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The bargains in mail order catalogues are sometimes more imaginable than real, and when the goods come they may not be such bargains as the glowing descriptions when perused around the family fireside would indicate. Here's a case in point from The Anderson Daily Mail, which shows, not only that it sometimes saves in dollars and cents to buy at home, but the customer gets quicker delivery, has somebody right at hand to fall back on in case of dissatisfaction, etc.: "An Anderson

The BULL'S EYE

Editor and General Manager WILL ROGERS



You Can't Smoke History

A fellow from Carolina wants to know where I get the idea that "Bull" Durham and George Washington come from the same state. He says, "Why don't you write and give the people the real History of 'Bull' Durham in its native State, South Carolina, that people would appreciate that more than these Bull Legends of yours."

Now thanks, Sir, for your good-natured suggestion. If I knew History I wouldn't be able to write "Bull" Durham Ads. I would be a College Professor, get everything right, and get nothing for it. Everything you suggested me telling the public about when and where "Bull" Durham originated, has been told for 66 years by typical Advertising writers. That's the only thing the Company asked of me was "please don't tell again where it came from, or how." You see you didn't read their Ads, but you did read mine and remembered it, because it was wrong.

Writing Ads that will be remembered is a queer game. This is an Ad, not a History. I selected Ads over History on account of the pay. (American Tobacco Company's pay is as good as its tobacco.) Where "Bull" Durham comes from or where it goes to is left for the starving Historian.

Will Rogers

P.S. You notice I named in this article the WRONG Carolina. That's so North Carolina will get sore because I named South Carolina, and South Carolina will get sore because I didn't name North Carolina. A true Southerner never forgets.

P.P.S. There will be another piece in this paper soon. Watch for it.

66 YEARS OF PUBLIC SERVICE

2 BAGS for 15¢ make 100 cigarettes

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"BULL" DURHAM

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INCORPORATED

111 Fifth Avenue, New York City

lady saw a bargain in towels in a mail order journal published in Chicago and bought a dozen for 20 each. When the towels arrived she discovered they were made by a manufacturing concern near Anderson and could have been bought in her home town for 16 cents each. A traveling man representing a wholesale jobbing house more than 100 miles from Dillon sold a Dillon merchant a lot of chicken feed. When the chicken feed arrived the local merchant was amazed to find on the bags 'Manufactured by Carolina Milling Co., Dillon, S. C.' The indifference of the small town is what adds to the size and wealth of the big cities."—Chester Reporter.

WHY NOT IMPROVE IT?

Some years ago the Hobkirk Hill chapter D. A. R. placed a handsome boulder to mark the spot where the gallant Baron DeKalb fell in the Battle of Camden on August 16, 1780. This boulder, though near the public road, would not be seen by the average passerby, being obscured by shrubbery and underbrush.

Would it not be a good idea to have this cleared away and instead plant evergreens and blooming trees such as crabapple, dogwood and the like and create the Baron DeKalb Park on the Camden Battleground, making it a place of beauty?

This would also be an ideal spot for the Battleground Tea Room where not only our own people but the stranger within our gates could spend many pleasant evenings, making this a shrine where the lovers of history could gather for this spot is not only of local but national interest. The Boy Scouts could be interested in this project and could put it over in a day. And Mr. W. A. Edwards, who so graciously donated one acre for this purpose, would gladly add one or two more, and then a sign-board should be placed where this road leaves the new highway, directing the stranger to this spot.

BACKING HIS CONVICTIONS

(From The Manufacturer)

A lawyer in New York City wrote his brother who is head of a New York state country bank, in regard to the use of government printed envelopes by the bank. He said:

"I know their convenience and doubtless they are cheaper, but in these days when the various classes of industry and business realize the necessity of fighting against the encroachment of the government and state into business, it is rather inconsistent for a bank, or any other business, to encourage government competition with its own citizens. So far as the envelopes are concerned, the government is in the business tax free; and if it can manufacture, sell and distribute envelope in competition with private enterprise, which must pay the taxes to maintain government, there is no good reason why it should not invade other fields of business. Each industrial function taken over in the name of the government adds an increased tax burden on the private citizen and property owner. I think that when the present supply of government envelopes is exhausted, we should purchase our envelopes from a private printer who pays taxes to maintain our government, even if it makes us lick our own stamps and causes us to pay a little more for the printing. Think it over."

Type Metal Wit

A woman can make a fool of a man without half trying.

What a lot of things there are to disagree about at home.

Wonder if the old boys ever did work sixteen hours a day?

The average family has more money tied up in drugs than in food.

Who was the first man to begin eating asparagus with his fingers?

It costs a lot of money to die comfortably, unless one goes off suddenly.

Speaking of exasperating things, how about trying to smoke a busted cigar?

Why is it that a man with a beard always seems to like poached eggs?

The men who used to pull out their gold-filled, jeweled watches on the slightest provocation now talk about their automobiles and golf scores.

When twins are announced by a neighbor you might as well act natural and laugh.

We walk into trouble through open doors; we have to pick the locks to get out.—Type Metal Magazine.

G. M. Adams, Tyler, Smith County, Texas, produced sixteen bales of fine cotton on five acres and sold it for \$2,484.46; in addition to winning prizes of \$1,500. He declared that he had exploded the theory that one and a half bales were the maximum that could be raised on one acre.

Marriage

Mr. Edgar Riley and Miss Oia Rambo, of Columbia, were married by Probate Judge W. L. McDowell on March 20.

THIS WEEK



By Arthur Brisbane

Mr. Brisbane's editorials are published as expressions of opinions of the world's highest-salaried editor and The Chronicle does not necessarily endorse all of his views and conclusions.

This is written with scenery. On the left is sinking an Arizona sunset. Come out here, if you want to know how it looks. On the left the moon is up, gaining color, as the sun goes down. And from this spot you could walk a few feet, then jump down one mile. This is the Grand Canyon of the Colorado, with its thousands of towers, mountains, forts, peaks of every shape and color rising up from the canyon's floor one mile down. The western horizon is a rim of gold, the farewell effort and defiance of the sun, rolling down to China. And the canyon below is changing its colors and shadows, obedient to fading sunlight and growing moonlight. It would be worth your while to see that. Shadows and bands of color a mile high, exposed layers of old earth that took millions of centuries to build laid bare by the rushing waters, each with its color and character, each an open book to the geologist, showing exact age as plainly as you read it in a painted face.

A genuine artist, with soul, temperament and similar things, would be sick and probably faint if he could look up from these typewriter letters, carefully padded with rubber, toward the east and west. Below the pale moon, almost full, the sky is a dark rose purple. Below the purple there is a dark broad band of heavy blue. The moon, queen of heaven, rides in triumph on a colored throne as wide as the sky.

Somebody should warn owners of mills in Passaic that they are running risks. This nation was interested when gas bombs first appeared in the big war. It will not be pleased to hear of employers fighting a strike, legal in character, using gas bombs against their workers, and turning heavy streams of cold water on women and children, when tear gas failed to do the work.

Now the workers have bought two thousand gas masks to be ready for the next attack, which is not pleasant reading in this prosperous republic. We are doing pretty well here; industrialists are not exactly starving to death. They should warn those Passaic idiots against upsetting the apple cart. Employers have considerably more to lose than employees in the game of violence.

A solemn Washington dispatch says the president and cabinet discussed the Wall street scare, and "President Coolidge let it be known that he felt there was nothing taking place in the business world symptomatic of a let-up in the present prosperity."

The trouble, just "nervous prosperity" among those of the gamblers, afraid of their own profits.

The revised income tax rate will bring hundreds of millions out of the income tax proof non-taxable securities, and business will boom more than ever.

You read of young Americans going to the dogs via the Charleston, jazz and bootleg whiskey. Then Samuel Moore, seventeen-year-old captain of the high school rifle team at Newton, Mass., reassures you with his new world's record.

That young gentleman, it sounds unbelievable, made three thousand consecutive bullseyes between eight o'clock in the morning and five in the evening. Neither Charleston nor premature hootch has ruined that young man's nerves.

The world has been much explored since and before the days of Marco Polo, and the exploring goes on. Ten expeditions are about to start for the polar regions, some to find the Pole again, others to seek new lands, and, perhaps, oil, gold, etc. Others go in the interest of science.

In Canada frozen roads are packed with gold seekers, defying the temperature fifty degrees below zero, in a new gold rush; gold seekers, mushing in dog sleds, racing to the new strike where "gold is showing over a stretch of country five miles in length, with good ground still unstaked." It won't remain unstaked long. Say "gold" and people move as when you cry "fire."

The Oldest Twins

Says the Lincoln County, N. C., News: While Charlotte claims the distinction of having the oldest female twins in the United States, who are eighty-one years old, Lincoln County claims the oldest in the States of South and North Carolina. They were born October 5, 1834, and are ninety-one years old, are in fairly good health, and can get around well considering their age, and still are able to attend church. These twins are D. A. Yoder, Sr., and his twin sister, Mrs. Mary Yoder Dellinger who are living in the Daniels section of Howards Creek Township, Lincoln County, N. C.

Notice of Stockholders Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a special meeting of the stockholders of John M. Villepigue & Company, held at the office of Kirkland and Kirkland, on the 19th day of April, A. D. 1926, at twelve o'clock m. for the purpose of considering a resolution of the Board of Directors, authorizing increase of the capital stock of the said Company from ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) to fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) and for consideration of any other business that may properly come before the said meeting.

JOHN M. VILLEPIGUE,
President and Secretary.
Camden, S. C., March 24, 1926. 4-t

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of South Carolina
County of Kershaw

J. C. Miller, E. R. Miller, corporation in trade, doing business under the firm name and style of Miller Bros., Plaintiffs,
against
C. N. Horton, Defendant

By virtue of an execution to me directed, in the above stated case, I will sell to the highest bidder, at public auction, within the legal hours of sale, in front of the court house door in the City of Camden, County and State aforesaid, on Monday, the 5th day of April, 1926, the following described property, to wit: "All that tract or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the County of Kershaw, South Carolina, containing thirty-five (35) acres, more or less, bounded on North by lands of C. W. Holley; East by W. A. Catoe; South by W. A. Seegars; West by Mt. Pisgah church property, known as the Newt Horton Home place." Levied on and to be sold as the property of C. N. Horton to satisfy the aforesaid execution and costs.

Terms of sale, cash.
G. C. WELSH,
Sheriff Kershaw County.
March 16, 1926.

MASTER'S SALE.

State of South Carolina,
County of Kershaw,
(Court of Common Pleas)

Under and by virtue of a Decree of the Court of Common Pleas for Kershaw County in the case of L. W. Dickerson, Plaintiff, against Jacob Moore, defendant, I, R. H. Hilton, Master for Kershaw County, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash during the legal hours of sale before the Court House door at Camden, S. C., on the first Monday in March, 1926, being the 5th day of March, 1926, the following described real estate, to wit:

"All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Kershaw, State of South Carolina, in Township No. 12, containing one hundred and eighty (180) acres, more or less,

bounded on the North by lands of myself; East by lands of myself and Rachael Brown; South by lands of myself and Old Man John Rose and West by lands of Old Man John Rose and being the same tract conveyed to me in 1883 by Jos. Kennedy."

Terms of sale, cash.

The successful bidder will be required to deposit with the Master a certified check or cash in the sum of \$100. same to be forfeited upon failure to comply with his bid and the property resold on the same or some subsequent sales-day at the risk of the former purchaser or purchasers.

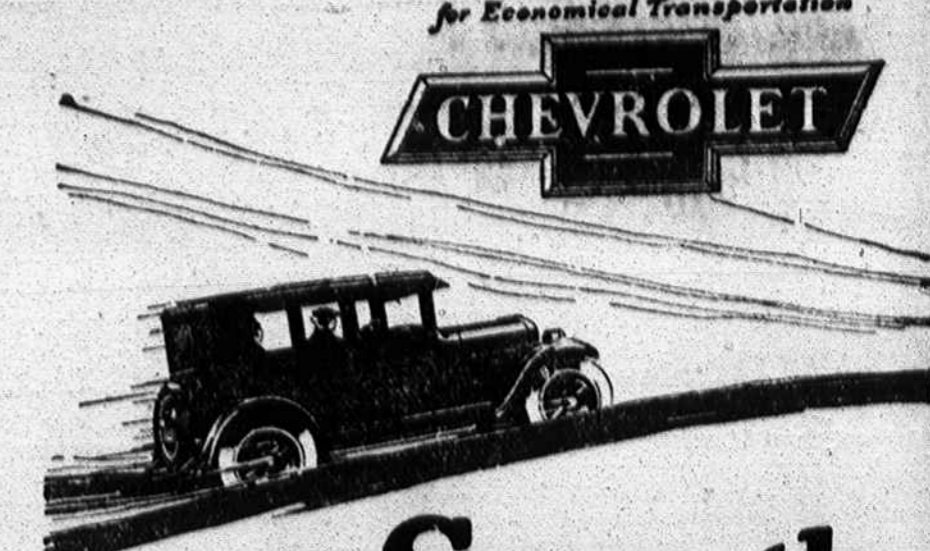
R. H. HILTON,
Master Kershaw County.
March 18, 1926.

MASTER'S SALE.

State of South Carolina
County of Kershaw
(Court of Common Pleas)

The American Surety Company of New York, Plaintiff,
against
James DeLoache, James DeLoache, Jr., and The Enterprise Building and Loan Association, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of a decree of his Honor, Judge W. H. Townsend, of date March 18th, 1926, I will offer for sale in front of the Court House door in the city of Camden, during



so Smooth so Powerful

Your first drive in the Improved Chevrolet will be a revelation! Improved, made amazingly smooth and responsive—Chevrolet offers today a combination of power and effortless performance absolutely new in the low price field!

But even more remarkable is the fact that these improvements cost you not more, but actually less—because the prices have been substantially reduced.

Take a ride in the Improved Chevrolet. A demonstration will delight you!

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| Touring | \$510 | Coach | \$645 | 1/2 Ton Truck | \$395 |
| Roadster | 510 | Sedan | 735 | 1 Ton Truck | 550 |
| Coupe | 645 | Landau | 765 | | |

(Chassis Only)
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J. O. B. Flint, Michigan

Government tax reduction on automobiles officially in effect on March 26 is allowed NOW on all purchases of Chevrolet cars.

Welsh Motor Company

CLYBURN BLOCK CAMDEN, S. C.

QUALITY AT LOW COST

Monday in April, 1926, the same being the 5th day thereof, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate:

All that parcel or lot of land in the City of Camden, in the County of Kershaw and State of South Carolina and fronting seventy-five (75) feet west on Fair Street and extending back west to a depth of two hundred sixty-four (264) feet, having a width of sixty-eight (68) feet, the southern boundary line running east for one hundred forty-two (142) feet, then north seven (7) feet, then east again for the remaining depth of the said premises. This lot is bounded on the north by premises formerly of R. W. DeLoache, now of M. W. Boykin; east by lot of Julia Benson; south by premises of R. E. DeLoache, and west by Fair street.

Any person desiring to bid at said sale, except the defendant Enterprise Building and Loan Association, is required to deposit with me before bidding at said sale the sum of one hundred dollars in money or certified check on some responsible bank, as a pledge to make good his bid in case of its acceptance.

The said property is sold subject to any taxes or paving falling due thereon after the date of the said decree.

B. B. CLARKE,
Special Master.
March 16, 1926.

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Has made larger crops—and more friends than any fertilizer we know of. We have been handling Congaree Fertilizers for a number of years and are convinced that they are superior in every respect, both in mechanical condition and quality. The many satisfied customers who have made money by using Congaree Fertilizers, Soil Builder, 8-3-3 and 8-4-4, speak in eloquent terms. We solicit your business and once you try Congaree Fertilizers, you will be one of the boosters.

When you place your order for this year's requirements be sure to see us. Our fertilizers are better and our prices are the same as others. Thanking you for past patronage, and soliciting a continuance of same,

Yours very truly,

SPRINGS & SHANNON, Inc.

CAMDEN, S. C.