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Words That Touch Us Deeply. Our correspondent from Pisgah speaks of The Chronicle as a "clean, lightened, 'moral paper.'"

An Act to Provide for the Election of Trustees of School District No. 1 of Kershaw County.

Our Soldiers Who Died in The War. The John D. Kennedy Chapter U. D. C. have added considerably to the list of Confederate soldiers who lost their lives while in actual service during the war.

From Capt. Richards. Editor The Chronicle:—As is well known to us all, the legislature at its recent session passed an act requiring a vote upon the question of the sale of liquor in every dispensary county in the State.

The question to be determined is, shall Kershaw county continue to sell liquor contrary to the expressed will of her citizens at the recent election, or shall we again declare for prohibition, force liquor from our county and enjoy the fruits and blessings of our victory?

I do not propose to discuss this question in any of its phases at this time, but the purpose of this letter is to emphasize the importance of the issue, and to call upon the prohibitionists to appoint a day for a meeting at the court house in Camden that they may organize into an effective working force.

I suggest, Mr. Editor, that Saturday, May 15th, be appointed for the prohibition mass meeting in Camden, and that eleven o'clock a. m. be the hour for convening.

If this date for any reason should not be desirable, then suggest a suitable day in the near future, and let us get to work.

It is a great cause, and worthy of supreme effort, and I trust that every community will be represented on the day appointed.

Very Truly, J. G. Richards, Jr.

An Outrageous Proposition.

The Record of Straiteville, O., was recently in receipt of the following from the W. L. Douglas shoe company, one of the largest advertisers in the world:

You may enter our order for advertising W. L. Douglas shoes in your paper once a week, beginning at once a twenty-nine inch advertisement nine times, making a total of 261 inches, for which you may charge us \$5 net. Full position. Copy and cut will be sent upon receipt of your acceptance.

The company did not await my acceptance, but sent its cut by express. Needless to say, it still lies in the express office. For such proposition as this there is nothing doing in the Record office, says Publisher John M. Stone.

Suppose Publisher Stone made the W. L. Douglas shoe company a proposition to buy a pair of shoes each week for a year at the price of \$1 a pair. They would promptly reject the offer and feel deeply aggrieved that any one possessing a normal quantity of gray matter could place such a ridiculously low value on their product.

Newspaper advertising space has just as tangible a value as any other commodity, and no successful publisher can afford to deviate from his established rates, which are naturally fixed at as close a figure as the cost will permit.

It would be no reasonable for the publisher to expect to buy Douglas shoes at \$1 a pair as it is for the big Douglas shoe company to expect to secure newspaper space for at least a third of its actual value.

The Douglas company should not be blamed for buying as cheaply as they can, and from the fact that they consider it worth while spending time and postage in making the proposition it is fair to presume that publishers are found who accept the price.

When all publishers receiving propositions like the one sent to the Record office consign them to their proper place—the wastebasket—advertisers will be forced to pay a fair price for advertising space and will quit making ridiculously low offers.—American Press.

Dr. Emil G. Hirsch, of Chicago, in an address at the other day, urged the teaching of morality in the public schools, but said that the use of a textbook in this teaching would be ridiculous.

He said that the accumulation of knowledge which does not improve the character is not education in the true sense.

Wesley Allen, Douglas Auerum. Baker, John Barfield, Simpson Barnes, Henry Barnes, Reuben Barnes, Marcus Bann, C. T. Billings, John Boykin, T. L. Boykin, Silas Boon, Thos. Bruce, Tom Bradley, John Brown, James Bruce, George Bullock, Jas. H. Burns.

Alex Campbell, John Campbell, Charles Campbell, Wm. Campbell, Joshua Campbell, Capt. Henry Cauty, John Capers, Lewis Cauthen, John Clowney, T. J. Clyburn, George Clyburn, Henry Coats, David Coats, Dan Coats, James Cooper, Joe Cunningham, A. J. Cunningham, James Currence, Caleb Clarke.

James R. Davis, Jesse Daultable, Lt. Henry DeSausure, Francis Devine, Bailey Dixon, Alfred E. Doby, Joseph Doby, U. T. Dutton, Jack Davis.

Thomas Eastman, Susan B. Edwards. W. T. Fackenberg, J. W. Fackenberg, Charles Fisher, David J. Fletcher, Thos. Folsom, Jno. Folsom.

Jno. Gardner, Chap. Gardner, Ransom Gaskins, Geo. Gaskins, John Gaskins, Reuben Gerald. Jas. Hall, Frank Hill, Jas. B. Holland, Jas. T. Holland, Jas. L. Holland, John Holland, Lewis Hopkins, Wm. Hough, Jno. E. Hough, Nathaniel Hough.

Dixon Jones, Zeb Jordan. John Kirby, Robert Kirby, James Kirby, T. Kirby, Richard Kirkland, Wm. Kirkland. M. S. LeGrand, — LeGrand, Wm. Lewis.

Gates Marsh, Spencer Marsh, Jno. Marsh, Finley McJaskill, John McGowan, Archie McGowan, Daniel McGowan, J. McKenon, Lt. John J. McKenon, Angus McLaurin, Norman McLeod, Wm. McLeod, Wm. McNaughton, Lt. Wm. McSween, Columbus Minton, Jno. Minton, Jno. Monroe, Geo. Monroe, Wm. Moore, Jas. Monroe, Jordan Myers.

T. J. Nelson, Jesse Nettles, Joseph Nettles, Abe Neuffer, Edward P. Niles, C. Norris. B. Outlaw. Reden Parker, Wm. Parker, Amos Parker, R. G. Perkins, Thos. Perry, B. C. Perry. Dove Bailey, Thomas Randolph,

H-Randolph, Henry Ratcliff, Shadrach Rodgers, Jas. Rodgers.

Scarborough, Allison Shannon, Jesse Shedd, John Shiver, John Spradley, Lewis Stinson, J. Stokes, E. Stokes, David Stover, Gwin Sutton.

John Testa, Tom Tidwell, Barwell Truesdell, Mar Truesdell, Harman Turner, James Turner, William Turner, Lewis M. Twitty.

Lewis Vaughan, Gen. J. B. Villapigne. Capt. T. J. Warren, Samuel Webb, Richard West, W. M. West, Will West, Joseph West, P. M. Whitaker, Duncan Whitaker, Robert White, Jesse Wilson, — Williams, John Witherspoon, James Witherspoon, Jesse Young, O. S. Young.

Isn't It So. "There are lots of people," says a Texas paper, "who mix their religion with business, but forget to stir it up well. As a result the business invariably rises to the top."

CITY TAXES. An Ordinance To Raise Supplies For The Year of Our Lord, 1909.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Camden, S. C., and by the authority of the same, that the following taxes be and the same are hereby levied for the current year from the 1st day of January 1909, to the 31st day of December 1909.

A tax of ten (10) mills on each and every dollar of real and personal property within the corporate limits of the City of Camden, S. C., on the first day of January 1909.

Sec. 1. That all able bodied male persons between the ages of eighteen and fifty years, residing within the corporate limits of the city of Camden, S. C., not exempt from road duty under the laws of the State, shall work the streets, ways and bridges under the direction of such overseers as may be appointed for such a space of time not exceeding six (6) days in one year. Provided: That at the time of receiving the notice any person may pay to the person giving such notice three dollars (\$3.00) commutation, which shall be received in lieu of the work, and that any person refusing to work said streets or to pay said commutation, shall be fined not less than five (\$5.00) dollars nor more than ten (\$10.00) dollars or be imprisoned not less than ten (10) days nor more than twenty (20) days, in the discretion of the city Recorder.

Enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Camden, S. C., in Council assembled, this 6th day of April, A. D. 1909. F. M. ZEMP, Mayor. J. J. GOODALE, Clerk.

The tax books for the collection of City taxes will be opened in Council Chamber, Camden, S. C., on May 10th, 1909, and remain open each day except Sundays, from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and from 4 P. M. to 6 P. M., until May 31st inclusive, after which time the penalty will be attached for all delinquents.

F. M. ZEMP, Mayor. J. J. GOODALE, Clerk. Apr. 16, 1909.

Money To Loan. I am prepared to make loans on approved security of Real Estate in Kershaw County on terms to suit borrower.

W. M. SHANNON, Attorney at Law. Camden, S. C., Nov. 15, 1908.

Northwestern Railroad of S. C. No 68 No 70

Lv Camden 4 00 p m 7 00 a m So Ry June 4 10 p m 7 10 a m Ar Ellerbe 4 23 p m 7 30 a m Remberts 4 30 p m 7 40 a m Ar Borden 4 45 p m 8 00 a m Ar Dalzell 5 10 p m 8 25 a m N W Junction 5 43 p m 8 58 a m Ar Sumter 5 45 p m 9 00 a m

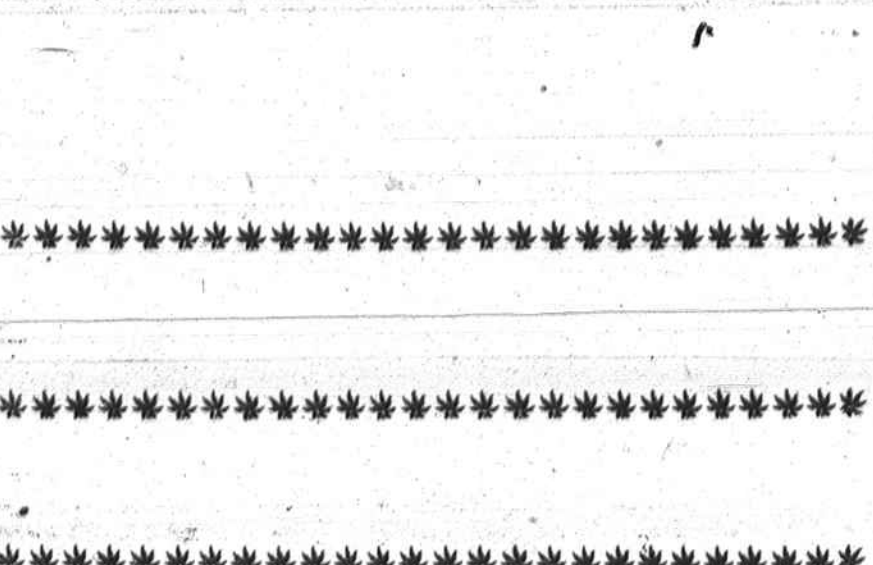
No 69 No 71 Lv Sumter 6 31 p m 9 40 a m N W Junction 6 33 p m 9 42 a m Dalzell 6 50 p m 10 05 a m Borden 7 08 p m 10 15 a m Rembert 7 23 p m 10 27 a m Ellerbe 7 30 p m 10 32 a m So Ry June 7 50 p m 11 10 a m Ar Camden 8 00 p m 11 20 a m

All trains daily except Sunday. THOMAS WILSON, President.

PRESENTS HIRSCH BROS & CO. THE BIG STORE.

DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, WATCHES, STERLING SILVER, CUT GLASS, ART GOODS.

All new and absolutely beautiful goods. Come in whenever you have an opportunity. Remember we only handle SOLID and GENUINE GOODS. If not convenient to come in, send in your mail order, which always has our PERSONAL ATTENTION, with a GUARANTEE TO PLEASE. Always glad to see you at SYLVAN BROS., Jewelers, Silversmiths And Opticians, Corner Main & Hampton Streets, Columbia, S. C.



We Like To Talk Quality When It Comes To Men's Clothing.

"Cheapness," says a noted writer, "is a little better than passing counterfeit money,—but only a little. It robs your customers of the value they have been lead to expect they would receive from their purchase, and it usually ends by robbing you of customers. Quality is really the only foundation upon which to build a business, because it gives customers their money's worth, full value, cent for cent, and it brings them back season after season."

THAT IS WHY WE TALK QUALITY AND SELL QUALITY!

Take our showing of High Art Clothing, for instance, for Fall and Winter: go through our immense stock, pick out any suit containing the High Art label, and you can feel as sure of your money's worth as with a government bond, for High Art Clothing is "quality" clothing made in "quality" shops, by "quality" tailors, sold by "quality" stores, and worn by men of quality.

There is substantial worth in High Art fabrics There is correct fashion in High Art styles There is lasting shape in High Art workmanship There is a guarantee with the High Art label There is money's worth in High Art prices

These prices send a hurry-call to all value-seeking buyers!

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Light, Elastic Touch. Extreme Speed. Light Weight, Great Strength. Perfection of Simplicity. Unimpaired Alignment. Continuously Visible Writing. For any information apply to THE CHRONICLE Office, or W. L. McDowell, Agent, Camden, S. C. P. S.—John Wanamaker is using 75 of these typewriters in his Philadelphia and New York Stores. Price \$60.00.

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A. D. KENNEDY, Headquarters For HARDWARE

When in need of anything in the Hardware line call and see me.

A. D. KENNEDY, Undertaking.

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SEABOARD Air Line.

Eastern Time These arrivals and departures, as well as time and connections are given as information and are not guaranteed.

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