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NOTICE
STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.
Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of Watts Mills is called and will be held at the office of the undersigned at the City of Laurens, South Carolina, on the 20th day of October, 1915, at 12 o'clock noon, to consider resolutions adopted by the Directors at a meeting held on the 20th day of September, 1915, providing that the capital stock be increased from five hundred thousand dollars to one million, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, divided into twelve thousand five hundred shares of the par value of one hundred dollars each.
The regular annual meeting of the stockholders will be held at the same time and place.
J. ADGER SMYTH, JR.,
President.
THOS. I. SWYGERT,
Secretary.
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**WAREHOUSE SYSTEM,
MARKETING COTTON**

N. B. Dial Discusses Question and Takes John L. McLaurin to Task for Expressions.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:
I notice that ex-Senator McLaurin has had a great deal to say recently in the newspapers about the State warehouse system. One of his most remarkable letters was in The News and Courier of October 9. He undertakes to dictate to the people the kind of men they should send both to the legislature and to congress. He criticizes, abuses and misrepresents the banks and insurance companies, claims for himself all the benefits of the federal reserve banking system, and alleges that he is the originator of the warehouse idea, and attempts to sow seeds of discord in our State by arraying one class against another, and appoints himself the guardian and mouthpiece of the "poor man."

Perhaps it will be well for us to keep the record straight. It is unnecessary to get excited. No doubt, all our citizens favor some system whereby cotton crops may be marketed gradually during the 12 months of the year. This is not an open question. The point is, what kind of a warehouse system ought to be adopted? The idea is not a new one, and was not originated in this State. The State of Maryland has had a tobacco warehouse system for 100 years, besides large granaries in the West operated upon the same plan. I organized and built the second warehouse in this State for the storage of cotton, some 17 years ago, and have managed it successfully ever since. Our receipts today are taken as collateral as readily by the banks, including the regional reserve bank, at as low a rate as the State warehouse receipts.

It might be interesting to recall some legislation along this line. Several years since the South Carolina legislature passed an act putting the State in the dispensary business. The act was promptly declared unconstitutional by the supreme court. Afterwards the constitution was amended and the State allowed to go into that business legally. In 1912 the legislature passed an act authorizing the State to go into the warehouse business. This act was also declared unconstitutional. At a later session, another act was passed authorizing the State to go into the warehouse business in a limited way. As a matter of history, it was never intended that under our form of government the State, county, town or any other geographical division of our country should go into any kind of business except the business of government. If the business is a legitimate one, it is the province of the citizens to engage in it and not of the government. To illustrate the point, when I was quite a young man I was elected mayor of our city. We charged a license on all business, including draying. I put the city in the drayage business. The draymen called to see me and stated that they were paying a license and we were using it to compete and destroy their business. I saw the justice in their contention and discontinued. I have no particular quarrel to raise with the legislature for passing the last warehouse act. I will say, however, that perhaps it will be best that if our people want to engage in the warehouse business to submit an amendment of the constitution to the people so that its receipts will have the financial standing of the State behind them. At present the receipts are weak, as by reference to printed data of the regional reserve bank, to wit: "The act also provides that the State of South Carolina shall not be liable for the cotton." How far are we going in this direction? At the present time our people want a roller mill built. Will the State compete with the owners?

If individuals or corporations want to build warehouses similar to the one here it is important that they see that waterworks are present in order to obtain low rates of insurance. Warehouse companies without these facilities sometime fail as one did in this county. I thought, and still think, that a still better warehouse system could be passed by congress, similar to whiskey bonded warehouses. If we could get this kind of a receipt for our cotton, we could borrow money anywhere at the very lowest possible rate. Of course, it is kind of the secretary and treasurer to place money in national banks at a low rate of interest whereby they are able to loan it to their customers at a very moderate rate, but to make our country prosperous and independent we should have a warehouse system in which the public could have absolute confidence, and in which the banks and the management of the banks would understand how to put their money in the South does not use the word "warehouse" to speak for all warehouses. The State is not a warehouse, and the warehouses are not State warehouses. The State is not a warehouse, and the warehouses are not State warehouses. The State is not a warehouse, and the warehouses are not State warehouses.

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With the average man a cold is a serious matter and should not be trifled with as some of the most dangerous diseases start with a common cold. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and get rid of your cold as quickly as possible. You are not experimenting when you use this remedy, as it has been in use for many years and has an established reputation. It contains no opium or other narcotic. Obtainable everywhere.
Method.
There is no one able or anxious to deny the value of a method. But there are many who realize that method is not everything, and that strict adherence to it sometimes becomes a nuisance. There is a madness in hard and fast rules. The strict adherence to some method is almost as bad as having no method at all. We should remember that our actions have, at all times, to be guided by circumstances.
Despondency.
When you feel discouraged and despondent do not give up but take a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets and you are almost certain to feel all right within a day or two. Despondency is very often due to indigestion and biliousness, for which these tablets are especially valuable. Obtainable everywhere.

It is that every time the farmers meet, bankers and capitalists get into the meeting. That I raise cotton and owe money, and if I can not get my price my creditors will have to take it by the throat. Of course, I took him to task for any such unworthy sentiment. In fact, I would almost certainly have expressed my vigorous such indignation in principle. Now, he goes on and assumes all the glory of getting the national government to place some money in the South to store cotton. He now says that the next legislature will be sure to pass a 6 per cent rate of interest law. I do not know what influence he will have with the legislature, but I do not think any reasonable member with any amount of experience will be so unwise as to advocate such legislation. As a matter of fact, it is an exceedingly difficult matter for the banks, at least in this part of the country to make small dividends. The one of which I am president barely did it the last six months. By time the banks keep on paying increased taxes, and occasionally have losses by way of forgeries and otherwise, and on account of increased competition, it will be very hard for them to pay dividends.

In his piece in The News and Courier, he also ignorantly or maliciously represents many insurance companies in stating that they require borrowers to take out policies of insurance. My law firm has represented several large companies here for several years. We have loaned out thousands of dollars—in fact over \$100,000 for one company—and we know that they have never demanded a single policy. We have learned that prosperity depends upon our mutual efforts, and there is no place in South Carolina for strife to be stirred between any class of our citizens. The State does not belong to the poor man alone, neither does it belong to the rich—it is our State. We are all poor. I have no love for the rich who oppress the poor for the sake of getting richer, neither have I any patience with the man who whines and does nothing. Furthermore, I have no confidence in, patience with or respect for the man who continually parades his love (in talk) for the so-called "poor man". It is an insult to the self respect of the man of small means or without means. I am always ready to help the man who tries.

While all of our older people know Mr. McLaurin and understand his motives, and perhaps do not deem it necessary to reply yet I feel that it is unwise to have seeds of discord and misrepresentation sown in our State when we are making such great efforts to build up our agriculture and other enterprises, and to bring capital into our borders. Not only this, but a good many people do not know his history. Such sentiments as entertained and expressed by him have injured the interests of the people of South Carolina many millions of dollars. I know it to be a fact that many people out of our State are afraid to invest their money or even to lend it in South Carolina, and by reason of such sentiments as entertained by him, we are forced to pay a greater rate of interest than we otherwise would pay. By such doctrines, we retard progress and bankrupt our present institutions, which are sold out and local stockholders lose their holdings, and outside rich parties purchase the property. For example, cotton mills. We should endeavor to stop creating useless offices and cut down appropriations, and reduce our tax rate. Moreover, if our business men, of all classes, will allow me to say so, it is time for each and every one of them to speak out for economy, honesty and upright dealings with all of our citizens, even if it does take some of their time from their business, and if they have to go out of their way to do so. I have recently returned from a trip to San Francisco, and I confidently believe if our soil and climate were made known to the people of the United States, and if we would stop so much populistic doctrine the population of our State would be doubled in the near future. Our legislature should meet only once in two years, and all terms of offices should be for four years so that our people's attention would be given to business instead of so much politics and hush.

Mountainous Greece.
Greece is extremely mountainous the only plain region worthy of the name being found in Thessaly. In this province is a large quantity of undeveloped water power furnished by torrents which sweep through the plains in the rainy season, doing great damage, their course for the remainder of the year being marked by dry ravines.

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IT'S not on any stage, this passing show that we're so interested in—but right on the sidewalk in front of our store.
Perhaps you are among those who pass and don't come in—if you are, you and those who pass by with you are not being quite fair to yourselves or to us.

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LAND SALE.
State of South Carolina,
County of Laurens.

IN COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
Peoples Bank of Fountain Inn, Plaintiff,
against
J. I. Burdette and N. E. Burdette, Defendants.

Pursuant to a decree of the Court in the above stated case, I will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder, at Laurens, C. H. S. C., on Salesday in November next, being Monday the 1st day of the month, during the legal hours for such sales, the following described property, to wit:
All that certain piece, parcel, and tract of land situate, lying and being in Laurens County, State of South Carolina, containing sixty-seven and one-half (67-1/2) acres, more or less, being the same conveyed to us by deed from Jas. M. Richardson bearing date of Jan. 25th, 1912, also being the same piece of property conveyed to Jas. M. Richardson by us in a deed bearing date of Jan. 18th, 1912 and recorded in the office of R. M. C. for Laurens County in deed book 32 at page 280.

Terms of Sale: One-half cash, balance to be paid twelve months from date of sale; the credit portion to be secured by bond and mortgage of the purchaser over the said premises, bearing legal interest from date, and 10 per cent attorney's fees, in case of collection or suit, with leave to purchaser to pay his entire bid in cash. Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps. If the terms of sale are not complied with, the land to be re-sold on same or some subsequent Salesday on same terms, at risk of former purchaser.

C. A. POWER,
C. C. C. P. and G. S. Laurens, S. C.
Dated, this 8th day of Oct., 1915, 12-31
C. C. Featherstone W. B. Knight

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Laurens, S. C.

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A. H. MILLER
Greer, S. C.