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WALHALLA, S. C. WEDNESDAY, JAN. 30, 1901.

LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS.

BY ROBT. A. THOMPSON.

Columbia, S. C., January 22.—The House and Senate met at 8 o'clock p. m. A resolution fixing a day of adjournment, February 5, was laid on the table in the House.

An interesting discussion took place on a bill permitting employees of cotton mills to sue such corporations for all injuries occurring in cotton milling. The House adjourned without deciding the question.

The Senate was in session only a short time. On Tuesday the House and Senate balloted separately for United States Senator. Hon. B. R. Tillman received all the votes.

The Senate and House on joint ballot elected Miss Lucy Barron, of Clarendon, State Librarian on the second ballot. Judge Gary was re-elected Judge of the Fifth Circuit without opposition.

Judge Townsend had opposition in the person of Senator Hydrick in the person of Senator Hydrick. Judge Townsend received 89 votes and Senator Hydrick 60. Judge Townsend was re-elected.

Mr. W. H. Townsend, of Barrowfield, was elected County Commissioner. Messrs. Sanders, Mobley and Rowland were elected Directors of the Penitentiary.

Mr. Kohn was elected a Trustee of the South Carolina College. The Senate was elected a Trustee of Clemson College.

These elections consumed the day and part of the night. The grip and smallpox have caused some uneasiness in the city. Your Mr. J. W. Sholor was in the city this week on professional business.

January 23.—At the night session on yesterday Capt. Griffith was re-elected Superintendent of the Penitentiary.

January 24.—Yesterday the House decided to reduce the State's 10 per cent profit from the dispensary to 2 per cent, and thus, while nominally complying with the constitutional provision, to revert the bulk of the profits from the general State fund to the treasuries of the several municipalities and counties in which the dispensaries are located.

The House had a busy day yesterday and accomplished a great deal. Second reading bills were waded into and discussed with a vigor that was not a third reading bill on the calendar. Nine bills passed second reading and two were killed. The two latter were bills to provide a pension dog tax, and to compensate the victims of theft.

At noon the Senate and the House met in joint session, and after the vote for United States Senator had been tabulated, Senator Sheppard, President of the Senate, announced the election of B. R. Tillman to be United States Senator.

There was quite an unexpected skirmish over Mr. C. E. Robinson's bill to amend the act incorporating Clemson College. The bill provided for the incorporation of Clemson College, which would not abrogate the charters of the towns of Calhoun and Central.

Oconee, opposed the bill. He suspected that it would eventuate in dispensaries being established in these towns. The President of the College, Col. Simpson, will be here in a day or two, and Mr. Thompson asked that action be suspended until he be consulted.

Mr. Robinson, the author of the bill, explained its purpose, and stated that he would accept an amendment forbidding the establishment of a dispensary at Calhoun.

Westminster, S. C., January 23.—Mr. W. S. Gray's new house, in Wall End, will be quite a neat and commodious dwelling.

Misses Bertie Burns and Emma Wick, of West Union, have been visiting Miss Nannie Terrell, of Walhalla, Miss Maude Strubling, who is teaching at the Hopewell school, is well pleased with the progress of her pupils and will be delighted if her school receives the premium offered by the State's Commission for the most progress in building and grounds; but much work will have to be done before that.

The woman whose husband was jailed on account of that great curse to the human family, and whose little children were sick of it, is now recovering from the very substantial help received from some liberal hearted members of the Baptist church.

January 30.—Mr. Wm. Strubling is at home for a few days. There are only a few cases of mumps now, and those who have not had them are hoping they will escape this time. The two new trains which were put on last Sunday will be a great convenience to our citizens. We have been needing them for some time.

Plitts & Gray have dissolved partnership. Mr. Gray has bought Mr. Plitts' interest and will continue in the marble business. Mr. Gray came from the North while a very young man, and has been very successful in his adopted home.

Mrs. Reuben Reid, mother of Mrs. Simpson, died at her home January 27, 1901. Mrs. Reid came to our town soon after the war. She lived a long and very quiet and retired life. Her husband was laid to rest in the cemetery of the old Westminster Baptist church on Monday at 11 a. m. Her two sons, Mr. John Reid and Mr. Robert Reid, were here. One is from Georgia, the other from Mississippi.

Mr. Henry Verzar has bought W. D. Leasly's interest in his business. Mr. Leasly will become a traveling salesman at the home of Mr. James Singleton. Mrs. Mary Hull has taken her place in the post office.

Beat Out of an Increase of His Pension. A Mexican war veteran and prominent editor writes: "Seeing the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, I am reminded that I contracted Mexican diarrhoea and cholera, which has kept me from getting an increase in my pension for an every year or so. It restores me." It is unequalled as a quick cure for diarrhoea and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by J. W. Bell.

Seneca, S. C., January 20.—On last Sunday night the store of Parrott Bros., out of town, was discovered to be on fire. When the people reached there it was too late to enter and save anything. Loss is \$1,400. No insurance. The bill to excise the graduates of a lamp which had been accidentally knocked off a table. Mr. D. V. Parrott lived in the rear end of the building where the fire originated. Nothing was saved except one show case. These young men about four months ago erected a nice store room and filled it up with dry goods and groceries. All were destroyed.

Dr. S. J. McElroy has located here to practice medicine. He is welcomed to our town, and we hope he will meet with success. Mr. A. S. Johnson, of Walhalla, passed through here on Sunday on his way to Georgia.

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The Change of School Books. Long Creek, January 23.—We are told that we must buy a new set of school books by July next or be "disfranchised" from school for the lack of authorized books. It is generally known that we have many poor children from school, though they are told that they can sell the books now in use if they are in good condition. It is generally known that books are in good condition only when not soiled or torn. If so, how many are there in the State that have been in school for years?

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What to Do. There is comfort in knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage. It corrects acidity to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant condition of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in 50c. and \$1. sizes. You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful discovery free of charge. Write for it to Dr. J. C. Kilmer, who writes more about it, both in English and French, absolutely free by mail, address Dr. Kilmer & Sons, 103 N. 3rd St., New York, N. Y. Write mentioning this generous offer in this paper.

THE KICKER COLUMN. BY THE KICKER. A gentleman asked the Kicker the other day "why would not the concrete building opposite the Episcopal church make a splendid place to run a wagon and heavy factory?" We agreed that there was no better place in town. It is isolated, hence less danger from fire. It is near enough the railroad to run the machinery, and the fact that the labor door into a car and strong enough to hold the heaviest machinery. It would not alone make a desirable plant for manufacturing purposes, but could be used as well for a knitting mill, furniture, coffin or other wood manufactory. The raw material is not abundant, and this, together with the fact that labor is cheap, makes it appear to the Kicker that either of the mentioned enterprises would be paying investment from the beginning. We agreed that the Kicker, owner of the building would put it into a stock company, sufficiently strong to make a good investment, and, as a low valuation. Let the gentleman run his hand at getting up a joint stock company. He has a number of moneyed and influential friends, whom he may appeal. Walhalla will bring up her end of the line.

The Bankers of Atlanta upon being approached to subscribe to build a national bank in the Y. M. C. A. building volunteered the assertion that the Young Men's Christian Association was one of the best investments they could put money into and each subscribed liberally. Taking their experience as a guide by all means let us organize a national bank. The Kicker promised in his salutatory note to discuss religion, and he is not going to discuss religion, but he is not going to discuss the development of a national bank and the Kicker is the exponent of anything that will enhance either. Mr. Henry Young man in Walhalla has more than ever before the Sunday afternoon are long and everybody knows that there is plenty of work for consecrated young men. The Y. M. C. A. is not going to assist them. What do you say to organizing a Y. M. C. A. five pastors and five superintendents? The Kicker.

A Prominent Chicago Woman Speaks. Prof. Roxa Tyler, of Chicago, Vice President Illinois Woman's Alliance, in speaking of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, says: "I contracted this winter which threatened to run into pneumonia. I tried different remedies, but it seemed to grow worse and the medicine upset my stomach. A friend advised me to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and I found it was pleasant to take and it relieved me at once. I am now entirely recovered, saved a doctor's bill, time and suffering, and I will never be without this splendid medicine again." For sale by J. W. Bell.

Queen Victoria's private fortune is estimated at between \$12,000,000 and \$15,000,000. It is invested principally in English real estate, but her Majesty has been credited also with the ownership of many American railway securities. Her Majesty's collection of silver and gold plate—the finest in the world—is said to be worth several millions.

Congressman J. Gamble of South Dakota, has been elected United States Senator to succeed Pettigrew.

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RECEIPTS. To cash, balance on hand 1899-8 52 40 To cash, fees collected 1900 614 83 To cash, interest on bonds 100 00 To cash, cemetery account 1900 30 00 To cash, special tax 1900 42 00 To cash, miscellaneous receipts 12 75 To cash, town and railroad tax 1,380 00 \$2,576 56

DISBURSEMENTS. Marshals—W. J. Beck, 229 05 A. C. Carter, 65 25 J. M. Derry, 100 00 James Rutledge, 110 08 W. B. Graham, 50 00 Chas. H. Moore, 100 00 Specials, 62 15 618 18

Salaries—F. S. Holleman, Int., 100 00 Jas. Thompson, Cl. and Tr., 120 20 220 20

Board of Health—Reg. appra., 50 00 J. M. Derry, 100 00 Mike Kiser, special officer, 4 25 D. B. Darity, physician, 5 00 200 00

Interest on bonds, 342 00 Work on English—A. L. Roberts 3 00 W. L. Yeeber, 100 00 J. M. Baldwin, 1 65 10 80

I went to New York Christmas, when the wholesale merchants were taking stock, and secured a great many Rare Bargains.

Dimities, Nainsook, Etc. My lines of DIMITIES, NAINSOOK, WELTS, LAUNTS, DOTTED SWISS, &c., are complete, and cheaper than you ever saw them.

Big line of MADRAS for shirts and shirt waists, worth 15c., only 10c. per yard. Big line of EMBROIDERIES at 7 and 10c.; LACES 5c. These goods have never been sold for less than 10 to 15c.

I FOUND A CLOTHING HOUSE GOING OUT OF BUSINESS, AND THEY SOLD ME AT MY OWN PRICE. BRING JUST A LITTLE CASH AND GET A SUIT.

A JOB LOT OF OVERCOATS CHEAP!

RAILROAD GOODS. Just received seventeen cases of Shoes from Railroad Co. Not wrecked, but lost. Going at less than wholesale cost.

HICKORY TOBACCO... Cost 36c. at Factory, For only 30c. by the 10 lb. box. GRAVELLY TOBACCO... Cost 46c. at Factory, For only 40c. by the 12 lb. box.

THESE GOODS FROM THE RAILROAD COMPANY. YOUR MONEY BACK IF NOT SUITED.

U. H. Adams, Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

BY virtue of the power to me given by the last will and testament of Washington Oglesby, deceased, and for the purpose of the payment of the debts of the testator as provided in and by the said will, I will sell to the highest bidder in front of the Court House door in Walhalla, S. C., on a Saturday in FEBRUARY NEXT, between the legal hours of sale the following described REAL ESTATE, to-wit:

All that certain tract or parcel of land, lying, being and situated in the County of Oconee, State of South Carolina, adjoining lands of James Ward and the Ray and Millard lands, on a branch of Choate's Creek, watered by the Oconee River, containing seventy-nine acres, more or less, the said tract of land being the same mentioned and described in the deed of conveyance of E. L. Ballenger to T. J. Hancock, bearing date the 6th day of February, A. D. 1863, and recorded in the Clerk's Office Pickens District (now County) in Meigs Conveyance Book K, Page 466, and fully represented by a plat thereof made by Robert A. Riley and thirty-five Men, J. M. Fine public road leading to Oakway, about one-half mile from the town of Westminster, S. C.

Also, All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land, lying, being and situated in the County of Oconee, State of South Carolina, adjoining lands of R. H. Smithson, Prucilla Ward and the above mentioned tract, belonging to the estate of Washington Oglesby, deceased, containing ten acres, more or less, and being the tract of land conveyed to Washington Oglesby by Prucilla Ward and Candace Ward.

The above tracts of land being the real estate of the late Washington Oglesby, deceased.

Also, One-half cash, and balance on a credit of one year, secured by mortgage of the premises, with leave to the purchaser to anticipate payment. It is agreed to pay extra for papers and stamps.

CLIFFORD H. MILLER, Executor of the last Will and Testament of Washington Oglesby, deceased. January 15, 1901.

Master's Sales. Yours for a Great Money-Saver, Carter & Company, WALHALLA, S. C. P. S.—We always keep on hand a nice line of Groceries.

T. E. ALEXANDER. Livery, Feed and Sale. Stable, WALHALLA, S. C. Good Teams and Saddle Horses. Fertilizers and Dynamite on Hand all the Year Round.

PHONE No. 11. Come to see me. I will sell you Horses or Mules cheap, for cash or on time. Can sell you one at any price, from forty dollars up. I always have a good lot of Hogs, good stock, on hand—all sizes and prices—from \$2.00 up. Call and see my stock. It won't cost you anything to look.

TERMS: Cash on day of sale. Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps. January 6th, 1901. W. L. NORMAN, Dealer in General Merchandise. This world belongs to the energetic.