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THE GEORGIA HUMORIST

WILLIAM RECEIVES A COMMUNICATION FROM AN OLD FRIEND

Interesting Georgia History—Incidents Which Occurred When Indians Roamed the Forests of the Empire State of the South.

I thought that almost everybody was dead but me, especially since Judge Clark died, the man of memories, the historian, the jurist, the amiable and lovable citizen.

Here is a long and scholarly letter from Mr. S. P. Hale, of Madisonville, Tenn., who is now in his seventy-fourth year, and whose father was an officer in the army that moved the Cherokee beyond the Mississippi river.

"I forgot to mention that Elias Boudinot, the philanthropist, wrote a very learned treatise to prove that the Indians of North America all descended from the lost tribes of Israel, and his book made many converts to that belief."

And now the sad news comes that General Avery is dead—my genial, loving friend of forty years—a man whom I always loved to meet whether I was in the office or the counting room or on the sidewalk.

A well-known known physician tells a good story on himself. He had just arrived in town, and not feeling well had left his grip at the hotel and started out for a stroll about nine o'clock.

It is estimated that \$2,000,000,000 of war material was afloat on the occasion of the British naval review at Spithead. This is a pretty little sum. Evidently peace nowadays comes at a high price.

Georgian born in Greene county, educated at Mercer and admitted to the bar in 1831 at Washington, in Wilkes county. He died in 1872. I wonder if there were any quadroon children born to his Indian wife.

In perusing these ancient records I find that Governor Troup, the noblest Roman of them all, was a full-blooded cousin to that famous Indian chieftain, General William McIntosh, and that the general's father was, as is usual, a Scotchman who took an Indian wife.

It is sad to realize that in a few years more not a man or woman will be left who mingled with the aboriginal owners of Georgia soil—these Creeks and Cherokees and Seminoles, who gave kind welcome to our ancestors, only to be despoiled of their homes—a man left to tell of their trials and tribulations.

Big John Underwood, the Roman runaway, who fled from the foul invader and for lack of any better transportation drove a steer in the shafts of a one-horse wagon, and for lack of harness bored a hole through the dashboard and drew the steer's tail through and tied the end in a knot, used to tell me many stories about the Indians, for he lived among them away back in the 30's.

The "Autocar" Not Wanted. The true answer to the question as to whether or not the world wants the automobile car is probably that it does and it does not.

Education and Teeth. Education is playing sad havoc with the teeth of modern generations. So an experienced dentist in the West End says, and he ought to know.

Swimming in London Schools. During the last year no fewer than 10,000 school children were taught to swim by instructors employed by the London Schools Swimming Association.

NEXT WORLD'S FAIR. Great Preparations For the Exposition at Paris in 1900.

Although the Paris Exhibition, which will mark the close of the nineteenth century, is still three years in the future, the French capital has its preparations for the great event well under way.

At the upper end of this avenue two beautiful art palaces, which are to be permanent additions to the public museums of the city, as well as features of the exhibition, are being built.

All of these undertakings are now fairly begun, and upon the most magnificent scale. The Pont Alexandre III will be nearly two hundred feet in width, and its single arch crowned by monuments of heroic size will occupy three years in the building.

The objections to the present "autocar," distributed through the various examples of it, all the objections residing in no single machine, but some of them being found in each, are altogether too numerous to mention, and many of them are fatal.

It is not a difficult thing to imagine an "autocar" without any of these objectionable features, and it can scarcely be denied that we are steadily approaching it. Something cheap, handy, always ready and which any one can use without anxiety or discomfort, would certainly make its way into common use, and only after its general and complete adoption would it be safe to say that it was wanted.

Alaskan enthusiasts who are not to be discouraged by the stories of high prices of the necessities of life perhaps think they can make up for the other expenses by saving on their ice bills, suggests the Chicago Record.

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