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CAMDEN, S. C., JUNE 11, 1909

Comptroller General Jones is in a fair way to make himself quite unpopular with those who have incomes. The wage-earners and salaried men, on the contrary, are of the opinion that he is a useful citizen and a patriot.—Ex.

**Long Term Trustees a Hindrance to the Cause at Clemson.**

The suggestion that steps be taken to get rid of the life term trustees of Clemson College, who hold office under the Clemson will and control the College, is a good one and should be adopted at the earliest possible date. If Clemson is to be a State institution it should be one in fact as well as in name, and it can never be so long as it is controlled by a self-perpetuating board that is responsible to nobody but themselves.—Watchman & Southron.

**A Fine Opportunity for a Young Man.**

The Normal Scholarships of the University of South Carolina have been raised in value. Each scholarship is now worth \$100 in money, besides remission of \$10 tuition and \$18 matriculation or "term" fee. The money is paid to the beneficiary at the rate of \$12.50 a month for eight months, to assist in meeting the necessary living expenses. There is one Scholarship for each County. The current High-School movement has greatly increased the demand for well equipped men teachers and the salaries that they will receive.

Examinations will be held Friday, July 2, before the County Board of Education. Applicants must be at least 19 years of age, and preferably teachers. Write President S. C. Mitchell, University of South Carolina, Columbia, S. C., for blank on which to apply.

**The Dispensary.**

This newspaper has given considerable space to the temperance people, who favor the voting out of the dispensary (of whom we are one.) We want it distinctly understood, however, that we are not fighting the battles of anybody, and if the dispensary people want space for their side of the question, they can get it just as well as the prohibitionists. All we ask is that discussions be based on reason and no fling or insinuations be made at anybody, and we say now to both sides that we will not publish communications which any way incline to be personal. Let us differ decently, so that when the election is over we will be the same friends as before and there will be no sore places which will take time to heal. Our interests are identical, and we must live together here long after the election is a thing of the past. Let there be temperate discussion, a full vote and a fair count, and no matter what the result may be, every true man ought to accept the result.

**Prohibition vs Whiskey.**

A great deal is being said and written on both sides of the subject. Prohibitionists claim (and I think rightly) that counties and States that have prohibition are more prosperous than those that have dispensaries or bar rooms. It is reasonable that this should be so. The money that is spent for whiskey is instead devoted to the purchase of food, clothing and other necessities of life, that otherwise could not be obtained.—This is only a pecuniary view to take of the question. If you take also into consideration the moral and religious aspect of it, surely no right thinking person will advocate the sale of whiskey as against its sale.

What is a man or woman fit for who is always under the influence of

the demon, drink? They are fit neither for earth or heaven. I regret to have to include woman as addicted to this terrible habit, but alas, it is too true that many of them indulge in it. What good can any father or mother expect of their children in after life when they set before them the example of intemperance? You men, go to the ballot box in the coming election and vote whiskey out of your State and county for the good of the rising generation, and the entire community.

Those who favor the sale of whiskey, do so, as a rule, not from a moral standpoint, but plead the revenue that is derived from its sale. My dear friends, from whom does the money come that furnishes that revenue? From the people of course, and it is safe to say that a large number of these who drink spend more for whiskey than they do in the support of their families or in regular taxation. Again it is said that under prohibition money will be sent out of the county and State to buy whiskey which now stays with us. What of it? Who wants to keep in operation a system of revenue that is the price of soul and body, and the happiness of our fellow-men?

Do away with the rate of whiskey, and bring our old State out triumphant from under the ban from which she has so long suffered. So mote it be. E. S. M.

**Mileage Regulation Upheld By Hines**

Upon the request of the Georgia State Railroad Commission, Special Attorney James K. Hines has given an interesting opinion in regard to the complaints made by the traveling public as to the exchange of mileage book coupons for straight tickets at railway agencies. Attorney Hines holds that the railroad's regulation for the presentation and exchange of coupons for tickets is entirely reasonable.

Attorney Hines was asked by the Commission to furnish an opinion upon the right of a common carrier to expel a passenger, who had failed to comply with its regulation, requiring the exchange of mileage coupons for a ticket.

Attorney Hines says that carriers of passengers may eject from their conveyances all persons refusing to comply with reasonable regulations. He says that the present mileage book arrangement is reasonable because the purchaser enters into a contract with the railway company selling the mileage book. One of the terms of the contract is that coupons from these mileage books will not be honored on trains except at non-agency points or at station agencies not open for the sale of the tickets. The purchaser, says Attorney Hines, gets a reduced rate and he is bound by the terms of the special contract. He says in conclusion that the arrangement has already been submitted to and approved by the State Railroad Commission.—Atlanta Journal, May 8th 1909.

**ANSWER IT HONESTLY.**

Are the Statements of Camden Citizens Not More Reliable Than Those of Utter Strangers?

This is a vital question. It is fraught with interest to Camden. It permits of only one answer. It cannot be evaded or ignored. A Camden citizen speaks here: Speaks for the welfare of Camden. A citizen's statement is reliable. An utter stranger's doubtful. Home proof is the best proof.

William G. Dadd, D. K. 11th Street, Camden, S. C., says: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dean's Kidney Pills as I know from personal experience that they are a fine remedy for kidney troubles. For some time I was bothered a great deal especially at night by too frequent passages of the kidney secretions which were also highly colored and contained a sediment. Remedies were present a greater part of the time and often accompanied by distressing pains in my kidneys. Seeing Dean's Kidney Pills advertised, I procured a supply at Zemp's drug store and since using them I have had no sign of my former complaint."

Alone in Saw Mill at Midnight unmindful of darkness, drafts, storms or cold, W. J. Atkins worked as Night Watchman at Banner Springs, Tenn. Such exposure gave him a severe cold that settled on his lungs. At last he had to give up work. He tried many remedies but all failed till he used Dr. King's New Discovery. "After using one bottle," he writes, "I went back to work as well as ever." Severe Colds, stubborn Coughs, Inflamed throats and sore lungs, Hemorrhages, Croup and Whooping Cough get quick relief and prompt cure from this glorious medicine, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free, guaranteed by Camden Drug Company, F. M. Zemp & DePass Francis L. Zemp.

**Notice to Distillers and Liquor Dealers.**

Camden, S. C. May 28, 1909.

Bids are hereby requested in accordance with the terms of the Dispensary law now in force for the following kinds and quantities of liquors and brandies and other articles herein enumerated to be furnished to State of South Carolina for the use of the County Dispensary Board for Kershaw County as ordered, to-wit: Any part of 200 bbls of Corn Whiskey 100 proof. Any part of 75 bbls of Rye Whiskey 100 proof. Any part of 20 bbls of Gin 100 proof. Any part of 6 bbls of Peach Brandy 100 proof. Any part of 6 bbls of Apple Brandy 100 proof. Any part of 5 bbls of Alcohol 190 proof. 1 Car Beer.

You are also requested to submit bids on Whiskey, Brandy, Gins, etc., in cases, also in corks, bottles, tin foil, labels and all articles used in a County Dispensary.

All goods shall be furnished in compliance with and subject to the terms and conditions of Dispensary law of 1907, and bidders must observe the following rules:

All bids shall be sealed and sent by express, or registered mail, with no name or mark on envelope to indicate the name of the bidder, to D. M. McCaskill, county treasurer for Kershaw County, Camden, S. C., on or before the 1st day of July, 1909.

The contract will be awarded the lowest responsible bidder. The Board reserves the right to refuse any and all bids, or any part of bids. All goods to be delivered to F. O. B. Camden and Bethune, S. C., and to be paid for within 90 days and subject to re-charge at our warehouse.

Bids will be opened at the office of the County Dispensary Board at Camden, S. C., on July 1st, 1909 at 12 o'clock noon.

Signed, W. J. Damm, Chairman, W. H. Zemp, Sec'y, K. T. Estridge.

Members of the Dispensary Board for Kershaw County.

**FOR SALE.**

One up to date 2 Gun Outfit near the old Court House for sale. Apply to C. C. VAUGHAN. May 21, 1909.

**W. B. DELOACH, Attorney-At-Law, CAMDEN, S. C.**

**Notice, Teachers.**

To encourage teachers the County Board of Education has authorized the payment of the tuition of those who attend the Summer School at Wofford College and do satisfactory work. L. J. McKENZIE, Ch. Bd. Ed. K. Co. June 4th, 1909.

**Final Discharge.**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to W. L. McDowell, Judge of Probate for Kershaw County, on Tuesday, May 15, 1909, for a final discharge as Administrator of the estate of A. G. Jones deceased.

R. C. Jones, Administrator. Camden, S. C., May 20th, 1909

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**MONTHLY REPORT Of The DISPENSARIES In Kershaw County For The Month Of May, 1909.**

Bethune, S. C.

Total Invoice Including Stock on Hand	\$ 4,905 05
First Day of Month	1,231 07
Total Sales	90 52
Operating Expenses of Dispensary	10 30
Breakage	3,630 18
Stock on Hand Last Day of Month	

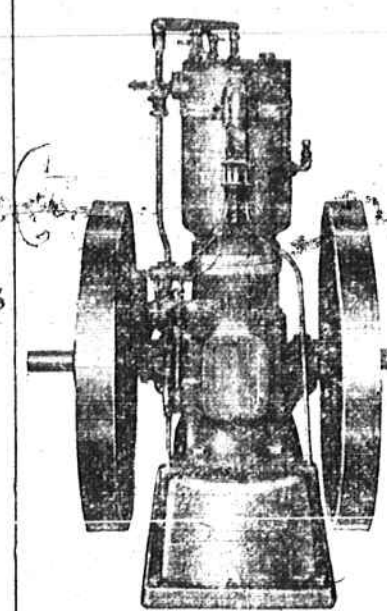
Camden, S. C.

Total Invoice Including Stock on Hand	\$ 22,962 88
First Day of Month	6,831 47
Total Sales	235 00
Operating Expenses of Dispensary	40 10
Breakage	15,490 23
Stock on Hand Last Day of Month	

Total Bethune and Camden.

Total Invoice Including Stock on Hand	\$ 27,867 93
First Day of Month	8,062 54
Total Sales	325 52
Operating Expenses of Dispensary	50 40
Breakage	19,129 41
Stock on Hand Last Day of Month	

State of South Carolina, Kershaw County. Personally appeared W. J. Damm, Chairman, and W. H. Zemp, members of the Kershaw County Dispensary Board, who, being each duly and severally sworn, depose and say that the foregoing statement is true and correct. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 31 day of June, 1909. JOHN S. LINDSAY, Notary Public.



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Year	Round Limited	Florida Fast Mail
Lv. Camden	No. 84	No. 66
Ar. Cheraw	6:55 p.m.	6:20 a.m.
Ar. Hamlet	8:43 p.m.	8:02 a.m.
Ar. Raleigh	9:20 p.m.	8:45 a.m.
Ar. Portsmouth	12:35 a.m.	11:56 a.m.
Ar. Richmond	7:50 a.m.	5:45 p.m.
Ar. Washington	5:30 a.m.	5:05 p.m.
Ar. Baltimore	8:50 a.m.	8:35 p.m.
Ar. Philadelphia	10:02 a.m.	9:52 p.m.
Ar. New York	12:29 p.m.	11:51 p.m.
	2:45 p.m.	3:53 a.m.
Passengers can remain in sleeper until 7:00 a.m.		
SOUTHBOUND		
Year	Round Limited	Florida Fast Mail
Lv. Camden	No. 81	No. 43
Ar. Columbia	9:20 a.m.	10:30 p.m.
Ar. Savannah	10:25 a.m.	11:40 p.m.
Ar. Jacksonville	1:10 p.m.	2:45 a.m.
Ar. Tampa	5:00 p.m.	7:15 a.m.
	6:30 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
Local Passenger		
Lv. Columbia	No. 63	
Ar. Savannah	4:30 p.m.	
	8:00 p.m.	

For further information and reservations apply to E. J. COOPER, Agent, or write to J. S. FUCHSBERGER, T. P. A., Columbia, S. C.