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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.

THURSDAY, APR. 6, 1916.

This paragraph from the Olanta Observer makes us feel that gentle spring is surely on her way, and that much good work might, in the interim, be accomplished in our own beautiful little town:

"The balmy days of spring will soon be upon us, when the green sward and the sweet scented flowers fill our hearts with the joy of living. We should make the best of each day as it comes to us. We should not leave until tomorrow one duty which can be performed today. And this thought brings to our mind a few very important duties which confront us if we would consider the welfare of our people. This town could stand a good thorough clean-up. Our good housewives will take care of the homes, but we of the masculine gender might well look to the cleaning of the streets, and the alleys, and the vacant property. Refuse is to be found in many places, and these heaps are breeding spots for germs, and disease and often of death. It is up to us."

Simplicity, they say, is to be the mode in feminine wearing apparel this summer. Such, too, if we are correctly informed, was the mode in the days of Mother Eve.

EX-GOV. SMITH DEAD.

Passed Away at Baltimore Hospital Friday Night.

Baltimore, March 31:—Former Governor Charles A. Smith, of South Carolina, died at Johns Hopkins University hospital tonight after a long illness.

Erysipelas, developing after many months' suffering from heart failure, was the direct cause of his death. Mr Smith had been at the hospital for months. He was about 56 years old.

The former Governor's home was in Timmonsville, S. C. He was president of a Timmonsville bank and was prominently known in Baptist educational circles. As Lieutenant Governor under Cole Blease he succeeded to the Governorship on the latter's resignation a few days before the end of his term. Mr Smith's tenure as Governor covered the five-day period from January 14 to January 19, 1915.

A widow, four sons and three daughters survive.

New Candidates.

Messrs H M Burrows of Fowler and Eddie D Epps, of the Zeb section, announce themselves as candidates for Coroner.

In this paper will be found the announcement for Congress of Mr Julius S McInnes, a prominent young attorney of Darlington.

Mr J M Godwin of Rhems announces himself for reappointment to the office of Magistrate at Morrisville. He has filled this office very acceptably during the past two years.

Messrs W E Allen of Greelyville and W T Rowell of Trio were in Kingstree Tuesday and called at this office to leave their announcements as candidates for Sheriff in the coming primary. These gentlemen are well known in the county and each will doubtless poll a good vote.

The McLendon Meeting.

About the first of last December I requested Brother Baxter McLendon to come to Kingstree and conduct a revival meeting for me. He consented and the meeting is to begin next Sunday, the 9th inst.

The first service, 11 a. m., will be in the Methodist church, then at 4 and 8 p. m., same day, and on during the meeting, the services will be held in the Central warehouse.

While Brother McLendon is coming by my invitation, and under the auspices of the Methodist church, I shall be glad for the pastors and members of all the other churches to heartily join with us, that the meeting may be mutually beneficial, and I hereby extend a cordial invitation for the same. I have appreciated and enjoyed the fraternal spirit that has existed among us as Christian denominations since I came here, and am ever happy to join heart and hands in efforts to promote Christ's Kingdom.

Brother McLendon will have as his co-workers, Mr G C Pledger, choir director; Mr F A Marshall, manager, and Miss Cora Sprott, stenographer. I hope all who can sing will at once join the choir and help to make the singing a great feature of the meeting.

Mr Marshall arrived in town yesterday afternoon.

The use of Central warehouse has been tendered for the meeting, which was very generous, and is very much appreciated—it is an ideal place for the meeting. Lumber for seats and platform has been shipped from Greelyville and is being hauled from the car to the building today.

WANTED—Every white man in and around Kingstree to volunteer and help make the seats and platform in Central warehouse for the meeting. Work will begin at 9 o'clock tomorrow (Friday) morning. Come and bring a hammer with you.

REV D A PHILLIPS.

Kingstree, April 6.

AMERICANS VICTORIOUS

In Mexico—About Forty of the Enemy Killed.

San Antonio, Texas, April 4:—Surprised during their siesta, one of the groups of Villa's forces driven from Guerrero, was defeated Saturday by a squadron of the 10th cavalry, under Col W C Brown, according to information obtained by Gen Pershing and forwarded to Gen Funston today. In this, the second engagement, the American troops have had with Villa's men, the bandits' losses were estimated at from thirty to forty killed. No mention of American loss was made.

News of the reported engagement, fought at the village of Aguas Calientes, twenty-five miles southeast of Bachinaba, was brought by friendly Mexicans to a point near Rubio, where a detachment of the 10th cavalry, under command of Major Evans, halted yesterday. At the time Gen Pershing sent his dispatch to Gen Funston he had not received an official report from Col Brown, and the expeditionary commander pointed out that reports of the encounter lacked confirmation. Credence in the news was indicated, however, by the fact that he transmitted it to army headquarters here.

According to the version of the Mexicans who arrived at Major Evans's headquarters, Col Brown surprised and attacked the wandering bandits at noon while they were lying about the village, many asleep and all of their horses grazing. Other than the number reported killed and the fact that the American forces captured a number of horses, Major Evans's informants were without details of the encounter.

Is Not a Candidate.

Editor County Record:—I understand that it is reported in Kingstree and elsewhere that I am a candidate for the office of County Auditor. If so promptly, nail it as a campaign contribution probably intended to defeat another possible candidate for another office.

I do not know how the rumor may have started, as I never have been, neither am I now, a candidate for any political office, and it matters not how badly I may need the job, or how much I might think it needed me, I would never consent to measure strength with so good a friend as "Daddy" Montgomery.

R W SPEIGNER.

Greelyville, April 4.

Good For Colds.

Honey, pine-tar and glycerine are recognized cold remedies. In Dr Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey these are combined with other cough medicine in a pleasant syrup. Dr Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey quickly stops your cough, checks your cold, soothes irritation of the throat. Excellent for young, adult and aged. It's one of the best cough syrups made. Formula on every bottle. You know just what you are taking and your doctor knows it's good for coughs and colds. Insist on Dr Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. Only 25c, at druggists.

KINGSTREE HIGH AND GRADED SCHOOL NOTES.

Our girls played the basketball team of Florence last Saturday afternoon. A large and enthusiastic crowd was present and the game was exceedingly interesting all the time, and especially when Kingstree tied the score in the second half. The final score was 25 to 19 in favor of Florence. That school has an excellent team of fine young ladies.

The Parent-Teacher association met Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock. On account of the rain the attendance was small. The committee on membership reported that it had been very successful in its canvass for new members, so that at our next meeting we hope to have a large number present.

HONOR ROLL.

Grade I.
 Margaret Burgess..... 97
 Carlyle Epps..... 97
 Flinn Gilland..... 96
 Mary Frances Montgomery..... 95
 Jennie Eloise Kinder..... 95
 Samuel McChesney..... 95
 Calhoun Dove..... 95
 Fred Smith..... 94
 Sarah Horton..... 93
 James Arrowsmith..... 93

Grade I—Advanced.

Elizabeth Fairley..... 96
 Katherine Steele..... 96
 Margaret Lesesne..... 96
 Mary McCullough..... 94
 Dora Harrington..... 94
 Rachel Dove..... 93
 Philip Stoll..... 93
 Addie Belle Epps..... 92

Grade II.

Mary Catherine Epps..... 98
 Jane Gilland..... 98
 Elizabeth Swails..... 97
 Stella Wolfe..... 96
 Mae Burgess..... 92

Grade III.

James F Cooper..... 94
 Genevieve Reddick..... 94
 Grace Kinder..... 93
 Patty Scott Epps..... 93

Grade IV.

Ola Dubose..... 95
 Mary Sue Harrington..... 93
 Daisy McIntosh..... 93

Grade V.

May Cook..... 93
 John Harrington..... 93

Grade VI.

Jack Meadors..... 98

Grade VII.

Nora Kinder..... 95

Grade VIII.

Serena Lee..... 97
 Hampden Montgomery..... 93

Grade IX.

Agnes Fulton..... 97
 Delle Sexton..... 97
 Edwin Harper..... 93

Grade X.

Erline McIntosh..... 96
 Pauline McCants..... 96
 Virginia Wilson..... 95
 Wista McElveen..... 95
 Lula Sexton..... 94
 Milton Stackley..... 92

Salters Sketches.

Salters Depot, April 4:—Misses Lucy Lee Johnson and Dorothy Johnson of Florence are spending a few days with Miss Leila Ferrell.

Miss Emmie Ferrell, who has been teaching school at Aynor, has returned home for the summer vacation.

Mr W J Small received a telegram Sunday morning that his father died suddenly at Swainsboro, Ga. Mr Small left at once to be present at the funeral.

James Stewart, living between Salters and Lanes, early Monday shot and killed a woman, then turning the gun upon himself fired a fatal shot into his head. James Stewart had been on a drunk and was just getting over it.

Mrs C W Boswell has been seriously ill for the past week.

Mrs J E Aldret and son of Charleston spent a few days with Mrs F A Moseley.

Mr C W Boswell is now painting the new residence he has just completed.

Mrs Ayles of Jacksonville, Fla, who has been spending some time in Charleston, came here to spend some months with relatives.

Mr S D McKay, who has been very sick, we are glad report is able to be out of bed again.

HUSTLER.

MOTHER TELLS HOW VINOL

Made Her Delicate Boy Strong
 New York City.—"My little boy was in a very weak, delicate condition as a result of gastritis and the measles and there seemed no hope of saving his life. The doctor prescribed cod liver oil but he could not take it. I decided to try Vinol—and with splendid results. It seemed to agree with him so that now he is a strong healthy boy."—Mrs. THOMAS FRITZGERALD, 1090 Park Ave., N. Y. City.
 We guarantee Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic, for run-down conditions, chronic coughs, colds and bronchitis.
 Scott Drug Co, Kingstree, S. C.

CAPT HOBBS SAYS HE SUFFERED TWENTY YEARS.

Prominent Nashville Railway Official Says New Joy Has Come to Him.

TOOK FRIEND'S ADVICE.

Gained Twenty Pounds on Two Bottles of Tanlac and Thinks It is the Finest Medicine.

A message that will probably interest more people than any of the thousands of endorsements heretofore given the famous medicine, Tanlac, is the remarkable statement given to the press by Capt T J Hobbs, who resides at 2110 Aclon Ave, Nashville, Tenn. Capt Hobbs has been a passenger conductor on the Louisville and Nashville railroad for thirty-seven years and is one of the most popular and widely known railroad men in the South.

"I suffered with this trouble for fifteen years," said the genial captain to a Tanlac representative who had heard of the unusual case that was the talk of the railroad yards, "and during this time I spent on an average of \$500 a year trying to get cured. The doctors said I had enlargement of the liver.

"Well, I don't know whether it was that or something else," he continued, "but I do know that for the last three years I have not had a single good night's rest, and have not been able to lie on my side at all. I got so I could scarcely eat anything without suffering for hours afterwards, and I fell off fifty-five pounds. I'm rather a big fellow, as you see, and my normal weight is 250 pounds, but I fell off to 195 and was getting so weak I could hardly drag myself through the train.

"Of a night when I would lie down my right side would pain me so badly that it felt like an iron pin was being driven through me. My digestion was terrible, and I took a lot of medicine, but nothing would do any good.

"Every summer for fifteen years I would go to Red Boiling Springs, where the water and rest would patch me up temporarily, but in a short time I would lapse into my old condition. I was just on the verge of giving up all hope of ever seeing a well day again when my engineer said to me: 'Captain, why don't you try Cooper's new medicine? All the railroad boys are talking about it, and it is certainly worth a dollar to give it a trial.'

"Well, I went into Demoville's drug store and got a bottle, and I guess you can see at a glance what it has done for me. I am now on my seventh bottle. I sleep as sound as a dollar and can lie on my right side without the least discomfort. I just sleep so soundly that I don't hear the alarm clock half the time and I guess I'd miss my train if Mrs Hobbs didn't yank me out of bed. I don't believe I would ever wake up.

"I enjoy my meals, too; I just eat everything in sight. A few nights ago I ate a big bowl of cabbage, something I very much like but have been unable to eat for years. My! But it tasted good—and it didn't give me one bit of trouble.

"For a long time my work dragged on me. It worried me and I couldn't take the interest in it I used to, but nothing worries me now except my hunger, for it does seem like I can't get enough to eat. I now go to bed with a wire edge on my spirits. I enjoy my work just like I used to. All the boys have noticed the change.

"After I had taken two bottles of Tanlac, I weighed and found I had gained twenty pounds. That was a few weeks ago; but I know I weigh a great deal more by now. If I had known you were coming out to see me I would have weighed again. I'll say this: I think Tanlac is one of the finest medicines I ever heard of in my life, and I am glad to recommend it to everybody. All my friends know about it, you can bet on that, and I know of about thirty of the boys who are taking it."

Tanlac, the master medicine, is sold by Kingstree Drug Co, Kingstree; Mallard Lumber Co's store, Greelyville.

BUREAU OF MARKET-ING AND EXCHANGE.

Conducted by Miss Amanda Edwards, County Demonstration Agent.

FOR SALE—Ancona Eggs, 15 for \$1.00 from pen of choice birds; splendid strain. Non setters. Apply at RECORD OFFICE.

FOR SALE—Thorough bred single comb Rhode Island Red eggs. Per sitting of 15, \$1.00. MRS W D HARRINGTON. 4-6-3tp

A Nice Library Table
Do You Need One?



We have received a nice assortment of these Tables. They are strongly built of fumed oak and have the magazine rack attached. We will be glad to have you call and see them. Our prices are as reasonable as they can be made.

Before you purchase your Spring Furniture see our lines. We carry the most complete stock to be found in this section and our prices are right.

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 Two Doors from P. O. Kingstree, S. C.

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Call and see us before you buy Meat, Lard, Flour, Rice, Meal, Grits or anything wanted in bulk.

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Now located in the Nelson Block, next door to W. T. Wilkins' old stand.

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Ladies' Suits
 A beautiful line in Taffeta and all the other New Materials made into the latest fashions.

Dress Goods
 A large and beautiful line for Graduating Dresses in Silks, Organdies, Crepe de Chines, Voiles, Etc.

You are cordially invited to call and look over our line.

We are showing an exquisite line of Shoes for Men, Women and Children.

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