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CANDIDATES ENTER AT ELEVENTH HOUR

SEVERAL FLING IN HATS DURING LAST MINUTES

Campaign Opens in Columbia This Morning—Two Withdraw Few Unopposed

The State 20.

Several eleventh hour candidates hopped into the political races yesterday morning before the entry lists closed at noon, including two candidates against Attorney General Wolfe, two more candidates for lieutenant governor, one against the comptroller general and one for congress in the First congressional district.

Dr. E. C. L. Adams of Columbia and E. B. Jackson of Wagener were the new candidates to qualify for lieutenant governor. Harold Eubanks and D. M. Winter, both young Columbia attorneys, jumped into the race against Sam M. Wolfe at the last moment. George W. Wightman of Saluda completed the filing of his pledges and became a full fledged candidate for commissioner of agriculture, commerce and industries. T. Hagood Gooding, former auditor of Hampton county whom Governor Cooper refused to appoint after a hearing, Mr. Gooding having been charged with misconduct in office, and whom the supreme court ordered to vacate his office, became a candidate against Walter E. Duncan, the comptroller general. Several others had been mentioned as possible candidates against Mr. Duncan, but they did not qualify.

I. S. Hutto of Dorchester filed his pledge and became a candidate for congress from the First congressional district during the morning.

Two More in Race

Dr. E. C. L. Adams, who entered the race for lieutenant governor, is a native Columbian and well known to the people over the state. He has made the race once before. E. B. Jackson, the other new candidate for lieutenant governor, has been a life long resident of Wagener. He is a banker and a farmer.

Two withdrawals were announced during the day, both from the race for state superintendent of education. Mrs. E. Barton Wallace and Paul Moore withdrew. In withdrawing Mrs. Wallace said she had become a candidate for the office when it was vacant, but due to the changed situation within the last few days she desired to withdraw. Mrs. Wallace had a constructive platform which she wanted to present to the people of the state, but in view of the complex situation she decided to remain at her present work as supervisor of the primary department of the schools of Great Falls. She also is social service secretary at Great Falls during the summer and will return to this work within a week or two after she has taken a short rest. Mrs. Wallace expressed appreciation of support that had been promised her.

Paul Moore in withdrawing gave out the following statement: "It is my desire to announce to my friends throughout the state that I have withdrawn from the race for the office of state superintendent of education. My reason for so doing is—I believe Mr. Swearingen to be an able and faithful public servant. I have no desire to win at his expense. My only object to offer for this place was to render a needed service to the state. I am grateful for the many pledges of support."

The state campaign will open in Columbia this morning at 10 o'clock at the Columbia theater with candidates for governor speaking first. These candidates will be allowed 20 minutes each. Those running for lieutenant governor will come second with ten minutes each and all others will be allowed 10 minutes each, except congressional aspirants, who will be allowed 15 minutes each. After the candidates for lieutenant governor the order will be: superintendent of education, secretary of state, attorney general, comptroller general, treasurer, commissioner of agriculture, commerce and industries, congress and solicitors.

Pledge Not Filed

Two candidates for governor, William Coleman and J. J. Cantey, had

LIGHTNING KILLS LAURENS FARMER

J. Abrams Coats Struck by Bolt While in Yard Watching Rising Clouds

The State.

Laurens, June 21.—J. Abrams Coats, a well to do farmer of Sullivan township, was instantly killed by a bolt of lightning during a thunderstorm this afternoon.

Mr. Coats was at the home of his brother-in-law, J. L. Baldwin, who lives at Hickory Tavern and had walked out into the yard to get a better view of the rising cloud when he was struck down. The body was carried to his home about two miles distant, near Friendship church, where the funeral will be held probably tomorrow.

He was 46 years of age and is survived by his widow and several children.

ANDERSON BOY DIES OF INJURIES

The State.

Anderson, June 21.—Bradford Martin, who was hurt Saturday when his automobile tire burst, overturning the machine, died of his injuries at the Anderson county hospital. Young Martin was 13 years of age. His nose was broken, his jaw fractured and a gash cut in the back of his head in the accident. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin, who live near Belton.

not filed their party pledges with the secretary of state when that office closed late yesterday afternoon. They had filed their pledges with Gen. Willie Jones. The rules require that the pledge shall be filed in the day before the beginning of the campaign. It was said, however, that if the pledges were mailed in and the letters postmarked before 12 o'clock last night, they would be allowed. It is presumed that they will be duly received in this morning's mail.

The list of those qualified to make the various races, as announced by General Jones, is as follows:

For governor: C. L. Black, J. J. Cantey, William Coleman, John T. Duncan, George K. Laney and Thomas G. McLeod.

For lieutenant governor: E. C. L. Adams, E. B. Jackson and Jennings K. Owens.

For superintendent of education: Mrs. Bessie Rogers Drake, J. H. Hope, O. D. Seay, C. H. Seigler and J. E. Swearingen.

For congress: I. S. Hutto, W. Turner Logan and J. B. Morrison, First district; James F. Byrnes, Second district; Fred H. Dominick, Sam H. Sherard and E. P. McCravy, Third district; J. J. McSwain, Fourth district; W. F. Stevenson, Fifth district; W. R. Barringer, A. H. Gasque, Jerome F. Pate and Philip H. Stoll, Sixth district; A. J. Bethea, H. P. Fulmer and John J. McMahan, Seventh district.

For adjutant general: Robert E. Craig and Thomas B. Marshall.

For state treasurer: Sam T. Carter.

For attorney general: Harold Eubanks, D. M. Winter and Samuel M. Wolfe.

For commissioner of agriculture: B. Harris and George W. Wightman.

For secretary of state: James C. Dozier and W. Banks Dove.

For comptroller general: Walter E. Duncan and T. Hagood Gooding.

For solicitors: Frank A. McLeod and John G. Dinkins, Third circuit; A. Fletcher Spigner, Fifth circuit; L. M. Gasque and C. W. Muldrow, Twelfth circuit.

Sam T. Carter, who has been treasurer for a number of years, is the only state official to have no opposition.

Three congressmen have no opposition. James F. Byrnes from the second district, J. J. McSwain from the Fourth district and W. F. Stevenson from the Fifth district.

COURT SUSPENDS BECAUSE OF DEATH

R. I. Stoudemayer, Relative of Judge Sease, Dies in Prosperity

The State.

Spartanburg, June 15.—Owing to the death of R. I. Stoudemayer, relative of Judge T. S. Sease, sessions court adjourned this morning until 3 o'clock tomorrow, inasmuch as Judge Sease is attending the funeral at Spartanburg.

Before adjournment sessions court adjourned to get back to Spartanburg to hold court tomorrow afternoon.

The Davis case promises to be a hard fought one. "A. E. Hill, former solicitor, has been employed to assist Solicitor I. C. Blackwood in the prosecution. Nicholls and Wyche will conduct the defense. Brown is alleged to have been killed when he resisted arrest while returning from the mountains with a supply of whiskey in his car.

A GENUINE CELEBRATION OF THE GLORIOUS FOURTH

Who wants a sure enough good time with plenty of fun and peppery music? Everybody in Newberry!

When? On July 4th, 1922!

All right, let's go!

The Retail Merchants association of the chamber of commerce has great things in store for Newberry and Newberry county on that day. It will be a jolly holiday for everybody, on which day all stores are expected to close.

Watch the papers for the day's program in detail. Some interesting features of the jubilee will be old-time sports, such as a greasy pig chase, the climbing of the greasy pole, enthusiastic races and hurdles, two regular baseball games. Spicy music will be furnished by our three celebrated bands.

But the best is yet to be told. A rousing contest will be held among the sure enough fiddlers throughout the county. This guarantees to be the real thing. Then will put the finishing touches to the red letter day with an old-fashioned square dance for all—and that means you!

We can make this the grandest old fourth our town has ever known. Are you with us? Well, I guess! A grand old fourth, yes, yes.

Publicity Committee.

Derrick Speaks.

Under the above "subhead" The State in its Wednesday's issue, reporting the convention of the State Sunday School convention in Columbia, says:

"earnest cooperation for the maintenance of an inspiring address by Dr. S. J. Derrick, president of Newberry college, on 'The Challenge of the Present Crisis.' He mentioned, among the after effects of the late war, the spirit of extravagance, the lowering of the standard of business morality in many cases and the breakdown of the social conventions and safeguards of the spirit of chivalry. 'If the Christian religion breaks down,' he said, 'civilization breaks down. It is my earnest conviction that all believers in the religion of Jesus Christ, of all denominations, should join hands in the afternoon session closed with nance and extension of the Christian religion as the bed-rock of our civilization.'"

Church Notice

There will be a call meeting of the joint council of St. Paul's pastorate to be held at Bachman Chapel church on Friday evening at 4 o'clock, June the 30th. Every member of joint body is earnestly requested to be present.

B. M. D. Livingston, Sec. of Joint Council.

One way to save your face is not to stick it into other people's business.

What word will we use to describe the nagging wife since horses are going out of style.

Flattery often wins out where truth wouldn't get a look-in.

AMERICAN LEGION NOTES.

The Department Convention will be held in Florence on August 23 and 24.

Worshipers from Florence are big at this coming date.

Our number of members is up to 100.

Office at Newberry.

Seas is a member of the American Legion's Big Membership Round Up. The cry is: "A Million Or Bust By July 1st."

The preamble of the American Legion's constitution states that it is dedicated to God and Country.

The Legion, during its career of only three years has demonstrated that it is the best insurance policy the Nation has.

Post No. 24 appeals to all ex-service men in this community to join the Legion and to aid fight for Americanism. The blue and gold button of the American Legion marks its wearer as one who has thrown away his patriotism with the uniform.

It means that he has not "passed the buck" to someone else to see that the sick and disabled buddies get justice and to fulfill all those things that he desired to result from the war.

Legion members are from every branch of service, from those who were forced to remain at home to men who won congressional medal at Chateau-Thierry and in the Argonne. It includes all ranks from private to general.

The Legion needs you, and we believe it is equally true you need the Legion. If you don't like every thing the Legion is doing, get on the inside and make your speech. Perhaps you can get it to change its tactics.

Post No. 24 can be made one of the most beneficial organizations in this community. Its purposes are high; its ideals are untarnished. It deserves your support and the membership of every war veteran. Let us have your membership by July 1st, and help to make this post one of the best posts in the state.

John B. Setzler, Publicity Officer

West End vs. Graniteville

Friday and Saturday, June 23 and 24, West End will play Graniteville. Friday's game called at 5 p. m. and Saturday's game at 4 p. m. Admission 20c and 30c. Finest music you ever heard by the West End band. These will be two games that the people of Newberry will always regret if they miss seeing them.

Graniteville has one of the strongest clubs in South Carolina and has not lost a game this season. This is the same club that played West End last year and played a 15 inning game which Luther pitched for West End. Be sure to see these two great clubs in action. You will never regret the small price and by coming we can play better ball. See the Wild Cats tear them down. The heavier the load the easier it rides. Join the throng. We need your presence.

Remember Friday at 5 p. m. Saturday at 4 p. m.

MOLLOHON BAND TO PLAY AT LAURENS

Last October Watts mill band of Laurens visited Mollohon band and played a delightful concert, and Mollohon band plans to return their visit next Sunday, June 25th.

Mr. Wherry says Laurens has a splendid band, and he expects to take a good one himself, and a good time is expected. The party will leave Mollohon band room in automobiles at 1 o'clock and would be glad to have all their friends join them, and if any one has a vacant seat to take some one else.

Good luck seems to stumble right on to the hustler.

RURAL CARRIERS TO MEET SATURDAY EVENING

The postmasters and R. F. D. carriers of the county will hold a meeting Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the court house.

Eugene Hitt, Secretary.

WARREN GREEN PETERSON HAS PASSED AWAY

While the community was prepared for the announcement of the death of Mr. Warren G. Peterson, still it cast a shadow of gloom over the city Wednesday morning when the news spread that this faithful citizen had died on Tuesday about 9 o'clock. Mr. Peterson was in his 79th year. He had been in ill health for two or three weeks ago. He was a gallant Confederate veteran, member of James D. Name camp, and while in good health and activity always displayed his usual enthusiasm when attending the reunions of his former comrades—especially the exercises in Newberry on Memorial day, seeming on those occasions to be "in his element." He loved the old cause, which was dear to his heart, and delighted in reliving the glorified memories of "the old fighting days."

Mr. Peterson was a familiar figure in Newberry, well known throughout the county. The people respected him; among other things they respected him for his walk in two ways—his walk was upright and he walked with a limp. The people in a very high degree respected that limping walk, because they knew it was caused by wounds on the bloody fields of the old Confederacy.

Only 16 years old Warren Peterson went to war, to serve his God, his country and his home. He was to act throughout the service. Wounds could not keep him out of the struggle—he only kept away from battle until the wounds healed. He was wounded five times, twice seriously, the two serious wounds received at the Wilderness fight and at Gettysburg, both in the same place, shot in the hip. That was one of the coincidences of the war: Shot in the hip during one battle and after expiration of his furlough at home and return to war shot in the same hip in another battle.

Young Warren Peterson proved himself a valiant soldier. After the war he took up the battle of life at home and made a brave fight. For some years before moving to the city he was magistrate in No. 6 township, where he was called "Judge Peterson," and the title of "judge" clung to him the balance of his life. He lived a long and useful life in Newberry, where he was official weather reporter for about 30 years, and for about 16 years he served as one of the R. F. D. carriers from the postoffice, father and son—John A.—both being in the same service. For some years Mr. Peterson was also chairman of the Newberry County Pension board. In all these various capacities he exercised the same loyalty and devotion to duty, and he stuck to his work until ill health forced him to give it up; he had to give it up, but he gave it up with deep sighs of regret—he loved his work and hated to be "a quitter." For a number of years he was also chief of police of Newberry.

Mr. Peterson was thrice married. His first wife was Miss Elizabeth Stewart, his second Miss Jennie Abrams and his third Miss Lula Waters. He is survived by his third wife and by the following of his children: W. S. Peterson, president of the Business college in Greenwood; Miss Mary Peterson and Jno. A. and O. H. Peterson of the first union, and Misses Elise and Sue Ella Peterson, the daughters of the third union.

The burial, which was largely attended, was in Rosemont cemetery on Wednesday afternoon at 6 o'clock, service at the grave by his pastor, Rev. E. V. Babb, Mr. Peterson having been a consistent member of the First Baptist church of Newberry. The following acted as pallbearers: H. D. Whitaker, J. D. Wicker, J. A. Burton, I. H. Hunt, M. M. Satterwhite, E. S. Blease, R. C. Perry, Floyd Bradley. The floral offerings were many and beautiful.

EDWARD McIVER, CIRCUIT JUDGE, DIES SUDDENLY

Judge of Fourth Circuit Succumbs at Darlington—Body to Be Carried to Cheraw

The State.

Darlington, June 19.—Judge Edward McIver of the Fourth judicial circuit, died at the Hotel McFall here at 3:45 o'clock this afternoon.

Judge McIver had come to Darlington for the summer term of court which he opened this morning. He had not been well, but his condition was such that he opened the court and continued business until 12 o'clock when he was forced to adjourn because of his illness.

He was accompanied to the hotel by J. P. Kilgo, court stenographer. Dr. J. B. Edwards was summoned, and after an examination Dr. Edwards called Dr. S. H. Barnwell from Florence for a consultation. Judge McIver showed signs of improvement, and the ill man advised against calling his family. He had suffered similar attacks previously, and he thought it unnecessary to alarm his family. Within a short time he became worse and died at 3:45 o'clock. The body will be taken to Cheraw tonight for interment tomorrow.

The news of the death of Judge McIver caused much sorrow in Darlington, where he had many warm friends.

Solicitor J. Monroe Spears has asked Governor Harvey to appoint E. C. Dennis special judge to continue the term of court.

The members of the Darlington bar will attend the funeral in Cheraw tomorrow.

The State.

Cheraw, June 19.—Cheraw was saddened today by the death of Judge Edward McIver in Darlington, the news of his death coming as a shock to the entire community. Judge McIver left Cheraw for Darlington this morning, apparently in good health.

Judge McIver was the son of the late Chief Justice Henry McIver and would have been 64 years old next October. He was born in Cheraw and had lived here practically his entire life, his early education being received in the Cheraw schools. He received the degree of bachelor of laws from the University of Maryland and in 1878 was admitted to the practice of law. Mr. McIver served as secretary to Representative Hemphill in Washington and then returning to Cheraw took up the practice of his profession. For years he was a leader of the Cheraw bar, his knowledge of the law being given official recognition in 1918 when he was named judge of the Fourth judicial circuit. His first term expired in 1922 and at the last session of the general assembly he was again elected to the bench.

As an attorney Judge McIver had handled some of the largest cases in the county. Before his election to the bench he had represented both the Seaboard Air Line railway and the Atlantic Coast Line railroad. He was vice president and a director of the First National Bank of Cheraw and was also a director of the Bank of Cheraw. Judge McIver had also played an important role in the social and religious life of Cheraw and was an active member of St. David's Episcopal church. A public spirited citizen he was content, however, to render what service he had to offer his state in the capacity of a private citizen and as a jurist, never having offered for any political office.

He was the last of the immediate family of Chief Justice Henry McIver and is survived by only the following nephews and nieces: Edward McIver of Charleston, Mrs. W. Gist Duncan of Leesville, Mrs. William H. Wannamaker of Cheraw, Miss Mabel McIver of Cheraw, Miss Susie McIver of Cheraw and Henry McIver of Cheraw.

The funeral will be held at St. David's Episcopal church at 5 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, the funeral services being conducted by the Rev. A. S. Thomas, rector of St. Michael's Episcopal church, Charleston, and a former rector of St. David's church, Cheraw. Interment will be in the churchyard.

Bennettsville, June 19.—The news of the death in Darlington today of Judge Edward W. McIver came as a

ISSUE OF BONUS CAUSES CONCERN

McCUMBER THREATENS TO SIDETRACK TARIFF

Action May Embarrass President and Put Party Solidarity in Jeopardy

Washington, June 16.—If the tariff bill is sidetracked in favor of the bonus bill Tuesday, according to the plans of Senator Porter J. McCumber, the president will suffer the embarrassment of his executive existence. The passage of the bonus bill, its rejection by the president and its passage despite the veto of the president will make public a split between congress and the executive which, the president knows, will give reason for additional disgust to the people and provide the Democrats with another excellent campaign issue.

There is no necessity for immediate action on the bonus bill which can not be effective before January 1, 1923. But McCumber is apparently anxious that action be taken at his instance prior to June 28, the date of a primary in which his constituents will pass on his record. The bulk of the Republican membership would prefer to follow the president; but if McCumber requires them to vote, it is believed that they will follow McCumber, for many of them, like McCumber, have elections in their districts. The wrestle of McCumber and the president is no less strenuous than that of Jacob and the angel.

Acting on instructions from Harding, Senator Lodge, Republican leader, has called a caucus for Monday. In the caucus Lodge will endeavor to dissuade McCumber on the plea that party solidarity will be jeopardized. He will promise, it is understood, to put the bonus over after the elections and in plenty of time for it to be operative the first of the year. But after the elections McCumber will probably be a dead cock in the pit. It is known that he will argue that the party will be more criticized for wiggling and wobbling respecting the bonus than for any action which might result in an open rupture between the legislative and administrative branches. The indications are that the caucus will take stand against calling up the bonus and that McCumber will decline to be bound by that action.

The North Dakota senator is severely criticised by his colleagues on the ground that he would jeopardize the whole party in the hope of saving his own skin and for the same purpose would sidetrack the tariff bill, the delayed passage of which he has attributed to filibustering Democrats rather than his own questionable leadership. The Democrats expect to reap political advantage irrespective of the direction in which "the cat jumps."

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REEDY RIVER ASSOCIATION

Quarterly meeting of the Woman's Missionary union of Reedy River association will be held at Fairview church at 10:30, June 30, 1922. All missionary organizations are asked to send representatives.

distinct shock to the many friends here of the Cheraw jurist. Although it was generally known that Judge McIver was in failing health, his death was altogether unexpected. The Cheraw man was one of the most popular judges ever to hold court in Marlboro county. Regarded by local attorneys as a most able and accomplished jurist, he was respected very highly by the entire bar. Judge McIver's passing is a great loss to the judiciary of South Carolina. Judge McIver received the solid support of the Marlboro delegation to the general assembly when that body was voting last year for the successor of the late Associate Justice George W. Gage of the state supreme court. He was heartily supported by the members as long as he would permit his name to come before the legislature. The Bennettsville attorneys are expecting to attend Judge McIver's funeral in a body.