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Chief Justice Jones has shied his castor into the political ring and Governor Blease had better look to his laurels.

The board of aldermen elected in Tuesday's election are good and true men, and they will see to it that Orangeburg holds her own among the cities of the State for push and progress.

To paralyze Commodore Perry's memorable message announcing his great victory on Lake Champlain to suit local political conditions, "We have met the enemy and we are theirs."

As announced sometime ago in The Times and Democrat would be the case Chief Justice Jones has entered the race for governor and he is going to give Governor Blease the race of his life.

On some people the reading of the great deeds of distinguished characters has a depressing effect. Because it is not in their power to emulate those characters in greatness of deed they fill to do the little things it is in their power to do, and which if done would prove a great blessing to many.

Some people refrain from doing good because they wait vainly for some extraordinary opportunities of doing it. Yet it is the little deeds of kindness and love that every man may do, and the encouraging words that every man may utter that sweeten life and drive away care, despondency and sorrow.

Orangeburg is bigger than any one man or set of men, and there must be no sulking over the result of the city election. Past differences must now be forgotten and the march of progress must go on regardless of how he voted for mayor in the recent election, doing his full share to push the old town to the front.

People at the front won to a better life by abuse or coercion. Loving sympathy and tactful interest and help are the forces that count. Many an erring husband and wife might be reclaimed and the home transformed if the other principal in the household would cease from nagging and abuse and try the power of patient love.

After a long and honorable service on the board of aldermen, Abial Lathrop, Esq. was retired on Tuesday. During most of his service he was chairman of the finance committee as well as mayor pro tem, and he discharged the duties of both positions with credit and profit to the city. In his defeat for reelection the city is the loser.

Just as soon as it is conclusively proven that from an aeroplane bombs can be dropped that would wipe out an army and smash to pieces the strongest fort, a gun is invented that can easily out any and all aeroplanes out of commission. It seems to be a variation of the ancient problem of what happens when an irresistible object strikes another that is immovable.

The man who gives up his city job and "goes back to the land" because he thinks it will be easier work will soon be disillusioned. That to the ordinary man willing to work and not too proud to be taught country life will give more real satisfaction and a greater independence than the city affords in a majority of cases goes without saying, but it means many a backache and weary limb.

It is sometimes a good thing to have a healthy dissatisfaction with one's position and surroundings. As some one has well said, "It is better to be a dissatisfied man than a satisfied pig." It simply means that without such a feeling progress is impossible. But with the true man there is a ways the quest for something higher and better in life.

Had the Times and Democrat been charged with the responsibility of electing a mayor for the city of Orangeburg, Alderman W. M. Sain would not have been his choice, but as a majority of his fellow-citizens have called him to that high and honorable office, he can count on the best efforts of this newspaper to make his administration a complete success.

The vote received by Mr. Wilson for Mayor does not in any sense indicate the respect and esteem in which he is held by the people of this city. The result of the election hinged on issues that practically eliminated all candidates for Mayor except Messrs. Sain and Wannamaker, around whom the battle raged. It was not an issue of men, but an issue of measures that decided the election.

Calls the Governor's Bluff.

While in Charleston recently Governor Blease announced that he was sure of reelection, it made no difference who opposed him. He made light of the reported candidacy for Governor of Chief Justice Ira B. Jones, and said he had better sense than resign his office to run for Governor. Gov. Blease went on to say that should Chief Justice Jones resign and run against him for Governor after the election Chief Justice would be "the statesman without a job." By resigning his high office and announcing that he would be a candidate for Governor next year Chief Justice Jones calls Governor Blease's bluff, much to that gentleman's surprise no doubt.

The action of Chief Justice Jones in resigning and entering the Governor's race is a general surprise. It was not considered likely that he would relinquish the highest judicial office in the State, of which he may have been sure for life, at a salary equal to that of the governor, in order to become a candidate for governor, especially in the face of Governor Blease's threat to make him a "statesman without a job" if he dared to be so presumptuous as to aspire to the governorship of the State. By his action the Chief Justice has given Governor Blease notice that he is willing to put the issue to a test with him before the people of the State. The result will be known after the primary next year.

It is universally considered in political circles that Chief Justice Jones at any time would make a most formidable, if not an invincible, candidate for any office in the State. He is a product of the reform movement, one of the ablest and most aggressive leaders of the warm political fights of the early '90's, but his career on the supreme bench has been highly distinguished for fairness and judicial integrity no less than for scholarship, learning and ability. The Chief Justice has always been a political and personal friend of Senator Tillman and while the Senator may take no part in the campaign for Governor it is very likely that his moral support will be given the Chief Justice in the race. This is our opinion based on the friendship of the two men.

Chief Justice Jones is a man of most impressive personality; virile, aggressive, alert and absolutely fearless. Quick in debate, resourceful, thoroughly familiar with South Carolina affairs, he would at any time and against any opposition be a difficult man to handle on the stump, and should Governor Blease stick to his determination to offer for reelection next year the candidacy of Chief Justice Jones makes it certain that there will be at least one antagonist able to cope with the governor, whose stump speaking ability is highly regarded by his friends. The race is going to be hotly contested on both sides, and Governor Blease is going to have all he can do to sustain his boast that he would be elected, if he does so at all.

Taft Goes on a Trip.

President Taft having given out the itinerary for his thirteen thousand mile journey, which he begins next Friday, local reception committees all along the line of the trip may now remove the moth balls from frock coats, and borrow their high hats. They can also get all the satisfaction possible from rehearsing speeches that will be drowned out by the uproar of a crowd out to see a real live president. Let the welcoming committees beware how they assume dignities with which they are not familiar. Well do we recall how in a not distant city a distinguished guest was once received.

Few of the men named to escort him to a picnic ground had ever worn a "plug hat." Blossoming out in this unaccustomed state, they were totally unable to gauge the lofty sweep of the high head gear. So the glasses were hopelessly dented by unforeseen contact with limbs of trees and low doorways. The presidential custom of swinging around the circle is derided as a mere building of political fences. Yet even our revered George Washington descended from his pedestal five months after inauguration for a long journey out to meet the every day people.

When President Monroe took his four month's trip in a day of no telegraphs and slow mails, he got all out of touch with public business. The newspapers roasted him well for neglect of his work. They might have felt better had he not offended ideas of Jeffersonian simplicity by ascending the Delaware river in a boat lined with crimson velvet, propelled by oarsmen in white trousers and sleeves and crimson vests. When he got to New Hampshire the governor refused to receive him, and the party found their way around alone by the guide boards.

To many onlookers, the hurried and stereotyped speeches from rear car platforms, the meaningless tasks of handshaking, the time spent in useless contemplation of freight yards and cross ties, make the journey an irrational one. But no doubt the president gets his chance to talk with those in each locality who represent the conscience and brains of true community. At Washington he sees mostly the political class, who notoriously misrepresent the general public pulse. On the road he will hear things worth listening to from men whose time is too valuable for hanging around congressional lobbies.

Prove Easy Marks.

The people of this world has not changed much since Puck exclaimed, "What fools these mortals be." There were easy marks then, and there are easy marks now. To say the words, "God and myself, myself and God, God and myself," three times every noon, accompanying the same with a violent swinging of the arms, is a sure cure for pains in the back, provided \$24 a month are paid for instruction—this last is absolutely necessary. At least this is what harpies in New York City say, and the

strange thing about it is that they have had no trouble in getting weak-minded people to believe them and pay the money. And yet this is the twentieth century with its boasted intelligence and civilization, and the easy marks were people of means and, supposedly of culture. Apparently some people like to be victimized. Anyway they show a credulity and superstition which one would scarcely expect to find outside the realm of paganism. Barnum, who was said to be the biggest humbug that ever lived, use to say that a fool was born every minute, and it was the duty of some one to fool them or they would be disappointed.

CLASSIFIED COLUMN

One-half Cent a Word Found Notices Free.

For Sale—A second hand piano in good order at a low figure. Apply to John T. Wisa. 8-29-11

For sale—One mule four years old, weighs 1,000 pounds. Also corn, fodder and hay. George W. Binicker, Route 5, Orangeburg, S. C. 9-4-11

Private School—Miss Nettie Copes will reopen her primary school on Monday, Sept. 18, at residence of Mrs. Rose R. Copes, 15 E. Amelia St. For terms, etc., apply to Miss Copes. 9-9-11

For Sale—One 30 H. P. Boiler: one 25 H. P. Engine Continental, two 70 saw gins, elevator, press, shafting, belts etc. Can be seen at W. L. Mack's farm, Cordova, S. C., or W. F. Smoak, Cordova, S. C.

For Sale—One 15-horse power gasoline engine in good condition, has been in use only a short time. Will sell cheap anyone can come and inspect same at my store on Russell street. Orangeburg, S. C. J. W. Smoak.

Rhode Island Reds for sale—Finest strain, pure thoroughbred, strong, healthy, vigorous. Free from disease. Buy now. Win premiums at State and County fairs. Mrs. J. Wm. Stokes, Orangeburg, S. C. Phone 313. 9-5-11

Lost—On Bull Swamp road between Etheredge mill and city of Orangeburg certificate of stock, No. 13, for one share in the Farmers Union Bank and Trust Co., of Orangeburg, S. C., issued to undersigned. A liberal reward will be paid the finder at above named bank or this office. R. Lee Martin.

Bring your butter beans to Bartow Baltzgar. I will give you 11 cts. per quart on Friday and Saturdays. You will find me at corner of Russell and Broughton, down to corner of Russell and Windsor streets from seven to twelve. My home is on lower end of Calhoun, house No. 31. Bring me your tomatoes. I will give 50 cts. a peck for large tomatoes, and 6c a quart for your okra. Green peas, 35c a peck. Bartow Baltzgar. 9-12-11

Statement of the condition of The Planter's Bank, located at Orangeburg, S. C., at the close of business September, 1911.

Resources. Loans and discounts \$149,262.07 Overdrafts 2,045.65 Furniture and fixtures 2,895.51 Due from banks and bankers 14,609.99 Currency 3,491.00 Gold 1,022.50 Silver and other minor coin 1,167.29 Checks and cash items 330.43 Total \$174,824.46

Liabilities. Capital stock paid in 32,000.00 Surplus fund 5,000.00 Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid 2,807.34 Individual deposits subject to check 44,313.86 Savings Deposits 49,961.25 Cashier's checks 742.01 Bills payable, including certificates for money borrowed 40,000.00 Total \$174,824.46

State of South Carolina, County of Orangeburg. Before me came W. G. Sease, 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 books of said bank. W. G. Sease, Cashier. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of September, 1911. J. A. Berry, Notary Public. Correct-Attest: W. K. Sease, W. L. Moseley, Wm. C. Wolfe, Directors.

Notice of Discharge and Call To Creditors. On October 16th, 1911, we will file our final account as Executors of the estate of Frank E. Jones, deceased, with the Judge of Probate for Orangeburg County, and will thereupon ask for our discharge as such Executors. All persons having claims against the estate of Frank E. Jones, deceased, will present the same to the undersigned, on or before October 14th, 1911, or be debarred payment. Isaac Rivers, Benjamin Washington, Executors of Frank E. Jones, deceased. Sept. 11th, 1911.

Five or six doses "666" will cure any case of Chills and Fever. Price twenty-five cents.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Those Remaining Unclaimed in the Orangeburg Post Office.

- The following are the list of letters remaining unclaimed in the Orangeburg Post Office for the week ending Sept. 12, 1911. Persons calling for same will please say that they are "advertised." A. D. Webster, P. M. Gaibre Amanynon. B. J. Ancrum. W. C. Bair. Thomas Bolden. Frank Brickie. Mrs. Lillian Coleman. Ella Culler. Minerva Davis. (2). Frank Dinstone. Sallie Doule. Louis Fisher. Fattie Gadsden. Anie Gasy. Wm. Goodwin. John Glover. Susie Griffin. May Hartwell. Alice Harrison. Lonnie Hasben. Janie Jamison. Julia Jamison. Mrs. Fannie Jones. John Jenkins. Demetra Johnson. Charlie Jones. Oliver Lane. Lizzie Lowry. Nelson McFaddin. Samuel Matten. Lizzie Moorer. Samaria Murray. J. W. Murray. A. O. Price. Idella Shuler. S. Smith. J. M. Stone. Buck Timons. Johnnie Truewell. Mrs. Julia Westberry. Mrs. M. White. R. W. White. Ed Williams. R. M. Williams. Simon Williams. Davis Willingham. William Zimmerman.

Theato To-days Program

"THE KISS OF MARY JANE"

(A Woman's Sympathy.) The horse-chief had never known it and it aroused in his better nature a desire to live and reform.

"AVENGED"

(The Faithful Wife of a Gallie Warrior.) A powerful play of love and intrigue enacted in the Brittany hills fascinating and absorbing. Intensely dramatic and of great historic value.

VAUDEVILLE.

No vaudeville between 6.30 and 7.30.

A picture of Buster for the Ladies and children Saturday.

HERBERT L. GAMBATI, Prop.

FORD

Do you know that more than one-fourth of the automobiles sold in the WORLD to-day are Ford Model T cars.

There must be a reason for such immense sales. It will pay you to investigate this matter before you buy.

G. C. Bolen,

Agents for Orangeburg County, Neeses, South Carolina.



Without advertising your store and this paper could not get along—so let's stick together.

E. N. Scoville

If you want a Ladies' Tailor-Made Suit or Skirt, something with a style of it's own and different from the "Hand-me-downs" and regular store stocks you are respectfully invited to call and see the latest new styles and materials, from

\$15.00 to \$30.00

a suit. These suits and skirts are made to your order and delivered promptly. Fit and satisfaction guaranteed.

Toothache and La-Grippe don't cause half as much swearing as poor hose. Wear Holeproof Hose and avoid blasphemy. We carry a full line for men, women and children. Prices for plain and mercerized cotton range from

\$1.50 up to \$3.00

for six pairs, guaranteed for six months. Silks for men are \$2.00 for three pairs, guaranteed for three mos. and for women, \$3.00 for three pairs, guaranteed for three months.

Wall Paper and Decorations

I have in display the largest stock of Wall Paper that has ever been shown in Orangeburg. Prices from 6c to 30c per roll.

Bagging and Ties

New Arrow Tires. New Jute Bagging. Second hand Bagging and Tires. Prices, the lowest.

E. N. Scoville



The mail is pleased indeed with his Fall suit when it's purchased here for he knows that he has secured the very maximum value in superb pure wool or silk and wool fabrics, correct styles and perfect fit.

Our stocks of Fall and Winter apparel are now in a condition of completeness approaching almost 100 per cent—no matter what your size may be, no matter what your taste for fabrics may be, we are positive that we can suit you here with just the suit of clothes that you have set your heart on. Our prices range from

\$12.50 to \$25.00

and represent values you'll find difficult to duplicate elsewhere.

Renneker & Riggs, The Fashion Shop.

There is no use in trying! You can't stop a man on his way to

L. B. BOLIN'S

To get some of those Dry Goods, Clothing and Shoes, Harness, Bagging and Ties, Farm Produce and Fertilizers, Seal of Ohio flour and Improved Cotton Seed a Specialty Neeses, S. C.

John H. Schacte

Dealer in Groceries of All Kinds

Fruits and Vegetables in Season.

GIVE HIM A CALL

Have You An Idea of buying a piano any time soon? Do you expect to buy one within the next few months? If so, we present you NOW the best opportunity you will have in a long time. Call to see us or write us for full details. We have on hand now in our warerooms in Orangeburg the largest stock of strictly HIGH GRADE PIANOS in South Carolina. We bought in large quantities and we are prepared to sell at figures and upon terms which will astonish you. Don't pay tremendous profits to dealers away from home, when you can buy better instruments for less money right here from a home dealer, who is near at hand to fulfill every guarantee we make. WE claim to know something about pianos. Come to see us and let us TALK PIANO WITH YOU before you buy. A personal visit to our warerooms will surprise you with the number, beauty and tonal qualities of our high grade instruments. ESTABLISHED 1882. 53 E. Russell Street. Orangeburg, S. C.

How About a Nice Farm?

At a Bargain. - - For Quick Sale.

- 125 acres 3 miles South of City on Charleston Road. 75 acres under cultivation. Gray soil, clay subsoil. 4 room dwelling and out buildings. 89 acres 4 miles north of City on Columbia Road. 56 acres under cultivation. Gray soil, clay subsoil. One house; good barn. 603 acres 5 miles south of City on Charleston Road. 100 acres under cultivation. One and 1-4 million pine timber; good saw mill and gin house. Gray soil; clay subsoil; one dwelling. 43 1-4 acres 2 1-2 miles from City on road to St. Matthews, near Stilton. 30 acres under cultivation. Gray soil; clay subsoil. Good peach orchard; 4 acre pasture; 6 room cottage and necessary out-buildings. 56 acres four miles north on Columbia Road. 48 acres under cultivation; balance in pasture. This is a bargain for a quick sale. Nice, new dwellings and barns; good pasture. 148 acres 6 miles west of City on Kenley road. 100 acres under cultivation. 48 acres timber. Land in a fair state of cultivation. One 4-room dwelling; 4 tenant houses; 2 barns. 72 acres 10 miles north of City on road to North. 40 acres under cultivation. Gray soil; clay subsoil. One 4-room house; 1 barn. 131 acres 4 miles north of St. Matthews. 100 acres capable of cultivation. 50 acres fine clay west of Cope. Suitable for brick yard.

At the prices listed these farms will not be on the market long, so we advise prospective purchasers to apply quickly.

F. R. Simpson Real Estate and Ins., Co.

Dear Friend: We were away from home in jelly-making time, but Mama says she is not going to worry over a hot stove any more to make jelly and jam. She says she can buy it cheaper than she can make it and just as good. Your Friend, JACOB. P. S.—It would surprise you to see how many different kinds of jams and jellies and things put up in glasses and bottles you can get at CRAIG'S PURE FOOD STORE.

We Are Still Doing Business at the Old Stand

And are better prepared to serve our customers than ever before. Just received a car load of high grade buggies and surreys. All styles and colors. Harness, lap robes, umbrellas and sun shades of all styles; colors and shapes on hand. One and two horse wagons on hand at all times. Will make you the lowest prices consistent with first class goods. Call and see us before buying. Respectfully,

L. E. RILEY, Orangeburg, S. C.

For the Best Stationery SIMS BOOK STORE.