



Above is pictured the Shamrock II, Sir Thomas Lipson's famous international race yacht, which is now reported to be in use as a rum runner in the Bahama Islands. The Shamrock was recently acquired by a Nassau liquor house and its name changed to the Iscooles.

The Early Broiler Catches The Profits.

Clemson College, Dec. 22.—It is time to begin to save eggs and hatch chicks for early broilers. Early chicks always bring a good price. It is every reason to believe that the prices will be good next spring.

Broilers are in demand from February, March and April. In May the prices begin to go down, and by June the market is practically gone. Baby chicks hatched early in January hit the high market.

But the old hen will not turn the trick. It is usually March or April before she becomes broody, and by that time the prices are going down. Build a brooder house 12 by 14 feet and purchase 350 baby chicks. Then you will see profits in the broiler business. Clemson College will give you further information on broiler raising. Just drop a card to the Poultry Division and obtain this help.—D. H. Hall, Extension Poultry Husbandman.

Corn to Burn.

The Calhoun Times.

F. G. Rickenbacker is not what would be called a big farmer. He is in the medium class. Something was said about corn the other day. He announced that he had a thousand bushels, and much of it for sale. "Your price," was asked. "Not less than a dollar per bushel." He will get it before many moons change. Yet many a poor sinner is turning it loose at 65 cents a bushel. It is amazing how little foresight a great many people have. They live only for the day. The future must shuffle for itself. Next summer these same people will be trying to buy corn on tick at twice 65 cents. Last winter all to many sold even the pigs to interloping Tarheel hog peddlers. Hogs are now bringing a good price but few for sale. Every little pine tree as big as a man's thigh is being slaughtered. Living only for the day. It is deplorable for the morrow. No preparations for emergencies, old age and rainy days.

Beware the Bootleg Stuff

News and Courier

There has been more talk against the Volstead law at Washington since Congress opened the other day than at any time since national prohibition was adopted; so much so that the New York World is encouraged to declare that "the prohibition tide has turned."

Possibly, but while the World was optimistically putting its hope into type United States District Attorney Emory R. Buckner of New York was telling a lot of metropolitan club men that they had just as well be careful how they drank bootleg liquor if they valued their lives. Up to date, said Mr. Buckner, 511 persons are known to have died in New York this year from drinking poison liquor. Of 50,000 samples of seized liquor analyzed by the Federal chem-

ist attached to the district attorney's office, he said, more than 98 percent contained some of the poison that the government had put in denatured alcohol.

Mr. Buckner's idea is that very little liquor is now being imported into the United States, at least in New York, but that most of the bootleg stuff is being manufactured out of denatured alcohol, his estimate being over 40,000,000 gallons of this product now goes into the bootleg trade annually.

The point is that no matter if the tide against the Volstead law has turned, as the World thinks, it will probably be some time yet before those who have to depend on bootleggers can liquor up without taking chances that nobody but a fool would take if he knew what he was doing.

There are people who find a special relish in drinking because it is against the law. This is particularly true of some of the younger generation, girls as well as boys. If they appreciated the vileness of most of the stuff they can get, and if they understood that there is a quite serious possibility of its being poisonous, not a few of them might hesitate before imbibing.

The argument as to the effectiveness of the enforcement of the prohibition law rages fiercely but there is one phase of the situation about which there can be no dispute. However much the prohibition law is flouted it has operated to make it practically impossible to buy liquor that is not dangerous for one reason or another.

Beware, if you are wise, of the bootleg stuff. It isn't worth the risk. Beware of it especially at the Christmas season, for the chances against you will be heavier than ever during the next fortnight.

The Christmas Spirit.

Chester News.

This is the season of the year when our hearts and minds naturally turn to those who are near and dear to us, with an affection that apparently is greater than at any other period of the year.

It is a time when our love and sympathy for little children are enlarged; when we feel like we want to do something for every person, great or small, young or old; when our natural impulses are to bestow a gift on everyone and bring good cheer and happiness to the whole world.

This is the Christmas spirit at work in our hearts. It is the subconscious love of the Master of men, manifested in our wish to give to our friends and associates some token as an expression of our esteem and affection.

Love is indeed a most wonderful and powerful force. It binds us to home, to duty, and to the principles of truth and righteousness. It is the bond that holds society together.

Love is an innate part of every human being and it manifests itself in many ways. In some it is

We complain that the Christmas spirit is manifested only a short time in the year; that it should always be uppermost in our lives. It is ever present but the opportunity to show its presence comes but once a year—then every human being with a spark of love left rekindles the fires of affection for all held dear, and the Christmas spirit is again at work making hearts light and cheerful.

Tenancy impoverishes the soil and leaves tenant and landlord poorer.

Notice of Trustee's Sale.
Notice is here by given that pursuant to an order made by Hon. R. J. Kirk, referee in bankruptcy

the right, title and all that certain piece, or lot of land situate in the County of Little Rock, County of Dillon, state of South Carolina, designated as lots Nos. 3 and 4 in Block L, on a plat of said town made by J. M. Moncure, civil engineer, bearing date December 1909, and bounded on the north by lot of M. S. Britt; east by Bon-sall Avenue; south by M. S. Britt and west by J. W. Hamer.

All of the above property may be offered for sale singly, in lots or parcels and then offered as a whole, and such bid or bids as may be the highest and best will be received. Terms of sale cash. All of above property to be sold free of liens and encumbrances.

A. B. JORDAN, Trustee.
11-26-4t

NOTICE OF SALE.

Notice is hereby given that I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the courthouse door in Dillon, S. C., on sales day, to wit: Monday, the 4th day of January, 1926, between the hours of eleven o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, the following described personal property:

Certificate number 18 of 5 shares of the Smith-Major Company of Latta, S. C., and certificate number 17 of 10 shares of the capital stock of the Smith-Major Company Lat-

Sheriff's Tax Sale
Under and by virtue of a certain tax execution to me directed by Jno. R. Watson, treasurer of Dillon county, notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 4th day of January, 1926, I will sell before the courthouse door in the town of Dillon, during the regular hours of sale, to the highest bidder for cash the following described property to satisfy said execution:

All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land situate in the county of Dillon, the state aforesaid, and in Hillsboro township, containing six acres, more or less, bounded and described as follows: North by lands of Martha Cook; South by lands of Martha Cook; East by lands of M. H. Cook and West by lands of Willie Barfield, F. A. Cook and A. L. Church.

C. S. BETHEA, Sheriff Dillon County.
11-17-3t.

Probate Judge's Sale
State of South Carolina, County of Dillon.
In Court of Probate.
Ex Parte, Mary Reeves, as Administratrix,
In Re: Estate of Lawrence Reeves, Deceased.

Pursuant to an order of the Probate Court in the matter of the estate of Lawrence Reeves, deceased, I, J. C. Davis, Judge of Probate in and for the County of Dillon will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in front of the Court House door in Dillon, S. C. on the 1st Monday in January, 1926, within the legal hours of sale, and in aid of the personal assets of said estate the following described real estate to wit:

1st. All that certain piece, parcel or lot of land with the buildings thereon situated and being in the County of Dillon, in the State afore-

MASTER'S SALE
State of South Carolina, County of Dillon.
In the Court of Common Pleas.
W. B. Willis and Mrs. F. J. Plaintiffs,
against
Mrs. Margaret R. Peacock, Florence E. Goodson, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Gladys M. Clarence L. Willis, Flor Hatchell, as administratrix estate of W. C. Hatchell, d and H. A. Bethea, Defenda.

Pursuant to an order of the Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County of Dillon, South Carolina, dated the 28th day of November, 1925, the undersigned, as for Dillon county, will sell at public hours of sale, on the Friday in January, 1926, at the courthouse door in the Town of Dillon, in the County of Dillon, the State aforesaid, at public sale to the highest bidder to the following described property:

All that tract of land containing one hundred seventy-five (175) acres, more or less, and bounded North by the estate lands of Mrs. Mary McSwain; East by the lands of John L. Lane; South and West by lands of John L. Lane. The said lands being conveyed to Clarence Willis, by deed dated December 12, 1903, and recorded in the office of the Clerk of the County of Marion County, December 1903.

Terms of sale cash, purchaser to pay for all papers and revenue stamps. Any person bidding for the said property and refusing to comply with his bid therefor, said property will be resold upon the same or some subsequent salesday at the risk of the former purchaser.

A. B. JORDAN, Master for Dillon County.
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