

**HOW TO FUND THE BONDS**

A Most Excellent Suggestion from Mr. F. B. Henderson Relative to the Bonding of the State Debt.

From the Register of the 22nd ult. In a conversation with Mr. F. B. Henderson, of this city, who is president of the Bank of Aiken and a financier of great ability, he said: This is a matter of vital importance to our people and I think the most feasible plan for the funding of the State's debt is to get the bank of the State, or as many as will, to take the bonds at a reasonable rate of interest, in proportion to their capital stock, and then let the State Treasurer and the treasurers of the different counties place their deposits with such banks. The main object of this plan is to revive confidence in the State's securities abroad by showing outside capitalists that our own banks are not afraid of our State's securities and that they of the household know, as others do not, that our people will not repudiate any of their just debts.

For the furtherance of this plan Mr. Henderson suggests that the presidents of the different banks have a meeting at no distant day and consider the advisability of the above plan for the settlement of the State's indebtedness.

This idea of Mr. Henderson's relative to the partial assumption of the State's indebtedness by our banks is by far the most practicable plan for replacing confidence in our banks that I have yet heard, and it would be well for our people to consider and act upon it.

If only \$500,000 worth of the bonds were taken by our State banks it would induce Northern capitalists to take them more willingly. Besides, it would be a very good investment for them, the State banks, as it would centre the State's deposits, and in the dull summer they could hypothecate the bonds with Northern bankers, or the bonds could be held as a part of the reserve fund that banks are required to keep on hand.

W. G. TOWNES.

**Our State Bonds.**

In another column we published a communication from Mr. W. G. Townes, editor of the Aiken Times, in regard to the sale of our State bonds. Mr. Townes writes us that a prominent banker proposes to take \$5,000 or \$10,000 of these securities. This suggestion is as most excellent one but we entertain no doubt about the funding of our public debt in due season. The country is now in the throes of political excitement, and everything in a state of chaos and uncertainty. After the Presidential election, when capitalists know what to depend on, we believe that our South Carolina bonds will be placed on as good terms as any other Southern securities. The efforts of certain politicians at home to wreck the credit of their State will fail, for capitalists are not controlled by passion or prejudice in making investments, but governed by reason and common sense. South Carolina has in her river phosphate an independent source of revenue enjoyed by no other State, and this fact will strengthen her credit abroad. Our State Democratic Convention has already branded as false and slanderous the dastardly attempts made to undermine public credit, and the faith of our people and of their posterity is made the fundamental principle in the platform of the party representing the intelligence, wealth and landed possessions of South Carolina. But Mr. Townes's suggestion is great one, and it would be a patriotic and public-spirited act on the part of our State banks to thus show the outside world their faith in the honor and integrity of their people. The Bank of England came to the rescue of the throne at a most critical period, when the credit of the Kingdom was imperilled and its military powers in jeopardy, and this timely and patriotic kindness was never forgotten by a grateful people. It enabled King William to press the war against France, preserved the Triple Alliance, and made England one of the first powers of the world. From that day the Bank of England has been the especial pride of the people and the government. Now, if the banks in our State will voluntarily step forward and purchase a portion of these bonds, it would strengthen them in the esteem and confidence of the people, and do away with any prejudice that may exist in the public mind against these institutions. But whether this is done or not, our State Securities will be negotiated in due season. Of this we have not a shadow of doubt—Register.

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**School District No. 25.**  
**WHITES.**  
 J. W. Etheredge, M. P. Black, J. A. Humphrey, M. T. Black, A. W. Kemmerly, Wm. Padgett, J. W. McCormick, Davis Padgett, John Snelgrove, Robas Padgett, J. S. Jennings, Wm. Corley, J. McCarthy, Jr., Wm. Goff, S. J. Turner, P. Rinehart, C. R. Adams, S. Rinehart, C. Whitman, J. A. Rinehart, Columbe Long, Simeon Satter, James W. Poul, Wm. A. Temples, J. L. Matthews, Henry Cuber, M. S. Jennings, J. B. Bedenbaugh, J. A. Ridgell, B. Bedenbaugh, Bryan Duffie, M. H. Bedenbaugh, R. F. Adams, N. Bedenbaugh, S. G. Matthews, S. W. Bedenbaugh, M. C. Matthews, Wm. Snelgrove, W. A. Matthews, William Corley, S. T. Matthews, S. Jack McCarthy, D. W. Matthews, George McCarthy, B. B. Matthews, J. F. Padgett, J. L. Matthews, Herbert Rice, J. G. Matthews, J. O. Rice, Edward Paul, Allen Davis, Thos G. Goff, A. P. Lake, A. F. Corley, Wm. Miller, Geo. Hawkins, John Miller, S. Parrish, Anderson Miller, J. Star Lake, Wash'n Bowls, Jas. Bowls, Geo. Whittman, Monroe Bowls, John Trotter, L. M. Wertz, John Trotter, Abe Hunt, Frank Cannon, O. A. Bankin, Samuel Hair, D. W. Goggans, Jas. Rutherford, B. M. Peterson, Jr. J. Beadenbaugh, Geo. Smith, Jas. P. Corley, T. J. F. Duncan, Eli Snelgrove, Sanders Lorrick, Rufus Tabor, Joel Lorrick, John Gibson, J. G. Lorrick, Jr. Geo. Etheredge, Simeon Addie, Thos. Addie, Wm. Lorrick, B. Z. Watkins, A. S. Prater, Sidney Black, John Jones, John Smith, Joe Goff, Pink Smith, W. C. Goff, Luther Smith, J. C. Smith, John Presnell, J. C. Cottney, Asa Presnell, Pink Hair, Thos. Duncan, Davis Berry, B. Beadenbaugh, Thos. Manly, D. Beadenbaugh, Thos. Jennings, Geo. Caughman, John Jay Horn, Hezekiah Linder, John Smith, Wiley Linder, O. S. Strom, Noah Wiley, Geo. Gullede, Wm. Derrick, Jacob Buzzard, W. J. P. Kinard, John Buzzard, John W. Smith, Tillman E. Harris, S. E. Prater, Lawson Ricard, Andrew Maroney, Walter Watkins, B. P. Whittle, David Charles, James Enlow, John A. Null, Brooks Miller, Levi Shealy,

Hezekiah Miller, S. B. Holly, J. H. Risser, John Brit, Pickens Riser, John McCulla, H. A. Shealy, H. B. Oxner, Hezekiah Shealy, H. B. Oxner, Henry Crout, Wm. Harman, Luther Crout, J. M. Gortman, J. F. Caughman, M. G. Caughman, G. P. Caughman, J. C. Kinard.

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In the above list it is not improbable that the School Trustees have omitted some names. All such omissions I shall be glad to have reported to me or to the Trustees, that they may be properly entered on the tax duplicates. Names in the other School Districts will be published when they are handed in.

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	Daily.	No. 10. Daily.	
Lv New York	4:30PM	12:15PM	4:30PM
Philadelphia	6:57	3:36AM	6:57
Baltimore	8:00	6:50	8:45
Washington	12:00	11:10	11:30
Richmond	3:20AM	3:00PM	3:00AM
Greensboro	7:09	10:25	10:30
Salisbury	9:38	12:28AM	12:05PM
Charlotte	9:35	2:00	1:30
Rock Hill	3:03	2:43	
Chester	3:44	3:28	
Winnabore	4:40	4:20	
Ar. Columbia	6:07	5:50	
Ar. Columbia	8:35	8:05	
Johnston	8:12	7:53	
Trenton	8:28	8:08	
Granville	8:55	8:36	
Ar. Augusta	9:30	9:15	
Charleston	11:30	10:05	
Savannah	6:30	6:20	

**NORTHBOUND.**

SOUTHBOUND.	Via Lim.		No. 11.
	Daily.	No. 10. Daily.	
Lv Savannah	8:00AM	6:40PM	
Charleston	6:00	6:00	
Augusta	1:00PM	7:00	
Greenville	1:32	7:55	
Trenton	2:00	8:28	
Johnston	2:13	8:53	
Ar. Columbia	4:00	10:40	
Winnabore	4:10	10:50	
Chester	5:37	12:26	
Rock Hill	6:07	1:23	
Ar. Charlotte	8:00	3:05	9:20PM
Salisbury	8:20	7:00	10:54
Greensboro	9:55	8:36	10:54
Ar. Richmond	7:40	5:30PM	
Washington	10:25	9:45	8:38AM
Baltimore	12:05PM	11:55	10:48
Philadelphia	3:30	3:40	12:35P
New York	4:50	6:20	8:20

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