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FRIDAY, APRIL 9, 1915.

That was a "delectable" sight—Johnson and Willard in the prize ring. After all has been said, the brute is but poorly concealed in the most of humanity.

Gov. Manning will have no prize fighting in South Carolina. He deserves the commendation of the good citizens throughout South Carolina. What good thing, what helpful, wholesome influence could come from a pugilistic bout? We are glad to note that Gov. Manning is making good his campaign pledge to see to the enforcement of the law.

Of the large number of employees in the Excelsior Knitting Mills, not one of them voted against the bond issue for permanent road building. It is often said that the mill employees and the mill management are constantly opposed to each other. We have felt this to be more a figment in the brain of certain consciousnessless politicians than a fact that could be demonstrated. The case at the Knitting Mill is proof of the falsity of repeated charge. Mr. Shepard Nicholson, by his uniform fair treatment, by his liberal and unselfish attitude towards the people in the employment of the Excelsior Mill has demonstrated that there may be, often is, the fullest confidence between the management and the operators in the mills. Mr. Nicholson, in the very beginning of the movement for good roads, took great interest in forwarding the movement. Contrary to the charge so often made by political tricksters, that the operatives and management could never see their interest in the same direction, Mr. Nicholson had with him every single vote cast by the employees at the Excelsior Mill Tuesday. It speaks well for him and it speaks well for the operatives and employees. Why should there not be this mutual respect, cooperation and good will? It would be more commonly seen if there were less lying politicians who make it a business of going about injecting false and misleading ideas into the heads of the operatives.

The vote stood 624 for the bond issue; 834 against the bond issue—that was the way the election went Tuesday. A total vote of 1458 was cast, just about 50 percent of the voters expressing themselves at the polls. The vote was closer than many thought it would be. I am satisfied that it will be but a few years before the people of the county will make a decided forward move in the building of roads. One thing must be said, now that the voting is over: The majority of our people felt that the time was not opportune. There is a depression, an uncertainty, a nameless fear that is haunting many of our people. The past year was one long to be remembered. I felt, and still feel, that the best antidote to the depressing financial ills would be the movement for public improvements, and the consequent loosening of the money situation. But many could not take this view—hence the vote against the bond issue. Two years from now, perhaps one year from now, should there be less of war and less of upheaval in all political matters, the issue would carry by a good majority. I talked with a great many, and became convinced that our people, panic-stricken as they are, feared to vote any sort of tax for any purpose upon themselves. So far as I can see this is the real situation. Of course there were quite a good many who opposed

the road building upon some more selfish and less reasonable ground. But, the great majority of those who opposed it are men who are face to face with a nameless dread. They are asking "what will the year bring forth." They see no clear sailing ahead of the ship. They are depressed, disheartened and fearful; this condition would today cause most of them to turn down well nigh any proposition that put on more taxes, even when it seems a sure thing that it would pay in the long run. I believe their fears have greatly exaggerated the dangers. I believe the bond issue would have made easy money in this county. I believe that almost every opponent of the bond issue had Tuesday would, if the issue had carried, been glad of it in a year's time. But—the fact I have stated above is none the less true—our people are troubled; fearful; timid. They have often asked for fish and been given a serpent. Two years from now such a movement as that made Tuesday would carry hands down, provided general conditions make decided improvement.

JONESVILLE

Jonesville, April 6.—Good Friday and Easter Sunday came too early this year, they did not wait until the winter was over and they got caught in the snow. But Spring would be gloomy weather if we had nothing else but Spring.

The Methodist Sunday school had Easter service Sunday morning. The and choir platform rails were decorated, the color scheme being white, with white flowers. A beautiful program was rendered by the small girls consisting of songs and short speeches. Miss Frances Hicks was very efficient at the piano. The Epworth League had a special Easter service at six in the evening, with an address by Prof. Henry A. Wise, of Columbia, while the pastor, Rev. W. B. Justus, preached an Easter sermon at night.

The Presbyterians had beautiful Easter services in the morning. The sun shone brightly, but the day was cold.

The election is proceeding today upon the issue of the county good roads bonds and before the setting of the sun the issue will be decided. This bond issue has been before the people since the adjournment of the legislature in February, and it has caused much comment and some controversy and a few spats in the county papers but it will soon be over and we will all get together again.

Prof. Sams, principal of the High school is sick at his home in Gaffney and Dr. F. M. Ellerbe is filling his place for him.

Dr. W. O. Southard, who has been quite sick for months, is feeling better. He has served this community for nearly forty years as a faithful physician and his practice extended all over the county. Exposure, no doubt, broke down his strong constitution. He and I came to this place about the same time in 1875. We all hope he will be spared for to lose him, would indeed be a great loss, not only to his family and relatives, but to the entire community. I am glad Jess Willard knocked Jack Johnson out, and a white man is now champion, instead of a negro. I never knew of a Willard being whipped in this county. There were a number of them here years ago and they all were great fighters.

Among them was Jack, Poplarhead, Red Jacket, Red Bill, Loveberry, Drayton, Mabe and Shelt. It was said that Mabe whipped Sam Sumner at Union once, who was the champion in that day of Union county. No, if I were a prize fighter, I never would tackle a Willard.

Telephone.
Jonesville, April 6.—I dislike very much to have anything further to say about the good roads bond issue and the peddlers bill, but a sense of duty to myself prompts me to reply to my good friend and brother, L. L. Wagon in his article in the last issue of the Union Times. Brother Wagon accuses me of being bilious and perhaps laboring under a spell of indigestion, and then by reading between the lines, I think I can see that he hints at ignorance on my part in my position in the premises. Well in looking over my article, to which he replies, I can see no visible signs of softening of the brain, hallucination, lunacy, biliousness or indigestion, but it is true that I am no alienist, and therefore, might not be a proper person to pass upon all defects of the human body. I don't see a single cuss word in my article nor violation of the seventh Commandment, although, my good brother charges me, with others, of cursing him out. I have taken a position in both these issues, prompted by my feelings and sense of both honor and duty, and I have as yet no cause of regret and no reason, as I see it to retract or apologize, and I therefore stand to my first principles, and am happy to say and to know that I am supported and backed by scores of people all over the county and I believe that today at the ballot boxes will show a majority with me as to the good roads bond issue, and the other issue, the peddlers bill, if put to a ballot, would show in the same ratio. Then why should I feel like an ignoramus, a pessimist and one void of progressiveness, all to myself. I am willing to acknowledge there may be a mote in my eye, but at the same time is it not possible that there is a beam in the other fellow's eye? I hone this is the end of the controversy.
W. H. S. Harris.

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E. F. KELLY, The Land Man, UNION, S. C.

E. F. KELLY FOR ORCHARDS AND GARDEN

April 5th to 12th

Radishes, to grow well, must grow fast. Beets that were sown in frames in midwinter may now be transplanted to the garden.

Have a good vegetable garden and cut your grocery bill in half.

Do not neglect the mulching of your strawberries. This is the time for it and it is an important process.

Plant carrots, salsify and parsnips now for use next fall and winter. Requiring practically the same treatment and becoming ready for use at the same time, all may be planted on the same row.

Lima beans are much less hardy than are snap beans and to get a good stand of lima beans, do not plant them until the ground is thoroughly warm.

In selecting varieties of snap beans for planting, choose the stringless sorts. They produce abundantly and are much more desirable for serving on the table.

The growing of vegetables for the local market offers profitable returns to the man who produces a good product and places it on the market in a neat and attractive form.

Give the orchard a thorough plowing and fertilize it well if you wish it to do its best for you.

Sow celery seed now for transplanting in August. It is necessary to sow the seed early in order to get strong, stocky plants. Prepare the seed bed thoroughly and keep it partly shaded with a lath or brush screen so that it will not dry out.

Now is the time to lay plans for fall exhibitions of fruit and vegetables. Every county could make a magnificent display of orchard and garden products at the county and state fairs if people would give attention to the matter during summer. Such displays stimulate interest and may be strongly educational.

A garden of one-quarter to one-half acre is sufficient for an average family and should produce enough vegetables for the use throughout the entire year. This fact is brought out in a new Farmers' Bulletin (No. 647) entitled, "The Home Garden in the South," published by the United States Department of Agriculture.

F. J. Crider,
Asso. Horticulturist, Clemson College

Hard work never kills a man. But scheming how he may be able to put in the most of time on a short job saps up his vital energy.

Notice to Debtors and Creditors

All persons holding claims against the estate of Wiley P. Goodin or Mrs. Amanda Goodin, deceased, must present the same, duly proven, to me, or be barred.

G. H. L. Robinson,
Executor Estate W. P. Goodin.
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