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WEDNESDAY, AUG. 12, 1903.

Those who can't look on the sunny side of life these days must either be terrible old cronkers or confirmed invalids. It's not the sun's fault that you can't look on him.

That very few colored people commit suicide is a fact shown by statistics. Why? A Missouri newspaper thinks it has fathomed the secret. It says that when a negro sits down to brood over his troubles he falls asleep and forgets all about them. Happy faculty!

The monthly report of the chief of the bureau of statistics of the department of agriculture shows the average condition of cotton on July 25 to have been 79.7 as compared with 77.1 on June 25, 1903; 81.9 on July 25, 1902, 77.2 on July 25, 1901, and a ten year average of 84.3.

The supreme court and the circuit judges, sitting en banc, have decided that railroads cannot require a passenger, who failed to purchase a ticket, to pay twenty-five cents in excess of the regular fare, as has been the custom in the past. All that a conductor can collect under the law is three cents per mile.

The encampments of the State militia that are being held this summer are reviving or creating a military spirit that is needed at this juncture. Every town or densely populated community should have a military company. Preparing for war in time of peace often prevents war. Race riots will never occur where an armed body of men can be mobilized on short notice.

Immigration for the fiscal year just ended passed all previous records, nearly a million aliens having come to the United States, most of them being the lowest class of labor from the most undesirable parts of Europe. Of course the American manufacturer must be protected from all possible competition but the American laboring man can expect no protection from cheap labor.

An exchange says that a new bunco game is being worked on unscrupulous merchants throughout the country. A man enters the store, displays a government badge and states that he is in the secret service and on the lookout for counterfeit money. He looks over the cash drawer and invariably finds four or five "counterfeit dollars" which he "confiscates." The whole thing is a fraud.

The recent elections in Texas put two-thirds of the counties of that State under prohibition, and the prospects are that liquor selling will soon be prohibited throughout the State, except, perhaps in one or two large cities. Under local option regulations prohibition seems to be sweeping the South. Whenever the question is voted on the result is almost invariably in favor of prohibition.

A circular issued by the leaders in the Republican party in New Orleans to the white Republicans of the South calls for the abandonment of the party on the ground that the president has so identified himself with negroism that white men cannot belong to it. The circular declares that the party has fallen into the hands of a violent reactionary, naming the president, and cites the lynch with Booker T. Washington, the appointment of Crum as collector at Charleston, and the Indianapolis affair as "negrophilism," and concludes: "No self-respecting southern Republican can longer affiliate with a party that stands for social equality with negroes, it matters not what his views on economic questions are."

A circular of instructions to internal revenue officers and all others concerned has been issued by the commissioner of internal revenue, calling attention to the gross irregularities and violations of law that now exist in the handling and sale of manufactured tobacco, snuff, cigars and cigarettes by jobbers and dealers. A practice generally prevails of exposing these taxable articles for sale separated from the packages bearing the stamps denoting the payment of the internal revenue tax. This, it is said, is a serious violation of the law and regulations, which it is the purpose of the commissioner to remedy. Jobbers and dealers are given until November 1, 1903, to get their stock on hand in order, after which date all manufactured tobacco, snuff, cigars and cigarettes found on the market exposed for sale not protected by the tax-paid stamps will be seized and the holders proceeded against in accordance with law.

Over in Georgia the Legislature is investigating lobbysim, but it is believed it will not amount to much. Lobbyism is a crime, it is true, but as long as there are politics and politicians there will be lobbysim. They go hand in hand together and have existed since the days of ancient Rome. Reforms in this line have been tried time and time again, but what little benefits have been accrued were only temporary.

Sing Anderson's Praise.

The members of the Sumter Guards, the Washington Light Infantry, the Irish Volunteers, the German Fusiliers and the Palmetto Guard, the companies of Charleston's militia that were at the encampment at Anderson, have been making some remarkable statements about the "great time" they had there. They can hardly find words with which to express their sentiments with regard to Anderson people. The officers are also extravagant in their praise of the thriving up-country city.

Capt. H. C. Wohlers, in speaking of the encampment, said yesterday: "The camp was ideally located. The tents were well shaded by giant oaks and the parade ground was smooth and even. The behavior of the troops was almost perfect. They obeyed orders without the least demur and entered into the drill practice with commendable enthusiasm."

"The people of Anderson exerted themselves and did all in their power to render us comfortable. Some of the boys were a little sore on the treatment they received at the hands of a few of the fair maids. I suppose the boys attempted to be social and friendly, and the girls thought they were mashers, and snubbed them; after they became acquainted, though, the troops and the girls of the city were on the best of terms. I think the encampment was a great success."

Capt. Kobson, of the Washington Light Infantry, said: "It is difficult to give any expression of my opinion of the encampment without becoming fulsome and florid. Our stay was most pleasant and profitable. The citizens of Anderson tried themselves and entertained us to the queen's taste. The regulars who were with us greatly assisted in the training of the troops."

Capt. F. S. Foy would take notes while the troops were drilling and point out any weak spots that would show up. The camp was well situated, and everything moved off smoothly.—News and Courier, 10th inst.

In speaking of the return of the Charleston companies, the Evening Post of Monday says: "At several of the armories, notably at the Irish Volunteers' Hall, refreshments had been prepared, and the soldiers had a good time around the tables. The men who did not go on the encampment were anxious to hear the experiences of the men who did, and the latter did not seem to tire of telling the story. There was much to tell. The boys had a novel experience. It was the first time that they had been on a regimental encampment, they had learned a good deal of the practical side of the soldier's life and they had found Anderson and her people pleasant and attractive. The soldiers had cut up franks, as they all will do, and, of course, they had to tell about these things, as well as the dances, card parties, affairs of the heart and other happenings of camp. They were unanimous in declaring that they had a most delightful time. The people were all hospitable and pleasant, and it was their efforts to make the stay of the troops enjoyable; that the militiamen had such a fine time."

Lowndesville News.

Rev. Foster Speer and wife, of Columbia, and G. W. Speer, Esq., of Gaffney, are at home with their parents. Miss Ethel Speer returned a few days ago from a visit to Elberton and other places. Mrs. Brooks Speed and children, of Abbeville, are visiting at Hon. I. H. McCalla's. Mrs. James Frank's and son, of Philadelphia, arrived in town a few days ago to spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hop Baker. Miss Fannie Mae Moorehead is visiting friends and relatives in the County. A series of meetings has just closed in the Baptist Church. The pastor was very ably assisted by Dr. J. L. Vaas, of Greenville. Mr. Earle Allen, of Iron City, Ala., has been visiting his parents. Miss Heard is visiting the family of her uncle, Prof. J. F. Harper. Miss Louise Barber has returned from Knoxville, where she has been attending a summer school. Mrs. Durette Lipscombe and little daughter, of Ninety Six, are in town with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Harper. Mr. Rob Moseley, of Anderson, visited his father's family yesterday. Miss Irene Milam, of Denver, has been spending sometime with Miss Ada Fennel. Miss Jennie and Benlah Todd, of Augusta, are visiting their uncle's family, Mr. J. T. Latimer. Mrs. Alex Gibert and daughters, of Graniteville, have returned home after a visit to the family of Mrs. Gussie Cunningham. Mrs. Brockington, of Kingstree, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. May Latimer. Mrs. W. C. Tennant and children, of Atlanta, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kay. Mrs. Willie Brabham, who has been visiting here, went to Iva Saturday. She will stop here before returning to her home in Augusta. August 10. Vedel.

Programme of District No. 2 of Beverdam Association. The Union Meeting of District No. 2, of the Beverdam Association will meet with the Oakdale Church Saturday before the fifth Sunday in August. 10 a. m.—Devotional exercises, by J. D. Stonelpher. 10.30—Sermon, by Rev. J. R. Earle. Organization. Intermission one hour. 1 p. m.—Verbal reports from Churches, with half hour devoted to discussion of these reports. 2 The Church's mission in the world. (as related to the evangelization of the world, by James Bearden, 2nd as related to the evils of society, by John B. Harris, 3rd as related to our young people, by Geo. Baker. 3 The making of a disciple, by Rev. J. R. Earle. Sunday morning—Sunday School mass meeting, and preaching at 11 by Rev. A. P. Marett. Song service in afternoon. M. C. Barton, A. R. Marett, Committee.

Refined, up-to-date people always want the best. GALLAGHER BROS. are acknowledged as having the best FUGGERS in the South. They do not waste their skill on cheap, fading trash.

Denver Dots.

Gala Week is over. The crowds who attended generally concede that Anderson acquitted herself well in the way she entertained the people. The old veterans of Orr's Regiment are especially loud in their praise of the kindness shown them by the patriotic people of our city. Our people have not forgotten the valiant deeds of these war-worn soldiers in the trying days of the sixties, and delight in doing them honor. The young soldiers of the visiting regiment reacted vividly to the minds of these veterans the days when they, too, were young and full of life and hope—in "Auld Lang Syne."

Mr. J. C. Bowden came in last Saturday from California, where he had been for the past month, on his way to gathering of the fruit on his farm in Colusa County. He reports the fruit crop as not being quite as abundant as it was last year.

Mr. J. J. Jolly and son, of Harmony Grove, Ga., visited Mr. John Jolly's family last week. They returned home last Saturday, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jolly on a short visit.

Mr. Edwin Jolly, who it will be remembered, went to Chattanooga, Tenn., in April, is still there. He is well pleased with the place and people, and the prices paid him as a master mechanic.

The Misses Turner, of Greenwood, are visiting the family of their uncle, J. W. Rothrock. The Sandy Spring Sunday School will picnic at Centerville Mills next Thursday, the 4th. Everybody is cordially invited to come and bring well-filled baskets of eatables.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Miller, of Carneysville, Ga., who have been visiting Mrs. A. E. Brown, at Iva, returned home Saturday. They took in Gala Week and were well pleased with the attractions and improvements of our Electric City. Mr. and Mrs. Miller were formerly residents of this State, and have many friends and relatives in this and adjoining Counties. Incognito.

Townville Notes.

On Aug. 5th Miss Anne Holcombe quietly passed away. She had long been in ill health for quite awhile. The funeral services were conducted at the Presbyterian church. W. D. Giles, of Spartanburg, is visiting relatives at this place. Messrs. Robt. and Eugene Parker, of Iva, spent a few days with J. T. Gaines.

Mrs. Charlie Hodge is spending awhile with her mother, Mrs. Flowers, at Anderson. Mr. and Mrs. M. J. O'Neal, of Anderson, are visiting the family of L. O. Bruce.

Miss Etta Giles is spending awhile with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Singleton, at Mt. Taber. Miss Varina Smith is visiting relatives at Anderson this week.

J. V. Johnston, of Abbeville, is spending awhile with home folks. A new son has just arrived at I. T. Galloway's. Quite a number of the Townville people attended Gala Week at Anderson. Fanny.

Senator Tillman Not Lost. St. Louis, Mo., August 7.—Senator Benjamin R. Tillman, of South Carolina, remained in St. Louis to-day, and while here he reported at the local offices of various railroads and express companies the loss of a wallet filled with passes, express franks and other money-savers. It was reported that the Senator had been robbed on a train, but he denied the story at the Southern Hotel. "They fell out of my pocket," he said, "and I did not notice it at the time. They were not taken by a pickpocket that I know. One of the passes I lost was over the Burlington Railroad and I guess I dropped it at Kansas city. It was in a pocketbook that had a lot of express company franks and telegraph franks and other railroad passes, and all that kind of stuff. But I had not used the Burlington pass."

Senator Tillman was asked if it was not unusual for him to accept such favors from corporations and he replied: "How can I help accepting them; they stick them at me and stick them at me until I just have to take them. They don't influence my vote. It is different down in our country from what it is up here. You haven't heard of anybody being bought with thousand dollar bills down our way, have you? It's the custom for all public men to accept passes and most of us are slaves to custom." Senator Tillman left tonight to resume a lecturing tour, accompanied by Senator Burton, of Kansas.—Special to News and Courier.

No More Appointments Will Be Made. For some time Gov. Heyward has been receiving letters from persons all over the State seeking his influence in the matter of an appointment to the rank of commissioned officer in the United States army. The requests were forwarded to Washington but the governor yesterday received the following letter which completely destroyed the aspirations of the would-be warriors. Gen. H. C. Corbin writes as follows from Washington: "In reply to your favor I beg to inform you that it is entirely probable that there will be no further appointments of this kind from civil life in the near future, as the large classes that are graduated from the United States Military academy at West Point and the number of legally qualified enlisted men will probably be sufficient to fill all vacancies in this grade."

All enterprising and successful farmers now realize the need of a McCormick Mower and the great saving effected by the use of this excellent machine. If you do not possess one of these machines Sullivan Mow. Co. would be pleased to show you how it would benefit you to have one.

Notice to Creditors. ALL persons having demands against the Estate of Florence Scott Russell, deceased, are hereby notified to present them, properly proven, to the undersigned, within the time prescribed by law, and those indebted to make payment. J. D. McELROY, Executor. July 23, 1903.

An Exhibit of Arts and Crafts.

The South Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs, at its recent convention in Columbia, decided to establish an exhibit of Arts and Crafts for the purpose of stimulating interest in the home industries among the women of the State. This exhibit is to be displayed in every town where there is a Federated Club to take it in charge, and will consist of handiwork of every description—laces, embroidery, basketry, wood-carving, designs of wall paper, etc., woven rugs, carpets, quilts—in fact anything made by the hands of a South Carolina woman. Every effort will be made to create a demand for the work, and orders will be solicited. All women in the State are urged to send samples of their handiwork. It is especially desired through this movement to reach the women of the rural districts, showing the possibilities open to them both as wage-earners and home-makers along these lines—to revive if possible the old-fashioned art of weaving, which, even in its simplest forms is susceptible of excellent results—woven rag rugs, for example, when wrought in artistic designs and harmonious color-schemes, are in great demand and bring high prices. No article will be accepted for this exhibit unless well made and attractive in appearance—exhibitors must also put a reasonable price upon their work. All communications should be addressed to Mrs. T. Fraser James, Chm. A. and C. Com. S. C. F. W. C. Darlington, S. C.

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CITATION.

State of South Carolina, County of Anderson. By R. Y. H. Nance, Judge of Probate Whereas, Mrs. Stella E. Dean has applied to me to grant her Letters of Administration on the Estate and effects of M. A. Dean, deceased, to be and appear before me in Court of Probate, to be held at Anderson, C. H. on the 27th day of August, 1903, after publication hereof, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted. Given under my hand, this 11th day of August, 1903. R. Y. H. NANCE, Probate Judge. Aug 12, 1903

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