

# THE CORNER STORE

We have abiding faith in the South being able to manage this cotton matter between this and January 1915, and we believe cotton is worth 9 cents per pound regardless of the fact that there is no New York or Liverpool Cotton Exchange in operation.

Hence the Corner Store will accept for a short while from those who grow cotton for a living, middling cotton on account at 9 cents per pound.

Should my good intentions to be of help to those who have helped me in times of prosperity. Through this crisis of uncertainty, I shall count it an honor to share at least a part of their loss, so far as we are able.

Respectfully,

## THE CORNER STORE

*W. S. Turner*

PROPRIETOR

### Clemson Event Great Success

PRESIDENT RIGGS TALKS OF HOME COMING

Upon request President Riggs gave the following interview concerning the recent "home-coming": "The first 'home-coming' of ex-Clemson students held at the college, August 27, to 31, was probably the largest gathering of college men ever held in the South. Four hundred and fifty-eight old students were enrolled and given accommodations in the barracks. Quite a number came by automobile for a day only and are not included in the above figure. The total attendance was probably about 525.

"Two or three times that number would have attended but for the financial depression brought about by the European war and the consequent low price of cotton. Nine hundred and fifty-two had signified their intention to come.

"The most remarkable and gratifying feature was the large attendance of men belonging to the earliest years of the college's history. The first graduating class was in 1896 and numbered 37 men. Of this number, 13 attended the home-coming. Five members of Clemson's first football eleven had a picture taken together.

Dividing the 20 sessions represented into four eras, the attendance was as follows: 1893 to 1898, inclusive, 108; 1897 to 1903, inclusive, 91; 1902 to 1908, inclusive, 104; 1907 to 1913, inclusive, 155.

"What the crowd lacked in size it made up in representative quality. Cotton mill presidents, State officials, physicians, successful farmers, distinguished inventors and engineers and a few preachers were among the 'home-comers.' Some bald heads and many silvered temples showed the passage of 20 years or the heads of many of the old ex-cadets.

"Every effort was made to have the home-coming informal. There were no long speeches or formal gatherings. Everything possible was done to remind the boys of their college days and to make them feel at home. Many were the expressions of surprise and satisfaction at the growth and magnitude of the college and the great scope of its present work reaching to every quarter of the State. Until this return, the college was to the older men a memory of four main buildings and a faculty of 22 members. To find a plant worth over \$1,300,000, comprising 19 principal and 31 minor buildings, 70 residences for teachers and officers, and a corps of teachers and officers and assistants numbering 102, was indeed a revelation to the old timers.

"The most delightful feature was of course the meeting of old friends. The barracks resounded with continuous laughter as one group after another fought old battles over again and told of scrapes that gave zest to student life.

"A well planned lyceum course, a good band, fireworks, baseball, dancing and good fellowship made every hour a delight to students and officers alike. The sentiment of our guests is best illustrated by the statement made by one of them that he would not take \$1,000 for

the fun he had had.

"To those of the faculty who had survived the years, it was indeed a pleasure to meet old student friends again, to feel the warm hand clasp, to hear the hearty greeting and the good wishes of those who in the post-graduate college of the world, have gained a perspective and an appreciation that the boy who is yet a student can not know.

"The home-coming has been a great thing for the college, for it has again turned to itself the thoughts of its children. Those who could not come have had their minds turned to their college in affectionate remembrance, and those who came went away fired with a pride and loyalty that must bear fruit in the interest of Clemson college for years to come.

"It is the purpose of the college just as soon as possible to send out to all who attended and all other ex-students whose addresses can be obtained, a souvenir pamphlet giving an account of the 'home-coming.' The pamphlet will be illustrated with pictures of the college buildings and grounds.

"One great purpose of the 'home-coming' is to organize the ex-students, who number over 5,000 men, into a great association to further the purposes and interests of the institution. A special mailing list will be industriously worked up with the help of those whose addresses we now have. To this special list of names will be sent publications of the college, and special information from time to time. Through this avenue, it is hoped to give information as to the plans and purposes of the college; and when necessary the old students will be called to arms to fight its battles—not political battles, but campaigns of information to dispel the misinformation that so often beclouds the public mind.

"It is hoped to make the 'home-coming' a permanent institution, meeting at least every five years, and drawing back thus often to their beloved alma mater the sons of Clemson college."

### Court Clerk Cogburn.

Prominent Official Tells of a Hard Time in His Life.

When a man so well known in Edgefield life has confidence in Doan's kidney pills, it furnishes a good reason for every sufferer here from the aches and pains of kidney trouble to at least try this proven kidney medicine. Read this:

W. B. Cogburn, clerk of court, Columbia avenue, Edgefield, says: "I had pains in my back and my kidneys were in a weak condition. In the evening I was sore and stiff. I got Doan's kidney pills at Penn & Holstein's drug store and they were of great benefit. Whenever my kidneys give me any trouble now, I take Doan's kidney pills and always get relief."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's kidney pills—the same that Mr. Cogburn had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

\$22.50, \$25.00, 27.50 suits made to order of fine woollens. These are \$35.00 to \$45.00 values.

F. G. Mertins, Augusta, Ga.

### Old 96 District Chapter D. A. R.

The regular monthly meeting of the D. A. R. chapter was held at the home of Mrs. J. H. Allen with a good number of members present. The regent Mrs. Woodson presided. After joining in repeating the Lord's prayer and a verse of "America," sung by the chapter, minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. Evans.

Letters were read from the state regent, Mrs. F. H. H. Calhoun, and from Mrs. Ardley chairman of the committee for locating graves of Revolutionary soldiers. In this connection Mrs. Woodson spoke of a head stone from the grave of William Humphrey, a Revolutionary soldier who died in 1825. This head stone is on the path from Turner's store to the court house and it is almost impossible to find out where it had originally been placed, but an effort will be made to locate it.

The following delegates and alternates were elected for the state conference, which meets in Rock Hill, November 17-19: Miss Sarah Collett, delegate. Mrs. Sallie Hollingsworth alternate. The regent is also expected to attend the conference, alternate being Mrs. James Cantelou.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Maggie Hill, third Tuesday in October. A most delightful historical program was prepared by Miss Sarah Collett on Frances Scott Key and the Star Spangled Banner. Miss Collett read a most carefully prepared and instructive paper on the celebration held in Baltimore, honoring the hundredth anniversary of the writing of the poem. Miss Florence Peak rendered in a beautiful and touching manner the words of the poem, after which Mrs. N. G. Evans read a paper on incidents in the life of Francis Scott Key. At the conclusion of this Miss Gladys Chappell told us of a visit to the Continental Memorial Hall in Washington during the past summer and deplored the fact that the south was so far behind the north and west in the furnishing of her rooms and in gathering together relics and mementos. Delightful refreshments were served assisted by Miss Sadie Mims and little Miss Margaret Allen the lovely daughter of the hostess, and Miss Kate Mims. It was a most pleasant occasion, one feature of which was the presentation to the chapter of the first baby born into its circle, little Joseph Albert Allen, son of our hostess.

A. A. W.

Columbia, S. C., Sept. 12.—The war in Europe has tended to hurt the cotton goods trade in South America rather than help it, according to Lewis W. Parker, head of the Parker system of cotton mills, who was among the visitors in Columbia last night. Many of the Parker mills will be forced to run on short time.

The buy-a-bale movement continued to progress in Columbia and other South Carolina cities today. The merchants and bankers are doing everything possible to relieve the situation. This afternoon there was a big mass meeting of farmers held in Gaffney, when the situation was discussed.

Many Columbia merchants have purchased bales of cotton at 10 cents per pound and will hold for 12 cents. The bales have been

placed in front of the stores. Everybody is being urged to buy a bale.

The opinion was expressed in Columbia today that the general assembly can do little to relieve the situation in South Carolina. A state warehouse system could be put into effect in time to help this year's cotton crop. An extension of time for payment of taxes would not help the small cotton grower or laborer.

It will be impossible for the legislature to secure a loan to finance the cotton crop.

It is estimated that the extra session will cost the taxpayers about \$40,000.

## MANY TROUBLES DUE TO AN INACTIVE LIVER

Many of the troubles of life such as headache, indigestion, constipation and lack of energy are due to inactive livers.

GRIGSBY'S LIV-VER-LAX is a natural, vegetable remedy that will get the liver right and make these troubles disappear. It has none of the dangers or disagreeable effects of calomel.

Get a 50c or \$1 bottle of this splendid remedy from your druggist today. Every bottle bears the likeness of L. K. Grigsby, who guarantees it through.

### Stop That First Fall Cough.

Check your fall cough or cold at once, don't wait, it may lead to serious lung trouble, weaken your vitality and develop a chronic lung ailment. Get a bottle of Dr. Bell's pine tar honey today; it is pure and harmless, use it freely for that fall cough or cold. If baby or children are sick give it to them, it will relieve quickly and permanently. It soothes the irritated throat, lungs and air passages. Loosens phlegm, is antiseptic and fortifies the system against colds. It surely prevents cold germs from getting a hold. Guaranteed. Only 25c at your druggist.

## Notice.

All persons having any claims against the estate of S. T. Brunson will prove same before me at Ninety Six or the Judge of Probate, for Edgefield county, South Carolina, on or before the 5th day of October 1914, or else be debarred of payment thereof. All persons owing said estate will pay same to J. E. Brunson administrator.

J. E. Brunson, Admrst. estate of S. T. Brunson.

Just received a car of Thornhill wagons.

Wilson & Cantelou.

Thornhill wagons are not quite as expensive as some others, but will wear like steel.

Wilson & Cantelou

\$6.75 suits. Flannel, all wool, \$12.50 values. \$8.75 Mohair suits \$15.00 to \$20.00 values.

F. G. Mertins, Augusta, Ga.

### Prohibition Does Prohibit In Tennessee.

Ha! ha! ha! Who says that "Prohibition don't prohibit" in storm-tossed Tennessee? He's "another!"

John R. Cooper, otherwise known as "Bunk," the noted criminal lawyer who recently campaigned Georgia for the United States Senate, much to the entertainment of the aforesaid state, declared that he was running "because he wanted to"—that he did not run because he had "many telegrams and letters piled up on his desk asking him to make the 'race,' and that the fellow who does say that he is running for this reason "is a liar and the truth aint in him."

We can think of nothing else that so befittingly fits the liquorized braggart who says prohibition does no good as the red-headed declaration of "Bunk" Cooper—"he is a liar and the truth aint in him."

Tennessee's capital, so long defiant of that state's prohibition law, furnishes now a glorious illustration of the victory that comes to those who fight for the enforcement of a righteous law—and keep on fighting. If prohibition does not wholly prohibit, as Sam Small says about the boy trying to stop the yearling, "it lows the thing up a little"—a big little, thanks to the Lord and Governor Hooper. Here is the thrilling proof from The Nashville Banner:

Six huge dray loads of assorted liquors were poured into the Cumberland River this morning by the receivers in the nuisance cases, acting under the direction of Aust & McGugin, special attorneys for the state, employed by Governor Hooper to prosecute the cases.

The liquor poured out ranged in quality all the way from mean "bust-head" whisky and plain domestic beer up to absinthe and fine brandies and cordials. There were more than sixty barrels of bottled beer, several barrels of whisky and eight cases of absinthe, besides smaller quantities of other liquors. It was valued at several thousand dollars.

The outpouring began shortly before noon. The liquors, which filled four storage rooms in the First National Bank Building, were hauled to the wharf and there the barrels were opened up, the bottles opened and the liquor allowed to run out into the river. Although a score of willing hands were busy opening the bottles, it required the greater part of the afternoon to complete the job of opening the huge stock. The bottles were gathered up and placed back in the barrels, to be sold to the junk men to help meet the expenses of the cases.

Two moving picture machines, one from the Crescent Amusement Company of Nashville and one from the Bon Ray Film Company, were on hand to photograph the unusual incident.

Why, ladies and gentlemen, nothing quite so glorious has occurred in the realm of law-enforcement since the brilliant booze-busting party of Mayor Beverly of Thomasville, Georgia, when he invited in his friends to see six hundred bottles of blind tiger liquor dashed against a helpless wall.

We have only two comments to make about the Tennessee inci-

dent:

First—It was a shameful imposition on the fish and tadpoles in the Cumberland River.

Second—When a state has laws that "hit the spot," and a Governor who means business, law-breaking communities and individual law breakers can be brought to their knees.

Governor Hooper, who is not afraid of anything that drinks booze or "wears breeches," has bravely led the fight for law-enforcement in Tennessee and the Volunteer State is being purged, thank God, from the mountains to the Mississippi.—Golden Age.

## Ready For Ginning.

I desire to notify the public that my new ginery located near the High School in the town of Edgefield is now ready to gin all cotton that is brought to me. It is new and modern throughout, hence I am in a position to give the best possible yield of lint and also to make a good sample. Your patronage solicited.

R. T. HILL.

Sept. 2—1914.

The Thornhill carries the strongest guarantee ever given a farm wagon. They have to make good or the Thornhill wagon Co. will.

Wilson & Cantelou.

Satisfaction, your money back or a new wagon, that's the gist of the guarantee that goes with every Thornhill wagon.

Wilson & Cantelou.

Cotton insured \$40.00 per bale at your house, 56c per bale 3 months, 70c bale 4 months, 84c per bale 5 months, 98c per bale 6 months. Optional with company to replace cotton or pay the insurance.

E. J. Norris.

Stetson Hats at

F. G. Mertins, Augusta, Ga.

### Young Man Would You Marry

If Suited?—Many beautiful Indian girls in Okla, who own rich oil and farming lands that are looking for husbands. Information furnished free.

Mrs. M. D. Smith, Box 547 Muskogee, Okla.

### Dizzy? Billious? Constipated.

Dr. King's New Life Pills will cure you, cause a healthy flow of bile and rid your stomach and bowels of waste and fermenting body poisons. They are a tonic to your stomach and liver and tone the general system. First dose will cure you of that depressed, dizzy, bilious and constipated condition. 25c at druggists.

Special Sales: \$9.75, 14.75 suits; \$18.00, \$25.00 and \$35.00 values, summer and medium weights, blues and fancy. Come in or write us your size.

F. G. Mertins, Augusta, Ga.

15.00 Flannel suits at \$8.00. We are determined to give the best value in Augusta for the money. Palm Beach suits \$6.50; \$8.00 value.

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