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NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the mercantile firm heretofore composed of Dr. W. H. Dial and W. M. Dial, under the firm name of The Dial Company, has this day by mutual consent been dissolved. W. M. Dial having purchased the entire assets and will continue the business. All creditors and debtors will make settlement with W. Moore Dial.

Laurens, S. C., Sept. 3rd, 1915. W. H. Dial, W. M. Dial. 7-11. H. S. BLACKWELL Attorney at Law. Prompt attention given to all business Money to loan on Real Estate Office Phone 350 Residence Phone 95 Office in Simmons Building

C. C. Featherstone W. B. Knight FEATHERSTONE & KNIGHT Attorneys at Law Laurens, S. C. All Business Intrusted to Our Care Will Have Prompt and Careful Attention. Office over Palmetto Bank (Mr. Featherstone will spend Wednesday of each week in Laurens.)

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Get Your Neighbors Ready for Wiser Cotton Marketing. The marvelous achievements of the German army and of Germany itself have given the whole world convincing proof of the value of preparedness. The man who wins is the man who gets ready and gets ready long ahead of time.

This principle certainly applies in cotton marketing this year. If we are going to avoid the blunders of last year, it is time and high time to put things in readiness. We must act at once. Of course we are not going to have the panic which prevailed last year. We know now that the world will use cotton, war or no war; and we have the help of the Federal Reserve system, which was not in operation when last year's crop matured. Mr. Harding, the Southern member of the Federal Reserve Board, declares that the government will do its part in advancing money to move the crop. But the real question, he says, is whether Southern merchants and Southern bankers and Southern farmers will do their part by getting ready to take advantage of the facilities offered.

Probably the greatest need is for better warehousing. Fortunately the National Department of Agriculture is interesting itself in this problem, and cotton-growers everywhere should get its two new bulletins, No. 216 on "Cotton Warehouses", and No. 277, "Cotton Warehouse Construction". Farmers and business men in every cotton-producing county should get together immediately, investigate the warehousing needs of their local markets and arrange to remedy any defects or deficiencies.

At the same time farmers should interview their bankers and arrange to get such advances as will enable them to hold cotton until after the market recovers from the depression that always follows the dumping of the "distress" portion of the crop.

Of course we believe that farmers should act individually where it is not possible to get cooperative action, but really isn't it possible to get your neighbors to act together, Mr. Subscriber, if you only show sufficient industry and patience? There is the test of the great man—that he has "learned to labor and to wait." Or as the modern phrase has it, "all things come to him who waits—if he hustles while he waits." And if our readers are willing to work hard enough and keep at it, farmers all over the South can have the needed marketing associations, warehousing the crop until sold, and selling both cotton and cotton seed in pools when the time for selling comes.

We repeat that prices are naturally going to open better than last year, but we do not expect them to open at their best. The crop is likely to be shorter than the cotton-buying world now believes, because the 41 per cent decrease in Southern fertilizer consumption will tell heavily against the crop in the fruiting period. Later on, when the actual loss from this cause is known and when the "distressed" cotton has gotten off the market, we expect prices to climb again as they did last spring.

Get your farming neighbors together, make plans for marketing both cotton and cotton seed in pools, and arrange for proper warehousing with banking advances. Incidentally, don't forget to send for two bulletins mentioned, and write State Warehouse Commissioner J. L. McLaurin, Columbia, S. C., and State Warehouse Commissioner F. C. Welbert, Austin, Texas, for literature issued by them.—The Progressive Farmer.

Diarrhoea Remedy. "I advised the 'boys' when they enlisted for the Spanish war to take Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with them and have received many thanks for the advice given," writes J. H. Houghland, Eldon, Iowa. "No person whether traveling or at home should be without this great remedy." For sale by all dealers.

The Old Wheeze. The world is eternally plagued by a class of estimable people who dread the new. Their instinct is to club it over the head. Since that primitive implement went out of fashion they have carried an antique flintlock pistol known as an old wheeze. With this they take deliberate aim and the noise which follows is: "Of course there is some truth in what you say, but you can never change human nature." Now while old campaigners like Columbus, Darwin, Cromwell and Gierdano Bruno could view this weapon with equanimity, it did after a terrifying amateur rebels into silence, until one bolder than the rest looked unflinchingly into the bore. The reward of his courage was this damaging discovery: The Old Wheeze is loaded with nothing but blank cartridges.—Seymour Deming, in Atlantic Monthly.

TEUTONIC BLOWS LOSING THEIR FORCE

Either are being held up by Russians or They are Preparing for Winter. London, Sept. 5.—Either the driving power of the Austro-German offensive against Russia is nearly exhausted or the German generals have decided that their armies have penetrated as far as is safe and are preparing to dig themselves in for the winter. This is the opinion expressed by military writers here.

Little progress is being made and at many points the Germans and Austrians are only repulsing counter-attacks. From the Gulf of Riga to Grodno Field Marshal von Hindenburg's army is at a standstill, having apparently made no attempt to cross the Dvina after carrying the bridgeheads at Lennwada and Friedrichstadt.

To the north, southwest and south of Vilna, whose fall has been predicted for some days, the Germans face strong Russian forces, who by their offensive make it dangerous for the Germans to push their way westward, north or south of them.

Object Not Apparent. The Germans on the other hand, are massed between Grodno and Kobrin on the Brest-Pinsk railway, but their immediate object is not obvious, unless they are looking for a good defensive position.

Farther south the Russians are of firing fresh resistance in a fortified area of which Rovno and Dubno are centres; while in Galicia they still hold the line of the Sereth river.

With the rainy season a few weeks off, the opposing armies can not hope to carry on operations much longer, and some reports say the Germans and Austrians already are moving troops to the Servian, Roumanian and Western fronts.

In the West the heavy artillery of the allies still is bombarding the German lines, but there is no indication of a general offensive.

Turks Attack in Yain. Paris reports that the Turks have delivered an unsuccessful night attack against the British position near the Anzac region.

There has been a renewal of reports from Athens of dissension between the Turks and Germans and of depression among the Turkish troops, who are reported to be fighting with all their old stubbornness.

Arthur J. Balfour, first lord of the British admiralty, in a letter to the press, gives official recognition to the belief here that Germany's promises to America not to sink any more passenger ships without warning were brought about by the realization that the submarine warfare against merchantmen had failed. He again intimates that many German submarines have been accounted for and adds that British mercantile tonnage is now greater than before the war in spite of submarine activity.

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RABUN NEWS. Rabun, Sept. 6.—Miss Edna Owens visited Mr. and Mrs. John Hellams, of Shiloh section, Tuesday. Mrs. Anna West, of Poplar Springs section, spent several days last week with her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Check. Misses Marie Mahon and Lizzie Mahon, after visiting relatives in the Piedmont section, returned to their home last Friday. Mrs. Markus Owens and children, spent Thursday with Mrs. Bob Bolt. Mrs. Sid Ramsey, of Anderson, and her mother, Mrs. Della Acker, of Wilhamston, spent last week in this and Eden communities visiting relatives. Mr. Walter Nash and family of Merina section spent Sunday with H. H. Mahon and family. Misses Vera and Allene Baldwin visited Miss Cora League Sunday. Mr. Walter Baldwin visited Mr. Bob Bolt Sunday. Mr. Hampton Roper and son, Charles, of Honea Path, are visiting Mr. Jim Roper this week. Mr. Claude Wasson and family, of the Friendship section, spent Sunday with Mrs. Rebecca Owens.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION. STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, County of Laurens.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 14th day of September, A. D. 1915, at the voting precincts fixed by law in said county, upon the question as to whether the manufacture and sale of alcoholic liquors and beverages shall be prohibited or continued in this State, as provided by Act No. 76, to submit to the qualified electors the question of the prohibition of the manufacture and sale of alcoholic liquors and beverages in the State and to provide for the carrying of these provisions into effect, approved the 16th day of February, A. D. 1915.

The qualifications for suffrage are as follows: Residence in State for two years, in the county one year, in the polling precinct in which the elector offers to vote, four months, and the payment six months before any election of any poll tax then due and payable. Provided, That ministers in charge of an organized church and teachers of public schools shall be entitled to vote after six months' residence in the State, otherwise qualified.

Registration.—Payment of all taxes, including poll tax, assessed and collectible during the previous year. The production of a certificate or the receipt of the officer authorized to collect such taxes shall be conclusive proof of the payment thereof.

Before the hour fixed for opening the poll managers and clerks must take and subscribe to the constitutional oath. The chairman of the board of managers can administer the oath to the other managers and to the clerk; a Notary Public must administer the oath to chairman and clerk.

Polls at each voting place must be opened at 7 o'clock a. m., and closed at 4 o'clock p. m., except in the City of Charleston, where they shall be opened at 7 a. m., and closed at 6 p. m. The managers have the power to fill a vacancy; and if none of the managers attend, the citizens can appoint, from among the qualified voters, the managers, who, after being sworn, can conduct the election.

At the close of the election, the managers and clerk must proceed publicly to open the ballot boxes and count the ballots therein, and continue without adjournment until the same is completed and make a statement of the result, and sign the same. Within three days thereafter, the chairman of the board or some one designated by the board, must deliver to the commissioners of election the poll list, the boxes containing the ballots and written statements of the result of the election.

Managers of Election.—The following managers of election have been appointed to hold the election at the various precincts in the said county: Power—Gas L. Hughes, L. L. Templeton, J. T. Owings. Ekum—W. W. Culbertson, Ernest L. Burts, Harrison Pinson. Mt. Pleasant—Guy E. Moore, B. H. Paslay, W. H. Williams. Daniel's Store—J. C. Martin, L. S. Cooper, E. B. Boland. Tip Top—Q. W. Sims, S. W. Puckett, J. W. Anderson. Clinton—B. H. Boyd, R. F. Bryson, T. J. Duckett. Pleasant Mount—H. P. Burdett, R. W. Stewart, T. W. Cannady. Young's Store—C. R. Wallace, W. P. Harris, Austin Abercrombie. Lanford—W. H. Drummond, J. R. Franks, J. W. Lanford. Stewart's Store—Geo. T. Cook, Stewart Henry, Rhett Sloan. Cook's Store—W. P. Patton, S. M. Thompson, P. B. Cooper. Grays—R. R. Barnett, J. D. Garren, M. E. Long. Watts Mill—B. E. Sarge, M. A. Garrett, D. C. Jones. Clinton Mill—Frank Bailey B. Frank Anderson, F. A. Buchanan. Langston—S. O. Clark, R. T. Goodwin, J. Wess Donnon. Princeton—J. L. Bagwell, M. B. McCuen, A. J. Menroe. Tumbling Shoals—J. W. Kellert, J. L. Chapman, W. D. Sullivan, Sr. Poplar Springs—W. S. Knight, N. B. Wood, J. T. Pitts. Gray Court—J. W. Wells, J. N. Leak, W. B. Brooks. Dials—R. R. Owings, Alex McCall, John Simmons. Shiloh—J. L. Power, C. M. Wolff, M. Gary Wallace. Woodville—M. W. Gray, W. F. Medlock, W. R. Putnam. Lydia Mill—T. E. Boyce, J. K. Templeton, W. E. Johnson. Mountville—J. M. Simmons, J. A. Golding, W. C. Mitchell. Hopewell—J. R. Crawford, M. A. Cannon, W. W. Davis. Ora—W. E. McClintock, W. J. Fleming, W. B. Byrd. Waterloo—W. Carl Wharton, J. P. Moore, J. M. Pearce. Renno—P. H. Copeland, J. G. Pitts, Joe R. Adair. Cross Hill—W. P. Culbertson, Conway Dial, W. B. Fuller. Goldville—Geo. A. Browning, D. T. Abrams, J. G. Halle. Laurens Cotton Mill—C. B. Adams, S. J. Avery, G. E. Moore, Jr.

Laurens—Z. R. Traynham, S. J. Davis, Grover C. Peterson. The managers at each precinct named above are requested to delegate one of their number to secure the boxes and blanks for the election at Clerk of Court's office. J. E. LEIDFORD, Chr. J. C. McMILLAN, IRA C. BOLAND, Commissioners of State and County for Laurens County, S. C.

NOTICE OF ELECTION. STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, County of Laurens.

In pursuance of a writ to us directed by His Excellency Richard I. Manning, Governor of South Carolina, on the 13th day of August, A. D., 1915, Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 14th day of September, A. D., 1915, at the voting precincts fixed by law in said county, to elect a representative in Congress for the Fourth Congressional District, to fill the unexpired term of Joseph T. Johnson, resigned.

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W. J. ANDERSON, G. WASH HUNTER, Commissioners of Federal Election for Laurens County, S. C.