

YORKVILLE ENQUIRER FOR 1905.

\$1.75 to Subscribers in Clubs and Valuable Premiums to Clubmakers.

THE CONTEST IS OPEN TO EVERYBODY.

Babcock Buggy Worth \$85 to the Maker of the Largest Club and a Yorkville Buggy, Valued at \$65 to the Maker of the Second Largest Club.

EVERY CLUBMAKER TO BE PAID FOR HIS WORK.

IN pursuance of the liberal policy it has always pursued along this line, THE ENQUIRER begs leave to make announcement of its annual premium proposition to clubmakers, beginning OCTOBER 15, 1904, and coming to a close on MARCH 15, 1905, at 6 o'clock p. m.

WHAT A CLUB IS. The price of THE ENQUIRER to a single subscriber is \$2.00 per annum. That is the charge except where the name comes in through a clubmaker. From clubmakers, acting as agents of the subscribers, names are received at \$1.75 PER ANNUM. Two or more names sent in by the same individual subscription price will be accepted at the reduced rate.

TO CLUBMAKERS. Our proposition involves a competitive contest, in which the makers of the two largest clubs receive rewards far out of proportion to the work they are likely to do. A subscription paid for by clubmakers will be as heretofore, extremely liberal. It is our desire to see to it that all who are kind enough to help extend the circulation of THE ENQUIRER receive substantial tokens of appreciation and consequently there are no blanks.

NEW SUBSCRIBERS. In order to afford the clubmakers greater facility in introducing the paper to new subscribers, we agree to send such subscribers the paper from the date of such entry of their names until January 1, 1906, at the price of one year's subscription, namely, \$1.75.

THE FIRST PREMIUM. To the clubmaker returning and paying for the largest number of names under the conditions herein set forth, we will give a FIRST CLASS BABCOCK TOP BUGGY, worth \$85, which Messrs. Mann & Allison have the exclusive agency in York county.

THE SECOND PREMIUM. To the clubmaker returning the second largest number of names under the conditions herein set forth we will give one of the BEST TOP BUGGIES made. This buggy sells for \$65 and is equal to any buggy to be had at the price on this or surrounding markets. It is fully protected by the guarantees of the Yorkville Buggy Company.

OTHER OFFERS. For Four Names. A "Yankee" Watch, a Stylographic Fountain Pen or a Three-Bladed Pocket Knife of good quality; or a 15-String Zither.

For Five Names. A year's subscription to either one of the following Magazines: McClure's, Ladies' Home Journal, Munsey, Argosy, Cosmopolitan, Delicatore, Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly, or either of the following: "Champion" Stenain Pen, a four-bladed Pocket Knife.

For Six Names. An "Eclipse" Stem Winding Watch, King Repeating Air Rifle, a year's subscription to the Christian Herald; or a 22-String Zither.

For Eight Names. An Ingersoll "Triumph" Watch, a Daisy Repeating Air Rifle, works like a Winchester—a fine Razor or a Pocket Knife, a Rapid Writer Fountain Pen—plain case; or a Hopf Model Violin or an 8-inch Banjo.

For Ten Names. One year's subscription to THE ENQUIRER, a Hamilton 25-calibre Rifle—model 11; the Youth's Companion one year, or a gold mounted Fountain Pen; a good Banjo, Violin or Guitar.

For Twenty Names. Crack-Shot Stevens Rifle, a 10-ounce Canvas Hunting Coat, a No. 1 Ejector Single Barrel Breech-Loading Shot Gun, the Century or Harper's Magazine.

For Thirty Names. Either of the following: A Single Barrel Hammerless Shot Gun; a fine 4x4 Kodak, a fine Toilet or Washstand Set, or a Hopkins & Allen Jr., 22-calibre Rifle.

For Forty Names. A fine Mandolin, Guitar or Banjo, a New York Standard Open Face Watch, W. Richards Double Barrel Breech-Loading Shot Gun, or a Low Arm Singer Sewing Machine.

For Fifty Names. A Winchester or Colt's Repeating Rifle, 22-calibre; or a Baker Double Barrel Breech-Loading Gun.

For Ninety Names. A Batavia Hammerless Gun, 12-gauge, furnished by H. & D. Folsom Arms Co. of New York. A first-class gun and fully guaranteed.

SEVEN CLUBS. We will arrange to furnish any special article desired by a club-maker for a given number of names on application to this office.

TIME TO BEGIN. The time for clubmakers to begin work in competition for the foregoing offers is RIGHT NOW. Let all names, whether old or new, be returned as rapidly as secured, so they may be properly entered upon our books.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS. Two Six Months Subscribers at \$1 each will be considered the equivalent of one yearly subscriber at \$1.75, and so counted. A subscription paid for two or more years in advance at \$1.75 will be counted as one name for each year so paid.

Persons who commence making clubs will be permitted to transfer their club to another clubmaker's list after the names have been entered on our books.

It is not necessary that the names on a club should be at the same post-office. Names may be taken at any number of places.

All subscriptions must be forwarded to us at the expense of those sending them. We will be responsible for the safe transmission of money only when sent by draft, registered letter or money order drawn on the Yorkville post-office.

In sending names, write plainly, and give postoffice, county and State. All subscriptions will be discontinued after the expiration of the time paid for.

A separate list will be kept for each clubmaker, who will be credited with each name as it is received. The number sent by any clubmaker may be ascertained at a moment's notice.

In case of a tie for either premium, two weeks will be allowed in which to work off the tie.

The time in which names may be returned, under our propositions will commence NOW and expire at 6 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, the 15th day of March, 1905.

After the closing of this contest on March 15, 1905, no single yearly subscription will be received for a new issue, and on Thursday at noon, when new clubs are formed.

Inserted at One Dollar per square for the first insertion, and Fifty Cents per square for each subsequent insertion. A square consists of the space occupied by ten lines of this size type.

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SUPERSTITIONS OF INDIANS. The Best Medicine I Have Ever Used. COLUMBIA, S. C., Nov. 10, 1902. Gentlemen: I have suffered a long time from chronic liver complaint and find that Dr. James' Iron Blood and Liver Tonic gave me more relief than anything I have ever used. I recommend it to all who suffer from constipation. Yours truly, J. S. SHEPARD. For Sale by the York Drug Store.

Just the Thing for Weak, Pale Children. COLUMBIA, S. C., Nov. 2, 1902. Dear Sirs: I have been giving Dr. James' Iron Blood and Liver Tonic to my little daughter. She was pale and weak and had no appetite. She has been benefited by your tonic a great deal, and is much stronger, eats well, and looks healthier. I cheerfully recommend Iron Blood and Liver Tonic as a splendid medicine. Yours truly, J. H. HANDCOCK, No. 19 S. Sumter St. For Sale by the York Drug Store.

The Best All-Around Tonic—Can't Be Beat. COLUMBIA, S. C., Nov. 28, 1902. Gentlemen: I have taken one bottle of Iron Blood and Liver Tonic, and I have just bought the second bottle. It has done me a great deal of good; I am stronger and feel better in every way, my appetite is good, and I digest my food. As an all round tonic, Dr. James' Iron Blood and Liver Tonic can't be beat. Yours, W. A. TAYLOR, Columbia, S. C. For Sale by the York Drug Store.

WATCHES. If you want to buy a WATCH, either in nickel, silver, gold filled or solid gold case, you will find it to your best interest to see me before you buy. I can furnish you any grade of American Waltham or Elgin movement, or any grade of the cheaper movements. Every watch I sell is sold exactly on its own merits. It is represented as being just what it is without misrepresentation of any kind. If you want a real fine watch—one of the accurate to a second kind—I can furnish just what you want in a case to suit you. If you want a very cheap watch to give to your boy I can also furnish that, as I have them from NINETY CENTS up to \$100.

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J. J. KELLER & CO. O. E. Wilkins, W. I. Witherspoon, President. The sun shines brightest to those who have put aside some money for an emergency—a fund that is at their demand at any time.

The First National Bank of Yorkville. Offers you a safe place for this fund. R. C. ALLEIN, Cashier.

WE sell Bank Money Orders—good everywhere.

World's Fair, St. Louis via SOUTHERN RAILWAY BEST LINE, CHOICE of ROUTES, through Pullman Sleepers and DINING CARS. Low Excursion Tickets on sale from YORKVILLE as follows: SEASON TICKETS - \$36.10 SIXTY DAY TICKETS - \$30.10 FIFTEEN DAY TICKETS - \$24.65 For full information or World's Fair Literature apply to any Agent, Southern Railway, or R. W. HUNT, Division Passenger Agent, CHARLESTON, S. C.

Miscellaneous Reading. IN COUNTIES ADJOINING. News and Comment Clipped From Neighboring Exchanges. CHESTER. Lantern, November 1: Mr. James Kilgo of DeWitt, and Miss Rhoda Minors of DeWitt, were married Sunday night, Oct. 16th, at the residence of Rev. J. H. Yarborough. On Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 28th, Mr. Oscar A. Jordan and Miss Mayme Ferguson, from near Rodman, were married. The impressive and solemn ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Yarborough. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Jordan, accompanied by relatives and friends drove to the home of the groom, where a most delightful reception was held. Mrs. Bettie Howze of Rodman, and Mr. Mann of Louisville, Ky., were married Wednesday, Oct. 26th, by Rev. J. H. Yarborough. Court was called yesterday morning, but owing to the crowd and confusion in town on account of the circus, it was deemed prudent to suspend until this morning. Judge Watts did not think it necessary to make a charge to the grand jury at this term. The case of Lewis Williams for housebreaking and larceny was called and he pleaded guilty and went to the chain-gang for one year. The case of Henry Boulware for assault and battery with intent to kill is now on trial. Rev. and Mrs. Hay of Clover, passed through this morning on their way home from a visit in Winstonsboro. Mrs. Alice Lackey received a message that her daughter, Mrs. Daisy Chalk Estes of Winston county, Miss., was dead. She left Chester county about five years ago and was married to a Mr. Estes some two years ago. She was aged about 21 years and was the daughter of the late B. P. Chalk. Mrs. W. B. Stroup and twin sons, Mack and Clarence, of Clover, went home Saturday, after spending a few days with her brother, Mr. J. F. Oates. Miss Ethel Latimer of Yorkville, was in the city Saturday on her way to DeWitt to teach school. Mrs. B. P. Howe and baby, of Yorkville, who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. R. L. Howe, left for Rock Hill this morning. Miss Mary Lou Culp went to Charlotte Saturday to attend their family reunion, which was a celebration of the birthday of their father, Mr. J. B. Culp. Mrs. N. E. Pressley of Tampico, Mexico, came up from Winstonsboro Saturday morning to visit friends in the city. Dr. R. D. Alexander and little daughter, Mary and Miss Alice Craig of Yorkville, came down yesterday to see the circus and visit relatives.

LANCASTER. Ledger, Nov. 2: Mr. John N. Nelson of the Unity section will celebrate his 88th anniversary next Saturday, 5th instant, with a basket picnic at his home to which all his relatives and friends are invited. For some years it has been his custom to celebrate his birthday in this way and to have a sermon preached on the occasion. Rev. J. M. White will preach on the occasion this year at Mr. Nelson's home. Rev. S. A. Weber, D. D., will preach in the Methodist church here Sunday morning and night. Railroad Commissioner Caughman was here Saturday investigating the condition of the Bear creek trestle on the Southern road which was recently reported unsafe by the grand jury on Oct. 25. Married on Sunday last, Oct. 25, by Rev. R. J. Blackmon, at the home of the officiating minister Mr. J. Hampton Horton of the White Bluff section and Miss Mary Jackson of Terrebonne Parish, La. Coroner Caskey closed the inquest in the case of J. W. Morrison, the man recently lynched at Kershaw, on Friday afternoon last. The jury was unable to get any testimony implicating any one and returned a verdict to the effect that Morrison came to his death at the hands of parties unknown to the jury. Invitations have been issued to the marriage of Mr. Jesse B. Roddey, brother of our townsmen, Messrs. L. P. and E. B. Roddey, to Miss Sallie Wiles daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence S. Wiles of Columbia. The marriage will take place Wednesday, Nov. 9th, at 8.30 p. m. Mr. Geo. F. Ferguson of Elgin, had the misfortune of losing his barn, stables, \$250 worth of seed cotton, about 150 bushels of corn, a quantity of hay and about 8,000 bushels of fodder last Sunday night by fire. The cause of the fire is not known. It may have originated from rats and matches. Mr. Ferguson says that he hasn't an enemy in the world that he knows of and is loth to believe that any one could have set it afire. His loss is fully \$1,800 or \$2,000, with not a cent of insurance. Mrs. Zilla Eobertson wife of Mr. John H. Robertson of Pleasant Hill, and a daughter of the late John Truesdel, died last Monday, Oct. 31, after a protracted illness. She was about 60 years of age, a member of the Methodist church and an estimable Christian lady. Her remains were interred yesterday afternoon at Salem cemetery after funeral services conducted by her pastor, Rev. J. Marion Rogers. She was an aunt of Sheriff J. P. Hunter and Messrs. J. F. and I. T. Hunter of this place. The two former went to Heath Springs yesterday to attend the funeral.

CHEROKEE. Gaffney Ledger, Nov. 1: The work of shipping the carpet mill machinery to Toronto, Canada, has about been completed, and the last of it was loaded Friday or Saturday. Arthur Hopper, who has been confined to his bed for about nine weeks, is thought to be improving some. The water in Broad river is the lowest that it has been for years. Where the Southern railroad bridge spans the river, between Gaffney and Blacksburg, the dry sand extends nearly to the middle of the river on the far side, and the bottom can be seen at almost any place where the water is usually several feet deep. The water in the river at Howell's ferry is too low for the ferry boat to run all the time, and consequently very little crossing is done there now. We need a bridge very badly at that place. The business of the country demands it. More than

one hundred thousand dollars is spent for whisky in this county every year. In return we get \$14,000 towards our taxes and the school fund. Would it not be better to pay that \$14,000 direct and keep the remainder in our pockets? We would keep here one hundred dollars a year that now goes to the distillers of other states. From a financial point of view we would be a great deal better off. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gofforth were pained to learn of the death of their little girl Saturday night, after a short illness with membranous croup. The remains were buried yesterday at Mt. Paran church. GASTON. Gastonia Gazette, Nov. 1: Miss Lottie Blake went to Rock Hill last night to spend several days. While away, she will spend some time in the library of Winthrop college acquainting herself minutely with its methods of operation. Mr. William E. McArthur died at his home last Friday night after an illness of one hour. He had attended to his usual duties during the day and went to bed at his usual hour and apparently in his usual health. About nine o'clock he complained of being cold. In spite of the ministrations of Mrs. McArthur, his chilliness grew worse. Noticing that his speech was falling, she called some of the neighbors and also summoned a physician. When Dr. Reid arrived he found the patient beyond help. He was dead within an hour after he was first taken sick. Death was attributed to a spasm caused by kidney disease. Mr. McArthur leaves a wife, but no children. He was the only brother of Mr. S. E. McArthur, who alone survives of that family. On the 15th of last June Mr. McArthur was 51 years of age. He was a member of the Presbyterian church in Gastonia. After services at the residence conducted Saturday morning by Dr. J. C. Galloway, the body was laid to rest in the family burial ground at Olney. Mrs. Kate Hovis, wife of Mr. M. Hovis of Stanley, accidentally fell today and broke her arm. Mrs. Hovis is advanced in years and the injury sustained is quite painful to her. Mr. Martin Sample is at home from Tennessee. He is spending a month's vacation at Mr. J. R. Henderson's near Union. As noted a few weeks ago, he lost his arm in a railroad accident, on account of a defective brake rod. He has about recovered from the effects of amputation, and will return to the company's employ when his vacation is over. Invitations were issued yesterday by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Whitesides to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Janie Whitesides, to Rev. George W. Hanna on Tuesday, November 16th. The wedding will be celebrated in the A. R. P. church at 9.30 in the morning. The bride-to-be is one of Gastonia's prettiest and most accomplished young ladies. She is a graduate of Due West Female college, and taught one session in the Gastonia graded school. The groom-elect is a rising young minister of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church and is the pastor of a church of that denomination in Little Rock, Ark. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hanna of Gastonia. Mr. Hanna is a graduate of Erskine college and Erskine Theological Seminary at Due West. This is his first year in the active ministry. Mr. John M. Teague, a well known young man of Lowell, died at his home there Saturday morning at six o'clock after a three weeks' illness of typhoid fever. Deceased was a son of the late Mr. William Teague who died last August. He is survived by his mother, six brothers and one sister. One brother, Mr. Martin Teague, is postmaster at Lowell. The funeral was held at the home Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock and was largely attended. Rev. J. A. Hoyle, pastor of the Lowell Baptist church, of which the deceased was a member, conducted the funeral services. After the funeral the body was taken to Bethesda church for interment, the burial services being conducted by the Jr. O. U. A. M., of which order he was a member. This year the cotton crop of Gaston will be about 8,500 bales. The baleage last year was 9,941 bales.

THREE VALUABLE WORDS. A Lawyer Charged \$10,000 Fee for Them. It has been said on good authority that the highest price ever paid for a writing was given a lawyer in this immediate vicinity. A certain railroad company had lost enormous sums of money through damage suits instituted by those injured in grade crossing accidents. This company had been most particular in the matter of erecting signs at each crossing, but jury after jury decided that they were of small moment, since the warning they conveyed was to "lookout for the cars" or "look out for the engine," and in almost every instance it was conclusively proved that the damage was caused by that part of the train not mentioned! So in desperation the railroad commissioned a lawyer of wide repute to compose a sign that would "hold" in court. After some days the following sentence, written on a large sheet of paper, came from the man learned in the law: "Stop, look and listen."

Following this came a bill for \$10,000. So when you hear some long tongued individual boasting about the dollar a word Mr. Kipling gets, or the surprising sum paid Richard Harding Davis for articles describing the war he didn't see, dismiss the being as a dealer in ant-hills, for the lawyer aforementioned got a check for the amount named, and so far as history enlightens us, no one ever before received so much as \$2,500 a word. Before the end of a year the lawyer was informed by the president of the road that the new sign had saved many times its cost. And the point I am especially desirous of making in regard to this sign is its immense value to men and women generally, not only in the matter of saving life and limb, but in the higher sense of getting out of life all there is in it. Stop, look and listen. How many of us do any one of these three? We rush, are blind and close our ears. Then we sue the world for damages. Do we get them?—Philadelphia North American.

A PLEASANT STORY.—A pleasant story about Andrew Carnegie was brought from Scotland last week by a tourist. "At Skibo Castle," the tourist said, "Mr. Carnegie had during the summer a beautiful rose garden. There were thousands of red and white and yellow roses always blooming there, and the villagers were free to saunter in the garden paths to their hearts' content. "One day the head gardener waited upon Mr. Carnegie. "Sir," he said, "I wish to lodge a complaint." "Well?" said the master. "Well, sir," the gardener began, "I wish to inform you that the village folk are plucking the roses in your rose garden. They are denuding your rose trees, sir." "Ah," said Mr. Carnegie gently, "my people are fond of flowers, are they, Donald? Then you must plant more."

Humorous Department. The Decoy Half Crown. John Percival, Bishop of Hereford, attended the International Peace congress in Boston. A lifelong friend of the prelate's said of him with a smile: When Dr. Percival lived in Birmingham he went one Sunday to preach in a village on the Humber. "The village church was small, and only one person was needed to take up the collection. This person, an aged man with an intelligent face, passed up and down the aisles with the collection basket, and at the end, came into the chancel and advanced to lay the money on the sacrament table. As he came forward with his back to the congregation he did a dreadful thing. From the collection, which was unusually generous, he took a silver half crown, and this coin he slipped quietly into his pocket. "No one had seen him but Dr. Percival. Dr. Percival was horrified, but he said nothing. As he preached the perfidious old man sat and listened with a righteous air. The minister could scarcely refrain from denouncing him. "At the sermon's end the old man was the first to offer his congratulations. "An excellent sermon, sir," he said. "The people of Birmingham are to be envied." "I wish to speak to you," said Dr. Percival. "I wish to see you alone. Wait for me." "The old man waited, and after the little church had emptied itself, Dr. Percival said: "I saw you take a half crown from the collection basket. Why did you do it?" "The old man smiled. "Is that what was worrying you, sir?" he said. "Well, make your mind easy. That half crown has done duty this many a year. I keep it to put in the basket first, and then our town's rich men, seeing a poor chap like me put in a half crown, can't for shame give less."