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TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS

We will begin the revision of our mailing list on October 15th and all subscriptions not paid in advance of the 15th will be discontinued. All new subscriptions must be paid in advance.

If you have received a statement from us recently please remit at once as we do not wish to take your name from the list if you wish it continued.

The Camden Chronicle.

An advertisement from Greenwood calls for marble and granite cutters at wages of "\$8.00 per day and up." The same papers carry advertisements for barbers at \$30 per week and up. And "a high school teacher wanted at \$65 per month." Can you beat it?—Rock Hill Record.

Killing a Town.

An exchange prints the following receipt for killing a town:

"Understate every present and prospective enterprise, speak ill of the churches and schools; enlarge the vices of the people; withhold patronage from your merchants and tradesmen, and buy your goods and groceries at some other place; never subscribe or support your local papers, and if you are in business never spend a penny for advertising."

The Florence Times says: In the past six days, within a radius of six miles of Florence, including those still discovered within the city limits, the officers have destroyed eight stills, 800 gallons of mash, 88 gallons of wine, 27 fermenters and other implements used in the manufacture of blockade whiskey. Ten arrests have been made, five of them being white men. The officers in the squad are as follows: Sheriff Burch, Deputy Sheriff Cain, Revenue Officers Coleman, Kellett and Rector, Constable Kelly and Chief Detective Eichelberger. Warrants are pending for other arrests in connection with these cases.

The people of Great Britain have not spent a quieter Sunday than last Sunday since the times of stage coach travel. With railway traffic gone and a great curtailment of trolley and street car facilities in the larger cities, most of the population had nothing to do but stay at home. Even the usual Sunday rush of motors along the country roads was missing because car owners generally were saving petrol against the expected famine. London was oppressed with funeral quiet because there was little stir in the streets except pedestrians. The seaside resorts were without their weekend rush of visitors. Towns remote from the large cities went without the Sunday papers.

A meeting of the committee appointed by the South Carolina Press Association to take up the matter of having a special representative in this State to look after the foreign advertising for all the South Carolina papers that would go into a proposition of this kind was held in Columbia on Friday, with members of the executive committee of the association and other publishers at the Jefferson Hotel. After discussing the matter it was decided to have O. K. Williams

**Majestic Theatre
PROGRAM**

The following program we will present as advertised and without substitution.

Today Friday Oct. 3rd

The Artcraft Star

ELSIE FERGLSON IN

"A SOCIETY EXILE"

A New Southland Comedy

Saturday Oct. 4th

Pathe Presents

The "Lone Hand" Western

"FOOLS AND THEIR MONEY"

A New Motion Picture

"AMONG THOSE PRESENT"

Sunday Oct. 5th

Pathe Presents

BRYANT WASHINGTON IN

"LOVE INSURANCE"

A New Motion Picture

Tuesday Oct. 7th

Pathe Presents

ADOLE DAVEN IN

"THE MICROBE"

Also Pathe News

Wednesday Oct. 8th

Pathe Presents

FLORENCE REED IN

"TODAY"

Also a Brain Defeat

Thursday Oct. 8th

Pathe Presents

ELMO LINCOLN IN

"THE ROMANCE OF TARZAN"

THEIR GREAT MOMENT GONE

Writer Has Little Expectation of Creative Ability Being Displayed by Returned Soldiers.

The spiritual point is this, writes John Galsworthy in Scribner's. In front of a man in ordinary civilized existence there hovers ever that moment in the future when he expects to prove himself more of a man than he has yet proved himself. For these soldiers of the great carnage the moment of probation is already in the past. They have proved themselves as they will never have the chance to do again, and secretly they know it. One talks of their powers of heroism and sacrifice being wanted just as much in time of peace, but that cannot really be so, because peace times do not demand men's lives—which is the ultimate test—with every minute that passes. No, the great moment of their existence lies behind them, young though so many of them are. This makes them at once greater than us, yet in a way smaller, because they have lost the power and hope of expansion. They have lived their masterpiece already. Human nature is elastic and hope springs eternal, but a climax of experience and sensation cannot be repeated; I think these have reached and passed the uttermost climax, and in Europe they number millions.

This is a veritable portent, and I am glad that in America you will not have it to any great extent.

Now how does this affect the future? Roughly speaking it must, I think, have a diminishing effect on what I may call loosely—creative ability. People have often said to me: "We shall have great writings and paintings from these young men when they come back." We shall certainly have poignant expression of their experiences and sufferings, and the best books and paintings of the war itself are probably yet to come. But, taking the long view, I do not believe we shall have from them, in the end, as much creative art and literature as we should have had if they had not been through the war.

Will Go Back to Work in France.

If Charles W. Bradlee, Jr., formerly a teacher of manual arts in Worcester academy, Worcester, Mass., hadn't been an obliging sort of gentleman, he wouldn't be carrying a shell splinter today under his right cheekbone, so cunningly lodged there that physicians hesitate to operate for fear of his face becoming paralyzed.

While a worker with the Foyer du Soldat in France, Bradlee consented August 7 to replace another worker on the front line at Lheroy. The other welfare man was away on leave so Bradlee, with his knapsack filled with Y. M. C. A. supplies went up near the front line. At that time a jagged scar caused by a shell splinter was healing on his forehead. He had been working only a short period at Lheroy when a Hun shell burst and he was given another memento of service. This time the sliver of a flying shell lodged in his cheek.

Bradlee learned to love the French and will return to Flanders to work among them in the devastated sections as a member of the international committee of the Y. M. C. A. He said that he feels he will be able to aid permanently wounded men in learning new occupations.

A Forgotten Language.

"Tee crowfoot gridle treetop turtle," said one gentleman to another, as reported by the Minneapolis Journal. In an office in that city, "Scalp thirty reel blaze," he continued, reading from an old leather-bound ledger. "Scalp thirty reel blaze," repeated his companion, and wrote it down on a sheet of paper. The two gentlemen, says the Journal, were talking a language once used but now forgotten in Minnesota, for they were respectively a former surveyor general of logs and lumber and his assistant, busy identifying some ancient logs that had been a long time sunk in a river. The strange-sounding sentences were composed of identification marks, of which at least 6,000 have been recorded since the pioneer days when logs were first cut in Minnesota forests. Billions of feet of lumber from the great forests have been thus marked, and once in a while some old logs are recovered from the river bottom, and the old ledger of bark marks and stamps on the ends of the logs is again referred to.

Raising Skunks for Fur.

As wild fur-bearing animals have decreased in numbers and the scarcity and prices of furs consequently increased, many individuals have been led to undertake the rearing of fur-bearing animals in captivity, as for example the efforts to breed foxes in Canada and parts of the United States, and the widespread interest in skunk raising. It is of significance that in one state alone the game warden, within a period of two years, issued more than fifty permits for breeding skunks in captivity.—Robert K. Nabours in the National Geographic Magazine.

Energy From Common Powder.

Common black sporting powder is a source of momentary energy in some railway machine shops and is used for such purposes as loosening nuts and bolts, breaking up scrap iron and steel, forcing a rusted locomotive piston, and breaking metal cooled in a furnace. It is employed in steel guns 5 to 12 inches long and of proportionate diameter. The powder is held by a plunger without wad, and it is fired with the mouth of the gun about an inch from the work. An ounce charge is the average required for an ordinary locomotive nut or bolt.

WOOTEN LANDS SOLD

Large Crowd Attended Sale of Consolidated Farms Company Lands.

About three hundred persons attended the sale of the Consolidated Farms Company lands near Boykin Wednesday by the Pinnix Auction Co. The event had been extensively advertised and brought a good many citizens from neighboring counties.

All of this property was sold at auction and the owners reserved the right to reject or confirm the sales. The following sales were confirmed:

94 acres to W. A. Boykin.
220 acres to W. A. Boykin and D. A. Boykin.
94 acres to W. E. Johnson, Jr.
76 acres to C. N. Humphries.

A small number of the live stock was also sold, and the remainder will be sold at private sale or later auctioned.

The home place with barn, dwelling, and silos was purchased by W. E. Johnson, Jr., but this sale has not been confirmed. Several other tracts were purchased, but the prices were thought too low and these will be sold at private sale.

The Pinnix Realty and Auction Co. also signed up with Mr. L. I. Gulon for the sale of his large tract of land near Lugoff. This sale will be held on October 22nd and will doubtless draw a large crowd, as it is known to be some of the best farm and pasture lands in the state.

SAFETY FIRST.

We have just placed in our vault a set of 100 Twentieth Century steel safety deposit boxes. Just the place for you to keep your Liberty Bonds, Life and Fire Insurance policies and other valuable papers.

You may have one of these boxes until January 1st, 1920 free of rent—no cost to you.

Bring your valuable papers and put them in one of these steel boxes and see if you do not like keeping your papers all together and in a safe place. If you want one do not delay as you may be too late.

First National Bank of Camden, 25-26

Coal bills are a large part of your living expense—reduce both by using Cole's Hot Blast Heaters.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION

The fall teachers' examination will be held in the Court House at Camden Saturday, October 4th, 1919, beginning at 9 a. m.

All war emergency certificates were revoked July 1st, 1919. Holders of these certificates and all others desiring teach-

ing credentials are advised to take this examination. In view of the scarcity of teachers it is hoped that those who can and are in position to teach but have no certificates will qualify to help relieve the shortage.

I. J. MCKENZIE,
County Supt.
24-26

Wants--For Sale

FOR SALE—350 acres for sale, 4 miles East of Camden on Washington-Atlanta Highway. C. C. Coster, 1713 Fair St., Camden. 26p

FOR SALE—Refrigerator in good condition, 50 pound ice capacity. See Thomas Ancrum, Camden. 26

FOR SALE—Small mahogany extension dining table and sideboard. Address P. O. Box 203 for price. 26pd

FOR SALE—One good farm horse, one one-horse buggy and harness, farming implements, corn, fodder and pea vine hay. Farm known as the Alexander place, four miles from Camden on the Bethune road. Apply to W. J. Horton, Camden, S. C. 26-7-8pd

WANTED—Several salesladies, 17 years or older. Apply at once to Mr. Hall, at Schlosburg's 5, 10 and 25c Store. 26-27

WANTED—to begin at once, a lady experienced in long distance and local telephone work. Kershaw Telephone Company, Kershaw, S. C. 26tf

LOST—One white hound bitch. Has black head and black spot on root of tail. Reward will be paid if returned to A. G. Whitaker, Camden, S. C. 26-7-8pd

LOST—A hound dog about one and a half years old, black and tan. Answers to the name of "Ring." Notify and receive reward. B. H. Gardner, Bethune, S. C. 26-6-7pd

FOR RENT—One plantation in Mt. Zion section, about 90 acres of cultivated land. Can be divided into three parts, houses on all three parts. Apply to C. Stokes, 1202 Main Street, Camden, S. C. 24-5-4pd

TEACHERS—Fifty to one hundred requests daily from all classes South Carolina schools. If you want rural work, graded, high school or principalship, salary \$50 to \$150, write us today for special enrollment. Southern Teachers' Agency, Columbia, S. C. 24-27

WANTED TO BUY—Any and all kinds of second hand furniture and stoves. Phone 159-J, and buyer will call. tf

AUTO OILS—Just received a large shipment of Havoline Auto Oil in cans. Get our prices if you want to save money. Stokes Bicycle Shop, DeKalb Street. 24

FORD, MAXWELL and CHEVROLET OWNERS—Come in and let us show you the new FISK Red Top 30x3 1-2 Tires. These tires are as large as 31x4 and carry an 8,000 mile guarantee. W. O. HAY'S Garage, So. Broad St., Camden, S. C. 23-26

MOTORLIFE saves gasoline and removes carbon. Don't make another trip without it.

BATTERIES REPAIRED—Wanted you to know that we can repair any make battery the same as a tire or any part of your car if your battery is not giving you satisfaction bring it to us. Beards Garage, Phone 118-J 22tf

BATTERIES EXCHANGED—If your battery is no good don't buy a new one until you see us. We can make an exchange with you and save you money. We are agents for the Presto-lite, with a guarantee that means something. Beards Garage, Phone 118-J. 22tf

WANTED—To purchase a 6 to 7 room house, price must be reasonable. Address P. O. Box 274, Camden. 21

AGENT WANTED—For Waltham Hair Preparation. See or call on Madam K. E. Belton, 1713 Gordon Street, Camden, S. C. 20tf

BICYCLES—Just received a large shipment of Bicycles, all sizes, at prices that cannot be beat. Don't buy until you see me. Stokes Bicycle Shop, DeKalb Street, Camden 23

WANTED LUMBER—At all times, gum, poplar, ash, oak, maple juniper and pine lumber. Never sell your lumber without consulting us; there's a reason. We pay 90 per cent cash on receipt of shipping papers. East Carolina Lumber Company, New Bern, N. C. 20tf

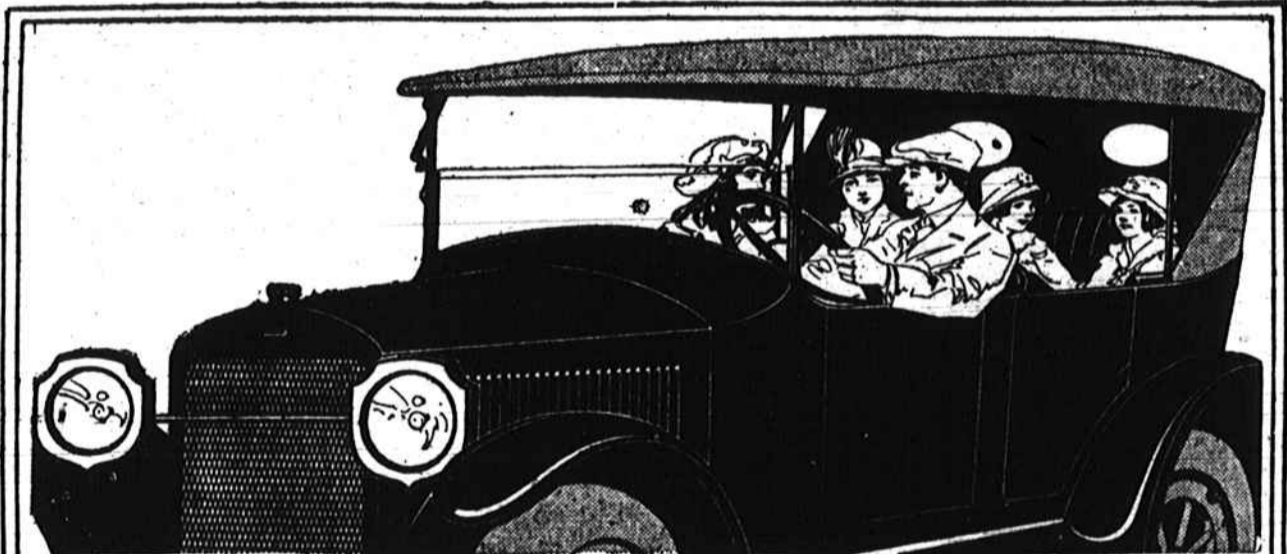
WANTED—To know why we cannot do your kodak developing, printing and all that is to be done. All work guaranteed. Address Buddin and Kirkland, P. O. Box 147, Camden, S. C. 20

IN NEW GARAGE—We are now in our garage on DeKalb street and have a complete stock of tires, tubes and accessories in stock. We are also equipped to do repair work on any make car. Beards Garage, Phone 118-J. 20tf

FOR SALE—One new Winchester pump gun, with cleaning rod and gun case. First \$45 takes all three. Apply at The Chronicle office. 20tf

RED CEDAR SHINGLES—Call One-Oh-Four. We have the best that can be manufactured. Mill-town yard—old McCright lot next Courthouse. Davidson and Co., Office Crocker Building 1f

STORAGE BATTERIES RECHARGED—If your battery needs recharging, don't lay your car up to have it done, we can furnish you with one until yours is charged. Distilled water, and test free of charge. Beards Garage, Phone No. 118-J. 22tf



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