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The Opportunity Is Here, Backed by Marion Testimony.

Don't take our word for it. Don't depend on a stranger's statement.

Read Marion endorsement. Read the statement of Marion citizens.

And decide yourself.

Here is one case of it. W. H. Hawkins, prop. of mill, Marion, says: "Some time ago I had a bad spell of kidney trouble and backache. My kidneys acted irregularly, the secretions were highly colored and painful in passage. I found it a task to bend over. My head ached, I was dizzy at times and was in pretty bad shape. I finally heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and got a supply. A few days relieved me and soon I was entirely cured."

Price 80c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Hawkins had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

### NEXT DOSE CALOMEL MAY SALIVATE YOU

It is Mercury, Quicksilver, Shocks Liver and Attacks Your Bones.

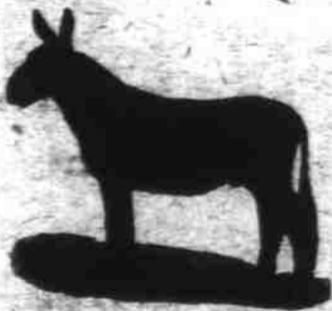
Calomel salivation is horrible. It swells the tongue, loosens the teeth and starts rheumatism. There's no reason why a person should take sickening, salivating calomel when a few cents buys a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone—a perfect substitute for calomel. It is a pleasant vegetable liquid which will start your liver just as surely as calomel, but it doesn't make you sick and can not salivate.

Calomel is a dangerous drug, besides it may make you feel weak, sick and nauseated tomorrow. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone instead and you will wake up feeling great. No salts necessary. Your druggist says if you don't find Dodson's Liver Tone acts better than treacherous calomel your money is waiting for you.

### BE RELIEVED OF PRESSING TROUBLES



Don't be bothered with things that we can do for you. It's easier for us to call regularly for your clothes, clean, press and repair them, than it is for you to be troubled thinking about it. We positively guarantee satisfaction. A trial will be the test of our statement.



## McDOWELL PRESSING CLUB

M. F. BECK, Propr. PHONE 268. MAIN STREET

### BOND SALE!

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the Board of County Commissioners of McDowell County, North Carolina, at the Clerk's office in Marion, North Carolina, up to and including November 21st, 1921, at 10:30 o'clock, a. m., for the purchase of \$150,000 McDowell County, North Carolina, Court House bonds, dated December 1st, 1921, and maturing December 1st, 1951, bearing interest at 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, in the denomination of \$1,000, and both principal and interest payable at the Chase National Bank, in the City and State of New York.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for \$3,000, as an evidence of good faith.

No bid for less than par and accrued interest will be considered. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids or to accept any bid deemed best for the County.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of McDowell County, North Carolina.

R. F. BARNES, Clerk, Board of County Commissioners.

Pay your town taxes in October and get 2 per cent off.

### CORN HUSKINGS COMING BACK.

Editor Marion Progress:

I deem it of general interest to give the following bit of social experience, because in a way it chronicles things typical of that side of social intercourse in McDowell county and Western North Carolina that have meant most for the happiness and contentment of our people.

Last night I had the pleasure of attending an old-fashioned, old-time corn-shucking at the splendid home of Mr. L. A. Westmoreland at Glenwood. Mr. Westmoreland is a newcomer to this county, having purchased the splendid farm on which he lives and moved here from the good old county of Haywood, and we welcome him to this county with all of his thrift and energy and splendid family, together with his open and wholesome ideas of community building. The fact that upon this farm he has produced two thousand bushels of corn this year is proof No. 1 that he is a good citizen. The people gathered early yesterday, men and women, boys and girls, and engaged in the work and jollity and feasting which goes with the old-time corn husking. The writer arrived upon the scene about the middle of the afternoon to spend time in shucking corn proportionate to the amount he expected to eat when supper arrived.

Mrs. Westmoreland and the ladies of the community are to be especially thanked for the most bountiful supper the writer has had a pleasure to sit down to in a great while. The corn shucking continued for some time after supper and was followed by games and intermingling of the people from far and near.

Among the visitors from out of community were: Miss Celestia Penny, principal of Glenwood High School; Miss Delia Gibbs, Miss Shaw from Greensboro, Miss Myra McFalls, Miss Emmabelle McFalls from Hickory; Miss Sue Ledbetter from Chimney Rock; Dr. and Mrs. Jonas, W. O. Ledbetter and Roby Conley of Marion and Rev. James Brown and wife.

It is regrettable that the corn-shuckings of long ago with all their wholesome and enjoyable pastimes have to a great extent passed out. The writer believes that the former country amusements, the corn-shucking, the cane-stripping, the butter-stirring, the bean-stringing and even the old-fashioned "shoe around" with its "Virginia reel" and old time country fiddling, was a fairly good solution to what a great many people call the "dance problem" of the present day.

One proof of the adequacy of such pass times, which is entirely satisfactory to the writer, is that upon this occasion he found three red ears of corn and which he might add, yet holds in token of the pleasant affair.

B. L. LUNS福德.

### "These Rats Wouldn't Eat My Best Grain," Says Fred Lamb.

"It's hard to keep rats out of a feed store. Tried for years. A neighboring store sold me some RAT-SNAP. It worked wonders. Gathered up dead rats every morning. Bought more RAT-SNAP. Haven't a rat now. They wouldn't eat my best grain when I threw RAT-SNAP around." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Carolina Hardware and Red Star Pharmacy.

### A SIGN THAT SAYS SOMETHING

In a corner of a small State is a small mill. It has been there for a long time; the steam that turns its wheels has been turning a wheel there for two hundred years.

Inside the door, where you can't see it from the road, but where the thirty men and women who work in the mill see it every day, is a new hand-lettered sign. Only five words, but notice this in order in which they stand:

Shut up. Think. Work. Produce.

For there is no thinking until a man shuts up; no work until he thinks, and no production until he works. Among the multitude of bluesy mottoes, here is one that says something.

### Will You Spend 65c On Rat-Snap to Save \$100?

One 65c pkg. can kill 50 rats. The average rat will rob you of \$10 a year in feed, chicks and property destruction. RAT-SNAP is deadly to rats. Cremates after killing. Leaves no smell. Comes in cakes. Rats will pass up meat, grain, cheese to feast on RAT-SNAP. Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Carolina Hardware and Red Star Pharmacy.

### HELP YOUR LOCAL PAPER.

Southland Farmer.

Don't make fun of your local paper. It has possibilities of being as good as any in the country—and remember that it reflects the community in which it is published, and it is the one product that goes to far places bearing the town trade mark. It deserves the best you can give of active support and sympathetic understanding.

Give the editor news, whether it benefits you are not.

Don't ask him to print it on the front page and just the exact way you handed it in.

Don't worry lest the editor makes too much money. If he's prosperous he'll be foolish enough to give his community a better paper; that's an editor's ambition—that's why he engages in the publicity business.

Tell him when he has a good paper. You are willing to congratulate your preacher on a good sermon, and your merchant on an attractive window display. The editor is no less grateful for a word of praise.

Make it a point to visit the print shop and learn of its difficulties and complexities. At least that will give you a more charitable attitude. The paper should not be the product of the editor solely, but of all those who are interested in it as friends, contributors, readers or advertisers.

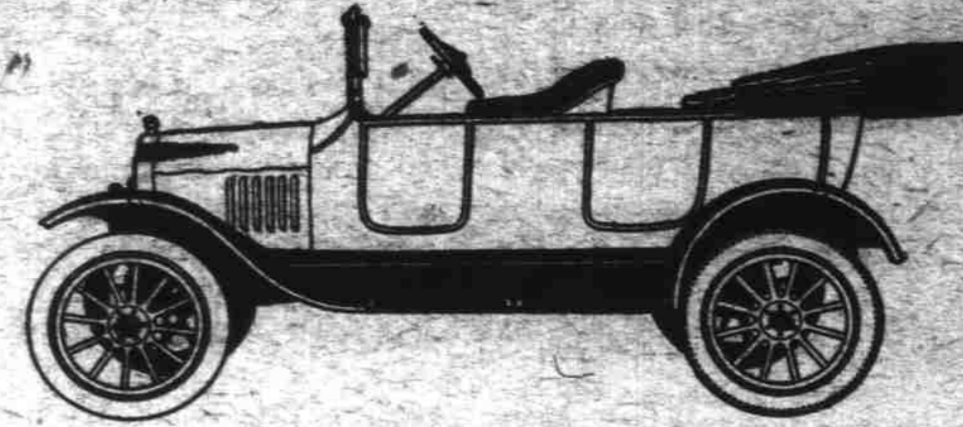
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MARION, N. C.

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