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WALHALLA, S. C.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 14, 1920.

THE FIRST CAMPAIGN MEETING.

On last Thursday, the 8th instant, the candidates for United States Senate spoke at Walhalla Court House. Judge Prince adjourned court at 12 o'clock, and James M. Moss, County Chairman, immediately called the meeting to order and introduced the speakers. The exercises were opened with prayer by Rev. L. W. Langston, of the Baptist church.

In the absence of Senator E. D. Smith a statement was read in his behalf by the Senator's private secretary.

The speakers were introduced in the following order, and each spoke for about thirty minutes: Hon. Geo. Warren, of Hampton; Hon. W. C. Irby, of Laurens, and Hon. W. P. Pollock, of Cheraw.

The court room was fairly well filled during the speaking, the addresses being heard by about 150 persons, among whom were a few ladies, who are near-voters.

All the speakers were well received and the hearers were enlightened and entertained for about two hours.

HOW DR. GARDNER STANDS.

It is really refreshing to note the old-time punch and right-from-the-shoulder hitting of our good friend, Dr. G. W. Gardner, of Greenwood, who, though no longer actively in the newspaper business, occasionally livens things up about the Greenwood Journal shop by dipping his pen into the old ink bottle, and then jotting down a few things that he thinks. And he keeps his thinker on an honest level at all times along the great moral issues. At the present time Dr. Gardner talks very plainly to Hon. Geo. Warren, of Hampton, who is in the race for the United States Senatorship, and who evidently is not at all careful about keeping all the planks in his platform perfectly dry. Dr. Gardner produces a letter from Mr. Warren and then reproduces his reply thereto, and the two make quite interesting reading just at the present time. We print below the correspondence:

Headquarters of George Warren, of Hampton,
United States Senatorial Campaign,
Columbia, S. C., June 24, 1920.

Dr. G. W. Gardner, Greenwood, S. C.—Dear Dr. Gardner: You have probably seen that I have announced for the United States Senate. Believing that the sound logic of Calhoun still exists, and that the principle of States' Rights, for which the men of the sixties fought still survives, I shall advocate the repeal or modification of the Volstead Act and the enactment of legislation for prohibition enforcement which will recognize the right of States to legislate in regard to liquor and its use for medicinal purposes. I shall also advocate the amortization of our thirty billion dollar war debt to a much longer period instead of attempting the payment of that amount in a period of twenty years. Economy in Congress and reorganization of the governmental bureaus on a peace basis are other things in my platform.

If I could enlist your aid in my race, you could be of great benefit by directing a personal appeal to your close friends around the State and in your community. This, coming from you, would accomplish more than my flooding the State with literature, and will merit my thanks.

Sincerely yours,
George Warren.

And here is Dr. Gardner's reply to Mr. Warren:

Greenwood, S. C., July 8, 1920.
G. W. Warren, Columbia, S. C.—My Dear Mr. Warren: I am in receipt of your letter announcing your platform, which I consider a wet one, and you may count on my doing everything in my power to defeat you, and I am very sure you will find that I am going to have a great deal of help. As soon as I saw your announcement in the papers, months ago, I made up my mind what to do for you. We have the liquor devil on the run, and why do you wish, on the plea of States' Rights, to help hold him up? We do not need any such specious plea, and it is not going to deceive our people.

We want no light wine business, which means pulling down the bars to let the liquor people in. South Carolina is very well satisfied with the Volstead law, and the only thing she and all the States need is to have it enforced. No doubt the liquor people will rally to your support, and if you cared to accept it, they would be willing to put big money in the campaign in your behalf, but you may count upon all prohibitionists to look well after men of your views.

I am giving this letter to the daily press, and I expect to ask the Bap-

list Courier, the Christian Advocate and the Associate Reformed Presbyterian to publish it, and I shall offer it to others. I do not think, if South Carolina were so unfortunate as to have a man of your ideas on the liquor business elected, that he could do much harm to the cause in Washington. At the same time I am convinced that it is best to keep your kind at home. Respectfully yours,
G. W. Gardner.

TWO IMPORTANT MEETINGS.

There are two important meetings to be held this week—that is, meetings of importance on two subjects. On one of these subjects there will be three meetings—one at Seneca, one at Westminster and one at Walhalla.

The Democratic County Executive Committee will meet at the Court House in Walhalla next Saturday, at 10 o'clock a. m., July 17th. This is an important meeting, and every executive committee member in the county should be present. Bear this meeting in mind.

Then there will be meetings in the interest of the farmers in particular, and all business men in general, to consider vital questions in relation to the cotton crop.

The first meeting will be held at Westminster next Saturday, July 17, at 11 o'clock a. m.

The second meeting will be held at Seneca on the same day, next Saturday, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

The third meeting will be held in Walhalla on Monday next, July 19th, at 11 a. m.

A full statement as to the purpose of these cotton association meetings will be found on the first page this week. Read this statement, then make a point to attend one—or all—of these three meetings. They are important.

LOCAL OVERFLOW.

—The trustees of the Walhalla school hope to be able to add the eleventh grade this year to the school. It is not as yet known whether this can be done, but decision in the matter will be made as soon as it is possible to find out just the status of affairs for the coming session. Several teachers have been chosen for the faculty for the 1920-21 session. Those having been elected to positions are as follows: Superintendent, T. E. Dukes; high school teachers, Miss Lola Kaufmann, Mrs. T. E. Dukes, Guy Cox, the latter teacher of agriculture; seventh grade, Miss Mamie Crooks; sixth grade, Mrs. L. T. Covington; fifth grade, Miss Annie Strutton; fourth grade, Miss Julia Kaufmann; third grade, Miss Lucile White; second grade, Mrs. L. A. Probst. There are two teachers to be chosen yet, those for the primary department, known as the first and advanced first grades. This is the first year of operation under the new ruling as to compensation, and the teachers will receive \$110 per month in the high school department and \$90 per month in the lower grades.

—A number of beautiful "42" parties have been given lately, which the club members and some invited guests have enjoyed greatly. Mrs. George Seaborn was the first to extend invitations to the club, and added to the pleasure of the afternoon by an extra table. Many games were played, Miss Sue Maxwell scoring highest and winning two pretty handkerchiefs in a dainty basket. In conclusion of the afternoon, old-fashioned custard cream and pound cake were served. Mrs. N. L. Fant was next to entertain, this being in the nature of a farewell party to Mrs. Joel Brown, who soon will leave for her home in California. Many exciting games were played, Mrs. Monroe McDonald being the winner of a hand-painted water scene of the Panama waters. Refreshing sherbet and cake were served at the close of this pleasant afternoon. Mrs. E. L. Herndon complimented Mrs. Brown on Saturday. The attractive home was most inviting with a variety of cut flowers. Punch was served during the games. Miss Janie Neville won top score and was given a dainty hand-made collar. Mrs. Will J. Schroder won consolation, a box of powder. The guest of honor was presented with a beautiful collar, the work of the generous hostess. Miss Gertrude Smith assisted Mrs. Herndon in serving delicious peach cream and angel food cake.

—Our good friend, R. L. Boggs, has favored us with a real treat in the shape of a liberal sample of his Carolina and Buncombe June apples, and they are the finest we have ever seen or tasted. Mr. Boggs has been "treating" The Courier force annually for these many years and his trees seem never to fail to produce perfect fruit. He says, however, that he came near missing us this year because of the fearful condition of the roads in his section. Not only are the roads getting in almost impassable fix, but several of the bridges are in such condition that they cannot be crossed except at the peril of the traveler. The people of the New Hope section, he says, are in a frame of mind bordering on revolt against paying taxes and being left isolated from the outside world by reason of inability to go anywhere over the makeshift roads that now exist. The editor of The Courier has been waiting all spring to make two trips—one to Tamassee, the other to the New Hope section—but we have been advised by all who know the two roads to keep off of them unless the trip be an absolutely essential one. If we may judge the whole of the New Hope section by our good friend Boggs, the proverbial hornets' nest would be a cool and pleasant place to get into by comparison with New Hope—that is, for some people. There's isn't a better section than New Hope, and cleverer people don't live than those of the New Hope section. But there is a point that can be reached beyond which it ceases to be a virtue to forbear. And the New Hope people feel that the forbearance point has been already passed.

Rainfall and Temperature.

Below is a record of meteorological observations taken by H. W. Brandt, co-operative observer of the Weather Bureau of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, during the week ending July 11th, 1920, at 7 p. m. (The instrumental readings are from government standard instruments exposed in the manner recommended by the chief of the Weather Bureau):

Character of Day.	Rainfall.	Temperature.	
		Highest.	Lowest.
July 5—Clear	.....	89	65
July 6—Cloudy	..... .82	82	69
July 7—P'tly cldy.	.....	84	70
July 8—Clear	.....	89	65
July 9—Clear	.....	90	62
July 10—Cloudy	..... .39	89	62
July 11—Cloudy	..... 1.55	81	65
Total rainfall	..... 2.48		

Hospital for Crippled Children.

Asheville, N. C., July 12.—Fred L. Seelye, owner of Grove Park Inn, announced to-day that he will construct and maintain from the profits of the hotel a hospital here for crippled children.

Oconee Lands FOR SALE.

640-Acre Farm, nine miles north of Walhalla, S. C., near Oconee Station, on public road and rural route, in one mile of good school. This place has four good farm houses, wells, barns and other out buildings for each house; three-horse crop under plow. Two hundred acres of this land is rough, but well timbered—mostly hardwood, with some pine. Two big pastures for cattle; one good hog pasture, all wired and in good repair. Fish pond on place. Good orchards at all four of the houses. Thirty-five to forty acres of good bottom land. All good, strong red soil, splendidly adapted for cotton. Fine combination stock and cotton farm. Terms to suit purchaser. Price, \$250.00 per Acre.

210-Acre Farm, on head-waters of Little River, five miles from Salem, S. C.; forty acres of good bottom, ten acres of good cotton land. Has good crops of cotton and corn growing this year. This place has two pastures for cattle, wired in and in good repair; one cheap 4-room house and out buildings; two good fishing streams on place; 400,000 feet of good saw timber, mostly pine. This place is on public road and rural route, and is within power on place suitable for grade mill. Good school in half a mile. Terms to suit purchaser. Price, \$250.00 per Acre.

IN ADDITION to the above I have a number of Farm and Timber Tracts listed for sale; also some Town Lots. If interested in Land in any shape, call on or write

J. F. HEDDEN,
WALHALLA, S. C.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION.

In accordance with Section 1742, Civil Code of South Carolina, 1912, and pursuant to an order of the County Board of Education of Oconee County, South Carolina, notice is hereby given that a Special Election will be held at the School House in Fall Branch School District, No. 39, on SATURDAY, July 24th, 1920, question of levying a Special Tax of 5 mills on the real and personal property within the said District, to be used for school purposes in said School District.

At said election each elector favoring the voting on said special levy of five mills shall cast a ballot containing the word "Yes" printed or written thereon, and each elector opposed to said levy shall cast a ballot containing the word "No" printed or written thereon.

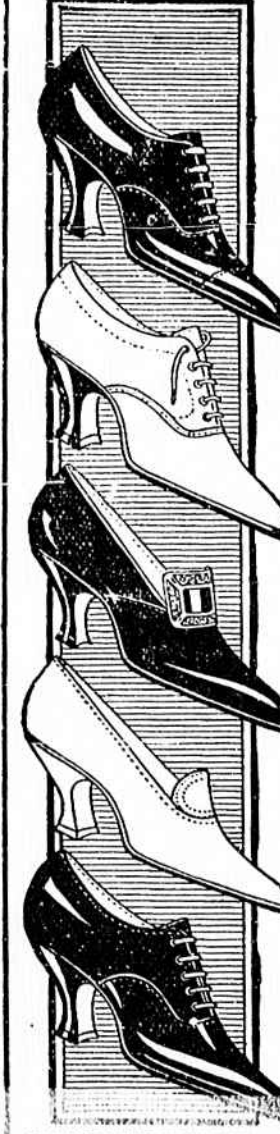
At the said election only such electors as return real or personal property for taxation, and who ex-

Blumenthal's BIG SHOE EVENT

YOU, the Public of Westminster and Vicinity, will be astonished and amazed at the prices you will find that Blumenthal has marked the Shoes down to. If you do not need footwear of any kind, we want you to come in anyway and compare prices and quality. The reason for holding this event is because we are overstocked with Shoes and because we don't want to carry over any Shoes to another season.

Every Low Shoe in the House Must Go at a Low Price.

Walk-Over, Peter's, Martha Washington.



Ladies' Oxfords and Pumps.

WOMEN'S FINE LOW SHOES
In Various Styles and Values from \$5.50 to \$7.00, going during this great Shoe Event at **\$3.95**

WOMEN'S FINE LOW SHOES
In Black Kid and Patent Leather, worth \$7.50, and some worth more, all going during this great Shoe Event at **\$4.95**

WOMEN'S FINE LOW SHOES
In the Best Grades of Leather, and best Workmanship and the Newest Styles—Worth up to \$10.00—going in this great Shoe Event at **\$6.95**

WOMEN'S FINE LOW SHOES
Consisting of Brown and Black Kid Leathers—Worth up to \$12.50, but going during this great Shoe Event at **\$7.95**

WHITE CANVAS PUMPS AND OXFORDS FOR WOMEN
Have been marked down for this big Shoe Event to **\$2.48**

TENNIS SLIPPERS
For Men, Women and Children, going during this great Shoe Event at the remarkably low price of **69c.**

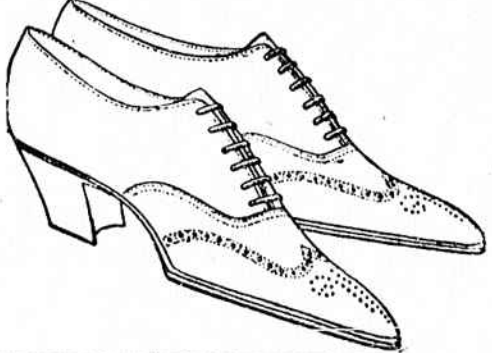
SILK HOSE FOR LADIES,
Worth \$1.50 and \$2.00 the Pair, going during this Special Event at the money-saving price of **98c.**



MEN'S OXFORDS.

\$5.95
WILL BUY BLACK SHOES THAT SOLD AT

\$8.50



\$9.85
WILL BUY TAN CALF SHOES WORTH

\$12.50 and \$13.50

L. BLUMENTHAL, Westminster.

Inhibit their tax receipts and registration certificates, as required in general elections, shall be allowed to vote. Polls will be opened at 7 o'clock a. m. and will close at 4 o'clock p. m.
W. E. JONES,
W. W. FENDLEY,
C. I. MURPHREE,
Trustees of Fall Branch School District, No. 39,
Managers of Election.
July 14, 1920. 28-29

Fine Farm Lands FOR SALE.

52 1/2 ACRES fine red sand-clay loamy land, smooth; six miles of Troy; good public road, mail, telephone; white community; good six-room house, finished and painted; two tenant houses; large barn; forty acres cultivated; wood, pasture, well.
\$1,200.00
FOR IMMEDIATE SALE.

50 ACRES of red and grey loamy land, four miles of Plum Branch; mail, telephone; thickly settled white neighborhood; school, store, conveniences; forty acres in good state of cultivation; best pasture, wood, well; three-room dwelling, good barn; on two fine roads.
\$3,000.00.

150 ACRES grey sandy land,

three miles out of McCormick; 2 tenant houses, wood, pasture, well and barn.
\$37.50 PER ACRE.

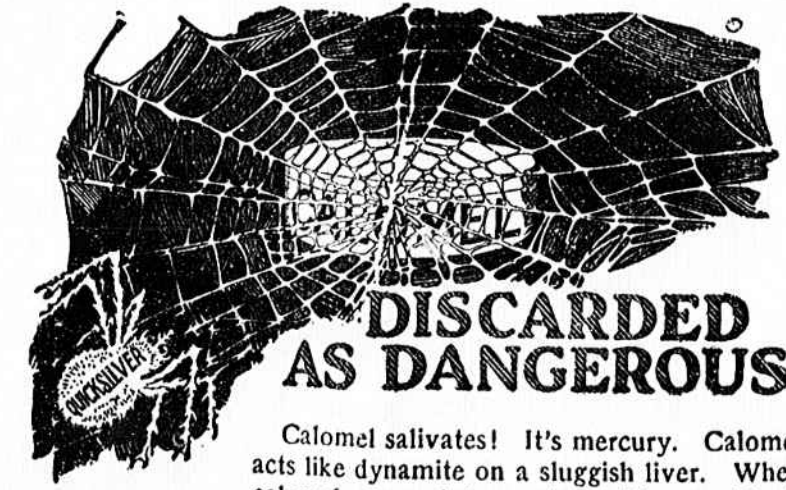
64 ACRES of the most highly improved farm in this section, two miles of Troy; black, pebbly soil; fresh, level land; five-room dwelling, two tenant houses; fifty-five acres cultivated; fine orchard; mail, telephone.

103 ACRES, three miles from McCormick, on bonded highway; red clay land; sixty acres in good state of cultivation; large, handsome eight-room dwelling, finished; well, pasture; 200,000 feet of saw timber; best road.
\$105.00 PER ACRE.

COME AT ONCE IF YOU WANT TO SPECULATE OR BUY FOR A HOME, AS WE CAN GIVE YOU THE VERY BEST BARGAINS NOW.

DIXIE LAND CO.,
McCORMICK, S. C.

The 1920 census gives the town of North, S. C., a population of 700, an increase of 139, or 24.8 per cent. In order to reduce fire danger 400 miles of telephone lines will be installed in the Canadian timber lands.



Calomel salivates! It's mercury. Calomel acts like dynamite on a sluggish liver. When calomel comes into contact with sour bile it crashes into it, causing cramping and nausea.

Take "Dodson's Liver Tone" Instead!

If you feel bilious, headachy, constipated and all knocked out, just go to your druggist and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a few cents, which is a harmless vegetable substitute for dangerous calomel. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't start your liver and straighten you up better and quicker than nasty calomel and without making you sick, you just go back and get your money. If you take calomel today you'll be sick and nauseated tomorrow; besides, it may salivate you, while if you take Dodson's Liver Tone you will wake up feeling great, full of ambition and ready for work or play. It is harmless, pleasant and safe to give to children; they like it.