HARK YE, FANS, MEETING TONIGHT

Base Ball Situation for 1910 to Be Discussed.

MONEY NEEDED FOR CAMPAIGN

Manager Winters May Require a Few Players to Will a Home Va- cant Positions.

The meeting tonight of the baseball devotees called for 8 o'clock in the council chamber will be of intense interest to every fan in the city and to those who only see baseball "every once in a while." Here plans for 1910 will be discussed, and as the "peepul" are those who make the maintenance of the game possible in Columbia, they should be present to offer suggestions and take part in the council of war.

Ginger Winters, the new manager, will arrive in Columbia soon, 'and for the season to be a success he should be able to get right to work on his arrival to frame his 1910 campaign. Players are to be communicated with, the park put in condition, dates with big league clubs, arranged for exhibition games and many other things to be attended to that should be disposed of at once.

At the meeting tonight the house of 1910 will be put in order and for the construction to be ably and completely done, a large attendance of fans should be in evidence. The greatest need is money and the fans who want to see good baseball realize that money is needed. The club is in the best financial condition it has ever enjoyed and not so much money will be needed this year as has been the case in former years. Even at that, however, the season's approach makes some money an absolute and immediate necessity and the sooner the fans contribute liberally the better for all baseball.

With some of the best players in the league on the Columbia reserve list and the men Winters' long Southern league experience will make him get to fill the vacancies, the outlook for the coming season is very bright and it will never do to jeopardize the chances for the season's success by dilatory preparations for the opening. So hark ye, fans, and attend the meeting tonight. The council chamber at 8 o'clock.

WORK IS COMMENDED.

Good Words for the Audubon Society of South Carolina.

To the Editor of The State.

The following letter from National Secretary Pearson will show that the work in South Carolina is regarded by the National Association of Audubon societies. Here is the copy of the letter received today:

"Greensboro, N. C., Dec. 31, 1909.

"My Dear Mr. Mac:

"Let me congratulate you on your last annual report. It contains a large amount of very interesting matter, and it shows that you are making material progress with your work in South Carolina. By all energetic action the judgment you are doing a great work, and as you can readily understand, there is no one outside of the State of South Carolina who can follow with such keen interest the details of the development of the protection work in South Carolina as I do.

"I have long thought that it was a red-letter day for game protection in South Carolina when Mr. Taylor suggested you as the proper man to serve as secretary and general executive officer.

"With best wishes for continued success and prosperity permit me to remain,

"Very truly yours,
"T. Gilbert Pearson,
"Secretary.

"To Mr. James Henry Rice, Jr., "Columbia, S. C."

Apropos of which Dr. E. S. Joynes writes:

"The report of the Audubon Society of South Carolina has been read with great interest. It is an honor to South Carolina and to the society. The undersigned wishes for the society and for its able secretary a happy New Year of success and increased usefulness, as well as for all the birds and fishes, the wards of the society.

"Edward S. Joynes

"Summerville, Jan. 2."

EAGLES WHO ARE ILL.

Congaree Aerie Provides Room at Hospital for Sick Members.

The increase in the dues of Congaree aerie No. 1249, F. O. E., from 75 to 85 cents per month went into effect with the advent of the new year. The aerie will lease a room in one of the local hospitals for its own use in case of the illness of any of its members, thereby insuring free room rent.

Orangeburg Court to Convene.

Special to The State.

Orangeburg, Jan. 2.—The first term of the court of general sessions for Orangeburg county will convene on Monday, January 10, Judge George W. Gage presiding. The following grand jurors for the year have been drawn: W. B. Way, J. H. Culler, A. A. Ulmer, L. G. Funderburg, W. F. Felder, J. N. Frith, J. W. Smoak, L. O. Stanley, W. H. Rumph, W. B. Horger, S. H. Crum, E. R. Fleming. The following grand jurors were drawn last year, with the exception of those named jurors will constitute the grand jury for the coming year: C. B. Langston, T. J. Bonnett, T. K. Smoak, R. R. Brooker, T. B. Fersner, H. F. Smoak.

The following were drawn at the same time as the above to serve as the petit jury to serve at the term beginning January 10: First week: S. B. Harpe, J. A. Carter, J. W. Whetstone, E. Shuler, White Shirer, D. C. Dantzler, H. H. Schoenberg, J. M. Smoak, W. J. Dewitt, W. W. Wimberly, J. A. Fogle, W. N. Meyers, J. S. Blanker, A. N. Whetstone, W. T. McAlhaney, W. J. Barre, J. Doyle, J. E. Rowell, M. W. Blanker, W. A. Avinger, M. W. Davis, H. B. Gardiner, D. C. Fanning, A. C. Smoak, L. H. Sanders, H. B. Brigman, J. B. Corbett, T. O. S. Dibble, C. C. Rhoad, A. Stormon, C. W. Dowling, O. C. Mackey, J. M. McNamera, G. W. Bisher, S. W. Snell, J. C. Harley, second week: W. H. King, G. S. Kirkland, J. M. Miller, W. F. Bell, J. L. Strock, H. C. McAlhaney, H. L. Judy, J. F. Brickle, G. M. Salley, M. A. Arant, A. W. Hoffman, J. E. Mack, J. H. Flake, I. B. Slater, J. H. Cornet, C. D. Ott, J. P. Carr, W. S. Edman, J. O. Shuler, R. S. Winningham, H. S. Segrest, O. W. Whetstone, S. B. Fogel, T. D. Rush, J. P. Avinger, R. R. Ayers, S. S. Copes, C. A. Henneker, D. P. Bair, T. E. Fairey, J. B. McMichael, T. B. Bryant, F. H. Trick, J. M. Pearson, W. T. Westburg, P. O. M. Patrick.

The criminal docket for the coming term consists of numerous minor cases but will require trial, therefore compelling the court to run over into the second week.

Mr. Bryan at Colon.

Colon, Jan. 2.—William Jennings Bryan arrived here today on the steamer Magdalena. He immediately took a train for Panama.

AT THE THEATRE.

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

Tuesday.—"The Girl of the Golden West."
Wednesday.—"The Prince Chap."

David Belasco's "The Girl of the Golden West."

The Staunton Dispatch and News says:

"The mere announcement that a Belasco production was coming to town, should have been sufficient to create unusual interest among local theatre-goers. And that the play to be presented was "The Girl of the Golden West,' one of the most widely discussed dramas of the decade, should have been more than sufficient to have filled the house to overflowing.

"An audience, which was hardly large enough to be termed a crowd, attended the Beverley theatre last night and enjoyed what was, perhaps, the most finished theatrical performance ever given here. The Girl of the Golden West' is melodrama, pure and simple, but it is good melodrama well done. Its people are living, breathing creatures of flesh and blood, real men and women who love and hate and sin, great big people who typify the great big country which furnished the locale for the play."

"The play is exquisitely acted in four acts and deals with the people of early California. Much that is novel, with realism carried to the extreme, marks the drama throughout. The climaxes are vivid, and as a whole everywhere pronounced a great success."

"The Prince Chap."

When Elliott Dexter, the already popular young romantic actor, is introduced here for the first time in his new rank of a comedy-dramatic star at the head of his own company at the Columbia theatre on Wednesday, he will be seen in what is reputed as the most appropriate and advantageous role he has ever had, the central and title part of Edward Peple's romantic comedy, "The Prince Chap." The story told in this charming play has many wonderful heart interest, alternate flights of humor, pathos and comedy, and clean, entertaining and lifelike characters, while it has been noted everywhere for the purity of its sentiment and the moral tone and the beauty of its sentiment. The plot deals with William Peyton, who appears as a boy with his little ward, Claudia, an orphan, who dubs him "the prince chap" through one of those quaint childish fancies born of instinct and imagination. Claudia has been taken under the protection of Peyton, a young American artist seeking fame and fortune in London, who only assumes the responsibility of caring for the child in response to the dying request of her mother. This is explained in a short prologue, and later in the first act, little Claudia, then 9 years old, is seen establishing herself in the humble home of her new protector, where she soon rules the "prince chap" and all of his friends, servants and associates, like the little queen she is. In the second act Claudia has grown to 8 years and fervently loves her "daddy," as she calls him. Then another woman enters the story, Alice, the sweetheart whom Peyton left in New York, and who, on arriving in London, wants little Claudia sent away. Peyton refuses, his wife's dying request, and his fiance, for the child has found the tenderest spot in his heart. So he loses the former sweetheart, much to the satisfaction of both Claudia and the audience. In the third act Claudia has grown to 18-years-old womanhood. The genius of the author and the players is shown in the gradual change of heart, with its delicate shadings, between the artist and Claudia, until the inevitable climax of their romance, which makes the drama end as it should. The play presents quick transitions from police court to studio, happily mingling tears and sunshine, deep pathos and irresistible humor and many bright flashes of comedy. The cast surrounding Mr. Dexter has been pronounced an excellent one, including Grace Reinhardt, Edwin Cushman, Norman Gray, Mabel Florence, Mathilde Lamon and others; and the management has provided the offering with a complete replica of the original artistic production.

Clemson's Coach.

Joe Holland, Edgefield Boy, Will Instruct Clemson.

JOE HOLLAND.

Joe Holland, who will coach the Clemson baseball team this spring, is one of the best of the many ball players South Carolina has contributed to the national game. Holland is from Edgefield and has played in the Carolina, the Cotton States, Southern and Virginia leagues. Last season he was with the pennant winning Roanoke team and his good work contributed to the small measure to the success of the Roanoke bunch.

Holland played a great game at Clemson, taking care of third base a few years ago, but as a football player he was a star of the very first water. He was a terror on the gridiron although as a baseball player he was a complete success as is evidenced by the fact that he is brought back to teach

South Carolina Boy to Coach Clemson.

future illustrious Tigers the ways of the game.

Holland is an outfielder now and plays a fast game in the gardens. He can hit the ball some and his satisfactory work was a figure in the stand Roanoke took in the pennant race in the Virginia league. He will make a good coach for Clemson and his many friends in Columbia would like to see his in a Columbia uniform.

An effort was made by Manager Granville to land him for the local club last season but the Mobile club, to whom he belonged, and the Columbia manager could not agree. Later Shaughnessy, the Roanoke manager, and a former Clemson football and baseball coach, pulled off a deal with Mobile that sent Holland to Roanoke. Several South Carolina ball players were on the Roanoke team. Pressly and Robertson playing there, with Holland. Touchstone, who played with Greenville, and Newton with Spartanburg, both of whom were drafted by Cleveland, were also on Shaugnessy's team.

RAILWAY KINGS TO TALK TO TAFT

Will Discuss With the President Interstate Commerce.

AT THE WHITE HOUSE TODAY

Attorney General Wickersham Also to be Present—Message Next Wednesday.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Six of the great powers in the American railroad world will be in Washington tomorrow morning to define to President Taft the attitude of the railroads toward the proposed amendments to the interstate commerce law.

The president has held up his message pending this hearing, as he is said to be desirous of giving all the interests an opportunity to state their positions, but the special session, dealing with the interstate commerce and anti-trust laws will be ready for delivery on Wednesday next.

The conference tomorrow will be held at the White House at 9 a. m. and will be attended by President Mellen of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, President McCrea of the Pennsylvania railroad, President Lovett of the Union Pacific and allied Harriman lines, President Ripley of the Philadelphia & Reading railroad, President Finley of the Southern railway and President Brown of the New York Central & Hudson River railroad.

Attorney General Wickersham also will be present.

MILLS IN THE SOUTH BOUGHT COTTON FREELY

Shortage in Stocks Strikingly Evident in Bureau's Report—Northern Mills' Takings Short.

Washington, Jan. 2.—American cotton stocks at the end of November aggregated 1,505,968 bales, compared with 1,795,000 and 1,214,731 bales reported on the same dates in 1908 and 1907, says today's report of the bureau of statistics for November.

Slight receipts of cotton during November totalled 1,141,149 bales with 2,896,697 bales during October 1908, and 1,230,193 during November, 1907. The port receipts, 1,323,224 bales, show a similar decline from 1908 and 1907, figures of 3,888,022 and 1,629,626 bales.

The takings of American spinners for the three months of the present season, says the report, were 1,517,194 bales, only 371,000 less than for the corresponding period of the preceding year. The decline in total takings is attributed exclusively to the curtailed demand of the Northern mills, the season's takings of the Southern mills 636,678 bales, exceeding the corresponding figures for the past season.

CUT THROAT OF LOVER AND HANGED HERSELF

Jealous Woman in Nashville Perhaps Mortally Wounds Man and Later Commits Suicide in Jail.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 2.—After cutting the throat of John M. Jennings, a bookkeeper, in a room in which they had been living as man and wife, Mrs. Lizzie C. Crenshaw, aged 28 years, hanged herself this morning in a cell in the police station. She was arrested shortly after the cutting, which occurred at an early hour, and at 8 o'clock was found dead, having found swinging to a steam pipe in her cell, her apron strings having been made into a rope.

Jealousy is attributed by the police as the motive for the woman's attack upon Jennings. The latter refused to make a statement and Jennings has not regained consciousness. It is stated that he has a chance of recovering with a complete replica of the original artistic production.

This room where the cutting occurred was besprattered with blood, indicating that there had been a struggle.

Jennings has well-to-do connections here.

GOVERNMENT WITNESS WAYLAID AND KILLED

Cowardly Assassination of a Farmer in Alabama—Shots Shot From the Dark.

Mobile, Ala., Jan. 2.—James M. Middleton, a farmer and principal government witness in the night rider case set for trial in the federal court here this month, was shot from ambush last night in Baldwin county last night. He died this morning while being brought to Mobile for surgical attention.

In the vicinity of Loxley, Middleton's home, there is much excitement and citizens aided the sheriff today in futile effort to capture the assassins through the use of bloodhounds. Middleton, in a buggy with a neighbor, William Wade, was en route to his home when from the darkness rifle shots rang out and Middleton fell mortally wounded, a bullet in his abdomen.

THE W. T. JONES CASE TODAY

Solicitor Otts Will Endeavor to Have it Called the First Thing.

The supreme court convening today and the seventh circuit cases being on the roster, Solicitor J. C. Otts of Cheraw is in the city and will ask the court to take up the case of the State vs. W. T. Jones first. Mr. Otts wishes to get back to Spartanburg for the term of court there as he has several important cases on the docket for that county, including the Foster case.

It is probable that Attorney General Lyon will also call up the injunction cases from Charleston. These may be quickly disposed of as it is not expected that any returns will be made on the orders to show cause.

In the Jones case Solicitor Otts is hopeful that the supreme court will affirm the verdict of the lower court. Jones, a prominent farmer of Union county, was convicted of wife murder and sentenced to life imprisonment. The written arguments were filed a few days ago in the supreme court and the attorneys will appear before the court today.

SOUGHT THE LAW'S PROTECTION.

John Watts, a Negro Who Now Officer, in Jail.

Columbia, Miss., Jan. 2.—Pursued by a posse of citizens, John Watts, a negro, after having shot Policeman Frank Cook last night, ran to the home of Councilman McClannahan, surrendered himself and begged for protection. He was later turned over to the police and this morning was taken to West Point, Miss., for safekeeping.

Policeman Cook attempted to arrest Watts, and the latter fired on him.

Ministerial Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the ministerial association of the city at 11 o'clock today at the Y. M. C. A. parlor.

WOULD MOVE STATE HOSPITAL

Bond Issue for a New Plant Suggested by Representative Dixon of Fairfield.

To the Editor of The State:

Some asked me a day or two ago what was the most important thing to come up before the legislature at its next session. I answered then that I thought it to be reformatory measures in our court procedure. There is one, however, after reflection, I am convinced is of more importance. We ought to settle for once and all the unfortunate and puzzling questions in regard to what is the proper thing to do at the State Hospital for the Insane. Our experience teaches us that this "inexplicable confusion" may even become the mind of an individual at any time in any home of our people, however high or low, rich or poor, white or black, and with the multiplication of our population we may not expect any diminution of the inmates at the asylum. It worked like madness in the brain of the hero of Shakespeare's greatest play of metaphysical tragedy. It may show itself in its pitiful manifestations at the door-sill of any of our plantation darkies, when we least expect it. And when this dread disease takes its hold on man or woman, congress ought to know the question becomes one more of protection, care, and confinement, than one of a curative possibility. All alienists tell us this, and our own observation confirms it.

I attended one of the meetings of the investigation committee and have thought of the situation there with some degree of thought, which I consider it my duty as a member of the legislature to do, and have reached the conclusion that it will take at least $500,000 to put ourselves in a humane and civilized attitude before the world toward these unfortunate wards of the State.

It will take some statesmanship and constructive ability to solve this question, and go one man ought to think that he has the precise method of solving it. I am tempted to go off on a tangent and talk of our poor and inefficient system of taxation and the antiquated manner of appropriations by past legislatures, but am constrained to think it better to plead now, hoping to put it to the backing of so many of our modern day public officials, and I humbly ask these questions for each and the people to think upon the answers thereto.

1. Under the present condition of our finances could it not be best to defer the asylum from its present situation? Columbia is growing and needs the grounds for her residential population. Do we not owe the people in this vicinity the duty to move the asylum from their midst? Is technical objection being thrown aside? Don't you think you would contribute to a fund to move it away from them? Don't you think that it would be better to have the people from Columbia, people, who know about the fair grounds, up in your county somewhere or in Fairfield county, where there is room and where plenty could be gotten for what the present plant could be sold for? Don't you think that it is different from what the State could be gotten for nothing, for the mere fact of the merchandise that a small town would receive in having the asylum in their vicinity. Columbia also being allowed to offer a site.

2. If there are insuperable objections to the above, don't you think the whole matter should be kept separated—but both kept under the same supervision? They ought never to have been put in juxtaposition as they are. Put under kind and humane managers. With the past life of the negroes they could sustain themselves by farming operations if plenty of land were supplied by the State.

3. As we are already sorely taxed, would it not be much better in order to make the present generation feel the burden less, to issue bonds redeemable in 40 years (bearing 4 per cent interest) in the sum of $500,000? Sufficient amount of any reduction which might be obtained through the plan heretofore suggested? Then should we not have a commission composed purely of State officials to serve without pay, who live in Columbia, and let it carry out the views and instructions of the legislature which may be passed upon the subject to relieve the very evident distressful circumstances at the institution? Again we want no attorney's fees for the placement of the bonds. Let that be done by the attorney general.

The whole question is one of such vital importance that it should not be carried out without some discussion and attrition of ideas and I feel sure that you will pardon me for the use of personal to you, but are open to a word who wants the subject rightly determined. In this connection, I wish to say that I feel sure that no one who will seek to settle this question can rightly do so unmindful of the relation that the unfortunates of ours and like the poor, we will have them with us always.

The very highest patriotism for our State and the manliest qualities of our nature should animate the members of the general assembly in dealing of this matter at the beginning of the next session.

And to what the investigating committee have discovered, as to the defects in the management, I do not know. They will must realize that the physical defects there, plainly apparent, make the situation well-nigh intolerable.

W. W. Dixon.

Winnsboro, December 27, 1909.

At the Grand.

An exceptionally strong and clever vaudeville bill will be seen at the Grand this week, beginning today at the matinee. The management appreciating the fact that the patrons wish to have the best there is in the limited line, will this week offer a good big bill at popular prices.

Among the clever acts booked to appear are Nichols and Smith, who offer an entirely new comedy bicycle and juggling act that has been a hit all over the circuit. Vesta Wallace, a very pretty singing and dancing soubrette, will be seen in new and popular songs and dances, and comes well recommended by the press in other cities. Another laughable novelty act is that of Ruff and Cusick who offer a ridiculous comedic act which is one long scream from start to finish. Prof. De Castro will present an exceptionally clever night of hand novelty, which by the way will prove a drawing card in itself.

Williams and Sivad will offer an act that is different from all others seen here in a long time, presenting novelty songs, dramatic and character impersonations, featuring the transformation scene from Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde and "The Fresh Air," in which Mr. Shea has made such a world-wide reputation. Amateurs will appear Tuesday night and a great "line-up" has been booked to appear. Friday afternoon, every child attending the matinee will receive a beautiful souvenir.

The motion pictures that will be seen this week are all new and beautiful and will be both comedy and dramatic films. The admission remains the same. The matinees begin promptly at 3.45 p. m. and the night performances at 8.15 p. m.

Resolutions

For Any Day in Any Year.

By D. G. Routrahn.

For the Well that They May Keep Well!

For the Sick that They May Get Well!

Resolved, That I will take better care of my body.

Resolved, That I will seek to know more about my body and so be better able to give it proper care.

Resolved, That I will try to aid others that they may take better care of their bodies.

Resolved, That I will plan to learn more about the conditions which affect the physical well-being of others.

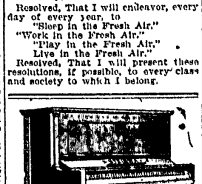
Resolved, That I will give particular attention, as occasion makes possible, to conditions affecting the health of the poor, the ignorant and the neglected.

Resolved, That in school, church, club, lodge, union or society, I will encourage the discussion of health topics and the suggestion of plans towards better health conditions in the community.

Resolved, That I will endeavor, every day of every year, to

"Sleep in the Fresh Air."
"Work in the Fresh Air."
"Play in the Fresh Air."

Resolved, That I will present these resolutions, if possible, to every class and society to which I belong.



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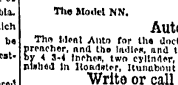

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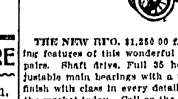

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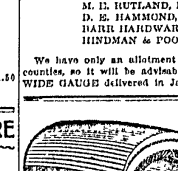

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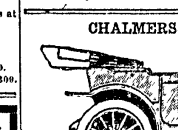

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