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Camden, S. C.

The Dispensary on Top

On last Tuesday the U. S. Supreme Court handed down a decision in the South Carolina liquor law which closes up the original package stores in this State. Citizens may import liquor unrestricted for personal use, but it cannot be sold within the State in original packages.

Speaking of the decision The Columbia Register says: "This is a great moral victory for the Dispensary, though it will not be largely benefitted financially for the reason that such establishments were rapidly going out of business and those remaining were but inconsiderable competitors."

The State says: "The United States supreme court has decided the dispensary law constitutional, with the important reservation that individuals may order liquor for private consumption without let or hindrance from the State authorities. The original package establishments and blind tigers must go of course. But the American citizen has his liberty of choice intact and the full enjoyment of his sacred rights of citizenship which the dispensary law aimed to destroy. The advice of The State is: "Touch not, taste not, handle not the unclean thing." Order your liquor abroad. There is a peacable means of redress at the ballot box; and every opponent of the dispensary law and lover of individual freedom should vote and work to the destruction of State monopoly in the liquor traffic."

Gov. Ellerbe is disposed to deal very liberally with those who have been doing an original package business. Under the law, he has a right to prosecute all who have been engaged in the business. He will not, however, take advantage of his position, and will allow all to go scott free, but in the future the law will be rigidly enforced both to letter and spirit.

In speaking on the matter, Governor Ellerbe said: No, I will make no new cases against the O. P. men. They acted on Judge Simonton's decision and thought that they had the law on their side. They were simply misled, and therefore, it would not be exactly fair to prosecute them for selling at any time between the date of Judge Simonton's decision and that of the Supreme Court.

All O. P. stores have been closed this morning, and I have given the agents until Monday to get their stock out of the State. After that the law will go into active operation and confiscation will follow. I have instructed the commissioner to furnish all O. P. men with certificates in order that the goods may be shipped without molestation.

Now that there is no doubt that our dispensary law is valid—for the highest authority on earth has said so—I want all good citizens to assist me in its enforcement. I shall begin a vigorous crusade against blind tigers, and shall not rest as long as I know, or even think, that one is left in this State. South Carolina has the very best solution of the liquor problem, now let temperance people, prohibitonists and all join in making it a thorough success."

There will be room for several hundred more volunteers in South Carolina's sixteen companies, for the requirements for acceptance are so severe that fully 20 per cent of the men who came here will be rejected. Here is the opportunity of the many counties which are not represented by the companies enlisting. County lines should not be a bar. The companies when in the United States service will be known only by their numbers, many of them already contain members from several counties, and, after all, the little army now being organized will be representative of the common mother State. More volunteers are needed. But only such as have good weight, good sight and good health.—State.

Why suffer with chills when you can be cured of them by going to Dr. F. Leslie Zemp.

We have now been at war two weeks, and the statement is made that it has cost $137,512,180. Enormous as this sum is, yet it is but a bagatelle compared to what we may have to expend, unless Cuba is soon invaded or Havana is bombarded.—Ex.

The Washington authorities have decided that the force, auxiliary to the regulars, for the invasion of Cuba shall be composed entirely of Southern troops. Who shall say now that the Yankees do not love us? They are even willing for us to do their fighting. Patriangelic.—Edgefield Chronicle.

Educational Column.

The matter for this column is furnished by County Superintendent of Education L. L. Copeland, and all communications intended for this department should be addressed to him at Camden, S. C.

The picnic and barbecue given at the closing of Prof. J. Willie Dunn's school in No. 17, was a grand success. Delightful music was furnished by Rev. S. D. Bailey assisted by several ladies and gentlemen. The recitations by the pupils were almost perfect, and reflected much credit upon both teacher and scholars. I regret that I did not secure a copy of the program, as it is impossible to give due credit to the different pupils without mentioning the parts taken by each. A large and appreciative audience listened to the "little folks" patiently until dinner was announced, when all formed and marched to the grove where the good people of the community had spread one of the finest dinners I ever saw, anything and everything that the "inner man" could desire was there in endless profusion, and if anyone did not get what they wanted it was their own fault. After dinner the writer, Revs. B. M. Robertson and S. D. Bailey, delivered addresses on education. Several others were expected to deliver addresses but, unfortunately, could not attend. A pleasant day and one long to be remembered!

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The County Teacher's Association held a very interesting meeting at the Gradol school building last Saturday. A comparatively large number of teachers were in attendance and the discussions were good. It was decided to hold the June meeting and every teacher in the county is urged to attend this metting. The object of our Association is to improve teachers in their chosen profession and elevate the educational standard of our county, and we can do this only by co-operation. Individual effort is worth a great deal, but the history of educational movements are that combined effort is necessary before success can be achieved. It is to be hoped that no urging will, in the future, be necessary to induce teachers to come to the association. The teachers who regularly attend are the ones who are rising, and who command rather than beg, for higher salaries. You may think yourself perfect, but your success will be measured by what the people think of you.

From Our Correspondents.

Sharp

Dear Chronicle:—A very interesting event took place at the Sandy Run school house on Sat. the 9th of April, in the closing exercises of the Sandy Run school which has been so ably and satisfactorily taught by their earnest and efficient teacher, Mr. Willie H. Goff. After devotional exercises conducted by the Rev. W. H. Joyner, an interesting programme was carried out.

After the children's exercises, the audience was delightfully entertained by the Rev. W. H. Joyner and Co. Supt. of Education L. L. Copeland, after which a most delightful dinner was served.

I think the patrons of the Sandy Run school should congratulate themselves for being able to secure such an accomplished teacher as Mr. Goff.

The children acquitted themselves nicely. To say the least of it, this was beyond a doubt the most successful undertaking in the history of the school.

Visitor.

War news will be found on our first and fourth pages.

Rudy's Pile Suppository

Is guaranteed to cure Piles and Constipation, or money refunded. 50 cts. per box. Send for list of testimonials and Free Sample to MARTIN RUDY, Registered Pharmacist, Lancaster, Pa. For sale by all first-class druggists everywhere, and in Camden, S. C., by Frank M. Zamp. Call for free sample.

NEURALGIA cured by Dr. Miles' PAIN PILLS. "One cent a dose." At all druggists.

The Cantey Rifles.

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An Apology.

This is to certify that I am sorry for the words I spoke to Mr. Jim Williams a few days ago.

Tony Thompson.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all parties indebted to the estate of Jno. R. Drakeford, deceased, to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all parties holding claims against said Estate must present the same duly attested.

W. J. & R. M. DRAKEFORD,
March 11, '98. Administrators.

MERCHANTS' CONTEST.

For the next three months The Chronicle will conduct a voting contest upon the best and most popular merchant of Camden, and at whose store the best bargains can be procured. For the successful merchant we will publish for twelve months free of charge the following advertisement:

In The Chronicle voting contest

Mr. (or Messrs.)

was (or were) declared to be the most popular merchant (or merchants) of Camden and at whose store the best bargains can be procured.

Extra copies of paper containing coupon will be sold for 5c per copy. For every new yearly subscriber sent paid in advance 50 votes will be allowed.

The following is the coupon. See that your favorite merchant is not left in the race.

MERCHANTS' CONTEST.

Editor Chronicle:—In the MERCHANTS' Contest I vote for

How The Vote Stands:

W. E. Hinson,	133
David Wolfe,	65
Hirsch Brothers,	43
The Gilt Edge Store,	31
Zemp Brothers,	21
A. D. Kennedy,	11
The Wonder Store,	11
E. H. Dibble,	10
Springs, Heath & Shannon,	7
D. E. Hinson,	6
W. Geisenheimer,	6
Baum Brothers,	6
J. T. Nettle	6
H. L. Watkins,	5
DeLoache Brothers,	5
John Whitaker, Jr.,	5
C. L. Kirkley,	5
E. F. Watkins	5
J. C. Man,	5
Zemp & DePass,	5
J. E. Vaughan,	4
Camden Dry Goods Co.,	2
The Camden Bargain Store,	2

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vs

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An Old Idea.

Every day strengthens the belief of eminent physicians that impure blood is the cause of the majority of our diseases. Twenty-five years ago this theory was used as a basis for the creation of Brown's Iron Bitters. Its many cures in that time attested by thousands of households remedy are sufficient to prove that the theory is correct. Browns' Iron Bitters is sold by all dealers.

LUMBER! LUMBER!

I have just purchased a complete new outfit for sawing lumber of all kind and am prepared to give you the very best lumber at remarkable low rates. All orders promptly filled. Lumber delivered when desired. Your orders solicited.

Respectfully,
April 15, '98. J. A. WATTS.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

OFFICE OF
SUPERVISORS OF REGISTRATION,
Kershaw County,
CAMDEN, S. C., March 21, 1898.

The Supervisors of Registration for Kershaw County will be in their office at the Court House in Camden, S. C., on the first Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays of each month from 9 o'clock a. m. until 3 p. m. until 30 days before the general election in 1898 for the purpose of registering voters.

J. P. RICHARDS, Chairman,
MANNES RAZON, Clerk,
ALEXANDER BROWN,
Members of the Registration Board for Kershaw County.

ICE CREAM SALOON.

I have opened an ice cream saloon in the building opposite Mrs. A. D. Kennedy's formerly occupied by Capt. H. E. Halsall as a bakery. Special accomodation for the white people. Parties wishing ice cream by the quart, gallon or larger quantities can be served on short notice.

WINYAH JAMES.
Apr. 26, '98.

W. W. Huggins,

Plumbing,
Awning and Pump Work,
Wind Mills Put Up,
Tinning,
Roofing and
Roof Painting.

Satisfaction guaranteed. Office corner Broad and DeKalb Sts.

Respectfully,
W. W. HUGGINS.

May 3, '98.

Probate Sale.

South Carolina—Kershaw County.

S. C. Cuyler, Administrator,
vs.
Emma Long

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Probate Court herein, I will sell before the Court House in Camden, S. C., at public outcry within the legal hours of sale on the first Monday in June next, the following real estate: All that lot or parcel of land, lying and being south of the city of Camden, County and state aforesaid, bounded north by lot of York Lang, on the South by York Nance, on the West by a road or street leading north and south and on the east by land of Mrs. M. A. E. Clyburn.

Terms cash. If purchaser does not comply with sale immediately after bid is closed, the property will be resold.

C. C. HAILE,
Judge of Probate, Kershaw County.
April 20, 1898.

TAX NOTICE.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Camden, S. C., April 6th, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that a levy of 10 mills has been made upon all city property both real and personal and that the books for the collection of the same will be opened in the Council Chamber in the Opera House from Monday, May 2, 1898, to Saturday, May 21st, 1898, after which date the penalty will positively be attached to all delinquents. Costs and charges will be added after 6 o'clock p. m., Saturday, May 21st.

There will be no extension.

F. LESLIE ZEMP,
Mayor.

C. L. KIRKLEY, City Clerk and Receiver.
April 6th, 1898.

Summons for Relief.

State of South Carolina—Kershaw County.

In the Court of Common Pleas.

George Smith, Plaintiff, against James Marss, Rose Gains, Nannie Simonds, Diana Washington and Ella Burton, Defendants.

To the Defendants:—You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in Camden, S. C., within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and, if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated March 22nd, A. D. 1898,
Camden, S. C.

J. T. HAY,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

To Nannie Simonds, defendant herein:—Take notice that the Complaint in this action was filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for Kershaw County on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1898.

J. T. HAY,
Plaintiff's Attorney.
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AT HALF PRICE ONLY.

I offer for sale all of my property in the towns of Westville and Kershaw. And also all of my farm Lots in Lancaster, Kershaw and Chesterfield counties at only one half actual value, for cash only. Reason for selling must have money. Parties without money need not apply. No time can be given.

J. H. STEPHENSON,
Westville, S. C.

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A. W. WATTS.
Jan. 11, '98.

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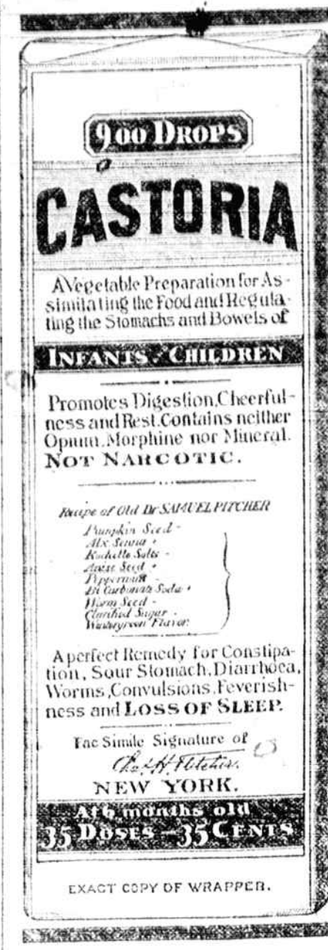

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Lve. 7 10 A. M.	Charleston	Arr. 3 P. M.
" 8 57 "	Branchville	Lve. 5 55 "
" 10 25 "	Kingsville	" 4 14 "
	(O. R. & C.)	
" 12 65 P. M.	Camden	" 3 00 "
" 1 05 "	Kershaw	" 2 00 "
" 1 45 "	Lancaster	" 1 00 "
" 2 30 "	Catawba Junction	" 12 15 "
" 2 55 "	Rock Hill	" 11 55 A M
" 3 30 "	Yorkville	" 11 15 "
" 4 50 "	Blacksburg	" 10 10 "
" 5 20 "	Shelby	" 9 20 "
	Between Blacksburg and Marion.	
Northbound.		Southbound.
Lve. 7 40 A. M.	Blacksburg	Arr. 6 10 P. M.
" 8 03 "	Earls	Lve. 5 50 "
" 8 10 "	Patterson Springs	" 5 45 "
" 9 20 "	Shelby	" 5 30 "
" 9 45 "	Lattimore	" 4 20 "
" 9 55 "	Mooresboro	" 4 10 "
" 10 05 "	Henrietta	" 3 55 "
" 10 25 "	Forest City	" 3 35 "
" 10 50 "	Rutherfordton	" 3 05 "
" 11 05 "	Melwood	" 2 45 "
" 11 25 "	Golden Valley	" 2 20 "
" 11 35 "	Thermal City	" 2 15 "
" 12 00 "	Glenwood	" 1 50 "
" 12 20 P. M.	Marion	" 1 30 "
North bound.		South-bound.

(Gaffney Division.)

Arr. 7 50 P. M	Blacksburg	Lve. 5'00 P. M.
" 7 35 "	Cherokee Falls	" 5,15 "
Lve. 7 15 "	Gaffneys	Arr. 5 35 "

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South Carolina & Georgia R. R.,
Charleston, S. C.

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In The Chronicle voting contest

Mr. M. L. Smith

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Nov. 12—1 yr.

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