

BELTON PAGE

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INTERESTING BUDGET OF NEWS AND NOTES FROM BUSY BELTON

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Belton, April 1.—Spencer Taylor, the night operator of the Southern Bell Telephone company here, is confined to his room.

The many friends of chief of police, J. E. Martin will learn with pleasure that he is able to be out again after a week's illness.

Mrs. W. K. Stringer of Belton, left this week for quite a lengthy visit to relatives in her former home, Newnan, Ga.

Mrs. I. M. Still and daughter, Francis and little Jessie Saunders Cox are visiting the family of Mrs. L. W. Cox.

The civic league will meet Monday afternoon at the library room in the Stringer building at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. L. M. Herd and children have returned to their home in Elberton, Ga., and Mrs. Heard leaves Saturday for Washington, D. C., where she goes to visit her sisters, Mrs. James H. Patterson; Mrs. Alice B. Latimer will go to Elberton to keep Mrs. Heard's children, while she is away.

The many friends of W. C. Hearin will regret to learn that she is sick at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Greer.

E. W. Ashley, Sr., of near Honea Path, was among those who had business in Belton yesterday.

C. D. Hodge, of Easley, has recently rented the store the L. P. Willingham market and will run a 5, 10 and 25 store there. Mr. Hodge has a larger store of a similar nature in Easley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vaughn of Belton, left this morning for Walhalla, where they will spend two days, guests of their son, Edward Vaughn.

Messdames A. L. Fant, R. L. Parker and J. S. Adams, all of Belton, are in Beuca Path attending the Presbytery.

Belton, April 2.—M. E. Babb and C. C. Chapman, two prominent farmers of the Toney Creek section, were among those in town today.

E. H. Acker, a Confederate soldier of prominence, who resides in the Toney Creek section, is recovering rapidly from an attack of the grippe.

Mrs. W. A. Martin, who resides near Williston, fell Sunday, while walking near her home and broke one of her legs. Medical attention was given Mrs. Martin immediately and she is now doing nicely, though she is 68 years old.

Death of a Little One

Belton, April 2.—The three-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Major of Belton died Wednesday after three days of illness of pneumonia. "B. E." the little fellow, was a bright and handsome boy and had many friends. The interment will take place on Thursday afternoon six miles from Belton at the Neal Creek cemetery in the presence of many sorrowing relatives and friends. Rev. Mr. Martin will conduct the funeral services. We deeply sympathize with the bereaved parents in their sad hour.

Split Log Drag Used With Effect

Belton, April 2.—Jas. A. Farmer, a prominent farmer of the Toney Creek section was among those in town yesterday. Mr. Cox stated that he wanted the general and efficient county supervisor to have a picture made of the county road machine and send to him in order that the picture can be placed on the public school building of the Toney Creek section.

We judge from Mr. Cox's conversation that this modern piece of machinery has never been seen in this section of the county. He went on to state that if the citizens along Toney Creek road would use the split log drag as he is doing, there would be no need of Supervisor King bringing this handsome machine to this section of the county.

The split log drag is doing wonderful work on the piece of road being worked by Mr. Cox. He stated that he is serious about the picture of the road machine though. We believe Supervisor King, as soon as he gets the chance, will take the pretty road scraper to this section of the county, and not send the picture—though Mr. Cox says either will do, as he is so much in love with the split log drag, so easily pulled by three mules.

Mayor Mitchell suggested to Mr. Cox that he keep at the "Little Ideal" while in Belton and he would be convinced that he needed the scraper on his roads before using the split log drag.

The Band Concert Was Grand Success

Belton, April 2.—While the Belton Band was successful in giving an up-to-date performance at the Casino Theatre Wednesday night, some were disappointed not to see the band in the weather.

GROWING CHILDREN

They Should Be Protected Against Internal Uncleanliness as Well as External Contamination.

The delicate organs of the maturing child are more susceptible to the influence of disease and infection than are the more seasoned organs of grown-ups. Malaria takes an early and serious hold on the child's liver and causes headaches, coated tongue and indigestion cramps and many other dangerous conditions.

There are the signal posts of warning nature provides that your child may be relieved of impending sickness.

The proven remedy, CARSWELL'S LIVER AID which is purely VEGETABLE liquid compound should be in your medicine chest ready to administer at the first sign of a disordered liver.

Fifty cents purchases a large bottle at Frierson's Pharmacy, Belton, S. C. under the absolute guarantee that price will be returned without quibble if you want it.

vonla, Ga., and Fair Play are visiting their father Dr. H. S. Heller who is critically ill.

TOWNVILLE NEWS

Mar. 31.—Last Wednesday evening at Beaverdam home of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Earle, they entertained at an elaborate dinner to a committee of some of the leading Sunday School workers of this section. Among those were Revs. W. S. Myers, W. B. Hawkins and T. S. Hollingsworth and the laymen D. C. King, E. C. Asbill and J. W. Walter Wickson. The plan was to inaugurate a house to house canvass of every white citizen within a radius of 4 miles of Townville. The first Sunday in April at 4 P. M. at the Methodist church the first preliminary, 3rd, Sunday at the Baptist church an all day rally at which time it is expected to have some of the most prominent Sunday School speakers in this section of the Interdenominational Sunday Schools of the State.

That evening was very pleasant as well as profitable one to all of the visiting friends.

Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Myers spent a few days recently at Sandy Springs. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Asbill visited friends and relatives in Laurence last week.

Miss Lucile Burkett of Anderson is visiting her friend Miss Murtis Gant. Miss Patterson who has been visiting her sister Mrs. S. C. Asbill has returned to her home in Laurence.

Messdames R. A. Price and E. C. Asbill visited Spauldine this week, at which time Mrs. Price purchased a handsome automobile.

Mr. Granberry Dickson of Deacon Texas is visiting relatives.

Quite a number from here attended Field Day in Anderson.

Messdames W. S. Myers, R. A. Price, Kay Jones and others attended the exercises of Field day last Friday.

Drs. Mood and John Heller of Laurence.

ICE CREAM

Commencing today ICE CREAM will be served at our fountain every day throughout the season. Orders taken for Cream on short notice at \$1.00 Per Gal

DONALD & WILSON CO. DRUGGISTS BELTON, S. C.

BEANS! BEANS! BEANS!

Be sure to get your beans to plant on GOOD FRIDAY.

We have several varieties of bush beans, as follows:

Red Valentine, Black Valentine, Yellow Six Weeks, Black Wax, Refugee, 1,000 to 1, Burpee and Giant Stringless Green Pod and anything else in the seed line that you may want.

Remember we will give away \$10.00 on each price for the largest amount grown from our seed. Come to us for your wants in the drug line.

FRIERSON'S PHARMACY

(The Leading Drug Store.) BELTON, S. C.

LIND RETURNS FROM MEXICO

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF PRESIDENT ON VACATION DIPLOMACY FAILED

No Prospect of Huerta Yielding the Reins of Government Thru That Means

(By Associated Press)

Washington, April 2.—John Lind, former governor of Minnesota and for eight months the personal representative in Mexico of the president of the United States will sail from Vera Cruz tomorrow enroute to Washington aboard the presidential yacht, Mayflower.

The announcement of Mr. Lind's prospective visit was made by President Wilson with the explanation that his envoy had requested a vacation from his labors in a tropical climate, and as soon as that had been obtained he would return to Mexico.

The president declared that Mr. Lind's departure for the United States should not be construed as in the nature of a recall, or as forecasting any change of policy by the Washington government toward either faction in Mexico. He said that no negotiations of any character were now pending between the Huerta government and the United States, and that the recent conference between Senor Portillo Y. Rojas, Mexican minister of foreign affairs and Mr. Lind had developed nothing tangible or important.

Mr. Lind's trip to Washington, nevertheless, revived speculation in official circles about the diplomatic side of the Mexican situation, and there were indications from what Secretary Bryan told callers, that while the envoy's request for a vacation had been granted, no definite plan had been made for his return, and that the administration was disposed to leave the question open for the present. It is believed that both the president and Secretary Bryan had now seen no reason for Mr. Lind not going back to continue his observations of conditions in Mexico, but are not binding themselves as to the future, Mr. Lind's movements hitherto being dependent entirely upon day by day developments.

The president told inquirers that there was no special reason why Mr. Lind should come to Washington, as his reports had been comprehensive and accurate.

Except for the five day trip to Pass Christian, Miss Lind, last January, aboard the scout cruiser, Chester, when he did not go ashore, Mr. Lind has been constantly observing Mexican affairs during periods alternately critical and tedious.

When he visited the president at Pass Christian, Mr. Lind spoke of the ill effect which the tropical climate had had on his health, but declined the president's invitation to return to the United States preferring to continue his work of observation. His request for a vacation, at this time was regarded as significant in official circles. It was taken to mean that he saw no prospect of General Huerta's yielding the reins of government to Mexico City through diplomatic persuasion, and that affairs would remain in statu quo, pending the outcome of the Constitutional forces' march south. General Huerta's message to congress yesterday, in which he expressed a determination to remain in office until after his country was at peace, strengthened the belief here that Mr. Lind saw no chance to affect the situation in Mexico by his continued presence and opportunity sought the vacation, while no important matters were pending. Upon his own council and discretion it is believed he will return to Mexico.

Authorized Appointment. Washington, April 2.—President Wilson today authorized the appointment of Wilbur L. Kobliger, of Virginia, to consular service without the usual examinations. Mr. Kobliger was for fourteen years secretary of the international boundary commission, and at one time was commissioner for the United States on the Rio Grande and Colorado river commissions.

Just Because

she is your wife, struggling with you to make the partnership a business success, does not mean that she has lost her appreciation of Jewellery. Hasn't it been too long since you remember her in his way?

HANKS BROS. JEWELERS

Belton, S. C.

Birds-Eye View of Great Parade

A great many people looked forward to the first County Field Day for Anderson schools, held a week ago, as an event primarily for the school children and an affair in which the people of the city and county would not be interested. That they were wrong is shown by the crowded streets in the accompanying picture. The Intelligencer photographer snapped the picture of the floats as they were coming around the corner of the Plaza and here will be seen some school creations of which the county officials and the people of Anderson can feel proud.

FACTS ABOUT CLEMSON COLLEGE

ALSO SOME INTERESTING FIGURES PRESENTED BY RIGGS IN A SERIES OF ARTICLES WRITTEN FOR "THE TIGER"

Clemson College, March 21.—Special Dr. W. M. Riggs, President of the College, has written a series of three articles for The Tiger, the weekly newspaper published by the Clemson students. The first article was on "The College," the second on "The College Finances," and the third, just published, is on "Clemson College in 1914," a sort of prophecy of what the next ten years may bring forth.

In his first article President Riggs has information about the college organization that is interesting to the general reader. By explanation and diagram he shows that the governing powers in the board of trustees, made up of seven life members and six elective members, who elect a president as the executive head of the affairs of the institution. This president selects and the board confirms directors of departments, who in turn have voice in selecting heads of divisions in their departments. These divisions are the smallest units in the organization.

Departments and Heads. The departments as the institution is now organized are, with their directors, as follows: Agricultural department, J. N. Harper; engineering department, S. B. Earle; textile department, C. S. Doggett; chemical department, R. N. Brackett; academic department, Lieut. J. M. Cummins, U. S. A.; besides a so-called miscellaneous department including such things as the library, the treasurer's things as the library, the treasurer's office, constant repairs, etc.

The second of Dr. Riggs' articles is of more vital interest to the public, since it is an explanation of College finances, incoming and outgoing. Some facts from it follow. The probable income from all sources for this fiscal year are: Clemson bequest, \$3,512.39; tuition, \$5,000; fertilizer tax, \$229,000; Morrill and Nelson funds (U. S.), \$25,000; land script fund, \$5,754; miscellaneous sources, \$7,300; balance brought forward, \$12,464.92—making a total of \$288,731.28 as the probable income.

Where the Money Goes. The outgoing funds run through two main channels, the current expense of the College, and the public service work. Of the expenditures for the College, \$23,488.35 will go to new buildings, and \$148,632 for the operation of the institution in the teaching of the 834 students. The public service work will take \$100,512.68, as follows: branch experiment station, \$11,500; fertilizer inspection and analysis, \$44,968.66; extension and demonstration work, \$20,500; agricultural scholarships, \$22,500; veterinary inspection and hog cholera work, \$4,541; stove experiments, \$3,125; crop pest examination, \$2,200; miscellaneous, \$2,400.

Experimental Station. The South Carolina experiment station is financially a separate institution, and none of the Federal funds that come to it can be used for the College of the public service expenses. The amount received, \$30,000 annually, can be used only for agricultural research work done under the close supervision of the office of experiment stations at Washington, D. C.

Of the funds received from students, \$105,081.57 last year, only the part coming from tuition is used by the College. The rest is held in trust for the students and is spent in their benefit for food, clothing, laundry, heat and lights, medical service, etc.

From the President's Pen. Following is, in part, President Riggs' article on "Clemson College in 1914." To build a college, and a city, as well as to operate a college with an

NO CHANGE IN PLANS OF ADMINISTRATION

Congress Will Likely Dispose of All Its Business By Middle Of July

Washington, D. C., April 2.—When asked today whether lengthy consideration of the tolls question would necessitate the curtailment of the legislative program so as to secure an early adjournment of congress, President Wilson said no change in the administration plans as outlined early in the session was contemplated.

The president said he believed that congress would dispose of all the business by the middle of June of the first of July. Administration leaders have fixed on June 1, as a goal for adjournment, but generally, it is admitted that the session will extend beyond that date.

Members of congress are anxious to make the session as short as possible, because of the proximity of the congressional elections.

PAYS TRIBUTE TO WADDELL

Raleigh, N. C., April 1.—Conrad Mack, manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, who is now in this city with his recruiting club, when informed of the death of "Rube" Waddell, said he was deeply grieved to hear of his death.

"White Rube" may have had some faults," he said, "he certainly had a big heart. He would always be the first to offer help to an injured or ill player and was always the last to leave him. He was one of the first players who put our club in good standing with the Philadelphia public and as a pitcher he ranked with the leading twirlers of the country."

HUERTA'S CLOSING WORDS

Conclusion Address Before the Mexican Congress. Mexico, City, April 1.—Huerta's closing these protests is that he has upon your hearts that it is my hope, as I have said before to the national congress, to achieve the peace of the country, and, if to do so, your sacrifice and mine shall be responsible, you and I will know how to sacrifice ourselves. This is my purpose, of that is the same thing, my profession of political faith.

With this statement President Huerta ended his message to congress, which convened to-night. The statement otherwise was the same as the national statement of Huerta's.

SIX AND TWENTY

enrollment of 446 the first session was the task that confronted the trustees and officers of this institution at the beginning twenty-one years ago. Without being a burden upon the State treasury, the College has gone forward building its plant as fast as money could be spared from operating expenses. For the first ten years, the fertilizer tax averaged \$47,876.13; for the second ten years, \$122,341.95; and for the past five years, \$255,971.29. With this support—how much less than many people have supposed—the College has grown into a plant valued at over one and a third million dollars and total enrollment during the twenty-one sessions of its educational history, of 12,255.

During the past five years the College has halted in the development of its plant in order to carry out its benefits to that large number who could not come to the College. Unless the revenues of the College increase, so large an expenditure for public service cannot likely be continued. It has been the policy of the College to teach the people the need of certain work by doing it for them.

Williston, March 21.—Today to a close the third month of the year 1914, and the farmers have never had any more work done toward making a new crop than they have at the present time. Many have their preparations advanced that they can begin planting their cotton crops. Some have already planted their corn and some will wait and plant corn later and thereby try to escape the corn worm.

We are to have a Children's Day at this place sometime in the near future. This will be something new for Six and Twenty, as we have always tried heretofore to stay behind every other community. We have yet a few back numbers who want to oppose every thing that is calculated to bring church and Sunday school up to the place where they can take a front seat with the other progressive churches are less in numbers every day. So and schools in the county, but they are beginning to see the light shining and note it be.

A local matter that will be watched with a great deal of interest in other sections as well as in this is that of some taxpayers who reside in the school district (Melton) returning their property for Lebanon District. The trustees of this district will try to recover the taxes or so much of them as go for school purposes for the benefit of this district. The outcome will be watched with much interest.

The recent shower has revived the small grain considerably and most of it is now looking very promising. W. M. Smith has the best wheat we have so far seen.

It is time for our boys to have their annual attack of baseball fever. Get busy boys and give us some nice games this spring and summer.

Jimmie Moore of the Lebanon section attended the Field Day exercises at Anderson last Friday. James Welborn and Clint Webb of