

### Quick Way To Break Heavy Cough

Many have been astonished how quickly a bad cough disappears when treated with a new double-acting treatment that is simple but wonderfully effective. Some throat ailments are cured in a few days. Here is the method, which is based on a remarkable prescription known as Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs. You simply take one teaspoonful and hold it in your throat for 20 seconds before swallowing. The prescription has a double action. It not only soothes and heals the inflamed and inflamed, but also loosens and removes the phlegm and congestion which are the direct cause of the coughing. When the cause is removed, the severest cough quickly disappears. This treatment is for coughs, chest colds, tickling, sore throat, whooping cough, spasmodic, hoarseness, etc. Recommended for children as well as grown folks—no opiates or narcotics. Economical, as the dose is only one teaspoonful. At all good druggists. Ask for



"PLANT, NOT PLUCK"

### Wild Flower Preservationists Decry Stripping Land of Holly and Trees

New York, Dec. 5.—By urging the individual planting of trees and holly, the Wild Flower Preservation Society is making every effort to impress the holiday-loving public with the present need for adding to nature's store of seasonal greens instead of taking from it. One of the pleas made by Mrs. Elizabeth G. Britton, secretary-treasurer of the society, is that much of the holly purchased was originally taken from the woods and that, for the most part unknowingly, those who buy are indorsing unlawful practices.

The destruction of holly on Long Island is one of the most glaring examples, Mrs. Britton said, and with the disappearance of 12 van loads of the plant last year at Montauk without the property owners' knowledge, members of garden clubs and all nature lovers are thoroughly aroused to the immediate need for taking protective measures. In an article commending the work of the Girl Scouts in this crusade, published in a current issue of "The American Girl," Mrs. Britton, who is also honorary curator of the New York Botanical Garden, writes: "Holly has practically disappeared from all points in its northern range within easy access of any of the larger cities. Botanists in Massachusetts, Connecticut, New York and New Jersey all report that with the exception of a few staminate trees, which do not bear fruit, there is little or no holly left in any of these states.

"If the city be your home, or a suburb where land is too limited to admit of even a few plant guests, it still lies within your power to share in the mutually profitable undertaking of keeping Christmas greens forever available. Buy a living tree, enjoy it for as many days as you please, and then don't throw it away but give it to your neighborhood playground, or school, or nursery, or hospital, or park to plant. There's a far keener joy in conserving life than in destroying it, and few of us relish the knowledge that a cumulative total of 600 years of holly life is extinguished in one puny florist's box."

Mrs. Britton explained that in many of the public schools, particularly in Baltimore, children were being urged to plant holly, as a means of calling the attention of parents to the need. At the New York Botanical Garden, hollyberries were planted in mid-winter and were forced with artificial heat at first, then kept in pots in cold frames the second winter, and afterward set out, attaining a height of three feet in three years.

### Barfield Returns to Jail

Darlington, Dec. 6.—As sudden and surprising as was the break from jail last Wednesday night was the return about 11:30 o'clock last night of Loye Harrison, alias John Barfield, who was one of the five prisoners who got away Wednesday night by sawing through the bars in the jail and is the second one to return voluntarily to jail. Sheriff E. W. Register recaptured one, Dave Jackson, negro, and as Bill Hammond, negro, had returned the night of his escape there remain now only two at large. They are Bink Brown, white, and Jim McDonald, negro.

Barfield told the sheriff on his return that he was wrong in trying to get away, as he was innocent of the killing of Federal Officer Leroy Youmans, for which he is awaiting a new trial, having been found guilty and sentenced by Judge E. C. Dennis to life imprisonment at the first trial, but the supreme court ordered a new trial. Barfield further said that in view of the kindness shown him by Sheriff Register he did not want to put him and the county to the expense and trouble of having to make a search for him. He also said he had been as far as Lexington county before he decided to return.

### Give \$250,000 To Negro Institutions

New York, Dec. 2.—An anonymous gift of \$250,000 toward the \$5,000,000 endowment for Hampton and Tuskegee institutes was announced Thursday by the fund committee. The money was given by a New York banker who preferred that his name be held secret. It was said by Clarence H. Kelsey, chairman of the board of the Title Guaranty and Trust company of New York, a committee official.

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, widow of the late President Roosevelt, left last week from New York for Santiago, Cuba, where she will attend the unveiling of a memorial to Theodore Roosevelt.

### NOVELIST KILLED

Mrs. Gene Stratton Porter Dead From Automobile Accident

Los Angeles, Dec. 7.—Gene Stratton Porter, novelist and short story writer died here tonight from injuries sustained when her automobile collided with a street car earlier in the evening.

The writer's husband, Charles D. Porter, a banker of Rome City, Ind., whose arrival here for Christmas was expected by Mrs. Porter, has been notified of his wife's death.

Mrs. Porter has been a resident of California for the last five years during which time she contributed her writing and reproduced some of her books in motion pictures.

She was born on a farm in Indiana in 1858, the daughter of Mark and Mary Stratton. In 1886 she married Charles Darwin Porter, at Wabash, Ind.

Mrs. Porter was noted as an author and illustrator, her two most noted works being "The Girl of the Limberlost" and "Freckles." She was the author of more than 15 books, among them being several on birds and bird life, on which subject she was a recognized authority.

The accident in which the authoress was fatally injured happened a short distance from her home while she was on her way to call on her brother, Jerome C. Stratton.

Taken to the receiving hospital, the writer never regained consciousness. Physicians at the time announced that her chances for recovery were slight.

Leaving her home and driving toward Hollywood with her chauffeur Mrs. Porter's automobile was struck by a street car at a street intersection. The chauffeur's condition also was reported serious by physicians at the emergency hospital.

### NOTICE OF ELECTION

State of South Carolina,  
County of Kershaw,  
City of Camden.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the City of Camden on Tuesday, the 16th day of December 1924, for the qualified electors of the City of Camden to vote upon the question of decreasing the territory of said City by voting out that portion of the City of Camden now owned by the Wateree Mills in the corporate limits of said City hereinafter described.

The polls will be open at eight o'clock a. m. and close at four o'clock p. m., at the following polling places:

- Ward One: Lobby of the Opera House.
- Ward Two: Lobby of the Fashion Shop, Southeastern corner of Broad and DeKalb streets.
- Ward Three: Dixon's Store, East side of Broad street.
- Ward Four: Schlosburg's porch, Northwestern corner of Laurens and Lyttleton streets.
- Ward Five: Porch of J. B. Zemp's residence, Chestnut street.
- Ward Six: Porch of G. A. Mosely's residence, northwest corner of Broad and Chestnut streets.

The following is the territory proposed to be cut off:

All that parcel of land now within the City of Camden owned by the Wateree Mills, said parcel of land being bounded on the North by premises of Sarsfield Golf Club; East by high water mark of Little Pine Tree Creek; on the South by the old Camden-Cheraw Public Road, and on the West by Southern Railway, as will be more fully shown by plat of A. B. Boykin, Surveyor, of date September 15, 1924.

That at said election those favoring the reduction of said area will vote a ticket upon which will be printed "For reduction of corporate limits," and those opposed to such reduction will vote a ticket upon which will be printed "Against reduction of corporate limits."

H. G. CARRISON, JR.,  
Mayor.  
Attest: W. H. HAILE,  
City Clerk.

### TAX RETURNS

Office of Auditor Kershaw County,  
Camden, S. C., December 1st, 1924

Notice is hereby given that the Auditor's Office will be open for receiving Tax Returns from January 1st, 1925, to February 20th, 1925. All persons owning real estate or personal property must make returns of the same within said period, as required by law, or be subject to a penalty of 50 per cent.

The Auditor will attend in person or by deputy at the following places in the county on the dates indicated for receiving returns.

- Bethune: January 14th and 15th.
- Raley's Mill: January 16th.
- Kirkley's Store: January 19th.
- Kershaw: January 21st, and 22nd.
- Westville: January 23rd.
- Lugoff: January 27th.
- Rabons Cross Roads: January 28th.
- Blaney: January 29th.

All persons between the ages of 21 and 60 years, inclusive are required to pay Poll tax and all persons between the ages of 21 and 60 years inclusive are required to pay a Road tax, unless excused by law. All Trustees, Guardians, Executors, Administrators or Agents holding property in trust or charge must return same. Parties sending tax returns by mail must make oath to same before some officer and fill out same in proper manner or they will be rejected.

B. E. SPARROW,  
Auditor Kershaw County.

### NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

All parties indebted to the estate of John D. McLain, deceased, are hereby notified to make payment to the undersigned, and all parties, if any, having claims against the said estate will present them duly attested within the time prescribed by law.

IDA L. McLAIN,  
Executrix.  
Camden, S. C., December 3rd, 1924.



# PRICES REDUCED

Effective December 2, the Ford Motor Company announces new low prices on all Ford cars. A reduction of Twenty Five Dollars on the Fordor Sedan and lower prices on all other types make Ford cars even greater values than ever before.

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### Mrs. Anna Buzzi Freed

New York, Dec. 6.—Mrs. Anna Buzzi, twice tried for the murder of Frederick Schneider, the wealthy contractor with whom she lived for seven years and once sentenced to electrocution, was freed by the jury early today at the conclusion of her second trial. The principal witness for the defense was Mrs. John McGeahan,

wife of the district attorney, whose office prosecuted the woman. She testified that she talked with Mrs. Buzzi by phone at the latter's home within an hour of the finding of Schneider's body, and the defense contended the woman could not have killed Schneider where the tragedy occurred and gotten home by that time. Principal witness for the state

was William Turk, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Buzzi, who swore that he loaned her a revolver and that she confessed to the crime to him.

### Notice To Delinquent Taxpayers.

Under the tax laws adopted by the South Carolina legislature in March, 1924, sheriffs are required to make final returns on all executions within six months. Drastic methods are pro-

vided to force sheriffs in the performance of this duty. Therefore, this is notice to delinquents that payment cannot be postponed any longer.

With the many executions in my hands, it will be necessary to proceed with levy and sale of property.

Payment at my office, or to authorized collectors, will save additional expense.  
G. C. WELSH,  
Sheriff Kershaw County.

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