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LAURENS, S. C., MARCH 17, 1920.

It seems that the movement started in Columbia to put out opposition to Gov. Cooper in the forthcoming campaign was a "dash in the pan". Good politicians don't come out when there is no chance to win. Gov. Cooper is making good in Columbia and the politicians know it.

The Woodruff News, under new management, is waging a strong campaign for a live chamber of commerce in that enterprising town. There is always much that a live chamber of commerce can do for the advancement of a town, especially where it has such a fine contributory territory as Woodruff, and a live commercial body there ought to be of much benefit to its citizens.

Those who have a notion that they can make whiskey in violation of the law should take warning from the lessons taught in the criminal court here last week. Judge Sease made it plain to the violators of the prohibition law that severe punishment is to be meted out to them and that the government will not tolerate illicit distilleries. The price of whiskey is high now and it may not take much to pay a fine at present prices, but as the judge aptly said, "Fines are going up" and the punishment will probably be more severe as time passes.

THE CLEMSON "STRIKE"

The decision of the Clemson trustees following the "strike" of the student body was practically as was to be expected. The students had grievances and just reason to complain, as can be clearly seen, both from the despatches and from the reports of the boys themselves. The boys made a mistake, however, in leaving the college and making demands which clearly could not be considered. After all, the faculty must be the ruling authority in the college or its work cannot be continued.

It cannot be hidden that some things at the college, including the discipline and the table fare needed attention. The strike of the students, though ill-advised, will help to remedy these things. This much has been gained. This ought to be considered by the students while considering their technical defeat and sober action taken accordingly.

It would be unfortunate for the students to stick by a decision which was wrong in the beginning when the trustees have made the way so easy for them to return without a sacrifice of honor. To admit being in error is not dishonorable. It would be unjust to the college and to themselves if they stood by an original plan after that plan was found the wrong one.

While regretting the incident of the past week and thinking it ill-advised, we believe that if the students will now return to their work in the proper spirit that the college will go ahead with much better results.

ANNOUNCE SCHEDULE FOR SCHOOL DEBATE

First Elimination Contests Set for April 2. Laurens in First District, Columbia, March 14.—The stage has now been set for the first series of elimination contests in the annual debate of the high school debating league with the announcement yesterday of the official pairing of the 76 contesting schools. The contest will be held April 2, the affirmative teams debating at home, the negative teams on foreign territory.

The university extension department under whose auspices the debate is to be held, leaves the selection of judges to the various schools, so that in each case the two opposing schools should make all arrangements for the two contests among themselves. The plan of having the affirmative team debate at home was adopted with the idea of creating local interest in the various debates, attracting larger crowds and therefore assisting in carrying out the educational feature of the organizers of the league. This plan also permits of the elimination of the various triangular debates, which have been held heretofore, necessitating long trips for some of the teams and making the actual outcome of the contest difficult to ascertain.

Under the plan adopted this year the elimination contest will be divided into 28 debates, each between two schools. Only schools whose affirmative and negative team win in the elimination contest will be eligible for

entrance in subsequent debates of the series, which will culminate in the final debate between the two champion teams in the university chapel, April 21.

The official schedule of the first elimination contest, as announced by J. O. Van Meter, assistant director of the university extension department, yesterday follows:

District No. 1: Winnsboro versus Chester, Rock Hill versus Fort Mill, York versus Clover, Blacksburg versus Gaffney, Newberry versus Laurens, Union versus Spartanburg High, Jonesville versus Cedar Springs, Hattoe versus Wofford Fitting School, Cowpens versus Woodruff, McCormick versus Greenwood, Abbeville versus Due West, Anderson versus Greenville, Easley versus Liberty, Iva versus Honca Path, Fountain Inn versus Piedmont, Walhalla versus Seneca.

District No. 2: Epworth Orphanage versus Hyle Park, Blythewood versus Blaney, Columbia versus Camden, Kershaw versus Heath Springs, Chesterfield versus Cheraw, Bennettsville versus McColl, Clio versus Latta, Dillon versus Mullins, Hemingway versus Conway, Kingstree versus Georgetown, Florence versus Timmonsville, Hartsville versus Sumter, Pinewood versus Eutawville.

District No. 3: Fort Motte versus St. Matthews, New Brookland versus North, Lexington versus Leesville, Batesburg versus Edgefield, Orangeburg versus Branchville, Barnwell versus Estill, Hampton versus Walterboro, Ridgeland versus Beaufort, St. George versus Summerville.

BERLIN GOVERNMENT IS OVERTHROWN

(Continued from Page One.)

The public at large was taken completely by surprise. Life in Berlin is proceeding today as usual. Prognostications regarding the future for the moment seem idle.

Yesterday the chief interest was financial and commercial, circles were absorbed in the sudden and remarkable rise in the value of the mark. During the last few days persons who had been hoarding foreign money for speculative purposes began unloading as fast as possible. Whether this had anything to do with the turn in political events it is impossible to say. Attention is being called to the latest statement of the reichsbank, which shows a great increase in the flood of paper money.

RICHLAND SOLONS HONOR JOHN CREWS

Gift and Luncheon for Retiring Secretary of Richland Delegation.

(Columbia Record.)
John Crews, retiring member and secretary of the Richland delegation, was honored by his colleagues in the legislature Saturday. Senator Thomas Pearce and the members of the house met in Mr. Crews' office on law range. A speech was made by Senator Pearce, expressing the appreciation of the services of Mr. Crews as secretary of the delegation, and then the senator presented the secretary with a handsome silver, gold-lined cigarette case. Following the presentation, the delegation went to luncheon together, Mr. Crews being the guest.

Mr. Crews announced that he will not offer for re-election this year. He has been a member of the house and secretary of the delegation for four years. Other members of the delegation, besides Senator Pearce, are Representatives F. A. Daniels, A. A. Gerald, W. D. Hampton and Jodie M. Rawlinson.

There will probably be several changes in the Richland delegation next year. Both Mr. Crews and Mr. Hampton have announced that they will not offer for re-election. Mr. Daniels and Mr. Gerald are both doubtful as to their plans. Mr. Rawlinson is the only house member from Richland who has definitely announced that he will offer for re-election. Senator Pearce's term does not expire this year.

Butler's Scouts.

Our Advocate of this week gives an account of the death of Hugh N. Scott, in Augusta, Ga. These scouts were truly the eyes of the Confederate army. No braver men ever rode a horse than Scott, Paysinger, Fairly, Arnold and Bolt. When the war was rapidly drawing to a close around Greensboro, N. C., Scott and Bolt captured a Union cavalryman. They had no time to bother with prisoners. This soldier was well mounted and had fine equipment. Scott took possession of his pistol and said, "Look-a-here Yank, I am going to give you a chance for your life. Bolt, walk off a hundred yards and station him there. At the word, 'go' make for the timber, Yank, I am going to shoot you if I can before you get into the bushes, but I will not follow you into the timber." Bolt said the last time he saw the soldier, he was running his best and dodging around the trees, and thinks he got off unscathed.

Wm. D. S.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

For Sale—We have just received a good shipment of American rubber tire top buggies. Come in and choose yours. T. B. Sumerel. 35-11-pd

For Sale—Pure Wannamaker Cleveland Big Boll Cotton Seed. Pure as possible and have been run through a grader separating all faulty and immature seed. Price \$2.00 a bushel. Seed not graded, \$1.75 per bushel. Money, cash; and seed delivered at M. A. Sumerel's farm. See T. B. Sumerel or M. A. Sumerel. 35-11-pd

Fords For Sale—We still have two more new Fords for sale, also some good second hand Fords for as low as \$450. T. B. Sumerel. 35-11-pd

Cars Washed—Come to T. B. Sumerel's garage to have your car washed. 35-11-pd

For Sale—One Ford roadster, newly painted, new top, with seat covers. Mechanism thoroughly overhauled. Can be seen at Waldrop's Garage, W. B. Knight. 35-11-pd

For Sale—5 or 6 bushels sound clay peas, slightly mixed. Price \$4.50 per bushel. Also nice Berkshire boar for service. Fee \$2.00 or pig at 5 weeks old. J. D. Graden, Gray Court Rt. 1. 35-11-pd

Lost—Probably from front jury room last week, a dark colored rain coat. Finder please leave with Sheriff Reid, T. R. Griffin. 35-11-pd

For Sale Cheap—One baby carriage and one go-cart, in good condition. Apply Box 207, Laurens, S. C. 35-21-pd

Piano Tuning—A. M. Golden of the Adler Piano Company, Louisville, Ky., is here. 40 years experience in tuning and repairing pianos. You will find him at Laurens Music Co. 35-11-pd

For Rent—Three unfurnished rooms on first floor, suitable for light house-keeping. Miss Maggie Martin, South Harper street. 34-11-pd

Lost—About two weeks ago, Duroc-Jersey pig. Reward for return or information as to whereabouts. W. F. Bolt, Gray Court Route 1. 35-11-pd

Notice—I have about 7 acres of tree tops where saw logs have been cut. Will take \$3.00 per cord for the wood on the ground, round or split limbs, or any oak or pine, all together. See me at the A. B. Burns old place, Gray Court, R. F. D. 3. W. J. Cooper. 35-31-p

Velvet Beans—90-day Speckled Velvet beans, grown by myself, and fully matured. \$3.00 per bushel. Cash with order. F. O. B. Ellenton, S. C. H. M. Cassels. 35-31-pd

Warning—All persons are hereby forbidden to hire or harbor Carrie Shell or her children, who are under contract to work for me during the year 1920. W. W. Yeargin, Gray Court. 35-11-pd

Wanted—All your hens, roosters, friers, geese and ducks. Armstrong's Market. 33-51-pd

Notice—We have now room for 200 more bales of cotton. Merchants & Farmers Bonded Warehouse. 31-11-pd

Life Insurance—See D. E. Todd, at Laurens Trust Company for good old line life insurance. 27-11-pd

Frost Proof Cabbage Plants.—For immediate shipment, extra fine stocky plants. Early Jersey, Charleston Wakefield, Succession, Flat Dutch. By express—1,000, \$2.00; 2,000, \$3.50; 5,000, \$7.50. Prepaid mail, 500, \$1.00; 500, \$1.50; 1,000, \$2.50. Send for price list Sweet potato, tomato and other plants. Parker Farms, Moultrie, Ga.

Notice—Laurens Trust Company will pay you 6 per cent interest for your money. 15-11-pd

Notice—McDaniels old mill on Reedy River is soliciting corn to grind. Grinding days Tuesday, Thursday and Saturdays. T. J. Brisse, Miller. 31-51-pd

For Sale—Several thousand cream colored pressed brick. Apply to E. P. Minter. 34-11-pd

For Rent, Cheap—For standing rent or shares, good two horse farm, two mules and tools. See J. M. Philpot. 34-51-chg.

House Wiring—Get our prices before letting your contract. Phone 277 and representative will call. We wire for city or fire insurance inspection. Trotter & Harr. 34-51-pd

Get More Eggs—E. J. Reefer's More Egg Tonic makes layers out of loafers. Save your little chicks from white diarrhoea with Reefer's Ready Relief. Two packages More Egg Tonic for \$1.00, or one package of More Egg Tonic and one package Ready Relief for \$1.00. Mrs. E. D. Lomas, Agent, Gray Court. 34-21-pd

For Sale—High grade 3-4 Angus bull, 12 months old. Several nice Single Comb Rhode Island Red Cockerels, Oakdale Stock Farm, J. B. Humbert, Prop. Ware Shoals. 34-41-pd

Cabbage Plants—200,000 shipped plants, 40c per hundred. Phone 230. Ben. J. Madden. 34-21-pd

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Take notice that on the 25th day of March, 1920, I will render a final account of my acts and doings as Executrix of the estate of W. B. Bramlett 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 my trust as Executrix.

Any person indebted to said estate is 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.

SALLIE A. BRAMLETT, Executrix. Feb. 25, 1920. 32-41-A

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Take notice that on the 20th day of April, 1920, I will render a final account of my acts and doings as Administratrix of the estate of W. W. Madden, 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 my trust as Administratrix.

Any person indebted to said estate is 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.

MRS. LAURA MADDEN, Administratrix. March 17, 1920. 35-51-A

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Clerk of Court of Laurens County subject to the rules of the Democratic primary.

B. A. SULLIVAN, Jr.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the State Senate from Laurens county and pledge myself to abide by the rules of the Democratic primary.

O. P. GOODWIN.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Take notice that on the 5th day of April, 1920, I will render a final account of my acts and doings as Administrator of the estate of John C. Boyd 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 my trust as Administrator.

Any person indebted to said estate is 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.

JANIE S. BOYD, Administratrix. March 3, 1920. 33-51-A

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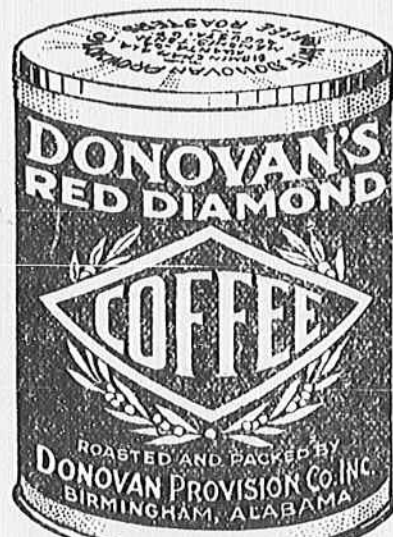
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