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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."

THURSDAY, DEC. 19, 1912.

SOME HEN THIS!

"Lady Show You", from Missouri, sold for \$800.

Springfield, Mo., December 13:—"Lady Show You," a white Plymouth Rock hen that won the national egg-laying contest at the State poultry station, Mountain Grove, Mo., this year, was sold here today for \$800 by J. A. Bickerdite of Millersville, Ill. The hen has a record of laying 281 full weight eggs this year.

President Taft has announced that after retiring from the President's office March 4, 1913, he will accept the chair of professor of law at Yale University.

Poses are out hunting a negro for criminal assault upon a white woman at Kline, in Barnwell county. If captured the negro will doubtless meet the usual fate of negro rapists. Latee—Gregsie Maye, the negro charged with the crime above referred to, has been captured and safely lodged in Aiken jail.

Irvin Wrenn, a white boy, was run over and killed Saturday afternoon by an automobile driven by David B. Jenkins and his son, Clyde. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict attributing the boy's death to criminal carelessness on the part of Jenkins and his son, Clyde, who have been committed to jail to answer the charge against them.

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At a meeting of Bethel Presbytery held at Rock Hill Monday that body rescinded its former action concerning the proposed removal of Chicora college from Greenville to Laurens by voting to remove the college. About thirty-six ministers and elders were present at the meeting.

Notice.

For public information and for the information of those who may be uninformed on the subject, the Insurance Commissioner warns all persons who sell fireworks that they should see to it that they have a special permit attached to their insurance policies covering the sale of fireworks. If this be not done, the policy is voided, and, in case of loss, there is a possibility of the assured being unable to recover on his insurance.

The same applies to the storage of benzine, gasoline and other inflammable substances; but particular attention is directed to the fireworks at this season of the year. It

When you want to change the address of your paper it will save lots of trouble to name the old as well as the new postoffice. Please bear this in mind. tf



STATE and GENERAL TOPICS

Miss Margaret Dent, aged fourteen, was burned to death Friday afternoon at Pinehurst, near Columbia.

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Whitelaw Reid, United States ambassador to Great Britain since 1905, died in London Sunday. He was proprietor of the New York Tribune.

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William Jennings Bryan passed through Florence Tuesday going to Winston-Salem from Wilmington, N. C., where he delivered a lecture the night before.

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Larkin Reid, a white man 60 years old, was run down and instantly killed by a train on the C & G division of the Southern railway at Williams-ton Tuesday afternoon.

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By order of Governor Blease, Chief State Constable Kibler of Columbia and his local assistants raided a so-called social club at Lexington Tuesday and captured more than \$500 worth of whiskey and beer.

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The cotton crop for 1912 is estimated at 13,820,000 bales, as announced by the United States Department of Agriculture. This is the second largest crop ever produced and will probably rank as the most valuable on record.

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Luther McBee, a well-to-do farmer of Greenville county, was mortally wounded by Dock Knight, who struck him two blows on the head with an axe Saturday afternoon. The two men were drinking and quarreled and fought.

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Three Kershaw county convicts, two of them serving life sentences and the third a twenty year term, overpowered a penitentiary guard Wednesday of last week and made their escape. Alonzo McDean and Hiram Lykes are the life term prisoners and Capers Rembert the twenty-year convict.

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R A Richey, white, serving a ten year sentence in the State penitentiary for rape, was paroled last week by Governor Blease on condition that he give a \$5,000 bond and report to the Governor November 23, 1913, for such action as the Governor may then deem wise. Richey, a wealthy farmer of Abbeville county, was convicted of rape in 1910, his victim being a white girl under 14 years old, living in Richey's home under his protection.

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The engagement of Miss Helen Gould, of New York city, to Finley J. Shepard, of St. Louis, has been announced. Miss Gould is the daughter of the late Jay Gould. She is 44 years of age and her fiancé 45 years old. Miss Gould is worth \$30,000,000 and much of her money has been spent in relieving the condition of the poorer classes. During the Spanish-American war she gave several hundred thousand dollars, and much of her time besides, for the relief of the sick and wounded soldiers.

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Secretary of the Treasury McVeagh is now arranging for the printing of the new form of paper money to be issued by the Government. The new currency, which is designed to supplant the old, will be only two-thirds the size, its dimensions being six by two and one-half inches. The new notes will have this peculiarity: all notes will have the same design on the back. This applies to treasury notes, coin certificates and bank notes. Now these notes differ on back as well as on face.

Lost.

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