

XMAS MONEY FOR YOU

Search Your Attic for Fortunes in Old Confederate Envelopes

Among the old letters of many Southern families are hundreds of very rare stamps and envelopes. Many have been found and sold for small fortunes. Single envelopes have been sold for as high as \$2,000, and many have brought upwards of \$100 each. It sounds "fishy," but it's true. They are valuable because they are rare. And they are rare, not because there are only a few, but simply because most of them have remained stored away and forgotten, in old trunks and closets.

Make a thorough search through your attic or store room for these old war letters. Fortunes in rare stamps or franked envelopes have been found in old trunks which no one ever dreamed contained anything of value. Keep the letters if you wish, but send the envelopes to Mr. Harold C. Brooks, Box 224, Marshall, Michigan, and he will immediately write you, stating their value. In sending them to him you are not obliged to sell unless his offer meets with your approval. Anything not purchased he will return in good order. Mr. Brooks, who is mayor of his city, is a private collector and has paid thousands of dollars for old envelopes. Although the rare issues are especially desired he also buys many of the commoner kinds. Many people in this way are getting Christmas money with very little trouble and no expense.

The First National Bank of Marshall, Mich., writes: "Mr. Brooks has been in business here for twenty years. You will make no mistake when you recommend him to your readers as worthy of the fullest confidence, both financially and personally."

Mr. Brooks states that there are so many different stamps which are similar in appearance he cannot quote values from written descriptions, but must see the envelopes. There are, for example, ten different Confederate government stamps bearing the portrait of Jefferson Davis, and many local stamps or stamped envelopes are very much the same in appearance. The same is true of U. S. issues, the heads of Washington or Franklin being used on different stamps. Mr. Brooks does not buy loose stamps, stamp collections, coins or Confederate money. Stamps should not be cut from the envelopes and no dates written on. He is fully acquainted with all issues even though the postmark may show no year date. Those especially wanted are Confederate issues, but he also buys U. S., Canadian, Hawaiian, and certain foreign stamps provided they are not the original envelopes and mailed not later than 1865.

If envelopes are sent in a bunch they should be carefully packed in a cardboard box to protect them from damage while in the mails. If you have reason to believe your envelopes are of special value send them by registered or insured mail. If you have no old letters written during or before the Civil War, show this notice to your friends—especially those whose families have lived in the same home for several generations. Many old families, old banks and law firms still have stored away hundreds of letters, waiting to be burned or sold for large sums. Before destroying such envelopes or folded letters investigate their value. Mr. Brooks' address is as follows:

HAROLD C. BROOKS,
Box 224, Marshall, Mich.

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Local and Personal News from Williston

Williston, Nov. 29.—Miss Mary Harvey Newsom, who is attending Coker College, arrived Tuesday night to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newsom.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Porter and family spent the day in North Augusta Sunday.

Mrs. R. A. McCreary and children left last week for Sarasota, Fla. to join Mr. McCreary, where they expect to make their future home.

Mr. Edwin Willis has gone to Charleston to stand examination for reenlisted in the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Still spent Tuesday night with friends at Elko.

The friends of Mr. Harry Poythres will regret to learn that he is confined to his bed with cold.

Dr. Lewis Trotti and son and daughter, Jack and Carrie, of Chesterfield, are visitors of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Trotti, Jr.

The friends of Mrs. A. W. Whitlock will be delighted to know she returned from the University Hospital last Friday, where she underwent an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Kennedy of Elloree, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hair.

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Courtney and daughter, Miss Margaret, visited Aiken Friday afternoon. On their way home they visited some friends in Montmorenci.

Mr. W. H. Manning and family left Wednesday morning for a visit to relatives in the upper part of the State.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hair and Miss Laura Kennedy motored to Augusta Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Latimer has returned from a trip to Hollywood and Miami, Florida. Mr. Latimer stopped over for the week-end in Williston before returning to High Point, N. C.

The friends of Pinkey Lee will be sorry to know that he was slightly hurt in the game between Williston-Elko and Richmond Academy in Augusta last Friday.

Misses Jennie Simkins, Ruth Best and Mr. Horace Green, of Allendale, were visitors in town for a few hours Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson had all of their children and grandson, Jackie, to dine with them on November 22nd, and to be with their mother on her birthday.

Miss Alifair Porter is spending a while with Mrs. H. V. Porter.

Miss Gladys Blume spent last week-end with Miss Fairy Bell Blume at Blackville.

Mr. Bob Tant and family of Blackville, spent Sunday with Mr. Johnnie Blume and family here.

Mrs. J. E. Kennedy and daughter,

Elizabeth, left Tuesday afternoon to spend Thanksgiving in Charleston with her sister, Mrs. Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Boland are the proud parents of a fine son, who will be named Herman.

The friends of Mrs. E. G. Fletcher regret to learn of her recent illness.

Mrs. J. V. Brace and children of Augusta, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hair Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Meyers and Miss Mayo Rountree were guests of friends in Branchville Sunday.

Mrs. H. V. Porter and daughter, Eunice Porter, Mrs. Clem Boylston, were visitors in Springfield last Friday.

Mrs. J. S. Blume and family of Blackville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Blume.

Mr. Tate Willis left Saturday for Miami, Fla., where he expects to make his home. Mrs. Willis before leaving for Florida will visit her parents in Rowesville.

Development of Beaufort Shores

Beaufort Shores is the name of a development of the city of Beaufort that is being put on by the Christensen Realty Company, and in which prominent Aiken people are investing through Salley and Hall. Mr. Niels Christensen, who with his brothers control the company, was in Aiken yesterday and our representative asked him as to their plans.

"Beaufort has long been known as a health and pleasure resort for both summer and winter," said Mr. Christensen, "but we have done little to develop it for these purposes. Beaufort Shores by reason of its location and natural beauty is now attracting summer and all the year residents to whom we are making daily sales, and will be presented to winter residents the coming season. Our plans now being carried out will build it in an adaptation of the low country architecture that is suited to the shores and verdure of the Sea Islands.

"It is most encouraging to learn of Kalmia at Aiken, Forest Hills at Augusta, and the shore developments in Horry County and near Charleston. The Carolinas and Georgia have a wonderful future by reason of their climate, soil, industrial development, superb harbors and beautiful scenery. What greater variety can anywhere be found than is encompassed in the sea strand along the mainland in Horry County, the romantic and dream like beauty of the Sea Islands, the rolling country and famed climate of the mid-state areas where Aiken, Augusta, Pinehurst and Camden have long attracted health seekers, and the great mountain ranges that are every day being made more accessible.

"At last a Southern migration has started and we are soon to become a centre of population and wealth. We are seeing not merely a stimulation of tourist travel. This tide that has set in to Florida has broken down the dikes of indifference, misinformation, ignorance and prejudice as to the South that have directed the attention of the world away from us and to the west alone. The unprecedented flow from every section of this continent to Florida will spread over all the South and especially the South Atlantic Seaboard States. We will draw from Europe. It is an opportunity that has a world wide appeal. By cooperation, hearty cooperation, appreciation of all we have, and the overwhelming advantages of working together, we of the South may hasten this flow of man power and capital and so direct the development as to preserve the traditions and ideals that are the South's contribution to the civilization of the world and dearer to us than all the wealth it contains." —Aiken Journal and Review.

Mrs. Samuel H. Hay

Lyndhurst, Nov. 23.—Mrs. Samuel H. Hay, one of the older members of the family, connection and a resident of this place for many years, passed away on Saturday, Nov. 21. She was the wife of the Rev. Samuel H. Hay, who for some years served as pastor of the local Presbyterian church. Though she had been in failing health for several years, the end not unexpected, it nevertheless came as a distinct shock to those who knew and loved her.

Mrs. Hay was born in Barnwell, and was the daughter of Richard Allen Gantt and his wife, Mary Louisa Gantt. She was a woman of sterling Christian character, and was possessed of a winning personality, which made her many friends, and greatly endeared her to the hearts of all.

Surviving her are two sons, Harold H. Hay, of Lyndhurst, and Samuel H. Hay, of Birmingham, Ala., one sister, Miss Sarah E. Gantt, of Lyndhurst, and one brother, Mr. Longstreet Gantt, of Winnsboro.

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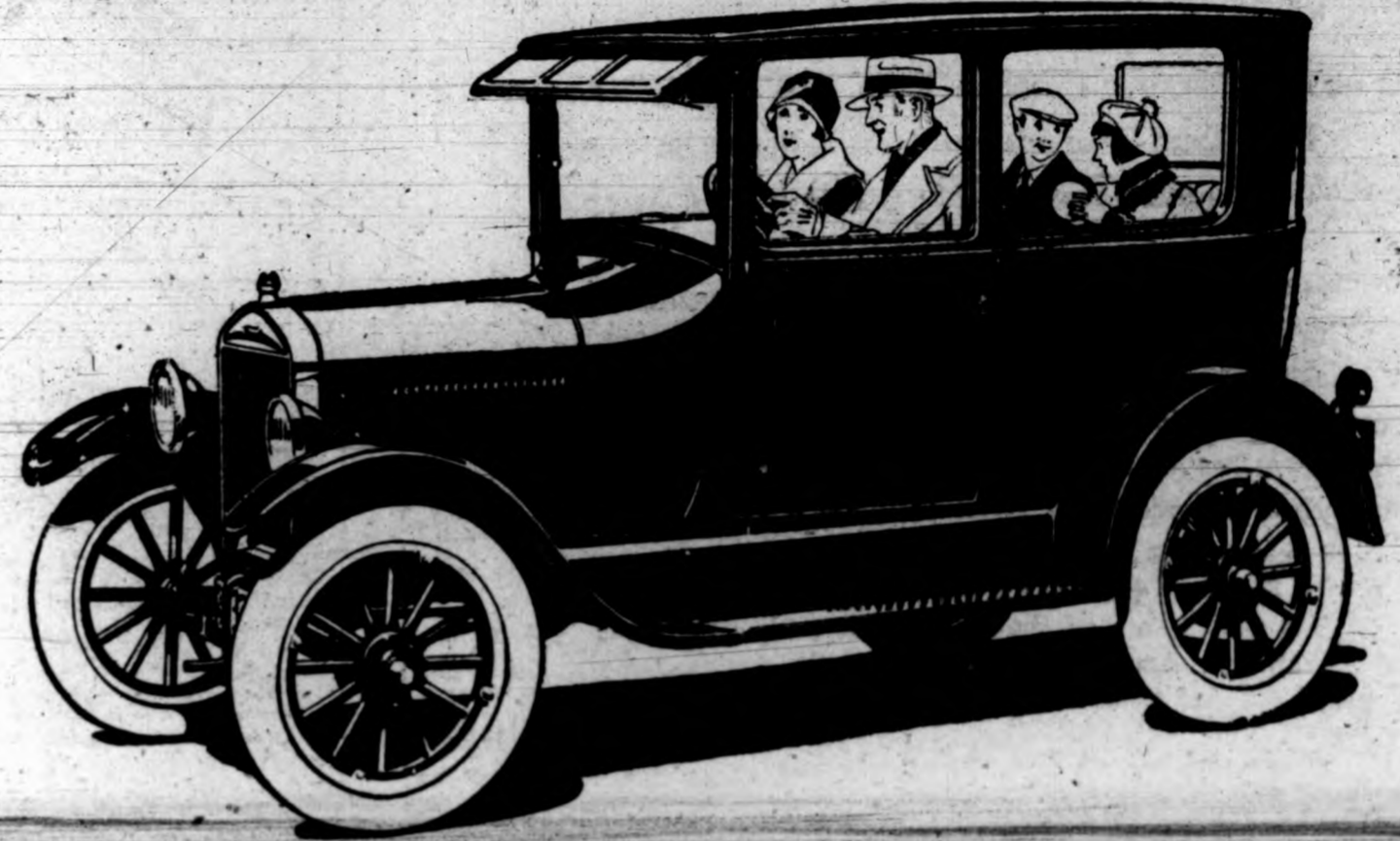
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SUMMONS.

State of South Carolina,
County of Barnwell.
Court of Common Pleas.
Hattie B. Minus,
Plaintiff,

vs.
Steve Minus, Charlie Minus, Isaac Minus, Johnnie Odom, Joeleather Storms, Easter Read, Toney Odom, Robert Grahams,
Defendants.

TO ISAAC MINUS, JOELEATHER STORMS AND EASTER READ, Non-resident Defendants:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to answer the complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the Clerk of Court of Common Pleas for the said County, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, Ninestein & Baxley, at their office at Blackville, S. C., within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for relief demanded in the complaint.

Ninestein & Baxley,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.
November 14, 1925.
R. L. Bronson, (Seal)
C. C. C. P.

NOTICE OF DISCHARGE.

Notice is hereby given that I will file my final report with the Hon. John K. Snelling, Judge of Probate for Barnwell County, State aforesaid, upon Tuesday, the 15th day of December, 1925, and petition the said Court for an Order of Discharge and letters dismissory.

E. B. SANDERS,
Administrator of Estate of
W. H. Sanders.
Barnwell, S. C., Nov. 14, 1925 4t.

Notice to Debtors and Creditors.

All persons having claims against the estate of Luther M. Mace, deceased, are hereby required to file them with the undersigned duly itemized and verified, within the time prescribed by law, and all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby requested to make payment to the undersigned.

Annie Marie Mace,
Administratrix of the Estate of
Luther M. Mace, deceased.

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Place:	Acreage:	Duncannon Place	1650
L. W. Tilly	200	Mrs. Jane R. Patterson	1000
Allen Eubanks	130	Fannie Chitty	133
Joe McCreary	200	J. M. Weathersbee	572
Harriett Hutson	175	Billie Jenkins	60
H. D. Calhoun	487	Jesse Middleton	300
J. M. Easterling	860	J. W. Newton	245
W. H. Duncan	405	Estate H. A. Patterson	2000
F. H. Creech	45	Joseph E. Dicks	800
Mrs. Kate M. Patterson	2500	R. C. Holman	200
Mrs. Annie P. Easterling	562	A. A. Richardson	2000
B. C. Norris	130	Lemon Bros.	150
Daniel Tilly	200	S. B. Moseley	80
		Mrs. Lena Davies	96

G. ARTHUR EVANS,
Barnwell, S. C.,
November 23, 1925.
Manager.

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