

### TAFT AND SHERMAN THE REPUBLICAN NOMINEES.

William Howard Taft, of Ohio, for President; James Schoolcraft Sherman, of New York, for Vice President. This is the Republican ticket as named at Chicago last week by the National Convention. Both were nominated on the first ballot, Mr. Taft receiving 702 of the 980 votes cast by the Convention and Mr. Sherman 816. Mr. Taft's nomination was made unanimous upon the announcement of the first ballot.

Mr. Taft is a member of President Roosevelt's cabinet, being the Secretary of War, while his running mate has represented a New York district in Congress for the past 18 years.

#### COLLEGE STUDENTS RETURNED.

Other News From Mountville For Laurens County Readers.

Mountville, S. C., June 15.—Our college students are coming home for the summer. Misses Ruth Stokes and Fannie V. Smith, from Rock Hill; Miss Lizzie Mitchell, from Limestone; Miss Lillie Culbertson, from G. N. and I. College; Mr. Asey Mitchell, from Wofford; Mr. Henry Fellers, from South Carolina University, and Mr. Clarence Jones, from Erskine. Misses Marie Stokes and Ruth Crisp have also returned from their respective teaching in Greenville and Greenwood counties.

Mr. John C. Cluck, Mrs. J. M. Simmons and Mr. James Winebrener went on the special train last Monday to the Confederate reunion at Birmingham. Mrs. Simmons and Mr. Winebrener will visit the former's sister, Mrs. Dr. Langley, at Camp Hill, while away.

Mr. W. P. Culbertson attended commencement of the Georgia Normal and Industrial College at Milledgeville, Ga., from which institution his daughter, Lillie, has just graduated.

Prof. Edwin Wertz, of Memphis, after spending a few days here with his parents, left last week for Chicago, where he will spend the summer in study.

Hon. W. C. Irby, of your town, was here last week on professional business. J. L. Fellers and S. J. Risor are attending court this week as jurors.

One of the most interesting meetings the fourth union of Laurens Association has had for several years was held here the fifth Saturday and Sunday in May. Every sermon, every talk and all discussions were marked for warmth and spiritual earnestness, and mutual fellowship and unanimity pervaded every session. Sunday afternoon was devoted to the ordination of Rev. W. P. Turner, of Bathabara church, to the gospel ministry. A presbytery for this purpose was composed of the ministers and deacons present of the union. Rev. C. L. Fowler conducted the examination, Rev. J. A. Martin preached the ordination sermon, Rev. S. R. Brock delivered the charge and Rev. C. L. Fowler led the prayer.

At the last meeting of Mountville Literary Society an interesting debate was had on the question, "Resolved, that conscience is a correct moral guide." It was decided in favor of the affirmative. An original character sketch was prepared and read by J. H. Motes. Subject: "William Jennings Bryan." This was followed by some discussion in which Bryan was pronounced the leading democrat and a great American statesman. Prof. A. Q. Rice, of Greenwood, was present and by invitation participated in the exercises. Compulsory education is the next subject and the Influence of the South Carolina Press is the subject for the next paper.

#### He Got What He Needed.

"Nine years ago it looked as if my time had come," says Mr. C. Farthing, of Mill Creek, Ind. Ter. "I was so run down that life hung on a very slender thread. It was then my druggist recommended Electric Bitters. I bought a bottle and I got what I needed—strength. I had one foot in the grave, but Electric Bitters put it back on the turf again, and I've been well ever since." Sold under guarantee at Laurens Drug Co.'s and Paumotu Drug Co.'s drug stores. 50c.

#### Hanged for His Crime.

Tom Patterson, the Alabama negro who was convicted in April of the murder of Jeff B. Knight, the eldest son of Mr. Neal Knight, of the Tumbling Shoals section, was hanged at Shelby, Ala., Saturday, June 13th. Mr. Knight, accompanied by one of his younger sons, Mr. Todd Knight, witnessed the execution of his son's murderer.

### WORSE THAN ONIONS

Bad Breath From Indigestion Cannot be Overcome With Perfumes.

Nine-tenths of the offensive breath is a result of stomach trouble. It cannot be overcome by breath perfumes or any other palliative measures. If you have a bad breath; if there is heart burn, flatulence and gurgling of undigested food; if the stomach burns or smart; if there is sleeplessness, nervousness, headaches or any other symptoms of indigestion, use Mi-o-na stomach tablets and get well. A little 50-cent box of Mi-o-na stomach tablets lasts for a couple of weeks and will ward off a dozen mild attacks of indigestion, while its continued use will give an absolute and complete cure. Laurens Drug Co. have seen so many cures made by Mi-o-na stomach tablets that they give a guarantee with every box to refund the money if it fails.

#### LOCAL AND PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. D. B. Roper, of Fountain Inn, was in the city Friday on business.

Mr. E. Lee Pitts, of Clinton, attended court here last week as a juror.

Mr. H. P. Burdette, of Lanford Station, was in the city Thursday.

Miss Emily Burnside, of Greenwood, is visiting Miss Susie Gray on Sullivan street.

Mrs. Nancy Harper and daughter, Miss Susie, spent a few days in Clinton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Gray, of Woodruff, spent Sunday in the city with the family of Mr. H. E. Gray.

Every business and professional man in the city, whether members or not, should make it a point to attend the annual meeting tomorrow afternoon of the Chamber of Commerce. It will be held in the court house at 5 o'clock.

Miss Mary Simpson, in company with her brother, Dr. J. Knox Simpson, who graduated recently in medicine from the University of Pennsylvania, is on an extended visit to Philadelphia and New York.

Mrs. A. L. Adams and Mrs. Thomas M. Kennedy and son, James Lowrance, of Greenville, are spending a while in the city with relatives.

Several candidates received the ordinance of baptism at the First Baptist church last Wednesday evening.

Mr. J. H. Just, a good friend of The Advertiser and a successful farmer of the White Plains section, Cross Hill township, was in the city Friday.

Mr. Thos. J. Layton, a prominent citizen of Lanford, spent Friday night in the city and attended the regular meeting of Laurens Lodge, No. 260, A. F. M. He was the guest of Mr. E. E. Bishop, superintendent of Watts Mills.

Mr. John M. Cannon visited at Lanford Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. W. G. Lancaster spent week end at his home in Spartanburg county.

Miss Grif Dorroh, of Greenville, is in the city visiting Miss Mayme Ferguson.

Mrs. Sam Talley, of Fairfax, is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. L. Boyd.

In a note from Mr. V. S. Jones Saturday from Washington, D. C., he requests his address changed from 1011 East street to 1008 Pennsylvania avenue, and extends his "best wishes" to our new editor and old Advertiser.

Mr. Jas. A. Clardy, in evidence of his excellent gardening, exhibited this week some very fine pole beans of unusual size. They are of the Kentucky variety and had grown to lengths varying from six to ten inches.

#### Wofford College Scholarship and Entrance Examination.

The examination for the award of vacant Scholarships in Wofford College and for the admission of new students will be held at the County Court House on FRIDAY, JULY 3 at 9 a. m. Applicants must not be less than fifteen years of age. When scholarships are vacant after July 3, they will be awarded to those making the highest average at this examination, provided they meet the conditions governing the award. Applicants for scholarships should write to President Johnson before the examination for Scholarship examination blanks.

Scholarships are worth \$100 and free tuition. The next session will open September 16, 1908. For further information and catalogue, address President D. B. JOHNSON, Rock Hill, S. C.

#### The News at Gray Court.

Gray Court, S. C., June 22.—The directors of the Bank of Gray, Court met Saturday and decided on the location and voted on cashier Mr. L. R. Brooks being elected to fill this position.

The bank will open for business Sept. 1st and with such gentlemen as Mr. C. R. Wallace and L. R. Brooks at the head we are sure it will prosper. These gentlemen have the best wishes of the community in the handling of the new enterprise which will soon begin business.

Miss Will Lou Gray, of Laurens, was in town Saturday.

Miss Rose Elrod, of Piedmont, is the guest of Mrs. R. M. DuBose.

Miss Lizzie Brunson, of Rock Hill, is visiting Miss Mary Garrison.

Mr. W. H. Hellams has about completed his new residence in town and will move in within a short time. We welcome Mr. Hellams to our town and all other good people like him.

Mr. Roy DuBose, of Columbia, is staying with relatives here for a few days on his way from Wofford College, where he attended school last session.

Mrs. Nannie Owings is very ill, having been taken very suddenly Sunday morning. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

### OPENING BALL AT HARRIS SPRINGS.

Invitations have been issued for the opening ball at Harris Springs Hotel, which occurs the night of July 2d, and it is hoped a large gathering will be present as a most enjoyable time is promised. A fine orchestra will be on hand and everything done to make this the most memorable ball in the history of Harris Springs Hotel. The hotel is under the direct management of Mr. H. Z. Rees, formerly of the Piedmont in Atlanta and the Jefferson in Richmond. It will be conducted on the most liberal lines. The hotel has been thoroughly renovated and everything put in first class condition. It is the intention of the management to make it the leading resort of the South.

### What Shall We Have for Dessert?

Try JELL-O, the dainty, appetizing, economical dessert. Can be prepared instantly. Simply add boiling water and see each one of our favored just right recipes on our JELL-O recipe card every day. A little package box for a dime. Good for a large family. All grocers sell it. Don't forget substitutes: JELL-O complete with Pine Fruit Flava, Flavors of Lemon, Orange, Raspberry, Strawberry, Chocolate, Cherry, Peach.

#### NOMINATED FOR LEGISLATURE.

Dr. Culbertson, Native of Laurens, Named in Georgia Primary.

Dr. H. L. Culbertson, a native of Laurens county, but who has been living in Georgia for several years, was nominated for the legislature from Lincoln county in recent primary. He has many relatives in Laurens county who will be glad to learn of his election. Dr. Culbertson is an uncle of Prof. J. B. Watkins of this place.—Honea Path Chronicle.

#### Clemson Agricultural College Examination.

The examination for the award of Scholarships in Clemson Agricultural College will be held in the County Court House on Friday, July 3rd, at 9 a. m. Applicants must fill out proper forms, to be secured from the County Superintendent of Education, before they will be allowed to stand the examinations. For detailed information apply to the Supt. of Education or to the President of Clemson College.

Applicants for admission to the college, who are not seeking for the scholarships, will also stand entrance examinations at the court house July 3d.

The Scholarships are worth \$100 and free tuition.

The next session of the college opens Sept. 9, 1908.

For catalogues and information apply to P. H. MELLI, President.

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#### TO PICNIC AT ROSEMONT.

Greenwood T. P. A.'s Arranging for Picnic at Home of Col. R. N. Cunningham.

The following news dispatch from Greenwood will be of interest to many people in Laurens:

"Greenwood, June 15.—Greenwood T. P. A.'s are getting busy. At a meeting of Post F Saturday night there was quite a lot of interest shown. There were several good talks made, and the board of directors was appointed a committee to make arrangements to have a big T. P. A. picnic in August. The plans now are to have a basket picnic at Rosemont and have a special train to carry at least 200 men, women and children to these beautiful picnic grounds to spend a day of fun, fishing, eating and let every one know some of the good things the T. P. A.'s are doing in this State.

"We think a big basket T. P. A. picnic will help the T. P. A. cause in this section and get the ladies and children interested in our grand order. If we succeed in getting them to give us their good will and kind words there is no telling what the T. P. A.'s can do in this State. We believe that the social feature should be given more attention and get all the local people to know what and who we are. There should be lots of honorary members in each post. Let them join in all the public gatherings. We want every T. P. A. in this State to keep on the lookout for new members so we can have at least 1,500 of the boys in good standing by this time next year.

"We are glad to note the interest shown in Columbia and Darlington posts and hope every post will make a special effort this year, for we are already a great power in this State and can double our membership with a little work."

We are always glad to have our Greenwood friends cross the border and enjoy the historic resorts of Laurens county. No more hospitable host can be found in a day's travel than Col. Robt. N. Cunningham, the master of Rosemont. He is always pleased to welcome visitors and his treasures of art china and books are heirlooms worth seeing.

#### In Memoriam.

Miss Daisy Belle Robertson, a most amiable and estimable young lady, after a lingering illness of several months, died at her home at Cross Hill on the evening of the 28th ultimo.

She was the lovely daughter of Mrs. Mary E. Robertson and the late Van B. Robertson.

The visitation of the Sable Monarch, Death, ever brings sadness, mourning and tears, but when it gathers within its cold embrace one who had scarcely more than reached the age of sweet, tender young womanhood, as in this instance, then indeed such dispensation seems doubly sad and mournful. And thus one who pens this feeble tribute to her memory feels it a personal grief and sadness—he who had known and seen her from tender girlhood grow to womanly grace, beauty and intelligence.

But she was called hence. The Great, Omnipotent, finger touched her and she sleeps the sleep of the just.

As she languished with true Christian resignation upon her couch of sickness, slowly but surely dying, (of which she was clearly conscious,) she spoke cheerfully of its approach and seemed to gladly welcome its coming. Why, then, should mother, sister, kindred or friends mourn for one who has only exchanged a terrestrial for an eternal, celestial life beyond the stars?

Daisy Robertson was a young lady of most gentle, sweet disposition, combining all the virtues and womanly graces peculiar to her sex, and was loved and admired by all who knew her, leaving behind troops of friends to mourn her departure to the realms of everlasting rest and happiness.

# Have You Bought all the FRUIT JARS

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#### Presbyterian Organ Sold.

We have sold the First Presbyterian church a very fine Starr piano and received in exchange as part payment the famous old Mason & Hurdin organ, which for many years was noted for its pretty tone. It is a pleasure to inform the Laurens church that it is now the delight of the congregation of the Fort Hill Presbyterian church at Calhoun, S. C. L. A. MCCORD.

#### SAYS IT IS FACT

Laurens Drug Co. Confirm Guarantee on Hyomei, Cure for Catarrh.

As some people have raised the question as to whether Laurens Drug Co. will refund the money if Hyomei does not do all that is claimed for it in curing catarrh, the want the Laurens Advertiser to state positively that this offer is a fact and is made in perfect good faith.

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#### Brain Leaks.

It is a sad commentary on the household when the husband prefers baker's bread.

It beats all what a big lonesome little house can hold when the babies are all away.

A lot of men who are waiting for ships to come in have failed to weigh their anchor.

Some mothers think so much of a clean house that they overlook the idea of a comfortable home.

How easy it is for a handsome woman to make a man think she is interested in what he is saying.

Nothing looks funnier for a minute than the young man who is letting a little bunch of fuzz grow in front of each ear.

The man who never earns any more than he is paid for is the man who is always complaining because he is underpaid.

### Very Serious

It is a very serious matter to ask for one medicine and have the wrong one given you. For this reason we urge you in buying to be careful to get the genuine—

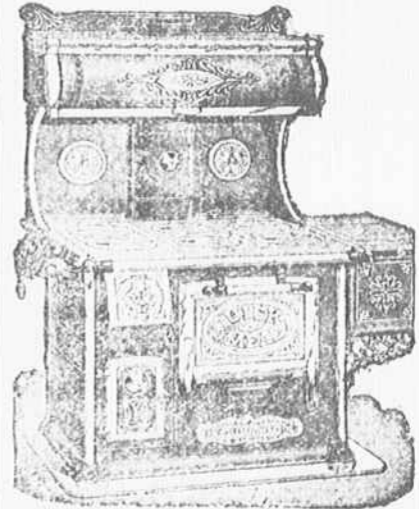
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