

**GOVERNOR CALLS FOR OBSERVANCE**

**Issues Proclamation for Thanksgiving Day. Duty Well Done. Must Look Forward to Another Year With Hope and Confidence.**

Governor Cooper Monday issued a Thanksgiving proclamation, calling upon the people to observe fittingly the day as a day of thanksgiving and prayer throughout the state. "We look forward to another year with hope and confidence. We shall not be discouraged because of temporary adverse conditions," says the governor.

"We approach this day of thanksgiving and prayer with a consciousness of duty well done and with the comforting reflection that through our efforts the sufferings of humanity have been alleviated," Governor Cooper says in his proclamation. Below is the proclamation:

"In accordance with established custom, the president of the United States of America has, by proclamation, set aside Thursday, November 20, 1920, as a day of thanksgiving on the part of all the people of the United States.

"The people of South Carolina are in a position to observe this day in the spirit which prompted the practice on the part of the Pilgrim Fathers. There is abundant evidence that the people of this state have enjoyed, in a substantial degree, the blessings of divine providence during the past 12 months. Our educational activities have gone forward in a satisfactory manner, a new impetus is thus given to our social and moral progress. Under the blessings of God our soil has yielded an abundant harvest. We have been practically free from the ravages of contagious and infectious diseases. It has been our privilege to extend a helping hand to those peoples of the earth less favored than we. We approach this day of thanksgiving and prayer with a consciousness of duty well done and with the comforting reflection that through our efforts the sufferings of humanity have been alleviated.

"We look forward, also to another year with hope and confidence. We shall not be discouraged because of temporary adverse conditions. As we shall assemble on Thanksgiving day for the purposes of worship and prayer, we should rededicate ourselves to the service of Him who presides over the destinies of nations and who

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holds each of us in the very 'hollow of His hand.'

"Now, therefore, I, R. A. Cooper, governor of the state of South Carolina, do proclaim, in accordance with law and custom, Thursday, November 25, 1920, a public holiday, to be observed as a day of thanksgiving and prayer throughout this commonwealth, and I call upon the people to gather on that day in their usual places of divine worship and there, as well as in their homes, give thanks to God for the blessings which He has given us during the past year; and at the hour of prayer on this day let our thoughts be of those who have given their lives to maintain democratic institutions, as well as of those who yet struggle for the realization of these high and lofty ideals which are the very foundation of our own free government; also that we shall not forget, in our prayers and our gifts, the needs of the suffering and famine-stricken peoples of Europe and in the Near East."

**Card of Thanks**

In our sore bereavement when the angel of death took from us our precious baby, the acts of kindness and the expressions of sympathy from our friends and neighbors were so many that we take this method to express our deepest appreciation of each and every act and word.

May God's richest blessings rest upon them all.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Myers and Family.

**Food for Horses.**

It has been demonstrated that seaweed, after the salt has been extracted by a specific process, forms excellent food for horses and that the animals evidently enjoy it.

**TWO CHEROKEE MEN KILLED EACH OTHER**

**I. S. Sarratt and Revis Dawson, His Grandson, Have Fatal Duel.**

Gaffney, Nov. 22.—I. P. Sarratt and Revis Dawson killed each other at Sarratt's home, just over the line of Cherokee county, yesterday afternoon at 6 o'clock. Dawson was Sarratt's grandson and was about 25 years of age. Sarratt was 67.

Going to the Sarratt house, Dawson, it is said, sat down and talked quietly with the old man, showing a copy of the divorce which he had recently obtained from his wife in North Carolina. Dawson suggested that they walk out to the hog pen. According to the statement of Mrs. Sarratt, who said that her husband reached to the mantel and took down his revolver, which was in a scabbard, and that Dawson saw him do this, then Mrs. Sarratt continued, she heard her husband say: "If you do I will—" and then the shooting commenced.

Dawson emptied his pistol and Sarratt shot twice. Only one ball took effect in Sarratt, he being shot through the right breast. Both men died immediately after being shot, neither of them speaking.

It is said that it was Mr. Sarratt's custom to carry his pistol whenever he left the house at night.

Dawson's father lives within a few miles of Gaffney. The Sarratt home is within eight miles of Gaffney, and the tragedy, coming so soon after the brutal killing of the two Kirby boys last Saturday, has created much discussion.

**Not as Bad as They Seem.**

One of the comforting things that time teaches us is, that mighty few things are as bad as they look to be, or are said to be.

**COLUMBIAN TELLS THRILLING STORY**

**Marion Hagood, Who Disappeared, Says Highwaymen Took Him Off.**  
Columbia, S. C., Nov. 22.—Marion Hagood, Richland County farmer, who disappeared Saturday afternoon, his automobile being found with blood on it, a slashed coat and note reading: "We got him and money, will find body in the river," returned to Columbia this afternoon, telling a thrilling story of being assaulted by highwaymen and carried handcuffed to some woods near Jacksonville, where he was released.

Hagood tells of selling cotton in Columbia Saturday afternoon and starting for his home, a dozen miles from the city, in his automobile. Four miles from Columbia, he says, he was halted by four men, one leaping on the running board with a leveled revolver and forcing him to accompany them after he was struck on the head. He declares he was taken in an automobile, two hypodermic injections being administered soon after the journey began. Later, he added, he was given white pills and fell into a stupor.

After passing Augusta the party stopped and a safe was "blown," Hagood says, tools being carried in the car. He was in a stupor, he declares, and does not know what loot the men brought to the car after the robbery. He says he recalls passing the bridge at North Augusta and saw the bright lights of Augusta as the automobile traveling at high speed passed through the Georgia city. Then men continued to drive at high speed, he said, and he was out of the car at a cross roads early this morning, after the men had taken \$500 from him. Hagood says he wandered for several hours along the road until he was approaching Jacksonville.

He reached Jacksonville about 6 o'clock and found a policeman was a fellow member of a fraternal order. This policeman procured food for him and other members of the order provided him with means of returning to Columbia. Examined by physicians here, it was announced that Hagood is suffering from a blow on the back of the head and shows signs of having been under the influence of a drug.

**The Difference.**

"A good housewife is very different from a good husbandman." "How so?" "She is always sewing tears."

**DEPUTY SHERIFF SHOT TO DEATH**

**Negro Slays Officer in Saluda County Then Makes His Escape. Webber Edwards Loses Life in Making Arrest. Reward Offered.**

Saluda, Nov. 21.—Webber Edwards, deputy sheriff, was shot and instantly killed last night about 10 o'clock in the northwestern section of Saluda county by Elliott Culbraith, a negro, whom the officer had gone to arrest. Culbraith escaped, but a search was kept up throughout the night and today. The Saluda county authorities have offered a reward of \$300 for the apprehension of the negro and it is understood here that Governor Cooper will be asked to supplement this.

From what can be learned here it seems that a Mr. Outz of Greenwood county had a warrant issued for the arrest of Culbraith, who lived on Mr. Outz's lands in Saluda county, the charge being the disposition of property under lien. Mr. Edwards and two or three other officers surrounded the negro's home to make the arrest. Mr. Edwards was in an alley between the house and the kitchen when the negro opened the door slightly and fired on Mr. Edwards, one shot taking effect in the chest and causing instant death. From the mark of a glancing bullet on the door it is believed that Mr. Edwards returned the fire as he fell.

Mr. Edwards had served as deputy sheriff ten or 12 years and was a fearless and efficient officer. He was 28 years old and leaves a widow and six children.

Culbraith is about five feet eight inches tall and weighs nearly 200 pounds. He has a scar on one side of the face. He is said to bear a bad reputation.

**Princess Theatre Thanksgiving-day**



Samuel Goldwyn and Rex Beach present **OUT OF THE STORM**  
Adapted from the famous novel THE TOWER OF IVORY  
**GERTRUDE ATHERTON**  
Directed by William Parke

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**Is Meeting the Price Decline Promptly**

A Careful Study of the Following Prices Will convince You of the Sincerity of the Above Statement.

<p><b>LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR</b></p> <p>15 Coat Suits in black, grey and Navy prices from \$18.50 to \$25.00 ..... <b>\$17.50</b></p> <hr/> <p>All wool blue serge suit, sale ..... <b>\$25.50</b></p> <p>One black broadcloth suit \$49.50, sale ..... <b>25.50</b></p> <hr/> <p>14 Coats \$25, \$26.50, \$29.75 any in this lot ..... <b>\$18.75</b></p> <hr/> <p>Black Tepet cloth, \$12.50 ..... <b>\$7.98</b></p>		<p>50 Inch Shepard Plaids, Regular Price \$5.50, Sale Price ..... <b>\$1.19</b></p> <p>Apron Gingham, Regular Price 20c, Sale Price ..... <b>12c</b></p> <p>Apron Gingham, Regular Price 25c, Sale Price ..... <b>18c</b></p> <p>Apron Gingham, Regular Price 30c, Sale Price ..... <b>21c</b></p>		<p><b>BLANKETS</b></p> <p>Wool \$8.50, reduced to ..... <b>\$5.98</b></p> <p>Wool 12 50, reduced to ..... <b>9.48</b></p> <p>Woolknap \$7.50, reduced to ..... <b>5.48</b></p> <p>Heavy cotton \$4, reduced to ..... <b>2.98</b></p> <p>Heavy cotton \$3.50, reduced to ..... <b>2.39</b></p>	
<p><b>CHILDREN'S READY-TO-WEAR</b></p> <p>6 Plaid Coats, \$7.50 . . . <b>\$3.75</b></p> <hr/> <p>20 Per Cent Discount on All Shoes from the cheapest to the Best.</p>		<p><b>UNDERWEAR FOR MEN</b></p> <p>Hanes Ribbed Separate Garments, Regular Price \$1.50, Sale Price ..... <b>98c</b></p> <p>Hanes Ribbed Union Suits, Regular Price \$3.00, Sale Price ..... <b>\$1.98</b></p> <p>Boys' Heavy Fleece Union Suits, Regular Price \$1.50, Sale Price ..... <b>\$1.00</b></p> <p>Ladies' Heavy Ribbed Separate Garments, Regular Price \$1.00, Sale Price ..... <b>79c</b></p> <p>Ladies' Heavy Fleece Separate Garments, Regular Price \$1.25, Sale Price ..... <b>98c</b></p> <p>Misses' Heavy Ribbed Union Suits, Regular Price \$1.25, Sale Price ..... <b>98c</b></p> <p>Ladies' Hose, Black and White, Sale Price ..... <b>19c</b></p> <p>Ladies' Black Lisle Hose, Regular Price 60c, Sale Price ..... <b>49c</b></p> <p>Ladies' Black and Brown Silk Hose, Regular Price \$1.50, Sale Price ..... <b>98c</b></p> <p>Ladies' Black and Brown Silk Hose, Regular Price \$2.00, Sale Price ..... <b>\$1.39</b></p>		<p><b>OUTING</b></p> <p>Sold for 40, 50, and 60c, reduced to ..... <b>25c</b></p> <p>Sold for 35c, reduced to ..... <b>19c</b></p> <hr/> <p>Good Quality Sea Island ..... <b>19c</b></p> <p>32-inch romper cloth, price 60c reduced to ..... <b>39c</b></p> <p>Staple Gingham 25, 29, 32 and 39c</p> <p>Curtain Serim 35c quality ..... <b>25c</b></p> <p>Curtain Etinnine 50c quality ..... <b>39c</b></p> <p>English Long Cloth, 50c ..... <b>39c</b></p>	
		<p><b>MEN'S SHIRTS</b></p> <p>Madras and Percale, Regular Price \$3.00, Sale Price ..... <b>\$1.98</b></p> <p>Beautiful Silk Shirts, Regular Price \$15.00, Sale Price ..... <b>\$9.95</b></p> <p>Silk Shirts, Regular Price \$10.00, Sale Price ..... <b>\$7.69</b></p> <p>Work Shirts, Regular Price \$2.00, Sale Price ..... <b>\$1.39</b></p> <p>Men's Overalls, Regular Price \$3.00 and \$3.50, Sale Price ..... <b>\$2.48</b></p>		<p><b>WOOL DRESS GOODS</b></p> <p>36-in. Serge in black and navy, \$1.25, sale ..... <b>98c</b></p> <p>36-in. Serge in black and navy \$1.50, sale ..... <b>\$1.19</b></p> <p>36-in. Serge in black and navy \$1.75, sale ..... <b>1.39</b></p> <p>38-in. Blue Tricotine \$2.50, sale ..... <b>1.89</b></p> <p>44-in. All Wool sponged and shrunk \$3, sale ..... <b>2.39</b></p>	

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