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What Became of a Negro Slave.

Many years ago there lived in Africa a boy who was taken captive in one of the savage wars between two rival tribes and sold as a slave. First he was traded for a horse; then his new master thought he had gotten a poor bargain and traded him back again. Next he was sold for a cask of rum, but this buyer also brought him back. A third time he was traded for a quantity of tobacco, but with the same result. No one wanted the poor, miserable slave boy, who was nigh unto dispair. At last he was bought by a Portugese slave-dealer and taken away. How little did the poor slave boy know what the future had in store for him, as laden with chains he lay in the hold of a slave ship! But an English warship captured the slave ship and freed the captives. The African boy came under Christian influence, was educated and became a missionary to his benighted country and later bishop of negro missions in West Africa. His name is Samuel Crowther.—Little Missionary.

Satisfaction.

It is always a source of satisfaction to know of a remedy that can always be relied on in emergencies and when accidents occur, such a remedy is Elliott's Emulsified Oil Liniment. It is the most serviceable accident and emergency Liniment ever produced, and is just as satisfactory in all cases where a liniment is required. Sold by J. H. Darby, Walhalla, and the Seneca Pharmacy.

A Wife's Letter to Her Husband.

The following is an extract from a letter an Aiken man received from his wife, who has been sojourning in the mountains during the hot weather while he kept bachelor's hall at home:

"Dearest: Be sure and not let any flies in the house and see that the cat is fed every day. Am having a lovely time. Keep the shades down in the parlor. It is so cool here we sleep under blankets. If that poor woman from the country comes in give her my polka dot shirt waist. It is hanging on the left hand side of the closet in the northeast room. We are going mountain climbing Tuesday if it doesn't rain. Baby has another tooth. Do be careful and wipe your feet on the door mat."—Aiken Journal.

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The Civil Service Commission has just received a call from the Philippine government for 150 male teachers, salaries as follows: 25 at $1,200, 70 at $1,000 and 55 at $900 per annum. It is desired to secure these teachers without unnecessary delay, and an examination will be held on October 19-20 in Charleston, Columbia and Greenville. For application blanks and further information concerning the scope of the examination, transportation, conditions of employment, etc., applicants should apply to the Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., or to J. F. Simpson, secretary of the local civil service board of examiners at the postoffice at Anderson. If any of the teachers in this section want to go to the Philippine islands this will be their opportunity.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

The biggest monkey ever exhibited is a gorrilla 6 feet 10 inches high, with an arm spread of 9 feet 3 inches, from the Camaroons, West Africa. He stands with his skeleton beside him in the museum of Hamburg. The crowds at the museum have been enormous and the comments upon its marked semblance to the human species have been general.

The approaching session of the South Carolina Methodist Annual Conference will be held in Buncombe Street Church, Greenville, opening Wednesday, December 9th, Bishop A. Coke Smith presiding. Preparations have already commenced in Greenville to royally entertain the conference.

Several years ago the railroads adopted the rule of refusing employment to drinking men as a safeguard and matter of self-protection. Now various employers in Chicago have decided to draw the line on racegoing, gambling, excessive drinking and immoral conduct. 30,000 young men are directly affected in that city and the result will be powerful.—Spartanburg Spartan.

Sad Part of It.

"What did you with that fellow who stole the horse?" asked the tender-foot.

"Nothing much," answered Broncho Bill;" just took the hoss away from him."

"Is that all?"

"Yep. He war settin' in the saddle with a rope around his neck tied to a tree when we took the hoss away, though."

Educational

South Beat in Spelling.

One of the annual big features at the Chatauqua Assembly, Chautauqua, N. Y., is an old fashioned spelling match. This year the contest was between New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio pitted against the Rest of the World, each side having 25 representatives. The first candidate to go down was a young woman from the "Rest of the World," and she failed on that old "sticker" "siege." The first victim on the "Nypano" side went down on the still simpler word "feud."

Gradually the easy marks were eliminated and there remained a few veterans on each side who seemed proof against all words in common use. At first the "Nypanos" were in the lead, but gradually the champions of the South, on the other side, forged ahead, and to the chagrin of the Northern contingent all the honors finally went South of Mason and Dixon's line.

The first prize was earned by Prof. H. C. Krebs, of Summerville, N. C., the second by Miss Margaret Young, of Dallas, Texas., and the third went to Miss Anna E. Jackson, of Port Deposit, Md. According to the Chautauqua Assembly Herald, the Southerners won the heart of the audience by their strong, clear voices and superior enunciation.

Here are some of the hard ones that brought down the bulk of the candidates:

fossil	celery	cauliflower
pigeon	salad	omelet
pollen	luncheon	saleratus
firkin	gelatin	gangrene
engine	surcingle	phaeton
missile	zephyr	whinny
isthmus	alpaca	silesia
cordurcy	cretonne	tenement
epistle	vassal	colander
chattel	lattice	ottoman
mortise	auger	augur
Mussulman	carcass	misspell
limpid	precipice	distill
leer	twitch	prompt
gorge	quoit	piety
porpoise	bevel	caprice
cylinder	cudgel	vestige
vigil	assess	disappoint
purloin	salve	whey
quay	singeing	clique
knell	gnash	scheme
scythe	zinc	rinse
niche	loathe	sponge
yacht	gnaw	loose
lose	ruse	steak
sieve	tragedy	biased
sulphur	villain	chaplain
parallel	pierce	gist
oust	sluice	gauge
ache	valise	phlegm
rhythm	psalm	scrawl
nymph	deign	seize
proceed	supersede	precede
attorneys	niece	gneiss
larynx	adz	venison
jamb	mackerel	sturgeon
mussel	wry	lettuce
subtile	hiccough	sough
viscount	donor	serviceable
capable	offal	juntos
inenundoes	mortgage	zeros
chrysalis	chameleon	emphasize
idiocy	isinglass	erysipelas
idiosyncrasy	victuals	nonpareil
cemetery	symmetry	coalesce
transferable	vitiate	instantaneous
desuetude	malleable	desiccation
indigenous	cynosure	anonymous
labyrinth	plagiarize	periphery
tripartite	irridescent	manageable
monastery	ginseng	hyssop
caraway	putrefy	parachute
osseous	falchion	hegira
litigious	machination	phthisis
fuchsia	anemone	apotheosis
flaccid	hemorrhage	diocese
caramel	pomegranate	porphyry
poignant	basilisk	strychnine
anaemia	ptarmigan	neuralgia

It took unusual, technical words to reach the very best spellers, such as the following:

abacinate, to blind by a red-hot-metal plate.

abecedary, formed by letters of the alphabet.

aberuncator, weeding machine.

abracadabra, a mystical collection of letters worn as an amulet.

acaulescent, having no stem.

acinaciform, scimiter-shaped.

adactylous, without fingers and toes.

supersedeas, a legal writ.

primatial, pertaining to a primate.

prescind, to abstract, analyze.

lucule, a spot on the sun.

lucullite, a black limestone.

lucimeter, an instrument for measuring heat of sun.

matronymic, pertaining to one's mother's name.

sidereal, pertaining to the stars.

sibylline, pertaining to a sibyl.

littoral, pertaining to the shore.

humefy, to soften with water.

bouillon, a soup.—The Pathfinder.

Stomach Trouble Causes Heart Trouble.

Heart trouble is almost always caused by stomach trouble. The stomach fails to digest all the food, and the residue ferments, forming excess of gas which distends the walls of the stomach, causing a pressure on the nerves and arteries that lead to the heart. This causes the heart to palpitate or skip a beat occasionally, or both, which is usually very alarming, causing grave apprehensions. Rydale's Stomach Tablets will prevent this trouble. They digest the food and prevent gas from forming in the stomach. If there is no gas in your stomach your heart will not trouble you. Sold by J. H. Darby, Walhalla, and the Seneca Pharmacy.

Steamer Founders on Lake Michigan.

Marenette, Wis., October 4.—During a hard squall last night on Lake Michigan the passenger steamer Erie T. Hackley foundered in Green Bay and 12 persons were drowned. The Goodrich and the steamer Sheybogan rescued the other seven persons on board the Hackley after they had drifted all night in Green bay, clinging to bits of wreckage, and brought them to Fish Creek to-day. The Hackley was struck by the squall when off Green island, seven miles from this port. The upper work of the vessel was blown away and the boat then turned over and went down in deep water.

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"I was troubled with eczema from the crown of my head to the soles of my feet," writes Mrs. Ella Quick, of Cass City, Tuscola Co., Mich. "Could not walk at times nor wear my shoes. Thought there was no help for me—at least the doctor said there was none. I went to see friends at Christmas time and there heard of the good that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery had done for them, and was advised to try it at once. For fear that I might neglect it my friend sent to the village and got a bottle and made me promise that I would take it. I had been getting worse all the time. I took thirteen bottles of the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and ten vials of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, and used 'All-Healing Salve,' which made a complete cure. It was slow, but *sure*. I was taking the medicine about eight months.

"I would say to all who read this; try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery before wasting time and money."

The sole motive for substitution is to permit the dealer to make the little more profit paid by the sale of less meritorious medicines. He gains; you lose. Therefore accept no substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery."

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Are You Crazy?

Is it not a fact that every man is more or less crazy? Not that every man is a fit subject for the insane asylum, but that every man has a streak of insanity, which is more or less distinct.

Sometime ago a man was telling a lady who is a woman of splendid intelligence of a habit into which he had fallen.

It had become a habit with this man to count his steps, especially in passing by fences he would count the steps between posts. If one man's fence should happen to have posts at irregular intervals it produced a very disagreeable sensation upon the counter. On the other hand, if the posts proved to be of the same distance apart the counter experienced a sensation that was pleasant. The lady in question listened attentively to the recital of the foregoing experience. As soon as the man ceased speaking she said:

"I never walk into a room and see a mirror but what I think 'oh if I just had a smoothing iron I would dash it into that mirror.'"

A day or two later the man met a friend on the street and told him of his conversation with the lady and her remarks upon it. This friend, with a merry twinkle in his eye, said:

"I never take out my pocket-knife and open the blade but what I think to myself 'what if I job this in my eye?'"

About this time the third gentleman walked up. He was informed of the preceding conversations. Having listened attentively, he replied:

"I never take out my razor and shave myself but what I think, 'what if I drew this thing across my jugular?'"

What is your crazy streak? Think about it and see if there be not some little freak of some kind which marks you in this particular.—Union Times.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds and prevents pneumonia. Take no substitutes. For sale by J. W. Bell, Walhalla.

Given Thirty Days for Stealing $13,000.

Sioux City, Iowa, October 8.—Thomas Ward, Vice President of the Lemars National Bank, who pleaded guilty to embezzlement in the sum of $13,000, was to-day sentenced to pay a fine of $12,000 and to stay in jail until the amount is paid. It was discovered to-day that the sentence given Ward will amount to his serving just thirty days in jail. There is a special Federal statute providing that when a convict is subjected to a fine which he cannot pay, he may go before a United States Commissioner, after serving thirty days, show that he has no property subject to execution in excess of $20 and obtain a legal discharge.

No danger of consumption if you use Foley's Honey and Tar to cure that stubborn cough. For sale by J. W. Bell Walhalla.

Brought Him Trouble.

A first ward school director is responsible for this: A little boy arriving home from school was told by his elder sister that he had a new little brother upstairs, and replied: "Well, I am not surprised at that."

"Why not?" asked his sister.

"Why," said the boy, "I heard the doctor tell pa the other day if he didn't hurry up and pay him that bill he would soon bring him more trouble."

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Gen. M. C. Butler is suffering considerably from a blow upon his head that he got on his way southward from Washington near Alexandria, Va., on the 6th instant. A half brick was hurled violently into a window of a sleeping car in which Gen. Butler was sitting, inflicting upon the General's head and ear a severe wound.

The wife and son of Senator B. R. Tillman were badly bruised by their horse running away and throwing them from a buggy at their home at Trenton, S. C., one day last week. We are glad to state that their injuries are not of serious nature and that they will soon be all right again.

W. C. T. U.

The Safe Bridge.

The staunch old Scotchman, Dr. Arnot, gives a good illustration on the total abstinence question. You will find the world full of men who will tell you that they "are not obliged to sign away their liberty in order to keep on the safe side." "They know when they have had enough—no danger of their ever becoming drunkards," and the like.

The Doctor says: "True, you are not obliged. But here is a river we have to cross. It is broad and deep and rapid; whoever falls into it is sure to be drowned. Here is a narrow foot bridge, a single timber extending across. He who is lithe of limb and steady of brain and nerve may skip over it in safety. Yonder is a broad, strong bridge. Its foundations are solid rock. Its passages are wide; its balustrade is high and firm. All may cross it in perfect safety—the aged and feeble, the young and gay, the tottering wee ones. There is no danger there. Now, my friend, you say, 'I am not obliged to go yonder. Let them go there who cannot walk this timber.' True, true, you are not obliged; but as for us, we know that if we cross, though we may go safely, many others who will attempt to follow us will surely perish. And we feel better to go by the bridge!"

Walking a foot bridge over a raging torrent is risky business, but it is safety itself compared with tampering with strong drink. The surer the man himself is of his own safety, the less other people are assured of it. When a man is just about falling into the abyss he is sure he is the only sober man around. The total abstinence bridge is strong and safe, and there is room for the whole earth to pass over.—The Safeguard.

First Aid.

Household and other journals are publishing columns of information concerning what should be done in cases of accident or sudden illness, and schools are wisely instructing their pupils how to render "first aid" before a physician comes—how to restore respiration, stanch a wound and save precious time in the battle of life until authorized help arrives.

It is useful, needful knowledge, but one wishes there could be some training in "first aid" for hurt souls as well as hurt bodies. For they are so many—the tempted, the doubting, those bewildered by some sudden blow, crushed by loss, wounded by treachery—and the first touch of a strong and kindly hand may mean so much. There are many who might be saved to new faith and stronger life if only those about them were quick to see the danger, and prompt with the help of honest, unselfish love and the thoughtful tenderness which the master teaches.—Kind Words.

A Cough Is Only a Symptom.

A cough is not a disease, but a sumptom of disease. A cough always indicates that either the throat or lungs are affected. When the mucus lining of the throat or lungs becomes inflamed the irritation causes coughing. Don't neglect a cough. It may be the symptom of serious throat or lung disease. Rydale's Elixir kills the germs that cause the trouble, soothes the irritated mucus membrane, gently stimulates the nerves that control the respiratory organs and thus helps nature to speedily restore normal conditions and healthy action. Sold by J. H. Darby, Walhalla, and the Seneca Pharmacy.

Cheap Rates to Augusta, Ga.

The Southern Railway will sell reduced rate tickets from all points in South Carolina to Augusta, Ga., and return on account of State Reunion of Confederate Veterans November 10-12, at one cent a mile, plus 25 cents. Tickets on sale from points beyond a radius of 100 miles of Augusta on November 9-10, and points within a radius of 100 miles on November 10-11, and for trains scheduled to arrive in Augusta before noon of November 12, limited to November 13. For full particulars apply to any local agent of the company or R. W. Hunt, D. P. A., Charleston, S. C.

Men and Women

DR. HATHAWAY.

who are in need of the best medical treatment should not fail to consult Dr. Hathaway at once, as he is recognized as the leading and most successful specialist. You are safe in placing your case in his hands, as he is the longest established and has the best reputation. He cures where others fail; there is no patchwork or experimenting in his treatment. Personal attention by Dr. Hathaway, also special counsel from his associate physicians when necessary, which no other office has. If you can not call, write for free booklets and question blanks. Mention your trouble. Everything strictly confidential. J. Newton Hathaway, M. D.

71 Inman Building, 22½ S. Broad Street, Atlanta, Georgia.

Grief for things past that cannot be remedied and care for things to come that cannot be prevented, may easily hurt, can never benefit me. I will therefore commit myself to God in both and enjoy the present.—Joseph Hall.

Human help in our need, human forgiveness of our wrong-doing, human love in our loneliness—these are the sacraments through which, at their sweetest and purest, we feel a divine help and forgiveness and love flowing into our souls.—G. S. Merriam.

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"I was greatly troubled with an affection of the heart, due I think to excessive smoking. On writing to you for advice I was directed to begin a course of treatment which included Dr. Miles' Heart Cure, Dr. Miles' Nervine and Nerve and Liver Pills, together with bathing, etc. I faithfully followed the directions given and am pleased to say that my cure is complete and permanent. Before beginning the use of your remedies I was so nervous I could not keep my hands still and suffered greatly from severe pains around the heart. Many times at night I would be forced to assume a sitting posture to get my breath, and for the time being it would seem as though my heart had stopped beating. From the splendid results achieved in my case I can cheerfully recommend Dr. Miles' Heart Cure, Restorative Nervine and other remedies to all sufferers from heart or nervous troubles."—Yours truly, ELIJAH HALL, Dothan, Ala.

All druggists sell and guarantee first bottle Dr. Miles' Remedies. Send for free book on Nervous and Heart Diseases. Address Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Was Not a Cabbage Snake.

Mrs. E. G. Fant was cutting up a cabbage yesterday morning preparatory to cooking it, when she found a worm about two or three inches long inside of it. The worm was cut into three pieces by the knife before she found it.

The worm looked very much like a common earth worm—those long wiggling things that you dig out of the ground when you go a-fishing. Mrs. Fant, however, thought it might be one of those "cabbage snakes," about which the newspapers had a good deal to say some months ago, and sent it to The Daily Mail office.

While the reptile was being examined by the snake editor, W. T. W. Harrison came along. He said he wasn't sure, but he thought it might be a cabbage snake. He couldn't understand why a fishing worm should be found in a cabbage head.

Just at this time, as good luck would have it, Editor R. T. Jaynes, of the Keowee Courier, who was in the city on business yesterday, came up. Mr. Jaynes was the original discoverer of the cabbage snake and is regarded as an authority on the subject.

Mr. Jaynes said the thing found in Mrs. Fant's cabbage was not a genuine cabbage snake, but that it was probably an earth worm, or something close akin to it. A cabbage snake, Mr. Jaynes says, is nearly transparent, and can hardly be distinguished from the white leaves of the cabbage head.—Anderson Mail, October 3d.

A Genuine Cabbage Snake.

The cabbage snake is not a myth. It is a reality. Mrs. J. C. Sullivan, who lives at the Cox mills, sent to The Daily Mail office yesterday a reptile that answers to the description of cabbage snakes given in The Keowee Courier and other authorities. It was a worm about six inches long and not larger than a common knitting thread. It was nearly white in color, in fact just the color of the inner leaves of a cabbage head. It is said that these snakes are sometimes found in cabbage heads and that cooked with the cabbage and eaten they are poisonous. The snake is on exhibition in a bottle in The Daily Mail office, where the curious may see it.—Anderson Mail, October 9th.

The Presbyterian Church, North, is calling for five hundred young men to recruit its ministry.

The corn crop is standing right by the present administration. The West alone will produce 2,000,000,0000 bushels.

At the next meeting of the State Board of Education the matter of the standard of the colleges of this State will come up for discussion.

It is said there have been fifteen killings in Saluda county, in eight months. Breathitt county, Kentucky, will have to look to its shooting laurels.

Annoucement was made Friday of a gift of $25,000 to the University of North Carolina by Judge W. P. Bynum, of Charlotte, as a memorial to his grandson.

Dr. P. H. Mell of Clemson College is making preparations to get out a bulletin of the proceedings of the recent Farmers' Institute. When completed it will be a very valuable pamphlet.

At Louisville, Ky., Sunday negroes attacked a party of young white men, members of the boat club, while they were sailing on the river. When the boat was tied up a fight ensued, and one of the negroes killed Robert D. Burdine, a well known young man.

The lawyer who wants to bully-rag a witness makes a mistake when he picks out a newspaper man for his victim. The pencil pushers "see the wheels go round." They gaze at the inside of things. What is there in a lawyer to awe them?—Columbia Record.

Senator Russell A. Alger, of Michigan, has been sued for $5 for failure to cut the weeds on property he owns in Kansas City. The law provides that non-resident property owners must keep their real estate holdings clear of weeds or pay the city for having it done.

Governor Heyward has commissioned and granted power of attorney to W. Boyd Evans, of Columbia, and Adrian Sezer, of Washington, who will look after South Carolina's claims against the United States government contracted during the Spanish-American war.

The friends of Rev. Jas. E. Grier will deeply regret to learn that he was stricken with paralysis last week in Philadelphia, where he is under treatment at a hospital. He is the able pastor of the Central Methodist church of Spartanburg. Since the foregoing was put in type Mr. Grier has died.

Lee Hardin, the negro night watchman at the Victor Oil Mill, at Yorkville, put his pistol to the forehead of Belle Hardin, a negro woman staying in a house near the mill Monday between 9 and 10 o'clock, and pulled the trigger. The woman is dead. Both parties were drunk. They had a quarrel as a result of the woman's refusal to yield to Hardin's wishes. The murderer has not yet been arrested.

Tillman's attorneys might as well try to split a sweet gum log with a wet dishrag as try to rattle Gus Kohn. He ranks too high in the fourth estate to be bothered by any lawyer's gad-fly methods. A marble statue has no more composure than Kohn. The Record will bet a dollar to a doughnut that Kohn enjoyed his tilts as a witness with lawyers Croft and Nelson much more than they did.—Columbia Record.

Major Gen. Corbin, adjutant general of the army, is to be assigned to the command of the department of the East, with headquarters at Governor's Island, N. Y. Gen. Corbin will assume command of the department at once. An order has been prepared directing Gen. Chaffee to take station in the war department for the purpose of familiarizing himself with the duties of chief of staff, which he will become when Gen. Young retires in January.

Low Rates to the State Fair.

On account of the South Carolina State Agricultural and Mechanical Fair the Southern Railway will sell tickets from all points in South Carolina to Columbia and return at rate of one first-class fare, plus 75 cents, which includes one admission to the fair grounds. Tickets on sale daily October 24-29 inclusive, and for trains scheduled to arrive in Columbia prior to noon of October 30, limited to return until November 2. For full information, schedules, etc., apply to any local agent of the company or R. W. Hunt, Division Passenger Agent, Charleston, S. C.

UNCLE SAM'S DAILY BALANCE.

It Accumulates at the Rate of $2.21 a Second.

That the cost of the Government is daily increasing, and that, in spite of this increasing cost, the United States is able, after paying every bill, to put aside more cash each night at the close of business than it did on the corresponding day last year or the year before that, are easily demonstrated by an analysis of the daily balance sheet issued by the Secretary of the Treasury.

One of the clever statisticians of Washington took the statement of September 16 last, which was typical of the whole series of the fall season, and made some interesting deductions. The statement, which sets forth the transactions of an ordinary day, shows that the total receipts of the government from all sources for that day were $2,020,836.55, and that the total expenses of that day were $1,830,000, thus leaving a balance of receipts over expenditures in the treasury of $190,836.55. In other words, the government collected nearly $200,000 more than it had any immediate need for. The collections for the day were at the rate of $84,201.52 an hour for the twenty-four hours, which means that every minute there poured into its strong boxes from the pockets of the people $1,403.36, or $23.39 a second.

On the same day the United States paid out on average every hour $76,250 in order to keep the wheels of government going. Expressed in another way, the expenses for the government for the day by minutes were $1,270.75, or $21.18 a second. As the collections for the same second were $23.39, it is shown that the government's profits for the day were at the rate of $2.21 per second.

The source of greatest income on this particular day was from customs collections levied under the tariff act. They totaled for the day $1,131,878.59. This is at the rate of $47,167.60 an hour, or $786.00 a minute, or $13.10 a second. While collecting tariff duties at the rate of $13.10 a second, the government at the same time was collecting internal revenue taxes at the rate of $8.76 a second, the total receipts for the day from that source being $756,933.72. From miscellaneous sources there was collected during the day $132,024.24.

On the corresponding day last year the receipts from all sources were $1,331,440.40, with expenses of $1,160,000. Collections for the corresponding day last year were at the rate of $15.41 a second and expenditures averaged for that day $13.42 a second, the profits to the government on the day's transactions being only $1.99 a second, against $2.21 a second on September 16, 1903.

The item of greatest cost, as shown by the statement under review, was credited to "war"—merely a convenient term used by the treasury's book-keepers to indicate the total expense of the war department for that day. The exhibit shows that there was disbursed on account of "war" on September 16, $720,000, and on the same day the navy cost the nation $570,000. Pension payments for the day were $300,000, thus making the total expenses of the government on account of war and the necessary equipment to carry it on $1,590,000.

While of course an enormous amount of money is paid out every day in expenses, the government, as has been shown, is making a profit of $2.21 a second on its daily transactions. If this is kept up long enough it will have in its exchequer all the money in the nation.

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Don't Put Ox in Ditch.

Isn't it strange that some people's ox never gets in the ditch only on Sunday? Is it right for a farmer to do other work during the week and postpone the stacking of hay and fodder till Sunday and then do it ostensibly in order to save them? Emphatically, no. Then, is it right to make repairs on engines or other machinery on Sunday so as not to lose time by stopping the machinery during the week? Emphatically, no. We have heard of the latter being done not a thousand miles from Edgefield. Holy writ enjoins: "Remember the Sabbath to keep it holy." "Be not deceived, God is not mocked." Working by design on Sunday in order to economize time is like saving at the spigot and wasting at the bung.

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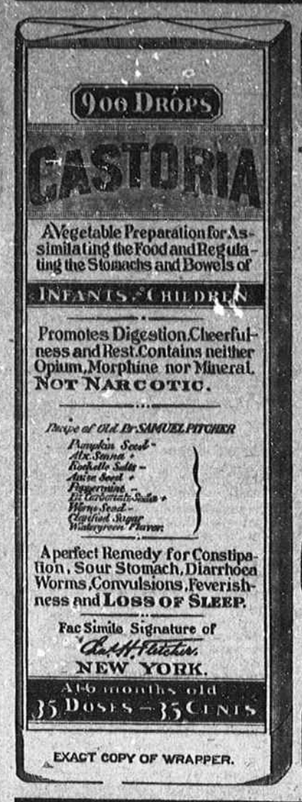
Gen. Bradley T. Johnson, of Baltimore, died on the 5th instant, in the 74th year of his age. He was a gallant officer in the Confederate army.



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LAND FOR SALE.

I DESIRE to sell, at private sale, the following valuable farming lands, to wit: All that piece, parcel or tract of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Oconee, State of South Carolina, on waters of Little River, containing two hundred and fifty acres, more or less, adjoining lands of Mrs. M. E. Hunnicutt, Mrs. L. E. Knox, P. A. Brown and others. There are about seventy acres in a high state of cultivation, also good tenant houses, splendid water-power; well timbered, convenient to good schools and churches. Located on rural mail route. For more particular description, terms, etc., call on or write

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Treasurer's Tax Notice.

Office of Treasurer of Oconee County,
Walhalla, S. C., September 30, 1903.

In accordance with an act to raise supplies for the fiscal year commencing January 1, 1903, notice is hereby given that the office of Treasurer of Oconee county will open for the collection of taxes for said fiscal year from Thursday, October 15th, until December 31. Rates per cent of taxation are as follows:

State tax	5 mills.
Ordinary County tax	4½ mills.
Constitutional school tax	3 mills.
Special tax for roads	1½ mills.
Special tax for C. H. and Jail	½ mill.
Total levy	15 mills.

Special School Levies.

District No. 3	2 mills.
District No. 5	2 mills.
District No. 6	3 mills.
District No. 10	2 mills.
District No. 17	6 mills.
District No. 35	2 mills.
District No. 36	2 mills.
District No. 75	2 mills.

A poll tax of one dollar per capita on all mail citizens between the ages of 21 and 60 years, except such as are exempt by law, will be collected.

A commutation road tax of one dollar will be collected at the same time as other taxes from all mail citizens between the ages of 18 and 50 years, except such as are exempted by law. Unless said tax is paid by the 31st of December, 1903, four days' work upon the public highways will be required under a contractor.

Taxes are payable only in gold and silver coin, United States currency, National Bank notes and coupons of State bonds which become payable during the year 1903.

Parties desiring information by mail in regard to their taxes will please state the location of their property and enclose postage for a reply, and those paying taxes by check must include the charges for collecting. J. R. KAY,

Treasurer of Oconee County, S. C.
September 30, 1903. 39-40

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BETWEEN BELTON AND WALHALLA.

Time Table No. 3.—In Effect June 28, 1903.

	A M	P.M.	P.M.	PM	PM
Lv Walhalla	8 55	....	....	3 10	....
Lv West Union	8 40	....	....	3 15	....
Ar Seneca	8 58	....	....	3 45	....
Lv Seneca	....	1 30	....	5 20	....
Lv *Jordania Junction	9 00	1 32	....	5 24	....
Lv *Adams	9 14	1 46	....	5 44	....
Lv *Cherry	9 17	1 49	....	5 48	....
Lv Pendleton	9 25	1 56	....	6 01	....
Lv *Autun	9 32	2 03	....	6 14	....
Lv *Denver	9 39	2 10	....	6 26	....
Lv *West Anderson	9 55	2 22	....	6 46	....
Ar Anderson—PassDep	10 00	2 27	....	6 55	....
Lv Anderson—PassDep	....	2 45	2 45	7 20	....
Lv *Anderson—PrtDep	10 03	2 48	2 48	7 23	5 00
Ar Belton	10 25	3 10	3 10	7 50	5 30
WESTBOUND—	11	9	5	7	3
	PM	AM	AM.	AM	PM
Lv Belton	3 25	10 45	10 45	....	9 15
Lv *Anderson—Prt't De	3 50	11 05	11 05	....	9 40
Ar Anderson—Pass De	3 55	11 07	11 07	....	9 42
Lv Anderson—Pass De	4 00	....	....	10 20	....
Lv *West Anderson	4 05	11 11	11 10	10 26	....
Lv *Denver	4 18	11 21	11 21	10 41	....
Lv *Aut