

JOHNSTON LETTER

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awarded the contract for building the new Baptist church. The building will be a \$16,000 one.

Miss Eva Hamilton, who has been visiting the family of Dr. P. N. Keese, has returned to her home at Middlebrook, Va.

Mrs. Eloise Sawyer died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Cullum, on last Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. She was a most estimable, Christian woman, and had attained the age of 92 years.

A telegram was received here on Friday, stating that Rev. M. E. Parish, of Portsmouth, Va., was in a most critical state, from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Rev. E. A. Beckam attended the M. E. District Conference in North Augusta.

A movement has been started by the D. of C., to build a club and chapter house, the funds being raised by soliciting subscriptions to magazines and periodicals, through a publication syndicate.

Each house completely and handsomely furnished with mission furniture, kitchen equipment, etc. A \$225 concert grand phonograph, in the form of a mission table, is also furnished.

On Sunday morning at the school auditorium Rev. M. L. Lawson preached his farewell sermon to the members of the Baptist denomination.

Mr. M. T. Turner made a business trip to North, S. C., the first of the week. He has the contract for building a large double store for Mr. Ed Livingston, and the residence of Mr. Wm. Toney, which work, he has now well under way.

Jefferson Davis' birthday was celebrated by the D. of C. at the home of Mrs. Angeline Bacon on Friday afternoon June 3rd.

Miss Mand Sawyer is at home from a month's visit to relatives in Vidalia, Ga.

Misses Welling, of Darlington, are visiting their sister, Mrs. D. J. LaGrone.

Mr. Grady Hazel won the medal at Wofford college, for the best class poem. He is the son of the late Mr. W. M. Hazel.

Miss Edna Carroll, a former Johnston girl, is the guest of friends.

Mr. George Hardy is expected home this week from Clemson college. He had the misfortune to hurt his hand badly, but not seriously, in the gymnasium.

Mr. Orlando Sheppard, Jr., arrived this week from Atlanta to join his family here, who are visiting relatives.

Master's Sale.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

EDGEFIELD COUNTY,

Court of Common Pleas.

Mrs. Lucretia Whittaker, et al.,

against—C. B. Gray et al.

Pursuant to the decree in this cause, I will re-sell at the risk of former purchaser at public outcry before the Court House, town of Edgefield and State of South Carolina on Tuesday the 5th day of July 1910 (Monday being a legal holiday) between the legal hours of sale, the following described realty, to wit:

Tract No. 4. All that lot or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the corporate limits of the town of Edgefield and State of South Carolina, containing five and one-tenth (5 1-10th) acres, more or less, adjoining tract No. 3, and street leading from Edgefield Village to Augusta, Georgia, and lands of W. W. Sheppard.

Terms of sale: Cash. Purchaser to pay for papers.

W. F. ROATH, Master, June 8, 1910, E. C. S. C.

"He's got no license to talk the way he does."

"Oh, he's got a license, all right! What he lacks is a muzzle."—Cleveland Leader.

Cutting Red Tape.

Many amusing stories are told of ways in which postoffice officials, inclined to keep too rigorously to the letter of their regulations, have been thwarted. On one occasion a man asked for 240 penny stamps and tendered payment in copper. The official declined to receive it, whereupon the man began buying and paying for one stamp at a time. Before he had got a dozen in that way the postoffice official had surrendered. It must have been the same man or a near relative who one Sunday went into a postoffice that was open for telegraph business only. He handed in a sixpenny telegram and asked to be supplied with two stamps besides. No, he could not have stamps; telegraph business only was transacted. Innocently he asked if he might have his telegram back for a moment to add something. He added four words to it and tendered the additional twopenny. The form was returned to him with the stamps to affix. Crossing out the four additional words, he affixed the sixpenny stamp, pushed the telegram under the counter rail and walked out with his two stamps.—London Tatler.

Extremes Absentmindedness. "The queerest case of absentmindedness that I have ever known of," remarked the night clerk of a certain hotel, "was that which happened at this hotel early yesterday morning. Two fellow boarders, one Jones by name and the other whose name is Brown, occupied a room on the third floor. "Well, Brown requested me to have him awakened at 3 o'clock so as to allow him to catch the 4 o'clock train. He was awakened at the requested time, and in his hurry to dress himself he put on Jones' clothes by mistake. He did not discover his mistake until he reached the depot, and, would you believe it"—here the speaker paused—"when he found out that he was wearing some one else's clothes he immediately returned to the hotel and went right to bed."

"I don't see any absentmindedness about that," broke in one of the listeners.

"You don't? Why, he thought that I had awakened the wrong man."

Life at the Pole. Life at the pole is a perpetual battle with nature, in which man is often worsted. "He was frozen to death" is the end of many biographies. While a man is in health they speak of him as "stronger than death" as if death were a watchful enemy always waiting for his chance. But life is on a large scale up there. Instead of the petty alternations of night and day they have the great seasonal succession, and, whether they are waiting for the long light of summer or the long dark of winter, they enjoy a keen delight in the prospect of a change such as we can never know in the tamer arrangements of our climate. The long dark does not keep them wholly inactive. We read of expeditions after bear and hunting on the ice by torchlight, but in the main their winter is given up to story telling, conversation and contemplation.

Bored No More. "Yes," said the famous M. P., "I used to be pestered to death by a bore. My secretary was a good natured, obliging chap, and he could never find it in his heart to turn the bore away. Just as sure as I was in the bore was certain to be admitted. "One day, after an hour's martyrdom at the man's hands, I determined to end that persecution. So I called my secretary and said to him mysteriously: "Parton, do you know what makes Smith come here so regularly?" "No, sir," said Parton, "I can't say I do."

"Well, Parton," said I, "I don't mind telling you in confidence that he's after your job."

"From that day," concluded the M. P., "I saw no more of the bore."—London Scraps.

Seventeen Year Locusts. The seventeen year locusts are sometimes called Pharaoh's locusts because they make a sound that resembles the repeating over and over of that historic name. The notes or songs are not what might be termed vocal, as they are produced by the rapid vibrations of two very thin films that cover a small cavity at the base of the abdomen. In some localities the sound produced is somewhat different from that heard in other sections. Along streams, especially along the Ohio river, the notes are more bass, while on the highlands and especially in the mountain regions the sounds produced are more shrill.—Omaha World-Herald.

An Advantage. A well known Scottish clergyman got into conversation in a railway carriage with a workman, who informed him that he had been a coupler on a railway for several years. "Oh," said the minister, "I can beat that! I have been a coupler for over twenty years."

"Aye," replied the workman, "but I can uncouple, and you canna!"

A Mortal Insult. Mrs. Dimpleton—I want you to get another doctor right off. Dimpleton—What's the matter with this one? Mrs. Dimpleton—What do you suppose he said about baby? He told me I must treat him like a human being!

Brotherly Resentment. Young Mother (proudly)—Eve, yobdy says the baby looks like me. Bachelor Brother (amazed)—The spiteful things don't say that to your face, do they?

Secrets. "Don't complain of people tellin' job secrets," said Uncle Eben. "Dey couldn't do it if you hadn't stabbed it."—Washington Star.

The Producer. "Does your husband play cards for money?" "Judging from practical recits," answered young Mrs. Tokins, "I should say not. But all the other men in the game do."—Washington Star.

Her Observation. "Love," remarked the romantic young man, "is said to brighten the eye."

"I don't know about that," rejoined the practical maid, "but it has a tendency to disarrange one's hair."—Pittsburg Post.

Announcements.

For Congress.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Congress from this, the second Congressional District, pledging myself to abide by the rules of the Democratic primary and support the nominees thereof. JAMES F. BYRNES. Aiken, S. C.

House of Representatives.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for re-election to the House of Representatives, pledging myself to abide by the result of the Democratic primary and to support the nominees of the same. S. MCG. SIMKINS.

I respectfully announce that I am a candidate for re-election to the House of Representatives from Edgefield county and pledge myself to abide by the rules and regulations of the Democratic party. M. P. WELLS.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives and pledge myself to abide by the result of the Democratic primary. JEROME H. COURTNEY.

Superintendent of Education.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Superintendent of Education of Edgefield county, subject to the rules of the Democratic primary, and solicit the support of the voters of Edgefield county. If elected, I pledge myself to a conscientious discharge of the duties of the office. A. R. NICHOLSON.

I am candidate for Superintendent of Education, subject to rules and regulations of Democratic primaries. I have taught about ten years in the public schools, am deeply interested in them, and feel that I am familiar with their needs. If elected, I pledge an earnest discharge of the duties of the office. W. WALTON FULLER.

Judge of Probate.

Thanking the voters of this County for their support in the past, I offer for re-election to the Office of Judge of Probate of Edgefield County, subject to the rules and regulations of the Democratic Primary. J. D. ALLEN.

County Treasurer.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Treasurer of Edgefield County subject to the rules of the Democratic party. If elected I pledge my best effort to give the people a satisfactory administration. THOMAS E. BYRD.

I herewith respectfully announce myself for election to the office of Treasurer of Edgefield county, trusting that my past record in said position will warrant the support of all Democratic voters, and am pledged to abide by all rules and regulations of the August primary. JAMES T. MIMS.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Edgefield County, subject to the rules and regulations of the Democratic primary, pledging myself, if elected, to serve the people to the best of my ability. C. M. WILLIAMS.

For Auditor.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Auditor of Edgefield county and solicit the support of the people, pledging myself to abide the result of the Democratic primary. J. RANSOM TIMMERMAN.

County Supervisor.

I respectfully announce that I am a candidate for re-election to the office of Supervisor of Edgefield County subject to the rules of the Democratic primary, and pledge myself if elected to continue to discharge the duties of said office with the same faithfulness and fidelity that I have in the past. R. J. MOULTRIE.

I hereby announce myself for the office of Supervisor of Edgefield county, and pledge my friends and the people as a whole, faithful and competent service. I know the work of the office thoroughly, and solicit your support, promising to abide by the result of the Democratic party. WILEY G. WELLS.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Supervisor of Edgefield county and solicit the support of the people, pledging myself to abide the result of the primary election. J. W. CRIM.

County Commissioner.

Yielding to the solicitation of friends and voters I respectfully announce myself a candidate for County Commissioner, pledging myself to abide the result of the Democratic primary, and promise faithful service if elected. JOHN F. PARDEE. Collier's, S. C.

I am before the people as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the rules of the Democratic party. If elected, I shall look to the best interests of the people and of the county. N. L. BROADWATER.

I hereby announce to the voters of Edgefield county that I am a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner subject to the regulations of the Democratic primary. I pledge myself, if elected, to honest service, safeguarding the people's interest in every possible way. JNO. O. HERIN.

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the office of County Commissioner and pledge myself to abide the result of the Democratic primary. JAMES DEVORE.

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Edgefield county, pledging myself to abide the result of the primary election and to support the nominees of the Democratic primary. J. NICK GRIFFIS.

I herewith respectfully announce myself a candidate for re-election for Supervisor of Registration of Edgefield county, pledging myself to abide the result of the primary election and to support the nominees of the party. GEORGE W. QUARLES.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for Supervisor of Registration and pledge myself to abide the result of the Democratic primary. As I must stay at my post, making meal for the people, will be unable to make a complete canvass. N. R. BARTLEY.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Supervisor of Registration, and pledge myself to abide the result of the Democratic primary and to support the nominees of the same. CHARLES STROM.

Supervisor of Registration.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Supervisor of Registration and pledge myself to abide the result of the Democratic primary and to support the nominees of the same. G. G. WEST.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Supervisor of Registration subject to the rules of the Democratic party, and solicit the support of the people. C. H. WHEATLEY.

For Coroner.

Through the solicitation of my friends, I announce myself a candidate for the office of Coroner, subject to the Democratic primary, soliciting the support of the people. GIP H. SEIGLER.

Come to us for your valentines—beautiful and comic, sublime and ridiculous—from 1 cent to \$2.50. B. Timmons.

Hudnut's Toilet Articles.

We have just added a complete line of Hudnut's celebrated toilet articles such as perfume, violet water, cold cream talcum powder, nail enamel, etc. There is nothing superior to these on the market. We invite the ladies to call. Penn & Holstein.

Large stock of Eberson's Zinc, Lead and Asbestos paint; impervious to water and resists the heat of the sun. B. Timmons.

For Rent—A typewriter in good condition; two dollars per month, or will sell reasonable. O. B. Anderson.

Nobby line of summer lap robes. Ramsey & Jones.

National Biscuit Company's Fruit Cake fresh by express. Edgefield housewives know what it is. B. Timmons.

We have accepted the agency for Babcock buggies. Large shipment now on the road. Call and inspect these high-class vehicles. Ramsey & Jones.

Eggs For Hatching: White Plymouth Rock eggs, 15 for \$1.50 can be had by calling at The Advertiser office. Guaranteed to hatch 12 out of 15.

The ice tea season is here and of course that means you will use Perri Walla tea. Quality and price remain the same. W. E. Lynch & Co.

Full supply of Glenn Springs and Harris Lithia water. Penn & Holstein.

Fresh shipment of cakes and fancy crackers just received. B. Timmons.

Cold Water Paints for freshening your walls. All colors. B. Timmons.

Large assortment of perfumery and toilet water. B. Timmons.

Photographs.

I am now carrying on the photographic business at my residence. First-class work guaranteed. I will make large crayon portraits from photographs. R. H. MIMS.

Another car load of Pittsburgh Perfect Fence just received—any height you want. Now is the time to rebuild your pasture fences. Use Pittsburgh wire and you will have no more fence troubles. Stewart & Kernaghan.

Our stock of harness is the largest that we have ever carried. Wagon and buggy harness, single or double, light or heavy. We have any kind you want, with the prices right. Ramsey & Jones.

Every farm should be equipped with a good Bell. Shipment just received and marked at very reasonable prices. Stewart & Kernaghan.

The Harvest Sale Continues

THE crowds are still coming to our Harvest Sale, because we are making good by giving bargains that save them money. In every department,

Dry Goods, Notions, Millinery, Clothing Shoes, etc., we have marked prices low

Our customers go home satisfied and tell their friends about their purchases, which causes many others to come to our store when they come to town to shop

This special price cutting will last only a few days longer. Better come now while we have what you need

The 10 days will soon expire and the regular prices will be restored. This is the last appeal. Do not delay your coming.

AN ESPECIAL INVITATION

is extended to the ladies to visit our millinery department. The cut in prices will be found there also. Everything that is late and new in the way of shapes and trimmings can be found here. Yours for bargains,

J. RUBENSTEIN

Advertiser Building, Edgefield, S. C.

1785 1910 COLLEGE of CHARLESTON 126th year begins Sept. 30. ENTRANCE examinations will be held at the County Court House on Friday, July 1, at 9 a. m. All candidates for admission can compete for vacant Boyce scholarships, which pay \$100 a year. One free tuition scholarship to each county of South Carolina. Board and furnished room in Dormitory, \$12. Tuition \$40. For catalogue address, HARRISON RANDOLPH, President.

GEORGE F. MIMS, Edgefield, S. C.

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

Scholarship Examination.

The University of South Carolina offers scholarships in the Department of Education to one young man from each county. Each Scholarship is worth \$100 in money and \$18 term fee with free tuition.

Examination will be held at County seat July 1st. Examination of students generally for admission to the University will be held at the same time.

Write for information to S. C. MITCHELL, President, Columbia, S. C.

Full line of Levering's celebrated roasted coffees, 15, 20 and 25 cents per pound; also Leggett's fancy parched coffee. B. Timmons.

Let us supply your table with new crop Georgia syrup, Blue Ribbon, Silver Drip, Silver Leaf syrup or Cuba molasses. Can please the most fastidious taste. B. Timmons.

Perri-Walla tea, just the kind you want for ice tea. B. Timmons.

Summons.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF EDGEFIELD, Court Common Pleas.

The Bank of Johnston—Plaintiff—Against—Cherry E. Benjamin, Eliza Mayson, Charlotte Trapp, Eliza Adams, Amanda Gary, Mattie Butler, Luke Austin, Anna Richardson and John D. Eidson—Defendants.

To the Defendants above named:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, for the said County and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint, on the subscribers at their office at Edgefield Court House South Carolina, within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated May 4th, 1910. Test: W. B. Cogburn (Seal) Clk. C. C. P. & G. S.

Sheppard Bros., Plaintiff's Attorneys.

To Eliza Mayson, Mattie Butler, Luke Austin and Charlotte Trapp—non-resident—Defendants:

You will take notice, that the original Summons and Complaint in the above stated cause, are on file in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas and for the County and State aforesaid.

SHEPPARD BROS. Plaintiff's Attorneys. May 4, 1910.

Better Than Lard.

Wesson's pure cotton seed oil is a cooking substitute for lard and butter. No greasy food, no dyspepsia. Odorless and tasteless. Benefits health, pocket-book and domestic atmosphere. Try a can and you will always use it—only 25 cents. Penn & Holstein.

Wanted.

to sell your small town lots and Country farms, demand good.

For Sale.

12-room house in Edgefield with 1 acre land

ALSO 10-room house with 70 acre farm. Known as Lewis Jones place.

R. W. Timmons dwelling and 3-acre lot with same in Edgefield. House most conveniently built and everything modern

Residence newly painted, complete, "up-to-date." Modern, convenient, located in heart of Edgefield. 1-10 acres

Home Real Estate Agency E. J. NORRIS, Mgr.

Notice.

On Wednesday June the 15th 1910, at ten o'clock, The Building Committee will sell to the highest bidder the present School House Building and Furniture, the proceeds from same will be used in the erection of a suitable High School Building. The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. R. Bodie, L. B. White, Plum Branch, S. C.

If you want to be satisfied with your figure and pleased with quality style and price, consult Rives Bros.

If you want shoes from reputable manufacturers in the latest last go to Rives Bros. for a pair. Men's gray oxfords to match your gray suit.—Adv.

If you want laces and embroidery to match in big varieties make for Rives Bros.