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THURSDAY, AUG. 26, 1909.

Our esteemed, contemporary, the Georgetown Times, came to us yesterday bearing date August 52. In the same issue the editor says something about celebrating his birthday. Maybe he got the day of the month and the number of his natal anniversary mixed. Smoke up, Brother Doar.

The Edgefield Chronicle, one of our most valued exchanges, celebrated the beginning of its thirtieth volume last week. With sincere regret we note the illness of its veteran editor, Col James T Bacon. Most earnestly we hope that our esteemed friend may soon be climbing the hill of recovery.

In violating the sanctity of the Sabbath by making it an ordinary work day for transacting the business of his office while at his summer home at Beverley, Mass., President Taft is setting a precedent that lays him open to rebuke by the Christian people of the United States regardless of party affiliation.

Senator Benjamin R Tillman has expressed himself as "being glad the State is going dry". Like a number of other politicians who fought to the last ditch to keep alive the old State dispensary, Senator Tillman has never had any use for the county dispensary system. From State dispensary to prohibition is swinging the circle about 180 degrees.

Harvard Scholarships.

Does any young man from Williamsburg county want to take a course at Harvard University? We are advised that there are two scholarships of \$225 each offered to properly qualified students from this State, who enter Harvard College from secondary schools; also one scholarship of \$225 is offered to a properly qualified college graduate from this State who wishes to enter Harvard University.

The scholarships referred to are given by the widow of James Rumrill, of Springfield, Mass., a graduate of Harvard University, to be awarded to applicants from the several Southern States included under the provisions of the will, according to "qualities of manliness, leadership and well-rounded development, as well as the scholarly attainments of the candidates, as shown by their school records, etc." Full information concerning the scholarships referred to may be obtained by application to the secretary, Mr J. G Hart, 20 University Hall, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Educational Day for Kingstree.

The Educational Campaign Committee, which is holding "Educational Rallies" in every county in South Carolina by sending public speakers over the State to address the people on educational subjects with a view to arousing public sentiment

touching the great cause they represent, has assigned in its schedule one day to Williamsburg county. Monday, August 30. On that day an Educational Rally will be held in Kingstree, at the high school auditorium. There will be a half dozen or more speakers present and the exercises will continue the greater part of the day. Every white man, woman and child who cares to be present will be cordially welcomed on this occasion and we hope to see the large auditorium of the school filled to overflowing.

We would suggest that Monday, August 30, be made Educational Day for Kingstree: that the stores be closed at least a part of the day so that our citizens may turn out *en masse* to greet the distinguished visitors. Let luncheon or a picnic dinner be served at the school house and make the occasion a memorable one. The hospitality of Kingstree is proverbial and the friends, as well as the strangers within our gates, should not only be made to feel that we are glad to see them, but in a practical way we should express our welcome by providing for their comfort.

Besides the speakers, there are expected trustees, teachers, patrons and pupils—and these classes include nearly all of our desirable citizens. They are all of them engaged in a noble work and we should feel proud to have them in our midst. Let us show them by the warmth of our welcome that they are honored guests.

Poor Richard's Almanac.

A good example is the best sermon. God heals, and the doctor takes the fees.

You may be too cunning for one, but not for all.

Words may show a man's wit, but actions his meaning.

An ounce of wit that is bought is worth a pound that is taught.

Keep your eyes wide open before marriage; half shut afterwards.

Ne'er take a wife till thou hast a house (and a fire) to put her in.

If a man could have half his wishes, he would double his troubles.

Drink does not drown care, but waters it and makes it grow faster.

If you would keep your secret from an enemy, tell it not to a friend.

Good sense is a ching all need, few have, and none think they want.

Pride breakfasted with Plenty, dined with Poverty, supped with Infamy.

When out of favor none know thee; when in, thou dost not know thyself.

If your riches are yours, why don't you take them with you to the other world?

Lend money to an enemy and thou'll gain him; to a friend and thou'll lose him.

Be civil to all; serviceable to many; familiar with few; friend to one; enemy to none.

Work as if you were to live a hundred years; pray as if you were to die to-morrow.

The wise man draws more advantage from his enemies than the fool from his friends.

A wise man will desire no more than what he may get justly use soberly, distribute cheerfully, and leave contentedly.

Doing an injury puts you below your enemy; revenging one makes you even with him, forgiving it sets you above him.

Take Notice.

All persons are recommended to take Foley's Kidney Remedy for backache, rheumatism and kidney and bladder trouble. It will quickly correct urinary irregularities which, if neglected, may develop into a serious illness. It will restore health and strength. Do not neglect signs of kidney or bladder trouble and risk Bright's disease or diabetes.

D C Scott.

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STATE AND GENERAL NEWS.

Indiantown, August 24:—On Wednesday, August 18, the young people of Indiantown enjoyed one of the most delightful entertainments of the season given by Miss Kathryn Bridgman honor of Misses "Dimple" and Frank Cooper of Mississippi, who are visiting relatives in this community. The day was perfect in its idyllic loveliness and until the golden sunlight faded into dusky twilight croquet and other games were played upon the verdant lawn. Here also an *al fresco* luncheon was served, including lemonade, cream, cake and other delicacies. Later on the vine-covered porch, decorated with ferns and flowers, rang with joyous laughter and the scene was one of beauty and gladsome gaiety.

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Decatur, Ill. suffered a fire Sunday which caused \$1,000,000 damage.

At Cartersville, Ga. four men are in jail charged with criminal assault, three out of the four being white men. A wholesale lynching is apprehended.

Clarence Frazier, a negro boy 18 years old, was drowned Friday of last week near Edgefield. A crowd of boys were in bathing and some of them threw Frazier into deep water, causing him to drown, as he could not swim.

J C Jaudon, who was shot in the shoulder several weeks ago by William Byrns, in a restaurant in Charleston, died Saturday of lockjaw. Both Jaudon and Byrns were well-known men about town.

The recent hot wave is reported to have caused considerable damage to cotton in the Mississippi Valley.

Seven cadets were dismissed last week from the United States Military Academy (West Point) for hazing.

Fifteen counties dry and six wet, seems to be the final result of the dispensary election. The wet counties are: Aiken, Beaufort, Charleston, Florence, Georgetown and Richland. The prohibitionists have given notice of a contest in Richland county.

Capt J F Divine, for 58 years continuously connected with the Atlantic Coast Line and parent companies, died in Wilmington, N C. Saturday. He was a native of Glasgow, Scotland.

Mrs Marian Davis Hollingworth of Boston, widow of a wealthy Boston paper manufacturer, at her death recently bequeathed \$1,000 to the Voohees Industrial school, of Denmark, in Bamberg county.

Henry Taylor, a negro ex-convict, charged with assaulting criminally a white woman and murdering her babe near Fitzgerald, Ga., was taken from the sheriff and lynched by an infuriated mob last week.

True Story From The Lecture Platform

The chairman of the lecture committee was very absent-minded man, and when he had reached that portion of his introduction of the Eminent Lecturer wherein it was fitting that he should mention the name of the honored visitor he forgot it completely, and in the hope that it would return unto him, began to spar for time:

"When I say that it is a household word all over this broad land of ours, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, from the Penobscot to the Gulf, I make no mistake. When I say that it is the name of one of the Princes of Literature, I but do its honored bearer scant justice. When I say that in oratory the mere mention of it calls to our minds the days of Demosthenes, I but speak the simple truth."

Still the name did not come.

"And to think that he is with us here to-night! To think that I should be privileged to stand upon this platform here, in this town, with—ab—with him!"

Still no glimmer of the Immortal Name.

"I can hardly believe it, and yet my eyes tell me that he is here. My very being echoes to his honored name. My spirit rejoices that one like this should pause in the midst of his inspired labors to be our guest to-night."

Identity of gentleman still elusive.

"My friends, in a life-time of happiness, and I may say of honor, among you, I have known no happiness, attained no *no!* I will not speak the name, for is it not graven in letters of golden fire on all our hearts? It is, And so, let me say to you simply, but in all sincerity, that he is here, that we are privileged to look upon him; to hear his voice, to drink in the wisdom of his utterances and the splendor of his eloquence."

Sits down amid uproarious applause.

—September Lippincott's

A Delightful Occasion.

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"MR PERKINS."

Church, S. C. Aug. 22, 1909.

Pert Paragraphs.

Crop experts who have crossed the Sunflower State in a rapidly moving express train are now telling the public how many bushels the Kansas wheat crop will contain.

Miss Buzzard of Cincinnati, aged 20, changed her name last week by marrying a young man named Bird. We could say more, but will allow the thoughts to take wings.

"It pays to read the Bible. A Milwaukee man found \$4,867 in his." Perhaps some refrain, fearing their hearts are too weak to stand shocks like this.

Horse scared by a siren crashed into a tea store. Many an animal scared by a siren has been driven to a worse place than where they sold tea.

It is suspected that a heathen that sticks to his idols is more to be trusted than a Chinaman that is converted with an eye to worldly things.

Physicians in session in Detroit say modern business life is driving men to drink. In some counties they have to drive quite a distance.

We notice that on the faculty of a Kansas high school is Bertie Kiddoo, librarian, and Lottie Lee Hurst, teacher of music. Oh, fudge.

An optimist is the man who takes whatever weather is sent and decides that it is just what the farmers have been waiting for.

It is reported that the boarding house keepers at Seattle are revising the tariff upwards. Well, Seattle is in Washington.

Coxy who marched to Washington some years ago with an army of unemployed is now riding in an automobile.

A New York man offers a reward of \$10,000 for a sure cure for his obesity. There's a weighty problem to solve.

The Katherine Clemmons Gould cocktail will doubtless soon make its appearance in the list of fancy drinks.

It has become a question as to whether the murder of the Sigel girl was the most revolting feature of the case.

What would be the outcome if the Black Hand operators could be colonized in Breathitt County, Ky.?

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Clarke's Old Tar Heel Rye,	3.85	7.00	4.00	11.00
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