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The Institute in Lexington county will be held at Summerland on July 25. Following is a list of the speakers, together with the subjects they will discuss at the Institute to be held at Summerland:

J. M. Burgess, Live Stock.

J. M. Napier, Farm Crops.

A. F. Conrali, Insect Pests. Earle, Fertilizer Laws.

W. F. Burleigh, Tick Eradication. Fred Taylor, Handling Long Staple Cotton.

W. H. Barton, Cover Crops and Rotation.

J. N. Harper, Forage Crops. Arrangements will be made to hold other Institutes in the county on the same day if they are desired.

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Barbecue at White Rock.

We will furnish a firstclass Barbecue at White Rock on the 20th day of July next. Speakers and candidates from Lexington and Richland counties are invited to astend and discuss the issues of the day.

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Summons And Complaint.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, County of Lexington.

In the Court of Common Pleas. William J Platt, in his own right, and as Executor of the last Will and Tes tament of Conrad Shull, deceased, plaintiff,

Caroline Platt, Sarah Plumer, Edward C. Shull, Jasper L. Shull, Elizabeth Shull, Ethel Shull Harman, Pearl Shull Buzzard, Lucille Shull, Daniel N. Platt, Jefferson A. Platt, Susan E Gallant, Lydia Platt, J. Lee Platt, Ollie Platt Vroman, Willie Platt, Nellie Fogle, Charles Platt, Sadecia Johnson, Mittie Gilliam, Margaret Swindler, Daisy Bedenbaugh, Evelyn Clamp, Alice Lybrand, Annie Sox, Thomas Clapman, Willie Wood, Alexander Clapman, George Clapman, Effie Wood, Lina Dent, Irene George, defendants.

To the Defendants above named: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the Complaint in this action, of which a copy is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said Complaint on the subscriber, at his office, No. 1316 Main Street, Columbia, South Carolina, within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the Complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief de-

manded in the complaint.
ALBERT M. BOOZER, Plaintiff's Attorney. Columbia, S. C., May 1st, 1912.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

County of Lexington. In the Court of Common Pleas. William J. Platt, in his own right, and as Executor of the last Will and Testament of Conrad Shull, deceased, Plaintiff,

Caroline Platt and others, Defendants. Summons and Complaint for Partition and Relief.

To the defendants, Jasper L. Shull, Charles Platt, Sedecia Johnson, Mittie Gilliam, Margaret Swindler, Daisy Bedenbaugh and Alice Lybrand, and if they be dead, or either of them, their, his or her unknown heirs-at-law or devisees, and any and all persons who might claim through or under them or either of them:

Take notice that the Complaint in this action was filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for Lexington County, South Carolina, at Lexington, in the County of Lexington, in the State of South Carolina, on the 25th day of June, A. D. 1912.

ALBERT M. BOOZER, Plaintiff's Attorney. Lexington, S. C., June 25th, 1912.

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HE IS ENSLAVED BY BEAUTY.

Sarah's Wiles Separate Him From His Salary, but She Laughs at His Declaration of His Passion-Brooding Over His Wrongs.

By M. QUAD. [Copyright, 1912, by Associated Literary Press.1

■ IVE love the cold shake! Beware of the wavy hair! Turn from the gold filled teeth! Fate lies in wait in every sky-

An elevator boy may bet on the races. He may smoke cigarettes. He may shoot craps. He may take a whirl in a bucket shop, and there is still a chance to hold his job and become a statesman as the years roll on, but when he surrenders himself to the charms of Cupid he is a goner, and you can never even make a lawyer of him.

When I came to work in the skyscraper Mr. Rasher, the agent, sat down and patted me on the head and

"Sammis, I am told that you are the

son of a widow and a good boy." "Yes, sir; I am," I replied. "You have set out to pay a gigantic

mortgage on the family estates and become president of the United States?" "I have, sir."

"You will put in twelve hours per day at \$4 per week and keep your eyes peeled in the interest of this syndicate?"

"I will, sir," I bravely answered. "Then I have but one thing more to say. There are good looking girls in this building, Sammis. There are no less than ten typewriters who are as handsome as Mary Anderson and as lovable as Lillian Russell. Don't fall in love with any of them. Don't let your young heart get up any pit-pat business. To fall in love at your age would ruin your future prospects and bring the blight of despair to your fond mother's heart. It might also snap the cables of the elevator. Take no chances, Sammis. Treat them with courtesy and respect, but let your de-

Blandishments Resisted.

meanor be cold and reserved."

I realized that Mr. Rasher was advising me for my own good, and I determined that he should have no occasion to find fault with me. Many sly attempts were made to capture my young heart, but I nobly resisted them. In time I was known as "Cold Storage Sammis," and many a man patted me on the shoulder and said:

"Boy, would that I had your strength of will to resist the soft smiles of a black eyed typewriter with peachy cheeks!"

But fate was lying in wait for me, and I knew it not. One day a young woman named Sarah appeared in the office of the tar and rosin syndicate as typewriter, and when she had made her first trip in my elevator I knew that I was a lost boy. She had wavy hair and teeth of gold, and her smile was as gentle as powdered sugar. As the elevator wabbled upward I turned pale and red, and felt shaky in the knees. Sarah noticed my confusion and, laying her hand on my arm, she softly whispered:

"Sammis, I dote on fresh roasted peanuts. I believe I could eat a peck of them."

That was sufficient for me. All thoughts of that gigantic mortgage fled away, and within an hour a large and generous bag of pernuts rested at her right hand as she worked the keys and showed. Love came to me with the suddenness of snow sliding off the roof of a house. My mind was in such a whirl that night as I went home that I forgot to best the conductor out of my fare, and I actually got up and offered an old woman ray seat.

His Mother Suspects.

"Salarnis," said my mother when she saw that by aspetite was gone and I no longer erred to be a great man, "If you have fallen in love do not hesirate to conside in your mother. She will save you if anybody can. Even if you are engaged she will find a way of estine."

But I lied to her and made out that I had a laur back and trouble with my left inng.

I did not want to be saved. I wanted to go to bed and dream of Sarah's gold teeth and wavy hair. The next morning there were gumdrops on her type writer. They were from me. She came and waited for me at the seventh floor, and as we were alone for a minute she playfully pinched my ear and said:

"Sammis, I den't see how any girl can help falling in love with you. Some day you may bring me a box of chocolate creams."

She had them ere the sun went down, and the next morning she had a bouquet of roses which cost a plunk and a half. In return for them she gave me a smile that displayed all her golden teeth clear back to the last one. I wanted to die for her that day to prove my love, but I was kept so busy in the elevator that I had no opporjunity to throw myself from a witedow or send out after poison. I did make myself a hero, however. caught a district messenger boy loafing on the pinth floor and walloped him until he bellowed for mercy. For the next two weeks all my salary went for candy and peanuts and bouqueis. and I lied to my trusting mother and told her that I had to give it up for i perios protection. Che we occusions Berah permitted me to take per out to Stee.

lunch and pay the shot, and I had to borrow my street car fare home. It was after the second lunch that Mr. Rasher sent for me and said:

"Sammis, there's a complaint that your elevator wabbles as you take people up and down. Are you losing your nerve?"

"No, sir." "Then be a little more careful. A wabbly elevator scares tenants out of the building."

The Downfall of Hope.

It was my love for Sarah that wabbled the elevator, and I made up my mind that matters had reached a crisis. One noon when she pulled my ear and asked me to bang my hair for her sake I followed her into her room and laid my young and bursting heart at her feet. She laughed at me. With her mouth full of chocolate creams, bought with my cash, she laughed me to scorn. She lay back and laughed, she stood up and laughed, and when I had been crushed to earth she said:

"Now, bubby, run along and get me a bunch of violets to wear to the theater tonight. I am going with Mr. Driscoll."

I went out of the room a frozen boy. All my confidence was destroyed in a moment. Never, never again could I believe in the integrity of woman. I sought my home and fell upon the bed. I was doctored for fits, loss of memory, blood poisoning and mafaria. It was touch and go, but I rallied, and inside of a week I was able to return to my elevator. It is said that I look old and careworn and that it is easy to guess that I have a burden on my heart, but you watch my smoke. No girl can wreck my life and escape the penalty. I am laying for the faithless Sarah, and Fate is on her trail. She smiles as before when we meet, and her golden teeth gleam in the semidarkness of the cage, but there is no longer a responsive throb in the heart of Sammis, the elevator boy.

Satisfactory Progress.

"Uck-yassah! 'Bleeged to yo' for de 'terrygation, sah, and I's puhgressin' mighty fine in muh love affa'r wid de Widder Shy. At de fust de lady took and put chase to me wid a shotgun when I mentioned muh attitude to'a'ds her. Bless goodness, 'twuzn't loaded, but she done rammed me wid it as I sailed over de fence and like to uh broke de spine o' muh back! De time she flung hot watah on me she sho' scalded me good and plenty, but I got well atter awhile, dess as de faithful allus does.

"Well, den, yiste'd'y whilst I was uh makin' muh bow to her, she slapped me flat-done a fine job, too, sah, and muh head rings plumb yit. But dat's all right, uhkaze I's gwine to go round tomor' and let her 'polergize to me, and I'll be so daggawn genteel dat she kain't fail to make up wid me. And den, de fust thing yo' knows, I's kotched her! Yassah, I's sho'ly puhgressin' pow'ful peart wid muh 'fectionary animosities." - Ladies' Home Journal.

Goethal's Method.

The following story is told of Colonel George W. Goethals, who at the time it occurred was an instructor in engineering at West Point.

One day, during a recitation, he gave out this question to a class of cadets:

"The post flagpole, sixty feet high, has fallen down. You are ordered by your commanding officer to put it up again. You have under your command a sergeant and ten privates of the engineer corps. How would you get the pole back into place?"

Each cadet, after long consideration and much figuring over derricks, blocks, tackle, and so on, evolved a different method.

"No," said Goethals, "you are all wrong. You would simply say, 'Sergeant, put up that flaguele?"-Scarday Evening Post.

His Advantage.

The difference between the amateur and the professional isthe meateur knows it all.-Judge. . 1044444444488888

Napoleon of Finance.

A Leavenworth business man found a forgotten coal stove in his basement. He called a junk dealer and asked him, "How much?" The junk man offered \$1.50, and the owner straightway wanted \$2, chiefly for fur. They langeled awhile, and the second hand dealer departed store one. "He'li be back," said the merchant,

In a half hour the junkman returned and offered \$1.75, which was refused. Then a bright idea struck the junk artist. He brought out \$1.50 and, limiting the coins temptingly, said. eren con tet I do. 1 off you \$2 for

de stof and charge you feefly conts to han! him avey." - Kansas City Star.

A True Diplomat.

The mayor of a French town had, in accordance with the regulations, to make out a passport for a rich and highly respectable lady of his acquaintance, who, in spite of a slight 66figurement, was very vain of her personal appearance. His native politeness prompted him to gloss over the defect, and after a moment's reflection he wrote among the items of personal description: "Eyes dark, beautiful, tender, expressive, but one of them missing."-Argonaut.

Evidence.

"So you found a poker chip in your husband's pocket?"

"Yes," replied Mrs. Flimgilt.

"And you reproved him?" "Liked Latt. A rich who is that careigss about cushing in should not be the of topic, and "- Variety on



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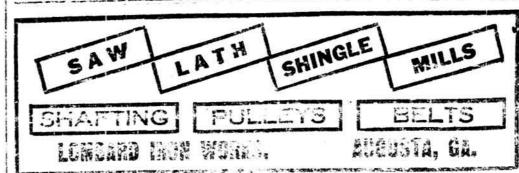
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