STRIKE FOLLOWS ORDER OF MILL

Machinery Idle at Plant of Brogdon Company.

TO HAVE CLOSED SOON

Notice Had Been Posted That Mill Would Close September 27 for Indefinite Period.

Special to The State.

Anderson, Sept. 14.—A strike is on at the Brogdon cotton mills, manufacturers of print cloth goods, and machinery in all departments is idle. Monday afternoon the management posted a notice to the effect that the mills would close September 27 for an indefinite period. No cause was assigned. Several days ago four employes were discharged and when the management refused to reinstate them representatives of the American Federation of Labor came here to make an investigation. The employes declare today that the management expected a strike and anticipated it by deciding to close down The employes declare that no strike was planned but to anticipate the mill management's action and in order that the help might receive assistance from the labor union during idleness a strike was ordered for today. According to agreement they would not receive financial aid while the mill is closed other than by a strike among the help. It is stated officially that the management concluded to shut down because of the scarcity of dyestuffs and the high prices and because of trade conditions. The mills here have a supply of dyestuffs but wish to conserve same until prices for colored goods advance to a price in keeping with the cost of the dyestuffs. Brogden has 575 employes and 3,000 persons are affected. The weekly pay roll is $4,000.

ASKS COOPERATION IN ENFORCING LAW

Steering Committee of Prohibition Forces Issues Appeal to the People.

Last night the steering committee of the movement for Statewide prohibition issued, through its chairman, A. Mason DuPre of Spartanburg and its secretary, D. W. Robinson of Columbia, a statement, as follows, regarding the election of yesterday:

"Notwithstanding a great many people failed to understand the necessity and to fit themselves for it, yet a large number of our people have spoken their wishes through the ballot boxes. The duty now devolves on these and all good citizens to see that the prohibitory laws enacted today are enforced.

"The steering committee takes this method of expressing its deep gratification to and appreciation of the great service rendered to the cause of prohibition by so many different forces throughout the State. The press and the pulpit, the preachers, the teachers and the laymen, have all performed yeoman services in this cause And the kindred organizations, the Women's Christian Temperance union, the Women's Prohibition league, the flying squadron of young college men, the Anti-Saloon league and the flying squadron foundation, have all rendered valiant services in the cause. We bespeak for the officers of the law the cooperation of all citizens in enforcing it and carrying forward the movement this day begun."

RESIGNS AS MAYOR

A. R. McElhaney to Move From Fort Mill.

Special to The State.

Fort Mill, Sept. 14.—A. R. McElhaney has tendered his resignation as mayor of Fort Mill to the town council, effective at once. This action became necessary in view of the fact that Mr McElhaney is moving with his family to his farm a few miles below Rock Hill, where he expects to reside permanently.

CITY HALL NOTES

Insurance Licenses.

C. M. Asbill, councilman in charge of the license department, was appointed yesterday as a committee of one to confer with Carroll Jones and other agents of life insurance companies regarding the advisability of having a graduated scale of licenses for such companies, based on the amount of investments in Columbia. Mr. Asbill will report on the matter at a subsequent meeting

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To Suspend Speed Limit.

Council yesterday passed a first reading ordinance which would allow the Seaboard Air Line railway to be relieved from the speed limit of four miles an hour and certain other restrictions on the grade crossing on Elmwood avenue, "so long as the railroad maintains the present safeguards."

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Police Officer Quits.

The resignation of John B McCravey from the police department was accepted yesterday by city council.

CHOICE OF TWO WAYS IN GERMANY'S HANDS

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dence carefully and to have made certain suggestions to his foreign office. It will probably be ten days before a reply can be received. With disavowal of the submarine commander's act, officials here feel that questions of indemnity can be left to arbitral tribunals.

Should Germany fail to satisfy the American demands for disavowal, indications tonight were that the Washington government would follow its original purpose to sever diplomatic relations

While awaiting for the next word from Berlin Secretary Lansing expects to take a few days' vacation. He probably will leave after the Pan-American conference on the Mexican situation Saturday.

Associated Press dispatches from Berlin announcing that Ambassador Gerard had been handed a note disclaiming responsibility for the sinking of the liner Hesperian and expressing the belief that the ship struck a mine attracted comparatively little interest here. As the Hesperian was struck forward when well beyond the zone in which German submarines usually operate, and as no one on board saw a submarine or a torpedo, officials had not expected an issue to develop over the case.

GERMANY'S GOOD FAITH IS PRINCIPAL UESTION

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mander's act and reparation for the loss of the Americans who were killed

2 The United States desires Germany to interpret the word "liners," used in Count von Bernstorff's pledge and particularly wishes Germany to explain whether it intends to restrict the new policy to only passenger carrying ships or to include all merchant vessels and freighters. The president wants unrestricted assurances

No Arbitration Yet.

Until these matters are settled the United States will not discuss with Germany the suggestion of arbitration. If Germany should concede that the submarine commander erred in sinking the Arabic and agrees to make reparation then this government may be willing to arbitrate the amount of money that should be paid.

Count von Bernstorff, it is known, was impressed with the affidavits in possession of the state department respecting the manner in which the Arabic was attacked and volunteered, as has been stated, to send them to his government.

The ambassador is hopeful that he can induce the Berlin authorities to make a disavowal that will be satisfactory to the United States.

Streets Not Pastures.

An ordinance was introduced in city council yesterday to forbid the grazing of live stock on the streets of Columbia, "whether held by some one or not." The ordinance was given its first reading

BIG MAJORITY IN LEXINGTON

County Heartily Indorses Statewide Prohibition.

WILL ENFORCE LAW.

Sheriff Miller Says He Will Make County as Dry as Powder House.

Special to The State.

Lexington, Sept. 14.—Lexington county went back into the dry column by a vote of a little more than two and one-half to one today, according to the vote received from 29 out of 30 boxes. The remaining box will not carry more than 15 or 20 votes at the outside. Prohibition has received a total of 1,381 against 562 for the dispensary.

Not over 2,000 votes were cast in today's election, about one-half of the primary vote last summer. Features of today's referendum were the heavy vote against the sale of liquor in towns where dispensaries are located At Batesburg, where a dispensary was established over the protest of a large majority of the citizens, the dispensary received only 15 votes while prohibition received 154. At Lexington the dispensary received 73 against 184; Chapin, dispensary 53 against 82; Brookland, 53 to 191; Swansea, 39 to 97; Gilbert, 10 against 65 for prohibition; Pelion, 25 against 65 for prohibition. Peak is the only town in the county having a dispensary that voted for whiskey by a majority, the vote being 41 for dispensary against 22 for prohibition. At Cayce the vote stood 16 to 1 in favor of prohibition. At Edmunds, the home of Senator Sharpe, who favors the dispensary, the vote was 11 to 24 in favor of prohibition, the first time Mr. Sharpe has ever failed to carry his precinct.

The result of today's election is due to a number of reasons, principally to the strong enforcement of the prohibition law while it was in effect two years ago, and also to the large increase in crime since the establishment of the dispensary in April, 1914 Congressman Lever's strong personal following played an important part in today's result.

"I expect to make Lexington as dry as a powder house," said Sim J. Miller, sheriff, when told of the results late tonight. "All of this talk about not being able to enforce prohibition is the merest rot, and as I have stated before I will give the people of this county an example of prohibition that will make every county in the State sit up and take notice. I found prohibition to be about the easiest law coming under my supervision when we had prohibition, and with a Statewide law there is no reason why we can not make it more effective. Just say that so long as I am an officer of the law just so long will I see that the laws are enforced."

HEAVY AIKEN VOTE FOR PROHIBITION

County in Which Dispensary is Located Signifies Wish for Its Removal.

Special to The State

Aiken, Sept. 14.—Practically complete returns indicate that Aiken, one of the dispensary counties, has voted overwhelmingly, about five to one, for prohibition.

Twenty-five out of 32 boxes give for prohibition 1,040, against prohibition 326. County boxes yet to hear from are small and will not materially affect the result.

Some striking features stand out in the Aiken vote, aside from the fact that everywhere the balloting has been extremely light. The vote in the city of Aiken, a dispensary stronghold, was 218 for prohibition and 44 against.

The mill towns in the Horse Creek valley all went for prohibition, although the vote at Langley was the lightest ever known. The vote there was 44 for prohibition and 14 against. Graniteville voted 158 for and 15 against prohibition. Vaucluse showed 31 to 16 in favor of prohibition and Bath 24 to 19 in favor of prohibition. hibition to 9 against. North Augusta voted strongly in favor of prohibition in spite of the fact that the prohibition laws are flagrantly and openly violated in Augusta, just across the river. The vote was 56 for and 12 against.

Of the 25 boxes heard from only four showed majorities against prohibition and the vote in these places was very light.

SPARTANBURG IS DRY

County Votes Three to One for Prohibition.

Special to The State

Spartanburg, Sept. 14.—Spartanburg county has gone three to one for Statewide prohibition. Out of 86 boxes in the county, 70 heard from tonight give for prohibition 3,180, against prohibition 1,096. Apparently about 4,500 votes were polled, about 50 per cent of the vote cast in primary elections Four boxes in the county, Arrowood, Woods Chapel, Moore and Fingerville, went solidly for prohibition. The wet boxes are Inman mill, Antioch, Crescent, Beaumont mill, Victor mill, Arkwright and Mary Louise. The city of Spartanburg went three to one for prohibition. The result in this county was never in doubt.

S. J. Nicholls was elected to congress in the general election held today throughout the Fourth district.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING

Levi Shelly Loses Life While Hauling Cotton.

Special to The State.

Marion, Sept. 14.—While hauling in a load of cotton just previous to a thunder cloud Levi Shelly was killed outright and Willie Lambert was burned by lightning this afternoon about 2 o'clock. Both mules hitched to the wagon were killed. Willie Lambert's burns are painful, but not serious. He was having the cotton hauled in on his mother's farm, about three miles east of Marion. Two negro cotton pickers sitting on the cotton were not injured.

D. A. R. Meeting.

San Francisco, Sept. 14.—Daughters of the American Revolution began business sessions at the Panama-Pacific exposition today. Reports from the various States were read by the vice presidents general, regents and State chairmen

Ten Cents for Cotton.

Special to The State.

Walterboro, Sept. 14—The price of cotton on the local market reached 10 cents today. The local market this year has more buyers than usual and competition has been strong up to this time. It is expected that the price will continue good.

IDEAL TO SHOW FAMOUS PICTURE

Lois Weber's "Hypocrites" is to Be Run in Columbia Next Friday.

The Ideal theatre will show on Friday next the picture "Hypocrites"

The following description is from the New York World of January 21, last:

An elaborate film spectacle called "Hypocrites" was produced last night at the Longacre theatre. Truth at any cost of clothes appeared to be the purpose of the author, Lois Weber, who, in her fanciful way, had fashioned a simple yet chaste story. Like other plays of the year, "Hypocrites" was largely a dream.

To begin with, an elocutionary gentleman in ecclesiastical garb delivered a brief sermon on hypocrisy and then fell asleep. And in that sleep, as Shakspere didn't say, what dreams did come! The good man saw himself as an early monk at work upon a statue of Truth—and meanwhile the audience waited for results. When Truth was unveiled the inspired artist was killed because the naked truth shocked the amateur art critics. The real truth is that Truth, in the beginning, was whitewashed, and this may serve to explain the indignation of the murderous populace. As a matter of fact, it wasn't a bad job at all, except that it betrayed a mid-Victorian suggestion of the original member of the original English pony ballet. (This, of course, from a purely personal point of view). Truth came to light again after a few thousand years and led the monk, now the pastor of a modern church, together with his congregation, along the straight and difficult path upward, ever upward, and over such pitfalls as society and politics. An obvious lesson for hypocrites was silently preached all along the line, and in the end the preacher died "unfortunately with a Sunday, newspaper in his hand," as the announcement on the screen humorously put it.

In all seriousness, Courtenay Foote made an impressive and dramatic figure as the monk, while Margaret Edwards, quite innocent of clothes, sidestepped charmingly as Truth It is a bare possibility that the producer, William L. Sherry, believes Truth may be a revelation to Broadway. In any event Truth is quite out of the ordinary as far as clothes go. A very good orchestra played a musical accompaniment to the scenes and a chorus sang to the best of its ability.

The exhibition opened with a series of really fine pictures of the Northwest entitled "The Call of the Mountains." Not only were the scenic glories of Oregon brought out vividly, but the dangers and sports of the mountains were realized in pictures of adventurers shooting and tumbling down nature's toboggan slide; horses, mules and dogs fording streams gone mad in their downward plunge, and other exciting views. These mountain pictures are living works of art.

USE GROUND ROCK FOR FERTILIZER

Farmers of Florence Forced to Abandon Acid Phosphate—Tests at Experiment Station.

Special to The State.

Florence, Sept. 14.—The farmers of Florence will probably use a great deal of ground phosphate rock instead of the acid phosphate of commerce. This well known ingredient of good fertilizer has been going up rapidly and is now almost out of sight in the case of the average farmer. The price of sulphuric acid with which the rock is treated is the cause of the rise and that will not go down until the war is over. Experiments at the Pee Dee experiment station through the past two years indicate that the ground rock is really a very good fertilizer, and while the authorities will not say on the basis of two years' tests that it is going to be satisfactory, it is understood that in the University of Illinois, where it has been tested for 15 years, ground phosphate rock and ground limestone rock are the very best soil builders that there are. There must be plenty of humus in the soil, however, and the rock must be ground as fine as flour. The phosphoric acid is not soluble in the rock as it is, but when ground seems to give off its properties in decomposition and chemical changes with the humus

The farmers want to get a good rate on this ground rock from the fields in Tennessee if possible, because Tennessee people have quoted them a very favorable price. Charleston rock owners do not seem to care to grind the crude rock, and their quotations are understood to be $11 a ton, though some was bought for $10. Tennessee has been selling at $4 a ton and in quantities will sell at less. The present freight is something over $5 a ton and the railroads have been asked to refigure that commodity and get it to the farmer cheaper. In case these requests are granted the chances are that there will be a lot of the ground rock used here for the next crop.

PROHIBITION GAINS SWEEPING VICTORY

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of Statewide prohibition. Barnwell went against the dispensary by three votes, and early returns from Bamberg, Beaufort, Jasper, Georgetown and Williamsburg indicated that they too had gone against the retention of the dispensary system. In Dorchester, with four boxes out, local option had a lead of 13 votes over Statewide prohibition

There seemed to be comparatively little interest, especially in the counties now dry, and the vote, as a result, was light and came in slowly.

In York not a precinct gave a majority for local option and two, Ebenezer and McConnellsville, registered solidly for prohibition. At Bamberg two boxes were provided, one for prohibition and one against, voters being unable to conceal their choice. In Lancaster four boxes were unanimously for prohibition and four cast only one vote against it. Only one precinct, that of the Lancaster cotton mill, voted wet, the vote there being 68 against prohibition and 48 for it. Only one precinct gave a majority against prohibition in Florence county. The towns of Saluda gave large majorities in favor of prohibition. Many were not allowed to vote in Marion because their registration certificates antedated 1908. The two Newberry city boxes, including the Newberry mill, gave prohibition 347 and 73 against. Kinards' solid vote of 25 was for prohibition and Central was unanimous for prohibition with 12 votes.

BLAIR LEE BEATEN.

Apparently Defeated in Maryland Democratic Gubernatorial Race.

Baltimore, Sept. 14.—Incomplete returns late tonight from today's Maryland primary election indicate that United States Senator Blair Lee has lost the Democratic gubernatorial nomination to State Comptroller Emerson C. Harrington of Dorchester county.

Rook, the game of games, 50c. The State Book Store.

DEATHS IN SOUTH CAROLINA

Mrs. Mary Evans Leavell.

Special to The State.

Newberry, Sept. 14—Mrs. Mary Evans Leavell, wife of Robert Y. Leavell and daughter of Capt. John C. Evans of Cheraw, died at her home in this city last night at 11:15 o'clock, in the 55th year of her age. She is survived by two children, Robert E. Leavell of this city and Mrs Harry O'Donnell. The funeral will take place at 4 o'clock, with religious services at the grave, to be conducted by the Rev. Robert W. Lide of Darlington. The interment will be in Rosemont cemetery.

J. Elbert Davis.

Special to The State.

Manning, Sept. 14.—J. Elbert Davis, a prominent citizen and former sheriff of this county, was found dead in his bed yesterday morning at his home in Manning, he having died suddenly some time during the night He had not enjoyed robust health for some years past, but no special apprehension was felt as to his condition. He was 70 years of age in July, last, and his death is attributed to organic heart trouble. Mr. Davis was appointed county auditor in 1891 and held that office for six years. In 1902 he was elected sheriff and served one term in that office. He is survived by three sons and four daughters, as follows Julius Davis, a prominent farmer; W. R. Davis, county supervisor, and Shelby Davis, Mrs E. C. Coskrey, Mrs. Lizzie Hunter, Mrs Dr. G. L. Dickson and Mrs. S. Oliver O'Bryan. He also leaves three brothers, ex-Senator C. M. Davis, T. Morgan Davis, W. E Davis, all of this county, and one sister, Mrs. Fannie Sprott of Spartanburg. The Davis family connection is one of the most prominent and influential in Clarendon. Mr. Davis' wife died about five years ago.

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NOTICE TO LIQUOR DEALERS.

Office of Richland County Dispensary Board.

Columbia, S C., Sept. 15th, 1915.

Bids are hereby requested in accordance with the terms of the dispensary law now in force for following kinds and quantities of liquors, beer and other articles herein enumerated, to be furnished to the State of South Carolina for the use of the county to wit:

10 to 1,000 barrels 100 proof yellow corn, different grades.

10 to 500 barrels 100 proof rye, different grades.

10 to 200 barrels 100 proof gin, different grades.

5 to 100 barrels 100 proof rum, different grades.

5 to 50 barrels domestic wines

5 to 50 barrels imported wines

1 to 10 barrels alcohol.

Bids will also be received for case goods in quarts, pints and half pints, including rye, corn, Scotch whiskey, brandy, gin, rum, bitters and wines in quantities for each kind, of from 10 to 500 cases

Bids will also be received for glass, corks, tin foil and all other needed supplies for the county dispensary.

Bids will also be received for bulk beer in quantities of from 100 to 1,000 barrels and for export beer in quarts and pints in quantities for each kind of from 100 to 1,000.

All whiskeys, rums, brandies and gins in bulk to be shipped direct from the distillery warehouse.

All goods shall be furnished in compliance with and subject to the terms and conditions of the dispensary law of 1907 and bidders must observe the following rules:

1. All bids shall be sealed and there shall be no sign or mark upon the envelope indicating the name of the bidder.

2. All bids must be sent by registered mail or express to P. B. Spigner, county treasurer for Richland county, at Columbia, S. C., on or before noon the 15th day of October, 1915.

3. The contract shall be awarded to the lowest responsibe bidder on each kind, the board reserving the right to reject any and all bids and any part of bids.

4 The board reserves the right to increase any contract or any part of any contract for liquors, wines, beer or supplies to be furnished this board for the quarter following.

5. The board reserves the right to cancel at any time any contract or any part of any contract for liquors, wines, beer or supplies to be furnished the board.

6. Bids must show proof of case goods as well as proof on bulk goods.

All goods to be delivered f. o. b. freight prepaid, Columbia, S. C., to be paid for within 90 days' time, and subject to regauge at our warehouse.

Bids will be opened at the office of the county dispensary board, 1220 Pulaski street, Columbia, S. C.

J. W. H. DUNCAN, Chairman.
S. T. WESBERRY, Chairman Pro Tem.
JAS. S. VERNER, Secretary.

Estate Notice.

All persons having claims against the estate of Fred Harmon, deceased, are notified to present same to the undersigned, duly verified. Those indebted to said estate will make payment likewise.

SAMEUL E. HARMON, Executor.
1820 Sumter Street, Columbia, S. C.

Incorporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that after three days from the date hereof the undersigned will apply to the secretary of State of South Carolina for the incorporation of an association of certified public accountants to be known as the South Carolina Association of Certified Public Accountants and located at Columbia, S C.

This 15th day of September, 1915.

L. A. SEARSON,
H. E. GOODING,
C. L. VANN,
FREDERICK MOORE.

Final Discharge.

Notice is hereby given that John Charles McElrone, executor of the estate of Margaret Dunn, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such executor, and that the 30th day of September, 1915, at 10 o'clock a. m., at my office, has been appointed for the hearing of said petition

G. DUNCAN BELLINGER,
Judge of Probate, Richland Co., S. C.
Aug. 31, 1915.

Final Discharge.

Notice is hereby given that Eliza T. Monckton, administratrix of the estate of Mary C. Casey, has this day made application unto me for a final discharge as such administratrix, and that the 30th day of September, 1915, at 10 o'clock a. m., at my office, has been appointed for the hearing of said petition.

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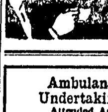

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Notice—Teachers' Examination.

The regular fall teachers' examination will be held in the Richland county court house on Friday, the first day of October, 1915, beginning at 9 o'clock. All teachers and prospective teachers who expect to teach in Richland county and who are without teachers' certificates will do well to take this examination.

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