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PICKENS C. H., S. C.

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TERMS:

For subscription, \$1.50 per annum, for six months, 75 cents; strictly in advance.

The State Democratic Convention meets in Columbia on the first day of August next, for the purpose of nominating a State ticket.

We publish this week the redistricting Act, and will publish in our next issue, the Act to amend the Election Law.

A meeting of the patrons and others interested in the school at this place was held in the Court House on last Saturday evening for the purpose of raising money to build a school house.

R. A. Child, Esq., of this place has recently been elected by the Board of Directors, attorney of the Atlantic and French Broad Valley Railroad.

The Extra Session.

The extra session of the Legislature closed on the 5th inst., after having been in session nine days, occupying only seven working days.

A Joint Resolution proposing to amend the Constitution relating to the time of holding election.

A Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Code of Civil Procedure and in the General Statutes.

A Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution relating to the formation of new counties.

THE SOUTHERN CULTIVATOR.—The July number of this popular and well established Agricultural Journal has been received.

The colored Teachers Institute is now in session at Columbia. The attendance of teachers is large.

Rose Blasingame, an old colored woman who lives in Groenville, a few days ago was struck by lightning and instantly killed.

At a recent accident on the Long Branch Railroad, Gen. Grant crawled out of a window and up through the water out of a car which was submerged in a river.

Improvement for Mind and Body.—There is more strength in a single drop of Parker's Kidney Pills than in a bushel of meal or a gallon of milk.

The State Redistricted.

The following table shows the counties and portions of counties which make up the seven Congressional Districts in the State under the new law, and the number of voters in each.

FIRST DISTRICT.

Table with columns: White, Col'd. Rows include Charleston & Berkeley, St. Philip's and St. Michael's, Mt. Pleasant, etc.

SECOND DISTRICT.

Table with columns: White, Col'd. Rows include Hampton, Colleton-Broxson, Warren, etc.

THIRD DISTRICT.

Table with columns: White, Col'd. Rows include Abbeville, Newberry, Anderson, etc.

FOURTH DISTRICT.

Table with columns: White, Col'd. Rows include Greenville, Spartanburg, ex'pt White Plains, etc.

FIFTH DISTRICT.

Table with columns: White, Col'd. Rows include York, Chester, Lancaster, etc.

SIXTH DISTRICT.

Table with columns: White, Col'd. Rows include Clarendon, Williamsburg, ex'pt Kingstree, etc.

SEVENTH DISTRICT.

Table with columns: White, Col'd. Rows include Georgetown, Williamsburg, ex'pt Kingstree, etc.

RECAPITULATION.

Summary table with columns: White, Col'd. Rows include First District, Second District, etc.

Table with columns: District, Total. Rows include Third District, Fourth District, etc.

Under this new arrangement the Democrats can easily carry six of the seven Districts.

Circular.

OFFICE OF GENERAL MANAGER, RICHMOND, VA., June 21st, 1882.

To further promote the interests of its patrons and the development of the material resources and industries of the regions of country served by its system of railroads, the Richmond and Danville Railroad Company will again incur the labor and expense of making an illustrative exhibit this fall.

The New England manufacturers and mechanics Institute will hold its second Exposition in Boston, Mass., on the 6th of September.

All persons throughout the great Piedmont, Monacan and other regions embraced in the Richmond and Danville system of railroads in any way interested in material development and enterprises—owners of mineral lands and mines, Timber lands, manufacturing establishments and water powers are invited to avail themselves of the benefit of this exhibit.

Hurricane Items.

Mr. Editor: Since the visitation of many lovely showers of rain and the coming of summer in this section of our County, I attempt once more to let your readers hear from here.

Mr. Editor: The Liberty Democratic Club re-organized on Saturday the 8th inst., by electing the following officers: President, W. K. Boggs; 1st Vice President, M. T. Smith; 2d Vice President, W. T. O'Dell; Secretary, Laban Mauldin; Corresponding Secretary, M. T. Smith; Treasurer, E. R. Horton; Executive Committee, E. P. Taylor, Thos. Parkins, Laban Mauldin, J. F. Smith, and Robt. Stewart; Member of County Executive Committee, M. A. Boggs; Delegates to the County Convention, E. P. Taylor, S. D. Stewart, Laban Mauldin, W. H. A. Arian, and E. B. Richardson; Alternates, T. F. Taylor, Job F. Smith, W. E. Smith, G. W. Dorr, and M. T. Smith.

Mr. W. N. Payne has also painted his residence, so your readers can see that there is some progress over here in Hurricane township, as well as in other sections of our County.

Prof. McWhorter will resume his school at an early day.

We are advocates of your College, and think such a thing has long been needed in our County. So hoping the day is not far distant when Pickens may have the honor of having one of the best Colleges in the State, I am yours truly,

A Fatal Affray at Camden.

CAMDEN, S. C., July 4.—Major L. W. R. Blair, the Greenback candidate for Governor in 1880, was shot and instantly killed in Camden today about 11 o'clock in a personal encounter with Capt. J. L. Haile.

For some time past there had not existed very good feeling between Blair and Haile, and meeting each other on the street to-day, Capt. Haile was accosted by Major Blair, who asked him (Haile) if it was true that he had been making certain statements concerning him.

Blair then asked Blair to retract his language, which Blair refused to do. Haile then left Blair, and walked a few steps and entered the county treasurer's office followed by Blair. Upon entering he closed the door, and in a minute or two returned with a rifle and pistol. Blair was then standing within a few feet of the door, and was again requested by Haile to retract his offensive language. Blair still refused to do so, and putting his right hand in his bosom advanced toward Haile. Haile then fired at Blair three times, the balls taking effect in the right lung and through the heart. Blair fell dead. The cause of the encounter was purely personal.

Found at Last.

An agreeable dressing for the hair, that will stop its falling, has been long sought for. Parker's Hair Balsam, distinguished for its purity, fully supplies this want.

er's office and sent for Sheriff Doby in order to surrender himself. A large crowd of negroes assembled in front of the building, and at one time it was thought that an effort would probably be made to mob Capt. Haile. Upon Sheriff Doby's arrival he summoned a guard and conveyed the prisoner to the county jail, where he is now confined.

Capt. Haile is a prominent and popular citizen a native of this county, and resides within a few miles of where Major Blair lived.

After Capt. Haile had been regularly committed to jail upon a warrant issued by the coroner, his counsel, Major W. Z. Leitner and Mr. W. M. Shannon, made application before Judge Kershaw for a writ of habeas corpus. Judge Kershaw admitted the prisoner to bail in the sum of five thousand dollars for his appearance at the September term of the Court, the bond to be secured by three or four sureties.

The order leave was granted to the applicant of the Fifth Circuit to apply at any time for a recommitment of the prisoner upon giving four days' notice. This process was made from the fact that the solicitor had been informed by writ of the intended application for bail and no answer had been received from him. The Court-house was well filled during the hearing of the case, and immediately upon the order being made Capt. Haile gave the required bond and was released from custody.

The Faculty of the White Teacher's Institute.

The State Superintendent of Education has issued a circular announcing that a State Institute for white teachers will be held in Columbia, beginning Tuesday, August 1, and ending Friday, August 25, with the following faculty: Hon. M. A. Newell, Principal Maryland State Normal School, Principles and Methods of Teaching; Miss S. E. Richmond, Vice-Principal Maryland State Normal School, Arithmetic; Prof. E. S. Joyner, University of South Carolina, English Language; Prof. Alexander Graham, Superintendent of Schools, Fayetteville, N. C., History and Geography; Prof. E. W. Riemann, Lexington High School, Map Drawing and Penmanship; Prof. W. H. Witherow, Principal Chester Graded School, Music. The following optional studies will be offered: Natural Philosophy, Prof. B. Sloan, University of South Carolina; Chemistry, Prof. Wm. Burney, Ph. D., University of South Carolina; Latin, Prof. Riemann; Algebra, Miss Richmond; French, Prof. Joyner; Sanskrit, Prof. A. Reinhard, High School of Charleston. Other optional studies will be offered if desired. The course of study will be arranged so as to meet the wants of the teachers of elementary schools as well as those whose classes are more advanced. The instruction will be entirely oral. Pupils are requested to bring with them, Appleton's or Reynold's Fourth Reader. A digest on subjects connected with education will be delivered during the session by distinguished speakers. Certificates of qualification will be granted on examination at the close of the session. These certificates of qualification will be of force in all counties of the State. Tuition is free. Board can be obtained in Columbia at low rates. Persons desiring to secure board in advance, can do so by applying to the Secretary Professor L. B. Hayes, Columbia, S. C.

LABAN MAULDIN, Sec.

A CARD.

To the Citizens of Pickens County:

My views relative to Railroads it seems, are misunderstood by some. (I do not suppose I would be misrepresented.) I will state that I am not opposed to building Railroads through the State or County, and favor granting charters and amending them, when necessary to further promote the interest of any such enterprises. I am, however, unalterably opposed to building by taxation, as it bears so unequally on the people. It being unjust to tax the man twenty or one hundred miles off the road to the same extent you do one within one mile or less.

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Announcements.

For Congress.

We are authorized to announce HON. D. WYATT AIKEN, as a candidate for reelection to Congress.

For the Senate.

The many friends of COL. R. E. BOWEN announce him as a candidate for the Senate at the ensuing election, subject to the Democratic nomination at the primary election. This announcement is made with the knowledge of Col. Bowen, but his friends having an abiding faith in his disinterested patriotism, make it, believing that he cannot and will not refuse to become the People's Candidate.

VOTERS.

That DR. W. T. FIELD is a man of ability, all admit. His integrity and purity of character, unassailed. That he has claims upon the Democracy of Pickens County equal, if not superior to those of any other man, no one can deny. He is no time server, no policy man, no demagogue, and while he is no office seeker, his friends have obtained his assent to allow the use of his name as a candidate for the Senate at the approaching primary election. He will make no canvass, because his record is well known. But his friends will press his claim with vigor.

For the Legislature.

FELLOW CITIZENS: Take notice that I. J. LOOPER am a candidate for Representative of the people of Pickens County at ensuing election, subject to will of the PEOPLE at General Election.

For Probate Judge.

The friends of J. B. NEWBERRY respectfully announce him as a candidate for Probate Judge of Pickens County at the ensuing election, subject to nomination by the Democratic party at primary election.

For County Commissioner.

The friends of O. P. FIELD respectfully announce him as a candidate for County Commissioner of Pickens County at the ensuing election, subject to a nomination by the Democratic party at primary election.

VOTERS.

The many friends of LABAN MAULDIN respectfully announce him as a candidate for reelection to the office of County Commissioner of Pickens County at the next ensuing election, subject to nomination by the Democratic party at primary election.

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The friends of ELIAS DAY respectfully announce him as a candidate for reelection to the office of County Commissioner of Pickens County at the ensuing election, subject to nomination by the Democratic party at primary election.

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The friends of A. B. TALLEY respectfully announce him as a candidate for reelection to the office of County Commissioner of Pickens County at the next ensuing election, subject to nomination by the Democratic party at primary election.

For School Commissioner.

The friends of O. L. DURANT respectfully announce him as a candidate for School Commissioner of Pickens County at the next ensuing election, subject to nomination by the Democratic party at primary election.

For County Treasurer.

The friends of REV. B. HOLDER respectfully announce him as a candidate for recommendation to the office of Treasurer of Pickens County, by the Democratic party at primary election.

For Auditor.

The friends of JOSEPH B. CLYDE respectfully announce him as a candidate for recommendation to the office of Auditor of Pickens County, by the Democratic party of the County at the ensuing primary election.

Sheriff's Sales.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

COUNTY OF PICKENS.

Mary P. Folger against Mary A. Oates. By virtue of a Decree in Dower, made in the above stated case, and execution issued thereunder by O. L. Durant, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County, I will sell before the Court House door on Saturday in August next, during the usual hours of sale to the highest bidder for cash, All that Piece, Parcel or Tract of Land, lying and being in the County and State aforesaid, within or near the Town of Easley, on both sides of the Briggs Road, leading into Easley, being that portion of the Mary A. Oates Homestead, covering the tract of Land, formerly owned by Mary Oates, deceased, and by her to Rufus Oates, deceased, and by him to Rufus Oates, deceased, and containing Fifty-four Acres, more or less.

ALSO.

In a similarly stated case, all that Lot or Parcel of Land, lying within or near the Town of Easley, within the Defendant Mary A. Oates now lives, containing Four Acres, more or less, and being the Lot formerly owned by M. F. M. Oates, deceased, and by her to Rufus Oates, deceased, and by him to Rufus Oates, deceased.

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In a similarly stated case, all that Lot or Parcel of Land, lying within or near the Town of Easley, within the Defendant Mary A. Oates now lives, containing Four Acres, more or less, and being the Lot formerly owned by M. F. M. Oates, deceased, and by her to Rufus Oates, deceased, and by him to Rufus Oates, deceased.

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