

HERALD AND NEWS

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS.

This issue of The Herald and News carries a number of articles which we are sure will be read with interest by the people of Newberry county. Of course, they deal largely with the history of the paper during the past quarter-century, but all that time the paper was a part of the social, political and commercial life of the community, and we think we can truthfully say, has always stood for the progress and development of Newberry county, and the editor is gratified at the number of those who have been connected with the paper for the contributions for this issue. We are also gratified at the number of merchants who have taken advantage of this issue to advertise their goods. We call especial attention to the advertisements in that portion of the paper which deals particularly with the quarto-centennial.

The editor has no promise to make for the future, but will endeavor to perform his duty to the public as he sees it and as the occasion presents itself, without fear or favor.

Mr. Feagle, county supervisor, says that Mr. J. C. Neel has never yet furnished those logs for one hundred split log drags, and that he, the supervisor, is now making drags for the use of the farmers and could utilize these logs to advantage.

"Underwood Is Paying for Newspaper Boosts"—headline. For which he is to be admired. It is a detestable habit which some of the candidates have of expecting the papers to publish their campaign literature free of charge.—Greenville Piedmont.

We agree entirely with the Greenville Piedmont. The Herald and News has been receiving regularly a lot of literature boosting certain candidates for the presidency, but it has all found its way to the waste basket. If Mr. Underwood is paying for his newspaper advertising, we fully agree that he is to be commended for it.

Governor Blease vetoed a number of items in the appropriation bill, yet the legislature passed most of them over his veto. In most of the cases he was right, but he should have gone further. The governor did not seem to have the nerve to veto items which amounted to something, but rather he vetoed the smaller appropriations. However, he was right as far as he went, but he should have used the veto more freely.—Bamberg Herald.

The Bamberg Herald is correct. While the vetoes of the governor in the appropriation bill do not amount to a great deal in dollars, yet it will call the attention of the people in the State to the fact that this bill is increasing from year to year. A great many of these small items get in on the plea that each one would add such an infinitesimal amount to each tax payer that it would not increase the burden, but when a number of them are added together, it makes a considerable sum.

We agree further with the Herald that if we had been in the governor's place, we are inclined to think that some of the larger items would have met with our veto.

Now you Corn Club boys, get right down to it. There is not one of you who has not as good a chance to win as any one of the others. It is true that the parents of some of you have better tools, better teams, more money and more willingness to help than some of the others. But even that is not everything. Where there is a will there is a way. Any boy who will, ought to be able to manage an acre of corn. He can get it broken up just as he wants it. He can get all the fertilizer he needs, and he can cultivate it with a thoroughness that has no limit this side of his own willingness. Every boy has a chance to win and every boy should remember that in the contest there are possibilities for improvement that are worth as much as actual success. Go in boys, go

in to do your best, remembering that the eyes of the grown people are on you, and that according to the energy and intelligence of your efforts will be the estimate you will win among your fellows.—Yorkville Enquirer.

This is what we have been telling the boys of this county whenever we had an opportunity to speak to them, and we desire to emphasize what is said for the benefit of the boys, who enter and who contemplate entering the Boys' Corn contest. Every boy has a chance to win, and as the Enquirer says, "every boy should remember that in the contest there are possibilities for improvement that are worth as much as actual success." In our judgment that is really the point to be emphasized in any contest. The boy who goes in with the determination to win and does his best will get as much benefit from the effort as if he won the prize. The fact is that it frequently happens that the boy who makes an honest effort to win a prize really gets more benefit from the contest than the boy who wins the prize.

The lists are still open in this county and we would be pleased to have more of the boys enter the Boys' Corn contest.

DESCRIBE EFFECTS OF STRANGE NEW LIQUID

Persons Who Have Tested It Say Rheumatic Pains Vanish, Appetite Grows and Indigestion Disappears as if by Magic.

To the many local people who have followed the recent startling reports of strange cures that have been brought about by the use of the new Root Juice medicine, which has created so much excitement in Atlanta and other places, the following descriptions of its remarkable effect upon diseased conditions in many cases will be found most interesting.

Mr. Albert Timlick, of Cantrall, Ill., who was a great sufferer from indigestion, loss of appetite, pains, bloating, belching and other common symptoms of a badly deranged stomach, tells this story of his experience: "My condition was such that I could not keep down a glass of water. I had suffered for two years and tried many kinds of medicines without benefit. I was almost dead one evening, when I sent for a bottle of the Root Juice and felt better as soon as I had taken three or four doses. I kept on using it and now I can keep anything on my stomach. Root Juice has done wonders for me."

Mr. D. P. Kerr, of Bellefontaine, O., tells the following story of his experience with the medicine:

"I was the victim of severe stomach and kidney trouble and grew weak, thin and nervous from the long and continuous suffering. My stomach was sore and painful. Most of the time I could not digest my food. I would get up in the morning with a headache and so weak I could scarcely dress myself. I frequently had bilious spells, coated tongue, bad taste in my mouth and smothering sensation. My kidneys would act often but very scant and painful."

"I spent many dollars for medicines and treatment but could not even get relief. When this new medicine, Root Juice, became known there, I was one of the first to get it. Before long I noticed an improvement. I am on my fourth bottle now and feel much better in every way. My appetite is good, I sleep well, I eat what I want and digest my food. The soreness has gone from my stomach and my kidneys no longer give me any trouble. I am free from headaches, am gaining in strength and have gained in weight."

Others who have used it for rheumatism say that its effect is marvelous and that after taking it a short time the pain and soreness vanish. The stiffness goes and the swelling soon disappears, the joints and limbs become limber and strong and the general health improves.

Local druggists can now supply the Root Juice in three-quarter pint bottles at only one dollar each.

CAUSE FOR ALARM.

Loss of Appetite or Distress After Eating, a Symptom That Should Not be Disregarded.

Appetite is just a natural desire for food. Loss of appetite or stomach distress after eating indicate indigestion or dyspepsia. Over-eating is a habit very dangerous to a person's good general health.

It is not what you eat, but what you digest, and assimilate that does you good. Some of the strongest, heaviest, and healthiest persons are moderate eaters.

There is nothing that will cause more trouble than a disordered stomach, and many people daily contract serious maladies simply through disregard or abuse of the stomach.

We urge all in Newberry who suffer from many stomach derangement, indigestion, or dyspepsia, whether acute or chronic, to try Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets, with the distinct un-

derstanding that we will refund their money without question or formality, if after reasonable use of this medicine, they are not perfectly satisfied with the results. We recommend them to our customers every day, and have yet to hear of any one who has not been benefited by them. We honestly believe them to be without equal. They give very prompt relief, aiding to neutralize the gastric juices, strengthen the digestive organs, to regulate the bowels, and thus to promote perfect nutrition, and eradicate all unhealthy symptoms.

We urge you to try a 25c. box of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets, which gives 15 days' treatment. At the end of that time, your money will be returned to you if you are not satisfied. Of course, in chronic cases length of treatment varies. For such cases, we have two larger sizes, which sell for 50c. and \$1.00. Remember, you can obtain Rexall Remedies in this community only at our store—The Rexall Store. Glider & Weeks.

Now is the time to subscribe to The Herald and News, \$1.50 a year.

A Card of Thanks.  
We wish to thank all those who have been so kind to our dear wife and mother during her suffering, and also wish to thank each one for the kindness and sympathy shown us in our grief. May God richly bless each one is our sincere wish.  
J. H. Gaillard and Children.

For, we know, not every morrow can be sad;  
So, forgetting all the sorrow we have had,  
Let us fold away our fears  
And put by our foolish tears  
And through all the coming years  
Just be glad.  
—James Whitcomb Riley.

A Thing of the Past.  
Prof. Keith: "Mr. Horgan, how do you pronounce your name?"  
Horgan: "Hurger."  
Prof. Keith: "Is it French?"  
Horgan: "It used to be."—The Gamecock.

The children ought to appreciate egg hunts in this era of high egg prices.—Atlanta Constitution.

# The Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company

## OF NEWARK, N. J.

# Is Old, Big and Strong

The Leading Annual Dividend Company. No Stockholders. A Splendid History. Has paid Policyholders \$300,000,000. 66 Years untarnished record. Has always paid Annual Dividends. Issues Endowments at Life Rates. Liberal conditions at low cost. Makes old policies modern. Protects home and business. Refers to old Policyholders.

### WOULD ANY OTHER COMPANY DO THIS?

No company has ever accomplished better results for its policyholders under policy claims. Lists like the following, of Life Insurance Policy Claims are sometimes looked upon as mere fables. As a rule, however, there is a story of remarkable human interest behind each line.

Here's a case, for instance, in Portland, Ore., where an automobile chauffeur, Harry A. Cummings, insured with the Mutual Benefit for \$2,000 in May, 1911. On the 23rd of August (less than four months later) Mr. Cummings was killed in an accident, and the proceeds of the policy were paid to his wife. Individual life is very uncertain, and life insurance is the only safeguard against the element of adverse chance. In America more people are killed by "accidents" than anywhere else in the world.

Still, there are a number of claims among the following under policies issued back in the early 60's. These old policies, like those issued by all life insurance companies then, originally contained what would now be considered harsh restrictions and conditions. These have been removed by the Mutual Benefit and are no longer binding. The old policies have all been brought up to date by reason of the Mutual Benefit's practice of the retroactive principle.

Some of these old policies had been completely forgotten or lost. Under Missouri, for instance, claim under policy for \$100 on the life of Oscar Tinkelpaugh is recorded. In this case, the insured after allowing his policy to lapse, disappeared over forty years ago. The wife of the insured had died in the meantime, and claim is now made by a son, who in a letter to the Company says:

"It seems to me a strange proceeding for a life insurance company to take the trouble you have to establish a legal beneficiary of a policy that has been lapsed for more than 40 years, but if you have an idea that I am the party you are looking for I shall be pleased to give you such additional information as you may require if I can do so."

The Mutual Benefit pays a great many of these "unexpected legacies" each year. It is not "a strange proceeding" for the Mutual Benefit to look up legal beneficiaries under its forgotten policies. The Company does not forget its old members.

There is another noticeable thing about this list: and that is the large number of "repeaters." It will be noticed in many cases that men insured with the Mutual Benefit at several different times, which indicates satisfaction, for unless a man is satisfied with his treatment under one policy he will not take out another later with the same Company.

Here's the case of James J. Davis, under New York, who insured with the Mutual Benefit in 1866, again in 1867, and again in 1887, and who lived to be seventy-five years of age in 1911.

Then there's the case of Charles Samter, under Philadelphia, who insured in 1902 for \$4,000, in 1904 for \$5,000 and in 1908 for \$5,000, and who died in December, 1911, at the age of only forty-three.

The Mutual Benefit's altitude is true mutuality. The following letter shows this idea in practice right here at home:

(COPY)

Donalds, S. C., January 23rd, 1911.

Mr. M. M. Mattison, General Agent,  
The Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co.,  
Anderson, S. C.

Dear Sir:—

I do not understand it, for it is all a mystery to me, but I have to-day been handed by your Mr. E. S. Martin, of Donalds, your Company's check in payment of policy No. 430,196 on the life of my late husband, J. Will Ashley, which policy, I know, he did not consider in force.

My husband insured in the Mutual Benefit in 1906, but for some reason he did not pay premium which was due on November 1st, 1910, and, having borrowed all he could on his policy to assist him in settling previous premiums, he regarded it as absolutely valueless when he failed to pay the last premium. It seems that from the terms of my husband's policy he was really entitled to no dividend, but that it is the rule or practice of your Company to extend the privilege of all new forms of contracts, in so far as possible, to all policies; that under your latest policy dividends are not conditioned upon the payment of the ensuing year's premiums; that it was under this feature my husband's insurance was kept alive, and without any request from him, the dividend having been applied to the purchase of automatic extended insurance, for, I am informed, something like four or five months. The settlement, therefore, under these circumstances, is all the more appreciated by me, and I am thoroughly convinced thereby that the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company is one that can be absolutely depended upon to do right in every instance. I am satisfied, from what your Mr. Martin tells me, that had Mr. Ashley had his insurance in any other Company, under like circumstances, I would not have received a dollar.

In addition to this unexpected check, I wish to say that I appreciate very much the promptness with which this matter has been handled. One week ago my husband was apparently a well man, but died last Monday night, after a few hours' illness, from an attack of acute indigestion; I signed proofs of loss on last Wednesday, only five days ago, and I can hardly realize that settlement has this day been made with me.

Yours very truly,  
SENIE ASHLEY.

The Mutual Benefit Life asks you to investigate. It paid for insurance in force December 31, 1911, \$589,808,817.00. Paid for insurance in force in South Carolina alone, December 31, 1911, \$14,885,384.00. Ask South Carolina's 8,287 (Dec. 31, 1911) satisfied Policyholders what the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company means.

## M. M. MATTISON, General Agent,

### For South Carolina, Anderson, S. C.

## E. D. PEARCE, District Manager,

### Newberry, South Carolina.

## To The Public!

I have opened a first class Grocery Store under the Crotwell Hotel and I keep all kinds of fancy fruits, candies, crackers, canned meats, canned fruits, tobacco, cigars, soaps, hams, pickles, sugar, lard, bacon, molasses, flour. In fact I keep everything that is needed in a first class grocery store. My goods are all fresh, I have no old or stale ones. I have just started in business and want your trade. Come to see me.

MY MOTTO: Politeness, Honest Weights, Quick Sales and Small Profits.

KEEP YOUR EYE ON THE SIGN OF

## A. L. RIKARD