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"The goat have voted; The Advertiser have spake."

Laborer and election over, and the People have decided.

We were just sure it would be a landslide.

Now what a pity, good people, 'twould be if one of our pretty milliners should be created by that mere man, James Henry Rice? But they had better walk warily; strikes us we've seen lots of bird wings and things on some of these "dream creations" walking about.

Oh, fudge! We don't know anything about these head decorations and obstructions, so hushed up we are, Selah.

The Laurens Advertiser subscribes \$1.00 to the Democratic campaign fund of 1912; or shall we say the Bryan fund?

Somehow, it seems that a voice from out the past was heard last week, but there was no response. People have learned to think more now; are not so easily led astray; and can better distinguish truth from fiction.

Tillman cannot put up, so has to renig. He accuses some of the papers in the State of receiving Standard Oil funds in the days of Mc-Laurin's "commercial Democracy." The papers have called the bluff and the doty Senator is silent.

By the way, indulgent parents, do you realize that these Jesse James books are about the worst poison your boys can get hold of?

Our heartiest congratulations to William. May he be the best president we have ever had.

A married man out west has been drunk nineteen years and his wife is just now finding it out. We thought—but never mind what we thought.

"The friends of the dispensary have no paid orators to go over the county"—wonder if the legal talent employed in the recent contest are working for the love of work; if so we commend them for loyalty to their beliefs. One is led to believe that the dispensary people are utterly without funds, so piteous is the wail. Why not get up a fund? Who will be the first to subscribe a dollar for contesting the election? Speak out, ye lovers of 'gal elections.

If The Laurens Advertiser did not have a reputation at stake, and if it were not a responsible business institution, its editorial utterances, and its news columns might possibly be of a different nature.

Well, Bill certainly did win in a walk.

Say, let's kiss and make up. Is everybody happy?

Sometimes we all but wish ourself capable of the ingenuity we are credited with by "ardent admirers"?

Punny how conceit makes some men imagine they're spoken to, when in actuality their existence is not recognized.

Cowards die many times before their death according to a famous writer; and the guilty betray their whereabouts, when a truth is spoken, according to experience.

The people have voted for exactly what they wanted; let it be.

We have fought fight, and finished the course; our conscience is clear—we have borne no false witness, nor have we erred from truth.

We congratulate Senator Townsend of Union, upon his recent utterance: that he would have nothing to do with any contest of the dispensary election held there last Tuesday. The majority of the Union people do not want a dispensary; he is willing to let the people rule.

Now let the contest come, and if the election be illegal let it be declared so, and set aside. The Advertiser is a law-abiding paper, obedient to any law, good or bad; it neither commends night riders, nor upholds the lawlessness of a mob. It is democratic and believes in the rule of the people.

If there was not the proper number of names on the "petition for election" then the dispensary ought to be retained.

Mr. John B. Brooks is a thorough-going Democrat; he deserves much praise for his excellent work in the city and county, for the Bryan fund.

The Columbia State has our unqualified congratulation and commendation for its phenomenal work in behalf of the Democratic campaign fund.

An interested correspondent wants to know what we are going to write about after the election, national and dispensary, is over with. Well, we haven't quite decided, but we have been considering the subject of millinery, clothes and things. About the last-named, though, we must first consult the Branchville Journal. Definite announcement later.

It is befitting that we preserve that lovely circular of last week in alcohol.

There are some people in Laurens who could have learned something had they been present at the opera house Sunday afternoon.

Dr. Cromer says a crank is a good thing if it turns something in the right direction.

According to Mr. Cannon's statement to the editor a few weeks ago; namely, that all he desired was a legal election, we presume that whichever way the vote went yesterday he will make a contest. Since, granting that his grounds of contention are correct, the election was illegal, he will, of course, have the courts pass upon it, whether or not the dispensary wins.

By way of explanation, we wish to state that this page of The Advertiser is already printed before the result of the election is known.

Last year the pupils in the Laurens schools received from dispensary profits about \$1.35 per capita. A good fat pig is worth more than that in any market. Principle should be rated a little higher.

When the dispensary was first put in operation there were many who conscientiously believed that to be the proper solution of the whiskey question. That number is now very much diminished.

Laurens is already a beautiful city, but the best has not been attained. Paint, repair and clean up.

Union is to be congratulated upon again repudiating the dispensary; it never did do that county any good—and never will.

Ten or fifteen years hence the majority of Laurens county people will wonder that they ever tolerated such an institution as a dispensary; the others will—well it doesn't matter much what they wonder.

FROM NEWBERRY.

They say that comparisons are odious, and indeed they are, some times. And yet this matter of comparing is an ever present, existent mental state. If never expressed. Within the four months just passed, there have appeared before the Laurens people two speakers from our neighboring city of Newberry, members of the same profession.

One of these speakers addressed an audience in the park during the month of August. A large crowd of Laurens voters heard him; they recall the nature of his speech, the appeal he made, and the reception given him. The other, appeared in the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church last Sunday morning, and again at the opera house Sunday afternoon. Those present readily recall the manner of man he was, as every word of his address clearly indicated; they recall the nature of his appeal; they, by a glance about the house knew the class of audience he had, and the reception given him. Two speakers from Newberry, of the same profession—but not alike.

We congratulate ourselves that we have had the privilege of hearing more than one Newberry orator, and we congratulate Newberry upon the possession of more than one kind.

OUR SPECIAL NOTICES.

Store Rooms for Rent—Two excellent store rooms in new brick building North Harper street, back of Owings & Owings for rent. Apply to Owings & Owings for terms, etc. T. F. Babb. 14-2t

Trespass Notice—All persons are hereby warned against hunting, fishing or in any way trespassing on my plantations in Hunter township. J. D. Coats. 14-2t

Notice—How about a nice feather bed? 36 pound bed and one pair of 6 pound pillows for \$10 cash; duck beds 27 pounds for \$15; goose beds 27 lbs. \$18. Call on or write W. H. Clements, agent, 142 Holmes street, Laurens, S. C. 12-4t

For Sale—A fine lot of Cabbage Plants; Charleston-Wakefield, Early Jersey-Wakefield, Winingstadt, varieties; \$1.50 per thousand or 20 cents a hundred. J. W. Doman, Laurens, S. C. R. F. D. No. 2. 13-5t

Seed Wheat—We have a small lot of genuine Blue stem. Our best farmers say it is the only kind of wheat you should sow in this country. J. O. C. Fleming & Co. 13-2t

House Moving—Those wanting houses moved will find it to their interest to see me as I am prepared for the business. C. A. Owens, R. F. D. No. 2, Laurens, S. C. 13-2t

LOCAL AND PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. A. Ballew of the county attended the State fair last week.

Messrs. C. W. Cooper and Jack McCravy were in Columbia Thursday at the Fair.

Rev. C. Lewis Fowler and family passed through the city Friday enroute to Simpsonville for a brief visit.

Mr. Alfred Barksdale, now a student at Furman University, spent last week in Columbia looking after some cattle and stock exhibits, on which he won several prizes.

Mr. Roy Little was one of those who attended the Fair Wednesday.

Messrs. R. C. Cheek and M. R. Cheek of the Alma section of the county were in town Saturday.

Mr. D. D. Dixon, a prominent farmer of the county, was in the city last Saturday.

Major T. B. Anderson of Waterloo was in Laurens Saturday.

Judge R. W. Memminger arrived in the city Saturday preparatory to the opening of Court Monday. Judge Memminger is fond of Gray's hotel.

Sheriff T. J. Duckett returned Sunday from a short visit to his daughters in Clinton.

Mr. John M. Cannon left Sunday for Spartanburg.

Mr. J. F. Tolbert left for Greenville Sunday for a brief visit, returning Monday.

Final Discharge.

Take notice that on the 4th day of December, 1908, we will render a final account of our acts and doings as administrators of the estate of Sallie Lawson, deceased, in the office of the Judge of Probate of Laurens county at 11 o'clock, a. m., and on the same day will apply for a final discharge from our trust as administrators.

All persons indebted to said estate are notified and required to make payment on that date; and all persons having claims against said estate will present them on or before said date, duly proven, or be forever barred.

Laurens Trust Company, Administrators. Nov. 4, 1908, 1 m.

Messrs. Jas. T. Crews, W. H. Gilkerson, Jr., S. E. Boney, and J. H. Teague spent Friday in Columbia. Dr. Teague and Mr. Gilkerson attended a director's meeting of the Seminoles Securities Company.

A Sure-enough Knocker.

J. C. Goodwin, of Reidville, N. C., says: "Bucklen's Arnica Salve is a sure-enough knocker for ulcers. A bad one came on my leg last summer, but that wonderful salve knocked it out in a few rounds. Not even a scar remained." Guaranteed for piles, sores, burns, etc. 25c at the Palmetto Drug Co. and the Laurens Drug Co.

Executor's Sale.

Notice of Sale by B. L. Henderson, Executor.

Pursuant to the power and authority given to the undersigned, by the last will and testament of Ida A. Boyd, deceased, I will sell to the highest bidder, at Laurens C. H., So. Ca., during the legal hours of sale, on Saturday in December, 1908, the same being the 7th day of the month, the following described real estate:

All that tract and plantation of land, situate, lying and being near Madden station, in Laurens county, State of South Carolina, containing one hundred and twenty-three acres, more or less, and bounded by lands of John A. Madden, estate of J. A. Madden, deceased, W. H. Hudgens, L. L. Culbertson, and others.

Also, all that piece, lot and parcel of land, with storehouse thereon, situate, lying and being at Cold Point, in Laurens county, State of South Carolina, containing — acres, more or less, and bounded by the C. & W. C. Ry. Co., and others. Known as the Boyd store house lot at Cold Point.

Said property will be sold for division among the devisees named in the said last will and testament of Ida A. Boyd, deceased.

Terms of sale, one-half cash, and the balance on a credit of twelve months with interest, secured by bond of the purchaser and a mortgage of the premises sold.

Purchaser to pay for papers. B. L. Henderson, Executor of the last will and testament of Ida A. Boyd, deceased. Laurens, S. C., Oct. 14, 1908, 13-3t.

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Pick a WALK-OVER Shoe to pieces and you will find that solid leather, the best of linings and the strongest of thread have been used throughout. Even the smallest parts are selected with extreme care.

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the pick of the skilled shoe workers of the famous shoe city of Brockton are employed. That they are men who know their business from A to Z is attested to by the elegant appearance and long wear of WALK-OVER SHOES.

\$3.50 \$4.00 \$5.00

Also Gent's Furnishings, Hats, Ties, Shirts, Collars and Tailor-Made Clothing.

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For Stylish Shoes
For Shoes at Reasonable Prices

SEE US.

Ladies' Fine Shoes \$2.00 to \$3.50.
Men's Dress Shoes \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00.
Children's Shoes 25c to \$2.
Men's Staple Shoes \$1.19 to \$2.00.
Woman's Staple Shoes \$1.25 and \$1.50.

J. E. MINTER & BRO
The Reliable Store.

Two Federal Prisoners.
Two negroes, Anthony Sullivan and Lewis Bolding, are serving a thirty-days' sentence each in the Laurens jail as federal prisoners, they having been convicted at the recent term of the United States court at Greenville on the charge of "shooting up" rural delivery boxes in the upper portion of this county a few months ago.

Economy in 1908.
Pure Linseed Oil costs much less sold from the barrel than it does put up in tin cans as Mixed Paint.—In the first instance you pay 60 cents per gallon—in the second \$1.00. Now mix 3 gallons of pure Linseed Oil with 1 gallon L. & M. Paint and you have, ready for use, 7 gallons of the best paint made costing only \$1.20 per gallon. Done in two minutes.
J. H. & M. L. Nash, Laurens, Clinton Pharmacy, Clinton.
L. & M. Paint Agencies, 13 and 14.

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"A few years ago we considered that we were doing well if we cured ten per cent of the cases of catarrh brought to us, but since the introduction of "Bloodine" into our hospital we cure more than ten per cent. of all the cases of catarrh in its various forms brought to us. Catarrh of the Head, Catarrh of the Eyes, Catarrh of the Bladder and Prothia, Catarrh of the large intestine, Catarrh of the Larynx, Pelvic Catarrh, Catarrh of the Throat, and Catarrh of the Stomach are quickly cured with "Bloodine." It builds new tissue, gives new energy, new life, new strength and strength to any part of the body attacked by the Catarrial germ."

"Bloodine is a powerful tonic, nourishes the blood, composed of scientific and valuable ingredients obtained from the most valuable sources. "Bloodine" is not a stimulant or other dangerous drug, it does not merely drive pain away, but gives no permanent relief because of your disease, it builds up a powerful body builder, it gives you the best remedy for the medical profession to use, it gives you blood and supply of blood to the whole body.

"Bloodine" gives the wonderful power of blood to you will find it in every bottle for 10 cents in Libby's and for postage.

Dr. B. F. POSEY
Laurens, S. C.

Negro's House Burned.
The house of Wade Finley, colored, in the western edge of the city, was destroyed by fire late Sunday afternoon, while the occupants were away from home. An alarm was sent in and the fire company responded, but the house was too far from a hydrant. The origin of the fire is unknown.

We have just received another carload of solid oak, beautifully finished bed room suites, consisting of the best things ever offered at the prices these are going at. Be sure to see our line before you buy.
S. M. & E. H. Wilkes & Co.

Tetter, Salt Rheum and Eczema
Are cured by Chamberlain's Salve. One application relieves the itching and burning sensation.