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# S. MARCUS.

## BRYAN AND TAFT.

### Queer Co-incidence in This County As to Names.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Representative Ellerbe has been endeavoring for some time to secure an additional free delivery route in Williamsburg county. He did not make much progress and today he called again to see Fourth Assistant Postmaster General DeGraw. When informed that the railroad station was named Bryan and the post-office Taft, Mr DeGraw said there would be no more delay, and that the route would be placed in operation June 1 without fail.

Mr Ellerbe was further questioned by Mr DeGraw as to why Taft and Bryan were figuring so prominently down in Williamsburg, and he wanted to know if the postmaster at Taft was not named Roosevelt.

Mr Ellerbe could not give him the information, but promised to ascertain the facts immediately. Meantime preparations are being made to start the route on the date named.—News & Courier.

[The co-incidence above noted is striking, in view of the fact that W H Taft and W J Bryan will probably be the opposing candidates for president in the next campaign. It is merely a co-incidence, however, as every one knows who is familiar with the circumstances.

The station was originally Green Hill and is situated six miles east of Lane. The postoffice bore the euphonious appellation of Greens.

A few years ago as a compliment to Waterman S Taft, one of the big bugs of the Atlantic Coast Corporation of Georgetown, the name of both station and postoffice were changed to Taft.

But the man who has built up Taft and developed the surrounding country is Hon William D Bryan; hence the people of the vicinity, in giving honor where they deemed it due, demanded that the station be named Bryan, and it was in his honor that the change came about, and not with any political significance whatever.—Ed THE RECORD.]

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O, get a message ready And fire it in, dear Teddy, Let congress curb the "Merry Widow hat."

Three feet and sometimes wider, no one can sit beside her, In street car, office, dwelling house or flat,

Ask congress to relieve us, For, Teddy dear, believe us, The worst ever is the "Merry Widow hat."—The Commoner.

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### NOTICE TO SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

With few exceptions the school term should be longer this year than ever before. I sincerely hope you will run your schools as long as your funds will allow. Don't carry over a large balance unless with a view to building.

J G McCULLOUGH, Co. Supt. Education. 4-9-3t

### Attention Democrats!

The Presidents of the various Democratic Clubs in Williamsburg county are hereby directed to call a meeting of their respective clubs to assemble at their usual places of meeting on Saturday, April 25, 1908, for the purpose of re-organizing. Each club shall elect a President, a Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer, Committee on Registration, a member of the County Executive Committee, and such other committees as to each club may seem expedient. Clubs will elect delegates to the County Convention, which will meet on Monday, May 4, in the Court House at Kingstree, at 12 o'clock. Clubs will be entitled to one delegate for every twenty-five members and one for a majority fraction thereof. The County Convention will elect delegates to State Convention which meets Wednesday, May 20, a county chairman, a member of the State Executive Committee, and transact all other business that may be legally brought before it.

A H WILLIAMS, County Chairman. C W WOLFE, Secretary. 4-9-4t

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### Read the Farmers & Merchants Bank's ad. this issue.

### Executor's Notice.

All persons having claims against the estate of D Z Martin will present them, duly attested, and all persons indebted to said estate will make payment to Gilland and Gilland, at their office in Kingstree, S C. M. L. BOYD, J. M. TISDALE, Executors. 4-2-3

**Subtraction.** The teacher was giving a lesson in subtraction. It had taken them several terms to master the mysteries of addition, and in this rule she found them no less dull.

Driven to desperation by the stupidity of their replies, she rashly promised three whole pennies to the child who gave her the smartest answer.

"Of course," she explained for the twentieth time, "you can only subtract things of the same name. For instance, you can't take eight tables from sixteen years or four horses from sevenpence."

A hand shot up at the back of the class, and the teacher broke off to inquire what was the matter.

"Please, miss," squeaked a small boy's voice, "can't you take three pennies from one purse, then?"

He won the prize.

### A Cardboard Capital.

Every time I come to Paris I am struck with the unreal appearance of the town, especially in the less busy quarter which lies all round the Champs Elysees. The tall, blank gray houses, with their gray wooden shutters, look no more real than the cardboard houses in a stage play. Moreover, it seems impossible than any one is alive inside the houses. You never see a face at a window, and no one ever seems to emerge through the great brown doors—doors which are obviously made of painted cardboard and not of wood. The grayness, the monotony, the absence of colors, the comparative silence, are incredible after the warm colors, the red brown skies, the portentous, seething "movement" of London.—London Sketch.

### Imagination Left Unassisted.

A Germantown woman discovered one morning recently that her maid Nora had broken the thermometer that hung in the reception hall.

"Well, Nora," sighed the mistress of the house in a resigned way, "you've managed to break the thermometer, haven't you?"

"Yes, mumm," replied the maid in a tone equally resigned. "And now, mumm, we'll jist have to take the weather as it comes!"—Harper's Weekly.

### A Good Answer.

"I have a clerk," a New York wholesale merchant remarked the other day, "and he sometimes manages to hand back a rather good one, though, as a rule, he is little short of stupid apparently. As a matter of fact, I suppose he is one of those dreamy sort of chaps, and you never can tell about that kind."

"I was sorry after I said it," he continued, "but recently he had made a most unnecessary blunder, and I lost my temper."

"I say, Jones," I sneered, "you'd make a pretty good clerk, maybe, if you had a little more sense!"

"He looked at me for a minute, with a sort of half smile. 'Didn't it ever occur to you, Mr. Brown,' he said, 'that if I had a little more sense I wouldn't be a clerk at all?'"—New York Tribune.

### Unnecessary Question.

Some time ago an elderly gentleman was cycling down a narrow street in a country town when a dog suddenly rushed out from a doorway and, getting under his wheel, threw him on the ground in a sitting position. The dog, seeming to enjoy the situation, barked playfully. A boy who was passing at the same time stood calmly staring at the performance for a minute or two and then inquired in a quiet voice, "Did you fall off, mister?"

"Of course I did," said the old gentleman angrily, while getting up and endeavoring to brush the dust from his clothes.

"Ah," replied the lad as he strolled away; "I thought you couldn't have sat down in the road just to play with the dog."—London Telegraph.

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