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WHY YOU SHOULD VOTE THE BONDS.

Tuesday, November 14th is the day when, by the way they cast their votes, the citizens of Columbus, White Oak, Greens Creek and Cooper Gap townships will let their neighboring townships and counties know whether they stand for progress or are still wrapped in a Rip-Van-Winkle slumber. If the bonds are voted then that will indicate that the citizens of the foregoing township are wide awake and alive to their opportunities. If the opposite is the result the indication is strong that they are yet sleeping.

There are many reasons why these bonds should be voted, chief among them being an example of what the Southern railroad has done for our neighboring townships, Tryon and Saluda.

In 1875, before the Asheville-Spartanburg railway had penetrated Tryon and Saluda, the total valuation of taxable property in these TWO townships TOGETHER, was only \$76,509, or \$11,188 LESS than the valuation of taxable property in Cooper Gap alone for 1904. So that before Tryon and Saluda possessed railroad facilities the TWO townships COMBINED did not have taxable property amounting to the present value of taxable property in one township and that being the least (in property valuation) in the county.

In 1904 the taxable property in the townships of Tryon and Saluda combined amounted to \$442,229, an increase of \$365,720. This shows what a railroad will do for a township. Knowing these facts, can any citizen afford to allow the bond issue to suffer defeat?

If a railroad has done so much for Tryon and Saluda townships, can it not do, at least as much, for the other four townships in Polk county?

The opportunity is here. The men (and they are reliable men) behind the railway company have said "IF THE TOWNSHIPS IN POLK COUNTY VOTE BOND; THEY WILL GET THE ROAD." This is plain. Now it is up to you, citizens, to grasp the opportunity by carrying the coming election, or let it slip, by being idle and indifferent. You have all to gain and nothing to lose, as the order for election plainly stipulates that the BONDS ARE NOT PAYABLE UNTIL THE ROAD IS IN OPERATION.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The man who bribes another puts himself on a level with the one who accepts his bribe and is entitled to no more respect.

Tuesday, November 14th is election day. Vote the bonds

and thus do your duty to yourself, your country and your God, by helping to build up your county.

There is an element working to defeat the railroad bonds. This work is being done in a sly, underhanded way and it is even whispered that they have money with which to persuade the voter to cast his vote against the bond issue by staying at home. Now is the time for the intelligent, independent citizens of the four townships to get to work and carry the elections by big majorities.

COLUMBUS NEWS.

A Few Items Picked Up About Town And Told In Short Paragraphs.

J. G. Hughes went to Saluda, Monday on telephone business.

F. M. Burgess and family went to Spartanburg Tuesday.

T. E. Walker visited his father, T. M. Walker., Wednesday.

Dr. W. C. Bostic, of Forest City, arrived here Wednesday night.

Miss Minnie Arledge will begin teaching at the Coxe school house Monday.

Mrs. Westlake and daughter Helen, are now at Log Cabin Inn.

Miss Florence Westlake, departed Friday morning for Charleston, S. C.

Joe Daniell and sister of Landrum, S. C., visited Mrs. N. H. Hill, and W. E. Hill Sunday.

Emily Carnegie received some fine roses from Mrs. J. G. Hughes' flower garden Tuesday. Just think of roses blooming the seventh of November.

The congregation assembled in the Baptist church Sunday were surprised by the interior of the church appearing in a new dress in the shape of window shades and carpeted aisles. The enterprising members who did this work are made of the material it takes to build a progressive church and community.

Vote The RAILROAD BONDS Tuesday November 14 1905

CENTRAL INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTE NOTES.

Free Term Opens With Large Attendance—Students Doing Good work—Other Notes.

J. B. Freeman, of Chimney Rock, visited the school Tuesday.

J. T. Gilbert visited home folks Friday at Cooper Gap.

The students are looking forward to "Founders Day" Dec., 22nd and also Thanksgiving.

T. P. Convington, of Finger-ville, S. C., entered school Monday.

New students are coming in almost daily and quite a number are expected next week.

The free term of school opened last Monday with a large attendance. All the students are at their places and doing good work.

Many children inherit constitutions weak and feeble, others due to childhood troubles. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure children and make them strong. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

AN ENTHUSIASTIC RAILROAD MEETING

Stirring Meeting Held At Court House Tuesday Night—J. B. Freeman, Of Hendersonville Tells About Road.

With very little advertising a railroad meeting took place in the castle hall of Columbus lodge, K. of P., on Tuesday night of this week. Hon. J. B. Freeman, of Hendersonville, was the speaker of the occasion, and with his characteristic zeal, emphasis and enthusiasm, he created a storm centre that even woke up the people of Columbus and whirled quite a number of them as far as Mill Spring the next day. Mr. Freeman was representing the Appalachian Interurban Railroad Co., and the prospects of that company building a railroad from Asheville via., Hendersonville, Chimney Rock, and through the townships of Cooper Gap, White Oak and Columbus in Polk County, and states that the way was clear from Asheville to Chimney Rock and that if these townships would vote to issue bonds, a stipulation in an order recently made by the County Commissioners, that the aforesaid company would build the road.

The interest in the meeting at Columbus was evident even among those who are of the coolest and most reticent characteristics. The outlet for the company and the benefits to be derived from the construction of this road would seem to be mutual. In other words, the company wants the right-of-way, the bonds and the mutual cooperation of the people in the section through which the road is to be built, and then the company proposes to do the rest, with the hope, of course, that the interests and blessings of the enterprise will be mutual.

In a word, Mr. Freeman made it clear that the building of the proposed railroad was a sure thing for Polk county if the people will vote to issue the bonds on next Tuesday, Nov. 14th.

To the voters of these townships we would say, cast your vote for this road, as you have nothing to lose, but much possibly to gain. Yours for prosperity. T. C. Croker.

A NEWSY LETTER FROM LYNN.

W. A. Cannon Employed By An Asheville Concern—People Coming And Going And Other Matters Of Interest.

Rev. T. C. Croker preached in chapel last Sunday evening.

Mrs. H. G. Cannon is somewhat indisposed at this penciling.

Rev. Mr. Hibbard, of Tryon, will preach in chapel next Sunday at 3:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Arledge visited Mrs. Arledge's parents, Mrs. Capps, last Saturday and Sunday.

W. A. Cannon has accepted a position as traveling salesman with McConnell Bros., at Asheville, N. C.

The public school opened on first of month with a large enrollment. Mrs. Norman very much needs an assistant.

G. B. Logan paid his parents in Rutherford county, a flying visit last Saturday night, returning Sunday night.

A Mrs. Honeycut and family, of Henderson county have recently come to Lynn. The family have employment with the Hosiery Company.

A Mrs. Staten and family, of Henderson county, is now a resident of our little town and the family finds employment with the Hosiery people.

Pain may go by the name of rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, pleury. No matter what name the pains are called, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will drive them away. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

A Word About RELIABLE JEWELERS, Department Stores and Mail Order Houses.

The jeweler, in selling a watch, has his reputation at stake and depends upon this for his living; he will not sell you an unreliable watch, a second-grade watch, or one that is defective in construction.

The jeweler can tell the difference between a perfect and imperfect movement, he knows how to fit them in cases properly, how they should be to be perfect. He will take pride in keeping in order the watch he sells you, and making it give you satisfaction. If you expect a watch to keep time and be reliable, buy it from a reliable jeweler.

The mail order house and department store have cheap watches, and cheap clerks—who know very little about watches—to wait on you. If they make a sale and the watch ticks until you get home, all well and good.

Their guarantee?—yes, most any kind you want! They don't care; you will always have to pay for any repairs they make, no matter if good or bad. You pay express charges also. Their motto, "Get the money." The jeweler's motto: "Give satisfaction." That is why we allow only reliable jewelers to sell our watches. 12-7

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LAND SALE.

J. E. Pace vs. Phelix Garren } Sale of Land

By the power vested in me as a commissioner appointed by the Superior court to sell the following described land for partition among the heirs at law.

Therefore, on the 7th, day of December 1905 at 10 o'clock a. m. I will sell for cash to the highest bidder in the town of Columbus and at the court house door, the following land.

A tract of land known as the Chorchell Morris home place, being in Saluda township, adjoining lands of J. E. Pace and others, and fully described in the record book of Polk county in book 21, page 134 and contains 75 acres, more or less. Said land to be sold for cash.
J. P. Morris, Commissioner.
This 8th, day of Nov. 1905. 11-30

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

United States of America, Western District of North Carolina } ss.
In the United States District Court in and for said District—Asheville Division.

J. B. Pace, L. D. Johnson & Anna Burns In the matter of partners trading as J. B. Pace & Co., bankrupt.

To the creditors of said bankrupts of Lynn in the county of Polk, and district aforesaid bankrupts.

Notice is hereby given that on the 3rd day, of Nov., A. D., 1905, the said bankrupts were duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of their creditors will be held at Hendersonville, N. C., in the Court room

On the 23rd day of Nov., A. D., 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
FREDERICK W. THOMAS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
November, 7th, 1905. 11-9

LAND ENTERED.

Eli W. Hollingsworth enters 200 acres of land, more or less, in Greens Creek township commencing on Mart Cogwell's land; thence to Weaver's land; thence with the Abrams' land; thence with the J. M. Putnam land and back to the beginning.
F. M. Burgess, Entry Taker.
Entered 2nd day of Nov. 1905. 11-30

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NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS

Do you know that the last month that the law gives you to pay your taxes in has just passed? Well it is so. And if you do not meet me on the dates named below and pay your taxes I will proceed to levy on your property. You had better look after this matter and save cost and trouble by meeting me and paying your taxes. At:

- Shields Precinct, Tuesday, November 14
- Melvin Hill, Wednesday, November 15
- John W. McFarland, Thursday, November 16
- Mills & Cox Store, Friday, November 17
- Mill Spring, Tuesday, November 21
- Pea Ridge, Wednesday, November 22
- Pink Williams, Thursday November 23
- Lynch Whitesides, Friday, November 24
- Tryon, Mayor's Office, Tuesday, November 28
- Lynn, Wednesday, November 29

Taxes received at Columbus and Saluda any day except Sunday.

W. C. ROBERTSON,
Sheriff.

November 1st, 1905.