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**RICE**  
Mr. Farmer, if you have not already joined the cotton association, you should not delay the matter. Join now!

Every day the good roads are extending throughout the county, and every day it is becoming more and more apparent that the people have acted with wisdom in voting bonds to build and maintain roads.

The committees appointed to secure subscriptions to the new hotel are continuing their campaign. There are many good citizens who have not subscribed, and who yet should do so. This is one of the forward looking moves made by this town. If you have not yet subscribed, will you not do so at once? Help build the town!

The South Carolina Development Board, an organization endorsed by the governor of the state and many leading men of all occupations within the state, will put on a campaign in this county within the next few days, looking to enlisting the progressive and unselfish men of the county in the movement. It is a matter of tremendous import, it seems to us. The movement looks to the material, mental and moral advancement of the state.

R. L. Osborne, Comptroller General, has announced that he will not offer this year for reelection; the reason given is that the expense of the campaign is so great that he cannot afford to make the race, particularly since the office pays so small a salary and requires all a man's time, thus precluding his doing anything else to supplement the salary. This statement of r. Osborne should provide food for thought. Has it come to the point that only men of large means can afford to offer in our elections? If so, we are not far from the rocks of destruction. If we build up a plutocracy what will become of our boasted democracy? Already our national politics, as shown in the recent Republican campaign for the presidential nomination, has come to the plutocratic state. This is not a very beautiful sign for democracy, to say the least of it. The brazen part that gold is playing in the politics of the country is very alarming.

Ignorance and vice are twin brothers. A campaign of education is often the best means for the cure of certain ills that afflict mankind. Moral law must be supported by knowledge. True knowledge is a mighty factor in destroying the evil. Nowhere in this more apparent than in the matter of combating the social evil and its attendant scourge. The government, both state and national, is making strong efforts to stamp out both the evil and the diseases that follow in its wake. Dr. C. V. Akin, of the U. S. Public Health Service will speak in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce here

Thursday of next week at 8 p. m. All who are interested in the moral and material welfare of the community are invited to be present. A free clinic for the treatment of venereal diseases will be established here. The meeting Thursday is for the purpose of enlisting the cooperation and sympathetic support of such a movement in Union. Certainly such a movement is of incalculable value, and should receive the commendation of every moral force in the community. Do not fail to hear Dr. Akin next Thursday afternoon.



Our cat says it is a wise man who is able to measure his limitations.

**UNION MILL NOTES.**

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Mabry, of Hendersonville, N. C., are spending the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Steen; They will move in our midst next week. The formerly lived here several years ago and were active Christian characters and we gladly welcome them home.

Paul Brannon, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Brannon was married on Sunday morning to Miss Annie Lou Caudle of Anderson. She is an accomplished young lady and Mr. Brannon is receiving congratulations on his good fortune. We extend to them our best wishes for a bright and happy future. A number of our people are enjoying the splendid gospel preaching of Rev. Mr. Tucker at the First Baptist church this week.

Rev. A. T. Stoudenmire who recently accepted the call of Westside Baptist church, will conduct a series of meetings beginning Monday night after the third Sunday.

George Royster who had one fourth of an acre of wheat planted, cut it yesterday and told us he would get at least ten bushels of wheat and he has in his yard more than two hundred and fifty frying size chickens, to say nothing of the fruit and the chickens coming on. I have in our time heard of hog and hominy but this is just as fine.

Frank Clay was among the most interesting characters we had last week while he was learning to drive his new Baby Overland for the first time alone. He assumed the right of way when he was not going forward, but he escaped posts, gullies, wire fences and came back to town happily situated.

Rev. Rochester is recovering rapidly from an operation and his friends hope he will soon be entirely recovered.

In regards to the Correspondents picnic—we all agree that mid-summer is the time to have it, but please set the day in the middle of the week so this scribe can attend for Saturday is next to impossible for a business man to leave his work and I believe the editor would have a hard time getting off on Saturday. Think about it and let us hear.

Valmar.

**KOHINOOR'S ROMANCE ENDS.**

Complete Story of Matchless Diamond Will Never Be Told.

(From the Asia Magazine.)

All the world has heard of the Kohinoor, or, as it has been sometimes called, the Great Mogul diamond, and it would seem that there was nothing more to be said about it. Yet, in point of fact, not a tenth part of its history has ever been traced, so far does it extend back into the vistas of the part.

Perhaps one of the strangest things about it is that it cannot be lost to the world indefinitely. It was bricked and plastered up in a well and miraculously found after its former owner had been murdered. It was twice thrown away as a bit of glass and once went to the washerwoman in the pocket of an Englishman's drill suit.

This matchless gem is called in India the "Mountain of Light" and the "Talisman of Kings"; the latter because it was said to bring sovereignty to its possessor. Strangely enough after it fell into the hand of a Turk-

ish slave of illegitimate origin, a line known as the "Slave Kings" sat on the throne of Delhi for eighty years, during which period the desire to possess the talisman amounted to a frenzied obsession. Suddenly it disappeared in the chaos that brought the slave dynasty to an end in 1290. The Kohinoor later scintillated without bloodshed through the reign of Shah Jahan down to his son Aurangzeb, who exhibited it to a number of Europeans whom he was entertaining at his court. Among them was Tavernier, the French Jeweler, who later wrote a descriptive account of it for the delectation of Europe. After being tossed like a shuttlecock in the Delhi loot, and remaining for a period of years with the Sikhs in the Punjab, this most celebrated diamond in the world now rests on a purple velvet cushion among England's crown jewels in the grim old Tower of London.

The United States now exports stockings and other products of artificial silk to China, Japan and Italy, the chief silk producing countries of the world.

**NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned intend to file with Hon. W. Banks Dove, Secretary of State, on the 14 day of June, 1920, or thereafter a Declaration for a Charter for "The Union County Agricultural Society," which proposed corporation is to have its principal place of business in the City of Union, County of Union, State of South Carolina. The general nature of the business which it proposes to do is to conduct annual Fairs, with usual amusement features and to construct, operate and lease such fair grounds, and doing of all things connected with the Fair business. The capital stock of the proposed corporation is to be Ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars divided into two hundred shares at the par value of Fifty (\$50) dollars each. That the undersigned C. C. Sanders, F. J. Parham and F. H. Garner are residents of the City of Union, County of Union State aforesaid.

C. C. Sanders,  
F. J. Parham,  
F. H. Garner. 784-3t

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The girl in the bathing suit has appeared on the magazine covers again—bet she uses Violet Dulce Cold Cream for sunburn.

A fellow doesn't have to own many hogs nowadays before he can get a rating in Bradstreets.

A million don't sound like much when you say it fast. A million cans of Jontell Talcum were sold by Rexall Stores last year—more than that this year. We're selling our share.

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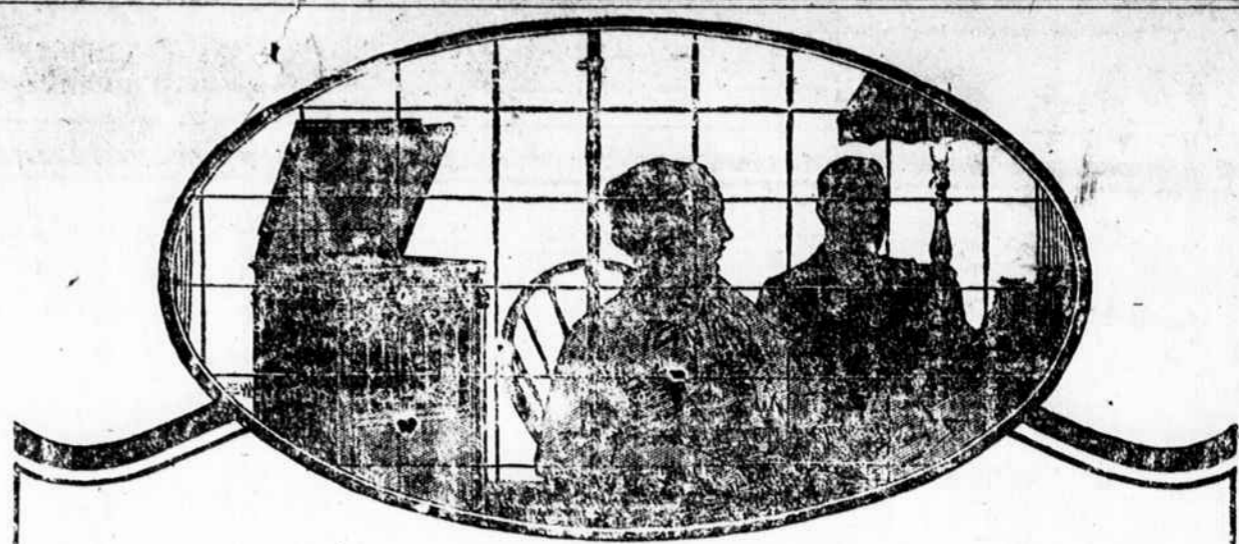
Anyhow, it'll be a long time before another nation pins its hopes on the submarine.

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**LAYS LONG LIFE TO BE SINGLE**

But Count Greppi, 102, is Beaten by Peasant Woman, 128, With Over 200 Descendants.

(From the New York World.)

Rhoe, May 6.—Count Greppi an elegant Italian diplomat who is nearly 102 years old, is beaten for longevity by an old woman of Monastir. She is called Luba and is now 128 years old.

Though not a woman of the world, for she is a peasant and has never heard of those refinements which make Count Greppi's life, she scores over the aristocrat in the matter of progeny. The count boasts that his celibacy alone accounts for his green old age while Luba married in 1819 at 18 years of age and had a thriving family of 14 sons and daughters. Moreover, all but one lived to see 90 years. She has had 84 grandchildren, 106 great-grandchildren, 45 of whom fought in the great war, and she now smiles on the fifth generation.

Who interviewed about longevity, Luba had no theories like the count. Nor has she ever been particularly careful of her health or avoided violent emotions, like him. But she has seen wars, pestilences, cholera, many revolutions, many lean years and has never been rich. So the count's recipe for longevity doesn't apply to her in any one point.

**SHE SETS A GOOD EXAMPLE**

"I keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house at all times and have recommended it to many friends and acquaintances who have used it with good results" writes A. O. Newell, New Kensington, Pa. Should you not do likewise? Think of the pain and suffering that must be endured when medicine must be sent for.

Although eggs of different species of birds greatly differ in shape, the yolks of all are invariably spherical. The tanning of ostrich skins is a growing industry in South Africa. A Rome dispatch of June 2 quoted the Giornale d'Italia as saying that Premier Orlando desired to return to his seat as a deputy in the chamber and again participate in active political life.

**CERVANTES HOME TO BE PRESERVED**

Toledo, Spain, June 11.—Protest has come from every city in Spain against the proposal to modernize the famous hotel in Toledo where once lived Cervantes, the author, who "laughed Spain's chivalry away" in "Don Quixote." Many academies and art organizations demanded that the original character of this report of Spain's great writer be preserved.

A machine that by magnetism arranges nails in parallel layers for packing is the device of a Swiss inventor.

A new electrical cloth cutting device has a thin circular knife which revolves at the rate of six thousand revolutions per minute and cuts through many thicknesses of cloth.

**WHAT HE'D ASK**

"Do you think after you've been dead 100 years you'll want to come back and talk with any one here?" "Well I think, I may. I'll probably want to ask some of the folks still here if the street railway question has been settled."

The Acme Land Co., of Florence, was today chartered by the secretary of state. Wednesday, with capital stock of \$25,000. P. A. Wilcox is president of the corporation; F. J. Brand is vice president and G. A. Fittz is secretary and treasurer.

Elaborate handkerchiefs adorned with real lace and handwork of drawn thread are a necessary accessory following the arrival of gorgeous ostrich fans.

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