

**DIVISION ON RECIPROCITY.**

**PARTY AND STATE LINES SMASHED IN DEBATE IN HOUSE.**

**Webb and Kitchen Mix Things in Heated Manner, but Are Finally Restored to Quietude.**

Washington, April 26.—State and party affiliations were repeatedly broken in the house today in the concluding hours of the fight on the Canadian reciprocity bill. Democrats denounced their fellow Democrats for supporting a Republican protective principle, and Republicans hurled criticism against their fellow Republicans for marching with the Democrats toward the free trade goal.

During the seven hours of debate today 24 men spoke upon the reciprocity measure. Two-thirds of them made pleas for its defeat, and in this number were two Democrats from North Carolina, and Republicans from many of the Northern States.

The freedom of debate against the bill brought forth from Mr. Dalzell the acknowledgment that O. W. Underwood, Democratic leader, had been "exceedingly fair and generous" to those opposed to it.

Most of the criticism of the bill were from agricultural sections and based on the belief that reciprocity with Canada under the agreement would injure the agricultural interests of the United States.

Differences in the North Carolina delegation were vigorously aired on the floor. Representative Webb declared that Claud Kitchin, who opened the reciprocity fight last Friday, had no right to criticize him or other members of the State delegation who proposed to vote against the reciprocity treaty. Mr. Kitchin had accused him of standing side by side with the Republican stand-pat leaders, he said, but he could with equal justice accuse Mr. Kitchin of having worked with these same Republican leaders in the past.

Temperate words from the presiding officer, Mr. Sherley of Kentucky, brought from Mr. Webb the statement that he had no personal feeling against Mr. Kitchin, but that four members of the State delegation proposed to vote against the agreement because they believed it was opposed to all Democratic ideas.

The Minnesota delegation broke on the rocks of reciprocity. Representative Nye of Minneapolis speaking for the bill and Representatives Stearnson, Anderson, Davis and Volsted opposing it. The Michigan delegation showed a like division, Representative Dornus advocating the bill and Representative J. C. Smith opposing it. From Pennsylvania Representatives Bowman and Farr advocated its passage and Representative Focht denounced it.

Representative Needham (Cal.) spoke for the bill and Representatives Kahn against it. Representatives Hobson (Ala.), Murray (Mass.), Curley (Mass.), advocated its passage and Representatives Godd and Proby (La.), Morgan (Okla.), Burke (S. D.), Helgeson (N. D.), French (Idaho), O'Yung (Kan.) and La Follette (Wash.) spoke against it.

General debate on the measure will close tomorrow at 3 o'clock with speeches by Representatives Underwood, McCall and Dalzell. The bill will then be taken up under the rule, giving permission for amendment. An effort will be made to secure a final vote on the bill tomorrow night, but the leaders are not sure that it can be reached.

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**MAGISTRATE HOLDS OFFICE.**

**JUDGE WATTS DISMISSES PETITION FOR RULE TO SHOW CAUSE.**

**Whether He Will Seek to Have Title to Office Tested in Courts Remains to be Seen.**

Greenwood, April 21.—Judge Watts here this afternoon declined to issue an order requiring Magistrate Kerr to turn over to J. W. Canfield, Gov. Blease's appointee, the books and papers belonging to the office of magistrate at Greenwood. Judge Watts held that the title to the office was involved and that he could not try the title in a proceeding of the kind brought by the attorneys for Mr. Canfield. The rule heretofore issued by Judge Watts in this case was heard on the petition and affidavit of Mr. Canfield attached and on the return of Mr. Kerr and affidavit of Senator C. A. C. Waller attached. The petition, among other things, alleged that the appointment of Mr. Canfield was a recess appointment and demanded possession of the books and papers of the magistrate's office.

It was contended by the attorneys for Mr. Canfield that on the authority of the case of Whipple and the Seibles case they were entitled to a rule requiring Mr. Kerr to turn over the books and papers of the office. The attorneys for Mr. Kerr contended that the doctrine of those cases applied only where there was a prima facie title to office shown by the record and that in this case such did not appear, but on the contrary the title to the office was in issue and the court could not try the question of title to the office on a rule to show cause. They relied on the case of Bullock vs. McMillan and other cases.

Judge Watts held that in order to grant the rule he would necessarily be required under the allegations of the return to try the title to the office, which question he could not go into in a proceeding of this kind, and passed an order to this effect, without prejudice of the right of either party to bring such a proceeding as they might desire to test the title to the office.

The next move belongs to Mr. Canfield now, and it remains to be seen what this will be.

**WHY HOGAN WAS PAROLED.**

**Statement of Reasons Actuating Gov. Blease in Exercising Clemency.**

Columbia, April 21.—Eugene Hogan, Jr., a young man, who formerly lived in Sumter, but who for the last few years has roamed beyond the State's border, probably in Texas, owes his parole, granted today by Governor Blease, largely to a letter, the nature of which appeared to the Governor to be an effort to blackmail. Hogan was convicted in the spring of 1906, of assault and battery with intent to kill, and was sentenced to five years' imprisonment. He left Sumter and has remained away. He assaulted D. G. Ziegler, an architect, who formerly had offices here and who has also engaged in that business in Atlanta.

The letter was written by Ziegler to Eugene Hogan, Sr., the father of the young man paroled, and bore the date of April 6, 1908. "If you wish to adjust the matter," opened the negotiations in the letter as to the projected pardon of young Hogan; and then the letter went on to say that \$400 should be paid in cash; \$400 in one year from date of pardon and \$400 in two years from date of pardon; that notes might be arranged and the notes were to be turned over to Ziegler as soon as the Governor announced the pardon, and in case the pardon was refused, the notes were to be returned. The proposition was for Ziegler to intercede for clemency on these terms.

"If not arranged in thirty days from date," wrote Ziegler, "I will take the matter up with the Governor and have your boy brought in and placed in prison to stand sentence."

"This is not a bluff," the letter concluded: "I am fully aware of the boy's whereabouts. I would advise you to get this matter settled, because if I once take the matter up with the Governor then it will be impossible for you to get a pardon for him."

The jury in the case recommended clemency. The Governor states also that he is informed that the young man had borne a good reputation before this occurrence. In the petition it was stated that Hogan has a young wife and child.

Governor Blease, after reading the Ziegler letter and inquiring about the case, decided to parole Hogan during good behavior and accordingly issued the papers today.

A large lumber plant of the D. W. Alderman Sons Co., at Alcolu, which was destroyed by fire, is being rebuilt and the work is being pushed forward. When this is completed it will be one of the most modern and complete outfits in the State.—Manning Times.

**YOUNG AUGUSTA PAIR MARRIED.**

**Groom Taken Back to Jail After Ceremony on Charge of Issuing Bad Checks—Bride With Mother.**

Columbia, April 22.—The youthful Augusta pair, Miss Lillian Reed and R. M. Watson, who have been in the Richland county jail since Tuesday, were married yesterday morning by Magistrate Fowles. The girl's parents asked him to perform the ceremony which made the 13-year-old girl and the 17-year-old youth, man and wife. The groom was sent back to jail on the charge of issuing bad checks, just after the marriage.

Miss Reed and Watson came to Columbia the latter part of last week. They were arrested at the request of the girl's father, Watson was charged with abducting a minor. At the preliminary hearing before Magistrate Fowles, the girl refused to testify against Watson and declared that she would not appear in court. She was accordingly held in default of bond as a material witness in the case.

The girl's father came to Columbia to the preliminary hearing. The girl's mother arrived yesterday morning and, after seeing her daughter, got Magistrate Fowles to consent to marry the girl and Watson.

After the marriage ceremony, Watson was sent back to jail on a warrant charging him with issuing checks on a bank when he had no funds on deposit. Mrs. Watson and her mother left for Augusta yesterday afternoon.

**EUGENE HOGAN, JR., PAROLED.**

**Convicted on Charge of Assault with Intent to Kill.**

Columbia, April 22.—Eugene Hogan, Jr., has been paroled by Gov. Blease. He was convicted on the charge of assault on a battery with intent to kill in 1906 and was sentenced to five years. The alleged assault was upon D. G. Ziegler, formerly of Columbia. The governor takes the position that this was the first time that the boy had been convicted and that he should be free. It was also stated by him that Ziegler had written a letter to the father that he would consent to a pardon for a money consideration. The parole is during good behavior.

The baggage car of passenger train 54, Columbia to Florence, caught afire Thursday morning near Timmonsville and the train was delayed nearly an hour while the crew and passengers fought the fire. The top of the baggage car was burned off and the roof of the Pullman was also damaged.

Mr. William Haynsworth has been appointed assistant city engineer by the city Board of Public Works to assist Major W. L. Lee in his work in the city.

**SUMTER TEAM DEFEATED.**

**Fast Orangeburg Team Beats the Sumter High School Team 11 to 5.**

The Sumter high school team which went over to Orangeburg Friday morning to play the Orangeburg baseball team was defeated by the boys from the Edisto 11 to 5.

Brown pitched for the local boys and did good work as did Chandler behind the bat but the pitcher did not receive good support from the outfield in which several errors were made, netting the Orangeburg boys the most of their runs. Three of the members of the high school baseball team were unable to go to Orangeburg which had the team somewhat handicapped at the start.

**Kicked by a Mad Horse.**

Samuel Birch, of Beeton, Wis., had a most narrow escape from losing his leg, as no doctor could heal the frightful sore that developed, but at last Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it completely. It's the greatest healer of ulcers, burns, boils, eczema, scalds, cuts, corns, cold sores, bruises and piles on earth. Try it. 25c. at Sibert's Drug Store.

**A Card of Thanks.**

The Field Day committee desires to express its sincere thanks to the teachers of the city schools, to the members of the various committees, to those who so kindly contributed the prizes, to the teachers and pupils of the various county schools for the interest and enthusiasm which they manifested and to all others who added in any way to the success of the occasion.

**NATURE'S WARNING.**

**Sumter People Must Recognize and Heed It.**

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**Saved His Mother's Life.**

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Chief Bradford received a message from Camden on Friday telling him of the death of a white man, John Home, who was formerly a brick layer and carpenter in Sumter. It was stated in the message that death was due to heart failure.

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The work on the sewerage system has been going very slowly for the past two weeks owing to lack of labor and the heavy rains that have come in that time.

The Blease dispensary wind-up commission has decided to employ counsel to carry on the work heretofore done by T. B. Felder and W. F. Stevenson.

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