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MASS MEETING HELD AT JONESVILLE

Town Officers Nominated for Municipal Election in April--Safe Crackers Attempt to Enter Post Office But are Frightened Away.

Jonesville, Meh. 16th.—The rain was quite heavy here last night and today.

Mr. W. B. Fowler has been laid up several days with a cut upon his leg which he did with a hand ax.

Mr. L. K. Littlejohn has been quite indisposed for some days with the grip.

Adolphus Talley, a colored man that was raised about Jonesville, died in Chicago last week where he had been living for some time and his son brought the remains back to Jonesville for burial.

Ralph Means, a colored man, died on Mr. D. B. Free's place yesterday.

News reached Jonesville Saturday that Mr. H. P. McKissick, of Kelson, had suffered a stroke of paralysis and was very ill. Uncle Kiah is one of the old land marks of Pea Ridge and has many friends in the county who will be sorry to hear of his illness.

One night last week Mr. J. F. Alman heard some noise at which his dog barked late in the night and he got up from his bed and looked out in the street near the postoffice building. He saw a man standing in the street and just about that time he discovered another man at the postoffice who had a flash light examining the windows of the office building. Mr. Alman called Mr. Foster Kelley who lives near by and this frightened the men away. It was learned that four strange men got off the down train here about nine o'clock that night. They were certainly safe crackers who had come in the night and were looking around with their search light for a good place to break in. The policemen were called and patrolled the town the rest of the night but the burglars were not seen any more.

Dr. Milton Littlejohn and his wife, of Gaffney, visited their daughter Mrs. Carrel H. Foster last week.

Misses Blanch Garner and Ruth Foster, of Union, were in Jonesville on business last Saturday.

Messrs. Walter Hames and Larry Walker, of Gaffney, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Addie B. Hames.

At a mass meeting of the citizens of our town last Thursday night the following gentlemen were nominated for mayor and aldermen at the municipal election to be held in April. For mayor, E. F. Kelley. For wardens, D. B. Free, Jr., Theo. J. Stehle, F. T. Williams and J. W. Lipscomb; all are young men. Rev. H. K. Ezell filled his pulpit here yesterday morning and night. Rev. D. E. Camak was called away from his appointment to bury the remains of young Mr. Rountree, of West Springs, who had been bedridden with consumption for some time.

TELEPHONE.

Bailey, Tillman and Williams.

(From The New York Sun.)

Judge Alton B. Parker is reported to have said some curious things on his present Southern trip. He has not said much that is more interesting than his remarks at Charlotte, N. C., about the "really effective Democrats of the country," and about the time having come when they "should be recognized." Practically all of Judge Parker's vote in the last presidential election came from the South, and his address was all to the effect that the next Democratic nominee for President should be a Southern man. Nebraska and New York had been tried and failed, he said, but he left it to the South to choose the next Democratic standard-bearer. Who is the South's favorite son? Is he Senator Bailey, of Texas; Senator Tillman, of South Carolina, or Representative John Sharp Williams, of Mississippi? Is he none of these, but one of many others who might be named? Has the South a favorite son?

Citation to Kindred and Creditors.

State of South Carolina,
County of Union.
By Jason M. Greer, Esq., Probate Judge.

Whereas, B. F. Arthur has made suit to me to grant him Letters of Administration on the estate of and effects of Patrick C. Riley, deceased.

These are, therefore, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said Patrick C. Riley deceased, that they be and appear, before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Union C. H., South Carolina, on the 7th day of April, next, after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand and seal this 22nd day of March, Anno Domini, 1906.

JASON M. GREER,

Probate Judge.

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LOCAL LACONICS.

Happenings of Interest About Town.

Miss Alba Walker spent from Friday until Sunday afternoon at her home at Coleraine.

Mrs. D. P. Steele, of Rock Hill, is spending a few days with the family of her brother, Mr. J. P. Gage.

Miss Ruth Foster entertained at a handkerchief shower complimentary to Miss Jesse Cravens Saturday afternoon.

The County Mutual Benefit Association has paid to the estate of Mr. J. S. Welch the sum of four hundred and twenty dollars.

Miss Ina McNally entertained the prospective bride, Miss Jessie Cravens and her bride's maids at a sashet shower on Tuesday afternoon.

DEATH OF MR. ANDREW J. ESTES.

An Old Confederate Soldier and a Good Citizen Gone to His Reward.

At his home near Cross Keys that good, staunch and most highly respected citizen Andrew Jackson Estes breathed his last at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning at the age of seventy years. The death of Mr. Estes was most peculiar. He had been sick for about seven weeks, taken with gripe. Monday evening at 7 o'clock he went to sleep, and his physician thought he was in a natural sleep; but from this sleep he never awoke to consciousness, and at 9:30 Tuesday morning he ceased to breathe, the vital spark having become extinct. The burial was in Padgett's Creek Church cemetery. His pastor, Rev. C. T. Scaife, conducted the services.

Andrew Jackson Estes was a veteran of the Southern Confederacy, and one who never for a moment lost his love and loyalty for the cause for which he so nobly fought.

No better citizen ever lived in Union County, a true friend, a good husband and thoughtful neighbor. He was in every way a man and the same he bore was typical of a character equal in independence of thought and action as the man for whom he was named. He leaves a widow, many relatives, and a host of warm friends to mourn his loss.

COMPULSORY EDUCATION.

An Incident in Georgia Showing the Need of Compulsion.

A recent dispatch from Columbus states that the extent to which negro children in the rural districts of Georgia are taking advantage of the public school system is but little realized, and adds:

"A few days ago a Columbus gentleman had occasion to take a country trip of some length. Along the roadside he met group after group of negro children going to school, and only one crowd of white children during the entire trip. The proportion of negro school children to white that he saw during the trip was fully five or six to one. He was greatly impressed by the incident."

An impressive incident, indeed, though not an uncommon one, if we are to judge from similar reports from other sections of this and other States that have occasionally come before us in the past.

Nothing but words of praise can be said of the negro parents whose sense of duty to their children produces such unexpected results. But what is to be said of the white parents whose indifference or selfishness keeps their luckless children at home, for the sake of their comparatively trifling contributions to the labor of the household and the farm? Do these people want their children to grow up uneducated and live and compete on the same territory with negroes who are educated? Would they thus surrender their children's birthright and blast their future for the sake of an immediate advantage of the slightest value?

This is a subject that needs ventilation in Georgia. The callous white parents of the rural district should be reminded of their criminal neglect of duty. We are instinctively in favor of the largest individual liberty consistent with good order, but such a shocking spectacle as this is an unanswerable argument in favor of compulsory education.—Macon Telegraph.

There has been an unprecedented sale of tickets to the Converse College Annual Musical Festival. The sale for the first four hours amounted to over two thousand dollars. If the sale continues in this proportion the Auditorium will not nearly accommodate the audience.

BULLISH VIEW IN LIVERPOOL.

Cotton Advances Half Cent Over Previous Day's Low Level--Rumors of Corner in the May Option.

New York, March 21.—There was considerable activity and excitement during today's session in the cotton market, with prices advancing more than half a cent a pound from the low level of yesterday. Liverpool took a bullish view of the census report, which caused yesterday's break in the local market, and cables were much higher than expected. This caused active covering here and the market opened at an advance of 14 to 23 points. There was aggressive bull support on every slight recession, and before the upward movement was checked, May contracts sold at 10.90, or 37 points net higher, and July at 10.93, one of the main features being the shrinkage in the difference between May and July, which led to rumors of a May corner.

The Flat Has Another Blaze.

Tuesday night between nine and ten o'clock the storehouse of Inman and Howell on Bachelor street, in the flat, caught fire in the inner side of the roof and ceiling. The house is built of corrugated iron sides and roof, and the fire caught on the inside from the stove flue. The fire department was promptly on hand and did some extra good work in putting out the fire, for the fire was hard to reach being on the inside of roof and ceiling, and the roof being covered with corrugated iron. But the fire was reached and soon put out, and the other buildings which were in a foot or two of the burning building were not at all damaged. Messrs. Inman and Howell carried a stock of groceries amounting to about \$2,500 which was a total loss, by being partially burned, smoked and wet. They carried an insurance of \$1,200 on their stock. The damage to the house is about \$200. The house belongs to Mr. C. E. Lipscomb.

Miss Marie Clifford, Union's most accomplished violinist and musician will have charge of the music to be rendered at Grace Church during the marriage ceremony of Miss Jessie Cravens and Mayor R. L. McNally, March 28th, at 8:30 p. m.



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