his clients will get the full amount of their money, some \$50,000, not counting interest, while the members of the organized company, after the lawyers get their money, will be less fortunate.

But the great public is not particularly interested in either the company or the individual creditors. Public interest is to be conserved by the improvement or development of the unsurpassed water power which is going to waste.

It is to be hoped that Master R. E. Hill may be authorized by the Court to make the sale when it takes place. If so, he, like Dr. Harrison, will get a nice fee, which rightly should come to him. Such good fortune could come to receiver and salesman but once in a lifetime, and the Court and our lucky neighbors are to be congratulated.

The State of South Carolina,

County of Abbeville.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Allen M. Schoen, as Trustee, a resident and citizen of Atlanta, in the State of Georgia; Sarah N. Colhoun, a resident and citizen of Atlanta, in the State of Georgia; Sarah Louisa Schoen, a resident and citizen of Atlanta, in the State of Georgia; Floride Colhoun Martin, a resident and citizen of Atlanta, in the State of Georgia; and Willie Norwood Colhoun, a resident and citizen of Atlanta, in the State of Georgia, Plaintiffs, against

Calhoun Falls Company, a corporation duly incorporated and existing under the laws of the State of South Carolina and a citizen thereof; Patrick Calhoun, a resident and citizen of the State of New York, individually and as executor of the last will and testament of James Edward Calhoun, deceased; and Augustine T. Smythe, as Receiver of Calhoun Falls Company, Defendants.

Copy Summons. For Relief.

(Complaint Served)

To the Defendants Calhoun Falls Company, a corporation duly incorporated and existing under the laws of the State of South Carolina, and a citizen thereof; Patrick Calhoun, a resident and citizen of the State of New York, individually and as executor of the last will and testament of James Edward Calhoun, deceased; and Augustine T. Smythe, as Receiver of Calhoun Falls Company:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, of which a copy is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their office at Columbia, South Carolina, within twenty days after the service thereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint. Dated 18th day of April, A. D. 1914.

J. Fraser Lyon, B. L. Abney, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

To the defendant Patrick Calhoun, individually and as executor of the last will and testament of James Edward Calhoun, deceased, and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action, together with the summons, of which the foregoing is a copy, were filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Abbeville, at Abbeville, in the State of South Carolina, on the 27 day of June, 1914.

J. Fraser Lyon, B. L. Abney, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

Estate of J. R. Scott, Deceased. Notice of Settlement and Application for Final Discharge.

Take notice that on the 15th day of July, 1914, I will render a final account of my accounts and doing as Administrator of the Estate of J. R. Scott, deceased, in the office of Judge of Probate for Abbeville County at 10 o'clock, and on the same day will apply for a final discharge from my trust as such Administrator.

All persons having demands against said estate will present them for payment on or before that day, proven and substantiated or be forever barred.

J. T. Scott, Administrator.

Mt. Carmel, S. C.

STATEMENT

of the condition of

The Peoples Savings Bank

located at Abbeville, S. C., at the close of business June 30, 1914.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts \$172,282 10
Overdrafts secured and unsecured 7,241 65
Furniture and Fixtures 1,200 00
Banking House 3,000 00
Other Real Estate owned 700 00
Due from Banks and Bankers 17,563 32
Currency 4,948 00
Gold 345 00
Silver and other Minor Coins 1,591 25
Checks and Cash Items 1,051 10

Total \$209,039 48

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock Paid in \$21,900 00
Surplus Fund 21,900 00
Undivided Profits, less Current Expenses and Taxes Paid 3,853 47
Individual Deposits subject to check 95,556 53
Savings Deposits 50,980 00
Time Certificates of Deposit 1,029 48
Bills Payable, including Certificates for Money Borrowed 35,000 00

Total \$209,039 48

State of South Carolina, County of Abbeville, ss.

Before me came R. E. Cox, Cashier of the above named bank, who, being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is a true condition of said bank, as shown by the books of said bank.

R. E. Cox.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13 day of July, 1914.

R. C. Wilson, Notary Public.

Correct Attest: S. G. Thomson, G. A. Neuffer, C. S. Jones, Directors.

Malaria or Chills & Fever

Prescription No. 666 is prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS & FEVER.

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CANDIDATES.

For State Senate.

We are authorized to announce J. Moore Mars as a candidate for re-election to the State Senate, subject to the rules and pledged to abide the result of the primary election.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the State Senate from Abbeville County, subject to the rules and regulation of the Democratic primary. J. M. Nickles.

For House of Representatives.

Believing that the experience and information gained by two years service on the Ways and Means Committee will enable me to take an important part in the making of the next Appropriation Bill, I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election to the House of Representatives, subject to the rules of the Democratic Primary. F. C. Robinson.

STATEMENT

of the condition of

The Bank of Mt. Carmel,

located at Mt. Carmel, S. C., at the close of business June 30th, 1914.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts \$27,168 06
Overdrafts 163 15
Furniture and Fixtures 1,725 50
Banking House 1,500 00
Due from Banks and Bankers 2,901 84
Currency 451 00
Silver and other Minor Coins 274 92

Total \$4,183 97

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock Paid In \$10,000 00
Surplus Fund 1,400 00
Undivided Profits, less Current Expenses and Taxes Paid 520 19
Individual Deposits subject to check 11,130 24
Time Certificates of Deposit 1,059 89
Savings Deposits 93 65
Bills Payable, including Certificates for Money Borrowed 10,000 00

Total \$4,183 97

State of South Carolina, County of Abbeville, ss.

Before me came J. W. Boyd, Cashier of the above named bank, who, being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is a true condition of said bank, as shown by the books of said bank.

J. W. Boyd.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of July, 1914.

W. L. Miller, N. P. S. C. Directors.

Correct Attest: J. W. Morrall, R. F. Morris, S. C. Riley, Directors.

Stops Neuralgia—Kills Pain

Sloan's Liniment gives instant relief from Neuralgia or Sciatica. It goes straight to the painful part—Soothes the Nerves and Stops the Pain. It is also good for Rheumatism, Sore Throat, Chest Pains and Sprains. You don't need to rub—it penetrates. Mr. J. B. Swinger, Louisville, Ky., writes: "I suffered with quite a severe Neuralgia Headache for four months without any relief. I used Sloan's Liniment for two or three nights and I haven't suffered with my head since." Get a bottle today. Keep in the house all the time for pains and all hurts. 25c, 50c and \$1.00, at your Druggist.

Question Cleared Up

Abbeville Readers Can No Longer Doubt the Evidence.

Again and again we have read of strangers in distant towns who have been cured by this or that medicine. But Abbeville's pertinent question has always been, "Has anyone here in Abbeville been cured?" The word of a stranger living a hundred miles away may be true, but it cannot have the same weight with us as the word of our own citizens, whom we know and respect, and whose evidence we can so easily prove.

S. A. McCuen, Abbeville, S. C., says: "I found Doan's Kidney Pills to be a fine kidney medicine and I don't hesitate to recommend them. I got a supply at P. B. Speed's Drug Store and they relieved me of pains in my back and other symptoms of kidney complaint."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. McCuen had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Report of the Condition of

The National Bank of Abbeville,

at Abbeville, in the State of S. C., at the close of business, June 30, 1914.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts \$244,189 89
Overdrafts secured and unsecured 5,532 33
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation Stock in Federal Reserve Bank \$500 00; all other stocks, 500 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures 5,000 00
Other real estate owned 2,900 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents) 7,333 76
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks 2,222 03
Due from approved Reserve Agents 22,954 88
Checks and other Cash Items 27 30
Notes of other National Banks 2,765 00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels, and Cents. 111 00
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:

Specie \$6,543 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation) 937 50

Total \$333,891 78

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in \$75,000 00
Surplus fund 30,000 00
Undivided Profits, less Current Expenses and Taxes paid 9,425 01
National Bank Notes outstanding 18,750 00
Individual deposits subject to check 151,085 07
Demand certificates of deposit 24,038 65
Cashier's checks outstanding 2,593 05
Bills payable, including obligations representing money borrowed 20,000 00

Total \$333,891 78

State of South Carolina, County of Abbeville, ss.

I, H. G. Smith, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. G. Smith, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of July, 1914.

W. H. White, Notary Public.

Correct Attest: J. S. Morse, J. G. Moore, A. M. Smith, Directors.

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MEETINGS AT

LOWER LONG CANE

Last Sabbath a series of meetings commenced at Lower Long Cane for the uplift of the congregation to higher attainments and happier life. These services are based upon the New World of Theology, which contains many and most helpful truths that bring double grace to the people. These meetings will continue through many Sabbaths, but the first services should be attended in order to reap the fullest benefit of them all.

Candies and Fruits

Domestic and Imported—the best in both. At the New Candy Kitchen next Court House. Elegant, clean and large stock of good things to eat. See our window and you will buy our goods. N. G. MEROS & CO.