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LAURENS, S. C., Jan. 17, 1906.

NOW ENFORCE THE LAW. We have refrained from taking an acthe Brice law election for the reason that we believed that the people of the county should not vote the Dispensary out of existence unless it was their well considered and unbiased wish to do so. The attitude of THE ADVERTISER as an uncompromising opponent of the Dispensary system was and is well known, but we did not care to urge even those of our own political way of thinking to activity in this matter. It was our judgment that the Dispensary should be retained unless the people were earnestly determined to enforce Prohibition. To enforce it is the important proposition soon to be before them and one of more serious consequence than that of expelling the grog-shop by votes. We are glad that the vote has shown this determination to exist.

Whether or not the Prohibition laws shall be enforced in this county depend upon the disposition of the 3,500 good white men in the county to see that the 50 or 100 white men and negross in the county who are disposed to violate the law shall be prevented from doing it The main trouble will arise at first in this town, but we have no doubt that Mayor William R. Richey will very soon, by the imposition of the severest punishment, teach the "tigers" that the locality is not healthly for them. He has, we believe, an efficient police force and he and his council will have no difficulty in knowing whether or not the policemen are vigilant in doing their duty. If they should neglect their duty, they will be dismissed, we think, and others will be employed in their stead. "Blind tigers" will appear from time to time in other parts of the county but they will not give serious trouble in any neighborhood where one brave and watchful citizen will take the pains to insist upon the law officers arresting

The sheriff, the various magistrates and the constables, each and all of them, have taken a solemn oath to enforce the laws. We suppose they are able to enforce them and if blind tigers should become numerous in Laurens it will be for them to give the people the reason why. A confession that they cannot prevent saturation of this county with illicit whiskey should be extremely humiliating to self-respecting officials. We do not mean that no such thing as a blind tiger is to be heard of in the county. Occasional violations of the law must occur, but the law officers will have no excuse for a failure to make whiskey selling a dangerous, unpleasant and expensive business.

Meanwhile we have firm faith in our brave old sheriff and we believe that he will receive the zealous co-operation of other officers.

A TRIPPLE ALLIANCE.

It seems highly proper that the Hon. Coleman L. Blease, of Newberry, should be the Dispensary's candidate for Governor just as Mr. B. R. Tillman will be the Dispensary's candidate for the United States Senate in the coming campaign. Senator Tillman, indeed, commenced

his campaign last summer, delivering within a period of two or three months a number of strong speeches pledging anew his loyalty to the Dispensary idea and coupling with it the declaration that he would make at least one more campaign in its defense.

Senator Tillman has lost numbers of his able lieutenants since the beginning of his career. A score of those who are dead either abandoned him or found themselves flung by him upon the political junk-heap before they died. Many others, such as the Hon. W. Jasper Talbert and possibly the Hon. Asbury Latimer, who are still living, no longer bask in the warmth of his benevolent protection. Mr. C. J. Blease is an exception. He became a Tillmanite in his early youth, he has learned his political lessons from Senator Tillman and he through good and evil report has stood by the Tillmans and their political interests. Certainly no man in South Carolina except Senator Tillman is se intimately and sympathetically identified with the Dispensary as is Mr. Blease. We do not believe that a combination has been effected by candidates Blease and Tillman for the coming campaign but they will be natural and in-

evitable allies. We are, of course, unfriendly to the Dispensary and to the political aspirations of both Mr. Blease and Mr. Tillman, and we shall as usual endeavor to defeat the three, but we are compelled to admit that if Mr. Blease shall be elected Governor, Mr. Tillman deserves a re-election to the Senate and that the Dispensary will thereby be vindicated. It seems that the links that bind the three are by nature indissoluble, and that neither in life nor death should they be divided.

VAGRANCY.

We hear conplaints on every side against vagrancy. Some people assert that the law itself is not stringent not liable to it.

It is impossible for the editor of this paper to investigate the apparent cases dispensary have been talking over the but it does seem to us that the law is situation and it is likely that one bill comprehensive enough to cover any will be presented as a result. case of vagrancy and if the officers will keep tab on the movements of some of of bills in opposition and this is likely the loafers of this city cases could most to mean confusion and complication and assuredly be made out.

work for every one to do.

MAKING AMENDS.

Nearly three years ago Senator Tillnan went to Charleston upon the invitation of a number of gentlemen to a inner given in his honor. He made a spectacle of himself, so it was said, taking occasion after accepting this tion, \$1.00; each subsequent insertion, hospitality in a speech at the dinner to abuse the City of Charleston, to hold it up to ridicule and snort around generally in an unseemly way. Last week he attended the banquet

given to Secretary Bonaparte and the officers of the Cruiser Charleston. His acceptance of this invitation was in effect an humble apology to Charleston and will be so interpreted. We believe that the Senator is entirely sincere in his expressions of regret at having been offensive on the former occasion, but it is unfortunate that no opportunity for their utterance should have been presented or found until now, when the campaign for the choice of his successor tive part in the campaign leading up to in the United States Senate is soon to

The people of Charleston have a right o feel good over this sign that their support has at last come to be worth seeking even by that Ben Tillman whose habit for years was to make capital with the country people by heaping upon them coarse and bitter

The politicians are polite even to Charleston nowadays. In these days when the people of the country vote against the Tillman dispensary, the Charleston vote is worth having.

Laurens county rejected the dispensary in spite of the warning and the be lief that such action would involve a considerable financial sacrifice. We are glad the election was held before the decision of the Supreme Court was rendered, eliminating the county pen-

COMMENTS ON RECENT ELECTION.

THE FAME OF JACKS IS GREAT. In view of Tuesday's vote-What is lry as a day in Laurens?

So they voted out of existence the only oasis between Newberry and the North Carolina line

We beg for time. We require twentyfour hours to fully absorb the statement that Jacks Township has been untrue to the dispensary. For the present we stand mute.

Perhaps the South Carolina General Assembly will investigate the revolution in Jacks Township.-News and

"BY THE SKIN OF THE TEETH." Laurens county rejected the G. M. I. by the "skin of the teeth," as it were, but it has been done all the same, and the vote was about as representative as any so far held.

Jacks Township came to the front. The vote was small but the dispensary lost out all the same.-Spartanburg

UP TO THE LEGISLATURE.

The vote in Laurens demonstrates for the sixteenth time that the people of South Carolina are sick of the dispensary. This is true irrespective of the former political standing of these counties. "Reform" and "conservative" counties alike have expressed themselves against the dispensary .-Will the legislature still hesitate in taking action to remove the abomination?-The State.

Laurens county has joined Cherokee, Pickens, York, et al., and voted out the dispensary. Well, who'd a thunk it! The first thing the advocates of the dispensary know they won't have a leg to stand on. - Gaffney Ledger.

WARNING WAS UNHEEDED. Laurens county has joined the ranks of the anti-dispensary counties. The majority is not large, but nevertheless it is a majority. We give a cordial welcome to our neighbors. Much has been done recently to help out the dispensary forces. The people of Laurens were warned of the dire consequences of voting out the great moral institution from their county, but we are sincerely glad that the manhood of Laurens has asserted itself. Even Jacks township voted against the institution. Good for the people of Jacks. The vote cast was proportionately larger than has been cast in most of the counties when this issue was at stake. We are glad the vote was so large. In Laurens township, especially, a good vote was polled. One by one the counties have repudiated the institution; now let the legislature do likewise.

The thing can't stand any more patching. - Greenville Mountaineer.

SENATOR TILLMAN'S SCHEME.

Gives Members of the General Assembly His Views on Dispensary Issue.

Columbia, Jan. 11.-The dispensary folks are active. They are organizing and defeating things in a systematic and businesslike way.

Senator Tillman was here today and gave members friendly to the dispensary his views. He said he had not prepared a bill but simply offered those interested the suggestions he made at Gaffney, Anderson, Edgefield, Lancaster, Yorkville and other places.

He suggested that purchases be made by annual contract by some committee. A legislative or special committee is agreeable. He would have such a committee purchase by contract from the lowest bidder spirits and then whiskey from bond, then he would have the state dispensary rectify or mix the liquors, blend or fix them to suit. He would buy no case goods of any sort or description, and then have the commissioner order out such liquor as was that the law is not enforced and others actually needed under the contract and contract price agreed upon for the year enough and the so called vagrants are and limit the orders to actual needs under penalty.

A number of the friends of the State

In the meanwhile there are a score stickling for pet measures, while the In the meantime there is certainly State dispensary advocates are working for one and only one bill.

Bent Her Double.

"I knew no one, for four weeks, when I was sick with typhoid and kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Annie Hunter, of Pittsburg, Pa., and when I got better, although I had one of the best doctors I could get, I was bent double, and had to rest my hands on my knees when I walked. From this terrible affliction I was rescued by Electric Bitters, which restored my health and strength, and now I can walk as straight as ever now I can walk as straight as ever. They are simply wonderful." Guaranteed to cure stomach, liver and kidney disorders, at Laurens Drug Co. and Palmetto Drug Co. Price 50 cents.

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105 acres land on South Rabun Creek, dwelling and outbuildings at a bargain.

Eleven room house fronting on North Harper, lot 64 feet front, 87 feet back; well and city water, cheap.

One 10 room house, 4 halls and bath room, with 13 fire places, good well of water; also water works and electric lights. On corner of Laurel and Hampton streets. At a bargain.

82 acres of land, nice dwelling, good out-building, good water, 45 acres high state of cultivation, balance timber, near Dials' Church. At a bargain.

One seven room house in the city of 400 acres at Madden Station, 250 in cultivation and balance in forest, with good 7 room dwelling, good outbuildings and six tenant houses.

400 acres one mile from Madden, good welling, three tenant houses and

178 acres, 7-room dwelling, good out-buildings, mineral spring on place, two miles of Ora, S. C.

Three lots, 32 acres, 85 acres and 58 acres within the incorporated limits of the town of Laurens. Will sell lots separately or the three as a whole. Terms made easy.

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and eight tenant houses, with 20 acres within the incorporated limits of town of Woodruff.

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One dwelling and two acres of land n town of Woodruff.

Beautiful eight room house on Main street of Woodruff. One dwelling, on Main Street, with nine bed rooms, parlor, cook room, lining room and closets, 70 acres of and, good outbuildings in town of

17 1-2 acres on Beaverdam Creek, near Lanford half mile from rail road, with corn and wheat mill in good running order, casacity 200 bushels a day; good rock quarry, and survey for yarn mill has been made on place.

247 acres with good 4 room house, good out buildings, 125 acres in cultivation, lot of oak and 1500 cords of pine, two miles Enoree M'F'G. Co. 2 lots 1-4 acres each, dwelling on lot no. 1, in town of Fountain Inn.

178 acres of land with two good dwellings and splendid well of water near Mt. Olive Church, Waterloo township. 2 acres suitable building lots, located

in Jersey, city of Laurens 1 lot acre, granite store house, town

3 acres land dwelling and store house on Sloan street, town of Clinton. main street Clinton.

1 five room house, 3 1-2 acres land or

One 2 acre lot, suitable for building lots, on East Main street, in Laurens at a bargain. One house and lot, 4 acres, in town of Woodruff, on Sawmill Street.

112 acres, with dwelling and out-buildings, 70 acres in cultivation, 10 acres fine bottoms on Reedy River, near Rabun Creek Church.

20 acres on North Rabun Creek, 20 horse water power, with wheat and corn mill, gin house and outfit; known as Nash's Old Mill place, at a bargain. 2 acre lot and nice 5 room house, at a bargain on Conway Avenue, Laurens,

One nice six room dwelling, good building, 2 acres, 1 acre front on Peach-tree street, in Woodruff. 2 1-4 acres, suitable for building lots, on Sullivan street, City of Laurens. 424 acres at Hobbyville, Spartanburg county, good dwelling, tenant houses store and post office, at a bargain. A beautiful 5-room house and 4 acres of land in Gray Court.

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Notice to Planters

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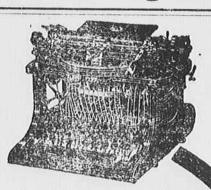
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The Auditor's office will be open from the 1st day of January to the 20th day of February, 1906 to receive returns of Personal Property and Real Estate for taxation in Laurens County.

For the convenience of the Taxpayers the Auditor or his deputy will attend the following named places to receive returns for said year, to wit:

Tylersville, January 8th, 10 a. m. to 2 p. m.

2 p. m. W.L. Lynn's January 9th, 10 a. m. to Renno, January 10th, 10 a.

Clinton, January 11th, 10 a. m. to

Carroll, January 12th, 1 to 4 p. m.

Waterloo, January 15th, 10 a. m. to

J. D. Culbertson's store, January 16th,

Brewerton, January 17th 1 to 4 p. m.

Princeton, January 18th, 1 to 4 p. m Tumbling Shoals, January 19th, 10 a.

D. D. Harris, January 22nd, 10 a. m. Abner Babb, January 23rd, 10 a.

V. A. White, January 24th, 10 a. m

Cook's Store, January 25th, 10 a. m. Youngs Store, January 26th, 10 a. n

Pleasant Mound, January 27th, 9 a Lanford, January 27th, 1 to 4 p. m.

payer in full.

Under the head of "place of residence" on tax return, give the township.
All male citizens between the ages of

rans excepted.

And all taxpayers are required to give the number of their school district. They are also requested to state trict. They are also requested to state whether the property is situated in

County Auditor. Dec. 5th, 1905-tf.

Notice of

The County Treasurer's Books will be open for collection of State, County and Commutation Road Taxes for fiscal year 1904 at the Treasurer's Office, from October 15th to December 31st 1905. Those who prefer to do so can pay in January, 1906, with one per cent. additional; those who prefer paying in February, 1906, can do so with 2 per cent. additional; those who prefer to pay in March, 1906 to the 15th of said month can do so by paying an additional? The can do so by paying an additional 7 per cent. After said date the books will

All persons owning property or paying taxes for others in more than one Township are requested to call for receipts in each township in which they live. This is important, as additional cost and penalty may not be attached. Prompt attention will be given those who wish to pay their taxes through the mail by checks, money orders, etc. Persons sending in lists of names to be

Clinton,

All able-bodied male citizens between the ages of 21 and 60 years are liable to pay a poll tax of \$1.00, except old soldiers, who are exempt at 50 years. Commutation Road Tax \$1.00, in lieu of working the public roads, to be paid at the time as stated above.

J. H. COPELAND,

County Treasurer

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LAURENS, S. C.

Duck Youngs' residence, January 12th a. m. to 11 a. m.

Cross Hill, January 13th, 10 a. m. to

0 a. m. to 2 p. m. Daniel's Store, January 17th, 9 a. m

Sharp's Store, January 18th, 9 a. m.

Real Estate and Personal Property in Laurens Special School District No. 11, and Hunter Special No. 5 must be listed separate returns from from other prop-

erty in the townships.

It is always required that the Auditor get the first given name of the tax-

twenty one and sixty years, on the 1st of January, except those who are incapable of earning a support from being maimed, or from other causes are deemed taxable polls, Confederate vetars excepted

whether the players town or country.

After the 20th day of February next, fifty per cent penalty will be attached for failure to make returns.

C. A. POWER,

County Auditor.

County Treasurer.

Persons sending in lists of names to be taken off, are urged to send them early as the Treasurer is very busy during the month of December.

The Tax Levy is as follows:

State Tax,

County Ordinary,

Special County,

Public Road,

School

School

2 mills

2 mills

3 mills

2 mills

3 mills

2 mills

Laurens Special School Gray Court-Owings, Fountain Inn, Ekom, Waterloo, Cross Hill, Mountville, Clinton,

