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An unusual tribute was paid by the house a few days ago to Representative Stedman, Democrat, North Carolina, the only Confederate veteran serving in that body, when he rose to make a plea for favorable consideration of a bill to permit the erection in Washington of a monument to the Southern negro mammy.

Richland county's grand jury made its final presentation to Judge Townsend Saturday morning. The jury went on record as favoring more pay for the solicitor, stenographer and rural policemen.

The question of biennial sessions of the general assembly will come before the legislature this year, probably next week, when Representative J. R. Bryson of Greenville expects to introduce joint resolutions, calling for the submission to the people of the state proposals for biennial sessions of the general assembly and four year terms for state officers.

The incoming governor, Mr. McLeod, has displayed good judgment in choosing Edward McDowell for his private secretary and is fortunate that McDowell has accepted the post.

The action of Chief Justice Michael L. McKinley, of the Chicago criminal court, in barring members of the Ku Klux Klan from juries was condemned at their weekly meeting on Monday by Methodist ministers of the city and by a resolution declaring such action to be in the nature of class legislation and was "virtually depriving Klansmen of their rights of citizenship."

David R. Coker of Hartsville, who has made a great record in growing cotton, will speak to the farmers of Greenwood at 11 a. m. January 20th, on raising cotton under boll weevil conditions.

Dr. R. H. Peters, famous musician, native of England and for a number of years, some time ago head of the music department of Converse College, died at his home in Greenville Thursday of heart trouble, at the age of 75. He is survived by his wife and six children.

Walter S. Ward, son of a multimillionaire bakery owner of New Rochelle, N. Y., held under \$50,000 cash bail on a charge of having murdered Charles Peters, alleged Blacklander, last May, was dismissed by the court Tuesday after the prosecuting attorney declared he didn't have any evidence warranting conviction. Ward admitted the killing.

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GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

Items of Interest Gathered From Many Sources.

Governor-elect Pinchot of Pennsylvania, has put the state legislature now in session on notice that he expects a real prohibition enforcement law to be passed by that body.

Louis Smith, aged four months, of Travers City, Mich., underwent a successful operation Monday for the removal of his appendix.

The house has again eliminated the free seed item amounting to \$300,000 from the general appropriation bill. On previous occasions this item has been restored by the senate.

Ambassador Hailey arrived in Washington from London Wednesday to discuss European affairs with the president and secretary of state.

A woman supposed to be about 65 years of age and a young man of about 22 committed suicide in New York Wednesday by jumping from the 14th floor of the Municipal building and the young man jumped from the 18th floor of McAlpin hotel.

Brown Gaudden, well known farmer and trapper, of York No. 3, shipped the first mink skins of the season to a St. Louis dealer last week. According to Mr. Gaudden, who in his time has caught hundreds of mink, the fur is of good quality this winter and it should bring good prices.

Col. T. B. Spratt expects to leave Fort Mill a few days hence for Indianapolis, Ind., to attend on January 16, a meeting of the executive committee of the American Legion, of which he is the member for the South Carolina department.

Baptist churches affiliated with the Southern Baptist convention received a total of 218,140 new members by baptism alone during 1921, according to a preliminary report issued last week by the headquarters of the Baptist \$75,000,000 campaign.

Captain Crawford, famous Salvation Army beauty of New York, has retired from the army's Broadway force because of the large amount of publicity to which she has been subjected on account of her personal charms and beauty.

Mrs. Dorrit Stevens Woodhouse has been given a verdict in the superior court at Burlington, N. C., of \$465,000 against her husband's patients in an alienation suit.

The northbound "Dixie Flyer," on the Central of Georgia railroad, from Jacksonville to Chicago, was wrecked at Rivoli, six miles from Macon, Ga., Tuesday morning and twenty-four passengers were injured. The accident was caused by a broken beam.

Two masked white bandits got \$1,250 from the Townsend Grocery company at Columbus, Ga., last Tuesday by backing the bookkeeper of the company into the vault and taking all money in sight.

Sam Carter, negro, 45, was shot to death by a mob, near Bronson, Fla., last Tuesday when he confessed that he had assisted in the getaway of another negro who was charged with having attempted to commit a criminal assault on a white woman.

Trial of the seven men who were indicted last week for war frauds in connection with cantonment contracts is to be entered into without delay, according to the department of justice. Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Beard, widow of the late W. F. Beard, died at her home in the Park View Apartments, Greenville, Saturday, night in her 58th year, following an illness of six weeks of heart trouble.

The four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Robinson fell into a 30-foot well in Barnwell Monday night and was in the water seven minutes before he was rescued alive by a negro man named Leroy McLemore.

David Beannum, negro, who was in the penitentiary four years under death sentence, and was accidentally discovered recently and paroled, shot a negro woman last week in Orangeburg county and is now a fugitive from justice.

J. Clifton Rivers, state warehouse inspector, says that forty percent of the cotton crop of the state is damaged by weevils in warehouses during the winter periods, thus causing large losses to the growers.

The Post-Exposition company, which has been operating a stand on the grounds of the exposition, has been ordered to remove its stand from the grounds by the city of New York. The stand was used for the sale of post-exposition products.

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See at the Minstrel today "Clarence" Boon. Talkington's great American comedy played by a cast of stars, Wallace Ross, Kathryn Williams and Adolphe Menjou, Agnes Ayres and May McAvoy.

Marriages.

While cupid has not been active in a superlative degree in this community of late, yet he has not been altogether idle, as the following list of marriages by the Probate Judge will show:

December 23rd, Mr. E. M. Yarborough and Miss Nannie A. Hough, Bethune.

December 24th, Mr. Nick Branham, Lugoff, and Miss Allie Irene Ross, Blaney.

December 24th, Mr. Lexie Albert Roberts and Miss Effie F. Nelson, December 25th, Mr. M. J. Wheeler and Miss Rozelle Eubanks, Lancaster.

January 1st, Mr. Fred E. Stokes, Cassatt, and Miss Willie E. Branham, Camden.

January 3rd, Mr. R. T. Brazell, Bethune, and Miss Minnie Steen, Lucknow.

January 8th, Mr. Stephen William Clyburn and Miss Mary Jordan, Westville.

January 9th, Mr. Robert E. Nance, Charlotte, N. C., and Mrs. Willie Dover, Sylacauga, Ala.

January 13th, Mr. Lee Tidwell and Miss Lottie Melver Hyatt, Cassatt.

December 25th, by Mr. S. S. Clyburn, Magistrate, Mr. Joe Dixon and Miss Lizzie Twitty.

December 30th, by Rev. W. D. Williams, Mr. Cooper D. Peebles, Camden, and Miss Eva Isabel Davis, Lucknow.

January 13th, by Rev. B. S. Broom, Mr. Otis Broom and Miss Alma Ogburn, Kershaw.

Mrs. Strak Improving.

Friends in Camden will be pleased to learn that Mrs. Ellen Strak, an aged lady who has been confined to the Camden Hospital for several weeks is improving. Mrs. Strak is 73 years of age and fell several weeks ago, fracturing her leg above the knee. She is the mother of Mr. Joseph Strak, a well known Southern railway employe.

Treasurer Improving.

Mr. D. M. McCaskill, treasurer of Kershaw County, who has been in a Columbia Hospital for more than a month, and who underwent an operation a few days ago is rapidly improving and will soon be able to return to Camden. This will be good news to Mr. McCaskill's many friends throughout the county and state where he is well known.

A Pretty Sign.

The Camden Drug Company has recently had erected over their door on East DeKalb street one of the neatest signs in Camden. It is a drug store emblem, of mortar and pestle, of white over a dark background. It can be seen from quite a distance by night from the rays of an electric light. It also serves as a neat sign by day.

Former Postmaster Plead Guilty.

Thomas S. Doar, former postmaster at Sumter, entered a plea of guilty in Federal court in Columbia Wednesday to the charge of having converted to his own use certain moneys, and was sentenced to serve one year and a day in the federal prison in Atlanta. The money involved in this case, according to the postoffice inspector, who testified before the judge passed sentence, was approximately \$4,452.

Death at Bishopville.

Miss Maggie James died last Saturday at her home on Heyward street. While her death was not altogether unexpected, yet it was a distinct shock to her many friends and members of the family. Miss James was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. A. James, Sr., and was born and reared near Bishopville and lived here all of her life. She was a liberal supporter of the Baptist church, of which she was a consistent member for a number of years. She was a thoughtful and helpful neighbor, and will be greatly missed by those with whom she came in contact with. Miss James was very successful in business and accumulated considerable property. She built the present Pioneer Hotel, which she sold several years ago. She is survived by one brother, W. S. James, and two sisters, Mrs. J. P. Kilgore and Mrs. Martha Woodward, and quite a number of other relatives.

The funeral services will be held at the Baptist church at 10 o'clock, and the interment was at the Baptist cemetery near town. The services were arranged by her pastor, Rev. J. J. Williams. Funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock and interment at the Baptist cemetery near town. The services were arranged by her pastor, Rev. J. J. Williams.

James Hugh Bechtel, draft boardman, and a woman in the military school at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., where he is serving a four year sentence, judged in a P. O. box, of the Kansas federal court ruled last week. Judge Pollock sustained a motion of the government to dismiss a petition for a writ of habeas corpus brought in Bergdoll's behalf.

BETHUNE NEWS NOTES.

Happenings of Interest As Told By Our Correspondent.

Bethune, S. C., Jan. 18.—Mrs. Bell King and children of Kingstree, after a visit of several days with Mrs. D. M. Mays, left Friday for Lakeland, Fla., where they will reside.

Mr. Loring Davis, Misses Marguerite Davis and Stella Bethune spent Friday in Columbia.

Miss Helen Garland, of Marshville, N. C., has secured rooms with Mrs. W. A. McDowell and will spend the winter here.

Mrs. Blakely, of Laurens, is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. O. R. Bell.

Mrs. LeRoy Davidson, of Camden, spent Thursday at the home of her brother, Mr. W. M. Stevens.

Mrs. Warren Entzinger, of Lakeland, Fla., was the guest of her sister, Mrs. D. M. Mays, last week.

Mr. Eldon Sevarance left Sunday to resume his studies at the Atlanta Pharmacy School.

Mr. Ralph McCaskill has returned to Columbia after spending a few days at his home here.

Misses Mamie Lou McDonald and Kathleen Clyburn spent the week-end at their home in Kershaw.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. King, of Hartsville visited relatives here last week.

Miss Helen Garland was taken last Sunday afternoon to Columbia Hospital where she underwent an operation for appendicitis the following day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stevens spent Sunday at the home of Mr. John T. Stevens in Kershaw.

Dr. E. Z. Truesdell spent Sunday night and Monday in Columbia.

Miss Lula Mae, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. King, was married to Mr. W. S. Huggins, of Camden, Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Huggins has recently been a student of Cedar Springs Institute.

Bill to License Auto Drivers.

Bills have already been introduced or will be within the next few days in the South Carolina legislature requiring every driver of a motor vehicle to have a license and to penalize owners not having license plates for their car. Secretary Thomas of the state highway commission says that the commission has many letters on the subject from all parts of the state and public sentiment seems to favor both laws, especially the one providing for driver's license.

Street Sweeper and Sprinkler.

City Council has recently ordered a combination street sprinkler and sweeper to be used on Camden's new paving.

Editor of Whizz Bang Here.

Captain Billy Fawcett, editor of Whizz Bang, a little magazine with a national reputation for jokes and wit and read in nearly every city, village and hamlet in this country, is in Camden for a stay. He is stopping at one of the tourist hotels.

Wants--For Sale

LOST—One white bitch, has yellow and black spots on body. Left puppies three weeks old, has been missing since January 8th. Reward if returned to J. C. Kennington, Hermitage Mills, Camden, S. C. 42 pd

WANTED—Old china, glass, silver, furniture, curios. Answer immediately. Write Box 267, Camden, S. C. 42 pd

AGENTS WANTED — Tailoring agents: All-wool suits tailored to order \$29.50. All-wool tropical worsteds: two-piece suits \$19.50. Wonderful values. Big money for hustlers. Write J. B. Simpson, Inc., Dept. 483, 851 W. Adams St., Chicago. 42-43 p-1

THE "GRAY LADY" has reappeared and may be seen at several places in town. 42 tr

FOR SALE—Pravine hay number 1 at \$25 per ton. Baled out straw. Apply W. D. McDowell, Route 3, Camden, S. C. 42-44 pd

FOR SALE—One second hand Underwood typewriter will be sold cheap. Apply to The Chronicle office, Camden, S. C.

FOR SALE—One 12 gauge, seven shot, automatic Winchester gun at a bargain. Apply to E. C. Mosley, Camden, S. C. 42pd

FOR RENT—Rooms for light house-keeping. Apply to Box 141, Camden, S. C. 42-4b

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, also two rooms for light house-keeping. Good location. Address "R. J. S." care of The Chronicle, Camden, S. C. 42-43pd

WANTED—To rent small house or two or six rooms. Write box 118, Camden, S. C. 42pd

LOST—One female pointer puppy, about one year old. Lost near Lorick or Bolton Mickle farms north of Camden. Reward if returned to J. H. Burns, Camden, S. C. 42 sb

WANTED—Stenographic work in the afternoons. Phone 223-W., Camden, S. C. 42pd

FOR RENT—One two story nine room house, large lot 225 front feet with a depth of 578 1-2 feet. Apply L. L. Block Camden S. C. 41 sb

A Satisfactory Mattress At a Reasonable Price COTTON DOWN MATTRESS Price \$15 and up Smooth—Comfortable—Sanitary Our Exclusive Interwoven Process Look for the Silk Label Made and guaranteed by GHOLSTIN SPRING & MATTRESS CO. MANUFACTURERS ATLANTA, GEORGIA For Sale By CAMDEN FURNITURE COMPANY Camden, South Carolina

ATTENTION FORD OWNERS—We specialize in Ford repairs and now have Mr. John Hinson and Mr. Joe Pittigrew with us. Both of these men know their business and will more than give you a square deal. If you want good work at the right price give us a trial. Vulcanizing and battery service. Phone 486. Beard's Filling Station, Camden, S. C. 40-43pd

REWARD—\$5.00 reward will be paid to the finder of one gold thimble lost Sunday last between the residence of Mrs. Dalton Kennedy and 1409 Mill Street. Please leave at The Chronicle office. 42 sb

FOR SALE—I offer my two farms for sale on reasonable prices and terms. These farms are situated about three miles east of Camden. Are in good arable condition, with houses and barns, also in good condition. For any other information call at the Bank of Camden or see W. R. Roberts, Camden, S. C. 41-43 sb

CAN SAVE YOU MONEY

The list below is all that remains of my large stock of Harness, Wagons, Buggies, etc., which I must close out by February first. If there is anything in this line that you can use, I will save you 25 per cent on your purchase:

- 4 Tyson & Jones Top Buggies. 2 Tyson & Jones Runabouts. 1 Carolina Buggy. 2 One horse wagons with bodies. 1 Two horse wagon without body. 1 Double set Carriage Harness. 1 Man's Saddle. 3 Pair Wagon Reins. 4 Collars. 6 Sets Wagon Breaching. 5 Sets Wagon Saddles and Breachings. 2 Pair Wagon Bridles. 27 Buggy and Wagon Whips. 6 Halters. F. M. ZEMP, at Zemp and DePass' Drug Store.

SERVICE, SERVICE, SERVICE—Ford service, battery service, tire service, radiator service, crank case service and differential service. Most of it free. Drive in at Beard's Filling Station, Camden, S. C. 40-43 pd

FOR SALE—Fig preserves and Haw jelly. Telephone 286-W., Camden, S. C. 41-43 pd

AGENTS WANTED—Lady or gentleman agent wanted in Camden to retail Watkins Products. Investigate this offer! Particulars and valuable samples mailed free. Write today. J. R. Watkins Company, Dept. 84, New York, N. Y. 40-43 pd

WANTED—Hardwood logs. We pay highest cash price for Choice Ash, Poplar, Cypress and White Oak logs of standard specification, delivered to Sumter by rail or truck. We buy logs twelve months in the year and give preference to loggers equipped to bring in a steady supply. What have you to offer? Sumter Hardwood Co., Sumter, S. C. 83 tr

ORDERS TAKEN—For all kinds of cakes and home made candies. Telephone 286-W., Camden, S. C. 41-43 pd

OLD TIRES WORTH SOMETHING—Don't junk your old tire until you find out first what it's worth. We can vulcanize or allow you something in exchange on a new one. Beard's Filling Station, Camden, S. C. 40-43 pd

LOST—Brown Male Setter Dog, toes on one front foot white, reward for any information leading to his recovery. C. E. Dukes, Sumter, S. C. 41-42 pd

WANTED—Several tracts of good short or long leaf Pine timber from 100 M. feet to 5 million feet. We also pay cash for No. 1 poplar logs 22 inches and up and No. 1 pine logs 12 inches and up. We buy good logs the year round. Address, The Zickgraf Company, Denmark, S. C. 40-43 sb

FOR SALE—Wood, cut any length, oak and pine. Prompt delivery. Phone 275 J., Joseph Sheheen, Camden, S. C. 22 tr

WANTED—To hear from owner of good Farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 40-45 pd

L. SCHENK & CO. CAMDEN, S. C. The GENUINE Everfast Suiting A MERCERIZED WASH FABRIC can be washed and worn in any way you please. It is absolutely FAST TO SOAP AND BOILING FAST TO SUN AND WEATHER FAST TO FERTILIZATION AND UMIC ACID FAST TO EVERYTHING IT ENCOUNTERS AS A DRESS, GLOUSE OR SUIT FABRIC We will promptly and cheerfully return the money not only for every yard of Everfast which for any reason does not hold its color, but also THE COST OF MAKING THE GARMENT. In all popular shades—The name "Everfast" is stamped every yard of the sevice. Yard Wide 49c the Yard