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POSTOFFICE RUMORS

Washington Denies the Receipt of Any Information

Again there were rumors on the streets yesterday that there was something doing with reference to the local postoffice and that some changes were pending. Postmaster Cochran said that he is still on the job, and that he has not been informed of any change. He is willing to take the fortunes of war, from a change of administration, but he wishes to hold on to his position under any circumstances.

The air is charged with rumors, and The Intelligencer inquired of its Washington correspondent to learn if there was anything at that line. The following reply was received:

"The first Assistant postmaster general, D. S. Roper, was asked tonight dismissals of employees of the Anderson postoffice, which have been rumored for several days. Mr. Roper stated that he had heard nothing on the subject.

"He further stated that the matter would come to him in the ordinary course of business, but that unless handled by wire such matters were frequently delayed several days in reaching him.

"Rumors have reached Washington from Anderson to the effect that something is likely to happen in the near future but no official information is to be had as yet."

Inspectors have been in Anderson for several days. The nature of their work is secret, of course.

Water Power Legislation

Washington, March 5.—Water power legislation as a measure of relief for the people of South and West was urged today by Senator Jones, who spoke in favor of his bill granting water-power sites on the public domain to municipalities or public service corporations, under state or federal regulations with the power of the government to purchase after fifty years. His bill would require the operators to pay the United States five per cent annually for the uses of these powers.

Arrested Seven Times in Week

Chicago, March 5.—John W. Worthington, head of the defunct American Banking Association, was arrested tonight for the seventh time in as many days. As the banker stepped from the detective bureau where he obtained release on a bond of \$5,000, he was seized with a federal warrant charging him with using the mails to defraud.

COMING MEETING TO BE BEST EVER

District Deputy Says That Elks Will Hold Their Finest State Meeting Here.

Louis H. Cary, district deputy and grand exalted ruler of South Carolina of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, spent last night in Anderson. Discussing the approaching state convention of Elks, which is to be held in Anderson on June 17-18, Mr. Cary said that he expected this convention to be the most successful ever held. He said that in his travels over the state he had found the members of this great order the most enthusiastic over the June meeting and he anticipates for the Anderson gathering the largest attendance this association has ever known.

Mr. Cary said that of the 12 lodges in the state, every lodge would be well represented and that several of the lodges would send over 100 representatives to Anderson. Merely Spartanburg and Gaffney, the two newest lodges, will mean quite an addition to the state association as these two towns alone will send over 100 Elks to the convention.

The district deputy said that every lodge in the state is in a fine condition and that the meeting to be held here should prove to be a rousing one. He is well pleased with the present prospects and says that he is glad the association is coming to Anderson.

Plans for the entertainment of the "Hells Hills" are already underway and Anderson Elks are preparing to take care of their brothers from other portions of the state in right royal style. Outside of the time spent in business sessions, there will not be one minute to hang on the hand of the visitors. Throughout the day there will be some feature with which to entertain them and they will be shown a fine time.

It is hoped that the splendid new home of the local lodge will be completed in time for the coming of the visitors and if none of the present plans miscarry the new structure will be completed and ready for the reception of the visitors. It is planned to build a home here second to none in the state and it will assuredly make a most favorable impression upon the visiting Elks.

A survey of an extension of the Evansville and Rockport traction line from Kincaid, Ind., to a point opposite Owensboro, Ky., has begun and it is expected the line will be built this year when traction cars between Evans and Owensboro will operate every hour.

THREATEN RECALL

Los Angeles, Calif., March 5.—Protests, threats of recall and denunciation poured in today on Judge Willis, of the criminal department of the superior court, because he sentenced to thirty years' imprisonment Charles Guyton, a young negro, convicted of highway robbery, because he stole a white girl's kiss.

Deputations of white women visited the judge today to demand that action be taken to save Guyton from such severe punishment. Telephone messages informed him that petitions were being prepared for his recall. Other women called in person to say that steps would be taken to procure a pardon from the governor.

Judge Willis explained that the negro had been convicted of highway robbery. He had taken a dime from the white girl although he gave it back to her when he had kissed her, and he had subjected six other young white women to similar treatment, besides continually attacking two negro girls.

The deputations of women visited the district attorney to learn what procedure was necessary to impeach the judge or otherwise remove him from office.

Day In Congress

MARCH 5, 1914

Senate—Met at noon and joined the house to hear President Wilson read his address advocating repeal of the Panama tolls exemption. Public health committee was urged to recommend appropriation of \$500,000 for federal fight on malaria and typhoid.

Senator Clifton introduced a bill to empower the president to suspend Panama toll charges. Suffrage constitutional amendment discussed. Elections committee prepared to consider the presidential primary bill Saturday.

Senator Fall and Senator Works gave notice that they would speak on Mexico Saturday.

House—Met at noon and went into joint session with the senate to hear President Wilson's address. President's address was referred to the interstate commerce commission which will frame legislation to carry out its suggestions.

Secretary Bryan discussed the Mexican situation with the foreign relations committee in executive session. Adopted the conference report on the postal appropriation bill, which now goes to the president for signature.

Adjourned at 8 p. m. to 11 a. m. Friday.

Negroes Take French Leave

(By Associated Press)

Esley, March 5.—Four negro convicts escaped from the Pickens county jail yesterday. They were taken away during the dinner hour, and so far none have been recaptured. One of the escaped negroes, Henry Perry, was serving a year for attempting to break jail. Perry was accused of burglary and incarcerated in the Pickens jail. The charge of burglary was thrown out, but he attempted to break jail, and on this charge was given one year. He came to this place after escaping, and the officers knowing that his wife lived here were on the lookout for him. Perry was seen here yesterday for having borrowed her when he went to give him food and clothing. They got within sight of the jail but he ran away from them and they lost sight of him in the woods. The names of the other three negroes could not be learned.

There were two guards for the gang of 25 convicts when the four negroes made their escape.

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"ABSINTHE"

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Four-reel superb drama, showing the course of this drink to the French nation. It features King Baggot and Leah Baird. Don't fail to see it, for it is the greatest picture of its kind ever shown in this city.

Coming tomorrow, "The Mad Hermit," 3-reel 101 Bison, Indian war drama.

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TODAY'S PROGRAM

THE FALSE BRIDE—Victor.

3-reel special production, featuring Miss Florence Lawrence.

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THE MAN THAT PUT THE MOVE IN MOVIES

The plans of reorganization of the Wheeling and Lake Erie railroads have been completed and the roads will shortly be consolidated under one management as formerly and operated as one system of the head of which will be L. F. Loree, possibly not as president, but as chairman of the board.

Women in the District of Columbia work only eight hours a day. Women's health authorities and public officials are working for the abolition of smoking in Chicago street cars. Much of the smoking is done to and from work during the morning and evening hours.

Gen. Villa, Mexican rebel, is reported to have served in the Tenth U. S. Cavalry.

A Note of Thanks.

We wish to express to our friends and neighbors our many thanks and appreciation for the kindness shown us during the illness and death of our daughter and niece.

E. B. Hall, Tabitha Keys, Anderson, S. C.

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To My Many Friends, and All Patrons of Anderson, S. C., Postoffice:

I take this means of submitting to you my application for postmaster of Anderson. The most of you know my duties as operator, etc., will prevent my seeing all of you personally, but I will more than appreciate your endorsements on my petition, and if appointed I shall serve all the people to the best of my ability and to your best interest at all times.

Having served you at Anderson, S. C., for some 22 years as operator, manager, etc., of the Western Union and ticket agent of railroads here three and a half years, I sincerely ask your endorsement. Respectfully,

T. E. HOWARD.

ELECTRIC CITY SPARKLETS

Items of Interest and Person of Merit Caught Over the Wireless on the Streets of Anderson

Bride and Groom Are Visiting Here.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Prince arrived in Anderson last night and are now the guests of Mrs. H. M. Prince on Orr street. Mr. and Mrs. Prince were married Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Thomasville, N. C., the bride being Miss Nela Elizabeth Kahn. Mr. Prince was for sometime the day clerk at the Chiquola hotel in this city and numbers his friends here by the score. He is still in the hotel business, now being located at Salisbury, N. C. The young couple are receiving a hearty welcome at the hands of Anderson people.

Dr. Heller Quite Ill.

Anderson people will regret to learn that Dr. S. K. Heller is quite ill at his home in Townville. Dr. Heller is one of the best known physicians in Anderson county and the news that he is sick will occasion sorrow in many family circles in and around Townville. It is hoped by his friends that his indisposition on may be very short.

Chance For Candy Enters.

Martin's Drug store yesterday received a letter from the Nunnally candy factory in Atlanta to the effect that the factory is sending a demonstrator to show the people just how this famous candy is prepared for the market and to illustrate the fact that no cane is spared in the effort to make the candy as pure and wholesome as possible. Mrs. Talbot, one of the local experts, will be in charge of the local demonstration and she will serve some of the dainties to the people who call at the store on the day that she will be here, next Monday, March 9. Doubtless there will be many to take advantage of this opportunity to learn just how this famous candy is manufactured on the wholesale plan.

Mr. Calvin Well Pleased.

P. H. Calvin, sent out by the United States government, department of agriculture, to work in this section in conjunction with Clemson College, said last night that he was well pleased with what he had seen in Anderson county. Mr. Calvin is a man of ability along the lines he is devoting himself and if the Anderson people will listen to his advice concerning live stock and cover crops they may learn much. He will be in this immediate vicinity for several days.

Business Was Slow Yesterday.

The rain which fell in Anderson yesterday served to completely paralyze business. There were few people in town, almost none from the country, and Anderson merchants said last night that the day's business was extremely small compared to that done during the last few days. The streets were almost deserted for the better part of the day and the activity so common to almost every Anderson business house was lacking.

Railroad Men Spend the Day.

Among the visitors to Anderson yesterday were J. W. Cook of Atlanta, traveling freight agent of the Cincinnati, Texas & New Orleans railway of the Queen & Crescent route and E. W. Long, of Greenville, commercial agent of the Seaboard Air Line railway. These gentlemen stated that the business given their railroads out of Anderson was more satisfactory to them than that secured from any other town

in this section of any where near the state. They also said that they were always glad of the opportunity to come to Anderson because of the hospitality Anderson people always accorded them.

Really Now, Aw Deacher Know.

Gordon Smith, the English golf expert who is now temporarily located at the Sans Souci club in Greenville for the purpose of assisting the would-be golfers there to perfect themselves in the fine points of the game, has consented to come to Anderson and give his much-desired opinion of the lay of the land at the Hill club where the course is proposed. Mr. Smith's visit is being eagerly awaited by the members of the club and it is hoped that the course will soon be begun. It is understood that approximately two acres of land will be necessary for the construction of the links.

Every Member Should Attend.

Every member of the Anderson Chamber of Commerce should be in attendance at the meeting tonight at 8 o'clock. This meeting has been called by the chairman, Jas. D. Hammett, for the purpose of electing five new directors for the body to succeed the five retiring directors. This is a matter of supreme importance because selected to guide the affairs of cases much depends upon the class of the organization.

Dr. Diver's Niece Died in Columbia.

Dr. F. Diver has received information of the death in Columbia, Wednesday afternoon of Miss Pauline Steen, his niece. The peculiarly sad part about the death of this good woman was the fact that within a year three members of the family have resigned—Miss Steen's sister, Miss Sophia, and her brother-in-law, Rev. W. C. Lindsay.

Slander Charge Made by Preacher.

Rev. E. N. Sanders, pastor of the Second Baptist church of Anderson has had a warrant sworn out for the arrest of Will Miles, a young man in the Prospect section of two county. The charge is malicious slander. Miles came to town and was released on \$400 bond. He declined to take the preliminary, stating that he could prove the charges and that he would do so in open court. Mr. Sanders denies the whole thing as a frame-up. The Intelligencer was apprised of all the alleged circumstances Wednesday, but as the details are such that we do not care to print that kind of news, we will let the matter rest here until next week.

SERIOUS SITUATION Confronts the State of South Carolina Financially

Columbia, March 5.—All lawyers who were consulted Thursday night about the effect of the bill for the appropriation of money for borrowing money were of the opinion that it might cause the state serious embarrassment. Some of them held that that section 233 of the code of 1912 might enable the state to float its usual loan.

The "repelling clause" in the appropriation bill wipes out all acts inconsistent with it and some of the lawyers who were spoken to on the subject Thursday night held that it would invalidate this section of the code which relates to borrowing money on the credit of the state.