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To Amalgamate Two Sections

After the close of the Civil war the United States government levied and collected a tax of \$15 a bale on all cotton raised in the United States. This law was, by the Supreme court, decided to be unconstitutional. Congress then passed a law returning to the states the entire amount collected, which was about \$60,000,000. This fund was set aside and still is in the treasury. With accumulated interest it should be nearly double the original amount.

As this cotton was raised in the Southern states, by ex-Confederates or their widows and children, and the tax was paid by them. This money never has been returned to them. Just why, I do not know. Whether negligence or "red tape," the fact remains, as do the needs of the survivors of the "lost cause."

As an ex-Union soldier, who has lived with and learned to love these old gray heads, I have the following proposition to make: As a final act in cementing the bonds of our national union, in forever burying the last spark of sectionalism between the North and South, and as an act of justice, fraternity and good will to a needy and deserving element of our citizenship, I call upon the surviving members of the Grand Army of the Republic to use every honorable method in securing an act of Congress to pro-rate the money thus raised, among the surviving Confederate soldiers or their widows, and with a clean slate and a thoroughly reunited citizenship regulate to the lethe of forgetfulness the hardships and horrors of the greatest internecine strife of history.

Right or wrong, they believed in and fought for a principle as only Americans can fight, and while the God of Battles decided against them, that same Deity certainly would smile in approval of so gracious an action by the men who wore the blue. Resolve and petition your representatives in Congress to take action in accordance with the above, so that in the future reunions of the "Blue and the Gray," the gray-headed veterans will realize fully that the war is over and the hatchet forever buried.—J. W. Kincaid, Texas, in Pennsylvania Grit.

In the above article written by a Union soldier will be seen the spirit of all true men, whether he be a Northerner or a Southerner, Democrat or Republican. Why has not the money been returned to the proper owners? And would it not be a wise and gracious thing to give it to the old Confederate veterans of the Southern states from which the money was collected? We believe that as the war is over and peace, blessed sweet peace, exists between the States, that all differences ought to be removed and let the Southern soldiers of the War Between the States share alike in the pensions from the United States government. We help pay the taxes, why not share in the benefits? It seems to us that all the people would favor such a course except a few old fire eaters, to be found north and south. Why not call upon our representatives in Congress to look after the matter for our old soldiers? Would it not be the best time to attend to it at once. Just after the great reunion held by the Blue and the Gray at Gettysburg, where they buried the hatchet, and perhaps they sang or thought of singing "Blest be the tie that binds."

There is a lot of talk about Mr. Bryan leaving his job as Secretary of State for a few weeks to lecture. We do not know how much good the great exponent of peace and grape juice can do as Secretary; but we do know he can do a great deal of real good lecturing to the multitudes, even if it does cost fifty cents and one dollar per.

The split log drag is one of the cheapest and simplest real useful things we know of. They are great road preservers and more of our people should have them.

Even the bees wax warm these days.

Why not call him "Buttermilk Booker"?

Wonder how many split log drags there are in Pickens county.

The trade mark used by the Pickens mill on its cloth is a bird.

We reiterate, it reverberates; plenty good pickings in Pickens still.

What have you done today to make this world a better world to live in?

We suppose when women take to the lecture platform they will change chautauqua to shetalker.

We hate to repeat such an old gag, but, nevertheless, the fact remains, the meloncolic days are here.

We heard a fellow say the other day that this weather made the perspiration roll off you like sweat. We believe it does, too.

Editor Booker of the Piedmont wants to know "who cares anything about sardines?" He evidently has never attended an Easley picnic.

The Columbia State says, "Recent battling statistics demonstrate that K. Lamity Howler is now hitting for only .023." His fielding is also very punk.

The Anderson Intelligencer says that Hon. J. E. Boggs has just returned from Washington and stands an excellent chance of being appointed Assistant Attorney General of the United States at a salary of \$10,000 a year.

Under the head of "Our Exchanges," the Easley Progress published last week ten paragraphs—five from The Greenville Piedmont and five from The Pickens Sentinel. It made such a great improvement in The Progress that we call on some of our exchanges to put that paper on their lists.

Picnic Near Cross Roads Church

A joint picnic and rally will be held by Oliver Camp No. 585, Dacusville No. 587 and Hester No. 589, W. O. W., near Cross Roads church on Saturday, August 2nd, 1913. All neighboring camps and the public at large are cordially invited to come and bring the "baskets" with something in them, and enjoy the day with us. Prominent speakers are expected. L. L. Smith, Chairman Com.

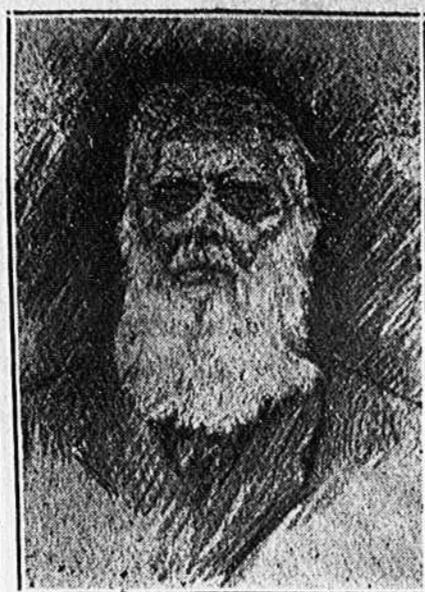
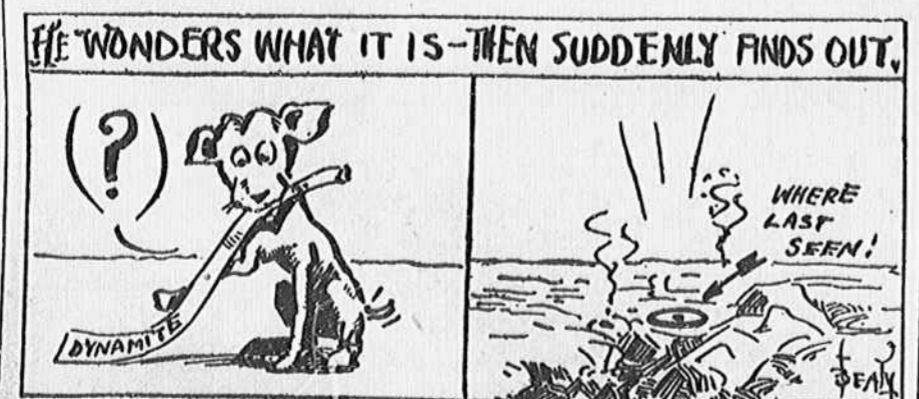
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- Tract No. 1. 10 miles north of Pickens, 141 1-2 acres. Price, \$1,000. Terms, 1, 2 and 3 years.
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- Tract No. 4. 34 acres, one mile from court house, on Easley road. Easy terms. Bargain at \$100 per acre.
- Tract No. 5. Two miles east of court house; 42 acres; good new house, barns, etc. Bargain at \$2,500.
- Tract No. 6. Contains 70 acres, 5 miles west of court house, at \$30 per acre. Terms to suit purchaser.
- Tract No. 7. 35 acres, one mile south of Six Mile college; high state of cultivation. A bargain at \$50 per acre.
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- Tract No. 9. 60 acres, two miles north of court house; one-half in high state of cultivation, balance in timber and pasture. \$45 per acre, 1-3 cash, terms on balance.
- Tract No. 10. 30 acres, at \$35 per acre. Situated on Pumpkintown road, 5 miles from court house.

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J. A. McKee  
OF PICKENS COUNTY

LAST SURVIVOR IN THIS STATE OF THE FAMOUS PALMETTO REGIMENT OF THE MEXICAN WAR.

By the death of Capt. Matthew B. Stanley of Marion county, two weeks ago, Mr. J. A. McKee of the Mile Creek section of Pickens county becomes the last survivor in this State of the famous Palmetto regiment, which fought in the Mexican War. So far as is known there are only three other survivors of the Palmetto regiment: Geo. H. Abney, of Clay, Miss.; J. J. Martin, of East Point, Ga., and John Williams, of Downs, Kansas. Mr. McKee was born in 1824 and enlisted in the Mexican war in 1846.

Local Woodmen to Give Big Picnic

Piractically all arrangements have been made for the big W. O. W. picnic which will be held on the court house grounds here August 7th. Everybody in the county is invited to come and enjoy the day. An interesting and entertaining program has been arranged and a great and good time is expected. All bring well filled baskets.

- PROGRAM
- 1st.—10 o'clock a.m., Music by the Pickens Band.
  - 2nd.—Prayer by Rev. G. F. Kirby.
  - 3rd.—Music.
  - 4th.—Welcome address by Sovereign W. E. Pinley, Esq.
  - 5th.—Music.
  - 6th.—Address on Woodcraft by Sovereign J. M. Daniel, Esq., of Greenville.
  - 7th.—Music.
  - 8th.—Address by Rev. D. W. Hiott.
  - 9th.—Music.
  - 10th.—Dinner.
  - 11th.—Music.

Feel Right All the Time

Don't Let Periodical Spells of Lazy Liver Ruin Your Temper and Spoil Your Work.

If your liver doesn't behave right all the time—if it sometimes stops working and you become bilious and "headachy"—don't take calomel, but try Dodson's Liver Tone.

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Rev. R. H. Lupo and the North Pickens Circuit.

Pastor Lupo of the North Pickens charge writes the Christian Advocate as follows: There are three classes of preachers who have my heartfelt sympathy: Bishops, presiding elders, and editors or other special appointees. They are so far removed from the heart throbs of the people. They do not feel their joys and sorrows by actual contact. True they are looked upon as a sort of superior being, and are verbally complimented for their efforts, and receive fair mone-

itary compensation, but whoever heard of an elder, bishop, or editor being pounded? Yet this is a common experience with us country parsons. Only a few days ago a lady from Bethel brought a buggy load of eatables from this congregation. And I am continually finding such things as chickens, eggs, butter and vegetables in my buggy after a trip among my members, not on quarterage either. These tokens, together with their encouragement; have greatly endeared this people to us. Caus-

ing us to feel they are worthy of more than we are competent of giving. Every thing is promising here, good Sunday school, good congregation, and a willingness that promises much for this work. We have had some additions already and are expecting a great revival during our protracted services—and why not? God is willing. Death has claimed some of my flock, four having answered the great summons since first of May, one of whom it was my

privilege to receive into the church a few weeks before his death. These things draw us close to one another, making us feel the great kinship of mankind. There are great possibilities here. We could not afford to desert the field. Yours truly, Robert H. Lupo, P. C. July 11, 1913. W. A. Peehuff sells Rock Hill buggies at Gap Hill, the old Payne place. Cash or easy terms. (adv)

YOUR SHOES

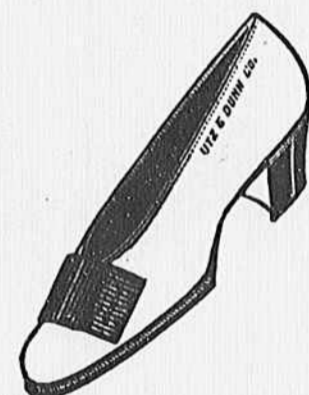
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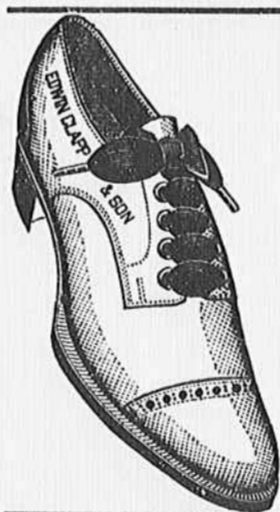
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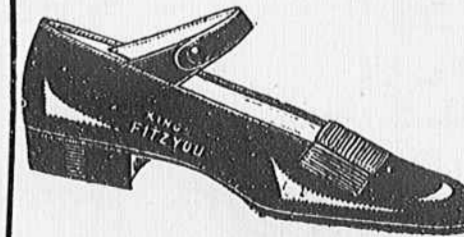
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