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IN THE PALMETTO STATE.

INTERESTING OCCURRENCES OF VARIOUS KINDS IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

State News Boiled Down for Quick Reading Pungent Paragraphs About Men and Happenings.

The supreme court has confirmed the opinion of Judge Prince that the law exempting Confederate veterans from the payment of license tax is unconstitutional.

Barney Harkey, a young white man, was convicted before the mayor of Chester on Friday of stealing a box of collars and was sentenced to 30 days on the chaingang.

The republicans of the seventh congressional district met at Orangeburg on Wednesday and nominated Alex D. Dantzer, colored, for congress to run against Mr. Lever.

Lon Hall was caught by the Greenville police on Saturday with 75 pints of whiskey in a trunk. He was fined \$150 on the charges of retailing and transporting liquor.

Charlie Revan, a young white man, was shot and killed by his brother-in-law, Henry Seay, last Friday. Family troubles was the cause. The killing occurred near Spartanburg.

The Donalds Progress is the latest newspaper candidate for public favor. It is a neatly printed sheet of four pages, five columns to the page, and Harold C. Booker is the editor.

The dead body of C. H. Browder was found lying beside the track of the Atlantic Coast Line road near Florence on Monday morning. He is supposed to have been struck and killed by a passing train during the night.

W. O. Jones was shot and killed in a drunken quarrel by Primus Salters, a negro, in Williamsburg county on Thursday night. The two and another white man named Lee Wise were drinking together at Wise's house when the quarrel arose.

The Spartanburg Baptist association, composed of forty-five churches, in session at Friendship church on Friday, unanimously condemned lynching and recommended that church members be expelled for participating in a lynching for any cause whatever.

W. G. Matthews was arrested at Hartsville on Tuesday and committed to the Darlington jail on the charge of bigamy. He married a Miss McLemore of Marlboro county the 8th instant, already having a wife, whom, it is said, he married in North Carolina a year ago.

Montie Curry, young son of Mr. J. H. Curry, was fearfully injured at his father's brick yard at Gaffney last Thursday. He had wrapped an old piece of belt around a shaft and was playing with it when he was caught by it and thrown against a piece of timber at every revolution of the shaft. His clothes and shoes were torn entirely off, and his right arm was broken above the elbow, and torn from his body at the wrist. Both legs were broken above the knee.

Old maids would be scarce and hard to find. Could they be made to see. How grace and beauty is combined. By using Rocky Mountain Tea. H. F. Hoover.

THE NAMELESS CRIME.

Negro Man Arrested for Heinous Offense in Beaufort County, but Escapes.

BEAUFORT, Aug. 24.—Word has just reached here that a negro in Bluffton committed a criminal assault on a colored woman, the wife of Isaac Garvey, a respectable negro, on Saturday night. He fled and was caught Tuesday in the neighborhood of Foot Point. The capture was made by a magistrate's constable. The preliminary hearing was set for yesterday. The prisoner will probably be brought here tomorrow.

BEAUFORT, Aug. 24.—The negro who raped a colored woman at Bluffton on Saturday escaped yesterday from the constable who was bringing him to Beaufort and is at large. He was given a preliminary hearing before a magistrate Wednesday and was bound over to the circuit court. A constable put him in a buggy hand-cuffed and started for Buckingham ferry, there to take the steamer for Beaufort. When about seven miles out of Bluffton, the prisoner leaped out of the buggy and over a barb wire fence. The constable fired four shots but missed. A posse is now hunting him. The negro beat and severely injured his victim who is well thought of by white people in Bluffton.

THE END OF THE WORLD

of troubles that robbed E. H. Wolfe, of Bear Grove, Ia., of all usefulness, came when he began taking Electric Bitters. He writes: "Two years ago kidney trouble caused me great suffering, which I would never have survived had I not taken Electric Bitters. They also cured me of general debility." Sure cure for stomach, liver and kidney complaints, blood diseases, headache, dizziness and weakness or bodily decline. Price 50c. Guaranteed at Hoover's drug store, and J. B. Black's.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

Two Laurens County Farmers Struck by Same Bolt and Instantly Killed.

LAURENS, August 24.—There was a double funeral at South Chapel in the lower part of this county today when Jno. Golden and Joseph Koon, farmers of Cross Hill township, who were instantly killed by lightning at the home of Golden Wednesday night were laid to rest. The bolt that killed the two men stunned John Koon and his little son, who had stopped in out of the storm with Mr. Joseph Koon, who was killed. The fire was extinguished before doing much damage.

Course of Study, Bamberg Graded School.

Session begins September 10, 1906.

First grade—Miss Mai Zeigler, teacher.

Text books—Chart, Johnson's First Reader, Hill's First Reader, Primary Number work, Language work, Physical Culture, Writing, Drawing.

Second grade—Miss Ieleta Ott, teacher.

Text books—Johnson's 2nd Reader, Hill's Second Reader, Stepping Stones to Literature, The Blaisdell Speller, Primary Number work, Language Lessons, Physical Culture, Drawing, Writing.

Third grade—Miss M. Elizabeth Barnett, teacher.

Text books—English Words as Written and Spelled, Johnson's Third Reader, Fables and Folk Stories, Wentworth Elementary Arithmetic, Beginner's American History, Montgomery, Primary Geography, Language Lessons, Physical Culture, Drawing, Writing.

Fourth grade—Miss Elizabeth Barnett, teacher.

Text books—Johnson's Fourth Reader, Hill's Fourth Reader, Simple English Classics, English Words as Spoken and Written, Wentworth's Elementary Arithmetic, Frye's Introductory Geography, Lee's Primary History, Maxwell's First Steps in English, Physical Culture, Drawing and Writing.

Fifth and Sixth Grades—Mrs. Mamie Murdaugh, teacher.

Fifth grade text books—Wentworth's Practical Arithmetic, Frye's First Geography, Maxwell's Introductory English, The Making of South Carolina, Reed's Word Lessons, Hill's Fifth Reader, Selected Classics, Drawing and Writing.

Sixth grade text books—Wentworth's Practical Arithmetic, Frye's Advanced Geography, Eggleston's History United States, Maxwell's Introductory Grammar, Benson's Speller and Definer, Drawing and Writing, Reading from English Classics.

Seventh, Eighth and Ninth Grades—Principal H. G. Sheridan and Miss Mamie Connor, teachers.

Seventh grade text books—Wentworth Practical Arithmetic, Wentworth's First Steps in Algebra, Eggleston's U. S. History, Frye's Grammar School Geography, The Mother Tongue, Book II in English, Bennett's Foundations of Latin, Benson's Speller and Definer (Completed) Selected Reading from Classics.

Eighth grade text books—Wentworth's Grammar School Arithmetic, Wentworth's New School Algebra, Buehler's Modern English (completed), Thompson's United States History, Beginner's Latin (completed), Syke's English Composition, English Classics.

Ninth grade text books—Wentworth's New School Algebra (completed), Wentworth's Plane Geometry, Williams Composition and Rhetoric, Montgomery's English History (completed), Tarr's Physical Geography (completed), Bain's Latin Grammar and Caesar, Analytical Study of English Classics, Syke's English Composition.

The House that Jack Built.

The story of a suit for damages recently decided in a German village reads like a revised version of "The House that Jack Built." In this case a cat was chased by a dog and ran into a stable and jumped on the back of a cow that was being milked and the cow was frightened and kicked the milkmaid off of her stool and she sued Captain Schorn owner of the dog and Herr Von Dorn owner of the cat and her employer the Dairyman Herr Kamelemer owner of the cow for damages and the court awarded her \$36 and each defendant had to pay one third.

So there you have the whole matter in a breath. As the local poet wrote:

This is the dog of Captain Schorn
That chased the cat of Herr Von Dorn
That scratched the cow with the crumpled horn
That kicked the maiden all forlorn
Whose testimony duly sworn
Of feelings hurt and clothing torn
Impelled the judge all shaven and shorn
To mulct and fine that very morn
The dairyman and Herr Von Dorn
As well as gallant Captain Schorn
Who owned the dog
That worried the cat
That scratched the cow
That kicked the maid
That milked in the barn at Redwitz.
Woman's Home Companion for September.

A woman worries until she gets wrinkles then worries because she has them. If she takes Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea she would have neither. Bright, smiling face follows its use. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. H. F. Hoover.

COUNTRY NEWS LETTERS.

SOME INTERESTING HAPPENINGS IN VARIOUS SECTIONS.

News Items Gathered All Around the County and Elsewhere. Ehrhardt Etchings.

EHRHARDT, Aug. 27.—Mrs. Bertha Jones, after several hindrances, succeeded in going on her pleasure trip on last Saturday morning. She will take in Newberry visiting several relatives in that town.

Messrs. J. D. Padgett, I. D. and F. H. Copeland, and Master Beunie Ehrhardt went to Charleston Sunday. Some for business, while others take in the sights.

Mr. Ben P. Carter went on a visit to his brother, Dr. E. P. Carter, at McLaurin. While there took sick and died on Saturday afternoon. Was buried at Carter's Ford grave yard on Sunday.

Cotton is coming in for ginning, but the new cotton is so green until it makes a poor sample, as well as tough to gin. Messrs. C. Ehrhardt & Sons ginned twelve bales for the public last week.

The farmers say their cotton is sprouting in the burr on account of the rains we are having. Short crop, low price, and poor grade will be tough on us this fall.

Hens and hen fruit will be scarce this fall in this section. Nearly all the chickens are dead or dying from a disease the old ladies call "limber neck." We know of the sore neck disease but limber neck is ahead of us. What's a preventative of the disease, Mr. Editor? (Don't know, Ed.)

Some of our farmers are making plenty peas and say the vines are growing rapidly and putting on more peas than they ever had before.

A young lady in town wrote an order to a certain young man in town clerking in a general merchandise store for a bottle of "Quick White." She wanted to dress her white slippers. The clerk read the order several times but could not decide what she meant by "One bottle Quick White," so he finally concluded she meant a Quick Relief and sent her a bottle of St. Joseph's Quick Relief, thinking that delay might cause continued pain. You should have seen the young clerk when the young lady stepped in the store and explained that it was not her sweet little self that was out of order but her white slippers.

Mr. B. B. Hutson died Sunday afternoon about seven o'clock. He has been ill for some time, and nothing could be done to relieve him. He will be buried at Pleasant Hill grave yard beside his wife, who was laid at rest there in May, 1905. He leaves seven children behind, orphans. They are all small and kind friends and relatives will take care of them until old enough to work for themselves.

On Sunday afternoon we had the heaviest rain of the season. Our streets were regular branches of running water.

Denmark Doings.

DENMARK, August 28.—Mrs. J. W. Wyman, who has been spending some time with relatives in Charleston, has returned to her home in the city.

The Misses Davis, of Columbia, are spending some time with Mrs. C. T. Bamberg in the city.

We are having lots of rain these days, and the prospect for a half crop at this time is looking rather gloomy, as it is reported on good authority that the grown bolls are rotting in the fields.

Miss Mary Bell Inabinett, who has been on an extended trip through the North, returned home on Saturday last.

Miss Inez Zorn, formerly stenographer and typewriter in the law office of James A. Willis, Esq., of Barnwell, has accepted a position with Messrs. Lee & Wells, of Augusta, Ga.

The new store being fitted up for Mr. J. B. Gillam, Jr., will soon be completed and he will be ready to move in some time next week. Mr. Gillam does one of the largest mercantile businesses in the county and the store he now occupies is nothing like large enough for his mammoth stock of goods. The building into which he is to move is about 70x100, which gives him better room to display his stock.

The protracted meeting that is going on at the Methodist church commenced Sunday morning last by the pastor, who was unable to get assistance on account of illness.

Mr. D. Kreisberg, of Charleston, has opened up a dry goods and clothing business in the Goolsby store on 6th street.

Mr. H. G. Driggs has commenced the erection of a five room cottage on the corner of 5th street and Hemlock Avenue, and is putting the material on his lots on 7th street for four other cottages which he hopes to have ready for occupancy in the very near future.

Miss Lena Mitchell, of Elko, and Mrs. M. R. Hardwick returned last week from Sullivan's Island, where they have been spending some time. Miss Mitchell stopped over on her way back, and is the guest of Mrs. Hardwick in the city.

Among the visiting candidates in the city last week were Messrs. B. W. Wiley,

H. M. Graham, E. T. LaFitte, R. W. D. Rowell, and H. A. Ray.

The protracted meeting conducted by Rev. John A. Brunson, of Elloree, for about ten days at the Baptist church, closed on Wednesday night of last week.

Miss Alice Scott, of Williston, en route to North Carolina, stopped over and was the guest of Mrs. M. R. Hardwick on Thursday last.

Miss Laura Hartzog has accepted a position with Mr. F. H. McCrae.

Mr. G. A. Steadman spent Thursday of last week in Augusta.

The many friends of Miss Estelle Guess are glad to see her out again after a protracted illness.

Miss Julia Zorn is spending some time with friends and relatives in Waynesboro, Ga.

Messrs. Gallum & Berman, of Baltimore, Md., with their families have arrived with a full line of up-to-date fall and winter goods and will open up on or about September 5th, in the store now occupied by J. B. Gillam, Jr., on corner of Palmetto Avenue and Sixth Street. These gentlemen will carry a full line of gents' furnishing and ladies' dress goods.

The ladies in our Southland are to be pitied from the great dread that they are under from being attacked by the demons of hades, and last week looked as if the whole of them were turned loose, from the number of unspeakable crimes that were committed. It has gotten so of late that it is dangerous for a lady to leave her home, even in a city, unprotected.

Colston Cullings.

COLSTON, August 28.—We are having plenty of rain now, and the cotton that has opened is looking very dingy.

Mr. W. W. Kearse, of Adams Run is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kearse.

Mr. W. H. Varn left last Friday for Leesville, where he was called to the bedside of his wife, who is spending a few weeks there with her parents.

Mrs. J. F. Clayton is visiting relatives near Denmark this week.

Mr. B. W. Beard and Mrs. J. B. All are very ill at this writing, but we wish them a speedy recovery.

To-day is election day, and if the candidates had the least idea that they could rule the people to-day they would certainly try and do so.

Messrs. J. B. Varn and H. J. McMillan spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives near Orangeburg.

Mr. T. D. Beard went down to Lodge on Saturday last.

ANOTHER DISPENSARY SENSATION.

Mr. Wylie, a Member of the State Board, Says it is Corrupt, then Denies it.

Mr. Wylie, of the State board of dispensary directors, was on the C. & N. W. train yesterday morning, going toward Gastonia and between Yorkville and Clover he said in the presence of Dr. J. E. Massey and Mr. F. P. McCain, who were going to Clover with the county campaign party, that the State dispensary has always been corrupt and it is as corrupt now as it has ever been. He said that the State board is corrupt; but he is only one man against two and cannot help himself. He cited that recently, over his protest, the other two members of the board had purchased two thousand cases of so-called case whiskey. Upon the arrival of the whiskey, he, Wylie, insisted on having it analyzed. The analysis showed 25 per cent of alcohol and the balance was various kinds of chemicals. As the result of the analysis, and Mr. Wylie's threatening to make a fuss, the liquor was sent back. Dr. Massey and Mr. McCain both repeated Mr. Wylie's statement to them in their speeches at Clover.—Yorkville Enquirer.

Did Major Wylie, of the board of directors of the State dispensary, say that the other members of the board are corrupt; that he is only one man against two, and cannot help himself, but was able recently to compel the others, by threats, to return goods purchased over his protest?

In a long distance telephone conversation this morning with a Record man, whom he called up, Major Wylie denied the allegation that he had made such statements, and authorized the newspaper man to quote him as strongly in denial as his command of the language would permit.—Columbia Record.

Mr. McCain puts the matter like this: "In my speech at the campaign meeting at Clover on Monday, to show the corruption in the State dispensary management, I stated that Mr. Wylie of the present board of directors had stated to Drs. Massey and Saye and myself on the train that morning that the board of directors of the State had purchased 2,000 cases of whiskey over his protest. That it was found on arrival to contain only about 2 per cent of alcohol and was returned to the house from which it was purchased. I made the deduction from this that there was still corruption in the dispensary management. Mr. Wylie did not say to me in so many words that the board was corrupt."

Tillman says that he did not accept a piano from a whiskey concern, but he says that he gave thousands of the State's money to one Hubbell who is dead. It would have been better if he had taken two or three pianos and let the rebates go into the State treasury.—Carolina Spartan.

ANSEL FAR IN THE LEAD.

WITH MANNING SECOND, BLEASE THIRD, AND BRUNSON RIGHT BEHIND.

Tuesday's Primary Showed a Small Vote and That the Voters are Sick of the Dispensary. Figures in the Different Races.

(Special to The Herald.)

COLUMBIA, S. C., 1:00 a. m., Thursday, August 30.—The latest election returns received by The State indicate that Tillman was scratched by about thirty per cent of the voters. About 76,000 votes have been accounted for. Ansel is far in the lead for governor, only lacking a few thousand votes of being nominated over all seven opponents.

McCown is elected Secretary of State, having 40,000 votes, defeating his two competitors. Jones is no doubt elected Comptroller General over Walker by about five thousand majority.

Boyd is elected adjutant and inspector general, doubling Haskell's vote.

For attorney general, there will be a second race between Lyon and Ragsdale, although Lyon lacked only a small number of votes to be nominated on the first ballot.

For railroad commissioner, Sullivan is leading with Wharton second. There will be a second race between Sullivan and Wharton.

Patterson is re-elected congressman of the second district by a large majority, easily defeating both Hare and Toole. In the fifth district, D. E. Finley is renominated over Dr. T. J. Strait. In the third district Wyatt Aiken was renominated, defeating Julius E. Boggs. Jos. T. Johnson goes in again from the fourth district over G. H. Mahon and Irby.

Following are the figures:

GOVERNOR	
Ansel	31,978
Bleas	12,951
Manning	18,705
Brunson	7,310
Edwards	531
Jones	707
McMahan	1,811
Sloan	2,428
COMPTROLLER GENERAL	
Jones	38,669
Walker	33,054
ADJUTANT GENERAL	
Boyd	49,414
Haskell	24,947
ATTORNEY GENERAL	
Lyon	36,885
Ragsdale	22,119
Youmans	16,465
RAILROAD COMMISSIONER	
Cansler	16,514
Sellers	6,612
Sullivan	20,743
Summersett	11,757
Wharton	19,217

In many of the counties anti-dispensary men were elected to the legislature, but we believe the next legislature will be for the dispensary. It was not the walk over the dispensary people expected.

Thos. E. Miller, President.

The trustees of the State's colored college at Orangeburg met yesterday and passed a resolution requesting Thos. E. Miller, L. L. D., to withdraw his resignation. President Miller came before the board and explained his reasons for resigning. He complied with the request of the board, which was embodied in the following resolution:

"Resolved, That this board after a full conference with President Thomas E. Miller, in reference to his resignation and believing said resignation was sent in hastily and under a misapprehension of the board's action, is of the opinion that it will be for the best interests of the State colored college that said resignation be withdrawn and that Dr. Miller remain at the head of the institution."

The board recognizes that President Miller organized the institution and has carried the work forward with success. The reason he resigned was because in his excessive zeal to inculcate morality he had taken exception to the action of two teachers who were supposed to be shielding from him some pupils who needed to be disciplined and the board declined to remove the two teachers.—The State, Friday, August 24th.

The Cotton Market.

Very little cotton is being brought to this market so far. The rains are so continuous that it cannot be picked. The price is nine cents to-day.

The artesian well on the corner at Copeland's store on Main street stopped flowing Wednesday afternoon. At this writing it is not known what council will do in regard to it. This is the third time a well at this point has given out.

Card of Thanks.

Editor The Bamberg Herald: Dear Sir—Will you please allow me space in your paper to express my grateful feeling and appreciation to my many friends for all their kindness during my wife's last illness, and also in behalf of the many visiting relatives, let me extend to you their heartfelt appreciations for your kind and generous hospitality. Let me assure you, my dear friends, that such acts of kindness will ever be remembered and cherished in the hearts of those who are now in deep sorrow. Most sincerely,
L. N. BELLINGER.

LYNCHING IN DORCHESTER.

Negro Taken From Sheriff and Riddled With Bullets—Was Peering Into a House.

A negro named Willie Spain was taken from the Dorchester county jail at St. George last Thursday afternoon by a party of men, carried up the road on a hand car, strung up in the woods near Badham and shot to pieces.

The negro had attempted to enter the house of Mr. S. L. Connor, while the eleven year old daughter of Mr. Connor was alone in the building. He was frightened away by the child's screams. Another negro saw him running and informed Mr. Connor, who was in a field nearby. Mr. Connor came upon the negro hiding in the cane and attempted to capture him. Spain showed fight and Mr. Connor, in striking him, broke several bones in his hand. The negro escaped but was later captured and delivered to Sheriff Limehouse, who lodged him in jail.

Shortly after he had been locked up a party of men came up on a hand car, went into the jail, took the negro out and ran up the road with him. A fusillade of shots heard in the vicinity of Badham told the fate of the negro, and his body was found torn to pieces by bullets, hanging from a small oak tree.

The sheriff telephoned to the governor that his prisoner had been taken away.

The governor instructed the sheriff to make an effort to recover the prisoner. After the lynching had been reported to him the governor instructed the coroner to postpone the inquest until the arrival of Solicitor Hildebrand, at the same time instructing the solicitor to proceed at once to St. George and make an investigation.

It does not appear that the negro entered the Connor house, nor is it clear what his intentions were. He was peering in the window when the child screamed and frightened him away.

Union Meeting.

The Union Meeting of the second division of the Barnwell Baptist Association met with the Ghen's Branch Baptist church on Saturday before the fifth Sunday in July, 1906. After preaching by Rev. S. P. Hair, the Union was called to order by the moderator, Bro. J. B. Hunter. The names of the churches were called, and the delegates being enrolled, the Union then proceeded to business.

The first query on the program was taken up, "The church and the convert, their mutual obligation or what they owe to each other," Jno. 21, 15-17, and very ably discussed by Rev. J. K. Hair and Rev. J. H. Stoudenmire. It was moved and unanimously agreed that we pass this query over and give Rev. J. K. Hair the opportunity to present the claims of the Baptist Courier, which he very ably did in a short address.

The usual committees were then appointed. Committee on time and place, S. S. Williams, J. L. Smoak, J. C. Chitty, J. L. Herndon, and W. C. Zeigler. Committee on services tomorrow, pastor and officers of this church. After a song by the choir, it was moved and unanimously carried that we adjourn one and a half hours for dinner, which was served on the grounds by our Ghen's Branch sisters, which showed that they knew how to entertain a Union meeting.

Dinner being over we all repaired to the church. After a song by the choir, prayer by Bro. E. H. Grayson, the Union was called to order by the moderator. Query No. 2, "Map study on foreign missions," Rom. 10, was passed over, as there was no map on hand. Query No. 3, "Christian citizenship," Rom. 13, 1-6, 11-15, was taken up and very ably discussed by Rev. S. P. Hair, Rev. J. K. Hair, Rev. J. H. Stoudenmire, Rev. S. P. Chisolm, and Bro. E. H. Grayson, and the following resolution was unanimously passed:

"Resolved, That it is the sense of this Union that all Christians should obey the law of the land."

Moved and carried that we pass this query over and take up the next query on the program.

Query No. 4, "The bible; its proper place," Ps. 119; Ps. 19. Owing to the lateness of the hour, moved and carried that we pass this query over and adjourn.

Committee on time and place made its report. Place: Edisto Baptist Church; time: Saturday before the next fifth Sunday. Committee on services made its report. Sunday-school mass meeting at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning conducted by Rev. J. K. Hair. Missionary sermon 11 o'clock by Rev. S. P. Hair. The Union then adjourned.

Sunday morning Rev. J. K. Hair opened the Sunday-school mass meeting with an able address, after which Rev. S. P. Hair preached the missionary sermon. A collection was then taken up for State missions which amounted to \$6.13.

THOS. CLAYTON,
Clerk.

J. B. HUNTER,
Moderator.

Scrub yourself daily, you are not clean inside. Clean insides means clean stomach, bowels, blood, liver, clean, healthy tissue in every organ. Moral: Take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. H. F. Hoover.