

**MACK STILL BRYAN'S FRIEND.**

**But Says he Doesn't Think that Nebraskan Will Run in 1912.**

Buffalo, N. Y., December 12.—Norman E. Mack, chairman of the Democratic national committee, when asked about the published report that a disagreement has developed between himself and Secretary Woodson, of the committee, said:

"There is nothing to it; nothing at all."

"Will the Democratic national committee meet soon?"

"Unless something now unforeseen arises, the committee is not likely to meet for three years."

"Are you still friendly to Mr. Bryan?"

"Certainly. I see no reason why I should not be just as good a friend of Mr. Bryan now as I have been in the past."

"Will you be for him for president in 1912?"

"As it is not at all likely that Mr. Bryan will be a candidate four years from now, there is no use discussing that question at this time."

"Who is likely to be the candidate?"

"Your guess is just as good as mine. The important question just now is whether we are going to have any real tariff revision. The manner in which the high protective interests at Washington are framing things makes it appear that the relief expected will not be realized; but the interests of the Democratic party will be well taken care of by the Democrats in congress."

**WON ON A BLUFF.**

**The Way One Prosperous Merchant Got His Start in Business.**

Chicago Tribune.

There is a prosperous merchant in Chicago today who owes his success to his donation of a \$5,000 organ to a church at a time when he didn't have money enough to buy a hand organ. This donation was a case of bluff pure and simple, but the bluff worked and resulted in the subsequent wealth of the lucky bluffer.

John Smith was seeking capital to start in business for himself, but as he had no security worth speaking of he could not borrow the money he needed.

When he had tried every person he could think of who would be likely to give the necessary cash and the inclination to lend it and had been turned down, he conceived the idea of presenting his church with an organ.

Young Napoleon John Smith therefore ordered his organ and allowed the future to look out for itself. The manufacturers of the organ never thought of questioning the financial standing of the philanthropist who was handing out \$5,000 organs and agreed to have the instrument set up in the church on time.

Of course J. Smith was not a bud that was born to blush unseen, nor did he hide his beneficence under a bushel. He managed to bring in at least the flute stops no matter what the subject of conversation. Not only did the young Napoleon advertise himself by means of the church organ, but the pleased minister and the equally pleased congregation spread the news of his gift.

During this time John did not allow any alfalfa to grow under his feet. By the pretense of consulting some wealthy member of the congregation about some minor details of the organ would drop into an office and before he left casually would mention the subject of the company that he was forming. Most of the men that thus saw thought that it would be a good thing to be associated with a man who was making so much money and that he was able to hand out \$5,000 without missing it, so that all were anxious to take stock in J. Smith's company.

Long before the time came for the first payment on the organ Smith had gathered enough money to start his business and was doing so well he had difficulty in borrowing the amount

needed to make the payment. From that time he has made money so fast that now he could give away several \$5,000 organs and pay for them as well.—Chicago Tribune.

**The Uses of Adversity.**

"Grogan," said the head of the department store, eyeing him sharply, "you've quit drinking, have'n't you?"

"Yes, sor," answered the red-headed Hibernian who worked in the packing department. "I haven't taken a drink av anything stronger th'n iced tay f'r three months."

"I am glad to hear it, Grogan. I'll make it an object to you to sty quit. But how did you break yourself of hte habit?"

"Be hittin' me thumb nail wid a hammer whin I was packin' a box o' goods."

"I don't see how that could cure you."

"Well, Misther Barker, it was this way. If I'd been sober, d'ye moind, I'd niver have don it, but I wasn't. Whin I whacked me thumb instead av the nail I was thryin' to dhrive it made a blac kspot at the root av me thumb nail. I says to meself: 'Grogan, I'll punish ye fer that. Ye shan't have a dhrink av ayther beer 'r whusky until that black spot has gone.'"

"Well, sor, it was two months before it had growed out to the end o' me thumb an' I eud cut it off, an' be that time I'd lost all me appetite f'r beer an' whusky."

"Thin I says to meself: 'Grogan, I'll reward ye f'r that. Ye're a sober man now, an' ye'll stay sober.' That's the whole story, sor."—Youth's Companion.

**A Fable.**

London Answers.

Once upon a time there was a young man who met two nice girls, who were constantly together. Now, he was an astute young man, and he desired to say something pretty and agreeable to the ladies, but he knew that if he paid a compliment to one of them, no matter which, the other would be hurt.

So he thought rapidly for a moment, and then he said:

"Ah, I know why you two girls are always together!"

"Why?" asked the two girls.

"Because everybody says that a handsome girl always chooses a homely one as a companion, so that her beauty may be enhanced by the contrast."

After such a remark, either both girls would be angry with him or delighted.

And what do you think happened?

The two girls blushed and said he was a flatterer, and went their way together, each happy for herself and sorry for the other.

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**GENUINE HAND CUT GLASS** we don't sell the acid cut.

Daniels & Williamson.

**AN ORDINANCE**

**Regulating the Transportation of Fresh Meats.**

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Newberry, S. C., in Council assembled and by authority of the same:

Section 1. That from and after the publication of this Ordinance all meats en route from slaughter-house to market must be completely covered underneath and above with clean white cloths and must be carried in vehicles and meats shall at all times be subject to inspection by the policemen and members of the Board of Health.

Sec. 2. Any person or persons violating the provision of this Ordinance shall for each offense be punished by

a fine not exceeding fifty dollars or by imprisonment not exceeding thirty days.

Done and ratified under the corporate seal of the Town of Newberry, S. C., this the seventh (Seal) day of October, 1908.

J. J. Langford,  
Mayor of Newberry.  
Attest:  
Eug. S. Werts,  
Clerk and Treasurer.

**TAX ASSESSMENT FOR 1909.**

Notice is hereby given that the office of County Auditor will be open from the 1st day of January to the 20th day of February, 1909, for the purpose of receiving returns of taxable property for fiscal year commencing January 1st. The following named places will also be attended as required by law:

At Whitmire, Monday, Jan. 11th.  
At Maybinton, Tuesday, Jan. 12th.  
At Glymphville, Wednesday, Jan. 13th.

At Walton, Thursday, Jan. 14th.  
At Pomaria, Friday, Jan. 15th.  
At Jolly Street, Monday, Jan. 18th.  
At Little Mountain, Tuesday, Jan. 19th.

At O'Neal, Wednesday, Jan. 20th.  
At St. Lukes, Thursday, Jan. 21st.  
At Prosperity, Friday and Saturday, Jan. 22nd and 23rd.

At Longshore, Monday, Jan. 25th.  
At Chappells, Tuesday, Jan. 26th.

The law requires a tax on all mortgages, moneys, and credits, also on incomes over and above \$2500.00. All male citizens between the ages of 21 and 60 years (except those incapable of earning a support) are liable to poll tax.

There shall be assessed on each dog a capitation tax of 50 cents.

Dogs not returned for taxation are not held to be property of this State.

Be careful to note each transfer of real estate since last return.

W. W. Cromer,  
Auditor Newberry County.

**NEWBERRY UNION STATION.**

**Arrival and Departure of Passenger Trains—Effective 12.01 A. M. Sunday, June 7th, 1908.**

**Southern Railway:**

No. 15 for Greenville . . . 8.57 a.m.  
No. 18 for Columbia . . . 1.40 p.m.  
No. 11 for Greenville . . . 3.20 p.m.  
No. 16 for Columbia . . . 8.47 p.m.

**C. N. & L. Ry.**

\*No. 22 for Columbia . . . 8.47 a.m.  
No. 52 for Greenville . . . 12.56 p.m.  
No. 53 for Columbia . . . 3.20 p.m.  
\*No. 21 for Laurens . . . 7.25 p.m.

\* Does not run on Sunday

This time table shows the times at which trains may be expected to depart from this station, but their departure is not guaranteed and the time shown is subject to change without notice.

G. L. Robinson,  
Station Master.

**CHARLESTON & WESTERN CAROLINA RY.**

Schedule in effect May 31, 1908.

Lv. Newberry (C N & L) 12:56 p.m.  
Ar. Laurens 2:02 p.m.  
Lv. Laurens (C & W C) 2:35 p.m.  
Ar. Greenville 4:00 p.m.  
Lv. Laurens 2:32 p.m.  
Ar. Spartanburg 4:05 p.m.  
Lv. Spartanburg (So. Ry.) 5:00 p.m.  
Ar. Hendersonville 7:45 p.m.  
Ar. Asheville 8:50 p.m.  
Lv. Laurens (C & W C) 2:32 p.m.  
Ar. Greenwood 3:32 p.m.  
Ar. McCormick 4:33 p.m.  
Ar. Augusta 6:15 p.m.

Tri-Weekly Parlar Car line between Augusta and Asheville. Trains Nos. 1 and 2, leave Augusta Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, leave Asheville Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Note: The above arrivals and departures, as well as connections with other companies, are given as information, and are not guaranteed.

Ernest Williams,  
Gen. Pass. Azt.,  
Augusta, Ga.  
Geo. T. Bryan,  
Greenville, S. C.,

**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF NEWBERRY.**

Court of Common Pleas.

W. Baxter Kinard, Grace Kinard, Fannie L. Sligh, Alva C. Kinard and Robert M. Kinard, Plaintiffs,  
Against  
Gussie Epting, Grace Kinard, the younger, Fred Kinard and Emmie Kinard.

Complaint for Partition.

By order of the court herein, I will sell at public action, to the highest bidder, at Newberry Court House during the legal hours of sale, on Monday, 4th January, 1909, all that tract

# Attention Buyers

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### SALE CONTINUES FOR 30 DAYS

**Remember we have NO OLD or SHOP WORN Merchandise to offer. Everything New and Up-to-the-Minute. This Sale will continue for 30 days.**

# Ewart=Perry Co.

of land lying in the county and State aforesaid, containing fifty (50) acres, more or less, lying on the west side of the road leading from Newberry to Pomaria, and bounded by lands of W. Baxter Kinard, Laura Koon, and others, the same being part of the land formerly belonging to John G. Kinard, and by him conveyed to Mary Ann Kinard.

Terms. One-third of the purchase money to be paid cash, the balance on a credit of one and two years, the credit portion to be secured by bond of purchaser, and a mortgage of the premises sold, with interest thereon from day of sale, at the rate of 8 per centum per annum, with leave to purchaser to anticipate payments, the purchaser to pay for papers and recording of the mortgage.

H. H. Rikard,  
Master.  
Dec. 10, 1908.

**FOR SALE.**

1 15 horse power International Gasoline engine almost new.  
1 12 horse power Steam engine, the Tozer make on scidids.  
1 Flouring Mill with all fixtures.  
1 good brood family mare, 10 years old, in fold from Caughman Bros. blooded Kentucky horse.

Will sell any or all of the above property down at unheard of prices. Call and see me at Little Mountain, S. C.

A. N. Boland.

### STATEMENT.

The Commercial Bank of Newberry, S. C., condensed from report to State Bank Examiner November 27, 1908.

RESOURCES.	
Loans.....	\$268,751 87
Furniture and fixtures.....	3,116 93
Overdrafts.....	12,645 60
Cash and due from banks.....	101,181 65
	\$385,696 05
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock.....	\$50,000 00
Profits less expenses taxes paid.....	54,677 53
Dividends unpaid.....	1,277 00
Cashier's Checks.....	255 00
Re-discounts.....	15,000 00
Deposits—	
Individual.....	\$261,000.03
Banks.....	3,486.49
	\$264,486 52
	\$385,696 05

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## The Commercial Bank,

NEWBERRY, S. C.

JNO. M. KINARD, President.	O. B. MAYER, Vice-President.	J. Y. McFALL, Cashier.
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## The First Cough of the Season.

Even though not severe, has a tendency to irritate the sensitive membranes of the throat and delicate bronchial tubes. Coughs then come easy all winter, every time you take the slightest cold. Cure the first cough before it has a chance to set up an inflammation in the delicate capillary air tubes of the lungs. The best remedy is QUICK RELIEF COUGH SYRUP. It at once gets right at the seat of trouble and moves the cause. It is free from Morphine and is as safe for a child as for an adult. 25 cents at

### MAYES' DRUG STORE.