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Now that we have left off bottled "corn," we will have more canned corn.

The United States have the means and the men necessary to win this war. All that is lacking is training and this can be gained in time.

Who can tell us why we have had no intelligent woman in this county conducting girls' canning clubs? We are, in this respect at least, about five years behind some of the other counties.

Billy Sunday did not miss the mark very far when he said in a sermon in New York the other day: "If you turn hell up-side down, you will find on it these words 'Made-in-Germany'."

In sections of the country where there is a plethora of condition in the money market the bonds sold "like hot cakes." Considering their wealth, the Southern people made an admirable showing.

"Uncle Sam" asked his people for \$2,000,000,000 through a bond issue and they promptly handed \$2,000,000,000 over to the old gentleman. Don't you know that response makes the great man in the White House feel just fine?

Among the subscribers for the Liberty bonds, the man with the longest name was Gust J. Papatheodorou-moundurgistomichalakopoulos, of Chicago. Please do not ask us to pronounce or even spell the name without having it before our eyes.

Every liberty-loving, free-born, high-minded American citizen would rather die a thousand deaths than live under the Hohenzollern yoke of tyranny. For that reason American manhood will rally by the millions around Old Glory until there is not a vestige of German autocracy left.

**Ports of Embarkation.**  
The announcement was made several days ago that Charleston and Savannah have been selected as ports from which troops and supplies will be shipped to Europe. Apparently, these ports have not received the consideration in the past from the national government that they should have received. It is conceded that, from the stand-point of deep water, accommodating some of the largest craft afloat, Charleston ranks among the first ports of the country, and yet it has never received recognition in a large sense from the government. Even the navy yard in Charleston is not regarded as of any considerable value and had it not been for the persistent efforts of Senator Tillman, it would doubtless have been abandoned. But if Charleston is extensively used as a port of embarkation, a sort of base of supplies, during the war, it will put the city and port on the naval map in large letters.

**Incomes and Wealth Widely Differ.**  
Some idea of the relative wealth of the two sections, as well as the varying incomes, can be gained through the income tax collected during the year now closing. In the State of New York the enormous sum of \$110,431,480 was collected under the federal income tax law, while in South Carolina only \$547,649 was collected. A number of things have contributed to this enormous wealth of New York incomes representing of course a proportionate amount of wealth.

In this connection it would be interesting to know how much money has gone into the State of New York during the past 50 years in federal pensions alone. That which has found its way into South Carolina is infinitesimally small as compared with New

York. The interest on pensions alone in New York, compounded for 50 years, would amount to an inconceivable sum. Another thing that has enabled New York to amass such immense wealth has been her commerce, which consisted almost exclusively of manufactured goods, while that of the South, and South Carolina in particular, has consisted of raw material. The profit on manufactured goods is enormous as compared with that on raw material. Indeed, much of the time South Carolina's raw material has been sold at or below the cost of production. Under such conditions New York and other Northern States will grow richer by leaps and bounds, while South Carolina and other raw material producing States will increase in wealth at a much slower pace.

**Should Make No Change Now.**  
The State Board of Education is planning for the adoption of a large number of new text books for the public schools, which means that thousands of dollars worth of books that are reasonably well preserved will be discarded altogether as worthless or disposed of for a mere song. Were the matter of making a change at this time discretionary with the board, it should have deferred the sweeping change until the next year or the year after.

The Advertiser has never been in sympathy with those who believe that the same books should be used indefinitely without the adoption of newer and better books, books that are more in keeping with modern methods of teaching. But on the other hand, in a crisis like the one which now confronts us, we do not believe parents should be forced to incur considerable expense in order to change text books. Continuing the same books for a year or two would save a considerable sum at a time when economy is being preached on every hand, and the schools or pupils would suffer but little.

**Government's Estimates Not Guesses.**  
Whenever the heads of departments in Washington, after making all possible research and investigation, make an estimate it can generally be relied upon. Occasionally they go far afield, but sources through which the departments receive information are themselves not infallible. When the call was made for registration under the selective draft law, the director of the census was requested to examine his records bearing upon the male-inhabitants between the ages of 21 and 30, inclusive, and make an estimate of the number who would be liable for registration. The figures were placed at 10,000,000. A great many persons were skeptical, stating that so large a number would not be included in the ten years.

The practically complete returns from all the States give a total registration of 9,611,816. Add to this number the men who are already in the army, navy and national guard and the grand total will easily reach 10,000,000.

Do not be too much disposed to discount or discredit government estimates. They are far from being wild guesses.

**Southern Made Good Roads.**  
Without accident to a single train or passenger, the Southern Railway System established a splendid record in the handling of the immense travel to the annual reunion of the Confederate Veterans at Washington, the attendance at which was greater than at any previous reunion. From the morning of June 2 to noon of June 8, the Southern handled into Washington for this patriotic event a total of 36,490 passengers. To accommodate this movement, forty-three special trains were operated besides 512 special cars on the twelve regular trains operated into and out of Washington every day. The operation of both the regular and special trains into Washington was accomplished without undue delays, special precaution and care having been exercised by the Southern's entire organization to make the movement a success.

The return movement began Wednesday evening, June 6, and from that time until Saturday at noon the Southern handled out of Washington twenty special trains in addition to the regular trains, all leaving Washington on the scheduled time arranged for them. As the veteran tickets are good to return until June 21, many of the veterans and visitors are taking advantage of the time to visit friends and will return home on regular trains so that only about twenty-five extra trains will be needed to provide for their homeward journey.

**How To Give Quinine To Children.**  
FEBRILINE is the trade-mark name given to an improved Quinine. It is a Tasteless Syrup, pleasant to take and does not disturb the stomach. Children take it and never know it is Quinine. Also especially adapted to adults who cannot take ordinary Quinine. Does not nauseate nor cause nervousness nor ringing in the head. Try it the next time you need Quinine for any purpose. Ask for 2-ounce original package. The name FEBRILINE is blown in the bottle. 25 cents.

**ELECTRIC BITTERS** THE BEST FOR BILIOUSNESS AND KIDNEYS

**Committees For Red Cross Campaign.**

The following committees have been appointed to solicit contributions in the different sections of the county for the Red Cross fund:

- County Executive Committee: B. E. Nicholson, J. H. Allen, W. H. Harling, J. Wm. Thurmond, J. C. Sheppard, S. J. Watson, H. G. Eid-on, W. W. Miller, Bettis Bonknight, H. E. Quarles, J. H. Self.
- Bacon—W. H. Smith and E. N. Smith, Johnston, R. F. D.
- Cleveland—C. C. Jones, W. F. West and J. W. Quarles, Edgefield, S. C.
- Colliers—Dr. J. N. Crafton, D. T. Mathis, H. W. McKie and Joe Hammond.
- Edgefield—W. B. Cogburn, W. A. Strom, B. B. Jones and Dr. J. G. Edwards.
- Johnston—P. C. Stevens, J. W. Hardy, Dr. G. D. Walker, Rev. M. L. Keister, Rev. W. S. Brooke, Rev. J. H. Thacker, W. C. Derrick, J. W. Marsh, A. M. Clark and W. P. Yonce.
- Long Branch—G. W. Scott and G. C. Holmes.
- Meeting Street—J. F. Payne, J. K. Allen and J. H. Cogburn.
- Meriwether—H. T. Medlock, J. O. Scott and R. W. Glover, North Augusta, R. F. D.
- Cleora—C. M. Williams, L. R. Brunson and P. W. Cheatham.
- Pleasant Lane—J. M. Shaffer, S. T. Williams and F. L. Timmerman.
- Red Hill—W. T. Prescott and R. M. Johnson.
- Ropers—Rev. P. B. Lanham and R. A. Timmerman.
- Trenton—Rev. J. A. Gaines and E. N. Smith.
- Talbert—R. T. West, S. C. Seigler and J. D. Hughey.

**In Memory of Mrs. Victoria Evans.**

"Leaves have their time to fall!" From season to season we learn from youth to silvery age to look with joyous eyes, upon the faces of the beautiful flowers as they smile up from where they have been entombed by winters icy hand. It is only the truth graven upon the leaves of our mind, that when a friend passes from view, cut down by the north wind of death, that the star of faith, rises luminous upon our overwhelming grief and we know that as the leaves return to the trees and the flowers to their stems, so the loved ones are beyond the changing shadows of times effacing fingers.

Just a month has borne its record beyond the space of time. Amidst the nearest of earth, Mrs. N. G. Evans (Victoria Gary) like a leaf in the autumn's golden light, of a well spent life, this historic woman passed away, in her beautiful home in Edgefield; coming in the summer of life to take possession of the home her famous brother M. W. Gary, bequeathed to her, she with a dignity, born of a great mind, dispensed royalty to poor and rich, a beautiful hospitality, springing from a noble christian heart. To know her was a liberal education. Her recollections of men like R. E. Lee and others, with whom she was socially thrown as the wife of Captain N. G. Evans of the U. S. A., afterwards Gen. of the Confederate States Army, her simple language and marvelous memory was a thing of beauty—from Witherspoon lineage the great signer of our wonderful document gave charm to her every action. You came from her presence with a feeling created by her, that you had given this lovely woman much pleasure.

Abbeville yet will point with sincere pride as being the resting place of this wonderful family who have given to the nations Signers, Senators, Jurist, Doctors, Warriors and high minded, "pure as snow and chaste as ice," mothers and daughters. They are true in friendships, sincere in their beliefs.

They sleep in majestic peace, awaiting the time that must come to all, the great day of returning life, when friend shall see friend in the glorious Resurrection Morn." To her family and friends we give sympathy, for "flattery can not smooth the dull cold air of death." We all await the "inevitable hour." To choose that momentous hour is brightened by the luminous personality of the dear mother's love for "He who doeth all things well," and so her children know that from under the sod the beautiful soul has fled in exquisite beauty to the great White Throne, where she awaits one and all of them she loved wisely and well.

A. G. G.

**Auto Owners Attention!**

We carry a most complete stock of auto accessories, such as United States Auto Tires and Inner Tubes, Pumps, Jacks, Safety Vulcanizers, Blow-Out Patches, Tool Boxes, Pressure Gauges, Red-O Skid Chains, Horns, Monkey-Grip Veedol Oil.

We have a filling station for gasoline, and always have rock-bottom prices on Highest Grade Filtered Gasoline—the best sold by the Standard Oil Company.

**Stewart & Kernaghan**  
Edgefield, South Carolina

**Hope My Statement Will Benefit Others.**

**MRS. DELINGER DECLARES SHE LIVED IN CONSTANT DREAD — FEARED SOMETHING AWFUL**

"I DON'T KNOW WHY BUT I'D JUST GO ALL TO PIECES," SHE SAID.

"I hope my statement will bring benefit to others," said MRS. L. A. DELINGER, of Cayce, S. C., a suburb of Columbia, as she began to tell on April 28th of the great results Tanlac gave her. "I took three bottles of Tanlac and I'm free of all my ailments now and I feel fine. I have not taken any medicine since I quit taking Tanlac. I was so poor and thin and weak when I started taking it, but the medicine made me strong and hearty. I suppose I gained at least ten or fifteen pounds in weight."

"When I began taking Tanlac I was suffering awfully with a nervous stomach trouble and I was just so nervous I could not hold a conversation with anyone. I don't know why, but I would just go all to pieces. My appetite had almost gone and I was awfully dizzy almost all the time. I thought, too, that something dreadful would happen to me and I lived in constant dread. At times it felt as if my heart would jump out of my body, too. But thanks to Tanlac, I am now free of those troubles and I'm glad to recommend Tanlac to any who suffer as I did."

Tanlac, the Master Medicine, is sold by Edgefield, Penn & Holstein, Cold Springs, H Ernest Quarles, Edgefield, R F D No 2, J. H. Reel, Johnston, Johnston Drug Company, Modoc, G C McDaniel, Parksville, Robertson & Company, Plum Branch, J W Bracknell & Son, Plum Branch, R F D No 2, E P Winn & Bro, Trenton, G W Wise.

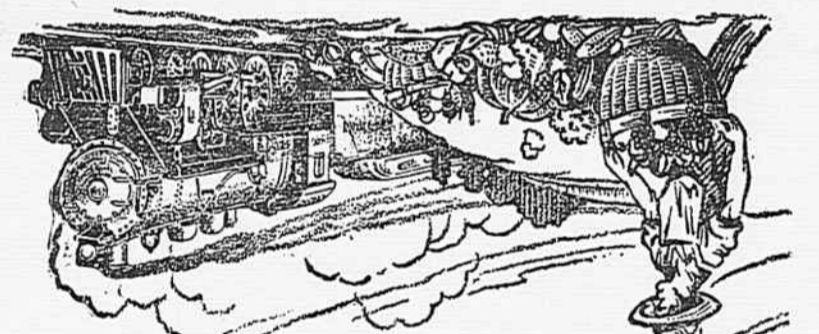
A blackmailer wrote the following to a wealthy business man: "Send me five thousand dollars, or I will abduct your wife." To which the business man replied: "Sorry, I am short of funds, but your proposition interests me."

**Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's**  
The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is equally valuable as a general tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

**HAIL: Protection against Hail damage to crops can now be had by a policy in the HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE CO., through E. J. Norris Agent. See or phone Mr. Norris.**

**To Prevent Blood Poisoning**  
apply at once the wonderful old reliable DR. PORTER'S ANTISEPTIC HEALING OIL, a surgical dressing that relieves pain and heals at the same time. Not a liniment. 25c. 50c. \$1.00

**Notice to Creditors.**  
All persons indebted to the estate of Mrs. M. A. Houston, deceased will make payment to the undersigned at once, and all persons holding claims against the said estate will present them properly attested to the undersigned for payment.  
W. C. Derrick,  
Administrator.



**An Ambition and a Record**

THE needs of the South are identical with the needs of the Southern Railway: the growth and success of one means the upbuilding of the other.  
The Southern Railway asks no favors—no special privilege not accorded to others.  
The ambition of the Southern Railway Company is to see that unity of interest that is born of co-operation between the public and the railroads; to see perfected that fair and frank policy in the management of railroads which invites the confidence of governmental agencies; to realize that liberality of treatment which will enable it to obtain the additional capital needed for the acquisition of better and enlarged facilities incident to the demand for increased and better services; and, finally—  
To take its niche in the body politic of the South alongside of other great industries, with no more, but with equal liberality, equal rights and equal opportunities.

"The Southern Serves the South."

**Southern Railway System**

**FARM LOANS!**  
Long-Term Loans to Farmers a Specialty.  
Your farm land accepted as security WITHOUT ENDORSER or other COLLATERAL. Unlimited funds immediately available in der nominations of Three Hundred and up. Established 1892.  
JAMES FRANK & SON, Augusta, Ga.

**HORSES AND MULES**

I have a few Second-Hand Horses and Mules I will sell for

**What You Think They are Worth**

B. F. JONES,  
Edgefield, S. C. Jones' Stable.