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THE COUNTY RECORD.

Kingstree's School.

The first session of the Kingstree High and Graded School, since its patrons voted an additional tax levy for the purpose of establishing a higher educational standard through the addition of an eleventh grade, will open Monday, September 11. It is not necessary for us to attempt to stress the importance of this addition to the curriculum of Kingstree's public school. Taxpayers showed their appreciation of it when they voted their approval of an extra levy. Patrons will realize, as highly valuable, the widened scope of instruction by a mere reference to the fact that chemical and domestic sciences will be a part of the high school course at the coming sessions, will doubtless reap an inestimable benefit.

And now, that our school is to start off on an enlarged scale, with bigger and better equipment, and an excellent corps of instructors, we think every citizen, trustee, teacher, patron and pupil should become an enthusiastic booster, cooperating in every way and in every undertaking that tends to a successful session.

No school can attain to the highest degree of success without the unqualified support of those interested. And right here let us suggest that no one should feel, because they haven't a child in school, that they have no interest in it. Every citizen, man, woman and child in Kingstree should feel proudly in this school, because it is the town's most valuable asset, and every citizen is benefited by its work.

This does not apply to Kingstree's school alone, but to every school and every community where there is a public school.

It is hoped that the heads of homes in this good town of Kingstree, wherever possible, will show their hospitality as well as their patriotism by taking care of the men who will be summoned here next Tuesday to be sent to Camp Jackson. The war department has called upon the local board for 40 per cent of Williamsburg's quota under the selective draft act, and as stated in another column of this paper, these men will have to be provided with lodging one night before leaving for Columbia. The 40 per cent quota means that about 96 men will have to be provided with a place to sleep Tuesday night. Assist the local board by letting it know how many you can accommodate.

Since the war started Uncle Sam has been mighty kind to the loud-mouthed, short-brained, disloyal foreign-sympathizers in this country. Under the Prussian military system hundreds of men have been executed for saying less. But the time is coming when the country will awake to the fact that we are at war and some of these "copperheads" will discover that treason is punishable by death. Now is a good time for the man who is not satisfied with the way the President is running this nation's affairs to get out.—*Dillon Herald.*

THOMAS E. WATSON.

His Strange Career and Its Lamentable Conclusion.

Just beyond the little town of Thomson, in a magnificent, old-fashioned Southern home, there lives a man whose very name should, by all rights, be blazing brightly on the halls of time.

Today this man is in the depths of despair, burdened with woes unextinguishable, eating the bitter fruit of remorse and tasting the dregs of grief.

To him, as it were,
"When sorrows came, they came not single spies,
"But in battalions."

Born with an innate pride which lashed his ambition like the whip of a task master and spurred him on and on to heights which the average country youth would not dare to scale, this man cultivated himself, developed his talents, and made himself a man among men.

He became as good a lawyer, in at least one particular branch of the profession, as there was in Georgia.

He exhibited qualities of statesmanship seldom seen in these shallow times.

With his pen he employed:
"Choice words and measured phrases above the reach
"Of ordinary men."

His essays rank with those of Macaulay and Lamb.

His histories are the ablest ever written in this country—his 'Story of France' being a classic and his 'Napoleon' being the most comprehensive one-volume study of the most famous man of history. His 'Jeffersonian' and 'Jackson,' his 'Mexico,' his 'The Hohenzollerns,' even his 'Roman Catholic Hierarchy,' are works which prove him an historical writer of the highest order.

His editorial expression burns with the fire of a Marat and the powerful eloquence of Brann or may soothe like the gentle tenderness of a woman.

Forensically, he is even yet, with the possible exception of Judge Speer, the most superb orator in the South. Certain it is, he is without a peer in this State as a political stump speaker.

Yet this man has—
"Fallen, fallen, fallen, fallen,
Fallen from his high estate,
And weltering in his own blood."
However it may be said that—
"Twas no foe's arms that fell him,
"Twas his own that struck the blow."

Today, instead of being honored by his people, an inspiration to the youth of the land, his name, the proud boast of his countrymen, he is despised by decent-thinking citizens, practically proscribed by his government, a pariah among patriots.

While others less gifted but more devoted to democracy are giving their unselfish services to their nation, this man is sowing the seeds of sedition. His writings are denied the mails, and a prosecution for an offense akin to treason hangs heavy, heavy over his head.—*Americus (Ga) Times-Recorder.*

Farm bookkeeping is just as necessary as any other kind. No farmer need employ a bookkeeper, of course, but he should keep his accounts in reasonable detail and know what each crop costs him and what it brings in. The little labor involved in keeping things down in black and white is nothing compared with the value of the result, which often causes probable changes in farm management.

We have nothing to offer you but Furniture for less than you can buy it elsewhere. Ask your neighbor; he's our customer. 9-6-tf
KINGSTREE FURNITURE CO.

Will D Upshaw, the noted temperance lecturer, is a candidate for U S Senator from Georgia to succeed T W Hardwick.

When you bring your cotton to town, call at the Farmers' Cafe; first class meals at all hours. 9-13-tf

Have you seen the big stock of House Furnishings at the big Furniture Store, next to postoffice? 9-6-tf
KINGSTREE FURNITURE CO.

FORMER SHERIFF COMES OUT WITH THE FACTS.

PROMINENT MAN SAYS MONEY COULDN'T BUY GOOD TANLAC DID

For Him. "Couldn't Make Mistake"—
"I Never Felt Better in My Life," Says Anderson—"A New Man Already."

"Money could not buy the good Tanlac has done me and I gladly recommend it for what it has done in my case," said Hon Archie R Anderson, ex-Sheriff of Harris county, Texas.

Mr Anderson is unquestionably not only one of the best known but also one of the most popular men that ever held office in Texas. After serving as a deputy sheriff of Harris county for 12 years he was elected chief of police of Houston. He had occupied this office only a short time when the sheriff of Harris county died. Mr Anderson's friends persuaded him to make the race for the unexpired term of Sheriff, to which he easily was elected. He was honored with re-election seven different times and served the people in this most important office fifteen consecutive years. Four years ago Mr Anderson declined re-election and retired to private life. He cast his lot among the people of Houston and is a large property owner and foremost citizen of that city.

"I was in a run down condition," continued Mr Anderson, "and had no appetite at all. I could hardly sleep at night and did not feel like getting up in the morning, I felt so tired. I had the worst form of indigestion, suffered all the time with gas on my stomach and was continually belching up undigested food. I had to take my coffee without sugar, for when I drank it with sugar I would belch for hours. I would bloat and swell up like I was poisoned and suffered with neuralgic pains of the worst sort, and nothing seemed to help me except in a temporary way. I just can't tell how I did suffer in the past four years and until a few weeks ago when I began taking Tanlac.

"When I read the testimonials of some who had been relieved of troubles like mine I felt I just couldn't make a mistake by taking Tanlac, and it has done even more for me than I had expected. I began to feel better after taking my first bottle and I have just now started on my third, and I'm a different man already. I sleep like a log now and eat just any and everything I want without the slightest discomfort afterwards. I am glad to endorse Tanlac because it does the work, and I am telling all my friends just what I'm telling you. I never felt better in my life than I do since taking Tanlac. I am willing for you to publish my statement and let every suffering person who may wish benefit by my experience with this great medicine."

Tanlac, the master medicine, is sold by Kingstree Drug Co., Kingstree; Mallard Lumber Co., Greelyville; Farmers' Drug Co., Hemingway; S S Aronson, Lane; R P Hinant, Suttons; W D Bryan, Bryan.

A Subscriber's Friendly Letter.

Editor County Record:—

You will find inclosed \$1.25, my dues on paper from the 7th of August, 1916, to the same date of 1917. I thank you kindly for continuing the paper without your money. I live by my labor and you do the same. I do not feel that I could do without The County Record, therefore let it continue to roll in, and my subscription will do the same. I will remit my dues at the expiration of the next August, 1918. I trust this will be satisfactory. I beg to remain,
Yours truly,
N. A. H.

P. S.—Mr Editor, I have said, not through any criticism at all towards any one, that a man is not a good citizen who does not take a good county paper and then pay for it, when he takes it and reads it.
N. A. H.—

Hemingway, Rt 1.
September 10, 1917.

[What smooth sailing we would have if every one of our subscribers felt like our good friend, N A H, and at the same time emulated his policy by sending us what they are justly due on subscription. We appreciate a man like this friend who sends us the above letter and a money order for what is due us, and regret that there not many, many more like him.]—Ed.

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 6c

With Our Advertisers.

Read new ad of Kingstree Furniture Co in this issue.

The Cash Store wants you to get your school supplies there.

Whaley & Rivers, Charleston, will handle your long-staple cotton on commission.

The Bank of Hemingway gives five good reasons why you should keep an account there.

C Tucker has received a large line of fall and winter goods and can save you money on them.

The Williamsburg Live Stock Co will receive a carload of extra good horses and mules this week.

W E Jenkinson invites your attention to his full line of school supplies; also dry goods, clothing and shoes.

Dr R A Brown, optometrist and optician, will be at Gamble & Jacobs' store Tuesday. See him for any eye trouble.

Drayton's Business College, Columbia, offers splendid courses in practical education at a time when it is invaluable.

Attend the opening of beautiful millinery, coat suits and dress goods at Kingstree Dry Goods Co's next Wednesday and Thursday.

We take pleasure in calling attention to the ad of that great labor-saving device, the Maxfer Truck, sold by Courtney & Gilland, agents.

The U S Woolen Mills Co will have a representative at the Steele Furniture Co's store tomorrow and Saturday. Fine suits made to order at low prices.

The Star Realty & Auction Co of Greensboro, N C, will sell valuable town and country property, owned by P B Thorne, here next Tuesday and Wednesday.

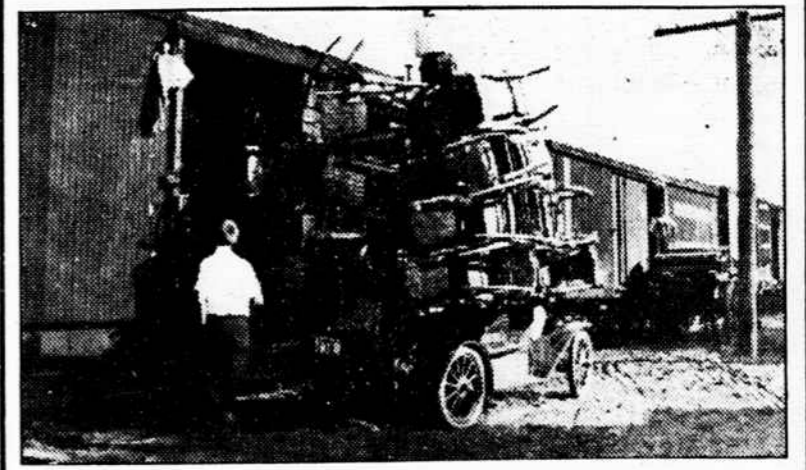
See those beautiful Gage Bros pattern hats at S Marcus' millinery opening next Wednesday and Thursday. Ladies' coat suits, long coats and dresses will also be displayed.

The Darlington and Orangeburg creameries contemplate the establishment of an ice cream plant at Camp Jackson.

Undressed Lumber.

I always have on hand a lot of undressed lumber (board and framing) at my mill near Kingstree, for sale at the lowest price for good material. See or write me for further information, etc.

F. H. HODGE,



PHOTOGRAPH OF
Kingstree Furniture Company Unloading One of Its
Six Cars of Furniture.



PHOTOGRAPH OF
Kingstree Furniture Co's Truck with a Load of Brumby
Chairs—the Kind We Guarantee.

Kingstree Furniture Co.
111-113 Academy St., Next to Postoffice. Phone 167.

OUR FALL and WINTER SHOWING

OF

Millinery, Coat Suits AND Dress Goods

WILL TAKE PLACE

Wednesday and Thursday, September 19 and 20

You are cordially invited to be on hand and inspect our splendid display of Fall Millinery, Coat Suits, Dress Goods, Shoes and Boots. It is a marvelous aggregation of the new 1917-18 creations, embracing the very latest designs from all the leading fashion marts. Our buyer has made a special effort to obtain the most striking and pleasing of all styles, and we have them to suit every age and every taste, and the prices are not unreasonable.

These goods are arriving daily, and our first showing, or opening, is being held a little earlier than usual so as to give our friends and patrons an opportunity to make their selections early.

Kingstree Dry Goods Co.,

The Store of Quality

Kingstree, - South Carolina