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THURSDAY, AUGUST 21, 1913.

With a breach of promise suit and impeachment proceedings pending against him we have no doubt but that Gov. Sulzer of New York, is willing to concede that Sherman's definition of war applies equally as well to politics—as played by Tammany Hall.

Rather a peculiar condition of affairs in S. C. when an alleged negro murderer from one State can secure protection in an adjoining commonwealth simply because the two governments happen to be on "requisition terms" as it were?

South Carolina's fast building up a reputation as a haven of refuge for the criminals of other States is the great and glorious issue.

The Centennial there was a "Dime" at Matthews funds meeting.

## BLACK ROOT CAUSED COTTON PLANTS TO DIE

Col. Harry D. Calhoun Received Reply to His Letter of Inquiry

Col. Harry D. Calhoun wrote to the Clemson College authorities some time ago in regard to the dying of cotton plants in certain fields in and around Barnwell. Last week he received the following communication from Prof. H. W. Barre, professor of botany, and the information contained therein will, no doubt prove of interest and value to the farmer readers of The People.

Clemson College  
August 15, 1913.

Mr. Harry D. Calhoun,  
Barnwell, S. C.

Dear Sir—

Your letter about diseased and dying cotton plants in your county has been delayed on account of my absence.

Comparing the diseased or dying cotton in your county with complaints received from other parts of the State, I take it that you have what is known as the Cotton Wilt, frequently spoken of as Black Root or Blight, and the disease can be controlled by using varieties of cotton seed and low peas that are resistant to it.

We have two varieties of cotton, the Dixie and the Dillon, that are practically immune to wilt, and we are planting these varieties on wilt-infested lands and are securing splendid results.

We find, however, another trouble is associated with cotton wilt. This trouble is known as root knot, caused by the nematode or eel worm boring into the roots of the plant causing galls or knots to form thereon. Root knot is prevalent on light lands and attacks all of our staple crops except corn and small grain crops, and cotton that is immune to wilt is often subjected to root knot, and where both troubles occur it is necessary to get rid of the root knot before trying an immune variety of cotton. This can be done by practicing rotation of crops, leaving cotton and ordinary peas off for two years, planting corn and Brabham Iron Peas and other small grain, and it would be perfectly safe then to plant Dixie or Dillon cotton seed on these lands.

We are operating about twenty breeders in the State that have the Dixie and Dillon cotton seeds, and our arrangement with them is \$1.00 per bushel. Any farmer can get them by applying to this department.

Very truly,  
H. W. Barre,  
Professor of Botany,  
Clemson College, S. C.

One-fourth off on Straw Hats and Canvas Oxforas.  
J. A. Porter.—adv.

## CELEBRATED TENTH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Loadholt Entertained a Number of Friends.

Parfax, Aug. 16.—Mrs. John Weekley of Ulmer is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Otis Deer.

The Misses Davis of Williston, after spending some time with Miss Maude Barber, are now visiting Allendale relatives.

Mrs. Harriet Jenny is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Merdame Essie Lightsey and Maude Wideman and children are visiting their friend at Barnwell, Mrs. Harry Calhoun.

Hugh Craddock, after spending several weeks in Columbia, is with his mother here.

Mrs. M. Moye has gone to Glenn Springs and from there will go to the mountains of North Carolina.

Miss Sadie Harter and Holbrook Williams have returned from a pleasant visit to relatives.

Mrs. W. E. Harter expects to attend the family reunion at Hickory Grove with her mother's family.

W. E. Harter, J. P. Lightsey and Benjamin Brunson left Wednesday for Baltimore and other cities.

Miss Lena Hammond is visiting relatives at Tampa, Fla.

Miss Ethel All and brother of Kline visited here recently.

Mrs. O. J. Youmans is entertaining quite a house party. Miss Thelma Lewis of Bamberg, Miss Cornelia Langford of Brunson, Carroll and Gladys Parker of Allendale.

On the evening of August 12 Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Loadholt entertained quite a number of married couples, young women and young men, celebrating their tenth anniversary of marriage.

They were assisted in receiving and entertaining by Miss Zelle, the young lady of the home. Progressive conversation was enjoyed. Trailing pot plants were displayed 10 years of age.

A salad course, then a sweet course was served. A poem, composed for the occasion, was well read by Miss Zelle Youmans.

Miss Susie Abingthorpe has returned from home in Maryland.

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## REPORT OF SUPERVISOR FOR QUARTER ENDING JUNE 30th, 1913.

Continued from last week.

1913 Claim No.	Date	Name	Amount
474	May 1	J. L. Carlton, constable	25 00
475	"	C. H. Boyles	25 00
476	"	E. W. Bowman, magistrate	25 00
477	"	John K. Snelling, salary 25 00, January 25 00	45 00
478	"	B. F. Lewis, spouization	5 00
479	"	J. T. Wilson, Jr., C. G.	215 30
480	"	Frank Dunbar, Rural Police	75 00
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482	June 1	J. S. Still, C. G.	150 00
483	"	J. N. Harsy, constable	7 32
484	"	N. A. Hiers, magistrate	8 34
485	"	W. P. Sanders, magistrate	10 41
486	"	W. P. Sanders, magistrate	10 41
487	"	B. O. Norris, constable	13 11
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489	"	W. L. Woodward, salary 75 00, P. H. 34 50	88 48
490	"	G. O. Barker, lumber	75 00
491	"	L. G. Stender, Rural Police	13 12
492	"	B. B. Easterling, Com Barnwell	26 50
493	"	Smith Bros, C. G.	325 49
494	"	Williston Geo Co, C. G.	1 50
495	"	C. B. Boyles, constable	25 00
496	"	J. J. Owens, Com Allendale	11 25
497	"	N. B. Loadholt, Com Allendale	14 25
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506	"	W. J. Faust, constable	10 41
507	"	J. W. Hair, magistrate	20 48
508	"	B. R. Gross, constable	24 74
509	"	B. R. Gross, constable	23 75
510	"	J. J. Harter, Com Sycamore	47 42
511	"	Geo. F. Young, Com Allendale	2 00
512	"	J. R. Rouse, Roads and Bridges	2 00
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