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CADIDATES CARDS.

To the Voters of the City of Orangeburg.—I hereby respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of Mayor of the city of Orangeburg at the approaching municipal election, and will appreciate the endorsement of my candidacy.

Very truly yours,
W. W. Wannamaker.

To the Voters of the City of Orangeburg:

At the earnest solicitation of many friends I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Mayor of Orangeburg in the approaching municipal election.

I realize fully the importance and honor of the position I ask at your hands, and I believe I can fill the office to the complete satisfaction of the entire citizenship, and I respectfully request your favourable consideration of my candidacy.

If you elect me, I shall assume the duties and responsibilities of the office, determined to devote my best energies to the advancement of our city.

Yours truly,
O. K. Wilson.

FOR ALDERMAN.

I announce myself a candidate for Alderman for the City of Orangeburg at the election to be held Sept. 12, 1911.

Respectfully,
D. H. Marchant.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for alderman at the ensuing municipal election.

T. A. FAIREY.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for alderman in the coming election.

Julian A. Salley.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election as Alderman at the ensuing Municipal election.

ABIAL LATHROP.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election as Alderman, at the ensuing municipal election.

R. F. BRYANT.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election as alderman in the ensuing election. J. X. Weeks.

Municipal Tax Notice.

Office of City Clerk and Treasurer, Orangeburg, S. C. Aug. 11, 1911.

In pursuance of the provisions of the following ordinance and other ordinances of the City of Orangeburg, relating to the assessment and collection of taxes therein, notice is hereby given that the City Treasurer's office will be open on the 15th day of September, 1911, and continue open every day until the 15th day of October 1911, (Sundays excepted) from 9 o'clock in the forenoon till 2 o'clock in the afternoon for the receipt of city taxes, without penalty, for the fiscal year beginning April 1, 1911 and ending March 31, 1912. The total levy fixed by the attached ordinance is 17 mills on each and every dollar of the assessed value of all real and personal property in the city of Orangeburg, as follows:

Ordinary expenses . . . 12 1-2 mills.
Interest and sinking fund R. R. bonds . . . 3-4 mills.
Interest and Sinking fund W. and L. bonds . . . 1 1-2 mills
Interest and Sinking fund Sewer bonds 2 1-4 mills.

All persons interested will take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

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By order of City Council,
L. H. Wannamaker,
City Clerk and Treasurer.

An Ordinance.

To Raise Supplies and Make Appropriations to Meet the Liabilities of the City of Orangeburg for the Fiscal Year beginning April 1, 1911 and Ending March 31, 1912.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Orangeburg in City Council Assembled, and by Authority of Same.

Section 1. That for the purpose of raising supplies and meeting the ordinary expenses of the City of Orangeburg for the fiscal year beginning April 1, 1911 and ending March 31, 1912 a tax of twelve and one-half (12 1-2) mills be and the same is hereby levied on each dollar of the assessed value of the real and personal property in the said city of Orangeburg (except such property as is exempt by the laws and the constitution of the State from taxation.)

Section 2. That for the purpose of paying the annual interest upon the Railroad bonds issued by the said city of Orangeburg under and by the authority of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina, approved the 22nd day of December, 1891, and for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for the redemption of said bonds a tax of three-fourths (3-4) of one mill be and the same is hereby levied upon each dollar of the assessed value of all real and personal property within the city of Orangeburg not exempt from taxation.

Section 3. That for the purpose of paying the semi-annual interest upon the Water and Electric bonds issued by the said City Council in accordance with the act of the General Assembly of the State, approved the 2nd day of March, 1896, and the acts amendatory, and for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for the redemption of the said bonds, a tax of one and one-half (1 1-2) mills be and the same is hereby levied upon each dollar of the assessed value of all the real and personal property within the said city of Orangeburg, except such property as is exempt from taxation.

Section 4. That for the purpose of paying the semi-annual interest upon the Sewerage bonds, issued by the said city in accordance with law, and for purpose of creating a sinking fund for the redemption of said sewerage bonds, a tax of two and one-fourth (2 1-4) mills be and the same is hereby levied upon dollar of the assessed value of all real and personal property within the City of Orangeburg except such property as is exempt from taxation.

Section 5. That the taxes levied by this ordinance shall become due and payable on the fifteenth day of September 1911, and the City Treasurer's office shall be open for the receipt and collection of said taxes from the fifteenth day of September, 1911, until the fifteenth day of October, 1911. Sundays excepted.

Section 6. That for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of the foregoing section of this Ordinance the City Clerk and Treasurer is hereby authorized, directed and empowered to take all such steps and do all such things as may be necessary thereto as is provided by law and the ordinances of said city.

Done and Ratified by City Council in City Council Assembled at the City of Orangeburg, S. C., this 11th day of August, Anno Domini, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eleven.

J. W. H. Dukes,
Mayor of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina.

Attest:
L. H. Wannamaker,
City Clerk and Treasurer.

VERY LOW EXCURSION RATES.

By Southern Railway Account Confederate Reunion.

Account of the Confederate reunion at Columbia the Southern Railway will sell tickets at extremely low rates from all points in South Carolina and Augusta, Ga., and between and including Asheville, Marion, Lumbia, S. C. and return. Tickets Statesville and Salisbury, N. C., to Columbia will be sold August 20, 21, 22 and 23 starting point not later than final limit returning to reach original point are the round trip rates from the points named:

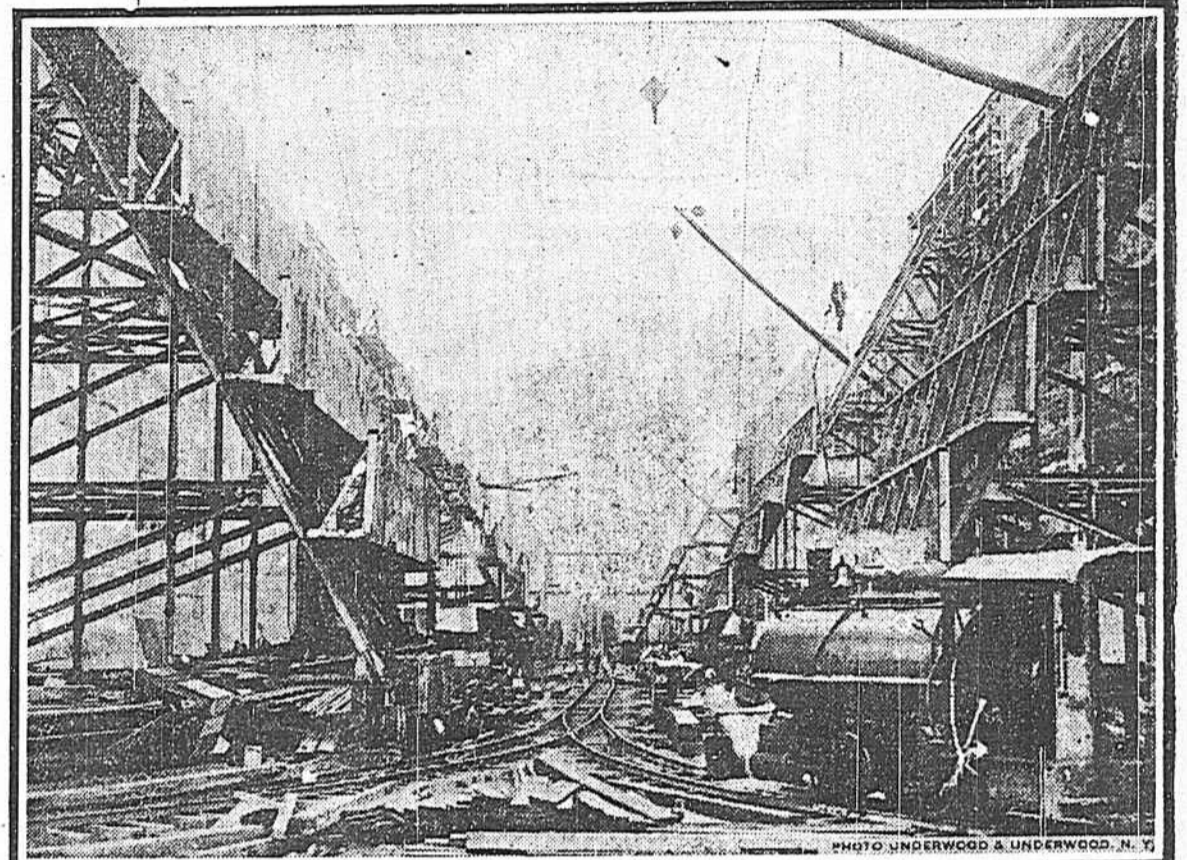
Charleston	\$2.60
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MIDDLE LOCKS AT GATUN. This view is taken from the north end of the middle locks at Gatun. It shows the middle and the upper locks and also the steel monolith forms, the latter in position to receive concrete for the middle and east walls. The picture furnishes a good illustration of the stupendous nature of the work as a whole. The last picture will show the famous Culebra Cut and will be published next week.

Brooks County, Georgia

BROOKS is located in extreme Southern Georgia, or what might be termed a little south west Georgia, and bounded on the south by the State line of Florida and it is true that there is a narrow strip of light gray, but very fertile soil extending partially across the southern end of the county. With this one exception, almost the whole country is composed of a red pebbly rocky soil, with a stiff firm clay sub-soil, surface partially, level, but sufficiently undulated for perfect drainage. Brooks is a small county, contain 296,320 acres (of as fine farming lands as can be found in Georgia) or 463 square miles, with a population of 24,000 home loving and home building people, that raise from 12,000 to 15,000 bales of cotton annually, about one-fourth of this being the Sea-Island variety. Furnishes the market with approximately one and a half million pounds of smoked dried pork or bacon, and about one million pounds of live pork (hogs on their feet), saying nothing of the vast quantity of bacon, pork, hams, sausage, lard, etc., used at home.

season at an approximate net income to the county-seat from \$40,000 to \$50,000. Besides this, Brooks County soil as a whole, is especially adapted for the production of corn, oats, peanuts, peavine hay, sugar cane, sweet potatoes, etc. If you are interested in high class farm lands why not come down this summer and look over the territory and see for yourself just what our soil is doing? A large majority of our farmers have nice bank accounts, own beautiful homes and are enjoying prosperity. Why? because, Brooks County soil properly cultivated always guarantees successful crops.

On investigation one would find this county a net work of rural telephone lines, twenty-two (22) R. F. D. mail deliveries, carrying the mail to the farmers in every "nook and corner" of the county, graded public roads in any direction one wishes to travel, and excellent public school system with Rural schools runnings from seven to nine months in the year, with an appropriation from the state of \$20,000 to \$22,000 per annum. Our water is clear cool and pure. The general health conditions, are none better to be found in the state. Farm lands enhancing in value every day.

In addition to the Pork and Cotton Industry of this county, our farmers ship from 500 to 600 car loads of Watermelons to the Eastern and Northern Markets each

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