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Dr. King's New Medicine for colds, Cold Breaker is now getting in some fine work. It is speedy, safe and sure. The price is only 25c. Convenient packages. Find it at The R. B. Loryea Drug Store.

**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, Clarendon County, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.**

A. I. Barron as Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for said County, as Administrator of the Estate of William H. Dyson, deceased, Plaintiff,

against

Emma S. Nelson, Dorcas Pleasant, Nellie Richardson, Moses Dyson, Eliza Dyson, Elijah Dyson, Jack Dyson, James Richardson and Samuel Pleasant, Defendants.

**NOTICE.**  
Pursuant to an Order of his Honor R. O. Parry, Judge of the Third Circuit, which Order is dated January 23rd, 1905, rendered in the above cause notice is hereby given to all of the creditors of the Estate of William H. Dyson, deceased, to come in and prove and establish their claims for payment within twenty-one days from the date hereof, and upon their failure to do so they will be debarred from any benefit that would arise to them under the above action.

E. B. BROWN,  
Referee named in said Order.  
February 8, 1905.

**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, County of Clarendon, COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.**

Abbie Wilder in her own right and as Guardian ad litem for James Taylor, an infant twelve years of age, Plaintiff,

against

Flander Taylor, Louisa Kingwood, and Henry Taylor, Defendants.

**COPY SUMMONS. FOR RELIEF.**  
(COMPLAINT SERVED.)  
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 undersigned at his office at Manning, in said County, 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 demanded in the complaint.

You are further notified that the Complaint in this action was, on the 11th day of January, 1905, filed in the office of the Clerk of Court of Common Pleas for said county, at Manning, in said county.

Dated January 24, A. D. 1905.  
W. C. DAVIS,  
Plaintiff's Attorney.

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The journalist alone has the privilege of holding the opinion, touching the hearts and appealing to the reason of hundreds of thousands every day. The soldier may wait forty years for his opportunity, most lawyers, most physicians, most clergymen, die in obscurity, but every single day opens new doors for the journalist who holds the confidence of the community and has the capacity to address it.—Joseph Pulitzer.

**Supervisor's Quarterly Report.**

The following Report of Claims approved for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year 1904, showing number, in whose favor, for what purpose, and amount, is published in accordance with the requirements of the law:

No.	NAME AND PURPOSE.	AM'T.
271	W A Neal, clothing for chaingang.	\$ 46 00
272	Manning Hardware Co, supplies chaingang.	25 75
273	W H Hobbs, magistrate's salary.	3 00
274	J E Tobias, bridge work and hauling.	5 50
275	J H Windham, search for convicts.	25 00
276	Charles Thompson, repairing bridge.	1 00
277	The A T Laid Furniture Co, coffin for convict.	5 00
278	T J Stokes, oats for chaingang.	25 15
279	John H Aisbrook, warning hands on road.	3 00
280	B A Johnson, cash paid freight and expenses.	8 86
281	McCauley Boyd, attention to poor.	10 00
282	Dr M D Murray, medical account.	48 75
283	J H Lowder, constable's salary.	18 75
284	J H Lowder, constable's salary.	18 75
285	R H Mellett, salaries chaingang and beef.	65 00
286	C H Broadway, beef for chaingang.	3 39
287	D W Elliott, hay for chaingang.	12 24
288	Hughes Baker, lumber and bridge work.	12 50
289	B T Ridgill, putting down terra cotta.	2 00
290	Chas J Lesesne, clerk's salary.	12 50
291	W H Hobbs, magistrate's salary.	3 00
292	W H Baker, constable's salary.	6 25
293	B A Johnson, supplies chaingang.	\$4 17
294	B A Johnson, supplies for poor.	41 18
295	B P Broadway, paying for lumber and bridge work.	3 25
296	E Elbert Davis, sheriff's jail report.	11 20
297	R H Mellett, magistrate's salary.	35 00
298	J E Haley, work on road.	4 00
299	B F Sports, overseering road.	18 50
300	W R McLeod, supplies to poor.	4 50
301	John Stokes, repairing bridge.	1 00
302	J W Broadway, working road.	25 00
303	S M Youmans, magistrate's salary.	35 00
304	R E McFaddin, Jr, services county commissioner.	21 50
305	Cash Dingle, ditching.	10 00
306	J M Baker, lumber and bridge work.	24 00
307	G D Smith, coroner's salary.	10 00
308	J L Geddings, lumber.	15 00
309	H Harvin, corn for chaingang.	13 00
310	Summerton Hardware Co, implements for road work.	6 30
311	A P Hill, lumber.	20 13
312	A J Richbourg, magistrate's salary.	20 83
313	J F Richbourg, constable's salary.	8 33
314	Chas J Lesesne, clerk's salary.	12 50
315	R H Mellett, salaries chaingang and beef.	70 49
316	E Elbert Davis, constable for night service.	6 00
317	E Elbert Davis, feeding jury.	23 10
318	J E Richbourg, magistrate's salary.	25 00
319	S M Youmans, magistrate's salary.	25 00
320	Larry Barwick, blacksmithing chaingang.	4 50
321	D G Buddin, bridge work.	9 50
322	R George Cassar, bridge work.	3 00
323	D P Turbeville, lumber and hauling.	31 96
324	J Elbert Davis, service of extra jurors.	6 00
325	E F Ridgill, putting in terra cotta.	6 35
326	B P Broadway, lumber and bridge work.	2 00
327	B P Broadway, services county commissioner.	17 00
328	W Scott Harvin, lights for jail.	30 00
329	Thomson Hardware Co, implements for road work.	37 39
330	McCauley Boyd, caring for pauper.	10 00
331	W T Kelley, constable's salary.	6 25
332	C B Bateman, magistrate's salary.	8 33
333	R C Broadway, constable's salary.	6 25
334	R C Broadway, constable's salary.	6 25
335	W H Hobbs, constable's salary.	6 25
336	B A Johnson, supplies to poor.	45 10
337	B A Johnson, supplies chaingang.	72 69
338	R B White, serving bench warrant.	2 30
339	W T Frierson, bridge work.	3 16
340	R L Bell, supplies chaingang.	5 00
341	Worrell Mfg Co, insect exterminator.	10 00
342	E Elbert Davis, constable's arrest.	1 70
343	J Elbert Davis, jail report.	23 20
344	J E Lee, beef for chaingang.	3 00
345	Dickson Hardware Co, cash and supplies chaingang.	15 80
346	J R Sprott, bridge work.	5 00
347	S L Krasnoff, coffins, etc., chaingang.	13 25
348	W H Merion, witness ticket for road work.	3 00
349	W M Lewis, lumber and hauling.	30 13
350	Chas J Lesesne, clerk's salary.	14 50
351	H S Boyd, work for chaingang.	3 00
352	S M Reardon, making and repairing election boxes.	28 25
353	B Bateman, magistrate's salary.	8 33
354	W T Kelley, constable's salary.	6 25
355	R C Broadway, constable's salary.	4 00
356	M D Beard, ditching.	2 00
357	D B Davis, lumber and bridge work.	70 90
358	R H Mellett and others, guards chaingang and beef.	18 30
359	E E McFaddin, Jr, supplies to poor.	3 38
360	R E McFaddin, Jr, services as county commissioner.	19 40
361	S M Youmans, magistrate's salary.	25 00
362	McCauley Boyd, attention to pauper.	10 00
363	Dickson Hardware Co, supplies for election boxes.	8 28
364	M Davis & Co, clothing for pauper.	14 00
365	J E Tobias, repairing bridge.	3 00
366	J E Tobias, repairing bridge.	3 00
367	B A Johnson, supplies to chaingang.	150 34
368	B A Johnson, supplies to poor.	72 20
369	W F Harrington, corn for chaingang.	48 80
370	J Elbert Davis, jail report.	25 00
371	W T Kelley, constable's salary.	6 25
372	W H Baker, constable's salary.	12 50
373	R H Jennings, State Treas, payment on jail loan of \$5,000.	1500 00
374	W A Neal, freight and road machinery.	218 93
375	John O Lowder, overseering road.	2 00
376	J H McKnight, capturing convict.	10 00
377	E J Brown, surveying road.	17 50
378	Wm H Reynolds, medical attention to pauper.	3 00
379	B P Broadway, services county commissioner.	30 00
380	S M Youmans, magistrate's salary.	25 00
381	J A Way, lumber and caring for pauper.	20 40
382	W T Kelley, magistrate's constable.	6 25
383	E J Buddin, road work and lumber.	12 00
384	B W Jenkinson, blankets for jail.	1 00
385	Th W Taylor, conveying prisoner.	36 79
386	Elijah Tomlinson, lumber for bridges.	36 79
387	Chas J Lesesne, clerk's salary and expenses.	12 85
388	R H Mellett, guards and chaingang.	132 50
389	D E Turbeville, lumber and hauling.	29 55
390	R W Wart, lumber and bridge work.	2 50
391	R E McFaddin, Jr, county commissioner and supplies chaingang.	26 80
392	A P Hill, lumber and bridge work.	21 60
393	A L Lesesne, supplies to poor.	6 00
394	J H Garland, corn and oats chaingang.	35 62
395	J Elbert Davis, jail report.	23 80
396	W D Gamble, shelves for chaingang.	5 10
397	J A Aisbrook, hauling lumber and bridge work.	3 25
398	E Elbert Davis, expenses capturing convicts.	14 83
399	R C Broadway, constable's salary.	6 25
400	H B Bateman, magistrate's salary.	8 33
401	L L Wells, books, stationery, etc.	3 15
402	C T Owens, boarding, making tents, etc.	36 00
403	J M Barwick, lumber.	2 55
404	H W Windham, work on road.	2 25
405	H W Windham, rest of lumber and election booths.	3 00
406	White & Dyson, lumber.	14 78
407	Welborn Hilton, lumber and bridge work.	5 50
408	B A Johnson, supplies chaingang.	141 12
409	B A Johnson, supplies to poor.	44 95
410	H Jennings, State Treas, insurance premium court house.	45 00
411	National Drill and Mfg Co, supplies to chaingang.	16 00
412	S J Bowman, part salary.	150 00
413	J H Timmons, part salary, lien book, stationery, etc.	104 83
414	U S Duck Corporation, tent ducking for chaingang.	78 20
415	D W Alderman & Sons Co, oil and lumber.	2 58
416	W H Hobbs, magistrate's salary.	25 00
417	J F Ridgill, repairing bridge and bridge work.	7 50
418	D M Rodgers, supplies to poor.	25 00
419	T C Owens, freight on terra cotta.	55 68
420	W M Brockinton, witness ticket.	7 00
421	W M Lewis, lumber.	12 53
422	J F West, running engine.	34 00
423	T C Owens, county commissioner or other.	12 00
424	Susan E Galloway, purchase price poor farm.	700 00
425	J A Aisbrook, lumber.	26 34

Attest:  
T. C. OWENS,  
Supervisor Clarendon Co.  
E. B. BROWN, Clerk Board.

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Six years ago I had a severe attack of Inflammatory Rheumatism. I was laid up in bed for six months, and the doctors I had did me no good. They changed medicines every week and nothing they prescribed seemed to help me. Finally I began the use of S. S. S. My knee and elbow joints were swollen terribly, and at one time my joints were so swollen and painful that I could not close them when opened. I was so bad that I could not move knee or foot. I was getting discouraged, you may be sure, when I began S. S. S., but as I saw it was helping me I continued it, and to-day I am a sound well man and have never had a return of the disease. S. S. S. purified my blood and cured me of this severe case of Rheumatism after everything else had failed. I have recommended it to others with good results.  
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The poisonous acids that produce the inflammation and pain are absorbed into the blood and Rheumatism can never be cured until these are neutralized and filtered out of the blood and system. S. S. S. goes directly into the circulation and attacks the disease itself. It purifies and restores the blood to a healthy, vigorous condition. It contains no opiates or other strong minerals, but is guaranteed entirely vegetable. (Write us and our physicians will advise with a charge whatever. Our book on Rheumatism sent free.)

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