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Would it not be more appropriate to spell it poorfellow?

If some candidate for municipal honors would come out squarely and make a statement that he would do all in his power to rectify some of the inefficiency in the city government he would certainly get hearty support.

County Food Administrator DeLoach asks us to correct a false rumor that is being spread around the county. Some fellow, probably one of the German hirelings, and we do not doubt that we have them among us, has spread it among the farmers that it is against the food laws to sell chickens and eggs, and some of them have been led to believe this to such an extent that they are afraid to bring this produce to market.

We have some expert hunters in this section who claim they can kill a porcupine with their eyes blindfolded. They've got to take back seats, however, when it comes to a comparison with the Kaiser. A German forestry journal states that in 1913 the Kaiser killed 1,965 pieces of wild game, including 70 stags, elk and roebuck.

More statements and better statements will be the slogan of C. N. Babb, the newly elected mayor of Laurin. He stated that his policy would be to follow the fullest publicity of all the deliberations of the council so that the public may assist in arriving at the best solutions of the problems which may come up from time to time.

When a local newspaper reports without cheerfulness, well, prepared and active advertisements, it leaves the impression on the mind of the reader that the town is lifeless, that the stores and shops have no good offerings for the trading public, and are just waiting for something to happen.

Jericho has been captured in the British. According to an announcement this city of Jericho, Albany captured the city on February 22. Joshua and his Israelites captured Jericho from the Canaanites, according to the old Testament, marching around the city with the Ark of the Lord once a day for six days and on the seventh day encircling the city seven times, the priests blowing their trumpets.

Appeals to South. I particularly appeal to the farmers of the South to plant abundant foodstuffs as well as cotton. They can show their patriotism in no better or more convincing way than by resisting the great temptation of the present price of cotton and helping, helping upon a great scale, to feed the Nation and the people everywhere who are fighting for their liberties and for our own.

The annual expenditure of the United States for food is approximately \$100,000,000.

PATRONIZE THE RACE TRACK

A prominent member of the Camden Riding and Driving Club requests us to urge upon the town and county people to take an interest in the many events to be held in the near future on the track of the Camden Riding and Driving Club.

Then again the managers ask the people of Camden and the county to enter their horses to compete for the honors. There is no entrance fee. It is solely an amateur and gentleman's riding affair and professionals are barred. If there is a horse owner who has an animal worthy of entry get into communication with some member of the Club and enter the animal.

Will the People Prevent the Disease?

Homicide in South Carolina will not cease until the notion is gotten out of the head of the average man that the right is judged in him to settle private quarrels in his own way.

The average man, good, bad, intelligent, humble, obscure, or prominent, thinks that when he has been injured or insulted, vengeance is his own privilege and that to exact redress of his grievance in one way or another is his obligation.

The action of the average man extends to the average jury. The jury men look on the controversy as between the family of the dead man and his slayer and are oblivious of the fact that the blow of the slayer was aimed not so much at the slain as at themselves as the representative of the people.

There is no standard recipe for "victory bread", the only requirement being that it must contain not more than 80 per cent of wheat flour, the remaining 20 per cent being composed of corn, meal or corn flour, rice, potato flour or other cereals recommended by the Food Administration. "Victory" pies and doughnuts, which contain not less than one-third nonwheat flour, may be sold on whetless days if the same recipes are used throughout the week.

UNPATRIOTIC TALK.

We understand that there is considerable comment among the farmers as to the raising of food; that some of them state they are going to raise plenty for themselves and families but that the town folks and others will have to look out for themselves.

Another thing that our farmers should consider, and we feel sure that a number of them do, and that is that most of the business houses in town are as essential as is farming. In other words, if the town business stops the farming business will soon drop to a very low ebb, and the prices of farm products will also drop.

What we need is less talk, which has a flavor of pro-Germanism in it, and more co-operation from everybody. This is no time for any one to express selfish views—that they are going to look out for themselves and the rest can go to the devil as far as they are concerned, but a time when every one of us, no matter in what line of business we are, should say and do everything possible to cooperate with each other in helping to win the war.

Government Publicity.

Some months ago mention was made of the flood of publicity material which then was flowing in upon newspaper offices. This material originated at many sources, and it aimed to promote a wide variety of enterprises.

Some of the most active publicity agents are in the employ of the federal government departments at Washington and elsewhere. It is apparent that the government is spending huge sums in an effort to get free publicity from the newspapers.

When we hear the word "slacker" the mind instinctively turns to the person who tries to evade military duty in the country's hour of need. But all the slackers are not found in the ranks of the army. There is the slacker in the great army of industrial workers who refuses to do more than his day's work or grumbles if he is asked to put in a few hours' extra time at regular pay.

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ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OPINION

Probate Judges Must be Certain as to Person Making Affidavit.

Columbia, Feb. 23.—That the only proof necessary for judges of probate in issuing permits for liquor after March 10, when the new act is effective, is for them to listen to the dictates of their own conscience and to use sound discretion, is the opinion voiced by Claud N. Sapp, Assistant Attorney General, today, in answer to a letter from J. C. Blott, of St. Matthews, Judge of Probate for Calhoun County.

The opinion states that judges of probate are required to make out the liquor permits in their own private offices or have them made out there by their clerks. The object of the law, said Mr. Sapp, is to prevent the practice of delegating this authority to some one else and having the permits issued in separate offices.

When the law amending the old "quart-month" act was passed by the recent session of the General Assembly, there was a storm of protest from many of the probate judges in various parts of the State, and they obtained a hearing from Governor Manning, to whom they stressed their grievances.

United we stand, divided we fall. Get together.—Rock Hill Record.

NEGRO LYNCHED BY MOB

Had Shot to Death Owner of Garage And Citizens Strung His Up.

Fairfax, S. C., Feb. 23.—Between fifty and sixty white men lynched Walter Best, a negro, near here early to night. The negro was a prisoner and was being carried to Barnwell by Sheriff J. B. Morris and Deputies John B. Ross and J. E. Gibbs.

The lynching took place about 6 o'clock, after Best had killed William Wilson in a local garage. The negro was said to have been drunk at the time. According to those who were present, the negro and Mr. J. T. Wilson, owner of the garage, had a few words about an automobile tire the negro brought to have fixed.

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How many pounds to a ton—2000 or 1500?

How many pounds of real roughage are you getting to a ton? If you are buying old style hulls you are getting about 1500 pounds because they are about one-fourth lint which has no food value.



you are getting 2000 full pounds because they are free from lint and are practically 100 percent roughage. Try them and see how much farther they go.

Other Advantages: Cost much less per ton than old style hulls. Allow better assimilation of other food. No trash or dust. Sacked—easy to handle. They mix well with other forage.

To secure the best results and to develop the ensilage odor, wet the hulls thoroughly twice before feeding. It is easy to do this by wetting them down night and morning for the next feeding.

Book of Mixed Feeds Free: Gives the right formula for every combination of feeds used in the South. Tells how much to feed for maintenance, for milk, for fattening, for work.

Dept. K The Buckeye Cotton Oil Co. Dept. K Atlanta Augusta Birmingham Charlotte Greenwood Jackson Little Rock Macon Memphis Salina

WOULD NOT FIGHT GERMANS

United States Army Officer Sentenced to Serve Twenty-five Years.

New York, Feb. 24.—Capt. David A. Henkes, Sixteenth infantry, U. S. A., has been sentenced to dismissal from the service and confined at hard labor for twenty-five years by a general court-martial held at Governor's Island.

Henkes, who is of German descent, endeavored to resign his commission, saying he did not care to fight against relatives and friends.

Further service as a commanding officer must sooner or later take me to Europe, and there bring me in conflict with my relatives and friends, although for the time being my legal enemies," Capt. Henkes wrote.

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The body of Dozier Mishow who was drowned near Georgetown on January 3rd, has been found by a fisherman, Young Schroeder, formerly of Camden, met his death at the same time.

Wants--For Sale

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—One dry cow, red and white spotted, with horn extending over front of face. Stolen from lot at rear of Camden Milling Co. Reward if returned to R. L. Moseley, Camden, S. C.

FOR RENT—Five room house on Hampton Ave. Apply to E. P. True, 401, at Enterprise Mer. Co. 1pd.

TIRES! TIRES!—On account of factory shortage in 32x3 1-2 non-skids we are selling 33x4, the oversize non-skids at a greatly reduced price for a limited time only, or until the factory can catch up. This oversize will last about twice as long as the regular size. W. O. Hay's Garage.

FOR RENT—Two houses on Fair St. and pool room south of G. W. Crosby's store room. Jas. H. Burns, 43d.

LOST—Friday afternoon Feb. 15th, between Mills Street and Majestic Theatre old Cameo pin. Finder will be rewarded if returned to Mrs. Ben DeLoache 45-47.

FOR SALE—Improved Pullnot big boll five lock cotton seed at \$2 per bushel. Apply to M. W. Hough, Camden, S. C., Route 3. 44-48pd.

AUTOMOBILE OWNERS Attention—Having secured several more mechanics, we are in better position to serve you than previously. W. O. Hay's Garage. 4d.

FOR SALE—Baled scrap paper. First for starting fires. 50c per bale, as many as you want as long as they last. Apply at The Chronicle office.

FOR SALE—Shetland pony, 3 years old. Beautiful little mare, gentle, kind disposition, no bad habits. Also pony-cart and harness. First class condition. Price reasonable. Mrs. Elizabeth English, Rte 3, Columbia, S. C. 43d.

NOTICE—For a nice, cheap coffin or casket call at Billing's Bros., Ant's old stand.

AUTOMOBILE OWNERS—We have in stock a most complete line of automobile supplies including tires, batteries, United States Fish tires, Genuine Ford parts, tank and Vulcan springs to fit most all cars. Our repair shops are open to none, even in larger cities, and we make a specialty of Ford parts and repair work.

TO THE PUBLIC—Will have a new wood saw rig in operation soon. If you have any wood to be sawed notify Box 221. You will receive prompt attention.

WOOD'S SEED POTATOES FLOWER SEED and ONION SETS W. Robin Zemp's Drug Store Telephone 30.