

MAGISTRATES, CONSTABLES

and Other Peace Officers Must Aid in Enforcing the Dispensary Law.

Governor Blease issued last Thursday a proclamation calling upon sheriffs and their deputies, magistrates and their constables, rural policemen and city and town officials of the State to enforce actively the law against illicit traffic in intoxicants. The Governor's proclamation follows:

State of South Carolina, Executive Department.—To all Sheriffs and their Deputies; Magistrates and their Constables; Rural Police; City and Town Officials of South Carolina:

Please take notice that "An act to declare the law in reference to and to regulate the manufacture, sale, use, consumption, possession, transportation and disposition of alcoholic liquors and beverages within the State and to police the same," and acts amendatory thereto, provides, in part, as follows:

"It shall be the duty of the sheriffs and their deputies, magistrates, constables, rural police, city and town officials, to enforce the provisions of this act," etc.

Now, gentlemen, I beg and insist upon your doing your duty under this act, and wish to say that those of you who come under my authority, if you do not do it (while it would be very unpleasant) I shall take action in the matter and use the authority given me under this act. I hope that you will not force me to this; and for this reason and because I am anxious that all of the laws of the State be enforced and that lawlessness and vice shall be put down as far as within our powers lie, I appeal to you to assist in the enforcement of all the criminal laws of our State. I will do my part and give you all the assistance I can. I also call upon all good citizens of our State to assist in the enforcement of our laws. Very respectfully,

Cole L. Blease, Governor.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Cochran Favored for Judge.

(Washington Special to The State.) Washington afternoon papers say that the name of Ernest Cochran, of Anderson, is being discussed at the White House in connection with the filling of the vacancy on the Federal bench, when Judge William H. Brawley retires in May. It was stated in this correspondence a day or two ago that it was thought President Ford had practically made up his mind while at Augusta regarding a man he would appoint to succeed Judge Brawley, but if the White House rumors are well founded all the four Democrats who have been under consideration have apparently been eliminated in favor of Mr. Cochran.

Who gets the piano?



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WRITTEN BY THE SAVIOUR?

Atlanta Man Claims to Have a Letter Written by Christ.

(The following is published at the request of an aged lady in the upper part of Oconee, who, having carried the clipping constantly for a number of years—ever since it was published in The Courier several years ago—has found it to be a great source of comfort to her. We republish the article with the comments made on same at the time it was first published. The lady referred to is now in her 84th year.)

(Edw. Y. Clark, in Atlanta Journal.)

(The following clipping was sent to The Courier by a Georgia reader for publication. As to the claim of Christ as the author, we, of course, simply lay it aside as so much "stuff." If the possessor of the letter believes it, what matter? "As he believes, so be it." In it there is much of what might technically be termed "rot." Take it for what it is worth, which is not a great deal.)

There is in the possession of an Atlanta man, a W. H. Pasco, who lives at 62 McDaniel street, and who works for the Southern Saw Works, a letter which he believes was written by the Christ. So firmly does he believe this that he is trying to obey its mandates, and wherever he goes has it published, for fear if he does not the curse pronounced in it for failure thus to do will fall on his head.

The letter, which is said to have been written more than two thousand years ago, fell into the hands of a family living in Virginia, who have kept it in their possession from the time they got it until 1879, it having been handed down from father to son and so on.

At that time a copy of it was given to Mrs. M. F. Towson, a near neighbor, and she gave a copy to Rev. P. C. Fletcher, of Rome, Ga. A copy of the letter also got into the hands of Mrs. W. W. Gillam, who, up to the time of her death lived near Cowpens, S. C.

W. H. Pasco fell into possession of a copy of the letter while on a trip recently to Spartanburg, S. C., and prizes the same very highly. He says that all those who have a copy of the letter prize it very highly and believe the letter to have been written by Christ Himself, never for a moment doubting its genuineness.

The preface to the letter is as follows:

"This letter was written by Jesus Christ, and found under a great stone, round and long, at the foot of the cross, 18 miles from Iconium, near the village called Mesopotamia. Upon that stone was written and engraved: 'Blessed is he that shall turn me over.' All the people that saw it prayed God earnestly and desired that He would make known to them the meaning of this writing, that they might not attempt in vain to turn it over. In the meantime there came a little child about six years old, and turned it over without help, to the admiration of all the people that stood by, and under this stone was Cubasses' family and in this letter was written the Commandments of Jesus Christ, signed by the Angel Gabriel ninety-nine years after our Saviour's birth."

The Wonderful Letter.

The letter itself reads as follows: "Whoever works on the Sabbath day shall be cursed. I command you to go to church and keep the Lord's day holy without any manner of work. You shall not idle nor mispend your time in bedecking yourselves in superfluous, costly apparel and vain dressing, for I have ordered it a day of rest. I will have the day kept holy that your sins may be forgiven you. You shall not only go to church yourselves, but also your servant and maid servant. Observe my words and learn my commandments. You shall finish your labor every Saturday at 6 o'clock in the afternoon, at which hour the preparation of the Sabbath begins. I advise you to fast five Fridays in the year, beginning at Good Friday, and continuing the five Fridays following, in remembrance of the five bloody wounds I received for you and all mankind. You shall diligently and peaceably labor in your several vocations when it hath pleased God to call you. You shall love one another and cause them that are not baptized to come to church and receive that holy sacrament, that is to say baptism and the supper of the Lord, and be made a member thereof, and in so doing, I will give you long life and many blessings, your land shall replenish and bring forth abundance, and I will comfort you in the greatest temptations, and surely he that doeth to the contrary shall be cursed. I will also send hardness of heart on them till I have destroyed them, but especially on hardened impenitent unbelievers. He that hath a copy of this letter written by my own hand and spoken with my own mouth, and keepeth it without publishing it to others shall

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Severed Head with Cabbage Knife.

Mobile, Ala., April 6.—The assassination of Geo. W. Bowlin, of Mayfield, Ky., in this city last Sunday morning, was solved to-day by the confession of Burke Davis, a negro under arrest for the crime. He admitted that he went to a farm-house, secured a cabbage knife and almost cut the man's head off. His only defense is that Bowlin cursed him.

Publisher Dies by Own Hand.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 6.—Craig Lippincott, head of the publishing house of J. B. Lippincott Company, shot and killed himself early to-day in his home, 218 West Rittenhouse Square. An authorized statement given out by an officer of the publishing company states that he shot and killed himself during a period of temporary aberration. He was 65 years old.

Can We Afford It?

(Judge.) We see that in Philadelphia they have a new ordinance that all milk shall be delivered in the original package. It seems to us it would be almost impossible for the milkman to leave a cow at each house.

Bride 80, Groom 30.

Louisville, Ky., April 8.—Mrs. J. W. Smith, aged 80 years, the richest widow in Louisville, has announced her engagement to Carl Neumyer, aged 30. The woman is worth over a million dollars. The wedding is set for Easter. This is her fourth marriage.

Cracksmen Get \$2,000.

Shreveport, La., April 7.—The third safe blowing in this vicinity during the week occurred last night at Montgomery, Grant parish, where cracksmen entered a store, securing \$2,000 in cash.

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Two Killed in Election Fights.

Little Rock, Ark., April 6.—Two persons are dead as a result of shooting affrays, having as their origin quarrels over Tuesday's city election.

Following the tragic death late yesterday of Constable E. Lindsay, who was shot to death in a fight with Patrolman Will Scott, in the law office of J. A. Comer, former Patrolman Charles Brown was shot and killed by E. A. Pipkin early to-day. In the same affray Louis Hill was shot and his left leg broken above the knee.

Brown had engaged in several fist fights during the day as a result of political arguments. Earlier in the day he had severely beaten Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Frank Henderson. It is thought that the shooting of Brown was accidental, as he and Pipkin had been on friendly terms.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County.

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Again Given Death Penalty.

Savannah, Ga., April 12.—J. C. Hunter, convicted of having slain his wife at the time she and two other women were murdered in the Perry street house in December, 1909, and who was recently refused a new trial by the Supreme Court, was resented to-day by Judge Charlton to be hanged on May 12th.

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Harrison Wins in Windy City.
Chicago, April 4.—Carter H. Harrison, mayor of Chicago from 1897 until 1905, and son of Carter H. Harrison, Sr., who occupied the mayor's office from 1879 to 1887, and was assassinated during the World's Fair, was elected mayor for the fifth time to-day. He defeated Charles E. Merriam, his Republican opponent, by 17,082 votes, gaining a total of 177,368 votes. In spite of the opposition of a majority of the local press, the election was almost a complete Democratic victory.

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