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If a man knows enough not to go to law he is wiser than the average lawyer.

The average woman, old in years but young in spirit, is the sweetest blessing mankind knows.

Don't be too independent. Remember the man who sat up so straight that he fell off the seat backward and broke his neck.

The auto route is the talk of the day, and the majority of our people seem to be interested very much. Now is the time to get busy.

Did you ever note that after a man has reached the age when he is ready to settle down and stop giving his wife trouble, his sons have reached the age to begin.

Soon the girl who has too bad a cold to help her mother wash the dishes will put on low quarter shoes and wander to the creek fishing in company with some nice young man.

Have confidence in yourself, your neighbor, your town, your county, and then go to work and help build all of them up. This is a progressive age and you must get in the swim.

Some of these fellows who sit up in the amen corner and refuse to pay their honest debts on the theory that "Jesus paid it all, all the debt we owe," will find out different some of these days.—Times-Democrat.

Mrs. Isabella McCosh, wife of the late president of Princeton University, has just celebrated her ninety-second birthday. J. W. Alexander has finished a portrait of Mrs. McCosh, which he has given to the university.

There can be no juster tax than a tax on wealth. The most unjust tax is the one that bears on the necessities of the poor. A tax on incomes is one, a tariff that is higher than needed for honest protection is the other.

"Are women more beautiful today than ever?" asks a Georgia paper. Of course they are. But they have an unfortunate habit at present of hiding their beauty under a bushel—or something that looks very much like a bushel.

There is hardly a married man who does not carry in his pocket a picture of an attractive woman who is not his wife. The writer violates no confidence when we tell her name is Miss Williams of Philadelphia, and that her picture ornaments the silver dollar—one we all love so well.

The future growth and prosperity of this town depends altogether on the efforts of the people now living here, not on some one moving in from the outside and starting up things. If you want people to move here you have to show them that there are inducements here already to warrant them in coming.

W. F. Benchoff of Blue Ridge Summit is the champion coon hunter of the South Mountain region of Pennsylvania, according to the Waynesboro Record. Last fall he caught thirty-one coons, and during the last quarter century, his average yearly catch has been twenty-five.

There are several kinds of mean men to deal with, but the man stands pretty high in the list who will try all kinds of dodges and will lie or even commit perjury in order to keep from paying his taxes on all his property, then complains because the county does not furnish good bridges and roads for him to travel on.

Mrs. Eliana Reed, divorced wife of B. T. Reed, a wealthy real estate man of Denver, is appearing on the street of her city with her 9-year-old daughter, Inez, handcuffed to her. Mrs. Reed explained that two attempts had been made to kidnap the child, and that she had resorted to silver-chained handcuffs to guarantee her daughter's safety.

Talk with a farmer awhile and he will tell you that he hopes to some day accumulate enough so that he can move to town and take things easy. Talk to a town man and he longs for the day when he can get a small farm and move to the country and live in comfort, and have fresh butter and eggs on his table every meal and a chicken whenever he wants it.

Since fourteen-years-old Norbert Wiener, in short trousers, appeared on the campus at Tufts College, wearing the cap and gown of the senior class, fresh interest has been raised in this phenomenal young student who by graduating next month will win the distinction of being the youngest boy who has ever completed a regular course in college and gone forth with class honors.

The New York Central and Hudson river railroad has sent to United States District Attorney Henry A. Wise, of New York, a check aggregating \$136,000 for fines imposed by the United States circuit court for giving freight rebates in violation of the Sherman law. The road was convicted and carried the case to the United States supreme court, where the findings of the lower court were sustained.

"Talking about the automobile route, why it would be the finest thing for our county that ever happened," remarked one of our progressive citizens one day last week, "and I am going to do all I can to bring it through." He is right and every citizen of this town and county should say the same thing, and do his part. There is nothing that would develop our county more if we can get it through this way.

In the summer time when fleas are plenty, and flies are also abundant, the flea covered dog is the busiest animal on earth. When he isn't biting at fleas he is snapping at flies. He never has a minute to spare, but when he is the least busy he is of no account. A young man who smokes cigarettes and owns a Waterbury watch is a close second to that dog for activity. When he is not rolling a cigarette he is winding the watch, but he is not worth two whoops in a row.

Ipecac in the punch and croton oil in the lemonade broke up the annual junior promenade in the Kentucky state university across the Ohio river Saturday night. More than 100 boys and girls hurried to their homes in carriages, and some of them, who had partaken freely of the refreshments, are reported to be seriously ill. The trick is laid at the door of the sophomore and freshman classes. The woman who prepared them told the faculty investigating committee today that the beverages were all right when they left the woman's exchange.

Among a large shooting party on a Northern grouse moor was a certain elder professor whose skill with his gun was hardly equal to the profundity of his intellect, says the London Telegraph. Suddenly, a heavy storm of rain came on, and as there was no shelter on the moor the shooters got thoroughly drenched through. At least all but one suffered—the professor. He had mysteriously disappeared when the rain came on, and he did not rejoin the party until the sun was shining once more. To the amazement of the others the erudite one was as dry as a bone. The others, drenched and disgusted, inquired of him how it was he had escaped a wetting. "Directly the rain came on" replied the professor, "I went off by myself, stripped off my clothes and sat on them until the storm was over."

BETTER ROADS.

Nearly everybody is catching the good roads fever. There is already an organization at Liberty. It has the modest ambition to make a good smooth road from Liberty to Pickens, from Liberty to Easley and from Liberty to Central. This is certainly a laudable ambition. It is on the direct and sure line of the best investment any town can make. It will pay the surest and best dividend of any other effort. Some people have been a long time blinded to the real purpose of a town. It is not a place to live in. That is selfish and personal. Its highest and best purpose is to make itself a place to go to and get away from. The prosperous, healthy, hardy town should have more interest in the country, than the country has in the town. Its strength and beauty should be planted and cultivated in the surrounding country. The first and last thing to do for any town is to make good roads into the country, then the country will take pleasure in coming to town. The calibrity, beauty and splendor of Western North Carolina never could have become famous without its good roads. With the same kind of roads the mountain section of Pickens county would soon become a summer paradise. Prosperity and happiness are always on the look out for good smooth roads. We have the grades already, nothing further is needed but the surface made and protected. One mill rate on the assessment of our property judiciously expended would give us 100 miles of road that would make Hogarth's line of beauty among our hills and dale and add each year a hundred thousand dollars to our material wealth. Let the good roads movement move. The best for the towns, the best for the country is to have a good roads association, in every town and find out the best method for getting the most good out of the least money. The road law is a back number. No law is necessary if the community gets together on the subject. Law is just for people who do not want to do what is right and for the best. Better roads means a better country, better people and more of them. When people get too bad the law discontinues them. That is the only kind of a road law we need and the only one we haven't got.

People think they know how to raise children when they do not even know how to raise vegetables.

The jurors were all home sick this week. They longed for the furrow that should be made through that grassy crop.

Some want the Tariff taken out of politics. This is not the only quality in which it resembles Prohibition. It prohibits imports.

Let Congress pile the tariff high on any and everything—the whole country down to serving the trusts. That is the surest way to burst them. Barrooms and whiskey drove themselves out of the South, and the more they are out, the less can they ever come back.

Almost all ladies who have not arrived at an uncertain age look forward, naturally enough, to the day when they shall leave their father's roof, and, under the protection of a nearer and a dearer one, take their part in the duties of life. How important it is that they should learn to choose well, that they should not be attracted by external appearance or mere position, but that in this great step, which has been called, though untruly, a leap in the dark, they should consult their judgement as their feelings, and that sound common sense, which, in things of lesser moment, is deemed so important. Above all, it is necessary that a woman should take for her friend and counsellor one who will not only be a helpmate in this world, but who will also stimulate her noblest aspiration, and prove a faithful companion in the journey heavenward.

Picnics are now all the go and the red bugs are having their inning.

70 Bales on 60 Acres

IS WHAT WADE DRAKE RAISED LAST YEAR.

Dear Sir:—The following correspondence will explain itself. Kindly publish it and very much oblige us. Yours truly, Anderson Phos. & Oil Co.

Mr. J. Wade Drake, Anderson, S. C. Dear Sir:—We have heard that by a liberal use of fertilizer, principally in side dressing, you made 70 bales of cotton on sixty acres of land last year. We will appreciate if you will give us your method of preparation, fertilization and cultivation which resulted in this crop. We wish to give the public the benefit of your experience, so that it will be an inducement to farmers to side dress their crops. Thanking you in advance for the favor of an early reply, we are, Yours truly, Anderson Phos. & Oil Co.

Anderson, S. C., June 4, 1909. Mr. J. E. Stevenson, Anderson S. C. Dear Sir: I have heard that you side dressed some of your corn last year. We will be glad if you will give us the result of this, and very much oblige us. Thanking you for the favor of an early reply, we are, Yours truly, ANDERSON PHOSPHATE AND OIL COMPANY. Anderson S. C., June 6, 1909. Anderson Phos. & Oil Co. Anderson S. C. Dear Sir: I have your letter of June 4th, and in reply will say that my experience in side dressing corn last year is as follows: In one field of about 15 acres which I planted in corn I side dressed 10 acres and left five acres not side-dressed. On the 10 acres which I side-dressed I made 35 bushels to the acre. On the five acres not side-dressed the yield was not over 19 bushels to the acre. It cost me about \$30 to side dress the 10 acres; about \$3 per acre. It increased the yield at least 25 bushels of corn per acre. I intend to side dress the whole 15 acres but rain came on and continued so long until the corn was too far advanced before I could get to it to side dress it. It will pay any one handsomely to side dress corn. Yours truly, J. E. STEVENSON. You will see what side dressing has done for Wade Drake and Jim Stevenson. It will pay you as well as it did them if you will do the needful. Side dressing will pay you better than any fertilizer you put in the ground. We have some very superior goods for sale for side dressing. See our agents. Anderson Oil and Phosphate Company, Scholarship and Entrance Examinations Clemson Agricultural College.

At the County Court-House on Friday, July 2nd, at 9 a. m. the Scholarship and Entrance Examinations for Clemson Agricultural College will be held under the direction of the County Board of Education. Applicants must be at least 16 years of age and must be prepared to enter the Freshman Class. There are no Scholarships in the Preparatory Class. This class is only open to a limited number of boys who cannot reach high schools and who are living in sections of the State where school facilities are poor. Scholarships are worth \$100.00 and Free Tuition. The next session of Clemson Agricultural College will begin Sept. 8, 1909. Apply to the County Superintendent of Education after June 20th for needed information concerning the Scholarship Examinations. For catalogs, further information and cards upon which to make application for entrance to the College, address P. H. MELL, President, Clemson College, S. C.

Winthrop College SCHOLARSHIP and ENTRANCE EXAMINATION. The examination for the award of vacant Scholarships in Winthrop College and for the admission of new students will be held at the County Court House on Friday, July 2, at 9 a. m. Applicants must be not less than fifteen years of age. When Scholarships are vacant after July 2 they will be awarded to those making the highest average at this examination, provided they meet the conditions governing the award. Applicants for Scholarships should write to President Johnson before the examination on for Scholarship examination table. Scholarships are worth \$100 and free tuition. The next session will open September 15, 1909. For full information and catalogue, address Prof. D. B. Johnson, Rock Hill, S. C.

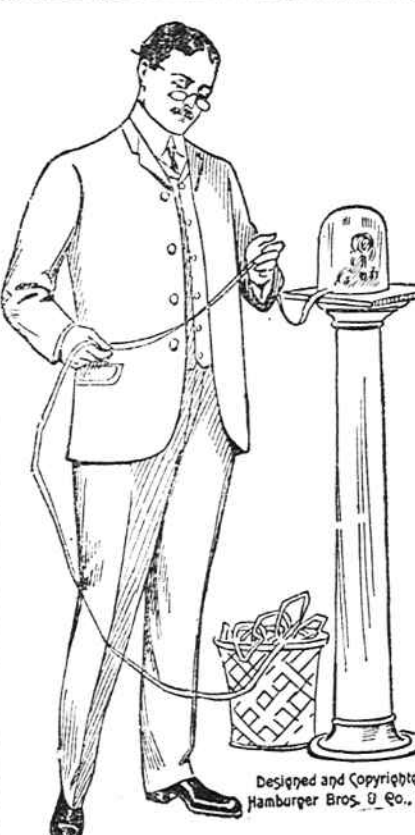
Bridge To Let. The contract for the building of a wooden bridge over Salsuda River between the Counties of Greenville and Pickens, known as the Carson Bridge, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder at the site of the old bridge on June 22nd, at 11 a. m. Plans and specifications made known on day of letting at the bridge. Supervisor reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Bidders will be required to deposit check or cash to amount of \$3,000 with bids. J. P. GOODWIN, Supervisor Greenville Co. E. F. LOOPER, Supervisor Pickens Co.

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting. Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Calumet Manufacturing Company will be held at the office of the said Calumet Manufacturing Company, in Liberty, S. C., on the 15th day of July, 1909 at 2 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of considering the issuance of Seven Hundred (\$700) Shares of Preferred Stock, in the Par Value of One Hundred (\$100) dollars each. This notice has been authorized and directed by resolution of the Board of Directors of the Calumet Manufacturing Company, held at Liberty, S. C., on May 21st, 1909 A. D., and the said resolutions were in the following words: RESOLUTIONS. Resolved by the Board of Directors of the Calumet Manufacturing Co. that the President of said company be authorized to call a meeting of the stockholders of the said Calumet Manufacturing Co. on the 15th day of July, 1909, at 2 o'clock p. m. at Liberty, S. C. for the purpose of considering the issuance of Seven Hundred Shares of Preferred Stock at par value of One Hundred Dollars Each. Said stock to be entitled to dividends each year at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and these dividends are to be cumulative. The company having the option of retiring all or any portion of said stock after five years. At the end of ten years any portion of said stock not retired shall become first mortgage on the company's property, and shall receive 7 per cent interest from said date.

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1785 College of Charleston 1909 12th year begins October 1. Entrance examinations will be held at the County Court House on Friday, July 2, at 9 a. m. All candidates for admission can compete in October for vacant Boyce scholarships, which pay \$100 a year. One free tuition scholarship to each county in South Carolina. Board and furnished room in Dormitory, \$12. Tuition, \$30. For catalogue address Harrison Randolph, President.

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