

THE MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS AND DIRECTORS

Of the Southern Life Insurance Co.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Southern Life Insurance Company was held on Tuesday, September 18, 1906, at the office of the Company.

The meeting was called to order at 12:30 p. m., with Mr. E. H. Williamson, president, presiding.

The report of the Manager was made, and was very gratifying. The manager of the Company reported that the Company was in a flourishing condition.

The Southern Life Insurance Company was organized last September, but there were so many necessary legal requirements that the Company really did not get their license until November second.

The Company started business with every home company and foreign company, working closely in North Carolina, and almost every corner of the State covered by insurance agents.

By careful management the Company has put aside \$12,566.06 for policy and stock holders, besides paying all expenses, including \$6000.00 in death losses, and setting aside \$2,324.16 as a reserve.

The managers of the Company have gone a long way towards covering this State (North Carolina) with agents. More has been done along this line in the last two months, than in any preceding four months.

Our force in South Carolina is rapidly covering that State and is January the first the two Carolinas will be covered with agents and working like bees.

In Georgia, the Company is especially fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Neill McQueen, one of our directors, as State Agency Director.

The assets of the Company amount to over \$180,000.00. The insurance written from November 20th, 1905 to September 12th, 1906, was \$2,999,350.00.

The outlook for the continued prosperity of the Company is exceedingly bright. The people of the three States in which the Company is doing business, have given the Company their hearty endorsement by placing a large part of their insurance with the institution.

In the course of the next few years the Company will have grown to be a tower of strength in the financial world and will be a great benefit to the South by encouraging Southern enterprises and keeping that money at home, to encourage our people, which has hitherto been sent out of the South.

Realizing that to extend the business over a large territory and to enter several States, that a large capital is necessary, the stockholders voted to increase the capital from \$25,000.00 to \$150,000.00.

The Manager reported that over this amount had been subscribed showing conclusively what confidence the people have in The Southern Life.

The following gentlemen were elected Directors: Messrs. A. L. James, Z. V. Fite, J. W. Carter, R. P. DeVane, W. J. Johnson, W. H. Sikes, John Blane, W. A. Blue, T. L. Chisholm, J. W. McLaughlin, T. B. Upchurch, L. Shaw, A. L. Shaw, A. McDowell, N. McQueen, John Elliott, J. B. Carley, J. W. Johnson, R. D. Caldwell, J. A. Brown, E. M. Birge, J. W. Ward, W. L. Holt, John A. Oates, E. H. Williamson, J. G. Shaw, A. E. Rankin, E. McMillan, C. J. Cooper, J. V. McGowan, W. A. Vanstony, Adam McArthur, H. B. Smith, A. H. Slocomb, A. L. McCaskill, John Underwood, John McDuffie, L. Carter, Dr. H. W. Lilly.

It is a question whether or not any institution in our fair land has a stronger Board of Directors than this Home Company.

Each Director has been a success in his line. The strong personnel of the Directors guarantee to every policy and stockholder that the funds of the Company will be properly invested, that the business will be economically and honestly conducted, that the policy holders' interest will be looked after first, and that the management of the Company will be the very best that money and brains can make it.

has made, and expressed their high appreciation to Mr. Cooper and the other officers for their up to date efforts to extend the business and to build up a strong institution.

The stockholders then adjourned. The Directors then held their meeting and elected the following officers for the coming year: E. H. Williamson, President; R. D. Caldwell, W. J. Johnson and A. L. James, Vice Presidents; John A. Oates, Secretary; C. J. Cooper, Treasurer and Manager.

J. V. McGowan, Medical Director; Charles E. Brooks, Actuary; A. W. Peace, Assistant Manager. The meeting then adjourned.

It is with great pleasure we chronicle the fact that the Southern Life Insurance Company has grown so rapidly. This company has had a phenomenal growth and rightfully deserves the confidence and patronage of the people of the South.

The Late Mrs. Martin. The funeral of Mrs. Jno. T. Martin, who died Tuesday, took place from her residence at "Whippoorwill" yesterday, the services being conducted by Rev. D. H. Tuttle. For the past thirty years Mrs. Martin was a consistent member of the Baptist church. She was the widow of the late John T. Martin, a brave Confederate soldier, a member of Company G, 33rd North Carolina State troops, Lane's brigade. She is survived by three sons, Messrs. J. T. and C. P. Martin, of this city, and W. M. Martin, of Florida.

A Big Suit Instituted. Mr. James Marsh, of Alderman, through his attorneys, Messrs. Sinclair & Dye, has filed complaint in his suit against the Atlantic Coast Lane Railroad Company for permanent injuries sustained while engaged in building a house for defendant at Nocatee, Florida, in the spring of 1904. The complaint alleges that he, with others who were engaged in this work, were in the habit of keeping their tools, etc., and spending their noon hour under the building used as a depot at this station, and that on the day of the accident a box car was standing on the siding with a gang plank extending from it onto the platform; that a train backed rapidly against this dead car, without stopping, with such violence as to jam the gang plank against the depot and overturn it, the house falling on plaintiff, fracturing ribs and hip bone and leaving him a permanent cripple. Thirty thousand dollars is the amount of damages asked for.

A Remarkable Family. Mr. Hardy West, of Seventy-First, who was in the city last week, made such a remarkable statement that it is well worth publishing. He said that though he was 78 years old and had ten children, he had never had occasion to send for a physician in all that time, either for himself or family, until a few days ago, and that then he took the first dose of medicine that ever passed his lips—four calomel tablets. This is certainly a most remarkable record.

Death of Mr. J. B. Church. The news of the death of Mr. J. B. Church, in New York this week, will be read with regret by a number of his friends in Fayetteville. Mr. Church, who was at one time State agent for the New York Life Insurance Co., was a frequent visitor to Fayetteville. Mr. Church was staying, at the time of his death, at the Forest and Stream Club, in Vermont. This Forest and Stream is practically a country estate, consisting of 600 acres of land with a main building which might be either a big private house or, possibly, more properly, a small and well designed hotel. There are outbuildings, stables and everything necessary to take excellent care of the 30 or 40 members and their families and friends. Mr. Church, at the time of his death, was president of this club. His administration of its affairs had been unsurpassed.

Robeson Republican Ticket. The Robeson county Republican convention, at Lumberton last week, nominated a full ticket for the legislature and county officers as follows: Senate, R. L. McCormick; House, E. G. Johnson and R. M. Phillips; Clerk of Court, A. B. Mercer; Sheriff, W. C. Culbreth; Register of Deeds, W. R. Strick; Treasurer, R. Atkinson; Coroner, Giles Davis; Surveyor, Dan B. McNeill; County Commissioner, W. C. Hall, J. T. Phivert, L. E. Taylor, J. S. McNeill, Rauling Phillips.

The Republican nominee for Congress, J. B. Schalk, spoke at the convention.

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Statement Abstract of Annual Statement of Cross Creek Building & Loan Association.

Table with financial data: Receipts, Disbursements, Loans on mortgages, etc.

FRANK H. STEEDMAN, Secretary and Treasurer. H. W. LILLY, President.

Taxes! Taxes! Taxes!! The tax books for the year 1906 are now in my hands for collection. Please come forward and settle promptly.

W. H. MARSH, Sheriff Cumberland County.

Change of Polling Places. Polling place at Newton changed to one-fourth of a mile to west corner of D. K. Mints land on Yarkin road.

Commissioner's Sale of Valuable Land. By virtue of an order of the Superior Court made on the 25th day of September, 1906, in a proceeding styled "D. K. Taylor, et al., vs. Hugh A. Sessions, et al."

SUNNYSIDE FLORAL NURSERY, (James M. Lamb & Sons), Fayetteville, N. C. We now have ready the new crop of Roman Hyacinths and Paper White Narcissus, Freesias, &c.

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TAXES!

Please read the law of North Carolina Laws, 1905, Chapter 590, Section 80: "The Sheriff or his Deputy, or tax collector shall attend at the court house or his office in the county town during the month of September and November for the purpose of receiving taxes. He shall also in like manner attend at least one day during the month of October at some one or more places in each township, of which 15 days' notice shall be given by advertisement at three or more public places, and in a newspaper, if one be published in the county. Provided that nothing in this section shall be construed to prevent the collecting officer from levying and selling after the first day of November, but he shall not sell before that day unless he has reason to believe the tax-payer is preparing to leave the county or State."

I intend to follow strictly the above law. A Deputy will be in my office to receive taxes during my absence, and I will be at the following places on days mentioned from 7 a. m. to 3 p. m., viz:

- Rockfish Township, Cumberland Mills, Monday, Oct. 1st. Rockfish Township, Hope Mills No. 1, Tuesday, Oct. 2nd. Rockfish Township Hope Mills No. 2, Wednesday, Oct. 3rd. Pearce's Mill Township, Holt Morgan Mill, Thursday, Oct. 4th. Black River Township, Godwin, Friday, Oct. 5th. Fica Hill Township, Geddie's Gin, Monday, Oct. 8th. Cedar Creek Township, Stedman, Tuesday, Oct. 9th. Beaver Dam Township, Clay Fork, Wednesday, Oct. 10th. Beaver Dam Township, Jessup's Mill, Thursday, Oct. 11th. Cedar Creek Township, Downing's Store, Friday, Oct. 12th. Gray's Creek Township, Alderman, Saturday, Oct. 13th. Carver's Creek Township, Wood's School-house, Monday, Oct. 15th. Carver's Creek Township, Carver's Falls, Tuesday, October 16th. Seventy-first, Ray's, Friday, October 26th. Seventy-first, Newton's, Monday, October 29th. Little River, Smith's Shop, Tuesday, October 30th. Queensville, Cabin Branch, Wednesday, October 31st. Queensville, Raeford, Thursday, November 1st.

I have made these extra appointments for the convenience of the tax-payers, and I trust you will meet me at the time and place above mentioned, as all taxes must be settled in the time required by above law.

Respectfully, W. H. Marsh, Sheriff Cumberland County, Fayetteville, N. C., Sept. 15, 1906.

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NOTICE OF SUMMONS. NORTH CAROLINA. In the Superior Court, Cumberland County, vs. Court. W. L. Levy and wife, et al., vs. Robert Levy and wife, et al.

Having qualified as executor of the last will and testament of D. P. Horne, deceased, late of Cumberland County, N. C., I hereby give notice to all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to me on or before the 15th day of September, 1907, or this notice will be deemed a bar to their recovery.

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