

THE MANNING TIMES

I. I. APPELT, Editor
F. M. SHOPE, Business Manager

PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1, 1917.

Did they call your number, young man? Congratulations!

Come to think of it, China forgot to change rulers again last week.

If all statistics on the waste in this country are true we haven't a darned thing left.

Carranza, poor devil, is a back number. Even the joke departments are dropping him.

Let us hope that while Russia is in the reform business she will take a shot at her language.

A worthy cause has nothing to fear from its active foes. It is the slacker who blocks the wheels of progress.

The bachelor is the only man capable of telling how to manage a wife. The married man knows it can't be done.

We might, with excellent results, include congress in the draft. Then they would have to obey orders and do something.

The only thing that worries us, however, is how we can cough up our share of the expense of this war and still have three square meals a day.

When the government finishes with its other investigations it should look into the conspiracy between the weather man and the coal barons.

If you have borrowed this paper from your neighbor, be sure to return it when you have finished reading it. He subscribed because he wanted it.

The embargo, properly enforced, will convince some so-called neutral countries that there is a limit to Uncle Sam's "open door" policy—as it should.

The Hon. Jeannette Rankin's crusade for the relief of overworked employees of government departments seems to have met with the same reception as our efforts to collect certain of our delinquent subscriptions. Poor Jeannette!

Sir William Osler, professor of medicine in Oxford university, is 68 years old. It would be cruel to call attention to the fact that this is the same Dr. Osler who contended that a man's usefulness was ended at 50, and that he should then be chloroformed.

WE ALL GET IT.

Yes, we all get it, both going and coming. The farmer gets big prices for his produce and pays stiff ones for his clothing, shoes, and implements. The manufacturer gets high mark for his wares and coughs up lively for his eats and his other necessities. The laborer gets good wages and pays it all out to keep soul and body together. And the editor digs down like hell for everything he gets and gets it in the neck at every dig. Some getting, that.

WANTS GOVERNMENT COTTON GRADER AT SUMTER

Sumter, S. C., July 28, 1917. To the Farmers of Sumter, Lee and Clarendon Counties:

Efforts have been made by the Chamber of Commerce in co-operation with Congressman Lever, to secure the services of a Government Cotton Grader to be located permanently on the Sumter cotton market. It is needless to say that the location of a Government Export would be of inestimable value to the farmers tributary to the Sumter market. In addition to classing cotton the intention is to educate the cotton growers as to the value of properly preparing the cotton for market, including picking, ginning and packing. Unquestionably

higher prices can be obtained for cotton where it is carefully handled, ginned and packed.

In order to carry out this work it will be necessary for the sellers of cotton to provide a suitable cotton classing room, with a clerk for the Government Cotton Grader as required by the Government Bureau of Marketing. To consider this entire matter it has been deemed advisable to call a meeting of the cotton growers of the three counties above to discuss this most important matter. Therefore, a meeting of the cotton growers of Sumter, Lee and Clarendon Counties is hereby called to meet at Glenn's Tobacco Warehouse at 12 o'clock, noon, Friday, August 5, 1917, in the City of Sumter, to form a cotton Growers Selling Association, if such a step is deemed advisable. You are requested to attend said meeting and to advise the sellers of cotton in your section, as well as to use your personal influence in having them attend this meeting.

A. C. Phelps, Chairman,
E. I. Reardon, Secretary,
Sumter County Committee of Public Safety.

Farmers! Listen!
Our New Model Hyd. Ram
World's Latest and Best.
Pumps water from spring
flowing well or brook.
No running expenses.
We replace other Rams,
Special Factory Prices.
We stand by guarantee
Your money's worth or your money back.
Write to RIFE RAM & PUMP WORKS,
Waynesboro, Virginia, for Catalog



GAVE MORE HELP THAN ANY OTHER

Anderson Woman Makes Highly Interesting Statement.

BEST SHE EVER TRIED

After Long Effort, Mrs. Walker is Enabled to Make Comparison.

"Tanlac is the best medicine I have ever taken and I certainly have taken a lot of medicine," said Mrs. J. C. Walker, of 30 Henderson St., Anderson, in a statement she gave May 23rd. "Tanlac certainly did help me wonderfully. I took it for a generally run down condition, for I always felt tired and weak and I never did feel well. I certainly felt completely broken down and in the mornings I felt as badly as when I went to bed, for I did not sleep well. I had no appetite and I scarcely had strength enough to do my housework. "But the Tanlac did me more good than any other medicine I ever have taken. It soon had me feeling strong, and I got so I could sleep well and I began to feel fine. The Tanlac did a lot to build up and strengthen my entire system."

Tanlac, the Master Medicine, is sold by Dickson's Drug Store, Manning; L. W. Nettles, Jordan; Shaw & Plowden, New Zion; Farmers' Supply Co., Silver; D. C. Rhame, Sumterton.—Adv.

HAPPENINGS OF 20 YEARS AGO

Mr. S. Levinson and family have moved to Sumter.

Thomas & Bradham are erecting a large carriage house.

The work on the Methodist church is progressing rapidly.

Miss Lucie Barron returned home last Saturday from Florida.

Miss Jessie McLean left last Monday morning for a visit to friends in North Carolina.

The magistrates are keeping the chain gang supplied with able-bodied men.

The flowing well at the Baptist church is daily visited by people who drink the water as a medicine.

Hon. C. M. Davis was in town yesterday looking much improved from his trip to North Carolina.

If the news from Washington as reported in the newspapers is correct South Carolina is to have about thirty colored postmasters. This will be the beginning of Africanizing the State.

There is some magnetic influence at Jordan that is attracting a couple of Manning kids away from home and mamma. These two chaps have just emerged from their knickerbockers and they now feel that the earth and the fullness thereof belongs to them and the girls they love best.

The Kingtree Dispensary is in trouble again. Dispenser Stutts shot his clerk on discovering that he had again been robbed. Stutts believes that his clerk, Peter Matthews, who is his brother-in-law, is in with those who robbed him.

There are some nuisances in this town in the shape of a couple drunken old darkies. They are harmless but annoying, and they do not present a very inviting appearance as they loiter about the business portion of the town, especially where ladies have to do their shopping. The council should instruct the police to rid the town of this pest. We speak of old Dave and Peter.

The Jordan Home Demonstration Club

The Jordan Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. L. W. Nettles, July 24, 1917, with ten members present and two visitors.

CITATION.

The State of South Carolina, County of Clarendon. By J. M. Windham, Probate Judge: Whereas, C. M. Fulton made suit to me to grant him Letters of Administration of the Estate and effects of B. P. Fulton.

These are, therefore, to cite and admonish all and singular the Kindred and Creditors of the said B. P. Fulton, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Manning on the 6th day of August, next, after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand this 18th day of July, Anno Domini, 1917.
J. M. WINDHAM,
Judge of Probate.

STRAW HATS AT COST

WE WILL SELL ALL STRAW HATS AT ACTUAL COST FOR THE NEXT TEN DAYS.

ALSO

Cool Cloth, Palm Beach and Mohair Suits

AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

These Goods could not be Replaced at the prices we are asking for them. So call at once and take advantage of this opportunity.

The D. J. Chandler Clothing Co.

Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes.

Phone 166

Sumter, S. C.

The meeting was called to order by the Vice President, Mrs. Sarah Napier. After club song and prayer, the roll was called and the minutes read. The topic of the meeting was the making of Jelly. Miss Richardson demonstrated the making of apple jelly, which was very pretty. The club decided that three of the members furnish cream to be sold on Saturday afternoons to raise funds for the club, and these members are to be appointed by the President and Secretary. The club appreciates the kindness of Mrs. L. W. Nettles in having the club to meet in her home, until our kitchen has been completed. As there was no further business the club, stood, adjourned. Signed, Mrs. W. O. Henderson, Sec.

UNCLE SAM TO PURCHASE.

List of Supplies Wanted for Camp Jackson, Columbia.

Columbia, July 30.—Capt. Gustave Woenne, depot quartermaster at Camp Jackson, Columbia, this morning announced a list of supplies for the camp for which he is open to bids. The list, he says, probably will be sufficient to supply the camp for three months.

Among the items is one for 1,000,000 to 2,000,000 pounds of beef, and another for 1,000,000 to 5,000,000 pounds of ice. Bids should be addressed to Capt. Woenne at Camp Jackson. The list follows:

\$100 REWARD \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.—adv.

Hay, 2,000,000 to 12,000,000 pounds; oats, 2,000,000 to 9,800,000 pounds; bran, 500,000 to 1,000,000 pounds; straw, 900,000 to 2,900,000; gasoline, 15,000 to 60,000 gallons; mineral oil, 5,000 to 30,000 gallons; crude oil, 25,000 to 100,000 gallons; coal (black-smith) 50 to 250 tons; wood, 4,000 to 20,000 cords, four-foot lengths; lime, 1,000 to 10,000 barrels; potatoes, fresh, 1,000,000 to 2,000,000 pounds; onions, 100,000 to 500,000 pounds; butter, 12,000 to 36,000 pounds; oleomargarine, 12,000 to 36,000 pounds; yeast, 500 to 14,000 pounds; ice, 1,000,000 to 5,000,000 pounds; beef, fresh, 1,000,000 to 2,000,000 pounds.

STATISTICS ON TOBACCO

Leaf on Hand July 1 1,266,778,903 Pounds.

Washington, July 30.—Leaf tobacco held by manufacturers and dealers in the United States on July 1, amounted to 1,266,778,903 pounds, the census bureau today announced in its quarterly report. That compares with 1,406,133,573 pounds held on April 1. Chewing, smoking, snuff and export

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

types held aggregated 914,445,262 pounds, compared with 312,470,336, and imported types 47,830,767 compared with 49,231,462.

Will Keep You Well



When you get a terrific sick headache, become constipated or have any stomach or liver trouble, a dose or two of Granger Liver Regulator will put you in good shape. It is a purely vegetable preparation, non-alcoholic and acts pleasantly and effectively. Onward, N. H., Jan. 17, 1917. I was sick six months last year and the Doctor told me to go to Florida. I got some Granger Liver Regulator in Florida and it did me good. I bought four boxes home with me and now I am feeling a great deal better. (Signed) R. J. Rowland Sold by all druggists—25c a box Granger Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

7 Lbs.

Good Rio Coffee \$1.00.

Based on present values this Coffee is worth 18c lb. but through an early heavy purchase we are able to offer the above special low price. The Government is going to put a tax of at least 2c lb. on Coffee, therefore, supplies bought now will make a saving to the consumer of whatever tax is placed on this article.

Special Prices on 1,000 lb. Lots and Bags.

Manning Grocery Co

Wanted! Wanted! Wanted!

Men and half grown Boys (white or colored), Carpenters, Mechanics, Laborers, Etc. Steady work, good wages, Free House Rent—Pay Roll Weekly in Cash—Railroad Fare Refunded if Work One Week. Write or come to see us.

COLUMBIA CLAY COMPANY, Columbia, S. C.