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THIS IS OPPORTUNITY TIME IN THE SENTINEL'S PRIZE CONTEST

Now Is the Time to Get Busy, As No Better Offer Will Follow--Everybody Guessing As To Who Will Win the Player Piano.

We told you last week that never again during the contest would you be able to secure as many votes on a single subscription. When we told you that, WE MEANT EXACTLY WHAT WE SAID. We are now making another offer, but it is not quite as good as the Booster Period offer. WE PROPOSE TO KEEP OUR WORD.

This is the Grand Opportunity Time, which begins February 12 and ends Saturday, February 28.

The scale of votes that will prevail during OPPORTUNITY TIME, beginning Feb. 12 and ending Saturday, Feb. 28, is as follows:

1 years subscription,	4,000	votes
2 " "	10,000	"
3 " "	16,000	"
4 " "	22,500	"
5 " "	27,000	"

See this week's advertisement for the schedule of extra votes.

If there is anything in this offer you do not understand, call up the Contest Department and the manager will be glad to explain. Call on all of your friends, tell them that you want to win the handsome player piano or one of the other valuable prizes offered. They will help you not only with their subscriptions, but will interest their friends in your welfare, and when this contest has come to an end and you have been fortunate in winning one of the prizes, you can heartily thank your friends for their assistance. Now is the time for you to decide whether you are going to win or not. Remember, this offer includes subscriptions old and new or arrearages.

This generous offer is made to put enthusiasm into the player piano prize contest and will include all subscriptions coming in till Feb. 28. This is absolutely the largest regular scale vote offer that will be given at any time during the contest.

If you have not yet entered your name you should send it at once on a post card or telephone the Contest Department and a representative will call and explain fully any details that are not clearly understood.

Today is the beginning of "Opportunity Time," and every candidate anxious to win a prize should do his or her best before Feb. 28 to secure a number of the Vote Ballots.

Those who are a little behind in the race can easily acquire first place during this time if a little extra effort is put forth. Read the conditions of this offer and try to get every available subscription. You will be surprised to see how rapidly your vote total will roll up into the thousands.

Friends Should Help Now

Many of your friends say, "I will help you the last week of the contest." You need their help now, when it counts most. There will be absolutely no offer of any kind better during this contest than this one.

Now is the time that you should try the hardest to get long subscriptions. You should go to all your friends and relatives and show them just what a five year's subscription will do for you during this offer.

Do not stop with one subscription, but keep on—there is no limit to the number you can secure, and the more you get the larger advantage it will give you.

Heartily Endorsed

The contest is heartily endorsed on all sides. The prizes are so valuable and desirable that they meet the warm approval of the public.

No Apology Necessary

No apology is necessary when you ask for a subscription to The Sentinel. You know full value will be received. You will not have to explain this to the old subscribers; they know what the paper is worth, but you are also interested in getting new subscribers for their votes. Point out to them the excellent news service of this paper, its methods of handling matters of importance all over the county; its thoroughness in presenting the local situation. If they once get the habit of reading The Sentinel they will not give it up.

Attention!

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How They Stand

Below will be found a list of the contestants and their standing, according to the votes counted up to Saturday night, February 7:

Liberty

Miss Nelle Robinson	235,250
" Kate Black.....	220,000
" Annie Belle Brown..	91,000
" Essie Clayton, R 3..	190,000
" Leta Holtzendorf...	121,000
" Ella McClanahan...	91,000

County and State

Mis LeilaJones, Marietta	76,000
" BertaJones, SixMile	76,000
" Lillian Ramsay, of Clemson College..	215,000
James Murphree, Murphy, S. C.....	61,000

Pickens

Mrs. R. R. Stevenson ...	61,000
Miss Nina Porter, R 3...	100,550
Homer Edens.....	220,550
Miss Bernice Carey.....	100,200
Mrs. Bert Jones.....	100,000
Miss Grace Hutchings ..	91,000
Miss Emily Bright.....	61,000
Mrs. Ben Hendricks.....	225,000
Miss Essie Kelley	76,000
Robert Welborn.....	225,300
Mrs. Jesse Morris	236 2 0
Miss Monetta Stewart...	91,100
" Sadie Nealey	152,150
" Nannie Porter.....	76,000
" Jennie May Julian, Route 1.....	110,000
" Etta Mae Merck, R2	210,000
Raymond Cox	211,150
John Smith.....	31,100

Easley

Miss Jennie Storey.....	101,006
" Mabel Henderson...	210,000
" Lila Ballew.....	121,000
" Agnes Golightly.....	91,000
" Inez Smith	135,000
" Ora Miller, R 6	130,100
" Pearl Findley, R 6...	161,000
" Maude Bagwell.....	106,000
" Nora Smith.....	110,000
" Mabel Duckworth ..	91,000
Mrs. Louie Ballentine...	91,000

Central

S. C. Kelley	115,050

Valentine Party at Lenhardt School

Easley, S. C.—Our teacher, Miss Bessie Jones, will give a Valentine party next Friday evening, Feb. 13, at 7 o'clock, at the Lenhardt school house. Refreshments will be sold during the evening, and the proceeds will be used to purchase more books for the school library. The Cross Roads string band will furnish music during the evening. Everybody is cordially invited to attend and spend a pleasant evening. C.

Township Singing Convention Program

Program for the Pickens Township Inter-denominational singing Convention to meet with Secona Baptist church Sunday February 15th, 1914, at two o'clock p. m.

1st. Devotional exercise by Capt. Taylor for 15 minutes.

2nd. Song service for one hour and a half by the leaders present.

3d. Quartet singing by selected singers.

4th. Two five minute talks on the need of music in our churches.

5th. Class singing for thirty minutes.

All lovers of music come from this and adjoining townships, especially the leaders. Invitations are in order for the next convention.

Each member of the executive committee should be present. T. H. STEWART,
For Com.

Entertainment Next Wednesday Night

Next Wednesday night the Four Bostonians will appear at the Pickens school auditorium This is said to be one of the best lyceum numbers on the road, and will be attended by a large audience. It has cost a good deal of money to get this company to come here, and as it has been some time since an entertainment of this class has been in Pickens, a record breaking crowd is expected to see them. Arrangements have been made to take care of a large audience.

Local Happenings In and Around Easley

Dr. Junkin, a missionary from China, was in Easley last Sunday and occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church morning and night. The congregation was large and the addresses were both interesting and helpful.

Mr. B. F. Mulligan, who left South Carolina thirty-eight years ago and has since resided in Louisiana, has returned to his native state and purchased the home of Mr. George W. Kelley, near the Baptist church. We are glad to welcome Mr. Mulligan to our city.

Miss Sallie Watkins, of Greenville, spent the week end with Mrs. H. E. Russell.

Mr. Lowell Kelley, of Greenville, spent Monday with relatives here.

Talk about dull times! You'd never think it if you were to see the crowds at the Battery.

Mrs. Bomar, of Greenville, was the guest of Mrs. H. E. Russell last week.

Miss Alice Garvin, of Clinton, was the week end guest of her sister, Miss Frances Garvin, one of the high school teachers.

Dr. W. A. Tripp, of near Easley, went to Columbia on business last week Dr. Tripp is a member of the State Board of Health and also a trustee of the state medical college.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Spearman, of Mt. Pisgah section, visited relatives and friends last Monday.

Miss Paulette Going, of G. F. C., spent the week end with her cousin, Mrs. W. M. Hagood, Jr.

Miss Beryl Martin, who is teaching at Greer, spent the week end recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.T. Martin. She was accompanied by her friend, Miss Nellie Boyd.

Miss Ruth Watkins, of Anderson, visited her cousins, Misses Velma and Gladys Smith, recently.

Misses Ella Hiott and Ethel Wyatt spent the week end with Miss Lake Ballentine, near Easley.

Miss Gladys Smith has entered Columbia University, of New York, to take a special course in domestic science.

Miss Frances Robinson, who has been visiting in Abbeville for some time, returned to her home last week.

Miss Lyde Folger, after spending several weeks with her brother, Mr. A. T. Folger, of Ottawa, Canada, has returned to her home in Easley.

Mr. Will Folger, of Washington. D. C., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Folger, last week.

The friends of Mrs. J. R. Glazener will be sorry to know that she is quite ill.

We are also sorry to hear that Mr. Jim Laboon, who has been seriously ill for some time, is no better.

Mr. George Owens, a Confederate veteran, died at his home in Easley last Saturday in the 73d year of his life. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. D. Holler at Fairview Methodist church on Sunday. Mr. Owens is survived by one son, Mr Bennett Owens, of Easley.

Painter Stole Gun; Will Work for County

Edd Goldman, a painter by trade, and a citizen of African descent and a midnight complexion, was arrested here Saturday night, charged with petty larceny and carrying concealed weapons. Before Magistrate Porter Monday morning he plead guilty, and between the county and town of Pickens he will sojourn five months with the chain gang, and what painting he does this spring will be done under the direction of Capt. Ragsdale. While painting at the Pickens Inn last week Goldman took a pistol from Mr. R. E Bruce's room. A little detective work by local sleuths entoiled the painter in the hands of the law. About four years ago Goldman broke into the express office here, and served a term in the reformatory for that offense.

How Is Your Boiler?

It has been stated that a man's stomach is his boiler, his body is his engine and his mouth the fire box. Is your boiler (stomach) in good working order or is it so weak that it will not stand a full load and not able to supply the needed energy to your engine (body)? If you have any trouble with your stomach Chamberlain's Tablets will do you good. They strengthen and invigorate the stomach and enable it to do its work naturally. Many very remarkable cures of stomach trouble have been effected by them. For sale by all dealers. Adv.

SOUTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY

GOV. BLEASE VETOES FIRST BILL —MAY CHANGE NAME OF CLEMSON.

DISPATCHES FROM COLUMBIA

Doings and Happenings That Mark the Progress of South Carolina People, Gathered Around the State Capitol.

Columbia.

Governor Blease sent his first veto to the State Senate. No action was taken on the matter, the message being printed in the journal and lying over for consideration. The act vetoed, while a local measure, is of general interest because of the reasons given by Governor Blease for his disapproval of the act and by reason of the interests affected by the whole matter. The act was entitled, "An Act to Permit the City of Columbia to Buy a Tract or Tracts of Land Situate near the City for the Purpose of Establishing a Public Park."

"I think it should be more properly speaking," said Governor Blease, "entitled, 'An Act to Enrich the Columbia Electric Railway Company's Owners and to Increase the Value of Certain Property Through Which This Railway Will Extend Its Lines in Going to This Proposed Park and Passing Around Through and Going Back Over Other Lands Owned by Certain Parties."

Governor Blease states that the tract of land which it is proposed to purchase for the park under the act is not worth anything like the money that they are speaking of paying for it, and furthermore, "if the park is established there, is will be so far out of the city that the poor people of the city will never be able to enjoy it."

"For instance, a man who has a wife and four or five children, it will cost him 50 or 75 cents to get out there and back in order to spend an hour or so of pleasure. A poor man cannot afford this."

"One third more timber is being taken from the forests of South Carolina than is being produced. And this does not take into consideration the large amount of materials used for domestic purposes, such as firewood and fence rails. With this drain continued, it is of course inevitable that the forest wealth of the state will eventually become exhausted."

This statement was made before members of the forestry committees of the legislature by J. G. Peters, chief of State co-operation, United States bureau of forestry.

After reviewing the work at State Park, the state hospital commission, in its annual report prepared for the general assembly, concludes with the statement that "$125,000 could be economically expended during the year."

The commission last year expended $69,212.80 for work at State Park, according to the report.

House.

By a vote of 52 to 52, the house refused to pass the bill providing for the sale of the State Hospital for the Insane and the transfer of the institution to State Park with the proceeds of the sale. The bill was introduced last session and continued until this session. It was opposed on several grounds, one of which was that the measure gave the commission appointed to sell the property too much power.

Except for the fact that on the question of passing the bill to third reading two members of the house inadvertently voted not to do so and under the rules were not allowed to change their votes, the measure might have gone through. However, the house refused by a vote of 54 to 44 to reconsider the vote on which the bill was killed.

The committee on ways and means of the house and the finance committee of the senate were instructed, under a concurrent resolution passed by the house, to inquire into the advisability of changing the name of Clemson college to Calhoun university and of inviting John C. Calhoun of New York, a grandson of the Great Nullifier, to appear before them. Mr. Calhoun is now in Columbia. The house extended to him the privilege of its floor.

When the 2-cent passenger rate bill came up for third reading in the house, Mr. Sanders of York moved to recommit it when objection was raised to his amendment exempting railroads less than 40 miles in length from its provisions. The house, however, killed the motion to recommit and sent the bill to the senate by a vote of 80 to 16.

Mr. Lumpkin and Mr. Youmans of Richland urged the house to pass the senate concurrent resolution asking the president of the United States to reappoint Gibbes Lykes of Richland county a second lieutenant of cavalry in the United States army. Mr. Epps and Mr. Belser of Sumter opposed the passage of the resolution. The resolution was passed after Mr. Epps' motion to table it had been killed.

The house agreed that no new bills would be introduced except by standing committees. This is always regarded as being the first step toward adjournment.

Senate.

Senator Carlisle's bill providing that newspapers shall not charge more for legal advertisements than for ordinary commercial advertisements passed a second reading in the senate with notice of general amendments. Senator Carlisle said that he would be glad to amend the bill to make it equitable.

Senator Appelt, publisher of a weekly newspaper, said that he thought the rate for legal advertisements should be 25 cents an inch. Senator Crouch pointed out that the rates for commercial advertisements would vary according to the paper and he thought that the measure should be amended to make it equitable. The bill, he said, was a good one.

Probably the best speech made on the floor of the senate this session was made by Senator Weston of Richland, speaking in favor of the McLaurin warehouse bill that passed the legislature two years ago and was declared unconstitutional on technical points which have, it is said, been eliminated from the present measure. Senator Strait of Lancaster made what is perhaps the second best speech of the session, also in favor of the bill. Both speeches were notable for their viewpoint rather than for anything else.

Senator Earle's bill to divide the 10th judicial circuit into two circuits, to be known as the 10th and 13th, passed second reading in the senate, after a long debate, mostly in its favor. Under the bill the 10th circuit will comprise the counties of Anderson and Oconee and the 13th the counties of Greenville and Pickens.

The senate pased and ordered sent back to the house amended the Boyd bill relating to coroner's jurors. An amendment proposed by Senator Crouch was adopted that provides for a jury of six men, instead of 12 to 14. It provides also that the jurors shall receive a per diem recompense of 50 cents, as allowed jurors in circuit courts, to be paid upon the approval of the coroner or magistrate holding the inquest. Counties exempted from the bill as amended are Berkeley, Fairfield, Dorchester, Saluda, Clarendon, Darlington, Horry, Abbeville, Greenwood, Jasper, Anderson, Hampton, Oconee and Kershaw.

The senate adopted the Appelt resolution to request the ways and means committee to itemize the general appriation bill.

The Welch bill providing for the division of the city of Columbia into eight wards and 13 voting precincts passed the senate and was ordered enrolled for ratification. The bill was introduced at the request of city council.

The railroad committee of the senate reported without recommendation the bill to require the erection of union stations at Spartanburg and Sumter. Senator Appelt said that the committee had not been able to make head or tail of the measure.

The Youmans bill to regulate the introduction of dying declaration in evidence was killed in the senate by a vote of 30 to 5.

The Sinkler bill amending the charter of the North and South Carolina Railway Company authorizing it to merge with the Charleston Northern railway pased the senate and was ordered sent to the house.

Members Visit State Park.

About 75 of the members of the general assembly went on the inspection trip to State Park recently, leaving Columbia at 3:30 on a special train and returning at 6 o'clock.

The first stop of the special train was made about three miles above State Park station, where the legislators were shown the source of the water supply for the property. Then the train ran back down to State Park station, where the legislators were met by a half dozen wagons, in which they rode over the State Park.

Create Office Building Board.

The governor, the chief justice of the supreme court and the board of law examiners were constituted a commission under a resolution, passed by the house to consider a suitable location for a supreme court building or an office building for state officials.

Under the resolution the commission is empowered to employ an architect and have plans drawn at a cost of not more than $300. The commission is requested to report to the next session of general assembly,

Should Raise More Feed.

Speakers addressing the annual meeting of the South Carolina Live Stock Association in city council chamber recently told the 50 members of the organization in attendance that more feed must be produced on the farms if the price of milk is to be reduced. Several experts from the United States department of agricultural are in Columbia and will deliver addresses.

"You must raise more feed to get better catle," said James L. McIntosh of Dovesville.

Gold in Cherokee County.

R. A. Parker, who has been prospecting for gold on lands belonging to the Gaffney City Improvement Company, Cherokee county, recently received $64 as his share of the gold found within the last few weeks. Mr. Parker showed a nugget which he found a few days ago which weighed 33 pennyweights. Some weeks ago he found a nugget which weighed 52 pennyweights. If Mr. Parker continues to do as well as he has done in the past his prospecting will yield more than a good farm.

Pleasing News of Pleasant Grove

Today, Feb. 6, resembles the Indian's sign for rain—thick, cloudy and pouring down.

Nessent Bishop, who was married some few days ago to Miss Florence Masters, has moved on A. T. Fortner's farm near here. We are glad to welcome them into our community.

James Burnes, of North Carolina, is now putting the finishing touches on J. P. Andre's dwelling he built last fall.

W. J. Fortner's little son, Clyde, of Whitmire, is on a visit to relatives and friends in this section.

The rally that was held at the Grove school last week was enjoyed by all those present. The men who represented the rally gave the farmers good advice on many points that will be a great help to the farmers in this section. Now, if we will go to work and try, we can make this part of Pickens county the garden spot. We have as good farm land as can be found in the county anywhere. We have already raised as much as 1,100 pounds of seed cotton on one-fourth of an acre and 100 bushels of oats on one acre and from 40 to 60 bushels of corn. The climate in this section is unsurpassed anywhere in the county. We have good water the whole year through and a cool breeze always stirring from the Blue Ridge mountains that front this section. Now, all we lack is for everybody to pull in the right direction. Then it will not be very long until we will reap the reward of our labors

Last Wenesday evening about 6 o'clock the surrounding community of neighbors and friends began to gather in at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rigdon, and after picking about 200 pounds of quiddle-cracked cotton the young folks enjoyed themselves about an hour in delightful plays. About 11 o'clock the crowd began to leave for their respective homes. Everybody seemed to enjoy themselves to the fullest extent, and you bet your writer did also.

A FARMER.

Death of M. E. Smith.

Maddison Earle Smith died at his home in Anderson county, near Pickens Chapel, Friday night, the 6th inst, in the sixty-second year of his life. He had lived in the country all his life and had established a name for honor and uprightness among his fellow men. When young he gave his heart to God and his hand to the Methodist church in whose communion he lived and labored until God called him home.

Many years ago Mr Smith was married to Miss Mollie Young of near Easley. She and one grown daughter, Miss Lillian, preceded him to the grave about five years ago. Three sons survive him—Clark, of Oconee county; Hovey and Coke, of Anderson county.

His funeral services were held by his pastor, Rev. D. D. Jones, assisted by Rev. D. W. Hiott. A note was found in Mr. Smith's pocket, which read as follows:

"What can I do? I expect to pass thru this life but once. If therefore, there be any kindness I can show or any good thing I can do to my fellow human being, let me do it now: let me not defer or neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again."

Mr. Hiott read this note and spoke of Mr. Smith as his intimate friend for more than thirty years. He spoke of him as a man who loved his fellow man; a man who tried to live in readiness to meet his God, and tried to get others to prepare for death and the Judgment. Mr. Smith leaves to his children a good property, but better still, he leaves them the blessed legacy of an untarnished Christian name. H

The deceased was an uncle of M. C. Smith of Pickens.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gantt,

After a short illness, Mrs. Elizabeth Gantt died at the home of her neice, Mrs. Earle Gilstrap, February 6, at the age of 66 years. She was buried the following day at Tabor church, of which she was a member. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. L. E. Wiggins.

Besides a host of friends and relatives she leaves one daughter and two sisters to mourn her death.

Means Great Good For Our Farmers

The agricultural extension bill was passed by the senate late Saturday afternoon without the formality of a roll call. The main fight centered on the Jones amendment providing that the funds supplied by the government in those states where there are colored schools and colleges teaching agriculture should be divided between the white and colored schools.

This amendment was rejected by a vote of 33 to 23. With this disposed of, an amendment by Senator Shafroth that the disposition of the funds should be left to the governor and secretary of agriculture of each state was agreed to.

The agricultural extension bill is intended to carry agricultural education to the farmers who are not able to go where that kind of information is taugh. It provides for an initial donation by the government of $490,000, or $10,000 for each state and Hawaii.

After the first year the federal government appropriates not to exceed $600,000 and an additional $600,000 with each succeeding year for a period of eight years. This money is to be appropriated on the half and half plan, the federal government only supplying an amount equal to that supplied by the states themselves for the same purpose. At the end of eight years the appropriation becomes a permanent annual appropriation of $4,800,000. These funds are to be distributed among the states on the basis of rural population in each state.

This is one of the best bills ever passed by congress, and was framed and introduced by Congressman Lever of the Seventh district of South Carolina

Death of Mrs. Maddox.

Mrs. Maddox, wife of George W. Maddox, died at her home near Norris, on the 5th day of February. She died suddenly while in the home alone. She was sixty-six years old. Her maiden name was Massey. She leaves an aged husband and three sons, Henry and William, of Norris, and John, of Georgia, also two brothers, John, of Liberty, and Robert, of Mt. Pisgah section. Her funeral services were held by Rev. D. W. Hiott at Mt. Zion Methodist church at Central. Mrs. Maddox joined Friendship Baptist church in Anderson county when quite young and has lived a devoted Christian life. One of her neighbors told her pastor that he had known Mrs. Maddox for thirty-five years and he did not think anyone could say aught against her.

"Mother, Mother, thou has left us.
Thou hast crossed the swelling tide,
Thou art resting now with Jesus;
Thou art safe on the other side.

Soon, oh soon, we'll go to meet thee,
Meet thee on the other shore.
Where there'll be no more sorrow
And sad partings come no more."

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Local Happenings of Cedar Rock Section

Mrs. Em McKinney, of Eastatoe, and Mrs. J. Tom McKinney, of Easley, were the guests of Mr. Joel H. Miller and family recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jones spent the day pleasantly at Mr. Z. Jones' Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Freeman, of Pickens, were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Porter, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hester were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Jones Sunday.

Miss Lee Singleton was the guest of Miss Ada H. Miller last Sunday.

Mr. P. D. Dacus, of Sugar Valley, Ga., and son, Mr. J. B. Dacus, were attendants at Cedar Rock church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Dean Singleton, of the Enon section, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Singleton Sunday.

Mr. Thomas N. Hayes has just returned from a trip to Seneca and Calhoun, where he has been visiting relatives.

Rev. Singlefoot preached an excellent sermon at Cedar Rock church Sunday. He is an able preacher and has made many friends during his visits to Cedar Rock. REXIE.

High Falls Church Blown Down

R. L. Boggs, of the county has informed us that the new church being erected at High Falls was blown down in the gale of Friday a week ago. The structure had been advanced to the stage where weatherboarding was being put up. The incomplete work was blown from its foundations, the rafters and framing being so badly out of shape that the whole will have to be taken down and rebuilt.—Keowee Courier

Grand and Petit Jurors for Next Court

Grand Jurors—T. R. O'Dell, J. P. Robinson, J. D. Simmons, W. E. Hill, E. B Richardson, G. L. McWhorter, D. A. Collins, M. F. Hester, John M. Williams, E. M. Bolding, Jas. K. Lathem, C. W. Boggs, J. W. Mauldin, J. C. Garrett, J. Ed. Robinson, W. E. Edens, Jr., B. F. Murphree, T. L. Bivens.

Petit Jurors—J. E. Durham, R. T. Lesley, P. T. Nelson, Leigh Hunt, W. F. Ariail, C. E. Dalton, Junius C. Smith, Norman L Hamilton, Waddie T. Stewart, S. P. Freeman, L. L. Hendricks, R. S. Porter, J. A. S. Winchester, J. T. Chastain, C. H. Carpenter, J. B. Chastain, Jas. H. Hughes, H. C. Shirley, L. P. Stephens, A. D. Chapman, Joel H. Miller, Geo. W. Holcombe, W. E. Thomas, S. R Kelley, J. L. Stansell, J. O. Hughey, W. Looper, L. F. Moore, J. Dickinson, W. A Dobson, Hendricks, G. W. C[illegible] Findley, R. F. W[illegible] Thornley, E. V. Ch[illegible]

Dies Suddenly

When Mr. Rex Hendricks, who resides at the Easley cotton mill village, awoke early Monday morning, Feb. 2, he was surprised and shocked to find his wife dead by his side. She had passed away some time during the night, possibly without a struggle. A four-weeks-old infant also lay by her side, and it was the child's crying that aroused its father. Coroner Medlin was notified of the death and came down from Pickens early Monday morning, but after hearing Dr. H. E. Russell's statement that her death was due to natural causes, he did not think it necessary to hold an inquest. The deceased is survived by her husband and several small children. She was about 32 years of age.—Easley Progress.

Claude Wyatt May Be Champion

Monday's Columbia State contains the following item:

"South Carolina, in the person of C. P. Wyatt, apprentice, of Easley, will possess the champion rifle shot of the United States Navy for 1914, provided Wyatt's record, made in the recent fleet match at Gautanamo Bay, Cuba, remains unbeaten until June 25.

"Letters received in Columbia yesterday give the scores as follows: The Utah won the match, with a total of 5,223 points. The Florida was second, with 4,614 points. Third place was earned by the Deleware, whose score was 4,260. The three highest individual records were: First, C. P. Wyatt, H. App., Utah, 458 points; second, S. E. Russell, seaman, Utah, 449 points; third, Cox Ausburn, Florida, 414 points. Russell is from Richmond and Ausburn from Atlanta.

"Wyatt," says a letter received in Columbia, "was made an 'expert rifleman' in 1913, the first time he fired on a navy range."

A Delightful Dinner.

When T. D. Harris went home to dinner at the Hiawatha Hotel Tuesday noon he was greeted at the door of that popular hostelry by his wife and children and a merry party of guests who had assembled in honor of the fifty-seventh anniversary of his birth. The laughing group of relatives and friends at once escorted the surprised merchant and boniface to the dining room, where another surprise awaited him in an elaborately and beautifully decorated dinner table on which reposed delectable viands from toothsome turkey to delicious desserts.

A pyramid of ferns in the center of the banquet board held fifty-seven multicolored miniature candles, one for each year of Mr. Harris' life. The room was darkened and the flickering flames of the tapers cast a roseate glow over the lovely scene.

Special guests of the enjoyable occasion were Rev. and Mrs. L. E. Wiggins and Miss Elinor Knight. Members of the family present were Mrs. T. D. Harris, Miss Gertrude Harris, Miss Kathleen Harris, Misses Lucile and Ruth Harris, Mr. John L. Harris, Mr. T. D. Harris, Jr., and Masters James and Charles Wesley Harris. The absence of Mr. William H. Harris, eldest son, who is chief clerk in Bradstreet's Agency in Atlanta, was regretted by all who had the pleasure of being present at this delightful natal dinner. As for Mr. Harris, he was so surprised as to nearly forget asking Mr. Wiggins to say grace.

$15.00 IN GOLD FREE TO CONTESTANTS

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