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MATTERS OF INTEREST TO THE READERS OF THE PATRIOT, FAR AND NEAR.

Mr. George A. Grimley is in Atlanta on business.

Mr. E. S. Parker, Jr., of Graham, Va., is in the city Tuesday.

Mr. Thomas C. Hoyle spent Tuesday in Raleigh on legal business.

Mr. R. S. Feltz has gone to the eastern part of the state on a business trip.

Mr. G. W. Linsey, of Guilford College, was a welcome caller at The Patriot office yesterday.

Rev. J. A. Gray, of Wentworth, Va., is in the city on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lewis.

Mr. O. T. Leonard left yesterday afternoon on a business trip to the eastern part of the state.

Capt. and Mrs. R. C. Dick, of Whitesett, are in the city on a visit to the family of Mr. Julius M. Dick.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Willie Smith left yesterday afternoon for St. Cloud, Fla., to visit Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Thomas.

Miss Bessie Alderman has gone to New Orleans on a visit to her uncle, Capt. C. O. Sherrill, of the United States Army.

Mr. S. M. Pumpass, of the Townsend Buggy Company, spent Tuesday at his company's branch store in Winston-Salem.

Mrs. John N. Wilson continues desperately ill at her home in Fisher park. All hope of her recovery has been abandoned.

Rev. R. Murphy Williams, Prof. Thomas R. Foster and Mr. W. L. Clement made a business trip to Washington this week.

Mrs. J. Van Lindley and little grandson, Master Jack Lindley, left yesterday afternoon for Tampa, Fla., to spend a few weeks with Mrs. John G. Anderson, Jr.

Mr. Hampton Thompson, who is employed by the Southern Railway in this city, and Miss Annie Kearns, of Thomasville, were married yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents.

Mr. S. Porter Graves, of Mt. Airy, who is mentioned as a probable candidate for United States district attorney in the event of the failure of W. C. Hammer to land the appointment, was in the city Tuesday.

At the suggestion of City Attorney A. Wayland Cooke, the city commissioners have amended the ordinance regarding the running of automobiles on Elm street so as to exempt the auto fire truck and other vehicles connected with the fire department from observing speed laws.

The pretty residence built by Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Hodgin, on Spring Garden street, to take the place of their beautiful home which was destroyed by fire last April, has been completed and Mr. and Mrs. Hodgin have moved into it. Their new home is not as large as the one that was burned, but it is a model of convenience and attractiveness.

The Woman's Betterment Association of McLeansville will give an entertainment in the auditorium of the high school building at that place Saturday night and will present "After the Honeymoon," a delightful little farce comedy. After the play the association will serve refreshments, consisting of ice cream, peanuts, bananas, etc., without charge. It is said that some of the best talent in McLeansville will take part in the play. The public is invited.

Fire discovered in the roof about 8 o'clock Tuesday morning destroyed the home of Mrs. Eliza Woolard, 202 Forest avenue, and for a time threatened the home of Miss Mary Taylor Moore. Good work on the part of the fire department, however, saved the latter, though it twice burst into flames. The scene of the fire was a short distance west of the State Normal and Industrial College, and the blaze attracted a large crowd. It was reported down town that the Normal College was on fire, and on the strength of this erroneous report several hundred people rushed to the college.

Collision of an automobile and a motor truck in Durham seriously injured two ladies and smashed the automobile. Mrs. Cary Jackson suffered a broken jawbone and lost eight teeth; Mrs. J. R. Williams was gashed across the face and otherwise cut and bruised.

PEACE ORATORICAL CONTEST

TO BE HELD AT STATE NORMAL COLLEGE HERE ON FRIDAY, MARCH 20.

Arrangements have been made to hold the North Carolina intercollegiate peace oratorical contest at the State Normal and Industrial College, in this city, on Friday, March 20. Every men's college in the state is expected to have a representative make an effort to capture one of the cash prizes offered. The winner will be presented with \$75 in cash, and will have the honor of representing North Carolina in the southern group contest to be held in Nashville, Tenn., in April; and if he wins again there he will be sent to Lake Mohonk, N. Y., to represent the states of North Carolina, Maryland, Texas, Tennessee, Oklahoma and Louisiana in the contest which will be participated in by nearly every men's college in the 24 states that make up the conference. In the state contest to be held here there is a second prize of \$50 offered.

The contest will be but one feature of the meeting of the North Carolina Peace Society, which will hold its annual convention in Greensboro on March 21.

This will be the third contest of the kind held in the state. In 1912 Bryant Smith, sophomore in Guilford College, won the \$75 prize, and in 1913 he submitted an essay in a competition open to students of every college in the United States, winning a prize of \$100 at Lake Mohonk. In 1912 the second prize, of \$50, was won by Trinity College. In 1913 Trinity won the first prize and Atlantic Christian College the second.

Prof. F. S. Blair, of Guilford College, who is in charge of the peace conference in this state, has the following to say of the aims and purposes of the work:

"The aims are, (1) To arouse increased interest in international peace and arbitration among the faculties and students of the colleges and universities of the nation (2) To send verdicts of the nation (2) To send aid with the spirit, the wisdom and conviction obtained by the preparation of their orations, to wisely effect direct publication for the future in co-operation with the men of the other nations, who are being more or less thoroughly trained to the same end, that is, to fortify the men of the future in the right, justice and righteousness of settling international difficulties by diplomacy or arbitration, rather than by the arbitrament of war. These orations heard by many thousands of people in intelligent audiences awaken right thought to wisely guide the legislation and diplomacy of the future.

"Now as to the objects or results already obtained, we of course do not expect the god of war to lay down his arms and surrender to these young students in this generation, but already they have so impressed their hearers and readers that they have been asked to repeat their orations and to write essays and other orations on some phase of the great peace question. Moreover, the great peace arbitration thinkers and leaders commend the effort, argument, oratory and eloquence of these collegians. Many public men of our knowledge won their laurels in honorable, argumentative oratorical combats. Some of these young speakers have been offered at least all of their expenses of travel and entertainment in Philadelphia, New York and Baltimore to repeat their orations in these cities."

Attending Rate Hearing in Washington.

Mr. J. C. Forster, secretary of the Greensboro Chamber of Commerce, has gone to Washington to appear before the interstate commerce commission in the suit instituted some time ago to secure more equitable rates on coal to Greensboro from the West Virginia mines. Since the Greensboro suit was started a number of other points in North and South Carolina have brought similar suits, all of which the commission will hear at once, as the same points of law are involved in them all. The bringing of so many suits has set the commission to institute an independent investigation of all rates on coal to the two Carolinas, and the evidence presented in the suits will in all probability constitute the basis of the commission's findings in the investigation. The state of North Carolina will be represented at the hearing by the corporation commission.

TO INAUGURATE PRESIDENT

INTERESTING EXERCISES TO BE HELD AT GREENSBORO COLLEGE FOR WOMEN.

The formal inauguration of Rev. Samuel B. Turrentine, D. D., as president of Greensboro College for Women will take place on Wednesday, March 18. The inauguration will follow a meeting of the trustees of the college to be held on Tuesday, March 17. The inauguration will be an event of more than passing interest, and the exercises will attract prominent educators from this and other states and stalwart Methodists from all over North Carolina.

A very attractive program is being arranged for this epochal event. Of course the chief interest will center around the inaugural address of President Turrentine, but there will be other addresses that will attract and hold the interest of the public. Among the distinguished men who will deliver addresses on this occasion are Hon. Locke Craig, governor of North Carolina, and Dr. Bruce Payne, president of the Peabody Normal College, Nashville, Tenn.

The inauguration exercises will be followed by a banquet, at which a number of distinguished men will be present, among whom are Dr. Henry M. Snyder, president of Wofford College, Spartanburg, S. C.; Dr. W. P. Few, president of Trinity College; Prof. M. H. Stacy, dean of the University of North Carolina; J. H. Southgate, president of the board of trustees of Trinity College, and Dr. Plato T. Durham, presiding elder of the Charlotte district of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, will preach the inaugural sermon in West Market Street Methodist church. Bishop Kilgo stands at the forefront of the most eloquent, forceful and spiritual preachers of the gospel in America.

It is of historical interest to note that Rev. S. B. Turrentine, D. D., is the ninth president the college has had since its foundation in 1832. Solomon Lea, of Caswell county, first held the office, and with it the additional distinction of being the president of the only chartered women's college in the state. He was succeeded by Dr. Shipp, and he by Dr. Charles F. Deems. Dr. T. M. Jones, the next president, died in office, as did Dr. F. L. Reid, who was elected to succeed Dr. B. F. Dixon, the successor of Dr. Jones. Dr. Dred Peacock, who followed Dr. Reid, is still living and is engaged in the practice of law at High Point.

Greensboro College for Women today is at the highest point in its history, both in number of students enrolled and in efficiency in its work. Much has been done recently toward placing it in the front rank of Southern women's colleges, but much more is now being planned for the immediate future. March 18 promises to be one of the red-letter days in the history of the college.

Death of John A. Johnson.

Mr. John A. Johnson died yesterday morning at 11:30 o'clock at his home on Haywood street, following a year's illness of Bright's disease. He was 75 years old and is survived by his widow, three daughters and a son. The children are: Mrs. John Beeson, Miss Della Johnson and Mr. Fryar Johnson, of this city, and Mrs. Nora Ushery, of Rockingham county. The funeral will be held from the home this afternoon at 3 o'clock, the services to be conducted by Rev. W. R. Cox.

Senator Gore Exonerated.

United States Senator Thomas P. Gore yesterday was exonerated of charges of improper conduct by a verdict in his favor returned in District court in Oklahoma City in the suit for \$50,000 damages instituted by Mrs. Minnie E. Bond, of Oklahoma City. Mrs. Bond charged that Senator Gore assaulted her in a hotel in Washington last March. Senator Gore alleged that the charge was a frame-up on the part of his political enemies.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Evans, of Currituck county, each about 80 years old, married in 1866, have great grandchildren, recently separated and have instituted divorce proceedings.

A PARCEL POST TERMINAL

STATION WILL BE LOCATED IN GREENSBORO TO SERVE THIS SECTION.

Information was received yesterday from the postoffice department in Washington to the effect that the authorities have decided to establish in Greensboro a parcel post terminal station to serve this entire section of the State. Government officials have secured a five-year lease on desirable quarters in the Hotel Hufine annex and advices are that the new station will begin actual work March 1st, employing a clerical force of ten men.

The establishment of the parcel post terminal station at Greensboro will mean much to this city and surrounding territory, and will insure a prompt and efficient service to patrons of various postoffices in this section. The Gate City was named as the site for the establishment of the new station over several other points in this locality which were anxious to get the terminal depot.

It is said that within a few months a branch or sub-station of the Greensboro postoffice will be established at the new terminal station, as it is believed that this would be of great benefit to persons living in that section of the city and to the traveling public, as the new terminal will be just across the street from the Southern Railway passenger station.

ADDRESS ON CANCER BY NOTED SPECIALIST.

A large audience of Greensboro people attended a lecture at the Y. M. C. A. building last night by Dr. Joseph Colt Bloodgood, of Baltimore, on the disease of cancer. Dr. Bloodgood, who is recognized as one of the most competent cancer experts in the country, delivered a most interesting lecture, treating his subject in a manner that interested all his hearers. Among other things, he said:

"When it is recognized that cancer is of greater frequency in adult life than tuberculosis, pneumonia, typhoid fever, digestive diseases, and that in 1913 there were about 75,000 deaths from this disease in the United States alone, we are reminded that it is a subject of vital interest to every one. One person in every 11 at the age of 40 and over dies of cancer; one woman in every eight and one man in 14 at this period of life is attacked by the disease with fatal results.

"Largely because of public ignorance and negligence, this terrible scourge now proves fatal in over 90 per cent of the cases. Of the 75,000 deaths from this disease in this country in 1913, about 30,000 were deaths from cancer of the stomach and liver, 7,500 from cancer of the breast and about 25,500 from cancer of other organs and parts.

"Cancer is the most fatal disease that is common to our people. Its tendency is always toward the destruction of its unfortunate victim. Tuberculosis is far more amenable to treatment and infinitely less to be dreaded. Statistics show that cancer is on the increase.

"Cancer offers the most fertile field for the charlatan. There are more cancer quack cures and quack cancer doctors than any other kind of quacks, though their name is legion. For generations the people have been fleeced out of their money, and what is worse, their opportunity to get well by these quacks. Until recently, the newspapers, including the church papers, were filled with their advertisements. Now every self-respecting editor who has the good of the people at heart, taboos this class of advertisements."

Miss Martha Redding Dead.

Miss Martha Redding, matron of the Methodist Protestant children's home, near High Point, died yesterday morning of pneumonia. She had been desperately ill for several days and her death was not unexpected. The funeral and interment will take place this afternoon at Charlotte Methodist Protestant church, near Asheboro.

Miss Redding was a sister of ex-Sheriff Frank Redding, of Randolph county, and a woman of splendid attainments. For several years she made her home in Greensboro with the family of Mr. J. M. Milikan. She had many devoted friends.

Miss Hazel Dobie, a young lady of Mt. Airy, left last week for Raymond, Cal., where she will be married to Robert Colbie, who formerly lived in Mt. Airy.

GENERAL NEWS PARAGRAPHS

SUMMARY OF EVENTS THAT GO TO MAKE UP THE WORLD'S NEWS OF THE DAY.

Ex-President Roosevelt is being mentioned as the Progressive candidate for governor of New York in the election to be held next fall.

Decision by the interstate commerce commission on the pending request of the Eastern railroads for an advance in freight rates probably will be made during the latter part of April.

Appointment of a committee of business men from the country at large to provide means for prevention of floods will be urged upon President Wilson at a hearing February 26.

James R. Caffery, secretary of the interior in President Roosevelt's cabinet and son of the late President Garfield, will be a candidate for the Progressive nomination for governor of Ohio.

A deficit in the estimated revenue from the income tax is feared as the result of confusion over the operation of the law and the unfamiliarity of the public, and even government officials, with its provisions.

United States Senator Bacon, of Georgia, who died Saturday at the age of 75 years, was a comparatively poor man, his principal possessions consisting of his old home at Macon, Ga., and his carefully selected library.

A cloudburst Tuesday wrought havoc in the city of Oviedo, Spain, and the surrounding country. When a part of the town was flooded residents took refuge on the roofs of houses. In the country flocks of hundreds of cattle were swept away.

Hon. Joseph G. Cannon, former speaker of the house of representatives, joined the Y. M. C. A. the other day and forthwith the news was telegraphed to papers all over the country. It was not stated, however, that "Uncle Joe" had professed religion.

Senator Cummins' bill to cure evils disclosed by the lobby investigation last summer was passed by the senate last week without debate. It would provide heavy penalties for impersonators of members of Congress or other Federal officials and for overactive lobbyists.

Leo M. Frank, under sentence of death for the murder of 14-year-old Mary Phagan in Atlanta on April 26 of last year, Tuesday was advanced one step closer to the gallows when the Georgia Supreme court sustained the verdict of the lower court which pronounced him guilty.

Contracts were awarded Tuesday by Secretary Daniels to the Boston navy yard for the construction of a supply ship at \$1,171,713, and to the Philadelphia navy yard for a transport at \$1,458,305. The government plant submitted estimates below the lowest bids of private shipbuilders seeking the contracts.

After a conference with President Wilson Tuesday Secretary Daniels ordered the presidential yacht Mayflower to Mexican waters to relieve one of the battleships at Vera Cruz. The president has had no use for the yacht lately and boats of the gunboat class are regarded as particularly useful in Mexican waters because of their light draft.

Captain Garva and four seamen of the Italian bark Castagna perished when their vessel was hurled onto the outer bar of Cape Cod before dawn Tuesday. The first mate and seven sailors were rescued by lifesavers, one of whom, Captain Tobin, of the Cahoon's Hollow life-saving station, was badly injured by the over-turning of the surf-boat.

Lieutenant J. McC. Murray, of the United States naval aviation corps, stationed at Pensacola, Fla., was instantly killed Monday afternoon, his machine plunged into Pensacola bay. He fell about 800 feet. The machine was demolished and Lieutenant Murray's body was discovered floating shortly afterwards about 100 yards from the spot where he fell.

John J. Kennedy, state treasurer of New York, committed suicide Sunday in his room in a hotel in Buffalo by cutting his throat with a razor. Temporary insanity, induced by worry over his impending appearance before a New York grand jury, where District Attorney Charles S. Whitman has been conducting a John Doe graft inquiry, is said to be the only reason that can be assigned for Mr. Kennedy's act.

Proclamations announcing the death penalty for smokers of opium have been promulgated in China, according to reports from various provinces. Although definite cases of executions for this breach of the law seldom come to special notice, it is reported from Wu Cheng that a smoker among the soldiers of the garrison there was caught indulging in the habit and after "trial" before a court was shot to death.

There are about 7,500 national banks, and already, with a few days to spare, 6,839 of them have made application to be included in the federal reserve system. Evidently the new system is going into effect with practically the entire body of national banks and a pretty fair representation of state banks and trust companies. It will start with a far larger proportion of the eligible banks than the national system did.

Authorization for a government armor plate factory is to be made by the house naval affairs committee in the forthcoming naval appropriation bill. The site for the building is to be left to a special commission to be appointed by the secretary of the navy. Secretary Daniels led in the fight against the armor plate manufacturers of the country, in response to his recommendation, the committee has decided on the authorization of the construction of the government factory.

Commissioner General Cammatti, of the bureau of immigration, in his first annual report, submitted to Secretary Wilson, recommended certain modifications of the Chinese exclusion act, and expressed the opinion that great care should be taken with the "seamen's bill" pending in Congress, declaring that "the seaman's bill on the one hand and the immigration and Chinese exclusion laws on the other cannot be properly enforced unless their terms are brought into substantial and practical accord."

Following the suggestion of Superintendent Friedman, the looks of the Carlisle Indian School have been turned over to the department of justice for investigation. It is intimated that criminal prosecutions are likely to follow. Notably among the accounts which are said to be in confusion, are those of the famous Carlisle Indian football eleven. It is alleged that receipts from the big games played by the eleven are missing, and the government officials are trying to find where the money has gone.

Stirred by reports of 350,000 men and women out of work in New York city alone, the United States commission on industrial relations has undertaken an immediate investigation looking toward action by the federal government to relieve unemployment. During the next six weeks the activities of four of the commission's investigators will be restricted to a rapid survey of unemployment in industrial centers, from Boston to Kansas City, and a critical analysis of public and private employment agencies.

Homage to the men of the battle ship Maine, who lost their lives in the epoch-making catastrophe in Havana harbor 16 years ago, was paid Monday by the navy and high officers of the nation at Arlington national cemetery. Snow covered mounds over the sleeping warriors were decorated with floral tributes and a staunch little vessel ploughed through the ice foes of the Potomac to strew sprigs of evergreen on the water. Over the graves a detachment of bluejackets fired three volleys and a national salute and a bugler sounded "taps."

Death of Aged Citizen.

Mr. J. T. Wright, one of Guilford's oldest citizens, died yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Belle Hines, at McLeansville. He had been in declining health for several months and critically ill for two weeks. Mr. Wright was in the ninety-first year of his age, having been born in this county July 5, 1923. He married Miss Mary Moore, of this county, who died about 12 years ago. The surviving children are: Capt. J. R. Wright, of Danville, Va.; Mrs. Sarah Moore, of Brown Summit; Mrs. Mary Hines, of Reidsville, and Mrs. Belle Hines, of McLeansville. The funeral and interment will take place this afternoon at 3 o'clock at Hines' chapel. Rev. G. F. Milloway will conduct the services.

THIS PROPOSITION

Will Be Good For Ten Days Only Dating From Today

All Suits and Overcoats for men and all wool Underwear will be closed out at one-fourth off the regular price. All boys' Knickerbocker Norfolk Suits over 10 to 18, winter weights at 25 per cent off the regular price. Outing flannel Pajamas, Night Shirts and Bath Robes at one-fourth off. This is a big reduction on high class merchandise and the opportunity for you to get your winter apparel at small cost.

Evening Dress Suits and Prince Alberts no cut. 20 per cent off on suits made to your order from winter fabrics. Will be receiving spring shipments February 15th.

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PRESENTS A PLAN FOR UPLIFT OF RURAL LIFE.

P. P. Claxton, United States commissioner of education, and Ira D. Krapp, of the United States department of agriculture, were speakers in a conference held at Raleigh Thursday under the auspices of the state department of agriculture for the purpose of agreeing on a program for united effort in further uplift for the rural life in the state through the work of the department and through the rural schools.

Mr. Claxton presented the general plan he has worked out for advancement of rural life through the increased efficiency of the public schools. He advocated consolidation of schools so far as is possible without unduly taking the public interest into consideration, which he believes to be too expensive for school districts to undertake. He wants school farms provided in connection with each of the schools and the principal of each school to be a capable farmer as well as a school teacher.

The firm he would have conducted as a model, and he would have this school and the home of the teacher to be centers of social life as well as of educational uplift for the entire community. He would end the existence of "migratory teachers," raise the pay and then the school terms so as to give the teachers the standing and importance in the community that their calling entitles them to. He would have the fullest possible cooperation between the schools and the general and social agencies for the improvement of agriculture and of rural conditions.

Mr. Claxton believes that the schools can in this way become of incalculable benefit to the rural life of the state and develop the highest degree of efficiency.

The conference resulted in the appointment of a committee of 10 as a standing committee to bring about the most thorough and effective cooperation of all agencies in the state for this rural uplift. Eight of the committee members have been named, the others are to be announced later. The eight, with Clarence Poe, as chairman, are Commissioner of Agriculture Graham; W. J. Shuford, of the board of agriculture; State Superintendent J. Y. Joyner; President E. K. Graham, of the University of North Carolina; President J. I. Fount of the State Normal; T. B. Parker, director of farmers' institutes, and President H. Q. Alexander, of the Farmers' Union.

The conference adopted a motion by Prof. N. W. Walker, state inspector of high schools, to the effect that the conference proposes most heartily the plan outlined by Commissioner of Education P. P. Claxton for giving the rural public schools the strongest possible hold on their respective communities through providing each school with a model farm and permanent home for the principal of the school, thereby making the teachers factors in the community life and the school centers for the social life and for advancing the rural life conditions.

MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION WILL MEET TONIGHT.

The members of the Greensboro Merchants' Association are looking forward with much interest to the annual meeting of the association, which will be held in the Odd Fellows' hall, on West Market street, this evening at 7.30 o'clock. The Merchants' Association is a very live and active organization of many of Greensboro's best and most public spirited business men, and it is stated that the past year was the best in the life of the association. The following program has been arranged for tonight's meeting:

President's report.
Secretary's report.
Commercial advertising, by Col. A. Fairbrother.
Commercial associations, by C. C. McLean.
Report of the advertising committee, by R. C. Bernau.
Freight rate situation, by J. W. Patterson.
Our tobacco market, by J. M. Hendrix.
Open discussion, five minutes each.
Credits, by S. S. Morris.
Parcel post, by J. J. Stone.
Itinerant merchants, by C. H. McKnight.
Election of officers.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury, as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure to get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.
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TRAIL OF SYDNEY PORTER (O. HENRY) IN TEXAS.

The following story from a recent issue of the Beaumont, Tex., Enterprise is of local interest in view of the fact that O. Henry, who in real life was William Sydney Porter, was born and reared in Greensboro, where now reside a number of relatives and many friends of the dead author:

"The trail of O. Henry among the records in the land office is not hard to follow. Examine the old tattered map of Kent county. In countless penmanship you are apprised that the map was 'compiled and drawn by W. S. Porter,' but the inimitable sketch at the top of the map is O. Henry's real signature and trademark. It is about 12 inches long, and in the foreground is a telephone or telegraph line of two sagging wires. In the left-hand corner is a greyhound chasing a jackrabbit 'fit to kill.' A cowboy is riding stouphly along in the center of the picture. In the offing are a couple of very long-eared burros, one of them mildly excited, while in the right set back somewhat is an actual settler's cabin surrounded by a cultivated area, in the center of which looms the industrious windmill. Balancing the settler's cabin to the left is a typical ranch house. In the distance are mountains. But it is in the detail of the picture that the artist shows his insuppressible waggery, to which all readers of O. Henry are accustomed. So small as to escape the first glance, you see upon closer inspection, scissor-tailed birds sitting placidly all along the telephone wires, and surmounting one of the poles is an ornamental insulator in the shape of a very wise-looking owl. The picture might be called 'The Human Interests: Element in the Map of Kent County.'

"The young dreamer draughtsman tracing with elaborate care and infinite patience the zigzag lines of old surveys, saw in his mind's eye the quiet interstices of the country—the cowboy, the burro, the humble settler's cabin, the scissor-tailed birds and lovingly lined them there in idle moments. In January, 1891, O. Henry drew \$66.66 for a fractional month's work, and quit the office to take a position as teller in a bank. His name appears no more upon the records, but it remains in the hearts of his old associates. Any of the oldtime s in the land office will talk to you by the hour about him.

Wireless Inefficient in Fog.

While wireless telegraphy has been the means of saving hundreds of lives in times of disaster at sea, it has yet to prove that it is of any practical use in preventing collisions when ships are within a short distance of each other in a fog. This was the opinion expressed by the board of steamboat inspectors, which is conducting the trial in Philadelphia of Osmya Perry, captain of the steamship Nantuxet, charged with negligence in the collision with the steamship Men-o. Besides being accused of not reducing his speed in a fog, Captain Perry is charged with "carelessness and disregard of ordinary prudence" in not causing his wireless operator to ascertain the proximity of other vessels equipped with wireless.

The next annual meeting of the North Carolina Bar Association will be held at Wrightsville Beach June 29-July 1.

NEW GOODS.

There is no doubt but what a lot of you have seen the error of your way when you have been hunting bargains at the great sales which you have attending since Christmas, and would now be glad to buy some new goods, some that time has not made so soft, that it does not pay you to make up. This is the kind of goods we are telling you about: Brand new Percales, Ginghams, Cambrics, Bleachings, Draperies, Galateas, Lawns, Ripplettes, Nainsooks, Crashes, Linens, Ratine, Scrims, Casement Cloths and Tub Silks in a nice variety of colors, and all at prices the very poorest can afford.

We never hold fake sales. If we sold you these goods at exact cost and we buy them as cheap as any other merchant in Greensboro (and cheaper than some I expect) you could hardly tell the difference in our price and the cost. There is hardly a day passes that some one does not tell us that we "sell them cheaper" than any one else. Our trade is increasing all the time. There must be a reason. Our line of merchandise is the same as everybody's, but

A. V. SAPP,
"SELLS THEM CHEAPER,"
318 South Elm Street.

P. S.—We still have some Coats and Coat Suits that we are closing out at prices you can afford to pay.

President to Veto Immigration Bill. President Wilson will veto the Burnett immigration bill if it comes to him for signature with the so-called literacy test contained in it. This became known from an authoritative quarter after Chairman Smith, of the senate immigration committee, had announced that the bill virtually as it passed the house, including the literacy test, soon would be favorably reported to the senate. Prospects are that the bill will pass the senate as reported from the committee, but the measure never will become law, according to close friends of the president. The president does not consider literacy a test of character and believes some other means should be devised to prevent undesirable aliens from entering the United States. He told callers today that he had given his view to the senate committee and had left it to them to make it public or not as they chose.

Dr. Roswell Park, the surgeon who attended President McKinley when he was fatally shot by an assassin in Buffalo, N. Y., in 1901, died at his home in Buffalo Sunday.

Plant Bed Cloth
2½, 3 and 3½ Cents

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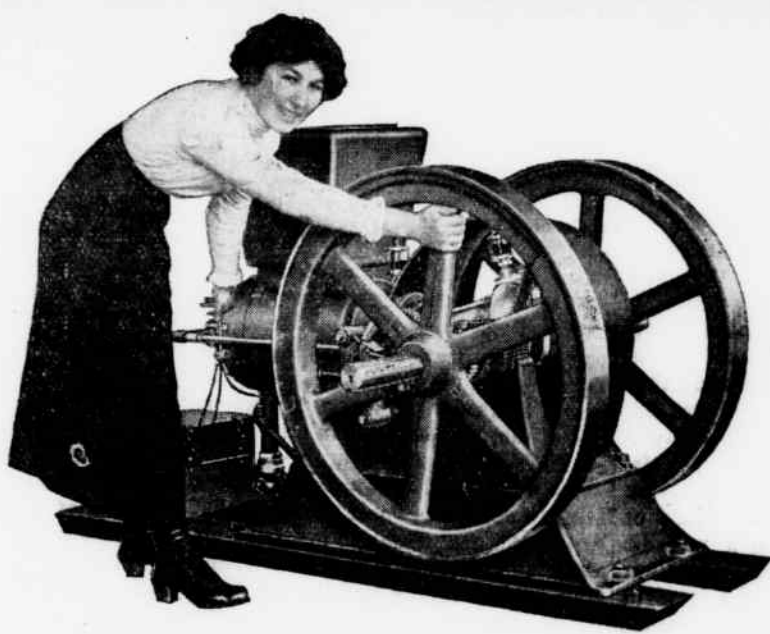
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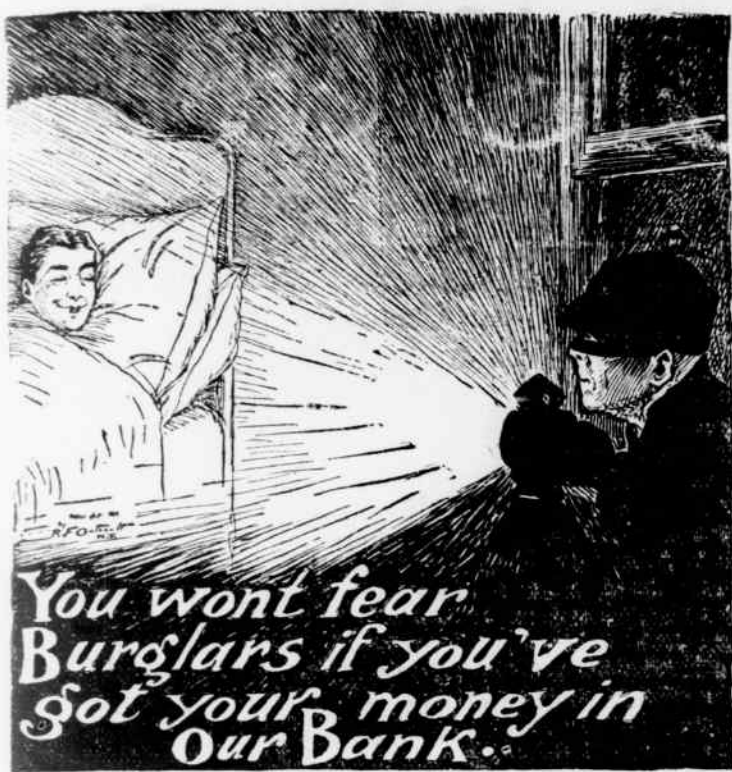


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So simple that any child can start it and so easy any lady can run it. An Engine dependable, durable and at the same time at a price any farmer can afford to own one.

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Townsend Buggy Company
GREENSBORO, N. C.



If a burglar gets into your house and you have money concealed there, the burglar will get your money. That is a burglar's business. The burglar will know you have the money before he goes into your house; that is the burglar's business. OUR business is to PROTECT your money. If it is in our bank, it will be SAFE from burglars, from fire, and your extravagance; you cannot lend it, spend it or lose it so easily.

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IS THE GREATEST OF THE WORLD'S BATTLESHIPS.

Twenty-four years ago the Fifty-first congress of the United States authorized the construction of a trio of battleships—the famous Oregon and her almost equally famous sister ships, the Massachusetts and the Indiana.

The news of the authorization caused a sensation throughout the world, for the powers recognized the bid of the United States for sea power of the first order.

Today the class is obsolete. Since the navy has been augmented by many ships representing a stride forward in battle efficiency over the ships of the class immediately preceding it.

And now, says the New York Times, comes "No. 33," the very last word in ship construction, a ship the tonnage of which is greater than the combined tonnage of all the ships of the Oregon class of 1890, a ship whose main battery of twelve fourteen-inch guns would send to the bottom of the ocean the entire fleet of the Oregon class.

Tall as a Forty Story Skyscraper. She will take her place three years hence as a unit of the first division of the United States fleet, a fleet the first of its kind, of which will then be made up entirely of battleships of the 14-inch gun type and of which No. 33, to be named the North Carolina, the Arizona or the New Mexico, will be the fleet flagship.

A skyscraper of the height of the new battleship would be about forty stories. At the point of her greatest width the ship will be almost half a city block wide.

With her 31,000 tons, No. 33 will be several hundred tons greater in displacement than the Oregon and her sister ships, the Massachusetts and Indiana, put together.

Japan's Naval Rival.

Of all the great naval powers Japan comes nearest to possessing a ship that will equal in size the coming giant of the United States navy. In the number of vessels of the Dreadnought type, built or building, the United States is still far ahead of the island empire. Japan has on the ways, however, a quartet of splendid super-Dreadnoughts, all of 30,000 tons displacement, or within 1,400 tons of No. 33.

The main battery of No. 33 will be made up of twelve fourteen-inch guns of the most powerful type the government can turn out. They will be mounted three to a turret, two turrets forward and two aft. Furthermore, these turrets are so placed that all twelve of the great guns can be used in a single broadside either to port or starboard.

The new super-Dreadnought will carry a splendid secondary battery of twenty-two five-inch guns, in addition to four submerged torpedo tubes. Approximately 1,000 officers and men will be required to man her. When in commission she will have cost the government in the neighborhood of \$10,000,000.

World to Be Frozen to Death.

The received religious doctrine is that our planet is to perish by fire, but a prominent astronomer holds that its doom and the universe's doom—an inconceivably far-off doom—is to be frozen to death; "the ultimate end is absolute frigidity in the blackness of interstellar night."

SERUM CURES DRUNKENNESS.

Painless Method of Extracting Fluid From Horses Is Discovered.

A cure for confirmed drunkards by means of an anti-alcoholic serum called antihydrolin, taken from horses, which was communicated in 1900 to the Academy of Medicine by its discoverers, M. Broga, a chemist of the faculty of Paris; M. Thebaud, a doctor of sciences at the University of Paris, and M. Sapelier, medical director of the Nanterre hospital, has been submitted to scientific tests during twelve years.

More than 250 drunkards, of both sexes and ages, varying from twenty-six to fifty years, have been treated, and medical reports now made, accompanied by detailed clinical observations, show a result of 83 per cent completely cured.

The objection hitherto raised against the treatment was that the serum could be obtained only after a long and painful treatment of horses in sound health. The horses, after a selection by a veterinarian, were gradually alcoholized so that they became after six months helpless victims of alcoholic intoxication. When this condition attained the maximum intensity the serum was extracted from the animals, which usually died soon afterward in convulsions and delirium tremens. The inventors have now found a method of obtaining the serum from horses without cruelty or causing ill effects.

Law Bars Spring Hunting.

Hunters might as well lay aside their shotguns, for there will be no duck hunting this spring. According to the interpretation of the department of agriculture the new federal game law absolutely prohibits any killing of migratory birds or waterfowl in the spring throughout the country.

Archeological Find.

Some interesting remains of an old priory have been brought to light during alterations to Cromwell House, the site of the birthplace of Oliver Cromwell, at Huntingdon, England. The remains include the base of a wall with parts of two doorways. The foundation of a large chimney stack has been found, and in one hearth ashes still remained. The house is believed to have been founded by the Augustinian Friars shortly before 1285.

Bibles Always in Demand.

American presses turn out 15,000,000 Bibles a year, while the English presses turn out twice as many, and yet rarely is there an error discovered. Bibles are sold as low as five cents per copy, and millions are distributed free. It is printed in 400 different languages and dialects, about 80 per cent being in English. Its circulation is not only the largest of any work but is constantly increasing.

She Wanted a Coffee Calculator.

In a South side home there is a cockney cook with an unusual facility for the misuse of words. One morning this week she said to her mistress: "Ow much would one of those coffee calculators cost?" "Why," asked the mistress soberly, "are you percolating on getting one?"—Kansas City Star.

Saturday Once Thought Unlucky.

Saturday takes its name from Sæter, the Roman Saturnus, and for a long time it was looked on as the unluckiest day of the week.

WHAT IT COSTS TO LIVE IN BIG AMERICAN CITY.

If twenty-seven families living in one big tenement house buy their food supplies co-operatively the food cost for each family can be reduced from \$1.30 to 93 cents a day. This is the result, says Bailey B. Burritt of the New York Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, of an interesting plan which has been in operation in New York city for more than a year.

The plan is part of an undertaking to care for and cure tuberculous families in the midst of city congestion. Under the auspices of the association a "home hospital" was established in model tenements built by Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Sr. The twenty-seven families included 135 individuals, of whom seventy-nine were tuberculous patients.

In its effort to keep the cost of maintenance as low as possible and for the purpose of experimenting in co-operative buying the association established a store in one of the two room apartments on the ground floor and in another operated a diet kitchen to prepare meals for families in which the mother either is too ill to work or is obliged to be at work daily away from the hospital.

Buy at Wholesale, Sell at Cost.

The store carries constantly a regular supply of staple food products and household supplies, which are purchased at wholesale and sold to the families at cost prices. The families at night inform the superintendent as to the variety and amount of meat and vegetables they need for the next day and the purchase is made the following morning. In this way the families receive the benefit of wholesale buying and there is no waste.

In December visits were made to the better class grocery and delicatessen stores and meat shops in the vicinity of the hospital for the purpose of comparing quotations on meats and food-stuffs that are sold in the hospital store.

It was ascertained that by purchasing and selling at wholesale prices, making no charge for overhead expenses, it would have cost the families an average of 40 per cent more had they continued to purchase from neighboring stores. The establishment of the hospital store, therefore, has effected an actual saving of about 29 per cent.

The average daily living expense for each family in the Home hospital was as follows:

Rent, including heat and light.....	\$0.85
Food .....	.35
Clothing .....	.20
Fuel .....	.05
Lunch .....	.05
Dues .....	.05
Medical and surgical supplies .....	.05
Ice .....	.05
Car fare .....	.05
Household supplies .....	.05
Miscellaneous .....	.05
Total daily budget	\$2.49

Expenses of Family of Five.

This budget of the Home hospital furnishes a fair basis for computing the cost of maintaining a decent home and providing a comfortable living for an average family of five persons—father, mother and three children under fourteen years of age—in a city at the present time. Such a daily budget for a family living in New York outside the hospital and maintaining a standard equal to that in the hospital would be as follows:

Rent and light	\$0.85
Food	1.25
Clothing .....	.50
Fuel .....	.05
Lunch .....	.05
Dues .....	.05
Medicine .....	.05
Ice .....	.05
Car fare .....	.05
Household supplies .....	.05
Miscellaneous .....	.05
Total daily budget	\$3.95

At this rate the budget for the year would be \$1,082.25. These figures indicate that on an income of between \$1,050 and \$1,150 a family of five can live under ordinary conditions fairly comfortably in New York, and that an income of between \$1,100 and \$1,200 is probably necessary for an average family to maintain unaided a normal standard of living—that is to say, for a family to live in such a way as to preserve health, mind, character, self respect and proper conditions of family life.

LEGACY FOR A BOY FAN.

Left by Uncle That Lad May Be Trained For Big League.

A clause in the will of John R. McVey, a bachelor, filed for probate at New Castle, Pa., bequeaths \$300 for the "baseball education" of the testator's favorite nephew, Daniel McVey, Jr., aged thirteen, provided he is inclined to break into the big baseball league to earn his living.

Young McVey is an enthusiastic "fan" and has shown skill as a pitcher on his school team.

Book Windows.

Books are the windows through which the soul looks out. A home without books is like a room without windows. No man has a right to bring up his children without surrounding them with books, if he has the means to buy them. It is a wrong to his family. He cheats them! The love of knowledge comes with reading, and grows upon it. And the love of knowledge, in a young mind, is almost a warrant against the inferior excitement of passions and vices.—Henry Ward Beecher.

Un-American.

"By jove, old chap, you're an hour late!" "That chauffeur of mine cannot account himself to disregarding laws and ordinances!"—Puck.

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION.

North Carolina, Guilford County, In the Superior Court, Special Proceedings.

J. B. Minor, Administrator of Isaac Donnell, Deceased.

vs.

Dorsey Donnell, Lizzie Donnell, Mary Donnell, Isaac Donnell, Ida Thacker Taylor, George Donnell, Mary E. Donnell, Mary Jane Bennett, David Donnell, Adolphus Donnell, Rebecca Donnell, Minerva Donnell, Rachel Donnell, Ade Donnell, Minerva Jane McMichael, Lena Donnell, Caswell Thacker and wife, Lucinda Thacker, Henry Donnell, Minerva Thacker, Eliza Donnell, and all other heirs-at-law of Isaac Donnell, deceased, if any, whose names, number and residence are unknown.

The defendants named above will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior court of Guilford county to sell the real estate of Isaac Donnell, deceased, to satisfy assets to pay the debts of said intestate; and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the office of the clerk of the Superior court of said county at the court house in Greensboro, in said county, on or before the 16th day of March, 1914, and answer or demur to the petition in said action or the petitioner will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said petition.

This February 14, 1914.

15-21 M. W. GANT, C. S. C.
Earlanger and Bradshaw, Attys.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of W. O. Donnell, deceased, late of Guilford county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned, at Greensboro, on or before the 21st day of February, 1915, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This February 14, 1914. 15-25.
A. B. KIMBALL, Admr.,
of W. O. Donnell, Deceased.

Pay Your Taxes

I will attend in person or be represented by deputy at the following places on the dates named below, from 10 to 3 o'clock to receive the State and County taxes for the year 1913:

Concord School House, Monday, March 2nd.
Brown Summit, Tuesday, March 3rd.
Pleasant Garden, Wednesday, March 4th.
Summerfield, on Thursday, March 5th.
Hillsdale, Friday, March 6
Whitsett, Friday, March 6
Tabernacle, Saturday, March 7th.
Summer's Mill, Saturday, March 7th.
McLeansville, on Monday, March 9th.
Colfax, Monday, March 9.
Gibsonville, Tuesday, March 10th.

Merry Oaks, Tuesday, March 10th.
Stokesdale, on Wednesday, March 11th.
Oak Ridge, on Thursday, March 12th.
Jamestown, Friday, March 13th.
Guilford College, Saturday, March 14th.
Col. Coble's Place, Saturday, March 14th.

Rate of Taxation: State 23 3/4c, Pensions 4c., County 19c., Road 23 3/4c., School 20c.

This is positively the last round that will be made for these taxes, and it is very important that all tax payers pay up in full, as I shall be compelled to sell property for unpaid taxes after March 15. Please do not ask me to hold your taxes for a later date, as I cannot do so.

Very respectfully,
D. B. STAFFORD,
Sheriff

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BARGAIN BASEMENT

The Store Where You Can Fill Your Wants
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Thousands of dollars worth of wanted merchandise is on sale in the bargain basement. Every time you come to town we want you to pay the basement a visit.

This week we are selling Sheetings, Percales, Gingham, Bleachings, Shirts, Cur-tain Materials, Tobacco Canvass at a big saving. We want you to come this week and get acquainted. As an extra inducement we will make you a picture of yourself, deliver it to you in a gilt frame finished while you wait.

Absolutely Free

All we ask is that you cut out this advertisement and present it to any sales person in the basement and your picture will be made and delivered to you within one minute from the time you take your seat in front of the Automatic Picture Machine.

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Bring Your Friends

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NORTH CAROLINA NEWS NOTES

A BRIEF SURVEY OF WHAT IS TRANSPIRING IN THE COMMONWEALTH.

At the request of the Supreme
court, the North Carolina Association
has published a pocket of North
Carolina. It contains a list of the
names of the judges of the Supreme
court, and the names of the judges
of the inferior courts. It is a
very handy little book, and is
worth the price of the paper on
which it is printed.

An agreement has been made
between the North Carolina
Association and the North Carolina
Association of Teachers. The
agreement provides that the
association will pay the salaries
of the teachers, and the teachers
will pay the expenses of the
association.

The State Board of Education
has been organized. It is the
highest educational authority in
the state. It will be composed
of nine members, and will be
headed by the governor.

A bill has been introduced
into the North Carolina
legislature. It is a bill to
amend the constitution of the
state. It is a very important
bill, and is worth the attention
of the people.

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AS TO THE PURCHASE OF A COURT HOUSE SITE.

To the Farmers of Guilford County
and the Citizens of Greensboro:
There is a movement in Greensboro
to sell to the county excessive-
ly high-priced lots for the purpose
of furnishing a site for the new
county court house. There are two
such sites now being proposed.

In the judgment of conservative
men in city and county, this is an
entirely wrong, as it may eventually
if not immediately involve us in
more debt.

We feel that the fund to be de-
rived from the sale of the old court
house, which is \$100,000, is entirely
sufficient to build a splendid court
house building which should reflect
credit upon our county for several
generations.

If we buy lots at the prices now
asked for those two sites on North Elm
street and the other on West Market
street, we would not have enough
left to build a suitable court house.
Furthermore, these prices were un-
usually run up and out of all
reason, by speculators making per-
centage deals FIRST.

We also feel that if we must
spend all the money we can, then
we ought to build more good roads
and also repair our old good roads,
which constantly need it, caused by
natural use and wear. Many peo-
ple living on good farms cannot get
to town with loads in winter. They
should be considered, and especially
if we must get more new debt.

Now these two sites mentioned are
not the only ones offered the county.

The very best, most desirable
location, and yet, we are not aware
of any being offered. It is quite
possible that the commissioners
are considering them. One in
particular is situated almost in the
center, surrounded by three of the
most beautiful streets in Greensboro,
and is offered at a price considerably
less than the ones mentioned above.
Another one is centrally situated,
and is offered for less than its
real value and at less than half
the price of the one first mentioned.
Still another site is offered as a
gift by Mr. Thomas, an old-time
settler.

We believe that the commissioners
will not allow these high priced sites
to be sold, at the county, if they
know with the above exceptions, how
to see their commissioners and will
give the money with them, and if
he is in accord with them, give him
your money and better support in
this matter which is so great an
interest to you and your children.

Due to the above reasons, we wish
to see a bill passed which would
prevent such sales.

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ACTIVITY IN BREAKING UP BLOCKADE STILLS.

Charlotte Observer.
The stock in trade of the average
North Carolina newspaper correspon-
dent these days is the raid of the
sheriff on the moonshiner still. There
is more activity in that line than
marked the palmy days of the re-
vener. Since the state went under
prohibition the running down of the
moonshiner is a duty that devolves
upon the county officials, and these
are now skirmishing around in the
woods once infested by the red-leg-
ged grasshoppers. Almost every day
comes reports of the capture of a
still, from the cook stove variety to
those as big as all out of doors.
When liquor can be bought cheaper
than the cost of the revenue tax—
that is to say, liquor such as it is
—the wonder grows that these en-
terprising moonshiners will take the
risk that certainly overshadows
their industry. It could be scarcely
for the profit that is in it, for at
best the moonshiner could hardly
round up more than \$5 or \$10 on a
week's run. Maybe an inborn dis-
position to defy and circumvent the
law is at the bottom of most of the
business. But if moonshining flour-
ishes now when the people can get
all the whiskey they want simply
for the trouble of ordering it, what
is going to be the condition when the
supply from the outside is cut off
and the worm of the blockade is
the only source from which the
"john" will flow? And this moon-
shine liquor, while as spring water,
rankles like tarantula and turns
like vinegar—so we have been told.

Most Surrender Men Pass.
United States Marshal W. T.
Porter, of Greensboro, who is head
quartering for the Southern Railway,
has been asked to test a the lat-
est possible method. The method
consisted of a man that it is not
proper to be United States marshal
and railroad agent at the same
time. Mr. Porter, through the ques-
tion up by asking the attorney gen-
eral if he should continue to ride
on his Southern pass or his trans-
portation and change it to the pro-
secution. Mr. Porter's reply was
to cut out the railroad altogether
and give up his government job.

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION.
South Carolina, Chas. H. Carter,
in the Sup. Ct. of the State of S. C.,
1914.

James H. Carter,
vs.
Chas. H. Carter.

The defendant above named, will
plead answer to an action brought
by the plaintiff above named, in the
Superior court of Guilford county,
N. C., at Greensboro, on the 12th
day of February, 1914, in the court
house at said Greensboro, in the
case of James H. Carter, vs. Chas. H.
Carter, do hereby give notice to all
parties having claims against the
estate of said deceased, to present
same, duly verified, to the undersig-
ned, at or before the time of the
next term of said court, to wit: the
first day of January, 1915, after-
ward this notice will be posted in
the court house at said Greensboro,
N. C., and in some newspaper pub-
lished in the county of Guilford, and
there by said courts.

This January 21, 1914.

W. L. CARTER, J. C. C.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned, a duly qualified

administrator of the estate of

Matthew Pass, deceased, before the

court of the Superior court of Guil-

ford county, N. C., hereby gives notice

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned, a duly qualified

administrator of the estate of

Matthew Pass, deceased, before the

court of the Superior court of Guil-

ford county, N. C., hereby gives notice

to all parties having claims against

the estate of said deceased, to pre-

sent same, duly verified, to the un-

dersigned, at or before the time of

the next term of said court, to wit:

the first day of January, 1915, after-

ward this notice will be posted in

the court house at said Greensboro,

N. C., and in some newspaper pub-

All Coat Suits and Coats at One-Half Price and Less

It is pretty well known that the original first-of-the season prices on all our Coat Suits and Coats are reasonable; and now that the price is cut in half and many garments are selling for less, there is going to be a rush for Women's apparel. This is a clean sweep sale; nothing is reserved—all Ladies' and Misses' Coat Suits and Coats in the house are marked down lower than you have ever known goods of the kind to sell right here at the time they are most in demand. The following prices will give you an idea of the marked reductions:

\$9.95 for Suits worth up to \$20. Slaughter sale price.....\$9.95
\$12.95 for Suits worth up to \$25. Slaughter sale price.....\$12.95
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All Suits included in this price.
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All Children's Coats Also Reduced

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Dress values up to \$6.50. Made of all wool serge. Price.....\$4.95
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What Is the Smallest Amount One May Begin a Savings Account With?

We are often asked this question. We take pleasure in saying that we never refuse any amount; in fact, many boys begin their savings accounts with 50 cents. We invite small accounts, and don't forget our 4 per cent. interest rate.

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Neighborhood News.

Matters of Interest Reported by Our Corps of Correspondents.

HIGH POINT.

The First Presbyterian church will have as its guest February 22 to 27 Rev. Lewis E. Chafer, of New York, a noted Bible scholar and preacher, who is touring the South. Mrs. Chafer will accompany her husband and will have charge of the music.

Edward L. Armentrout, superintendent of the Snow Lumber Company here for the past 12 years, has resigned his position. Mr. Armentrout, with others, has organized the old Cape Fear Manufacturing Company, of Greensboro, and has already taken charge of the new plant. The family will reside here for the present.

The public exercises of the Knights of Pythias lodge Monday night was largely attended. The occasion was the 50th anniversary celebration. Quite a number of speeches were made by local members.

Captain Crandall, of the Salvation Army, has issued an appeal to all city school children to contribute small amounts once a month for the poor, providing that the parents are willing for them to do so.

"Resolved, that the constitution of North Carolina be so amended as to allow the initiative and referendum in statewide legislation," was debated at the South Main street graded school building Tuesday night before a large crowd.

H. W. Kroubischer has returned from Durham, where he was called on account of the death of his mother.

Mrs. F. H. Wood, of Trinity, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Farley.

Fred F. Montgomery and family are now occupying their new home on South Main street.

Benjamin Robinson, proprietor of the Fair, has rented the adjoining store room and will enlarge his business.

Rev. R. A. Brown, of the Lutheran church, left Tuesday for the gathering of ministers and church workers at Columbia, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rankin, of Greensboro, were here Tuesday afternoon to attend the funeral of their nephew, Elmer Rankin, the son of Capt. and Mrs. A. M. Rankin.

TABERNACLE.

Owing to the bad weather but few attended service at Tabernacle Sunday.

Mr. Charlie Andrew was a welcome visitor at Mrs. Mary Hanner's Sunday.

We are sorry to report that Mr. Newton Wilson is very ill.

Mr. J. E. Hanner went to Greensboro on business Monday.

Mr. Charlie Coble was a visitor at Mrs. Flora Coble's Saturday.

Mr. "Chub" Coble, of Salisbury, was a welcome visitor at Mr. Joe Horney's recently.

Mr. Cecil Reno and Mr. Ed. Hanner visited their aunt, Mrs. Polly Fields, near Bethlehem, one night last week.

Mr. Bud Monnett had the misfortune to lose a fine cow last week.

Entertainment at Brightwood.

There will be an auction sale at Brightwood school house February 21, beginning promptly at 8 o'clock. Preceding the auction, which will consist of various and sundry objects of different sizes and colors, there will be a test of each person's mental ability in one direction.

GRAY'S CHAPEL.

The severe weather of the past few days gets close to us, after having such nice weather so long.

In electing new officers of our Sunday school recently Mrs. Annie Fugh was chosen for superintendent.

Mrs. Carrie Bridges, who has pulmonary trouble, is no better.

John R. Cable, who has been suffering with tuberculosis of the foot and ankle for the past twelve months, recently had that member amputated at the Ferree Memorial hospital, at Randleman. He stood the operation well and is getting along nicely.

Mr. Will Amick, an industrious and prosperous farmer of Sandy Creek, had the misfortune to have his kneecap dislocated or broken recently. He was driving an unbroken horse which became unruly, and in jumping from the buggy he received the injury. Mr. Amick is at the hospital for treatment.

Entertainment at Ridgefield School.

An entertainment will be given at the Ridgefield school house Saturday night, February 21. The program will consist of songs, string music and the following plays:

Mrs. Briggs of the Poultry Yard. Characters—Mrs. Briggs, a wash woman; Jimmy, Melissa and Alvin; Mrs. Briggs' children; Ralph Briggs, adopted son; Mr. Lee, a wealthy neighbor; Virginia Lee, adopted daughter; Daisy Thorp, a friend; Silas Green, bachelor; Mrs. O'Connor, a neighbor; Mandy Bates, servant. Three acts. Time, one hour.

Wriggins' Night School. Characters—Dr. Solomon Sloc, doctor of science and philosophy; Zeke Johnson, Pete Persimmon and Andy White, evening pupils.

Negro farce, Coon Creek Courtship. Johnnie Overalls' bashful woes. Salie Grindstone, the object of Johnnie's affections.

Admission, 5 and 10 cents. Proceeds for the benefit of Pleasant Ridge church.

THE MARCH WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION.

The March Woman's Home Companion contains a review of the work already done by that publication in the great campaign for better babies, which it has been carrying on for a year and which its better babies bureau under the direction of Anna Steese Richardson is to carry on during the coming year. One hundred thousand babies have already been examined at contests and hundreds of thousands of mothers have been helped by scientific suggestions as to how to take care of their children. The Companion has put the movement on a sound basis and attracted to its support the most influential body of medical men in the country, the American Medical Association. It has standardized the better babies movement by providing, free of charge, the most thoroughly scientific score-cards, wall charts, books of detailed instruction, and all other needed literature that could be devised by experts, and insisting that these be used in all contests. In other words, the better babies bureau has accomplished in a year what a generation of scattered endeavor could not have brought about. And the movement is still young!

During a drunken brawl at Dover, Craven county, last week, Toby Rouse, a colored man, was beaten to death by a dozen or more colored companions. Eleven persons believed to have been implicated in the murder have been arrested.

AMERICA'S ILLITERACY CAN BE WIPED OUT.

America's adult illiteracy, described as a national disgrace, can be wiped out by the time the next federal census is taken if the work is undertaken at once, according to P. P. Claxton, United States commissioner of education, in a statement made this week.

"We now have," declared Doctor Claxton, "more than 5,000,000 illiterate men and women and many millions barely able to read and write. This is a burden and a menace to state and nation. It costs the country at least half a billion dollars every year. An appropriation of \$10,000 would make it possible to begin the work of wiping out this national disgrace and the co-operation of the state's, school officers and educational associations would be such that after 1920 we would be able to show practically a clean slate."

Advertised Letter List.

Letters remaining uncalled for in the postoffice at Greensboro, N. C., February 13, 1914.

Robert Andrew, J. W. Allen, Hurley Aiken, Miss Mary Andrews, Frank Austin, Oscar Eddard, W. J. Ballard, I. Barbee, Mrs. Addie C. Bloyd, Miss Frank Blackwood, G. C. Bodenhamer, Robert Boone, H. W. Boyles, Mrs. Martha Brooks, J. C. Chrismon, Chief Engineer, W. R. Care Co., Eugene Cozart, Mrs. Bert Collins, W. M. Davis, R. A. Davis, Joe Davis, J. B. Daghart, Lucie Donnell, Mrs. Louise Dunn, Miss Annie Earnhart, Mrs. Sallie T. Elliott, Mrs. Alice Erkelson, Mrs. John Earley Field, J. R. Finch, C. O. Fogleman, W. M. Fowler, Mrs. James A. Freeman, 2, Miss Liza Ann Fulp, Mrs. H. C. Garrison, Miss Lovie Gibson, Miss Helen Gilham, M. E. Glenn, Mrs. Annie Green, R. B. Havens, Mrs. Florence Hannab, Mrs. Mary Haynes, Harvey Hal-s, Miss Fannie Harrell, Russell Helman, C. H. Hines, Miss Lucie E. Haskins, J. W. Hunt, 2, E. S. Jackson, Jack Humphreys, R. A. Hughes, Mrs. W. M. Jones, A. E. Joyner, H. L. and Mrs. Daisy Jordan, Mrs. and Cliff Kilpatrick, Mrs. Solomon Lamb, Romulus Little, Miss V. B. Leak, Mrs. Enly McAdoo, Mrs. Bessie McAdoo, W. H. McKinney, J. M. Medearis, Alec D. Mermond, Paul Mowery, P. W. Morrison, Mrs. Lena R. Morrow, A. R. Noestel, N. C. Film Co., J. W. Ore, Peacock Foundry, John L. Pri'e, Willie Randolph, Miss Lucy Keer, Lowdas Reid, P. R. Rives, Mrs. C. G. Ritchey, George E. Roberson, Miss Vista Rush, Willie Ross, Mrs. C. W. Sarges, Brown Shaw, Mrs. J. H. Smith, Mollie Smith, Jane Seales, Dudley Smith, Miss Alice C. Strong, Jim Sullivan, Mrs. Sallie Taylor, Elze Taylor, C. Taylor, William Thomas, Verne Trogon, Miss Elisha Ward, Miss Ada Waterhouse, W. H. Walker, T. A. Wester, J. P. Warner, Miss M. J. Weatherman, Miss Vessie White, Rockie White, Henry Williamson, R. J. Williams, W. A. Williams, E. M. Williams, Miss Thelma Woodard, Mrs. Roxie Wray, Miss Jessie Young, Miss Lillian Young.

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Mrs. Otie Blackburn, Miss Dora Canada, Cleave Donaldson, Paul Houtt, E. E. Powell, Mrs. Charles Woolen.

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ROBT. D. DOUGLAS, Postmaster.

Murder Suspect Under Arrest.

Revenue officers think that they now have a man who may know something about the Flynn murder, committed near Price, this county, several weeks ago. One day last week the officers went to Patrick county and captured two men, one a murder suspect, and destroyed a large still. The prisoners are Homer Riss and Homer Bryant, both young men. The revenue men say Bryant knows something of the murder of Flynn. All of the stills raided were in full operation. Two of them had a capacity of 226 gallons of whiskey each. The officers destroyed about 150 gallons of whiskey and 4,400 gallons of beer.

Demented Girl Frozen to Death.

The dead body of the daughter of Mr. Thomas Hardis, of Vance township, Union county, was found early Tuesday morning in a spring branch near the home of the father. The young woman was evidently frozen to death and not drowned in the stream. The deceased was in ill health and it was reported that her mind was thought to have been temporarily demented. She wandered from her home some hour after midnight of Sunday, for members of her family remained with her until that time.

SUBSCRIBE TO THE PATRIOT.

Bryan Nearly Sips Wine. New York, Feb. 15.—Somewhat of a scoring was administered the Authors' League of America at dinner last evening by Secretary of State Bryan, but the members nearly had revenge. The secretary had paused long enough in his speech to remark that he did not know whether his address was pleasing or not to the company, but that he had passed the time when he selected language to please.

Just then he reached for a drink of water and picked up inadvertently a glass of champagne. Mrs. Bryan, seeing her husband's mistake, sprang quickly from her place, two seats away from the secretary, and put her hand over the glass just as it was about to reach his lips. He laughed and picked up a glass of water.

Grandma's Uncomfortable Time at a Reception.

In the March Woman's Home Companion, Katharine Holland Brown, writing a story, makes the following comment in regard to old people and receptions:

"Wait till you're seventy-six, going on seventy-seven. You'll learn how it feels to stand for hours in a tight, heavy gown, your shaky old head weighted with puffs and ornaments, your feet scuffling in cruel high-heeled shoes. Somebody always stands behind you, gaily fanning neuritis into your shoulders. Somebody else stands in front, and makes you talk till you're croaking-hoarse. And if you escape with a week of aches you'll do well."

Another First for New York. There are more jewels in the city of New York alone than in any other city of the world.

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Tobacco Growers Are Buying This Canvas Because There is a Saving.

As the paper goes to press we are opening another bale of that good firm weaved tobacco canvas with good tape edge, that usually sells at 3 cents per yard, for 2 1-4 cents per yard.

Meyer's
DEPARTMENT STORE GREENSBORO, N. C.

Reduction In Shoes

We have a few broken lots of women's shoes ranging in price from \$2 to \$3.50 that we are closing out at \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

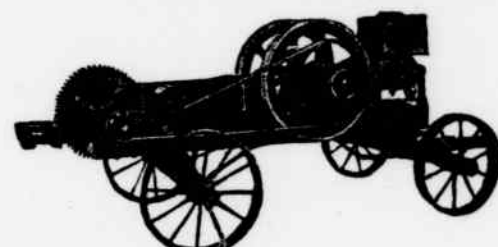
Also broken lots of Men's shoes priced from \$3.50 to \$5.00 that we are selling at \$2.50. These are genuine bargains and the reduced prices are offered to close out the broken lots quickly.

Coble & Mebane,

The Shoe Store That Sells For Less For Cash.

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They will recommend you to buy from us.

Drop in and look over our stock of Crushers, Feed Cutters, Corn Mills, Corn Shellers and Saw Outfits.

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AFTER Inventory Sale

We have just finished our annual inventory, and in going through the stock we found a number of odds and ends in Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats. It will not pay us to carry these goods over to another season, and in order to get rid of them quickly and be ready for the spring season we will sell these high-class

Suits and Overcoats AT HALF PRICE

We are now getting a taste of real winter weather, and the prediction is that it will continue for some time. Take advantage of our half-price after inventory sale and let us fit you out in a new suit or overcoat.

L. Isaacson

308 South Elm Street, Opposite McAdoo Hotel
GREENSBORO, N. C.

Danny's Own Story

By DON MARQUIS

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"I have seen her since," says Colonel Tom, "and that is one thing that makes me say your story needs further explanation."

"But where—when—did you see her?" asks the doctor mightily excited. "I am coming to that. I went back home again. And in July of the next year I heard from her."

"Heard from her?"

"By letter. She was in Galesburg, Ill., if you know where that is. She was living there alone, and she was almost destitute. I wrote her to come home. She would not, but she had to live. I got rid of some of our property in Tennessee and took enough cash up there with me to fix her in a decent sort of way for the rest of her life and put it in the bank. I was with her there for ten days; then I went back home to get Aunt Lucy Davis to help me in another effort to persuade her to return, but when I got back north with Aunt Lucy she had gone."

"Gone?"

"Yes, and when we returned without her to Tennessee there was a letter telling us not to try to find her. We thought—'I thought—that she might have taken up with you once again.'"

"But, my God, Tom!" the doctor busts out. "You were with her ten days there in Galesburg! Didn't she tell you then—couldn't you tell from the way she acted—that she had married me? Didn't you ask her?"

"Ask her? No. Can't you see that there was no reason why I should ask her? I was sure, and being sure of it, naturally I didn't talk about it to her. You can understand that I wouldn't, can't you? In fact, I never mentioned you to her. She never mentioned you to me."

"You must have mistaken her, Tom."

"I don't think it's possible, Dave," said the colonel. "I tell you that there's something odd about it—married or not, Lucy didn't believe herself married the last time I saw her."

"But she must have known," says the doctor, as much to himself as to



"We were both agreed that you needed a little more."

the colonel. "She must have known. Any one could of told by the way he said it that he wasn't lying."

"Whatever became of Prentiss McMakin, Tom?"

"Dead," says Colonel Tom. "Quite a while ago."

"Huh," says the doctor, still thinking hard, and then looks at Colonel Tom like there was an idea in his head. Which he doesn't speak her out, but Colonel Tom seems to understand.

"Yes," he says, nodding his head. "I think you are on the right track now. Yes—I shouldn't wonder."

Well, they puts this and that together and they agrees that whatever happened to make things hard to explain must of happened on that day that Prentiss McMakin met the doctor in the barroom and didn't shoot him as he had made his brags he would. Must of happened between the time that afternoon when Prentiss McMakin left the doctor and the time Colonel Tom went out to see his sister and found she had went. Must of happened somehow through Prentiss McMakin.

We goes home with Colonel Tom that night. And the next day all three of us is on our way to Athens, Indiana, where I had seen Miss Lucy at.

CHAPTER XXI.

Find the Martha.

FOR my part, as the train kept getting further and further north, my feelings kept getting more and more mixed. It came to me that I might be steering straight for a bunch of trouble. It was Martha that done it. All this past and gone love story I had been hearing about reminded me of Martha. And I was steering straight toward her and no way out of it. How did I know but what that there girl might be expecting fur to marry me or something like that? Not but what I was awful

in love with her whilst we was together, but it hadn't really set in on me very deep. I hadn't forgot about her right away. But purty soon I had got to forgetting her oftener than I remembered her. And now it wasn't no use talking. I jest wasn't in love with Martha no more and didn't have no ambition to be.

But I was considerable worried about Martha. She was an awful romantic kind of girl. I couldn't shut my eyes to the fact we was engaged to each other legal, all right. And if she wanted to act mean about it and take it to a court it would likely be binding on me. Then I says to myself if she is mean enough to do that I'll be durned if I don't go to jail before I marry her and stay there.

And then my conscience got to working inside of me agin. It wasn't but what I liked Martha well enough. It was the idea of getting married and staying married made me feel anxious. Being married may work out all right fur some folks. But I knowed it never would work any with me. Or not fur long. Because why should I want to be tied down to one place or have a steady job? That would be a mean way to live.

Of course, with a person that was the doctor's age it would be different. He had done his running around and would be willing to settle down now, I guessed, and leave off being jest a traveling fakir.

Well, I thinks to myself now that he has got to be that mobly her and him won't suit so well now, even if they does get their differences patched up. Fur all the forgoing in the world ain't going to change things or make them no different. But so long as the doctor appeared to want to find her so durned bad I was awful glad I had been the means of getting him and Miss Lucy together.

We had to change cars at Indianapolis to get to that there little town. We was due to reach it about 2 o'clock in the afternoon. And the nearer we got to the place the nervous and nervous-er all three of us become and not owning we was.

"Now," I says to them two as we got off the train, "follyer me and I will show you the house."

Well, it has always been my luck to run into things without the right kind of a lie fixed up ahead of time. They was three or four purty good stories I had been trying over in my head to tell Martha when I seen her. Any one of them stories might of done all right, but I hadn't decided which one to use, and of course, I run plumb into Martha. She was standing by the gate, which was about twenty yards from the veranda.

I jest says to her:

"Hello!"

Martha, she is surprised to see me. And she looks scared too.

"Is Miss Buckner at home?" asks Colonel Tom, lifting his hat very politely.

"Miss B-B Buckner?" Martha stutters, very scared like and not taking her eyes off of me to answer him.

"Miss Hampton, Martha," I says.

"Y-y-y-es, s-s-she is," says Martha. I wondered what was the matter with her.

It is always my luck to get left all alone with my troubles. The doctor and the colonel they walked right past us when she said yes and up toward the house and left her and me standing there. When I next looked up they was all in the house.

"Martha!" I begins. But she breaks in.

"Danny," she says, "feeling like she is going to cry, 'Don't look at me like that. If you know all you wouldn't blame me. You'—"

"Wouldn't blame you fur what?" I asks her.

"I know it's wrong of me," she says, begging like.

"Maybe it is and maybe it ain't," I says. "But what is it?"

"But you never wrote to me," she says.

"You never wrote to me," I says, not wanting her to get the best of me, whatever it was she might be talking about.

"And then he came to town?"

"Who?" I asks her.

"Don't you know?" she says. "The man I am going to marry."

When she said that I felt all of a sudden like when you are broke and hungry and run across a half dollar you had forgot about in your other pants. I was so glad I jumped.

"Great guns," I says.

I had never really knowed what being glad was before.

"Oh, Danny, Danny," she says, putting her hands in front of her face, "and here you have come to claim me for your bride!"

"Martha," I says, "you ain't acted right with me."

"Oh, Danny, Danny," she says. "I know it; I know it!"

"Some fellers in my place," I says, "would raise a dickens of a row."

"I did love you once," she says, looking at me from between her fingers.

"Yes," says I, acting real melancholy. "You did. And now you've quit it. They don't seem to me to be nothing left to live fur. Some fellers would kill themselves on the spot."

"Oh, oh, oh!" says Martha.

"But, Martha," says I, "I ain't that mean. I ain't going to do that."

That dern girl ackshelay give me a disappointed look. If anything, she was jest a bit too romantic, Martha was.

"No," says I, cheering up a little; "I am going to do something they ain't many fellers would do. Martha. I'm going to forgive you, free and fair and open, and give you back my half of that ring, and—"

Dern it; I had forgot I had lost that half of that there ring! I remembered so quick it stopped me.

"You always kept it, Danny?" she

asks me, very soft spoken, so as not to give pain to one so faithful and so noble as what I was. "Let me see it, Danny."

I made like I was feeling through all my pockets fur it. But that couldn't last forever. I run out of pockets

purty soon. And her face began to show she was smelling a rat. Finally I says:

"These ain't my other clothes—it must be in them."

"Danny," she says, "I believe you lost it."

"Martha," I says, taking a chance, "you know you lost your half!"

She owns up she has lost it a long while ago. And when she lost it, she says, she knowed that was fate and that our love was omened in under an evil star. And who was she, she says, to struggle agin fate?

"Martha," I says, "I'll be honest with you. Fate got away with my half, too, one day when I didn't know they was crooks like her sticking around."

Well, I seen that girl seen through me then. Martha was awful smart sometimes. And each one was so durned tickled the other one wasn't going to do any pining away we like to of fell into love all over agin. But not quite.

"But," says Martha, after a minute, "if you didn't come back to make me marry you, what does Dr. Kirby want to see Miss Hampton about? And who was that with him?"

I had been nigh to forgetting the main thing we had all come here fur, in my gladness at getting rid of any danger of marrying Martha. But it come to me all at once I had been missing a lot that must be taking place inside that house.

"Martha," I says, "they ain't no Dr. Hartley L. Kirby. The man known as such is David Armstrong!"

I never seen any one so petrified as Martha was fur a minute.

"Yes," says I, "and the other one is Miss Lucy's brother. And they are all three in there straightening themselves out and finding where everybody gets off at, and why. One of these here serious times you read about. And you and me are missing it all, like a couple of gumps. How can we hear?"

Martha says she don't know.

"You think," I told her. "We've wasted five good minutes already. I've got to hear the rest of it. Where would they be?"

Martha guesses they will all be in the sitting room, which has got the best chairs in it.

"What is next to it? A back parlor or a bedroom or what?"

Martha says they is nothing like that to be tried. She says, "Danny, it wouldn't be honorable to listen."

"Martha," I tells her, "after the way you and me went and jilted each other, what kind of senses of honor have we got to brag about?"

She remembers that the spare bedroom is right over the sitting room.

"Danny," she says, "I believe you lost it."

The house is heated with stoves in the winter time. There is a register right through the floor of the spare bedroom and the ceiling of the sitting room. Not the kind of a register that comes from a twisted around shaft in a house that uses furnace heat, but jest really a hole in the floor, with a cast iron grating, to let the heat from the room below into the one above. She says she guesses two people that wasn't so very honorable might sneak into the house the back way and up the back stairs and into the spare bedroom and lay down on their stammicks on the floor, being careful to make no noise, and both see and hear through that register. Which we done it.

I could hear well enough, but at first I couldn't see any of them. But I gathered that Miss Lucy was standing up whilst she was talking and moving around a bit now and then.

"Prentiss McMakin came to me that day," she was saying, "with an appeal—I hardly know how to tell you." She broke off.

"Go ahead, Lucy," says Colonel Tom's voice.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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5c Coats Spool thread 4c.
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10c Fountain Pen Ink 5c.
25c Brighton Garters 15c.
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We are also going to sell during this sale W. C. Shaw's Spring Samples, and on account of this sale we are going to close out a big lot of Sample Shoes and Ready-to-Wear Garments.

\$1.50 W. T. Corsets 75c.
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\$18 Long Cloaks \$4.60.
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\$2.00 Men's Sample Pants 98c.
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Rodman Wanamaker Flight
Will Have Vital Bearing on
Exposition Race.

Experts Differ on Chances of
Success In Winging Way
Over Atlantic.

THE greatest conquests in the history of aviation are to be undertaken this year and next. Topping the ambitious aerial program are the transatlantic flight, which will be attempted in the early summer, probably in June, in a 200 horsepower flying boat paid for by Rodman Wanamaker of Philadelphia and designed by Glenn H. Curtiss, and the ninety day race around the world in May, 1915, under the auspices of the Panama-Pacific exposition to be held next year in San Francisco.

In connection with the forthcoming Anglo-American exhibition in London a prize of \$5,000, together with a trophy, is offered by Mrs. Woodhull Martin, on behalf of the Women's Aerial league, to the first aviator flying across the Atlantic.

The competition is open to aviators of all nations. There are no restrictions regarding the type of flying machine.

The Wanamaker-Curtiss flight from Newfoundland to the Irish coast—1,900 miles—is to be essayed by an English army officer and a United States navy flier.

To Fly 10,000 Feet High.

The flying boat is expected to make the trip at an altitude of 10,000 feet in sixteen hours or less.

The attempt to cross the ocean will

nine and a half hours, several hours less than the announced estimate, yet to provide against chance of failure to find the estimated wind velocity the fuel supply to be carried will be based on the requirements for making the entire distance at the actual flying speed of the machine.

That is, there will be enough gasoline aboard to fly the machine at sixty miles an hour for more than thirty hours.

Wireless For Fliers.

Soon after leaving the coast of Newfoundland the fliers will be in the regular track of Atlantic liners, and it is thought that they will at no time be out of sight of vessels. If the motor should stop at the 10,000 foot level the machine will have a gliding radius of fifteen miles in any direction. A wire-



CAPTAIN BATSON AND HIS FLYING BOAT.

less telegraph will be carried which will put the fliers in touch with any liner within 100 miles.

One of the men will fly the boat while the other attends to the navigation. It will scarcely be necessary for the navigating officer to look over the side of the cockpit in the flight between the two continents, so complete will be the equipment to tell the altitude, angle of flight, speed, direction and position.

Both the governments of Great Britain and the United States will be asked to send vessels to various points on the course. The navigator of the air craft will be furnished with a chart showing the location of these vessels and the approximate location of every transatlantic liner. It is also proposed to make the flight a yachting event in which the owners of private yachts will view the flight from midocean.

"The chances for success are about nine out of ten," Mr. Curtiss told Mr. Wanamaker. "It is largely a question of mathematics and money."

Can Man Fly Across Ocean?

The flight across the Atlantic is conceded to be the most difficult part of the aero race around the world.

Aviators have demonstrated the practicability of every stage of the trip excepting the flight over the Atlantic ocean. Atwood flew from Chicago to New York. Another aviator flew from New York to the Pacific coast. In Europe a remarkable trip was made from Paris to Warsaw and return by Brinde-Jone de Moulins, while Jules Verdrines flew from Paris to Cairo. A flight was made from Florida to Havana and a flight has been made across the Mediterranean by Garros.

The question of a flight across the Atlantic has been discussed by De Moulins and by Roland Garros, both of whom are expected to try it. Verdrines also plans to make the flight. Orville Wright thinks that the feat can be accomplished.

While many experts are skeptical as to the success of the undertaking, Henry P. Woodhouse, managing editor of Flying, says that all the American aeroplane constructors believe the flight possible and will undertake the construction of transatlantic fliers on order.

"The difficulties of the trip," says Mr. Woodhouse, "so far as the flying part goes, are three—mountains, deserts and oceans. Aviators have flown back and forth many times over every high range of mountains in Europe. Verdrines declares that he found on his flight to Cairo that the desert was ideal flying ground, and Garros has twice crossed the Mediterranean."

Cortlandt Field Bishop, first vice president of the Aero Club of America and first vice president of the International Aeronautical federation, is confident that the race of motor driven air craft as planned by the directors of the Panama-Pacific exposition will be a success.

Mr. Bishop recently returned from abroad, where he witnessed many aviation events. What he saw there inclined him to the belief that nothing is too big for the aviators to accomplish today.

Alfred J. Moisant and aviators also

elated with him are of the opinion that a 200 horsepower motor is not powerful enough to propel an alrship across the Atlantic. They asse:t that 500 horsepower is necessary.

Doubt Trip Possible Now.

English air men are inclined to regard an aeroplane trip around the world unfeasible in the present stage of aerial development. It is pointed out that in order to cover the distance in the stipulated time it would be necessary to fly at the rate of more than 200 miles daily for three months.

Verdrines was five weeks in accomplishing the 3,500 miles from Paris to the Pyramids, flying an average of only 100 miles daily.

"The exhibition committee's offer," says the Daily Mail of London, "indicates remarkable confidence in the future of air craft, though there is little prospect of the feat being accomplished by the proposed date. But it is merely a question of time before an air man puts a girdle around the world."

C. C. Grey, the editor of Aeroplane, a London publication devoted to aviation, says:

"Even considering the wonderful progress in the past, I cannot see how aeroplanes can be made within twelve months' time which will do the feats required in this flight."

The president of the United States, the king of Great Britain, the president of France, the German kaiser, the emperor of Russia, the emperor of Japan and the premier of British Columbia will be asked to name an international commission consisting of commissioners from each of the countries on the route of the race. This commission will be scientific and advisory, and its duties will be to suggest the route and offer counsel on geographic, meteorologic and scientific problems.

Batson Sanguine of Victory.

Captain Matthew A. Batson, president of the Batson Air Navigation company and inventor of the Batson triple



RODMAN WANAMAKER, FINANCING TRANS-ATLANTIC TRIP BY AEROPLANE.

motored hydroaeroplane, has announced his intention of entering the around the world race.

"It is just the sort of trip I have had in mind all along," says Captain Batson. "I consider the transatlantic flight and that over the Rocky mountains the hardest stages of the route. The machine that can cross the Atlantic can go around the world."

"The machine that can remain in the air the longest will have advantage. I expect to win the race. It will be a great trip."

Beckwith Havens of New York who, last summer, piloted an aeroplane from Chicago to New York by way of Detroit and Buffalo, has announced his intention to enter the world encircling race. Raymond V. Morris of New Haven, Conn., has also given notice that he has begun the plans for a new machine for transatlantic flight and will enter the competition. Word received from Los Angeles is that Lincoln Beachey will be a competitor.

SHACKLETON'S NEW ROUTE.

Change Decided on After Consulting Well Known Geographers.

Sir Ernest Shackleton has decided to abandon the route originally chosen for his journey across the antarctic continent.

This decision is announced in an article in the Geographical Journal, in which he writes that he has determined not to pursue the original route inside the Victoria chain of mountains. He consulted with the president of the Royal Geographical society and other well known geographers, and is prepared to adopt their opinion that more benefit would ensue if he took another route over to the eastward of Amundsen's track or between the Beardmore glacier route and the Amundsen glacier route.

Thus the entire ground would be new.

State Statue to Phil Kearny.

With the approval of Secretary Garrison, New Jersey has arranged to erect an equestrian statue of Major General Phil Kearny over the grave of that officer in the Arlington National cemetery. It will be the first monument of that character ever erected in the cemetery, as heretofore no permit has been given for an equestrian statue.

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Advertisements inserted under this heading at the rate of one cent a word for each insertion. Persons and firms who do not have advertising contracts with the paper will be required to pay cash in advance.

FOR SALE—I will offer for sale at auction at my residence, 215 West Sycamore street, Greensboro, on Wednesday, February 26, my entire household and kitchen furniture. The sale will begin at 10 o'clock A. M. This is one of the best furnished homes in Greensboro. A good opportunity to get some exceptionally good values at your own price. W. F. Medearis. 15-2

FOR SALE—One horse colt, aged six months. Well sired, development perfect. Communicate with John D. F. Cobb, Gibsonville, N. C. 14-4

NEW ACETYLENE LIGHTING PLANT—The only satisfactory lighting for country home. When I bought for my own use I bought three plants in order to get all discounts to agents. I put one in my home and sold one to the Country Club and have one on hand. This is complete and the only one I have to offer. John A. Young, Greensboro, N. C. 11-1f

FOR SALE—One sixteen syrup Lipincott soda fountain; onyx and marble mahogany top with three large mirrors. Cost \$1,200; will take \$300. Write Oak Ridge Mercantile Company, Oak Ridge, N. C. 13-4

STRAYED OR STOLEN—Large black Scotch retriever, has on collar with name "Cawdor" and F. B. Keetch; liberal reward for return to E. T. Coble, Greensboro Route 6, Phone 7520. 8-1f

FRUIT TREES—We have them. The kind which have given such wonderful results in the Cleveland orchards. Lime and sulphur. Have just received a car load of Grassell's which is high testing and of the best. Can save you money. John A. Young & Sons, Greensboro, N. C.

FOR SALE—Good second-hand Remington typewriter in good condition. Cheap. J. R. Pitts, Greensboro. 3-1f

Dr. J. E. Wyche's dental office is now located on the second floor of the Fisher building. 42-1f.

Special Term Criminal Court.

In pursuance to commission issued by the Governor calling for a special term of one week's criminal court to be held beginning Monday, March 16, 1914, this is to notify all parties, witnesses and defendants who were bound over to regular term in April to be present on above date. 13-8

W. C. BOREN, Chairman.

ONE TRAIN WRECK FOLLOWED BY ANOTHER.

The engine of the passenger train that left Greensboro Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock for Mt. Airy jumped the track at Summerfield, causing a considerable delay for the passengers, but no personal injury, and the blocking of traffic on that line for several hours.

A wrecking train was sent from Greensboro to replace the engine on the track, and a special train went to the scene to take the mail and passengers on to Mt. Airy.

The wrecking train's crew succeeded in getting the derailed engine back on the track during the night and the wrecking train was brought back to this city, but it met with an accident about 4 o'clock in the morning as it passed over the switch at Morehead avenue crossing, the derrick car being derailed. The derrick car turned over on its side, but fortunately none of the wrecking crew was injured.

Another wrecking train was brought here from Spencer and after several hours the derailed derrick car was set right.

On account of this accident the regular passenger train from Greensboro to Mt. Airy, leaving here at 8:15 in the morning, was detained via Proximity and proceeded to Mt. Airy slightly behind schedule time.

For Beating Board Bill.

Marshall Fields, a young white man apparently about 20 years old, was given a hearing before Justice of the Peace Minor Tuesday afternoon on the charge of beating a board bill. After hearing the evidence and arguments, Judge Minor bound the defendant over to the next term of Guilford Superior court under \$100 bond.

The defendant is in the employ of the Southern Railway Company. He is charged with leaving the home of Mrs. A. F. Phibbs after having boarded and roomed there for six months, without paying his bill. It is alleged that he pretended as if his father was going to pay the bill, though his father never showed up.

BARACAS AND PHILATHEAS HOLD UNION MEETING.

The first union meeting of the Baracas and Philathea classes of the city under the new plan was held Tuesday night at West Market Street Methodist church and proved to be a most delightful occasion. The old plan of holding separate union meetings was recently abandoned, and hereafter the union meetings of the two organized classes will be held at the same place. The business sessions will be separate as heretofore, but after the business meetings are over the classes will join for a social hour.

At their business meeting Tuesday night the Philathea elected new officers as follows: President, Miss Lola Long; vice president, Miss Lillie Foster; secretary, Miss Annie Deland; treasurer, Miss Mary Morrisette; reporter, Miss Ruth Mendenhall. The Philathea pennant for the largest average attendance at the union meetings during the year was won as a permanent trophy by the Asheboro Street Baptist class. This pennant has been contested for by every Philathea class in the city.

At the Baraca union the Centenary Methodist class had the largest attendance.

After the business sessions the two unions met in the basement of the church, which had been prettily decorated in the Philathea class colors and with carnations and ferns, for a social hour, the Philathea acting as hostesses. A fine musical program was rendered by Herr Roy, violinist; Miss Ethel Barbour, pianist, and Miss Beatrice Lynnebyrd, soloist; every number was enthusiastically applauded by the audience.

After the music the Philathea served sandwiches and coffee. The next meeting of the unions will be held on the third Tuesday in March, at the Asheboro Friends church, on which occasion the Baracas will play hosts.

PREDICTIONS AS TO THE FUTURE OF COUNTRY.

S. N. D. North, director of the thirteenth census of the United States, made the following statements before the American Statistical Association in Boston a few days ago:

"The world-wide increase in the cost of living is due to the decreasing proportion of the people engaged in productive agriculture."

"In 1950 our population will be three-fourths foreign if immigration continues at the present rate and native sterility continues."

"Despite the decreasing birth rate our population will reach 300,000,000 by the year 2000."

"While population increased 21 per cent in the last decade the food supply increased only 10 per cent."

"The living wage is a burning issue and we must soon face the questions of old age pensions and workmen's insurance."

"The science of statistics will be the means of solving the problems growing out of the war between capital and labor, and all other national and social problems."

"The world has long been obsessed by the dread of an impending struggle between labor and capital," said Mr. North—"a titanic conflict, involving our entire social system and leading perhaps in another French revolution. And, lo! the solution is at hand; for the statistician has appeared and behind him is an educated public opinion which demands that equity shall be the basis of compromise and trust; the statistician to prove mathematically where equity lies."

Mr. North, after making his prediction as to the future preponderance of foreign blood, said:

"It is high time that we made more restive the immigration laws which now welcome with inconceivable profligacy the undesirables of every occidental race to the rapidly lessening opportunities of our continent."

Alabama Senatorial Contest.

The seven-months' fight between Oscar Underwood, majority leader of the national house of representatives, and Representative Richmond Pearson Hobson for the Alabama vacancy in the United States senate is drawing to a close. The deciding votes in a campaign that has attracted nation-wide interest will be cast at the Democratic primary April 6. The election will take place November 4, but that merely will be a ratification of the choice made in the primary.

Mr. Underwood has announced from Washington that so far as personal participation was concerned, his campaign already has ended. Representative Hobson is continuing the personal campaign he has been waging for many months, during which time he has so often in nearly every county and town in the state.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND.

Under and by virtue of the provisions of a certain contract with reference to the purchase and sale of the land hereinafter described entered into on the 15th day of August, 1906, by and between the undersigned Carolina Real Estate and Investment Company as party of the first part and W. J. Grantham as party of the second part, default having been made by said W. J. Grantham in the payments in said contract required and agreed to be made by him to the undersigned and such default having continued for more than twenty days thereafter and still continuing, the undersigned will at the county court house door, in the city of Greensboro, N. C., on

Monday, March 9, 1914,

At 12 o'clock M., offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, all of the right, title and interest of said W. J. Grantham in and to eight certain lots or parcels of land lying and being in the county of Guilford and state of North Carolina, and being lots Nos. 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19 in block 3, and lots Nos. 9, 10, 11 in block 2 of the plat of Glenwood, recorded in the office of the register of deeds of said county in plat book 2, at page 104.

This January 28, 1914.
Carolina Real Estate and Investment Company, by J. M. Millikan, President.

ROAD NOTICE.

A petition having been presented to the board of county commissioners asking for the opening of a new public road in Greene township, starting at a point on the Randolph county line near N. E. Reitzel's and running north on the line of the different landowners, as near as possible, to a point on the Pleasant Union road, near the negro school house, a distance of about three miles, this is to notify all persons objecting to same to appear before said board at the next regular meeting on Tuesday, March 3, 1914, and state said objection.

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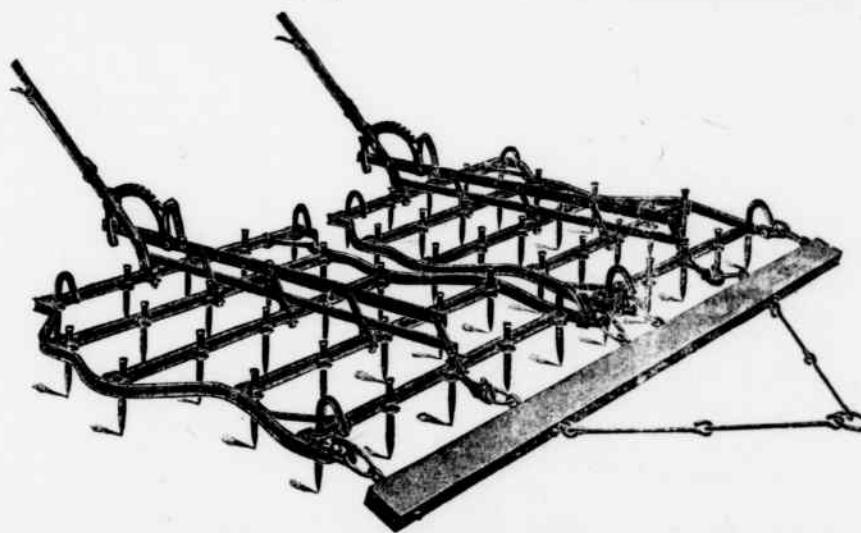
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