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Rev. Davis Heard by Large Crowds.
Rev. E. L. Davis, secretary of the Anti-Saloon League of the State, was heard with pleasure at the Christian, Front Street Methodist and Baptist Churches of the town Sunday. A big crowd was present at each place to hear this distinguished speaker. He speaks with much enthusiasm and is pushing forth with every effort the prohibition cause. He says that it is hoped to have State wide prohibition in every State in the Nation by 1920. A move is now on in the legislature to have a law passed prohibiting the shipping of intoxicating beverages into the State. Mr. Davis urges that many citizens write the representatives and senators urging the passage of this law.

Ezzell-Dunn.

The following article is clipped from the Charlotte Observer and will be of interest to many folks in this city, as Mr. Ezzell is well remembered in the town:

Miss Stella Dunn and Mr. Peter S. Ezzell were quietly married last night at 9:00 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents in Mount Holly. Only a few relatives and very intimate friends were present. Although no formal announcement had been made of the marriage, it was not unexpected by their friends. The young people had been acquainted for two years and a half and it was currently known that they were to plight their troth at some time in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezzell will arrive in the city tomorrow to live at their home, 509 E. Tenth Street.

The bride is an attractive young woman of high worth, who has many warm friends. Mr. Ezzell is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ezzell, of this city, his father being foreman of The Observer composing room. The groom is a young man of sturdy qualities, straightforward character and manners and industry. He is the swiftest operator on The Observer's force and the general standard of his work is much above the average. He is popular among his associates and enjoys the best wishes of all.

Sweptonville-Hawfields.

Sweptonville and Hawfields crossed bats on the former's grounds Feb. 4. The game was called at 3 o'clock. This was one of the best games that has been pulled off on this ground for a long time. Hawfields seemed to take the game in the seventh, the home boys by good rally in the ninth bunched three hits in succession which resulted in 2 to 1 in favor of Sweptonville.

This game was played in 40 minutes. There were only three errors credited in the game: Hawfields one and Sweptonville two. Hits: Hawfields 3, Sweptonville 4. Strike-outs: Hawfields 8, Sweptonville 8.

"Bought and Paid For."

"Bought and Paid For" and "Little Women" are two of New York's greatest successes. Manager William A. Brady enjoys the proud distinction of being the producer of these two wonderfully successful plays. Both of these offerings have enjoyed successful runs at the Brady Playhouse, New York, and are among the bookings at the Piedmont Theatre during the coming season.

The regular "Bought and Paid For" Matinee cast is to visit this city with the complete production of the Piedmont Theatre, Feb. 12.

High School Debaters Selected.

The Burlington High School's representatives in the annual triangular debate against those of Jamestown and Graham, on March 2nd, have been chosen. They are Sam Bason, David Curtis, Graham Faucett and Rufus Wilson. These four were selected from a number of contestants in a preliminary debate held some days ago.

The query for the triangular debate is "Resolved that the Constitution of North Carolina should be so amended as to allow the initiative and referendum for state wide legislation." Burlington, Graham and Jamestown will each have two teams in the field, one defending the negative and the other the affirmative of this query. Burlington's negative team which is David Curtis and Sam Bason, will go to Graham, its affirmative team, Graham Faucett and Rufus Wilson, will debate on "the home grounds" against Jamestown.

The triangular debate is also a part of the more recently organized and highly inclusive system of high school debaters throughout North Carolina, the most successful teams being given a trip to Chapel Hill, where they compete for final honors in the form of a trophy cup. This feature is under the direction of the University of North Carolina. It is necessary for a school to win both of its debates before it is entitled to be considered in connection with the later contests. The preliminary debates at Chapel Hill will be held Thursday evening, April 2 and Friday morning, April 3rd.

The final debate will be held on the evening of April 3rd. One hundred and fifty-nine schools have already entered the Debating Union.

New Building an Assured Fact.

Mr. Joseph A. Isley has fully developed the idea of erecting a new building on his lot on Front and Worth streets. The building will front on Front street and will be next to the beautiful four-story building of The First National Bank. The architect is now busy drawing plans for this new building, which will be erected as soon as plans can be arranged. The building will be a large four-story, 90x100 feet. In addition to the four stories a basement will also be arranged for the storing of goods. The first and second floors will be arranged for the selling of merchandise, while the third and fourth will be cut into offices. As soon as the architect has finished the design for the building, any one desiring to make a rental contract can do so by seeing the proprietor of the building. The building will be erected out of beautiful white Hy-texaface brick and will be equipped with every modern convenience. When finished it will be one of the nicest buildings of the town. Samples of the brick to be used have already been received and were examined by the writer of this article. Mr. Isley is a hustler, never idle, but continually on the alert to be doing something which will benefit his town. He is to be congratulated upon the wonderful success he has already achieved.

Tree Insured for \$30,000.

The most valuable fruit tree in the world has had built around it a fence 30 feet high to keep out miscreants and has been insured against wind and fire with Lloyd's of London, for \$30,000.

The tree is a six-year old alligator pear and is on a Whittier ranch owned by H. A. Woodworth. Last year the tree made its owner \$3,206, and he didn't give it as much attention as the ordinary man gives to an old speckled hen.

Fifteen hundred dollars of the money came from the sale of pears at \$6 a dozen, and the remainder—in other words, the big end of the purse—came from the sale of bud-wood. Buds sold so rapidly last year at 10 cents apiece that Mr. Woodworth raised his price to 22 cents in order to avoid having to ruin the tree to satisfy bud-wood hunters.—Los Angeles Examiner.

Father Shot Son.

Tarboro, Feb. 7.—Becoming enraged at his 20-year-old son, Luther, W. E. Whitehurst, of Conetoe, today emptied the contents of a shotgun into the boy's body, with serious if not fatal results.

The quarrel was the result, it is alleged of abuse heaped upon the boy and his mother, which was resented by the son. The father is under arrest.

Valentine's Day.

St. Valentine's Day is Saturday, Feb. 14. Already the windows of the stores are beginning to reflect something of the spirit of the day. In this connection, the following is from the pen of Edwin L. Sabin, in Lippincott's:

"It seems a long, long time ago when we sent out valentines. Those were pleasant little missives. I refer not to the caricatures, by which the romance of the day was much impaired, but to the lacy, heart-to-arrow, poetic kind, some of which cost as much as ten cents.

"The feverish distribution of these did no harm; on the contrary, it must have worked good. The sentiments expressed were at least read, even if not always believed, sometimes not understood. Few of us but can recall excerpts, which we recast with a certain wistful zest that decries age! We appreciate them now more than we did then.

"Why not really revive Saint Valentine's day? We need it. We need more of the sentiment that is cheap; not cheap sentiment. We need this authority to pause in our hurly-burly out pursuit of the tangible and the material, and to give ourselves over to one general indulgence in the romance and chivalry.

"All the world loves a lover. The fact can never die. And although Saint Valentine's Day is but a masquerade and a mummery, wherein we play at a Court of Love, its 12 hours of pretty pretence distill dew upon the most sordid heart.

"We in America have few gentle observances; we do much for practical gain and much out of patriotism; but we devote ourselves—we as a people—to the purely fanatical and ethereal custom doomed, perhaps, by natural progress. However, may we not have back upon our National calendar good Saint Valentine's Day, in all its innocence of eternal vows to sweeten the workaday heart? Though it come as a fad, let it come."

Dr. Gray at Oakdale February 17.

Liberty, Feb. 9.—Dr. Dan T. Gray, Chief of the Department of Animal Industry of the North Carolina Experiment Station, will attend the Dairy School at Oakdale School in Patterson Township on Tuesday, February 17. He will accompany Messrs Reed and Combs, State Dairymen, and assist them in holding the school on that day. He will address those attending on the subject of "Pig Raising," especially in connection with Dairying. Dr. Gray seldom gets the opportunity or the time to go into the country on such occasions, and we feel especially favored to have him with us. We are anxious to have a large number of farmers, young and old, from other sections of the county attend our school on that day.

Messrs Reed and Combs will conduct the regular program for the day, the program for February being a demonstration of Milk Skimming with the Cream Separator, Milk Testing for Butterfat, Cheam Testing, etc.

Every farmer interested in Dairying or not, will find interest and profit in attending.

Mr. Bailey Is Bitter.

Chicago, Feb. 7.—"The country has emerged from the boss rule only to enter on a conflict of demagoguery and socialism," said former United States Senator Joseph Bailey, tonight at the annual banquet of the Michigan Society of Chicago. "The boss is better than the demagogue," he continued, "because it is easier to get rid of him."

"The two men who are most prominent at present in our politics," said Mr. Bailey, "are the two who have denounced the bosses most unsparingly and they are the two men above all who have acted the boss to the limit. One of them at the head of the party not now in power, imposes his will on his associates with an impetuosity which finds no parallel in our history. The head of the party to which I belong controls the senate and the house of representatives today, as if they were subordinate branches of the government."

Not Always The Same.

Like causes don't always produce the same effect. Give to a pig when it grunts, the Democrats when they run for office and you'll have a fine pig and a busted country.

An Invitation.

Delighted Young Lady (to young man she had been dancing with)—Oh, I could dance to heaven with you! Young Man—Can you reverse?

County School News.

The fourth regular meeting of the Alamance Teachers' Association was held in the Court House, Saturday, February 7th. Despite the rain a number of teachers were present.

The date of the County Commencement at the last Teachers' Meeting was publicly announced at the last Teachers' Meeting. As heretofore, it will be held the last Saturday in April, which is April 25th. Several new features will be added this year and many former ones will be enlarged. The Girl's Tomato Clubs will have the largest representation present at any commencement yet held. A number of girls from the different schools are making with their fingers the dresses they expect to wear to the commencement. Several industrial projects will be exhibited and handsome prizes will be announced soon for those schools bringing the handsomest floats to the commencement.

The Row, Peterson Company has offered two pins to the two seventh grade graduates showing the greatest proficiency in English Grammar and Composition. The first prize is a solid gold pin, and the second prize is a solid silver pin. These will be awarded at the County Commencement.

The Friendship High School will give a play, "The Deacon," at Sweptonville Saturday evening, February 28th. This play promises to be quite a success and it is hoped that a large audience will greet the High School on its first tour.

The Sampahaw School has organized a Country Life Club with the following officers: President, Mr. Hardy Stockard; vice president, Mr. S. E. Woody; secretary, Mr. W. R. Freshwater. This is the seventh local Country Life Club in the county. This club had a Box Party some days ago and made \$23.

Mr. J. G. Clark, of the Center School, was in Graham last Monday and purchased for his school a globe, two maps and two teachers' chairs.

The County Life Club of Alamance will offer to the schools of the county this year the following prizes for the material improvement made in the school buildings, grounds and the general equipment:

- 1st prize, \$50 cash.
- 2nd prize, \$25 cash.
- 3rd prize, \$25 cash.
- 4th prize, quartered oak table, given by White Furniture Co., of Mebane.
- 5th prize, Teachers' Chair, given by Green-McClure Co., Graham.
- 6th prize, Teachers' chair, given by Mebane Chair Factory.
- 7th prize, Wall Clock, given by Mr. Z. T. Hadley, of Graham.
- 8th prize, Water Tank, given by Holt & May Hardware Co., of Burlington.
- 9th prize, Water Tank, given by M. B. Smith Furniture Co., of Burlington.

A cash prize of \$10.00 will be given to the negro school making the greatest material improvement.

It is hoped that every school in the county will strive for first prize. It will not take very much work, or time, or money to clean off the playground, or to sow grass and plant flowers. Why not have a beautiful school-house? It costs very little to build a wood house and out-buildings and these add much to the comfort of the country school.

All work done between September 1, 1913, and April 20th, 1914, may be reported by schools contesting for the prizes. These reports must be sworn to be correct and must be in the hands of the county superintendent not later than April 23rd. These reports should be carefully kept. No equipment provided for with county funds will be counted in the contest; but all permanent improvements, or supplies, and all work donated to the school will be counted. Let every man, woman and child in Alamance County do something for the schools during the next two months. The only people who fail are those who do not try.

The Baraca and Philathen Classes of the Baptist church will have a business meeting at 7:30 o'clock Friday night, February 13th, at the Church. At 8:00 o'clock a joint social will be held to which the other organized classes are invited. The admission will be a valentine.

What's the Use?

"Are you an optimist?"
"No. What's the use of worrying yourself to death trying to find something to be cheerful for?"—Washington Post.

SOCIETY NEWS.

Mrs. A. D. Pate charmingly entertained at her home on Fisher street Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 to 6:00 o'clock in honor of her visitors, Misses Lelia Williamson, of McIver, and Frances Williamson, of Danville. The house was decorated in potted and flowering plants. Progressives Book was played at six tables. Refreshments consisting of salads, ices and coffee and mints were served. The guests were: Mesdames W. E. Sharpe, O. F. Crowson, D. E. Sellers, W. F. Dailey, J. W. Lasley, J. S. Frost, W. S. Rives, J. H. Holt, P. E. Morrow and C. A. Smith and Misses Nettie and Byrdie Dailey, Lolla Lasley, Ada Belle Isley, Ella and Florine Robertson, Mary and Margaret Freeman, Bettie Vann Ward and Bessie Holt.

Mrs. James N. Williamson, Jr., gave an elaborate reception at her lovely home on Park Avenue Wednesday evening from 8:30 to 12 o'clock in honor of Mrs. Spencer, of Martinsville, Va., to the Burlington Bridge Club. The hall, parlor, sitting room and dining room were decorated in pink and green, palms and ferns and carnations ad sweet peas being used in profusion. Progressive bridge was played at six tables. Punch was served in the hall by Mrs. Eugene Holt. The guests were shown to the dining room, which was beautiful in pink and green, the color scheme being carried out in the lights, flowers and mints and ices. Refreshments were served in three courses. The guests were: Messrs and Mesdames: J. H. Holt, F. L. Williamson, L. Banks Williamson, of Glencoe; Lynn B. Williamson, of Graham; Eugene Holt, Erwin A. Holt, L. S. Holt, Jr., and Gee Gant of Altamahaw; Messrs. Jeffreys, of Richmond, and Bob and Will Holt and Misses Jessamine and Corinna Gant and Minnie Williamson and Mrs. Spencer.

Mrs. Joseph A. Isley entertained the Round Dozen Club at her home on Davis street Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rook was played at four tables, and embroidery bags were also called into play. Refreshments consisting of fruit salad, ices and mints were served. Besides the club members there were present Mrs. C. L. Isley and Misses Lelia and Frances Williamson.

At The Episcopal Church.

A week's revival services are being conducted at the Church of the Holy Comforter. The services began Sunday February 8th, and will continue to Sunday night, February 15th. The services are being conducted by Rev. John R. Matthews, Missioner, and Rev. John Benner Gibble, rector. The following subjects will be discussed on the following nights:

- Wednesday, Feb. 11, at 8 o'clock: "One Thing I Know" or Experience above Theory.
- Thursday, Feb. 12, at 8 o'clock: "Elijah and Elisha."
- Friday, Feb. 13, at 8 o'clock: "Rejection of Saul."
- Sunday, Feb. 15, 11 a. m.: "Friendship of Jesus."
- Sunday Afternoon, at 3 o'clock: "Man Only—'Good Samaritan'."
- Sunday Evening, 7:30 o'clock: "Despondency of Elijah."

"Bought and Paid For."

George H. Broadhurst cast aside all stage conventions when he wrote "Bought and Paid For," which will appear at the Piedmont on Thursday, February 12th, coming from William A. Brady's Playhouse, New York, where it has been the dramatic sensation of present day theatricals. The story is one that grips and holds the pulsation of the heart, as we see it from the rise to the fall of the curtain. The incidents and happenings are such that every husband and wife will draw a lesson from it. Mr. Broadhurst has imbued into his story a new vein of comedy that is really delightful and is bound to leave a lasting impression upon the mind of every auditor. The cast and production come here under the personal direction of William A. Brady, who has spared no expense in sending to this city the complete Playhouse production and a very strong cast.

You occasionally find a man who realizes that he can't sing, but you never saw one that didn't think he had a keen sense of humor.—New Orleans Picayune.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BANQUET.

The Annual Banquet at The Piedmont Hotel, Friday Night a Great Success.

The annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce was pulled off Friday evening at the Piedmont Hotel at eight o'clock. The occasion which is celebrated each year has grown to be very elaborate, and on this occasion was attended by sixty or more. The spread which was served in five courses was especially enjoyer. To the delight of those present, Mr. J. H. Vernon served as toastmaster of the occasion. Music was furnished by Wilson's Orchestra. Immediately after supper Mr. W. A. Erwin, of Durham, one of the State's most prominent business men and manufacturers, was introduced. Mr. Erwin was a former citizen of this town and has a number of relatives here. His speech for the occasion was summed up in telling about the Past, the Present and predicting the Future, of our town. He gave many interesting facts which were greatly appreciated by his hearers.

The tables were decorated with carnations. The other speaker of the evening was E. S. W. Dameron, of this city. Mr. Dameron has been kind enough to put his speech in writing and we are publishing it for the benefit of those who could not be present. Mr. Dameron is a very entertaining orator and his addresses are always listened to with pleasure.

SOME RECENT ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Address before the Annual Banquet of Burlington Chamber of Commerce Friday, February 6th, 1914, by E. S. W. Dameron:

Gentlemen:

In every city there are two great forces which inspire and shape its activities and determine its growth and destiny—the individual and social. Each of these forces must be recognized and emphasized in the building of every City. Every citizen has both an individual and a social duty to perform. His individual duties would confine him to his own personal business and cause him to forget his social relations and that he is his brother's keeper; his social relations would remind him that no man can live to himself or die to himself, and that the interest of the individual is inseparably linked with the interest of society. These are two fundamental laws of human society and human progress and one is as absolute as the other.

Often in the pursuit of our personal and individual tasks we are inclined to neglect and ignore the forces that make for social uplift and community progress, and so we have found in the City of Burlington many who cannot appreciate the value and worth of the Chamber of Commerce to our City. In fact but few of us realize how great are the benefits conferred by this organization, either in the way of promoting industrial progress or in the cultivation of community spirit. Is the Chamber of Commerce worth while? What has it done during the past year to justify the small outlay of capital that has been made by the unselfish citizens of this community? Let the record of its achievements answer these questions forever.

Take first the Municipal Advertisement in front of the railroad passenger station. The Chamber of Commerce has secured a contract with the Piedmont Railway & Electric Co., by which this Company has agreed to furnish free lights for this board for a term of fifty years. If we calculate the expenses of these lights according to the usual charges and then calculate properly the interest, we find that the saving to the City on this score alone with amount to at least \$23,000. Again, I ask you to remember that the Chamber of Commerce has recently established the cluster light on the Corner of Front and Main streets at a cost of \$48.00 and the Piedmont Railway & Electric Co., has agreed to furnish free lights for this beautiful beacon of commerce and industry for a term of fifty years, which at the least calculation means a saving to the city of \$36,000. This Chamber of Commerce has also secured a permanent arrangement with the same company for the installation of as many other cluster lights, of like character as may be desired, at a cost of only \$55.00 a year, and should ten such lights be erected, as has been proposed, the saving to the city would be \$550.00 a year.

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POOR PRINT

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

International Lesson for Sunday Feb. 15.—"Christ's Hatred of Shama."

LUKE 11:37-54.

37 And as he spake, a certain Pharisee besought him to dine with him; and he went in, and sat down to meat.

38 And when the Pharisee saw it, he marvelled that he had not washed before dinner.

39 And the Lord said unto him, Now do ye Pharisees make clean the outside of the cup and the platter; but your inward part is full of ravening and wickedness.

40 Ye fools, did not he that made that which is without make that which is within also?

41 But rather give alms of such things as ye have; and, behold, all things are clean unto you.

42 But woe unto you Pharisees! for he tithe mint and rue and all manner of herbs, and pass judgment and the love of God; those ought ye to have done, and not to leave the other undone.

43 Woe unto you, Pharisees! for ye love the uppermost seats in the synagogues, and greetings in the markets.

44 Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye are as graves which appear not, and the men that walk over them are not aware of them.

45 Then answered one of the lawyers, and said unto him, Master, thus saying thou reproachest us also.

46 And he said, Woe unto you, also, ye lawyers! for ye lade men with burdens grievous to be borne, and ye yourselves touch not the burdens with one of your fingers.

47 Woe unto you! for ye build the sepulchres of the prophets, and your fathers killed them.

48 Truly ye bear witness that ye allow the deeds of your fathers: for they indeed killed them, and ye build their sepulchres.

49 Therefore also said the wisdom of God, I will send them prophets and apostles, and some of them they shall slay and persecute:

50 That the blood of all the prophets, which was shed from the foundation of the world, may be required of this generation;

51 From the blood of Abel unto the blood of Zacharias, which perished between the altar and the temple: verily I say unto you, it shall be required of this generation.

52 Woe unto you, lawyers! for ye have taken away the key of knowledge: ye entered not in yourselves, and them that were entering in ye hindered.

53 And as he said these things, they began to urge him vehemently, and to provoke him to speak of many things:

54 Laying wait for him, and seeking that they might accuse him.

The most popular novel of the present season is Winston Churchill's "The Inside of the Cup." The title is taken from words of Jesus which are a part of the present Sunday school lesson. The entire story is designed to be an exposition, in modern form of the teachings of the Master as here set forth. Whatever the defects of "The Inside of the Cup," it is certainly intended to teach one of Christ's own lessons, and in his favorite form of a parable. That such a discussion should be the favorite book of the hour argues well for the seriousness of our day. Also it is a reminder that people are getting a great deal of their religious instruction from other than the conventional religious sources. The background of the utterance, and the lesson story, was a dinner party. Then, as now, the social leaders were fond of capturing every "lion" that came along, be he a religious iconoclast, a picturesque socialist, famous writer, or what-not. Anything to relieve the ennui of faded folk tired of their own company and at the end of their own resources. There was a distant similarity between the motives which had the con-

descending Pharisees to invite Jesus to his table, as entertainer for his guests, and that which once prompted a vacant-minded society folk to give a "monkey dinner."

Many a "lion" has lost both his roar and his teeth beneath these smothering attentions. One of the commonest tragedies of the pulpit, of literature, and of public life, is the attainment of social acceptability and popularity, at the cost of the loss of one's message. Jesus, however, was not of this class. He cared more for his own intellectual integrity than for the favor of any aristocracy. While not lacking in most real courtesies, he would not let his courage and message be obscured by any mistaken sense of politeness.

IN THE CEREMONIOUS EAST.

This fresh-spirited western world has had the vigorous good sense not to let its religion become a mere matter of ceremony. There have been attempts to fix upon certain practices—as card-playing, dancing, theatre-going, for instance—as the sign and test of godliness. This has failed, because Christianity is a religion of the spirit, and the wholesome sanity of the Church has recoiled from these attempts to label outward forms and observances, however good in themselves as vital Christianity. We have all seen too many instances of men who do none of these doubtful things, such as smoking, card-playing, etc., who nevertheless show none of the spirit of the gospel. It is altogether possible for the one to obey all these prescriptions and yet be too mean to live with human beings.

This sort of thing is the essence of pharisaism. Conformity to outward ceremonies, as distinguished from a religion of the spirit, begets insincerity. The old Jews had added to the forms of theosaic law a bewildering array of detailed requirements. Then, as now, the East loved a religion of ceremonial. The Koran is full of it. Even as a Moslem may observe the intricate ritual of motions and washings and praying and fastings and pilgrimages, and still remain a cruel, bloodthirsty, lecherous oppressor of his fellow men, so the pharisee could keep the ceremonial law even down to giving a tithe out of the mint patch in his back yard and yet remain a moral monster. And to be wholly frank, we are not unacquainted with the type of church officers who has incarnated in himself the criminal practices of "big business" who has been in unholy alliance with corrupt politicians, who has rented property at high rates for evil purposes, who has underpaid his employes and kept child laborers under the yoke.

That is the sort of man whom this rugged, truth-telling Carpenter arraigned openly, thereby causing social consternation. Every active church worker should examine himself carefully, in the light of this tremendous passage of Scripture, remembering that the blistering "Woe unto you" was addressed to the professional religious and not to the outcast and disreputable.

THE SENSATIONAL SPEECH.

No comment upon it can have the force and pertinency of this utterance of Jesus itself. The passage will at least interpret to some readers the origin of the phrase, "The Inside of the Cup."

"Now as he spake a Pharisee asked him to dine with him: and he went in, and sat down to meat. And when the Pharisee saw it, he marvelled that he had not first bathed himself before dinner. And the Lord said unto him, Now ye the Pharisees cleanse the outside of the cup and of the platter; but your inward part is full of extortion and wickedness. Ye foolish ones, did not he that made the outside make the inside also? But give for alms those things which are within and behold, all things are clean upon you."

"But woe unto you, Pharisees! for ye tithe mint and rue and every herb, and pass over justice and the love of God; but these ought ye to have done, and not leave the other undone. Woe

unto you Pharisees! for ye love the chief seats in the synagogues, and the places of honor in the marketplaces. Woe unto you! for ye are as the tombs which appear not, and the men that walk over them know it not."

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"And when he was come out from thence, the scribes and the Pharisees began to press upon him vehemently, and to provoke him to speak of many things; laying wait for him, to catch something out of his mouth."

HARD KNOCKS FOR ECCLESIASTICS.

Why would the professionally religious person, the man who makes a business of the affairs of religion, so readily succumb to the fundamental temptations to avarice, self-aggrandizement, aristocracy and unbrotherliness. We shudder as we read Christ's terrific indictment of the ecclesiastical leaders of his times. Nevertheless, we know from our observations and experience that the charge lie against the door of some of their successors.

Falsehood, ruthless personal ambition, rank disloyalty to friends and to honor, a total lack of concern for the real work of the kingdom—one can give names and particulars in support of these allegations against eminent ecclesiastics; while many others, of course, are real saints. Is it any wonder that some brave men in the church refuse to consider ecclesiastical positions?

Never was this particular teaching of Jesus more timely than now. This is the era of revolt against class dominance. The churches feel this. We have entered the day of democracy; and democracy demands and must have sincerity as its basis. Only true men are fit to govern themselves and one another. The moment pretense arrives real democracy begins to depart. "Truth in the inward parts" is the very life blood of democracy.

And for that Jesus pleaded. Woe and only woe, awaits the person who builds up a religious life primarily for other people's eyes to see. Religion is not reputation; it is character. It is the hidden, godward side of life. "The Father who seeth in secret," is its judge and rewarder. The faith taught by the Master and the apostles is a life "hid" with Christ in God; it shuns the steer corners and the chief seats. There is nothing professional or self-parading about it.

In this discourse which set his hearers by the ears, the unconventional Nazarene made specifically the point, as a charge against the lawyers, or interpreters or the sacred canon, that they loaded up the people with burdens which they themselves did not bear. They preached but did not practice. To them religion was something apart from present, everyday life, like the building of memorials to the men of a dead past. They hindered the people from understanding how near and real, and here and now true religion is. For if religion is unreal something to be talked about and argued over and prescribed for other people, and not a new life and transformed character of one's self, it is only a show and a pretense, as Jesus said.

THE GOOD TIME COMING.

Everybody is as long how we are going to solve our clamorous social problems. Some look overcaerfully to legislation. Others pin their faith upon the slow progress of education. Still others merely trust to luck. But the Jesus way, as here indicated, is the fundamental way. He wants a social order based upon sincerity and service. His program for a better world is by better men and women. The kingdom which he established; and upon which he pinned his faith, is made up of individuals, who accept his platform and share his life.

There have been eras where in religious though overemphasized individualism; but forever the need abides for men and women whose lives are kept right in the sight of God. Among the friends of Jesus there is no divorce evil, no scandal of double living, no oppression of the weak, no cruel wealth and no bitter poverty. When the religion of the spirit reigns, and people live with the supreme ambition to be well-pleasing unto Christ, the inside of the cup is clean, even if the outside is not polished.

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The Marriage of Manetony.

By Barbara Boyd.

"I often think of a cousin of mine who married a banker," observed the bachelor girl, as she meditatively poked the fire in the open grate.

"I suppose you think how nice it must be to practically own a bank," cynically responded the bachelor.

"I wasn't thinking of that at all," replied the bachelor girl with spirit. "I was really wondering if she didn't get awfully tired of him, and long once in a while for a little real human existence."

"What is the matter with him?" asked the bachelor. "Does he give her all the money she wants without asking her how she spends it?"

"That and other equally tame things I guess," laughed the bachelor girl. "Her family and friends think, of course, she made a great match. She lives in fine style on Fifth avenue and has beautiful clothes and plenty to eat and all that. But it seems to me I should want to live with a less excelsior sort of person."

"Is he one of the 'bound for the top' people?"

"Oh, no. I mean that living with him would be like feeding on excelsior—exceedingly dry and without flavor. He's one of your polished men, so polished that he fairly shines. It's painful—as a steady thing. And he always does 'everything in the same way, at the same time, on the same day, the year through. I imagine he kisses her goodbye in the morning—not because he wants to, or finds any pleasure in it—but because it is the proper thing to do, and he started doing it at a certain time in the day probably 9:15 a. m., and so he can't stop without his world falling into chaos. And after she has had a year or so of limousines and diamond necklaces and silk gowns, with excelsior as a prevailing background, I often wonder if she would not like a few real human thrills—such as having to scrape and pinch to buy something she wants and enjoying it all the more thereby, and shedding a few tears because the cake she made for company was as flat as a flounder, and having to snuggle up to her husband and comfort him when he lost his job."

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"I suppose that is true," responded the bachelor girl with a sigh. "It seems rather hard to find a satisfactory life, doesn't it? Though I guess," she concluded brightly, "the proper amount of love mixed in the world, in either case, sweeten the taste, exactly to their liking."

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VILLA TALKED IN PLAIN MANNER.

Says He Will Execute Spaniards in Torreon Who Aided the Huerta Government.

El Paso, Feb. 3.—General Villa issued the following notice to all foreign governments:

"In conformity with my conception of justice I wish to notify all foreign governments that I have positive information that the Spanish residents of Torreon have aided federal forces there and that it is my purpose to execute these Spaniards if we capture them. I am making this statement now so that no surprise will be expressed later and to give Spaniards an opportunity to leave the country before they fall into my hands."

"I hope this notice to the United States and Spain will be accepted as a friendly warning."

The impression prevailing in official circles in Washington that the Huerta Government has secured arms from the Japanese Government is erroneous says Shotoku Bada, special representative of the Japanese consul in Chicago, who says:

"Huerta has secured arms in Japan under these conditions: When Madero was president he made a contract with a private Japanese firm to purchase a quantity of arms. The firm had no connection whatsoever with the Japanese Government. After Madero's death Huerta proceeded with the contract and what arms he has secured from Japan have been from this private firm in accordance with the contract made by Madero."

New Orleans, Feb. 3.—Stores of arms and ammunition sufficient to equip a great nation for a campaign with a worthy foe are being made ready for shipment to Mexico from New Orleans and vicinity. Figures were made public tonight following the proclamation by President Wilson.

Stored in New Orleans and nearby towns are more than 15,000,000 rounds of ammunition, approximately 14,000 modern army rifles, four machine guns, a thousand or more army revolvers and cartridge belts, saddles, blankets and holsters in enormous quantities. The ammunition for the machine guns alone is more than the four weapons could use up before they became unfit for field service.

El Paso, Feb. 3.—Telegraphic communication connection Torreon with El Paso was cut this morning and it is believed that constitutional forces that have been approaching Torreon from Neuva Leon have cut these lines.

El Paso, Feb. 3.—General Villa sent Attorney Aguerre Benavides to call on General U. L. Scott to extend his thanks through General Scott to President Wilson for his action in raising the embargo on arms and ammunition and also to obtain permission for the release of 1,500,000 rounds of ammunition and about 5,000 rifles seized by the United States troops as they were being exported to Mexico.

El Centro, Cal., Feb. 3.—That Lmesa der Salinas, the deposed judge of first instance of Mexicana and ranking civil officer in that district of Mexico, personally ordered the shooting on December 31 last, of E. Sanchez, Jose Valfit and Pablo Flores, American citizens, has been established by papers found in the effects of Salinas and A. M. Pencia, former Mexican chief immigration inspector at Mexicana, under arrest here now for removing public documents from Mexicana. Sanchez and Valfit were killed but Flores escaped in a spectacular manner to the United States.

In a letter to Huerta Salinas virtually admits that Sanchez and Valfit were murdered in cold blood and on official orders and it was only through a mistake of officers in the killing that the third American escaped and lived to tell the story.

El Paso, Feb. 3.—General Francisco Villa, chief of the constitutionalist forces in Chihuahua, was asked to make some expression to the people of the United States following the proclamation of President Wilson. General Villa said:

"The raising of the embargo on arms by President Wilson was an act of justice. As a result the revolution in Mexico will soon be over."

Widower, 78, Marries Nurse, 28, on Death Bed.

New York, Feb. 2.—Charles Wardwell Schofield, once a prominent railroad builder, 78 years old, was married in Brooklyn today, to Miss Jean W. Fitzsimmons, age 28, a trained nurse. Within three hours he was dead of pneumonia. He realized that death was upon him and asked that the ceremony be performed.

Mr. Schofield was born in Stamford, Conn. He built the Bingham Canyon Railroad in Utah, now a part of the Denver and Rio Grande, and other roads in the West and South. Several years ago he retired from active business. His first wife, Lillian E. Schofield, died in Los Angeles in De-

ember, 1912, and soon after her estate was settled a month ago by a decision of the California Court which divided it equally between the husband and the surviving wife. Late Mr. Schofield had been living at the St. Francis Hotel in San Francisco where the wedding took place.

Want Military Aeroplanes.

Culiacan, Sinaloa, Mexico, Feb. 3.—Military aeroplanes will be among the war munitions to be ordered a once from the United States by General Carranza the rebel chieftain. This was announced today after Carranza had made hasty arrangements to take advantage immediately of the American Government's action in lifting the embargo on the exportation of arms. The aeroplanes will be used in campaigns in Northern Mexico.

Fourteen thousand rifles with sufficient ammunition for a long campaign already have been ordered.

Evidence Gathered Against Burke.

Washington, Feb. 5.—The evidence gathered by the Government in the case of John Burke, manager of the Panama Railroad Commissary department, charged with irregularities in dealing with contractors, has been sent by the Department of Justice to Snowden Marshall, United States District Attorney at New York. The Panama Railroad is a New York corporation and the evidence in the case was sent to Mr. Marshall for his information. Final determination of the Department's action, however, will be made by Attorney General McReynolds and William Wallace, Jr., who has charge of the case.

The case against Burke hinges upon whether he was an employe of the United States when he was manager of the commissary department of a private corporation, the stock of which is owned by the Government. If he were found not to be an employe of the government no criminal action could be taken because of the alleged acceptance of commissions on contracts. Although it was understood here tonight that Department attorneys thing Burke is a Federal employe, information has convinced them that it may be possible to proceed along other lines without proving this.

For the present no attempt will be made to have Burke come to the United States. So far as is known no charge ever has been made that the United States suffered any loss through any of Burke's deals.

Theodore Appoints Cabinet.

Cape Haitien, Feb. 5.—Senator Davilmar Theodore, who has set up a provisional government here has appointed his Cabinet. General Monplaisir, the returned exile, was permitted to land here by authorization of Theodore. There has been some pillaging and today an American gunboat landed bluejackets. The Consular Corps has requested that another warship be sent from Port au Prince to protect foreign interests.

"Bill" on Stand Today.

New York, Feb. 5.—Former Governor William Sulzer tomorrow will take the stand again in District Attorney Whitman's John Doe inquiry into State political graft. He will pick up his story where he dropped it as a witness a fortnight ago. It is expected he will be questioned concerning certain letters received by him during the proceedings at Albany which ended in his impeachment.

English Press Likes Repeal of the Free Tolls Provision.

London, Feb. 6.—Several morning newspapers print editorials today on President Wilson's announcement that he would use his influence to have repealed the provision of the Panama Canal Act exempting American coastwise vessels from the payment of tolls.

The Daily News says experience has shown that President Wilson's use of his legitimate influence is, for practical purposes, irresistible.

The Daily Chronicle expressing the hope that President Wilson will carry the Senate with him, remarks that it makes little difference whether the objectionable clause be repealed or referred to arbitration since it is unable to conceive that any arbitration court would decide the issue otherwise than in favor of Great Britain.

The Chronicle thinks that repealing the clause would be the most friendly dignified and courteous course to pursue.

Debate on Alaska Railroad Bias Is Concluded in House.

Washington, Feb. 5.—General debate on the Chamberlain Bill, authorizing the President to construct a Government railroad in Alaska tonight was concluded in the House. The measure will be taken up for detailed consideration next Wednesday and Representative Houston in charge of the bill tonight said every effort would be made to hurry it to final passage. It already has passed the Senate.

More than two score members of the House made brief speeches for and against the project today, Rep-

resentatives Mann, of Illinois, and Lorah, of Missouri, making the principal arguments favoring it and Representative Dies, of Texas, opposing it. Mr. Dies denounced the measure as opening the way for paternalism and "socialistic." Republican Leader Mann declared the same cry has been raised against every extension of Governmental activity.

The field day of oratory brought few members of the House to the chamber and the speakers addressed almost empty benches throughout the day.

Huerta Is Still Optimistic.

Mexico City, Feb. 4.—Students of the capital today made plans to hold a public demonstration tomorrow against the American Government under the governor of the federal district, acting under instructions from President Huerta, tonight announced that no demonstration would be permitted.

President Huerta today cabled to the newspapers in Buenos Ayres, London, Paris and Madrid and to a few in the United States that he had an army of 135,000 and soon expected to issue a decree increasing this number by 50,000.

Wine Importer Fails.

New York, Feb. 4.—Cosare Conti one of the largest importers of olive oil and wines and other Italian products in the country, and a private banker and steamship and railroad ticket agent, made an assignment today for the benefit of creditors. Mr. Conti's attorney said his liabilities would amount to about \$350,000 and his assets to about \$100,000. Conti is seriously ill at a local hospital.

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United States Civil Service Examination for Rural Carrier.

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Age, 18 to 55 on date of the examination. The maximum age is waived in cases of persons honorably discharged from the United States military or naval service.

An applicant must have his actual domicile in the territory supplied by a postoffice in the county for which the examination is announced.

The examination is open to all male citizens of the United States who can comply with the requirements.

Application Form 1841, and full information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured from the secretary of the local examining board or the postmaster at any of the examination points named above, or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Applications should be properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington. As examination papers are shipped direct from the Commission to the places of examination, it is necessary that applications be received in ample time to arrange for the examination desired at the place indicated by the applicant. The commission will therefore arrange to examine any applicant whose application is received in time to permit the shipment of the necessary papers.

An eligible register for the position of rural letter carrier for each county will be maintained. A person must be examined in the county in which the post office that supplies his home is situated. As a result of such examination he may become eligible to appointment as rural carrier at any post office in such county. A rural letter carrier after one year's satisfactory service may be transferred to the position of clerk or carrier in a first or second class postoffice, to the position of village mail clerk, or to the position in the classified service, subject to such examination as may be required by the civil service rules. J. A. McLELLIN, Pres.

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Reestablish the "Lineup."

New York, Feb. 4.—Among police department reforms, Douglas I. McKay, police commissioner, purposes to bring about the reestablishment of the "lineup." Under this system detectives, their faces masked, used to line up at police quarters and view one by one all criminals under arrest to become familiar with their appearance, voices and mannerisms. Commissioner McKay tonight recommended to Mayor Mitchell the restoration of the "lineup" and the mayor gave his approval.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. L. H. Mebane, of Witt, Va., is the guest of his father, Mr. J. R. Mebane for a few days.

Misses Addie Ray and Olivia Smith spent Saturday and Sunday the guest of C. O. Smith, at Altamahaw.

Mrs. Bascom Hornaday, of Greensboro, and sister Miss Essie James, are the guest of their father for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bowland left Sunday for the northern markets to purchase goods. Miss May McAdams is clerking in Mr. Bowland's store while Mr. Bowland is away.

The Sunday school class of the Reformed Church, taught by Mr. Berry Sykes, gave a social Saturday night, clearing \$15 which was donated to the parsonage fund of the church.

The new Studebaker two-passenger car recently purchased by Mr. W. W. Brown is a beauty. It is the first car of its style ever purchased in this town.

Mr. M. B. Smith spent the latter part of the past week at Reidsville, where he was called on account of the death of his brother's wife.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. J. Wagoner spent Saturday and Sunday at Greensboro, where they were the guest of his sister.

Mr. E. E. Thomas, of the Burlington Drug Co., spent Saturday and Sunday at Roxboro, the guest of friends and relatives.

Mr. J. J. Mazur, who has been on the northern market purchasing goods for his spring trade returned the latter part of the past week and reports a nice trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Holt are rejoicing over the arrival of a 12-pound boy at their home.

Mrs. Olen Pitts, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Gutrie, for the past week or two, has returned to her home at Cross Hill, S. C.

Mr. John C. Lloyd spent Sunday at Oxford the guest of friends.

Miss Blanche Gresson, of Greensboro, spent Saturday and Sunday in town the guest of her brother, Mr. H. E. Gresson and other friends and relatives.

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"The Poetical Column."
 There appears to be a poetical feeling going around among our subscribers. As they are sending us quite a number of poems—some to be republished, others composed by the readers. We are indeed glad to get this poetry and trust that others will follow the example. We have decided to set aside one column each issue for the publication of these poems. If anyone has a song they wish published we shall be glad to give the same publicity in this poetical column.

The following was sent us by one who has doubtless rocked the cradle at night after having followed the plow during the day. Although he has ceased to rock the cradle unless rocking his grandchild, he has a spark of love and that same tender feeling for the "Rockabye Baby":
ROCKABYE BABY.

Rockabye baby on the tree top,
 When the wind blows the cradle will rock,
 When the bough breaks the cradle will fall,
 Down will come baby, cradle and all.

Cradle's not empty, baby's not gone,
 If he were not here home would be lone,
 Sweet little mouth and bright sparkling eyes,
 Fill home with music, e'en though he cries.

Golden hair'd darling, our hearts would be sore,
 If you should fly to the bright golden shore,
 Now, precious angel, fold you bright wings,
 List to the lullaby Mamma now sings.

DO WE FORGET?
 Do we forget when winter's snows lie deep
 Above the bed where our beloved sleep
 And we no longer wildly weep—
 Do We Forget?

Do we forget, because with mute lips pressed,
 To fading pictures, all our love unguessed,
 Lies locked secure within our patient breast—
 Do We Forget?

Do we forget? Nay, in each heart there lies
 A secret place, where hid from mortal eyes,
 Dwells, strong and true, a love that never dies—
 Nor can forget.

ON THE TWENTY-THIRD PSALM.
 In "pastures green?" Not always; sometimes He
 Who knoweth best, in kindness, leadeth us
 In ways ways, where heavy shadows lie.

And by "still waters?" No, not always so
 Ofttimes the heavy tempests round us blow,
 And o'er my soul the waves and billows go.

But when the storms beat loudest, and I cry
 Aloud for help, the Master standeth by,
 And whispers to my soul, "Lo, it is I!"
 So, where He leads me I can safely go,
 And in the best hereafter I shall know
 Why, in His wisdom, He hath led me so.

AN EVENING PRAYER.
 Forgive us for the smiles we failed to give—
 Smiles on which saddened hearts may live—
 And yet—and yet—we failed to give.

Forgive us for the words we've left unsaid—
 Words that feed hungry hearts like bread,
 And yet—and yet—were left unsaid.

And for the little deeds we've left undone—
 They might have cheered some lonely one—
 And yet—and yet—were left undone.

Forgive us, thou who knowest us so well,
 That we have failed our love to tell
 By smiles and deeds and words, as well.
 —Presbyterian Standard.

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A Winter Cough.

A stubborn, annoying, depressing cough hangs on, racks the body and weakens the lungs, and often leads to serious results. The first dose of Dr. King's New Discovery gives relief. Henry D. Sanders, of Vavandis, Vt., was threatened with consumption, after having pneumonia. He writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery ought to be in every family; it is certainly the best of all medicines for coughs, colds or lung trouble." Good for children's coughs. Money back if not satisfied. Price 50 c. and \$1.00 at all druggists.—H. E. Bucklen & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis.

"Dummies" Were Used.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 4.—To show that the defendants in the Alaska coal land conspiracy trial of Charles F. Munday and Archie Shields knew they could not without the passage of a law by Congress acquire patent to coal claims which are alleged to have been entered for them by "dummies," the prosecution introduced correspondence between Algernon H. Stacey, brother of Sir Edward Stracey, and manager of the Pacific Coal and Oil Company, and A. C. Frost, of Chicago, head of a company seeking title to Alaska coal lands.

Laborites Didn't Cheer.

Capetown, South Africa, Feb. 4.—General Jan Christian Smut, minister of defense, today was cheered by all except the laborites in the assembly. He moved the second reading of the bill to indemnify the governments for its acts under martial law. The Minister of Defense urged that the government had to deal with no ordinary strike, but a syndicalist conspiracy of the worst sort.

Former Political Boss Sentenced. New York, Feb. 4.—Joseph Cassidy, former Democratic boss of Queens

county, and William Willett, Jr., a former congressman, today were sentenced to serve a year and six months in Sing Sing prison and pay \$1,000 fine.

Louis T. Walter, a politician, was sentenced to three months and fined \$1,000. Willett was convicted of paying a bribe to Cassidy for a Supreme Court nomination. Walter was the go-between.

Rest Periods for Women.

Washington, Feb. 4.—John Skelton Williams, new comptroller of the currency, earned the appreciation of 500 women in the Treasury Department today when the ordered two daily rest periods of ten minutes' duration.

Automobile Plunges Down Embankment.

Statesville, Feb. 3.—Mr. George Absher, of Statesville, and a party of friends had a narrow escape from injury Sunday afternoon when Mr. Absher's machine ran down a high embankment. The runaway car did not turn over. The accident happened as Mr. Absher was going down a grade on the State Highway toward Back Creek at high speed when he met another car coming up the grade, and in turning to the right to avoid a collision, he lost control of his machine, which plunged down the high embankment. The runaway car did not turn over, but the driver was thrown out and slightly injured. His passengers remained in the machine and aside from a severe shake-up were not hurt. A front wheel of the car was crushed. Persons who witnessed the incident consider it almost miraculous that there were no fatal results.

Monroe Negro Forged Liquor Prescriptions.

Monroe, Feb. 3.—When the report of the Medical Dispensary was sent in on the first of February, it was ascertained that Dr. H. H. Croft, a negro doctor here, had given an unusual number of prescriptions and when confronted about the matter he began to look over the slips that had drawn whiskey and he found several that were not in his regular writing. An investigation followed and after getting a few facts together, Chief of Police Laney arrested a negro cement worker here by the name of Eugene Salter, who acknowledges having issued the prescriptions from time to time not only for himself, but for those that were thirsty.

He was arrested and is in jail awaiting a hearing for forgery and obtaining goods under false pretense. Salter has been regarded as an exemplary man of his race and his downfall has created much comment here. The forgery was so complete as to baffle the dispenser.

Dog Kept Watch by Body of Drowned Man, Drowned.

Morrisville, Pa., Feb. 3.—Mystery surrounding the disappearance yesterday of Benjamin Cleo, seventy years old, or Morrisville, was cleared tonight when his body was found jammed in a quantity of ice near the shore of the Delaware river. His pet fox terrier, his companion for years, was standing guard over the body of its master. Coroner Rue took charge. It was Cleo's custom to gather driftwood from the river and developments show that yesterday he went out in a rowboat, which is supposed to have capsized. It is believed he fought his way to shore, only to succumb.

Mrs. Cleo sat up all night awaiting the return of her husband, and when he failed to appear a searching party was sent out.

Councilman Falls Dead After Heated Debate.

Lewistown, Pa., Feb. 3.—Councilman B. F. Joseph fell dead here today his death being due to excessive excitement caused, it is said, by heated discussions at a meeting of the Council. Warm debates on the question of increasing the health officer's salary and opening a street over the Kitshacoquillas Creek are believed to have so affected his heart that he fell dead in his home after leaving the meeting.

He was a member of the P. O. S. of A., the Knights of the Golden Eagle and the Fame Fire Company. He was thirty-one years old and is survived by his widow and two children. His father, Rev. George Joseph, is pastor of Trinity Evangelical Church here.

Steamer Vado Lost.

Prince Rupert, B. C., Feb. 4.—The steamship Vado, of the Union line, Captain Richardson, was lost in Nagosa Gulf, Portland canal, early Tuesday morning. The vessel in a heavy snow storm hit a rock, sinking in half an hour. The 26 persons on board were saved, reaching here today by the steamship Venture.

Captain Richardson's story of the sinking is that the Vado struck in a wild storm in the dark. The steamer immediately began to fill. Many of the crew were in their bunks, and only had time to get a few personal effects and lower away small boats. All freight was lost. The survivors reached Arrandale Cannery, where

they were picked up by the Ventur.

Women Ride a Woman on a Rail.

Waukegan, Ill., Feb. 3.—Five women of Volo, Ill., accused of driving their neighbor, Mrs. John Richardson, out of the village by riding her on a rail, today were fined \$100 each by Judge Charles Donnelly. None of the women was able to pay her fine in court. They were given three days each to raise the money, during which time Judge Donnelly will consider the advisability of inflicting a jail sentence if the money is not forthcoming.

Mrs. Richardson had been the subject of village gossip in which the name of her brother-in-law was involved. The women visited her home late one night, ordered her from the village, and, according to her story, placed her on a rail and rode her from her home.

Littauers Sentenced.

New York, Feb. 4.—Lucius N. Littauer, a former congressman, and his brother, William, were fined \$1,000 each and sentenced to six months in jail today for smuggling.

The court, however, withheld sentence in the matter of the jail penalty.

The brothers were arraigned in federal district court, having pleaded guilty yesterday to two indictments, charging smuggling and conspiracy to defraud. They had admitted bringing into this country without paying duty, valuable jewels purchased in Venice and intended for gifts for William Littauer's wife.

Old Press Operator Dead.

Boston, Feb. 4.—The sudden death of James E. Griffin, well known as a telegraph operator and newspaper worker, was announced today. More than 30 years ago when employed by the old New England Associated Press Mr. Griffin operated the first telegraph line between New York and this city leased by a press association. Later he entered editorial work.

Rebels Occupy Altamira.

Brownsville, Tex., Feb. 4.—Rebels today occupied the town of Altamira, 12 miles north of Tampico, without resistance, according to advices received at constitutionalist headquarters at Matamoros, Mexico tonight.

Governor O'Neal Won't Talk.

Montgomery, Ala., Feb. 4.—Governor O'Neal tonight declined to express an opinion on the result of the vote in the United States senate denying his appointee, Frank P. Glass, his seat, and did not say whether he would call a special election to fill the vacancy.

But with Judge Clark on the job who will be audacious enough to say that the suffragists are without representation?—Greensboro News.

United States Civil Service Examination.

STENOGRAPHER AND TYPEWRITER. Field Service.

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Date: February 28 1914.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces an open competitive examination at the places and on the date named above to provide a register of eligible from which to make certification for filling vacancies as they may occur in positions requiring the qualifications of stenography, typewriting, or stenography and typewriting in the Federal Classified civil service in the vicinity of the places of examination.

Women will be admitted to this examination but will not be admitted to other stenographer and typewriter examinations for the Field Service in the Fourth Civil Service District until February, 1915, unless the needs of the service require otherwise.

Age, 18 years or over on the date of examination.

The examination is open to all persons who are citizens of or who owe allegiance to the United States and who meet the requirements.

The scope and character of the examination, the limits of civil service districts, and the regulations governing certification are shown in Form 1424, "Information for Applicants for the Stenographer and Typewriter Examination."

Persons who wish to enter the examination should apply at once for Form 1425 and application Form 1871 to the Secretary of the local board of civil service examiners at the postoffice in one of the cities named at the head of this announcement, or to the district secretary at the address below. Applications should be properly executed and filed without delay. Applications for this examination must be filed with the undersigned in time to arrange for the examination of the applicant. Secretary, 4th. Civil Service District, Washington, D. C.

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Because of advanced bids and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Alamance County, made in a Special Proceedings whereof all the heirs-at-law of the late C. M. Euliss were made parties for the purpose of selling for partition the real property of said C. M. Euliss, deceased, in Alamance County, we will offer at public sale to the highest bidder, at the Court House door, in Graham, N. C., at 12 o'clock M., on SATURDAY, JANUARY 24, 1914, the following described real property, to-wit:

Tract 1.—Adjoining the lands of D. T. Curtis, heirs of John Stanley, deceased, S. L. Dixon, and others, bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at an iron bolt in public road leading from Big Falls to Burlington, corner with D. T. Curtis, running thence N. 25 1/2 degrees E. 87.81 chs. to an iron bolt in said Stanley line, corner with said Dixon; thence N. 84 1/2 degrees W. 28.69 chains to a rock, corner with said Dixon; thence S. 3 1/2 degrees W. 37.65 chains to a rock, thence E. 12.20 chains to the beginning, containing 48 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 2.—A lot of parcel of land in Burlington Township, within the corporate limits of the Town of Burlington, on the corner where Means and Cameron streets intersect, it being lot No. 250 as shown by the map of said Town, dated 1898, it being the same lot of land conveyed to said C. M. Euliss by the North Carolina Railroad Company dated 8th day of May, 1899, and recorded in Register of Deeds Office of Alamance County in Deed Book No. 14, on pages 212 to 214, and upon which there is now situated a dwelling house.

Bidding on Lot No. 1 will begin at 11:00 A. M. and on Lot No. 2 bidding will begin at 12:00 P. M.

third in six months, and one-third in twelve months, with interest as deferred payments and title reserved until fully paid.

This January 5, 1914. WM. L. Ward, Graham, J. A. Giles, Durham, N. C., Commissioners

AN INCESSANT COUGH.

Continued Dropping of Mucus into my Throat.

A severe cough is always a grave symptom. It may not indicate organic disease of the lungs. Even though the cough is a functional disturbance it is of sufficient gravity to demand prompt attention.

The dropping of mucus from the back part of the nose into the throat indicates nasal catarrh. Sometimes this goes on a long time before the patient pays any attention to it. It is stated on good authority that mucus dropping into the throat in this way is apt to excite catarrh of the stomach. At any rate, the condition ought to be corrected as soon as possible.

Mrs. Beurland, of Frankston, Texas, found after using Parana that not only did the incessant cough disappear, but the dropping of mucus into the throat had also ceased. Read what she says: "For twenty-three years I was a constant sufferer from chronic catarrh. I had a severe misery and burning in the top of my head. There was almost a continual dropping of mucus into my throat, which caused frequent sneezing. My entire system gradually became involved, and my condition grew worse. I had an incessant cough and frequent attacks of bilious colic, from which it seemed I could not recover. My bowels also became affected, causing alarming attacks of hemorrhoids. I tried many remedies, which gave only temporary relief, or no relief at all. I at last tried Parana, and in three days I was relieved of the nasal catarrh. After using five bottles I was entirely cured. I most emphatically recommend the use of Parana to any one similarly afflicted."

Highway Robberies Across Pittsburgh, Feb. 4.—A record of more than 100 burglaries, highway robberies and attacks on women within the last 30 days, 12 of them within the last 24 hours, without a conviction, Mayor Joseph G. Armstrong today took charge of the situation. He summoned W. N. Matthews, superintendent of police, for a conference and directed a letter to Chas. S. Hubbard, director of public safety in which he declared that in the future policemen convicted of intoxication while on duty must be dismissed.

Late today Mrs. M. A. Richmond was knocked down and robbed by an unknown man, while waiting for a street car on the North Side. The thief tore three diamond rings from her hand and escaped.

Later Andrew Rice entered the butcher shop of B. Galavichs in the West End and robbed the cash register of \$15. A crowd chased Rice, who, when he was about to be captured, shot himself dead.

Two Men Charged With Assaulting Young Girl.

Asheville, Feb. 4.—Dolph Tipton and Will Blankenship, two young men of this county, were arrested yesterday charged with assaulting Miss Althis Cressman, the 15-year-old daughter of T. H. Cressman, of the Avery's Creek section. The men are being held at the Buncombe County Jail awaiting a preliminary hearing before a magistrate.

The crime with which the men are charged is an unusual one, it being alleged that during the time that she was alone in the house, Miss Cressman was attacked. Her hair was cut from her head and her right hand was severely lacerated as she made an attempt to free herself from her assailants. A drug was administered to her and the house was searched, the sum of \$3.15 being taken.

New Jersey Congressman at Point of Death.

Washington, Feb. 4.—With Representative Robert Bremner, of New Jersey, at the point of death in Baltimore, his friends in the House failed in an effort to secure the passage of a measure which the dying man fathered, creating a bureau of labor safety in the Department of Labor.

Representative Robert Bremner was intensely interested in this bill, said Representative Walsh. "He spent the greater part of his life working on this problem. He is now in a critical condition, in fact, the end is likely to come at any moment."

Speaker Clark declared he violated a fixed custom of the House in recognizing the request, but said he believed the occasion warranted it. Representative Sisson, of Mississippi however, after stating that the measure contained important matters which demanded deliberate consideration, objected, and the bill went back to the calendar.

The Universal Lesson.
"Some one knows something that I don't know"—
This is life's lesson, wherever I go.

My train pours on through the plights black sieve;
I feel joggie and veer and give,
't she clings to the rails, by laws divine
Applied by ex... hands than mine
And she sings me to sleep with her rhythmic flow.
"Some one—knows something—that you—don't know."

I see in a station a yokel rude
With fowling-piece rust-crusted, old and crude—
Yet, strewing the floor 'round his muddied feet
Are trophies of game for a monarch meet.

Again the lesson that goes to show
Some one knows something that I don't know.
E'en children, scarcely a fifth my years,
Surround me with feats that arouse my fears
For their limbs and their lives, as they swerve and swing
On treacherous rollers—the bird a-wing

Goes scarcely more swiftly than these limps go—
Some one knows something that I don't know?

I raise my gaze to the stars of night
Lending, through legions of longues, their light.
Amazed I murmur: "And yet I see
The meagrest marge of immensity!"
So I whisper humbly, with head bent low,
"Some one knows something that I don't know."

This is my lesson wherever I go—
"Some one knows something that I don't know."
—Strickland Gillilan in Leslie's Weekly.

FRINGE AND FRILLS TO THE FORE.

The Widening Hip-Line is the Noted Feature of the Smart Spring Gowns.

Braided Bands and Vivid Sashes Popular.

New York, February 9.—The late winter and early spring styles show the wide popularity of trimmings of braid, fringe, passementerie and beads.

Braid is used most effectively in the development of the stunning suit illustrated on the figure below. The material used is taupe eponge. The collar and cuffs are of white broadcloth, solidly braided with black Hercules braid. The cuffant skirt has the front draping caught up by a short panel, which is also braided. A wide sash of Roman silk adds a note of color.

The trimming of a dress, the lining or the sash is by far the most important factor of the modern costume.

A woman may don her husband's gray flannel shirt if it is lined with a brilliant contrasting silk which peeps out alluringly at neck and the sleeves and pocket. A white serge or broadcloth suit is infinitely more smart for the addition of a lining of cerise, bright green or black satin.

The growing preference for plaid in one's costume has spread rapidly. It is used in a variety of ways—to suit the individual taste of the wearer. Plaid collars, cuffs and pockets of plaid will rejuvenate last year's dress, and a broad sash of it can only be eclipsed by its cousin, the Roman stripe.

There are plaid waistcoats which lighten a dark serge or broadcloth suit in an attractive way, in fact, waistcoats are a welcome addition to the majority of the tilted jackets, which are the ultra style. The vests have been worn a great deal during the winter with suits of broadcloth, duvetyne, or serge. Brocaded ones were worn with many of the dressier suits. At a The Dansant the other day I saw a young woman wearing a white crepe de Chine waist with a separate skirt. Over this waist she wore a waistcoat of bright Spanish yellow, cut on the lines of a man's waistcoat—even to the strap in the back.

The Up-Draping of the Skirt to Give the Wide-Hip Effect and the Closely Braided Bands Which Trim This Smart Frock Show the Latest Approved Lines. The Sash of Roman Striped Silk Relieves the Subdued Tones of the Gown.



Prince is extremely stylish, especially that made from threaded beads. It is seen around the edge of a tunic, like the fringe on an amp-rhale. On the bottom of panels and the stylish apron fronts it may be from 6 to 10 inches in depth.

Beads are a trimming which are very popular. Beaded motifs of flowers may be bought to trim the collar or bertha of a waist, even the ruffles on a skirt.

Beaded nets are used for tunics or evening dresses. The raw edges are left unhemmed, or they may be finished with a picot edge. This is done at almost any shop where accordion plaiting is made.

One very attractive net for a dress or its trimming was beaded with crystals and now and then a leaf composition of fine jet beads.

In one of the leading stores I saw a black dress which was made of a combination of fraille de laine and charmeuse. The fraille waist has set-in sleeves and vest of charmeuse. The upper part of the skirt is of charmeuse, and the lower portion of fraille de laine. The turn-back cuffs on the elbow-length sleeves are trimmed with a beaded motif in four colors: yellow, lavender, black and white. The only other color on this gown is a long string of beads of the same color

that is in the motif. It is strung in a dark fashion; each end is finished with a black silk tassel and tied loosely.

Box plaited frills and ruffles are much newer than the simple, gathered ones. They finish a waist at the neck and around the bottom of a tunic. A double box-plaited ruffle on the lower edge of a chiffon skirt holds the skirt in place.

Wreaths and garlands of tiny flowers, made from chiffon, tulle or ribbon, are a very pretty and stylish trimming for evening dresses. They adorn the outside of a dress, and are often placed on the foundation silk beneath a chiffon or net overdress.

This is a simple and inexpensive trimming to make at home, as the materials are left-over pieces of chiffon cut into bias strips folded in the center, gathered tightly and fastened firmly with a needle and thread. A narrow piece of baby ribbon with a picot edge may be gathered to form the sally. These may be fastened to a long piece of green wire or twisted ribbon.

Preacher Guilty of Manslaughter.
Purvis, Miss., Feb. 7.—The Rev. Daniel Grantham, pastor of a Baptist church here, today was found guilty of manslaughter and sentenced to five years in prison. It was charged that he killed George Burkhalter, in a controversy growing out of an alleged feud between the Grantham and Burkhalter families.

Lightning Cures Paralysis.
That he was cured of an attack of rheumatism by the shock of a bolt of lightning which struck very close to him a short time ago is the statement of George Partlow, of Shelby.

Previous to his narrow escape from death by lightning Partlow was crippled not only by rheumatism but by the effects of a paralytic stroke. Since he was struck by lightning he has been steadily gaining and he now appears to have recovered entirely from both the rheumatism and the paralysis.

He was badly burned by the lightning, the lower part of one leg still shows peculiar scars. He lost several teeth also, but the loss of his rheumatism amply compensates him.—Shelby, Mich., dispatch.

Name on Egg Brought Husband.

The marriage of Augusta Reemsten, pastry chef at a Louisville hotel, and Miss Anna Danforth, of Elizabethtown, Ind., which took place in this city last Saturday evening at the First Presbyterian church manse, was brought about by an egg, according to information from the home of the bride. Mr. Reemsten was employed as chef in a New York restaurant and was about to break an egg to make a cake when his eye caught some writing on it, and he noted the name and address. The expected followed, a correspondence, an exchange of photographs, a visit to Elizabethtown, an engagement opposed by the mother only on the ground that she did not wish her daughter to go so far away. Nothing daunted the chef, and he determined to find another job, got one at Louisville, and the marriage followed, the mother of the bride accompanying them to Jeffersonville for the wedding ceremony.—Louisville Evening Post.

She Thought Her Husband Was a Confidence Man.

"There are still a few honest men left in the world," said J. J. Hill, the financier, at a banquet. "It is well to be cautious, but we should not suspect everybody. If we are too suspicious we make ourselves absurd."

"I worked in St. Paul in my youth, and they still tell there about an old farmer and his wife who started for St. Paul on a visit.

"Before the couple got off they were cautioned frequently by their friends to beware of St. Paul sharpers. They replied that they would keep their eyes open. And they started on their journey with a nervous determination to look out for sharpers and confidence men.

"Well, on the way the old farmer got off at a junction to buy some lunch and the train went off without him. It was a terrible mishap. The last he saw of his wife she was crawling out of the car window, shouting something reproachful at him, which he couldn't hear on account of the noise of the train.

"It happened that an express came along a few minutes later. The old farmer boarded the express and beat his wife to St. Paul by nearly an hour.

"He was waiting for her at the station when she arrived. He ran up to her and seized the valise.

"Well, Jane," he said, "I am glad to see you again. I thought we was separated for good."

"But the old lady jerked the valise from him indignantly.

"No, ye don't, Mr. Sharper," she cried. "I left my husband at the junction. Don't be comin' any of yer confidence tricks on me or I'll call a sally."

High grade bicycles for sale. Price from \$10 up. H. E. Rauhut.

Mrs. W. G. Brownlow Dead.
Knoxville, Tenn., Feb. 4.—Mrs. W. G. Brownlow, widow of "Parson Brownlow, widely known as a church man and editor, died here this morning in her 96th year. She was well known throughout the South.

Those who in quarrel interpose,
Must often wipe a bloody nose.

Undelivered Letters.
The following letter remain in the postoffice at Burlington, N. C., unclaimed, Feb. 7, 1914:

Gentlemen: Jim Carroll, Ben Davis, J. P. French, C. J. Flack (2), R. B. Fitch, George Fisher, Harry Hersburg, Van Hinderson, J. N. Trolinger, Oscar Haynes.

Ladies: Miss Ada Dear, Miss Jarmce, Miss Rounth Loow, Miss Fidelia Marcom, Miss Drathy A. Wilson, Mrs. Oscar Whitteall.

Persons calling for any of the above letters will please say "advertisers" and give date of advertisement.

Hands Off the Judge.

The Columbia State smeared its typewriter ribbon with vitriol yesterday when it devoted six inches to Judge Clark. It accuses him of having "been so long a politician that the habit is strong upon him. Politics made him a judge and kept him one. Nevertheless he is an able lawyer, but it frequently appears that he is an abler politician. The wonder is what political favor he can now look to, having within the year made his last venture on the hustings, admitting the desperate nature of his cause by refusing to relinquish, according to all precedent, that which he then held in hand. * * * Is there a judicial revolt to the fore in Tarheelia, or has Time simply uncovered another Speer?

Neither, beloved, neither. South Carolina is merely bewildered as she always has been and always will be by the astounding simplicity of North Carolina politics.

Every once in a while Judge Clark breaks loose with some of these little pleasantries. They are perfectly harmless, and nobody minds in the least, as long as he renders efficient service on the bench. That he has done and is still doing that nobody questions. Why then should we worry about what he says in Cooper Union, especially when he has pretty plausible reasons for his attitude, and some of his specific assertions, as he did in the speech to which the State took exception? If he takes a notion to run for the Senate, or anything else, North Carolina doesn't object in the least; but had he adopted the foolish course of resigning, there would have been a howl sure enough, for we have no intention of giving up our chief justice.

North Carolina is proud of Judge Clark, not merely on account of his legal learning and ability, although that is why we keep him in office, but also because he is such a howling progressive. We are a staid and conservative commonwealth, as a whole, but when Judge Clark puts on his war-paint and feathers and emits a few whoops that send such orderly citizens as The State scuttling for their guns, we must admit that we enjoy the fun as much as he does.

Perhaps part of our joy is due to the fact that we know perfectly well that after he has painted a broad crimson streak from coast to coast, and driven the neighbors into spasms of indignation, he will return to the reservation refreshed in mind and body and buckle down to work in a way to rejoice the heart of the taxpayer. Judge Clark is all right. If The State paper knew him better it would say so too, and its criticisms would be freed of their venom.—Greensboro News.

Took The Count.

A crowd of small boys was gathered about the entrance of a circus tent in one of the small cities in New Hampshire one day trying to get a glimpse of the interior. A man standing near watched them for a few minutes, then, walking up to the ticket seller, he said: "Let all the boys in and count them as they pass." The man did as requested, and when the last one had gone he turned and said "Twenty-eight." "Good," said the man; "I guessed just right," and walked off.—St. Louis Mirror.

Mrs. Whitehead Klutz, of Salisbury, Dead.

Salisbury, Feb. 4.—Mrs. Whitehead Klutz, wife of Secretary Klutz, of the International Joint Commission, which has charge over the Canadian boundary, died at a local hospital shortly after midnight this morning. She had been desperately ill for a week, during which time her husband had been with her.

Forsyth County to Enlarge Jail.
Winston-Salem, Feb. 2.—The county commissioners this afternoon made an appropriation of \$150,000 for a month's hookworm campaign in the county. The commissioners also decided to enlarge the county jail in obedience to the State law regarding the separation of white and colored prisoners.

Money to Lend on First Mortgage Security.

Alamance Ins. & Real Estate Co.
W. E. SHARPE, Mgr.

"Bankrupt Sale"
Chilled Plows and Castings.

One, Two & Three Horse Plows, at less than cost to manufacture in order to close the lot out quick.
3-H. Plows listed at \$12.50 Sale price \$6.25
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1-H. Plows, listed \$4.50 & \$5.50 Sale price \$3.25 & \$3.50 Some little Show Worn otherwise not damaged.

No trouble to get repairs, you can afford to buy these plows at the prices named, even if you do not need the plows right now.

Standard make Chilled Plows, you can well afford to drive 20 & 30 miles for One these Chilled Plows.

Act quick before stock is picked over
Car Walter A. Wood Mowers, Disc. & Spike Harrows, just received prices low down, Sec. N. S. Cardwell, the always busy store.

N. S. CARDWELL,
The Always Busy Store Burlington

Don't Suffer!

"I had been troubled, a little, for nearly 7 years," writes Mrs. L. Fincher, in a letter from Peavy, Ala., "but I was not taken down, until March, when I went to bed and had to have a doctor. He did all he could for me, but I got no better. I hurt all over, and I could not rest. At last, I tried Cardui, and soon I began to improve. Now I am in very good health, and able to do all my housework."

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You may wonder why Cardui is so successful, after other remedies have failed. The answer is that Cardui is successful, because it is composed of scientific ingredients, that act curatively on the womanly system. It is a medicine for women, and for women only. It builds, strengthens, and restores weak and ailing women, to health and happiness.

If you suffer like Mrs. Fincher did, take Cardui. It will surely do for you, what it did for her. At all druggists.

Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chittanooga Medicine Co., Chittanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free. 1/20

AUCTION SALE

1-2 mile from
SAXAPAHAW MILLS

The J. W. Menefee farm, this farm has been sub-divided into small tracts and will be sold at auction on Monday, Feb. 16 at 10:30 a. m. this farm contains over 1500 acres about 900 cleared and 600 timbered, some of the very best land to be had in Alamance County.

We will also sell at this sale, 1-60 SAW COTTON GIN, 1-SAW MILL, 1-BALING PRESS, 1-3 HORSE POWER GASOLINE ENGINE and WOOD SAW MOUNTED ON WHEELS.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16, at 10:30

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This property has been consigned to us to be sold and it is going to change hands. These farms will be sold at the rate of ONE A MINUTE until farms has been disposed of.

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Route Eight News Items.

Burlington, Route 8, Feb. 10.—The Spectacle Man and the Lightning Rod Man are reaping a big harvest on Route Eight. We can't understand why a sensible man will pay an unknown, you might say a "Tramp peddler" of eye glasses \$5 to \$15 per pair for glasses when they can come to Burlington and get just as good, and maybe better ones, from a man that you do know, for \$1.00 to \$1.50. As to the Lightning Rods—we never did have any faith in them, and the methods used by the agents are questionable, to say the least. They make an estimate that it will cost so much to rod a house and in every case, the bill is \$10 to \$30 more, and the farmers have to pay or stand a lawsuit. P. T. Barnum, the great Show man, once said: That the Americans loved to be humbugged, and we find that some of our Route 8 folks are "Jesse So." There are some folks on Burlington Route 2 and Altamahaw Route 2 in the same boat. Well, folks may learn some day.

H. J. Simpson has purchased the Ernest Murphy Place, west of Burlington and will move to it. We regret to have this good family leave No. 8, and wish them well. Be good to them No. 4.

Mrs. Ira Allen and children are visiting at W. A. Lewis'.

W. H. Allen and family have moved to Durham and will work in the Pearl Mill. Sorry to see them leave. As these retire let others come.

We hear a good one on our friend, Clay Murry, near Pleasant Grove. There are three things that Mr. Murry loves, a game of checkers, a good dog and a cat. Now Brother Murry has a fine dog and cat. He had learned the dog to "speak" for candy etc., and got him trained very well. One day he "fell out" with his cat and he in his impatience said: "I'll give 50 cents to any one who will kill that cat." Shep, the dog heard him and went forth and killed the cat. Now Brother Murry did not mean what he said, and lamented the untimely death of his pet Feline. Said he would not have had it to happen for \$5. This should be a lesson to Brother Murry not to say too much before a that intellectual pup.

The infant of J. D. Paschal died Saturday and was buried Sunday. We extend sympathy to the bereaved parents.

The sick folks on Route 8 are improving, we are glad to say.

Elon College Notes.

Elon College, Feb 10.—Several took the opportunity of Sunday as Go To Church Sunday. Rev. Harrell, of Virginia, preached an excellent sermon. The college chapel was about full. The series of meetings is still going on in big progress. In the afternoon Dr. J. O. Atkinson, pastor of the church, preached to Elon Negroes. They are Baptists and they say they never before heard such a sermon as Dr. Atkinson preached.

Mr. J. T. Pittman, of Nashville, N. C., who has recently moved here, is planning to build a home somewhere in Elon. He has not yet decided on the location. This is several new homes being built at the present.

Mr. Andrew Beal has bought the Elon Grocery Co., as was stated that Mr. J. W. Ingle in last week's issue had bought the firm, but for some reason it was a mistake. Mr. Beal will take charge March 1. We wish him success. We regret to lose Mr. Parris and Preston as they have made a host of friends since they have been here.

Prof. Foust, superintendent of the Guilford Public Schools, spent Monday in Elon visiting his sister, Mrs. W. L. Smith.

Work is progressing nicely on the new brick yard and will be ready in a short time.

The new knitting mill at Gibsonville has started. Several from here and near here have accepted positions.

Mrs. J. B. Geringer is sick at this writing.

Elon's basket ball team returned Sunday night from the western part of the State where they played several strong teams.

Mr. J. B. Geringer spent Monday and Tuesday in Greensboro on business.

Mr. Gurley McPherson, near here, who has been sick for some time is better.

Several from here were present at Mr. Peter Hughes' sale Saturday. Mr. Hughes will move to Graham, where he will live with his son, Heanon.

Mr. C. A. Hughes is putting in a line of ladies' ready made clothing in the second story of his store. Miss Mamie Tate has charge of that department.

Mr. M. R. Cook attended the funeral of the infant of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Paschal Sunday at Union Ridge. Several are having wood choppings this pretty weather.

Mr. Parnell, who has been with the Southern Christian Publishing Co., has resigned his position.

Mr. Eddie Cook spent Sunday in Greensboro.

Mr. John Lambeth and sister and

Mr. Dick Wynn and Miss Lena Ferguson, of Greensboro, were recent visitors.

Ask C. E. G. if he ever found his lost letter.

Mr. Walter Beal is selling fruit trees.

We were sorry to learn of the death of Mr. Peter Whitsell, of Burlington; also of Mr. Elex. Keck, of near Alamance Mills.

What has become of our No. 4 Correspondent?

This Black Cat Cost an Engineer His Job.

Alton, Ill., Feb. 7.—Peter House-

man has lost his job as engineer on the Illinois Terminal railroad because a black cat sped across the track in front of the train. There was no chance of the cat being hit, but House-

man reversed, put on the air brake and made a sudden stop. When the surprised train crew and passengers looked from the windows to find out the trouble they saw the engineer throwing snowballs at an osage hedge tree, where in was perched the black cat.

"What are you doing?" inquired the conductor.

"This blamed cat ran across the track and I have got to chase it

back across again to break the spell," retorted House-

man, as he gathered fresh animation. Soon he dislodged the cat, which fled back across the track. A company official was on the train. House-

man promptly got a "pink envelope" stating his services were no longer needed.

Where Did He Find It?

The Ohio man who laughed himself to death the other day over a funny story must take some paper that we don't get.—Boston Transcript.

Fame is a thin shadow of eternity.

Our Entire Stock of Men's and Boy's Suits and Overcoats

For the next two weeks at

One Third Reduction

Men's Suits and Overcoats formerly \$8.50, 10.00, 12.00, 15.00 up to 25.00.

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New arrival of Spring Hats, Soft Felts and Derbies. Stetson's and other makes.

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Have You Seen The Many Bargains at the Mid-Winter Sale At Jos. A. Isley & Brother Co.,

It will pay you to come and take advantage of some of the great offerings that are being made

We have just received an immense stock of Carpets, Rugs, Art Squares, Linoleum, Matting, Lounges, Davenport, and all kinds of FURNITURE for your home. We are making some

VERY ATTRACTIVE PRICES FOR FEBRUARY.

Come and see our Grocery Department. It is filled with New and Fresh Vegetables. Have you seen that

Arbuckle's Coffee, per pound ... 20c.
Good Green Coffee, per pound ... 13c.
Cotton Seed Meal, 100lb bag \$1.60

Many Things in DRY GOODS.

10c. Sea Island Sheeting, for this Sale ... 6 1/2c.
Good Yard Wide Sheeting per yd. 5c.
Good 10c. Bleaching, ... 7 1/2c.
Good Staple Gingham, worth ten cents ... 5c.
Regular 10c. Gingham, special for this Sale ... 7 1/2c.



Calico, per yard ... 4c.
12 1/2c. Cheviot, per yard ... 10c.
12 1/2c. Bleaching and Cambric, per yard ... 9c. and 10c.
Cotton Blankets, each ... 48c.
Wool Blankets, per pair ... \$3.98
2-in-1 Shoe Polish, regular 10c. quality, special for this sale ... 6c.
25c. Menner's Talcum Powder ... 13c.

Big Stock of Valentines just received, the most attractive line ever seen, ... 1c. to 75c.

\$1.50 to \$1.75 Ladies' Waists, Special for this sale ... 98c.

See the \$15.00 Blue Serge Suits, They are beauties, all wool and Sun Proof ... \$9.95

Canvassing for tobacco beds, ... 2c, 2 1/2c, and 3c.

Sheeting for Wall Paper, ... 4c.

\$25.00 Ladies' Coat Suits ... \$12.95

\$15.00 Ladies' Coat Suits ... \$ 8.88

\$18.00 Ladies' Coat Suits ... \$ 9.86

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