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THE COUNTY RECORD.

"In men whom men condemn as ill,
 I find so much of goodness still;
 In men whom men pronounce divine,
 I find so much of sin and blot—
 I hesitate to draw the line
 Between the two—where God has not."

KINGSTREE—THE GATEWAY
 TO OPPORTUNITY.

THURSDAY, OCT. 26, 1911.

A Plea for Clean Side-Walks.

We quite agree with our correspondent, "Poor Conrad," that steps should be taken to keep the side-walks clear of apple and banana peelings and other germ-producing rubbish. The Civic League placed cans alongside the pavements and even employed a man to look after the side-walks on Main and Academy streets, which was an excellent thing for the town, but the good ladies for some reason seem to have relaxed their efforts, to some extent at least. We think the Civic League should receive the aid and encouragement of every one in their praise-worthy efforts to cleanse and beautify the streets, and if the undertaking prove too much for them the town council should aid them to continue the good work.

The anti-spitting ordinance is a good suggestion. Physicians tell us that there is no quicker way to disseminate disease germs than by the sputum of persons afflicted with certain contagious diseases. Such an ordinance is sure to come sooner or later, so why not pass it now? In many cities special plain clothes officers are detailed to watch the side-walks and they are kept as clean as a floor. Only a few months ago in the city of Columbia the secretary—or some official of the Chamber of Commerce—was fined five dollars or writing in chalk on the side-walk—if we remember aright—the appeal: "I've paid my dollar (to the Chamber of Commerce) have you paid yours?" It is a common thing to see all kinds of advertisements on the side-walks of Kingstree and no one seems to care.

It may take time to bring about much improvement along these lines, the town has rocked along in the same old rut for so many years; but a little energy and perseverance properly directed would accomplish a great deal.

Many a man is in great fear that he will get all that is coming to him.

We have printed up a lot of note books and receipt forms, which we will sell at ten cents the book of fifty.

BIG SALE OF LOTS

At New Town of Hemingway—
 Fancy Prices Paid.

A gentleman who was present at the big auction sale of lots at Lambert Wednesday of last week informed us that the 162 lots sold brought an average price of \$185.00 each, which would foot up nearly \$30,000 for the property sold.

There were present, we understand, about 1,500 people from Williamsburg, Georgetown and Florence counties and the bidding was spirited from start to finish. The occasion was enlivened by a brass band and the hospitable hosts fed the multitude with an excellent barbecue dinner. Thus the town of "Hemingway" is launched under favoring auspices and we hope to live to see it thrive and prosper until we can have a trolley line connecting it with Kingstree. Why not? Stranger things have happened.

Death of Mr. John S. Graham.

Nesmith, October 23:—It is my painful duty to chronicle the death of one of our best citizens, Hon. John S. Graham, which sad event took place at his home at Morrisville Wednesday morning, October 18, after an illness of about two months.

When he was first taken sick his physician advised a change of climate and he immediately went to Asheville, N. C., where he received the best attention for a month; but instead of being benefited he gradually grew worse. About two weeks ago he was brought home, but with all the tender care and nursing of family, friends and physician, death could not be stayed.

Mr. Graham being so well known to the readers of The Record, I feel that an attempt on my part to give a sketch of his life would be useless. I doubt if there was a man in the county better known than Mr. Graham, he having represented the county in the General Assembly for eight or ten years, retiring from public life two years ago.

Mr. Graham was of a kind and genial disposition, quiet and unassuming—the perfect type of honesty. For a number of years he was a constant member of the Black Mingo Baptist church. In his death the county has lost one of its best men.

On Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock his remains were laid to rest in the old Belin cemetery, there to await the final resurrection. The funeral services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. H. C. Haddock.

Mr. Graham was 64 years of age. He leaves a devoted wife, four sons, seven daughters and a host of friends and relatives to mourn their irreparable loss. May He who doeth all things well comfort the bereaved ones in this their dark hour.

S. H. COOPER.

Carload of wagons and buggies just received.
 10-12-3t HUDSON & BAKER.

Eugene Ely, one of the most widely known aviators, or aeroplanists, was killed Thursday, October 19, at the Macon, Ga., State Fair grounds. His machine refused to rise after a sensational dip and plunged with him fifty feet to the earth. More than 8,000 people witnessed the fatal plunge.

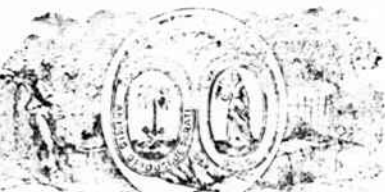
Is the World Growing Better?

Many things go to prove that it is. The way thousands are trying to help others is proof. Among them is Mrs. W. W. Gould of Pittsfield, N. H. Finding good health by taking Electric Bitters, she now advises other sufferers, everywhere, to take them. "For years I suffered with stomach and kidney trouble," she writes. "Every medicine I used failed till I took Electric Bitters. But this great remedy helped me wonderfully." They'll help any woman. They're the best tonic and finest liver and kidney remedy that's made. Try them. You'll see. 50c at M. L. Allen's.

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STATE and GENERAL TOPICS

Durant Cole accidentally shot and killed his wife at Bennettsville Monday.

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J. W. Barnes of Orangeburg county was shot by J. Fisher Cleckley, Saturday and his recovery is doubtful.

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The criminal court at St. George this week found George Glover, a negro, guilty of assault upon a white woman of that community and sentenced him to be hanged November 10.

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Lafayette Sheppard of Greenwood committed suicide last Friday by shooting himself in the temple. Despondency superinduced by ill health is supposed to have caused the desperate deed.

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Pending an appeal to the State supreme court the death sentence of Samuel N. Hyde, who slew his wife and her father on the night of July 18, has been stayed by an order from Judge Prince, the presiding Judge.

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An automobile collided with a hack at Rock Hill Saturday night, killing R. C. Hendricks, the white driver of the hack, and wounding Chief of Police Partlow and Miss Lemmond, a trained nurse, occupants of the automobile.

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Pursued by an infuriated mob near Troy, Alabama, intent upon lynching him, a negro ran into a tree and was killed by the impact. The unknown black, who was charged with insulting a white woman, literally butted out his brains.

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David Fowler, a twelve-year-old Spartanburg boy, shot and killed his ten-year-old brother, Dewey Fowler, Friday of last week. The two boys were playing together when the older one became enraged with his brother and shot him to death with their father's shot-gun.

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Lucian A. James, Jr., the four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. James of Rembert, Sumter county, was shot and instantly killed Friday afternoon by his play-mate, Shelby Wilson. The two boys were playing in the yard at Mr. James' home when the rifle was accidentally discharged.

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The town of Springfield, Orangeburg county, is highly wrought up over an assault on a white woman of that community by a negro named Arthur Bowen. The negro is said to be surrounded in a swamp and reports indicate that there is little probability of his leaving the swamp alive.

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Morris Israel, aged 75 years, a prominent banker of Charleston, was found dead in the bed at his room at the Hotel Somerset, New York city, one morning recently. Heart failure is thought to have been the cause of his death. Mr. Israel was a prominent and wealthy citizen of Charleston. He was formerly a member of the clothing house of Hirsch-Israel of that city.

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W. W. Putman of Greenville, one of Governor Bleasdale's liquor constables, was tried and convicted last week in the Federal court for violating the revenue laws. He received sentence of five months in the county jail or to pay a fine of \$1,000. Putman, it seems, had been receiving a salary from the county to chase blind tigers, and meanwhile was operating one himself as a side line.

Gives Aid to Strikers.

Sometimes liver, kidney and bowels seem to go on a strike and refuse to work right. Then you need those pleasant little strike-breakers—Dr. King's New Life Pills—to give them natural aid and gently compel proper action. Excellent health soon follows. Try them. 25c at M. L. Allen's.

SEPTEMBER TOBACCO SALES.

Lake City Led All Markets—
 Kingstree Held Her Own.

Since the tobacco season for 1911 opened in South Carolina 11,677,995 pounds of tobacco have been sold for \$1,350,213. During the same period last year 18,033,057 pounds had been sold for \$1,526,688. A comparison shows a decrease for 1911 of 6,995,062 pounds and \$179,475. The average price per pound this year is 12.1 cents and for last year 8.4 cents, or an increase of 3.7 cents. The tobacco season opened in July. The reports issued by the State Department of Agriculture is for 13 markets and 25 warehouses.

The following is a report of the sales by months for 1910 and 1911:

Month	1910 Pounds Sold	1910 Price Paid	1911 Pounds Sold	1911 Price Paid
July	2,068,385	\$ 105,982.30	944,304	\$ 62,195.38
August	8,544,824	728,590.21	5,154,931	659,857.38
September	7,419,848	695,116.10	4,978,763	628,160.64
Total	18,033,057	\$1,526,688.53	11,077,995	\$1,350,213.40

The following is the detailed report: Sold for Producers From First Hand.

Market	Pounds Sold	Amount Paid
Conway	199,911	\$ 22,669.77
Darlington	440,991	52,853.85
Dillon	42,613	5,393.35
Florence	352,918	63,187.14
Kingstree	257,371	37,731.40
Lake City	1,265,552	167,965.96
Loris	130,275	12,466.22
Manning	283,276	35,548.66
Marion	61,401	6,751.82
Mullins	900,825	112,814.37
Nichols	459,561	53,942.31
Olando	112,339	13,190.91
Timmons	423,730	53,624.88
Total	4,978,763	\$628,160.64

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1866 1911.

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Prices to Suit.

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A. M. Snider.

Office over Gamble & Jacobs' Drug Store, Opposite The Record Office.

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Rheumatic Pains quickly relieved

Sloan's Liniment is good for pain of any sort. It penetrates, without rubbing, through the muscular tissue right to the bone—relieves the congestion and gives permanent as well as temporary relief.

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 THOMAS L. RICE of Easton, Pa., writes:—"I have used Sloan's Liniment and find it first-class for rheumatic pains."
 Mr. G. G. JONES of Baldwin, L. I., writes:—"I have found Sloan's Liniment par excellence. I have used it for broken sinews above the knee cap caused by a fall, and to my great satisfaction I was able to resume my duties in less than three weeks after the accident."

SLOAN'S LINIMENT

is an excellent remedy for sprains, bruises, sore throat, asthma. No rubbing necessary—you can apply with a brush.

At all dealers. Price, 25c., 50c. & \$1.00.
 Sloan's Book on Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Poultry sent free. Address
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 W. N. Clarkson,
 J. H. Covington,
 Richburg & Tisdale,
 R. W. Stuckey,
 J. M. Spivey,
 Billy Cooper,
 A. B. Burrows,
 J. D. Scott,
 H. J. Cooper,
 H. D. Ferrell & Bro.,
 J. T. Brockington,
 W. R. Graham,
 B. H. Guess & Co.,
 McClary Bros. Co.,
 A. J. Prosser,
 Wash Miller,
 J. J. Bradham,
 Cooper Bros.,
 Marshall Bros.,
 W. V. Strong,
 W. H. Wilson,
 F. E. Huggins,
 M. C. Hammonds,
 H. L. Grayson & Bro.,
 E. M. McCutchen,
 J. S. Fulmore,
 W. A. Brockington,
 Isaac Fulton,
 C. B. Guess & Bro.,
 J. J. Hanna,
 Joe Wilson,
 E. F. Prosser,
 Browder & Taylor,
 H. J. McFadden,
 S. Hoffort,
 B. L. Gist & Bro.,
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 W. W. Barr,
 J. E. Davis,

Preston Adams,
 A. E. Flowers,
 T. C. Duke,
 John M. Barrineau,
 J. B. Clarkson,
 F. Rhem & Sons,
 F. Rhem & Sons,
 S. S. Aronson,
 S. S. Aronson,
 W. I. Nexsen,
 R. E. Brown,
 Daniel Wilson,
 Calvin Wilson,
 N. A. Lesane,
 M. G. McMillan,
 R. P. Hinnant,
 S. A. Guerry & Bro.,
 W. I. Tisdale & Bro.,
 H. C. McCutchen,
 W. M. O'Bryan,
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 C. H. Gordon,
 W. D. Harmon,
 S. B. Poston,
 James Gamble,
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 W. H. Scott,
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NOTICE

is hereby given that I will offer my entire stock of Goods, except staple Groceries

AT COST

the sale to commence Wednesday, November 1, and to continue ten days.

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Come Early and get your Choice.

A. A. BROWN
 Leo, South Carolina.

FOR SALE—5,850 acres of land within one to six miles of Helena, Ga.; twenty-eight dwellings and out-buildings, all wired in. Cut to suit purchaser, at \$30 per acre. Terms, one to five years. Box 4, Helena, Ga. 10-26-4t

FOR SALE—Webster's Unabridged Dictionary, edition 1910, with stand, for sale very cheap. Dictionary cost \$12.00; stand \$2.50. Both for \$8.00. Can be seen at this office. 10-19-3t THE COUNTY RECORD.

WANTED—Persimmon logs 8 inches and up in diameter, 4 1/2 feet long. Address, Box 218, Sumter, S. C. 10-26-2tp

FOR SALE—Two second-hand baby carriages in good condition, cheap. Apply, XX c-o THE RECORD. 10-19-3t

WANTED—By experienced farmer rent or lease five to ten horse farm ten horse preferred. Address Box 10-12-4t Kingstree