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## "GET RICH QUICK" SCHEMES.

Under the above caption various articles have been going the rounds of the State press exposing the fraudulent methods of one J. E. Smith, of Monticello, Fla., and a cherry tree concern somewhere in North Carolina. The two schemes are so nearly alike as to suggest that both are operated by the same person. The scheme is this: An advertisement appears offering nice, easy employment to ladies at \$20 a month. When a reply comes the advertiser tells how she has been working for Mr. Smith so many months and what a pleasant gentleman he is, inviting her correspondent to come in and share a good thing. The admission fee required is to secure twenty-five subscriptions to a newspaper at one dollar each, for which a premium watch or bicycle is given. The new member is to write letters similar to the one she received, persuading others to work for Mr. Smith, for which she is to be paid \$20 a month for one year. That's all. Now where does Mr. Smith come in? The proposition bears fraud on the face of it. For a while the salary promised may be paid, but it is only a question of time when the whole business must collapse, then those who are in—probably thousands—will suffer. The man who would offer to give \$240 and a watch for \$25 would be put down at once as a lunatic or a swindler. And yet this is, in effect Mr. Smith's offer. We advise our readers to steer clear of him.

## Cades Chronicles.

The poles have been put in place for the Cades-Kingstree telephone line.

Messrs. A. A. May and LeRoy Payne spent Tuesday in the City by the Sea.

The lumber is being hauled for Capt. E. C. Wheeler's dwelling.

Some of our local sportsmen have been giving the feathered tribe trouble since the expiration of the game law.

The public school here is progressing nicely. Miss Dessie McElveen is in charge.

Mr. W. E. Nesmith and sister, Miss Ethel, went to Docks last Friday, being called to the bedside of their mother, who was taken suddenly ill.

Mrs. C. F. Malloy returned Saturday to her home at Jonesboro, N. C., after an extended visit to relatives in town.

Mr. P. S. Wall and family, of

Scranton, spent Sunday of last week in town with friends.

Dr. J. A. Haselden, of Entwistle, visited Cades one day last week "prospecting." I understand that he contemplates locating here in the near future. In advance we extend to him a hearty welcome.

Mr. Editor, we think it high time you were paying our town a visit. ULYSSES.

## Greens Gossip.

The farmers and merchants are very gloomy at the prospects for another year. These classes are mutually dependent the one upon the other, and both suffer alike in a disastrous year like this. The cotton crop is almost all gathered and sold, the maximum being about 50 per cent of a normal yield.

The Atlantic Coast Lumber Co. is building a tram road in the direction of Santee.

Jim Bailey, while a prisoner in the custody of Magistrate McCants' deputy a few days since, made his escape and is still at large.

Mrs. M. E. Hudson died at her home near Greens at 4 p.m., Wednesday, Nov. 20. She was the wife of Mr. W. S. Hudson, who, with four children, survives her. Mrs. Hudson was a daughter of the late Thomas Jefferson. She had been a great sufferer for more than a year, but she died in the good faith. BISMARCK.

## Hot Supper Tuesday Evening.

A hot supper will be given Tuesday evening, December 3, at the residence of Dr. H. L. Baker, Rome, S. C., for the benefit of the Methodist parsonage. Everybody is cordially invited to attend and incidentally requested to bring along his pocket book. All who attend are guaranteed a good time, besides the pleasure of contributing to a worthy cause.

Dr. J. F. Carraway,  
T. M. Bellune,  
C. D. Cook,  
Miss Lillian Brockinton,  
Miss Eva Rollins,  
Miss Birdie Munnerlyn.  
Committee.

## In Memoriam.

B. F. Tilton was born in Georgetown county, S. C., March 31, 1872. At the age of 13 he joined the Methodist church, when he was no doubt converted, for he told the writer he enjoyed that peace with God that is accorded only to the righteous. When about grown a difficulty with one of his church brethren caused him to drift away from God, his Savior.

In 1896, he came to Florida and engaged in the turpentine business. The writer formed his acquaintance soon after he returned with his fair young bride, Miss Mattie Epps, of Epps, S. C., to whom he was married March 15, 1899. I was a frequent and welcome guest at his happy home, and I often reminded him of his unwisdom in devoting his attention to money-making instead of the salvation of his soul. He would freely admit the truth of my argument, but seemed to have the idea—a mistaken one—that he would have to give up business to lead a Christian life, which some day he intended doing.

On Saturday morning, April 18, 1901, he had a difficulty with a farmer friend about a trivial business matter, and, sad to tell, the pitiable murderer sent a bullet through his heart. With this fearful wound he lingered until the next day about 2:30 p. m. There were present at his death bed his wife, two brothers and two sisters, also his wife's brother

and sister, Mr. Joe and Miss Bettie Epps. Oh! the awful suffering of his loved ones. Words fail to express my sympathy for them.

When he realized that he was fatally injured he began to pray to God for the pardon of his sins and his faithful wife labored earnestly with him, pointing to the merit of Jesus Christ, and persuaded him to trust in his Saviour. This he professed to do, to the great consolation of his wife in the midst of her sorrow and desolation. He told his heart-broken wife that he wished to be buried in the Williamsburg cemetery, at Kingstree, S. C., saying that he was willing to die, his greatest sorrow being caused by the thought of leaving her. He sent for me to pray with him, but when I arrived he was unconscious.

Mr. Tilton was a fine specimen of physical manhood—young, strong and handsome. He leaves a childless widow, an aged mother, three sisters, four brothers and a host of other relatives and friends.

I pray God that this visitation may move others to prepare themselves for the life beyond, and that we all may be impressed with the importance of being free from sin through faith in Jesus Christ.

May the writer and his readers meet in the holy city beyond, where death shall never come again. Amen.

REV. W. S. McMANNEN,  
Midway, Fla., November 23, 1901.

## Final Discharge.

Notice is hereby given that I will apply to the Judge of Probate for Williamsburg county, on Monday, the 23rd day of December, 1901, for letters final discharge as administratrix of the estate of J. A. G. Green.

SETIRA SCOTT,  
Administratrix.  
Nov. 23, 1901. 28-12

## Final Discharge.

Notice is hereby given that I will apply to the Judge of Probate for Williamsburg county on Monday, the 23rd day of December, 1901, for letters of a final discharge as executor of the estate of Emily E. Huggins, deceased.

L. F. STONE,  
Executor.  
Nov 21-dec 12.

## Receiver's Sale of Stock

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.  
COUNTY OF WILLIAMSBURG.  
F. W. Wagener & Co., plaintiffs,  
against  
H. D. Reddick and I. D. Reddick,  
defendants.

Pursuant to an order of court made in this cause and dated November 4th, 1901, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as a whole in bulk, for cash, in front of the brick store now containing the stock of merchandise of the said H. D. Reddick, in the town of Kingstree, S. C., on Monday, the 2nd day of December, 1901, all the stock of goods, wares and merchandise, appraised at about \$11,500.00, and consisting of dry goods, hard-ware, groceries, shoes, caps, notions, furniture, woodenware, saddlery, iron safe, crockery, tinware, etc., now being in the several store buildings lately occupied by the said H. D. Reddick. An inventory and appraisement of the said stock is now on file and can be seen in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Williamsburg county.

B. C. WHITEHEAD,  
Receiver.

## Summons for Relief.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.  
WILLIAMSBURG COUNTY.  
COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.  
Alton Salters, plaintiff,  
against  
W. T. Gaillard, defendant.

To the defendant, W. T. Gaillard: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which was filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, for the said county, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in Kingstree, S. C., within twenty days after the service hereof; exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

JOHN A. KELLEY,  
Plaintiff's Attorney.  
Nov. 19th 1901.  
To the defendant, W. T. Gaillard: Take notice, that the complaint in this action was filed in the office of the Clerk of Court of Common Pleas, at Kingstree, in the county of Williamsburg, and state of South Carolina, on the 12th day of November, 1901.

JOHN A. KELLEY,  
Plaintiff's Attorney.  
Nov 14-dec 19

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Charleston, S. C.

**Citation Notice.**  
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.  
WILLIAMSBURG COUNTY.  
W. E. HANNA, Esq., PROBATE JUDGE.  
Whereas, B. C. Whitehead made suit to me, to grant him Letters of administration of the estate of and effects of J. A. H. Cockfield. These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said J. A. H. Cockfield, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the court of probate, to be held at Kingstree, S. C., on 2nd December next, after publication thereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said administration should not be granted. Given under my hand, this 21st day of October, Anno Domini, 1901. Published on the 24th day of October 1901, in the County Record.  
W. E. Hanna,  
Judge Probate.  
Oct 24-Nov 28

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Gourdins, S. C.

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.  
WILLIAMSBURG COUNTY.  
By W. E. Hanna, Esq., Probate Judge. Whereas, B. C. Whitehead made suit to me to grant him letters of administration of the estate of and effects of James M. Brown. These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said J. M. Brown, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Kingstree, S. C., on the 30th day of December, next, after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said administration should not be granted. Given under my hand this 18th day of November, Anno Domini, 1901. Published on the 21st day of November, 1901, in the County Record.  
W. E. HANNA, Probate Judge.  
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