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THE LANTERN.

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FRIDAY, MAY 17, 1901.

Such is Politics.

In 1876 men offered to lie down and let Wade Hampton walk over them. A few years later, they turned their backs upon him, supplanted him with another who had not a single quality that fitted him for a representative of the state, and denounced him as a sot, a libertine, and a disgrace to the state. They howled him down and insulted him when he attempted to address his own people.

A little later the man used to displace and humiliate Hampton was ignominiously repudiated without any cause except such as existed, and was known to exist, when he was promoted over the "hero of '76."

Now some of those same men who degraded Hampton are slobbering over him in the exuberance of their praise, holding him up as an ideal of Carolina manhood and honor, unpurchasable, incorruptible and above reproach. While they can not find words to describe the vocabulary of vituperation to suitably characterize Jno. L. McLaurin, who aided them in defeating Hampton.

The crime for which McLaurin is now denounced is that he differs with them on political questions and has consented to use his influence with the president in Hampton's behalf, if it is desired. The deed by which Hampton won their adulation is his declining, in a well tempered manner, the proffered service.

Such is politics and such are a large portion of the men who represent us in our public affairs and before the world.

President McKinley's wife is lying at the point of death in San Francisco. Her death was expected yesterday, but a telegram from Washington at 12 to-day says "no change."

Capt. W. R. Bradford, ex-editor of *The Times*, left yesterday morning for Washington city, with the intention of accepting a government position similar to the one which he held in that city from 1893 to 1900—Fort Mill Times.

Now he is in danger that somebody will say he has been bought.

Mr. J. A. Byrd left Sunday evening for Warsaw, Indiana, to accept a temporary position with the S. A. L. during the berry season—Eastover Special to *The State*.

The very thing that was to be expected of Mr. Byrd, Birds are in the habit of accepting temporary positions in orchards and gardens "during the berry season."

The students of the University of Mississippi are said to be "roasting" the faculty on account of the expulsion of one of their number. The expulsion grew out of an editorial in the university magazine, of which the expelled student was editor, criticizing the faculty for abolishing the commencement ball. Faculties that don't want to get "roasted" ought to be very meek and submissive to the students. The 20th century stripping knows a thing or two and will teach faculties to take a back seat. He does not need them in his business. He has one dominant faculty—the faculty for howl, including base brawl—and he wants no rival faculties.

It is said that Senator Tillman was intended to have the senate reject the appointment of Capt. W. G. Chafee as postmaster at Aiken. The objection to him seems to be commended by McLaurin. The following speaking to the Augusta Chronon was from Aiken mentions charges, but does not say what they are:

Your correspondent saw Captain Chafee yesterday afternoon in reference to the charges which have been filed against him in Washington. He spoke very freely on the subject. He said: "My commission has been temporarily held up through the secret slanders sent to Washington by a few miserable sneaks in Aiken, not one of whom has had the nerve to come out in the open. They have been so hard put to get a few signers to their petition protesting against my appointment that they have solicited the signature of little boys not over 14 years of age, and have actually had a protest signed by the people of a colored school who know nothing more about my name as postmaster than a pig knows

about the constitution of the United States." Captain Chafee stated that he had forwarded to the proper authorities an advertisement of himself and a refutation of the slanders filed against him, signed by members of the legislature, city council, county officials and almost every reputable merchant in the city, besides numerous personal letters protesting against the charges filed. Mr. Chafee stated that his endorsers represent seven-eighths of the local business done by the Aiken-postoffice.

Woman's Department Edition.

The Press Committee of the woman's department of the South Carolina Interstate and West India Exposition will publish very shortly a mammoth special edition of the *Charleston News and Courier*. This special newspaper will be a thirty two page edition and will have a circulation of at least 50,000 copies, when these are exhausted, another edition will be printed. It will be sold in every city, town and village in this state, and by the leading newspapers in the large cities both north and south. In addition to this, the paper will be on sale at both the Buffalo and Charleston Expositions; thus extending the influence of this great paper through the term of an entire year.

All the reading matter is contributed by women, and realizing what a power such a publication can become, many of our country's most famous women have contributed liberally to make the paper a veritable literary treasure house.

Among the well known poetesses whose verses adorn the columns of the paper, are Elizabeth Akers, author of "Rock Me to Sleep"; May Reilly Smith, who wrote "Baby Fingers on the Window Pane"; Louise Chandler Moulton and Jennie Drake, South Carolina's own poetess. Among famous prose writers represented by the paper are S. Rhett Roman, Kate Chopin, Gertrude Austin, Septima Collis, Mme. Gustave Leihback, Betva Lockwood and Elizabeth Cady Stanton.

There will be a charming children's page, to which some of the most celebrated writers of Juvenile literature have contributed stories and poems. In the page devoted to Charleston's landmarks, institutions, societies and surroundings, will be full of interest to all lovers of quaint recollections of Colonial and Revolutionary days.

What the women are doing to make their share of the Exposition a success, will be graphically told in articles prepared by the chairmen of the various committees and lady commissioners of the Woman's Department.

Altogether this magnificent paper will be one which every man, woman and child in South Carolina should read, and will doubtless be treasured as a souvenir for long years to come.

The price of this paper will be only ten cents, putting it within the reach of all. Any one desiring copies should send the name and address at this office, with the price for number of copies desired, and communicate at once with either Miss Martha Washington, Chairman Press Committee, 38 Chambers St., Charleston, S. C., or Mrs. J. M. Visanska, Business Manager, 2 Bull St., Charleston, S. C.

Thirty-Nine to Hear From.

We notice from the papers that Congressman W. J. Talbot is positively a candidate for Governor in the next election. In the same connection it is stated that Lieutenant-Governor Tillman and ex-Gov. Sheppard are also probable candidates for the same office. Edgefield is not at all bashful, and in fact never has been and she has been moderately successful in the aspirations of her statesmen. Those who never make the effort never succeed, and he who has no high ideals never accomplishes much in this world. Our next state campaign promises to be interesting and quite lively. There are thirty-nine other counties yet to be heard from.—Newberry Herald and News.

Mr. Farnum, elected beer dispenser for the Charleston board of control, has tendered his resignation, having learned that he is not eligible. He is not a "qualified elector," not having paid his poll-tax. This does not settle the dispute between the state and county who has the right to elect, as the county board will hold another election.

Jacksonville's Appeal.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., May 13.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the Jacksonville Relief Association this afternoon it was the consensus of opinion that the amount of money so far contributed for the relief of the fire sufferers was far from adequate to meet the demands, and President Garner of the relief association, Bishop Weed of the Episcopal diocese of Florida, and Mayor Bowden were appointed a committee to issue an address to the people of the United States.

The committee has issued the following address:
To the people of the United States:
We, the undersigned, representing the people of Jacksonville wish to express to the people of the United States the heartfelt gratitude for the people of this city for the way in which they have responded to our needs. The relief committee of Jacksonville sent out a statement some days ago in answer to the numerous inquiries which the committee have received. It was then too soon to estimate the extent of the damage, or to estimate the extent of the needs of the people. It is now to days since the great fire, and we are beginning to realize the greatness of the calamity which has befallen us. We have received many generous donations in the way of supplies of food and clothing, but we find ourselves confronted with the need of clearing away the debris and maintaining order and discipline, trying to prevent sickness and of caring for those who are sick. It is impossible to render 100,000 or more people homeless without extreme suffering; it is impossible to meet all the cases of need at once. The sanitary condition of this city must be perfected and maintained, and unless we can have the aid of the charitable people of the United States we are compelled to acknowledge our inability to cope fully with the situation. Only those who have been in the city can realize the nature of the distress of many who have been turned out of houses and homes; can appreciate the danger of sickness from the huddled condition of the people, making the situation alarming. It will take a very large amount of money at the smallest estimate to care for the people and put the city in a proper condition. Our duty compels us to call upon the generous and always ready people of this country for assistance in this, our hour of need.

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The Neighbor's Wife.

Just after the fitting time of May and the arrival of new people into old neighborhoods and vice versa, many a woman is in doubt as to what is required of her in the way of approaching those already residents in the neighborhood to which she has moved. Mrs. Frank Learned in the June *Delinator* throws some light on the subject in the department which she contributes to that magazine entitled "Social Observances." The same number of the *Delinator* contains much practical advice written by Margaret Hall in regard to the new house and setting down in it. It is a very useful article and deals with the questions of the new house from the cellar to garret, renovation of paper, removing of stains, etc.

A girl baby three or four weeks old was left on the porch of the Presbyterian College for Women, in Columbia last Tuesday night. The indications were that it had come from a well-to-do home. It was taken in charge by some good woman who conduct the "Door of Hope."

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