



The FAT MAN has promised the Editor that he will make this corner the brightest and most amusing spot in the whole paper. The FAT MAN is glad to have heard of your kind and clever paragraphs—those things that put everyone in a high, good humor and leave one all chuckling inside. The sower, the better, and he will pay at the rate of one dollar a line for items when suitable for his corner. Usable contributions will not be returned unless accompanied by a self-addressed envelope. The FAT MAN, Editorial Dept., National Postal News, Washington, D. C.

Williamston Boy Scout in Tarboro (to old lady): "May I accompany you across the street, madam?"  
Old lady: "Certainly, sonny. How long have you been waiting here for somebody to take you across?"  
Richmond Evening Dispatch.

I kissed her in a speeding car. Her lips were warm and sweet; I went to taste them once again—I kissed the brick paved street.—Humbug.

Teacher: "Compare the word 'ill'." Tommy: "Ill, iller, dead."  
—Boys Life.

"A fathom" explained the instructor, "is six feet. Can any one give me an example of this?"  
Tenderfoot: "Yes sir; flies walk on the ceiling because they have fathoms."  
—Boys Life.

"What did you do after the hop?"  
"Nothing to speak of."  
"Oh!"—Virginia Reel.

Min: "You know I went riding with a strange man last night. Did I do wrong?"  
Egg: "How do I know?"—Carnegie Tech Puppet.

They can afford to sit in the bald-headed row for what they save in the barber shop.—Detroit News.

Mother: "Bobby, daddy and I have arranged that he is to give you a dime every time he is caught swearing."  
Bobby: "Gee, that's great! When are you going to fix the car, Daddy."  
—American Legion Weekly.

Customer: "My, vot a rotten cigar you gif me."  
Storekeeper: "You should vorry, you got von and I got five hundred."  
—Richmond Evening Dispatch.

Father: "Willie go in the other room and see if the wall clock is running."  
Willie: "No father, it is standing still wagging its tail."  
—Steubenville Herald.

Her father: "Have you any chance for promotion?"  
Suitor: "Have I? You bet I have. Except for the office boy I have the lowest position in the office."  
—Baltimore News.

Londoner (lookin' gover estate, startled by screeching noise): "I say, old chap, what was that?"  
Agent: "An owl."  
Londoner: "My word, my dear man, I know that. But what was owing?"

**RAT CAMPAIGNS SUCCESSFUL**

The biological survey of the United States department of agriculture conducted an anti-rat campaign in Georgia during December, and followed it with a similar campaign which is in progress in Virginia. In cooperation with the extension service of the Georgia Agricultural college, preliminary organization work was done, and a state wide publicity campaign was put on. The campaign attained its greatest efficiency at Atlanta when the local chamber of commerce purchased and distributed free of charge two and three quarter tons of barium carbonate for poisoned baits for rats.

Satisfactory results are reported both in the number of rats killed and the interest aroused in making conditions less favorable for these pests by eliminating sources of food and harborage, and by the rat proof reconstruction or repair of buildings. It is planned to follow up the drives from time to time as required to control the rats effectively.

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A certain tract of land lying and being in Martin county, state aforesaid and more particularly described and defined as follows: Being that

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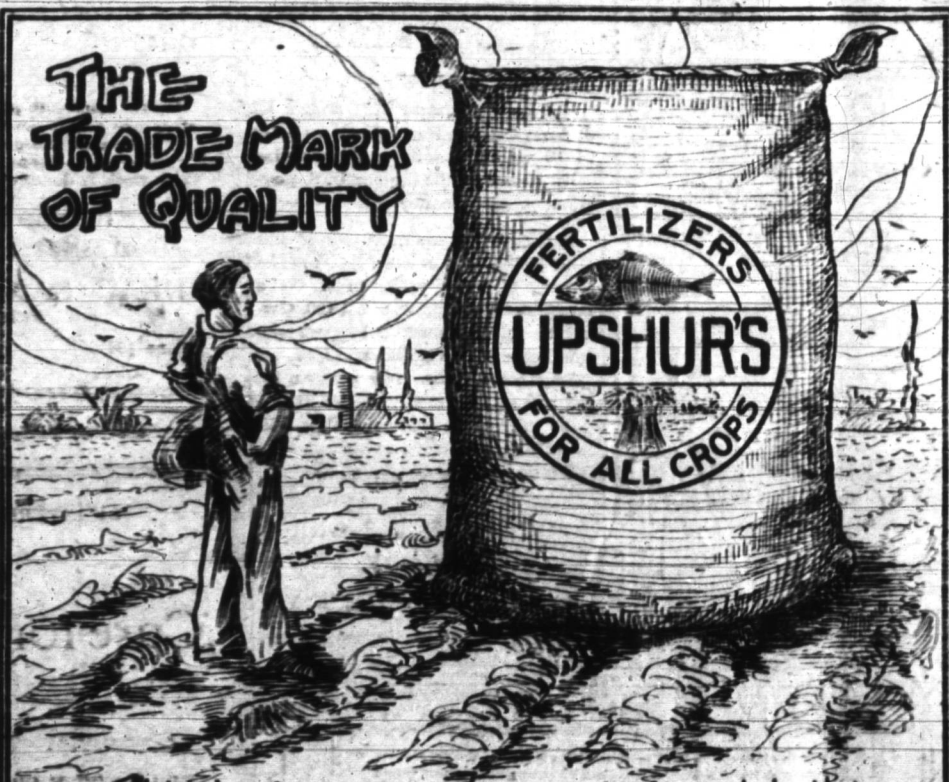
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