

LANCASTER EQUAL SUFFRAGE LEAGUE.

OFFICERS:

President... Miss Margaret Moore
Secretary... Miss Nannie Hill Moore
Treasurer... Mrs. S. L. Allen
Press Chairman... Mrs. Leroy Springs

Lancaster suffragists are rejoicing in the brilliant success of the Skovgaard concert given last Wednesday evening in the graded school auditorium. While it was immensely gratifying in a financial way \$52.00 being the net receipts of the suffrage league still the greatest satisfaction and recompense came from the realization that the league had been instrumental in bringing to Lancaster such a high class attraction. It was also extremely heartening to the suffragists to see so large and brilliant an audience as greeted the great Danish violinist. It was conclusively demonstrated that Lancaster people are not only willing but eager to patronize artistic entertainments. The members of the suffrage league wish to take this opportunity to thank the public for their liberal patronage and to bespeak the same support for the Mamie Fraser society in their bringing of Wofford Glee club in June.

A word of sincere appreciation is due to Superintendent Scott and the trustees of the Lancaster graded school for having very kindly given the use of the school auditorium for the concert. In the opinion of the suffragists the school is properly the community centre, and it is hoped that the auditorium will at all times be available for meetings and entertainments.

It is hoped that any Lancaster suffragists and sympathizers will avail themselves of the opportunity to visit state suffrage headquarters when in Columbia. The location is on the corner of Main and Gavis streets.

South Carolina women noted with extreme disappointment the negative vote of Congressman Stevenson upon the Susan B. Anthony amendment. However, the bill passed the house by a large majority. The success of the vote in the senate next month seems reasonably sure. The Republican national convention is receiving the women voters upon exactly the same plane as the men.

Mrs. W. C. Cathcart is the woman representative from South Carolina to the Democratic national convention.

OVER BILLION DOLLARS NEEDED FOR RAILROADS

Congress Asked for Funds to Pay Losses and Finance the Roads Until January.

Washington, May 26.—To finance the railroads for the balance of this year and to pay the government's operating loss for 16 months up to this month, an appropriation of \$1,200,000,000 was asked of congress by Director General Hines. More may be sought later if the government continues to lose heavily in operation.

The \$1,200,000,000 is in addition to the \$500,000,000 appropriated by the last congress, and includes the \$750,000,000 which failed of appropriation when the session ended in a filibuster.

Out of this appropriation, which congress will be asked to expedite, railroads will be paid the sums due them months ago as standard compensation, and for which they have accepted the railroad administration's certificates of indebtedness.

Approximately \$486,000,000 represents the government's loss in operating the railroads from January 1, 1918, when private control ended, and May 1, last. This is the difference between the sums for which the government is obligated to pay the roads on contracts, and the net actual operating income from operations. The balance, or about \$1,214,000,000 of the \$1,700,000,000 now appropriated or sought, represents working capital to be repaid to the government eventually. This was explained by Mr. Hines in his request for the appropriation, submitted to congress through Secretary Glass.

The deficit last year was \$236,184,000, and in the first four months this year, the government's loss was about \$250,000,000. These, said Mr. Hines, "are clearly losses due to the war and ought to be treated as such. By reason of the after-the-war factors tending to important changes in the situation, the estimate herewith submitted does attempt to forecast results beyond the first four months of this calendar year."

This comment of the director gen-

eral prompted belief that the administration might have to call on congress for additional funds to make up a future deficit. Such a situation might be met by raising rates but the director general has stated recently that he does not wish to consider this until opportunity has been given for general business conditions which are reflected in traffic, to be restored to a more normal basis. This is interpreted as meaning that there probably will be no rate advances before next fall and the director's attitude is that it may then be unnecessary to raise them.

TO USE CHARLESTON PORT EXTENSIVELY

Chief of Embarkation So Informs Mr. Whaley—More Transports Coming.

Washington, May 26.—Congressman Whaley has got in touch with Hines, chief of army embarkation service at the war department, with regard to the continued use of the port of Charleston by transports bringing troops back from Europe. As there had been no transports coming into Charleston very recently, the first district representative wishes to find out of there had been any complaint as to the handling of transports which had come or any change of policy as to the use of the port for army purposes.

Gen. Hines declared that the use of the port of Charleston for the disembarkation of troops had been most satisfactory to the army. He assured Mr. Whaley it was the full intention of the war department to use the port to capacity and that ships bringing back troops from sections of the country which can be sent easily through Charleston would be brought to that port. The only reason that such ships have not been sent recently, Gen. Hines explained, is that the troops returning were not from parts of the country which can be most easily reached through Charleston.

The Minnesota will arrive at Charleston May 29, the general said, and other ships will follow as men are returned. The advantages and facilities of the Port Terminal are fully appreciated by the department, according to Gen. Hines, and no complaint has been made in connection with the previous handling of transports, but, on the contrary, the highest praise has been accorded.

THE LEADERS PLAN TO CONTINUE SWIFT PACE

Speed on Appropriation Bills is the Immediate Plan in House.

Washington, May 26.—Congress enters its second week with leaders planning to continue the swift pace in legislation set during the opening week.

Organization of committees, disposal of woman suffrage resolutions, probably by adoption, and further debate on peace questions and the league of nations are the principal features of the week's program in the senate.

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RENEWED TESTIMONY.

No one in Lancaster who suffers backache, headaches, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore the Great Falls woman's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no resident of this locality can doubt.

Mrs. D. M. Gaines, Box No. 81, Great Falls, S. C., says: "Some time ago I used Doan's Kidney Pills and found them so satisfactory that I don't hesitate to recommend them publicly. My kidneys were disordered and I had backaches and dizzy, nervous spells. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they made me well and strong again." (Statement given March 29, 1911.)

Over three years later Mrs. Gaines said: "I haven't had to use Doan's Kidney Pills in a long time, for they cured me of kidney trouble. My back has been strong and my kidneys regular since last recommending Doan's."

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immediate plan in the house. The \$15,000,000 Indian bill, expected to be passed, will be followed by the \$31,000,000 agriculture measure, with others rapidly being put in form. Inauguration of investigations of administrative acts during the war are planned by house committees.

The week's work at the capital will be curtailed by the Memorial day holiday next Friday, adjournments from next Thursday until the following Monday being planned.

Contest over the woman suffrage resolution passed in the house last week as the first act of the new congress, promises to excite senate interest. Supporters will call up the resolution upon the motion of Senator Jones, of Washington, to discharge the senate woman suffrage committee from its consideration. This action would place the resolution on the calendar ready for a final vote and at least before the weekend. Belief is general that the requisite two-thirds majority will be obtained.

Republican senators will meet in executive conference before the senate convenes, to ratify the committee assignments, including choice of Senators Penrose, of Pennsylvania, and Warren, of Wyoming, for chairmen of the finance and appropriations committees, respectively, as chosen by the committee on committees. Approval of the slates as drawn is expected, although many progressives plan to absent themselves from the conference. A few members of the progressive group are expected to vote against Senators Penrose and Warren when the committee assignments are presented to the senate later in the week, but election of the Pennsylvania and Wyoming senators, with the rest of the slates, is expected.

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No Lazy Man's Place.

If you saw the bird of paradise, and then listened to some folk talk you may be under the impression Hawaii is a land where Americans go and just naturally forget to work, lie down beneath a shady, spready tree and listen to the thrum of the Hawaiian guitars until they're lulled into a sleep from which they seldom are aroused. "That stuff," said S. S. Pavson of Honolulu, "is all right, but it's for story books and comic operas. I went to Honolulu 13 years ago from Philadelphia, became president of the Rotary club, a member of the legislature and head of the largest automobile concern in Honolulu. When I came back to the United States I don't find any of my old companions are staying up any later at night than I do or travel any faster than I do. Don't let any one put that "go-to-sleep-and-never-wake-up" idea into your head. Hawaii is not a lazy man's country, by any means."

Some Names! According to the camp poster at Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash., camp record blanks were found insufficient to accommodate the address of an Australian who came indirectly assuming name of the individual, Llanfairpwllgwyngyllgogoch in the county of Anglesey, North Wales. When he joined the army he held a residence at Waenarlwgdd, Swansea road, Goverton, South Wales.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Whereas, one-third of the freeholders and one-third of the electors of the age of 21 years, residing in White Bluff school district, No. 26, have petitioned the county board of education to order an election to determine whether or not an additional tax of 4 mills shall be levied on all real and personal property for school purposes.

We hereby order said election to be held by the trustees in said White Bluff school district, No. 26, on Tuesday, May 27, 1919, at the school house.

At which election only such electors as return real or personal property for taxation and exhibit their tax receipts and registration certificates shall be allowed to vote.

The opening and closing hours shall be the same as in all general elections.

A. C. ROWELL, H. E. COFFEY, B. F. CARSON, County Board of Education.

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NOTICE OF INCREASE OF CAPITAL STOCK.

Whereas at the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bank of Heath Springs held at Lancaster, S. C., on the fifteenth day of January, 1919, it was decided by the stockholders to increase the capital stock of the corporation from \$10,000 to \$25,000, and whereas at said meeting a resolution was duly adopted authorizing the secretary to take such steps as may be necessary to increase the capital stock of said corporation as aforesaid.

Now in pursuance of said resolution, a meeting of the stockholders of the corporation is hereby called to meet at the office of Leroy Springs, President, Lancaster, S. C., at 12 o'clock M., on the twelfth day of June, 1919, for the purpose of considering a resolution to increase the capital stock of the corporation to \$25,000, divided into two hundred and fifty shares, each share of the par value of \$100.

ROBT. B. MACKEY, Secretary. Heath Springs, S. C., May 12, 1919. 57-41. PROFESSIONAL CARDS DR. J. REECE FUNDERBURK, Dental Surgeon. Office Hours: 8:30 to 12:30 A. M. 2:00 to 6:00 P. M. and by Appointment. Office Phone 169. Residence Phone 52. Office over Lancaster Pharmacy.

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