THE NEW IDEA CO.'S REMOVAL SALE

IS NOW GOING ON IN FULL FORCE.

By the liberal patronage we are getting and the success of our Sale from the begining to this very day proves that the public knows and appreciates genuine bargains. The trade knows that we don't misrepresent by offering articles or anything we cannot produce in goods or prices.

The time is getting limited for our Sale to continue much longer. Our new Store is nearing completion, so don't miss this great opportunity by putting off too long to take advantage of our bargains. Come along, buy up now, such a chance will not happen again very soon. Remember the name and place,

NETTLES' BUILDING **The New Idea Co.'s Removal Sale** MORRIS NESS, Manager.

The Manning Times.

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MANNING, S. C. JAN. 19, 1916

DANDY CUP!

Pure Coffee--
All Coffee!

20c.

Per Pound in One Pound Packages.

LEON WEINBERG

"Everything Good to Eat."

Dont forget to pay your license, it is due now.

Court convenes here on the 24th. Judge Spain presiding.

Read the half page ad., of The Wreck Store in this issue.

Mr. D. B. Jones of Charlotte, N. C., paid us a pleasant call last Monday.

It is rumored that Summerton will have another bank in the near future.

We call special attention to the big ad., of The New Idea Co, in this issue.

If gasoline keeps on soaring it will soon be so high we will be rid of the stink.

Rev. Watson B. Duncan is able to be out again, after a severe spell of la-grippe.

Sheriff E. B. Gamble went to Columbia yesterday to attend the Sheriff's Association.

Mr. Allen Sauls has gone to Winston-Salem, N. C., where he has accepted a position.

Sidney Walker was accidently killed last week at Davis Station by Elliott Dow, both colored.

It is cheaper to pay for your own paper than to wear out shoe leather trotting over to borrow your neighbor's.

Last Wednesday fire broke out in the cotton warehouse at Summerton, but the cotton was gotten out with little damage.

Our charge to the depot to meet all trains has been reduced to ten cents. Whenever you want a car to catch a train ring The Times office.

Governor Manning has vetoed the license on automobile trucks for this county, so that they can continue to play havoc with our roads free.

Died last Thursday morning, Albert, the seventeen months old baby of Mr and Mrs. Dinkins Hicks, and was buried at Oak Grove the following day.

It is rumored that Manning will soon have a fine, up-to-date hotel, one that will do credit to the town, and will attract the attention of the travelling public.

Fire destroyed a building in the yard of Mr. Selwyn Dingle at Summerton last Wednesday with nine bales of cotton and some other things that were in the house.

Mr. Max Krasnoff, after spending the fall in Manning, left this morning for New York, where he will be for several months, looking for bargains for The New Idea Co.

Married at the Kelleham Hotel in Kingstree, Jan. 13th, Mrs Genie Johnson and Mr. H. D Cantley, of Cantleysville. Mrs. Johnson taught in Clarendon for the past two years.

Ex-Governor Cole L. Blerse will address the citizens of Clarendon County in Manning on Friday, February 7th. Governor Blease is coming by special request, and in the evening he will deliver an address to the Woodmen of the World lodge at their annual banquet.

The following is taken from the Columbia correspondence in the News and Courier: Charlton DuRant, the new Senator from Clarendon County, has begun his duties with earnest and promises to become one of the most valuable members of the upper Chamber. He was assigned to membership on the important finance committee along with several other good committee places.

I must require cashiers checks in payment of taxes, I am having trouble in collecting some of the checks given for taxes which forces me to take this step. A 2 per cent penalty will be added to all unpaid tax on the 1st day of February, and a 7 per cent penalty will be added on all unpaid taxes on the 1st day of March. Books close on 15th day of March 1916. L. L. Wells, Co., Treasurer.

To the Street Sanitation Committee. The committee composed of Mesdames C. S. Rigby, Louis Levi, Oliver O'Bryan W. C DuRant F. L Wolfe, Joe Davis, R B. Lyons, Misses Julia Burgess and Lou Huggins, is requested to meet at the court house Friday afternoon, Jan. 21st at 4 o'clock The object of this meeting is to plan the year' work, and it is very important that each member be present. We hope to improve the sanitary condition of the town and feel sure that we will have the co-oparation of the council, the merchants and all the other people. Let us determine to have a neat and attractive town in the year 1916. Mrs. W. C. Davis, Chairman.

State Board of Health
of South Carolina.
Charleston, S. C., Jan. 4, 1916.
Sanitary Water Analysis No. 1511 of Water, from Water Works Department, Manning, S. C.:

	Results in Parts Per Million.
Color	20 00
Chlorine	6.00
Free Ammonia	0.01
Albuminoid Ammonia	0.03
Nitrogen in Nitrates	0 00
Nitrogen in Nitrites	0 00
Total Solids	231.00

Practical Analysis.
Bacterial Indications of Contamination 0.00

Analysis indicate water to be of good quality and free from contamination.
F L. Parker, M. D.

The biggest sale of timber in this section in a long time was consummated a few days ago b the sale of the timber rights on a tract of 965 acres in Clarendon county, near Remn, by Mr. William S. Manning of Spartanburg to a concern organized as the Booth-Parker Lumber Company. Mr. J. P Booth of this city and Messrs T. H. Parker of Dizzell and H. E Parker of Dillon, of the Parker Lumber Company, being the parties interested in the purchase The price paid for the timber was not made known, but Mr. Booth stated that it was a large amount that the company had to pay before they closed the deal with Mr. Manning. The tract is a portion of a larger tract known as "Pineland" and is one of the very few pieces of unbled long leaf pine timber in this section of the state and probably the only tract of its size. The purchasers have a contract to remove the timber in five years, but hope to saw it up in the next two years. It is estimated that there are between twelve and fifteen million feet of lumber in the tract and most of this is of exceptionally good pine timber. Work of sawing the lumber will be commenced in the near future—Sumter Item.

The following officers were installed last Monday evening in Ruth Chapter No. 40 R A. M.

E C. Horton, H. P.
Leon Weinberg, King.
L H. Harvin Scribe
Charlton Dubant, C. H.
W. C Davis, P S.
A I. Barron, Treas
F. L. Wolfe, Sec
T. F Coffey, R A. C
S L Hughes, M 3rd V
S Oliver O'Bryan, M. 2 d V.
W. W. Anderson, M 1st V.
A. J White, Sentinel.

Honor Roll—Sammy Swamp School

For month beginning December 13th 1915, ending January 14th 1916.

Frank Scurry.
Hughie Scurry.
Jessie Scurry.
Inez Scurry
Rufus Thigpen.
Moultrie Thigpen.
Bertha Thigpen.
Beulah Thigpen.
Pearl Thigpen.
Aline Cornett.
Furman Corbett.
Geneva Corbett.
Theo'a Corbett.

Teachers' Meeting.

The next meeting of the Clarendon County Teachers' Association will be held at the court house in Manning on the last Saturday in January, at eleven o'clock

The following program has been outlined: Some Practical Ideas in helping the Child to Reach Out Beyond the Narrow Range of the Text Book—By Mrs. J. K. Breeden.

Different Ways of Creating Community Interest in the School—By Miss Elizabeth Hearon.

Some Dont's for Teachers—By Miss Lida Scarborough.

The Best Ways to Secure Punctual Attendance in the Country School—By Miss Pearl Garner.

Each question will be open for general discussion at the close os each of the assignments.

At this meeting the Field Day program will be decided upon Each teacher will de expected to take an interest in this feature, as it is desired to have a very interesting event in the spring, and we want a program that will suit everybody. Be sure to attend this meeting Do not forget the day, Saturday, January, 29th at 11 o'clock.

E. J Browne,
County Supt. of Education.

Mr. Barrow's Birthday.

New Zion, S C., Route 1.—On January 15th. 1916, fifty-six people met at the home of Mr. Joe Barrow to celebrate his seventy-fourth birthday His children had prepared a bountiful dinner for the occasion. There was a barbecued hog, turkey, cakes, pies and all sorts of good things to eat, which were enjoyed by all present. The children spent the day in playing games and the older people in talking and singing. Mr. Barrow has four children and fifteen grandchildren, all of whom were present except Miss Myrtle DuBose, who was very sick. The following members of the family were present Mr. John Barrow, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Barrow and six children, Mr. and John DuBose and five children, Mr. and Mrs. Peary Barrow and four children Those present outside of the family were Mrs. Hester Rowland and family, Mr. C. Wallace and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Mr. C Barrow and son, Mrs. Julia Thigpen, Messrs. Luther Gentry, Francis Casteen and Charlie Thigpen, and Misses Laura Johnson, Lottie Mercer, Ola Fleming, Pearl Casteen, Laura Welsh, Inez DuRose, Ruth Thigpen and Pearl Garner. Mr. Barrow is enjoying the best of health and it is the wish of his friends that he may live to enjoy many more happy birthdays.

Resolutions.

Whereas, God in his infinite wisdom has seen fit to take from our midst the honored Commissioner of the Clarendon County Pension Board, Capt Daniel J. Bradham, who has served this Board in various capacities for over twenty years, and has given his time and labor to assist his comrades since the war between the States.

And whereas we know that cold words express little to those loved ones left behind, and his old comrades that followed the stars and bars, but this Board, wishing to show its appreciation and love of its worthy member, does therefore resolve.

1st That in the death of Capt. Bradham this Board has lost one of its most zealous and useful members. One who did his duty without fear or favor and and helped his comrades whenever it was in his power to do so.

2nd That this Board extends to the bereaved family its heartfelt sympathy in their great sorrow and affliction

3rd. That a copy of these resolutions be published in the county papers and a copy be sent to the bereaved family

4th. That a page in our minute book be dedicated to his memory.

A J. Richbourg.
J. E Richbourg
William Broadway
J T. Stukes.
Chas. B. Geiger.

Resolutions.

Whereas it has pleased Almighty God to take to Himself our dear friend and sister, Mrs E. G Stukes.

And whereas the Women's Wesley Bible Class, of Bethlehem church, Jordan circuit, mourns the sudden removal of Mrs Stukes from our midst as a great loss to church, Sunday school, and community.

Therefore, be it resolved:

That in the death of Mrs Stukes, our Sunday school has lost a faithful and conscientious worker, one ready for any service, and who ever responded willingly to the call of duty.

That, whether as member of Bible class, or as teacher in the Sunday school, Mrs. Stukes was deeply interested in the study of God's Word, and that she possed those personal qualities which specially fitted her to give religious instruction to the class of little children under her charge.

That, while submissive to the will of the Heavenly Father, who, we are sure, has for wise purposes called our friend home to a brighter and better world, we lament the death of Mrs Stukes, and feel that she will always be remembered and always missed in church and community

That we express our deepest sympathy with the near and dear ones left behind, and the entire family connection, and pray that God Himself may be their comforter, and heal the wound that he has made.

That a copy of these resolutions be published in the county papers.

Miss Helen Malone.
Mrs. R W. Chewning. } Committee
Miss Ada Childers

Methodist Church.

Sunday School 10:30 a. m. Mr. Jos. Sprott, superintendent.

The Wesley Bible Class will meet at the same hour. Hon. Charlton DuRant, Teacher.

Public worship, 11:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.

Epworth League, 4:00 p. m.

Prayermeeting, Thursday 4:00 p. m.

Morning subject: "The Church And Young Men." Evening subject: "What To Do With The Man Who Is Down." This is the topic announded for last Sunday evening, but the pastor found that he had not sufficiently recovered to preach twice on that day.

The public is cordially invited to all services

Dr. Watson B. Duncan,
Pastor.

Notice.

The Books of Registration for the Municipal election to be held on the second Tuesday in April are now open at the office of Davis and Wideman, and will remain open until the first of April.

J. W. Wideman,
Supervisor of Registration.

Mr. Cothran in Kentucky.

Editor Manning Times:—

I want space in your paper to tell my friends something of my whereabouts since leaving Manning. I come direct to Mayesville, Kentucky, got here on 7th of December, market opened up for business the 8th. We did not sell much tobacco during December owing to the fact that the farmers did not have it graded and ready for market.

Since January 1st we have been selling worlds of the weed. We have here eight large tobacco warehouses, some of them the largest tobacco warehouses in the world. We are now having a double set of buyers for each day, and then we block and do not get around in a day selling from two hundred and fifty to three hundred piles on the floor with two seperate sales going on at the same time.

This market alone will sell half as much tobacco as the entire State of South Carolina did in 1915 Kentucky alone sells around 400,000,000 annually, but will fall short this time, possibly 30 to 35 per cent in weight.

Now what I want to get before our people is this, tobacco prices are higher than I ever saw them in this State. And especially is this true with the bright light types of smoking tobacco. I have been in the tobacco business since 1898, and I think we are having the best market for the kind of tobacco that is being offered I ever saw.

I find that not only was South Carolina, North Carolina and Virginia hit hard in a short production in 1915, but that Kentucky, Ohio, West Virginia and Indianna and also Tennessee was effected by the same late spring in 1915, and also by the poor seasons during the growing season.

So reader and tobacco planter, you can observe from reading this that after all it was not so much the kind of guano or fertilizer that we used in South Carolina last year that knocked our production down as was it done to the bad tobacco season which prevailed over the entire tobacco producing country.

Now boys you can take the above for what ever value you put on it, you can have it at par if you want it. But what I want to get before our people now is this, I believe 1916 will be the year to grow bright tobacco in South Carolina. Tobacco for more than a year has been listed as contraband, but a short while back this was lifted, and we now have open shipping facilities to Europe. This no doubt has been a great help towards making better prices. I hope our people will not be disheartened at the prices received 1915 and lose out in this year.

Gentlemen you have your tobacco barns, flues, etc., already bought and paid for. All of you that planted tobacco last year and as many new ones as want to go into it this year, walk right in, roll up your sleeves and take a shot. I am not a prophet, but believe this will be a good year to plant tobacco in South Carolina. I hope our merchants and business men in general from whom our farmers get their fertilizers and supplies will not hesitate to help the boys out. It certainly will not be wise to go crazy over the production of cotton, no farmer should depend upon any one certain crop when he can grow several. Just let the merchant supply more, get it out of his head at once if he has the idea there that everbody should plant all cotton.

You can take the tobacco planter of Clarendon county, and he has made more clear money out of growing tobacco than he ever did King cotton, take it one year with another.

Now Mr. merchant, for your good, and for the good of your country, and for the good of the farmer to whom you furnish supplies from about 1915 and help the man again that wants to plant tobacco as well as cotton. If you die not get any money much out of his tobacco it wasn't his fault, he did not make any tobacco hardly worth gathering. Did you find cotton profitable the fall of 1914, and the country was full of it too. Some one will say I am writing this for my own selfish interest. I am not, I am writing this for the people of our county in general and include myself among them. All the tobacco dealers that had big stocks on hand have unloaded at a profit and will no doubt be on the South Carolina market next summer and help to make our prices good, which I fully expect to see.

I have tobacco seed for distribution free at Home Bank and Trust Co Get your seed, plant plenty of plant land, be sure and select good places on south side of a branch for your beds. Plenty of plants grown in good time for April transplanting is what you should have. You can not grow good tobacco unless you prepare your beds for plants well, and secondly, be sure and prepare your beds well where you intend to transplant your plants, use rested land when you possibly can, tobacco always grows better on rested land.

Here's wishing our people a profitble and successful year.

Respectfully,
R. D. Cothran.

Administrator's Sale.

Pursuant to an Order of J. M Windham, Judge of Probate, I will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the store formerly occupied by B. B. Thompson, at Jordan, S. C., on Thursday the 3rd day of February, 1916. at 11 o'clock A. M., the Stock of General Merchandise belonging to the Estate of the said B. B. Thompson.

S. ARCHIE THOMPSON,
Administrator.

Jordan, S. C, Jan. 18, 1916.

Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly

The Old Standard general strengthening tonic. GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c

Harvin.

The many friends of Rev. Spinks pastor Graham Bap ist church, Brogdon, Sumter county, this State, and his young wife whom he married in Chicago, Ill, more than a year ago, are rejoicing with and congratulating them on their good fortune in securing the admission of their brother, Mr. Arthur Britton, of London, England, into the State Mr. Britton is a cripple, and being a British subject there was considerable trouble in securing his release from the British authorities in St. John, N B. Canada, where he had been detained since the middle of December last, and the full and complete satisfaction of the American immigration authorities in Washington that Mr. Britton had had a legal right to come into the States. At one time during the period of his detention the authorities had Mr. Britton returned to the Allen Steamship Company, Montreal Canada for deportation back to England, but for the timely and urgent solicitations of Dr. Geo. H. Dick of Sumter, their Congressman Lever, and Mr. Ben H. Harvin, of Harvin, to the British authorities, M. Culved American Cousul, St. John N. B, and American Cousul, Montreal Canada, Congressman R. S Whaley, and Hon. B. R Tillman who was most active and persistent in effecting Mr. Brittons release, who is now traveling the land of liberty to see his much distressd sister and brother here, who were formerally British subjects for both Rev. and Mrs W D. Spinks were born in London, England. Previous to his coming to America Rev. Spinks did Missionary work then in Africa, India and China and the Island's of the British possessions in the far Pacific and Indian oceans. He met his wife for the first time in Chicago, although they were both born and lived to manhood and womanhood in London, they had never seen each other to know, until they met in Chicago, where Rev. Spink went to do special study in his chosen profession. Rev Spinks and his wife and their legion officials are so greatful to Senator Tillman, Congressman Lever and Whaley and others for securing the release and admission of their brother to the States, and by this method and otherwise they wish to extend their heartfelt thanks. H

Summrton.

After being silent for the last several weeks and enjoying the good wishos and new years greetings handed out by the editor, I will once again endeavor to give the readers of your valuable paper some of the happenings in and around this City But to report oll the things of interest that take place here among our hustling little city, and her people would require a Summerton department in your paper, and in some mistakable way I might assume the editorship of that department, and being so closely related to George Washington, I would be forced to tell the truth as he did when he cut the cherry tree, and I recently read an article where an editor of some paper was in the hospital for treatment for wounds received at the hands of some fellow that he had told the truth on, and if for any reason I should need any one to vouch for anything I should write about this place I will not hesitate to call on Bill Rhame, or Clark Felder, who are very much of the type of cousin George.

During the good weather of this year, the farmers have done a great deal of work, and the indications are that an increase of cotton acaeage will be planted this year, while at present it looks as though very little fertilizer will be used, and it is not reasonable that even as much cotton will be made in this community as was the past year, unless weather conditions are very favorable, there were about 3200 bales of cotton ginned at this place the past season, about two thiads of the amount usually ginned at this place.

It is rumored that at an early date another Bank will be organized here which will be known as the Merchants and Farmers, or the Peoples Band of Summerton, while we have a Banking Institution here that has quite a good business, yet with the amount of business done here there are thousands of dollars of business which goes to other places that with another Bank will come here, and no one will be hurt and many will be benefitted.

There has been several fires in town during the last six or eight months and it has been thought all the while by some that there was what is usually called a fire bug in town, last Wednesday afternoon a fire broke out in the cotton warehouse here, and the alarm was immediately given and by quick work a number of bales or cotton that was on fire was rolled out of the warehouse and put out with little damage, about the same time Thursday afternoon a fire was discovered in an out building at the yard of Mr. S Dingle, with nine bales of cotton and a number of other things in it, this fire had gained considerable headway and there was nothing to do but let this building burn and save the residence which was done by hard work. Just about this time Mayor Walker told the Chief of Police not to allow any one to go behind the building where the fire started that he was sending for the bloodhounds at Manning, but when the hounds arrived it seemed rather hard to get a trail, but a little colored boy about 12 years old, of Mose Dingle, who had been hiding out for a day and night was arrested and placed in the lockup, and being quectioned by M. L. Scarborough in the lock up, with Mayor Walker, Magistrate Richbourg and Chief Childers on the out side, he admitted burning the Coskrey building, some time ago; and the Dingle building last Thursday, but denied doing any other burning at this place. After the preliminary Magistrate Richbourg sent him to jail to await trial at the circuit court, when it is thought he will be sent to the Reformatory in Lexington county.

An accidental killing took place last week near Davis Station when Sidney Walker about twelve years old was killed by Elliott Dow about fifteen years old, very little is known by your correspondent surrounding this killing, but it seems that the two boys and a small girl was going to a straw field to ring straw, and in some way the gun they were taking along with them was discharged and the whole load struck the Walker boy in the back killing him instantly, the opinion of your correspondent is that this killing should be very closely investigated.

The J. O. U. A. M. was the guest of J. Q Mathis, Council of the local Council No. 171 at this place last Wednesday night, after a most interesting and enthusiastic meeting, those who were so loyal and so fortunate as to be in attendance were asked into the dining room and sat down to one of the most bountiful and delightful dinners ever served in this town. Ever member went away delighted with the order and hospitality extended by this good brother, and his good wife.

The ladies cook club of Summerton is an organization of ladies for social and literary purposes The ladies meet every two weeks in the afternoon, and it is the duty of the husband to stay home and mind the baby while the ladies enjoy themselves, so splendidly and meekly have the husbands behaved that the ladies decided to give them a sample of what a fine time they have So they kindly invited their husbands to be present on the evening of the 13th. Every man was at his place. The place of meeting was at the hospital home of Mr. and Mrs. Gist Gee, who with the president of club Mrs. John W. Lesesne received the guest most cordially, then we were ushered into the parlor where the other members of the club gave them a glad hand of welcome after an exchange of greetings. A bountiful turkey supper with salads and sandwitches was served, followed by fruit, cake, and coffee, after a most bountiful and delightful repast a most interesting game of progressive rook was played Mr F. R Dingle won the first prize, and Captain J. A James the booby prize. the men united in voting an endorsement of the club as a conservator of youth and beauty, as the ladies looked more beautiful than ever and their grace and vivacity carried all back to the days when cupid was their master. Grateful was the inspiration of an evening with the matrons book club they bid good night to each of members and all united in giving greatest praise to the president Mrs. John W. Lesesne, who had succeeded so splendidly in directing the entertainment.

Messrs. Horton and Wolfe of Manning, were in our town Friday night we are always glad to have our Manning friends visit us, and hope they will come often.

Esther Chapter No. 46 order of the Eastern Star, held a regular meeting on the 6th inst. Much earnestness was evinced by the members for the upbuilding of the order. The plans were made looking to the procuring of a new hall, new regalia and equipment, the chapter having lost all its equipments in the recent fire After transacting the business of the evening the following officers were chosen: W M Mrs Hattie P Mood, W P Mr J E Rowe, A M Mrs Bertha Dingle, C Miss Lucy M Mood, A C Miss Sallie Anderson, Secretary Miss Ailine Richbourg, Treasure, Mrs. H. P. Troy, Marshall Mrs Carlotta M Capers, Adah Mrs Annie Mathis, Ruth Miss Mammie Chewning. Esther Mrs Mary Plowden, Martha Mrs Maud Broadway, Electa Mrs Emmie Anderson, Chaplin Mr. Fred Barnes, Warden Mr Wallace Mathis, Sentinel J E Tennent.

Nander Briggs was on the anxious bench last Monday morning, charged by the town for being drunk and disorderly, and shop lifting, and was given by Mayor Walker on the first charge, $35 00 or 30 days and on the second charge $25.00 or 30 days, he took the days. Briggs has just served a sententence of 60 days, and only been home about two weeks.

Bee Simmons was also tried in the same court at the same time for assault, and given $15.00 or 30 days, an appeal in this case was made and it will be carried to the circuit court.

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An Enforced Purchase.

A dandy went into a photographer's in a country town to get his photograph taken. When the job was done he refused to pay on the ground that the picture was not like him. "All right," said Pat, "leave it there." Next day he was passing the place and saw his picture in a showcase, and under it were the words in big letters: "The ugliest mug in town." He rushed in and abused Pat. "But, me man," said Pat, "yesterday ye said the picture was not like you, so you have no reason to complain." Pat sold him the photograph.—Pittsburgh Chronicle.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Take Huggins' Cold Capsules, prepared and compounded by us. Huggins' Pharmacy, Levi Block.

For Sale—My House and Lot in Manning, good location, good out buildings one acre in lot. Some fruit trees. plenty of shade. J. B. Hudnal, Olanta S. C. Or S. M. Reardon, Manning, S. C.

HUGGINS' COLD CAPSULES—Just take one dozen as directed, and if they do not cure your cold, you get your money back.

For Rent—The Walker house in the town of Manning, Apply to J. N Riggs, Manning, S. C.

Coffey and Rigby have just receive an extra fine car of Mules and Horse-

Wanted—To exchange at a satisfactory price—Stalk Choppers, Wagons, Buggies, Harness, Lap Robes and Horses for Baled Hay, Shelled Corn, Peas and Lumber. W. P. Legg.

We have just gotten one of the finest bunch of Horses and Mules ever brought to Manning. Come and see them before they are picked over. Coffey and Rigby.

Lost—One white and black puppy with collar on Reward will be given for his return of him to Stewart Harvin.

We new have Mules and Horses to suit everybody. Come and make your selection. Coffey and Rigby.

The Clarendon Motor Co., will receive this week three car loads of Ford cars, consifting of 18 machines. come in early if you want yours in this shipment.

Times of Divorce In Old Rome.

During the earlier period of the Roman republic divorces were quite unknown and were rare right up to the time of the Punian wars. In the old days the husband and wife who wished to separate appeared for the last time before the common hearth, a priest and priestess being present. As on the day of marriage, a cake of wheaten flour was presented to the husband and wife, but instead of sharing it between them they rejected it. Then, instead of prayers, they pronounced formulas of a strange, severe, spiteful character, by which the wife renounced the worship and gods of the husband. From that moment the religious bond was broken, and, the community of worship having ceased to exist, the marriage without further ado was forever dissolved.

Puzzled.

A little girl has a new baby sister, and she has been somewhat puzzled as to the exact status of the new arrival in the family. She had willingly given up her bed, but something still seemed to trouble her greatly. One day she was found surveying the dining room just at mealtime. She looked at her own high chair, then inquired suspiciously of her father, "Where is she going to eat, daddie?"—Indianapolis News.

Conciliatory.

Head Waiter (dignified and pompous)—Have you ordered, sir? Despairing Patron—Yes, I ordered a porterhouse steak half an hour ago, and I wish to apologize for my rudeness. With your permission I will withdraw it as an order and renew it as a suggestion.—Chicago Tribune.

Unnecessary Knowledge.

Aunt Sarah (a spinster)—Now, dear, if you would only watch me closely you might learn how to crochet. Little Bessie—Oh, I'm goin' to get married when I grow up!—Pittsburgh Press.

WHISTLER'S BREAKFASTS.

They Were Famous Functions When the Artist Was In Funds.

An invitation to one of Mr. Whistler's "breakfasts" was prized by many persons almost as much as a royal command, more by some. Mr. Whistler brought together about his dainty, long, narrow breakfast table in its long, narrow room with pale yellow washed walls a symposium of those persons in London most noted for wit or endowed with rare original talent of some kind. Sprinkled here and there for the sake, no doubt, of half tones were others whose chief qualification was the power of chastened and judicious appreciation.

These symposiums were held by Whistler in his splendid studio, 33 Tite street, at present the studio of Sargent. Whistler did not steadily occupy that place, which a depleted treasury sometimes caused him to forsake temporarily. According to the widely known story, when the bailiffs came in to dispossess him for debt he pressed them into service as extra men to help serve one of his famous breakfasts, after which he would retire to a low, rambling workshop up an alleyway off the Fulham road. There in solitary quiet he would bring forth another masterpiece to startle the world and furnish him with the means of re-entering beautiful Tite street and taking up the thread of his more princely existence. —Princess Lazarovich-Hrebelianovich (Eleanor Calhoun) in Century Magazine.

CREMATION IN INDIA.

The Brahman's Funeral Pyre and the Ceremony of Burning.

After the body of a Brahman has been anointed with sesamum oil the big toes are bound together and the two thumbs. It is then lashed to a litter made of two long parallel poles, to which are fastened seven transverse pieces of wood. The shroud is very simple, a large piece of cloth wrapped round the body and bound with ropes of straw. If the dead Brahman leaves a will his face is not covered; otherwise the shroud is brought up over the head.

The burning ground, or ghat, is usually near a river that those who have taken part in the ceremonies may purify themselves as quickly and as easily as possible. Before erecting the funeral pyre a shallow pit is dug and partially filled with dry wood; the body is covered with splinters of dry wood and sprinkled with panchagaria, an inflammable liquid, and placed on the pyre and covered with branches and roots, like a hut.

The nearest relative or heir then takes a lighted taper and sets fire to the four corners of the pile and leaves at once to perform the ceremony of purification. The carriers, being of the lowest caste, remain until the body is entirely consumed.—Westminster Gazette.

No Cause for Worry.

Mrs. Blank had secured a new and most excellent cook, and, having lost several equally good cooks through the subtle workings of Cupid, she was a little disturbed when she came across her valued Amanda walking in the park with a man. The next day she said to Amanda: "I saw you walking in the park with a gentleman yesterday afternoon, Amanda. I hope he will not be taking you away from me some day." "La, ma'am, don't you be skeered none about that," replied Amanda. "In the first place he an't no gentleman, an in the next place he's my husband. Don't you worry none, ma'am."

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