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COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS IN UNION.

Judge C. G. Dantzler Presiding--
Heavy Docket.

The court of general sessions convened in Union on Tuesday, September 4th, Monday being labor day and legally a holiday. Judge C. G. Dantzler of Orangeburg is the presiding judge, and Solicitor Sease and Stenographer Mott are in their accustomed places. The docket is heavy at this term, but the officers are dealing with dispatch in all the cases. Judge Dantzler, in his charges to the jury, is not as lengthy as some of other judges, but that destroys none of his force and conciseness. His definitions of different counts and charges are clear cut and unmistakable.

The cases of W. R. Gilliam and Douglass English went to the grand jury, but no action was taken, neither "true bill" nor "no bill" being found. For Solicitor Sease when he found insufficient evidence, withdrew the indictments suspending action, pending further consideration on his part. These two men are still under the same bond, and the case rests where it did before going to the grand jury.

The following cases have been disposed of in the following manner:

1. Barney Glenn and Charles Fullwood, arson; case continued. Solicitor and Sawyer for prosecution, and DePass & DePass, B. F. Townsend and S. Means Beatty, for defense.
2. Town of Jonesville vs. Frank Hughes, an appeal case from charge of disorderly conduct; case continued. C. H. Foster for prosecution, and B. F. Townsend for defense.
4. Archie Eubanks, charge arson, case not prossed, after mistrial. B. F. Townsend for defendant.
7. Margie Browning charged with murder and carrying unlawful weapon. Solicitor withdrew latter count. Defendant convicted of manslaughter. Solicitor and B. F. Townsend prosecuted and DePass and DePass defended. Notice of appeal for new trial.
9. Dule Eubanks, charge, house-breaking and larceny, case continued.
11. Dule Eubanks, burglary and larceny, case continued.
16. Sylvanus Fowler, assault and battery with intent to kill. Jury returned verdict of guilty. Sentence sealed and filed with Clerk of court. DePass and DePass for defendant.
17. Ed Keenan, assault and battery with intent to kill, upon person of young Wallace Fowler, white. Found guilty of assault and battery of high and aggravated nature. DePass and DePass for defense.
18. Case against Jim Wyatt for obtaining goods under false pretense was not prossed.
26. Meredith Head, assault and battery with intent to kill, was convicted of assault and battery of high and aggravated nature. For defendant, B. F. Townsend.
27. Mose Holly, Kelly Holly, Chess Hemphill, and Rutherford Smith, charged with assault and battery with intent to kill, and carrying concealed weapons. Case against Chess Hemphill was not prossed, while the others were convicted of assault and battery of a high and aggravated nature.

(Continued in next issue.)

DEATH OF MR. JNO. GAULDIN.

Aged Citizen of Goshen Hill Community Passes Away.

At 3 o'clock Thursday morning, Mr. Jno. Gauldin, aged 74, of the Goshen Hill community, died. He had been in declining health for some time, and was much worse Tuesday, so the end was not unexpected. The funeral services were conducted in Union at the city cemetery by Rev. L. M. Rice, on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock; the body having been brought here for interment.

Mr. Gauldin was a member of Padgett's Creek Baptist church and had been for some years. He was born and raised in Chester county married in 1859; Miss Mary McFadden of that county, and moved to Union in about 1874. He had been a citizen of lower Union from that time on, and a worthy citizen withal. His neighbor's good was his good, and his friends' trouble was his also. He was honored and loved by those who knew him best.

Mrs. Gauldin and four daughters survive him. They are: Mrs. W. A. Beatty, until recently Mrs. States Crawford, Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Todd, of Woodruff, and Mrs. Hawkins, of Laurens.

The South's Marvellous Advantages.

(Manufacturers' Record, Baltimore, August 30, 1906.)

Give free rein to your imagination and let it picture the future of a section which has one-half of the iron ore of the United States, nearly three times as much coal as Great Britain, Germany, and Pennsylvania combined, which holds a world monopoly on cotton production and is rapidly becoming a great cotton manufacturing center, which dominates the phosphate rock and sulphur trade of the world, which has much of the richest oil territory known, which has one-half of the standing timber of the country, which produces all the sugar, all the rice, most of the tobacco, and adds to these 800,000,000 bushels a year of grain; end then think of its water-powers, its splendid rivers, its great seacoast, its expanding commerce, and remember that its cotton crop alone annually exceeds the total gold and silver production of the world, and that every dollar of gold annually mined on earth is not enough to pay the South's bill against Europe for cotton, and you will get just a faint conception of the future.

Mr. Manning Hopeful.

In a conversation Tuesday with a TIMES reporter, Mr. Manning, while he realizes the opposition he must meet, expressed hope and even confidence in his election. He will receive a large part of the Blease vote, although Cole L. Blease himself is unfavorable to Mr. Manning and even openly opposes him. Further he thinks he will receive the bulk of the Sloan vote. He says he is much stronger now in the Piedmont than in the first Primary.

Mr. Manning has been visiting many parts of the state since the 28th and will continue to do so until the next primary. He was in Spartanburg Monday and expects to be in Union some time this week.

THE RETURN OF WILLIAM J. BRYAN.

Greatest Ovation Ever Given to Any Man Accorded to Him in New York--Met by Delegation--His Address in Madison Square Garden.

William Jennings Bryan, twice the nominee of the Democratic party of America, after a tour around the world, landed in New York August 30, amid the cheers and shouts of that city's millions and delegates from every state in the Union, save Oregon and South Carolina. It was a triumphal entry, ovation upon ovation being accorded the great commoner. He was called on for a short speech when he reached his hotel, the Victoria, and to this he responded briefly, but with his usual ready wit and native ability.

Among the delegation to receive the returning hero of a world's tour, were: Acting Mayor McGowan, Senator Bailey of Texas, Chairman Thomas Taggart of the Democratic national committee, and Jno. Temple Graves, editor of the Georgian; also a large delegation from Bryan's native state, Nebraska.

But the greatest event of his stay in New York was his speech in Madison Square Garden Friday night. Below is given a general resume as made by the Greenville Herald:

THE VITAL ISSUES.

At Madison Square Garden in New York last night William Jennings Bryan sounded the battle cry of the Democratic party in the next campaign.

A summary of the vital issues touched upon may be stated in this wise:

INCOME TAX—The United States must sooner or later adopt income tax. Burden of government should be divided proportionately among the country's people.

INJUNCTION—Government by injunction is an attack upon the jury system and should be opposed. The injunction should be supplanted by arbitration.

CONGRESS—The National legislative body should meet immediately after elections—not 13 months later as at present. United States senators should be chosen by popular vote.

LABOR—The workingman's life, liberty and pursuit of happiness should be preserved. It is unjust to give employers absolute control over employees. Differences should be settled by arbitration.

ARBITRATION—Mr. Bryan urges that the United States in common with all other nations, should, before declaring war, submit all international differences to impartial arbitration.

MONEY—Mr. Bryan declares that the unlooked for and unprecedented increase in the production of gold has enabled the Democratic party to present a united front on the money question.

TARIFF—Protective tariff has been a fruitful source of political corruption. Free trade, optional in its details with the president, could be made the most effective weapon with which to fight the trusts.

ANTI-IMPERIALISM—Mr. Bryan declares the United States' experiment in colonialism has exposed to ridicule the Declaration of Independence. He urges home rule for the Filipinos.

TRUSTS—Merciless war on trusts is recommended to the Democrats. Corruption in insurance companies and other corporations is dwelt upon. The democrats should refuse campaign contributions from corporations.

FEDERAL LICENSE—That plank in the Democratic platform of 1900 requiring corporations engaging in interstate commerce to secure federal license, should become part of the nation's laws.

RAILROADS—Railroads should be made the property of the government. The federal government should control the trunk lines and the various states local lines. Securing immediate uniformity of rates is favored as temporary remedy.

EIGHT-HOUR DAY—In the in-

CHILD BITTEN BY DOG.

Little Herman Smith, Aged Eight Years, Attacked by Dog Supposed to be Mad.

Mr. J. D. Smith, who lives about 4 miles north of Union, came to town Wednesday with his little boy Herman, who had been bit that morning by a dog supposed to be mad. Of course at that time no symptoms of hydrophobia had developed, but he wished to take all caution to prevent it. Mr. Smith related the following story:

"I was in the yard and noticed this strange dog pass through. I paid no particular attention to him as nothing appeared wrong with him. It was a strange dog, but I just supposed he belonged to a neighbor. A little later my son Herman, aged eight years old, went out to the buggy shed for something. He saw the dog, lying down in the back end of the shed, down between the buggy shafts. Herman yelled to the dog, trying to scare him out; thereupon the animal jumped up, ran toward him and bit him fiercely on the upper shin, the worst wound being on the outside of the left leg."

Mr. Smith consulted several physicians, and left Thursday morning for the Pasteur Institute of Atlanta, to have his son treated.

Beatty-Crawford.

On Tuesday evening, Sept. 4th, Mrs. Sue F. Crawford and Mr. W. A. Beatty were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. L. M. Rice. The marriage was very quiet, only a few intimate friends witnessing it. The bride is well known in Union, having here a large circle of friends. She is a lady of most excellent character and her kindness of heart enables her to make friends wherever she goes. Mr. Beatty is a gentleman well known and highly respected in Union county. May great happiness be the portion of this newly wedded couple. THE TIMES extends congratulations.

A Marriage.

Miss Alsie Eaves and Mr. Henry Gault, better known as "Bud," were married Sunday evening at Kelson. The ceremony was performed by Magistrate Josh Spears at his home. Best wishes to the newly married couple!

Interest of humanity, the development of the home life and love of family and the progress of the human race, the eight-hour working day should be universally adopted.

SOCIALISM—Socialism presents a consistent theory, but does not take human nature into account. It would substitute a new disease for the disease from which we suffer. Socialism must be answered with argument not abuse.

NEXT ISSUES—The paramount issue in next presidential campaign will concern trusts and their control. The Democratic motto must be, "A private monopoly is indefensible and intolerable." Provisions must be made to imprison, not merely fine, law breaking capitalists.

Some salient shots in the Commoner's address were:

"Trusts are a legalized form of larceny."

"Reason rising higher than force is one of the tests of civilizations progress."

"I do not believe in sacrificing ninety-nine enterprises that one may live."

"Trusts are a political development, not an economic one."

"Plutocracy is more despotic than monarchy, more heartless than aristocracy, more selfish than bureaucracy. It preys upon the nation in time of peace and conspires against it in the hours of its calamity."

"How can we draw a moral distinction between the man who sells his vote for \$5.00 on election day and the manufacturer who sells his political influence for \$50,000 or \$100,000 payable in dividends."

F. M. FARR, President.

J. D. ARTHUR, Cashier.

THE MERCHANTS & PLANTERS NATIONAL BANK, "THE OLD RELIABLE."

Is Still Doing Business at the "Old Stand." During the thirty-four years of its existence, it has paid Semi-Annual Dividends since its organization amounting to \$214,800, nearly four times its Capital Stock, and now has a Surplus and Undivided Profit Account equal to more than half its Capital Stock. It has a Savings Department in which Deposits are received, and 4 per cent interest paid on all amounts left in it for six months. It solicits accounts and offers to Depositors prompt and careful attention and the most liberal treatment consistent with safe and profitable banking.

GILLIAM AND ENGLISH.

Grand Jury Failed to Find Either True Bill or No Bill.

The indictments against W. R. Gilliam and Douglass English for the murder of Mose Hughes went before the grand jury Tuesday. For lack of evidence no action was taken, Solicitor Sease withdrawing the indictments for further consideration. Meanwhile the two accused are under the same bonds.

William J. Bryan.

The way the country has come to admire and applaud William J. Bryan, erstwhile democratic candidate for the presidency, is a fine illustration of the fickleness of popular opinion. He came home from an around-the-world trip the other day, and received in New York an ovation almost unparalleled in American history. The ovation proceeds yet in Chicago, Kansas City, St. Louis and elsewhere, and for the while "Bryan" is printed in the newspapers a hundred times where the White House is once.

And yet, six years ago Bryan was in practically all quarters dubbed "loud-mouthed, impracticable, visionary, socialistic, and many other things besides, calculated to shake his standing in the popular favor. So persistently did this campaign of depreciation pursue him, that many of his best friends, made timid by his defeat at the polls, turned upon him. We have in mind newspapers which did and for no better reason than the spirit of detraction which permeated every nook and cranny which could be reached by the powerful arm of the press which served plutocracy.

The years have passed and the country has caught up with Mr. Bryan. He has not changed but the country has. The popular Roosevelt has taken Bryan's ideals and thereby added to his popularity. Bryan is now considered conservative. He will probably be the next democratic candidate for the presidency. We hope he may and that he may win. The 16 to 1 question is relegated to the garret, but Bryan stands for the man as bigger than the dollar, the welfare of the people of America as bigger than that of the "commercial and business interest," which terminology may the trusts in vain strive the next time to befuddle the people withal.—Baptist Press.

Shipment of Jugs.

Last Monday a freight car was loaded with whiskey jugs and kegs, and on Tuesday shipped away to the Mountain City Distilling Co., of Asheville. The shipment was: 101 1-gal. jugs; 386 2-gal. jugs; 75 3-gal. jugs; 91 4-gal. jugs; 175-gal. kegs; 3 3-gal. kegs; 2 1-gal. demijohns. This is the second shipment of empty jugs from Union since the dispensary was voted out.

Confederate Pension Board Elected.

At a meeting of the pension board for Confederate soldiers Monday morning in Union, the old board was re-elected. This consists of Messrs. N. B. Eison, H. S. Porter, R. S. Johns, and R. W. Tinsley. The vacancy on the board, caused by the death of Dr. J. M. Lawson was filled by the election of Dr. T. B. Bates, of Santuc, as examining physician.

COMMISSION OF PUBLIC WORKS MEET.

Tuesday Night to Receive Bids for Enlargement of Power Plant.

The commission of public works, together with Aldermen J. H. Gault and G. C. Perrin, met Tuesday night and received bids on the enlarging of the city's power plant. The desire of the committee is place a new engine, increase the electric machinery, and purchase new lamps for the outskirts of the city. All the bids received Tuesday night were considered by the commission to be too high and nothing was done. However the matter is still under consideration, and these same bids will receive further attention, along with others that may be offered. The commission is decided on improving and enlarging the plant, but they will do it with deliberation.

The companies which placed bids were as follows: Worthington Pump Co., Hamilton Corliss Engine Co., Westinghouse Electric Co., Harrisburg Engine Co., All of these companies had representatives present.

Senator Tillman Declines.

Some time ago President Roosevelt invited Senator B. R. Tillman to be one of the party to view the naval parade at Oyster Bay on Monday, Sept. 3rd. The party, which was composed of the naval commission was to make the review from on board the president's yacht, the Mayflower.

As was expected Tillman declined the invitation, for the President has never apologized for withdrawing Tillman's invitation to the White House some years ago on the occasion of Prince Henry's visit. And this condition for ever again speaking to Roosevelt was laid down by Tillman. He stuck to his word.

Steamship Line Between Charleston and Bremen, Germany

As a result of the efforts of Commissioner E. J. Watson, of Columbia, it is likely that a permanent steamship line will be established between Bremen, Germany and Charleston, S. C. The permanence or non-permanence of the line depends upon the initial trip to be taken before long. The purpose of the line is to transport immigrants to this state.

Winthrop College.

The Winthrop college catalogue is one of the neatest received this year. The printing is clear and neat and the cuts are excellent. The work was done by the Queen City Printing Co., of Charlotte. Winthrop has had something over 900 applications this year, but it can accommodate about 500 only. The session begins on Sept. 19th.

Church Notice.

There will be services at Rogers on the 2nd Sunday at 4 p. m. J. N. ISOM.

Mr. Manning has established a branch office in Spartanburg from which to conduct his campaign in the Piedmont. His secretary, Mr. H. C. Haynesworth is in charge.