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WALHALLA, S. C.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12, 1922.

BANKRUPTCY DOES NOT AFFECT

Taxes Assessed Against Parties—All Taxes Constitute Prior Lien.

County Auditor Ralph M. Pike is in receipt of the following letter, which he has asked us to publish for the information of the public of Oconee:

"Columbia, March 30, 1922.

"Our attention has been called recently to the fact that taxes charged against various persons, firms and corporations who have gone into bankruptcy have not been paid by the trustees in charge of said bankrupt property.

"The laws of our State make taxes a prior lien on all property, said lien attaching at the beginning of the year during which the tax is levied, and said taxes shall be first paid from proceeds of sale of such property.

"Federal bankruptcy laws also provide: 'If property subject to tax is sold the tax should be paid out of the proceeds before any part thereof is distributed to the general creditors.' The mandatory provision of the Federal act, Section 64-a, as to the payment of taxes recognizes a county that should not require the assertion of the State of its claim for taxes in all cases to warrant the order for their payment, but a suggestion that taxes are owing by the bankrupt is sufficient.

"If you have any taxes charged against any person, firm or corporation who has been declared a bankrupt, or hereafter may be declared a bankrupt, you should notify the trustee or trustees that they will be held liable for all taxes charged, or to be charged, against such property. If the trustee has disbursed all the funds without having paid the taxes, suit can be brought against the trustee within two weeks after his discharge.

"We ask your co-operation in giving due publicity to this letter in order that all trustees and receivers of above-mentioned property may know of their duties in the premises.

Yours very truly, "South Carolina Tax Com., "Walter G. Query, Chairman."

Card of Thanks.

Madison, S. C., April 4, 1922.

Editor Keowee Courier: We desire through your valuable columns to thank our neighbors and friends for their many deeds of kindness and expressions of sympathy in the death and burial of our son, brother and husband, Glenn H. Reynolds, who met his untimely death on March 23d. We especially wish to thank the members of W. O. W. Camp of which he was a member, his companions and others, for the beautiful floral offerings placed on his casket, which were tokens of the high esteem which they felt for him as a comrade and brother. May God ever bless them all.

Our hearts are broken, our home is lonely, because we can see our loved one no more. He was kind, noble, loving and true. Our loss is Heaven's gain. We hope to meet him on the other shore, where sorrows come no more, but where happiness, peace and love shall never cease to exist, and Jesus shall reign evermore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cleland, Mrs. Sarah E. Reynolds.

Aiken Winter Hotel Damaged.

Damage estimated at \$25,000 resulted from a fire that, shortly after midnight on April 2d, destroyed the rear wing of the Highland Park Hotel, Aiken's principal winter hotel. Twelve rooms, including the kitchen, were burned. The origin of the fire is unknown.

OUR PROSPERITY IS DEPENDENT

Upon the Home Market—Farmer is Gradually Coming to this View.

Editor Keowee Courier:

I am afraid that some of our leaders outside, and some of our statesmen inside, have gone off chasing political butterflies instead of following their well understood convictions. Many of them fear that, with an election coming on, the farmers have been led astray by the propaganda that their prosperity depends upon their foreign markets. The farmer may be misled for a while, but when he wakes up and finds himself, then he will be in a position to take better care of himself.

The American farmer's prosperity depends upon his home market, and he is coming to realize and know it. Eighty to ninety per cent of his produce is either consumed on the farm or in home markets. But recently there has been so much "hot air" in the press about buying and selling abroad that it is time for some one to call a halt and state a few cold facts.

So said, "In 1921 we exported from this country to foreign nations more than 20,000,000 tons of food-stuffs, an amount more than double our normal pre-war exports. But it did not bring prosperity to our farmers. We lacked the home market—lacking capacity of the millions of men normally employed in our factories at good wages, who were then, and now are, unemployed or working but half time."

Herbert Hoover, Secretary of Commerce, speaking before the Interstate Commerce Commission, said:

"Our farmers who look to foreign markets for their surplus should stop to consider that our home consumption of meal decreased nearly seven pounds per capita in 1921—mostly owing to unemployment—and that if this decrease could be overcome, it would be worth more than 25 per cent increase in our exports."

All Classes Hurt by Wage Cuts. The "deflation" of labor, while most injurious to the workers, has had a correspondingly injurious effect upon all our people. The existing paralysis of business can be traced to wholesale wage slashing. When the workers are well paid and steadily employed there is prosperity and a good market, not only for the merchants, but for farmers and manufacturers as well. When half the workers are on the streets seeking employment and the other half are being paid wages insufficient to maintain a decent standard of living, there is commercial and industrial stagnation and depression.

Constituting, as they do, more than half the population of this country, the industrial workers and their families must consume the greater portion of the products of our farms and the output of our factories. All that they have to exchange for food and other necessities is the reward of their labor.

When workers are unemployed or their earnings curtailed they inevitably must consume less. That condition is immediately reflected on commerce and industry. To it can be attributed almost entirely the prostration of agriculture and the impoverishment of our farmers. This is the great economic truth which every statesman must realize. It is so self-evident that a child in grammar school can understand it. And yet it is ignored and violated every day:

- 1. To overburden the farmer is to destroy the whole of prosperity, for every extra burden placed upon the producer has to be ultimately paid by the consumer. 2. If a people, country, state or nation be bonded for the assets value of its property, the bond-holders and not the people are the owners of it. 3. The biggest material questions before the world to-day are money, debts and taxation. B. Harris.

The name Kersey, as applied to cloth, is a corruption of Jersey, where this material was first produced.

NEXT DOSE CALOMEL MAY SALIVATE YOU.

It is Mercury, Quicksilver—Shocks Liver and Attacks Your Bones.

Calomel salivation is horrible. It swells the tongue, loosens the teeth and starts rheumatism. There's no reason why a person should take sickening, salivating calomel when a few cents buys a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic—a perfect substitute for calomel. It is a pleasant vegetable liquid which will start your liver just as surely as calomel, but it doesn't make you sick and cannot salivate.

Calomel is a dangerous drug; besides it may make you feel weak, sick and nauseated to-morrow. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tonic instead and you will wake up feeling great. No salts necessary. Your druggist says if you don't find Dodson's Liver Tonic acts better than treacherous calomel your money is waiting for you.—adv.

A LITTLE TALK FOR JESUS.

Editor Keowee Courier:

I have subscribed for your paper for many years and have not asked for the publication of many pieces. It is now on the very eve of planting time, and not much has been done in the fields. The Good Book says that "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God. So we need some spiritual food for the soul."

I saw a vision that illustrates pure worship and false worship. I give this as a riddle:

No. 1—A string instrument illustrates preparedness for Jesus—"Just in time." It has the image of a living being, yet it is noted for its quickness. It flashes like lightning on a morning, and will be for a warning, making a small tone.

No. 2—A stringless instrument illustrates unpreparedness for Jesus—"Just too late." It has the image of no living being, yet it is noted for its noisiness. It is very noisy. Sometimes it quacks like a goose turned loose; yet it saves much time and labor, leaving fears and frights behind it. Yet God put it into man's mind to find it.

This is only for a picture. I will show this one the streets and make music as I get an invitation. Who will tell me what this is and show one like it and turn me down. (Rev.) J. L. Hudson. Tamasee, S. C.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on the box. 30c.

MANY MINE MULES SEE LIGHT

Of Day for First Time in Years by Reason of Great Coal Strike.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., April 6.—One hundred and fifty-five thousand idle mine workers in the anthracite fields of Pennsylvania are not alone enjoying the holiday brought about by the work suspension order. The mine mules, many of which had not seen daylight for years, also are enjoying it. And, if the capers they cut about their enclosures are to be taken as reflections of their feelings, they are even more joyful than the miners.

Certainly these humble beasts of burden are not worrying about the probable duration of the suspension, for everything has been done for their comfort. Thousands of them were brought from the dark levels in boarder enclosures. To watch them romping about, kicking and hitting at each other, good naturedly, was evidence enough that they welcomed the chance again to get into the sunshine and air, free from the coal gases. But there was even a stronger evidence that the mules disliked their gloomy subterranean existence when an effort was made to lead or drive them toward a mine opening, for invariably there was a rebellion.

It was in the deep recesses of the mines where trolley lines cannot penetrate, or where the sparks from the electric wires might cause gas explosions, that the mules were employed. After once being taken into the inner workings the mules are never removed except in cases of strike or other trouble. Their average life underground is about fifteen years.

A TONIC

Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic restores Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then appreciate its true tonic value. Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is simply Iron and Quinine suspended in syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs QUININE to Purify it and IRON to Enrich it. Destroys Malarial germs and Grip germs by its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. 60c.

Turpin Wilbanks Dead.

(Tugaloo Tribune, 4th.) Turpin Wilbanks, well known to the residents of Tugaloo Valley, died last Thursday at the age of seventy years. He had been married twice, and leaves his widow by the second marriage and a number of children. At the time of his death he was living on the Jarrett place. Mr. Wilbanks lived most all his life near Madison and the Jarrett Bridge. He lived on the Ramsay and Jarrett farms for the past several years.

"Sarge Plunkett" Dead.

A. M. Wier, widely known all over the South for his newspaper articles over the pen name of "Sarge Plunkett," died at his home at Decatur, Ga., on April 2d. He was probably one of the best known humorous writers of the South, occupying a field peculiarly his own.

WANT EX-SERVICE MEN BACK

In Insurance Department—Efforts to Reinstate Millions Insurance.

Atlanta, Ga., April 6.—Service men in Georgia, North and South Carolina, Florida and Tennessee will be asked by the United States Veterans' Bureau to reinstate ten million dollars' worth of government insurance during April, according to Joe Sparks, liaison officer, National Headquarters of the American Legion. The instructions for the campaign, which is to be staged April 10th to 17th, have been sent to the fifth district organization by M. Bryson, District Manager. Chambers of commerce, civic organizations and service bodies have been asked by the bureau and the American Legion to give assistance.

"I consider this an important move," said Mr. Sparks, "because all service men should take advantage of the government insurance. I am urging the Legion posts to support the movement to the limit. With the proper effort at least \$10,000,000 worth of insurance should be reinstated. It is a very simple matter for a service man to take advantage of this generous offer by the government."

The State commanders of the Legion in the several States have been asked to support the movement. The Governors of the several States will be asked to issue proclamations urging service men to reinstate their insurance.

District Manager Bryson will place the full machinery of the Veterans' Bureau back of the campaign.

Advertisement for 'TOMORROW' laxative, featuring a box illustration and text: 'A mild, vegetable laxative to relieve Constipation and BILIOUSNESS and keep the digestive and eliminative functions normal. Used for over 30 years. Chips off the Old Block. MR JUNIORS - Little Nrs. One-third the regular dose. Made of same ingredients, then candy coated. For children and adults. NORMAN DRUG CO., Walhalla, S. C.'

Booker Washington Statue Unveiled.

Tuskegee, Ala., April 5.—Transportation methods ranging from special cars to muleback were utilized to bring to Tuskegee to-day a steady stream of white persons and negroes to attend the unveiling of a statue of Booker T. Washington, founder of the Tuskegee Institute. School authorities said that the gathering was the largest in the history of the institute. Special cars brought parties from New York, Washington, Chicago, Atlanta and New Orleans, and the countryside rallied in automobiles, on horseback, muleback, afoot and in every conceivable kind of vehicle. The unveiling took place during the afternoon. Dr. Wallace Buttrick, president of the general education board, delivered the founders' day address, and Dr. Geo. C. Hall, of Chicago, and Josephus Daniels, former Secretary of the Navy, also delivered orations. President Harding sent a letter, in which he gave unstinted praise of the great work done by Booker T. Washington.

THAT BAD BACK

Do you have a dull, steady ache in the small of the back—sharp, stabbing twinges when stooping or lifting—distressing urinary disorders? For bad back and weakened kidneys Walhalla residents recommend Don's Kidney Pills. Read this Walhalla statement.

Mrs. R. C. Stout, 8 Ann St., says: "I had a dull, heavy ache in my back and felt tired and languid most of the time. Sharp pains caught me in my back when I bent. My kidneys acted irregularly and I often had dizzy spells when black specks appeared before my eyes. My ankles swelled and I was in pretty bad shape. Hearing of Don's Kidney Pills I got a supply and they made me feel like a different person. I recommend Don's very highly for the cure they gave me."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Don's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Stout had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

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National Forest Timber for Sale.

Sealed bids will be received by the Forest Supervisor, Franklin, N. C., up to and including May 6, 1922, for all the merchantable dead timber, standing or down, and all the live timber marked or designated for cutting, on an area embracing about 150 acres on Chauga Creek, Nantahala National Forest, South Carolina, estimated to be 427,000 feet B. M., more or less of yellow pine, 7,000 feet B. M., more or less, of white oak, and 16,000 feet B. M., more or less, of Spanish and black oak timber. No bid of less than \$3 per M. feet for yellow pine and white oak, and \$1.50 per M. feet for Spanish and black oak, will be considered. \$250 must be deposited with each bid, to be applied on the purchase price, refunded, or retained in part as liquidated damages, according to conditions of sale. The right to reject any and all bids reserved. Before bids are submitted, full information concerning the timber, the conditions of sale, and the submission of bids, should be obtained from the Forest Supervisor, Franklin, N. C. 14-15-78

Advertisement for Cardui: Pains Were Terrific. Read how Mrs. Albert Gregory, of R. F. D. No. 1, Blufford, Ill., got rid of her ills. "During... I was awfully weak... My pains were terrific... I thought I would die. The bearing-down pains were actually so severe I could not stand the pressure of my hands on the lower part of my stomach... I simply felt as if life was for but a short time. My husband was worried... One evening, while reading the Birthday Almanac, he came across a case similar to mine, and went straight for some Cardui for me to try."

TAKE

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

"I took it faithfully and the results were immediate," adds Mrs. Gregory. "I continued to get better, all my ills left me, and I went through... with no further trouble. My baby was fat and strong, and myself—thank God—am once more hale and hearty, can walk miles, do my work, though 44 years old, feel like a new person. All I owe to Cardui." For many years Cardui has been found helpful in building up the system when run down by disorders peculiar to women.

Take Cardui

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DR. J. G. STRANCH, Optometrist, Austin Bldg. - Seneca, S. C.

NOTICE OF SEIZURE AND SALE.

Walhalla, S. C., March 28, 1922.

The following described property, seized from G. W. Wilbanks under warrant for distraint for non-payment of assessed taxes due, will be sold as provided by Section 3197, Revised Statutes, at public auction, WEDNESDAY, April 19, 1922, in front of the Court House door, Walhalla, S. C., at 10 o'clock A. M.:

One tract of land, known as the home place, containing 200 acres, more or less, and purchased from W. J. Duffie by G. W. Wilbanks, situated on Cedar Creek, Roper's and Long Ford, branches of Chauga River.

Also, that certain tract of land situated on Bone Camp Creek, waters of Clem Wilbanks, V. F. Martin, Edward Callas and others, containing 115 acres, more or less, and purchased from J. S. Callas by G. W. Wilbanks.

Also, tract of land on Sawyer's Branch, of Bone Camp Creek, waters of Chauga, adjoining tract above described, lands of Estate of A. A. Rowland, Sam Wilbanks and others, containing 100 acres, more or less, and recorded in Book of Deeds D-566, page O, Pl. 198-PE, p. 316, in the office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County, at Walhalla, S. C. ROBT. F. JENKINS, Deputy Collector. April 5, 1922. 14-16

Kentucky has 46 women clergymen and 14 women lawyers.

GUTTER and Metal Shingles.

DAN E. GOOD, Walhalla, S. C.

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Walhalla, S. C., March 28, 1922.

The following described property, seized from Elijah and Edgar and C. E. Alexander, under warrant of distraint for non-payment of taxes assessed against them, will be sold as provided under Section 3197, Revised Statutes, at public auction, on WEDNESDAY, April 19th, 1922, at ten o'clock A. M., in front of the Court House, Walhalla, S. C.:

One (1) tract of land, containing 189 acres, more or less, purchased by Elijah Alexander from R. T. Jaynes, J. H. Darby, John Frank and others, known as Tracts 13 and 14 of the Sifton lands, and situated near Salem P. O., in Keowee Township, Oconee County, South Carolina, and recorded in the Book of Deeds in the office of the Clerk of Court for Oconee County, at Walhalla, S. C.

Also, one tract of land, containing 61 acres, more or less, purchased by Edgar Alexander, and adjoining the above tract. ROBT. F. JENKINS, Deputy Collector. April 5, 1922. 14-16