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Communications intended for this depart-
ment should be addressed to J. C. Stridling,
Pendleton, South Carolina.

Breaking Down the Barriers.

When you get the news that one of your neighbors has been robbed you want to hear his tale about the facts, as to how it was done. But when we all know that the cotton producers of the South have been and are still being robbed of their honest and just profits in their business, many of our own people had rather take the word and the dollars from the robber than to hear the facts of the robbery from the ones who have been robbed. In the memorable fight by Messrs. Hayne and Brown of New Orleans, upon the hull side of the speculations side of the cotton market pointed out to the south in unmistakable language the handwriting upon the wall as to what was in store for foreign cotton bears, why the South has not been getting their share of the profits in cotton, Mr. Eddon, the Atlanta banker, before the St. Louis convention, said there are a score of reasons, but each one of these reasons only goes to make up a new argument why this condition should be changed in the future.

We may consider that there are but two propositions to solve to make it possible for the Southern cotton growers in the hereafter to appropriate to themselves profits that have been given up to other people.

One of these are to create a large capital—as proposed by the Southern Cotton Association—for the purpose of taking care of the weak cotton which means to build the market. While the other plan—as proposed by the Farmers' Union—is to open up a direct channel of trade between producers and spinners of cotton. When proper confidence in the mutual benefits to each—the producers and spinners—have once been well established, there is no question about the practicability of making the producers' cotton stand for the basis of currency without the necessity of piling up great piles of money to move cotton when the world knows that cotton itself can be made a better basis of circulation than gold for the simple reason that cotton has a world wide recognized intrinsic value, when gold has nothing but a MEASURE of value.

Prompted by the signal success of having won out in three rounds in the tussle of setting prices and getting them, the Farmers' Union now proposes to go the open road to market their cotton. In other words, we can open up a short cut road and dodge all the toll gates or barriers stationed along the present cotton highway, where he that toils not has spun the tremendous profits out the producer's hands.

"There is something worth knowing going on these days in the Farmers Union, and if they were not strictly business, and therefore secret, one would almost wish to throw them to the unredeemed outside just to see them gasp. When a man thinks they don't know what they are doing,

he is fooling himself and losing his money on his own bet. Of course, you will not know until you get inside how much you are losing, and nobody can tell you. They might be fixing to 'swipe' you off the earth. So you had better get busy and find out. You had better be in than out, and that is sure. Then if your wife and children know they would tell you to get right for their sake."

Federation of Our Warehouses.

The following was taken from the editorial columns of the Greenville Daily News' issue of Sunday, November 18th, 1906:

"There is an impending comprehensive change in the system of handling, warehousing and marketing cotton. The new situation will be one where cotton will be dealt in by guaranteed certificates standing for the cotton, instead of dealings in the cotton itself. This naturally involves a certificate which stands for every point connected with cotton, with its quantity, its quality, its safe storage, and its protection against fire.

"The United States government handles gold in this way. It makes a safe storage of the gold itself and puts out a gold certificate, which is more convenient for the people. Wheat is handled in this way. It is graded properly, stored, and certificates are put out to represent the wheat. Pig iron is handled in this way. All these certificates are brought to some standard and may be handled on the stock and commercial exchanges of the country. By this means better and more staple markets are obtained. Tremendous economies are accomplished by saving the handling of the bulky article itself.

"Railway properties and large manufacturing properties are really brought to be represented by stocks and bonds which are simply certificates representing a portion of the property, and this brings the property to better commercial values, because its certificates may be handled by the mills and on the exchanges. Cotton is probably the one agricultural and commercial product which has not been brought into a system by which the man in Bremen or in Manchester may buy up his supply and leave it in storage in the productive region, until he wants it shipped out.

"The agitation upon the subject of cotton warehouses is not without foundation and is going to lead to consequence which will be advantageous to the whole South. It transpires that it is not so much warehouses which are needed, as some comprehensive system for grading the cotton, guaranteeing the grades and weights and issuing a certificate on cotton in any warehouse, which certificate will become a commercial commodity in the open markets. Heretofore, warehouses have issued certificates which represent nothing in particular but a package. There is no way of dealing in certificates which don't come down to exact specifications and generally there are local values for certificates which stand upon the credit of a single warehouse.

"Factory insurance is brought to a condition of great perfection and very great economy, by an association of factories which chip in to make an assured policy. In the same way, if warehouse would

associate themselves together and chip in to make up an insurance or guarantee fund which would stand back of all the cotton in the warehouse which were members of the association or in a General Company, it would make a big difference in the income of warehousing and a big difference in extending the facilities for handling cotton."

To the above we wish to add that any such plan must come and be supported by the producer himself and provide the working machinery to put into force such a medium is the latest and meaning of the recent movement in The South Carolina Farmers' Union. They propose to equip themselves with the power and facilities and meet the need as above forecast. And do it now. They respectfully call to every cotton state to follow with similar work, and we will see independence in real fact. There is much more that you can learn from their secret channels, if you are in faith. Ask for it.

L. M. BAGIN DEAD.

Ran for Secretary of State Last Summer.

L. M. Bagin, formerly Senator from Clarendon and later chief clerk in the Secretary of States office, died Friday from a stroke of apoplexy received several days ago. He was a candidate for Secretary of State last summer.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Michigan Groom Killed His Bride and Takes His Own Life.

After a trivial quarrel Friday with his bride of three months over the purchase of some furniture, Delos Highland, a farmer living near Casnovia, Mich., shot and killed her, he then turned the revolver upon himself, killing himself instantly. Highland was 28 years old and his wife 22.

ALLEGED MISUSE OF THE MAILED.

F. H. Fitzgerald, Indianapolis Capitalist, Indicted in Georgia Colony Scheme.

Philander H. Fitzgerald, an Indianapolis capitalist, was indicted on two counts by the federal grand jury Friday on the charge of using the United States mail to defraud in connection with the "1004 Colony company," which he has been promoting in southern Georgia. He gave bond in the sum of \$4,000 for his appearance in court Tuesday next.

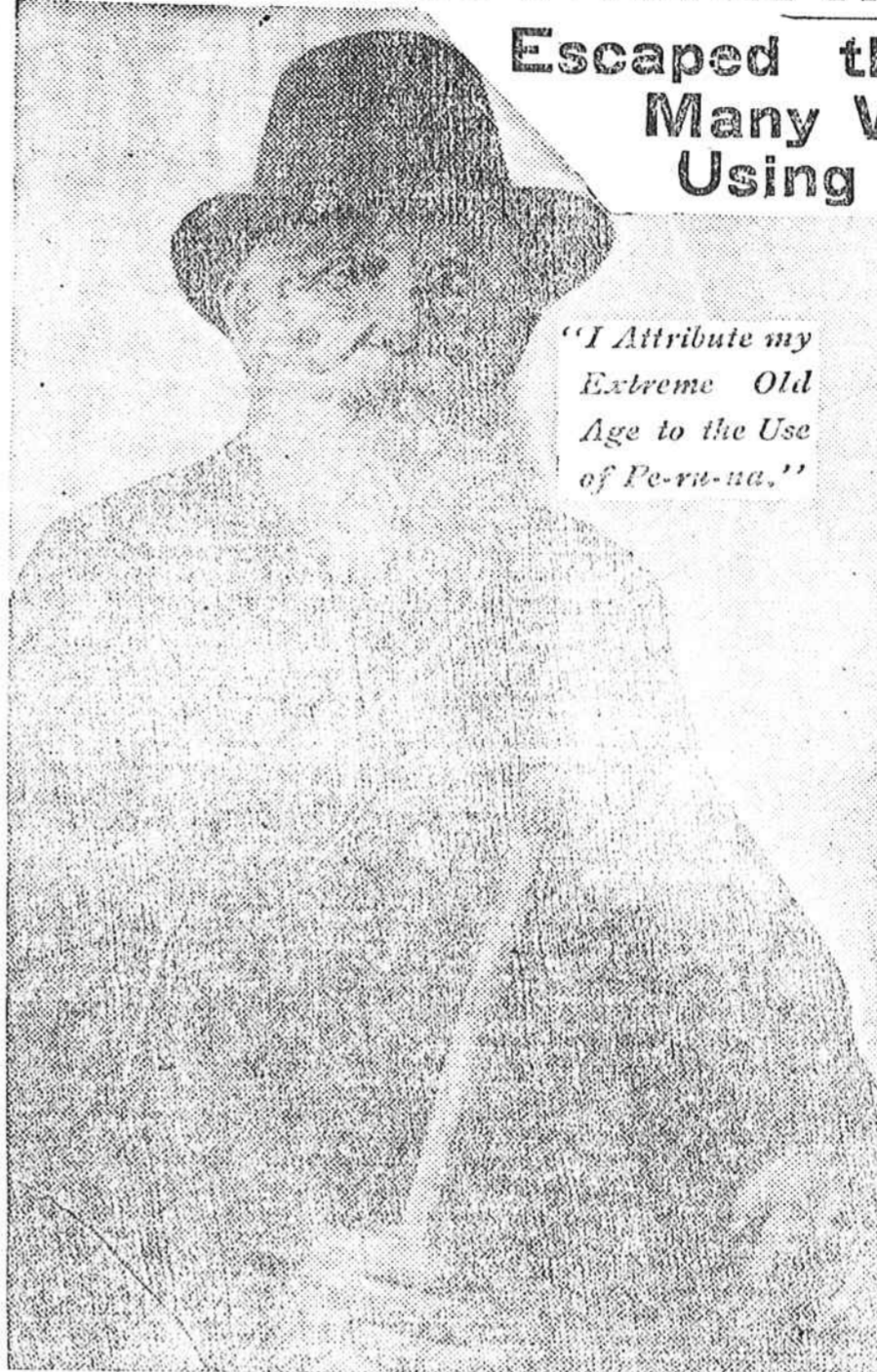
Colony company has for its object the colonization of a number of people in southern Georgia. Mr. Fitzgerald has been interested in former colonization companies in Georgia and Texas. A number of witnesses from Georgia have been summoned to Indianapolis to testify before the grand jury.

It is claimed in the charges by L. A. Howarth of Atchison, Kansas, and I. A. Worsford of Waukegan, Ill., that Fitzgerald purchased 8,000 acres of land in southern Georgia, founded the town of Fort George and took subscriptions for stock on promises that were not carried out. It is also claimed by Worsford that \$35,000 in profits has never been accounted for to the company, which was not incorporated as promised. Mr. Fitzgerald charges the suits are the result of spite work.

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Mr. Isaac Brock, 117 Years Old Last Birthday.

ISAAC BROCK, a citizen of McLennan county, Texas, has lived for 117 years. For many years he resided at Bosque Falls, eighteen miles west of Waco, but now lives with his son-in-law at Valley Mills, Texas.

Some time ago, by request, Uncle Isaac came to Waco and sat for his picture, holding in his hand a stick cut from the grave of General Andrew Jackson. Mr. Brock is a dignified old gentleman, showing few signs of decrepitude. His family Bible is still preserved, and it shows that the date of his birth was written 117 years ago.

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IN speaking of his good health and extreme old age, Mr. Brock says: "After a man has lived in the world as long as I have, he ought to have found out a great many things by experience. I think I have done so."

"One of the things I have found out to my entire satisfaction is the proper thing for ailments that are due directly to the effects of the climate. For 117 years I have withstood the changeable climate of the United States."

"I have always been a very healthy man, but, of course, subject to the affections which are due to sudden changes in the climate and temperature. But, as long as I have known a great many remedies for coughs, colds and catarrhs."

"As for Dr. Hartman's remedy, Pe-ru-na, I have found it to be the best, if not the only, reliable remedy for these affections. It has been my standby for many years, and I attribute my good health and extreme old age to this remedy."

"It exactly meets all my requirements. It protects me from the evil effects of sudden changes; it keeps me in good appetite; it gives me strength; it keeps my blood in good circulation. I have come to rely upon it almost entirely for the many little things for which I need medicine."

"When epidemics of the grippe first began to make their appearance in this country I was a sufferer from this disease."

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In a later letter, Mr. Brock writes: "I am well and feeling as well as I have for years. The only thing that bothers me is my sight. If I could see better I could walk all over the farm, and it would do me good. I would not be without Pe-ru-na."

Yours truly,

Isaac Brock,

When old age comes, it brings with it catarrhal diseases. Systemic catarrh is almost universal in old people. This explains why Pe-ru-na has become so indispensable to many old people.

WEST POINT AND ANNAPOLIS APPOINTMENTS.

Applicants to be Examined at Abbeville for the Third Congressional District.

A competitive examination will be held at Abbeville, in the Court House, Wednesday, January 3rd, 1907, for the purpose of selecting a candidate for appointment to a cadetship in West Point Military Academy and a midshipman in Annapolis Naval Academy.

There will be a principal and two alternates selected for each place.

Each candidate should be well versed in the following subjects, to-wit: reading writing, spelling, English grammar, English composition, English literature, arithmetic, algebra through quadratic equations, plane geometry, descriptive geography, and the elements of physical geography, especially the geography of the United States. United States History, the outlines of general history and the general principles of physiology and hygiene.

Applicants for West Point must not be under 17 or over 22 years of age, and for Annapolis they must not be under 16 or over 20 years of age. All applicants must be bonafide residents of the Third Congressional District, and must be able to pass rigid physical examination.

Respectfully,
Wyatt Aiken.

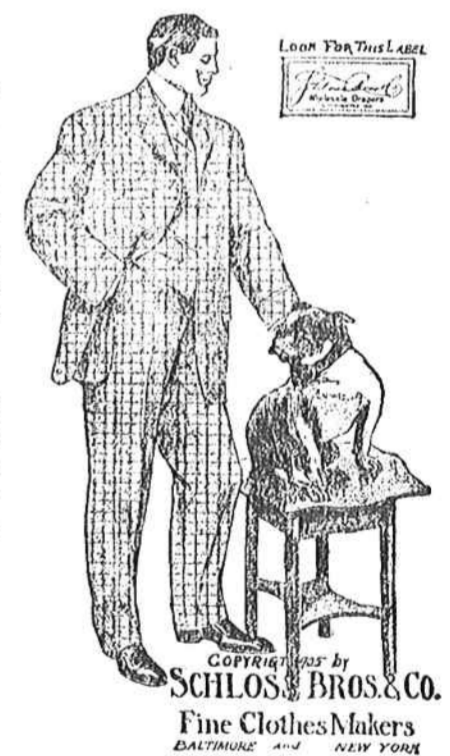
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