

## Highway Bonds May Be Issued

COUNTIES AFTER MAKING REIMBURSEMENT AGREEMENTS MAY ISSUE BONDS FOR ROADS

Columbia, Apr. 3.—Building of the greater portion of South Carolina's state highway system within the next few years is made possible by the approval yesterday by Gov. Thomas G. McLeod of the highway bond issue act, passed by the recent general assembly.

The measure, which is now law, provides that any county of the state 15 counties excepted may issue bonds to finance the building of roads designated for construction in the so-called "pay as you go" highway act, the construction of which otherwise will be spread over 18 years. The building, the act allows, may be done either by the authorities of the county issuing the bonds or by the state highway commission, to which the county would advance the money for the construction of the roads.

The bonds are to be based upon reimbursement contracts with the state highway commission and it is provided that "no bonds shall be issued under this act by any county unless and until the proper officers or body of such county shall have previously entered into an agreement or agreements on behalf of such county with the state highway commission of South Carolina whereby the state highway commission shall have agreed to reimburse and repay said county for the cost of constructing the highway or highways for which said bonds shall be issued."

The amount of the issue is fixed at a sum "not to exceed the cost of constructing said highway or highways (covered in reimbursement contracts) as estimated by the state highway commission or its chief engineer."

For the purpose of issuing the bonds the county or any two or more counties by the action of the senators and a majority of the house legislative delegation from each county may constitute itself or themselves as a highway district the property of which will be pledged for the payment of the bonds, which are to bear interest at a rate not exceeding 5-1/2 per cent payable semi-annually.

For the paying of interest and the retiring of bonds an annual tax in the counties issuing the bonds is authorized. This, however, is to be reduced or eliminated by the allocation to the retirement of the bonds of moneys received under the reimbursement contract and of funds received from the counties' quota of the gasoline tax.

Exempted from participation in the financing plan provided in the act are 15 counties: Abbeville, Berkeley, Charleston, Chester, Chesterfield, Kershaw, Lancaster, Laurens, Marion, McCormick, Oconee, Pickens, Sumter, Union and York.

## FAVORABLE WORD ON WATER WAYS

House Committee Reports on Inland Route Cape Fear River to Georgetown

Washington.—The sub-committee from the house committee on rivers and harbors considering the bill of Representative Gasque for an inland waterway from Cape Fear River, N. C., to Georgetown, have made a favorable report.

This project is important in that if the war department is called upon to construct this inland waterway it will be the "missing link" in a chain of inland routes from Portland, Maine to Key West, Fla.

A short time ago, because of rough weather on the outside, several magnificent yachts were lost, which would not have been the case had this inland route then been available to small craft.

It is believed that if this new route is undertaken hundreds of expensive yachts of persons in the north, wishing to go to Florida, but which can not now make the trip without danger would use this North and South Carolina waterway.

As explained here, should one of the big highway systems have a link of several miles where the "detour" sign would go up, this might be negotiated, but when it is necessary for small craft to leave an inland waterway to "detour" the open sea, there is extreme danger. But the elimination of this "missing link" a straight waterway system could be open from the Far North to the Far South.

Expensive nitrogen can be bought cheap for the price of legume seed, and a little extra work.

## BOY SAVES SIX IN SUBMERGED AUTO

Here Released Trapped Persons and Disappeared.

Armonk, N. Y.—A seventeen-year-old high-school boy was revealed as the hero who saved the lives of six persons—three of them children—in a sedan which was crowded off the road here and plunged into Keniloe lake. The boy is Richard Craig, seventeen, a student at White Plains high school. He was in a car driven by George De Nault, champion sprinter of the high school, and a few hundred feet behind that which went off the road. Seeing the sedan go crashing through the trees down a 20-foot embankment and plunge into 12 feet of water, Craig jumped out of the car, tore off his coat and dived in.

He opened a door of the submerged car and dragged one of the children to safety. Another dive brought up a second occupant of the car, and thus, one by one, he dragged all of them out and assisted in first-aid measures. Then he took all six in his car to White Plains hospital for treatment and disappeared.

## Free Woman Shackled for Five Years in Stable

New York.—Shackled for five years by ankles and wrists in the dingy, unlighted stall of an abandoned stable, during which time she had forgotten how to converse intelligibly, Anna Rolando, twenty-seven, was discovered and liberated by authorities of Turin, N. J., near Newark.

The girl's mother, Mrs. Maria Rolando, and her stepfather, wealthy owners of the farm near Turin, where Anna was held captive, were arrested. When investigators, led by indignant neighbors of the Rolandos, entered the stable and approached Anna's cell by lantern light, the girl crouched in a corner.

Then seizing a metal dish, she banged upon a grated hole in the stall, apparently expecting something to eat. Draping her burlap wrap more closely about her, the girl blinked dazedly and voiced guttural, meaningless sounds as her discoverers led her into the sunlight.

When they indicated by gestures that she had regained her freedom, Anna shouted shrilly, ran about the barnyard like a wild thing and then flung her arms about an official, breaking down completely.

The girl, investigators said, had been obliged to sleep on a bed of straw. Her exercise was confined to pacing the short length her chains allowed, and she had not seen daylight for five years.

## Girl Runs Thirty-Mile Rapids in Skin Boat

Edmonton, Alta.—A wireless message received from Fort Simpson, Northwest Territory, by the Edmonton Journal told how the fifteen-year-old daughter of Thomas Smith, Yukon prospector, was carried 30 miles down the swift currents of the Upper Laird river in a skin boat without oars. Her father had been drowned when the craft capsized in Hell's Gate rapids.

Struggling during the 30-mile ride to keep the canoe from crashing, the girl finally managed to bring it into an eddy and reached shore. She then fashioned a pair of oars with an old hand saw which was fastened in the boat, and rowed another 30 miles to Sutherland's camp.

The prospector, an elderly man, and his daughter left Old Fort Laird, in British Columbia, for the Lower Laird river, in the boat. When the craft capsized in Hell's Gate rapids, throwing father and daughter into the water, Smith shouted to his daughter to cling to the boat, while he attempted to keep afloat.

The girl had gone down twice when she grasped a rope attached to the boat. She tried to rescue her father, throwing him the only oar in the boat, but he sank and she did not see him again.

## Romeo, 73, Elopes

Manitowoc, Wis.—Alvin Leicht and Mrs. Mary Messman of Two Rivers, both more than seventy-three years of age, eloped to Waunakee and were married. Leicht was a widower and his bride a widow.

## Four Boy Castaways in Sea Adventure

New York.—Four members of the Junior Naval Reserve, all high school boys, have just returned to their homes here after an adventure all youths dream of but few experience. They were shipwrecked in a storm and lived for a time on a deserted island.

The hero was Harry W. Bennett, junior officer on the yacht Fen Follett, on a cruise in Maine waters. In a storm combined with a fog which prevented seeing more than 30 feet the yacht went on the rocks off a small uninhabited island and soon began to break up.

Bennett, seventeen years old, swam ashore with a rope and helped rescue his shipmates. After five days, during which they lived on provisions which had been saved just before the boat went down, they were taken aboard a fishing smack.

## THE PRINTED WORD FASHION

It is the authentic word, too, if what smart women are wearing is proof—and it is. Prints have risen to new heights in the fabrics designed for spring and summer wear, and quite completely conquered the world of fashion. And emboldened by their success they appear on every weave with which designs work—on linen, on cotton, on crepe, on silk. And designs are striking, bold, simple, demure—as your choice dictates.

The chiffons, silks and crepes, go in for all sorts of geometric, floral and conventional effects as well as prim little Dresden designs, dots, circles, stripes. There are fascinating small patterns done in lovely pinkish coral, yellow and blue on fine French crepes, others that were inspired by modern stained glass windows. Georges printed with the small flowers that one sees only in old-fashioned gardens faithful reproductions of famous English print patterns.

Canton crepe is to be had in effective, conventionalized floral designs that are most unusual, there are smart, wide, candy-striped crepe de chins, and chiffons in bold floral designs or unusual geometric patterns. In many of the designs beige, odd tones of blue and the varied shades of bois de rose predominate. And printed silks in bordered patterns bid fair to attain an important place in the mode.

## DID YOU KNOW?

That the smartest and the newest note in spring coat fashions is black? Every fabric and type of trimming, as well as every silhouette, is represented in the groups on display, for the black coat is delighted as a background for summer frocks.

THAT a belt of colored leather mannish mode is quite the rage in Paris? It is the compose suit consisting of a navy blue or black coat worn with a skirt of Oxford gray. Link-button model, with sidepleated skirt, it is a most delightfully smart affair.

THAT a belt of colored leather forms an ensemble with gloves of natural or white suede, strapped at the wrist to match the belt? And an adorably stubby umbrella boasts a handle of shagreen to match an envelope purse of the same leather?

THAT a new jewelry ensemble makes use of the cameo, and consists of necklace, bracelet, brooch and earrings? The necklace is made of motifs done in antique gold with a large cameo in front, smaller cameos make up the earrings and bracelets, and the brooch has a fancy setting.

THAT spring flowers are blossoming on the counters, that you may properly adorn your suit or coat? There are magnolias, gardenias and camellias in various colors, old-fashioned round nosegays of verbena, clusters of pansies, and sprays of trailing arbutus.

## MOTHER AND CHILD PERISH IN FLAMES

Talladega, Ala., April 2.—A mother and youthful daughter each made the supreme sacrifice for the other here yesterday.

Mrs. W. E. Bridges and Marjorie Bridges, six, were the victims. The home ten miles east of Talladega caught fire at 2 a. m. The family was aroused and all members escaped to the yard. In the confusion the mother failed to locate Marjorie and dashed back to the blazing structure in search of her. Marjorie witnessed her mother's action and sped after the parent to save her from danger that was impending. The house collapsed.

Both were trapped. Mr. Bridges is a wealthy farmer and the family is well known throughout this section.

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## LITTLE HELPS FOR WOMAN'S WORK

**For the Little Girl Cooks**  
Mother will be so delighted if the little girl cook of the family occasionally takes charge of a meal. It will seem like a holiday for mother to come to the table and just sit down to the meal, without having been obliged to prepare it. Here are several recipes that might compose a supper or lunch for the family.

**Corn Fritters**—Take one can of corn, two eggs, one teaspoonful of baking powder, salt and pepper to taste, and enough flour to make a drop batter. Beat the eggs until very light, before adding them to the corn, and then add the baking powder, flour, salt, and pepper, stirring until the mixture is very smooth. Put enough lard into the pan so that the bottom is well covered. When this is hot enough to brown a piece of stale bread, drop the fritter batter into it, a large spoonful at a time. When the fritters are a golden brown on one side, turn them quickly to brown on the other. They should then be removed, placed upon a piece of brown wrapping paper and kept warm in the oven while you fry another panful. Serve them very hot, with syrup or just plain. Be sure that the fat is hot before putting in another lot of fritters.

**Orange and Date Salad**—One box of dates, one-half cupful chopped walnut meats, lemon or orange juice, two oranges, and some pineapple, if you like. Clean and stone the dates and cut them into small bits, also peel and cut the oranges into bits, being careful to remove all the pits. Cut the nuts into small pieces, but don't chop them too finely. Mix all together with some powdered sugar, to taste, using the lemon juice to moisten the mixture. Serve on a lettuce leaf. If you have it, whip some cream and put a spoonful of this on top of each serving.

**Orange Juice for Baby**  
Don't forget baby's portion of orange juice. He needs it. Orange juice supplies elements much needed in the development of baby's body. It also regulates digestion and is excellent for constipation.

The baby may have his first orange juice when he is three months old. Sweet oranges should be chosen and the juice should be diluted with an equal amount of water and should be given about half an hour before feeding, preferably between morning feedings. Begin with one teaspoonful, increasing the amount gradually until at the end of the first year baby may take from one to two ounces.

**School Lunch Bread**  
Brown raisin bread is a nourishing and palatable addition to the children's school lunch. Following is a

tried recipe that is sure to please the young folk:

One egg, one cup molasses, two cups sour milk, one-half cup sugar, one teaspoon salt, six cups whole wheat flour, two heaping teaspoonfuls soda, one and one-half cups of raisins. Mix the eggs, molasses, milk, sugar and salt together. Beat in the flour, gradually, add the soda in one-half cup boiling water and the raisins. Pour the mixture into three well-greased pans and bake for an hour at least. The bread is equally as good made with sweet milk, using six teaspoonfuls of baking powder instead of the soda.

## Colored Porcelain Again.

Perhaps you are one of the lucky persons who have some pretty pieces of colored porcelain tucked away in the attic, among the relics of the past. Quaint pieces of pottery or china in all sorts of colors are being much used to add touches of color to all interior decorating scheme. These

decorative bits add life to a room, not alone by their color but by the gleam of their glazed surfaces. A bit of delicately colored pottery catching the gleam of fire or lamplight, makes a room somehow more inviting than if it were not present.

When selecting porcelain or pottery just be sure that it is of a color to bring out the general color scheme of the room. This does not mean that it should match but that it should be of a harmonizing color. For example, a piece of yellow or gold colored pottery would be harmonious in a room where blue predominates. Always remember to use warm tones, such as yellow or orange in dark corners and dull blues, grays, or other colors in brightly lighted places.

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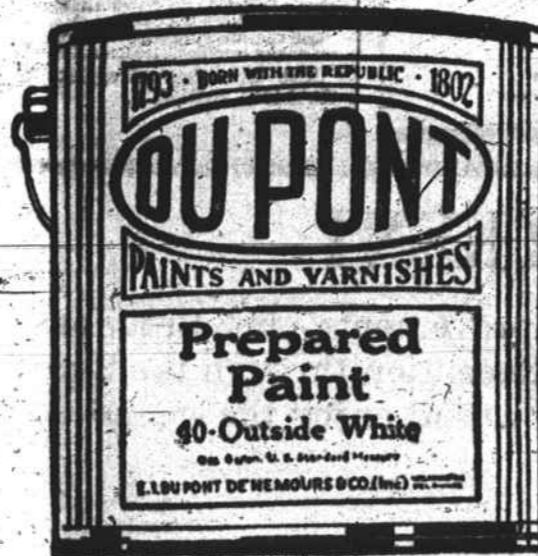
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