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## POLITICAL POT BOILS

You Pay Your Money and Take Your Choice.

## POLITICS ALL THE TALK.

There Were Some Sensational Surprises at the Eleventh Hour in the Way of Wonderful Feats of Acrobatic Daring--The Candidates.

The time for filing pledges closed last Tuesday at noon. During the week preceding that hour there were several surprises sprung, some of which were in the nature of sensations. The first of these was the withdrawal of Mr J P Derham from the fight for the senatorial toga and the announcement of Mr H Kemper Cook for this emblem of honor after he had announced himself a candidate for the House of Representatives, and the failure of Mr J A McDermott to file his pledge as a candidate for County Treasurer and the filing of the pledge of Mr D F McGougan for this office. At first some of the laymen in the household of Democratic faith did not understand these surprising moves upon the political checker board at the eleventh hour, but the fog and mist are clearing away and the people are beginning to see the "augur in the wood pile" more clearly and understands the situation better.

There were many candidates in the city and all you could hear were matters politically during about all of Monday and Tuesday.

J S Vaughn filed his pledge for Coroner, to the surprise of many as well as to Dr H H Burroughs, who was not expecting opposition.

W L Singleton withdrew after having filed his pledge for county Supervisor.

The following is a list of the candidates as they now stand:

For Treasurer--T J Vaughn, J N Jenrette, D F McGougan.

For Clerk of Court--W T Mishou, L H Burroughs, W L Bryan, W D Watson, R M Floyd.

For Supervisor--W J Hendricks, Jos W Johnson, J B James, A C Murrell, J W Dawson, V V Best, J G Floyd, C J Prince, J H Baker, J R Allsbrook, A P Johnson.

For Auditor--J A Lewis, C E Barker, J D Oliver.

For Sheriff--B J Sessions, W J Sessions, V D Johnson, Daniel Tyler, Elijah Buffkin, W K Holt.

For Coroner--H H Burroughs, J S Vaughn.

For Superintendent of Education--W A Prince, G C Gere, S H Brown.

For House of Representatives--J M Dorman, L B Singleton, J W Prince, M M Stanley.

For the Senate--Col D A Spivey, H Kemper Cook.

## Happenings Around Donkola.

The people of this section celebrated the Fourth by a picnic on the river at Punch Bowl.

The Pawley school opened on the 6th inst and is progressing nicely with an enrollment of fifty under the efficient management of Prof S. J. Wall, of Marion. Mr Wall has been with us before, and judging from his work then, we feel sure that the work of the school will be a success.

On Saturday evening the 11th inst the patrons and friends of the school had the privilege of hearing some very interesting addresses on education. The first speaker was Prof Wall. He first showed the importance of higher education in the rural communities than the conditions that now exist throughout the State and what an advantage the rural high school would be to the farmers in educating their sons and daughters. The next speaker was Mr H. K. Cook, candidate for the legislature. Mr Cook spoke on the evolution of the common school. He emphasized the fact that the common schools were insufficient to educate the farming class. Wanted them to have a prescribed course of study arranged so that they would be preparatory to the high school. Said that the mishaps of many farmers was ignorance. He wanted one high school in the county for the reason that the conditions are not suitable to maintain a high school in every district and that the farmers could easily maintain their children while at school if there was only one. Mr J. B. James, candidate for supervisor, followed Mr Cook. He also advocated higher education and showed that good schools were essential to promote progressive schools.

It soothes, refreshes, strengthens and purifies the stomach, bowels and kidneys. A tonic that prevents summer troubles. Such is Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. C onway Dr 11

W. A. Bell, of Wampee, spent last Sunday night in Conway.

## Solicitor Wells Commended.

Solicitor W. H. Wells, who is filling out an unexpired term of Judge Jno. S. Wilson, and who has by provision of law, been transferred to the newly formed Twelfth Circuit, has received the following letter from Judge Chas. G. Dantzier, who presided at the spring term of the court of the Third Circuit, which is the last that Mr Wells officiated at, before being transferred to this new circuit. These above mentioned spring terms were very heavy and entailed a great deal of work upon Solicitor Wells, and Judge Dantzier's voluntary letter is a testimonial of the manner in which Solicitor Wells acquitted himself. He is, and should be, very proud of this letter. It is as follows:

Orangeburg, S. C., July 12, 1908.  
Hon Walter H. Wells,  
Florence, S. C.

My Dear Sir:--Ever since the conclusion of the spring, 1908, term of the sessions court in the old Third Circuit, it has been my intention to write you, for the purpose of commending you for the efficient and faithful discharge of your duties as solicitor of that circuit.

It is simple justice to you to say that you have made an admirable solicitor. Your conduct of the cases for the State has shown you to be a fair and fearless prosecuting attorney. The rights of the State have been fully protected, while the rights of those charged with crimes have been fully respected. Your sole purpose seemed to have been, and I am sure, was, to vindicate the truth in all cases.

You should be commended, and I take pleasure in doing so.

With regards,  
Yours truly,  
(Signed) Judge Chas G. Dantzier.

## Just Exactly Right.

"I have used Dr King's New Life Pills for several years, and find them just exactly right," says Mr A A Felton, Harrisville, N. Y. New Life Pills relieve without the least discomfort. Best remedy for constipation, biliousness and malaria. 25c, at Norton Drug Co's drug store.

## Distortion of the Name Forgiven.

To the Editor of the Herald:

Kindly extend my thanks to your anonymous contributor, "Free for All," for his complimentary reference to my dictionary. Curb his desire to lead away from the subject of the Grand Jury investigation. It is almost too evident. On this painful subject of investigation, it is observed, you control your anonymous correspondents entirely too well.

The contribution of this one to the gayety of the situation is well nigh perfect. He has evidently been to a feast of words and brought away more than the scraps. I have really enjoyed his freshly phrased, smoothly flowing diction. His rather harsh distortion of the name I can, of course, forgive in one who has none of his own.

I very much fear, Mr Editor, that your apparently settled aversion to printing the names of your contributors will deprive of deserved literary fame some poor, plodding devil fast losing himself in a mistaken profession. J. O. Norton.

## Magistrate's Court.

Magistrate Jenrette was engaged last week in the trial of several cases brought by O. M. Harrelson against parties in Dog Bluff for violation of fish laws.

The first case tried came up on last Thursday. There were many defendants, to wit: Jos W. Johnson, John Dimery, Pearl Dimery, Andrew Dimery, Jos Jones, Charley Johnson and Ed Brown.

The jury consisted of Messrs Harmon, Bruton, Cannon, Clewis, Lewis, and after hearing the testimony they returned a verdict of not guilty in a very few minutes. One of the witnesses for the State made a very unfavorable impression.

Next day the following two cases were tried:

The State vs Charley Johnson, Joseph W. Johnson, Charley Hardee, Joe Tompkins, Ransy Tompkins. The jury empanelled to try this case were W. R. Lewis, S. P. Hawes, M. W. Cook, W. I. Hatcher, G. D. Roberts and Gurley Hux. Very little testimony was offered and the State withdrew the defendants Tompkins from the case but the others went to trial. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

The other case tried was a preliminary investigation against the same parties and it was heard at the same time. The magistrate dismissed the case.

## Best the World Affords.

"It gives me unbounded pleasure to recommend Bucklen's Arnica Salve," says J W Jenkins, of Chapel Hill, N. C. "I am convinced it's the best salve the world affords. It cured a felon on my thumb, and never fails to heal every sore, burn or wound to which it is applied. 25c at Norton Drug Co's drug store.

Senator G J Holliday spent several days in Conway last week on business.

## SIDE WALK ECHOES.

Gathered by a Herald Man on His Rounds.

## CAUGHT ON THE BOUNCE.

Stray Bits of News Gathered by the Wayside for the Information and Instruction of Herald Readers--Happenings of Interest About the City.

Base ball today (Thursday.)

Van D Harper was in town on business one day recently.

J T Ownes was a pleasant caller one day last week while in town.

In this issue, E J Roberts comes out for magistrate in Dog Bluff.

B F Moore, of Port Harrelson, visited Conway one day last week.

Mrs E L Smith, of Marion, is visiting her brother, Mr N Sweet in this place.

O E Todd, who fills an important position with the A C L at Wilmington, was in town recently on business.

Mr and Mrs J S Battle left Friday for Rocky Mount, N. C., on a ten days' visit to the mother of the former.

There will be base ball game today, (Thursday,) between Conway and Blair Bluff.

R L Lee is advertising a special sale of his large stock of merchandise preparatory to leave Conway.

The candidates for magistrate, Conway township, are W J Bruton, Newton Sweet and W. M Parker.

Prospective candidates, the door of hope is closed, the harvest is past for this time and your have failed to get on the band wagon.

For the next 60 days I will give with every maid to measure suit of clothes (coat, vest and pants) an extra pair of pants--J. W. Dawson July 24.

The following gentlemen from the county were all in Conway the latter part of last week: N B Smart, W J Rowe, Rev G P Panny, R H Rhodes and R A Lawrimore.

ESTRAYED--One black stock hog, about a year old. Marked, smooth creap in left ear, underbit in left ear. Been gone since February. Reward for information leading to his recovery. Address, T B Jordae, Conway, S. C.

Hon J W Ragsdale, of Florence, S. C., one of the leading candidates for Congress for the 6th district, spent several days last week in Conway and at Myrtle Beach.

Tying her bonnet under her chin, She tied her raven ringlets in: Then to the store she went with glee.

For Hollister's Rocky Mountain Conway Drug Co.

The Mullins Enterprise says that jolly Jim Neal is making things lively on his warehouse floor by boosting prices and buying a larger portion of the golden weed.--ad

In this issue is the card of Mr D F McGougan for the office of County Treasurer. He is at present a member of the County Board where he has served faithfully and with ability. He is competent to fill the office.

In this issue Daniel Grainger announces that he is again a candidate for Magistrate of Adrian. He is the present incumbent of that office, in fact has filled it for several years, and has made a splendid record.

It's like a summer breeze; cools, refreshes and builds up your wasting energies. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the most effective summer tonic. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Conway Drug Co.

C. H Snider is offering a reward for the apprehension of certain miscreants who cut and damaged his wire fence recently. Mr Snider will be glad to pay the reward to anyone who will discover the guilty parties. Read his notice in another column.

WANTED--To purchase after harvest of 1908, 25,000 bushels of sweet potatoes for which highest market prices will be paid. For further information write Breslauer, Lachotte & Co. Waverly Mills, S.

O M Harrelson, who was recently appointed fish and game warden, has been very active lately in prosecuting those who he thought to be violating the law in regards to netting fish during the close season. He had about a dozen defendants up before the court last week.

W K Holt has filed his pledge as a candidate for sheriff. For the past several years he has filled the office of County supervisor and is well known as an officer of good judgment and always keeping the best interests of the people at heart. He will make a good sheriff if elected.

## Its Up to the Doctor.

Editor Herald: My attention has been called to communication in the last issue of a local news sheet signed by "E Norton," calling for certain information relative to the proposed high school at this place. Now, it is generally understood hereabouts, or at least it is so advertised, that Dr Norton is the chairman of the board of trustees. It would occur to the ordinary layman that the Doctor is about the most suitable person to answer his own criticism. It seems to us that if the chairman wanted to raise a row with himself, or any member of his family, he could have easily settled the matter in his own backyard. We have been taught that it was largely the duty of the chairman to see that the orders of the board were executed and to otherwise look after the interests of the school. If he has been "derelict" in the discharge of his duty, let the chairman himself explain to the public his reasons why? We yield the floor to the Doctor! Advocate.

Conway, S. C., July 13, 1908.

## Letter From Florida.

Editor Herald--I have been thinking for some time I would write a short piece for your valuable paper, but fearing it would not escape the waste basket, I kept putting it off, though I have decided to try, knowing a man can't make a success at anything unless he tries.

First, I will tell you where Bowling Green is. It is only a little country town about thirty miles from Lakeland and sixty miles from Tampa, in De Soto county on the A. C. L. railroad. I have wandered away down here following the turpentine business.

Mining and making turpentine are the principle occupations in this part of the S. tate.

It is customary for us to have about six weeks rain here beginning in July and I think the rainy season is with us.

Watermelons and cantaloupes are small but plentiful. Pineapples are in abundance.

Rev Ray, accompanied by Rev Couter will commence a protracted meeting here Sunday which will probably continue a week. We trust great good may be accomplished.

Health in the community is generally good.

Florida is a very good State to live in. Fruit and vegetables are plentiful almost the year round. The winters are moderate and in the summer there is always a nice gentle breeze. Surely any one should enjoy the climate and good health, but in my opinion there is no place like home. No place can compare with dear old Horry county.

I notice in the Herald that Conway is building up very fast. I want to congratulate the people there on making so many new improvements especially the new court house and jail. I know they add much admiration and beauty to the attractive little place.

I take the Herald, I don't think I could get along without it. Wife and I enjoy reading it so much that when the postman announces mail, we try and see who can get the paper first. Washing you much success. I remain,

Matthew T. Jordan, Bowling Green, Fla.

W H Moore is a special agent of the Horry Herald, and will canvass the county with the candidates in the interest of the paper. He is authorized to take new subscriptions as well as to collect from old ones, and he will be glad to write you a receipt if you are due the paper anything. He will be with the candidates at the first meeting at Loris.

J B Smith a son of Mayor Jeremiah Smith of Conway, spent some time here last week visiting friends and relatives. Mr Smith is now established at Tampa, Fla., and he is one of the leading business men of that town. He is among the Horry boys who have made their mark in foreign States.

The Board of Supervisors of Registration was in session here all of last week and will remain in session for quite a length of time. In compliance with the laws on that subject quite a number of voters called and registered last week, and they are still calling at their office at the courthouse quite frequently.

The Herald again calls attention to the fact that all voters must be re-registered in order to vote in the next election. Especially those that have not registered since the adoption of the new constitution. So be sure and look into the matter in time if you expect to have anything to do with the election of officers.

The greatest fall of rain that has visited this county this year came down last Thursday morning, and was pretty general throughout the county. In Conway part of the side walks were washed away, and there was a washout on one of the R R drains to such an extent, that the Town authorities informed the Railroad authorities at Florence, and they sent a work train here last Friday to repair the damage.

## WHOLLY UNRIGHTEOUS

Sayeth the Orthodox Christian Preacher.

## GOD MAKES NO MISTAKES.

A Correspondent Wants Ministers of the Gospel of Christ to Denounce the Doctrine of Faith Cure from the Stand and Calls on God to Speed the Day.

Mr. Editor please allow me space to respond to the inhuman treatment published in a recent issue. I believe that God has the same power to heal now as he ever had, but he does not need a middleman to apply it. Very true it is when Christ was here in person on earth, he did works that no other man had done or ever will do to convince the world that he was God our Saviour, but when he finished his work and made salvation complete knowing that he would have strong opposition in planting his Church he also give this power to his apostles. When they died this power faded out. It does not follow that men can perform them now, if they can why do they fail.

Referring to the inhuman act of the so called Holiness sect in last issue it is evident that one of the preachers arose and announced to his audience that the child would be healed, having an inspiration from God through the Holy Spirit that the child would be well by morning, but yet it died at 4 p m next day. Now Mr Editor it is evident that God either made a failure or he lied on the Holy Spirit and we know that God never has nor never will make a failure.

My God what shall we say? My pen almost falls from my hand, Had the child had medical attention it might have lived and who knows might have shed rays of light along many a dark path and strewed flowers along many a weary way--but that much is gone.

Are not medicines means that God has given us? The ancients used it with success.

Now, dear reader, the only civil way to drift away such doctrine is to let every intelligent person keep away from them or their meetings. Parents teach your children better. Ministers denounce it from the stand for they will compass both sea and land to make one proselyte and when they have made him a twofold worse than themselves. If you will watch their end you will see what the foundation is.

May God help on the day when all shall know aright and act aright to the glory of God is our prayer.

Wide Awake.

## In Loving Memory.

The death angel called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Todd and took from them the idol of the family, little Alice L. aged five years nine months and fourteen days; and after bearing her sufferings with the greatest of patience.

Little Alice was a bright and sweet little darling and from a baby always had a great desire to talk of heaven and heavenly things and would speak of her loved ones that had gone before and she would know them and love them when she died and went to heaven. She would talk to her little sisters and tell them how they must do if they wanted to go to the Good Lord when they died.

She was the idol of her mother's life and beloved by all who knew her, and there were many sad hearts and tear stained faces over the grave. She was laid to rest on May 31st, in the old family burying grounds to await the resurrection morn. We extend our greatest sympathy to the heart broken mother and to the family at large. It is hard so hard to give it up To meet on earth no more. A darling one from earth is gone, A voice we love is still; A place made vacant in our home Which never can be filled.

"B."

## Adrian News.

Tobacco curing is the order of the day.

Tobacco has improved very much and the weed is generally curing up fine.

Most of the crops are fine considering such a backward spring. This is one of the best years for fruit that we have had in many years.

We are glad to know that Mr Marion Booth is improving.

Mrs W R Lewis, of Conway, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs W H Anderson, last week.

Miss Gertrude Anderson is back home now from school with her parents. K T.

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## TRIED TO KILL CONDUCTOR

Harry Hughes, a Negro Snapped Pistol at Him Twice.

Harry Hughes, a negro, while on the way to the beach on the negro excursion last Tuesday night, had a pistol drawn on Bud Rogers, another negro, when conductor P. H. Sasser interfered to stop the row, Hughes then turned the gun on the conductor and snapped it twice directly at his body, but the weapon failed to fire. The negro was then searched and a razor taken from his person but he had slipped the pistol to some confederate. Pete Hughes, a brother of Harry was also concerned. Harry and Pete were both arrested and lodged in jail.

## Last Weeks Electric Storm.

The heavy down-pour of rain of Thursday morning of last week was accompanied by one of the fiercest electrical storms that ever visited this part of the country. The lightning flashes were incessant, and it is wonderful that there was not more loss of life than has been reported.

The storm was at its worse about four o'clock, and about that hour Mrs Frances Nobles, and aged lady living at Enterprise, down the river, was awakened from her sleep and went to the side of the room to put down a window which had not been closed. The lightning was at its worse, and at that moment struck a post near the window and Mrs Nobles was instantly killed. The interment took place on the day following at the Singleton's burying ground in Buck's township. There was no sign of physical injury, and it is said that she may have been killed from the shock.

Four negroes were asleep in a hut at Laurel Hill when a bolt of lightning struck the roof killing most of the number. No other loss of life is reported.

Phone lines in different sections were put out of business, and some damage is reported to timber.

## Horry's Opening Sale.

The good sales at the Horry Warehouse on the 11th, the opening sale, was pleasing to all. The prices were very good, sand lugs selling right along at 6 1-2 to 10 cents per pound. The old question, "How did you like you sale?" was not answered in the old way, "not much," but, "I got more than I expected"--was the answer this time. The Horry seems all to the good this year with the new manager, J. R. Bowles at the helm.

Mr and Mrs U. A. Dusenbury, Capt Z. W. Dusenbury, Miss Grace Haselden and Master Ulric Harper left last Monday for Glenn Springs. They will visit Hendersonville before returning.

The case of the State against E. P. Harrison, Pearl Gasque, W. J. and James Bruton and Thos Johnson was called for trial last Saturday in the court of magistrate N. B. Smart, who came from his home to Conway for the purpose of hearing the cases. The cases, however, were not tried for the reason that the defendants had the case taken out of his hands and transferred to magistrate Jenrette. The case grows out a row which took place at Pauley's Swamp at a recent picnic and public gathering at that place. Quite a lot of people are interested in the case and there was quite a crowd in attendance to hear the cases last Saturday at the court house.

## WANTED

Pine and Cypress logs delivered at Enterprise Landing. I will pay for same as follows:  
No 1 Pine Logs 16 inches and up in diameter \$6 00 per m., and for No 2 Pine Logs \$3 50.  
No 1 Cypress 16 to 20 inches \$6 50 per m. For 21 inches and up \$7 50 per m. All No 2 Shaky Logs at \$3 50 per m.  
W. J. SINGLETON.

## SALE UNDER EXECUTION

Under and by virtue of two certain executions dated June 2nd, 1908 and one certain other execution dated July 6th, 1908, I have levied upon and will sell a public outcry before the court house door at Conway, S. C., between legal hours of sale, on Monday the 3rd day of August A. D. 1908, the following described lands and premises:

All and singular all the interest, estate, right and claim, the same being 1.3 in fee, more or less, of one Claude Hardwick, into and out of the following described lands and premises to wit: Two lots or parcels of land situate in the Town of Conway County of Horry and State of South Carolina, adjoining each other and known as the estate of P. W. Hardwick, and bounded by Beav street, 6th avenue and land of the estate of Ruth Burroughs. The same levied upon as the property of the said Claude Hardwick, and to cover said executions.

Terms of sale cash, purchaser to pay for papers. B. J. Sessions, Jul 16 td Sheriff Horry County.