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THE COUNTY RECORD.

In men whom men condemn as ill,
I find so much of goodness still;
In men whom men pronounce divine,
I find so much of sin and blot—
I hesitate to draw the line
Between the two—where God has not."

THURSDAY, MAY 27, 1915.

Publicity Precludes Graft.

One of the most potent reasons for the wide latitude allowed some public servants who exercise wide discretion in the matter of expending public money among their political favorites is the lack of publicity. It is a good idea to let the public know who gets the business of the city, county, State or nation, because only in this way can the dispenser of public work be prevented from handing the jobs to his friends alone.—William Jennings Bryan.

Sayings from Suttons.

Suttons, May 24:—Yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock Mr Henry Cooper, of this place, was happily married to Miss Olivia Maree at the home of the bride's parents, near Trio, by Notary Public W C Ogburn. Only a few near relatives were present. Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for their home here.

Mr E T Davis of Andrews was in this section Sunday.

Rev W O Henderson of Andrews passed through here last Wednesday in his new car en route to Sumter.

Dr D Z Rowell, of the Southern Dental College, Atlanta, Ga, was in our midst a few days ago. He is enjoying his vacation at the home of his parents at Bryan.

Mr Bob Norton of Pine Grove visited relatives here last week.

One of the wool buyers of Andrews is seen real often in this section "wool gathering." Here's hoping some will get a good price for their wool.

Mr S J Walters of Bryan visited his parents here last Sunday.

Mr J M Blakeley of Georgetown motored here to see relatives yesterday.

Mr Julius Lifrage of Salters visited in this section Sunday afternoon.

Madam rumor says that the merry wedding bells will be heard again soon at this place. Were it not for the price of the license perhaps some would ring for

POOR BOY.

Notes from Hebron.

Hebron, May 25:—Farmers around here are busy with "General Green".

Mr J V McElveen is visiting in Lake City.

Mrs Eliza Ross has returned to her home at Turbeville after spending some time with Mrs J L Gowdy.

Mrs W H DuBose and daughter, Lola, of Kingstree spent Sunday with relatives here.

Miss Ola McElveen is spending this week at Cades.

Mr and Mrs M Thomas of Turbeville spent the week-end with the former's sister, Mrs S W Baker.

Miss Effie Thomas is visiting her sister, Mrs W H DuBose, at Kingstree.

Mr J L Gowdy and daughters, Mae and Marie, Miss Flora Kennedy and Mr Leroy Smith motored to Lake City Monday night to attend the exercises of the graduating class.

Quite a large crowd from here attended the commencement exercises at the Spring Bank school last Friday night. Everybody reports having a good time.

DAFFODIL.



STATE and GENERAL TOPICS

Orangeburg has just voted \$30,000 in bonds for the erection of a high school building.

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William H Irvine, a prominent lawyer and business man of Greenville, committed suicide in his office Wednesday morning.

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Former State Treasurer, Capt R H Jennings died at Winstboro yesterday afternoon. He was 77 years of age and a veteran of the Civil war.

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Tuesday the citizens of Yorkville, by a vote of 125 to 80, decided to cut off the last syllable of the name, and hereafter the town will be known as York.

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The submarine F-4, which sank in Honolulu harbor two months ago, has been raised to within 108 feet of the surface. It is thought it will be brought to the surface today.

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The Grand Lodge of Knights of Pythias of South Carolina is in session at Orangeburg this week. It is said to be the largest meeting in the history of the order in this State.

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The American steamer Nebraskan, Capt Greene, from Liverpool May 24, for Delaware Breakwater, was torpedoed Tuesday by a submarine at a point forty miles west-southwest of Pastnet, off the south coast of Ireland.

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South Carolina will this year secure a loan of \$600,000 at the rate of 2.44% per annum for the current expenses of the Government until the taxes are collected next fall. This is the lowest rate of interest ever secured by the State on a loan and was made possible by the sale of the contract for the loan, held by the National Bank of Sumter, to the Palmetto National bank of Columbia Monday.

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Charles Becker, former New York police lieutenant, will be electrocuted within the next six weeks for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, a New York gambler, as the court of appeals of New York has approved Becker's conviction by the supreme court jury at the second trial some time ago. It is believed that Becker's chances for executive clemency are poor, since the present Governor of New York prosecuted him at both trials.

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The British battleship Triumph was torpedoed and sunk in the Dardanelles Tuesday. This disaster to the Triumph is described in a brief statement by the British admiralty, which says that while operating in support of the Australian and New Zealand forces on the shore of the Gallipoli peninsula Tuesday the Triumph was torpedoed by a submarine and sank shortly afterwards. Most of the officers and men, including the captain and commander, are reported to have been saved.

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The South Carolina Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, in session at Orangeburg this week, elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: Grand chancellor, H E Gyles of Aiken; grand vice chancellor, Alva M Lumpkin of Columbia; grand prelate, Walter Edward Derrick of Orangeburg; grand keeper of records and seal, C D Brown of Abbeville; grand master of exchequer, Wilson G Harvey of Charleston; grand master at arms, E R Cox of Darlington; grand inner guard, H A McCormick of Nichols; grand outer guard, W H Fewell of Rock Hill. A G Rembert of Spartanburg and B A Morgan of Greenville were elected representatives to the Supreme Lodge. The next meeting of the Grand Lodge will be held at Chick Springs.

Mrs. R. B. Matthews Dead.

Benson, May 24:—Mrs Matthews, the wife of Mr R B Matthews, died Friday afternoon, May 7, 1915, at 5:30 o'clock, at the home of her husband near Benson.

Mrs Matthews was about 45 years old and is survived by her husband and nine children. She was a daughter of Mr and Mrs J M Brown of Benson, and leaves a mother, three brothers and two sisters, viz: Messrs W M, J A and C L Brown of Kingstree and Mesdames E W Duke of Lake City and Annie Cameron of Florence.

MRS ADDIE BROWN.

Lanes is rejoicing in the possession of a postoffice building.

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Death of Mr. S. M. Bradshaw.

Mr Sumter M Bradshaw, for a number of years Magistrate at Greelyville, and one of Williamsburg county's most highly respected citizens, died at his home at Greelyville early Monday morning from heart failure. Mr Bradshaw had been in poor health the past year, having suffered a stroke of paralysis last spring from which he never entirely recovered. Having held the office of Magistrate for a number of years in the Greelyville district, Mr Bradshaw was well known in this county and Clarendon for his honest, upright dealings, not only as an officer of the law but as a citizen, toward his fellow-man. He was thrice married and is survived by his third wife, who was before marriage, a Miss Allison of Charleston. Three grown children also survive, one son and two daughters. The deceased was for many years a member of the old Mount Hope Baptist church at Greelyville, where the funeral services were held Tuesday morning, conducted by his pastor, Rev Mr Rankin, assisted by Rev W P Way, of the Methodist church, and Rev Mr Brown, of the Presbyterian church. Interment was made in the presence of a large concourse of friends. Mr Bradshaw was about 63 years of age.

Attending the funeral services from Kingstree were: Messrs H O Britton, G J Graham, J B Gamble, J W Cook, L D Rodgers and J P Wheeler.

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Registration Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the books of registration for the Town of Kingstree, S C, will, by the undersigned, be opened in the office of the Kingstree Hardware Company, on Hampton Avenue of said Town, on the 2nd day of June, 1915, for the registration of voters and qualified electors within the limits of the Town of Kingstree, S C, who under the Constitution and laws of the State have the right and privilege to become qualified voters within the limits of said Town, said books of registration to be kept open for a period of ten days and to be closed on the 11th day of June, 1915. This opportunity for registration is offered preparatory to the special election to be held in said Town of Kingstree, S C, on the 22nd day of June, 1915, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters the question of contributing from the Treasury of said Town to the maintenance and support of a free public library.

An applicant for registration, when applying for a certificate of registration, must present his certificate of registration from the County Board or Supervisor of Registration entitling him to vote at the polling precinct within said Town, and must offer proof of his residence within the limits of said Town for four months, and the payment of all taxes assessed against him due and collectible for the previous fiscal year.

C C BURGESS,
Supervisor of Registration for the Town of Kingstree, S C. 5-27-15

Notice of the Opening of Books of Subscription.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a commission issued to the undersigned Board of Corporators, by the Hon R M McCown, Secretary of State, that books of subscription to the Capital Stock of the Kingstree Chero-Cola Bottling Works will be opened at the office of Geo D Levy, No 6 Law Range, in the city of Sumter, S C, at 12 o'clock, noon, on Saturday, the 29th day of May, 1915. The said proposed corporation to have a capital stock of \$10,000.00 to be divided into One Hundred shares of \$100.00 each, and will engage in the manufacturing and bottling of chero-cola and soda waters.

J E KING,
C F KING,
L J MARKEY,
Board of Corporators. 5-27-15

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FURNITURE

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