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Camden, S. C., Friday, Feb. 29, 1924.

When officers do their duty the great majority of citizens of the community commend them and also back them up. Criticism comes only from that element not amenable to the laws which govern society.

The will of Woodrow Wilson, which was filed Monday, leaves his estate to his widow with the exception of a provision for his daughter, Margaret Wilson, who will receive an annual income of twenty-five hundred dollars as long as she remains unmarried.

When Rev. W. S. Crandall, pastor of a Methodist Episcopal church of Ginghamton, N. Y., preached a sermon two weeks ago in which he attacked divorcees and divorcees, half of the church's choir resigned. They didn't like what the preacher said.

Miss Edna Donaldson, 21, and her sister, Miss Maude Donaldson, 25, lost their lives at Andalusia, Ala., Thursday night when fire destroyed the building in which the telephone central office was located.

Thomas B. Felder, who figured prominently in the warring up of the South Carolina dispensary, has come into light in connection with the charges against Daugherty. In the State a few days ago, Senator Wheeler of Montana, referred to Felder in a speech, saying that as a friend and former partner of Daugherty, the Georgia lawyer was serving as a go-between for office seekers, selling his influence with the department of justice and securing the dismissal of Daugherty cases against big bootleggers of New York and elsewhere for a price.

Recognize the Youngster (Gable's Ledger)

Addressed to men

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Chamber of Commerce Notes

Know Your Town.

When Paul proudly stated, "I am a citizen of no mean city," he portrayed that pride in one's home town which should be in every man's heart. To all the citizens of Camden there is a lesson in this early boast of citizenship.

This pride in one's city must have some real foundation. It cannot exist on the booster spirit and buncombe and hot air. You must know your town, know in your own heart it is a good town, and why it is, and if one is not familiar with the resources of his city he cannot really know.

There is a present and growing need in Camden for an organization for the development of real estate, and the building of homes. Within the past few weeks several chances to locate new citizens have been lost when no suitable home could be bought.

The altitude of Camden is 250 feet above sea level, with mean temperatures as follows: Spring 61.90; Summer, 73.38; Fall 62.26; Winter 45.16.

Camden has forty-two miles of streets, maintained and kept up by the Street Department. Nine miles of these streets are included in the paving program just being completed.

We are informed by our fire insurance agencies that Camden has the third best rate in South Carolina for protection against fire. It is a second class insurance city.

Why Is a Chamber of Commerce?

Men who have never been identified with a chamber of commerce sometimes have queer ideas of just what such an organization is, and why a city needs it.

A chamber of commerce is a concerted effort of the civic, agricultural, commercial and industrial forces of a community. It serves somewhat as does a choir in a church, an orchestra at an opera—to assemble and unify and mold into one force the individual energies of its members, and use them all for the common good.

A chamber of commerce is not a political organization and should never take sides on any purely political question.

It is not a lodge, not a club, not a secret society. It should be the embodiment of the public spirit of the community. It works continuously for the upbuilding of the community, helping plan the future of the city, inviting new citizens to come in, promoting those civic, social, educational and cultural enterprises which make a city a safer and a more pleasant place in which to live.

The man who has any genuine interest in his community and does not belong to the chamber of commerce should be asked to join it. It is a privilege to be a part of the organization which is working for the betterment of the city.

The Right Reverend Alexander C. Garrett, presiding bishop of the Protestant Episcopal church in America, died at his home at Dallas, Tex., Monday night, aged 92 years. He was born in Lucan County, Sligo, Ireland.

THE HEAD ON THE DOLLAR.

Miss Anna Williams Retires From Active Work.

When the Bland silver dollar, now almost extinct east of the Mississippi, was as common as the paper dollar of today, the coin was admired for the strikingly beautiful profile which the designer gave to the head of the Goddess of Liberty.

The Bland dollar was first coined forty-six years ago. There were thousands of applicants who offered their heads as models for the goddess. George Morgan, the designer, had apparently little difficulty in making a selection. For he announced Miss Williams' head the most perfect he had ever seen.

O. Henry wrote a story of a miser who married a woman whose profile duplicated one he had seen on a coin, so that when he looked at her he could always have visions of the wealth which her head represented. But could he ever have visioned such a silver horde as carried Miss Williams' face?

Miss Williams had another claim to distinction beyond that which came to her through the Bland silver dollar. She achieved a success in kindergarten work that brought her recognition beyond the city to which she gave forty years of service.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES

Prohibition officers discovered a still in Missouri because buzzards were hovering over it. We met a man yesterday whose breath indicated that he had been drinking stuff from that very still, says the Spartanburg Citizen.

New York Woman's Committee for Law Enforcement, composed of 1,000 prominent women of New York state and city, has started a movement for enforcement of and respect for the laws of the state and especially the national prohibition laws.

James G. Howze has been recommended to Governor Thomas G. McLeod for appointment to the office of Sheriff of Chester County to succeed the late D. Guber Anderson, and the appointment is expected to be made shortly.

Federal prohibition officers seized a lot of "paper" in the yards of the Reading railway at Philadelphia Friday. The seizure turned out to be grain alcohol valued at \$50,000.

Mrs. Eliza G. Calkins, died at West Haven, Conn., Tuesday at the age of 101 years. She was one of the pioneer settlers of Minnesota, traveling there by railroad, stage coach and Mississippi river steamboats when she was a girl.

C. M. Schavab, American steel magnate, returning to America from Paris after a tour through Germany is quoted as saying that Germany can pay and must pay indemnity, but says Germany must know exactly what she has to pay.

Three confessed bank bandits were sentenced at Albany, N. Y., Tuesday to serve terms of seven and a half to fifteen years in prison. They robbed a bank at Maryland last fall of \$17,000 in currency.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

AH GOT SOME WHUT DEY CALL "MARYLAN" STYLE" FROG-LAIGS IN A BEALE STREET RESTRURNT YISTIDDY BUT DEYS MUSLY STYLE!



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Editor Sues Publishers.

Fort Mill, Feb. 24.—Through his attorneys, Dunlap & Dunlap, of Rock Hill, W. R. Bradford, of Fort Mill, member of the house of representatives from York county, for the past ten years, has served notice on the publishers of The Evening Herald of Rock Hill of his intention to enter suit for libel against them on account of an editorial published in its issue of February 22, relative to his alleged failure to vote on the "pay as you go" road improvement measure which came up in the house of representatives February 21.

Burned Trying To Save Money.

Greenwood, Feb. 21.—That Mrs. Mamie Golden Redden, 58-years-old, was burned to death when she attempted to save several thousand dollars in cash from the home of her mother, Mrs. Milton Golden, near Ware Shoals last Sunday morning, when the building was destroyed by fire is the belief of R. L. Golden, chief of police here, who is an uncle of Mrs. Redden.

The German-American mixed claims

commission has awarded \$1,000,000 against the German government for reparations to Americans on account of losses sustained in the torpedoing of the Lusitania.

Held a Singing Contest.

Editor Camden Chronicle: As the pastor of the Bethel A. M. E. Church of Camden I wish to state that it has been our delight to have a singing contest at our church on the tenth of February. The Bethlehem choir rendered a great service to us as did also

the Camden choir. The members and pastor of Bethel church want to return thanks unto God and the good people of Camden and elsewhere for having been so liberal and serviceable to us. We also had the pleasure of having Mr. H. G. Carrison, Jr., mayor of Camden, address us on this occasion and want to publicly thank him for his words of advice and liberality. O. D. YOUNG, Pastor.

"Lady Windermere's Fan"

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J. L. MOSELEY

Camden, S. C.