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and has actually asserted that he is made in the image of God. McCosh, the President of Princeton University, boldly announced that he was the greatest psychologist in the world, and the writer has always believed that he is the greatest man in South Carolina, and although convinced of the contrary against his will, is of the same opinion still. The writer is a college graduate, and for three years, attended some of the leading Universities of the world, but never a day passes but some old codger comes nudging up to the writer to advise him how to conduct his law business, and even, how to get married, and ultimately, how to be saved.

(2) All men and women and children, at some time in their lives, display bad manners, and it has been said with some truth that good manners is a lost art, and that this is the age of rudeness. Man has practically lost respect for woman, because the average woman of this age has no manners. When it is considered that the modern woman will actually search up her men companions to go bathing with her in some country wash-hole, will picket during the worse kind of weather and amid the jeers of the hoi polloi such public places, as the White House, will drench in her wild political frenzy the finest works of art, and display her person in the most fantastic styles to the gaping crowd, then surely, it is not surprising that mankind has lost respect for woman. But, man himself is no better than the woman, when the question of good manners is taken into consideration, many of us confuse rudeness with honesty, and all of us at times lapse into the manners of the beast.

(3) All men and women are to some extent moral cowards and all of us esteem popularity more highly than the right, and our customary measure of a man is whether he is popular with his fellow-men. Sometimes, it happens, that the worse compliment to be paid a man, is to state that he is popular, because those with whom he is popular may be of the most degraded views of life. But all of us at times fear the criticisms of our fellow-men and all of us at times have sold our character for a mess of pottage. The most universally popular preacher I have ever personally known, is the most degraded moral coward I have ever known. But, whether high or low, all of us seek popularity rather than the right, because all of us have a natural repugnance to stepping on the toes of our fellow-men.

(4) All men and women and children in the world entertain more or less of malice towards some other person in the world, and malice, is the foundation of all crimes. Malice pervades all relations of life, the home, the jury room, the pulpit, the administration of justice, and the governments of the world. During the recent term of Court for this County, one member of the jury boldly announced that he would not render a verdict according to the law and the evidence in any case in which the writer was interested, because forsooth the writer had commenced a legal action against him on an account which he owed and had not paid. Malice towards Woodrow Wilson has caused the United States to remain out of the League of Nations, and malice towards Jesus of Nazareth caused his death and crucifixion.

(5) All men and women and children are given to prevarication. All law and government, with its established principles of swearing the witness, examination and cross-examination, is based upon the accepted and admitted fact that all men and women, will and do lie. The prophet said in his haste that all men are liars. A friend of the writer sometime ago stated that the women are bigger liars

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than the men, but his wife suggests that women merely exaggerate, while the men lie to deceive and to besmirch the character of their fellows.

All literature, whether religious or otherwise, is saturated with the false statements of the authors, and Secretary of State, Hughes, recently announced that the government had exceedingly great difficulty in finding

men and women to represent their government in foreign countries, who could be relied upon to report the truth.

In conclusion, permit me to say, since the foundation of the world, the human race has from time to time invented its various religions, just as it has invented its biscuits and its mincepies, some good, some bad, and some indifferent, but I am satisfied that every man and woman will agree with me, without one dissenting voice, that the finest expression of religion ever uttered, whether by tongue or pen, is summed up in these words, to wit:

"There is something good in the worst of us,
There is something bad in the best of us,
And it hardly behooves any of us,
To talk about the rest of us."
Yours truly,
J. J. Cantey.

THE GARDEN OF EDEN?

Schirmer of South Carolina was reminded by his visit to Louisville of a query to him by a Louisville Courier Journal lithograph salesman on the train some years ago, as to whether the origin of the immense beds of phosphate which underlie Charleston had ever been ascertained, and on his reply, "Oh yes, after much research it has been shown that Noah's Ark really started from Charleston, and the animals instinctively knowing of this rushed there, but old Noah would take only two of each and so the others were drowned in the flood. The stragglers were caught in Tennessee and Florida where phosphate is found in



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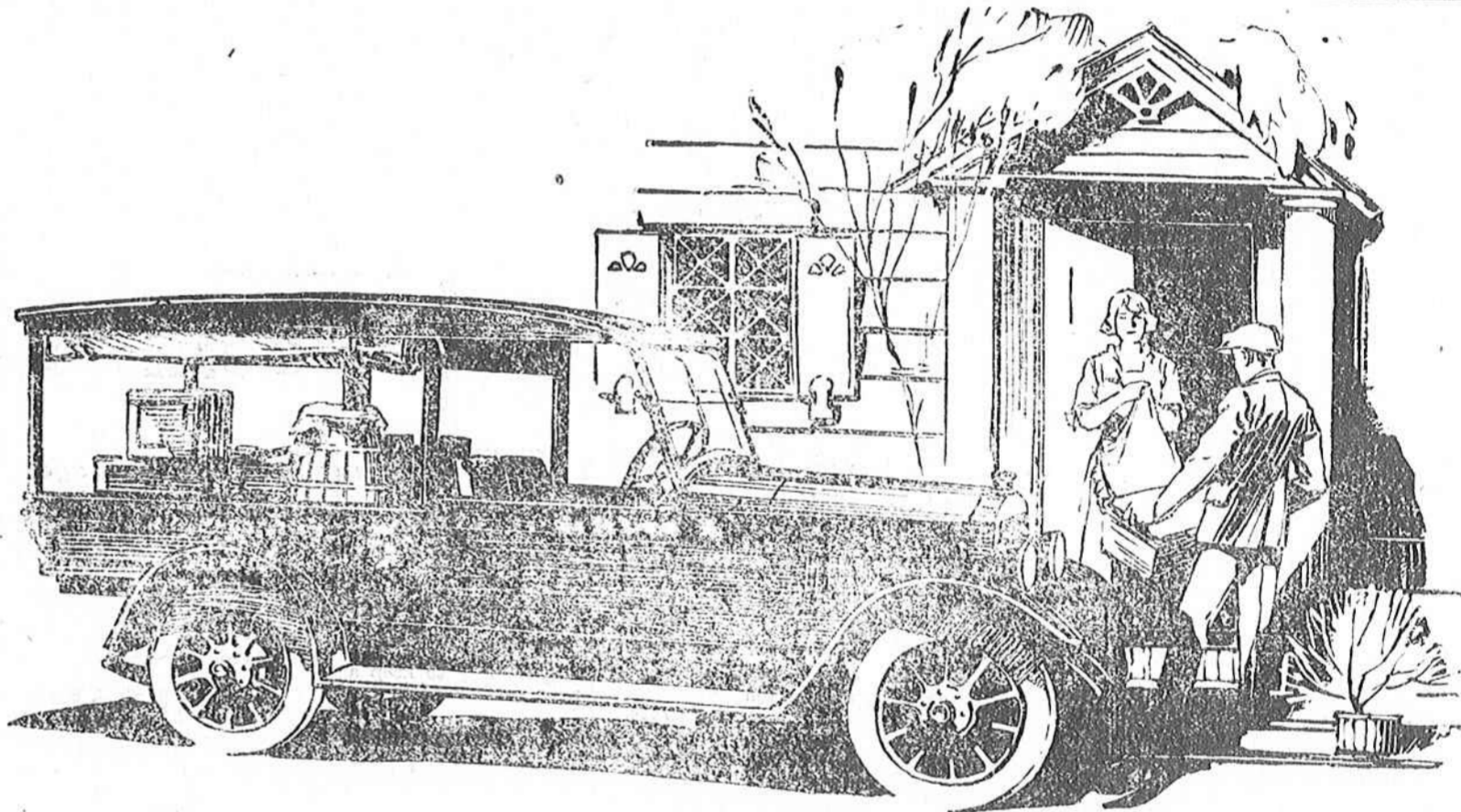
Summerton, S. C., Nov. 12, 1921. Editor of The Manning Times.

Quite recently, a friend of mine, who in some way had learned that I was a universalist in religious matters, asked me for a statement of the reasons upon which I found my belief, and simply for the good it may accomplish, I am sending you herewith a copy of the statement which I prepared for my friend. As I see the situation, all of us are a mixture of the good and the bad, and it would be an exceedingly difficult matter to separate the sheep from the goats. Furthermore, Jesus forgave his enemies, the woman taken in adultery, and the thief on the cross was given the promise of a safe delivery. In addition, each of us have little faults, which are common to all men, women and children, throughout the world, and if there is such a thing as eternal condemnation, then all of us must suffer the condemnation of these common faults. It is not necessary, in order for me to prove my case, to mention all of these common faults, which are peculiar to all men and women, but merely to mention a few of them, will convince any reasonable man that I am correct in my conclusions. Wherefore, listen to the evidence, as follows to wit:

(1) Every man, woman and child in the world is an egotist. The little child, in the cradle, who has just come into the world, at once announces his arrival as though it were of some importance to the human race, and it demands the attention of all the family and the neighbors, as though it were demanding a natural right. Man has always claimed that he is the biggest thing on the face of the earth

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pockets but the great mass was at Charleston," to which he replied, "You go to the devil," but acknowledging that he could offer no more plausible explanation. A year later he met the same friend on the train and suggested that in March he should have his wife accompany him and visit the famous Magnolia Gardens. "What are they like?" he was asked, and when he tried to tell of their great beauty, and being recognized as the greatest show of massed flower coloring in the world, he was interrupted with, "Now, hold on—a year ago you told me that Noah's Ark started from Charleston and now you want me to believe that the Garden of Eden is there. Darned if you can take the whole Bible."



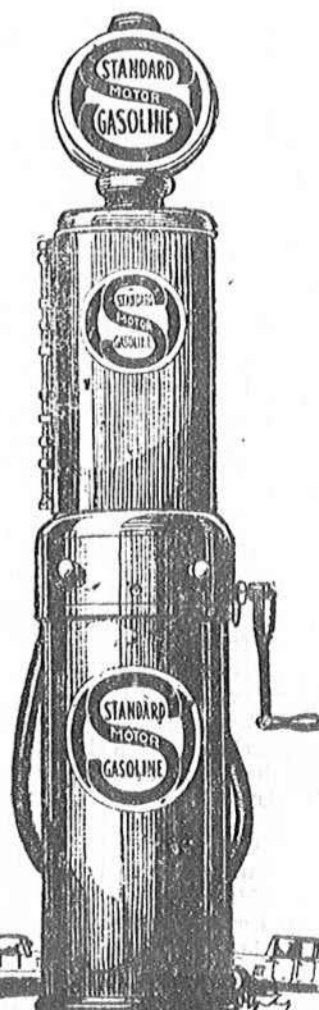
The Gasoline That Delivers the Goods

Delivery service, with its innumerable stops and starts, puts motor fuel to a severe test, especially in cold weather. Unless the gasoline is quick firing, valuable time is frittered away every time the motor has to be started. The alternative of allowing it to idle every time a call is made means wasting a lot of gasoline.

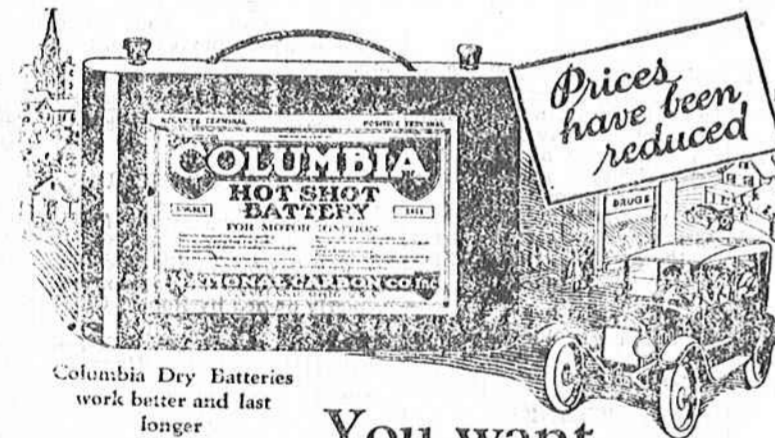
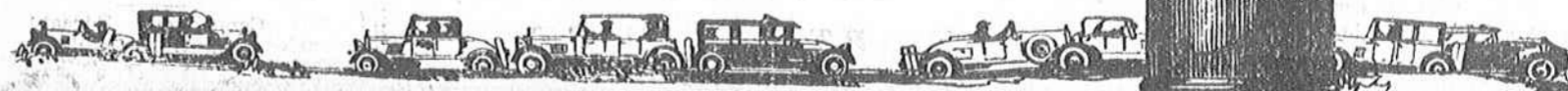
But there are other qualities that are desirable in gasoline besides the "pep" that proper volatility assures. There must be sturdy pulling power for heavy grades, combined with big mileage per gallon. The motor fuel must burn up so completely that there is practically no half-burned residue to foul the moving parts of the motor and dilute the lubricating oil.

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