

It is stated that some of the leading negroes in Columbia have been and are still advocating the idea of opening a bank for their race. But like all their undertakings they have a distrust with their own color and such a scheme would likely prove a failure as all other ventures of the kind have.

District Attorney John B. Moran, of Boston, Mass., has formally accepted the nomination for governor tendered him by the Democratic State Convention of Mass. He wants it distinctly understood it is to be a State fight, not a national one. Bryanism and Hearstism must be eliminated from the contest.

Rev. Sam Jones, who was possibly one of the best known platform speakers and evangelists in the United States, died on the train Monday morning en route from Detroit, Mich., to Memphis, Tenn. He died of heart failure. Two of his daughters accompanied him.

In the recent election for State Senator in Aiken county, G. L. Toole, who is a local optionist and opposed to the State dispensary, defeated Mr. Pollatz, a candidate on the dispensary platform. The election was for the purpose of electing a successor to Senator Johnson, who recently died.

Mr. D. H. Witherspoon who served his time in this office is now in the Observer office at Newberry. This will be glad news to his friends here who often make enquiry after him.

Rev. William L. Seabrook, who has since 1902 been the pastor of the Lutheran church of the Redeemer, in Newberry, recently tendered his resignation to take effect February 1st next. He is a man of prominence in his field of labor, and his leaving will be a distinct loss to Newberry.

An effort is making to secure a pardon for Robert Jones, from Edgefield county, who has been in the penitentiary 15 years for killing the Pressleys, father and two sons. He was sentenced for 25 years.

Erie L. Smith, cashier of the Life Insurance Company of Virginia at their Columbia office, disappeared several days ago with \$500 belonging to the company.

The railroad commission, through Mr. B. L. Caughman, will at its next meeting consider a report on the condition of the Seaboard Air Line trestle from Gervais street to the Congaree river. Mr. Caughman has walked over the work and recommends that several places in it will be renewed.

Constable W. D. Whitmire has been transferred from Union to Pomaria. Blind tigers are said to have been handling a good jug trade, and the authorities want a stop put to the business.

Policeman Robert M. Beard, of Roanoke, Va., was shot and killed on Friday by John Hardy, a negro desperado, whom he was trying to arrest for murder.



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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, County of Lexington, By Geo. S. Drafts, Esq., Probate Judge. WHEREAS, P. R. Shealy made suit to me, to grant him Letters of Administration of the Estate of and effects of E. H. Shealy. These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said E. H. Shealy, deceased, that they be and appear, before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Lexington C. H., S. C., on 20 October, 1906, next, after publication hereof at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said administration should not be granted. Given under my hand, this 4th day of Oct., Anno Domini, 1906. GEO. S. DRAFTS, [L. S.] Probate Judge, Lexington county, S. C. Published on the 10th day of Oct., 1906, in the Lexington Dispatch.

**Final Discharge.**  
Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that we will apply to Hon. Geo. S. Drafts, Judge of Probate, in and for the county of Lexington, State of South Carolina, on the 9th day of November, 1906, for a final discharge as Executors of the Estate of Elizabeth J. Roof, deceased. JOHN W. KOON, W. D. DENT, Executors. Oct. 10. 4w52.

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