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THAT "LONG SAD WAIL."

In a card published in the Herald, Mr. W. L. Gray criticises an article which appeared in the columns of our contemporary, the Herald, and takes occasion to say, "To add insult to injury already done, THE LAURENS ADVERTISER comes forth with a long sad wail under the headlines of 'A Serious Matter' and chants the funeral dirge of our factory enterprise."

One thing is evident, viz: Mr. W. L. Gray did not read the article in question in THE ADVERTISER.

It is said that Mr. W. L. Gray is the moving spirit in the factory enterprise, if that be so, and if he moves in that enterprise with no greater caution and forethought than he has exercised before stamping our article "the funeral dirge of our factory enterprise," it is quite probable that such a chant will be appropriate ere long. We defy any man to show wherein our article was "adding insult to injury." We did say this:

Just think of it! In two weeks Sixty Thousand Dollars were subscribed to a factory at Laurens, and yet for want of a leading spirit who had the nerve and pluck to hold out, the enterprise failed to grow to completion! Let us all make a desperate effort—a long pull and a pull together—to build this factory, and then the grand possibilities before us will be realized.

This is the "long sad wail" the "funeral dirge of our factory enterprise" which we sung.

No, Mr. Gray, you will find after awhile that simple blowing will not build a factory. It is pleasant to look at the rapid progress we have made; we delight to contrast the Laurens of to day with the little town of even six years ago; the "modern mansions that have sprung upon every hill," too, are pleasing to the gaze; but, all these things, together with the delightful spectacle of seeing "our little town emerge from the dark days of Radicalism," will not build a cotton factory.

THE ADVERTISER can do but little towards accomplishing such a desirable result, as starting manufacturing enterprises. We have no money to invest in that way, but we submit the record to prove whether or not we have pulled for this enterprise. We have endeavored to call the attention of the people to the advantages of the enterprise, to the money that can be made, to the amount saved to the cotton growers, and numerous other arguments have we presented. This we will continue to do. But we make no vain and idle boasts. When enthusiasm in an enterprise dies out, we say so. It is neither the part of good policy nor honesty to make greater pretensions than the facts justify. If Laurens can get no boom other than that which a newspaper can give by puffing imaginary schemes, then we want no boom at all. Gas and bluster—the life and drum may inspire men in battle, but a factory is built on a little different plan. Buncombe may do in a political campaign, but even then we have known instances where a man has defeated his favorite candidate by indulging in such luxuries only moderately.

THE ADVERTISER makes no claim to great achievements while we do claim the right to work in the interest of our town, county and state as we see best.

From the daily papers we see that quite a number of projects are on foot to erect monuments in various Southern cities, which are to be dedicated to those who distinguished themselves in the "lost cause." This is as it should be. While it is true, we of the South have been forced to accept a new order of things, as regards industrial and domestic affairs, it is the imperative demand of the hour that we accept this change cheerfully and make the most of it. In these days of advancement, this age when the utilitarian spirit is rife in the land, the time may come when even the South will no longer look upon those who fought beneath the "stars and bars" as heroes, but traitors.

The deeds of valor written in the history of the confederacy, are such as have never been excelled and seldom equalled in any clime. It is eminently proper that to those who have offered their lives in defence of their convictions, whom we love and honor, we place granite piles and marble shafts, to show generations yet unborn that though their cause be lost, the heroes are honored and the spirit which animated those who fell, is to us a glorious heritage.

Was not dead, but sleeping—the cotton factory.

THE PUBLIC ROADS. Time and again has THE ADVERTISER condemned the passage of all local laws. This we believe to be the fruitful source of dissatisfaction and lawlessness, and a serious error into which legislation in this state has fallen. During the last session of the legislature Senator MURRAY proposed a new mode of working the public highways in Anderson County. While it is true THE ADVERTISER cannot endorse some of Senator MURRAY'S ideas, this change in the road law is we believe good, and if instead of applying to one county it had been made the law of the state, no intelligent thinking man could object to it. As it is however, much dissatisfaction exists in Anderson. Some sections of the county have gone so far as to declare that they will not heed the law, but will work the roads as heretofore. We cannot see by what system of reasoning those who were sent to make laws for the state, came to the conclusion that this law was good for Anderson and not good for the State.

That our public roads need attention is a fact which no one will controvert. While the Murray road law is a decided improvement on the old system, yet it might be improved upon. The great trouble with our road working is, that no man is responsible for it. In this issue will be found an article from THE NATION; in speaking of dirt-roads it says, "The reason they suffer for is that, as they have no standard of goodness in roads, and do not make specific requirements as to what shall be done to keep the roads in good order, it is never possible to bring trustees, or selectmen, or roadmasters to a proper account. They always escape if they can show they have put on the annual spring plaster; and when it is washed away, as it is sure to be a little later, they throw the blame on the freshets, and the simple citizen, not knowing what to say in answer to them, says 'nothing.'"

Now if we had only one County Commissioner whose duty it would be to see that the provisions of such a law as the Anderson Act were enforced and to whom the people might look for road improvements, in a few years we would have comparatively good roads without additional cost.

Our correspondent "Joe Prince" is one of the most clear headed and intelligent men in the county and certainly a piquant writer, but it seems that his zeal in the cause of prohibition has so overcome him this week that he is lead to adopt an altogether unfair mode of reasoning.

In the end, nothing can be gained by stirring to array any two classes against each other. To say that citizens outside of town should vote to stop the granting of licenses because they (in the county) are forbidden this privilege, is a flimsy argument to say the least. No advocate of license, whether he be in town or a thousand from a town, if he is engaged in managing laborers would want liquor sold indiscriminately throughout the county. That is out of the question, for the law provides that no liquor can possibly be sold in this state outside of the towns, and the fate of the Murray bill can in no wise affect that law. If simply withholding license would stop the sale of liquor, then would we all vote for prohibition, but the experience of this town and all others of this size, shows that it is a failure. At a recent gathering of editors in this state, the writer made in query and found that while many of them were prohibitionists, not one would say that "no license" had accomplished anything in their town. It was freely admitted that liquor was bought and sold in every place mentioned. This has been the case with us, and what assurance have us that it will be better? We would be glad for some one to undertake the task of showing wherein the "Murray law" is likely to do more than the other prohibition farce enacted here some time back.

When a farmer is asked the condition of his crop at any time, the answer he will give is very uncertain. It depends upon the temperament of the farmer himself, the state his feelings at the time, and a thousand other things will enter in to make the crop better or worse as the case may be. Elsewhere, we print a full report of the condition of the crops as reported by 276 special agents to the Department of Agriculture. These reports covering the entire state, by special correspondents, may be taken as giving the true condition of things. We see that the general average of upper Carolina is highest. One of the most encouraging items in this report is that the amount of commercial fertilizers used, has decreased and that 32 per cent purchased was used in composting.

It seems that the South Carolina Press Association is quite generous in bestowing military titles upon its members. The editor of THE ADVERTISER is down in the News & Courier as "Colonel." This individual however, has no claim to such distinction and prefers to hold on to the now almost obsolete title, Mr., until another is conferred by higher authority than a Press Association.

The address of Mr Jones on our first page strikes at the root of a subject which is of vital importance as affecting the development of the state. It is well worth a careful reading.

The Abbeville Press & Banner is a good newspaper, but most of its editorial space is wasted in gratuitous advice to the "brethren" of the press.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER. (By Our Regular Correspondent.) Washington, June 10th 1887. For the last two weeks, this beautiful city has had the unusual visitation of a heavy rain, almost daily an experience that is becoming extremely monotonous, not to say annoying. In political circles, especially among Democrats, the questions most discussed are the tariff, the surplus in the National Treasury, and the probal extra session of Congress in October next, to consider these momentous issues of such grave import both to the welfare of the country and the success of the Democracy. Mr Randall and the protection Democrats generally, oppose an extra session, and it is thought the President rather inclines to the same opinion, while Mr Carlisle and his adherents are understood to favor an extra session. But, while there is great diversity of sentiment upon these subjects all agree upon one proposition—that something must be done by Congress to relieve the people of the United States from evils resulting from our present system of internal taxation and a faulty fiscal policy inherited from the Republicans, both of which appear to combine to produce industrial depression and increase of the surplus. Public Printer Benedict is still weeding out a large number of his employees, and it would seem dismissal from the public service is the order of the day, as ten clerks in the office of the second Controller of the Treasury have been notified that their official services will not be required after July 1st and about the same number will be dropped off the Patent Office rolls about that time; there are no charges against these unfortunates—they will be simply legislated out of office. And so between the fear of dismissal and the new nightmare of civil service reform for the ins, as well as the outs, many of the poor clerks are broken of their rest and have a pale, haggard, hunted look. So successful was the late National Drill from a military standpoint—wholly the result of individual effort—that General Sheridan, as commander of the United States Army, will, in his annual report to the Secretary of War, recommend that Congress made provision for an annual drill and encampment, to be held under the auspices of the Army in Washington, in order that the irrepressible American military spirit may be gratified and disciplined. The flags on all the public buildings in the National Capital were placed at halfmast, by order of the President, on the day of the funeral of Wm. A. Wheeler, the man who, by the favor of fraud, filled the first term of Vice-President Thomas A. Hendrick; Mr Wheeler, after retiring from office, lapsed into such utter obscurity, becoming, too, both a mental and a physical wreck in recent years,—that he had been almost forgotten by the public. I will do the dead man the poor justice to say that he was far better than his accomplice, R. B. Hayes, who, as a common chicken farmer, survives to bear the shame of the great outrage on liberty of the century. It is whispered from the White House that an event of a most interesting nature,—one that will be memorable in history and in the home—life of the President and his youthful wife, is likely to occur. In that grand mansion in the melancholy days of November. John Sherman has formed a combination with Levi P. Morton, the millionaire statesman(?) of New York, by which it is proposed to wrest the Empire State from Blaine's support and make the Republican ticket Sherman and Morton. The latter's chief motive in the deal is to revenge himself upon the Blaines for defeating him for United States Senator last winter. The strife in York between the Blaine and Sherman forces in waxing so warm that it may ultimately revive all the latent bitterness of the quarrel of the Stalwart and Half-Breed factions, which led to resignation of Conkling and McTee Patt, the disruption of the Republican party of that state, and the assassination of Garfield. One morning Mr Oliver, Justice of the Peace for the District of Columbia, somewhat like Lord Byron, woke to find himself famous. This doughty "Squire" had been notified of his removal from the office he holds, by the Presidents' but Squire Oliver denies the Executive's right to remove him, holding that such power is vested only in the Court in General Tom,—and refusing to budge an inch, he appeals to that tribunal for protection.

The Fourteenth Annual Convention of the Maryland State Temperance Alliance was held in Baltimore, April 29 and 30. Every county save one was represented, there being nearly seven hundred delegates.

State of South Carolina. COUNTY OF LAURENS. Court of Probate. Silas S. Knight, Plaintiff, against Robert Knight, Thomas Knight, Benjamin F. Landford, Gilliam Landford, Wistar Knight, Volney Scott Knight in his individual right and as executor of Silas Knight, deceased, Fannie E. Knight, Rebecca P. Thomas, Robert G. Thomas, James N. Thomas, John W. Thomas, Mary E. Lester nee Thomas, Nancy A. Thomas, Estelle Thomas, William A. Thomas, Wistar Douglas, Gilliam Douglas, Frederick Douglas, Scott Douglas, Elfred L. Knight, Samuel S. Knight, John W. Knight, Walter P. Knight, Nancy Jones, John M. Holcombe in his own right and as executor of Silas Knight, deceased, and Sarah Knight, Sarah S. Reynolds nee Thomas, Silas Douglas. Defendants.

SUMMONS. To the defendants above named; You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the Judge of Probate, for the said County, and to serve a copy of the same upon the said complainant on or before the 22nd day of April, 1887. Date, 22nd day of April, 1887. (Seal.) A. W. BURNSIDE, J. P. L. C. FERGUSON & FEATHERSTONE, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

To the Defendants above named; You will take notice that the summons and complaint in this action were filed in the office of the Judge of Probate for Laurens County South Carolina, on the 22nd day of April, 1887. FERGUSON & FEATHERSTONE, Plaintiff's attorneys. May 25, 1887.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. COUNTY OF LAURENS. Court of Common Pleas. Joshua S. Craig, assignee, Plaintiff, against M. Emmet Workman, Caroline Workman, Thomas M. Workman, Sherard Workman, Albert Workman, Elizabeth Workman nee Lizzie Cunningham nee Lizzie Workman, Nannie Workman, Margaret Ann Workman, and John J. Platts and John W. Ferguson under the firm name of Platts & Ferguson. Defendants. To the defendant Martha Harris nee Workman; You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the clerk of the court of common Pleas, for the said county, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at the office of the Laurens C. H. S. C. within twenty days after the date of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint on the day of such service, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint. Dated May 19th, 1887. (Seal.) G. W. HELL, C. C. P. FERGUSON & FEATHERSTONE, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

To the defendant Martha Harris nee Workman; You will please take notice, that the complaint in this action, filed in the office of the clerk of court for Laurens county on the 16th day of May 1887. FERGUSON & FEATHERSTONE, Plaintiff's Attorneys. 5-18-87-nt

State of South Carolina. COUNTY OF LAURENS. COURT OF COMMON PLEAS. W. H. Gilkerson, assignee, Plaintiff, against Martha K. Holt, William L. Wood, Defendant. To the defendant Martha K. Holt; You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, for the said County, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at the office of the Laurens C. H. S. C. within twenty days after the date of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint. Dated May 26th, A. D. 1887. FERGUSON & FEATHERSTONE, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

To the defendant Martha K. Holt; You will please take notice that the complaint and summons in the above stated case were filed in the office of the Clerk of Common Pleas for Laurens County, South Carolina, on the 31st day of April 1887. FERGUSON & FEATHERSTONE, Plaintiff's Attorneys. May 25, nt

State of South Carolina. LAURENS COUNTY. IN PROBATE COURT. Whereas, G. W. Shell, C. C. P. has applied to me for Letters of Administration on the Estate of James Taylor, deceased. These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of said deceased, to be and appear before me at a Court of Probate, to be held at my office at Laurens C. H., on the 27th day of June, 1887, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to show cause, if any they can, why letters should not be granted. Given under my hand and seal this, the 21th day of May, 1887. A. W. BURNSIDE, J. P. L. C. 6-20-87,—nt.

Ice! Ice!! BY THE CAR-LOAD. All orders will have prompt attention. Call for our Ice Cold and Refreshing Soda Water and all other drinks served at a First-Class Soda Fountain. Kennedy Bros. Laurens - - S. C. ap201f

Notice! The Fishdam bridge across Reedy River, will be let to the lowest bidder for repairs on the 10th of June at 11 o'clock, A. M., with the right to reject any bids. JAMES DOWNNEY, County Commissioner L. C. May 25, 1887.

SOUTH CAROLINA. Railway Company. Commencing Sunday, May 9th 1887, at 6:45 A. M., Passenger trains will run as follows: "Eastern Time." TO AND FROM CHARLESTON, EAST (daily) Depart Columbia at 6:30 a m 7:42 p m Due Charleston at 11:25 a m 9:00 p m West (daily except Sunday.) Depart Charleston 7:20 a m 5:10 p m Due Columbia 10:35 a m 10:50 p m TO AND FROM CAMDEN. East (daily except Sunday.) Dp Columbia 6:30 a m 5:05 p m Dp Camden 7:45 a m 7:45 a m 3:15 p m Dp Columbia 10:25 a m 10:35 a m 10:00 p m TO AND FROM AUGUSTA AND CHARLESTON. East (daily.) Dp Augusta 6:05 a m 4:40 p m 10:35 p m Due Charleston 11:00 am 9:30 pm 6:25 am West (daily.) Dp Charleston 6:35 am 5:10 pm 10:30 pm Due Augusta 11:30 a m 10:25 p m 7:30 a m Connections made at Columbia with Columbia & Greenville Railroad with train arriving at 10:40 a m and departing at 5:27 p m. At Columbia Junction with Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta Railroad for same train to and from all points on both lines. Passengers take supper at Branchville. At Charleston with steamer for New York; and with steamer for Jacksonville and points on the St. Johns river. Tuesdays and Saturdays; with Charleston & Savannah railroad to and from Savannah and points in Florida daily. At Augusta with Georgia and Central railroads to and from all points West and South, with Augusta & Knoxville railroad by 10:35 p m train east, and 7:30 a m train west. At Jacksonville to and from all points on Barwell railroad. Through tickets can be purchased to all points South and West by applying to J. D. McQUEEN, Agent, Columbia, S. C. John B. Peck, General Manager. D. C. Allen, General Passenger and Ticket Agent.

BANK NOTICE. STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. COUNTY OF LAURENS. Whereas on the 8 day of June A. D. 1887 W. Z. Leitner Sec'y of State issued a commission to M. S. Bailey, J. W. Todd, N. B. Dial and W. H. Martin, constituting them a board of corporation of the Peoples Loan and Exchange Bank of Laurens S. C. authorizing and empowering them to open books of subscription to the capital stock of the same to the amount of \$55,000 to be divided into shares of the par value of \$100, 00 each. Therefore notice is hereby given that said books of subscription will be open in the office of Haskell & Dial at Laurens C. H. S. C. from June 15th until June 30th 1887 inclusive. June 14th 1887. M. S. Bailey, J. W. Todd, W. H. Martin, N. B. Dial

Real Estate. A new four room cottage in the town of Laurens for rent conveniently located. Terms reasonable. One hundred and fifty seven acres bond near Cross Hill, in good state of cultivation. Well watered, good houses, situated on the projected line of R. R. for sale via X Hill Clinton. A bargain offered, Terms easy. We will offer next week for sale, a large lot of property in and near the town of Laurens. Also a fine plantation in Abbeville county. For Rent: A splendid residence in the Town of Laurens and one of the most suitable houses in Town for a boarding house. Situated on Main Street about fifty yards from public square. House containing ten rooms besides servants house, stables, and good garden etc. Terms very moderate. For Rent: Three store houses in the town of Laurens. 3000 acres land, located in different portions of Laurens county. FOR SALE OR RENT: A number of splendid residences in the town of Laurens. A new three house at High Point on the G. I. & S. R. R. Price low—A splendid stand for a store. For particulars as to any of the above or, apply call for address. J. M. HAMPTON, Manager.

Port Royal & Augusta Railway. In effect Dec. 23, 1886. Time 90th Meridian—One hour slower than C. & G. R. R. time. Greenville and Laurens Railway. Leave Laurens 6:00 a m 1:18 p m Arrive Barksdales 6:26 " 1:45 " " Knights 6:32 " 1:50 " " Graycourt 6:37 " 1:55 " " Fountain Inn 7:04 " 2:18 " " Simpsonville 7:23 " 2:34 " " Mauldin 7:41 " 2:13 " " Greenville 8:10 " 3:13 " Leave Greenville 10:00 3:53 Arrive Laurens 10:20 4:20 " Simpsonville 10:47 " 4:29 " " Fountain Inn 11:06 " 4:58 " " Graycourt 11:33 " 5:25 " " Knights 11:38 " 5:30 " " Barksdales 11:44 " 5:37 " " Laurens 12:10 p m 6:03 "

Greenwood, Laurens and Spartanburg. Going South—Daily Except Sun. Leave Spartanburg 11:25 a m 5:30 a m " Moore 11:53 " 6:17 " " Woodruff 12:17 p m 6:55 " " Enoree 12:35 " 7:27 " " Lanford 12:42 " 7:30 " " Ora 12:56 " 7:56 " " Laurens 1:16 " 8:40 " " High Point 1:40 " 9:21 " " Waterloo 1:52 " 9:43 " " oronaca 2:15 " 10:23 " Arrive Greenwood 2:55 " 11:00 " Leave " 6:00 a m 2:35 " " Anderson 11:00 a m 5:30 " Arrive Augusta 10:30 am 6:15 pm 5:50 pm Atlanta 7:00 a m. " Savannah 2:15 p m 12:25 p m " Jacksonville 12:00 e. Going North—Daily. Leave Atlanta 7:30 p m " Jacksonville 2:15 " " Savannah 8:10 " " Charleston 4:00 a m " Augusta 12:15 p m 7:50 a m 8:25 a m Arrive Anderson 2:45 p m 8:15 p m Arrive Greenwood 5:30 pm 11:20 am 2:25 p m Leave Greenwood 11:20 a m 2:40 " Arrive Coronaca 11:40 " 3:16 " " Waterloo 12:01 p m 4:00 " " High Point 12:14 " 4:22 " " Laurens 12:36 " 5:05 " " Ora 12:58 " 5:49 " " Lanford 1:07 " 5:58 " " Greenwood 1:15 " 6:10 " " Woodruff 1:35 " 6:10 " " Moore 2:00 " 7:27 " " Spartanburg 2:30 " 8:15 "

connections at Greenwood to and from all points on Columbia & Greenville railroad. At Spartanburg with Asheville & Spartanburg R. R. A. C. Air Line for points North. At Augusta with Georgia, South Carolina and Central roads. E. T. HARTLOFF, G. P. A. W. W. Starr, Sup't, Augusta, Ga.

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FURNITURE! * FURNITURE!! MINTER & JAMIESON'S Furniture Palace is the place where you can buy the cheapest and best Furniture in the South. We will not be undersold. Just think of it, a nice all walnut set, 10 pieces, 1/2 marble for \$20.50, worth in any market, \$35.00. Very handsome walnut set, 10 pieces, marble top, for \$45.00. Next best for \$1.90. Next in course for \$6.25. Next set chairs, six for \$2.75. We keep constantly on hand a complete stock of Mattresses, Bed Springs, Lounges, Baby Carriages, also Carpets and Rugs. —We are also head-quarters for Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Shoes, Hats, Clothing and Millinery. Don't fail to examine our stock and prices before buying as we will save you money, and money saved is money made. We will not be undersold. Minter & Jamieson Leaders of Low Prices. Laurens, S. C. May 7, 1887—nt

THE NEW BARBER SHOP. To inform the public that I am prepared to serve them as Tonsorial Artist in all new quarters, under the Robt. Co. 302-3-11-7. D. H. CANTY. DR. W. H. BALL, DENTIST. Office over National Bank. Office days—Mondays and Tuesdays. LAURENS, - - - - S. C. POMONA HILL NURSERIES. POMONA, N. C. Two and one half miles west of Greensboro, N. C. The main line of the R. & D. R. R. passes through the grounds and within 100 feet of the office. Salem trains make regular stops twice daily going each way. Those interested in Fruit and Fruit growing are cordially invited to inspect this the largest nursery in the State and one of the largest in the South. The proprietor has for many years visited the leading nurseries North and West and corresponded with those of foreign countries, gathering every fruit that was calculated to suit the South, both native and foreign. The reputation of Pomona Hill Nurseries is such that many agents going out from Greensboro representing other nurseries, try to leave the impression that they are representing these nurseries. Why do they do it? Let the public answer. I have in stock growing (and can show visitors the same) the largest and best stock of trees &c. ever shown or seen in any two nurseries North Carolina, (consisting of apple, peach, pear, cherry plum, grape, Japanese persimmon, Japanese plum, apricots, nectarines, Russian apricot, mulberry, quinces, Small fruit: Strawberry, raspberry, currant, pecan, English walnut, rhubarb, asparagus, evergreens, shade trees, roses, &c. Give your order to my authorized agent or order direct from the nursery. Correspondence solicited. Descriptive catalogue free to applicants. Address J. VAN LINDLEY, Pomona, Guilford County, N. C. May 18, 1887. CHEAPEST CARPETS in AUGUSTA. The largest Stock South. Moquet, Brussels, Three ply and Ingrain Carpets, Rugs, Mats, Crumb Cloths, Window curtains, Window cornices and Poles, Canton and Cecoa matting, Chromos, Lace curtains and House furnishings. Write for samples. Jas. G. Bailie & Sons, 133 Broad Street, Augusta, Georgia. ul-3-37-3.

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