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DOGS AND DOGS.

The Press and Banner defends dogs with more spirit than judgment. It is the "yaller dog" and the "worthless cur" The Observer is against. The Press and Banner apparently believes there "aint no sich animal." As a Newberrian once said about liquor: "There is no bad liquor; some is good and some better"; so The Press and Banner would say about dogs.

Whenever a protest is made against the "yaller" dog, the sheep-killing dog, somebody rises up and proclaims what a noble animal a dog is—all hydrophobia-spreading, egg-sucking dogs apparently—and tells how he is "a friend to man"; so faithful, and all that.

There are many pretty things said about dogs; which the right kind of dog deserves. Even a worthless dog, like some worthless folks, are "constant" in their "devotion." Where was ever a lower scoundrel than Bill Sykes, in Dickens' Oliver Twist?—a thief and murderer! His dog stuck to him through thick and thin. A dog will stick to a man like Sykes—to any low and villainous character—with as much constancy and devotion as to the best man on earth, who treats him kindly. And yet one hears much stuff like this: "Trust the man whom dogs and children love."

Some like to quote Byron and say, "Tis sweet to hear the watch-dog's honest bark draw near home." Bay deep-mouth'd welcome as we

It is right pretty poetry too, but not much truth in it, for the watch-dog, usually the bull dog, is not given to much barking—he slips up on his victim and bites him without warning—and the victim is as often as not its owner's friend.

There are dogs and dogs, and not all of them are beings of devotion and honesty and love either. Many of them are worse than worthless. They have well-nigh ruined the sheep industry in this state. They eat and destroy in one week more than they are worth all their lives. And they are a constant menace to the human race; for, whatever scientists may say, there is such a thing as hydrophobia, as Newberry people have had cause to know; and one man or woman or child is worth more than all the "yaller" dogs and "worthless" curs in forty counties, which are the kinds of dogs that should be lawed out of existence. And those kinds make up fully ninety per cent of the dogs in this part of the world.—Newberry Observer.

A FENCING CAMPAIGN.

Clemson College, August 22.—A wise man or wisely directed corporation during periods of prosperity will make investments in permanent improvements which later help to tide over periods of depression. The same principle holds good in farming, says Acting Director of Extension D. W. Watkins. This is the logical time to invest money in needed permanent improvements on the farms of South Carolina, because, while there are some farmers who are not prosperous, the majority are more prosperous than they have been in recent years.

In addition to such improvements as home water works and farm lighting systems, one of the greatest needs is for more wire fencing. There has been without doubt a

growing interest in livestock production for several years past. Statistics show this to be true. The County Agricultural Agents and Live Stock Specialists have assisted in the marketing of forty-one cooperative carloads of hogs since the first of January. The business of pork production is sure to grow. The advent of the boll weevil will increase the production of all kinds of live stock. More fencing is necessary if we expect to engage seriously in livestock production.

Mr. V. W. Lewis, Field Leader in Live Stock Extension, who first suggested a campaign to increase the amount of land under fence is securing wholesale price lists on wire from various manufacturers and with other specialists is working out a plan by which large quantities of wire may be purchased cooperatively by farmers with the assistance of County Agents. Mr. H. W. Barre, Director of the Experiment Station, is preparing an Extension circular on the creosoting of fence posts, and this circular will be available in the near future.

When this matter is arranged it is believed that County Agents and Specialists may render valuable service to farmers by encouraging the cooperative purchase of wire in carlots and by giving instructions and demonstrations in creosoting fence posts.

About the "Seceder."

To the Editor of The Journal: On the editorial page of August 19th is found this language "Another fine site for a great apartment house has been discovered on East Main street directly opposite the Seceder Church." The object of the writer in calling attention to the above sentence is not in the least to discourage or combat the idea of the fineness of said site for the purpose indicated by the able and esteemed editor, but to keep the record straight in the History and Doctrines of our Church the following statement occurs: "We are sometimes incorrectly called 'Seceders', from an apprehension that our Church is of European and not of American organization. We are conceived by some to be of the same body which broke off from the National Church of Scotland in the time of the Erskines in 1732, and which was known as the Secession, or Associates. But when and where did the Associate Reformed Church originate? She is the result of a union between the Associates and the Reformed Presbyterians or Covenanters in 1782 in this country, and not in Scotland, as some suppose."

The editor of The Journal wields the pen of "a ready writer," and I am richly repaid in reading his editorials. He inherited this gift from his father, who was one of the best and most popular writers of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian.
 S. W. Haddon.

Cocaine Whiskey.

Analysis of whiskey captured in the home of an Abbeville county citizen says Marshal C. J. Lyon ranges in color from clear, amber and brown to an indigo blue.

Marshal Lyon is of the opinion that the whiskey seized contains cocaine, and feels that such varieties of so-called whiskey has been directly responsible for a number of deaths in that section. For some time the officers have been working on clues which led them to believe that whiskey was being made near Abbeville, and Tuesday morning a raid was made on the home of John Lawton, a white farmer. The result was that a distilling outfit and numerous bottles of whiskey were taken by the revenue men.

According to Marshal Lyon these bottles of whiskey when placed side by side resembled the rays of the rainbow, so great was the contrast. Some of the stuff was of a clear color and of the same shade that whiskey is supposed to be. Others were of a brown, tobaccoish tint, while there was an assortment of colors that resembled the opening of Parisian dry goods store. Small quantities of the whiskey have been brought to this city and in all probability will be examined by a chemist to determine what they contain.—Greenville Piedmont.

Mrs. Wilson Better.

Friends of Mrs. Joe Wilson will be glad to know that she is improving after an illness of about ten days.

REQUEENING AND TRANSFERRING

Clemson College, August 22.—Numerous requests continue to reach the Extension entomologists for instructions about transferring bees from box gums to frame hives. It is not recommended that transferring be done later than August 20.

The assistance asked for in requeening can not be given to all because there is a serious shortage of queens of guaranteed purity. Deliveries are promised after August 15 to 20 but this is considered too late, for such hives may not have sufficient time to build up for winter.

In transferring from standard 8-frame hives, to standard 10-frame hives, carry over as much brood as possible. Do not destroy brood and start on comb foundation. Brood may be transferred direct in the frames, or it may be cut and properly tied into the new frames, or it may be straightened in the old frames and transferred. This brood is a great help in building up for the winter.

Write to the Extension Service for Farmers' Bulletin No. 1012, "Preparing Bees For Outdoor Wintering."

SALT FOR HOGS.

Clemson College, Aug. 22.—There has been a great prejudice among hog feeders against the use of salt in the ration, says D. W. Williams, of the Extension Service animal husbandry division. Many feeders believe that the results will be fatal if a hog is allowed a liberal quantity of salt. During the last few years this idea has been entirely disproved. Feeding tests conducted at Beltsville, Md., at the Iowa Experiment Station, and at other stations have shown beyond a doubt that the cheapest gains were made where the salt was self-fed. Many feeders use salt in a mineral mixture, with charcoal, wood ashes, lime and coppers. However, the quantity of salt in this mixture is usually not sufficient, and feeders would do well to feed salt in a box by itself where it would always be available. There is some danger in feeding salt in large quantities when the animals are not accustomed to it. The amount fed should be small at first and gradually increased so that there will be no danger of the hogs overeating on this feed.

William Lyon Back From France.

William H. Lyon, the fourth son of Marshal C. J. Lyon to return from service overseas, arrived in Greenville Friday morning after more than a year in France, Belgium and Germany. He left Brest on August 11 and without any hitch in the sailing program was in Greenville eleven days later.

Marshal Lyon furnished three sons in the 30th division, David Wardlaw Lyon, John U. Lyon and C. J. Lyon, Jr., having returned some months ago. Wardlaw Lyon was seriously wounded and is not yet fully recovered from his injuries. He was one of the few Greenville men, if not the only soldier from this city to receive a medal and an official citation from the British government. This was given for gallantry in action on October 12, 1918.

John U. Lyon was in the navy while the remainder of the brothers served with the Old Hickory division. Chas. E. Klugh, son-in-law of Marshal Lyon, was also in the service, being an officer in the artillery.—Greenville Piedmont.

INTERSESSION MONTH.

Greenville, Aug. 20.—The month of September is to be "Intercession Month" for the Baptists of the State, and Wednesday, September 24, has been set aside as a day of prayer and fasting for success in the Baptist 75 Million Campaign. Announcement to this effect was made today at state headquarters here.

It is expected, according to information coming from all parts of the state, that the month and special day of prayer will be faithfully observed by members of the denomination over the entire state.

In Honor of Mrs. Harvin.

Mrs. Otto Bristow entertained last Wednesday morning at a pleasant porch party in honor of Mrs. A. L. Harvin, who is here from Washington on a visit. Cards were played and a delightful salad course with sherbet was served at noon.

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SANTUC NEWS.

Santuc News, Aug. 23.—Crops in this community are looking fine after the nice rains.

Mrs. T. S. Palmer and children, and Mrs. Frank Palmer and baby, spent Tuesday with Mrs. E. J. Botts.

Mrs. John Morrison of Columbia, spent a few days this week with Mr. W. E. Morrison and family.

Misses Nina, Clara and Viola Beauford spent Tuesday afternoon with the Misses Kay.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Nickles and children spent Wednesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. James Haddon.

Mr. E. J. Botts visited relatives in Greenwood a few days this week.

Relatives and friends here were sorry to know that Misses Kate Calaham and Evelyn Prince were injured badly when the car they were riding in turned over. The accident occurred near Mr. Keaton's at Antreville. Mr. Edwin McGee of Belton, was driving the car.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kay and children spent Sunday at Mr. M. B. Kay's. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ables called on Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Haddon Sunday afternoon.

Mr. W. H. Sharp and Miss Annie Kay worshipped at Bethlehem Sunday and dined at Mr. J. S. Simpson's.

Messrs. George Morrison, and Jas. Haddon spent Friday with Mr. Willie Nickles of Central.

Messrs. M. B. and C. H. Kay were business visitors to the city Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kay and little son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. King near Due West.

Mr. Clarence Morrison is visiting his uncle, Mr. E. R. Miller, near Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. Furman Martin are visiting their sister, Mrs. James Haddon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Palmer were calling in this section Sunday.

Mr. Mack Wright was a visitor to the city Saturday.

Engraved cards and wedding invitations at Press and Banner Co.

"The Natural Law."

"The question asked and answered is: Shall a young girl marry a young man irrespective of his real affection for her, or a man of more mature years, with good sense, and comfortable bank account, who loves her for herself? The author is somewhat daring in his handling of the theme, and there are many strong situations, and several strong climaxes, while the moral lesson intended is driven deep with keen-edged words and situations too plain to be misunderstood. It is this vein of treatment, just somewhat different, that appeals. Held spellbound the audience and made them forget for the time being, it was play-acting. The splendid treatment carried it to a level far beyond that usually attained and made it a most interesting, absorbing and enjoyable production."—Philadelphia, (Pa.) Inquirer.

Home Service.

All the soldiers who come to the Home Service Section are not good looking officers, and sometimes there are other things to be done for the ex-private besides delayed allotment and allowances. At present the Home Service Section has a soldier who is "up against it," and until he gets his first pay envelope he needs help. If you wish to help, wont you send us some vegetables, some buttermilk, or some canned stuff. And then a little later chicken broth, eggs or "sic-folk eatin'" will come in acceptably. We want some baby clothes too. Anything you have to spare may be sent to the Home Service office.

Mrs. M. T. Coleman.
 Secretary Home Service.

Coming Home.

Mrs. J. D. Kerr and Mr. J. D. Kerr Jr., are expected home this week after a pleasant vacation spent at Indian Head, near New London, Conn., with Mrs. Stillman and Mrs. Percy Miller. They enjoyed all the pleasures of a charming resort and had a pleasant trip once or twice to New York City.

Lieut. James Sheppard, who is just been discharged from service Camp Gordon, was in the city Sunday and Monday visiting at the home of Mr. W. S. Cothran. He was en route to his home in Edgefield.

WANTS

LOST:—Between Abbeville and Wardlaw's Bridge, Note book, back, P. N. Smith's name on inside. Bills of lumber, time for seven men. Return to P. N. Smith, C. J. M. Shepard, Route 1, or J. Len Smith, Jr., Abbeville. 8-26-3t. Pd.

LOST:—Pair Spectacles, made M. R. Campbell, Anderson, S. C. between Abbeville and Greenville upper road. Return to E. WILES, Iva, S. C. 8-22-1t.

FOR SALE:—One Jersey Bull Two and one-half months old 8-22-1t. Pd. W. M. Barn

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