

MANNING SAYS SOUTH CAROLINA OPTIMISTIC

In an interview with a representative of the Anderson Daily Mail, Governor Manning made the following statement:

"There is an atmosphere of optimism and contentment throughout all South Carolina today that is highly gratifying" said Governor Manning in conversation with a representative of The Daily Mail this morning. The governor spent last night at the Chiquola Hotel in Anderson and returned to Columbia on the morning train. He was returning from Pendleton, where he spoke yesterday at the centennial meeting of the Pendleton Farmers' Society. "I spent a very pleasant day at Pendleton and was pleased to note the great interest manifested by the people, not only of the Piedmont, but by the state at large, in this society and its meetings. I recall that it was at a meeting of this society that Clemson College was first thought about and now this Pendleton Farmers' Society has grown to be one of the greatest institutions for good in our state. Organizations of this kind, when the proper interest is manifested, will be of great benefit to the state at large as well as the individual members of the organization" said the governor. "Our people are now riding on a wave of prosperity and this prosperity is brought about very largely by the high price of cotton. We must not allow ourselves to run wild, however, and plant the whole earth in cotton next year. The present prices are, in my opinion, brought about by reason of the small crop this year and if we continue to hold down our cotton acreage and raise our home supplies, we will then be in position to live in peace and contentment without regard for the outside world and their wars."

"I am especially gratified to note the growing feeling of brotherly love and personal interest in each other's welfare among the people of South Carolina. Men of every business, trade and profession are getting in closer touch with each other and working together for the upbuilding of our state. The use of the word 'class' is gradually dying away and the expression 'South Carolinians' is being substituted therefor. We have a great many problems before us, and in order to solve them successfully, it is of the greatest importance that we put our shoulders to the wheel and unite our efforts as South Carolinians for the upbuilding of the state we love so well."

What about the enforcement of law in Charleston, was asked the governor. "Well, I am continuing the work of the special constables there and expect to continue to use every means at my command to enforce all laws in South Carolina at all times," said the governor, "and I am convinced that by keeping everlastingly at it great progress is being made. A report received in my office from the dispensary board in Charleston shows that the special constables appointed by me to work under Sheriff Martin have seized and turned over to the dispensary board over \$7,300 worth of whiskey, beer and other intoxicants within the past four and half months. The city police during the same period turned over about \$800 worth. During the same period in 1914 when the special constables were not working, the police seized and turned over to the dispensary about \$700 worth. The recent convictions in the circuit court speak for themselves. Yes, I am sure that there is today a greater respect for law and order in South Carolina and the general public is supporting our peace officers in the performance of their duty."

"I always enjoy my visits to the various parts of the state. It gives me the opportunity to meet the people face to face and discuss with them their problems and needs. I find that the best information I can get for my guidance as the servant of the people is secured by close personal touch with the people themselves. My office is always open to the people of South Carolina and it is my desire for the people to call and discuss with me any matter looking to the upbuilding of the state at all times."

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MASTER'S SALE.

The State of South Carolina,
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

Court of Common Pleas.

C. L. Wideman, J. H. Wideman, S. W. Wideman, Minnie L. Chandler, Margaret W. Jackson and Leonora Gray,

against

Mrs. Mary C. Kimball, Mrs. Fannie Reynolds, J. A. Wideman, R. H. Wideman, Richard Harris, Mrs. Lillie Harris Seiler and Mrs. Mary C. Dozier.

By authority of a Decree of Sale by the Court of Common Pleas for Abbeville County, in said State, made in the above stated case, I will offer for sale, at Public Outcry, at Abbeville C. H., S. C., on Salesday in November, A. D. 1915, within the legal hours of sale the following described land, to wit: All that tract or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Abbeville County, in the State aforesaid, containing One Hundred and Eighty-Four (184) Acres, more or less, and bounded by lands of John U. Wardlaw, Mrs. Cowan, William Taggart and others, and known as the Wm. H. Pennal tract of land.

TERMS OF SALE—CASH—Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps.

R. E. HILL,

Master A. C., S. C.

RECEIVER'S SALE.

The State of South Carolina,

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

The Perkins Manufacturing Company, Plaintiff, against

S. J. Hester, as Trustee of the Bank of Calhoun Falls, et al, Defendants.

By authority of a Decree of the Court of Common Pleas for Abbeville County, in said State, made in the above stated cause, I will offer for sale within the legal hours of sale, at Public Outcry, at Abbeville C. H., S. C., on Salesday in November 1915, the following described real estate, all of which is situate, lying and being in the Town of Calhoun Falls, in Abbeville County, and State aforesaid, to wit: (1) Lots Numbers 23, 29 and 30, in Block 2, as shown by map of Town of Calhoun Falls, made by DeCamp and Cunningham and being the house and lots now occupied by Dr. G. C. Pruitt, and said lots having a frontage of twenty-five feet each on Savannah Street and running back one hundred and fifty six feet, being known as the W. J. Tucker residence and being more fully described in Deed Book 32, Page 486.

2. Lots Numbers 25 and 26 of Block Three of Town of Calhoun Falls, and having a residence situate thereon in which R. P. Martin resides, and being described in Deed Book 32, Page 59.

3. Lots Numbers 18, 19 and 20 in Block 3 of the Town of Calhoun Falls, and being house and lot in which G. O. Hall resides and described in Deed Book 32, Page 485.

4. Lot Number 5 in Block 95, Town of Calhoun Falls, known as Sharpton House and being described in Deed Book 33, Page 113.

5. All of the undersigned's interest in Lots Numbers 29 and 30 in Block 6, and described in Deed Book 29, Page 67.

6. Lots Numbers Three and Four in Block M., fronting on Cox Avenue and each having situate thereon a two story brick store building, and said lot being more fully described in Deed Book 32, Page 554.

TERMS OF SALE—CASH. Purchaser to pay for papers.

D. H. HILL,

Receiver in the above entitled Cause of all Property formerly belonging to W. J. Tucker.

Oct. 1st, 1915.

MASTER'S SALE.

The State of South Carolina,
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

Court of Common Pleas.

Louis Bosler, Josie J. Cromer, Jennie Manning, Laida B. Shumate, Burton Bosler and W. S. Bosler, against

A. E. Floyd, and D. E. Cooley, Partners trading under the firm name of A. E. Floyd & Co., and D. E. Cooley, individually.

By authority of a Decree of Sale by the Court of Common Pleas for Abbeville County, in said State, made in the above stated case, I will offer for sale, at Public Outcry, at Abbeville C. H., S. C., on Salesday in November, A. D., 1915, within the legal hours of sale the following described land, to wit: All that tract or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Abbeville County, in the State aforesaid, containing One Hundred and Fifty (150) Acres, more or less, and bounded by lands of S. S. Boles, Dr. T. O. Kirkpatrick, I. H. McCalla and others, which lands are situated on Harpers Ferry Road and are the same willed to Barbara Bosler by her father, Josiah Burton.

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PACKERS FIND U. S. BUSINESS PROSPEROUS

St. Louis, Oct. 11.—The meat packers of the United States, representing a \$750,000,000 industry, second in volume to the steel business, are holding their annual convention in St. Louis. The 1,600 packing house companies are represented by 700 delegates to the convention.

The delegates, who assembled at the Planters Hotel this morning, agreed that while the year, as a whole, had been a shifting fortune on account of the European war, business of every kind had shown a marked increase in the last two months and that the country was now in a highly prosperous condition.

The three big problems to be considered by the packers in their three days' convention are the British seizure of meats consigned to neutral countries, which somewhat demoralized the packing industry of the United States; the eradication of hoof and mouth disease and tuber-

culosis in animals, and how to increase live stock production to supply the demand for meat products.

The delegates assert that the people of the United States are not eating as much meat as formerly and that the farmers are now raising a greater number of meat-producing animals than they were a few years ago. These two important factors in the meat industry have been brought about through agitation, said the delegates, and will result eventually in reducing the cost of meat to the consumer.

Opinions differ as to whether the agitation for the eating of cheaper cuts of meat has had any effect upon the public. Representatives of the big Chicago packing houses say it has and that the people are now eating shoulders, rumps and other cheaper cuts and not spending their money so freely for loins and ribs.

The packers are making a vigorous protest against the proposed increase in freight rates on live stock business.

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