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LAURENS, S. C., NOV. 19, 1919.

One of the worst aftermaths of the late war is the crop of press agents it developed. Armistice or no armistice, amendments or reservations, they write, write, write right along.

The practical disbanding of the city's fire department, which has done faithful and efficient work for many years, and the losses incurred by recent fires forcefully stresses the need of a paid fire department for the city. There was a time, when the city was smaller, when the volunteer department amply filled the needs of the times but younger members have not taken the place of the older men who have necessarily given up the strenuous work of fire fighting and today the city is practically without a fire fighting force. Fire fighting is not a hazardous game and cannot be successfully carried on by anyone happening to be on hand when the fire wagon arrives, but requires considerable knowledge of the fire apparatus as well as the will to help. A small paid department to be a nucleus around which volunteers may rally when the fires occur has about come to be a necessity, particularly since the sound of the alarm doesn't bring out the number of helpers that it has done in the past.

ARBITRATION.

Willingness to arbitrate in a dispute between employees and employers does not necessarily indicate a willingness to accept a just settlement. Take the statement the other day of Mr. Timothy Shea, railroad labor leader when he said in speaking of the threatened railroad strike: "There will be no strike until, or last effort to reach the desired end by arbitration is exhausted." It will be observed that Mr. Shea accepts arbitration only as a means of gaining certain ends and not of compromising the demands of both sides. In other words, he would win by arbitration, if possible, but win, which is on a parity with the advice given by the miserly father to his son, "Get money, my son, honestly, but get money!"

The arbitration idea, where third parties are brought in for settlement of disputes, is so susceptible of abuse that it will hardly be permanently accepted by either capital or labor. For either side to gain a certain end it must only make a greater demand than it expects to get and leave the arbitration committee to compromise. Few such committees fail to grant some part of the demands, for when two opponents come together to arbitrate, the public expects both sides to yield something. Winning "something" then is a comparatively easy matter and a reputation is gained at the same time for being reasonable. But the plan will not work always.

Capt. Hudgens Here.

Captain "Pete" Hudgens, who has been under treatment in a government hospital since his return from overseas, came up to the city Thursday from Mountville, where he is visiting relatives while on a leave from the hospital. Capt. Hudgens, it will be remembered, was a member of the 118th Infantry of the Thirtieth Division and was severely wounded in the operations against the Hindenburg line. He has been undergoing treatment since that time and has not yet entirely recovered, at present being on a furlough which will last until about Christmas, when he expects to return to the hospital for final treatment. Capt. Hudgens is accompanied by his wife, who was formerly Miss Jervey, of Greenville.

Chief Crews Resigns.

James T. Crews, chief of the city fire department for more than twenty years and a charter member of the fire company, has sent in his resignation to the City Council and has retired from active charge of the department. Mr. Crews has missed only eight fires during the time served on the force, a record hardly surpassed by few firemen anywhere, and has made a faithful member of the force since the first day he joined. It is said that he is the last member of the original fire company, which was formed by Supt. Frank Evans thirty-five years ago.

At Youngs School.

An oyster and box supper will be given at Youngs school house Thursday night, to which the public is cordially invited.

COTTON MILLS

MAY SHUT DOWN

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to receive and forward applications from consumers in these classes. Having these applications for immediate requirements on file, the committee will be in a position to act promptly and quick deliveries will be assured when the restrictions now imposed are lifted.

Such plants as manufactured food, ice and cottonseed mills are not affected as they have been placed in the same class as public utilities.

Charlotte, N. C., Nov. 17.—While the great majority of the cotton mills in the South Atlantic section are run by electricity generated by water power, they will be inconvenienced to some extent, according to manufacturers, by the order of the regional director of the railroad administration in Atlanta restricting the delivery of coal to the first five classes in the priority list, since coal is essential for heating the buildings, for dyeing and other processes in producing the manufactured article.

Reports from Spartanburg and Greenville, S. C., centers of the textile industry in that state, declare that fully 90 per cent of their mills are dependent on coal, and it is said that the larger number of the mills in Greenville would be forced to close down if coal is cut off for five or six weeks.

St. Louis, Nov. 17.—The southwestern regional fuel committee, which apportions the distribution of coal in the southwestern railroad region today announced that there is available only about three weeks' supply of coal in the United States and immediately began making plans for fuel conservation in its district which the committee believes will be absolutely necessary in the event the striking coal miners do not return to the mines within a few days.

MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN.

All Day Meeting to be Held at Chestnut Ridge School.

An all day meeting in the interest of the membership campaign of the Chestnut Ridge Baptist church is to be held Sunday, November 23rd. The following program has been arranged: 10:00 A. M.—Sunday school. 11:15—Four-Minute Speakers. 11:30—Recitation—"Is It Nothing to You?" By Marguerite Cain. 11:40—Address and open conference. Address by W. P. Thimason. 12:30—Presentation of certificates. 1:00—Adjournment for lunch. 2:00—Devotional—Mr. J. D. W. Watts. 2:20—Address—Rev. S. H. Templeman. 2:00—Reading—"Thanksgiving Ann." Miss Helen George. 3:15—Sermon—Rev. J. R. Williams. Everybody bring lunch.

Quarterly Meeting of W. M. U.

The quarterly meeting of the 2nd Division of W. M. U. will be held at Princeton, Saturday before the 5th Sunday, Nov. 29, 1919. 10:30—Devotional exercises, conducted by Mrs. Maggie Davis. Enrollment of delegates. Address of Welcome—Miss Lottie Taylor. Response—Miss Ethel Balentine.

"My Responsibility on the use of all that is entrusted to me as a Steward." Mrs. T. N. Barksdale and Mrs. Cora Beason.

Appointment of committees. Social hour.

1:00 P. M.—Devotional, conducted by Mrs. Charlotte Hipp.

"In what ways the campaign will build up Christ's Kingdom?" Mrs. S. H. Templeman and Mrs. Hugh Wallace.

Campaign song. Report from the Sumter W. M. U. Convention. Mrs. J. S. Bennett, Mrs. J. D. W. Watts.

Reports of committees. Adjournment.

Mrs. Carrie E. George, Pres. Mrs. Brooks Nash, Sec.

No Boll Weevils Seen Yet.

Asked about the many reports that boll weevils had been seen in this county, Farm Demonstrator Moore stated yesterday that he had not seen any and that he had no definite knowledge of any having been found in the county. But, he said, he learns that they are in many sections of Newberry county just across the Laurens line and that in all probability some of them have gotten over into this county.

No Worms in a Healthy Child

All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and put a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

I will not be responsible for any debts or obligations of Mary Carter, my wife, or any of my children. 18-11-pd WILLIAM CARTER.

Wanted—Several bushels of Burr Clover seed at once. T. B. Sumerel, next to Owings & Owings. 18-11-pd

For Sale—Several good Fords, two new ones, one with starter and electric lights. One old model roadster. All in good shape. T. B. Sumerel. 18-11-pd

For Sale—Maxwell touring car in good condition. Mrs. R. T. Dunlap, Laurens, S. C. 18-11

For Sale—One trained setter bitch. W. G. Bean, Watts Mills. 18-11-pd

For Sale—One Hippobile touring car in first class condition. Practically new. Palmetto Auto & Accessory Co., Phone 200. 18-11

Lost—One black and tan hound dog, answers to name "Gary". Last seen near Enoree. Reward for his return or information as to his whereabouts. Notify Tom W. Burnett or John W. Bolt, Jr., Laurens, S. C. 18-11

Seed—Our prices for wagon seed are always a little above the regular market. We are especially strong on car seed. Can beat the mills on the price of 7 per cent meal. We have the goods. See us. J. D. Culbertson. 18-11

Gluing Days—Our gluing days at Madden are Thursday and Friday until further notice. J. D. Culbertson. 18-11

For Sale—Twenty thoroughbred Berkshire pigs, seven weeks old. T. B. Sumerel, Laurens, S. C. 18-11-pd

For Sale—One Jersey cow, in ordinary condition, will come in next spring. Price \$15.00. T. B. Sumerel, Laurens, S. C. 18-11-pd

Tires—Just received good line of fresh Fisk tires. We carry all the common sizes. T. B. Sumerel, Laurens, S. C. 18-11-pd

Taken Up—One red mare, with duck collar and harness, taken up at my barn Sunday morning. Owner please call for same upon payment for adv. and feed. Claude P. Finley, Laurens, R. P. D. 1. 18-11

For Sale—Several hundred bushels Cleveland Big Boll cotton seed, pure. Offered at \$5.00 per hundred pounds at my home. M. A. Sumerel, Laurens, R. P. D. 2. 18-21-pd

Lost—One male Setter about one year old, liver color and white with large brown spots, common size dog. Any information leading to recovery of this dog will be appreciated. Leon Hellams, Gray Court. 18-11-pd

Farm For Rent—For information see W. G. Lancaster at Enterprise Bank. Rent cheap. 18-11-pd

Notice—Strayed from my premises on the 7th of November, three calves about six months old, two males and one female. Last seen about one mile west of Gray Court. Any information leading to their whereabouts will be greatly appreciated. P. M. Hellams. 18-11-pd

Lost—On 9th of November, black sow pig, weighing about 71 pounds. Reward for return or information as to where pig is. Floyd Smith, on W. B. Knight's place, Laurens, Route 5. 18-11-pd

Lost—At Mt. Carmel fair, light colored army raincoat, also gray wool sweater. Left in stand at fair. Reward for return. Finder please notify. B. J. Johnson, Laurens Route 5. 18-11-pd

Fine Cattle—In our bunch of milch cattle, the best that can be bought in Tennessee, is one imported registered Jersey, also one heifer fresh in milk, and one bull calf, both from the imported Jersey. Also eight other milkers of the best blood line in Tennessee. Also two other bull calves. Come and look them over. They are going fast. G. Y. Hellams and B. B. Owings, Gray Court. 18-21-pd

Strayed—Sorrel horse with three white feet. Left my barn Sunday night. Finder please notify me. Tom Sullivan, Ware Shoals, Rt. 2, on T. J. Sullivan place. 18-11-pd

For Sale—One two-horse wagon, one buggy and a set of shop tools. Mrs. M. T. Garrett, Barksdale. 18-11-pd

Taken Up—Red Pole bull calf with yoke on. Owner can have same by paying feed bill. Rufus Armstrong. 18-11-pd

For Sale—Two large two-year old turkey gobblers. Price 40c per lb. J. L. Cooper, Laurens, Route 2. 18-11-pd

For Sale—One Dixie Drag log saw. Will cut your timber on the ground and save time and labor. Will cut any size log. Apply to T. B. Sumerel, Laurens, S. C. 18-11-pd

Wanted—Party with complete sawmill outfit to manufacture and put on cars 300,000 feet pine timber. Location, Renno, S. C. Address Box 392, Gaffney, S. C. 16-4

For Sale—Anything in the Duroc line you want. Open gilts, bred gilts, shoats and a fine lot of pigs. C. A. Owens, Clinton, Route 1. 18-51-pd

For Sale—Nice eight room dwelling, close in, water, sewerage, electric lights, half acre lot. Also good second hand "Buck" Range. See W. H. Dial. 17-51-pd

For Sale—Several thousand cream colored pressed brick, left over from building. E. P. Minter, Laurens. 17-21

Lost—Man's size black overcoat on road from Clinton to Laurens, one day last week. Finder please leave same at this office or write C. W. McCravy. 17-21-pd

For Sale—500 bushels corn, 5,000 bundles fodder, 300 bushels good Cleveland Big Boll seed, 3 tons cotton seed meal, 1 good cow, will be fresh by Dec. 1st, 1 mow and good rake. 1 buggy, four mules and one horse. J. T. A. Ballew, Mountville, R. F. D. 17-4

Bright Girls Wanted—The State Hospital for the Insane, Columbia, S. C., need white women, preferably between the ages of 18 and 35, to work as attendants or enter the training school. For further information apply to the Superintendent. 17-4

Get a Singer—Shipment of Singer sewing machines just received. Do not delay in getting yours. They go fast and are hard to keep. L. W. Martin, Agent. 16-51-pd

For Sale—New Ford cars with self starters and electric lights. Also new cars without starters. Also some other second hand Ford touring cars and roadsters. T. B. Sumerel, Laurens, S. C. 18-11-pd

For Sale—New houses and lots in city of Laurens. Laurens Trust Co. 16-5t

Attractive Proposition—In new beverage open to Laurens dealer who will act as agent for wholesale house. Open for immediate negotiation. Carolina Distributing Company, Greenville, S. C. 16-3t

For Service—My thoroughbred registered Hampshire boar. At my residence. Geo. C. Hopkins, Laurens, S. C. 16-5t-pd

Notice—Laurens Trust Company will pay you 6 per cent interest for your money. 15-1f

Money to Lend—I am prepared to place loans on improved farms on favorable terms, and at reasonable rates and expense. Apply early to C. D. Barksdale. 13-1f

Horses and Mares—Fine bunch of horses and mares for sale at my stand at Laurens. W. H. Wharton. 9-1f

Trespass Notice.

All persons are hereby warned against hunting or otherwise trespassing upon my land on pain of being prosecuted to the full extent of the law. W. S. BENJAMIN, Mountville, S. C. 18-11-pd

TRESPASS NOTICE.

All persons are hereby warned under penalty of the law, against hunting or in any way trespassing on our lands. 18-21 MRS. J. O. C. FLEMING.

TRESPASS NOTICE.

All persons are hereby warned under penalty of the law, against hunting or in any way trespassing on our lands. 18-11-pd J. L. and M. J. NAIBERS.

C. C. Featherstone W. B. Knight FEATHERSTONE & KNIGHT Attorneys at Law Laurens, S. C.

All Business Intrusted to Our Care Will Have Prompt and Careful Attention.

Office over Palmetto Bank Mr. Featherstone will spend Wednesday of each week in Laurens.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Take notice that on the 16th day of December, 1919, I will render a final account of my acts and doings as Administratrix of the estate of W. B. Motte, deceased, in the office of the Judge of Probate of Laurens county, at 11 o'clock, a. m., and on the same day will apply for a final discharge from my trust as Administratrix.

Any person indebted to said estate is notified and required to make payment on that date, and all persons having claims against said estate will present them on or before said date, duly proven or be forever barred. MARGARET MOTTE, Administratrix. Nov. 12, 1919. 17-51-A

SUMMONS.

State of South Carolina, County of Laurens, IN COURT OF COMMON PLEAS. J. W. HILL, Plaintiff,

against SOUTHERN EXPRESS CO. and AMERICAN RAILWAY EXPRESS CO., as successor, Defendants. To the Defendants above named:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action of which a copy is herewith served on you and to serve a copy of your answer to said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the Laurens, Trust Company Building at Laurens, South Carolina, within twenty (20) days after the service hereof exclusive of the day of such service. If you fail to answer said Complaint within the time aforesaid the Plaintiff of this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in Complaint.

PHIL D. HUFF, Plaintiff's Attorney. To the Defendants, Southern Express Co., and American Railway Express Co., as successor, whose places of business and addresses are unknown:

You will please take notice that the Complaint in this action, together with the summons of which the above is a copy, was filed in the office of the Clerk of Court of Common Pleas for Laurens County, State of South Carolina, on the 18th day of October, 1919. PHIL D. HUFF, Plaintiff's Attorney. 17-31-A

You Do More Work.

You are more ambitious and you get more enjoyment out of everything when your blood is in good condition. Impurities in the blood have a very depressing effect on the system, causing weakness, laziness, nervousness and sickness.

GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC restores Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then appreciate its true tonic value.

GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC is not a patent medicine, it is simply IRON and QUININE suspended in Syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs Quinine to Purify it and IRON to Enrich it. These reliable tonic properties never fail to drive out impurities in the blood.

The Strength-Creating Power of GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC has made it the favorite tonic in thousands of homes. More than thirty-five years ago, folks would ride a long distance to get GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC when a member of their family had Malaria or needed a body-building, strength-giving tonic. The formula is just the same today, and you can get it from any drug store. 60c per bottle.

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