

The Bamberg Herald

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Thursday, April 26, 1917.

The Herald has stated so repeatedly that it does not publish unsigned communications that we thought everybody must know it. However, we received an unsigned communication Monday. We, of course, cannot print it. Newspapers have most excellent reasons for not printing anonymous letters. There is no way of ascertaining the authenticity of anonymous letters. The Herald will print news letters if the writer will sign his or her name to let us know who is responsible for the letter and omit signature, but communications the nature of which is express the opinions of the writers must be signed for publication. If you wish to express your opinion on any matter, you should be willing to let the people know who you are; and if you don't want the people to know your identity, you had better not send it to The Herald.

Address to Colored Farmers.

Editors Bamberg Herald:—The civic preparedness commission, colored, working under and in cooperation with the white commission, Col. D. R. Coker, of Hartsville, chairman, was given instructions by Col. Coker and urged to go immediately to work and prevail upon our people to plant plenty of foodstuffs, economize and act at once. A chairman for each county was appointed and instructed to work in cooperation with the white people and farm demonstration agents, white and colored. Mr. Sparks, secretary of the commission, with headquarters in the State company's building, Columbia, is ready to give information to colored county chairmen. The time to do effective work is short. Colored people should call meetings and organize on or before April 28th. Here is a chance for every colored leader, preacher and teacher to show his interest in his people. There is no money for the leaders in this movement, as I know of, and nobody is promised any money, but every negro who is interested in his race has a chance now to show himself loyal by giving instructions to the colored people and disseminating the information they get in the communities where they live. The colored preachers would do well on the remaining Sunday in this month to preach the "full gospel"—salvation of soul and body.

The Newberry patriotic meeting on the 17th was the best I know of and the most effective and far-reaching. The white farmers came to the court house the day of the meeting, bringing the colored farmers to hear the speeches on preparedness. I believe that the negroes in each county in the State will see more clearly their duty if the Newberry example is followed. Every negro preacher, teacher and pastor should get busy with pen and tongue. Whatever time I have to give to this work I am giving free of charge and I am not asking anybody to do what I am not doing. If anyone wishes so to do, come to my place in Kendalltown, when I am at home, and you will see that I am practicing what I am preaching along this line. I leave on the 28th for Alabama to spend one week and I am urging our people between now and that time to get busy and plant every vacant lot in something to eat for man and beast.

RICHARD CARROLL,
Chairman Negro Civic Preparedness Commission for South Carolina.

How Much is a Billion?

How much is a billion—not dollars, but a billion anything. A traveling salesman asked Mr. R. L. White if he could grasp the stupendousness of the amount and Mr. White said he couldn't. Then the salesman gave him some idea by stating that only one billion, seven million, five hundred and fifty thousand and two hundred minutes will have passed at the end of the year 1917 since the beginning of the Christian era. And yet the United States is about to raise seven billion dollars for war. If the above figures are incorrect figure it out to suit yourself.—Greenwood Journal.

Turn About is Fair Play.

"You are not making up that prescription as I would," remarked the stranger who had dropped in. "Dump in a little of this and a pinch of that."

"What do you mean? Are you a druggist?"

"No."

"Then why do you try to tell me how to run my business?"

"Oh, I'm the manager of the ball team. I notice you in the bleachers occasionally handing me unsolicited advice."—New York Herald.

An English scientist has brought out a new electrical process for coating iron or steel with lead.

GIANT WOLVES OF THE SEA.

Ruthless Killer Whales Swim in Banks Like Trained Soldiers.

The killer whale usually travels and hunts in "schools" or packs of from three to a dozen or more individuals. Unlike most whales, the members of these schools do not travel in a straggling party, but swim side by side, their movements as regularly timed as those of soldiers. A regularly spaced row of advancing long black fins swiftly cutting the undulating surface of the sea produces a singularly sinister effect. The evil impression is well justified, since killers are the most savage and remorseless of whales. The jaws are armed with rows of effective teeth, with which the animals attack and devour seals and porpoises and even destroy some of the larger whales.

Killers are like giant wolves of the sea and their ferocity strikes terror to other warm-blooded inhabitants of the deep. The Eskimos of the Alaskan coast Bering sea consider killers as actual wolves in sea form. They believe that in the early days, when the world was young and men and animals could change their form at will, land wolves often went to the edge of the shore ice and changed to killer whales and the killers returned to the edge of the ice and came out as wolves, to go ravaging over the land. Some of the natives assure me that even today certain wolves and killers are still endowed with this power, and, on account of their malignant character, are much feared by hunters.

Killers are known to swallow small seals and porpoises entire and attack large whales by tearing away their fleshy lips and tongues. When attacking large prey they work in packs, with all the unity and fierceness of so many wolves.—National Geographic Magazine.

More "Info" Wanted.

Unless much trouble it entails Will some one kindly state Who manicures the finger nails Upon the hands of Fate?
—Boston Transcript.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

The spring examination for teachers' certificates will be held at the court house, Bamberg, S. C., on Friday, May 4, 1917. Applicants are requested to be on hand promptly at 9 o'clock a. m.

R. W. D. ROWELL,
County Supt. of Education.
April 17, 1917.

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NOTICE OF OPENING OF BOOKS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

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A. M. DENBOW,
C. F. MUCKENFUS,
Board of Corporators.
Bamberg, S. C., April 25, 1917.

NOTICE OF TOWN ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, May 1st, 1917, an election will be held in the Town of Bamberg for mayor, six aldermen, and a commissioner of public works. All electors for said election will have to register again, and books of registration will remain open, in the office of E. H. Henderson, supervisor of registration, until April 23rd, 1917. 4-5. CITY OF BAMBERG.

FRIDAY
APRIL 27th
Wm. S Hart

in

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BAMBERG, S. C.

NOTICE OF SALE.

State of South Carolina, County of Bamberg—Court of Common Pleas: Farmers & Merchants Bank, Plaintiff, vs. Beatrice Black, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree of the Court of Common Pleas herein, I will sell at public sale, to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Court House door at Bamberg, S. C., during the legal hours of sale on salesday in May, 1917, being May 7, 1917, the following described property: All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, lying and being in the town of

Ehrhardt, S. C., in Bamberg County, and bounded as follows: North by lot of Duffie Lohdolt; East, by lot of J. D. Dannelly; South, by lot of J. D. Dannelly and West, by Madison street; fifty feet bordering on lot of J. D. Dannelly on the East; two hundred and ten feet bordering on lot of J. D. Dannelly on the South; two hundred and ten feet bordering on lot of Duffie Lohdolt on the North, and fifty feet on Madison street on the West.

J. J. BRABHAM, JR.,
Probate Judge for Bamberg County, Acting as Master.
Dated April 5, 1917.



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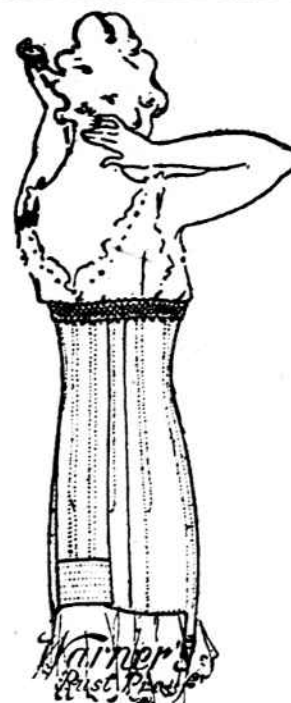
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