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GEORGIA RAILROAD BANK AUGUSTA, GEORGIA.

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Announcements.

All announcements coming under this head will be charged for at the rate of \$5.00 for each announcement. The same to run until the result of the primary.

Lexington county For Clerk of Court.

We are authorized to announce Samuel B. George as a candidate for the office of Clerk of Court at the ensuing primary election, and pledge him to abide the result thereof.

Upon the solicitation of many friends I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of Court of Lexington county, and will abide the result of the Democratic primary election.

Frank W. Shealy.

For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for reelection for the office of Sheriff of Lexington county, and pledge myself to abide the result of the Democratic primary.

P. H. Corley.

For County Supervisor.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Supervisor of Lexington county subject to the rules and regulations governing the Democratic primary.

Azariah Taylor.

For County Treasurer.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the nomination for the office of Treasurer of Lexington county, subject to the rules of the Democratic primary.

J. M. N. Dapass.

For the Senate.

The friends of Col. G. T. Graham announce him a candidate for the State Senate and pledge him to abide the results of the Democratic primary.

For Legislature.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the House of Representatives from Lexington County, subject to the rules governing the Democratic primary.

Isaac Edwards.

Aiken county For State Senate.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of State Senator, and pledge myself to abide by the rules and regulations of the Democratic party, and support the nominees thereof.

T. G. Croft.

THE COURT ORDERS MONEY TURNED OVER.

ATTORNEY GENERAL WILL RECEIVE \$15,000 OF DISPENSARY FUNDS FOR PROSECUTION OF GRAFT CASES.

In the supreme court Monday Mr. M. P. DeRumb, the assistant attorney general, obtained an order that the \$15,000 appropriated by the last general assembly from the dispensary fund be turned over to the attorney general. There was no disposition on the dispensary commission to refuse this, but on account of the fact that a part of the funds are now tied up by the United States court it was thought best to obtain an order from the State supreme court. The money was appropriated by act of the general assembly to be paid out of the dispensary funds and will be used for the prosecution of the graft cases.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. W. A. Cooner spent yesterday in Augusta.

Mr. W. H. Marvin, of Charleston is visiting his wife here.

Miss Ethel Godman, of Wards, is visiting Miss Theora Bodie.

Mrs. E. J. Jones, of Columbia, is visiting relatives in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Long, of Mt. Wiling, were in town shopping Monday.

Mr. C. L. Jones spent Sunday in Augusta.

Mr. Albert Rushon, of Augusta, visited friends and relatives in and around town this week.

Miss Fannie Mae Bettis of Trenton and Miss Annie Rogers of Union were visitors to Mrs. Jabez Ferris this week.

Col. Geo. Bell Timmerman, of the Lexington bar, was a visitor to Batesburg on Monday.

Mrs. R. H. Timmerman and children are visiting friends and relatives at Dillon.

Mr. J. L. Whistler, of Wards, was seen on our streets Saturday.

Mrs. J. P. Long, of Silverstreet, is visiting her father, Mr. W. A. Crouch.

Messrs Ira Carson and Lowry Covin spent Tuesday night in Johnston.

Mr and Mrs J. W. Dreher spent several days at Rocky, W. Va. S. C.

Miss Mabel Tarrant, who has been teaching school at Timmonsville, has returned to her home here.

Miss Lizzie Cullum is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. P. Pinckel, at Graniteville.

Mr and Mrs J. D. Guattlebbaum, of Prosperity, has been visiting Dr. E. C. Ridgell this week.

Dr. Dan Gunter, of Atlanta, has been visiting his father, Capt. U. X. Gunter.

Mrs. Addie Rollins, of Timmonsville, is visiting Mrs. Beasley.

Mrs. Alice Hartley has returned from a visit to her sons in Charleston.

Miss Annie McTurous, of Ninety Six, who has been visiting Mrs. E. L. Hartley has left for Charleston to visit friends.

Miss Ruby Watson is visiting Mrs. N. R. Bayly at "Forest Hill."

Mr. Harold Marvin, of Charleston, is visiting Mr and Mrs J. W. Cooner.

Mrs. Mary Harrison and Simmons, of Johnston, have been visiting this place.

Miss Annie Hall spent this week and at Johnston as the guest of Miss Mattie Toney.

Mrs. M. S. Rutland has returned from Ware Shoals.

Mrs. Medlock and daughter, of Ware Shoals, are visiting Mrs. M. S. Rutland.

Misses Kate Cullum, Rogers, Bettis, Bird and Timmerman and Messrs Graham, Fox, Cullum and Callie Drener spent Tuesday on a fishing trip at Stendons.

Dr. Watson, and Mr. F. C. Cullum spent Thursday fishing.

Miss Ruid and Miss Cosby, of Vir ginia are the guests of Mrs. W. H. Atwell.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Memorial services in honor of the Rev. J. K. Pace, will be held in the Baptist church on Sunday morning next, conducted by the pastor and some of the laymen. It is hoped that the Rev. N. N. Burton may be present also. Members of Bethel church are invited to attend. Mr. Pace was once pastor at Bethel.

COLLEGE OF CHARLESTON. Charleston, S C

22th year begins September 25. Entrance examinations will be held at the county court house on Friday July 3, at 9 a. m. All candidates for admission can compete in September for vacant Boyce Scholarships which pay \$100 a year. One free tuition scholarship to each county of South Carolina Board and furnish room a dormitory \$11. Tuition \$10. For catalogue, address Harrison Randolph, President.

SONS OF VETERANS WILL REORGANIZE

COMMITTEE TO HOLD MEETING HERE NEXT MONTH.

ORDER FROM THE COMMANDER.

WAYS AND MEANS FOR STIRRING UP INTEREST IN ORGANIZATION TO BE DISCUSSED THEN

An effort is being made to revive the interest in the South Carolina division, Sons of Veterans. For several years the organization has decreased in membership and except on the occasion of Confederate reunions it has been found impossible to have successful meetings.

Mr. Geo. Bell Timmerman, the commander of the division, has issued an order for a meeting of the committee to discuss ways and means for the improvement of the organization. The meeting will be held on June 3, in the city council chamber, and a committee on arrangements, consisting of Commander Timmerman and Messrs. M. L. Bonham, D. A. Spivey and C. W. Moorman, will meet on June 2 to arrange the preliminaries. The order is as follows:

"1. Pursuant to a resolution passed at the last reunion of this division, authorizing the division commander to appoint a committee, and fix a date for its first meeting for the purpose of considering ways and means for the improvement of this organization, the following appointments are hereby made:

"D. A. Spivey, division adjutant, Conway; Butler Hagood, commander First brigade, Barnwell; Dr. William Weston, commander Second brigade, Columbia; W. C. Wharton, commander Third brigade, Waterloo; M. L. Bonham and John C. Watkins, Anderson; J. J. Meswain, W. C. Cochran and Oscar K. Mauldin, Greenville; Sam J. Nichols, Spartanburg; John M. Kinard, Newberry; E. H. Weston, James A. Hoyt, C. W. Glasgow Moorman, Frank G. Tompkins, A. C. DePass, James Cathcart, C. C. Stunley and Rev. N. A. Hamrick, Columbia; J. Shannon, L. C. Hough, M. L. Smith and T. J. Kirkland, Camden; J. Harry Foster, Lancaster; R. L. Manning, Sumter; Rev. Hugh R. Murchison, P. H. Tatum, P. G. McLeod, Frank Kelley and R. E. Muldrow, Bishopville; Dr. A. H. Brailsford, Mullins; H. W. Connor, J. Ross Hannan and N. C. Johnson, Charleston; C. M. Felder, Blackville; W. L. Daniel, Saluda; St. Julian Carrawie, J. R. Tompkins, S. McGowan Simpkins, R. W. Cheatham and C. A. Griffin, Edgefield; William M. Carter and Dr. W. P. Timmerman, Batesburg; W. Aug. Scales, Leesville; Rev. W. H. Hiller, P. E. Dreher and Alfred J. Fox, Lexington.

"2. This committee will meet in Columbia on June 3, next, at 11 o'clock in the city hall council chamber; and all members are urged to be present promptly that the business of the committee may be promptly commenced.

"3. The order of business will be announced later, as will also the names of other members of the committee.

"4. This is an occasion of supreme importance to the South Carolina division, U. S. C. V., and it is hoped and expected that every member of the committee, realizing the importance of the work before them, will respond to the call of duty as promptly and satisfactorily as did their fathers in the early sixties. It is our right and duty to measure up to the standard of excellence so nobly fixed by them.

"George Bell Timmerman, Commander S. C. Div., U. S. C. V.
By Official Order:
D. A. Spivey, Div. Adj., and Chief of Staff"

LOST—Memorial Day. A small gold watch with black fob, Walford badge on fob with initials "J. C. S." on inside. Reward if returned to Miss Edith Spain, Batesburg, S. C.

NORTH CAROLINA FOR PROHIBITION.

STATE GOES DRY BY ABOUT 40,000 PLURALITY-- PROHIBITION TICKET CARRIES 78 OUT OF 98 COUNTIES-- ELECTION PASSES OFF VERY QUIETLY.

Raleigh, N. C., May 28.—North Carolina was carried for state prohibition today by a majority that is estimated at from 40,000 to 42,000 on reports and estimates received up to midnight.

The prohibition ticket has carried 78 out of the 98 counties by majorities approximating 48,000. The anti-prohibition ticket has 20 counties by majorities approximating 5,000. This calculation is based on some estimates and the prohibition leaders say it is possible for the prohibition majority to reach 50,000. A close estimate of the vote would give a prohibition majority of about 45,000.

The election passed off very quietly, no disturbances of any moment being reported. The total vote cast in the State was about 175,000.

BISHOP GUERRY WILL PREACH HERE MONDAY.

Bishop Guerry will spend Monday in Batesburg and preach on Monday night in the Methodist church. After service he will confer on all those wishing to join the Episcopal church. Everybody invited.

No. 5595.

Report Of The Condition Of The First Nat'l Bank of Batesburg, at Batesburg in the State of S. C., at the close of business, May 14, 1908.

| Resources | Dollars. |
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| Loans and Discounts | 121,740.43 |
| Overdrafts, secured and unsecured | 526.14 |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation | 25,000.00 |
| Premiums of U. S. Bonds | 875.00 |
| Bonds, securities, etc | 1,065.21 |
| Banking house, furniture, and fixtures | 9,641.00 |
| Other real estate owned | 19,418.44 |
| Due from National Banks (not reserve agents) 7,512.87 | |
| Due from approved reserve agents | 7,674.11 |
| Checks and other cash items | 328.58 |
| Notes of other National Banks | 1,500.00 |
| Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents | 78.00 |
| Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, etc: | |
| Specie | 4,600.00 |
| Legal-tender notes | 3,600.00 |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation) | 1,250.00 |
| Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund | 800.00 |
| Total | \$198,496.78 |
| Liabilities | Dollars. |
| Capital stock paid in | 25,000.00 |
| Surplus fund | 9,000.00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | 14,040.27 |
| National Bank notes outstanding | 25,000.00 |
| Individual deposits subject to check 93,808.88 | |
| Time certificates of deposit | 24,418.63 |
| Cashier's checks outstanding | 70.00 |
| Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed | 10,000.00 |
| Total | \$198,496.78 |

"STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF LEXINGTON, ss:
I, Ira C. Carson, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Ira C. Carson, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of May, 1908.
Geo. C. Glover, Notary Public.
CORRECT ATTEST:
W. L. Rawl,
T. B. Kernaghan,
J. A. Whitten, Directors.

THAW MUST STAY IN INSANE ASYLUM.

STANFORD WHITE'S SLAYER IS DENIED LIBERTY.

DECISION OF SUPREME COURT.

WHEN THE NEWS REACHED THE PRISONER HE WAS APPARENTLY RESIGNED TO INEVITABLE.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., May 25.—"In view of the existing mental condition of Harry K. Thaw, the safety of the public is better insured by his remaining in custody and under observation until he has recovered, or until such time as it shall be reasonably certain that there is no danger of a recurring attack of the delusion or whatever it may be."

This is the decision reached by Justice Morschauer of the State supreme court in a decision handed down today in the matter of Thaw's application for release from the Matteawan asylum for the criminal insane on a writ of habeas corpus.

Thaw who has been in jail here since the insanity hearing was begun, was quickly apprised by his counsel of the adverse nature of the decision and has accepted apparently with resignation the decree that he is still insane and that the interest of the public will be best served by denying him liberty.

Pending the signing of the papers of rec commitment, which probably will not be done before a week from next Saturday, Thaw will occupy Sheriff Chauver's suite in the county building here. In the meantime an effort will be made by Thaw's attorneys to induce District Attorney Jerome to consent to the commitment of the prisoner to one of the State hospitals other than Matteawan. It is said that in event of Mr. Jerome giving his consent to such a change, no appeal will be taken from Justice Morschauer's decision. Even if an appeal were taken it could not be argued before fall.

AGED WOMAN KILLED BY TRAIN.

MRS. PASS WILSON CRUSHED TO DEATH WHILE ATTEMPTING TO CROSS RAILROAD AT JACKSON STATION.

Aiken, May 25.—A most deplorable accident occurred at Jackson Station yesterday, when Mrs. Pass Wilson, one of the oldest and most highly respected women of that section, was run over and instantly killed by a train. Coroner Owens was notified a few minutes after the tragedy and he left for Jackson.

There was a freight train on the siding at Jackson, waiting for a passenger train to pass. Mrs. Wilson desired to cross the railroad track and made her way to the rear of the freight to cross behind the caboose. Just as she was about to cross around the caboose, the Atlantic Coast line passenger train came dashing by at a high rate of speed. It is thought that Mrs. Wilson saw this train just before it got to her, but did not have time to get out of the way.

Mr. Wilson and one of his sons, a nephew of the deceased, went on a fishing trip down the Savannah river, and up to 1 o'clock searching parties had been unable to locate him and apprehend him of the sad news.

The death is one of the saddest in the country in years. Mrs. Wilson was a very aged lady, being about 70 years old, and was universally loved by all who knew her. She was a strong Christian character and was highly respected. Previous to her marriage to Mr. Wilson, she was Miss Pettis of Barnwell county, the daughter of Mr. J. M. Pettis, one of Barnwell's staunchest citizens in his day. She is survived by her aged husband, three step-children, two sons, Messrs J. H. and Tom Wilson of Hattiesville, Barnwell county, and one daughter, Mrs. John Bohlen of Kathwood.