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FUNNY LEGISLATURE

The Marion Star has the following to say with reference to the Legislature...

THE STATE OFFICES

The concurrent resolution introduced in the General Assembly...

FACTS ABOUT SOUTH CAROLINA

The federal prohibition department has headquarters for South Carolina at Greenville...

VOICES OF THE NIGHT

In the city of Philadelphia there is a much used mirror device by means of which people living in the upper stories of houses...

One has ever found a substitute for moderation.

...for one... olley-tongued men sell oil stock.

...male, automobile, railroad, normal triangle.

...a self-starter has to be on before it produces results.

...time never travels very fast.

...are selling spectacles by... it's difficult to see how to...

...ing... suits a man for a day's work as playing the...

...have to be naturally addicted to honesty before it profits.

...province of government is an overseer, not to give...

...these days of auto bandying, is more flattering than...

...aviator is killed on the duty. That's too high a price for a thrill.

...goes to bed before midnight he has given up cross word or his radio is broken.

...ou let human Nature have way, the chances are good he will let you have yours.

...a place that can boast of a station holiday may at least not up-date.

...hibition agents seized 5,214 bottles last year. But many are lacking as to the amount escaped.

...usband who will carry in and dry the dishes is more than any woman should expect.

...who put the wood alcohol radiator live to enjoy the longer.

...seems to be a reason for everything except naming to Lynchburg.

...telling is ahead for industries there is not much air from political prognostic.

...idea of the South Carolina highway registration law is to fill out automobiles, not clear to the average man and which required enormous much time. It does not charge of automobile would have used better and sent out a simpler automobile title registration would be a good thing for the owners if it were property. The idea is not only for owners to have a title of registration in his car but it is to be stolen the highway commission would make an effort to register cars. It seems \$150,000 were paid into highway commission each year by the owners of cars of the highway commission. With this money, maintenance of officers who would strenuous efforts to locate cars.

...guaranteeing the amounts in South Carolina some in the way of service for our highway commission. It is only best on the money which to the office force, hence raised by the automobile throughout the state.

...probably that a title registration would decrease the amount of auto thefts. The one we do not believe it decrease them near so much as advocates of the law claim. Registration law would decrease the thefts fifty per cent. Under why the insurance only reduced them ten per cent when the same effective. The claim consistent with the facts of the advocates.

Well, Mr. Editor, said Sam Snoggress, "I do see the sun's shining bright this morning and if this here kind of weather keeps on for farmers can soon start to hitching old Maud up to the plow and start out to raise another crop at a cost of 25 cents a pound and sell hit next fall for 18 cents and den cry hard times until next spring comes to plant again. There has been nothing to this here all cotton business but I do look like it is got in a rut and just can't get out any more or other.

It kinder looks like de legislature am gwine to cut de price on license tags for automobiles and Pona and raise de price by gasoline to five cents a gallon and let one cent vit dis come back to de counties for de cross country roads. I is glad to see them that legislature am gwine to take care of de cross country road cause is the roads our farmers has to travel and raise de price by one cent a gallon and let one cent vit dis come back to de counties for de cross country roads. I is glad to see them that legislature am gwine to take care of de cross country road cause is the roads our farmers has to travel and raise de price by one cent a gallon and let one cent vit dis come back to de counties for de cross country roads.

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Probably the most extensive of these is the tax department, especially that section dealing with the state income tax, which, instead of being cast in the simplest form as originally intended to be, is of a special and a complex character, imposing a mass of work on those liable to the tax and forcing a small army of clerks to check up the returns and to collect the sums due. It has already been proposed that the state income tax be laid in fixed ratio to the federal tax as a means of simplification which would obviate the necessity of a separate return for the tax department and eliminate a number of office employees as well as relieve the taxpayers of superfluous and irritating calculations to the end of making their payments to the collector more convenient.

The passage of the bill introduced to accomplish this would achieve something of the end at which a more simplified investigation aims. The state highway department is, of course, a large organization, but it is proposed that the revenue of the state should be increased by the passage of a bill introduced to accomplish this would achieve something of the end at which a more simplified investigation aims.

It is a remarkable state of circumstances in Columbia; very few men are strong enough to give quarter to the motives of the department, which means, to us, that there is an organization so powerful that it strikes terror into the body of the state as a boy controls a kite, or that silence has been kept, as we have seen in many counties, that there are none left to protest.

Mark our words. The State Highway Department, and its attitude toward the citizens, will bring to us a political revolution, such as we have never seen. When the present session of the Legislature adjourns, without having severed the rope which hangs the people of this state to a ruthless department, such as this one has proved to be, when the petty economies have been put into practice, denying the people the little things which have meant comfort and protection to them, and at the same time allowing this monster to continue its work about their very lives, squeezing out of them a system of veritable slavery—we may as well begin to prepare for the worst. "Fornication and Blasting" will be rampant, and by comparison will be rather tame movements. Our people will not submit to the yoke no longer will they be fooled by a political central cabinet, or cabinet, or refusal to make small expenditures, or any of the other "tricks" which are placed before us as an attempt to "take care of us." If the legislature wants to do what it pretends to want to do, it will take the State Highway Department into hand and shake it into an efficient and democratic frame of mind, and so restrict its powers as to guarantee to the citizens of the state some degree of consideration and protection.

STORING UP TROUBLE. The report comes from Columbia that the leaders of the legislature have decided to propose no changes in the tax laws at this session. This means that the payment of the tax will this year pay to the state as much or more in income taxes than they pay to the federal government. It means that there will be no change in the burden of taxation, and that the property will continue to pay much less than its share.

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The urban population of South Carolina numbered 233,987, according to the last census. Legislation may be enacted at the present session of the General Assembly of South Carolina for the protection of game fish.

So far, only one bill of state-wide importance has been passed by the General Assembly and sent to the governor.

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The water in bays and estuaries along the South Carolina coast is of a greenish hue because of impurities remaining in it after evaporation of a certain per cent of the water.

There are 400,000 children in the public schools of South Carolina, about 200,000 of which are negroes.

Cotton mills are numerous in the northwestern part of South Carolina.

About the year 1888, enough phosphate rock was mined to pay the total expenses of the state government from the royalty or tax on every ton.

Don't forfeit the advantage of life by keeping your nose forever on the grindstone of toil.

The investment of the cotton gin by Eli Whitney made cotton growing the principal industry of South Carolina, as of other Southern states.

The General Assembly of South Carolina, in 1801, agreed to pay \$50,000 to Eli Whitney and his partner, for the right to use cotton gins, which Whitney invented in 1793.

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Harry Ficht which cost \$200,000. Officially called off...

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The first letter to the shipmen which was sent out over the signature of H. M. Jewell, president...

Two days later this was followed by a letter to local unions which H. M. Jewell pointed out...

No Hope for Further Efforts. Having made every possible effort that legally and properly could be made to bring about a complete successful conclusion...

Since soon after the declaration of the strike there had been settlements with one railroad and another...

The fact that the Pennsylvania was not included in the order, was perhaps due to the suits which are still pending between the union and the railroad...

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LEGAL NOTICE

State of South Carolina, County of Chester. G. H. Heath, as Guardian of Harry Bascom Heath, Lolla G. Heath, May Miller Heath...

Defendants. You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action within ten days...

HEMPHILL & HEMPHELL, Plaintiff's Attorneys. J. E. CORNWELL, Clerk of Court.

CLERK'S SALE. By virtue of a decretal order made directed, I will sell in the Court House in Chester, S. C. Monday March 2nd 1926...

FERTILIZING COTTON. Some Recommendations Set Forth by the S. C. Experiment Station. Clemson College. The fertilizer recommendations of the South Carolina Experiment Station for cotton may be assumed up as follows...

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Brenlin. For every window in your home. For the sake of your money, for the beauty of the window...

DON'T GAMBLE WITH BOLL WEEVIL

Big Danger in Banking on 'Last Year's Experience'. Clemson College. Cotton growers who do not prepare to fight the boll weevil are taking a big gamble and are likely to lose...

Weather conditions in the Carolina last fall. Dr. Lathrop further states, were favorable for boll weevil development, and observations showed that an unusually large number of the weevils went into hibernation...

It is only by the practice of the methods which we have thoroughly tested and demonstrated in every cotton state that a cotton crop can be assured that is spot free...

1. Test seed of quickly maturing varieties. 2. Plant as early as the seed-bed is warm and danger of frost is past.

3. Fertilize lightly, where natural fertility is lacking. 4. Polon the cotton plants in the field as provided on page 20 of this bulletin...

5. After squares begin to form, apply arsenate dust when the weevils have punctured 10 to 15 percent of the squares.

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the other plant food elements of our common fertilizers. A certain amount is necessary, however, to give the plants...

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BRIEFLY TOLD

Bees are infallible storm prophets, seeking shelter before the approach of a storm is noticed by human beings.

Nearly twenty thousand Mexican children attend public schools in Los Angeles.

Of the 8,000 automobiles in the city of Rio de Janeiro, nearly 6,000 operate for hire.

There is one divorce to every eight marriages in the United States.

An Indian, who once wore the blanket and received government rations, is today guiding the Senate of the United States. He is Charles Curtis, of Kansas, who has taken the place formerly filled by Henry Cabot Lodge.

DREADFUL PAINS. Georgia Lady, Who Had Lost Too Much Weight, Was Advised to Take Cardui and is Now Well.

Columbus, Ga.—Mrs. George E. Hunter, of this city, writes: "After I married, thirteen months ago, I suffered with dreadful pains in my sides during...

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