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Training an Elephant. In training the elephant to perform tricks advantage is taken of the fact that the feet of the animal are peculiarly sensitive and the thumbs are like joints to them.

The Old Man's Plea. He got eight years in Sing Sing, but nevertheless the plea for mercy of Joseph Amos Washington Bruen was one of the finest prose poems ever uttered in the general sessions of New York.

Can't Beat the Head Waiter. "You can't get ahead of a head waiter," said a man who spends a great deal of time at one of the New York hotels.

Railway Journeys of Long Ago. It was only the adventures which dared to face a railway journey in 1823. A writer in the Quarterly Review commenting on the proposed line to Woolwich, remarked, "We would as soon expect the people of Woolwich to suffer themselves to be fired off upon one of Congreve's rockets as trust themselves to the mercy of such a machine going at such a rate."

Had a Full Course. The sign in front of a Harlem restaurant attracted the eye of a farmer, and he went in. He had a stew, a fry, a stew, a pan roast, a broil and a steam on toast.

Saving Money. "My dear, we can't go on in this way. We simply must find some way to cut down our household expenses."

Classic Central New York. Here in central New York we have our own peculiar problem. Some one with a devout admiration for the classics got in his work when the business of christening was going on in these parts.

French Matches. What is the explanation of the French match? Well, on every box there is printed the legend, "Manufactures of State: Contributions Indirect."

Bear Lake's Black Bass. "The only black bass water I know of where the black bass are really black," said a man who makes fishing tackle and tries it out on waters almost everywhere.

When Liszt Met Diriks. A Paris contemporary relates an interesting story of Liszt. The great pianist was living in a little German town when Diriks, the Norwegian painter, went to reside at the same place.

Parson's Poem A Gem. From Rev. H. Stubenvoll, Allison, Ia., in praise of Dr. King's New Life Pills. "They're such a health necessity. In every home these pills should be. If other kidneys've tried in vain, USE DR. KING'S."

Nature's Parachutes. Careful examination has been made of the heads of Canada thistle-downs in order to determine their effectiveness as parachutes carrying the seeds of the plant to great distances through the air.

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A Quibbler. "These people obey the letter, perhaps, but they don't obey the spirit of the law." The speaker was discussing certain troublesome and witty transgressors. He concluded: "And they don't even interpret the letter of the law correctly. They and their attorneys quibble like the young man in Pike county."

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA County of Sumter. COURT OF COMMON PLEAS. Copy Summons for Relief. (Complaint Served.) Bruce W. DesChamps, Plaintiff, Against C. D. DesChamps, R. S. DesChamps, J. M. DesChamps, Henry D. Green, Dennis D. Brasford, trace L. Briggs, Julia Briggs, Bessie DesChamps, Louis T. DesChamps, Myrtle DesChamps, M. (ato DesChamps, Marshall DesChamps, Iva DesChamps, C. Alphonse DesChamps, Elizabeth DesChamps, R. S. Elliott, Duval Elliott, John L. Elliott, Carlton E. Elliott, Rodderick M. Elliott, Wayne V. Elliott, Dargan F. Elliott, John M. Elliott, Cleo F. Elliott and Richard F. Elliott, Defendants.

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, County of Clarendon. COURT OF COMMON PLEAS. Copy Summons for Relief. (Complaint Served.) The Bank of Manning, Plaintiff, Against Mrs. Richard E. Harvin, J. C. Harvin, Mrs. Elizabeth Harvin, unknown heirs of Richard E. Harvin, Defendants. To the above named Defendants: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, of which a copy is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the undersigned, Charlton DuRant, at his office, in Manning, South Carolina, within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint. To the absent defendants, Mrs. Richard E. Harvin, Mrs. Elizabeth Tompson, and John Doe and Richard Roe, unknown heirs of Richard E. Harvin, take notice: The original summons in this action, of which the foregoing is a copy, and the complaint in said action were filed in the office of the Clerk of Court for Clarendon County, South Carolina, on the 19th day of December A. D. 1911. CHARLTON DURANT, Plaintiff's Attorney.

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Court convenes in Manning, January 22nd, 1912. GRAND JURY. J. P. Biddin, New Zion. J. D. Burgess, Moxons. L. E. Giddings, New Zion. J. H. Giddings, Paxville. J. O. Wells, Davis Station. E. M. Watt, Summerton. E. L. Fairry, Silver. W. T. P. Spritt, Foreston. W. White, Wilson. J. W. Weeks, Pineood. George June, Manning. P. M. Gibbon, New Zion. E. L. Hanford, Lake City. John W. Spritt, Manning. H. R. Beger, Manning. D. E. Giddings, Paxville. R. E. Burgess, New Zion. D. W. Barwick, Acolu. PETIT JURY. J. M. Cauty, Summerton. B. E. Thompson, Jordan. R. J. Carrigan, Summerton. R. F. Felder, Pinewood. R. A. Lawrence, Pinewood. D. Hirschman, Manning. J. Pickett Gibbon, New Zion. J. J. Stokes, Silver. D. J. Ross, Henry. M. C. Driggers, Lake City. B. S. Crawford, Acolu. W. E. Hodge, Acolu. A. C. Morris, New Zion. Stackhouse Holladay, Manning. J. M. Player, New Zion. J. R. Dingle, Summerton. Jasper Ridgeway, Wislou. W. W. Johnson, Acolu. R. T. Touchberry, Paxville. A. E. Richardson, Pinewood. C. T. Dingle, Summerton. LeRoy Frierson, Wilson. W. D. Dingle Summerton. J. H. Horton, Davis Station. W. Fraser Harrington, Manning. W. J. Lettelle, Sr., Summerton. S. M. Haynesworth, Foreston. J. W. Driggers, New Zion. J. M. Richardson, Summerton. A. M. Holladay, Manning. R. L. Giddings, Pinewood. Alvin J. Kibby, Manning. H. J. Goss, Summerton. Joseph D. McFadden, Acolu. S. N. Barnes, Foreston. H. L. Brewer, Manning. Second Week Petit Jury Spring Term. D. C. Plowden, Manning. R. F. D. W. J. Millisap, Mayesville. R. F. D. I. T. Eadon, Summerton. R. F. D. Morgan P. Strange, Manning. J. J. Nettles, Acolu. J. Bunyon Harvin, Summerton, R. F. D. R. E. Evans, New Zion. M. B. Corbett, Paxville. S. J. Smith, Manning. N. B. Davis, Silver R. F. D. 2. J. H. Giddings, Paxville. S. I. Till, Manning. P. E. Ridgeway, Jr., Foreston. J. A. Way, Silver R. F. D. F. W. Truluck, Summerton. J. Henry Lowder, Pinewood. Tom P. Flowers, Manning. H. J. Giddings, Pinewood. J. L. Player, Turbeville. H. H. Mathis, Summerton. J. H. C. Cutter, Wilson R. F. D. L. B. Griffin, Acolu R. F. D. J. C. Land, Foreston. S. W. Thigpen, Manning R. F. D. J. W. Corbett, Manning R. F. D. H. L. Johnston, Jr., Turbeville. Lonnie Tobias, Manning. J. M. Lee, Acolu, R. F. D. D. G. Shorter, Davis Station. H. J. Giddings, Paxville. J. S. Ridgeway, Manning. W. M. Lewis, Davis Station R. F. D. Olin B. Croskey, Summerton. Morgan J. Morris, Turbeville. T. M. L. Coker, Lake City R. F. D. E. O. Kowe, Summerton, R. F. D.

Notice to Creditors. All persons having claims against the estate of John E. Mahoney, deceased, will present them duly attested and those owing said estate will make payment to the undersigned executor of said estate. GEORGE W. MAHONEY, Executor. Sumter, S. C. R. F. D., No. 1.

Notice of Discharge. I will apply to the Judge of Probate for Clarendon County, on the 25th day of January, 1912, for letters of discharge as administrator of the estate of Nannie M. Felde, deceased. AUGUSTUS E. FELDER, Administrator. Pinewood, S. C., December 28, 1911.

Notice to Creditors. All persons having claims against the estate of Martha E. Pittman, deceased, will present them duly attested, and those owing said estate will make payment to the undersigned qualified administrator of said estate. I. W. PITTMAN, Administrator. Turbeville, S. C., January 2, 1912.

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