

**The Herald and News**

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**THE REST ROOM.**

The Journal is glad indeed to learn that the Winthrop Daughters have taken hold of the matter of erecting a rest room in this city. For more than a year we have strongly advocated this movement and from time to time editorials have been written by us calling for the ladies to take hold of it.

Now the worthy Winthrop Daughters step to the front and assume this obligation. Every citizen and business man should realize the importance of a rest room for Greenwood. And it in any way you can help these ladies do not fail to do so.—Greenwood Journal.

The question of a rest room has been discussed to some extent in Newberry. A proposition to use the old court house for that purpose has been made. There is no doubt that every town the size of Newberry or of Greenwood needs such a place.

We would be glad if our ladies in the city would take this matter up in connection with the merchants and have it discussed. The more conveniences we provide for our friends from the country who come here to do their shopping, the more readily will they come.

Such a place would be a great convenience and comfort to the ladies from the country when they come to town. The question to use the old court house for this purpose in connection with a library is to be submitted to the voters in the primary as a guide for the members of the legislature in making provision for the disposition of the old court house. In submitting the question there should be some guarantee from those who desire that it be retained for the purpose indicated that proper care will be taken of it.

In order to take proper care of the building it will be necessary to provide a fund to pay a janitor or a janitress and this might be made in connection with a library.

There are those who think that the old court house should be torn down so as to give more room for a wagon yard; there are others who think if the court house is torn down a park should be provided in the public square and the wagon yard removed.

There is no question in our mind as to what should be done, but of course we will be willing to abide by whatever a majority of the white people in this county think and say on the subject. In any event the wagon yard should be removed from the public square and if the old court house is torn down a park should be provided. We are of the opinion, however, that Newberry now has an opportunity to provide a good library and comfortable rest rooms for our friends from the country at very little expense. While the court house belongs to the county we are satisfied that the people of the county will favor retaining it for this purpose, provided, the town will guarantee a fund for the proper care of the building.

The law requiring dogs to be muzzled should be extended beyond the limit of towns and cities and if necessary there should be a State law on the subject. Permission should be given to the citizen to shoot down any dog running at large without a muzzle. The fact is, in the present condition of affairs he would be justified in doing it any way.

It was learned yesterday afternoon that the national republican convention, now in session in Chicago, would not reach a ballot before today. A number of nominating speeches are being made in placing candidates before the convention and a ballot will not be reached until some time today.

The State campaign, both for State offices and for United States senator, opened on Wednesday and everything was very quiet and without the usual spice which enters into most political campaigns in South Carolina.

The entry of Mr. W. W. Lumpkin and Mr. J. P. Grace as candidates for the senate was something of a surprise.

**DON'T BORROW TROUBLE—HUSTLE!**

Let us Smile, Be Cheerful and Do Our Level Best.

"Never trouble trouble, till trou-

ble troubles you," and if you owe any money go to bed and sleep. "Let the other fellow walk the floor"—you need the rest to enable you to work and earn it to pay him back, and that is good, sound advice, says the New Idea Woman's Magazine for July.

If you worry yourself to death over the every-day annoyances of life, you will deserve all the suffering it creates, such as sickness, poverty, disappointment and loss of good looks, and can only boast a warped disposition.

All these conditions keep off the good things that might be yours for the taking.

In this great plan of creation it is certain that every one has a place; and if we are not in it and fulfilling the obligations it requires, no matter how hard, whose fault is it? We surely cannot blame that fact upon the Creator, for humanity should be constantly begging His pardon for misunderstanding Him so frequently as it does.

No, it is lack of mental activity and a desire to dodge our moral responsibilities; we should put our finger on our lips and remember that once we were given dominion over the things of this earth, ourselves to be only a little lower than the angels. What has become of the gift? It was given for all time.

If we expect a good living to drop into our lap like a ripe plum, as it were, without troubling ourselves to earn it, needless to say we will get a shock, and it will take all the spunk we can scare up to cushion it so that it does not bowl us over.

So let us sing blithely, let us smile cheerfully, let us dress our best—and hustle!

**KILLING A DEVILFISH.**

Sport on the Gulf of Mexico That Entails Hard Work.

The task of killing a devilfish from a 14-foot boat was left to the bachelor of the party, the married member explaining that he felt his duty to the ones at home excluded him from anything that smacked so of suicide, says Scribner's. Accordingly, when near the next fish, the skiff put out from the stern of the Irene, the spearman standing in the bow while the skipper stood the big boat away so as to give the fish a clear field at the first rush.

The plan developed perfectly—the throw was good, the fish half filled the boat with his first splash, and then rushed away in a great swinging circle, so that in 15 minutes it was possible for the sloop to cut across and catch up, when by some maneuvering it became possible to pass the inboard end of the line up to her bowsprit. After that it was a fight to a finish, with the devilfish on one end of the line and the ten-ton sloop on the other. For a long while it seemed as though the devilfish had the better of it. He towed that big boat steadily out into the gulf for three hours and twenty minutes. It was exactly like being in tow of a fair-sized tug. The progress of the boat was not fast, but as steady as if it were being driven by the Irene's own engines.

It may be fair to remark that killing a devilfish entails as much genuine muscle racking hard work as any task on earth. It is much the same as pulling for hours against a yoke of oxen who are moving off entirely indifferent to one's futile efforts. The devilfish will not let simple towing tire him. If left to himself he will squalid to bottom, and after resting proceed on ad infinitum. It is to prevent such resting that one must work constantly by hauling the tow in close to him, thereby frightening him to constant effort. If he can be strained to the point of weakening, then he may be hauled close enough to harpoon again.

**When Authority Vanished.**

"Some years ago," says an Indianapolis lawyer, "a certain country district of Indiana boasted of a justice who was oppressively inclined with an idea of his own responsibility in seeing that the peace was kept in his bailiwick. He never lost an opportunity to show his authority. Now, this justice of the peace was also a farmer, and his farm bordered on the State of Ohio; indeed, one of his fences was exactly on the State line."

"One day his son an' a hired man engaged in a fistie encounter near this fine fence. The justice, quick to see the situation, jumped to the fence, as a better bench of justice, and assaulted the fighters, demanding 'peace in the name of the State of Indiana.'

"No sooner, however, had the justice farmer asserted his authority than the fence upon which he was perched gave way, carrying him over backward—into the State of Ohio. As

he fell himself falling he shouted to his son:

"Soak it to him good, Bill! I've lost my jurisdiction!" —Philadelphia Ledger.

**A Calm Witness.**

A lawyer was cross examining a witness with a view to getting him muddled in his testimony. The following questions and answers occurred:

"Did you see the plaintiff faint a short time ago?"

"Yes, sir."

"People turn pale when they faint, don't they?"

"No, sir; not always."

"What! Do you mean to tell me that a person can faint and not turn pale? Did you ever hear of such a case?"

"Yes, sir."

"Did you ever see such a case?"

"I did, sir."

"When?"

"About a year ago."

"Who was it?"

"'Twas a negro, sir."

The lawyer excused the witness.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

**BARBECUE.**

I will furnish a first class barbecue at the beautiful grove in front of my residence in No. 2 township on July 4th. All the candidates are invited to be present.

Jno. P. Wicker.

**BARBECUE.**

We will furnish a first class barbecue with refreshments at Fair View school house, on Saturday, June 27th. Dinner thirty-five and forty-five cents. The candidates and everybody are invited.

Robert L. Amick.  
Jno. E. Moore.

**STATEMENT**

Of the condition of the Newberry Savings Bank, located at Newberry, S. C., at the close of business June 4th, 1908.

**Resources.**

Loans and discounts . . . . .	\$213,158.43
Overdrafts . . . . .	6,616.90
Bonds and stocks owned by the bank . . . . .	2,380.00
Furniture and fixtures . . . . .	2,275.00
Due from banks and bankers . . . . .	10,763.00
Currency . . . . .	5,148.00
Gold . . . . .	355.00
Silver, nickels and pennies . . . . .	674.25
Cheeks and cash items . . . . .	463.56
Total . . . . .	\$241,834.14

**Liabilities.**

Capital stocks paid in . . . . .	\$50,000.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid . . . . .	33,406.15
Due to banks and bankers . . . . .	2,558.92
Due unpaid dividends . . . . .	193.25
Individual deposits subject to check . . . . .	35,199.86
Savings deposits . . . . .	95,468.74
Cashier's checks . . . . .	7.22
Bills payable . . . . .	25,000.00
Total . . . . .	\$241,834.14

State of South Carolina,  
County of Newberry.

Before me came J. E. Norwood, cashier of the above named bank, who, being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is true condition of said bank, as shown by the books of said bank.

J. E. Norwood, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this eleventh day of June, 1908.

P. F. Gilder, (L. S.)

N. P. for S. C.

**Correct Attest:**

James McIntosh,  
James K. Gilder,  
B. C. Matthews,

Directors.

**NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS.**

All persons indebted to the estate of John R. Atchison, deceased, will make immediate settlement with the undersigned, or his attorney, Eugene S. Blease, Newberry, S. C., and all persons holding claims against the said estate will present the same, duly attested according to law, to the undersigned or the said attorney.

John C. Hill,

Qualified Administrator,

6-18-31

Kinards, S. C.

**TRESPASS NOTICE.**

All persons are hereby notified and warned not to trespass upon the lands of the undersigned by hunting, fishing or in any manner whatsoever.

Mrs. J. A. Henderson.

**TEACHER WANTED.**

The undersigned trustees of Lehey school will receive applications for teacher of said school for next term.

M. A. Renwick,

T. H. Brock,

S. A. Rikard,

Trustees.

**BARBECUE.**

I will furnish a first class barbecue at my residence on Friday, July 10, 1908, the public is cordially invited.

A good dinner is guaranteed to be served to all. The dinner will be cooked by Messrs. Kibler & Halfaere.

Admission: Gentlemen 50 cts., Ladies 40 cts., Children half price.

Respectfully,

D. E. Halfaere.

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**J. T. MAHER,**  
Newberry, S. C.

**BARBECUE NOTICE.**

We will furnish a first class barbecue at Mount Pleasant, Campaign Day, Wednesday, July 22.

H. S. Graham,

M. J. Smith.

Leave orders at Shop, College

Street, opposite New Court House, or address through Post Office.

**TEACHER WANTED.**