

LETTER NO. 2.

AN OPEN LETTER REGARDING IMPORTED HOSIERY.

In our yesterday's letter we spoke of how we were going to make this the Hosiery Store of WASHINGTON. Yesterday a lady who saw the extra good values that we are offering in this department, remarked: "If those hose are as good as they look, I'm going to buy all my hosiery here."

Yours very truly, J. K. HOYT.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER EXECUTION.

Under and by virtue of an execution directed to me out of the Superior court of Beaufort county, N. C., in a judgment duly docketed in the said court in an action wherein Familee Grocery Co. was plaintiff, and E. T. Willard, C. E. Willard and B. F. Willard, were defendants, I, Geo. E. Ricks, Sheriff of Beaufort county, will on Monday, the 1st day of August, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, sell for cash, to the highest bidder, before the courthouse door in the said county, all of the right, title and interest of C. E. Willard and B. F. Willard in and to those certain tracts or parcels of land situated in the State of North Carolina, Beaufort county, and Washington township, being upon and attached in the said action, and more particularly bounded and described as follows, viz:

First. That certain lot designated as lot No. 3 in the division of the lands of the late Edwin Woolard, which is duly recorded in the Register's office of Beaufort county in Book 34, page 36, being the lot assigned in the said division to Edwin Woolard; beginning at the northeast corner of lot No. 2 in the said division on the line between Beaufort and Martin counties, running with the said line south 63 east 87 poles, thence south 45 west 400 poles to the run of Moyes Beaver Dam Swamp; thence with the run of the said swamp to the eastern line of lot No. 2 in the said division; thence with the said line north 45 east 415 poles to the beginning. Containing 210 acres, more or less.

Second. That certain lot or parcel of land designated as lot No. 4 in the division of the lands of the late Edwin Woolard above referred to, and which said lot was conveyed by the said Edwin T. Woolard by F. E. Woolard by deed dated January 13, 1889, recorded in the Register's office of Beaufort county, in Book 86, page 256. Beginning at the northeast corner of lot No. 3 in the said division above referred to, on the county line, and with the said line south 63 east 144 poles to John D. Perry's line, in Grassy Island Swamp; thence with the run of the said swamp and the said John D. Perry's line to the run of Moyes Beaver Dam Swamp; thence with the run of the said swamp to the eastern line of lot No. 3 in the said division; thence with the said line of lot No. 3 north 45 east 400 poles to the beginning. Containing 210 acres, more or less.

This June 29th, 1916. GEO. E. RICKS, Sheriff of Beaufort County.

Napoleon's Grit. was of the unconquerable, never-say-die kind, the kind that you need most when you have a bad cold, cough or lung disease. Suppose troches, or cough syrups, cod liver oil or doctors have all failed, don't lose heart or hope. Take Dr. King's New Discovery. Satisfaction is guaranteed when used for any throat or lung trouble. It has saved thousands of hopeless sufferers. It masters stubborn colds, obstinate coughs, hemorrhages, laryngitis, croup, asthma, hay fever and whooping cough, and is the most safe and certain remedy for all bronchial affections. 50c. \$1.00. Trial bottle free at all druggists.

GOOD TOOLS HELP A GOOD MAN TO DO GOOD WORK. Illustration of a man with tools and a sign that says 'I LOVE MY WORK'.

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WELL RICHARD

Colonial Grimes' Address Makes Favorable Impression.

At the recent meeting of the Farmers' Union of Raleigh, one of the principal speeches made before that body was that of Col. J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State. It made a most favorable impression and was well received. In giving an account of this address, the Raleigh Evening Times says:

"The morning session was given over to speech-making and was open to the public. The speeches were above the ordinary and were filled with rich food for the farmer's thought. The principal address was delivered by Col. J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State, and though he spoke about an hour and a half, he was given the closest attention and was frequently and heartily applauded as he would make some telling point and pluck it. Seldom has a better speech been made in this State. He laid down a platform that would be well for the farmer and all others as well to stand on. His reasoning was sound, and his blows were straight from the shoulder. Col. Grimes spoke without manuscript, using only a few notes, all of which is to be regretted, for that address should have been placed in the hands of all."

Strange Fishing Matches. In the olden time in England lords and ladies sometimes invented queer amusements. They were always on the lookout for some novelty, and one of the strangest they discovered was fishing by a goose. A line with a baited hook attached having been fastened to the goose, tied to its leg, she was flung into the water from the boat in which were all the gay lords and ladies. Then, when a pike caught the bait, she was spotted indeed, a royal battle between bird and fish, and all the time between the loud splashing, wheelings and soundings, the on-lookers in the boat giving vent to their feelings in cheers, handclappings and handkerchief waving. But the goose was usually the victor and ended the struggle by landing its prisoner on the shore, where it quack-quack as it cleared itself from the line and waddled away waddled the scene. The fish of course, in the south-west of Perthshire, was often the scene of such exciting matches.

TO ATTEND UNION. Rev. J. A. Sullivan, pastor of the First Baptist Church, left this afternoon for Oak City to attend the Roanoke Union. He will return home Saturday night.

GONE TO HONOLULU. Mr. Fenner Stickney left yesterday for Honolulu to visit his mother, Mrs. E. F. Burbank. Mr. Stickney purchased a ticket direct from Washington to San Francisco. From that city he will go by water.

CREDITABLE FLOAT. The New Berry Sun says that thousands of people from far and near thronged the streets of that town Tuesday night to view the most dazzling and elaborate pageant ever witnessed in the State—being the Historical parade. Heralding each historical float were trumpeters in white suits. There were quite a number floats in the long parade. In speak of the one from Washington, the Sun says:

"Perhaps the most natural and indeed a very interesting model was the colonial coach, drawn by a pair of black horses. In the coach were General and Lady Washington and standing on the back the footman, ready to serve. This float was a representative of Washington, North Carolina, and was a very creditable one."

ANNUAL MEETING

Delegates are to be Appointed to Waterway Convention.

The annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held Monday night, August 1st. It is very important that this meeting be well attended.

At this meeting the delegates to the Deeper Inland Waterways Convention are to be named.

This is going to be the banner convention of the Deeper Inland Waterways Association. The delegates are to be the guest of the Deeper Inland Waterways Association, the City of Providence and the Providence Board of Trade. One of the Providence delegates who was working to have this year's convention at Providence stated that there were to be several days of sight-seeing, visiting mills and factories, automobile riding and other amusements. There will also be a regular old-fashion New England clam bake as well as banqueting.

This will be a trip which any person will be well repaid in taking, and as it is important that the names so sent in immediately that they may be enrolled upon the literature. If you wish to go, please write the fact to the Washington Chamber of Commerce, as there is no inclination not to appoint any one who wishes to take the trip. It is most important that Washington have a good strong delegation. Let them see that we appreciate the advantage of the Deeper Inland Waterways.

Rural Amenities. Fair Passenger—But, good gracious, why didn't the train stop here? It is supposed to. Porter—Yes, miss, but the engine driver has quarreled with the station master.—Pala Mele.

A Conclusion. "Her husband doesn't smoke, & he chew, swear or play cards." "Introduce me. Widows are my specialty."—Houston Post.

Threat Trouble. "You look sad, old man. What's the matter?" "Throat trouble." "I didn't know you were subject to it." "Yes, I am. This throat belongs to the newcomer to the next house, who practices singing at all hours of the night."

Post Is Past. Fish every day and be done with it. You have done what you could. Some blunders and absurdities, no doubt, creep in. Forget them as soon as you can.—Emerson.

Kitty-T. "No, not exactly, but it is. He asked me night if my father was worth they say he is.—Boston Herald.

Some purgatives contain such strong drugs that, while they cause the bowels to move, injure the delicate linings of stomach and intestines. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is not in that class. It is slightly laxative and at the same time healing and soothing. Hardy's Drug Store.

BAKER'S STUDIO. The following persons have had pictures taken at Baker's Studio during the past seven days: Miss Effie Jarvis, Belhaven; Mrs. Amanda E. Wallace, Pinetown; C. S. Woolard, Yemassee; W. J. Midway, Lake Landing; Miss Rosa Carrowen, Menic; Frank McAdo, Edward; G. B. Boyd, Pinetown; Miss Ellen Barnes, Cash Corner; E. J. Brooks and baby, Washington; Miss Pearl Swanner, Washington; A. C. Robertson and N. B. Downie, Jamesville; Miss Zeda

Primer's Etymology. "Primer" is a name of those words that have shown popular association to be stronger than etymology. It has no real connection with the sea, but is the old French "primeron," and, anyhow, means only the "prime" or first flower (more or less) of the year. Our language has fastened upon making "rose" of all sorts of flowers. We have the tuberose, which is only "tuberose," tuberose, and the rosemary, which is "rosmarina," dew of the sea. On the other hand the "rose" has been dropped readily enough in cases where popular fancy could not see the flower. The alchemists called green vitriol "rose of copper," "cuprosea." In French this became "copperose," but English wore it down to the pointless "coppera."—London Chronicle.

The Dancing Mania. The "dancing mania" of the middle ages came on the heels of the great plague known as the "black death." It was some sort of nervous disease and is now supposed to have been what is known as "St. Vitus' dance." It began in the year 1374 at Arras, in the north of France, and spread all over Germany, the Netherlands and Italy. The dancers formed circles and in hand and appearing to have lost all reason, continued dancing regardless of the bystanders, for hours together until their wild gesticulation led to the ground in sheer exhaustion. Pounding and foaming at the mouth, they would suddenly spring up and begin the dance again, to be again exhausted, and so on until they died. The mania involved millions of people.

The Twelve Jurymen. A prisoner is tried by twelve of his fellow countrymen. This custom is a thousand years old, and we get it from the Vikings. The Vikings divided their country up into cantons, which were subdivided into twelve portions, each under a chieftain. When a malefactor was brought to justice it was usual for each chieftain to select a man from the district over which he ruled and compel him to try the prisoner, the verdict of these twelve men being declared by the judge to be final.

The Soldier Ant. The Hon. is the king of insects, but all of its magnificent strength and ferocity would avail him nothing when he faced a mere ant. But this ant is not the usual kind which peacefully goes about its domestic duties day by day. It is the terrible driver or soldier ant, said to be the most invincible creature in the world. Against these they assume no man or band of men, no lion or tiger, not even a herd of elephants, can do anything but hurriedly get out of the way. Among the Baroque natives a favorite form of capital punishment is to coat the victim with grease and throw him before the advancing army of soldier ants. The quickness with which the poor wretch is dispatched is marvellous when it is considered that each ant can do nothing more than merely tear out a small particle of flesh and carry it off. Yet in a surprisingly short time the writhing victim will have been changed into a skeleton.

Old Saws and Sayings. A few old sayings on the subject of food come to us rather as a surprise in our age of daintiness and refinement, yet they have their raison d'etre notwithstanding. "Meat is much, manners are more." "Cease your chatter and mind your platter." "The ass that brays most eats least." "The wing with the liver to him who's the giver." "He can give little to his servant who licks his own trencher." Apropos of this remark, it is amusing to note that "manners" was the name given to the remnants of a meal. These came to the servants as official perquisites; hence our well worn expression before emptying a dish, "Leave the last slice or whatever it may be for manners," though if votes were collected on this point it is hardly likely that any of us would have taken it as it stands in the original.

Carthage's Great Snake. The ancients firmly believed in monster serpents of all kinds and of both the land and marine species. During the wars with Carthage a great snake is said to have kept the Roman army from crossing the Sagrada river for several days. The monster swallowed up less than seventy Roman soldiers during this combat and was not conquered until a hundred stones from as many different catapults were fired upon it all at one time. The monster skull and skin were preserved and afterward exhibited in one of the Roman temples. The dried skin of the creature was 120 feet in length, according to Pliny.

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