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THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 1908.

It is worthy of note that Laska R. Wright, of Tennessee, who is the head of the war department of the United States is a Confederate soldier. He has been elected a Democrat. Whether or not politics has undergone a change we are not informed.

That truly be a matter of some importance, discussed by "Passager" in another column. If you were going to select men to attend to your private business, you would be careful, especially if the men selected were to have complete management of your affairs, including the paying of bills and the collecting of debts for you, with no submitting of accounts to you for approval. Now the commissioners do all these things and more for you as a citizen of the county. As said, they have the spending of about \$30,000 a year, or \$60,000 for their term, and in addition, they have the inauguration measures for the future execution of which no money can be carried out by their successors, whether the planning of wisdom or folly, and may cost many thousands of dollars more. They will be worth many times what they cost or they may be worth little or nothing, the best possible estimate being secured, or we may have been swindled through the incompetency of our commissioners. Intelligence, business sense, honesty, and integrity are all important qualities. Read the article referred to above and think about it's suggestions.

In an editorial note to Friday's Lantern, we said that work mules that are properly cared for are a sure shoulders or backs. We mentioned the city mules and those known as farm mules as examples, adding that if there are any mules in the county, we are on the miles of the county road, and we promised to report to us when we heard from our correspondent McKewen. Yesterday morning we received the following note from Mr. McKewen:

Lancaster, S. C., June 22. Mr. J. T. Bigham, Editor Lantern: I am glad to say that just at this time there is not a single mule in the county that has either a sore back or a sore shoulder. This is due to the fact that the mules are being properly cared for. I am glad to say that the mules are being properly cared for. I am glad to say that the mules are being properly cared for.

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Excursion Call Off. The excursion to Hixory and Cliffs advertised in Friday's Lantern has been called for by the present.

Infant Dead. Leon, the three months old infant of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stevenson, of Florence, died Friday night, June 19, 1908, and was buried at Ebenezer Saturday afternoon. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. S. M. Jones.

Picnic at Feasterville. The W. O. W. will have their annual picnic on the 4th of July at Feasterville. The picnic will be a very successful one and will be well attended.

The Summer School. The summer school for teachers here yesterday. The school was held at the home of Mrs. E. H. Hall and J. M. Arlan, instructors. Superintendent W. D. Ketchum presided at the opening and a program was offered by the Rev. A. S. Snyder. Twenty-eight teachers were enrolled yesterday and some additional ones are expected to attend.

Calvinists and Welcoming. Last Sabbath was announced the A. R. F. church, not being in condition for use and the pastor of the Methodist church being absent, the A. R. F. church was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bigham. The service was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bigham.

Mr. Edw. N. Hahn, who has been with the Delaware-Dawson Co., has decided to leave Chester. He has been with the Delaware-Dawson Co. for some time and has been very successful in his work.

Mrs. Margaret Cosnar, aged 14 years, died at her home in Hazlewood, on Friday, June 19, 1908. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bigham. Her death was due to a sudden attack of illness.

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Blackstock Letter. Blackstock, Route No. 1, June 20. Mrs. J. H. McDaniel and her son Brown were visiting in this community recently.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Shannon went down to Columbia Wednesday morning. Mr. Shannon returned to Blackstock on the afternoon train, but his trunk remained in the city until Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hedgpath and children attended services at Blackstock Presbyterian church, last Sabbath and spent the afternoon with Mrs. Hedgpath's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thomas.

Mr. Allen B. Dulle has returned from quite a stay with relatives in Union county. Mr. Glenn Latham, with his mother, Mrs. W. H. Latham, and his sister, Miss Sue Lewis, attended services last night at New Hope A. R. F. church in the Avon neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bigham, of Blackstock, are planning to spend a week with their parents, Messias James and Sarah, at their home in Union county. Mrs. James Douglas spent an afternoon and took tea with Mrs. Kate Latham.

Miss Sidney Brown, our aged one is still able to walk about the house and yard, and says that she has given up reading her newspaper, but reads the Bible every day.

Mr. Hedgpath has a fine field of corn on the Dulle place that equals any in the vicinity and surpasses most. He also has a fine watermelon patch.

Your correspondent took a little tramp across a cotton field and a corn field of "Cotton Hills" (Mr. W. H. Latham) in the vicinity of Blackstock. A correspondent has seen in a beautiful state of culture. The corn is excellent.

Mr. M. Shannon with eagle eye is still sweeping over Springfield farm, as he plunges along on horseback over some plantation road.

Mr. E. Hedgpath is a very popular here. He is connected with the firm of W. G. Reid & Son. Mr. and Mrs. Reid left the city Saturday night for a trip through the North-Rock Hills.

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Mrs. Kate Woodrow and daughter, Miss Catherine, arrived from Winoboro Saturday afternoon to spend a few days with Mrs. D. J. McGeahay.

Mrs. Estelle Davis Mollough, of Greenville, left Saturday morning after a visit of nearly two weeks with Mrs. J. K. Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Booth left Saturday for Atlantic City, N. J., to spend a month. Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Nichols went on the first of the week.

Mrs. Sarah Withers left Saturday for Knoxville, Tenn., where she will spend six weeks teaching in the Southern summer school.

Mrs. Claudia Lee and son, Master James Kane, went to Columbia yesterday morning to attend the marriage of Miss Josie Whaler.

Little Miss Marie and Ethel McGarity, of Winoboro, came Saturday afternoon on a visit to their mother, Mrs. W. G. Jackson.

KEEP AWAY the cold this winter with Joo-T. They's best Jellito cold Order Case, One \$5.00 per doz 6-84.

Mrs. Kate Robinson went to Ochs Station Saturday afternoon and spent until yesterday with the family of her brother, Mr. J. H. Robinson.

Mrs. Virgie Howell left Saturday for a visit of several weeks to Mrs. A. C. Barnett and her uncle, Mr. J. M. Hought, at Fort Lawn, and relatives in Lancaster.

Mrs. E. E. Thomas and daughter, Miss Sallie McDaniel, of McConnellsville, who have been visiting relatives at Winoboro, came home Saturday.

Mrs. W. B. Packard, of Charlotte, with her baby, returned to her home Friday afternoon, after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stevenson, on R. F. D. No. 1.

Mr. Mary Johnston went to Rock Hill Saturday to visit her mother, Mrs. J. W. Johnston, who is suffering with one of his hands, which he got hurt several days ago.

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LA DIES! Ready - to - Wear Department. This is a department we are justly proud of and so will you be when you come and see what beautiful Ready-to-Wear Garments we have to show you. Ask to See the New Coronation Comb and the Merry Widow Waist. At the Big Store-- S. M. JONES & COMPANY.

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Want Column

Advertisements under this heading for less than 20 cents; more than twenty words, 1 cent a word. GOWN FIELD HAND wanted--a good colored man. Meadow Farm No. 1, 4-2281. Splendid Portraits of Judge Brawley. At the request of the superintendent and trustees of the city graded schools Judge W. H. Brawley, of Charlotte, has kindly given two splendid engravings of himself, one for the graded schools and the other to hang on the walls of the Patterson Public Library.

Case & Justus

Let us make a bid on your job. Are now erecting a handsome public bath residence on York street for Mrs. J. L. Williamson and installing sewerage for Mr. G. D. Heath. Head-quarters: C. S. Ford's Office. 120 Main St. Phone No. 2. C. S. FORD. CATAWBA SPRINGS NOW OPEN. This being one of the oldest and most largely patronized summer resorts in western North Carolina it is well known to the people of South Carolina. The water, climate and surroundings are not to be surpassed, and it is just the place for you to spend your vacation.

Notice of Opening Books of Subscription.

All accounts for city water and lights previous to June 1, 1908, will not be settled on or before July 1, 1908, except in the hands of the city auditor for collection. All citizens who are indebted to the City of York for city water and lights previous to July 1, 1908, water and lights accounts must be paid monthly, as per the law governing the same. Otherwise the service will be cut off. Notice of Opening Books of Subscription. Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an act of the General Assembly, the Board, secretary of state, books of subscription to the 'MERRY WIDOW' WAREHOUSE COMPANY will be open to the public in the hands of the Auditor of the City of York, at the City Auditor's Office, on Monday, July 1, 1908, at eleven o'clock a. m. The capital stock of the proposed corporation will be \$20,000, divided into five hundred shares of the par value of \$40 each. The terms of the proposed corporation is to do a general warehouse business in the city of Chester, South Carolina. J. L. White, Auditor of the City of York, Chester, S. C. Remember me when you want something pretty in jewelry, silver, or cut glass for wedding or engagement presents. W. F. STRICKER RELIABLE JEWELRY

ONCE USED ALWAYS ON HAND
NOAH'S LIFEBUOY

25c EVERYWHERE
For Sale and Guaranteed by J. J. Stringfellow.

The Girls of the Forties.

In writing of commencement in the long ago Capt. Charles Patsy says of Limestone Springs female high school which was one of the very few of its kind in the State...

The great achievement was eight girls playing on four places. We have yet to see the college graduates from the female colleges of this day and month all their degrees, diplomas, and medals and certificates...

Sore Nipples.

Any mother who has had experience with this distressing ailment will be pleased to know that a cure may be effected by applying Chamberlain's Salve...

Meet Advanced Price of Meat.

Why don't the people meet the advance in price of meats made by the Packers by reducing the amount of consumption of all kinds of fresh meat? This is the very time of the year for them to do so...

For Sprained Ankle.

As usually treated, a sprained ankle will dislocate the joint. It is better to treat it with Chamberlain's Liniment...

After Breaking Up the Traffic.

Judge Aldrich, who is holding court in Alton, has been striking terror to the violators of the dispensary law...

A Grand Family Medicine.

It gives pleasure to speak a good word for Electric Bitters. It is a grand family medicine for the relief of dyspepsia...

Progressive Conundrums.

"Miss Grace," he said, with an engaging smile, "did you ever try your hand at one of these progressive conundrums?"

"I don't think you have any standard right," said the young lady, "but I will give you a number of them. A stake is a wooden thing, a wooden thing is a young man in love, a young man in love is like the letter 'o'...

After a Burns Celebration.

Scotsmen love to honor the memory of Robert Burns, and if only two were present, it is not to be celebrated in enthusiastic style.

The Best Pills Ever Sold.

"After doctoring 15 years for chronic constipation, I have found the only pills that do the work..."

Had No Chance.

A Scotchman, having just returned to Edinburgh from his first visit to Paris, was met on the street by a friend...

Illinois Revolt Against Rum.

Chicago has never been more popular than it is at present. The reason is simple: the city has taken a stand against rum...

Carnegie Hits Drink.

The cause of drink is the cause of more failures in life than anything else. You can surmount every other fault...

Widely Cited Following.

Liverpool, June 10. Following are the weekly cotton statistics: Total sales all kinds, 27,000 bales; total sales American, 25,000 bales...

NATIONAL CONVENTION

Prohibitionists of Nation Planning to Rally at Columbus, O., July 14, 15, 16.

Over 2,000 delegates and alternates to the national Prohibition convention of 1908 have already been chosen by the committees of the states and territories throughout the country.

Correspondence at Prohibition national headquarters now daily adds to the certainty that the year will open a national convention at Columbus, O., which will elect the president and vice-presidential standard bearers of the Prohibition hosts...

The convention will meet in Memorial hall, one of the finest auditoriums for such a gathering in the United States.

For the first time in Prohibition history the liquor traffic is thoroughly awakened and realizes that it is facing a great national contest which will this year bid the doom of the whole business.

The fight is national, and it is at the height, and the enemy is thoroughly aroused. It is the way Bonanza's Whole and Spirit Circular for April 25 announces the fight.

Every state Prohibition convention held during the last twenty days has reflected this new spirit of confidence and optimism in every case...

The Prohibition national committee has issued an appeal for contributions to the national Prohibition fund for the purpose of raising a national campaign fund...

Prohibition is coming, says Elbert Hubbard. Prohibition is coming, too, and then you can be sure for next year...

An Optim Farm.

Not far from Columbus, the mouth of the Canton river, Ohio, is an optim farm. Standing in a courtyard in the city of Columbus, Ohio, is an optim farm...

One day Humboldt was dining with Mendicino, the banker, and an unusual dinner party was held at the house. His host, remarking it, observed to Humboldt that he was sure to amuse the company...

A Banks' Generosity. One day Humboldt was dining with Mendicino, the banker, and an unusual dinner party was held at the house...

Mendicino gradually led Humboldt into conversation, during which he found out that Mendicino was not an answer to it. He then took Humboldt aside and said: "By this note I inform you that I have bought the house in which you reside..."

Wanted a Bargain. One day a small Cincinnati boy came to the office of the express company. He was carrying a box and asked for a receipt...

"How large a one, my boy?" the clerk inquired benignly. "The rate for a ten dollar order is 8 cents, isn't it?"

"Well, I want a drum and pair of roller skates and a new straw hat and some new shoes. Ten dollars will be enough."

"Then he fished through his pockets for a roll of money. He found only three \$5 pieces before the astonished clerk. It took ten minutes to convince the cashier that he was not a swindler...

Didn't Give Him a Chance. "Say, man, piped up little Johnny when he saw the cashier. "You've taken his departure, when Mr. Moeber was here every time you stopped after that it was turned for me to say something 'n' get as far away as I dare say."

A Cheap on a Bridge. At St. Louis, the little old Huntingdon town to which Oliver Cromwell lived for several years, there is a bridge spanning the little flowing Ohio and up to the city...

His Sorrow. "You know that bird of yours got for me a birdie, dear?" said a man to his wife. "Yes."

How the Saloon Pays. The saloon keeper pays the farmer's taxes. Yes; we have foreclosed his mortgage on the farm, and now we own the farm. Central Christian League.

Other newspapers will do just as they please in this respect, but for The Register it is our purpose to carry on all our news...

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Cleanse the system thoroughly and clear away all impurities from the bowels. It is guaranteed.

LEITCH'S FRUIT SYRUP

"In a Bad Way."

Many a Cheater Reader Will Feel Greater For this Information.

When your back gives out; become lame, weak or aching; when urinary troubles set in; when the back aches and the neck grows stiff; when you feel that you are in a "bad way," remember the name—Doan's Kidney Pills will cure you.

Plenty more proof like this from Chester people. Call at the Chester Drug Company and ask what customers report.

More Corn for the South. An effort is being made by The Tradesman to promote an increased corn yield in the South.

Weak Women. Do not think of weak women, but think of the millions of women who are weak, who are suffering from the effects of a bad system...

Dr. Shoop's Night Cure. "KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS WITH DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY FOR COLDS AND ALL THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES."

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The Ladies After the Dogs.

The ladies of the Improvement Society is going on the war path after dogs whether on the principle that the town would be prettier without the dogs, or that the mistakes would be due to the beauty of the landscape...

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Entrance examinations will be held at the county Court House on Friday, July 30, 1906. All candidates for admission can complete in September for next year's session.

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"I've got a great deal of pleasure from anticipating the trip."

"More, possibly, than you'll get from the trip itself."
"That's what I think. So I've decided to stay at home and save the money."—Kansas City Journal.

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