Edgefield Advertiser

THOS. J. ADAMS, - - - - - EDITOR

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 26, 1896.

Senator Ben Tillman opens his mail with a little silver pitchfork, the gift of an admiring constituent.

Congressman Talbert now divides the attention of the country with Senator Tillman.

The Charleston Post says Ben Tillman and the British Lion are the two exclusive social lions of the day. Both seek whom they may devour.

At a recent convention of the populists of Mississippi they refused to endose Senator Tillman's recent speech in the United States Senate.

Twenty-five thousand dollars have already been forwarded from this country to Clara Barton at Constantinople for distribution among the Armerians. Other thousands are to follow. We hope the Amerians will get it.

Lieut. M. B. Stokes, of the United States army, has arrived in Columbia. He has just been detailed by the government to look after the troops in this State, and will go in the Adjutant General's office at once, where he will make himself acquainted with the different commands in this State.

Saluda Court House.

The following bids has been handed in for the location for the site of Saluda Court House:

Emory bids 190½ acres of land and $160 in cash. Micklers bids every other lot of an 800 acre tract of land and $1100 in money.

Red Bank bids sites for all public buildings and streets for the town, also will build a modern up to date court house, building complete, and will give a $20,000 bond for the fulfilment of this agreement. Plans and specifications for the court house will be given later. A committee to investigate titles and the sufficiency of the bond above mentioned consisting of B. W. Crouch, J. B. Sudduth, and J. P. Bean has been appointed.

This report will be made this week if no defect be found in titles or bond. The election will take place on the 20th prox.

Bad State of Affairs.

Walterboro, S. C., Feb. 22.—A crowd of 150 men evidently friends of the prisoners now on trial for lynching, met to lynch State Detective Newbold here last night.

Newbold was walking along the steets, when a man cursed him and then ran. Newbold drew his pistol and went safely home.

Later, a mob gathered at Newbold's boarding house and cursed him for some time, but nothing serious resulted.

Newbold had a Winchester rifle to defend himself with.

A considerable commotion was caused by the incident, and further trouble is feared.

The people here are red-hot, and there is to telling what may result. —Register.

Such a condition of affairs calls for action and prompt action on the part of Governor Evans.

Ellerbe and Watson.

Columbia State.

As to the State campaign, there seems to be chance whatever of a Conservative candidate coming out for governor. The Conservatives it seems are merely going to be onlookers this year. It is pretty thoroughly understood that the Tillman administration candidate for governor is to be ex-Comptroller General Wm. H. Ellerbe of Marion. On all sides he is mentioned as the winning candidate for governor. Then there is Senator R. B. Watson. He has not yet announced his candidacy, but he is regarded as most likely to be the man to oppose Mr. Ellerbe in the primary. He has a strong following and his friends are now seriously considering putting him in the race. They think he will prove far more than a match for Mr. Ellerbe on the stump. No other candidates for governor are now being mentioned.

AS TO OTHER STATE OFFICES.

As to other State offices, Secretary of State Tompkins, Comptroller Norton, Attorney General Barber and Adjutant Watts will all stand for reelection, it is understood. Superintendent of Education Mayfield will no doubt run for a fourth term. State Treasurer Bates will hardly stand for relection, but his friends are talking of running him anyway. But no matter what candidates appear in the primary for State offices, the campaign so far as they are concerned will amount to but very little, for the senatorial fight will be the absorbing matter with the crowds.

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Mr. Rainsford's Speech on the Privilege Tax.

Mr. Rainsford said he was a common friend of all the institutions of higher education, but he was a special friend to Clemson college because he was a farmer; farming had been his occupation all his life. Hence it was impossible for any one to charge him with wishing to injure Clemson. Clemson had come and asked for an appropriation at the outset, breaking her contract not to ask for anything. Last year she asked for $20,000; they appropriated $25,000, in some way it read $35,000. The trustees discussed whether to take it or not, and not only took it, but used it. They owed it to the State to return that $10,000 on moral grounds, if no other. He then quoted the figures showing the income of Clemson college. The farm ought to return the institution at least $5,000. He said the board of trustees were running a hotel there. "Think of these figures," he exclaimed. "They are astonishing me." If these figures were presented to the people they would be astounded also. Her income would be $100,000 this year. He could not see the necessity for such an amount. He wanted the privilege tax fund to be divided and a portion given to the girls. Every student now at Clemson was a beneficiary. "Gentlemen do you believe that every student there should be a beneficiary?" At least 170 of the little boys there could be as well educated in the common schools as at Clemson.

LEGISLATIVE

The Columbia State, Feb. 24th.

During the past week the fate of the State fair appropriation was finally settled, so far as the special bill was concerned. It is definitely decided, too, that the metropolitan police bill will stand. Then, again, there is no further question about the privilege tax; it is to stand.

The State printer is not to be paid in excess of $20,000 for a year's work. The Wallace property is to be purchased for the asylum.

The report of the Clemson college investigating committee has been presented. With its contents all, however, are familiar.

The fire insurance bill has passed the house, with very essential amendments, which it is thought that the senate will not agree to.

The house has passed the bill repealing the anti-free pass act, and this week the senate will act thereon.

The house has ended the career of the senate building and loan bill and it lies in a deep, moist grave.

The registration bill has been finished with in the house at last and sent over to the senate with no end of amendments.

Mr. Williams' bill to make the office of State liquor commissioner elective by the people, has also been passed and sent to the senate.

The senate has passed the Claflin college bill requiring the president and faculty to be composod of colored men.

Mr. Manning's Australian ballot bill has been killed in the house during the past week, and the eight-box election law has been passed.

Mr. Patton's warehouse bill has also passed.

The appropriation bill will doubtless come in for the lion's share of the attention of the house this week, and the features of the debates thereon will arise from the educational institution items and the item in regard to the Atlanta exhibit. Inasmuch as the attorney general has rendered an opinion under which the $6,000 can be appropriated for the exhibit, it will doubtless be appropriated.

The election of a State printer has to be held yet. It will probably come off some day this week.

As yet the resolution providing a day for final adjournment has not been considered and acted upon, but it will probably be disposed of before the end of the week. Of course an adjournment within a fortnight would leave the calendar of the house with a good many bills thereon untouched, but they are mostly unimportant little bills which really do not amount to anything. If the house goes ahead with its calendar with the intention of disposing of all the matters thereon before taking a final adjournment, then it will take some three weeks longer to complete the work. Glancing backward over the work accomplished up to date, one fails to see where the new laws made so far will be worth the $1,000 a day it has cost the State since January 15 last, to have them made. But then many of these new statutas had to be made under the new Constitution. That document, however, did not make it obligatory on the general assembly to deal with so many small special bills.

A great deal out to be accomplished during this week, and it should be done with the least possible debate.

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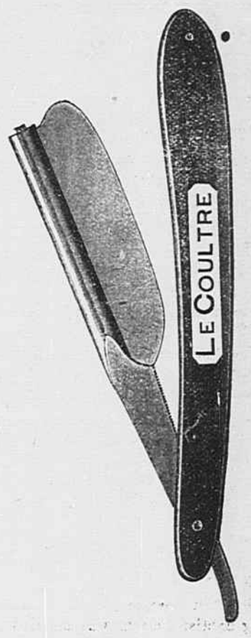

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