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NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS

On the first Saturday of each month our subscription lists are corrected. All parties in arrears are dropped.

A HIGH SCHOOL.

Last fall we were all enthusiastic for the location of the Baptist Preparatory School in Abbeville. We would still like to see the institution located here.

But just now we believe that greater good may come to all the people of the city by building up a great high school here which is open to the public and which any boy or girl of the county may attend free of cost.

And that is what we may have. The people of this city by no uncertain voice have declared for a modern high school. In a little while construction of a building which will accommodate all the high school students of the city and of the surrounding country will be completed.

How may we make it most useful? We answer that by saying that this may be accomplished by putting on the faculty a double set of teachers—one of ladies to teach the young ladies, and one of men to train the boys.

Had we a school of this kind we might expect boys and girls too to come to this school from Antreville, Sharon, Calhoun Falls and from every other section of the county. With the good roads they might easily come from home each day.

allowance be increased to five dollars per month for every pupil, which is nearer right. With a hundred pupils from the outside at this figure our income would be swelled by the sum of five thousand dollars, a sum enough greater than what we are now receiving to enable us to employ two first class male instructors.

This money might be raised every year by private subscription. There are thirty-five men in Abbeville who can give a hundred dollars each year for this purpose and not know they have given the amount thirty minutes after the giving.

Men and women of Abbeville, we can do something, if we will. Are we willing to do it, or are we to be sluggards in the field where all men are called to work in this good day—the field of education?

COOPER TO NAME

ADJ. GEN. TODAY

Columbia, June 30.—Governor Cooper stated to this correspondent today that he would probably make an appointment of an adjutant general Friday. The governor leaves for Greenville the end of the week, and he stated today that was anxious to get the adjutant general's appointment disposed of before he leaves.

There are five names before the governor for consideration, as follows:

Frank W. Glen of Columbia, property and disbursement officer of the guard.

Reed Elkin of Columbia, executive secretary of the Wildcat Association.

Col. P. K. McCully, Anderson, former commander of the second South Carolina.

Former Assistant Adjutant General John D. Frost of Sparta, formerly of Columbia.

Present Assistant Adjutant General R. W. Grant of Columbia.

TO BUY AND PAY UP

Camden June 30.—Merchants and business men of Camden are busy this week making ready for one of the greatest events which has happened in Camden for many years July 5 to 12 will be known as "Buy at home; pay up week" and it is being carried out under the auspices of the Camden and Kershaw county chamber of commerce.

GREENVILLE MILLS

TO PAY DIVIDENDS

Greenville, June 30.—Following the meetings of directors of four additional cotton mills here today, announcements of dividends to be paid July 1 were made.

The Woodside Cotton Mills company will pay 3 1-2 per cent, semi-annual on both common and preferred stock, the capital totaling \$3,500,000.

Brandon mills will pay 3 per cent. on the common stock of \$957,000 and 3 1-2 per cent on the preferred stock of \$500,000.

Poinsett mills will pay 3 per cent, semi-annual on its capital of \$470,000.

Woodruff mills will pay 5 per cent semi-annual on its capital of \$525,000.

PLENTY EXCITEMENT FOR JULY FOURTH

Boy Scouts at Cotton Mills Planning For Big Day—Two Balls Games and Plenty Fireworks.

For those who want excitement or entertainment on the Fourth Abbeville offers unusual attractions next Monday. Two baseball games are to be played between the Abbeville Cotton Mills team and Honea Path, one in the morning and one in the afternoon, and at night there is to be a display of fireworks that has never before been approached in this city.

Those who have seen the fireworks at State fairs and other places where there are very large gatherings will know what an attraction Abbeville is offering. This is not an ordinary collection of fire crackers, sparklers and Roman candles; it is not a lot of noise and smoke and danger. It is an exhibition that includes pieces of marvelous beauty.

This display has been purchased by the Boy Scouts of the Abbeville Cotton Mills at a cost that would make it a real financial risk if it were not certain that it would attract a large crowd of people. The boys are asking only a small admission to the baseball park where the display is to be shown and they hope to have at least a thousand spectators when the first cannon salute is fired at 9:30 p. m.

The baseball, too, is sure to be the exciting kind. Honea Path and Abbeville have met twice before during this season with the result that each team has won one game and even the total scores made by each side in both games are tied. The local team is stronger than it was and expects to break the tie by winning both games of this double header though it is sure to be a close fight. The first game will be played at 10 o'clock in the morning and the second at 3:30 in the afternoon.

SNAKE BITES DOCTOR

Ehrhardt, June 30.—Dr. Wm. Moorer a prominent physician of Lodge in Colleton county, was bitten by a rattlesnake this morning while bathing in Little Salkehatchie, near Carter's ford. The snake was killed by some of those present and was less than two feet long. However, the bite had made Dr. Moorer very sick and he is now at Ehrhardt in the hands of Dr. Copeland and Dr. Fender, who are working to bring him around. Dr. Moorer has lived at Lodge for the past 18 or 20 years, coming to the community from St. George, where he was born and reared. He is a brother of J. M. Moorer a prominent attorney of the Colleton bar.

SHARON

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Ruff and Mr. W. P. Ruff and family of Greenwood attended services at Sharon church Sunday.

We had a fine rain Tuesday. While there was a good bit of wind there was no serious damage done.

Misses Martha Pressly, Sarah Wilson, Sarah Harkness, Sallie Sue Ramey, Mrs. J. M. Mason and Juanita Mason attended the Woman's Missionary Conference held in McCormick June 29-30.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Prince June 27, a son.

The Woman's Missionary Society of Sharon church will hold their regular monthly meeting Wednesday, July 6, at 4 o'clock at the church. All members are urged to be present, visitors are always welcome. The delegate to the District Meeting will give her report at that time.

Mrs. W. H. Murray has returned to her home in Greenwood after a visit to her father, Mr. Penney.

In the Cambria coal field of Wyoming small quantities of gold and silver are present in the coal veins. In South Africa a similar occurrence has been noted, the coal occurring in small streams running through the quartzite ore.

BIG CHANGES IN ANGLO-JAPANESE PACT

Predicted it Will Be Mere Shadow of Former Self Smuts will Urge Mutual Understanding.

London, June 30.—The Anglo-Japanese alliance is not to be renewed in its present form, it has already been made abundantly clear, although the discussion of the treaty by the conference of British premiers has just begun.

While Arthur J. Balfour and Lord Curzon, the only members of the conference thus far who have dealt with the subject, used due diplomatic caution in their speeches according to information which may be regarded as authoritative they left an impression that while the British government would like to have some form of understanding with Japan it is not inclined to continue the present purely military agreement.

Inasmuch therefore, as Premier Meighen of Canada and Premier Smuts of South Africa will strongly urge against an alliance of any kind, but will advocate a British-American Japanese understanding instead, the clear prospect is that if the alliance is renewed at all it will be little more than a shadow of its former self.

Premier Meighen prepared for today's conference a stated case against the alliance which, it is understood will be circulated in the conference as a confidential document.

General Smuts, who is to follow, will support Premier Meighen and will in all likelihood, attack the whole foreign policy of special alliances and will urge, instead, a mutual understanding with nations throughout moral and intellectual sympathy.

SENATE CHANGES

MEET OPPOSITION

Borah Disarmament Plan and Bureau of Aeronautics Scheme For Disarmament Accepted.

Washington, June 30.—Senate amendments to the naval appropriation bill generally met with disfavor in the house today during consideration of the conference report on the measure. Only a few of the senate changes were agreed to, among them the Borah disarmament amendment and a proposal to create a bureau of aeronautics in the navy department. Amendments calling for an increased appropriation met with opposition practically without exception.

The bill will reach the senate again tomorrow the last day before the beginning of the fiscal year for which it makes provision, and if it is rushed to the president for his signature to become effective at midnight, it will be necessary for the senate to yield on all of the amendments which met with house disapproval.

Among these was an amendment authorizing an initial expenditure of \$15,000,000 towards the construction of two airplane carriers.

BONDED WAREHOUSE

BURNED IN LAURENS

Laurens, June 30.—The Bonded Warehouse operated near Cold Point, by L. M. Beacham, under the supervision of the state warehouse commissioner, was Tuesday afternoon destroyed by fire which was started by lightning striking the building during a thunderstorm. Ninety-five bales of cotton went up in smoke. Though the fire engine from this city was carried to the fire, nothing could be done to save it. The building was of concrete with a tin roof, a standard warehouse in the state system.

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A green parrot swinging in a tree in Evanston, Illinois, jammed traffic for blocks by calling out, "Not so fast—go slow! Stop!" The same

Wholesale murder was one of the chief features in religious and state ceremonies in the kingdom of Dahomey.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE NATIONAL BANK OF ABBEVILLE AT ABBEVILLE, IN THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1921. RESOURCES.

Table with columns for Resources and Liabilities. Resources include Loans and discounts, Total Loans, U.S. Government securities, etc. Liabilities include Capital stock, Surplus fund, etc.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE, ss:

I, Lewis Perrin, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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