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John G. Postell, affectionately known to his intimates as "Uncle Dudly" for many years editor of the poultry department of the Atlanta Constitution, died at his home in Atlanta Monday. Mr. Postell was born in Orangeburg, S. C., May 1841.

Its meeting Monday night city council discussed the removal of all awnings and signs which tend to obstruct pedestrians on the sidewalks on Main street. This is a good move on the part of the city and we hope an ordinance will be passed to that effect. It is distinctly in keeping with the trend of all up-to-date cities, and it will add to the beauty of Main street.

With cotton bringing a good price, crops promising and the merchants preparing for a heavy trade the coming fall promises to be a busy one.

**PRIZES FOR CORN CLUBS.**

Mr. F. H. Arrants, county farm demonstration agent, was in Camden Monday soliciting prizes for the Boys' Corn Club, to be awarded at the Kershaw County Fair. Besides the amounts below, which is only a partial list, it is expected the Fair Association will add \$15.00 to this amount. Mr. Arrants is an enthusiast on this subject and is doing great good throughout the county. It is through the work of this club that the average yield of corn per acre in this county has largely increased and the boys should be given every encouragement. Following is a list of those who have contributed and if there are others who would like to add to this list, kindly notify Mr. Arrants.

- Malone - Pearce - Young Hardware Co. - 1 No. 6 Vulcan plow
- W. Geisenholmer - 1 student's table.
- F. H. Arrants - \$5.
- Burns & Barrett - 1 cultivator.
- W. R. Zemp - Leather bill book or purse.
- Enterprise Mercantile Co. - 4 pair Buster Brown half shoes.
- G. L. Blackwell - 1 pair solid gold cuff buttons.
- T. J. Arrants - 1 safety razor and half dozen blades.
- The Camden Chronicle - \$5.
- W. F. Russell - \$1.
- G. C. Bruce - \$2.
- Watkins Bros. - \$1.
- Lewis & Christmas - \$1.
- McCaskill Bros. - 1 pair \$2.50 shoes.
- Hirsch Bros. & Co. - 1 \$2.50 hat.
- W. W. Huckabbe - \$1.
- M. H. Heyman - 1 pair gold links.
- Camden Drug Co. - 1 bushel of catch seed.
- Barnes-Norris, Co. - \$2.
- L. Schenk & Co. - \$2.
- Zemp & DePass - \$1.
- C. W. Birchmore - \$5 gold fountain pen.
- Twin Bros. - \$2.50 hat.
- W. G. Wilson - \$1.
- Sheehan Bros. - \$1.
- Rhame Bros. - \$2.
- A. J. Beattie - \$3.50 pair shoes.
- K. S. Villetto - \$2.
- Camden Wholesale Grocery - \$5.
- W. R. DeLoache - \$1.

**THE RICH AND CRIME.**

No age nor station is without its heroes, and none without its criminals. One reason crime is more to be deplored among the rich than among the poor is that it costs so much more. If there should be a gross deal of crime among the rich, I mean of the sort that is taken to court, the states would be bankrupted in trying them. To try a rich man costs thousands of dollars to the county in which the trial takes place. Any sort of a trial is an expensive proposition; but when a defendant has lots of money it is a big undertaking. His money buys high priced lawyers, who know every trick and turn of legal procedure, making it very hard to convict in the plainest sort of cases. They know how to "pull the wool over the eyes" of jurors and to divert the attention from the main issue, which is the guilt or innocence of the defendant, and bring in all sorts of side issues which are really of no consequence except to befuddle the jury. Hundreds of witnesses are sworn and testify as to things that, to the average lay mind, do not seem to have the slightest bearing on the case. And yet the judge on the bench seems to be helpless and sits like a knot on a log while the lawyers wander all over creation. Hundreds of witnesses are sworn and volumes of alleged testimony are taken in cases where it would take the common mind that half a day would suffice to sift the entire matter from top to bottom and to arrive at the absolute truth of the matter; and it would in the case of a poor fellow on trial. Days and weeks and sometime months are required to try a case, the expense to the people piling up tremendously all the while; and the minds of the jurors get so befogged with side issues and technicalities that they hardly know their own names. Lawyers abuse witnesses and sometimes one another - but "in a pickwickian sense generally" and the lawyers for the defense lambast the prosecution. Contests of wit take place between opposing counsel; and so the case drags its slow length along till the enormity of the crime is forgotten in the great mass of extraneous rubbish that is brought into the case. Cases are spun out so long that a man of business often suffers very serious loss when he has to sit on the jury; hence business men, who would make the best

**INCONSEQUENTIAL DETAIL.**

"Hello!"  
 "Hello!"  
 "Is this Dr. Fourthly?"  
 "Yes."  
 "This is Mrs. Dorkins. Say, doctor, is that new chapel on the west side ready for use?"  
 "Not yet, Mrs. Dorkins; we expect to open it."  
 "I beg pardon, but there is so much noise here that I can't quite."  
 "I was saying that we expect to open it in a few weeks."  
 "Yes? What arrangements have you made for music?"  
 "As to that I can only say that we have an organ deal on."  
 "O, doctor, I don't care whether she wears an organdie lawn or a silk poplin. Has she a good voice?"

Her Wish.  
 A Baltimore man tells of receiving a surprise note acknowledging a wedding present sent by him on the occasion of the marriage of his cousin.  
 "Your lovely clothing was received," wrote the bride, "and gives us both pleasure. It is now in the parlor hanging above the piano, where we hope to see you very soon, and as often as you find it agreeable."

Life Among the Lowly.  
 "Being poor has some recompenses," remarked the lady with the wealth of imported hair.  
 "How now?"  
 "When another society dame insults me, I have to take it. But my washerwoman gets a warrant every week for one of her numerous lady friends."

**SUPERVISOR'S MONTHLY REPORT.**

The following is a list of claims approved and ordered paid at the regular monthly meeting held Monday, September 1, 1913:

Camden Chronicle	\$79.00
Carolina Public Service Co.	22.91
W. J. Burdell, M. D.	16.60
E. C. Brasington, M. D.	20.00
W. D. Grigsby, M. D.	17.20
S. C. Zemp, M. D.	10.00
Jno. Collins, salary	25.00
M. C. West, salary and postage	100.75
C. W. Birchmore, salary and postage	121.36
G. L. Dixon, salary	12.50
W. F. Russell, salary	31.95
D. M. McCaskill, salary	34.95
J. D. Sinclair, salary	50.00
W. J. McDowell, salary and tools	68.50
G. W. Babney, supt. poor house	14.00
Camden Furniture Co., supplies	5.00
Lewis & Christmas, supplies	39.45
D. T. Lang, supplies	6.00
H. T. Gladden, supplies	8.00
Walker Evans & Cogswell Co., supplies	140.62
Rhame Bros., supplies	46.71
H. L. Schlossburg, supplies	42.51
Spring & Shannon, supplies	158.30
Asphydyne C. H. Co.	21.20
Kershaw Mercantile and Banking Co.	166.72
Rouch Hall, supplies	12.69
W. A. Neal & Sons, supplies	32.00
H. A. Rabon, supplies	15.90
A. L. Parker, supplies	9.00
Redman Parker, supplies	3.00
Charlie Parker, supplies	10.00
W. E. Elliott, supplies	38.51
J. A. Rabon, supplies	9.55
Simon Stokes, supplies	16.50
Wesley Watkins, supplies	36.18
James Stokes, supplies	12.00
Malone-Pearce-Young-Co., supplies	80.18
R. L. Hilton, lumber	49.43
Thos. J. Williams, smithwork	7.10
J. S. Barfield, road work	1.50
M. H. Horton, road work	6.00
E. S. Spedden, road work	10.40
J. H. Addison, road work	3.00
J. H. Hammonds, road work	3.00
Steve Bowers, road work	8.00
H. E. Mann, supt. chain gang	193.23
G. W. Mobley, supt. hired gang	292.77
A. T. Huckabbe, supt. hired gang	208.72
Murchison Wholesale Grocery Co.	208.54
Davidson Lumber Co.	146.09
Total	\$2,700.21

M. C. WEST,  
 Supervisor Kershaw County.

**Bicycle Repairing**

**Tube Vulcanizing**

Work that Satisfies is the only kind we do.

If you are hard to satisfy, bring your work to us.

To Deliver Promptly is Our Rule.

**H. E. BEARD & CO.**  
 921 Broad St. Camden, S. C.

**GINNING \$1.00**

We Pay Top Prices for Cotton Seed  
 We charge only \$1.00 per bale for ginning  
 Capacity 50 Bales Per Day  
**Camden Oil Mill**  
 W. R. EVE, Jr. Mgr.  
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**MANY SHY AT IT.**



"Truth is stranger than fiction."  
 "Yes, and the majority of men seem to be shy on associating with strangers."

Oh, Laura Jean!  
 A chap within a drug store stood,  
 A picture of the blues;  
 He saw the talcum powder there  
 His lost love used to use.

**Pay Day.**  
 Creditor—I should like to know when you are going to pay this bill; I can't come here every day in the week.  
 Debtor—What day would suit you best?  
 Creditor—Saturday.  
 Debtor—Very well; then you can call every Saturday.

**A Reason.**  
 "How is our old friend, Doc. Chasem?"  
 "I don't know. I haven't seen him for six months."  
 "Why, you used to see him every day?"  
 "I know, but that bill has been paid."

**Nothing In It.**  
 Patience—I understand thieves broke into your father's office and cracked his safe.  
 Patrice—They did, but didn't get anything.  
 "Wasn't what it was cracked up to be, I suppose?"

**ANOTHER DARK SECRET.**



Customer—Why in the world do you have such dark-looking soup plates in this place?  
 Walter—"Sh! That is a trick of the boss. In dark plates the soup don't look so thin."

**His Blunder.**  
 The wisest man  
 We ever saw  
 Once lost his head  
 And went to law.

**Calm Before Storm.**  
 "Why this hush, this elaborate tip-toeing about?"  
 "Sh! Mother is getting ready to ask father for a little extra money."

**His Idea Changed.**  
 Townley—Your garden is pretty small, isn't it?  
 Subbubs—It seemed so before I began to take care of it.

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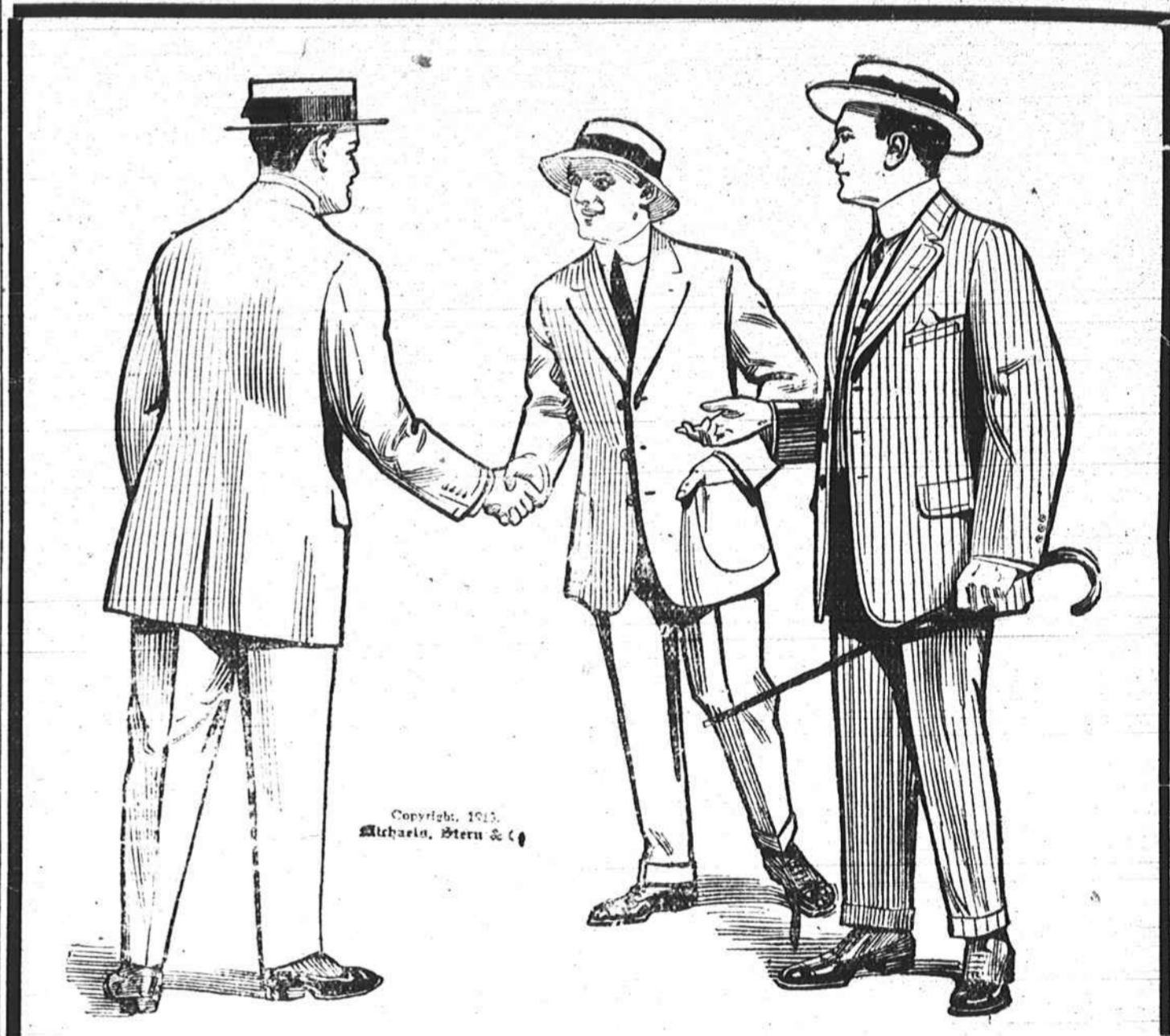
Thos. F. Parker has resigned as president of the Monaghan and Victor mills, Greenville, and Thomas Marchant has been elected to succeed him.

**WANTED**

WANTED—MALE HELP  
 YOUNG MAN—Wanted bright wide-awake young man of neat appearance to represent leading mercantile house.

How often have you seen an "ad" like that? The successful business man of today will tell you that whether it be landing a job or landing an order, half the game is in looking neat, by making a favorable first impression. For after all, personality, of which we hear so much in business now-a-days, is greatly a matter of personal appearance.  
 Our "Needle Molder" Clothes made to your individual measure, will mark you as a man of distinctive personality—a live progressive up-to-the-minute man of success.  
 There are over 500 pure-wool fabrics for you to choose from—distinctive patterns and weaves that fairly breathe exclusiveness. These woollens cannot be obtained from any other tailor, for they are woven exclusively for

**The Globe Tailoring Co.**  
 of Cincinnati  
 Come in and look over these beautiful fabrics and let the Master Tailors of The "Globe" shops hand tailor a suit or an overcoat for you that will be admired by everyone!  
**L. J. WHITAKER, Camden, S. C.**



**Even We Admit**  
 that there are more important things in the world than having the right clothes. We realize that, as the poet says, "A man's a man for a' that."

But, unfortunately, people will judge a fellow by the way he looks—and even more unfortunately, lots of fellows don't look as well-dressed as they might. It isn't because they don't want to, or because they don't try, it's because they don't know how or where to get garments that will bring out the best of them and hide the worst of them. We don't say that we can (because it wouldn't be modest) but we are morally sure that we might show you a Hart-Schaffner & Marx or a Michaels-Stern suit that would cause the first friend you met to congratulate you on your improved appearance.

**BARUCH-NETTLES CO.**  
 "The Place That Sets The Pace"