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ARE THE COURTS TO PROTECT OR

TRYANNY? Attorney General Lyon would have the supreme court to make a declaration that will forbid circuit Judges in the future from cautioning jurors about the danger of the uncoroborated testimony of an accomplice. Now if he will go a step further and ask will make it a penitentiary offense the promise of immunity from prosecution, we would heartily join in the movement to make convictions for crime easier, but as long as an officer, be he a Solicitor or Attorney General, can say to .A. "if you will testify against B, I will see that you are not prosecuted," and probably "A" is the greater sincer; until then, the circuit Judges should be required to stress the danger of accepting the uncoroborated testimony of an accomplice more, especially an accomplice who admits his crime, on the promise of the officer, but who has never offered to make restitution. We have no doubt that Mr. Lyon in seeking the court's declaration. has in mind the dispensary cases, and we do not doubt that his pohtical future depends largely on the outcome of these cases. He needs a conviction in his business, and if he can have the supreme court to declare that the Judges shall permit bought testimony to go with a jury, the same as hon-

Courts. It is hard for us to believe that the constitutional rights of a citizen can be taken away in the ment and if he too is opposed to es to send checks to express manner attempted by the prose- Cochran the probability is that agents at the end of each month Carolina containing ninety-eight acres accused were charged with crime in Richland county, and while the cases are still pending in Richland the cause is removed to the home his influence to either Nelson or for these whiskey concerns, and Broughton: East by lands of R. C. Richcounty of the witnesses who turned State's evidence on the promise of freedom from prosecution. If there ever was a proceeding more unfair, we cannot recall it, it is absolutely over-riding the rights of citizens and virtually saying to them "a conviction must

est testimony, he may succeed in

securing a conviction at Chester,

but the cause has not reached a

Chester jury yet, nor do we be-

be had, even if a packed jury must be obtained.' We are opposed to any such tyranny, the very contention now between the United State's and could have been selected for the the Zelaya government of Nicarauga, is on the same principle. That was because of the execu-States without a proper trial, and price by March from 18 to 20 and the people get nothing out States without a proper trial, and price of lates of the right any cost.

States without a proper trial, and price of lates of it but the privilege of paying more taxes. We do not regard of the United States of the right any cost. of a trial by a jury of their Peers, for no other reason, than that the like to see him Governor, he has him with the administration. worked hard and done well, but we cannot consent to the methods ty for trial, after charging the gare's work for the business incrime elsewhere, then it would terests of the State. seem to us he has a right to require the jurors to swear before taking their seats, that they will render a verdict of guilty, regard- when it is all over, in the langu less of the law and the evidence. mand of jurors any verdict he "What the hell do we care." may desire, and if they would not be governed by his wishes, then he should have the power to remand them to jail for contempt. The tyranny of a Jeffries cannot excell the tyranny now being put

If the matter would stop with the dispensary cases, it might go on without protest, because the State of South Carolina was robcuting officers, and a prey for vinced that Blease will succeed Governor Ansel. lawyers and politicians.

MR. COCHRAN REAPPOINTED.

In its issue of last Thursday, last given its decision in the Cook The State has a dispatch from claim. In effect the University, to its Washington correspondent which Cook submitted his records which mentions the name of Col. says Cook is a faker. But notwith. The Praise That Comes From P. H. Nelson of Columbia as a standing the decision that the candidate for the District Attor. whole scientific world has been neyship now held by Hon. E. F. waiting for. The News and Cour-Cochran of Anderson. Col. Nel. jer insists that "Cock got there." son disclaims having applied for Cook did get there quick, not to the position. The correspondent the North Pole, but to the lecture is evidently opposed to the reappointment of Mr. Cochran be-meadow dressing the American W. R. cause he was retained to defend public. J. S. Farnum in the dispensary

cases in the State courts, and represent the accused in the State ination because of old factional

should appear in the columns of with all of his faults we have great relief." The State at all.

didate for the job and is said to made against him. be endorsed by many members of the Bar of the State, but all the the legislature to pass an Act that get the appointment. He has better of the quality of The Hacker Mfg. Co. made a good officer, no charges State's work for merals if The ony, or purchase testimony with of neglect of duty has been made State thought better of Jim Faragainst him, and although a Re- num." No not so, THE TIMES publican always, the people of knows full well The State is prej-Anderson have a high esteem for udiced against Jim Farnum and the man and his ability. If the because of its prejudice it is unonly thing that can be brought willing that he have any of the against Cochran is that he repre- rights promised him by the consented a defendant in the State stitution, which every man is encourts, then it must be shown that titled to. We gladly concede to he violated the Federal laws in The State that it is a defender of doing so, to cause the government the right, but in its sober moto disregard the record he made ments it must confess that it as district attorney. In our judg | sometimes gets daffy on the subment Mr. Cochran has not violat- ject of morality, and would ased any law and we believe before sume a monoply of virtue. he accepted the retainer in the dispensary cases he conferred with the Department of Justice at Washington. We know Cochran to be a splendid lawyer and exceedingly careful about the His latest guess is Col. J. C. matters involving the position Hemphill, editor of the News and he holds under the government. Mr. Cochran succeeded Capt.

Capers to the district attorney ship, but Capers was not displaced because he represented a party in a State court as is intimated by much that Col. Hemphill is in the the correspondent, but because office giving business, and knowof misrepresentations made to ing the man as well as we do, we the President by enemies of Capers; when the truth was ascer- to be the dispenser of political tained later, President gave Mr. jobs. If his advice was sought, Capers another appointment to a no doubt that he would give his more important place, and even judgment, and in our opinion the lieve it ever will, without first having run the gamut of the State Internal Revenue position to Mr. apon it. and the United States Supreme Capers, some enemies made a fruitless effort to defeat him. We large influence with the govern. common practice for liquor hous- scrib-d real estate. know that Capt. Capers has a

> type Mr. Cochran has been re- stop this sort of trafficking. In to P. H. Broughton. appointed.

The congressmen hit the high places for home and turkey yes-

Columbia gets the Luthern from the people to individuals Seminary, and no better city

The cotton crop cannot exceed this State the express offices have tion of citizens of the United 10,500,000 bales, which means a been doing a land office business

Ernest F. Cochran was last cannot be made to reach it, then building. political aspirations of an officer Monday reappointed United some steps should be taken to is involved. We are friendly to States District Attorney, notwith require the express agents to pay the Attorney General, and would standing the efforts to discredit a heavy license, so they too may

The work of erecting a build- government. he is employing now to reach that ing for an immigrant station in high office. If he has a right to Charleston will soon begin. This carry an accused to another coun- is another piece of George Le-

There is to be an investigation of the Ballinger-Glavis feud, and age of the song at the last Na-He would have the power to de- tional Democratic convention,

The Cook-Peary controversy will not down, one day Peary is proclaimed the discoverer of the North Pole, and the next, Cook looms up as It. Suppose we diin force by the officers of the vide the stick between the two, and let it go at that. The country Tuesday the 28th, for the purpose of New Zion, S. C., December 11th, 1909. State in their efforts to force a conviction in the dispensary caswould lose nothing and the Pole es in time for the next primary would still remain in the frozen Champs was totally destroyed by fire last Wednesday a week; nothing much North where it rightfully be

A gentleman who has recently close for the Xmas holidays Wednesbed by those entrusted with the made a tour of the State told us day the wary 4th. management of this institution; that Cole L. Blease will not only Saturday the stores will be closed on Manning, S. C., December 13th, 1909. everybody and everything that be a candidate for Governor next | Xmas day. had anything to do with it year, but that it would surprise has returned to her home after a short was corrupted, even the Colum- him very much if he did not suc bia Glass Works, composed of ceed. He said that in every coun-"some of Columbia's best young ty that he had been in, Blease is ning this week on business.

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Mrs. Decca Williamson, of Augusta. men" have not escaped the finger frequently mentioned as a winof suspicion being pointed at it, ner. and the farmers look upon in fact these "best young men" him as a second Ben Tillman. Mr. E. T. Bratisford, of Sumter, was whose names we know not yet, Blease's recent election to the in town a few days this week on busiare accused of robbing the State, Mayorality of his home city has bess. the same as did the officers and given an impetus to his prospects the whiskey houses, and as be- to be Governor. When we asked fore said, if it was lawful, and it him if he thought Blease could would stop in these cases, the beat Featherstone, he laughed, It stops the cough, relieves the congesdrastic methods might be over- and said that the fight for gov- tion, and expels the cold from your syslooked on the ground of emer- ernor would lay between R. I. tem. Is mildly laxative. Refuse substigency, but if the State succeeds Manning and Blease, and that in trying these men in Chester Featherstone would be a distant after having had them indicted third. What this man knows in Richland, it would be the es- about political conditions in the tablishment of a precedent that State, we know not, but he claims would be dangerous in the ex- to have talked to leading vote 20th day of January 1910, for letters treme, and place every accused getters and from what informa- of discharge as guardian for Dinkins man at the mercy of the prose- tion he gathered he seems con. Hicks, formerly a minor.

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sonal friend of Mr. Taft, and we

regard for his judgment, but at

the same time, we doubt very

are certain that he would not care

State the people voted out the

sale of liquor, but if the express

be made to pay their just propor-

tion of the expense to run the

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An election will be held here next

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Mr. John S. Richardson went to Man-

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old coming on, take Foley's Honey and

Notice of Discharge.

Manning, S. C., Dec., 20th, 1909.

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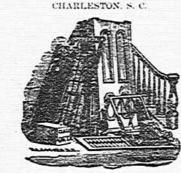
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Against

C. E. Broughton, Defendant. Sale Under Execution.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN execution directed to me and issued by A. I. Barron, Clerk of the Court of Comwhen the President tendered the President would be safe in acting December 7th 1905, in the above stated case, I have levied upon and will sell in front of the Court House, in Manning We have been told that it is a within the legal hours of sale on January 3rd 1910 for cash, the following de-

All that piece or lot of land situate in

Clarendon county, in the State of South cuting officers of the State; the Cochran will lose out, but we for ten per cent. of the money or and known as being a part of the estate have no idea that Capers is op ders issued by them. If this is of J. J. Bron posed to the incumbent, and we also have no idea that he will give then the express offices are nothing more nor less than agents on a plat of said estate. Bounded as follows to wit:

Evans.

Since the above was put in a law upon the statute books to Broughton: East by lands of R. C. Richardson: South by lands assigned to J. J. Broughton and West by lands assigned a majority of the counties in this

Purchaser to pay for papers. E. B. GAMBLE, Sheriff Clarendon County.

agents are to be allowed to receive commissions from the whiskey houses, it amounts to trans-BY VIRTURE OF SUNDRY EXEfering the profits of the liquor cutions to me directed by L. L. Wells,

County Treasurer, I will sell at Manwithout requiring them to pay ning court house, at about 12 o'clock m., ary tax or revenue to the govern- on the 3rd day of January 1910, being ment. Ever since the curtailment sales day, the following real estate for of the legalized sale of liquor in taxes. SANTEE.

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Estate Dublin Felder 26 acres and one

this condition fair, and if the law Catherne Outlaw one lot and one

> BREWINGTON. Alex Wilder one lot and one building. Purchasers to pay for papers. E. B. GAMBLE, Sheriff Clarendon County.

Notice of Discharge.

I will apply to the Judge of Probate for Clarendon county on the 12th day of January 1910, for letters of discharge as guardian for John William Eadon, Samuel Cooper Eadon, Laura Jane Eadon and Ralph Talmage Eadon, Minors. A. J. RICHBOURG,

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Notice to Creditors.

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