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LAURENS, S. C., OCTOBER 12, 1910.

The new passenger trains and the revised schedule on the C. & W. C. and the C. N. & L. railways are changes upon which the two railroads are to be congratulated. The schedule as it now stands is very satisfactory.

The lyceum course given by the graded school is given for a cause well worthy of strong support from the people of Laurens. Supt. Jones who has an eye always for the betterment of our school system, has inaugurated this method of making money that he might be able to beautify the interior of the school-building and to enlarge the library—two very important lines of improvement.

The city of Greenwood has issued an attractive booklet, setting forth in a comprehensive and pleasing style the resources of this bustling Piedmont town. It contains a thorough review of Greenwood's enterprises, with photos of the main business houses and many handsome residences. The work comes from the presses of the Greenwood Index and upholds in every particular their reputation for "printing that pleases."

From some sections of the county we have received kicks on the shortness and incompleteness of our correspondent's letters, a few readers claiming that they do not cover the news of the entire section. In justice to our correspondents and to the Advertiser we would say that it is hardly to be expected that a person writing mainly because of his or her interest in the paper should cover the entire section thoroughly. Consequently we depend, to a certain extent, upon others than our regular contributors for complete news. Any item of interest that you might hand to our correspondents will be highly appreciated both by them and by the Advertiser. We are proud of our present corps of correspondents and a little assistance by individuals near them would make us even prouder.

"FOR THE HONOR OF LAURENS."

Under the above appropriate headline, our local contemporary published last week an editorial from which, with entire and most hearty concurrence, we quote:

"It has been a long time, indeed, since any proposition placed before the people of Laurens has met with such immediate and general approval as that to enclose and improve and beautify the graveyard.

Starting with an appeal through the newspapers, the first overt act was done when the ladies of the Civic League determined to give the project the weight of their powerful influence; and, almost at the moment that they put the facts and their plans squarely before the community, Laurens responded—as she always has, and please God, always will—to the call of duty.

The expense involved is so small as to be absolutely insignificant if borne in common by all who have a kindred interest there; whereas the cost and the trouble added together are as nothing compared to what we habitually bestow on our living loved ones and in particular on ourselves.

It is not, therefore, merely a question of sentiment of a matter for the Civic League to struggle along with. It is a profound question affecting the every day life and duty of each one of us; and every man and woman, old and young, in Laurens ought to constitute a self-appointed committee of one to lend every possible effort towards this most laudable undertaking with money and with time and work and most particularly and continuously with words of encouragement.

All honor to the Civic League, for they are the pioneers and to them belongs the credit of having roused the community from a lethargy into which it is devoutly to be wished there may never be a return.

But, now that the question is squarely before us and the issue is plainly joined, it is our manifest and undeniable duty to act and continue to act, so that we may be not unworthy of those who went before us—remembering always that, in honoring the men and women of a day that is dead, we honor ourselves indeed."

The Herald is eminently correct throughout; for, as has been repeatedly pointed out in these columns, the question is absolutely fundamental and can be answered in but one way.

The movement, possessing as it does so much intrinsic merit, should not be permitted to lag for a single moment; but, on the contrary, the concerted effort now so active should be uninterruptedly continued until there has been perfected a permanent organization—preferably incorporated—whose function it will be to forever protect and keep clean and beautiful

the place where lie the bodies of our sainted dead.

It can be done. It will be done and that without delay unless we totally misinterpret what seems to be the now thoroughly awakened and solemnly determined public sentiment of this community!

HEALTH AND SCHOOL.

Every child in the public schools of Spartanburg, nearly 3,000 in number, will undergo a careful physical examination within the next few weeks. This admirable move is, indirectly the result of the action of the school authorities in the town of Seneca, where astonishing results, relative to the health of the children, were obtained last year when physicians made a thorough study of the school children's health. The beneficial results obtained in Seneca have led Sumter and Spartanburg to take up the movement. The progressiveness of these three towns as well as the good results obtained give ample proof that it is a movement worthy of continuation throughout the State.

In Seneca the examination of the children revealed certain unhealthy physical conditions, that had they been allowed to remain unattended to, would eventually have incapacitated the children for doing any school work properly. Parents were astonished to learn that their children were using only one eye, when apparently both were in perfect condition. Some were found to be near-sighted, a condition that invariably hampers both child and teacher. Many other defects, some internal, of which the parents were totally unaware, were brought to light by these examinations.

There is nothing more essential to intellectual growth than a sound body. No child laboring under an unknown or an unrealized deformity, can be expected to keep up in a class of strong, healthy boys and girls. That however, every parent knows, but every parent does not know the true physical condition of the child. It should be known and thoroughly and for that reason, these examinations have been held in Seneca, Spartanburg and Sumter.

The movement in Spartanburg was begun by the medical society there. Three physicians, all prominent in their profession, have volunteered to do the work free of charge. Despite a loss of much time that their practice assures would be profitable to them, these men are doing this free but with the satisfying realization that they are aiding in a fine cause. May this movement spread throughout the State and may Laurens be among the first to assist in its growth.

THE TORRENS SYSTEM.

The Greenwood Index. The Index was delighted to note in last week's Laurens Advertiser a strong endorsement of the Torrens system of land registration from such a clear-headed lawyer as A. C. Todd, Esq., of the Laurens Bar. Newspapers all over the country have been saying the Torrens system of registering titles to real estate was greatly needed and all that sort of thing and yet few of them have said anything about what the system was or why it is better and equally as safe as the cumbersome system we now have. Mr. Todd is a lawyer of ability and is not hide-bound by traditions. He has looked into the Torrens system and knows it is a good thing. Most good lawyers are of the same opinion. Few of them are influenced by the selfish motive that a good fee may be lost, in the future, in looking up "records."

Looking over the files of this paper for the year 1902 recently the writer noted that much was copied from the Richmond Times-Dispatch in The Index that year in favor of the Torrens system and that editorially it was endorsed. And further that complaint was made editorially that none of its South Carolina contemporaries would take enough interest in the matter to join The Index in arousing interest in the system, dailies as well as weeklies. It is refreshing and encouraging to see such strong sentiment existing in its favor as is manifest today not only in this State but all over the country.

Wash That Itch Away.

It is said that there are certain springs in Europe that give relief and cure to Eczema and other skin diseases. If you knew that by washing in these waters you could be relieved from that awful itch, wouldn't you make every effort to take a trip to Europe at once? Would you not be willing to spend your last cent to find the cure?

But you need not leave home for these distant springs. Relief is right here in your own home town! A simple wash of Oil of Wintergreen Thymol and other ingredients as compounded only in D. D. Prescription will bring instant relief to that terrible burning itch, and leave the skin as smooth and healthy as that of a child.

If you have not already tried it, get at least a 25 cent bottle today. We assure you of instant relief.

Asthma! Asthma!
POPHAM'S ASTHMA REMEDY gives instant relief and an absolute cure in all cases of Asthma, Bronchitis, and Hay Fever. Sold by druggists; mail on receipt of price \$1.00.
 Trial Package by mail 10 cents.
WILLIAMS MFG. CO., Props., Cleveland, Ohio
 Laurens Drug Co., Laurens, S. C.

THE COURT HOUSE.

Editor Laurens Advertiser: I read in your paper of last week an article from some one in regard to our court house which expresses my thoughts and tells the truth. Mr. Humbert the supervisor ought to weigh well the matter of putting a large sum of money on the present court house as it is very plain that it is impossible to make suitable offices out of the present building. The clerk's, sheriff's, probate and auditor's offices are located between two thick walls, too close together to make a comfortable office out of them without tearing down those inner walls. The moment you do that, you weaken the building. The offices could not be made comfortable and sanitary. The porticoes to the court house are not let into the main building which is in the shape of a square but simply built to the original building and the cracks are there to show for themselves. I think the jury rooms are the same way, just added to the main part of the building. The addition of 20 or 30 thousand dollars would give this building a clumsy shape and still your offices would be unsuitable.

The plan I advocate along with the correspondent of last week is to sell the present court house to the city of Laurens for a city hall and public library and build a new court house in front of the jail on Main street. The legislature could authorize the sinking fund commission to make a loan to the county sufficient to build a splendid court house at a low rate of interest. In my opinion it would be largely a waste of money to spend 50 thousand dollars on the old court house. We would never feel the additional tax necessary to pay interest and sinking fund on \$75,000 for a new court house. This is a question for our members of the legislature and I hope Mr. Humbert will go slowly and deliberately in this matter before he makes contract for repairing the present building. I call attention to the public that it is a difficult matter to hear the proceedings in the court house when there is much noise on the streets. The noise is painful to those engaged in the business of the court. Twice the appropriation would give us a new court house that we would be proud of and the old one could be sold for one-third of the necessary loan to build a new one. Let the public consider this matter and talk out.

AT HEAD OF RALEIGH CONCERN.

W. A. Medlock Becomes Manager of Wholesale Drug House.

Mr. W. A. Medlock, whose rapid rise as a druggist has been a source of much gratification to his Laurens friends, has become manager of a large wholesale drug company at Raleigh. The Raleigh News and Observer of October 7 contained the following announcement regarding Mr. Medlock and his new work:

Announcing a complete reorganization and change of management, the Acme Drug Co., of this city, begins this month with a new and progressive policy and the new ownership promises to make the company one of the largest and most progressive wholesale drug companies in the State. The entire interests of the former management have been bought by progressive citizens and Mr. W. A. Medlock, of Meridian, Miss., recommended as one of the most experienced and among the foremost men in the wholesale drug business in that State, has arrived in Raleigh to manage the company. The personal and business commendation given to Mr. Medlock by the citizens of Meridian, assures him a warm welcome in Raleigh. The company will continue at its present location on east Martin street, and will conduct an exclusively wholesale business and will appeal for business on business principles only.

Lecture on Holy Land.

There will be given at Chestnut Ridge church an illustrated lecture on the Holy Land on Tuesday night after the third Sunday in October. Admission free.

Pastor Leaves Ora.

Rev. B. H. Grier pastor of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church at Ora, has accepted a call to Camden, Ala., and will leave for that field on the 12th of this month.

FALLING HAIR.

Can Easily Be Stopped; Also Dandruff and Itching Scalp.

If Parisian Sage doesn't stop falling hair, itching scalp, and eradicate dandruff in two weeks the Laurens Drug Co. stands ready to refund your money without argument or red tape of any kind.

Parisian Sage will put a fascinating radiance into any woman's hair in a few days.

Susanne Calahan, of Hotel Royal, Bucyrus, Ohio, on March 25, 1910, wrote: "Mother's hair began to come out very badly and her scalp was so sore it was very hard to do anything for it. Parisian Sage proved a grand success every way. Her hair stopped coming out, dandruff all disappeared, soreness all left the scalp and her hair is coming in again very nicely." Large bottle 50 cents at Laurens Drug Co.

We are showing some unusual values in Rugs and Art Squares, they are money savers.
 S. M. & E. H. Wilkes & Co.

The Old Farm.

Farm Journal. The ancient barn with its clapboards gray, Has for well-nigh fifty years Sheltered its wealth of fragrant hay And wealth of golden ears. The swallows dart thro' the open door Just the same as in years gone by. When we rode around o'er the thrashing floor, And trod out the wheat and rye. On rainy days off a merry throng Of children gathered here And with hunting eggs and games and song. The gloom gave way to cheer. In its lofty mows we often played. In the days of long ago, And peered 'neath the rafters half afraid. Lest some goblin lurked below. Hail! dear old barn, 'neath thy sheltering eaves Sweet echoes dwell, and sing To my list'ning ear, and my heart receives Fond memories of youth's glad spring.

OUR SPECIAL NOTICES.

Notice—COPYRIGHT Flour is the HIGHEST grade of Patent Flour, when you use Copyright you have the BEST, that can be made from wheat. 11-2t

Wanted—A good white helper wanted to sew. Male or female. Phone 321 or call on D. Isacoff, tailor. 11-1t

Notice—As Thursday, October 13 is a Jewish holiday—my tailoring establishment will be closed. However, will be open for business on Friday, D. Isacoff, Laurens, S. C. 11-1t

Wanted—Bright boy—under 15 years easy work, splendid business training, will not interfere with studies. Apply A. A. Leibold, Owings House, corner Caroline and South St. 11-1t

For Sale—One farm of 512 acres, more or less, 9-room dwelling, known as Joel Smith place. Near Ware Shoals. If not sold before, will be sold first Monday in December at Laurens. 11-5t pd

Lost—Thursday, Oct 6, between Ora Station and W. M. Bryson's gin house, one gentleman size open face gold watch. Suitable reward if returned to O. L. Hunter. 11-2t

For Sale—S. C. Rhode Island Reds, 14 pullets, 2 cockrels, deep red, well marked, splendid layers. Call of write J. M. Todd, Gray Court, S. C. R. F. D. No. 3. 11-1tpd

For Sale—Red rust-proof seed oats for sale. Apply to Jno. T. Stokes, Mountville, S. C. 10-2t

Seed Wheat—The Byrdville Dairy and Stock farm has 150 bushels of Blue Stem wheat for sale. W. D. Byrd, Laurens, R. F. D. No. 3. 9-1t

For Rent—Nice eight-room modern dwelling, two blocks from square, water works and electric lights in house. See Dr. Dial. 10-4t

Notice—Large monument and unvelling scene photographs, 25 cents each at McCord's Studio, Laurens, S. C. 10-1t

For Sale—Eleven mules, ten head of cattle, lot of hogs and pigs, also three good farms for rent. Apply to W. D. Putnam, Barksdale, S.-C. 10-2tp

For Rent—Modern, nice eight room dwelling, two blocks of Square. Water works and electric lights in house. See Dr. Dial, Laurens, S. C. 9-4t

For Sale—Seed oats—appler and red rust proof oats, at 75c per bushel. Apply to A. P. Fuller, Mountville, S. C.

CANDIDATES' ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For County Auditor.

I am a candidate in the approaching special primary for the office of county auditor, subject to the result of said election.

ALEX. N. BRAMLETT.

I hereby announce myself as candidate for auditor of Laurens county and promise to abide by the results of the special Democratic primary.

R. M. BROWNLEE.

I most respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the nomination in the special primary for the office of county auditor, and hereby agree to abide by the result of the same.

J. ROSS DORRHO.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of county auditor, subject to the decision of the voters in the special Democratic primary election.

W. H. GILKERSON, SR.

I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the office of auditor subject to the result of the special primary election.

CLARENCE L. HAMMETT.

I hereby announce myself as candidate for the office of auditor of Laurens county in the coming special primary and promise to abide by the results of the same.

JOHN A. MAHON.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for county auditor, subject to the rules governing the nomination of said office.

MARCUS L. NASH.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of county auditor, the same being subject to the rules and regulations governing the special primary election.

J. WADDY THOMPSON.

I most respectfully announce myself as candidate for auditor of Laurens county, subject to the decision of the voters in the special Democratic primary.

B. MARVIN WOLFF.

Prof. Chas. F. Brooks, superintendent of the Ninety Six graded schools spent Saturday and Sunday at his old home near Gray Court.

Citation for Letters of Administration.

State of South Carolina, County of Laurens.

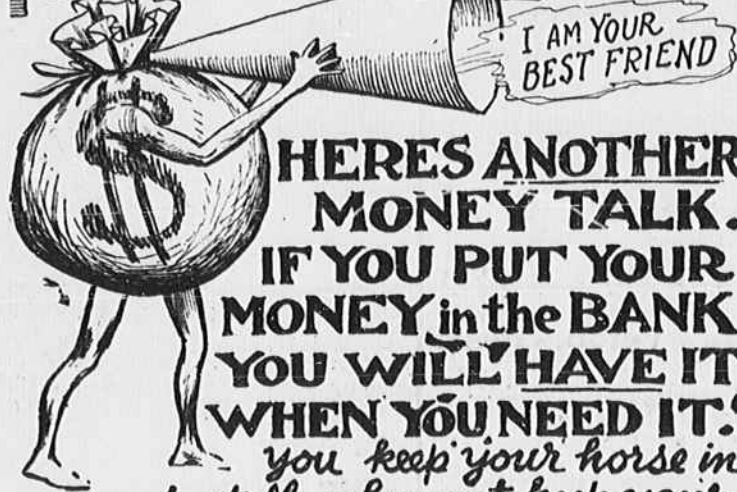
By O. G. Thompson, Probate Judge: Whereas, Clarence E. Kennedy made suit to me to grant him Letters of Administration of the estate and effects of Jane Starnes. These are, therefore, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred

and creditors of the said Jane Starnes deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the court of probate, to be held at Laurens C. H., S. C. on the 25th day of October next, after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted.

Goven under my hand this 11th day of October Anno Domini 1910.

O. G. Thompson, Probate Judge.

MONEY TALKS



HERE'S ANOTHER MONEY TALK. IF YOU PUT YOUR MONEY in the BANK YOU WILL HAVE IT WHEN YOU NEED IT! you keep your horse in a good stable, why not keep your money in a bank where fire nor burglars cannot harm it.

MAYOR ROTHSCHILD, born in Frankfort, Germany, in 1743, and founder of the Great Rothschild fortunes—the greatest on earth—peddled from house to house when a boy.

He saved his money. Economy and INTEREST, at low rates, made this great fortune.

Make OUR Bank YOUR Bank.

We pay liberal interest consistent with safety.

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Laurens, S. C.

N. B. Dial, President C. H. Roper, Cashier

We want to do your

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We will sell you a better grade of

VALLEY TIN

than you have been using at the same price.

We make anything to order out of Sheet Metal

Be sure and see our Metal Shingles before roofing your residence.

Yours for better work and material.

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Have opened a full line of Black and Colored Wool Dress Goods, Gingham, Outings and Flannelettes, Hosiery, Underwear, Table Linen and Towels. Also a complete line of Domestic Goods of every description.

Special values in Ladies' and Misses Sweaters will arrive this week at

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