

Scraps and Facts.

The United States is one of the first of the great powers to demonstrate its good faith in carrying out the provisions of the treaty of The Hague...

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YORKVILLE, S. C. SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1900.

A GREAT deal of gratification has been expressed at the defeat of Brooker by Derham. Had Brooker been more judicious and less personal, he would have made a much better run.

Factional lines were drawn in the recent primary to a larger extent than at any previous primary since the constitutional convention. We have been sincerely hoping that there would be no more of this kind of thing in York county.

As we ran our eye over the heading "Knocked Out in the Fifth," yesterday, in one of the daily papers, we assumed that the paragraph referred to the congressional race. Further reading, however, developed that it was only the story of a prize fight between Kid McCoy and James J. Corbett...

We reproduce the election table published on Wednesday, not so much because of its news value, as because of its official value as a record. People who look ahead, especially those who expect to become candidates in the future, always preserve these tables for reference. Sometimes it is very important to know how certain precincts voted for certain candidates two years before.

Old Dr. Timmerman is a capital man. There is no doubt of that fact. The people of the state generally realize it. He was probably opposed not because of any objection to him; but more because of the desire of the majority to take care of a maimed Confederate. Had Mr. Jennings not been the equal of Dr. Timmerman in all other respects, however, he could not have gotten such a handsome vote.

ONE of the mysteries of Tuesday's primary, not only in York county, but throughout the state, was the big vote that was received by J. H. Tillman for lieutenant-governor. We cannot account for it only on the ground of the work of the First regiment boys, and the possible influence of the name Tillman. Colonel Tillman will probably be elected; but if he shall ever reflect credit upon the state from his position, we will be agreeably surprised.

THE ENQUIRER sincerely regrets the defeat of Mr. J. J. Hull for the legislature. We suggested his candidacy originally because we felt that he would make a most creditable representative. In his canvass of the county he came fully up to expectations, meeting all issues fairly and squarely, refraining from all trades and telling the people exactly where he stood upon all issues.

or less effect in certain communities; but, after all, Mr. Hull has nothing to be ashamed of. Considering the fact that he has been 25 years an editor, the vote of his township is gratifying, and we are also gratified at the vote he received in Yorkville. However, none of these suggestions offer us much consolation. We entertained strong hopes of the election of Mr. Hull, and in the fact that he was not elected we are sorely disappointed.

THE STATE ELECTION.

McSweeney and Hoyt Will Run a Second Race for Governor. The result of the election, last Tuesday, is not known in all its details. The returns have been coming in much slower than usual, and up to 2 o'clock Friday morning, several of the contests were still in doubt.

M'SWEENEY TO THE PEOPLE.

Governor Thanks His Friends and Requests Them to Repeat.

Following the receipt of the returns from the first primary election, Governor McSweeney issued the following address: To the People of South Carolina: Fully appreciating the large vote which I received in the primary on Tuesday as a strong endorsement of my administration, I desire to express to my friends my sincere acknowledgments for the support given. The battle is to be fought over again between Col. Hoyt, the prohibition candidate, and myself, on Tuesday, September 11.

confident, however, for there is always danger in over-confidence. If they turn out and vote, success is assured, and aside from my personal interests, and of the utmost importance that there be a free and full ballot in the second primary. M. B. McSWEENEY.

MERE-MENTION.

Bresci, the anarchist who assassinated King Humbert, of Italy, has been tried, convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for life. The Grand Army of the Republic, in camp at Chicago, has adopted resolutions protesting against the use of school histories that teach the South's side of the Civil war and contentions.

SOUTH CAROLINA NEWS.

The Second Primary. The Democratic executive committee has ordered a second primary election to be held on Tuesday, September 11. The official notice will probably be published next Wednesday.

Joseph T. Johnson has defeated Stannard Wilson for congress. The Spartanburg vote was 2,811 for Wilson, and 3,328 for Johnson. Johnson's majority in the district was slightly over 2,500.

Keep the Record Straight. Greenville News: We think the Laurens Advertiser is in error in saying the "carpet-baggers and scallawags" put into the constitution the New England public school and 2-mill tax. The constitution of 1868 simply directed the legislature to provide for public schools.

The Drouth in South Carolina. Says a Columbia special of August 25, to the Atlanta Constitution: South Carolina crops have suffered disastrously from the present hot spell combined with drought. Recently a few local showers have fallen over very limited areas, but otherwise there has been no rain in August.

Death of Colonel John B. Patrick. Says an Anderson special of Thursday to the Greenville News: Never has such a gloom of sadness been thrown over this entire city as when it was stated that Col. John B. Patrick, for years one of Anderson's most prominent and most respected citizens, had dropped dead at his home as he was dressing about 7 o'clock.

Citizens have requested THE ENQUIRER to make complaint to the town council against fast driving through the streets of the town. There is an ordinance on the subject and the complaint is that the ordinance is being violated to the danger of life and limb of pedestrians.

Superintendent Jones, of the Yorkville graded school, has been hard at work this week looking after the renovation of the school building preparatory to the commencement of work next Monday. He said to the reporter yesterday that he would be glad to have all the patrons of the school to be present at the opening.

Rev. W. G. Neville is at home again. Mr. and Mrs. John R. Ashe have a very sick baby. Mr. M. L. Carroll has returned from a flying trip to Tennessee.

Miss Edith Stewart, of Rock Hill, spent yesterday in Yorkville, on her way home from Blowing Rock. Dr. R. L. Moore, of Rock Hill, has an appointment to be at the Parish hotel next Thursday, September 6.

Miss Elise Moore entertained a host of her friends very delightfully, last Tuesday evening, at a "Telegraph party."

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

INDEX TO NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Riddle & Carroll—Announce that they have on hand 1,000 bushels of red rust proof seed oats and bagging and ties.

FOOD FOR THE STARVING. Contributions to The Christian Herald's Indian Famine fund, received by THE ENQUIRER up to this time are as follows:

RESULT OF THE ELECTION.

The members of the York county Democratic executive committee met in the court house on Thursday, canvassed the returns and declared the result of Tuesday's election. It developed that there were a number of inaccuracies in the tabulated statement published in THE ENQUIRER of Wednesday, most of them having been caused through indistinctness of telephone communication.

MAGISTERIAL ELECTION.

The Democratic executive committee, on Thursday, declared the result of the magistrate elections in the various townships last Tuesday as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Vote Count. Includes S. N. Johnson (149), A. L. Nunnery (149), S. L. Davidson (43), W. R. Hayes (25), H. W. Plaxco (109), H. W. Thomson (44), E. F. Bell (88), J. C. Chambers (69), G. Leech (127), T. C. Beckham (683), R. M. Anderson (124), Sam F. Massey (91), J. B. Mills (167), M. M. Wolfe (33).

LOCAL LAONICUS.

Until January 1st, 1901. THE TWICE-A-WEEK ENQUIRER, filled with the latest and most reliable news, will be furnished from the date of this issue until January 1, 1901, for 66 cents.

Electric Power Company's Dam. Work on the Catawba Power company's dam is progressing as rapidly as possible. The first coffer was completed a few days ago, and it was the intention of the contractors to commence pumping water out of it on Wednesday.

The Miller school, 3 miles southwest of Yorkville, has been discontinued on account of diphtheria in the family of Mr. Robert Robertson, who lives near by, and whose children have been attending the school.

The Southern Railway. People from this section of the country who have occasion to travel North or West and have the desire to get there in a comfortable way, will do well to consider the advantages offered by the Southern railway.

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The candidates in the Sixth district were Norton, Scarborough and Ellerbe. Norton and Scarborough will run it over.

In the Third district, Latimer received 11,119 votes, defeating Verner and Wyche on the first round.

Henry was renominated for solicitor on the first ballot. The vote was as follows: Sixth Cir. Henry, Hough, McDow York (1,440), 421, 1,334, Fairfield (872), 219, 364, Lancaster (614), 1,234, 430, Chester (1,260), 319, 255, Cherokee (1,310), 273, 269.