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The whiskey element is rejoicing over Judge Pritchard's taking to himself jurisdiction in the dispensary matters, but we see nothing in the action of the Judge to worry the interests of the State. He will appoint special Masters to take testimony, and if this testimony shows up like it has before the Commission there are many of the whiskey houses that will not profit by getting their claims scrutinized by a federal court. But Attorney General Lyon will not be content to permit a federal judge to override the State of South Carolina without resistance, and the Supreme Court of the United States will be appealed to for relief, until then, the liquor houses that have been robbing the taxpayers with trusted officials who have turned out to be a gang of looters will be immune from prosecution.

It is also possible that Governor Ansel will find it necessary to resist Judge Pritchard's interference even if he must use his military arm to protect the State's interests. It was this same Judge Pritchard who rendered a railroad decision contrary to the laws of North Carolina, and Governor Glenn made him understand plainly that his decision would not stop him from enforcing the laws of that State. Governor Glenn by his determined stand caused the railroads to beg for quarters, and the orders of Judge Pritchard are hung up in the courts, meanwhile the North Carolina rate laws have gone into operation. If Governor Ansel finds he is within the law, he will direct the dispensary commission to continue doing its duty and be will protect them with armed force if necessary.

There are some newspapers in the State endeavoring to make prejudicial capital out of the appropriations made by the recent session of the legislature, but not one of them will point out wherein an appropriation was made that could have been avoided without endangering the State's interests. It is all poppycock of the worst sort to charge "extravagant appropriations." The appropriation made for Wintrop was a due necessity when it is considered that the institution is turning away girls knocking at its doors for an education to help maintain the civilization of this country. The amount appropriated for the Citadel was obligatory to meet the purchase of property, and to put in a condition habitable for the sons of white parents young men who are preparing themselves to build up a more enlightened citizenship. Not one of the appropriations were extravagant. The fact that the State levy was raised one mill need not be attributed to extra appropriations, but to the desire to cut down the levy last year in response to popular clamor without calculating the urgent needs of the State, and the result was the levy was too low to meet the expenses of the government, which brought about a deficit that had to be met this year.

Oh! but the legislature created two additional circuits. It was demonstrated to the satisfaction of a large majority that at least one of these new circuits was such a crying necessity, that it was economy to create it and thereby relieve the taxpayers from expense caused by congested dockets; the other circuit was not quite in as bad condition but fast getting to it. Therefore the combined wisdom of the legislature voted for the additional circuits on the ground of economy.

Then we see it stated by some of these little fee newspapers that "the legislature did very little, in fact, less than any other legislature before it." This is not true. The present general assembly enacted a number of general laws, killed a large number, some of which should have not been killed, compulsory education for instance, and there was more legislation of local importance than at any previous session in many years. Take it all in all, it was a remarkably well-balanced, conservative session, newspaper conservative piker with mustard seed hull brain cells, to the contrary notwithstanding.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, I. S. LUCAS COUNTY. FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, Ohio and State of Ohio, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 5th day of December, A. D. 1898. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Summerton School Bill. A Bill to Authorize the Trustees of Summerton School District, No. 22, of Clarendon County, to issue Bonds for the Purpose of Financing and Equipping a School Building at Summerton, in Said School District. Whereas, the General Assembly of said State, by an Act approved the 21st day of February, A. D. 1906, authorized the trustees of Summerton School District, No. 22, of Clarendon County, to issue and sell coupon bonds of said School District, in an amount not exceeding twelve thousand dollars, as they may deem necessary, for purchasing a lot and building and equipping a school building at Summerton, in said district; said bonds to be of the denomination of one thousand dollars each, bearing interest at not more than six per cent. per annum from the date of issue and running for a series of twenty years, and providing for an election to determine whether such bonds should be issued, and such election having been held and such bonds having been issued and sold and disposed of and the proceeds thereof, the Trustees having commenced the erection of a building and expended the entire sum of money upon the same, and it is now found that it will take the sum of six thousand dollars in addition to the sum already expended, as aforesaid; and Whereas, it is provided in the Act of the General Assembly that for the purpose of paying the said bonds and the interest thereon an annual tax of five mills on the dollar shall be levied upon the taxable property of said School District, which annual tax shall continue until the General Assembly shall otherwise provide; and Whereas, an annual tax of five mills on the dollar will be sufficient to pay the twelve thousand dollars of bonds already issued long before the time of their maturity; and said annual tax will be amply sufficient to pay the interest and to retire the additional sum of six thousand dollars of bonds necessary to complete and equip the said school building;

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina, in Session assembled, that the Trustees of Summerton School District, No. 22, of Clarendon County, are hereby authorized and empowered to issue and sell coupon bonds of said School District, in a sum not exceeding six thousand dollars, as they may deem necessary for the purpose of finishing the said school building and equipping the same; the said bonds to be of the denomination of one thousand dollars each, bearing interest at not more than six per cent. per annum from the date of issue, and running twenty years from the date of issue of said bonds; said bonds and interest coupons to be signed by the Chairman of the Board of Trustees of said School District; and the question of issuing the bonds authorized in this section shall first be submitted to the qualified voters of said School District, at an election to be held to determine whether said bonds shall be issued or not, as hereinafter provided.

Sec. 2. That for the purpose of determining the issue of bonds authorized in Section one (1) of this Act, the said Trustees shall order an election to be held at Summerton, in the said School District, on the question of whether the said bonds shall be issued or not, in which election only the qualified voters residing in said district shall be allowed to vote; and said Trustees shall give notice of said election for three weeks in some newspaper published in Clarendon County; and shall also put said notices in three public places in said School District, shall designate the time and place and appoint the managers of such election and receive the returns of the managers and declare the result.

Sec. 3. The said Trustees shall have printed for the use of the voters in said election two sets of ballots, which shall be placed, an equal number of each, at the polling place, on one set of which shall be printed the words "For the issuing of bonds," and on the other of which shall be printed the words "Against the issuing of bonds." If a majority of the votes cast at said election shall be for the issuing of the coupon bonds provided for in Section one (1) hereof, the said Trustees may issue said bonds, or such amount, not exceeding six thousand dollars (\$6,000) as they may deem requisite for the purpose set forth in Section one (1) of this Act, payable to bearer, to run twenty years from the date of issue of said bonds.

Sec. 4. That the interest upon said bonds shall be paid out of the annual tax levied already directed to be made under Section 4 of the Act of the General Assembly approved February 21st, A. D. 1906, and the principal of the said bonds shall be paid out of the balance of the proceeds of the tax levied, and the interest thereon, as provided in said Act, and which shall be put aside as a sinking fund for the purpose of retiring the bonds preferred to in said Act, and of the bonds herein provided for in said Act shall continue until the General Assembly shall otherwise provide, and until a sufficient sum has been raised to pay the interest and the principal of all of the bonds referred to in said Act, and herein referred to.

Sec. 5. That this Act shall take effect upon its approval by the Governor.

BOOKWORMS.

There Are a Dozen Different Kinds of the Borer. "One of the greatest superstitions," says a second-hand book dealer in this city, "is the idea that the bookworm commits immense ravages among printed volumes and yet has never been seen. People think it bores holes through books and eats out large cavities in the middle of a volume, then disappears, and the superstition even goes so far as to assert that the bookworm will eat a hole that would hold a marble right in the middle of a book, then vanish without leaving any exit."

"The plain truth is that almost any borer that infest wood will bore holes through books and also that cockroaches do about as much harm to books as any other insects. There are a dozen different kinds of borers that do more or less damage to books, and the reason why the insects are not more frequently caught is that they do their work and generally leave the book to enter the chrysalis state in other quarters. None of the boring worms are large, and even when a borer is actually at work the sudden opening of the book allows the insect to drop out unobserved."

"American made books, however, are very little troubled by borers. There are so many different kinds of chemicals used in the covers, bindings, paper and paste that boring insects generally get very sick at the stomach before they have made their way far into an American book. In southern Europe, however, great damage is done, but it is done not only by borers, but also by ants, which eat only the war into the heart of a book and leave galleries and chambers easily mistaken for the work of the borers."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat. Here comes the Spring Winds to chase the winter snows, and when a borer is like a poultice for cuts, sores, burns, chapped skin. Sold by The Manning Pharmacy.

THE WIND OF DEATH.

Life Lines In Trieste's Street For Us When the Bora Blows. That which was once Illyria is now Dalmatia, or, rather, that part of Illyria which reaches the Adriatic in Dalmatia, the last forgotten country, as the Austrians call it when it fell into their hands not so many years ago. It is one of the few bits of Europe that remain in a measure unacknowledged, and it is still out of the beaten paths of the tourist, who himself is almost as much of a curiosity to the people as they are to him. There are seasons, according to an article in Appleton's Magazine, when the bora blows, that wind of death, as the natives call it, which comes out of the blue with more than a suddenness of a tornado and shakes the earth and all that is on the earth, stinging, blinding, choking. In the square of Trieste life lines are prominent features which the citizens must grasp when the bora clutches them, and they grope their way through the whirling dust and the promiscuous missiles flying in the darkened air. But the bora goes as quickly as it comes, and when it is gone the people simply excavate themselves out of the drift and think no more about the wind and demon, which has left no trail whatever in the restored serenity of the scoured sky.

HIS SYMPATHY.

It Would Have Been Worth More Only He Lacked Presence of Mind. In the criminal court in Baltimore a dandy was on trial for stealing a watch, which he had pawned. He was identified by the owner as the person who grabbed the watch out of his pocket, yet the dandy claimed to be innocent. When asked how he came in possession of the watch he said: "I was standing on the corner when a man comes up to me and says he is hard up and hasn't a cent to buy food with, and he wants to sell me this watch for \$3. I knew I could get \$4 on it in pawn, and I felt sorry for him and bought the watch for \$3 and pawned it for \$4. That's how I got the watch." The prosecutor then asked, if he had bought the watch for \$3, knowing he could pawn it for \$4, simply to help the man along because he felt sorry for him, why he did not advise him to pawn it himself, and then he would have had \$4 instead of \$3. "Well, you see," said the prisoner, "I didn't have the presence of mind to do that."—Judge's Library.

The Old Suez Canal. Few people are aware that there had been a canal across the isthmus of Suez before De Lesseps ever conceived the idea of his monumental enterprise. A canal across the isthmus was actually constructed 600 years before the Christian era and served as a waterway for small vessels until about 1,000 years ago, when it was allowed to fall into disuse. Napoleon revived the idea and instructed one of the great engineers of his day to investigate the matter, but though a favorable report was presented to him, in which M. Lepere recommended the restoration of the canal, the work itself was never touched at first to follow the idea of Napoleon and restore the ancient waterway, but this plan was abandoned and the present plan determined upon.

The Other Way Around. The loyalty of the Scotch highlander to his kilt is a picturesque thing. He will never admit that it makes him cold, and highlanders who were suffering from cold in the ordinary dress of civilization have been known to substitute the kilt for it in order to get warm, though this would be much like removing one's coat and waistcoat and rolling up one's shirt sleeves for the same purpose. It is said that a stranger, seeing a soldier in full highlander uniform shivering in a cold wind, asked him: "Sandy, are you cold with the kilt?" "No, no, no," the soldier answered indignantly, "but I'm nigh kilt with the cauld."

Labor of Ants. It would perhaps be pushing metaphors to an unwarranted extreme to speak of "dignity of labor" in connection with the occupations of ants. But if by the phrase we mean that labor is the honorable lot of all citizens and that all labors of whatever sort are upon the same level of respectability then we might venture to apply the saying even to the labors of an ant hill. For therein all are workers, from the newly fledged callow to the veteran of a second summer.—Harper's Magazine.

Nothing. A cockney tourist who had invaded Ireland was trying his hand at chaffing a native. "Pat," said he, "what is the meaning of the word 'nothing'?" "Sure, I can't explain it, but ye'll find it in the place where your brains ought to be!"

Narrow Escape. John—You very nearly got engaged while you were on your tour in the mountains, I hear. Michael—Precious near. But fortunately just at the last moment I fell down a precipice.—Pearson's Weekly.

At the Club. Mrs. Bloodgood—I thought her quotation was apropos, didn't you? Mrs. Newritch—Dear me! I always supposed his name was Edgar Allan.—Exchange.

A judicious silence is always better than truth spoken without charity.—De Sales.

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, County of Clarendon.

By James M. Windham, Esq., Judge of Probate. WHEREAS, Abraham Benbow made suit to me, to grant him Letters of Administration of the estate and effects of Bacchus Benbow. These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said Bacchus Benbow, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Manning, S. C., on the 19th day of March next, after publication thereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said administration should not be granted. Given under my hand, this 2nd day of March, A. D. 1908. JAMES M. WINDHAM, Judge of Probate.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, County of Clarendon.

By James M. Windham, Esq., Judge of Probate. WHEREAS, John H. Timmons made suit to me, to grant him letters of administration of the estate and effects of Martha E. Timmons. These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said Martha E. Timmons, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Manning on the 20th day of February, next after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said administration should not be granted. Given under my hand, this 29th day of January, A. D. 1908. [SEAL.] JAMES M. WINDHAM, Judge of Probate.

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