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INVESTIGATE, BY ALL MEANS.

One of the most sensible things we have heard of lately is the proposition to investigate the investigating committees of congress. A congressman has introduced a resolution for the appointment of an investigating committee to investigate the investigating committees. Fine idea. Naturally, it will be necessary to investigate this committee after a few years, but if there is anything in the world that congress has a plenty of it is material for investigating committees, so, of course, it will not mind another investigating committee to investigate the investigating committee that was appointed to investigate the investigating committees. By all means, investigate the investigators.

HOUSES.

Bamberg is confronted by a most serious problem—that of housing facilities. It is simply almost a matter of impossibility to secure a house in Bamberg. Even rooms cannot be secured. Four weeks ago The Herald employed a printer from Brunswick, Ga., and last week he left because he could not secure quarters to bring his family to Bamberg. The Herald is now obliged to advertise that married men with children not apply for employment in this office. We cannot blame any man for not locating in any town where he cannot bring his family.

Will not some men with money—there are any number in Bamberg—come to the rescue of the town and build some houses? We feel sure no one will object to paying a reasonable profit on the investment required to build comfortable residences.

THE SHANTUNG AMENDMENT.

It is a matter of profound satisfaction to the supporters of President Wilson that the Shantung amendment has been defeated in the United States senate. We do not pretend to know anything about the Shantung question, and we are pretty well satisfied that a great many of the senators do not know much more. But one thing is apparent even to a novice in diplomacy—that is, if he is honest about it, but, naturally, that is not to be expected of a certain coterie of senators in Washington: Shantung is now occupied by Japan, and the failure of the United States senate to ratify the peace treaty or the league of nations will not affect the return of Shantung to China. It is also a well known fact that the United States senate has never before evinced any interest in the rights of China. And it will not be evincing any interest now by refusing to ratify the treaty, or by amending it. On the contrary, the peace treaty does seek to do justice to the land of Confucius, and the treaty will in the future look after the interests of the ancient Orient. By the terms of the treaty of peace Shantung will be returned to China, but if the treaty fails Japan will be free to retain the province. Of course, we do not take the senators fighting the president to be a set of ignoramuses. They know all of these things. They are not thinking of the interests of China in wanting to annex the Shantung amendment to the treaty of peace. They have a much "loftier" motive. They are opposing the president. But the treaty of peace will be ratified, and it will be ratified almost if not exactly as framed. The justice of the thing has at last dawned on a majority of those in whose power rests the matter of ratification.

How it Read.

At a recent wedding the bride was Miss Jane Helper and the bridegroom was Mr. Newton Lord. The bridegroom, however, was very angry when he saw in the newspaper an account of the wedding, headed in the usual way: "Lord—Helper."

DEAD BODY ON TRACK.

Crew of Freight Train Makes Discovery at Trenton.

Trenton, Oct. 25.—When last night's midnight freight from Augusta came to the water tank at Trenton, a man was seen on the tracks and on investigating it was found he was dead, with his forehead crushed and both legs mangled. The conductor called the agent, J. A. Clark, over the phone. They moved the body to the station platform. The man was evidently killed by No. 7, about 8:30 o'clock the evening before. This man and a companion, said to be from Edgefield, had spent the afternoon in Trenton. Nothing can be learned here of the identity of the man; there were no marks about his person or clothing that would aid in his identification. He appeared to be 35 years of age, has gray eyes and dark hair. He wore blue clothes, the coat and trousers of the same color, but of different cloth. The body will be buried by J. R. Moss Sunday morning in the public portion of Ebenezer cemetery, the Southern Railway bearing the expenses.

How the Dog Felt.

A boy was coming back from his shooting trip, looking rather dejected.

"Not much luck, hey?" asked a man. "Shoot anything at all?"

"Shot my dog," laconically answered the boy.

"Shot your dog?" repeated the man. "Was he mad?"

"Well," answered the boy, "he didn't seem particularly pleased."

AN ALL NEW FEATURED SHOW.

Royal Spectacles, Rare Acts, and Startling Sensations.

The big circus day which means everybody's day in Bamberg this year will fall on November 4th, when Rhoda Royal's Hippodrome Show and Old Buffalo Trained Animal and Wild West Shows will so to speak, pitch their tents in our midst and in pageant and performance, almost overwhelm us with their grand and glorious aggregation of wild beasts, eminent equestrians, acrobats, jugglers, hilarious hosts of funny clowns, daring and dashing jockeys and performing animals, not forgetting "Frontier days," a complete Wild West Spectacle, introducing many thrills, rough riders, lasso throwing, rifle experts, fancy and trick riding by cow boys and cow girls, who were reared in the saddle on the plains of the far west. Space is inadequate to enumerate the many arenic and especially sensational features which will be seen under the mammoth water proof tents, and performed in one big ring, where you can enjoy it all without getting cross eyed. Don't miss the free open air exhibition on the grounds at 1 and 7 p. m. Big show performances start at 2 and 8 p. m., rain or shine.—adv.

What Can't Be Cured.

"Ah!" said the visitor; "this village boasts of a choral society, I understand."

"No," said the resident, "we don't boast of it—we endure it with resignation."

RECORD CHANGES HANDS.

Control Acquired by Several Men Already With Paper.

Columbia, Oct. 25.—Control of the Record Publishing Company, a \$100,000 corporation, was acquired by a deal consummated during the past few days by R. Charlton Wright and associates, Wm. O. Boger, Lawrence J. Davis, Walter E. Duncan and J. Harvey Shull, all of whom have been associated with the Columbia Record for some time past.

Involved in the purchase is the majority stock of the company, heretofore owned by Edwin W. Robertson. Mr. Robertson has disposed of his entire holdings in the company and this passes now into the hands of the owners.

Outclassed.

Wife—"That Mrs. Brown must be an awful gossip. I never can tell her anything but what she heard it before."—Blighty (London.)

DONALDSON 1ST; MAYNARD 2ND.

Latest Calculations Indicate South Carolinian Winner.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Although B. W. Maynard, of Wake Forest, N. C., was the first to complete transcontinental air race, Capt. J. O. Donaldson, of Greenville, S. C., made the flight in about ten hours' less flying time, according to the latest calculation, the War Department tonight announced. The department's comparison of the two aviator's flying time follows:

Donaldson, from New York to San Francisco, 31 hours, 37 minutes 19 seconds. San Francisco to New York, 25 hours, 56 minutes, 38 seconds. Total, 57 hours, 33 minutes, 57 seconds.

Maynard, from New York to San Francisco, 25 hours, 11 minutes, 8 1-2 seconds. San Francisco to New York, 41 hours, 52 minutes, 32 seconds. Total 67 hours, 3 minutes, 40 1-2 seconds.

NEGRO GOES TO CHAIR.

Spartanburg Jury Convicts Man of Crime Against Woman.

Spartanburg, Oct. 24.—Grover Butler, a negro, was convicted here today in the court of general sessions of a capital offense against a young white woman of this city and sentenced to die in the electric chair December 5. The offense for which the negro was tried was committed in the outskirts of this city several weeks ago and Butler was apprehended by county officers who worked on the case quietly by themselves.

Cope-Bell.

Ulmers, Oct. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cope announce the marriage of their daughter, Eugenia Agnes, to Mr. Mack Bell, of Cope. The marriage took place at Denmark Monday, October 13, the Rev. Mr. Rodgers officiating. After a short trip Mr. and Mrs. Bell will make their home at Cope, where Mr. Bell is in business.

Have Your Auto Tires Repaired

TIRES REPAIRED IN DETAIL AUTO CASINGS, TUBES, RIM CUTS, BLOW OUTS VULCANIZED. NEW STEAM PROCESS.

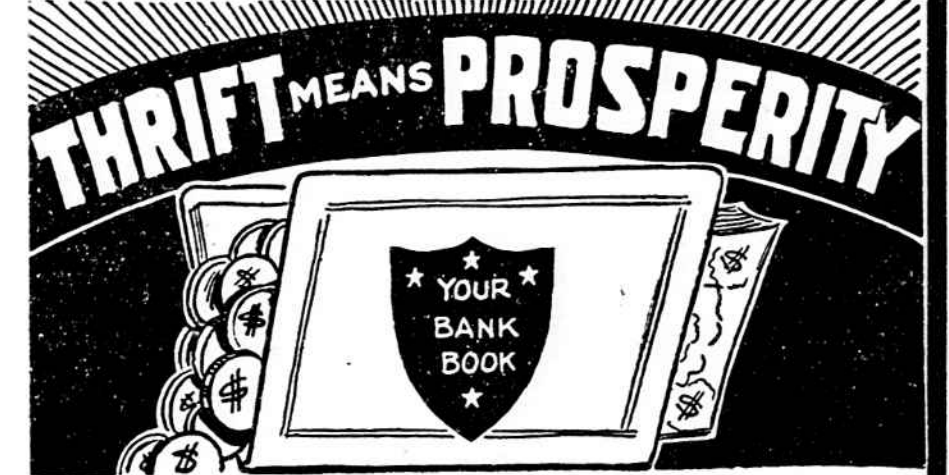
Bamberg Vulcanizing Company

NEAR SMOAK'S STABLES.

We are going to discontinue handling Andersons, Dorts, Pattersons and Chevrolets, so we are closing out at a bargain, both second-hand and new cars of these makes. See us quick for a real bargain.

C. F. RIZER

Olar, S. C.



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Don't be miserly, but avoid extravagance—and, above all, put your

MONEY IN THE BANK

or invest it wisely—keep it in circulation.

By so doing you stimulate business.

Thrift and persevering effort may be your part in helping to build the **PROSPERITY OF TODAY.**

Capital and Surplus \$100,000.00



IF YOU HAVE MONEY, WE WANT IT—IF YOU WANT MONEY, WE HAVE IT.

BAMBERG

BANKING CO.

OLDEST & STRONGEST BANK IN BAMBERG, S. C.

4% INTEREST PAID ON SAVINGS ACCOUNTS

BAMBERG, S. C.

The Citizens Exchange Bank

F. V. JAMES, Pres. & Cash.
B. M. STEADMAN, Bookkeeper.
DENMARK, S. C.

H. C. RICE, Vice President.
J. S. WALKER, Asst. Cashier.
CAPITAL \$25,000.00

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITIZENS EXCHANGE BANK, DENMARK, S. C., OCT. 25, 1919.

Resources

Loans and discounts	\$322,397.97
Cash and due by banks	133,139.65
Overdrafts	NONE
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	5,000.00
Liberty bonds	22,750.00
Customers' partial paym't Viet'y b'nds	235.00
Total	\$483,522.62

Liabilities.

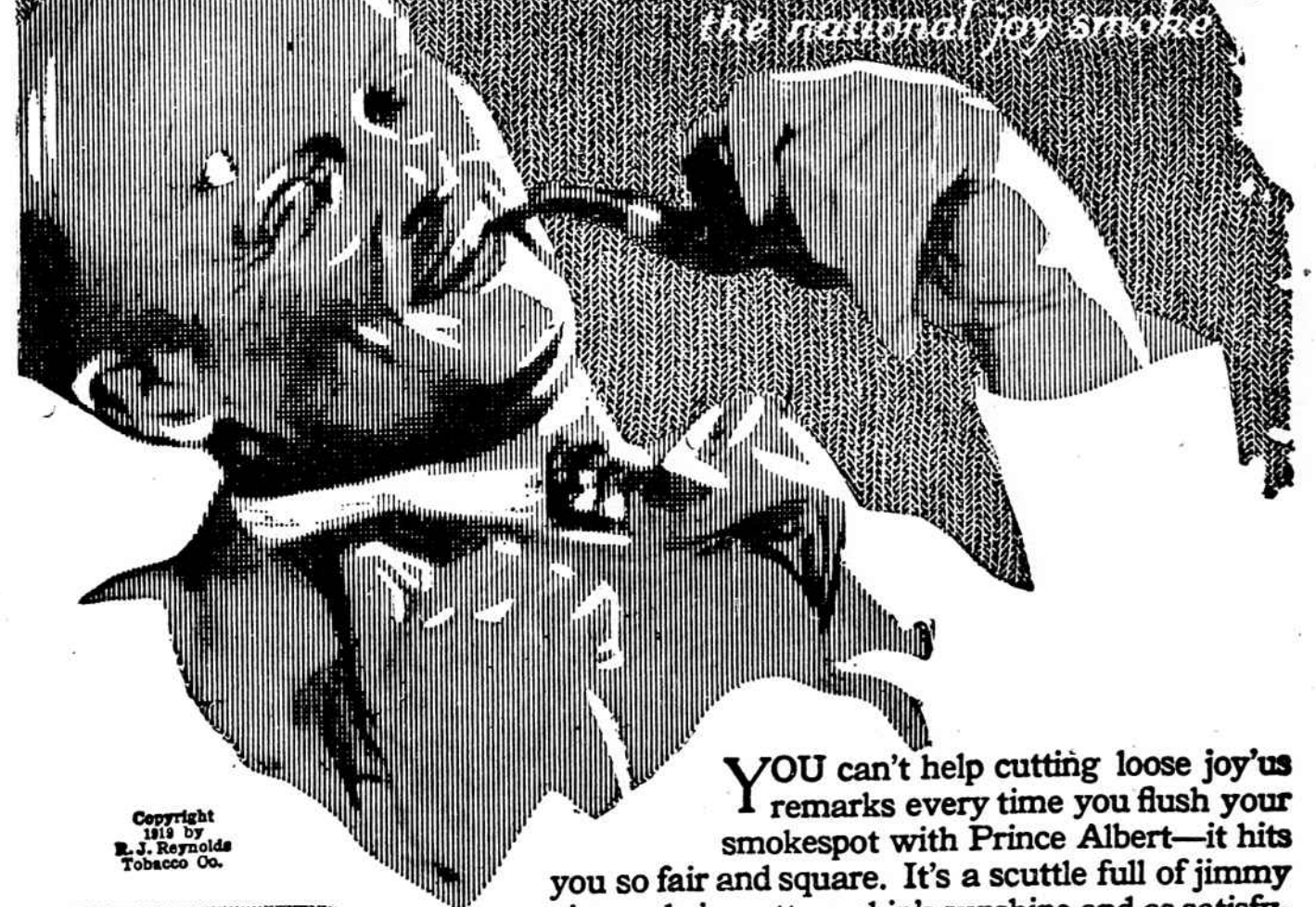
Capital stock	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits	24,704.96
Deposits	430,385.33
Cashier's checks	3,432.33
Total	\$483,522.62

DIRECTORS

H. C. RICE
JNO. W. CRUM
C. W. GARRIS
H. B. GRIMES
JNO. W. PREACHER
F. V. JAMES.

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YOU can't help cutting loose joyous remarks every time you flush your smokespot with Prince Albert—it hits you so fair and square. It's a scuttle full of jimmy pipe and cigarette makin's sunshine and as satisfying as it is delightful every hour of the twenty-four!

It's never too late to hop into the Prince Albert pleasure-pasture! For, P. A. is trigger-ready to give you more tobacco fun than you ever had in your smokecareer. That's because it has the quality.

Quick as you know Prince Albert you'll write it down that P. A. did not bite your tongue or parch your throat. And, it never will! For, our exclusive patented process cuts out bite and parch. Try it for what ails your tongue!

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